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PUBLIC HOLIDAYS.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir Arthur Lyulph Stanley, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

IN pursuance of the provisions contained in Part VI. of the *Public Service Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2713), I, the Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said State, do by this my Proclamation appoint the days and dates hereunder mentioned to be observed as Public Holidays at the places respectively specified, viz.:—

Public Holidays:—

WEDNESDAY, THE 17TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1917, throughout the Shires of Deakin,* Rodney,* and Talbot,* the North and South Ridings of the Shire of Avoca,* the Bealiba, Borough, and Tarnagulla Ridings of the Shire of Bet Bet*, and the Central and Western Ridings of the Shire of Waranga;

WEDNESDAY, THE 24TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1917, throughout the Shires of Chiltern, Rochester,* Rodney,* Shepparton,* and Waranga;*

WEDNESDAY, THE 31ST DAY OF OCTOBER, 1917, throughout the Shire of Rochester* and the Western Riding of the Shire of Waranga;*

FRIDAY, THE 2ND DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1917, throughout the Shire of Swan Hill;*

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1917, throughout the North and South Ridings of the Shire of Avoca;

WEDNESDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1917, throughout the Shire of Alberton and the Shire of Newham and Woodend.*

* For Agricultural Show.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, the ninth day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the eighth year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(L.S.)

By His Excellency's Command,

A. L. STANLEY.

D. McLEOD,
Chief Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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BANK HALF-HOLIDAYS.

PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency the Honorable Sir Arthur Lyulph Stanley, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor of the State of Victoria and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia, &c., &c., &c.

IN pursuance of the provisions contained in Part III. of the *Banks and Currency Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2618), I, the Governor of the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, do by this my Proclamation appoint the days and dates named hereunder special days to be observed as Bank Half-Holidays at the places respectively mentioned, that is to say:—

Bank Half-Holidays from the hour of Twelve o'clock noon:—

WEDNESDAY, THE 17TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1917, at Pyramid Hill and Rochester;

THURSDAY, THE 18TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1917, at Numurkah;

WEDNESDAY, THE 24TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1917, at Chiltern, Minyip, Mooroopna, and Tallygaroopna;

THURSDAY, THE 25TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1917, at Boort;

WEDNESDAY, THE 31ST DAY OF OCTOBER, 1917, at Dookie and Elmore.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, the ninth day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the eighth year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(L.S.)

A. L. STANLEY.

By His Excellency's Command,

D. McLEOD,
Chief Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

APPOINTMENTS.

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has by Orders made on the 2nd day of October, 1917, been pleased to make the undermentioned appointments, viz. :—

DEPARTMENT OF CHIEF SECRETARY.

Registrar of Births and Deaths,

The person named hereunder to be a Registrar of Births and Deaths at the place mentioned, viz. :—

Narrawong.—ADA ELEANOR CAIN (Acting), pending the appointment of a successor to John G. Lyons, resigned.

Electoral Registrar,

STANLEY KENNETH MCLEOD

to be Electoral Registrar for the Omeo Division of Gippsland Province, and also for the Omeo Division of the Electoral District of Gippsland East, vice William Fleming, whose resignation has, by Order of 2nd October, 1917, been accepted.

Warder, Penal and Gaols,

THOMAS BERKLEY SIMCOCKS

to be a Warder, Penal and Gaols Branch; a vacancy having occurred, and the Public Service Commissioner having certified that an appointment is required, that there is no person available and fit in the Public Service to be promoted or transferred to fill the vacant office, and that the person named is entitled, under the provisions of the Public Service Acts, to be appointed to fill such vacancy on probation for twelve months.

Junior Messenger,

JOHN KIRKPATRICK

to be Junior Messenger, State Accident Insurance Office; a vacancy having occurred, and the Public Service Commissioner having certified that an appointment is required, that there is no person available and fit in the Public Service to be promoted or transferred to fill the vacant office, and that the person named is entitled, under the provisions of the *Public Service Act 1915*, to be appointed to fill such vacancy on probation for six months.

LAW DEPARTMENT—ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Sheriff's Substitute,

STANLEY KENNETH MCLEOD, Omeo

(as Deputy Clerk of the Peace and Registrar of the County Court at Omeo), appointed by virtue of the provisions of section 91 of the Act No. 2674, to do and perform with respect to the Courts at that place, in the place and stead of the Sheriff, all such acts and things as the Sheriff is, by the said Act, authorized or required to do or perform; to take effect from the date of commencement of duty.

LAW DEPARTMENT—SOLICITOR-GENERAL.

Magistrate,

OWEN LONGSTAFF ULLITHORNE, Inverloch,

to Keep the Peace in the Eastern Bailiwick of the State of Victoria.

Commissioners for taking Affidavits, &c.,

THOMAS LESLIE CHAMBERS, Manangatang,

to be a Commissioner for taking Declarations and Affidavits under the provisions of Division 8 of Part IV. of the *Evidence Act 1915* (No. 2647); to resign on removing from the neighbourhood of Manangatang;

DAVID ALEXANDER DICKSON, Laurndel, Manangatang, to be a Commissioner for taking Declarations and Affidavits under the provisions of Division 8 of Part IV. of the *Evidence Act 1915*; to resign on removing from the neighbourhood of Laurndel;

RICHARD McRAE STEWART, 4th Class Clerk, Department of Lands and Survey,

to be a Commissioner for taking Declarations and Affidavits under the provisions of Division 8 of Part IV. of the *Evidence Act 1915* (No. 2647); not to charge fees, and to resign on ceasing to be an officer of the Department of Lands and Survey.

Bailiff of County Court, &c.,

MICHAEL BERNARD NOLAN, Constable of Police, Mansfield,

to be also Bailiff of the County Court and Court of Mines at Mansfield.

Deputy Clerk of the Peace, &c.,

STANLEY KENNETH MCLEOD, Land Officer, Omeo, to be also Deputy Clerk of the Peace, Registrar of the County Court, Clerk of the Court of Mines, Chief Clerk of the Court of Insolvency, and Clerk of Petty Sessions (Acting), at Omeo, vice William Fleming relieved and transferred; to take effect from the date of commencement of duty.

Clerk of Licensing Courts,

STANLEY KENNETH MCLEOD

to be also a Clerk of Licensing Courts; appointment to take effect from the date of commencement of duty.

DEPARTMENT OF TREASURER.

Receiver of Revenue and Paymaster,

STANLEY K. MCLEOD

to be Receiver of Revenue and Paymaster at Omeo, vice W. Fleming, transferred.

Collector of Imposts,

THOMAS KANE,

to be a Collector of Imposts at Stawell for the purpose of collecting moneys payable in connexion with the office of Powder Magazine Keeper, vice D. Usher, resigned.

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY.

Committees of Management,

The Council named hereunder to be a Committee of Management of the Darling Gardens, in the City of Collingwood :—

COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLLINGWOOD.

The Council named hereunder to be a Committee of Management of the Edinburgh Gardens, in the City of Fitzroy :—

COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FITZROY.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

Public Vaccinator,

JOHN CHALMERS BAIRD, M.B.,

to be Public Vaccinator for South-Western District.

Trustee of Cemetery,

FRANK PARKES

to be Trustee for Colac Public Cemetery, vice William Heron; resigned.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR.

Members of Special Boards,

FREDERICK COTTERELL,

W. MONTGOMERY, and

WILLIAM IRWIN THOMS

to be Members (representatives of employers), and

WILLIAM STANLEY BAWDEN,

CHARLES WILLIAM LIND, and

WILLIAM MUIR PHILP

to be Members (representatives of employees) of the Plate Glass Board constituted under the provisions of the Factories and Shops Acts.

F. W. MABBOTT,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,

Melbourne, the 2nd October, 1917.

APPOINTMENT.

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 25th day of September, 1917, been pleased to make the undermentioned appointment, viz. :—

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY.

Chief Clerk,

AUGUSTUS ALBERT PEYERILL, Second Class, Clerical Division, Land Tax Branch, Department of Treasurer,

to be Chief Clerk, Clerical Division, on trial for a period not exceeding three months, vice W. Melver, appointed as Chairman of the Lands Purchase and Management Board.

F. W. MABBOTT,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,

Melbourne, the 25th September, 1917.

The above is published in lieu of the notice appearing in the *Gazette* of the 3rd October, 1917, which is hereby cancelled.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Local Government Act 1915.

AUDITORS OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTS.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by the *Local Government Act 1915* (No. 2686), section 442, the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by an Order made on the 2nd day of October, 1917, appointed the gentlemen whose names appear on the subjoined Schedule to be Auditors to examine and report upon the Municipal Accounts of the respective cities, towns, boroughs, and shires set opposite to their names in the said Schedule, for the year ended 30th September, 1917, viz.:—

SCHEDULE "A."

NOTE.—(C) signifies City; (T) Town; (B) Borough; and (S) Shire.

Names and Addresses.	Municipalities.	Names and Addresses.	Municipalities.
Aylwin, A. M., 101 William-street, Melbourne	Morwell (S), Naracan (S), Warragul (S), Buln Buln (S).	Glennie, A. A. E., 30 Flinders-street, Melbourne	Maryborough (B), Creswick (B), Tullaroop (S), Avoca (S), Talbot (S).
Baker, J. A., 69 Little Collins-street, Melbourne	Newstead and Mount Alexander (S), Maldon (S), Metcalfe (S), Castlemaine (B).	Graham, J. M., 28 Fink's Buildings, Elizabeth-street, Melbourne	Frahan (C).
Balfour-Melville, R. A. A., 34 Queen-street, Melbourne	Kew (T), Lillydale (S).	Gray, Z., 41 Collins-street, Melbourne	Wimmera (S), Kowree (S), Arapiles (S), Horsham (B).
Barker, H. M., 140 Queen-street, Melbourne	Wycheproof (S), Charlton (S), Gordon (S), Korong (S).	Haughton, W., Euston-road, Oakleigh	Newham and Woodend (S), Glenlyon (S), Daylesford (B).
Barnacle, J., 31 Queen-street, Melbourne	Brighton (T), Ferntree Gully (S).	Higgins, J., 475 Collins-street, Melbourne	Oakleigh (B), Mulgrave (S), Abattoirs Seymour (S).
Barr, James, 42 Temple Court, Collins-street, Melbourne	Port Fairy (B), Koroit (B), Belfast (S), Heytesbury (S), Mortlake (S).	Hooke, F. G., 31 Queen-street, Melbourne	Hampden (S), Warrnambool (S).
Berggy, F. A., 31 Queen-street, Melbourne	Bairnsdale (S), Avon (S), Maffra (S).	Hunter, A., Armstrong and Dana streets, Ballarat	Karkaroc (S), Jorung (S), Dunmunkle (S).
Bird, Wm., Swan Hill	Preston (S), Bannockburn (S), Leigh (S).	Kempson, P. Q., 90 Queen-street, Melbourne	Brunswick (C).
Black, G. B., 395 Collins-street, Melbourne	Newtown and Chilwell (B), Geelong West (B), South Barwon (S), Barrabool (S).	Kerferd, J. A., 6 Temple Court, Collins-street, Melbourne	Beechworth (S), Bright (S), Yackandandah (S).
Bruce, G. W., 483 Collins-street, Melbourne	Werribee (S), Braybrook (S).	Lacey, C. E., 10 Rushall-crescent, North Fitzroy	Ballarat (C).
Buck, W., 331 Collins-street, Melbourne	Bendigo (C), Strathfieldsaye (S).	Lovell, R. H., 414 Flinders-lane, Melbourne	Hawthorn (C), Sandringham (B).
Connan, J. A., 8 Male-street, Middle Brighton	Mildura (S), Walpeup (S), Birchip (S), Dunolly (B).	Meudell, G. D., 8 Scott's Court, 434 Collins-street, Melbourne	Flinders (S), Mornington (S), Eltham (S).
Croft, A. J. C., 400 Collins-street, Melbourne	Donald (S), Kara Kara (S), Bet Bet (S), St. Arnaud (B).	Mewton, W. A., 360 Collins-street, Melbourne	Heidelberg (S).
Cummins, G. M., 60 Queen-street, Melbourne	McIvor (S), Pyalong (S), Kilmore (S), Broadford (S), Broadmeadows (S).	Minchin, F. C. B., 230 Collins-street, Melbourne	Yea (S), Mansfield (S), Howqua (S), Alexandra (S), Upper Yarra (S).
Davis, C. H., 31 Queen-street, Melbourne	Malvern (C).	Miners, T. C., 1 Oban-street, Hawksburn	Dandenong (S), Frankston & Hastings (S), Healesville (S).
Dickenson, G. E., 60 Queen-street, Melbourne	Camberwell (C).	Miscamble, F. W., 349 Collins-street, Melbourne	Essendon (C).
Farrell, Ince, Library Buildings, Moorabool-street, Geelong	Warrnambool (T), Bellarine (S).	Morton, R. T., 90 William-street, Melbourne	Lawloit (S), Lowan (S), Dimboola (S).
Gibson, James, 34 Queen-street, Melbourne	Stawell (B), Ararat (B), Grenville (S).	Murray, Allan, 44 Little Collins-street, Melbourne	Wangaratta (B), Wangaratta (S), Oxley (S), Euroa (S).
		McCutcheon, H. G., 34 Queen-street, Melbourne	Williamstown (T), Doncaster (S).
		Nixon, E. V., 360 Collins-street, Melbourne	Gisborne (S), Romsey (S), Bulla (S), Whittlesea (S).
		Oehr, R. J., 59 William-street, Melbourne	Collingwood (C), Melton (S).
		Oxlade, B. H., 430 Chancery-lane, Melbourne	Deakin (S), Rodney (S), Waranga (S).
		Paterson, J. F., Equitable Building, Collins-street, Melbourne	Echuca (B), Rochester (S), Huntly (S).
		Pitman, C., "Runnymede," Beaconsfield Upper	Hamilton (B), Dundas (S), Mount Rouse (S), Minhamite (S), Bacchus Marsh (S).

SCHEDULE—continued.

Names and Addresses.	Municipalities.
Plaisted, H. C., Equitable Building, Collins-street, Melbourne	Portland (B), Portland (S), Glenelg (S), Wannon (S).
Pyke, E., 9 Queen-street, Melbourne	Moorabbin (S).
Quinn, F. M., 193 High street, Prahran	Kyneton (S), East Loddon (S), Inglewood (B).
Rain, W., Learmonth	Ararat (S), Ripon (S), Ballan (S), Sebastopol (B).
Richardson, F. G., 525 Collins-street, Melbourne	Shepparton (S), Numurkah (S), Goulburn (S).
Robertson, J. A., 220 Bridge-street, Albert Park	Port Melbourne (T), Keilor (S).
Robertson, R. J., 28 Market-street, Melbourne	Towong (S), Wodonga (S), Rutherglen (S), Rutherglen (B).
Rogers, C. H., 360 Collins-street, Melbourne	Coburg (T), Berwick (S).
Sauerbrey, J. G., 16 Mercy-street, Bendigo	Englehawk (B), Marong (S).
Seymour, E. A. J., 298 Station-street, North Carlton	Buninyong (S), Ballarat (S), Lexton (S), Creswick (S), Clunes (B).
Shattock, E., 21 Maribyrnong-road, Ascot Vale	Ballarat East (T), Stawell (S), Bungaree (S).
Sinclair, W. J., Noradjuha	Colac (S), Winchelsea (S).
Smith, H. W. C., 360 Collins-street, Melbourne	Sale (B), Rosedale (S), Traralgon (S), Walhalla (S).
Stoane, W. P., 317 Collins-street, Melbourne	Benalla (S), Chiltern (S), Violet Town (S).
Thomas, A. G., Foster	Yarrawonga (S), Tungamah (S).
Thomas, H. D., Heathcote	Swan Hill (S), Kerang (S).
Thornton, F. J., Victoria-street, Coburg	Omeo (S), Tambo (S), Orbost (S), Mirboo (S).
Tomlins, L. B., 360 Collins-street, Melbourne	Phillip Island and Woolamai (S), Poowong and Jeetho (S), Wonthaggi (B).
Venman, W. T., 84 William-street, Melbourne	Nunawading (S).
Watson, L. J., 90 William-street, Melbourne	Northcote (C).
Wilkinson, L. C., 67 Queen-street, Melbourne	Alberton (S), South Gippsland (S), Woorayl (S), Cranbourne (S).
Wilson, E. L., 421 Collins-street, Melbourne	Richmond (C).
Wilson, J. McK., 395 Collins-street, Melbourne	Caulfield (C).
Wilson, S. J., 34 Queen-street, Melbourne	Footscray (C).
Wood, F. G., 1 Derby-road, Caulfield Railway Station	South Melbourne (C).
Woodfall, A., 5 Currul-road, Elsternwick	Fitzroy (C), Corio (S).
Woodward, T., 473 Bourke-street, Melbourne	St. Kilda (C), Queenscliffe (B).

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 2nd October, 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

APPOINTMENT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEES.

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, by Orders made on the 2nd October, 1917, under provisions contained in the *Education Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2844), has appointed the undermentioned persons to be Members of the School Committees for the respective schools as set forth herein, for the period ending 28th February, 1918:—

Morton, G.	School No. 727, Glenvale.
Hartigan, Francis John L.	School No. 800, Ararat.
Funston, Joseph.	School No. 946, Toolern Vale.
Every, F. W.	School No. 1172, Foster.
Sexton, Robert H.	School No. 1394, Boho.
Farmer, G. H.	School No. 1464, Frankston.
Anson, John Thomas	School No. 1500, Carpendit.
Daffy, Luke	McNabb, John Glen
Hallyburton, John Wylie	Morrison, Edgar Oswald
McNabb, Elizabeth Emma	Swuller, David Alexander.
Scattini, P.	School No. 1592, Myer's Creek.
Sheales, William	Durstan, W.
Williams, William	School No. 1680, Byrneside.
Waycott, John.	Drohan, John James.
Hayes, William	School No. 1975, South Morang.
McDonald, John	School No. 2025, Back Creek.
Fenton, Mrs. Grace	Baker, Joseph.
Osbourne, Samuel.	School No. 2035, Hamilton North.
Heffer, George (jun.).	Mason, Dugald.
McKay, J.	School No. 2050, Derrinallum.
Gollan, G.	Fenton, Mrs. Grace
Berry, W.	Batten, Herbert John.
Gay, James Bamford	School No. 2265, Koondrook.
Pola, John Peter	School No. 2552, Capels Crossing.
Meehan, Michael	Osbourne, Samuel.
Meehan, James	School No. 2552, Capels Crossing.
Kobolke, Adolph	School No. 2644, Creighton.
Barber, John	McKay, J.
Watson, Archibald	School No. 2737, Tamleugh West.
Barber, Herbert	Gollan, G.
Conn, John	School No. 2794, Pranjip.
Ladler, George.	Berry, W.
Lupton, G.	School No. 2990, Lalbert.
Blain, Joseph K.	Gay, James Bamford
Boschert, Herman	Robson, John
Hill, John V.	Groat, Albert
Morrish, Mrs. Mary	Letcher, William.
Cook, Benjamin.	School No. 3020, Gilderoy.
Wheelhouse, F.	Kobolke, Adolph
Wynne, John	School No. 3086, Wail.
Glare, John	Barber, John
Bryant, Burnett	Watson, Archibald
Crowley, Johanna Marian	Barber, Herbert
Gordon, Ada	Conn, John
Bentley, Ruth	School No. 3310, Cocoroc South.
Christopherson, Christopher	Ladler, George.
	School No. 3336, Clarinda.
	Lupton, G.
	School No. 3654, Tempy.
	Blain, Joseph K.
	Boschert, Herman
	Hill, John V.
	Morrish, Mrs. Mary
	School No. 3735, Turriff.
	Cook, Benjamin.
	School No. 3768, Brenanah.
	Wheelhouse, F.
	School No. 3914, Wathe.
	Wynne, John
	School No. 3937, Lauderdale.
	Bryant, Burnett
	School No. 3954, Castella.
	Crowley, Johanna Marian
	Gordon, Ada
	Bentley, Ruth
	Christopherson, Christopher

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 2nd October, 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.
MEMBERS OF COUNCIL OF THE BEECHWORTH
TECHNICAL SCHOOL.

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 2nd day of October, 1917, appointed the undermentioned gentlemen Members of the Council of the Beechworth Technical School:—

TRAVIS, RODERICK WARREN.
FLETCHER, GAVIN BAXTER.
EDWARDS, WALTER J.
ARMITAGE, RICHARD W.
BRADLEY, JAMES NELSON.
BLENKIRON, ERNEST W.
COLLIER, GEORGE.
FERGUSON, THOMAS.
HEMBROW, CHARLES.
HARDY, GUSTAV.
WENDT, ADOLPH.
WALKER, HENRY FREDERIC.
ZWAR, ALBERT MICHAEL.

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 2nd October, 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.
MEMBERS OF ADVISORY COUNCIL.

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by an Order made on the 2nd day of October, 1917, appointed the following persons to be Members of the Advisory Council of the Warrnambool, High School, for the period ending 30th June, 1920—the appointments to be terminable at any time should His Excellency the Governor in Council so order:—

DUNN, JOHN.
SKILBECK, RICHARD.
BEVERIDGE, WILLIAM.
GLAGOW, JOHN.

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 2nd October, 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.
MEMBER OF ADVISORY COUNCIL.

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by an Order made on the 2nd day of October, 1917, appointed

DANIEL BERRIMAN

to be a Member of the Advisory Council of the Bendigo High School for the period ending 30th June, 1920—the appointment to be terminable at any time should His Excellency the Governor in Council so order.

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 2nd October, 1917.

RESIGNATION.

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 2nd day of October, 1917, accepted the resignation by the person named hereunder of the office mentioned, viz.:—

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Steward and Deckhand,
ALLEN, JACQUES

of his position as Steward and Deckhand (on probation). Ports and Harbors (Dredging) Branch, resignation on and from 15th September, 1917.

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 2nd October, 1917.

Public Service Act 1915.

PRIVATE WORK.

UNDER the provisions of section 161 of the *Public Service Act 1915* (6 Geo V. No. 2713), His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 2nd day of October, 1917, granted permission to the undermentioned officer of the Public Service to engage in the work specified below, and to receive remuneration therefor:—

Name of Officer.	Department.	Nature of Work.
Eileen M. Groves, ...	Education ...	Physical culture

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 2nd October, 1917.

ORCHARD SUPERVISOR, DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria) from persons, who are qualified and who are under 45 years of age, for appointment to the above-mentioned position.

Yearly Salary.—£180, minimum; £228, maximum.

Duties.—Inspection of orchards, nurseries, and markets; advising growers in treatment of diseases, mixing and applying of spray materials, pruning, cultivation, manuring, draining, and all work necessary in the orchard; directing irrigation as applied to fruit trees; scientific planning of orchards for growers; renovation of old orchards; reporting on different phases of horticulture; and carrying out the duties necessary under the *Vegetation and Vine Diseases Act 1915*.

Qualifications.—Applicants should have a thoroughly practical knowledge of fruit-growing, suitability of soils, pruning, budding, grafting, working stocks, &c., irrigation of orchards, spraying and use of spray pump; should be conversant with the life-history of insect and fungi pests, identification and treatment for suppression; and should have a knowledge of the *Vegetation and Vine Diseases Act 1915* and the regulations thereunder.

Applicants will be called upon to undergo an examination as to their fitness.

Returned sailors and soldiers may, irrespective of age, apply for the position.

Applications (which should be accompanied by evidence of experience and qualifications, and 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 12th October, 1917.

By order,

J. D. MERSON,
Secretary.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria),
Melbourne, 1st October, 1917.

HEAD MASTER, CLASS "F", PROFESSIONAL
DIVISION, PRAHRAN JUNIOR TECHNICAL
SCHOOL.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria) from officers of the Public Service of Victoria, who are qualified, for appointment to the above-mentioned position.

Yearly Salary.—£312, minimum; £360 maximum.

Duties.—To undertake the preparation of boys in the Junior Technical School for higher technical art subjects.

Qualifications.—Applicants must produce evidence of a sound education and qualifications in Art and Applied Art subjects, be experienced in the general organization and supervision of Junior Technical School work, and be capable of undertaking the teaching of a group of subjects for day junior technical classes or for preparatory evening technical classes as outlined in the syllabus for Technical School work.

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

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 2nd November, 1917.

By order,

J. D. MERSON,
Secretary.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria),
Melbourne, 19th September, 1917.

CLASSIFIED TEACHERS IN HIGH SCHOOLS AND HIGHER ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.

TEACHERS are required for temporary work in high schools and higher elementary schools. Applications for prospective vacancies are invited from teachers in the Sixth Class who hold qualifications which would enable them to undertake work up to the Intermediate (Junior Public) standard in high schools and higher elementary schools.

Women teachers qualified in the Sixth Class who are employed temporarily in high schools and higher elementary schools may be paid according to the scale of salary assigned to Sixth-class women teachers acting as head teachers—£110 to £130 per annum.

Applications should be forwarded to the Secretary to the Public Service Commissioner, Geological Museum Building, Gisborne-street, Melbourne, not later than the 31st October, 1917. Applicants should state the district in which they would prefer to secure an appointment, and supply the following particulars:—

- (1) Name in full and date of birth;
- (2) Name of school in which applicant is at present teaching;
- (3) Statement of subjects passed for Junior Public, Senior Public, and higher University examinations, with date of passing each; also a statement of teaching and other certificates held and examinations passed.

By order,

J. D. MERSON,
Secretary.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria),
Melbourne, 28th September, 1917.

PAINTER AND WRITER, GENERAL DIVISION, MELBOURNE BOTANIC GARDENS, DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY.

APPPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria), from officers of the General Division of the Public Service of Victoria, who are qualified, for appointment to the above-mentioned position.

Yearly Rate of Pay.—£156, minimum; £168, maximum.

Duties.—Under direction, to perform general painting and glazing work; to prepare labels and notice boards for writing upon; to assist in writing plant labels, notices, &c.

Qualifications.—To have a knowledge of paints and paint materials, and to have ability to do lettering work in pencil and oil paints for plant labels, notices, &c., and to carry out general painting and glazing work, as required.

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 12th October, 1917.

By order,

J. D. MERSON,
Secretary.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria),
Melbourne, 26th September, 1917.

Premier's Office,
Melbourne, 2nd October, 1917.

THE following notification by the Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth is published for general information.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Premier.

Prime Minister's Department,
Melbourne, 27th September, 1917.

REWARD—LOSS OF "PORT KEMBLA."

WHEREAS the s.s. *Port Kembla*, which left Melbourne on the twelfth day of September, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, on a voyage to London, was sunk off Cape Farewell, New Zealand, as the result of an explosion:

Notice is hereby given that a reward of Five thousand pounds (£5,000) will be paid by the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia for information leading to the conviction of any person or persons who caused, or who were instrumental in causing, the aforesaid explosion.

W. M. HUGHES.

Premier's Office,
Melbourne, 31st August, 1917.

THE following notification by the Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth is published for general information:—

A. J. PEACOCK,
Premier.

Prime Minister's Department,
Melbourne, 21st August, 1917.

REWARD (£2,000) in CONNEXION WITH THE EXPLOSION ON THE S.S. CUMBERLAND.

WHEREAS on the sixth day of August, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, the s.s. *Cumberland*, while proceeding on her voyage, was damaged by an explosion off Gabo Island, and was subsequently beached:

Notice is hereby given that a reward of Two thousand pounds (£2,000) will be paid by the Government of the Commonwealth of Australia for information leading to the conviction of any person or persons who caused, or who were instrumental in causing, the aforesaid explosion.

W. M. HUGHES.

LARCENY OF MONEY FROM THE RAILWAY WAY AND WORKS OFFICE AT HAWTHORN.

REWARD OF ONE HUNDRED POUNDS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a reward of One hundred pounds (£100) will be paid by the Government for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who stole the sum of Nine hundred and twenty-eight pounds ten shillings from a safe in the Railway Way and Works Office, Lynch-street, Hawthorn, on the 31st August, 1917.

D. McLEOD,
Chief Secretary.

Melbourne, 25th September, 1917.

Land Tax Acts.

NOTICE TO PAY TAX.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the above-named Acts, the tax chargeable on all assessments of land for the year commencing on the 1st day of January, 1917, made or done after the 9th day of October, 1917, and on or before the 23rd October, 1917, shall be payable at the Taxation Office, Railway Buildings, Flinders-street, Melbourne, on or before the 7th day of November, 1917.

R. M. WELDON,
Commissioner of Taxes.

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

NOTICE.

THE Surveyors Board hereby notifies that the following gentlemen have passed the prescribed examination, and have been issued a Certificate of Competency:—

LANCIE HERBERT THOMPSON,
LAYTON ALFRED HOWARD KNIBBS,
LEONARD THOMAS GUY.

H. C. WHITE,
Secretary.

Office of the Surveyors Board, Public Offices, Melbourne, 9th October, 1917.

POLICE SALE.—BENDOC POLICE STATION.

THE undermentioned unclaimed animal will, if not previously claimed, be sold by public auction, at the Bendoc Police Station, on Thursday, 11th October, 1917, at Two o'clock p.m.:—

White bullock, about six or seven years old, branded like GV in half-circle on left rump, like V on right rump, $\frac{1}{2}$ inch slit in top of left ear, small piece off top of right ear, slit $\frac{1}{2}$ inch in right ear. The brands and ear marks have been altered.

A. G. SAINSBURY,
Chief Commissioner of Police.

Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office, Melbourne, 12th September, 1917.

Marriage Act 1915.

MINISTERS OF RELIGION REGISTERED TO CELEBRATE MARRIAGES IN VICTORIA.

IT is hereby notified that in pursuance of the provisions of the *Marriage Act* 1915 (6 Geo. V. No. 2691), section 11, the under-mentioned Officiating Ministers of Religion have been registered at this office for the celebration of marriages in Victoria:—

No. in Register.	Name.	Designation.	Denomination.	Residence.	Date of Registration.
					1917.
5692	Frewin, George David ...	Priest ...	Church of England	The Vicarage, Charlton ...	15th September
5693	Geddes, Alexander ...	Probationer	Methodist Church of Australasia	24 Elphin-grove, Hawthorn	18th September
5694	Jackson, James ...	Minister ...	Presbyterian Church of Victoria	Broadford ...	22nd September

Office of the Government Statist,
Melbourne, 5th October, 1917.

A. M. LAUGHTON,
Government Statist.

MEDICAL BOARD OF VICTORIA.

THE following additional List of Legally Qualified Medical Practitioners, registered under the provisions of Part I. of the *Medical Act* 1915, is published for general information:—

No. of Certificate.	Date of Registration.	Name.	Address.	Qualification.
	1917.			
8247	2nd October ...	Richard John Driscoll ...	26 Elm-grove, Rippon Lea	M.B. et Ch.B. Glas, 1908

Name of deceased practitioner removed from the register—
No. 1665, William Boake.

Medical Board of Victoria,
Melbourne, 2nd October, 1917.

W. J. ATTWOOD,
Secretary.

Local Government Act 1915.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

REMUNERATION TO AUDITORS OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTS.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by the *Local Government Act* 1915 (No. 2686), section 442, the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by an Order made on the 2nd day of October, 1917, approved that the remuneration to be paid out of the respective municipal funds to the Auditors, appointed by the Governor in Council for cities, towns, boroughs, and shires, for their services in auditing the municipal accounts for the year ended 30th September, 1917, shall be at the rate set out in the Schedule attached to the said Order, and marked "B"; and that, in addition to the above fees, there shall be paid, in such cases where travelling expenses are incurred, the actual cost of transit, and also a commuted allowance of Ten shillings and sixpence (10s. 6d.) per day for personal expenses when the Auditor is necessarily prevented by the discharge of his duties from returning daily to his place of residence, or Five shillings (5s.) per day in the event of the time taken travelling to and from Melbourne suburban offices and Melbourne exceeding two hours per day.

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 2nd October, 1917.

Health Act 1915.

BOARD OF PUBLIC HEALTH—NOMINATION OF REPRESENTATIVES.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Health Act* 1915, I hereby given notice that I have specified Wednesday, the fourteenth day of November, 1917, as the day on or before which the Council of each of the municipalities composing the South Yarra group may nominate a member of one of the Councils of its group to be the Representative Member of the Board of Public Health for such group, from and after the last day of the year 1917, when the term of office of the present Representative of the said group expires.

And, further, I have specified Wednesday, the fourteenth day of November, 1917, as the day on or before which the Council of the City of Melbourne may nominate one of its members of the Council to be its Representative Member of the Board of Public Health, from and after the last day of the year 1917, when the term of office of the present Representative of the said city expires.

Dated at Melbourne the 2nd day of October, 1917.

D. McLEOD,
Minister of Public Health.

The Fisheries Act 1915.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO PROHIBIT NETTING IN PORTION OF BANCROFT BAY, IN THE GIPPSLAND LAKES FROM 16TH SEPTEMBER IN EACH YEAR TO THE 15TH MAY NEXT FOLLOWING.

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 repealing the Proclamation dated the 14th day of March, 1917, and published in the *Government Gazette* of the 21st March, 1917, page 981, and in lieu thereof prohibiting, from the 16th day of September in each year to the 15th day of May next following (both days inclusive), the use of trammels, trawls, or other nets or engines, whether fixed or unfixed, to be employed in fishing in Bancroft Bay, in the Gippsland Lakes, north of an imaginary line running in a north-easterly direction from Shaving Point to Mosquito Point, and thence to Hunter's Jetty.

D. McLEOD,
Chief Secretary.
29th September, 1917.

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

First published 10th October, 1917.

Factories and Shops Acts.

NOMINATION OF MEMBERS OF THE STRAW HAT BOARD.

UNDER the powers in that behalf conferred by the Factories and Shops Acts, I hereby nominate the following persons for appointment as Members of the Straw Hat Board:—

Representatives of Employers:—

ALBERT HENRY BOWN,
WILLIAM E. L. DASH,
PHILIP ROSSON.

Representatives of Employees:—

EBENEZER HUCK,
ALFRED DENNIS,
DAVID ELDER.

Unless within twenty-one days from the date of the publication of this notice one-fifth of the employers or one-fifth of the adult employees respectively engaged in the process, trade, business, or occupation to be affected by the said Board give me notice, in writing, that they object to the appointment of the above persons nominated as their representatives, then such persons will be appointed Members of the Straw Hat Board.

5th October, 1917.

A. J. PEACOCK,
Minister of Labour.

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

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, 28th day of September, 1917.

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.
14228	Tilley, Joseph, "Aringa," Port Fairy	A. 5 0 0	Mount Rouse	Yatmone	2, sec. 3	1.1.1917	31.7.1917	£ 1 1 3	Hamilton
14229	Smith, W. H., Dartmoor	2 1 0	Portland	Kinkella	115, 102	1.1.1911	31.12.1913	0 2 0	Portland
14230	Dickinson, Thomas, Docker-street, Warraratta	0 1 0	Warraratta Boroughs	Warraratta N. (township of Warraratta)	Portion of Clark-street	1.1.1917	31.12.1919	0 2 0	Warraratta
14231	Williamson, John, "Sunnyside," Yarra Glen	6 2 0	Etham	Tarawarra	25A, sec. A	1.1.1915	31.12.1917	0 1 0	Melbourne
14232	Cornish, Misses E. and L. M., "The Pines," Korong Vale	6 0 0	Korong	Kynspanial	56, 65, A, 57B, 64A	1.1.1917	31.12.1919	0 9 0	Wendeburn
14233	Lang, A., c/o Mrs. Welch, Winters Flat, Castlemaine	1 0 0	Castlemaine	Castlemaine	27, 28, 17, 18, secs. DVII, DVI	"	"	0 3 0	Castlemaine
14234	Satchell, Wm. R., Myamyn	8 0 0	Portland	Myamyn	5A, 3E, 3F, 3A, 3D, sec. 3	1.1.1912	31.12.1914	0 15 0	Portland
14235	O'Sullivan, Martin, Moorabee, Wild Duck	1 3 0	Melvor	Heathcote	1, 1A	1.1.1917	31.12.1919	0 6 6	Heathcote
14236	Baker, J., Emily-street, Seymour	0 2 0	Seymour	Seymour Township	Secs. Q and L	1.1.1913	31.12.1915	0 10 5	Seymour
14238	Lyons, E. C., Woodside	10 0 0	Alberton	Woodside	4	1.1.1917	31.12.1919	0 2 6	Yarram

Licence No. 14228, terminate 31st July, 1917; No. 14229, renew to 31st December, 1916, then to 31st December, 1917; No. 14234, renew to 31st December, 1919; No. 14235, renew to 31st December, 1917; No. 14237, renew to 31st December, 1918; Nos. 14230 and 14233, rent to be charged from 1st September, 1917.

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

LICENCES TO OCCUPY UNUSED ROADS.— LICENCES CANCELLED, ETC.

NOTICE is hereby given that Licences to occupy Unused Roads issued to the following persons have been cancelled, amended, or transferred, as shown hereunder:—

Licence No. 9378, McLpan, A., gazetted 24th January, 1912, page 282. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1912. Pay office, Bairnsdale.

Licence No. 14180, Whinfield, A. E., gazetted 29th August, 1917, page 2715. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1913. Pay office, Geelong.

Licence No. 11005, Gamble, R., gazetted 27th December, 1912, pages 5343-4. Amend by excising road between allotments 1 and 1A, read area 2½ acres, rent 9s. per annum. Pay office, Heathcote.

Licence No. 7861, Watson, W., gazetted 20th July, 1910, page 3297. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1916. Pay office, St. Arnaud.

Licence No. 2936, Campbell, A., gazetted 20th March, 1907, page 1561. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1911. Pay office, Hamilton.

Licence No. 2461, Haig, A. C., gazetted 30th January, 1907, page 550. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1917. Pay office, Portland.

Licence No. 14016, Lonergan, M., gazetted 16th May, 1917, page 1462. Transferred to William Andrews, 182 Flinders-lane, Melbourne. Pay office, Mansfield.

Licence No. 3164, McColl, J. H., gazetted 17th April, 1907, page 1833. Amend shire to Woorayl and read rent 6s. 6d. per annum from 1st January, 1917. Pay office, Warragul.

Licence No. 313, Kiddle, Evelyn, gazetted 13th December, 1905, page 4662. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1916. Pay office, Sale.

Licence No. 66, Graham, R. A., gazetted 4th October, 1905, page 3795. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1916. Pay office, Traralgon.

Licence No. 9997, Wright, H. T., gazetted 8th May, 1912, page 1833. Amend from date of issue by including road west of allotments 3 and 4, parish of Switzerland, read area 22 acres, rent 8s. per annum. Pay office, Alexandra.

Licence No. 10082, Henderson, J. C., gazetted 29th May, 1912, pages 2078-9. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1912. Pay office, Avoca.

Licence No. 12332, Cairns, S., gazetted 25th March, 1914, page 1448. Cancelled as from date of issue. Pay office, Camperdown.

Licence No. 9540, Gilding, F., gazetted 28th February, 1912, page 934. Amend from 1st January, 1917, by inserting special condition "Permission to cultivate," rent 10s. per annum. Pay office, Casterton.

Licence No. 7838, Henderson, Jno., gazetted 20th July, 1910, page 3296. Amend rent to £1 per annum. Pay office, Ballarat.

Licence No. 4981, Bunn, Myles, gazetted 14th October, 1908, page 4976. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1916. Pay office, Warragul.

Licence No. 11892, Simpson, J. E., gazetted 15th October, 1913, page 4564. Amend area to 3 acres and rent to 3s. per annum from date of issue. Pay office, Tallangatta.

Licence No. 11768, McNamara, Mrs., gazetted 3rd September, 1913, pages 3990-91. Read name Mrs. Arthur McNamara, of Iona. Pay office, Melbourne.

Licence No. 273, Harrick, J., gazetted 29th November, 1905, page 4498. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1911. Pay office, Melbourne.

Licence No. 4534, Adams, S., gazetted 22nd January, 1908, page 229. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1916. Pay office, Kyneton.

Licence No. 11324, Slattery, J., gazetted 2nd April, 1913, page 1463. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1914. Pay office, Portland.

Licence No. 2814, Morrish, Miss Jane, gazetted 13th March, 1907, page 1476. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1916. Pay office, Seymour.

W. A. ADAMSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Department of Public Works (Unused Roads and Water Frontages Branch), Melbourne, 1st day of October, 1917.

Companies Act 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 230 of the *Companies Act 1915*, the names of the building societies referred to below have been struck off the register, and that on the publication of this notice in the *Government Gazette* the said building societies will be dissolved.

Dated this 2nd day of October, 1917.

GEO. B. VASEY,
Registrar of Building Societies.

16 Selborne Chambers, Melbourne.

BUILDING SOCIETIES REFERRED TO ABOVE.

Colonial Permanent Building and Investment Society.
Metropolitan Permanent Building and Investment Society.
North Melbourne and Carlton Permanent Building and Investment Society.
Universal Permanent Building and Investment Society.
Planet Permanent Building Society.
First Sunny South Starr-Bowkett Building Society.
Yarra Yarra Starr-Bowkett Building Society.
Extended Starr-Bowkett Building Society.
Port Phillip Starr-Bowkett Building Society.
Brighton and Co-operative Permanent Building Society.
Suburban Homes Investment and Co-operative Building Society of Victoria.
Mercantile Permanent Building Society.
Second Universal Terminating Building Society.

Mining Development Acts Amendment Act 1915

DEPARTMENT OF MINES.

ADVANCE TO PROSPECTING SYNDICATE.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Mining Development Acts Amendment Act 1915* (No. 2752), His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 2nd day of October, 1917, granted advance by way of loan to

P. DELMONICO AND OTHERS, CASTLEMAINE,

of an amount of Sixty-five pounds (£65), for the purpose of enabling and assisting such persons to prospect for gold, or any minerals or metals other than gold, in the locality mentioned.

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 2nd October, 1917.

Mining Development Act 1915.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES.

ADVANCES TO MINERS FOR PROSPECTING.

IN pursuance of the provisions of Part VII. of the *Mining Development Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2699), His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 2nd day of October, 1917, granted advances by way of loans to the parties of miners named in the Schedule hereunder of the amounts set forth opposite their respective names, for the purpose of enabling and assisting the said parties to prospect for gold, or any minerals or metals other than gold, in the various localities mentioned in such Schedule, that is to say:—

SCHEDULE.

Parties of Miners.

Name.	Locality.	Amount.
		£ s. d.
Louis Cogni and party ...	Parish of Wombat ...	30 0 0
A. Fraser and party ...	White Horse Ranges ...	45 0 0
J. Jackson and party ...	Wombat State Forest ...	57 0 0
W. Andrews and party ...	Taradale ...	90 0 0
		£222 0 0

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 2nd October, 1917.

APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES.

SUBJECT to the necessary excisions, &c., it is intended to grant the following:—

7630, Ballarat; P. Drummond; 32a. 3r. 15p. parish of Blackwood.
7635, Ballarat; R. Matheson; 23a. 0r. 7p.; parish of Blackwood.
7637, Ballarat; M. Frail; 21a. 3r. 8p.; parish of Bullengarook.
6046, Maryborough; R. L. Davidson; 40a. 2r. 5p.; Percydale.

T. LIVINGSTON,
Minister of Mines.

MINING LEASES DECLARED VOID.

6283, Beechworth; Wandiligong; C. H. A. Davies.
7375, Castlemaine; Hoddle's Creek; G. Soilleux.
4099, Gippsland; Tongio West; The Cassilis G. M. Co. N. L.
4604, Gippsland; Tongio West; The Cassilis G. M. Co. N. L.
5724, Maryborough; St. Arnaud North; St. Arnaud North Gold Mine N. L.
5930, Maryborough; St. Arnaud North; St. Arnaud North Gold Mine N. L.
6031, Maryborough; Canadian Hill; H. L. Thomas.
8295, Bendigo; Sydney Flat; The New Moon Consolidated Co. N. L.
9380, Bendigo; Burnt Gully; J. F. Willoughby.
3078, Mineral; Surveyor's Creek; W. S. Scammell and T. E. Scammell.
3110, Mineral; Koetong; T. Keady.

W. DICKSON,
Secretary for Mines.

TAILINGS AREA EXPIRED.

No. 34; Ellesmere; A. Pfaff.

W. DICKSON,
Secretary for Mines.

6 George V., No. 2611, Sec. 76.
6 George V., No. 2741, Sec. 31.

NOTICE.

A RULE to administer the intestate 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 24th November, 1917, or they may be excluded from the distribution of the estate when the assets are being distributed.

GORDON LESLIE FLEURET BUTCHER, late of A.I.F. abroad, soldier, formerly of Melbourne, clerk, died 26th July, 1916.

JOSEPH FRIAR, late of Tarrawarra, near Yarra Glen, labourer, died 30th July, 1917.

FRANK REGINALD GOLBOURN, late of A.I.F. abroad, formerly of London, England, labourer, died 5th August, 1916.

THOMAS HAWKINS, late of A.I.F. abroad, soldier, formerly of London, England, farm labourer, died 10th November, 1916.

CHARLES WILLIAM HEYNE, late of A.I.F. abroad, soldier, formerly of Ensay, blacksmith, died 19th July, 1916.

JAMES MORTIMER, late of 6 St. Vincent-place north, Albert Park, assurance agent, died 1st July, 1917.

DANIEL JAMES MURPHY, late of 395a Graham-street, Port Melbourne, engine-driver, Victorian Railways, died 7th September, 1916.

THOMAS SORRIE McLEAN, late of A.I.F. abroad, soldier, formerly salesman, died 23rd July, 1916.

MICHAEL O'REILLY, late of 229 Mansfield-street, Northcote, chimney sweep, died 9th September, 1917.

ALBERT ROBERTS, late of A.I.F. abroad, soldier, formerly of Beaconsfield, labourer, died 25th July, 1916.

JACK SULLIVAN, late of A.I.F. abroad, soldier, formerly electrician, died 9th October, 1916.

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

Melbourne, 5th October, 1917.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1917-18.)

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
	PUBLIC WORKS (PORTS AND HARBORS)—	£ s. d.			
954	(2)—Maintenance of Jetty Light and cleaning Shed and Jetty at Inverloch, from 1st July, 1917, to 30th June, 1918 [In lieu of Serial No. 720 appearing in <i>Victoria Government Gazette</i> of 15th August, 1917, page 2601.]	8 0 0	T. Keys ...	Ordinary Expenditure	W. A. Adamson.
	VICTORIAN RAILWAYS—				
955	(9)—Supply and delivery of Broken Metal, Screenings, Toppings, and Dust, as may be ordered, during the year ending 30th June, 1918, provisionally delivered loaded into railway trucks at Albion (via Sunshine), Alphington, West Footscray, and Spotswood Sidings. Deposit, £20— Item No. 1. Bluestone Broken Metal, 2½-in. ring gauge, at 3s. 11d. per cubic yard Item No. 2. Bluestone Broken Metal, 1½-in. ring gauge, at 4s. 1d. per cubic yard Item No. 3. Bluestone Screenings, ¾-in. ring gauge, at 4s. 6d. per cubic yard Item No. 4. Bluestone Toppings, ¾-in. ring gauge, at 4s. 6d. per cubic yard Item No. 5. Bluestone Dust, at 2s. 6d. per cubic yard —Country of manufacture or production: Australia	Rates ...	Albion Quarrying Co. Pty. Ltd., 328 Flinders - street, Melbourne	Railway Stores Suspense Account, Act 2716, Section 105	
956	(1)—Manufacture, supply, and delivery of Locks and Keys for Emergency Switch Boxes, as may be ordered, during the period from 1st September, 1917, to 28th February, 1919, delivered at the Electric Light Station, Spencer-street. Deposit, £3 *— Item No. 1. Locks, box type, cupboard pattern, at 8s. 7d. each for definite quantity, and at 9s. 6d. each for further estimated requirements for period Item No. 2. Keys, to fit above Locks, for definite quantity, at 9d. each —Country of manufacture or production: Australia	Ditto ...	Wm. McLean and Co., 127 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne	Ditto ...	
957	Supply and delivery of Serge, 56 in. wide, 22 oz., at 8s. 6d. per lineal yard, delivered at the Railway General Store, Spencer-street. (Not publicly advertised) —Country of manufacture or production: Australia	Ditto ...	Commonwealth Woolen Mills, North Geelong	Ditto ...	J. S. Rees, for Secretary, by order of the Victorian Railways Commissioners. 5.10.1917.
958	(7)—Supply and delivery of Bridge Beams for use of the Worksmasters at Geelong and Oakleigh, delivered at Orbost. Deposit, £5— Item No. 1. 18 in. x 7½ in. x 17 ft., at 14s. 9d. per 100 super. feet Item No. 2. 18 in. x 7½ in. x 16 ft., at 14s. 3d. per 100 super. feet Item No. 3. 18 in. x 7½ in. x 15 ft. 6 in., at 14s. 3d. per 100 super. feet Item No. 4. 18 in. x 7½ in. x 14 ft., at 13s. 6d. per 100 super. feet —Country of manufacture or production: Australia	Ditto ...	Ostler Bros., Orbost	Ditto ...	
959	(4)—Supply and delivery of Incandescent Electric Lamps, as may be ordered, during the period commencing on 1st July, 1917, and ending on 30th June, 1918. Deposit, £17 *— Item No. 1. Bayonet Socket, Metallic Filament, 32-c.p., 220 volt, tip frosted by sand blast or acid, at 1s. 11d. each Item No. 2. Bayonet Socket, Metallic Filament, 50-c.p., 220 volt, clear glass, at 1s. 11d. each Item No. 3. Bayonet Socket, Metallic Filament, 50-c.p., 220 volt, tip frosted by sand blast or acid, at 1s. 11d. each —Country of manufacture or production: England Supply and delivery of Firewood, delivered at the undermentioned stations. Country of manufacture or production: Australia—	Ditto ...	British General Electric Co. Ltd., 590 Bourke - street, Melbourne	Ditto ...	
960	(4)—Lima, at 6s. 8d. per ton ...	Ditto ...	H. Kelly, Moorngag	Ditto ...	
961	(4)—Chiltern, at 6s. 3d. per ton ...	Ditto ...	Clarke and Co., Chiltern	Ditto ...	
962	(8)—Woodend, at 5s. 4½d. per ton...	Ditto ...	M. D. O'Brien, South Woodend	Ditto ...	

* Order in Council obtained.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1917-18)—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.
	WORKS—	£ s. d.			
963	(4)—New Out-offices, Sewerage, &c., Hospital for Insane, Kew. Deposit, £15	291 0 0	A. Atherton ¹ ...	71/4/2. Hospital for Insane, Kew	
964	(7)—Sewerage connexions, State School No. 1094, Swanston-street, Geelong. Deposit, £30	600 0 0	E. J. Pullin ...	71/14/28. Sewerage, &c., Geelong	
965	(6)—Sewering Public Offices, Court House, and Lock-up, Geelong. Deposit, £31	615 0 0	Nott and Drew ...	Ditto ...	
966	(2)—Repairs, School No. 784, Armstrong ...	139 13 6	W. C. Barker ¹ ...	71/13/1. State Schools	
967	(2)—Improved Lighting, repairs, &c., State School No. 3482, Madalya. Deposit, £5	114 0 0	Geo. Wright ¹ ...	Ditto ...	
968	(8)—New Building, State School No. 1713, Shepparton East. Deposit, £27	536 14 5	C. S. Colliver ¹ ...	Ditto ...	
969	(3)—Remodelling State School No. 3538, Piangil. Deposit, £11	215 0 0	Pharo and Greenhill	Ditto ...	
970	(7)—Remodelling School and additions to Residence, State School No. 1938, Wunghnu. Deposit, £8	165 12 9	Ernest J. Rabie ¹ ...	Ditto ...	
971	(1)—Refrigerating Air Batteries, Fans, Pumps, &c., Cool Stores, Victoria Dock, West Melbourne. Deposit, £50	5,344 0 0	R. Werner and Co. Pty. Ltd. ¹	Treasurer's Advance ...	
972	(6)—Superstructure of Extension to Government Cool Stores, Victoria Dock, West Melbourne. Deposit, £1,339	26,780 0 0	F. E. Shillabeer ¹ ...	Ditto ...	W. A. Adamson, Commissioner of Public Works, October, 1917.
973	(2)—Repairs to Training Wall, Mordialloc Creek Entrance. Deposit, £17	330 0 0	T. Ryan ¹ ...	71/1/1. Harbor Works, &c.	
974	(4)—New Teacher's Residence, State School No. 1308, Warrion. Deposit, £24	479 0 0	Peters and Co. ¹ ...	Act No. 2297, Section 6. Teachers' Residences Fund	
975	(1)—Sweeping Chimneys, Public Buildings, Melbourne and suburbs, from 1st July, 1917, to 30th June, 1918. Deposit, £5—Main Flues, at 3s. each Kitchen Ranges, at 3s. 6d. each Small Flues, at 3d. each	Rates ...	J. H. Evans, 1050 Lygon-street, North Carlton ¹	Various Votes	
976	Extras on Contract No. 1916-17/1698	15 17 1	W. J. Dingle ¹ ...	Act No. 2794, Item 4. For State Schools	
977	Extras on Contract No. 1916-17/1694	5 12 6	E. Blackmore ¹ ...	Ditto ...	
978	Extras on Contract No. 1916-17/1696	1 8 6	C. S. Colliver ¹ ...	Ditto ...	
979	Extras on Contract No. 1916-17/1863	34 3 10	H. F. Hugo ¹ ...	71/4/2. Hospital for Insane, Kew	
980	Extras on Contract No. 1916-17/1687	25 3 4	J. G. Spence ¹ ...	71/14/9. Sanitary Works, &c.	
981	Extras on Contract No. 1913-14/1370	4,059 19 10	W. G. Ward and Co. ¹	Act No. 2801, Item 1. Outer Ports Improvements	

(1) Fulfilled previous contracts satisfactorily.

Corrigenda.

Victorian Railways.—Peter Hudson, Serial No. 550/1913-14, *Gazettes* Nos. 115, 153, 127, and 68 of 30th July, 1913, 3rd November, 1915, 14th June, 1916, and 18th April, 1917, respectively—Rate for large Coal increased to £1 3s. per ton until notice to the contrary is given.

" " W. T. Henley's Telegraph Works Co. Ltd., Serial No. 946/1917-18, *Gazette* No. 166 of 3rd October, 1917—Item No. 6, rate should read at £22 per mile.

—J. S. REES, for Secretary, by order of the Victorian Railways Commissioners. 5.10.1917.

Melbourne, 10th October, 1917.

ORDERS IN COUNCIL.—(Series 1917-18.)

Serial No.	Purpose and Particulars.	Amount.	Name for Approval.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authority.
	WORKS—	£ s. d.			
982	Purchase-money for Land required for State School purposes at Kew East	1,568 0 0	E. Norman Derham	Division 71/13/1 ...	Approved by the Governor in Council, 18th September, 1917. —F. W. Mabbott, Clerk of the Executive Council.
983	Purchase-money for Land and Buildings required for State School purposes at Essendon North	1,495 0 0	Emma Watson ...	Ditto ...	Approved by the Governor in Council, 25th September, 1917. —F. W. Mabbott, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Melbourne, 10th October, 1917.

CONSTITUTION ACT AMENDMENT ACTS.

VOTING BY POST (WAR SERVICE) ACT 1917, No. 2901.

Regulations.

1. In these regulations, unless inconsistent with the context or subject-matter :—

“ Assembly ” means Legislative Assembly of Victoria.

“ Council ” means Legislative Council of Victoria.

“ District ” means electoral district.

“ Elector ” means an elector engaged on war service outside Victoria but within the Commonwealth.

“ Military establishment ” means any camp, barracks, hospital, ship, or other establishment used for naval or military purposes.

“ Principal Act ” means *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1915* (No. 2632).

“ Province ” means electoral province.

“ War Service ” means Naval or Military Service outside Victoria but within the Commonwealth.

2. The provisions of sections two hundred and seventy-one to two hundred and eighty-one inclusive, two hundred and eighty-three, two hundred and eighty-four, two hundred and eighty-six, two hundred and eighty-seven, two hundred and ninety-three, and three hundred of the Principal Act with the modifications, alterations, additions, and substitutions in the Schedule are hereby applied for the purposes of the Voting by Post (War Service) Act 1917 (No. 2901).

3. The following persons shall be authorized witnesses within the meaning of the Voting by Post (War Service) Act 1917 (No. 2901) :—

All naval and military officers of the Commonwealth.

SCHEDULE.

NOTE.—The numbers of the clauses refer to the sections of the Principal Act.

271. (1) Any elector for any province or district in which an election is about to be held who satisfies the returning officer that he is engaged on war service may before the polling day make application in the form of Form 1 or to the like effect to the returning officer for such province or district for a postal ballot-paper enabling him to vote through the post at such election instead of attending personally to tender his vote thereat.

(2) The form of application shall be signed by the elector in his own handwriting, and shall have at the foot thereof a certificate signed by the Senior Naval or Military Officer of His Majesty's Forces of the Commonwealth in the military establishment to which the applicant is attached, that the elector is engaged on war service, and such certificate shall set out the State in which the elector is so engaged.

272. In the case of an election for the Council if an applicant claims to vote by virtue of an elector's right he shall forward such right to the returning officer together with his application and such right having been marked as required by section two hundred and thirty-five of the Principal Act shall be returned by the returning officer to the applicant with any postal ballot-paper issued to him.

273. (1) (a) On receiving from an elector an application for a postal ballot-paper the returning officer having ascertained that the name of the applicant is upon any electoral roll to be used at the election for the province or district specified in the application and that the applicant is not

prohibited from voting, and if satisfied that the applicant is entitled according to the statements contained in his application to a postal ballot-paper, shall post to the applicant at the postal address named in the application a postal ballot-paper (with a counterfoil attached) in the form of Form 2 or to the like effect together with an envelope addressed to such returning officer at the polling place at which he intends to preside. Such envelope shall be marked "Postal Ballot-paper."

- (b) If the returning officer is not satisfied that the applicant is entitled to vote by post he shall forthwith post to the applicant a notice in the form of Form 3 or to the like effect.

- (2) Each ballot-paper before being enclosed shall be folded to the counterfoil.

274. No application for a postal ballot-paper shall be deemed insufficient or invalid by reason only that in such application there is an omission or incorrect or insufficient description or misdescription in respect of any of the particulars required by law to be contained therein if the returning officer is satisfied that the applicant is entitled to a postal ballot-paper.

275. (1) The returning officer shall—

- (a) initial each postal ballot-paper issued;
- (b) write on the back thereof the number and figures and initial letters required by the Principal Act in the case of an election for the Council or the Assembly (as the case may be) and in the manner thereby respectively prescribed;
- (c) keep and number the applications therefor in consecutive order, writing the corresponding number on the counterfoil of the ballot-paper; and
- (d) at the close of the poll forward all such applications to the clerk of the Council or of the Assembly (as the case may be) in the sealed parcel containing the books rolls and papers used during the polling.

- (2) On the counterfoil the returning officer shall also write the number on the electoral roll of the elector to whom the postal ballot-paper is issued.

276. (1) The returning officer shall on the electoral rolls to be used at the election for the province or district to which such postal ballot-paper relates note opposite the applicant's name wherever it appears the fact that such postal ballot-paper has been issued to such applicant and the date of such issue.

(2) In case there is not time to note the fact of the issue of any postal ballot-paper on every such roll on which such applicant's name appears which is to be used at the election the returning officer shall in such manner as he thinks fit immediately notify such issue to the deputy returning officer at every polling place for such province or district at which a roll is to be used on which such applicant's name appears.

277. The following directions for regulating voting by means of postal ballot-papers shall be substantially observed :—

- (1) The elector shall exhibit his postal ballot-paper (in blank) to an authorized witness;
- (2) The elector shall in the presence of the authorized witness write the surname^(a) of the candidate for whom he votes but so that the witness cannot see the vote;
- (3) In the case of more candidates than one having the same surname the elector shall also insert in the ballot-paper the Christian or other names of the candidate for whom he votes; and if the surnames and Christian or other names of two or more candidates are the same they shall be distinguished by the addition of their residence and occupation;
- (4) If the elector's sight is so impaired that he is unable to vote without assistance the authorized witness at the request of the elector shall mark his vote on the ballot-paper and shall (if the elector so desires) mark the same in the presence of another person;
- (5) The elector shall then refold the ballot-paper and fasten the same;

(a) As to Assembly elections, see Clause 500 herein.

- (6) The elector shall then sign his name in his own handwriting on the counterfoil in the place provided for the signature of the voter ;
- (7) The authorized witness shall then sign his name in his own handwriting in the place provided for the signature of the witness, and shall add the title under which he acts as an authorized witness and the date ;
- (8) The elector shall then place the ballot-paper with the counterfoil attached into the envelope addressed to the returning officer, fasten the envelope in the presence of the authorized witness, and post it.

278. (1) The authorized witness shall—

- (a) see that the foregoing directions are substantially complied with ;
- (b) refrain from looking at the vote given by the elector except where the elector cannot vote without assistance and the elector requests his assistance ;
- (c) not disclose any knowledge officially acquired by him touching the vote of the elector, save in answer to some question which he is legally bound to answer or in compliance with the express provisions of the law relating to parliamentary elections.

(2) It shall not be lawful for any authorized witness to visit any elector for the purpose of witnessing such elector's signature to his postal ballot-paper :

Provided that if any elector has received a postal ballot-paper and is unable on account of ill-health or infirmity to present himself before an authorized witness any authorized witness when so requested by any such elector in writing may visit such elector for the purpose of witnessing his signature to such postal ballot-paper.

279. No postal ballot-paper shall be rejected because of any mistake in spelling the name of a candidate if the intention is clear.

280. (1) No elector to whom a postal ballot-paper for any election has been sent shall be entitled to vote personally at any poll unless he previously gives up such postal ballot-paper in blank form to the returning officer or deputy at the polling place at which he is entitled to vote.

(2) Such officer shall immediately cancel such postal ballot-paper and retain it.

281. (1) If an elector to whom a postal ballot-paper appears to have been sent states that he has not received such postal ballot-paper and claims to vote personally at any polling place within the province or district to which such postal ballot-paper relates the returning officer or deputy at such booth may take from such elector a declaration in the form of Form 4 or to the like effect. Thereupon such elector shall be entitled to vote personally at such poll and his vote shall be taken in the ordinary way.

(2) If such vote is received by the deputy returning officer he shall immediately advise the returning officer of the fact of such elector having voted personally and shall forward the declaration to the returning officer with the ballot-papers ; and if any postal ballot-paper purports to have been received from the same elector such postal ballot-paper shall be rejected at the counting of the votes and the returning officer shall state thereon the reason of such rejection.

283. When immediately upon the close of any poll the returning officer is proceeding to ascertain the number of votes for each candidate, the returning officer shall produce unopened all envelopes containing postal ballot-papers received by him through the post up to the close of the poll, and such envelopes shall be opened in the presence of the scrutineers present and poll clerk (if any) but of no other person and shall be dealt with as provided in Section 283 of the Principal Act.

284. The decision of the returning officer as to the allowance or disallowance of any postal ballot-paper shall be subject only to review by the committee of elections and qualifications for the Council or the Assembly (as the case may be).

286. If in any application for a postal ballot-paper any person makes any false statement or if any person applies for a postal ballot-paper to which some other person is entitled he shall be guilty of a misdemeanour and shall be liable to imprisonment with or without hard labour for a term of not more than two years.

287. Any person who wilfully makes and subscribes any declaration for the purposes of these regulations the same being untrue or false in any particular shall be deemed to be guilty of wilful and corrupt perjury.

293. Notwithstanding anything contained in these regulations at any election where there are only two candidates—

- (a) the requirements of these regulations as to the marking of ballot-papers by electors shall be deemed to be sufficiently complied with in the case of any ballot-paper marked so as to indicate the elector's first preference only; and
- (b) in the case of a postal ballot-paper the elector's first preference shall be deemed to be sufficiently indicated if the surname of only one candidate is written thereon.

300. (1) For the purposes only of elections for the Assembly, when an elector votes by post, then (in lieu of writing on his ballot-paper the surname of the candidate for whom he votes) such elector shall in the presence of the person authorized to witness his signature, but so that the witness cannot see the vote—

- (a) first write on the ballot-paper the surname of the candidate for whom he votes in the first instance and mark the figure 1 against such surname, and
- (b) also write the surnames of all the remaining candidates underneath such name and record contingent votes for such remaining candidates numbering them 2, 3, 4, and so on in the order of his preference.

(2) Any instructions to electors required by these regulations relating to voting by post to be printed on postal ballot-papers shall for the purposes only of this clause be altered so far as is necessary to make them correspond with the provisions of this section, and shall as so altered be printed on the ballot-papers accordingly.

FORM 1.

Application for a Postal Ballot-paper by Elector on War Service.

To the Returning Officer for the (a)	Province	(a) Here insert name of province.
or		
Electoral District of (b)		(b) Here insert name of electoral district.
I (c)	hereby apply	(c) Here insert Christian or other name or names surname residence and occupation.
for a Postal Ballot-paper.		
(1) I am an elector for the (d)	Division of	(d) Here insert name of division.
the above-named Province [or District]		
(2) The ground on which I apply for the Postal Ballot-paper is that I am engaged on war service outside Victoria, but within the Commonwealth, and am thereby prevented from voting personally at any polling place at which I am entitled to vote.		
(3) I request that the Postal Ballot-paper may be forwarded to me at (e)		(e) Here state address to which postal ballot-paper is to be sent.
	* Signature of Elector.	

Dated this day of 19 .

* The applicant must sign in his own handwriting and not by a distinguishing mark merely.

Certificate by the Senior Naval or Military Officer of His Majesty's Forces of the Commonwealth in the Military Establishment to which the Applicant is attached.

I hereby certify that the above-named (f) is engaged on war service
in the State of (g) in the Commonwealth of Australia.

Signature of Senior Naval or Military Officer of His Majesty's Forces of the Commonwealth in the Military Establishment to which Applicant is attached.

Dated this day of 19 .

FORM 2.

*Postal Ballot-paper for use by Elector on War Service.*Electoral [Province] or [District] of
Division

(Below write the name of the Candidate you vote for.)

(a) Counterfoil.

Electoral [Province] or [District] of
Division(b) { No. of Application.
General Roll No.Supplementary Roll No.
Roll of Ratepaying Electors No.

(a) To be printed so that it shall be on the outside when the ballot-paper is folded and so that it may be read and torn off without the names of candidates voted for being seen.

(b) To be filled in by the returning officer before posting.

I declare that I have not already posted a ballot-paper in respect of or voted personally at any election held or to be held on the polling day of the election for which this vote is given, and that I am a natural-born or naturalized subject of His Majesty.

Signature of voter

Witness

[Authorized witness to sign here and insert the title under which he acts, and the date.]

Instructions to Elector.

- (a) The elector shall exhibit his postal ballot-paper (in blank) to an authorized witness.
- (b) The elector shall in the presence of the authorized witness write the surname of the candidate for whom he votes but so that the witness cannot see the vote.
- (c) In the case of more candidates than one having the same surname the elector shall also insert in the ballot-paper the Christian or other names of the candidate for whom he votes; and if the surnames and Christian or other names of two or more candidates are the same they shall be distinguished by the addition of their residence and occupation.
- (d) If the elector's sight is so impaired that he is unable to vote without assistance the authorized witness, at the request of the elector, shall mark his vote on the ballot-paper and shall (if the elector so desires) mark the same in the presence of another person.
- (e) The elector shall then refold the ballot-paper and fasten the same.
- (f) The elector shall then sign his name in his own handwriting on the counterfoil in the place provided for the signature of the voter.
- (g) The authorized witness shall then sign his name in his own handwriting in the place provided for the signature of the witness and shall add the title under which he acts as an authorized witness, and the date.
- (h) The elector shall then place the ballot-paper with the counterfoil attached into the envelope addressed to the returning officer, fasten the envelope in the presence of the authorized witness, and post it.
- (i) This ballot-paper cannot be counted in the election unless it is received by the returning officer before the closing of the poll.

Instructions to Authorized Witness.

The authorized witness shall—

- (a) See that the foregoing directions are substantially complied with.
- (b) Refrain from looking at the vote given by the elector except where the elector cannot vote without assistance, and the elector requests his assistance.
- (c) Not disclose any knowledge officially acquired by him touching the vote of the elector, save in answer to some question which he is legally bound to answer or in compliance with the express provisions of the law relating to parliamentary elections.

It shall not be lawful for any authorized witness to visit any elector for the purpose of witnessing such elector's signature to his postal ballot-paper:

Provided that if any elector has received a postal ballot-paper and is unable on account of ill-health or infirmity to present himself before an authorized witness any authorized witness when so requested by any such elector in writing may visit such elector for the purpose of witnessing his signature to such postal ballot-paper.

FORM 3.

As Returning Officer for the Electoral of I desire to inform you that from the statements made in your application to me I am not satisfied that you are entitled to vote through the post at the forthcoming election for the Legislative , and therefore if you desire to vote thereat you will have to attend personally at the polling booth and tender your vote.

Dated at

this

day of

19

Returning Officer.

FORM 4.

Declaration of Elector claiming to Vote at Polling Booth.

I, _____, residing at _____, do hereby declare that my name is included in the Roll of Ratepaying Electors or [the General] or [Supplementary] Roll for the Division of the Electoral _____ of _____, and that I have not received a postal ballot-paper entitling me to vote by post at the election of Members for the Legislative _____, now being held in the said Electoral _____, and that I desire to vote personally at such election.

Signed and declared at _____ day }
Polling Booth this _____ day }
of _____ in the presence of _____

Returning Officer or Deputy Returning Officer.

Caution.—Any person who wilfully makes and subscribes a declaration which is untrue or false in any particular is deemed to be guilty of wilful and corrupt perjury, and is punishable accordingly.

And the Honorable D. McLeod, His Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

Approved by the Governor in Council,
9th October, 1917.

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

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

VICTORIAN GOVERNMENT TOURIST BUREAU.

Collins-street (opposite Town Hall), City. Inquire personally or by letter re *Holiday Trips, Tourists' Resorts, &c.* Tickets issued daily. Telephone 2898 and 2899 Central.

DINING-CAR SERVICE.

A dining-car is run on Inter-State Express trains. Tariff:—No. 1 saloon—Dinner, 4s.; breakfast, 3s. No. 2 saloon—Dinner, 2s.; breakfast, 2s.; lunch, either saloon, 2s.

INTER-STATE CHEAP EXCURSIONS.

Fast Excursion Trains will run as under:—Wednesday, 17th October, 14th November, and 12th December. —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, 11th October and 15th November, and Tuesday, 11th December.—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, Naracorte, Wolseley, Broken Hill, &c., on posters at stations.

CHEAP EXCURSIONS, SPRING SERIES, 1917.

First and second class tickets at a low rate, available for return for one calendar month, will be issued at the Government Tourist Bureau, corner Collins and Swanston streets, City, Spencer-street (Flinders-street for Gippsland), and the respective country stations, up till Noon of the day preceding the excursion from Melbourne (except where otherwise specified). The dates of the excursion 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 (unless otherwise provided for) be recognised on the forward journey at any station short of destination printed thereon, and passengers desirous of breaking or terminating their journey short of the destination shown on ticket, can only do so on forfeiture of the ticket and payment of the difference between the cheap excursion and ordinary return fare to the station at which they alight.

Tuesday, 9th October.—To Dumosa and stations thence to Sea Lake and Nandaly (excursion to Melbourne from those stations on Wednesday, 10th October). To Armstrong and stations thence to Stawell (excursion to Melbourne from those stations on Wednesday, 10th October).

Wednesday, 10th October.—To Murtoa and stations thence to Wail (excursion to Melbourne from those stations on Thursday, 11th October). To Depra and stations to Yanac (excursion to Melbourne from those stations on Tuesday, 9th October). To Avenel and stations thence to

Wodonga, also stations on Yarrawonga and Wahgunyah lines (excursion to Melbourne from those stations on Thursday, 11th October).

Thursday, 11th October.—To Wychitella and stations thence to Wycheproof.* To Windermere and stations thence to Ararat.* To Eaglehawk and stations thence to Swan Hill and stations on Piangil line (excursion to Melbourne from those stations on Friday, 12th October).

Friday, 12th October.—To Karyrie and stations thence to Ouyen (excursion to Melbourne, 1st October). To Lah and stations thence to Hopetoun (excursion to Melbourne from those stations on Tuesday, 9th October).

Monday, 15th October.—To Kyneton and stations thence to Bendigo.* To Benalla and stations thence to Bright and Beechworth, also Yackandandah (excursion to Melbourne from those stations on Tuesday, 16th October).

Friday, 19th October.—To Vectis and stations thence to Natimuk, Noradjuha, and Toolondo (excursion to Melbourne from those stations on Monday, 15th October).

CHEAP EXCURSIONS.

Yanac—Lorquon Line.—Tuesday, 9th October.—To Melbourne from Yanac and stations to Depra. Tickets close noon, 8th October. Wednesday, 10th October.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 9th October. Particulars at stations.

Hopetoun—Lah.—Tuesday, 9th October.—To Melbourne from Hopetoun and stations to Lah. Tickets close noon, 8th October. Friday, 12th October.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 11th October. Particulars at stations.

Nandaly—Sea Lake—Dumosa.—Wednesday, 10th October.—To Melbourne from Nandaly and stations to Dumosa. Tuesday, 9th October.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 8th October. Particulars at stations.

Stawell—Armstrong.—Wednesday, 10th October.—To Melbourne from Stawell, Great Western, and Armstrong. Tickets close noon, 8th October. Tuesday, 9th October.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 8th October. Particulars at stations.

Wail—Murtoa.—Thursday, 11th October.—To Melbourne from Wail and stations thence to Murtoa. Tickets close noon, 9th October. Wednesday, 10th October.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 9th October. Particulars at stations.

Wycheproof—Wychitella.—Thursday, 11th October.—To Melbourne from Wycheproof and stations to Wychitella. Same date.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 10th October. Particulars at stations.

Ararat—Windermere.—Thursday, 11th October.—To Melbourne from Ararat and stations to Windermere. Same date.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 10th October. Particulars at stations.

* Denotes corresponding Up Excursion to Melbourne will run on the same date.

Wodonga-Avenel.—Thursday, 11th October.—To Melbourne from Wodonga and stations to Avenel. Wednesday, 10th October.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 9th October. Particulars at stations.

Wahgunyah Line.—Thursday, 11th October.—To Melbourne from stations on Wahgunyah line. Wednesday, 10th October.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 9th October. Particulars at stations.

Yarrawonga Line.—Thursday, 11th October.—To Melbourne from stations on Yarrawonga line. Wednesday, 10th October.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 9th October. Particulars at stations.

Piangil-Swan Hill-Eaglehawk.—Friday, 12th October.—To Melbourne from stations on Piangil line; also Swan Hill to Eaglehawk. (Excursionists from Balranald and places en route arriving at Swan Hill by coach at 9.30 a.m. on Saturday, 13th October, will be booked from that station to Melbourne at Cheap Excursion Fares by the 10.50 a.m. ordinary train same day.) Thursday, 11th October.—From Melbourne to Eaglehawk and stations to Piangil. Tickets close noon, 10th October. Particulars at stations.

Toolondo-Noradjuha-Vectis.—Monday, 15th October.—To Melbourne from Toolondo, Noradjuha, Natimuk, and stations to Vectis. Tickets close noon, 13th October. Friday, 19th October.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 18th October. Particulars at stations.

Bendigo-Kyneton.—Monday, 15th October.—To Melbourne from Bendigo and stations to Kyneton. Same date.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 13th October. Particulars at stations.

Bright-Yackandandah-Beechworth-Benalla.—Tuesday, 16th October.—To Melbourne from Bright, Yackandandah, and stations to Benalla. Monday, 15th October.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 13th October. 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 Queenscliff 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, 5.8 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, at 9.30 a.m. for Warburton, stopping all stations, at 10.25 a.m. for Lilydale, stopping all stations, and at 10.55 a.m. for Warburton, stopping only at Box Hill, Ringwood, Croydon, Lilydale, and all stations thence, and return from Warburton at 5.45 p.m., stopping only at certain stations, and at 6.5 p.m., stopping at all stations to Lilydale, and at Croydon, Ringwood, Box Hill, Camberwell, Glenferrie, and Richmond. Return fares:—First class, 4s.; second class, 3s.

Healesville line.—Leave Melbourne, Flinders-street, for Lilydale at 10.25 a.m.; stopping all stations, and for Healesville at 11.5 a.m., stopping at Box Hill and all stations thence (except Mooroolbark), and return from Healesville at 6.55 p.m., stopping all stations to Lilydale, and at Croydon, Box Hill, Mont Albert, Surrey Hills, Canterbury, East Camberwell, Camberwell, Glenferrie, and Richmond. Return fares:—First class, 4s.; second class, 3s.

Ferntree Gully and Gembrook lines.—Leave Flinders-street (from No. 1 platform, east end) at 10.10 a.m. for Emerald, stopping only at Richmond, Hawthorn, Glenferrie, Auburn, Camberwell, and Box Hill, to pick up passengers, thence stop all stations, and at 10.25 a.m. for Ringwood, stopping all stations, and at 10.45 a.m. for Ferntree Gully and Gembrook, picking up at Richmond, Box Hill, and Ringwood, and stopping at all stations thence; and at 1.55 p.m. for Belgrave, stopping at all stations. On return, leave Gembrook at 5.10 p.m. (not stopping at Selby, Belgrave or Upwey), and Ferntree Gully 7.9 p.m., stopping only at Baywater, and at Glenferrie and Richmond to set down passengers. Trains

will also leave Belgrave 6.50 p.m. and Ferntree Gully 7.30 p.m., stopping all stations to Ringwood, thence to set down passengers only at Box Hill, Camberwell, Glenferrie, and Richmond. Leave Emerald 6.47 p.m., Ferntree Gully 8.7 p.m., stopping all stations to Blackburn, thence to set down passengers only at Box Hill, Camberwell, Auburn, Glenferrie, Hawthorn, and Richmond. Return fares to Ferntree Gully:—First class, 2s.; second class, 1s. 6d. Gembrook—Second class 3s. Passengers from Melbourne for Ferntree Gully and Gembrook Sunday trains will require to book and enter platform at Prince's-bridge station (not Flinders-street).

Mornington line.—Leave Flinders-street at 10.50 a.m. for Mornington, stopping at all stations, and reaching Mornington at 12.57 p.m., leaving Mornington on return at 6.15 p.m., stopping at all stations and reaching Melbourne at 8.15 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 4s.; second class, 3s.

Pakenham line.—Leave Flinders-street for Pakenham at 11.5 a.m., and return at 7.9 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 4s.; second class, 3s.

Lyndhurst, Cranbourne, Clyde.—Leave Flinders-street at 11.5 a.m. for Lyndhurst, Cranbourne, and Clyde, reach Clyde at 5.10 p.m., and return from there at 5.40 p.m., arriving in Melbourne at 9 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 7.10 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d.

Whittlesea line.—Leave Flinders-street at 11.1 a.m., return from Whittlesea at 7.25 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 8s.; second class, 2s. 3d.

Eltham and Hurstbridge line.—Leave Prince's-bridge for Hurstbridge at 10.45 a.m., stopping only at Clifton Hill, Heidelberg (Rosanna if required), Eltham, and all stations thence, and at 10.5 and 11 a.m. and 5.50 p.m. for Eltham, stopping at all stations; returning 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 6.2 p.m. and 7.34 p.m. from Eltham, stopping at all stations.

Return fares to Eltham:—First class, 1s. 6d.; second class, 1s. 3d.; and to Hurstbridge—First class, 2s.; second class, 1s. 6d.

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, 63s. 4d.; second class, 48s. 2d. 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, 49s. 2d.; second class, 38s. 8d.; from Benalla, first class, 35s.; second class, 29s. 2d.; from Wangaratta, first class, 29s. 8d.; second class, 25s. 10d.; from Beechworth, first class, 28s. 2d.; second class, 24s. 8d.; and from Albury, first class, 38s. 3d.; second class, 31s. 6d. 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 INCLUSIVE WEEK TICKETS.

First class 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, at £6. Excursionists wishing to travel by motor from Bright may do so, weather permitting, on payment at Bright of 5s. extra.

HEALESVILLE AND WARBURTON EXCURSIONS.

Seven (7) days' trip, including first class rail, accommodation, and coach drives—Healesville, £3 3s.; Warburton, £3 5s.

SUNDAY EXCURSIONS.

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

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 Sons, Collins-street; and at Flinders-street and all stations to Caulfield inclusive, also at Ballarat, Bendigo, and Geelong to Cowes, Newhaven (Phillip Island), and San Remo. The tickets are available for return for two months. The journey cannot be broken, except at Melbourne, where passengers from Geelong, Ballarat, and Bendigo may break their journey for three (3) clear days both going and returning. Tickets must be presented at the Booking Office, Stony Point, to be stamped, and no ticket will be recognised unless so stamped.

THROUGH RAIL AND BOAT TICKETS TO THE GIPPSLAND LAKES.

Through rail and boat tickets will be issued daily at the Government Tourist Bureau, Collins-street; Messrs. Thos. Cook and Sons, Collins-street; at Flinders-street Station; and at Ballarat, Bendigo, and Geelong Stations to Sale and Bairnsdale, including a trip through the Lakes; also for a circular journey going *via* Sale and returning *via* Bairnsdale or *vice versa*. The tickets are available for return for two months, and the journey may be broken in the same manner as on an ordinary ticket.

THROUGH RAIL AND COACH TICKETS TO LORNE, INVERLOCH, AND FLINDERS.

During the winter months through rail and coach tickets will be issued daily at the Government Tourist Bureau, Collins-street; Messrs. Thos. Cook and Sons, Collins-street (Lorne excepted); and at either Spencer-street or Flinders-street Station (as the case may be) to Lorne, Inverloch, and Flinders. The tickets are available for return for two months, and the journey may be broken in the same manner as on an ordinary ticket.

MILITARY CAMP AT SEYMOUR.

On Sundays a special train will leave Flinders-street (No. 9 platform) for Seymour at 10.58 a.m., stopping at all stations to Essendon, thence as required to pick up passengers. On return, leave Seymour at 7 p.m., stopping to set down passengers as required to Essendon, thence at all stations. Cheap special fares:—From Melbourne—Return, first class 5s.; second class, 4s.; 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 12.45, 1.35, 2.25, 3.8, 4.8, 6.8, 8.8, 9.8, and 10.8 p.m., and leave Broadmeadows for Flinders-street at 9.42 a.m., 2.16, 2.56, 3.56, 5.56, 6.36, 7.56, 9.6, and 9.56 p.m. Passengers will require to change trains at Essendon.

ALTERATION OF TRAIN, WEDNESDAY, 17TH OCTOBER.

Toolondo-Natimuk line.—The ordinary train timed to leave Toolondo for Natimuk and Horsham at 12.40 p.m. will on the above date leave at 11.40 a.m., and run one (1) hour earlier to Natimuk, thence to Horsham at 2.30 p.m. as usual.

GEELONG RACING CLUB'S MEETING AT MOONER VALLEY.

On Wednesday, 10th October, trains will leave Flinders-street for Moonee Ponds from 11.50 a.m. to 2.45 p.m.; the special trains returning after the races. See posters. Fares:—First class, 7d.; second class, 6d. Combined rail and race tickets can be obtained at Flinders-street and Spencer-street Stations.

CAULFIELD RACES.

Tickets at Holiday Excursion Fares available for return till 23rd October will be issued from all stations (suburban excepted) to Melbourne by all trains on 12th and 19th October. Week-end tickets issued to Melbourne on Fridays, 12th and 19th, and by morning trains on Saturdays, 13th and 20th October, will also be available for return till 23rd October.

CAULFIELD RACES (GUINEAS DAY).

On Saturday, 13th October, first class race trains will commence running from Flinders-street (No. 10 platform, east end) at 11.30 a.m., and thereafter at short intervals till 1.36 p.m. Return fare:—To Caulfield, 10d.; including admission to the stand, 13s. Passengers enter from Swanston-street. Second class race trains will commence running from Flinders-street (No. 11 platform, east end) at 11.35 a.m., and thereafter at short intervals till 1.42 p.m. Return fare to Caulfield, 9d.; including admission to the flat, 3s. 9d. For the convenience of persons desiring to obtain their tickets before or on 13th October, race tickets will be issued on

11th, 12th, 13th, 18th, and 19th October at Spencer-street and Flinders-street stations, and at the Victorian Government Tourist Bureau, corner Collins and Swanston streets. The tickets will only be available from Flinders-street station on 13th, 17th, and 20th October.

Caulfield, Oakleigh, &c.—On 13th October, the 12.5, 12.25, and 12.40 p.m. trains Melbourne to Caulfield will not stop at Richmond.

CAULFIELD RACES (WEDNESDAY, 17TH OCTOBER).

On Wednesday, 17th October, special trains will leave Flinders-street (No. 10 platform, east end) as often as required, from 11.40 a.m. till 1.38 p.m., and return after the races. Fares as usual.

CAULFIELD RACES (CUP DAY).

On Saturday, 20th October, first class race trains will commence running from Flinders-street (No. 10 platform, east end) at 11.30 a.m., and thereafter at short intervals till 1.36 p.m. Return fares:—To Caulfield, 10d.; including admission to the stand, 13s. Passengers enter from Swanston-street. Second class race trains will commence running from Flinders-street (No. 11 platform, east end) at 11.35 a.m., and thereafter at short intervals till 1.42 p.m. Return fare to Caulfield, 9d.; including admission to the flat, 3s. 9d. For the convenience of persons desiring to obtain their tickets before or on the 20th October, race tickets will be issued on 18th, 19th, and 20th October at Spencer-street and Flinders-street stations, and at the Victorian Government Tourist Bureau, corner of Collins and Swanston streets. The tickets will only be available from Flinders-street station on 20th October.

Caulfield, &c.—On 20th October, the 12.5, 12.25, and 12.40 p.m. trains from Flinders-street to Caulfield will not stop at Richmond.

GEO. H. SUTTON, Secretary.

Closer Settlement Act 1915.

ALTERATION TO REGULATIONS.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the second day of October, 1917.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Mr. McLeod

Mr. Hutchinson.

Mr. McKenzie

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 140 of the *Closer Settlement Act 1915* (No. 2629), His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby make the following regulation, in lieu of paragraph 13, Chapter II., of the Regulations under the said Act, published in the *Government Gazette* of the 22nd August, 1916:—

Each member of the Board travelling on duty shall be paid allowances for personal expenses in addition to cost of conveyance, according to the rates prescribed in clauses 4 and 5 of Part I., Chapter IX., of Public Service Regulations for officers of the First Division.

And the Honorable T. Livingston, for and on behalf of His Majesty's Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

F. W. MABBOTT,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

APPOINTMENT OF A POLLING PLACE FOR THE ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF POLWARTH.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the second day of October, 1917.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Mr. McLeod

Mr. Hutchinson.

Mr. McKenzie

IN pursuance of the provisions contained in *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1915* (No. 2632), section 100, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth by this Order appoint

HORDEN VALE

as a Polling Place for the Otway Division of the Electoral District of Polwarth.

And the Honorable D. McLeod, His Majesty's Chief Secretary for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

F. W. MABBOTT,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

REVOCATION AND APPOINTMENT OF A POLLING PLACE FOR THE ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF GOULBURN VALLEY.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the second day of October, 1917.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Mr. McLeod | Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. McKenzie

IN pursuance of the provisions contained in *The Constitution Act Amendment Act 1915* (No. 2632), section, 196, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby revoke the appointment of the place named in the second column of the Schedule hereunder as a Polling Place within and for the Division of the Electoral District specified in conjunction therewith in the first column of the said Schedule; and doth appoint the place named in the third column of the said Schedule to be a Polling Place within and for the Division of the Electoral District specified in conjunction therewith in the first column of the Schedule, viz.:—

SCHEDULE.

Electoral District and Division.	Polling Place Revoked.	Polling Place Appointed.
Goulburn Valley District—Shepparton Division	Central Shepparton	Grahamvale

And the Honorable D. McLeod, His Majesty's Chief Secretary for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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

Police Regulation Act 1915, Section 17.

AMENDMENT OF REGULATION.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the second day of October, 1917.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.
Mr. McLeod | Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. McKenzie

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, and pursuant to the provisions of section 17 of the *Police Regulation Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2709), doth hereby repeal Regulation No. 753 of the Victorian Police Code, and doth order that the following be substituted therefor:—

753. The North-Eastern District has two Divisions, with head-quarters at Benalla and Shepparton respectively.

And the Honorable T. Livingston, for and on behalf of His Majesty's Chief Secretary for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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

Local Government Act 1915.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

UNUSED ROADS AND WATER FRONTAGES.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the second day of October, 1917.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.
Mr. McLeod | Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. McKenzie

IN pursuance of the provisions contained in the *Local Government Act 1915*, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby declare the following part of a road to be an unused road within the meaning of Part XXXIX. of the said Act, viz.:—

All that portion of road abutting north of allotments 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163A, B, section M, parish of Ballyrogan.

And the Honorable William Addison Adamson, His Majesty's Commissioner of Public Works for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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

Local Government Act 1915 (No. 2686).

ACCOUNTS OF MUNICIPALITIES WITH THE COUNTRY ROADS BOARD.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the ninth day of October, 1917.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. McLeod
Mr. Lawson | Mr. Hagelthorn.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by section 415 of the *Local Government Act 1915* (No. 2686), His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said State, doth hereby order that the accounts of all municipalities in the State of Victoria having transactions with the Country Roads Board, shall be kept in accordance with the following directions:—

BOOKS.

A separate set of books shall be kept for the accounts of municipalities with the Country Roads Board.

BANK ACCOUNT.

A separate bank account shall also be kept by municipalities of transactions with the Country Roads Board.

ENGINEERS' BOOKS AND RECORDS.

The works will evidently fall under one or more of the following:—Contracts, Day Labour and Materials.

Contracts.—The usual form of municipal contract register will be quite suitable.

Memorandum Roads Ledger.—The engineer shall record herein the expenditure on each main road on which work is carried out, separate records being kept for permanent works and maintenance. Expenditure on day labour and material will be entered up as it occurs. The combination of the total of each account with the amount paid on its contract or contracts in progress, will give the total cost of the works on any particular road from time to time, which should agree with the secretary's ledger account. When contracts are completed, the totals should be entered up in this book under the proper roads, and indexed, so that reference to any work can readily be made.

Day Labour.—Pay-sheets, as per form prescribed by the Country Roads Board, should be adopted. The total of each pay-sheet must be entered up against each main road affected, in the memorandum roads ledger.

SECRETARY'S BOOKS.

1. *Cash-book*.—This book shall be kept in the form of the ordinary unsubdivided cash-book in use by municipalities, as prescribed in the *Guide to Municipal Officers*.

Expenditure.—Arrange the vouchers for each main road, keeping those for permanent works distinct from those for maintenance, and enter them in the amounts column under such headings, and extend the totals, which will be posted in the ledger under separate accounts for each particular road. These entries will mainly comprise vouchers for payments on contracts, materials, and day labour. The latter should contain receipts for the individual amounts. If one cheque is drawn for each pay-sheet, and the payments made in cash, the total may be entered in the cash-book; otherwise enter the cheques in detail.

Receipts.—These will consist of reimbursements from the Country Roads Board on account of permanent works and maintenance. Enter the amounts received from the Board on account of each road in the first column, and extend the total into the second column. Post the amounts received into the proper ledger accounts.

Materials.—When an account covers supplies to more than one road the allocation should be shown upon it by the engineer, and the amounts should be entered in the cash-book under the respective roads. When materials are supplied for main road works out of a council's stock, a cheque should be drawn on the Country Roads Board account for the value of the materials, and paid into the municipal account.

Direct Payments by the Board.—Early in August of each year the Board will send out a statement of the expenditure of each road as on the 30th June. Until such statement is received only enter in the cash-book and post in the ledger, as on the 30th June, but with the true date in brackets, the sums received from the Board for claims upon expenditure incurred before the 30th June. The current expenditure subsequent to that date

may remain merely recorded in the finance book until after the Board's statement has been dealt with, as follows:—

Under a general heading of "Direct Payments by the Boards," enter on the credit side of the cash-book, in red ink, under the title of each road, whether maintenance or permanent, the details of all the direct payments made in connexion with it, showing the sums in "Amounts" column, and extending the total for each road. Respond to the total for each road on the debit side. Post these contra totals to the respective ledger accounts in black ink. Then add the debit and credit of each road account (including maintenance) in small red-ink figures, showing the aggregate expenditure and receipts to date, with the balance, if any, in its proper column. Enter in the general expenditure account the total expended on each permanent work for the nine months from the previous 30th September, and credit Country Roads Board account with the amounts received for the same period. Half the balance of this latter amount should be the amount on which the council (or councils) has to pay 6 per cent. per annum. With regard to the maintenance accounts, the red-ink totals of the credit column of one 30th June deducted from those of the succeeding one, should give the amount of which the council has to pay one-half.

On each 30th September add each road account in red ink, and only three months' transactions will be entered in the "Capital Expenditure" and "Country Roads Boards" accounts. There will then be two sets of red-ink totals in the ledger, 30th June for a tally with the Board, and 30th September for purposes of the balance-sheet.

The cash-book should be balanced before each meeting by using the amounts column for this purpose, and carrying on the amounts of the total column until 30th September in each year.

2. *Cheque-book.*—A separate cheque-book shall be kept in respect of Country Roads Board transactions.

3. *Finance-book.*—The monthly pay-sheet may be entered in the ordinary finance-book, but under a separate heading and with its own total.

Vouchers.—Vouchers should all have a printed heading, "Country Roads Board," and be kept in a separate envelope or envelopes.

4. *Ledger.*—The loan ledger form given in the *Guide to Municipal Officers* will be the more suitable, as the progressive balances can be readily shown. Open two accounts, if necessary, for each main road, one for permanent works and the other for maintenance. These accounts are not to be ruled off until completed, but the totals of the debit and credit columns on each 30th September are to be shown in red ink, in order that the yearly transactions for the statement may be easily obtained, and on each 30th June for the tally with the Board's accounts.

Errors in Posting and Cross Entries.—It may occur that amounts either of expenditure or receipts may in error be posted to the wrong road account, or that an amount charged to expenditure may be finally disallowed by the Board, which amount shall be refunded by the council's cheque. In the former case, transfers shall be made to the proper road account, which will then show its true position, but the road account containing the cross entries will be inflated in the totals of both the debit and credit columns by the amount of these entries. To correct this, draw a line and show the aggregate totals of the debit and credit columns to that point. Then, on the next line below, write, "Deduct for cross entries," and enter in both the debit and credit columns the amount of such cross entries. Draw another line, deduct those amounts, and the result will show the actual expenditure and the actual receipts from the Board, which is the definite result to be aimed at for each road. In the case of refunds to any road by the council, the same procedure shall be followed. Each road account from its inception to date shall be examined in order to adjust any cross entries which already have been made.

Country Roads Board Account.—Open a memorandum account in the ledger for "Country Roads Board," and credit it with each remittance for permanent works only together with the Country Roads Board direct credits, during the periods from 1st October to 30th June, and from 1st July to 30th September yearly. Add the credit column in red ink on 30th June and 30th September, and show the progressive balance.

Capital Expenditure.—Also open a memorandum account in the ledger for "Capital Expenditure," and debit it with the total spent on each permanent work (including the direct payments by the Board), during the foregoing periods. Add the debit column on 30th June and 30th September yearly, and show the progressive balance.

Yearly Statement.—Show the total received from the Board, and the expenditure on each work for the year, under headings of permanent works and maintenance, and the bank balance. For a "Balance-sheet of loan works" show the total of capital expenditure account as assets (nominal), and as liabilities the total of the Country Roads Board account, with "Balance due by Board per ledger balances of permanent works."

MUNICIPAL BOOKS.

Maintenance Refunds.—Debit the repayment of the council's moiety to a separate ledger account, "Maintenance Account, Country Roads Board," in order that a consecutive and complete record of this special expenditure may be available.

Interest and Bank Charges Account.—Arrangements should be made with the bankers to debit all interest and bank charges against the Country Roads Board account, direct to the general fund. Contractors' deposits should be passed through the same fund.

Forfeited Deposits.—In the event of these occurring, a cheque for one-half thereof should be drawn on the contractor's deposit account and forwarded to the Country Roads Board, and a cheque for the other half paid into the credit of forfeited deposit account.

And the Honorable W. A. Adamson, His Majesty's Minister of Public Works for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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

Local Government Act 1915 (No. 2686).

MUNICIPAL BOOKS AND ACCOUNTS FOR MAKING STREETS, LANES, ETC., AT COST OF CERTAIN OWNERS—QUARTERLY PAYMENTS, *VIDE* SECTION 534 OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1915.

*At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne,
the ninth day of October, 1917.*

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Sir A. J. Peacock	Mr. McLeod
Mr. Lawson	Mr. Hagelthorn.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by section 415 of the *Local Government Act 1915* (No. 2686), His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said State, doth hereby order that the books and accounts of municipal councils making streets, lanes, &c., at the cost of certain owners (as provided in section 534 of the said Act) shall be kept as hereinafter appointed, viz:—

Books, Etc.

The following books shall be kept, viz:—Register, Collector's Cash-book, Cash-book, and Ledger.

Register—Making Streets at Cost of Certain Owners.—The register shall show the complete records of transactions in respect of each street, and the ledger account of each owner in a progressive form.

By means of insets in each opening the transactions of forty quarters shall be shown with one writing of the names. The columns are:—Principal Due, Receipt No., Principal Paid and Interest Paid. The amounts for each street shall be totalled quarterly, and the aggregate receipts of all the streets for principal and interest shall agree with the collector's cash-book. The register must be posted from the collector's cash-book.

The space at the left of the quarterly information may contain columns for No., Name, Estimated Cost, Actual Cost, and Amount of Instalment. If, however, the "Actual Cost" column be deemed sufficient, enter the estimate of cost in pencil until the actual cost is known, and then enter the latter in ink. The "Principal Due" column may also be left in pencil, or blank, until the final cost of each person is known, but the posting of the receipts shall be in ink.

The whole of the work for each street shall be entered in the register, and all payments, whether in full, in advance for a few quarters, or in arrears of same, must be posted under the quarter in which they are actually received.

When a payment in full, according to the estimates, proves to be short of the actual cost, the balance shall be collected, passed through the collector's cash-book, and posted under the proper quarter in the register. And in the case of being in excess of the actual cost the balance shall be refunded and debited to the "Formation Account."

The space on the right of the insets may be used for the statistical information of the streets.

Collector's Cash-book.—This shall have the following columns:—Date, Receipt No.; Name, Streets, Regr. Folio, Principal Paid, Interest Paid, and under the heading of "Payments to Treasurer" Date, Amount. This Book may be ruled off for each council meeting, or at the end of each quarter, to agree with the total of the postings in the register.

Cash-book.—This shall be in the form given on page 30 of the *Guide to Municipal Officers*. It may be balanced for each council meeting, or at the end of each quarter, but the same period, whether fortnightly, monthly, or quarterly, shall be adopted for this and the collector's cash-book. The total of each payment by the collector shall be entered in the "Amounts" column, and the sum thereof extended into the "Totals" column in two lines at the stated period, viz.:—Principal, interest, according to the distribution in the collector's cash-book. The expenditure on construction shall be shown under a separate heading for each street, and totals extended in the outer column. For any loading upon the cost of streets, such as engineer's commission or other expenses, cheques shall be drawn for the same and be debited to the respective streets.

Ledger.—The cost of construction shall be shown in separate accounts for each street. Credit each street with its estimate of cost and debit all the estimated costs to the "Formation Account" (owners' liability). Credit "Formation Account" with the principal received as shown in the cash-book. Its balance should agree with the aggregate totals of the "Principal Due" columns in the register.

When the actual cost is less than the estimate, and the adjustments have been made in the register, credit the total difference to the "Formation Account," and debit each street account. In the case of increased cost debit the amount to the "Formation Account" and credit each street account.

These increases or decreases upon the estimated costs of streets shall be dealt with in the register as follows:—After entering the actual cost of each property in its proper column, in the case of increased cost, the amount of each individual increase shall be entered in red ink in the last developed column for "Principal Due" and bracketed on to its own proper balance. These amounts shall be combined for the next calculation of the "Principal Due." In the event of decreased cost from the estimate, each individual reduction shall be entered in red ink in the "Principal Paid" column against its own property. For the quarter affected, its total will agree with the payments and rebate entry as posted in the ledger. In the case of the quarterly payments, these red-ink figures will reduce the "Principal Due" at the next calculation, but in the case of amounts that have already been paid in full, no entry will be carried forward, as the refunds will be debited to the "Formation Account" in the ledger.

Interest Account.—Credit this with the amounts received from owners as posted from the cash-book. Debit it with interest paid to the bank, and bank charges.

Bank Account.—This must be kept in a separate account with the bank. The periodical totals of the cash-book only to be posted in the ledger.

Cheque Forms.—Separate cheque forms, with the title of the account clearly printed thereon, shall be used.

Voucher Forms.—Separate voucher forms, with the title of the account clearly printed thereon, shall be used. The vouchers for the expenditure presented to the municipal councils may, however, be entered in the general finance book, but under a separate heading and with a separate total.

Records.—All records of transactions in respect of the construction of streets at the cost of certain owners shall be kept separate, and be readily accessible to inspectors of municipal accounts and auditors.

Contractors' Deposits.—These deposits shall be passed through the general account.

And the Honorable W. A. Adamson, His Majesty's Minister of Public Works for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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

Licensing Act 1915.

PLACES AND INTERVALS FOR THE HOLDING OF LICENSING COURTS.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the ninth day of October, 1917.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Sir A. J. Peacock
Mr. Lawson

Mr. McLeod
Mr. Hagelthorn.

PURSUANT to section 55 of the *Licensing Act 1915*, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth by this Order direct that the places and intervals mentioned in the subjoined schedule be appointed for the holding of Licensing Courts, in lieu of the places and intervals heretofore appointed in that behalf, and doth further direct that, as occasion requires, in addition to the places and intervals named in the said schedule, Melbourne be appointed a place at which the said Licensing Courts shall be held once at least in each year.

SCHEDULE.

Places at which Courts to be held.	Intervals.	Licensing Districts for which Courts holden.
Melbourne	Once at least in every six months.	Armadale, Ascut Vale, Balclava, Barkly (Collingwood), Beaconsfield, Berwick, Borondara, Bourke, Brighton, Broadmeadows, Brunswick, Canterbury, Cardigan, Caulfield, Caulfield East, Central Fitzroy, Central Richmond, Clifton, Clifton Hill, Coburg, Collingwood East, Dandenong, Darling (Collingwood), Elsternwick, Eltham, Emerald Hill, Essendon, Flemington, Flinders, Footscray, Gipps, Hawthorn, Healesville, Heidelberg, Hotham, Jolimont, Kew, Kilmore, Latrobe, Lilydale, Lonsdale, Malvern, Malvern East, Moonee Ponds, Moorabbin, Mornington, Mulgrave, North Carlton, Northcote, North Fitzroy, North Footscray, North Melbourne, North Richmond, North Williamstown, Nunawading, Oakleigh, Port Melbourne, Prahran, Preston, Princes Hill, Pyalong, Royal Park, Searesby, South Fitzroy, South Richmond, South Williamstown, South Yarra, St. Kilda East, St. Kilda West, Toorak, Whittlesea, Wood's Point
Ballarat		Ballarat East, Ballarat West, Ballarook, Bungaree, Buninyong, Clunes, Creswick, Daylesford, Dowling Forest, Franklin, Pithfield, Sebastopol, Warrenheip
Bendigo		Barkly (Bendigo East), Bridgewater, Darling (Bendigo East), Eaglehawk, Golden Square, Heathcote, Huntly, Inglewood, Kangaroo Flat, Ruthven, Serpentine, Strathfieldsaye, Wedderburn
Ararat		Ararat, Moyston, Wickliffe
Bacchus Marsh		Bacchus Marsh, Ballan, Melton
Bairnsdale		Bairnsdale, Dargo, Omeo, Orbost, Tambo
Beaufort		Beaufort, Lexton
Benalla		Benalla, Mokoan, Strathbogies, Yarrawonga
Birchip		Birchip, Mildura
Camperdown		Camperdown, Cobden, Mortlake

SCHEDULE—continued.

Places at which Courts to be holden.	Intervals.	Licensing Districts for which Courts holden.
Castlemaine	Once at least in every six months.	Castlemaine, Fryers, Maldon, Newstead, Taradale
Charlton		Boort, Charlton, Wycheproof
Colac		Corangamite, Otway
Echuca		Echuca, Rochester, Rochester East
Geelong		Barrarbool, East Geelong, Lara, Leigh, Meredith, Newtown and Chilwell, Queenscliff, West Geelong, Winchelsea, Wyndham
Hamilton		Balmoral, Branholme, Edenhope, Casterton, Hamilton, Penshurst.
Horsham		Arapiles, Corong, Dimboola, Dunmunkle, Horsham, Lawloit, Nhill, Warracknabeal
Kerang		Kerang, Terriek
Korumburra		Alberton, Jeetho, Phillip Island, Welshpool, Woorayl
Kyneton		Gisborne, Kyneton, Lancefield, Trentham
Mansfield		Alexandra, Mansfield, Yea
Maryborough		Carisbrook, Dunolly, Maryborough, Talbot, Timor
Portland		Heywood, Portland
Sale		Avon, Maffra, Rosedale, Sale
Seymour		Goulburn, Seymour
Shepparton		Arcadia, Katamatite, Mooropna, Numurkah, Rushworth, Shepparton
St. Arnaud		St. Arnaud, Stuart Mill
Stawell		Glenorchy, Landsborough, Stawell
Swan Hill		Swan Hill
Wangaratta		Beechworth, Bright, Oxley, Peechelba, Wangaratta, Yack-andandah
Warragul		Drouin, Mirboo, Narracan, Traralgon, Waihalla, Warragul
Warrnambool		Allansford, Koroi, Minhamite, Port Fairy, Warrnambool
Wodonga		Chiltern, Rutherglen, Towong, Wodonga

And the Honorable Harry Sutherland Wightman Lawson, His Majesty's Solicitor-General for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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

Factories and Shops Acts.

EXTENSION OF THE POWERS OF THE ENGRAVERS BOARD.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne,
the second day of October, 1917.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Mr. McLeod | Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. McKenzie

UNDER the powers in that behalf conferred by the Factories and Shops Acts, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of

the Executive Council thereof, doth by this Order extend the powers of the Engravers Board so that such Board may fix the lowest prices or rates for the trade of making (but not enamelling) metal badges, such trade being, in the opinion of the Governor in Council, of a similar class or character to that for which the said Engravers Board was appointed.

And the Honorable Sir Alexander James Peacock, His Majesty's Minister of Labour for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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

Factories and Shops Acts.

REGULATION OF HAIRDRESSERS' SHOPS
WITHIN THE SHIRE OF UPPER YARRA.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne,
the second day of October, 1917.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.

Mr. McLeod | Mr. Hutchinson.
Mr. McKenzie

UNDER the powers in that behalf conferred by the Factories and Shops Acts, His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, upon a petition certified by the municipal clerk of the municipal district of the Shire of Upper Yarra, as signed by a majority of all the shopkeepers of the particular class to be affected, doth hereby make the following Regulation; that is to say:—

It shall be lawful for the shop of any hairdresser within the municipal district of the Shire of Upper Yarra to keep open on the evenings of Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday in each week from Seven o'clock until Eight o'clock.

And the Honorable Sir Alexander James Peacock, His Majesty's Minister of Labour for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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

APPROACHING LAND SALES.

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

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SALES (Nos. 9190 AND 9191) OF CROWN LANDS
IN FEE SIMPLE.

HIS Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to direct that sales by auction of the undermentioned Crown Lands will be holden at the times and places mentioned, 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, 9th October, 1917.

MURRAYVILLE.—Sale (No. 9190), at THREE o'clock on TUESDAY, 13th NOVEMBER, 1917, at the COURT HOUSE. To be conducted by J. B. GREGSON, Esq., Land Officer. Auctioneers: Messrs. R. A. CALDOW & CO.

TOWN LOTS.

MURRAYVILLE, PARISH OF DANYO, COUNTY OF WEEAH.

Upset price £35 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 1. Area 37 3-10p., allotment 14, section 2.

Upset price £30 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 2. Area 37 3-10p., allotment 13, section 2.

Upset price £25 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 3. Area 1r., allotment 18, section 5.
 Lot 4. Area 1r., allotment 19, section 5.
 Lot 5. Area 1r., allotment 20, section 5.

Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 6. Area 2r. 18p., allotment 9, section 13.
 Lot 7. Area 2r., 17p., allotment 2, section 13.
 Lot 8. Area 2r. 17p., allotment 1, section 13.

DANYO, PARISH OF DANYO, COUNTY OF WEEAH.

Opposite the Railway Station.

Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 9. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 4, section 2.
 Lot 10. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 5, section 2.
 Lot 11. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 6, section 2.

COWANGIE (COW PLAINS), PARISH OF TUTYE, COUNTY OF WEEAH.

Opposite the Railway Station.

Upset price £25 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 12. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 10, section 2.
 Lot 13. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 9, section 2.
 Lot 14. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 8, section 2.
 Lot 15. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 7, section 2.
 Lot 16. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 1, section 1.

TUTYE, PARISH OF TUTYE, COUNTY OF WEEAH.

Upset price £25 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 17. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 1, section 3.

Upset price £22 10s. per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 18. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 2, section 3.

Upset price £20 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 19. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 3, section 3.
 Lot 20. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 20, section 3.

Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 21. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 19, section 3.
 Lot 22. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 18, section 3.

BOINKA, PARISH OF BOINKA, COUNTY OF WEEAH.

Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 23. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 5, section 1.
 Lot 24. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 6, section 1.
 Lot 25. Area 1r. 4p., allotment 11, section 1.
 Lot 26. Area 1r. 4p., allotment 12, section 1.
 Lot 27. Area 1r. 4p., allotment 13, section 1.
 Lot 28. Area 1r. 4p., allotment 20, section 2.

UNDERBOOL, PARISH OF UNDERBOOL, COUNTY OF WEEAH.

Upset price £25 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 29. Area 1r. 4p., allotment 23, section 4.
 Lot 30. Area 1r. 4p., allotment 22, section 4.
 Lot 31. Area 1r. 4p., allotment 21, section 4.
 Lot 32. Area 1r. 4p., allotment 20, section 4.
 Lot 33. Area 1r. 9 5-10p., allotment 19, section 4.

CARINYA, PARISH OF CARINYA, COUNTY OF WEEAH.

Opposite the Railway Siding.

Upset price £20 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 34. Area 2r., allotment 10.

Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 35. Area 2r., allotment 11.
 Lot 36. Area 2r., allotment 12.
 Lot 37. Area 2r., allotment 13.
 Lot 38. Area 2r., allotment 14.

PANITYA, PARISH OF CARINA, COUNTY OF WEEAH.

Opposite the Railway Siding.

Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 39. Area 2r., allotment 6.
 Lot 40. Area 2r., allotment 5.
 Lot 41. Area 2r., allotment 4.
 Lot 42. Area 2r., allotment 3.

Ouyen.—Sale (No. 9191), at TWO o'clock, on MONDAY, 12th NOVEMBER, 1917, at the COURT HOUSE. To be conducted by J. B. GREGSON, Esq., Land Officer. Auctioneers: Messrs. R. A. CALDOW & CO.

TOWN LOTS.

Ouyen, PARISH OF OUYEN, COUNTY OF KARKAROO.

East side of the Railway Station.

Upset price £30 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 1. Area 1r. 39 3-10p., allotment 15, section 7.
 Lot 2. Area 1r. 39 3-10p., allotment 16, section 7.
 Lot 3. Area 1r. 39 3-10p., allotment 17, section 7.
 Lot 4. Area 1r. 39 3-10p., allotment 18, section 7.

Near the State School Site.

Upset price £40 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 5. Area 1r. 29 1-10p., allotment 18, section 10.
 Upset price £35 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 6. Area 1r. 29 7-10p., allotment 17, section 10.
 Lot 7. Area 1r. 29 7-10p., allotment 16, section 10.
 Lot 8. Area 1r. 29 7-10p., allotment 15, section 10.

GALAH, PARISH OF TIEGA, COUNTY OF KARKAROO.

Adjoining the Railway Station.

Upset price £20 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 9. Area 1r. 30p., allotment 13, section 1.
 Lot 10. Area 1r. 30p., allotment 12, section 1.

Near the Station.

Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 11. Area 1r. 11p., allotment 9, section 1.
 Lot 12. Area 1r. 18p., allotment 4, section 1.
 Lot 13. Area 1r. 18p., allotment 3, section 1.

WALPEUP, PARISH OF WALPEUP, COUNTY OF KARKAROO.

Near the State School Reserve.

Upset price £20 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 14. Area 3r. 0 2-10p., allotment 5, section 4.
 Lot 15. Area 2r. 39 5-10p., allotment 6, section 4.
 Lot 16. Area 3r. 0 2-10p., allotment 7, section 4.
 Upset price £25 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 17. Area 1a. 1r. 2 4-10p., allotment 15, section 4.
 Lot 18. Area 1a. 1r. 3 2-10p., allotment 16, section 4.
 Lot 19. Area 1a. 1r. 10 6-10p., allotment 17, section 4.

Upset price £30 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 20. Area 1a. 2r. 29p., allotment 18, section 4.

Upset price £35 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 21. Area 1a. 3r. 30 7-10p., allotment 19, section 4.

Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 22. Area 1r. 34 8-10p., allotment 13, section 3.
 Lot 23. Area 1r. 34 8-10p., allotment 14, section 3.

NYANG, PARISH OF NYANG, COUNTY OF WEEAH.

Opposite the Railway Station.

Upset price £25 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 24. Area 3r. 2 6-10p., allotment 7, section 1.

Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 25. Area 2r., allotment 6, section 1.
 Lot 26. Area 2r., allotment 5, section 1.

KIA, PARISH OF KIA, COUNTY OF KARKAROO.

Near the Railway Station.

Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 27. Area 1r. 24p., allotment 4, section 1.
 Lot 28. Area 1r. 24p., allotment 3, section 1.
 Lot 29. Area 1r. 24p., allotment 2, section 1.
 Lot 30. Area 1r. 24p., allotment 1, section 1.

HATTAH, PARISH OF MOURNPOL, COUNTY OF KARKAROO.

Adjoining the Railway Station.

Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
 Lot 31. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 7, section 3.
 Lot 32. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 8, section 3.
 Lot 33. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 9, section 3.
 Lot 34. Area 1r. 8p., allotment 10, section 3.

SPEED, PARISH OF GORYA, COUNTY OF KARKAROOO.
Near the Railway Station.

Upset price £20 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
Lot 35. Area 1r. 10 4-10p., allotment 6, section 3.
Lot 36. Area 1r. 10 4-10p., allotment 8, section 3.
Lot 37. Area 1r. 10 4-10p., allotment 9, section 3.

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 reservation of the lands hereinafter referred to, viz.:

The following Notice was gazetted 1^o on 19th September, 1917, pursuant to Order of the 11th September, 1917.

WORMANGAL.—The temporary reservation by Order of the 11th January, 1875, of 5 acres of land in the parish of Wormangal, being part of portion 31A, as a site for State School purposes is about to be revoked.—(W.237(2) (17.C.68612).

The following Notices were gazetted 1^o on 26th September, 1917, pursuant to Orders of the 18th September, 1917.

CODRINGTON.—The temporary reservation by Order of the 22nd July, 1872, of 4 acres 1 rood 35 perches of land in the parish of Codrington, as a site whence stone may be procured, is about to be revoked.—(C.396(2) (17.Rs.1273).

WINIAM.—The temporary reservation by Order of the 20th January, 1891, of 86 acres 2 roods 30 perches of land in the parish of Winiam, as a site for Water Supply purposes, is about to be revoked, so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz.:—64 acres 15 perches, parish of Winiam: Commencing at the north-east angle of allotment 85, and bounded by that allotment bearing west 3,233 links; thence by roads bearing north 100 links, west 281 links, and north 701 links; thence by lines bearing respectively N. 39 deg. 10 min. E. 903 links, east 1,430 links, and north 900 links, and by roads bearing respectively east 1,514 links, and south 2,401 links to the commencing point.—(W.324(2) (17.Rs.2338).

The following Notices were gazetted 1^o on 3rd October, 1917, pursuant to Orders of the 25th September, 1917.

MURRUGOWAR.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 28th December, 1916, of 3 acres of land in the parish of Murrungowar, as a site for a State School, is about to be revoked.—(M.539(3) (17.C.68338).

WANGARATTA.—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 11th August, 1873, of 3 acres, more or less, of land in the borough of Wangaratta, being part of section 17, as a site for a State School, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion hereinafter described, viz.:—2 roods 34 perches, more or less, town of Wangaratta, county of Delatite, being part of section 17: Commencing at a point bearing S. 40 deg. 0 min. W. 210 links from the northern angle of the existing site, and bounded by a line bearing S. 50 deg. E. 470 links to the King River; thence by that river south-westerly about 150 links by a line bearing N. 50 deg. 0 min. W. 480 links, and by Chisholm-street bearing N. 40 deg. 0 min. E. 150 links to the commencing point.—(W.63(1) (17.C.66173).

W. HUTCHINSON,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne.

LAND TEMPORARILY RESERVED FROM SALE, ETC.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Land Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 2nd day of October, 1917, reserved, temporarily, from sale and leasing, and from having a licence granted in respect thereof, and has also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence the land hereinafter described, viz.:

OTWAY.—Site for a State School, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence.—2 acres 2 roods 18 perches, being part of allotment 10A, parish of Otway, county of Polwarth: Commencing at the north-east angle of the said allotment 10A; bounded thence by a road bearing S. 47 deg. 56 min. W. 848 links, by a line bearing N. 42 deg. 4 min. W. 501 links, and by a road bearing N. 70 deg. 53 min. E. 742½ links and S. 79 deg. 49 min. E. 268½ links to the commencing point.—(O.26(1) (17.5284/47.49).

F. W. MABBOTT,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 2nd October, 1917.

PUBLIC HEARINGS BY PERSONS APPOINTED UNDER THE 25TH SECTION OF THE LAND ACT 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the times and places mentioned in the schedule hereunder, applications for leases and licences under the *Land Act 1915*, objections to such applications, objections to proposed proclamations, alterations, additions, diminutions, revocations or unions of Commons, and reasons against forfeiture of any leases or licences under the *Land Act* deemed liable to forfeiture will be publicly heard by the persons whose names are set opposite such places respectively in such schedule, being persons appointed by me, the responsible Minister of the Crown administering the *Land Act*, to hear the same and report thereon in writing to me.

W. HUTCHINSON,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, and
President of the Board of Land and Works.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th October, 1917.

SCHEDULE.

WANGARATTA, Tuesday, 23rd October, 1917, at Ten a.m., Geo. O'Toole, Esq.

NUMURKAH, Thursday, 25th October, 1917, at Two p.m., Geo. O'Toole, Esq.

PORTLAND, Thursday, 25th October, 1917, at Two p.m., E. Burgess, Esq.

AVOCA, Wednesday, 31st October, 1917, at Ten a.m., E. Burgess, Esq.

HEARING OF REASONS AGAINST THE FORFEITURE OF CERTAIN LICENCE AND LEASES BY PERSONS APPOINTED UNDER 25TH SECTION OF THE LAND ACT 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that reasons against the forfeiture of the licence and leases in the schedule hereto, which are deemed liable to forfeiture under the provisions of the *Land Act 1915*, will be publicly heard by the persons appointed by me, the responsible Minister of the Crown administering the said Act, to hear the same and report thereon in writing to me, when the persons in the said schedule mentioned as holders of such licence and leases will be allowed to show cause against the same at the places and on the dates mentioned in the schedule hereto.

W. HUTCHINSON,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, being
the responsible Minister of the Crown
administering the *Land Act*.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 9th October, 1917.

SCHEDULE.

BAIRNSDALE, 24th October, 1917, Land Officer:—
294/8.98, Albert Edward Clifton, 8a. 0r. 9p.,
Nillumbik.

BALLAARAT, 25th October, 1917, Land Officer:—
0232/103, Lewis Horwood, 16 acres, Ballarat.

WANGARATTA, 23rd October, 1917, at Ten a.m., Land Officer:—

1036/35, William Bonte, 1,026 acres, Wabonga;
264/29, G. Delaney, 480 acres, Byawatha; 653/29,
Joseph Slater, 761 acres, Edi; 1837/29, Daniel
Slater the younger, 946 acres, Wabonga; 24/35,
Christopher Twiss, 732 acres, Matong; 1905/29,
William H. Trevona, 317 acres, Byawatha;
2868/61, Jessie Swan, 313 acres, Wangaratta;
1678/35, James Gilbert, 165 acres, Wabonga;
4053/56, James L. Bodkin, 285 acres, Wabonga.

NUMURKAH, 25th October, 1917, at half-past One p.m., Land Officer:—

24/8, William W. Moores, 130 acres, Kaarimba;
4390/130, Matilda Hart, 70 acres, Yarroweyah.

BENALLA, 30th October, 1917, Land Officer:—

717/29, H. J. Reynolds, 296 acres, Glenrowen;
395/35, Arthur Hill, 637 acres, Taminick;
271/29, Jeremiah Egan, 850 acres, Toombullup
North; 2940/51, Julia Black, 100 acres, Upton-
potpon; 2441/44, Elizabeth Jones, 162 acres,
Whitfield South.

REGULATIONS FOR THE CARE, PROTECTION, AND MANAGEMENT OF THE RESERVE FOR PUBLIC RECREATION IN THE TOWN OF MORNINGTON AND PARISH OF MOOROODUC, THE RESERVE FOR PUBLIC RECREATION IN THE PARISH OF MOOROODUC AND TOWN OF OSBORNE, AND THE PORTIONS OF THE RESERVE FOR PUBLIC PURPOSES IN THE PARISH OF MOOROODUC, TOGETHER KNOWN AS "THE MORNINGTON FORESHORE RESERVES."

WE, John Blacker, George Flood, William George Sanders, Leonard John Flannagan, Frederick Murray Linley, Thomas Male, and John Thomas Edgar, the duly appointed Committee of Management of the Reserve for Public Recreation in the town of Mornington and parish of Moorooduc, the Reserve for Public Recreation in the parish of Moorooduc and town of Osborne, and the portions of the Reserve for Public Purposes in the parish of Moorooduc, together known as "The Mornington Foreshore Reserves" (hereinafter called the Reserves), having framed the following regulations for the care, protection, and management thereof; and for the preservation of good order and decency therein, submit the said regulations to the Board of Land and Works to be made by such Board in pursuance of the powers conferred by section 181 of the *Land Act 1915*:—

REGULATIONS.

1. The Reserves shall be open to the public from sunrise to sunset, free of charge.
2. No person shall enter or leave the Reserves except by means of the ramps or other openings provided, and no person shall climb the cliffs in the Reserves.
3. No person shall enter or remain in the Reserves who may offend against decency as regards dress, language, or conduct.
4. No person shall light fires in the Reserves except in those places provided for the purpose by the Committee of Management.
5. No person shall damage in any way the trees, marram grass, or other vegetation in the Reserves, or remove therefrom any live or dead timber, gravel, stone, shell, sand, loam, or other material.
6. No person shall climb or jump over any of the fences in or around the Reserves, stick bills thereon, or cut names on the fences, trees, seats, or other improvements therein, or otherwise disfigure, injure, destroy, or remove the said fences, trees, seats, or other improvements, or any survey pegs or permanent marks therein.
7. No person shall put in the Reserves any cattle, sheep, or other animals, and no horses or vehicles shall be allowed in the Reserves except on such portions as may be set apart for that purpose by the Committee of Management.
8. No person except workmen employed in the Reserves shall enter any plots therein which may be enclosed for plantations of young trees, shrubs, or marram grass.
9. No person shall deposit waste paper, bottles, or any other litter on any part of the Reserves except in the receptacles provided for that purpose.
10. No person shall camp on any portion of the Reserves between Beleura and Balcomb's Creek.
11. No person shall erect any booth or other structure or offer for sale any article in the Reserves without the permission of the Committee of Management, in writing.
12. No person shall throw or cause to be thrown any stone or other hard substance, nor play cricket or any other game with a hard ball, within the Reserves.
13. No person shall break glass of any kind or allow the pieces to remain in the Reserves, or leave therein on the beach anything which would injure bathers.
14. No person shall discharge any firearms or air-guns in any part of the Reserves extending from Beleura to Mount Martha.
15. No person shall erect any bathing-box or boat-shed in the Reserves without the permission, in writing, of the Committee of Management first obtained, and such permission may be granted subject to such fees, terms, and conditions as may be imposed by the Committee of Management.
16. No person shall bathe from the Reserves unless decently attired from the neck to the knee; and no person shall enter or leave the Reserves in bathing costume only.
17. No person shall use any bathing-box or any boat-house for residential purposes.
18. No person shall lead or drive any horses from the Reserves into Port Phillip Bay except in such place or places as may be set apart for the purpose by the Committee of Management, and then only before 8 a.m. and after 6 p.m.

Every person offending against any of these Regulations shall, in accordance with the provisions of section 181 of the *Land Act 1915*, for each offence be liable to a penalty of not more than Five pounds (£5), and every

person who knowingly and wilfully offends against any such regulations, and who, after he has been warned by any bailiff of Crown lands or by any member of the police force, does not desist from so offending may be forthwith apprehended by such bailiff or member of the police force and taken before some justice, and shall be liable to a penalty of not more than Ten pounds (£10).

Dated at Mornington this fourth day of September, 1917.

FREDERICK LINLEY.
LEONARD J. FLANNAGAN.
J. T. EDGAR.
JOHN BLACKER.
THOMAS MALE.
GEO. FLOOD.
W. G. SANDERS.
T. J. NIHILL, Secretary.

The Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Land Act 1915*, doth hereby make the foregoing regulations in respect of the Reserve for Public Recreation in the town of Mornington and parish of Moorooduc, the Reserve for Public Recreation in the parish of Moorooduc and town of Osborne, and the portions of the Reserve for Public Purposes in the parish of Moorooduc, together known as "The Mornington Foreshore Reserves."

The common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed on the 5th day of October, 1917, in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. HUTCHINSON, President.
J. M. REED, Member.

Corr. 17/C.68905.

REGULATIONS FOR THE CARE, PROTECTION, AND MANAGEMENT OF THE RESERVE FOR PUBLIC RECREATION IN THE TOWNSHIP OF ANGLESEA.

WE, Samuel Robert Joseph Mawson, William Harvey Sichlau, Stanley Traill McMillan, Frank Cyril Roadknight, and Philip Ross Fraser, the duly appointed Committee of Management of the Reserve for Public Recreation in the township of Anglesea having framed the following regulations for the care, protection, and management thereof, and for the preservation of good order and decency therein, and also for the collection and receipt of tolls, entrance fees, or other charges for entering therein or thereupon, submit the said regulations to the Board of Land and Works, to be made by such Board in pursuance of the powers conferred by section 181 of the *Land Act 1915*:—

REGULATIONS.

1. The Reserve shall be open to the public from sunrise to sunset, free of charge, except on such days (not exceeding twelve in any one year) as the Reserve may be set apart for cricket or football matches, fêtes, sports, or holiday amusements: on any of which occasions a sum not exceeding One shilling may be charged and taken for the admission of every adult to the Reserve.
2. No person shall enter or remain in the Reserve who may offend against decency as regards dress, language, or conduct.
3. No person shall damage in any way the trees, shrubs, or flowers in the Reserve; nor shall fires be lighted therein.
4. No person shall climb or jump over the gates or fences in or around the Reserve, stick bills thereon, or cut names on, or in any way damage or injure any of the buildings, gates, fences, seats or trees in the Reserve, nor leave or deposit any glass, paper, or rubbish, nor roll or throw stones or any missiles of any kind therein.
5. No person shall put in the Reserve any cattle, horses, sheep, goats, pigs, or other animals without the permission, in writing, of the Committee of Management first obtained; provided always that the moneys received for agistment shall be expended in the maintenance and improvement of the Reserve; and that all account thereof shall be furnished annually to the Board of Land and Works.
6. No person shall bring into the Reserve any dog, unless led by a chain or cord, without the permission, in writing, of the Committee of Management first obtained.
7. No person shall camp in the Reserve, nor erect therein any dwelling nor any booth or other structure for the purpose of offering for sale any article without the permission, in writing, of the Committee of Management first obtained.
8. No person shall perform in any band of music, or take part in any public entertainment of any sort in the Reserve without the permission, in writing, of the Committee of Management first obtained.
9. No person shall spit or expectorate on the paths or any structure or erection in the Reserve.

10. No person shall bet publicly in any part of the Reserve, and every person infringing this regulation shall be liable to expulsion from the enclosures and Reserve.

11. No person shall play, practice, or engage in any game or sport within the Reserve on Sundays.

12. Persons renting or hiring any stand, building, erection, or enclosure on the occasions of any fêtes, sports or holiday amusements may be required to deposit any sum which the Committee of Management may at any time determine, not exceeding Ten pounds, by way of guarantee that due care shall be taken of such stand, building, erection, or enclosure, and such Committee, in its absolute discretion, may make good any damages or injury sustained by such stand, building, erection, or enclosure, or anything contained therein, during such occupancy or hiring, and deduct the cost of making good such loss or damage from the sum of money deposited by way of guarantee, and all persons so renting or hiring shall abide by these regulations and by any order given by the Committee of Management.

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

Every person offending against these Regulations shall, in accordance with the provisions of section 181 of the *Land Act* 1915, for each offence be liable to a penalty of not more than Five pounds (£5), and every person who knowingly and wilfully offends against any such regulations, and who, after he has been warned by any bailiff of Crown lands or by any member of the police force, does not desist from so offending may be forthwith apprehended by such bailiff or member of the police force and taken before some justice, and shall be liable to a penalty of not more than Ten pounds (£10).

Dated at Geelong this 27th day of August, 1917.

W. HARVEY SICHLAU, Chairman.
FRANK C. ROADKNIGHT.
S. R. J. MAWSON.
PHILIP R. FRASER.
S. T. McMILLAN.

The Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Land Act* 1915, section 181, doth hereby make the foregoing regulations in respect of the Site for Public Recreation in the township of Anglessea.

The common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 5th day of October, 1917, in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. HUTCHINSON, President.
J. M. REED, Member.

Corr. 10/C.07969.—Rs.1527.

RESERVES FOR PUBLIC PARK AND PUBLIC RECREATION IN THE SHIRE OF MORNINGTON.

RESCISSION OF REGULATIONS.

WHEREAS by the 181st section of the *Land Act* 1915 power is given to the Board of Land and Works to make rules and regulations, or to rescind any rules and regulations, for the care, protection, and management of all public parks and reserves not conveyed to and vested in Trustees, and for the preservation of good order and decency therein, and also for the collection and receipt of tolls, entrance fees, or other charges for entering therein or thereupon: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the power conferred as aforesaid, doth hereby rescind the regulations made by the said Board on 10th January, 1907, in respect of the lands specified hereunder:—

1. Twenty-eight acres, more or less, county of Mornington, town of Mornington, and parish of Moorooduc: Commencing at a point on the shore of Port Phillip Bay where the north-east boundary of Schnapper Point Park abuts thereon; bounded thence by the said park bearing south 26 degrees 7 minutes east to the east angle thereof; thence by the Esplanade and the road forming the north-west boundary of allotments 12, 1, and 9, bearing north-east to the west boundary of the Yan-Ti-Cran pre-emptive section; thence by that section and a line bearing north 55 degrees 40 minutes west to the shore of Port Phillip Bay aforesaid; and thence by that shore to the point of commencement.
2. Seventeen acres, more or less, parish of Moorooduc, county of Mornington: Commencing at the angle on the west side of the Esplanade opposite to the north-west angle of allotment 34 on the Esplanade; thence north-easterly by the west side of the Esplanade to the south boundary of Schnapper Point Park; thence westerly along the south boundary of the said

park to Port Phillip Bay; thence south-westerly by the shore of that bay to a point on the shore fixed by prolonging the north-east boundary of allotment 34; and thence from that point to the commencing point at the aforesaid angle in the Esplanade, excepting out of such last-mentioned land the part and portion thereof known as Royal Park.

The common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 5th day of October, 1917, in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. HUTCHINSON, President.
J. M. REED, Member.

EDINBURGH GARDENS, FITZROY.

REVOCATION OF APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 2nd day of October, 1917, revoked the appointment of—

ALEXANDER BRUCE LANG,
JOHN CRONIN,
ALEXANDER RENFREW,
WILLIAM BARR,
ROBERT BARR,
THOMAS WALTER DELVES, and
SAMUEL FREDERICK GALAGHER

as a Committee of Management of the Edinburgh Gardens, in the city of Fitzroy.

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 2nd October, 1917.

DARLING GARDENS, COLLINGWOOD.

REVOCATION OF APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made the 2nd day of October, 1917, revoked the appointment of

ELGAR JAMES NEVELL,
DAVID MARTIN,
PETER CAMPBELL,
EDWARD JOHN COULSON,
BENJAMIN WILLIAM TAPNER, and
WILLIAM HENRY HALL

as a Committee of Management of the Darling Gardens, in the city of Collingwood.

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,
Melbourne, the 2nd October, 1917.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE FOR PUBLIC RECREATION AND SHOW GROUNDS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF SEYMOUR.

WHEREAS by section 184 of the *Land Act* 1915 it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council of the Board of Land and Works to appoint and remove any number of persons, not less than three, of any municipal council, or the governing body of any corporation, to be a Committee of Management of any specified Crown land reserved, either temporarily or permanently, for any of the purposes set out in section 10 of the *Land Act* 1915, and not conveyed to or vested in trustees: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works doth hereby appoint Thomas Tehan to be a Member of the Committee of Management, for a term of three (3) years, of the reserve for Public Recreation and Show Ground in the township of Seymour, known as "The King's Park," in the form of William Guild, deceased.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 5th day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. HUTCHINSON, President.
(Corr. Rs.640.) J. M. REED, Member.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE
FOR PUBLIC RECREATION IN THE PARISH OF
BUNGAREE.

WHEREAS by section 184 of the *Land Act 1915* it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council or the Board of Land and Works to appoint and remove any number of persons, not less than three, or any municipal council, or the governing body of any corporation, to be a Committee of Management of any specified Crown land reserved, either temporarily or permanently, for any of the purposes set out in section 10 of the *Land Act 1915*, and not conveyed to or vested in trustees: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works doth hereby appoint Thomas Prendergast to be a Member of the Committee of Management, for a term of three (3) years, of the land temporarily reserved by Order in Council of 22nd June, 1885, as a site for Public Recreation in the parish of Bungaree, in the room of David Burke, deceased.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 5th day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. HUTCHINSON, President.
(Corr. C.69085.) J. M. REED, Member.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE
FOR PUBLIC RECREATION AND SHOW
GROUNDS IN THE PARISH OF BRIGHT.

WHEREAS by section 184 of the *Land Act 1915* it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council or the Board of Land and Works to appoint and remove any number of persons, not less than three, or any municipal council, or the governing body of any corporation, to be a Committee of Management of any specified Crown land reserved, either temporarily or permanently, for any of the purposes set out in section 10 of the *Land Act 1915*, and not conveyed to or vested in trustees: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works doth hereby appoint Edwin John Delany and William Dunlop Walker to be Members of the Committee of Management, for a term of three (3) years, of the reserve for Public Recreation and Show Grounds in the parish of Bright, in the room of Patrick James Breen and Henry Horsman Manning, both deceased.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 5th day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. HUTCHINSON, President.
(Corres. Rs.790.) J. M. REED, Member.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT OF A RESERVE
FOR A PUBLIC WAY IN THE PARISHES OF
PRAHRAN AND MOORABBIN, AT BRIGHTON.

WHEREAS by section 184 of the *Land Act 1915* it is provided that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council or the Board of Land and Works to appoint and remove any number of persons, not less than three, or any municipal council, or the governing body of any corporation, to be a Committee of Management of any specified Crown land reserved, either temporarily or permanently, for any of the purposes set out in section 10 of the *Land Act 1915*, and not conveyed to or vested in trustees: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works doth hereby appoint the Council of the Town of Brighton to be a Committee of Management of the land permanently reserved by Order in Council of 9th May, 1916, as a site for a Public Way in the parishes of Prahran and Moorabbin, town of Brighton.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 5th day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. HUTCHINSON, President.
(Corr. Rs.1005.) J. M. REED, Member.

PORTION OF THE RESERVE FOR PUBLIC PURPOSES IN THE PARISH OF MOOROODUC
KNOWN AS THE "ROYAL PARK."

RESCISSION OF REGULATIONS.

WHEREAS by section 181 of the *Land Act 1915*, power is given to the Board of Land and Works to make rules and regulations, or to rescind any rules and regulations for the care, protection, and management of all Public Parks and Reserves not conveyed to and vested in Trustees, and for the preservation of good order and decency therein, and also for the collection and receipt of tolls, entrance fees, or other charges for entering in or upon such Public Parks or Reserves: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the power conferred as aforesaid, doth hereby rescind the regulations made by the said Board on the 12th April, 1900, in respect of certain Reserves in the township of Mornington and parish of Moorooduc, so far as they relate to the portion of the Reserve for Public purposes in the parish of Moorooduc known as the "Royal Park."

The common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 5th day of October, 1917, in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. HUTCHINSON, President.
(Corr. 06/C.34342.) J. M. REED, Member.

RESERVES FOR PUBLIC RECREATION IN THE
PARISH OF MOOROODUC AND TOWNS OF
OSBORNE AND MORNINGTON.

RESCISSION OF REGULATIONS.

WHEREAS by section 181 of the *Land Act 1915*, power is given to the Board of Land and Works to make rules and regulations, or to rescind any rules and regulations for the care, protection, and management of all Public Parks and Reserves not conveyed to and vested in Trustees, and for the preservation of good order and decency therein, and also for the collection and receipt of tolls, entrance fees, or other charges for entering in or upon Public Parks and Reserves: Now therefore the Board of Land and Works, in pursuance of the power conferred as aforesaid, doth hereby rescind the regulations made by the said Board on 14th October, 1915, in respect of the Reserves for Public Recreation in the parish of Moorooduc and towns of Osborne and Mornington.

The common seal of the Board of Land and Works was hereunto affixed this 5th day of October, 1917, in the presence of—

(SEAL) W. HUTCHINSON, President.
(Corr. 15/C.66364.) J. M. REED, Member.

Land Act 1915.

ALLOTMENTS AVAILABLE FOR RETURNED
SOLDIERS.

THE Allotments mentioned in the Schedule hereunder are hereby proclaimed available for Returned Soldiers approved by the Qualification Committee.

COUNTY OF GRANT, PARISH OF BELLARINE, GEELONG
DISTRICT.

Schedule of Allotments.

Allotment.	Section.	Class.	Area.	Half-yearly Payments.
			A. R. P.	£ s. d.
9	1	2nd	27 0 15	0 10 6
10	1	2nd	27 0 2	0 10 6
11	1	2nd	27 2 4	0 10 6
12	1	2nd	28 1 5	0 10 11
13, 13A	1	1st	20 0 20	0 10 6
14	1	1st	20 1 3	0 10 6
15	1	1st	20 1 3	0 10 6
16	1	1st	20 1 10	0 10 6

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 8th October, 1917.

Land Act 1915, Section 2 and 129.

LICENCES AND LEASE UNDER THE LAND ACTS 1890, 1901, AND 1915, EXPIRED OR BECOME NULL AND VOID.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Licences and Leases mentioned in the Schedule hereunder have expired or become null and for the reason specified in each case.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 4th October, 1917.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

District	Corr. No.	Name of Licensee or Lessee.	Section of Land Act under which Licensed or Leased.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Class	Reasons for Forfeiture, &c.	Pay Office.
						A. R. P.			
Licences under Land Acts 1901 and 1915.									
Seymour	061	Charles Underwood	103	Ghin Ghin	7, sec. 2	20 0 0	...	Expired	Seymour
Bendigo	081	Herbert Brown-ing	103	Sandhurst	89B, sec. 18	19 0 0	...	Expired	Bendigo
Ballarat	1960	Elizabeth Wade	103	Dean	...	20 0 0	...	Expired	Creswick
Ararat	07	George H. Webster	129	Glenpatrick	...	1 3 9	...	Expired	Avoca
Ballarat	2749	Herbert Nankervis	103	Yarrowee	A57	20 0 0	...	Expired	Ballarat
"	2730	Arthur F. Nankervis	103	"	A58	20 0 0	...	Expired	"
"	2748	Walter Nankervis	103	"	A59	20 0 0	...	Expired	"
Benalla	2296	Annie L. Esher	129	Barwo	1, 2, 3, sec. 21	1 3 15	...	Non-compliance with conditions	Nathalia
Lease under Land Act 1890.									
Melbourne	317	Elizabeth A. Clugston	44	Gruyere	127B	21 0 4	...	Expired	Melbourne

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, 59-61, 47-49, 50-51, 54-56, and 29 of the Land Acts 1890, 1898, and 1901; and sections 49 and 50 of the Closer Settlement Acts, for the following period:—

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 14th day of September, 1917.							
4568/42-44	O. Elphick	Herbert Elphick, Foster	Woorarra	1	A	151 0 0	Yarram
2155/42-44	T. Constable	Charles Constable, St. Arnaud	Berrimal	63	A	42 2 31	St. Arnaud
4853/47-49	J. H. Simpson	North (as administrator)	Eldorado	13	M	50 1 25	Chiltern
0228/47-49	J. G. Pitcher and W. J. Raymond	Emily Elizabeth Reese, Chiltern	Gowar	49	B	19 3 36	St. Arnaud
4191/47-49	J. Conlon	Angus Roderick Robinson, Slaty Creek	Aire	21c & 21d	...	156 2 16	Colac
3329/47-49	S. Jasper and Samuel Jasper	John Calder, Apollo Bay	Chiltern West	9	A	21 3 2	Rutherglen
3078/47-49	J. Baker	Agnes Cregan, Christmastown	Wiridjil	64 & 65A	...	109 3 16	Camperdown
3053/50-51	J. P. Wilson (as administrator of R. M. Wynne)	David Nevin Alexander Baker, Larpent (as executor)	Moomowroong	17 & 18	...	109 1 8	Colac
2997/50-51	J. P. Wilson (as administrator of R. M. Wynne)	Samuel Lawrence Redfern, Buninyong	Buninyong	21	29	20 0 0	Ballarat
2997/50-51	R. M. Wynne	John Peter Wilson, Ballarat (as administrator)	"	91	29	20 0 0	"
2554/59-61	A. E. Muller	Alfred George Hanel, Wodonga	Wodonga	7 & 7A	27	323 3 28	Wodonga
2318/59-61	W. H. Rankin	The Curator of Estates of Deceased Persons, Melbourne (as administrator)	Mallacoota	19	...	104 0 0	Bairnsdale
086/54-56	W. Pergandi	Albert Stephen Webb, Drik Drik	Drumborg	6A	...	49 3 39	Hamilton
0228/54-56	M. Fox	Edwin Ray, Tarraville	Tara Tara	7	...	290 0 0	Yarram
853/29	J. Sier	Gerald Patrick Newman, Melbourne	Murrindindi	40A	A	187 0 0	Alexandra
545/29	H. Miller	William Thomas Smith, Brim-paen	Monomak	4	...	278 0 0	Sale
583/29	H. E. Morris	Gladys Napier Finnigan, Eden-hope	Knaawing	46	...	585 0 0	Horsham
1488/29	T. Keeping (1)		Boorooki	90 & 90A	...	886 0 0	"
LEASES UNDER THE CLOSER SETTLEMENT ACTS.							
1260/49	J. Dewar	Cornelius O'Brien, Wyuna	Taripita	23	B	95 3 2	Echuca
1230/49	E. S. Dewar	Cornelius O'Brien, Wyuna	"	24	B	115 3 0	"
2362/50	G. V. Olson	Sarah Jenner Olson, West Brunswick (as executrix)	Jika Jika	11	A	1 0 0	The Secretary, L. P. and M. Board, Melbourne

(1) Date of transfer, 25th September, 1914.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 3rd October, 1917.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1915, Section 2.

APPLICATIONS FOR LEASES APPROVED

THE following Applications for Leases having been approved, it is hereby notified that the Rents and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Revenue Officers. When Lease is ready for execution Lessee will be duly advised.

Date of Lease.	Name of Lessee.	Parish.	Class.	Extent.	Amount to be Collected.				Payable to the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—
					Rent payable Half-yearly.	Rent due to date.	Lease Fee.	Total to pay.	
				A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	
Under Section 49 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Acts 1904-9.									
2.7.17	Charles N. Stapleton	Nangana	2nd	65 2 0	1 4 9	1 4 9	1	2 4 9	Melbourne 0456
1.9.17	A. W. Payne	Bungal	2nd	115 1 7	2 3 6	2 3 6	1	3 3 6	Ballarat 0245
Under Section 51 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Acts 1904-9.									
2.7.17	Alfred J. Ewart	Tarrawarra North	2nd	174 0 38	3 5 8	3 5 8	1	4 5 8	Melbourne 0500
Under Section 56 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Acts 1904-9.									
2.7.17	John McPherson	Yarek	3rd V.C.	605 2 33	3 15 9	3 15 9	1	4 15 9	Alexandra 048
"	Wm. A. W.	Wamba	3rd N.R.	631 2 31	7 18 9	7 18 9	1	8 18 9	Bairnsdale 0183
1.9.17	Peter Owen	Bulgana	3rd	238 1 7	2 19 9	2 19 9	1	3 19 9	Stawell 060
Under Section 56 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Acts 1904-9-11.									
1.9.17	Robert Millar (1)	Barrakee	3rd	234 0 10	2 18 9		1	1 0 0	Wedderburn 0237
Under Section 222 of the Land Act 1901.									
1.7.17	Thomas Dowsley (2)	Boulka	2nd	659 2 5	7 0 0	35 0 0	1	36 0 0	Birchip
1.2.17	Ethelda Jessie Hill (3)	Dering	3rd	522 0 34	4 1 9	8 3 6	1	9 3 6	"
1.1.16	Francis Peter Allen (4)	Mulera	2nd	656 2 37	7 3 9	28 15 0	1	29 15 0	Horsham
1.4.16	James Crane (5)	Ngallo	2nd	639 2 6	7 0 0	28 0 0	1	29 0 0	"
1.1.16	Herbert Hollie Knights (6)	Duddo	2nd	679 3 4	7 8 9	29 15 0	1	30 15 0	"
1.3.17	Dougald McDonald (7)	Underbool	1st	686 3 12	8 10 2	17 18 4	1	18 18 4	"
1.12.16	Hugh Cameron (8)	Wewin	3rd	639 1 38	4 0 0	8 0 0	1	9 0 0	Swan Hill
1.9.16	Henry Proctor (9)	Manangatang	2nd	723 1 17	7 4 10	21 14 6	1	22 14 0	"
1.7.15	Arthur Penny (10)	Tiega	2nd	640 2 26	7 0 3	35 1 3	1	36 1 3	Warracknabeal
1.7.17	Ingram, Herbert Harold (11)	Bimbourie	3rd	486 3 22	3 0 11	3 0 11	1	4 0 11	Wycheppool

(1) £2 18s. 9d. rent overpaid under licence credited.

(2) Allotment 29.

(3) Allotments 32 and 32A.

(4) Allotment 11.

(5) Allotment 14.

(6) Allotment 3.

(7) Allotment 26.

(8) Allotment 14.

(9) Allotment 43.

(10) Allotments 4 and 4A.

(11) Allotment 12.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 4th October, 1917.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey

Land Act 1915, Sections 2 and 50.

LEASES SURRENDERED.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Governor in Council has accepted the surrender of the Leases mentioned in the Schedule hereunder for the reason specified in each case.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 25th September, 1917.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey

District.	Cort No.	Name.	Section of Land Act under which Leased.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Class.	Reason.	Pay Office.
						A. R. P.			
Echuca	92	John A. Hill	8	Barmah	26, sec. A	6 0 0	1st	Lease under section 50, Land Act 1915, to issue	Nathalia
Sale	1403	James Galbally	35	Wulla Wullock	25A, sec. C	441 0 0	3rd	370 acres selected under section 54, Land Act 1901, balance surrendered to wife	Sale
Melbourne	510	Elsie Nicol	50	Meeniyan	37, 37A, 37B	639 1 27	3rd	New lease to issue, dated 1st June, 1915	Warragul
Horsham	543	Louisa Maybery	29	Nurcoung	58	440 0 0	3rd	320 acres selected under section 54, Land Act 1901, balance surrendered to husband	Horsham

SCHEDULE OF APPLICATIONS FOR THE ISSUE OF CROWN GRANTS.

Corr. No.	Name.	Area.	Parish.	Date of Payment.	Amount Collected.				Paid to Receiver of Revenue at—
					Balance.	Grant Fee.	Assurance Fee.	Total Amount.	
		A. R. P.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under Section 44 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1890.									
4489	Francis Dickens ...	91 1 36	Mardan ...	24.9.17	9 4 0	1 6 0	0 3 10	11 16 10	Melbourne 1.1.04
Under Section 44 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1890 as amended by the <i>Land Act</i> 1898.									
11228	Thos. Dougall the younger (1, 2)	99 2 4	Wallan Wallan ...	18.8.17	1 17 6	...	...	1 17 6	Kilmora 1.9.03
10876	John Sheffield (1)	158 1 1	Yarragon ...	25.9.17	18 6 4	1 6 0	0 5 0	19 17 4	Melbourne 2.7.06
13885	John Sheffield (3)	320 0 0	" ...	"	88 0 0	1 11 6	0 10 0	90 1 6	Melbourne 1.7.98
Under Section 61 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1898.									
2500	Arthur Dumont (4)	60 3 3	Wy Yung ...	17.9.17	13 0 8	1 6 0	0 1 4	14 8 0	Bairnsdale 2.7.00
Under Section 49 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901 as amended by the <i>Land Act</i> 1904.									
3504	The Curator of Estates of Deceased Persons, as executor of Robert Lusk, deceased (5, 6)	35 2 39	Lallat ...	19.9.17	67 9 8	1 1 0	0 4 6	71 12 2	Melbourne 1.3.12
3503	The Curator of Estates of Deceased Persons, as executor of Robert Lusk, deceased (6, 7)	35 1 11	" ...	"	49 0 9	1 1 0	0 3 0	53 9 9	Melbourne 1.3.12
0749	Ellen Byron (8) ...	19 3 38	Chiltern ...	20.9.17	27 9 4	1 1 0	0 2 4	28 12 8	Chiltern 1.1.04
Under Section 49 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901 as amended by the <i>Land Acts</i> 1904-9.									
0432	William B. Hirt (9)	36 3 21	Warburton ...	24.9.17	19 8 10	1 1 0	0 1 2	20 11 6	Melbourne
Under Section 49 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901 as amended by the <i>Land Acts</i> 1904-9-11.									
0848	Joseph Ayton (9)	13 2 20	Nilumbik ...	24.9.17	...	1 1 0	0 0 6	1 1 6	Melbourne
0577	J. E. Nunn (10) ...	20 0 0	Carngham ...	26.9.17	...	1 1 0	0 0 10	1 1 10	Ballaarat
0783	Jas. Stringer (9) ...	19 3 31	St. Arnaud ...	18.9.17	...	1 1 0	0 0 8	1 1 8	St. Arnaud
0782	S. J. Stringer (9)	19 3 19	" ...	27.9.17	...	1 1 0	0 0 8	1 1 8	"
0275	F. Raven (9) ...	19 3 34	Waanynarra ...	25.9.17	10 10 0	1 1 0	0 0 8	11 11 8	Dunolly
Under Section 51 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901.									
2477	D. Kerr (1) ...	39 3 28	Toombullup ...	27.9.17	4 15 0	1 1 0	0 1 3	7 17 3	Wangaratta 1.1.06
Under Section 51 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1901 as amended by the <i>Land Acts</i> 1904-9-11.									
046	Charles King (10)	19 3 17	Merton ...	20.9.17	13 10 0	1 1 0	0 0 10	14 11 10	Melbourne
Under Section 131 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1915.									
05	R. Manton (11) ...	1 0 4	Stanley ...	24.9.17	2 16 3	1 1 0	0 0 5	3 17 8	Beechworth
Under Section 7 of the <i>Wonthaggi Land Act</i> 1912.									
0199	John Walker (12)	0 1 0	Wonthaggi ...	7.8.17	2 0 7	1 1 0	0 0 6	3 2 1	Wonthaggi
0725	Alfred Harrison (12, 13)	0 1 0	" ...	30.7.17	1 11 1	1 1 0	0 0 6	2 12 7	"
Under Sections 325 of the <i>Land Act</i> 1915.									
0402	Robert Albert Ashe (14, 15, 16)	0 1 0	Wonthaggi ...	28.8.17	23 13 9	1 1 0	0 1 1	25 3 11	Melbourne
Under Sections 5-10 of the <i>Settlement on Lands Act</i> 1893.									
2259	Richard Drummond	19 3 35	Coleraine ...	20.7.17 17.9.17	1 6 4	1 1 0	0 2 3	2 9 7	Hamilton
Under Sections 20-24 of the <i>Settlement on Lands Act</i> 1893.									
393	James Findlay (17)	26 3 15	Bairnsdale ...	16.3.17	0 13 6	1 1 0	0 1 2	2 3 6	Bairnsdale
928	Robert Taylor (18)	12 1 19	Moe ...	15.9.17	...	1 1 0	0 0 7	1 1 7	Warragul
1057	Chas. Booth (19) ...	28 0 0	Neerim ...	"	...	1 1 0	0 1 2	1 2 2	"

- (1) Second class.
 (2) Grant fee, £1 6s., and assurance, 3s. 2d., paid at Melbourne on 24th September, 1917.
 (3) Second class V.C.
 (4) Third class.
 (5) First class.
 (6) Includes £2 17s. interest.
 (7) Includes £3 5s. interest.
 (8) First class. £2 15s. per acre.
 (9) Second class. From licence.
 (10) First class. From licence.

- (11) Purchase money, £6 3s. 9d., paid as rent credited.
 (12) Purchase money, £12.
 (13) £1 additional purchase money paid at Wonthaggi on 12th September, 1917.
 (14) Purchase money, £25.
 (15) Includes 8s. 1d. interest.
 (16) £4 17s. 6d. interest paid on 24th September, 1917, at Melbourne.
 (17) Includes 7s. 10d. overpaid as monetary aid.
 (18) Purchase money, £13.
 (19) Purchase money, £28.

Land Act 1915 (No. 2), Section 8.

PROVISION FOR WAR SERVICE.

THE undermentioned lessees and licensees being engaged on War Service, and, in consequence of so doing, being unable to comply with the conditions of the Leases or Licences, as indicated herein, the provisions set forth hereunder shall apply in each particular case.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 25th September, 1917.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

No	Name.	Parish.	Allotment.	Section.	Provisions which apply.
14065/49	John Feehan and Thomas Feehan	Neerim	380	...	(b), (d)
19799/50	John S. Rees	Eumina	12	...	(b), (c), (d)
9837/47	Percy H. Rendall	Devon	720	...	(a), (b), (c), (d)
50/8	Lionel E. Kitchen	Woori-Yallock	62c, 62f	...	(a), (b), (c), (d)
112/8	Joseph G. Outhwaite	Meenyan	48	...	(b), (d)

(a) The period of War Service shall be taken as a period of residence on the land.

(b) The payment of rent or fee shall be suspended during the continuance of the war.

(c) The time during which the necessary improvements may be effected shall be extended as the Minister may direct in each particular case.

(d) No interest in respect of the amount of any rent or fee, the payment whereof is suspended, shall accrue.

Land Act 1915.

RENEWAL OF A LICENCE APPROVED.

THE renewal of a Licence to the undermentioned person having been approved, the fee specified may be received by the Officer authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue.

Number of Licence.	Name of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish.	Date of Licence.	Amount to be Collected.		Payable to Receiver and Land Officer at—
					Yearly Payment.	Fee for Licence.	
		A. R. P.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under Section 86 of the <i>Land Act 1915</i> .							
693	Emma Palmer (1)	20' 0 0	Dereel	1.9.94	0 2 6	...	Ballarat

(1) Reduced to nominal rental.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 4th October, 1917.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1915.

TRANSFER APPROVED.

THE following Application for Transfer of a Licence under the 86th 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—
			A. R. P.				£ s. d.		
1403	S. F. Hunter (administrator of Anna M. Hunter)	Jane M. Burgis ...	19 0 0	Stanley ...	86	1.2.08	0 19 0	10s, Beechworth, 21.7.17	Beechworth

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 4th October, 1917.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1915, Sections 2, 121, and 129.

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.

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Melbourne, 4th October, 1917.

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Number of Licence.	Name and Address of Licensee.	Area subject to limitation of houses and area.	Parish or Situation.	Allotment.	Section.	Class.	Date of 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.	
		A. R. P.						£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
074	Robert Leckie, Blackburn (1, 2)	310 0 0	Kerrio	118	...	2nd	1.4.15	5 10 0	6 5 5	1 0 0	11 3 4	Melbourne
Under Section 47 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Acts 1904-9-11.—Payment to be made half-yearly.												
Under Section 54 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Acts 1904-9-11.—Payment to be made half-yearly.												
0958	Hebe A. Boyd, Stockdale (6)	185 0 0	Narrang	22	A	3rd V.C.	1.7.15	...	1 3 2	1 0 0	4 9 6	Sale
0959	Stephen Holland, Holland's Landing (3)	33 0 0	Bongwarden South	5	14	3rd	2.7.17	...	0 8 3	1 0 0	1 8 3	"
0960	Eveline Wilson, Sale (4, 5)	140 0 0	Dulungalong	1A, 1B	...	3rd N.R.	1.7.14	...	1 0 0	1 0 0	2 0 0	"
0961	Peter Smyth, Valencia Creek (6)	447 0 0	Woolenook	4, 4A, 4B	C	3rd V.C.	2.7.17	...	2 15 11	1 0 0	3 15 11	"
0962	Patrick Beagood, Rosedale (6, 7)	243 0 0	Brigolook	131B	...	3rd N.R.	1.1.17	...	2 15 11	1 0 0	3 15 11	"
0963	Patrick O'Grady, Glenrowan (6, 9)	474 0 0	Tildesley West...	41C, 41D, 41E	1	3rd N.R.	1.1.17	...	2 15 11	1 0 0	3 15 11	"
0964	Mary Hutchinson, Walwa (6, 7)	634 0 0	Jingellic	20, 20A, 20B, 20C	...	3rd	2.7.17	...	2 15 11	1 0 0	3 15 11	Bairnsdale
0965	Donald McQueen, Ballarat (10)	150 0 0	Jilpanger	7A, 7B	...	3rd	1.7.15	...	2 15 11	1 0 0	3 15 11	Tallongatta
0966	Samuel McCann, Hawthorn (11, 12)	587 0 0	Goroque	102A, 103	...	3rd	1.7.15	...	2 15 11	1 0 0	3 15 11	Horsham
0967	William H. Tonkin, Wedderburne Junction (13, 14)	175 0 0	Koroque	26B	B	3rd	1.3.12	...	2 4 0	1 0 0	3 4 0	Wedderburne
0968	Ernest Matthews, Crowlands (7, 10)	497 0 0	Glenidhu	25, 27, 27A, 27B	R	3rd	1.1.17	...	6 4 3	1 0 0	7 4 3	Ararat
0969	William French, Landsborough (7, 6)	177 0 0	"	46	S	3rd	2.7.17	...	2 4 3	1 0 0	3 4 3	"
0970	Norman Campbell, Halloran Hill, South Australia (7, 16, 17, 18)	22 0 0	Kerrisdale	1A	D	3rd	1.7.11	...	0 5 6	1 0 0	1 5 6	Seymour
0950	Richard Duke, Bruthen (19, 20)	30 0 0	Gelanitip East...	...	...	...	1.9.17	...	3 15 0	0 5 0	4 12 6	Bairnsdale
Under Section 121 of the Land Act 1915.—Payment to be made yearly.												
01357	James Cooney, Wonthaggi	2 3 0	Wonthaggi	5	58	...	1.10.17	...	0 15 0	...	0 15 0	Wonthaggi
Under Section 129 of the Land Act 1915.—Payment to be made quarterly.												
Under Section 129 of the Land Act 1915.—Payment to be made yearly.												
01395	John Mills, Sorrento (19)	Boat-ship	Nopean	...	...	...	2.7.17	...	1 0 0	...	0 10 0	Melbourne
0225	Charles A. Redenbach, Raynesville (19)	Jetty and net-rack	Bairnsdale (Raymond Island)	...	...	...	1.6.17	...	0 10 0	...	0 10 0	Bairnsdale

(1) In lieu of notice gazetted 14th January, 1914, page 121.—(2) £25 8s. 2d. of licence-fee paid credited. £: fee for new licence paid.—(3) In lieu of lease dated 2nd July, 1900, under section 29, Land Act 1898. special mining condition, section 98, Land Act 1901.—(4) In lieu of lease dated 1st January, 1900, under section 29, Land Act 1898.—(5) £10 0s. 3d. of rent paid under section 29, and £34 6s. 3d. licence-fee paid credited. £1 fee for licence paid.—(6) In lieu of certificate of title, vol. 981, fol. 192123.—(7) £10 0s. 3d. of rent paid under section 35, Land Act 1901.—(8) Portion of 28th section leasehold.—(9) £10 0s. 3d. of rent paid under section 35, Land Act 1901.—(10) In lieu of certificate of title, vol. 981, fol. 192123.—(11) Portion of a 35th section leasehold.—(12) £2 8s. 0d. of rent paid under section 35, Land Act 1901.—(13) In lieu of notice gazetted 8th May, 1912, page 1892.—(14) Licence-fee paid credited.—(15) In lieu of lease dated 1st July, 1906, under section 35, Land Act 1901.—(16) In lieu of lease dated 2nd July, 1906, under section 35, Land Act 1901.—(17) This is an auto-dated licence.—(18) 11s. of rent paid under section 35, and £2 15s. licence-fee paid credited. £1 fee for licence paid.—(19) Amount paid.—(20) Licence expires on 31st October, 1918.

Land Act 1915, Sections 2, 46, and 50.

APPLICATIONS FOR LEASES APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Leases under Section 8 of the Land Act 1911 and Sections 46 and 50 of the Land Act 1915 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. Payments to be made half-yearly.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 4th October, 1917.

Number of Lease.	Name and Address of Lessee.	Area.	Parish.	Allotment.	Section.	Class.	Date of Lease.	Term.	Survey Charge payable in 12 half-yearly instalments.	Amount to be Collected.			Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
										Half-yearly Rent and Fee for Survey Charge (if any).	Fee for Lease.	Total Amount of First Payment.	
35/8	Ellen T. Halligan, Dry Creek (1)	300 0 4	Borodomanin	28	B	3rd	1.7.16	20 years	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	Mansfield
133/46	Percy E. Whalbone, Marong (2)	146 0' 24	Nerring	136	4A	3rd	1.8.17	"	"	3 15 3	1	12 5 9	Bendigo
133/46	James Grafton, Myer's Flat (2)	58 0 5	"	958	13	3rd	2.7.17	"	"	1 16 9	1	2 16 9	"
149/50	Elizabeth M. Chadkley, Bendigo (2, 3)	304 1 27	Egerton	27	C	3rd	"	"	"	0 14 9	1	1 14 9	"
549/46	James C. Foley, Black Rock (2, 4, 5)	145 3 25	Whittrakee	18	D	2nd	"	"	"	3 16 3	1	4 16 3	Melbourne
239/46	Vittorio V. Rinaldi, Kooreh South (2, 6, 7, 8)	28 2 32	Tonimbuk East	5	O	2nd	"	"	"	2 14 9	1	0 6 9	St. Arnaud
346/46	Ruby McKenzie, Upper Thowgla (2)	79 1 17	Kooreh	65p	4	2nd	1.1.11	"	"	0 10 11	1	...	Tallaugatta
36/8	James Young, Dry Creek (1, 4, 5, 9)	329 1 23	Thowgla	31, 32, 33, 34	B	3rd	2.7.17	"	"	1 10 0	1	2 10 0	Mansfield
182/8	William F. Poynton, Illabrook (1, 6, 10, 11, 12)	299 2 22	Borodomanin	29	A	2nd	2.4.17	"	"	4 2 6	1	...	Ballarat
194/46	Henry W. Macleay, Murrumbidgee (2, 4, 5, 6, 13)	191 1 0	Dereel	1A, 10, 1K	...	3rd	1.1.14	40 years	"	7 10 0	1	7 10 0	Bairnsdale
222/46	Gowar (2, 4, 5, 6, 13), Alexander N. Leslie, Cam River (14)	338 2 24	Murrungowar	60, 60A, 60B	...	3rd	1.4.16	"	"	1 17 6	1	3 15 8	"
92/50	John A. Hill, Barnah (15)	6 0 0	Combienbar	6, 6A, 6B	B	3rd	1.6.17	"	"	9 0 0	1	3 17 5	Nathalia
			Barnah	26	A	1st	2.8.15	20 years	"	0 3 0	1	0 3 0	

(1) Subject to special mining condition, section 98, Land Act 1901.—(2) Subject to special mining condition, section 81, Land Act 1915.—(3) Subject to special lease reservation condition.—(4) Permit previously issued.—(5) Rent and fee paid on permit credited.—(6) This is an ante-dated lease.—(7) In lieu of lease dated 1st January, 1903, under section 29, Land Act 1898.—(8) £1 9s. of rent paid under section 29, and £52s. rent paid under section 46, credited. £1 fee for new lease paid.—(9) £1 14s. 7d. of rent paid under section 35, and £42 15s. 6d. rent paid under section 8, credited. £1 fee for lease paid.—(10) Portion of 35th section leasehold.—(11) £9 14s. 7d. of rent paid under section 35, and £42 15s. 6d. rent paid under section 8, credited. £1 fee for lease paid.—(12) Special valuation, £1 per acre.—(13) Subject to special railway condition.—(14) Subject to special railway tree-felling condition.—(15) 12s. rent paid on lease under section 8 credited. £1 fee for new lease paid.

Land Act 1915, Section 2.

ACCEPTANCE OF SURRENDER OF LICENCES UNDER SECTION 103 OF THE LAND ACT 1901 AND ISSUE OF NEW LICENCES UNDER DIVISION III, PART I, OF THE LAND ACT 1901 AS AMENDED BY THE LAND ACTS 1909-11 IN LIEU THEREOF (VIDE SECTION 7, LAND ACT 1904).

THE surrender of the Licences issued to the persons named in the Schedule hereunder having been accepted, it is hereby notified that the issue of new Licences under Division III, Part I, of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Acts 1909-11 has been approved. All rents paid on the surrendered Licences to be credited in each case.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 4th October, 1917.

Schedule referred to.

Number of new Licence.	Name and Address of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries.	Parish or Situation.	Allotment.	Section.	Class.	Date of Licence.	Term.	Amount to be Collected.				Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—	Number of old Licence.
									Half-yearly Payment.	Amount of Rent paid to be credited.	Fee for new Licence.	Total Amount of Payment.		
038854 077847	William H. Billman, Mandurang (1, 2) Henry Conn, St. Arnaud (1, 2) ...	A. B. P. 10 0 0 20 0 0 ...	Mandurang St. Arnaud ...	3a 82	H D	3rd 2nd	1.7.13 1.7.12	...	£ s. d. 0 2 6 0 7 6	£ s. d. 2 10 0 15 0 0	£ s. d. 1 0 0 1 0 0	£ s. d. ...	Bendigo St. Arnaud ...	061/103 2183/103

(1) Subject to special mining condition, section 98, Land Act 1901.
(2) £1 fee for licence paid.

Land Act 1915.

ACCEPTANCE OF SURRENDER OF A LICENCE UNDER SECTION 103 OF THE LAND ACT 1901 AND ISSUE OF A LEASE UNDER DIVISION 4, PART I, OF THE LAND ACT 1915 IN LIEU THEREOF (VIDE SECTION 87, LAND ACT 1915).

THE surrender of the Licence issued to the person named in the Schedule hereunder having been accepted, it is hereby notified that the issue of a Lease under Division 4, Part I, of the Land Act 1915 has been approved. All rents paid on the surrendered Licence to be credited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 4th October, 1917.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Schedule referred to.

Number of Lease.	Name and Address of Lessee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries.	Parish or Situation.	Allotment.	Section.	Class.	Date of Lease.	Term.	Amount to be Collected.				Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—	Number of old Licence.
									Half-yearly Payment.	Amount of Rent paid to be credited.	Fee for Lease.	Total amount of First Payment.		
308/46.	Francis A. Murrane, Redbank (1, 2) ...	A. B. P. 19 3 30	Redbank ...	7J	G	2nd	1.7.11	20 years	£ s. d. 0 7 6	£ s. d. 7 0 0	£ s. d. 1 0 0	£ s. d. ...	Avoca ...	061/103

(1) Subject to special mining condition, section 81, Land Act 1901.
(2) £1 fee for lease 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 7th November, 1917, 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 unenclosed (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, 10th October, 1917.

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.		Survey Fee.	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.							
AGRICULTURAL AND GRAZING LANDS.														
Benalla	Delatite	Lima	20A	B	616 0 0	3rd	Selection Purchase Allotments—Division 4, Part I, <i>Land Act 1915</i> .			In north of parish. Forfeited by C. J. W. Cunningham (2152/56)	5 miles from Lima R.S.	By road	Creek	Steep, undulating, and hilly country, suitable for grazing; timbered with peppermint and stringybark
							0 10 0	15 1 0	To be valued					
Melbourne (a)	Bulu Bulu	Fumina	154	..	317 3 15	3rd	0 10 0	15 0 0	To be valued	In west of parish. Forfeited by T. Edney (198/8)	8 miles from Nayook P.S.	By road	To be conserved	Hilly country, with fair soil, suitable for grazing; timbered with messmate and stringybark
AUFERREOUS LANDS—Section 86, <i>Land Act 1915</i> .														
Seymour	Anglesey	Glin Glin	7	2	20 0 0	..	Rent, £1 per annum	3 14 0	To be valued	In south of parish. Forfeited by C. Underwood (961/103)	6 miles from Yea R.S.	By main road	To be conserved	Light grey soil on clay subsoil, suitable for cultivation; timbered with gum and box
Ballarat	Greenville	Yarrowee	A59	..	20 0 0	..	Rent, £1 per annum	3 1 0	Nil	In south-east of parish. Forfeited by W. Nankervis (2748/103)	6 miles from Buninyong R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Rangy country, with gravelly soil; timbered with gum, peppermint, and stringybark
"	"	"	A58	..	20 0 0	..	Rent, £1 per annum	3 1 0	Nil	In south-east of parish. Forfeited by A. F. Nankervis (2736/103)	6 miles from Buninyong R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Rangy country, with gravelly soil; timbered with gum, peppermint, and stringybark
"	"	"	A57	..	20 0 0	..	Rent, £1 per annum	3 1 0	Nil	In south-east of parish. Forfeited by H. Nankervis (2749/103)	6 miles from Buninyong R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Rangy country, with gravelly soil; timbered with gum, peppermint, and stringybark
LAND AVAILABLE UNDER RESIDENCE AND GARDEN LICENCE—Section 129, <i>Land Act 1915</i> .														
Benalla	Moirá	Barwo	1, 2, and 3	21	1 3 15	..	..	2 2 0	To be valued	At corner of Camp and Pelling streets, Nathalia. Forfeited by A. L. Escher (2296/129)	1 mile from Nathalia R.S.	By road	To be conserved	Township allotment

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

Mallee Lands.

FORTNIGHTLY LIST OF CROWN LANDS AVAILABLE.

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Applications 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, 10th October, 1917.

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, 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.						
MALLEE LANDS.—Selection Purchase Allotments—Division I, Part II., Land Act 1915.														
Bendigo ..	Tatchera	Burra ..	20 and 20A	..	632 3 18	1st	1 3 0	0 0 0	Nil	In east of sub-division. Forfeited by F. F. Smith (02346/22)	11 miles from Piangil R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Open plain, with red soil, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, pines, and hopbush
" ..	"	Coominur	13 and 17	..	761 2 11	2nd	0 18 0	10 0 0	Nil	Adjoins southern boundary of parish. Forfeited by H. Price (02361/22)	5 miles from Piangil R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Rich flats and good red soil, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, pines, and turpentine
" ..	Karkaroo	Cocamba	10	..	589 2 16	3rd	0 11 0	9 0 0	Nil	In north-east of parish. Forfeited by F. C. Bishop (0043/22)	5 miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good soil on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee and hopbush
St. Arnaud	"	Patche-wollock	4	..	705 2 4	3rd	0 13 0	10 0 0	Nil	On common boundary of parishes	11 miles from Turriff R.S.	Bush roads	To be conserved	Red sandy soil, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, ti-tree, spinifex, and broombush
" ..	"	Patche-wollock	32	..	602 1 30	3rd	0 13 0	10 0 0	Nil	On common boundary of parishes	10 miles from Turriff R.S.	Bush roads	To be conserved	Soft sandy soil, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, needlebush, and hopbush
" ..	"	Patche-wollock	5	..	704 0 4	2nd	0 18 0	10 0 0	Nil	In south-east corner of parish	10 miles from Turriff R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Red sandy soil, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, ti-tree, and spinifex
" ..	"	Patche-wollock	33	..	722 1 35	3rd	0 13 0	10 0 0	Nil	Adjoins northern boundary of parish	10 miles from Walpeup R.S.	Bush roads	To be conserved	Undulating country, with red sandy soil, suitable for growing cereals; mallee and spinifex
" ..	"	"	2	..	724 1 15	3rd	0 13 0	10 0 0	Nil	Near northern boundary of parish	10 1/2 miles from Culah R.S.	Bush roads	To be conserved	Undulating country, with red sandy soil, suitable for growing cereals; mallee and spinifex
" ..	"	Pirro	47	..	791 2 12	3rd	0 13 0	10 0 0	Nil	In west of parish. Forfeited by J. Wilson (02218/22)	6 miles from Tempy R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Sandy ridges, with loamy flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee
Bendigo ..	"	Myall	21	..	652 3 26	2nd	0 18 0	10 0 0	Nil	Adjoins western boundary of parish. Forfeited by P. D. Longhran (02758/198)	7 miles from Manangatang R.S.	By road ..	To be conserved	Good red loam on flats, suitable for growing cereals; mallee, spinifex, turpentine, and hopbush

Mallee Lands.

MERBEIN IRRIGATION SETTLEMENT.—HOMESTEAD ALLOTMENTS AVAILABLE FOR SELECTION UNDER CONDITIONAL PURCHASE LEASES.

AVAILABLE FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS ONLY.

THE land is situated near the River Murray, between Merbein and Mildura.

Applications must be made on the usual form, and delivered or forwarded by post to the Secretary for Lands, Melbourne, on or before Wednesday, 24th October, 1917.

An applicant can apply for more than one holding, but only one holding can be granted to any one person.

Improvements must be effected on the allotment to the value of not less than £50 within one year from the date of the lease, and additional improvements to the value of not less than £50 each year, before the end of the second and third years, from the date of the lease, unless the improvements already on the land are of the required value.

The lessee must permanently reside on the allotment for at least eight months during each year.

Personal residence by the lessee's wife, or any of his children over 18 years of age, may, with the approval of the Minister of Lands, be considered personal residence by the lessee.

The term of the lease is 31½ years, and the lessee cannot transfer, assign, mortgage, or sublet his holding within the first six years of the lease.

The Crown grant may be issued at any time after the expiration of twelve years from the date of the lease, provided all conditions have been complied with, and the full purchase money has been paid.

The Crown Grant may be issued to the lessee at the end of any half-year after the first twelve years have expired, on payment of the balance of the purchase money, and will be subject to a condition that the owner for the time being of the land or a member of his family over 18 years of age, or any person approved by the Governor in Council, shall reside thereon for at least eight months in every year, and that a breach of this condition may lead to the forfeiture of the land to the Crown.

All applications received will be dealt with by a Local Land Board, the date and place of hearing will be hereafter notified.

The irrigation charges will be One pound seventeen shillings and sixpence per acre per annum.

Plans may be obtained at the Inquiry Office, Lands Department, Melbourne.

Applicants may obtain from a Local Land Officer, or the Enquiry Office, Lands Department, Melbourne, a certificate authorizing the issue by the Railway Department of a ticket at excursion fares to enable them to inspect the land or to attend the Local Land Board.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 8th October, 1917.

SCHEDULE OF ALLOTMENTS.

Allotment.	Section.	Parish.	Irrigable Area.	Non-Irrigable Area.	Total Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Payment.
			Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
135	..	Merbein	13	15	28	70 0 0	2 2 0
136	..	"	15	7	22	70 0 0	2 2 0

Mallee Lands.

MERBEIN IRRIGATION SETTLEMENT.—HOMESTEAD ALLOTMENT AVAILABLE FOR SELECTION UNDER CONDITIONAL PURCHASE LEASE.

THE land is situated at Merbein, on the River Murray, near Mildura.

Applications must be made on the usual form, and delivered or forwarded by post to the Secretary for Lands, Melbourne, on or before Wednesday, 24th October, 1917.

Every application must be accompanied by a deposit equal to the first instalment of the purchase money and the lease fee £1.

Only one holding can be granted to any one person.

Improvements must be effected on the allotment to the value of not less than £50 within one year from the date of the lease, and additional improvements to the value of not less than £50 each year, before the end of the second and third years, from the date of the lease, unless the improvements already on the land are of the required value.

The lessee or grantee or owner must permanently reside on the allotment for at least eight months during each year.

Personal residence by the lessee's wife, or any of his children over 18 years of age, may, with the approval of the Minister of Lands, be considered personal residence by the lessee.

During the first three years of the term of the lease, the condition as to residence shall be deemed to be complied with for such period or periods as may be specified by the Minister of Lands during which some person named by the lessee, and approved by the Minister of Lands prior to commencement of his residence, resides on such allotment.

The term of the lease is 31½ years, and the lessee cannot transfer, assign, mortgage, or sublet his holding within the first six years of the lease.

The Crown grant may be issued at any time after the expiration of twelve years from the date of the lease, provided all conditions have been complied with, and the full purchase money has been paid.

All applications received will be dealt with by a Local Land Board; the date and place of hearing will be hereafter notified.

The irrigation charges will be One pound seventeen shillings and sixpence per acre per annum.

The terms of payment for improvements shall be subject to the recommendation of the Local Land Board.

Plans may be obtained at the Enquiry Office, Lands Department, Melbourne.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 8th October, 1917.

SCHEDULE OF ALLOTMENTS.

Allotment.	Area in Acres.	Parish.	Capital Value.	Value of Improvements.	Half-yearly Payment.	Deposit, Including Lease Fee.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
108	26	Merbein	130 0 0	3,950 0 0	3 18 0	4 18 0

Land Act 1915, Section 198.

MALLEE LANDS AVAILABLE FOR APPLICATION
AS SELECTION PURCHASE ALLOTMENTS.—
AVAILABLE FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS ONLY.

APPLICATIONS must be made on the usual form, and delivered or forwarded by post to the Secretary for Lands, Melbourne, on or before Wednesday, 24th October, 1917.

Applicants will be hereafter notified as to the date and place of hearing of their applications by Local Land Board.

The land will be granted under selection purchase lease, and at the end of six years, if the residence, cultivation improvement, and all other conditions have been complied with, the lease will be indorsed under the seal of the Board of Land and Works to the effect that such conditions have been complied with, and at any time within the remaining period of 14 or 34 years (as the case may be) a Crown grant will be issued on payment of the full amount of the purchase money.

The amount of loading (3s. per acre) is to be collected in instalments, therefore its cash value, about 1s. 11d. per acre only, will be the limit of expenditure for road and water improvements.

The half-yearly payment on each allotment, set out in Schedule hereto, includes the amount of loading.

The lease will contain (*inter alia*) conditions to the effect as follows:—

That substantial and permanent improvements shall be made on the land, if in the first class, to the value of 3s. 4d. per acre before the end of the second year from the date of the licence, another 3s. 4d. per acre before the end of each year of the third and fourth years; and the balance of 10s. per acre before the end of the sixth year of the licence. If in the second class, improvements to the value of 2s. 6d. per acre must be made during the like periods, and the balance of 7s. 6d. per acre before the end of the sixth year of the licence.

That the lessee shall go into residence on the land within twelve months after the date of the lease; and shall reside for at least three years and nine months on, or within 5 miles of, the land during the first six years of the term of the lease, and shall also clear and cultivate at least one-fourth of his allotment within two years of obtaining a permit to occupy the land.

That the lessee shall not transfer, assign, mortgage, or sublet, or part with the possession or grant the use of the whole or any part of the allotment during the first six years of the term of the lease, and that after the first six years of the term of the lease the lessee shall not sell, transfer, assign, mortgage, or sublet the whole or any part of the allotment unless and until the lease has been indorsed under the seal of the Board to the effect that all the conditions and covenants of the lease during the first six years thereof have been complied with.

No person who already holds or has previously selected the area of Mallee land allowed by classification will be eligible to apply.

The total area of Mallee land which may be selected is 640 acres if in the first class, or 1,000 acres if in the second class; or 1,280 acres if in the third class. Any further area (limited as by the next succeeding paragraph) can be obtained only by purchase from other persons.

That a special condition shall be inserted in the lease and the Crown grant, providing that the land referred to therein shall at all times be maintained and used for the purpose of residence or agriculture and grazing, and that no person will be permitted to subsequently acquire or hold, or have an interest in, more than 1,000 acres, if the land be in the first class, or more than 1,600 acres if the land be in any other class.

That the lessee or grantee or owner shall preserve the timber on, or plant an area of, not less than 3 per cent. of the total extent of his holding. (N.B.—Along the exposed boundary lines, viz., the western and southern, would be preferable.)

No person, unless specially authorized, will be permitted to clear timber from any portion of areas retained for the purposes of roads and windbreaks.

Plans may be obtained at the Inquiry Office, Lands Department, Melbourne, and at Land Offices at Bendigo and St. Arnaud.

Applicants may obtain from a Local Land Officer, of the Inquiry Office, Lands Department, Melbourne, a certificate authorizing the issue, by the Railway Department,

Land Act 1915, Section 32.

APPLICATIONS FOR LEASES APPROVED.

THE following Applications for Leases under section 32 of the Land Act 1915 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 Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue. Payments to be made half-yearly.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 4th October, 1917.

No. of Lease.	Name and Address of Lessee.	Area.	Parish.	Allotment.	Section.	Class.	Date of Lease.	Term.	Amount to be Collected			Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
									Half-yearly Rent.	Fee for Lease.	Total Amount of First Payment.	
1225	William P. Thorburn, Tintal-dra (1, 2)	A. R. P. 500 0 0	Kootong	53A, 53B	...	3rd	2.7.17	3½ years less 4 days	£ s. d. 1 0 10	£ 1	£ s. d. ... 1 5 2	Tallangatta
630	William E. Mayberry, Nurcoung (3)	123 0 0	Nurcoung	53A	...	3rd	"	"	0 5 2	1	1 5 2	Horsham

(1) In lieu of lease dated 1st January, 1902, under section 29, Land Act 1898, in name of Thomas Dalton (*Gazette* 23rd July, 1902, p. 3193) since transferred to W. P. Thorburn.
(2) Rent paid to 1st January, 1918. No fee for lease to be charged.
(3) Portion of Louisa Mayberry's surrendered 29th section leasehold (543/29).

of a ticket over the Victorian Railways only, at excursion fares, to enable them to inspect the land, or to attend the Local Land Board.

W. HUTCHINSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 8th October, 1917.

SCHEDULE OF ALLOTMENTS.

Allotment.	Parish.	Area in Acres.	Classification.	Value per Acre.	Half-yearly Payments.
20	Manangatang	620	1st	£ 1 3 0	£ 8 18 3
29	Worooa	716	2nd	0 17 6	7 16 8
8	Carwarp West	625	1st	1 2 6	8 15 10
25 & 26	Bunurouk	700	2nd	0 18 0	7 17 6

COURTS.

SITTINGS of the Supreme Court for the hearing of Criminal Trials and Trials of Causes for the year 1917; pursuant to Order in Council of 4th day of December, 1916.

Ararat	..	..	..	..
Ballarat	..	..	Tuesday, 4th December	..
Beechworth	..	..	Friday, 30th November	..
Benalla	..	..	..	..
Bendigo	..	..	Tuesday, 16th October	..
Castlemaine	..	..	Thursday, 13th December	..
Geelong	..	..	Tuesday, 13th November	..
Hamilton	..	..	..	..
Horsham	..	..	..	..
Maryborough	..	..	Thursday, 22nd November	..
Melbourne	..	..	Monday, 15th October	..
Sale	..	..	Tuesday, 18th December	..
Shepparton	..	..	..	..
St. Arnaud	..	..	Tuesday, 20th November	..
Warrnambool	..	..	..	..

GENERAL SESSIONS for the year 1917; pursuant to Order in Council of 11th day of December, 1916.

Ararat	..	..	Tuesday, 18th December	..
Bairnsdale	..	..	Wednesday, 5th December	..
Ballarat	..	..	Monday, 5th November	..
Beechworth	..	..	..	..
Benalla	..	..	Friday, 16th November	..
Bendigo	..	..	Thursday, 1st November	..
Camperdown	..	..	Thursday, 13th December	..
Casterton	..	..	Thursday, 1st November	..
Castlemaine	..	..	Tuesday, 20th November	..
Charlton	..	..	Wednesday, 24th October	..
Colac	..	..	Wednesday, 5th December	..
Daylesford	..	..	Thursday, 20th December	..
Donald	..	..	Wednesday, 17th October	..
Echuca	..	..	Wednesday, 28th November	..
Geelong	..	..	Tuesday, 23rd October	..
Hamilton	..	..	Thursday, 13th December	..
Horsham	..	..	Tuesday, 4th December	..
Kerang	..	..	Tuesday, 30th October	..
Korumburra	..	..	Tuesday, 27th November	..
Kyneton	..	..	..	..
Mansfield	..	..	..	..
Maryborough	..	..	Thursday, 11th October	..
Melbourne	..	..	Thursday, 1st November	..
Mildura	..	..	Tuesday, 27th November	..
Nhill	..	..	..	..
Omeo	..	..	Wednesday, 14th November	..
Sale	..	..	Tuesday, 20th November	..
Seymour	..	..	Tuesday, 23rd October	..
Shepparton	..	..	Wednesday, 24th October	..
St. Arnaud	..	..	..	..
Stawell	..	..	..	..

Wangaratta	..	..	Thursday, 15th November
Warracknabeal	..	..	..
Warragul	..	..	Tuesday, 16th October
Warrnambool	..	..	Tuesday, 11th December
Yarram Yarram	..	..	Wednesday, 21st November

MELBOURNE.—COUNTY COURT.

THE times appointed for "Return Days" in the Melbourne County Court during the year 1917 (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.
October 16th	..	October 16th
November 1st and 15th	November 1st ..	November 15th
December 3rd and 10th	December 3rd ..	December 10th

Dated at Melbourne this 8th day of December, 1916.

(By order of the Judges),

D. F. McGRATH,
Registrar, Melbourne.

COUNTY COURTS, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that County Courts will be held during the year 1918 at the undermentioned places, on Friday, 1st February, 1918:—

Ararat	Maryborough
Bairnsdale	Melbourne
Ballarat	Mildura
Beechworth	Nhill
Benalla	Numurkah
Bendigo	Omeo
Birchip	Ouyen
Camperdown	Rochester
Casterton	Sale
Castlemaine	Sea Lake
Charlton	Seymour
Colac	Shepparton
Daylesford	St. Arnaud
Donald	Stawell
Echuca	Swan Hill
Geelong	Traralgon
Hamilton	Wangaratta
Horsham	Warracknabeal
Kerang	Warragul
Korumburra	Warrnambool
Kyneton	Wonthaggi
Mansfield	Yarram Yarram.

Except at Melbourne, Courts of Insolvency and Courts of Mines will be held on the day above mentioned at such of the above-mentioned places as have been appointed places for holding such Courts. Dated at Melbourne this 4th day of October, 1917.—(By order of the Judges), D. F. McGRATH, Registrar, Melbourne.

COUNTY COURTS for the year 1917.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

Ararat	..	..	Tuesday, 18th December
Bairnsdale	..	..	Wednesday, 5th December
Ballarat	..	..	Monday, 5th November
Beechworth	..	..	..
Benalla	..	..	Friday, 16th November
Bendigo	..	..	Thursday, 1st November
Birchip	..	..	Thursday, 18th October
Camperdown	..	..	Thursday, 13th December
Casterton	..	..	Thursday, 1st November
Castlemaine	..	..	Tuesday, 20th November
Charlton	..	..	Wednesday, 24th October
Colac	..	..	Wednesday, 5th December
Daylesford	..	..	Thursday, 20th December
Donald	..	..	Wednesday, 17th October
Echuca	..	..	Wednesday, 28th November
Geelong	..	..	Tuesday, 23rd October
Hamilton	..	..	Thursday, 13th December
Horsham	..	..	Tuesday, 4th December
Kerang	..	..	Tuesday, 30th October
Korumburra	..	..	Tuesday, 27th November
Kyneton	..	..	Wednesday, 21st November
Mansfield	..	..	..
Maryborough	..	..	Thursday, 11th October
Melbourne	..	..	Thursday, 1st November

Mildura	Tuesday, 27th November
Nhill	Wednesday, 5th December
Numurkah	Thursday, 25th October
Omeo	Wednesday, 14th November
Ouyen	Wednesday, 28th November
Rochester	Tuesday, 16th October
Sale	Tuesday, 20th November
Sea Lake	Tuesday, 23rd October
Seymour	Tuesday, 23rd October
Shepparton	Wednesday, 24th October
St. Arnaud	Friday, 9th November
Stawell	Tuesday, 13th November
Swan Hill	Wednesday, 31st October
Traralgon	Thursday, 22nd November
Wangaratta	Thursday, 15th November
Warracknabeal	Wednesday, 14th November
Warragul	Tuesday, 16th October
Warrnambool	Tuesday, 11th December
Wonthaggi	Thursday, 8th November
Yarram Yarram	Wednesday, 21st November

COURTS OF MINES.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

COURT OF CHIEF JUSTICE.	
Melbourne	—
ARARAT DISTRICT.	
Ararat	Tuesday, 18th December
Stawell	Tuesday, 13th November

BALLARAT DISTRICT.	
Ballarat	Monday, 5th November

BEECHWORTH DISTRICT.	
Beechworth	—
Benalla	Friday, 16th November
Mansfield	—

BENDIGO DISTRICT.	
Bendigo	Thursday, 1st November

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT.	
Castlemaine	Tuesday, 20th November
Heidelberg (at Melbourne)	—
Hopburn (Daylesford)	Thursday, 20th December
Kyneton	Wednesday, 21st November

GIPPSLAND DISTRICT.	
Bairnsdale	Wednesday, 5th December
Omeo	Wednesday, 14th November
Sale	Tuesday, 20th November
Yarram Yarram	Wednesday, 21st November

MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT.	
Maryborough	Thursday, 11th October
St. Arnaud	Friday, 9th November

ANNUAL LICENSING COURTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Sittings of the Licensing Courts for the Licensing Districts named hereunder will be held as stated below:—

Court House.	Date of Sitting.	Hour.	Licensing Districts for which Courts are to be Held.
1917.			
Horsham	12th November	10 a.m.	Arapiles, Corong, Dimboola, Dunnunkle, Horsham, Lawloit, Nhill, Warracknabeal
Stawell	12th November	3 p.m.	Glenorchy, Landsborough, Stawell
Ararat	13th November	10 a.m.	Ararat, Moyston, Wickliffe
Seymour	13th November	10 a.m.	Goulburn, Seymour
Beaufort	14th November	10 a.m.	Beaufort, Lexton
Shepparton	14th November	10 a.m.	Aradia, Katamatite, Mooropna, Numurkah, Rushworth, Shepparton
Maryborough	15th November	11 a.m.	Carisbrook, Dunolly, Maryborough, Talbot, Timor
Echuca	15th November	3 p.m.	Echuca, Rochester, Rochester East
Bendigo	16th November	11.30 a.m.	Barkly (Bendigo East), Bridgewater, Darling (Bendigo East), Eaglehawk, Golden Square, Heathcote, Huntly, Inglewood, Kangaroo Flat, Runnymede, Serpentine, Strathfeldsaye, Wodderburn
Castlemaine	19th November	2 p.m.	Castlemaine, Fryers, Maldon, Newstead, Taradale
St. Arnaud	20th November	3.30 p.m.	St. Arnaud, Stuart Mill
Swan Hill	21st November	9.30 a.m.	Swan Hill
Charlton	21st November	10.30 a.m.	Boort, Charlton, Wycheproof
Kerang	21st November	2 p.m.	Kerang, Terrick
Birchip	21st November	3 p.m.	Birchip, Mildura

Dated at Melbourne the 9th day of October, 1917.

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ROBERT BARR,
Licensing Magistrate.

TENDERS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, MELBOURNE.

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

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

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

18th October, 1917.

Lake Boga.—Repairs and painting State School No. 3278. Particulars at Office of Inspector of Works, Bendigo, and Police Stations, Swan Hill and Kerang. Preliminary deposit, £3. Final deposit 5 per cent.

Yinnar.—Repairs and painting, wash-house, &c., teacher's residence, State School No. 2419. Particulars at State School No. 2419, Yinnar, and Police Stations, Traralgon and Warragul. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit 5 per cent.

25th October, 1917.

Noradjuha.—Additions to State School No. 1930. Particulars at Police Station, Horsham, and Inspector of Works, Horsham. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Paradise.—Removal of State School No. 1257, Watta Wells, and re-erection at State School No. 3154. Particulars at Police Station, St. Arnaud, and Inspector of Works, Maryborough. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Pentridge.—Laundry, &c., Penal Establishment. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Ivanhoe.—New out offices and sewerage connexions, State School No. 2438. Preliminary deposit, £5. 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, 10th October, 1917.

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.

TELEGRAPH POLES

Wednesday, 17th October.—Supply and delivery of 1,000 telegraph poles. Particulars at Avonmore, Bairnsdale, Tarnagulla, Rushworth, Heathcote, Tooborac, and Derrinal Stations. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

CAUSTIC SODA PRIMARY CELLS.

Wednesday, 17th October.—Supply and delivery of 1,000 caustic soda primary cells (complete), for Signal Shops, Newport. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

SPLIT FENCING RAILS.

Wednesday, 17th October.—Supply and delivery of 35,000 split fencing rails. (Fresh tenders.) Particulars also at Yea, Terang, Colac, Beech Forest, Birregurra, Forrest, Timboon, Glenfyne, Whittlesea, Hurstbridge, Lilydale, Healesville, Yarra Glen, Warburton, Fernree Gully, Gembrook, Warragul, Neerim South, Moe, Thorpdale, Longwarry, Harris, Nyora, Korumburra, Mirboo, Morwell, Rushworth, and Tooborac Stations. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

GREY BOX, ETC., PILES.

Wednesday, 31st October.—Supply and delivery of grey box, red ironbark, yellow stringybark, or redgum piles, for Worksmasters at Bendigo, Geelong, and Oakleigh. Particulars also at Bruthen, Orbost, Bairnsdale, Alberton, Echuca, Bendigo, Maryborough, Sale, and Port Albert Stations. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

TIME ELEMENT RELAYS.

Wednesday, 31st October.—Manufacture, supply, and delivery of time element relays for power signalling. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

STEEL TYRES.

Wednesday, 14th November.—Supply and delivery of steel tyres for engines, electric cars and motor coaches. Particulars and forms now available at the Contractors' Room, Railway Offices, Spencer-street, and at the Office of the Agent-General for Victoria in London after the arrival of the next outgoing mail. P.D., $\frac{1}{2}$ 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.

TENDERS FOR GRAZING LANDS.

Tender Forms can be obtained on application to the Lands Department, Melbourne, or any of the Land Offices in the country.

Tenders should be placed in the Crown Lands Office Tender-box on or before Friday, 26th October, 1917.

NOTE.—No tender will be accepted unless the fee for the period as shown in the head-lines, and fee of Five shillings for licence, are forwarded.

TENDERS will be received on or before Friday, 26th October, 1917, for the right to depasture stock on the following unappropriated portions of land subject to the Regulations approved by the Governor in Council and also the subjoined Special Conditions.

Every licence granted under section 121 of the Land Act 1915 shall be subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto and to such special conditions and payment in advance of such fee as the Minister may determine, and shall be issued by an officer of the Department of Lands and Survey duly authorized in that behalf.

Conditions:

1. The issue of this licence shall not prevent the land comprised therein, or any part or parts thereof, being sold, leased, licensed, alienated, or dealt with under any of the provisions of the Land Act 1915, or being resumed by order of the Governor or Administrator of the Government of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council, for any of the purposes for which land may be reserved under section 10 of the Land Act 1915, or for mining purposes.

2. In case the said land, or any part thereof, should be sold, leased, licensed, alienated, dealt with, or resumed as aforesaid, the licensee shall not be entitled to any compensation other than that which the responsible Minister of the Crown for the time being administering the Land Acts may think fit.

3. This licence is subject to the rights of the holders of miners' rights or of mining leases now issued or hereafter to be issued to enter upon the allotment hereby licensed, and to search for gold, and to mine thereon, and to erect and occupy mining plant and machinery, without making any compensation to the licensee, his executors, administrators, or assigns, for surface or other damage.

4. Subject to these conditions, the licensee shall be entitled to use the land for the purpose for which this licence has been granted, until such land or any part thereof, has been sold, leased, licensed, alienated, dealt with, or resumed as aforesaid, and thereupon all the interest of the licensee therein shall cease and be determined.

5. No land comprised in roads from time to time surveyed and marked out within the boundaries of the land comprised in this licence shall be deemed within its operation.

6. This licence shall entitle the holder thereof, during the period for which it is granted, to use the land therein comprised for depasturing purposes only, but shall not confer any right to build thereon, or to cultivate or, without the permission of the Minister, fence any portion thereof, or construct a dam or tank.

7. The taking in of stock for agistment or otherwise allowing the use of the land, or part thereof, without the authority in writing by the Minister, is forbidden.

8. That in the event of the Minister granting permission to fence the whole or any part of this area, the licensee shall provide gates or slip-panels in suitable places for the convenience of the public. No compensation will be allowed for fencing erected on boundaries of allotments alienated or in course of alienation.

9. That where improvements are authorized under section 123 of the Land Act 1915 the licensee shall notify, on completion, that such improvements have been made, otherwise the work will not be recognised.

10. The interest in this licence shall not be transferred without the consent of the Minister, and the payment of a fee of Ten shillings.

11. The licensee shall be liable to forfeiture if the licensee commit a breach of or neglect to comply with these conditions.

12. The publication of a notice in the *Government Gazette*, purporting to declare that the Governor or Administrator, with the advice aforesaid, has forfeited this licence, shall be conclusive evidence that the licence is forfeited.

13. The ring-barking of the timber upon the land by the licensee is forbidden, and he shall not be entitled to destroy or cut and take away any such timber.

14. Free access to water shall be kept open at all times for travelling and other stock and for persons desiring to take water for domestic purposes.

15. The licensee shall destroy all thistles on the land, and on the half width of the adjoining roads, and shall be responsible for the destruction of thistles under the *Thistle Act 1890* in like manner as holders of freehold lands.

16. The licensee shall keep the land free from vermin, and, should he fail to do so, the licence shall be liable to forfeiture.

17. This licence is issued subject to the right of saw-millers to graze on this area such horses and bullocks as are actually used in connexion with their licensed operations on this land.

18. In the event of the area being damaged by fire, this licence may be forfeited unless the licensee satisfy the Minister that neither he, directly or indirectly, nor his workmen or servants were in any way responsible therefor.

Special Conditions.

1. The period of occupation will, except where otherwise specified, be for eleven months from 1st November, 1917, to 30th September, 1918.

2. The fee for the period as shown in the headlines—for which the licence will be issued, and fee for licence—must accompany the tender, otherwise the offer of the next highest tenderer who complies with this condition may be accepted.

3. Separate tenders must be lodged for each block.

4. Tenders to be addressed to the Secretary for Lands (Tender-box), Melbourne.

5. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

6. Tenderers must give their full name and ordinary postal address.

7. The areas are given as more or less, and all appropriated, alienated, or licensed lands (if any) within the boundaries are excluded.

8. The outgoing tenant has the option to remove any existing fencing within one month or to require the incoming tenant to pay for it in accordance with the provisions of section 124, *Land Act 1915*.

Plans can be seen and information may be obtained in this office.

Section 121, *Land Act 1915*, provides:—

1. Where a licensee under section 121 of the *Land Act 1915* has, with the consent of the Minister, enclosed with a substantial fence the land which is the subject of his licence, he may impound any cattle, sheep, or other animals found trespassing thereon.

2. Where the licensee holds land under the said section which is unfenced, he may, in any court of competent jurisdiction, sue the owner of any cattle, sheep, or other animals for damages arising from trespass by such cattle, sheep, or other animals.

W. HUTCHINSON,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Melbourne, 8th October, 1917.

Lot 1 (Block 11110).—60 acres in parish of Aire, being marine frontage to allotments 27d and 27e.—(*Geelong*, 030/121.)

Lot 2 (Block 11111).—136 acres, being allotment 34 in parish of Aire, formerly held by Timothy O'Sullivan.—(*Geelong*, 0193/121.)

Lot 3 (Block 11112).—640 acres, being allotments 5, 5A, and 5b in parish of Gundowring, formerly held by G. A. Wright.—(*Beechworth*, 0393/121.)

Lot 4 (Block 11113).—250 acres in parish of Coraek, being allotment 171 (Lake Buloke), formerly held by T. W. F. Harcourt.—(*St. Arnaud*, 0149/121.)

Lot 5 (Block 4298).—36 acres in parish of Ghin Ghin, being the island in the Goulburn River south of allotments 39A and 42A, formerly held by J. T. Daley.—(*Seymour*, 590/187.)

Lot 6 (Block 10958).—100 acres in parish of Bailleston, formerly held by James Kettels.—(*Seymour*, 0117/121.)

Lot 7 (Block 11114).—231 acres in parish of Leed, being allotments 16 and 17 of section 6, adjoining township of Serviceton and the Crown lands north of the railway line in the township of Serviceton.—(*Horsesham*, 083/121.)

MOUNTAINOUS COUNTRY.—LICENCES FOR TWELVE MONTHS FROM 1st NOVEMBER, 1917, TO 31st OCTOBER, 1918.

Lot 8 (Block 27).—28,900 acres in parish of Eumana, county of Tambo, west of Wilkinson Creek, formerly held by Peter Kerr.—(*Omeo*, 0307/121.)

Lot 9 (Block 21).—23,940 acres in parish of Nappa, county of Tambo, on Timbarra River, formerly held by Charles Prankerd.—(*Omeo*, 0223/121.)

Lot 10 (Block 22).—24,000 acres, parish of Mellick Munjie, county of Tambo, between the Timbarra and Buchan rivers, formerly held by John Prankerd.—(*Omeo*, 0290/121.)

Lot 11 (Block 30).—32,000 acres in parishes of Eumana and Timbarra, county of Tambo, formerly held by C. C. Kerr.—(*Omeo*, 0262/121.)

Lot 12 (Block 26).—3,480 acres, parish of Mellick Munjie, county of Tambo, east of Wilkinson's Creek, formerly held by John Prankerd.—(*Omeo*, 0235/121.)

Lot 13 (Block 28).—3,600 acres in parish of Windarra, county of Tambo, between the Timbarra River and Wilkinson's Creek, formerly held by John Prankerd.—(*Bairnsdale*, 0183/121.)

Lot 14 (Blocks 16 and 19).—29,050 acres in parishes of Tabberabbera and Angora, near Brookville, formerly held by A. Fregon.—(*Omeo*, 0286/121.)

Lot 15 (Block 29A).—3,000 acres in parish of Buchan, county of Tambo, formerly held by R. Proudlock.—(*Bairnsdale*, 087/121.)

Lot 16 (Block 10867).—1,025 acres in parish of Licola North, formerly held by W. Reid and J. Garvey.—(*Sale*, 0163/121.)

Lot 17 (Block 2).—20,750 acres in parish of Moolpah, between the Thomson and Jordan rivers, formerly held by H. G. Bennett.—(*Sale*, 0192/121.)

INSOLVENCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of John Quinn, of South Yarra, licensed victualler, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be holden at the Insolvency Court Offices, the Law Courts, in the city of Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 17th day of October, A.D. 1917, at the hour of half-past Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the election of a trustee and for the other purposes mentioned in the 72nd section of the *Insolvency Act 1915*.

Dated at Melbourne this 8th day of October, A.D. 1917.

J. D. MUSTOW,
Chief Clerk.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the estate of Arthur Henry Wools-Cobb, of Yarragon, labourer, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be holden at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Warragul, on Friday, the 19th day of October, A.D. 1917, 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 Warragul this 5th day of October, A.D. 1917.

A. NOONAN,
Chief Clerk.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

CITY OF CAMBERWELL.

BY-LAW No. 41.

A By-law of the City of Camberwell made under section 198 of the *Local Government Act 1915*, and numbered 41, for prescribing the minimum area, and the minimum depth and width of frontage of land upon which any dwelling-house may be erected, and for providing that every dwelling-house shall have attached thereto for the exclusive use of the occupiers thereof a prescribed area of open land.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred by the *Local Government Act 1915*, the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Camberwell order as follows:—

(1) Dwelling-houses.—From and after the coming into force of this By-law, no building intended to be used as a dwelling-house shall be built or erected so as to front any street or road less than thirty-three (33) feet in width unless the front of such building is kept at a distance of not less than twenty (20) feet from the side line of such street or road. Provided also that in the case of a street or road of a less width than 33 feet being bounded on one side by a public reserve, the Council may on application in writing exempt the land fronting such street or road and situate opposite to such public reserve from the foregoing prohibition.

(2) Dwelling-houses.—(a) As to land subdivided into allotments prior to the date of this By-law coming into force—

No dwelling-house shall be built or erected on any allotment of land that has a frontage of less than 33 feet and a superficial area of less than 4,000 square feet.

Provided that in any case where there remains between two dwelling-houses, or between any dwelling-house and the corner of a street or road in existence at the time this By-law came into force, an allotment of land of a less frontage than 33 feet and a less area than 4,000 square feet on which no dwelling-house has been erected, or from which a dwelling-house has been removed, or has been destroyed by fire, the Council may on application being made in writing by the owner, exempt such allotment from the provisions of this By-law and permit a dwelling-house to be erected thereon in accordance with the building regulations of the municipality and subject to such other conditions as the Council may impose.

(b) As to land subdivided into allotments after the date of this By-law coming into force—

No dwelling-house shall be erected on any allotment of land unless such allotment complies with the whole of the following conditions:—

(1) That such allotment has a width or frontage to any street or road of not less than 50 feet.

(2) Has a superficial area of not less than 6,000 square feet.

(3) Has a depth of not less than 80 feet.

The provisions of this section shall also apply to the re-subdivision of any existing allotment of land into two or more smaller allotments.

(3) Shops.—Shops with or without dwelling rooms attached if built of brick, stone, concrete, reinforced concrete or other fire-proof or incombustible material approved by the building surveyor so as to abut upon the building line of any street or road or within 10 feet therefrom may be built on any land having a width of not less than 16 feet and a superficial area of not less than 1,920 square feet. Provided that in every case where dwelling rooms are attached to a shop there shall be an open space or yard free from all buildings of not less than 750 square feet.

(4) Houses not to be Attached.—Every dwelling-house hereafter erected (other than a dwelling attached to a shop) shall have on all sides thereof an open space free to light and air, and no dwelling-house shall be attached on any side thereof to any other dwelling-house separately occupied or intended for separate occupation.

(5) Light and Air Space.—No dwelling-house whether attached to a shop or not shall be built or erected unless provision be made for ample light and air space.

(6) Open Space.—Every dwelling-house hereafter erected shall have attached thereto for the exclusive use of the occupier thereof an area of open land equal to not less than one-half of the total area of the allotment on which the same stands. Nor shall any addition or alteration be made to any dwelling-house already erected or hereafter to be erected that would reduce such open space to a less area than one-half the total area of the allotment.

(7) Verandahs and Projections.—For the purpose of this By-law the following provisions shall apply:—

(a) Verandahs and out-buildings shall in the calculation of space occupied be included as part of the dwelling-house to which they belong; and

(b) Wherever any distance from a boundary is provided for, such distance shall be measured horizontally to the line of the outer edge of any overhanging eaves or to the outer edge of any verandah whichever has the greater projection.

(8) Area and Frontage Not to be Reduced.—No land upon which any dwelling-house has been erected shall after the coming into force of this By-law be reduced below the minimum area and frontage herein prescribed.

(9) Provisions Not to Apply.—The provisions of this By-law shall not apply to any dwelling-house or shop, the plans of which were passed by the building surveyor prior to the date of this By-law coming into force, provided that such building is completed within six calendar months from the date on which the plans were passed by the building surveyor.

(10) Plans, &c.—In addition to the plans and specifications required to be submitted to the building surveyor under the provisions of the building regulations, the builder or his agent shall furnish the building surveyor with a block plan drawn in ink to scale. Such plan shall show the boundaries and dimensions of the land, the distance of the building from such boundaries, and the position and dimensions of the building when completed. Such plan will be retained by the building surveyor, on behalf of the Council.

(11) Definition.—The expression "Dwelling-house" wherever used in this By-law shall mean a building or erection used, constructed, intended or adapted to be used wholly or partially for human habitation or occupation.

(12) Penalties.—Every person who shall by any wilful act or default be guilty of any breach of any of the provisions of this By-law shall on conviction be liable to a penalty not exceeding £20 for each such offence. And if such offence be a continuing one to a further penalty of not less than Ten shillings (10s.) per day and not exceeding Two pounds (£2) per day for each day such offence is continued after written notice of the offence has been given by the Council to the person so offending.

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

This By-law shall come into operation and have effect immediately on its publication in the *Victoria Government Gazette*.

Resolution for passing this By-law agreed to by the Council the 12th day of June, 1917.

Confirmed the 9th day of July, 1917.

The common seal of the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Camberwell was hereto affixed this 9th day of July, 1917, in the presence of—

(SEAL) F. F. READ, Mayor.
W. G. McBRATH, Councillor.
R. W. SMELLIE, Town Clerk.

Approved by the Governor in Council this 18th day of September, 1917.

6151 F. W. MABBOTT,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

SHIRE OF ELTHAM.

NOTICE.—William Forscutt has been appointed collector of dog fees and inspector under the *Thistle Act* 1915, vice Sidney Pitcher, resigned.

P. J. McMAHON, Acting Shire Secretary.
Shire Office, Kangaroo Ground, 3rd October, 1917. 6124

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned George Gowers the elder, George Gowers the younger, and John Alfred Gowers, carrying on business as butchers at Warracknabeal, under the style or firm of G. Gowers and Sons, has been dissolved as from the date hereof. All debts due and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by John Alfred Gowers and Susan May Gowers, who will continue to carry on the said business in partnership under the style or firm of J. and S. Gowers.

Dated the 29th day of September, 1917.

G. GOWERS.

J. A. GOWERS.

G. GOWERS, Jun.

Witness—J. S. WRIGHT-SMITH, solicitor, Warracknabeal. 6161

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as wholesale butchers, at 43 Farnham-street, Flemington, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or by the firm will be received or paid by the undersigned George Morris, William Morris, and Bernard Morris.

Dated this seventeenth day of September, 1917.

ROBERT VINCE,

GEORGE MORRIS.

WILLIAM MORRIS.

BERNARD MORRIS.

Witness—C. J. McFARLANE, solicitor, 420 Little Collins-street, Melbourne. 6162

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned George Waller and Ernest Arthur Waller, of Talbot-street, Ballarat, contractors, under the style or firm name of "G. & E. Waller," has been dissolved by mutual agreement. And that all debts owing to the said firm must be forthwith paid to one or other of the partners.

Dated this 29th day of September, 1917.

GEORGE WALLER.

ERNEST ARTHUR WALLER.

Witness—DAVID CLARKE, Solicitor, Ballarat. 6133

THE CASTERTON FREEZING WORKS COMPANY PROPRIETARY LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 196 of the *Companies Act* 1915, that a General Meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at the Mechanics' Institute Hall, Henty-street, Casterton, on Saturday, the seventeenth day of November, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before the company showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the liquidator.

Dated the fourth day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

6153 WILLIAM E. CLEVERDON, Liquidator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Mary Leckie, late of Ettrick, near Kyogle, in the State of New South Wales, married woman, deceased (who died on the twenty-fourth day of April, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and letters of administration of whose estate, with the will annexed, were on the twenty-fourth day of September, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, granted by the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria to The Equity Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of No. 85 Queen-street, Melbourne, in Victoria aforesaid), are hereby required to send particulars of such claims, in writing, to the said company, on or before the twenty-sixth day of November, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, after which last-mentioned date the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice, and the said company will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim it shall not then have had notice.

Dated this sixth day of October, 1917.

P. A. KIRBY, Binney-street, Euroa, proctor for the said company. 6129

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Donald George Thomas Brewer, late of Huntly, in the State of Victoria, farmer, deceased, intestate (who died on the sixteenth day of July, 1917, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted by the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the seventeenth day of September, 1917, to The Sandhurst and Northern District Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of View-street, Bendigo, in the said State), are hereby required to send particulars in writing of such claims to the undersigned Murphy and Crowley, the proctors for the said company, on or before the nineteenth day of November, 1917. And notice is hereby given that after that date the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Donald George Thomas Brewer, deceased, which shall have come to its hands or possession, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said company shall then have had notice. And the said company will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice.

Dated this eighth day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

MURPHY & CROWLEY, 53 Pall Mall, Bendigo, proctors for the said company. 6143

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of Mary Ann Trevorow, late of Springvale, in the State of Victoria, widow, deceased (who died on the fourth day of June, 1917, and probate of whose last will and testament was granted to Joseph Thomas Trevorow, of 8 Hunter-street, Malvern, in the said State, engineer, and Joseph Michael Hoban, of 139 Evans-street, Port Melbourne, in the said State, engine-driver, two of the executors named in and appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the undersigned at their address given below on or before the twelfth day of November, 1917. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Mary Ann Trevorow, 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 the 4th day of October, 1917.

CORR & CORR, 339 Collins-street, Melbourne, proctors for the executors. 6155

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and others having any claim against the estate of Charles Edward Reid, late of Ripon-street north, Ballarat, in Victoria, gentleman, deceased (who died on 28th July, 1917, and probate of whose will was granted to the Ballarat Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, on 30th August, 1917), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said company at its offices, Camp-street, Ballarat, on or before the 19th day of November next, after which last mentioned date the said company will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it has notice; and it will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim it has not then received notice.

Dated this 5th day of October, 1917.

BAIRD & BAIRD, proctors, Ballarat. 6132

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that Arthur Brettell, trading as Brettell Bros., of 73 Hanover-street, Fitzroy, cabinetmakers, has, by deed dated the 2nd day of October, 1917, conveyed and assigned all his estate and property to Godfrey Montague Fosbery, of 60 Queen-street, Melbourne, incorporated accountant, upon trust for realization and otherwise for the benefit of the creditors of the said Arthur Brettell, as in the said deed mentioned. All persons having any claims against the estate are requested to send the same to the said Godfrey Montague Fosbery, on or before the 25th day of October, 1917, after which date the trustee will distribute the trust funds amongst those persons only of whose claims notice shall have been given.

Dated this 5th day of October, 1917.

G. M. FOSBERY, Trustee.
G. M. Fosbery, incorporated accountant and registered trustee, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne. Telephone 2435. 6163

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—RE MATTHEW HENRY SCOTT, DECEASED.

ALL persons having any claim against the estate of A. Matthew Henry Scott, late of Noble Park, in Victoria, Marine Engineer, deceased, intestate, are required to forward particulars thereof to The Equity Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of 85 Queen-street, Melbourne, on or before the tenth day of November. One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, after which date the said company will proceed to distribute and dispose of the said estate amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said company shall then have had notice; and the administratrix of the said estate will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim the said company shall not have received notice as aforesaid.

Dated this eighth day of October, 1917.

MOULE, HAMILTON & KIDDLE, 55 Market-street, Melbourne, proctors for the said company. 6152

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of John Cain, late of 108 Cardigan-street, Carlton, in the State of Victoria, gentleman, deceased, who died on the eighteenth day of April, 1917, and probate of whose last will and testament was granted to Edward Clutterbuck, of Kiewa, in the said State, farmer, Archibald Grant Black, of Victoria-street, Carlton, in the said State, medical practitioner, and John Chard, of 108 Cardigan-street, Carlton aforesaid, driver, the executors named in and appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the undersigned, at their address given below, on or before the twelfth day of November, 1917. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Cain, 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 the 4th day of October, 1917.

CORR & CORR, 339 Collins-street, Melbourne, proctors for the executors. 6156

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Emily Matilda Wilson, late of Hastings, in the State of Victoria, married woman, deceased, intestate (who died on the sixth day of June, 1917, and administration of whose estate was granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the twenty-ninth day of September, 1917, to The Perpetual Executors and Trustees Association of Australia Limited, of numbers 89-91 Queen-street, Melbourne, in the said State), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said association at the abovementioned address, on or before the 10th day of November, 1917, after which date the said association will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, which shall have come to its hands, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice. And notice is hereby further given that the said company will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claims it shall not have had notice as aforesaid.

Dated the 8th day of October, 1917.

WILLIAM S. COOK, Prol's Buildings, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne, proctor for the said association. 6157

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE JOHN HARKER AND GEORGE HARKER, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of John Harker, late of Waggarandall, in the State of Victoria, farmer, deceased (who died on the 25th day of May, 1915, and probate of whose last will and testament was granted to Thomas Leonard Harker, of Dookie aforesaid, farmer, and George Harker, hereinafter mentioned, the executors named in and appointed by the said will, or of George Harker, late of Waggarandall aforesaid, farmer, deceased, who died on the 15th day of October, 1915, intestate, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted to the said Thomas Leonard Harker, a brother of the said deceased), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the undersigned Morrissy and Deane, the proctors for the said Thomas Leonard Harker, on or before the 24th day of November, 1917.

And notice is hereby given that after that day the said Thomas Leonard Harker will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Harker and George Harker, deceased, respectively, 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 the said Thomas Leonard Harker 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 eighth day of October, 1917.
MORRISSEY & DEANE, of Dookie, proctors for the said Thomas Leonard Harker. 6164

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE RICHARD TONKIN ROWE, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Richard Tonkin Rowe (sometimes called Richard Tonkin), late of 58 Freeman-street, North Fitzroy, retired municipal officer, deceased (who died on the 20th day of January, 1917, and probate of whose will was, on the fourth day of July, 1917, granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria to Thomas Shelton Rowe, of 110 Brunswick-street, Fitzroy, auctioneer, the executor appointed by the said will), are required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to the said executor, or to the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of November, 1917, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Richard Tonkin Rowe, deceased, 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 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 the 8th day of October, 1917.
N. LEVINSON; Equitable Building, 314 Collins-street, Melbourne, proctor for the executor. 6158

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE CHARLES HART, 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 Hart, late of 446 Johnston-street, Abbotsford, in the State of Victoria, fruit preserver, deceased (who died on the thirtieth day of September, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and probate of whose last will and testament was granted to Thomas Charles Hart, of 446 Johnston-street, Abbotsford aforesaid, tailor's presser, 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 James Ratu Thompson, proctor for the said Thomas Charles Hart, on or before the fourteenth day of November, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Charles Hart, 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 ninth day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen.
JAMES RATU THOMPSON, of 120 Queen-street, Melbourne, proctor for the said Thomas Charles Hart. 6165

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—ADAM KENNEDY, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Adam Kennedy, late of Mirboo North, in the State of Victoria, farmer, deceased (who died on the 24th day of July, 1917, and probate of whose will was granted to The Perpetual Executors and Trustees Association of Australia Limited, of Nos. 89-91 Queen-street, Melbourne, in the said State, on the 13th day of September, 1917), are required to send in particulars in writing of such claims to the said association, at its address above stated, on or before the 10th day of November, 1917, after which date the said association will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among 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, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim the said association shall not then have had notice.

Dated the third day of October, 1917.
JAS. MARSHALL, Mirboo North, proctor for the said association. 6127

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE SAMUEL LEWIS HART, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of Samuel Lewis Hart, late of France, but formerly of Barkly-street, North Fitzroy, in the State of Victoria, soldier, deceased, intestate (who died on the twenty-first day of November, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted to Thomas Charles Hart, of 446 Johnston-street, Abbotsford, in the State of Victoria, tailor's presser, a brother and one of the next of kin of the said deceased), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such claims to the undersigned James Ratu Thompson, the proctor for the said Thomas Charles Hart, on or before the fourteenth day of November, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Samuel Lewis Hart, deceased, which shall have come to his hands amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said administrator shall then have had notice, and the said administrator 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 ninth day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

JAMES RATU THOMPSON, of 120 Queen-street, Melbourne, proctor for the said Thomas Charles Hart. 6166

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS, RE WILLIAM BLACKWOOD, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of William Blackwood, late of 71 Waltham-street, Flemington, in the State of Victoria, retired contractor, deceased (who died on the twenty-seventh day of April, 1917; and probate of whose last will and testament was granted to Ernest Love Shattock (in the said will called Ernest Shattock), of 10 Ailsa-street, Ascotvale, in Victoria, accountant, and Andrew Tobin, of 73 Farnham-street, Flemington aforesaid, tram employee, the executors named in and appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of such claims to the undersigned Richard Henry Rodda, the proctor for the said Ernest Love Shattock and Andrew Tobin, on or before the twelfth day of November, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said William Blackwood, 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 second day of October, 1917.

RICHARD H. RODDA, of 430-4 Little Collins-street, Melbourne, proctor for the said Ernest Love Shattock and Andrew Tobin. 6128

MINING NOTICES.

SPEAKMAN'S GOLD MINES NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the Speakman's Gold Mines No Liability will be held in the Board Room, Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Friday, the 19th day of October, 1917, at Eight o'clock p.m., for the purpose of transacting the following business:—

1. To pass a resolution requiring the company to be voluntarily wound up.
2. To determine the course to be pursued by the directors for such purpose.
3. To determine the mode of disposal of any surplus of the company's property which may remain after the completion of the winding up.
4. To determine how the books and documents of the company shall be disposed of.
5. To confirm the minutes of the meeting.

By order of the Board,

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ALEX. GORDON, Manager.

Companies Act 1915.—Tenth Schedule.

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register Christmas Reef Gold Mining Company as a No Liability Company under the provisions of Part II. of the *Companies Act 1915*.

1. The name of the company is to be Christmas Reef Gold Mining Company No Liability.
2. The place of operations is at Bendigo.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at Commercial House, Charing Cross, Bendigo.
4. The value of the company's property, including leased ground and machinery, is Two thousand pounds.
5. The number of the shares in the company is 40,000 of Ten shillings each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is 40,000.
7. The name of the manager is John Jepson Stanistreet.

8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date are as below:—

Names, Addresses, Occupations.	Shares.
Chancellor, N. G., Bendigo, metallurgist ...	1,000
Atkinson, W., Ravenswood, grazier ...	500
Casley, W., Long Gully, investor ...	500
Steward, Mrs. W. A., Woomelang, investor ...	300
Harris, G., 78 Pitt-st., Sydney, sharebroker ...	3,500
Ralph, H., Eaglehawk, investor ...	800
Thomson, T. E., Eaglehawk, investor ...	1,000
Beaty, J., Bendigo, sharebroker ...	700
Cran, Robert, 107 Pitt-st., Sydney, sharebroker ...	1,000
Jackson, John H., Bendigo, merchant ...	200
Robinson, M., Williamstown, investor ...	3,500
Bell, Alex., Ballarat, merchant ...	500
Young, J. B., Bendigo, investor ...	500
Weddell, W., Bendigo, investor ...	1,000
Davies, H. O., Melbourne, sharebroker ...	300
Kelly, Mrs. C. B., Kew, investor ...	1,000
Edwards, R. J., Bendigo, investor ...	500
Stanistreet, J. J., Bendigo, legal manager ...	500
Barker, N., Bendigo, sharebroker ...	800
Honeychurch, J., Bendigo, sharebroker ...	200
Roxburgh, J. W., Launceston, sharebroker ...	4,000
Antcliffe, T., Ballarat, investor ...	4,500
Ross, R. B., Bendigo, accountant ...	200
Van Heurke, M., Castlemaine, investor ...	400
Little, A. E., Bendigo, investor ...	500
Magdalin, H., Bendigo, investor ...	500
Cock, S. A., Bendigo, inspector ...	300
Stanistreet, J. J., Bendigo, legal manager (in trust for shareholders) ...	11,300
	40,000

J. J. STANISTREET, Manager.

Dated this 8th day of October, 1917.

Witness to signature—A. T. TREGEAR.

I, JOHN JEPSON STANISTREET, do solemnly and sincerely declare:—

1. That I am the manager of the said intended company.
2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

J. J. STANISTREET.

Taken before me this 8th day of October, 1917.—W. J. CAMPBELL, J.P. 6145

*Companies Act 1915.—Tenth Schedule.*GOLDEN GATE GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

I, the undersigned, do hereby make application to register the Golden Gate Gold Mining Company as a no-liability company under the provisions of Part II. of the *Companies Act 1915*.

1. The name of the company is to be Golden Gate Gold Mining Company No Liability.
2. The place of operations is at Kunanalling, Western Australia.
3. The registered office of the company will be situated at 31 Queen-street, Melbourne.
4. The value of the company's property, including claim and machinery, is nil.
5. The number of shares in the company is 200, of £10 each.
6. The number of shares subscribed for is One hundred and forty-eight.
7. The name of the manager is Frederick Tricks.

8. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders and the number of shares held by each at this date are as below:—

Names, Addresses, and Occupations.	Number of Shares.
Archibald Campbell, 127 William-street, Melbourne, auctioneer ...	1
James F. Fyfe, 159 Queen-street, Melbourne, solicitor ...	1
John Callaghan, Exhibition-street, Melbourne, secretary ...	1
Frederick Tricks (in trust for shareholders), 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, legal manager ...	145
Frederick Tricks (in trust for company), 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, legal manager ...	52
	200

FRED. TRICKS, Manager.

Dated this 8th day of October, 1917,

Witness to signature—J. BARNACLE.

I, FREDERICK TRICKS, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the manager of the said intended company.
2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular. And I make this solemn declaration, conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making a false declaration punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

FRED. TRICKS.

Taken before me, at Melbourne, this eighth day of October, 1917—C. D. LLOYD, J.P. 6154

CHRISTMAS REEF GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that John Jepson Stanistreet has been appointed manager of the above company. Dated at Bendigo the 8th day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

(SEAL) H. L. RALPH, } Directors.
6141 W. CASLEY, }

CHRISTMAS REEF GOLD MINING COMPANY
NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company is situated at Commercial House, Charing Cross, Bendigo. Dated at Bendigo the 8th day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

(SEAL) H. L. RALPH, } Directors.
6142 W. CASLEY, }

INSOLVENCY NOTICES.

The *Insolvency Act 1915*.—In the Court of Insolvency, Midland District, at Swan Hill.

A FIRST Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of John Hayes and Denis Hayes, of Ultima, in the State of Victoria, share farmers, whose estate was adjudged to be sequestrated by orders nisi and absolute, dated respectively the 1st day of February, 1917, and the 22nd day of February, 1917. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 3rd day of November, 1917, will be excluded.

Dated this 8th day of October, 1917.

6140 JOHN COLEMAN, Assignee, Kerang.

The *Insolvency Acts*.—In the Court of Insolvency, Midland District, at Mildura.—In the matter of JOHN CARROLL, of Ouyen, in the State of Victoria, farmer, insolvent.

A FIRST and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of the above-named, whose estate was sequestrated on the 7th day of November, 1913. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the seventeenth day of October, 1917, will be excluded from this dividend.

Dated this third day of October, 1917.

H. S. V. BUSST, Trustee.
Beehive Exchange, Bendigo. 6122

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency. **D**IVIDENDS are intended to be declared in the undermentioned estates. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 23rd day of October, 1917, will be excluded :—

GEORGE WILKINS, of Box Hill, Camberwell, and Mitcham, storekeeper. Assigned 8th November, 1916. Second.

ALBERT HILDEBRANDT, of Warrnambool, butcher. assigned 31st May, 1915. Third and final.

FREDERICK SYDNEY STRAKER, of Hawthorn, caterer, sequestrated 2nd August, 1917. First and final.

Dated the 2nd day of October, 1917.
EDWARD W. SMAIL, F.C.P.A., public accountant and registered trustee, Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne. 6167

The Insolvency Acts.—In the Court of Insolvency, Southern District, at Ballarat, No. 1942.—In the matter of LOUIS FILIPPE, of Yendon, in the State of Victoria, railway employee, insolvent.

THE above-named Louis Filippe intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency, at Ballarat, on the fifth day of November, 1917, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge, pursuant to the provisions of the *Insolvency Act 1915*, and for dispensing with the condition mentioned in section 233 of the said Act.

Dated the 8th day of October, 1917.

L. FILIPPE.

R. J. Gribble, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, solicitor for the insolvent. 6131

The *Insolvency Act 1915*.—In the Court of Insolvency, Midland District.—In the matter of THOMAS HENRY ROBERTS, of Neilborough, in the State of Victoria, farmer and contractor.

THE above-named Thomas Henry Roberts intends to apply to the Court of Insolvency, at Bendigo, on the first day of November, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge, pursuant to the provisions of the *Insolvency Act 1915*, and to dispense with the condition mentioned in section 233 of the said Act.

Dated the second day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

(Signed) T. H. ROBERTS.

Hyett and Hyett, Molesworth Chambers, Bull-street, Bendigo, solicitors for insolvent. 6123

In the Court of Insolvency, Western District, holden at Birchip.—In the matter of CHARLES HARRISON, of Speed, in the State of Victoria, farmer, an insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the abovenamed Court has appointed the eighteenth day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for holding an examination sitting of the said court in the estate of the abovenamed, and the said court has ordered the debtor to attend such sitting, for the purpose of being examined on oath by the trustee or any creditor as to his trade dealings and estate.

Dated this 29th day of September, 1917.

6159 F. A. USSING, Trustee.

The *Insolvency Act 1915*.—In the Court of Insolvency at Swan Hill, Midland District.—In the matter of JOHN HAYES and DENIS HAYES, of Ultima, in the State of Victoria, farmers, insolvents.

THE abovenamed John Hayes and Denis Hayes intend to apply to the Court of Insolvency, at Swan Hill, on the thirty-first day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for a certificate of discharge pursuant to the provisions of the *Insolvency Act 1915*, and to dispense with the condition mentioned in section 233 of the *Insolvency Act 1915*.

Dated the 1st day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

JOHN HAYES, } of Ultima, the above-
DENIS HAYES, } named insolvents.

Luke Murphy, Pall Mall, Bendigo, solicitor for the applicants. 6144

IMPOUNDINGS.

BRANXHOLME.—Impounded at Branhholme, by A. McFarlane.

1 crossbred wether, hole and front notch off ear

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 3rd November, 1917.

6139—4/1 HUGH DEVEREUX, Poundkeeper.

BUNYIP SOUTH.—Impounded at Bunyip South, by O. Kavanagh.

1 brown pony, aged, small star, clipped, shod, OK near shoulder
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 2nd November, 1917.

6169—4/1 R. H. BENNETT, Poundkeeper.

COLAC.—Impounded at Colac Shire Pound.

1 black pony gelding, one eye out, like 8 near shoulder
1 bay gelding
1 bay gelding, white star on forehead
1 bay mare, white face
1 bay mare, T near shoulder
1 black gelding, T near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st November, 1917.

6147—6/5 PETER MCINNIS, Poundkeeper.

KANEIRA.—Impounded at Kaneira.

1 bay gelding, hack, star and snip, hind feet white, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 31st October, 1917.

6125—4/1 C. E. FANNING, Poundkeeper.

KORUMBURRA.—Impounded at Korumburra.

1 dark-brown Jersey bull, mealy muzzle, scar off shoulder, swallow off ear, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 2nd November 1917.

6149—4/1 J. W. CORMACK, Poundkeeper

MAFFRA.—Impounded at Maffra.

1 brown heifer, G off rump
1 brown springing heifer, square out back near ear, slit top off ear, G off rump, J off shoulder
1 yellow springing cow, square out back near ear, slit top off ear, G off rump, J off shoulder, indescrivable brand off thigh

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 2nd November, 1917.

6146—5/10 JAS. A. DU MOULIN, Poundkeeper.

MALMSBURY.—Impounded at Malmsbury, 26th September, 1917.

1 brown gelding, aged, white blaze on face, no visible brand

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 24th October, 1917.

6126—4/1 R. STEWART, Poundkeeper.

MELBOURNE.—Impounded at Melbourne City Pound, Arden-street, North Melbourne, by C. Meaker.

1 black or brown pony mare, branded C in circle
1 black or brown pony gelding, branded Δ

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st November, 1917.

6134—4/8 C. CAVANAGH, Poundkeeper.

MORTLAKE.—Impounded at Mortlake, 1st October, 1917, by H. H. Clark, Herdsman, Darlington.

1 bay gelding, light, near hind fetlock white, B near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 31st October, 1917.

6135—4/1 JAMES ABSALOM, Poundkeeper.

ORBOST.—Impounded at Orbost Shire Pound.

1 brown Jersey heifer, piece out off ear, like 7 off rump
1 bay mare, star, off hind foot white, like NM near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 27th October, 1917.

6160—4/1 R. HEPPARD, Poundkeeper.

PAKENHAM.—Impounded at Pakenham.

1 chestnut mare, cobby sort, star on forehead, saddle marked, JG near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 2nd November, 1917.

6150—4/1 JAMES J. AHERN, Poundkeeper.

SOUTH GIPPSLAND.—Impounded at South Gippsland Shire Pound.

1 brown Jersey cow, off ear punched and slit, X off rump
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 31st October, 1917.

6136—4/1

EDWARD ASTBURY,
Poundkeeper.

S.T. ARNAUD.—Impounded at St. Arnaud, 5th October, 1917.

1 black horse, light, star and snip, shod, like JS off shoulder
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 5th November, 1917.

6137—4/1

J. O. ROTHWELL,
Poundkeeper.

TURRIFF.—Impounded at Turriff, 5th October, 1917.

1 bay draught gelding, star on forehead, near hind foot white, like 71J near shoulder
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st November, 1917.

6138—4/1

JOHN McARTHUR,
Poundkeeper.

WICKLIFFE.—Impounded at Wickliffe, 6th October, 1917, by R. McMaster, Lake Bolac.

1 merino ewe, swallow and back notch off ear
2 merino wethers, swallow near ear, like B in black on shoulder
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 31st October, 1917.

6130—4/8

JAMES FORD,
Poundkeeper.

YACKANDANDAH.—Impounded at Yackandandah, 5th October, 1917, by Constable W. Humphrys.

1 bay saddle mare, several small white spots on back, RR (conjoined, the first R turned to the left), on near shoulder

By A. Kinchington.

1 grey horse, nuggety sort, GK on off shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 31st October, 1917.

6148—6/5

M. CLUNE,
Poundkeeper.

POUNDKEEPERS' REMITTANCES.

THE GOVERNMENT PRINTER acknowledges the receipt of the undermentioned sums:—

1917.	£	s.	d.
October 4.—B. M. Dunn	0	3	0
October 9.—J. Absalom	0	4	6
October 9.—E. Astbury	0	5	0
October 9.—J. O. Rothwell	0	5	0
October 9.—J. McArthur	0	3	0
October 9.—H. Devereux	0	4	0

ALBERT J. MULLETT,
Government Printer.

10th October, 1917.

STATE ACTS 1916.

COPIES of the following Acts of the Parliament of Victoria may be obtained at the Government Printing Office or from any bookseller at the price set opposite to each, viz.:—

	s.	d.
2820. Supply	0	6
2821. Supply	0	6
2822. Education	0	6
2823. State Savings Bank	0	6
2824. Execution of Trusts	0	6
2825. Medical (Chemists' Apprentices)	0	6
2826. Colac Market Lands	0	6
2827. Intoxication Liquor Temporary Restriction	0	6
2828. Evidence	0	6
2829. Unauthorized Documents	0	6
2830. University	0	6
2831. Poor Prisoners Defence	0	6
2832. Port Melbourne Loan	0	6
2833. Members Qualifications	0	6
2834. Supply	0	6
2835. Betting Tax	0	3
2836. Melbourne to Burwood Tramway	0	6
2837. Creswick Land	0	6
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