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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 or Public Half-Holidays (as the case may be) at the places respectively specified, viz.:—

#### Public Holidays:—

WEDNESDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, throughout the Peshurst Riding of the Shire of Mount Rouse;

WEDNESDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, throughout the Shires of Rodney and Shepparton, the North-West Riding of the Shire of Rochester (Gunbower\*), and the North and Central Ridings of the Shire of Violet Town;

THURSDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, throughout the Borough of Port Fairy and the Shire of Belfast;

WEDNESDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, throughout the United Shire of Metcalfe;

FRIDAY, THE 23RD DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, throughout the East Riding of the Shire of Eltham;

WEDNESDAY, THE 28TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, throughout the Shire of Avoca\*;

THURSDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF MARCH, 1917, throughout the Shire of Orbst†;

THURSDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF MARCH, 1917, throughout the Shire of Werribee;

SATURDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF MARCH, 1917, throughout the Shire of Orbst.

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

WEDNESDAY, THE 14TH, AND THURSDAY, THE 15TH, DAYS OF FEBRUARY, 1917, throughout the Borough of Portland\*.

\*For Races.

†For Agricultural Show.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the seventh 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!

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## BANK 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 Holidays or Bank Half-Holidays (as the case may be) at the places respectively mentioned, that is to say:—

#### Bank Holidays:—

MONDAY, THE 5TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, at Gisborne;

WEDNESDAY, THE 7TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, at Peshurst;

SATURDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, at Thorpdale and Trafalgar;

TUESDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, at Lancefield;

WEDNESDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, at Kydeton;

THURSDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, at Port Fairy;

SATURDAY, THE 24TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, at Heyfield and Lillydale.

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

WEDNESDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, at Shepparton;

FRIDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, at Leon-gatha;

WEDNESDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1917, at Echuca and Leongatha;

WEDNESDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF MARCH, 1917, at Quyen;

WEDNESDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF MARCH, 1917, at Donald.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the seventh 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.

THE Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Orders made on the 25th day of January, 1917, been pleased to make the undermentioned appointments, viz. :—

## DEPARTMENT OF CHIEF SECRETARY.

*Electoral Registrars,*

WARREN SPEAK, Buninyong,

to be Electoral Registrar for the Buninyong Division of the Wellington Province, and also for the Buninyong Division of the Electoral District of Grenville, *vice* Arthur D. Hannah, whose resignation has, by Order of the 25th day of January, 1917, been accepted;

DAVID WATSON, Trentham,

to be Electoral Registrar for the Trentham Division of the Electoral District of Daylesford, *vice* Benjamin H. McPherson deceased.

*Registrar of Births and Deaths,*

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

Trentham.—MARY CLEMENTINA MCPHERSON, from commencement of duty, *vice* Benjamin H. McPherson deceased.

*Chaplain of a Gaol,*

WILLIAM FREDERICK TUCKER (The Venerable Archdeacon),

to be Visiting Chaplain (Church of England Denomination) to the Ballarat Gaol, *vice* (Rev.) W. Reed, whose resignation has, by Order of the 25th January, 1917, been accepted.

## LUNACY DEPARTMENT—HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE.

The Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, and in pursuance of the provisions contained in the *Public Service Act 1915* (No. 2713), and in the *Lunacy Act 1915* (No. 2687), has, by Order made on the 25th day of January, 1917, been pleased to make the undermentioned appointment, viz. :—

*Medical Superintendent (Acting),*

DONALD ALBERT CAMPBELL, M.B., Ch.B.,

to be Medical Superintendent (Acting) of the Hospital for the Insane, Yarra Bend, from 16th to 22nd January, 1917, during the absence of John Steell, M.B., Ch.M., &c., on sick leave.

## LAW DEPARTMENT—SOLICITOR-GENERAL.

*Magistrates,*

HERBERT DUNCAN HALL, a Commissioner of the Government Savings Bank of New South Wales, 9 Moore-street, Sydney, New South Wales, and NATHAN SOLOMONS, North-terrace, Kent Town, South Australia,

to Keep the Peace in the Central, Eastern, Midland, Northern, Southern, and Western Bailiwicks of the State of Victoria;

TOM POOLEY COOPER, Kerang, and HARRY GRAY, Albert-street, Kerang.

to Keep the Peace in the Midland Bailiwick of the State of Victoria;

JOHN DOWNES SUTHERLAND, "The Grange," Tat-yoon,

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

*Clerk of Petty Sessions (Acting),*

WALTER RONALD ELLIOTT, Mounted Constable of Police, Bright,

to be also Clerk of Petty Sessions (Acting), at Bright, *vice* W. Priest relieved, appointment to take effect from the date of commencement of duty.

*Assistant Registrar,*

WALTER RONALD ELLIOTT, Clerk of Petty Sessions (Acting), Bright,

to be also Assistant Registrar to enter plaints and other process and issue plaints, summonses, and all other process and proceedings returnable at the County Court at Wangaratta (section 27, Act 2636).

*Clerk of Licensing Court,*

WALTER RONALD ELLIOTT, Clerk of Petty Sessions (Acting) at Bright,

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

## DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY.

*Managers of Commons,*

ALBERT HARRIDGE,  
CHARLES MANNING,  
MICHAEL MCCARTHY,  
JOHN JAMES O'CONNOR, and  
ELLIS WIGNALL WILKINSON,

to be Managers of the Kerang Town Common for the year ending 31st December, 1917, in the room of the same gentlemen all retired;

MICHAEL BREHENY,  
ANTHONY BRENNAN,  
JAMES HENRY CARTLEDGE,  
MICHAEL THOMAS CULLINAN,  
PHILIP FINEGAN,  
JACOB LEWELLYN REECE, and  
WILLIAM YOUNG,

to be Managers of the Sale Common for the year ending 31st December, 1917, in the room of the same gentlemen all retired;

WILLIAM SIMON CHATHAM,  
EDWARD CRANE, and  
FRANCIS ROBINSON,

to be Managers of the Rokewood Town Common for the year ending 31st December, 1917.

## DEPARTMENT OF MINES.

*Deputy Mining Registrar,*

DAVID WATSON

to be Deputy Mining Registrar at Trentham, *vice* B. H. McPherson deceased.

## STATE RIVERS AND WATER SUPPLY COMMISSION.

*Waterworks Trust Commissioners,*

H. MCFADZEAN,

to be a Commissioner for the Euroa Waterworks Trust, and to hold office as such from the date hereof to the fifth day of May, 1918, subject to the provisions of the Water Acts;

GEORGE MILLER,

appointed a Commissioner of the Warracknabeal Waterworks Trust, *vice* T. W. Dalby deceased, and to hold office as such for four years from the 25th January, 1917, subject to the provisions of the Water Acts;

S. T. BOWLES;

to be a Commissioner of the Yarrowonga Urban Waterworks Trust, *vice* A. M. Chappell resigned, and to hold office for a period of four years from the 25th January, 1917, subject to the provisions of the Water Acts.

## DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR.

*Members of Special Boards,*

WILLIAM GABRIEL BARGER

to be a Member of the Agricultural Implements Board constituted under the provisions of the *Factories and Shops Act 1915* (representative of employers), *vice* William Thomas Mitchell resigned;

TOM TUNALEY

to be a Member of the Woodworkers Board constituted under the provisions of the *Factories and Shops Act 1915* (representative of employees), *vice* H. Nicol resigned.

F. W. MABBOTT,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,  
Melbourne, the 25th January, 1917.

## APPOINTMENTS.

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 January, 1917, been pleased to make the undermentioned appointments, viz. :—

## THE PHARMACY BOARD OF VICTORIA.

*Appointment of Members,*

WILLIAM HENRY FLEAY, Esq., and  
CHARLES EDWARD TOWLE, Esq.,

to be Members of the Pharmacy Board of Victoria, pursuant to the provisions of the *Medical Act 1915*, for a period of three years from 1st February, 1917.

F. W. MABBOTT,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,  
Melbourne, the 25th January, 1917.

## COMMISSIONERS OF THE SUPREME COURT.

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

## FOR TAKING AFFIDAVITS.

Name.	Profession.	Residence.	Jurisdiction.	Duration of Commission (unless revoked).
Bertram Theodore Heavener	Solicitor ...	Tocumwal ...	New South Wales ...	Residence and practise
Cecil Henry Thompson	Manager, Commercial Banking Company of Sydney Limited	Tocumwal ...	New South Wales ...	Position of manager of Commercial Banking Company of Sydney Limited, at Tocumwal
Donald Campbell ...	Solicitor ...	Adelaide ...	South Australia ...	Residence and practise
Robert David Cole ...	Postmaster and Storekeeper	Bethanga ...	Victoria ...	Residence

Prothonotary's Office,  
Melbourne, 3rd February, 1917.

D. F. McGRATH,  
Prothonotary.

*Dairy Supervision Act 1915.*

## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

## APPOINTMENT OF SUPERVISOR.

**T**HE 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 January, 1917, in accordance with the provisions of section 9 of the *Dairy Supervision Act 1915* (No. 2639), appointed the undermentioned person as a Supervisor, has approved that such appointment be in terms of, and subject to, the conditions set forth in section 9 of the said Act, with proviso as to salary, and conditions as to commuted allowances, &c., as described in the Order aforesaid, and has approved that the appointment shall commence from the 1st day of January, 1917, that is to say:—

ROBERT CHARLES LORIMER.

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,  
Melbourne, the 25th January, 1917.

## APPOINTMENT.

## ORDER AMENDED.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Order made on the 25th day of January, 1917, amended the Order of the 11th day of December, 1916, published in the *Gazette* of 20th December, 1916, so far only as regards the appointment of Florence Josephine Byrnes, by the substitution of the name "Florence Josephina Byrnes" for that of "Florence Josephine Byrnes."

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,  
Melbourne, the 25th January, 1917.

## COMPANIES AUDITORS BOARD.

**T**HE following candidates, having passed the Examination of the Companies Auditors Board, have obtained Licences to act as Auditors for the companies, under section 123 of the *Companies Act*:—

No. 2. J. L. BEALE,	No. 17. E. J. INGRAM,
5. V. T. BOLDEMAN.	21. L. W. MALE,
6. I. BOURN (Miss),	24. L. J. PEACE,
10. F. C. CRAWFORD,	26. A. R. PERMEWAN,
12. H. W. EDWARDS,	35. C. B. TAYLOR (Miss),
14. E. FOOKES,	39. J. R. B. WHARTON.

F. A. HASSETT, A.I.A.V., A.F.I.A.,  
Secretary, Companies Auditors Board.

District Pay Office, Department of Defence, Melbourne.

## RESIGNATIONS.

**T**HE Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has, by Orders made on the 25th day of January, 1917, accepted the resignations by the persons named hereunder of the offices mentioned, viz.:—

## DEPARTMENT OF ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

*Officer of the Fourth Class,*

EDWARD JAMES BULEY

of his position as an Officer of the Fourth Class, Clerical Division, resignation to take effect from and after the 22nd January, 1916.

## LAW DEPARTMENT—SOLICITOR-GENERAL.

*Magistrates,*

O. L. OLDEN

of the Commission of the Peace for the Central Bailiwick of the State of Victoria;

JOHN ERNEST MASON

of the Commission of the Peace for the Midland Bailiwick of the State of Victoria.

*Probation Officer,*

SAMUEL PYNOR

of his position as Probation Officer for the Children's Court at Essendon.

## DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR.

*Members of Special Boards,*

WILLIAM THOMAS MITCHELL

of his position as a Member of the Agricultural Implements Board constituted under the provisions of the *Factories and Shops Act 1915* (representative of employers);

H. NICOL

of his position as a Member of the Woodworkers Board constituted under the provisions of the *Factories and Shops Act 1915* (representative of employees).

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,  
Melbourne, the 25th January, 1917.

## PUBLIC SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

NOTICE is hereby given that Examinations of Male Candidates for appointment to the Clerical and General Divisions of the Public Service of the State of Victoria will be held at such of the undermentioned places, or elsewhere, as may be found necessary, commencing at Nine (9) o'clock a.m. on Saturday, the 31st March, 1917:—

Ararat	Maryborough
Ballarat	Melbourne
Bendigo	Sale
Castlemaine	Shepparton
Geelong	Wangaratta
Hamilton	Warrnambool.

Applications, accompanied by evidence of good moral character and industrious habits, must be lodged at the office of the Public Service Commissioner, Geological Museum Building, Gisborne-street, Melbourne, on or before Friday, 9th March, 1917.

Forms of application and copies of the Regulations may be obtained at the office of the Commissioner.

Candidates must state at which place they desire to present themselves for examination—which must be that nearest their residence—and must forward, either with their application, or on or before Wednesday, 21st March, 1917, a crossed postal note payable to the Secretary to the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria), for Twelve shillings and sixpence (12s. 6d.) in the case of candidates for the Clerical Examination, and Five shillings (5s.) in the case of candidates for the General Division Examinations, being the fees for such examinations.

At the Clerical Examination fifty (50) candidates will be selected for registration for appointment as Clerks. Candidates must at the date of examination be between the ages of sixteen and twenty-one years at last birthday; but no person twenty-two years of age or over can be appointed. The commencing salary is £60, rising to a maximum of £204 a year by increments, which may be granted at intervals of not less than one year if recommended by the Permanent Head of the Department and the Public Service Commissioner.

The positions in the General Division open to competition and the probable requirements are as under:—

	Yearly Rate of Pay.	
	Minimum.	Maximum.
Penal Warders (12)	£ 132	£ 168
Junior Messengers (14)	48	108

For the position of Penal Warden applicants must be between the ages of 25 and 35 years, and must furnish a certificate of fitness from the Inspector-General of Penal Establishments, Melbourne, not later than Friday, the 9th March, 1917. No applicant shall be registered as a candidate for such position if he shall be less than 5 feet 8 inches in height, or measure round his chest less than 36 inches, or weigh less than 11 stone.

For the position of Junior Messenger applicants must be between the ages of sixteen and twenty years. After attainment of the age of twenty-one years and completion of three years' service an officer may be granted a salary of £108 a year.

NOTE.—The limitation as to maximum age will not apply to any returned sailor or soldier who may desire to become an applicant. In these cases certificate of discharge must be furnished.

By order,

J. D. MERSON,  
Secretary.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,  
Melbourne, 5th February, 1917.

## FOURTH CLASS CLERK, GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE, DEPARTMENT OF TREASURER.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the Public Service Commissioner (Victoria) from officers of the Fifth Class of the Clerical Division of the Public Service of Victoria, who are qualified, for appointment to the position of Fourth Class Clerk, Government Printing Office, Department of Treasurer.

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

Duties.—To keep Stores Accounts, to buy paper, leathers, metals, and sundries, and to prepare contracts and schedules.

Qualifications.—A knowledge of accounts, and good business capacity.

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 16th February, 1917.

By order,

J. D. MERSON,  
Secretary.

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

## STATIONERY STOREKEEPER, GENERAL DIVISION, GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE, DEPARTMENT OF TREASURER.

APPLICATIONS 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 position of Stationery Storekeeper, General Division, Government Printing Office, Department of Treasurer.

Salary.—£168 a year.

Duties.—To prepare orders for stationery from contractors; to register requisitions for supplies to departments; and to summarize monthly journal entry accounts.

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 16th February, 1917.

By order,

J. D. MERSON,  
Secretary.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF CHIEF SECRETARY.

## COMMISSION TO INQUIRE INTO THE SUPPOSED DROWNING OF TWO BOYS OFF THE BEACH AT CARRUM IN APRIL, 1916.

## FIXING THE MAXIMUM EXPENDITURE.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has, by an Order made on the 25th day of January, 1917, fixed the sum of Fifty pounds (£50) as the maximum expenditure of the Commission appointed for the purpose of publicly inquiring into and reporting upon the circumstances under which two boys—John Montgomery Robinson and Andrew McNeill—are supposed to have met their deaths by drowning off the beach at Carrum in April, 1916.

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,  
Melbourne, the 25th January, 1917.

## Income Tax Act.

## NOTICE TO PAY TAX.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the above-named Act, the tax chargeable on all assessments of income for the year commencing on the 1st day of July, 1916, made after the 6th day of February, 1917, and on or before the 13th day of February, 1917, is payable at this office on or before the 25th day of February, 1917.

Dated this 2nd day of February, 1917.

R. M. WELDON,  
Commissioner of Taxes.

## Electric Light and Power Act 1915.

## ORDER GRANTED BY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IT is hereby notified that an Order, pursuant to the provisions of the *Electric Light and Power Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2645), as hereunder mentioned, has been granted by His Excellency the Governor in Council, viz.:—

Order No. 126.—Order under sections 8 and 10 of the above-mentioned Act granted to The Council of the Shire of Kilmore, whose office is situated at Sydney-street, Kilmore, in respect of the Shire of Kilmore. (Dated 25th January, 1917.)

W. A. ADAMSON,  
Minister of Public Works.

Department of Public Works, Melbourne.

## Provident Societies Act 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Provident Society, called the "Swan Hill Co-operative Society Limited," is duly registered under the provisions of the above Act.

Dated the 30th day of January, 1917.

GEO. B. VASEY,  
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

## Heatherton Sanatorium Act 1916.

## NOMINATIONS FOR ELECTION OF REPRESENTATIVES ON THE SANATORIUM BOARD.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the *Heatherton Sanatorium Act 1916* and of Regulations made thereunder, I hereby give notice that I have specified Thursday, the 15th day of February, 1917, as the day on or before which the Council of the City of Melbourne may nominate a suitable person to be its representative member on the Heatherton Sanatorium Board; and, further, that I have specified Thursday, the 15th day of February, 1917, as the day on or before which—

1. The Council of each of the municipalities composing the "A" Group, viz., Brunswick, Collingwood, Essendon, Fitzroy, Footscray, Northcote, Richmond, Coburg, Williamstown, Preston, Heidelberg, Bulla, Broadmeadows, Braybrook;
2. The Council of each of the municipalities composing the "B" Group, viz., Malvern, Hawthorn, Kew, Camberwell, Port Melbourne, South Melbourne, St. Kilda, Brighton, Prahran, Caulfield, Moorabbin, Oakleigh, Nunawading, Dandenong, Healesville,

respectively may nominate a suitable person to be its representative member on the Heatherton Sanatorium Board.

Dated at Melbourne this 5th day of January, 1917.

E. ROBERTSON,  
Returning Officer.

Public Health Department.

## Mining Development Act.

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENFORCE COMPLIANCE WITH PROVISIONS OF ACT.

WHEREAS Hansel Mundy Gold Mining Company No Liability, whose registered office is situate at 75 Thistle-street, Bendigo, in the State of Victoria (hereinafter called "the company"), has made default in payment of interest due and payable by the company under and by virtue of an agreement dated the twenty-third day of December, One thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and made between the company of the one part and the Honorable William Alexander Watt, in his capacity as the Treasurer of the said State for the time being, for and on behalf of His Most Gracious Majesty King George V. of the other part. And whereas the said agreement was entered into to secure the repayment of moneys advanced to the company by way of loan under Part III. of the *Mining Development Act 1908*, together with interest on such moneys on the days and in the manner set forth in such agreement: Now therefore the Honorable Sir Alexander James Peacock, in his capacity as Treasurer of the said State for the time being doth hereby give notice, in accordance with section twenty-nine of the *Mining Development Act 1915*, that it is his intention to enforce compliance with the provisions of the last-mentioned Act.

Dated the 2nd day of February, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

A. J. PEACOCK,  
Treasurer of the State of Victoria.

UNITED GOLD MINING COMPANY N. L.  
MINES ASSETS PURCHASE COMPANY LTD.  
MAUDE REEFS GOLD MINES N. L.  
LEASE No. 3996, GIPPSLAND.

AN application having been made under section 85 of the *Mines Act 1915* by Thomas Peterson, of Glen Wills, in respect of the above lease, notice is hereby given that a public inquiry, under the said section and Act, will be held by me, at the Court House, at Omeo, on Thursday, the 22nd day of February, 1917, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which place and time all the parties concerned are given notice to attend.

Dated at Bairnsdale this 5th day of February, 1917.

CHAS. J. GREY,  
Warden.

## Mining Development Acts.

## DEPARTMENT OF MINES.

## ADVANCES TO MINERS FOR PROSPECTING.

## ORDER AMENDED.

IN pursuance of the provisions of Part VII. of the *Mining Development Act 1915* (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 25th day of January, 1917, amended the Order in Council of the 9th October, 1916, and published in the *Gazette* of the 18th October, 1916, in so far as it relates to the name of W. Rock, and that the name of A. Burton be substituted therefor.

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,  
Melbourne, the 25th January, 1917.

## Mining Development Acts.

## DEPARTMENT OF MINES.

## ADVANCES TO MINERS FOR PROSPECTING.

## ORDER AMENDED.

IN pursuance of the provisions of Part VII. of the *Mining Development Act 1915* (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 25th day of January, 1917, amended the Order in Council of the 20th November, 1916, and published in the *Gazette* of the 20th November, 1916, in so far as it relates to the name of J. Rochford, and that the name of J. Ryan be substituted therefor.

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,  
Melbourne, the 25th January, 1917.

## APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES.

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

319, for lease 7615, Ballarat; T. V. Trait; 11a. 3r. 21p.; Rokewood.  
1049, for lease 9382, Bendigo; C. N. Jeffrey; 35a. 2r. 4p.; Eaglehawk.

Note.—In the particulars published in the *Government Gazette* of 17th January, 1917, page 155, the name of applicant for lease 7386, Castlemaine, should be F. A. Dundas, not F. A. Douglas as printed.

T. LIVINGSTON,  
Minister of Mines.

## APPLICATIONS FOR MINING LEASES ABANDONED.

6969, Beechworth; W. J. Chaffer; 20 acres, Running Creek.  
812, for lease 3304, mineral; W. S. McAlpine; 52a. 1r. 33p.; parish of Weston.

T. LIVINGSTON,  
Minister of Mines.

## LICENCES TO WORK TAILINGS EXPIRED.

## BENDIGO.

No. 609; Rushworth; J. S. Brandon and R. E. McCann.  
No. 627; Rushworth; J. S. Brandon and R. E. McCann.

W. DICKSON,  
Secretary for Mines.

24th January, 1917.

## MINING LEASES GRANTED.

THE undermentioned Mining Leases have been granted. Any lease not executed by the 3rd prox. will be liable to forfeiture:—

7617, Ballarat (in lieu of 5266, expired); Last Chance United Co. N. L.  
6949, Beechworth; J. D. O'Callaghan.  
7423 and 7424, Castlemaine (in lieu of 5411, surrendered); J. Hubber.  
6025, Maryborough; Duke and Main Leads Consols G. M. Co. N. L.  
6032, Maryborough; J. N. Dunn and H. P. Ogilvie.  
6036, Maryborough; J. N. Dunn and H. P. Ogilvie.  
9379, Bendigo; The New Chum Goldfields Co. N. L.

T. LIVINGSTON,  
Minister of Mines.

Office of Mines,  
Melbourne, 5th February, 1917.

## MINING AND FACTORY ENGINE-DRIVERS.

**EXAMINATIONS** will be held in Melbourne, Gippsland, and the other country districts (at any place where there are sufficient applicants) during the months of March and April.

Applications will be received up to the 16th February. Applicants who desire to have their original testimonials returned should present to the Board certified copies as well as the originals.

Forms of application may be obtained at this office or from the Inspectors of Mines or Factories.

R. U. BIRRELL,  
Secretary to Board of Examiners.

## SHIRE OF HAMPDEN.

ROAD DEVIATION.  
Order Confirmed.

**I**N pursuance of the powers conferred by sections 475 and 479 of the *Local Government Act 1903*, the Council of the Shire of Hampden doth hereby order that the land firstly hereunder described shall be a public highway from and after the date of the publication of this Order in the *Government Gazette*. And the said Council hereby declares that the above-mentioned public highway shall be in lieu of the existing road over the land secondly hereinafter described:—

Firstly.—All that piece of land commencing at a point 1,884.6 links bearing north from the south-west corner of allotment 8a, parish of Tooliorook; thence by a line bearing south 75 degrees 15 minutes east 7,313 links; thence south 22.7 links; thence east 100 links; thence north 100 links; thence north 75 degrees 15 minutes west 7,416 links; thence south 103.4 links to the commencing point, and containing 7 acres 1 rood 27 perches.

Secondly.—All that piece of land commencing at the south-west corner of allotment 8a, parish of Tooliorook; thence east 7,070 links; thence south 100 links; thence west 7,070 links; thence north 100 links to the commencing point, and containing 7 acres and 28 perches.

Made this third day of August, One thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

And confirmed the seventh day of September, One thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

The common seal of the President, Councillors, and Ratepayers of the Shire of Hampden was hereunto affixed in the presence of—

(SEAL) E. MANIFOLD, President.  
JAMES C. MANIFOLD, Councillor.  
H. C. INGLETON, Secretary.

Confirmed by the Governor in Council,  
25th January, 1917.

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

## SHIRE OF HEYTESBURY.

ROAD DEVIATION.  
Order Confirmed.

**I**N pursuance of the powers conferred by sections 475 and 479 of the *Local Government Act 1915*, the Council of the Shire of Heytesbury doth hereby order that the land hereunder described shall be a public highway from and after the date of the publication of this Order in the *Government Gazette*, and such public highway is hereby declared to be in lieu of another public highway in the parish of Timboon, county of Heytesbury, more particularly hereinafter described:—

All that piece of land being part of Crown allotment 55, parish of Timboon, county of Heytesbury, bounded as follows:—Commencing at a point (being a point on the 150 links reserve to Curdie's River) bearing south 89 degrees 30 minutes east 814 links, south 73 degrees 37 minutes east 780 links, south 23 degrees 48 minutes east 557 8-10 links, north 31 degrees 22 minutes east 220 7-10 links from the intersection of the east side of the road forming the west boundary of the allotment; and the south side of the road through the allotment; and bounded thence by lines bearing respectively south 31 degrees 22 minutes west 95 9-10 links, north 23 degrees 48 minutes west 121 8-10 links, north 31 degrees 22 minutes east 113 9-10 links to a point on the said reserve; thence southerly by the boundary of the said reserve to the commencing point.

And shall be in lieu of part of a public road in the parish of Timboon, county of Heytesbury: Commencing at a point (being a point on the 150 links reserve to Curdie's River) bearing south 89 degrees 30 minutes east 814 links, south 73 degrees 37 minutes east 780 links, south 23 degrees 48 minutes east 824 links, north 86 degrees 7 minutes east 230 links from the point of intersection on the east side of the road forming west boundary of allotment and the south side of the road through the allotment; and bounded thence by lines bearing respectively

south 86 degrees 7 minutes west 230 links, north 23 degrees 48 minutes west 286 2-10 links, north 31 degrees 22 minutes east 121 8-10 links, south 23 degrees 48 minutes east 260 2-10 links, north 86 degrees 7 minutes east 106 links to a point on the said reserve; thence southerly by the boundary of said reserve to the point of commencement.

Given under the seal of the Council of the Shire of Heytesbury this tenth day of January, 1917.

(SEAL) R. L. HOWLETT, President.  
P. T. NEYLON, Councillor.  
W. LORD, Councillor.  
JAS. H. LESTER, Secretary.

Confirmed by the Governor in Council,  
25th January, 1917.

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

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

LICENCES TO OCCUPY WATER FRONTAGES.—  
LICENCES CANCELLED, ETC.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that Licences to occupy Water Frontages have been cancelled, amended, or transferred as shown hereunder:—

Licence No. 7803, Farrell, M., gazetted 15th January, 1913, page 150. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1915. Pay office, Benalla.

Licence No. 3594, Hamilton, J. W., gazetted 14th December, 1910, pages 5466-7. Amend from 1st January, 1917, by excising E. portion of frontage to allotment 83, reducing rent to 15s. per annum. Pay office, Yarram.

Licence No. 6660, Brown, H., gazetted 29th May, 1912, page 2076. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1914. Pay office, Boort.

Licence No. 4289, Van Lier, W. J., gazetted 19th July, 1911, page 3789. Cancelled as from 1st January, 1911. Pay office, Melbourne.

Licence No. 1214, Darby, Jas., estate of, gazetted 5th June, 1907, page 2371. Cancelled as from 31st August, 1915. Pay office, Melbourne.

Licence No. 8469, Rodger, J. A., and Beanland, W. J., gazetted 22nd April, 1914, page 1831. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1914. Pay office, Melbourne.

Licence No. 9446, Adams, R., gazetted 20th December, 1918, page 5145. Amend from 1st October, 1916, by including frontage to subdivisional lot 4 of 26A, increasing rental to 7s. 3d. per annum. Pay office, Melbourne.

Licence No. 6359, Donovan, Mrs. M., gazetted 17th April, 1912, page 1549. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1914. Pay office, Melbourne.

Licence No. 3307, Chapman, E. F., gazetted 20th July, 1910, page 3294. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1915. Pay office, Warragul.

Licence No. 2887, Sloan, Hugh, gazetted 20th October, 1909, page 4648. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1911. Pay office, Horsham.

Licence No. 6574, Emery, Wm., gazetted 22nd May, 1912, page 1990. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1915. Pay office, Wonthaggi.

Licence No. 2744, Bushby, John, executors of, gazetted 17th February, 1909, page 1360. Cancelled as from 16th January, 1917. Pay office, Nhill.

Licence No. 7215, Gross, Samuel, gazetted 25th September, 1912, page 3939. Cancelled as from 16th January, 1917. Pay office, Horsham.

Licence No. 935, Dodd, F., gazetted 5th April, 1907, page 1718. Amend name from 1st January, 1911, to Dodd Bros., Mirboo South. Pay office, Warragul.

Licence No. 6706, Randell, J. L., gazetted 25th May, 1912, page 2077. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1915. Pay office, Seymour.

Licence No. 6707, Randell, J. L., gazetted 29th May, 1912, page 2077. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1915. Pay office, Alexandria.

Licence No. 570, Metcalf, Edward, gazetted 3rd October, 1906, page 4046. Amend name to executors late E. Metcalf, c/o Mr. W. J. Metcalf, "Kinrara," Barfold. Pay office, Kyneton.

Licence No. 3784, O'Connor, C., gazetted 8th March, 1911, page 1533. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1912. Pay office, Traralgon.

Licence No. 4233, Williamson, R. K., gazetted 12th July, 1911, pages 3718-9. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1914. Pay office, Alexandria.

Licence No. 6013, Shaw, E. J., gazetted 31st January, 1912, page 506. Cancelled as from 31st December, 1912. Pay office, Wangaratta.

W. A. ADAMSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

Department of Public Works (Unused Roads and Water Frontages Branch), Melbourne, 22nd day of January, 1917.

Unused Roads and Water Frontages.—*Local Government Act 1915, Part 89, 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, 30th day of January, 1917.

W. A. ADAMSON,  
 Commissioner of Public Works.

Number 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—
13843	Ferguson, Miss M., "Cooyah," Russell-street, Toowoomba, Queensland	12 2 0	Seymour	Tarcombe	Upton P.R.	1.1.1913	31.12.1915	0 12 6	Seymour
13844	Watson, V. L., Heywood	7 2 0	Portland	Drumberg	51, 50, 11, 45, 46, 49, 50, 47, 13, 32, 33	1.1.1917	31.12.1919	1 10 0	Portland
13845	Rogerson, Mrs. Olga R., "The Glen," Hanna- street, Seymour	0 3 0	Seymour	Seymour	1 of K, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, sec. G, Township	"	"	0 5 0	Seymour
13846	Hooper, Flora (executrix of late Jas. Hooper), "Foldoe Park," Devonish	6 0 0	Benslia	Devonish	50A	1.1.1915	31.12.1917	0 15 0	Benslia
13847	Greathoad, Mrs. Georgina, 28 Campbell-street, Coburg	2 0 0	Fernree Gully	Nanagana	93	1.1.1912	31.12.1914	0 2 0	Melbourne
13848	Ebery Bros., Sandon	2 0 0	Newstead and Mt. Alexander	Sandon	15, 16, sec. 4	"	"	0 7 0	Castlemaine
13849	Cameron, Alasdair, "High Park," Kilmore	17 0 0	Romey	Chintin	68, 61, 76, 77, 72	1.1.1914	31.12.1916	1 14 0	Kilmore.
13850	Wilkinson, Geo. E., Morhu	2 0 0	Oxley	Carbor	10, sec. 9	1.1.1915	31.12.1915	0 7 0	Wangaratta
13851	Murrell, G. L., Cudgema	2 2 0	Towong	Walbia	2, sec. 12, Cemetery	1.1.1917	31.12.1919	0 7 3	Tallangatta
13852	Sellwood, J. G., Learmonth	9 0 0	Ballarat	Glendaruel	5, 6	1.1.1916	31.12.1918	1 16 0	Clunes
13853	Burnet, Frank, Terang	5 0 0	Terang	Ley Yang	7, 8, 9, sec. B	1.1.1917	31.12.1919	1 0 0	Traralgon
13854	Flack, Mrs. E. A., North Byeduk	0 3 0	Dundas	Byeduk	46, 47, 8, 9, 10, sec. 3, Township	1.1.1916	31.12.1918	0 3 9	Hamilton
13855	McCauley, D. J. L., "Norwood," Pompepiel	8 2 0	East Loddon	Pompepiel	3, 18	1.1.1917	31.12.1919	1 5 6	Ingleswood

Licence Nos. 13843, 13847, 13848, and 13850, renew to 31st December, 1916, then to 31st December, 1919; No. 13849, renew to 31st December, 1919.

VICTORIA.—ARRIVALS BY SEA.

RETURN showing the Number of Persons who arrived in the State of Victoria by Sea during the Month of December, 1916.

Port of Arrival, &c.	Place of Departure.										Total Souls		
	New South Wales.	Queensland.	South Australia.	West Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	South Seas.	Total from the Neighbouring States.	The United Kingdom.	South Africa.		Other British Dominions.	Foreign Ports.
MELBOURNE.													
Adults ... ..	Males 637	101	138	268	1,734	...	...	2,878	49	5	1376*	8	4,316
	Females 583	103	130	362	842	...	...	2,020	79	5	40	13	2,160
Children (under 12 years) ...	Males 63	13	16	84	94	...	...	280	10	3	4	1	295
	Females 73	14	17	87	128	...	...	319	13	3	2	1	333
Totals ... ..	1,361	236	301	801	2,798	...	...	5,497	151	16	1,422	23	7,109

\* Including members of Expeditionary Forces.

Immigration Office, Melbourne, 2nd February, 1917.

GEO. KERMODE, Immigration Officer.

VICTORIA.—DEPARTURES BY SEA.

RETURN showing the Number of Persons who departed from the State of Victoria by Sea during the Month of December, 1916.

Port of Departure, &c.	Place of Destination.										Total Souls.		
	New South Wales.	Queensland.	South Australia.	West Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	South Seas.	Total to the Neighbouring States.	The United Kingdom.	South Africa.		Other British Dominions.	Foreign Ports.
MELBOURNE.													
Adults ... ..	Males 945	45	73	234	1,994	...	...	3,291	20	3	3,538*	11	6,863
	Females 834	52	67	225	1,477	...	...	2,655	26	4	143	12	2,845
Children (under 12 years) ...	Males 95	5	11	43	275	...	...	429	2	1	1	1	434
	Females 103	3	6	30	182	...	...	324	3	3	2	...	329
Totals ... ..	1,977	105	167	532	3,928	...	...	6,699	48	11	3,689	24	10,471

\* Including members of Expeditionary Forces.

Immigration Office, Melbourne, 2nd February, 1917.

GEO. KERMODE, Immigration Officer.

The Marine Act 1915.

CERTIFICATES.

LIST of Certificates of Competency and of Exemption from Pilotage issued by the Marine Board of Victoria from the 1st to the 31st January, 1917.

CERTIFICATES OF COMPETENCY.

Name.	No.	Date.	Grade.	Particulars of Identification—	
				Born.	At—
<i>Foreign-going.</i>					
(Issued under Order in Council dated 9th May, 1891, and valid in the United Kingdom.)					
Topcliffe, John	2199	8th January, 1917...	2nd Mate	1892	Heywood, England
Aitken, Thomas	2200	10th January, 1917...	2nd Mate, Steam-ships...	1889	Scalloway, Scotland
Grantham, Norman Hurst	2201	18th January, 1917...	1st Mate	1890	Melbourne, Victoria
Jones, Robert	2202	19th January, 1917	1st Engineer	1887	Lambton, New South Wales
Paterson, Walter Henry	2203	24th January, 1917...	2nd Mate	1896	Lyttelton, New Zealand
Pemberton, David Thomas Lloyd	2204	24th January, 1917...	1st Mate	1885	Adelaide, South Australia
Chapman, Clifford	2205	31st January, 1917...	2nd Mate	1897	Devonport, Tasmania
<i>River and Bay.</i>					
Hipkins, Edward Henry	0693	22nd January, 1917...	Master, River and Bay Steam-ship under 100 tons g.r.t.	1879	London, England

PILOTAGE EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES.

Nil.

Marine Board of Victoria, Melbourne, 1st February, 1917.

J. GEO. MCKIE, Secretary.

ORDERS IN COUNCIL.—(Series 1916-17.)

Serial No.	Purpose and Particulars.	Amount.	Name for Approval.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authority.
1460	AGRICULTURE— Printing and supplying <i>Journal of Agriculture</i> for September, October, and November, 1916	£ s. d. 565 11 6	The Government Printer	Vote ... ..	Approved by the Governor in Council, 25th January, 1917. — F. W. Mahbott, Clerk of the Executive Council.
1461	PUBLIC WORKS (PORTS AND HARBORS)— Crank Shaft for Dredge <i>Wombat</i> . (For State Shipyard, Public Works Department)	142 17 0	Messrs. Thompson and Co. Pty. Ltd. (Castlemaine) <sup>1</sup>	Dredging Operations ...	
1462	(3)—Supply and delivery of 2 Scotch Marine Cylindrical Multitubular Boilers. (For Shipbuilding at Shipbuilding and Dockyard, Williamstown)	4,030 1 3	Lindsay, Burnett, and Co. <sup>1</sup>	Shipbuilding Advance	Approved by the Governor in Council, 19th January, 1917. — F. W. Mahbott, Clerk of the Executive Council.
1463	VICTORIAN RAILWAYS— Purchase of a number of Inverted Mantles, of British manufacture	742 12 10	The Patent Lighting Co. of London	Railway Stores Suspense Account	Approved by the Governor in Council, 25th December, 1916. — F. W. Mahbott, Clerk of the Executive Council.

(1) Fulfilled previous contracts satisfactorily.

Melbourne, 7th February, 1917.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1916-17.)

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
1464	LANDS AND SURVEY— 1 House for C. Sherlock, allotment 1, Guest's land, Oakleigh (Contract No. 368)	£ s. d. 238 10 0	Messrs. Beales and Rowe	Loan Act 2629	For Lands Purchase and Management Board.—J. E. Jenkins, Secretary. 30.1.1917.
1465	1 House for F. C. Dean, allotment 20, section E, Werribee (Contract No. 367)	199 17 6	W. Holland ...	Ditto ... ..	
1466	1 House for H. Levitt, allotment 28, Koyuga (Contract No. 369)	169 0 0	T. W. Thompson, Kyabram	Ditto ... ..	For State Rivers and Water Supply Commission.—J. E. Jenkins, Secretary, Lands Purchase Board. 30.1.1917.
1467	Painting and various works to Vacant Houses on Cohuna (Contract No. 370)	295 0 0	S. F. Hyde ...	Ditto ... ..	
1468	Painting and various works to Vacant Houses, Bamawm and Nanneella (Contract No. 371)	200 0 0	W. W. Moore and Sons	Ditto ... ..	
1469	Painting, &c., on Shepparton No. 2 (Contract No. 372)	6 10 0	H. B. Bryden ...	Ditto ... ..	
1470	Painting, &c., on Swan Hill (Contract No. 373)	114 10 0	H. P. Eye ...	Ditto ... ..	
1471	Painting, &c., Tongala, Koyuga, Lauderdale (Contract No. 374)	209 4 0	T. W. Thompson ...	Ditto ... ..	
1472	VICTORIAN RAILWAYS— (3)—Manufacture, supply, and delivery of Mild Steel Tinned Footwarmers, at 9s. 11½d. each, provisionally delivered loaded into railway trucks at Spencer-street. Deposit, £10 —Country of manufacture or production: Great Britain	Rates ...	Harvey, Shaw, and Drake Pty. Ltd., 560 Lonsdale-st., Melbourne	Railway Stores Suspense Account, Act 2716, Section 105	Gen. H. Sutton, Secretary, by order of the Victorian Railways Commissioners. 2.2.1917.
1473	(2)—Supply and delivery of Grey Fibre, in sheets averaging 42 in. x 66 in., delivered at Spencer-street— Item No. 2. ½ in. thick, at 2s. 3d. per lb. Item No. 3. 3-16 in. thick, at 2s. 2d. per lb. Item No. 4. ½ in. thick, at 2s. 2d. per lb. —Country of manufacture or production: Great Britain or United States of America	Ditto ...	The Railway Supplies Co. Ltd., 257A George-st., Sydney, N.S.W.	Ditto ... ..	
1474	Supply and delivery of Oil for Gas-making, at 9d. per gallon f.o.b. Sydney. (Not publicly advertised) —Country of manufacture or production: Australia	Ditto ...	John Fell and Co., 26-28 Ultimo-road, Ultimo, N.S.W.	Ditto ... ..	
1475	Supply and delivery of 21-in. and 18-in. "Gisholt" Turret Lathes, for £3,906 1s. 4d., delivered at Spencer-street. (Not publicly advertised) —Country of manufacture or production: United States of America	Ditto ...	The Barrler Munitions Co. Pty. Ltd., Collins House, Collins-street, Melbourne	Ditto ... ..	
1476	(3)—Supply and delivery of Sulphate of Copper, at £58 per ton f.o.b. Sydney —Country of manufacture or production: Australia	Ditto ...	The Electrolytic Refining and Smelting Co. of Australia Ltd., 125 William-street, Melbourne	Ditto ... ..	

Melbourne, 7th February, 1917.

## ESTATES OF DECEASED PERSONS.

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

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Order.	Value or Estimated Value of Estate.	Date of Death.
1	Baker, Frank ...	A.I.F., Abroad, formerly 15 William-street, Melbourne	Unknown ...	25th January	28 17 9	8th May, 1915
2	Ballinger, Adelaide Mary	Maylands, South Australia	Unknown ...	25th January	13 0 0	11th September, 1916
3	Bennett, John ...	A.I.F., Abroad, formerly 49 Regent-street, Fitzroy	England ...	25th January	10 16 6	16th June, 1916
4	Boal, James ...	Camperdown ...	Unknown ...	25th January	77 3 7	13th December, 1916
5	Brennan, Martin ...	Ormond ...	None ...	25th January	176 0 0	23th December, 1916
6	Coleman, John ...	189 Union-street, West Brunswick	Ireland ...	25th January	376 8 0	12th January, 1917.
7	Coles, William ...	Near Aberfeldy ...	Unknown ...	25th January	21 0 6	12th or 13th December, 1916
8	Collins, Jane ...	Near Boechworth ...	Unknown ...	11th January	3 5 0	19th October, 1916
9	Colls, Lisle Bertram ...	A.I.F., Abroad ...	England ...	25th January	58 0 6	25th April, 1915
10	Constable, Charles ...	A.I.F., Abroad ...	England ...	25th January	53 4 0	8th May, 1915
11	Cooser, Percy ...	A.I.F., Abroad, formerly of 8 Wellington-parade, East Melbourne	England ...	25th January	27 9 6	25th April, 1915
12	Dewell, William Scones	A.I.F., Abroad ...	Unknown ...	25th January	115 13 4	21st August, 1915
13	Durie, Edward ...	A.I.F., Abroad ...	Scotland ...	25th January	19 3 4	8th August, 1915
14	Durnin, John Francis ...	H.M.A.S. <i>Fantome</i> ...	None ...	11th January	103 4 7	29th October, 1915
15	Dyer, Jane ...	15 Charlotte-street, Collingwood	None ...	11th January	8 5 0	22nd December, 1916
16	Edmondson, Honorah ...	20 Middle-street, Ascot Vale	Ireland ...	11th January	924 10 11	17th December, 1916
17	Elliott, Arthur ...	A.I.F. Abroad, formerly Tennyson	England ...	25th January	31 11 9	27th April, 1915
18	Farley, Thomas Henry ...	A.I.F., Abroad, formerly 248 Exhibition-street, Melbourne	England ...	25th January	52 10 2	1st September, 1915
19	Farquarson, Alfred ...	Glenalacate ...	England ...	25th January	24 0 10	6th December, 1916
20	Ferguson, Archibald ...	A.I.F., Abroad ...	Unknown ...	25th January	39 0 11	8th May, 1915
21	Fitches, Jennims Sophia	Neerim, Victoria ...	England ...	11th January	222 0 0	23rd September, 1916
22	Habner, Frederick A. ...	Imperial Temperance Hotel, Franklin-street, Melbourne	Unknown ...	11th January	953 11 9	11th December, 1916
23	Humphries, Cyril ...	A.I.F. Abroad, formerly Broken Hill	Wales ...	25th January	73 11 0	29th August, 1915
24	Johnsen, Martinus ...	94 Burnley-street, Richmond	Denmark ...	11th January	178 12 7	Between 27th November and 2nd December, 1916
25	Johnson, William ...	Ararat ...	England ...	11th January	10 19 0	11th July, 1916
26	Jones, Thomas ...	Rutherglen ...	Unknown ...	25th January	850 7 4	18th December, 1916
27	Joy, Robert Sizer ...	A.I.F. Abroad ...	Wales ...	25th January	28 19 4	25th April, 1915
28	Lambert, Harry ...	A.I.F. Abroad, formerly 353 King-street, Melbourne	England ...	25th January	46 1 9	25th April, 1915
29	Marshall, Fanny Elizabeth	Halstead-street, Caulfield	None ...	11th January	80 4 0	1st December, 1916
30	Marshall, James ...	A.I.F. Abroad ...	None ...	25th January	36 0 6	25th April, 1915
31	Nicholson, Samuel William	71 Derby-street, Kew ...	England ...	25th January	29 7 6	3rd November, 1916
32	Phillipp, Tom ...	Narracan ...	None ...	11th January	73 7 0	6th October, 1916
33	Ponsonby, Charles ...	Hospital for Insane, Beechworth	England ...	11th January	670 19 9	17th December, 1916
34	Pople, William (with will annexed)	A.I.F., formerly Cassilis	None ...	11th January	17 2 0	15th July, 1915
35	Porter, Margaret ...	Kororoit-road, Williamstown	Ireland ...	11th January	143 0 0	17th August, 1916
36	Roberts, John Elias ...	A.I.F. Abroad ...	Wales ...	25th January	29 19 9	25th April, 1915
37	Roberts, Robert Hodges	Railway-road, Blackburn	Unknown ...	25th January	172 9 6	18th January, 1917
38	Schneider, Johannes Wilhelm (with will annexed)	Inglewood ...	Germany ...	11th January	389 3 3	1st December, 1916
39	Scott, George Bruce ...	31 McKenzie-street, Melbourne	None ...	11th January	828 16 3	19th December, 1916
40	Shebler, Charles, Fredk. Wm.	Melton ...	Unknown ...	11th January	10 12 6	21st September, 1916
41	Smith, Joseph (otherwise Downton, Archibald) ...	A.I.F., Abroad ...	England ...	25th January	29 10 0	7th August, 1915
42	Smithwick, George ...	125 Islington-street, Collingwood	England ...	11th January	53 17 5	3rd December, 1916
43	Stanley, George Frederick	70 Park-street, South Yarra	Unknown ...	11th January	22 0 0	26th May, 1913
44	Stanley, John ...	410 William-street, West Melbourne	Unknown ...	11th January	20 1 4	27th October, 1916
45	Stuart, James ...	A.I.F., Abroad, formerly Mt. Morgan, Queensland	Unknown ...	25th January	79 9 7	4th December, 1915
46	Stodden, William ...	Calvin-street, Bendigo ...	England ...	11th January	34 8 3	8th February, 1915
47	Thornton, Frank ...	A.I.F., Abroad ...	England ...	25th January	15 5 4	25th April, 1915
48	Waddell, Peter ...	A.I.F. Abroad ...	Scotland ...	25th January	21 18 0	8th May, 1915
49	Watkins, Mary Jane ...	Falstaff Restaurant, Spencer-street, Melbourne	None ...	11th January	510 14 1	18th December, 1916
50	Whelan, Bridget ...	10 Arden-street, North Melbourne	Unknown ...	11th January	32 3 1	17th December, 1916
51	Williams, Richard ...	Cowwarr ...	England ...	25th January	95 0 0	22nd November, 1914
52	Willox, Charles Conborough	McKenzie-street, Melbourne	England ...	11th January	342 17 1	24th December, 1916

Dated at Melbourne, this 1st day of February, 1917.

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

6 George V. No. 2611, Secs. 76 and 94.  
8 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 16th March, 1917, or they may be excluded from the distribution of the estate when the assets are being distributed:—

FRANK BAKER, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, formerly of No. 15 William-street, Melbourne, electrician, died 8th May, 1915.

ADELAIDE MARY BALLINGER, late of Maylands, South Australia, widow, died 11th September, 1916.

JOHN BENNETT, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, formerly of No. 49 Regent-street, Fitzroy, fitter, died 16th June, 1916.

JAMES BOAL, late of Camperdown, old-age pensioner, died 13th December, 1916.

MARTIN BRENNAN, late of Ormond, wood and produce merchant, died 28th December, 1916.

JOHN COLEMAN, late of No. 189 Union-street, West Brunswick, formerly of Cotter River, New South Wales, labourer, died 12th January, 1917.

WILLIAM COLES, late of near Aberfeldy, miner, died 12th or 13th December, 1916.

LISLE BERTRAM COLLS, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, formerly motor engineer, died 25th April, 1915.

CHARLES CONSTABLE, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, formerly labourer, died 8th May, 1915.

PERCY COOSER, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, formerly of No. 8 Wellington-parade, East Melbourne, sculptor, died 25th April, 1915.

WILLIAM SCONES DEWELL, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, formerly labourer, died 21st August, 1915.

EDWARD DURIE, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, formerly of East Burnside, Scotland, carpenter, died 8th August, 1915.

ARTHUR ELLIOTT, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, formerly of Tennyson, labourer, died 27th April, 1915.

THOMAS HENRY FARLEY, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, formerly of No. 248 Exhibition-street, Melbourne, seaman, died 1st September, 1915.

ARTHUR FARQUHARSON, late of Glenaladale, old-age pensioner, died 6th December, 1916.

ARCHIBALD FERGUSON, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, formerly miner, died 8th May, 1915.

ALFRED HOBBS, late of Bannockburn, soldier, formerly labourer, died 3rd December, 1915.

THOMAS JONES, late of Rutherglen, barman, died 18th December, 1916.

ROBERT SIZER JOY, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, died 25th April, 1915.

HARRY LAMBERT, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, formerly of No. 353 King-street, Melbourne, clerk, died 25th April, 1915.

JAMES MARSHALL, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, died 25th April, 1915.

SAMUEL WILLIAM NICHOLSON, late of No. 71 Derby-street, Kew, discharged soldier, formerly gardener, died 3rd November, 1916.

JOHN ELIAS ROBERTS, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, died 25th April, 1915.

ROBERT HODGES ROBERTS, late of Railway-road, Blackburn, hawker and shopkeeper, died 18th January, 1917.

JOSEPH SMITH (otherwise known as Archibald Down-ton), late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, formerly of England, farm hand, died 7th August, 1915.

FRANK THORNTON, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, formerly of Liverpool, England, painter, died 25th April, 1915.

PETER WADDELL, late of A.I.F., abroad, soldier, died 8th May, 1915.

RICHARD WILLIAMS, late of Cowwarr, blacksmith, died 22nd November, 1914.

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

Melbourne, 30th January, 1917.

## The Medical Acts 1915-1916.

## PHARMACY BOARD OF VICTORIA.

REGULATIONS RELATING TO CHEMISTS' APPRENTICES ON WAR SERVICE WITHIN THE MEANING OF THE MEDICAL ACT 1916.

**W**HEREAS by Part III. of the *Medical Act* 1915 the Pharmacy Board of Victoria (hereinafter referred to as "the Board") is empowered from time to time to make alter or rescind regulations for the purpose of carrying the said part into effect. And whereas by section 1 of the *Medical Act* 1916 it is enacted that that Act shall be read and construed as one with the said Part III. of the *Medical Act* 1915. And whereas the Board is desirous subject to the confirmation of the Governor in Council of making under the powers so conferred the regulations following. Now therefore the Board doth make regulations as set forth hereunder and His Excellency the Governor in Council has by Order made on the 25th day of January 1917 confirmed the said regulations that is to say:—

Every chemist's apprentice on war service within the meaning of the *Medical Act* 1916 whose indentures of apprenticeship have been duly registered pursuant to the regulations of the Board desirous of applying to the Board under the provisions of the said Act for suspension of the said indentures during the period of his absence from his said employment in consequence of his being on war service and for remission of portion of his term of apprenticeship shall apply in the manner and within the time following that is to say:—

- (a) He shall make an application to the Board in writing specifying his requirements and the grounds of his application.
- (b) The application shall be made within three months after discharge or return to Victoria or within such further time as the Board in its discretion may allow in any particular case.
- (c) The applicant shall furnish with the application a statutory declaration according to the Schedule hereto or to the like effect.
- (d) The applicant shall furnish such further proof to the satisfaction of the Board as it may in any particular case require.

## THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

*Medical Act* 1916.

In the State of Victoria.

In the matter of the application of \_\_\_\_\_ on war service for suspension of indentures and remission of term.

I \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ in the State of Victoria chemist's apprentice do solemnly and sincerely declare and say:—

1. That by the articles of apprenticeship made and entered into on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_ between \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ of the first part myself this deponent of the second part and \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ registered pharmaceutical chemist of the third part I became apprentice to the said \_\_\_\_\_ in his business of a pharmaceutical chemist as therein mentioned.

2. The said articles of apprenticeship were duly registered and my name was placed upon the register of apprentices.

3. I duly served under the said articles of apprenticeship from the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_ until the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_ when I \_\_\_\_\_

(here set out any one of the following services as may be suitable namely: either volunteered or enlisted or was engaged on naval or military service with His Majesty's Naval or Military Forces or with the Naval or Military Forces of the Commonwealth or was engaged in connexion with the present war on service outside Victoria in any work of any Red Cross Society or ambulance association or any other body with similar objects or in connexion with the present war, was a prisoner of war in the enemy's country or was interned in the country of a neutral power).

4. I was so engaged (or employed or a prisoner or interned as the case may be) from the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_ until the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191\_\_\_\_ when I was discharged (or returned to Victoria).

5. The statements contained in my application to the Board annexed hereto and marked with the letter "A" are true and correct.

6. Annexed hereto and marked with the letter "B" is a true copy of my discharge.

7. My regimental or official number whilst serving as aforesaid was No. \_\_\_\_\_ and my status in the Forces was that of (set out here rank or standing as the case may be).

8. (Add here any special circumstances which the case may require).

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.

Declared at \_\_\_\_\_ in the State of Victoria  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1917  
Before me—

The above Regulations were made at a meeting of the Pharmacy Board of Victoria held on the eighth day of November, 1916.

CHAS. E. TOWL, President.  
C. L. BUTCHERS, Registrar.

Approved by the Governor in Council,  
25th January, 1917.

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

#### KOROIT WATERWORKS TRUST.

##### RATING BY-LAW FOR YEAR 1917.

**T**HE Chairman and Commissioners of the Koroit Waterworks Trust, the Waterworks District of which has been proclaimed an Urban District for the purposes of the *Water Act 1915*, do hereby, pursuant to and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act, make the following By-law, viz.:—

The following are the rates which the owner or occupiers of land and tenements liable to be rated within the Trust District shall pay for the year 1917:—

1. For every house or tenement of the annual value of Sixteen pounds sterling or under, according to the valuation for the time being of such rateable property for the municipal rate of the borough of Koroit, the sum of One pound per annum.
2. For every house or tenement above the annual value of Sixteen pounds sterling, the sum of One shilling and threepence on each pound of such value.
3. An annual charge of Five shillings per head shall be made for each head of stock more than two (whether horses or cattle) kept on any premises along the line of mains, unless meters are placed on the service-pipes to such premises, in which case the provisions of clause 3 of the General Regulations shall apply.
4. Such are hereby made due and payable in equal moieties on 1st January and 1st July, 1917.

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

Passed this 10th day of January, 1917.

(SEAL) JOHN WILKINSON, Chairman.  
RICHARD LAFAN, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,  
25th January, 1917.

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

#### BOROUGH OF ARARAT.

##### BY-LAW UNDER THE WATER ACT OF 1915.

**A**CTING under the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Ararat hereby make the following By-law for the purpose of levying a water rate within the Water Supply District of Ararat, as duly defined:—

##### By-law No. 11.

1. A rate of One shilling and sixpence in the pound sterling is hereby made for the year ending 30th September, 1917, on the valuation of each tenement built upon, or to which water is laid on within the said Water Supply District of Ararat, with a minimum of One pound (£1).

On vacant allotments in streets where the Council's mains are laid the rate shall be 5 per cent. on the municipal valuation of such allotments.

2. The foregoing rates shall be due and payable on the first day of February, 1917.

3. Such person or persons as the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of Ararat may appoint for that purpose is and are hereby authorized to demand, collect and recover the said rates.

Passed the 20th day of December, 1916; confirmed the 17th day of January, 1917; and the seal of the Council was hereunto affixed in the presence of—

JOS. J. NORTHEY, Chairman.  
(SEAL) A. E. MCCURE, Councillor.  
CHAS. A. CHAMBERLAIN, Town Clerk.

Approved by the Governor in Council,  
25th January, 1917.

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

#### THE HAMILTON WATERWORKS TRUST.

##### BY-LAW NO. 13.

**T**HE Chairman and Commissioners of the Hamilton Waterworks Trust, the Waterworks District of which Trust has been proclaimed an Urban District for the purposes of the *Water Acts*, do hereby, pursuant to and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Acts, make the following By-law for such Urban District:—

1. *Separate Service and Service-pipe.*—Each house or tenement must be supplied by a separate service from the Trust's main, and if so required by the Trust the whole service shall be subjected to a test pressure of 75 lbs. to the square inch after it has been laid. The portions of the service-pipe laid along or across any public street, lane, or right-of-way, or where it may be exposed to wheel traffic, shall be laid not less than twelve inches below the surface. From the outside of the street channel to the inside of the building line, the service-pipe must be laid inside a larger size similar water pipe to enable it to be withdrawn for repair without disturbing the surface of the footpath. All persons cutting trenches for the purpose of laying service-pipes in any street, lane, or right-of-way, shall properly fill in the same and make such street, lane, or right-of-way good to the satisfaction of the Trust and Municipal Council and their officers.

*Sub-services.*—Notwithstanding the Trust may in special cases consent to two or more tenements being supplied from one water service, but in each case the sub-service shall be so arranged that the supply to each tenement shall be independent of the supply to the remaining tenement or tenements, and be controlled by a stop-cock on such sub-service. Any person offending against any of the provisions of this clause shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

2. *Provision re Service-pipes.*—The service-pipes for conveying water from the pipes of the Trust into the premises of consumers shall each have at the main a ferrule stop-cock to which a gun-metal union shall be attached and between the union and the service-pipe a piece of galvanized-iron pipe 9 inches long with a long thread on one end and another stop-cock at the footpath just at the street line and covered with an approved cast-iron cover box and where the supply is otherwise than by measure shall in no case, unless with the sanction of the Trust, exceed the following diameters:—

For domestic supply of premises not exceeding Fifteen pounds annual value, half-an-inch diameter.

For domestic supply of premises exceeding Fifteen pounds annual value, three-quarters of an inch diameter.

For other than domestic purposes and for all supplied by meter, such diameter as the Trust may in each case authorize in writing.

3. *Quality of Fittings.*—No person shall use or continue to use any tap, stop-cock, bib-cock, ball-cock, valve, closet cistern, service-box, waste-not regulator, bath tap, or valve, or other fitting in connexion with a supply of water of the Trust which is not of the best quality, and approved by the Trust.

4. *Stop-cocks.*—No person shall use on any service connected with the pipes of the Trust any stop or bib-cocks which are not screw down high-pressure cocks made of hard brass or gun-metal, and in every respect of the best quality and workmanship, and approved by the Engineer or Inspector of the Trust.

5. *Connexions between Lead and Iron Pipes.*—All connexions between lead and iron pipes must be made with brass union couplings or detachable joint.

6. *Joints Connecting Lead Pipes.*—All joints connecting lead pipes must be "wiped" joints, and in no case will "bolt" or "copper bit" joints be allowed on water service-pipes, either in the interior or on the exterior of any building or tenement, on pain of cancellation of the licence of the plumber, who by himself or his workmen shall commit a breach of this By-law. This shall be additional to any other penalty to which the plumber or workmen may be liable.

7. *Provisions re Service-pipes to Steam Boiler.*—Any person whether licensed as hereafter set out or not, who shall connect any service-pipe or branch service-pipe with any steam boiler for the purpose of feeding or supplying the same with water, without first affixing a self-acting valve for preventing the pressure of the steam reversing or affecting the dial of the meter, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for each offence; and, in the event of continuing the offence, to a further penalty of Two pounds for each day after notice from the Engineer or Inspector of the Trust of the offence has been given.

8. *Ball Valve for Cistern or Tank.*—No person shall use any cistern or tank that is not provided with an equilibrium ball valve, and the overflow pipe fixed in a suitable manner, open to inspection and in a position approved by the Engineer or Inspector of the Trust.

9. *Conditions re Urinals or Water Closet Fittings.*—No person shall construct or use any urinal or water-closet fitting not approved by the Trust, nor unless the same be supplied with water from the service pertaining to a tenement through a proper flush cistern fitted with approved waste-preventing apparatus. No person shall fix or use any service-pipe which communicates directly or indirectly with the basin or trap of any closet or urinal or otherwise than with the cistern of a urinal or water closet. Each urinal shall be provided with a two-gallon and each closet with a three-gallon cistern.

10. *Baths, Sinks, Lavatories, Closets, and Urinals.*—All baths, sinks, lavatory and other basins, closets, and urinals supplied with water from the Trust's mains must be of proper sanitary construction, to be approved by the Engineer or Inspector of the Trust.

11. *Water Supplied to Cistern Must be by Measure.*—No person shall connect any pipe to communicate with any cistern, tank, or vessel intended or used for the reception of rain water, whether above or below the surface of the ground except where water is supplied by measure.

12. *Pipes through Sewer Drains, Ash Pit, Manure Tanks, Etc.*—No pipe or other apparatus shall be laid through any sewer, drain, ash pit, manure tank, or other place where, in the event of the pipe becoming unsealed, the water conveyed through such pipe would be liable to be fouled or to escape without observation, unless such pipe or apparatus be laid through an exterior pipe or box of sufficient length and strength to afford due protection to the same and to bring any leakage or waste within easy detection. In all cases before being used the exterior pipe or box must be submitted to and approved by the Engineer or Inspector of the Trust.

13. *Consent necessary to Affix Service-pipe to Engine.*—No service-pipe shall be fixed to or connected with any engine without the written consent of the Trust or the Inspector of the Trust first had and obtained and then only provided and on condition that a tank and apparatus (for receipt and reutilization of the water and prevention of waste thereof) to be approved by the Trust or its Inspector be at all times provided.

14. *Private Fire Service.*—Subject to the previous written consent of the Trust but not otherwise private fire services will be allowed at the expense of the owner of the premises, but every such service must be sealed except in cases where the Trust's officer shall have certified in writing that sealing is unnecessary. No water shall be taken from any sealed portion of such service except for extinction of fire. Except in case of fire no person shall without the authority of the Trust wilfully break the seal affixed to any private fire service and in the event of any such seal having been broken accidentally or otherwise, the occupier of the tenement shall within twenty-four hours thereafter give notice in writing of the fact at the office of the Trust, and failing to do so shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Two pounds.

Any applications for fire services must be made by the owner of the premises and in writing to the Trust. Such consent may at any time be withdrawn and the service terminated by notice from the Trust to the owner or occupier.

15. *Notice of Laying Pipes Necessary.*—Any person, whether licensed as hereafter set out or not, who shall lay any pipe to communicate with the pipes of the Trust without giving two days' notice of the day and hour when such pipe is intended to be made to communicate with the pipes of the Trust, or who shall make such communication except under the superintendence and according to the directions of some officer of the Trust, or who shall lay any leaden or other pipes to communicate with any pipe of the Trust of a strength and material not sanctioned by the Trust shall be liable for each offence to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds and in the event of continuing the offence to a further penalty of Two pounds for each day after notice of the offence from the Trust or its Engineer or Inspector.

16. *Materials for Private Service-pipes.*—The quality of materials required in laying private services shall be as follows:—

- (1) The whole of the pipes, tees, thimbles, bends, reducing couplings, plugs, &c., shall be of the best galvanized iron.
- (2) All pipes and pieces shall be true in sectional form straight longitudinally, and of equal strength and thickness throughout the entire body of the same.
- (3) All ends of pipes, bends, &c., shall be properly and truly threaded, and be capable of being screwed into thimbles, tees, and other fittings.
- (4) The whole of the pipes, tees, bends, and other fittings shall be sound and free from all defects, and capable of withstanding a hydrostatic pressure equal to a column of water 400 feet in height.

- (5) All delivery cocks and thimbles for connecting the service-pipes and mains shall be high-pressure and made of brass of the best quality and workmanship, and of approved pattern, to screw into elbow bends. All cocks and thimbles shall stand the same pressure as the pipes.

17. *Notice Necessary before Opening Ground or Uncovering Pipes—Provision re Altering or Interfering with Pipes, &c.*—Any person, whether licensed as hereafter set out or not who shall offend by opening any ground so as to uncover any pipe or pipes the property of the Trust or who shall extend or alter any private service-pipe without giving two days' notice to the Trust of his intention so to do, or who shall in any way tamper with or alter any pipe the property of the Trust, without the permission in writing of the Trust being first obtained, or who shall wilfully or carelessly break, injure, or open any lock, cock, valve, pipe, work or engine, the property of the Trust, shall be liable for each such offence to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

18. *Consent Necessary to Alter Water Pipe.*—No extension of or alteration to any water pipe which communicates with the pipes of the Trust will be allowed except by consent of the Trust's Inspector or Engineer.

19. *Taps in Gardens Meter Required.*—No taps will be allowed in gardens or on lawns unless a meter is provided so as to effectively register all water consumed, and in cases where such taps now exist either a meter must be provided or the taps removed by the occupier of the premises within three weeks of the coming into force of this By-law. No person shall use or permit to be used in a garden or lawn any tap except where a meter is provided to the satisfaction of the Trust so as to effectually register all water consumed.

20. *Hose Forbidden without Meter.*—No person shall use a hose down pipe spouting or any other apparatus attached to any tap or pipe used for the purpose of supplying the water of the Trust to any houses or premises or for watering any garden or laying dust or for any other purpose whatsoever, unless where a meter is fixed and the water supplied by measure; and any person offending against this section shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

21. *Testing Meters and Capacity.*—No meter shall be affixed until it shall have been examined tested and approved by the Inspector of the Trust, and each meter must be capable of registering at least 1,000,000 gallons, and each  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch 1 inch and  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inch meter must be capable of registering any flow not less than 10, 15, 20 and 25 gallons per hour respectively, and each meter must be fixed with approved connexions above ground in a conveniently accessible position and properly protected.

22. *Meter registering inaccurately.*—If any meter in use cease registering, or be reported by the Inspector of the Trust as out of repair or registering inaccurately the Trust may at its option estimate and charge for the water consumed during the period such meter was not in working order, and until it is repaired and re-fixed, either by taking an average of the quantity used during the previous quarter or during the corresponding period of the previous year, or the Trust may insert a check meter on the service-pipe and charge upon estimates from the registering thereof.

23. *Responsibilities re Meters.*—The occupier of any premises supplied with water by the Trust who is by the Water Acts or by this By-law or by the Trust required to fix a meter to his service or on his premises shall at his own expense cause such meter to be fixed and repaired and kept in proper repair and shall whenever required so to do by the Trust or its officer cause such meter to be removed at his expense to the office of the Trust to be tested and when so tested shall if it be found to be registering inaccurately pay to the Trust a fee of Two shillings and sixpence for such testing and when it shall have been so tested shall cause it or such other meter as shall be approved by the Trust or its officer to be replaced or fixed at his own expense. Or should the occupier require a meter to be tested, such occupier may subject to the provisions of the Water Acts and the By-laws of the Trust have it removed and brought to the office of the Trust where it will be tested upon payment of a fee of Two shillings and sixpence.

24. *Meter registering inaccurately—Adjustment.*—Should any meter on being tested as aforesaid be found to be registering above the normal rate of water which it should register the Trust may irrespective of any other liability of the said occupier to the said Trust (without any liability so to do) allow the occupier of the premises upon which such meter has been used the difference between the amount which the said meter should have been registering for a period of three months prior to the date of testing and what it actually did register for such period.

Should any meter on testing be found to register below what the same should register normally, then the Trust may charge and the occupier on whose premises the said meter was fixed shall pay to the Trust for such deficiency of water as for the period of three months prior to the date of the testing of the meter the difference between the amount the said meter registered and the amount it should have registered.

25. *Licence necessary for Plumbers.*—Before any person shall affix any service-pipe to any pipe of the Trust, or alter, repair, or in any manner interfere with any pipe of the Trust, or any service-pipe cock, or fitting connected with the pipes of the Trust, he shall obtain from the Trust a licence in that behalf to execute such works; and any unlicensed person affixing, altering, repairing, or in any manner interfering with any such pipe, service-pipe, cock, or fitting as aforesaid shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for each offence.

26. *Conditions to granting Licence.*—Before any such licence shall be granted by the Trust the person applying for the same shall satisfy the Trust that he is a competent plumber and that he is thoroughly conversant with the provisions of the By-laws of the Trust relating to water supply and with the Water Acts so far as they apply to town supplies. The Trust may, if it so sees fit, grant or refuse to grant such licence.

27. *Cancellation of Licence.*—The Trust shall have power at any time to cancel a licence in the event of the holder thereof performing his work in an unsatisfactory manner, or committing any breach of the Water Acts or of this By-law, and in such matters the Trust shall be sole judge.

28. *Interference with Fire Plugs.*—No person other than an employee of the Trust or of the local municipal council or a member of a fire brigade on duty shall without the written permission of the Trust be allowed to take water from any fire plug or fire plugs for watering the streets or any other purpose (except in case of fire). Any person offending against this section shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for each offence.

29. *Parks and Gardens.*—The water supply of all public parks and gardens shall be exclusively under the control and direction of the officers of the Trust, and any person not duly authorized who shall except with the written permission of the Trust or its officer turn on the water or otherwise interfere with such water supply shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for each offence.

30. *Condition of Consent of Trust—Notice.*—In every case in which it is necessary to obtain the consent of the Trust before doing any act, or commencing any work such consent must be asked for by notice in writing addressed to the Secretary of the Trust, and delivered at his office such number of days previously as is mentioned in the Acts or in this By-law, but in no case less than two days prior to the time proposed for the doing of such act or the commencement of such work, and such notice must state clearly the act proposed to be done or work to be commenced; and such act shall not be done or work be commenced save upon the consent in writing of the Inspector of the Trust.

31. *Waste of Water.*—Any person supplied with water by the Trust who shall wilfully or negligently allow the same to run to waste shall be liable for each offence to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds; and in the event of continuing the offence, to a further penalty of Two pounds for each day after notice of the offence from the Inspector of the Trust.

32. *Waste of Water.*—No person shall waste water of the Trust by allowing the same to run or flow from a tap or otherwise.

33. *Improper use of Water.*—No person shall use water for a purpose or purposes other than that for which he is supplied.

34. *Persons allowing Water to be taken away from their Premises.*—Any person receiving water from the Trust who, without the written permission of the Trust, shall take or carry away such water from the premises, or allow any person to take or carry away such water, or shall sell the same to any person shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for each offence.

35. *Improper removal from Tap Trough or Service-pipe.*—No person without the consent in writing of the Trust or its Engineer or Inspector first had and obtained shall take or carry away water from the premises of any other person supplied with water by the Trust, or from any trough or private or public service-pipe. Any person committing a breach of this clause shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for each such offence.

36. *Leaks and Defects to be notified to Trust.*—Any owner or occupier of any premises supplied from the Trust's mains shall forthwith as soon as he knows of any leak or leaks defect or defects in any of his pipes connected with or supplied with water from the Trust's mains give notice in writing to the Trust of such leak

or leaks defect or defects. Any one wilfully offending against the provisions of this clause shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for each offence.

37. *Occupier or Owner to Remedy on Notice—Trust may do Repairs at Expense of Occupier or Owner.*—The service-pipes from the main being the property of the owners or occupier of the tenements supplied by such service-pipes the occupier (if any) and, if none, the owner, shall upon receiving notice that his service-pipe requires repairing, immediately proceed to repair the same, and he shall be responsible for any loss of water or other damage which shall be caused by reason of any service-pipe being leaky or otherwise out of repair or broken, and in default of repairing such pipe shall also be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds; and in the event of continuing the offence to a further penalty of Two pounds for each day after receipt of such notice; and the Trust may stop the water from flowing into such premises, either by cutting off the service-pipe or otherwise as to the Trust may seem fit, until the necessary repairs shall have been effected. In the event of the necessary repairs (as to which the decision of the Engineer or the Inspector of the Trust shall be final and binding) not being effected forthwith in accordance with the notice aforesaid the Trust may without any liability so to do and without further notice proceed to make and effect the necessary repairs and the cost and expenses of effecting such repair and of the material therefor (to be assessed by the Engineer or Inspector of the Trust whose assessment shall be final and binding on both parties) shall be paid to the Trust by the occupier or owner by whom such work ought to have been done. And the Trust may recover the same from either the occupier or owner before a Court of Petty Sessions as and for work and labour done and materials provided (or as the case may be) in an action of debt before such Court.

38. *Water Supply may be cut off for Offences, &c.—Rates still Accrue.*—If any person supplied with water by the Trust does or causes or permits to be done anything in contravention of any provisions of this By-law, or fails to pay his rates or any lawful charge imposed by the Trust, or the Water Acts when due, or fails to do anything which, under the provisions of this By-law ought to be done, or wilfully or negligently allows water to run to waste, the Trust may cut off the supply of water from the premises of such person either by cutting the pipes by or through which water is supplied or otherwise and may cease to supply him with water so long as the cause of complaint remains or is not remedied; and notwithstanding that the water is cut off the occupiers and owners liability for rates accruing shall not cease.

39. *Water to be consumed only in accordance with By-law.*—The water supplied within that portion of the Waterworks District of the Trust which has been proclaimed an Urban District shall be received and consumed under and in accordance with this By-law, and not otherwise, through pipes and meters laid and placed under and in accordance with the said By-law and not otherwise.

40. *Interpretation.*—In the construction of this By-law the word "person" shall be deemed to extend to and include a corporation, whether aggregate or sole, "the Trust" shall mean "the Hamilton Waterworks Trust" and the words "the Act" shall mean the "Water Act or Water Acts" for the time being in force and every amendment thereof. And the meaning which in the Water Act 1915 or Water Acts or any amendment thereof is assigned to any word shall be the meaning of the same word where occurring in this By-law unless inconsistent with the subject-matter or context. Words importing the masculine gender shall be deemed and taken to include females, and the singular to include the plural and the plural the singular, unless the contrary as to gender or number is expressly provided.

41. *Penalty when not provided herein.*—For every breach of or offence against any provision of this By-law not herein expressly provided for the offender shall, upon conviction, be liable to and shall pay any sum not exceeding Five pounds, and in cases of continuing offence a further penalty not exceeding Five pounds for every day after notice of the offence from the Trust.

42. *Repeal of Regulation No. 4.*—Regulation No. 4 of the Hamilton Waterworks Trust is hereby repealed.

The foregoing By-law was made on the fourteenth day of December, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and the seal of the Trust affixed hereto in the presence of—

(SEAL) SIDNEY L. OFFICER, Chairman.  
WILLIAM MOORE, Commissioner.  
FRANK HAMMOND, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,  
25th January, 1917.

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

## BOROUGH OF DUNOLLY.

## BY-LAW UNDER THE WATER ACT 1915.

**A**CTING under the powers conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Dunolly hereby make the following By-law for the purpose of levying a Water Rate within the Water Supply District of Dunolly as duly defined upon the occupiers or owners of any tenements (other than land on which there is no building) situate in a street in which a pipe for the supply of water has been laid down; also for the purpose of determining the charges to be made for the sale of water within such district.

## By-law No. 52.

All former regulations so far as they relate to the matters and things provided for in this By-law are hereby repealed as from the 31st December, 1916.

The following are the rates which the occupiers and owners of tenements liable to be rated shall pay in each year, by equal half-yearly instalments, in respect of water supplied by the Council within the aforesaid district:—

	Per annum.
1. For every house with or without land of £20 A.M.V. or under ...	£1 0 0
Above £20 and under £41 A.M.V. ...	1 5 0
Above £40 and under £101 A.M.V. ...	1 10 0
Above £100 A.M.V. ...	2 0 0
2. For every hotel not exceeding £50 A.M.V. ...	2 0 0
Above £50 and under £101 A.M.V. ...	3 0 0
Above £100 and under £151 A.M.V. ...	4 10 0
Above £150 and under £201 A.M.V. ...	5 10 0
Above £200 A.M.V. ...	6 10 0

\*NOTE.—The letters A.M.V. shall in each case be taken to mean Annual Municipal Valuation.

3. For Government buildings, other than the Railway buildings, and all church, charitable, and other properties not rated, and on any vacant allotments that are rated, requiring to be supplied with water, such may be supplied by entering into a special agreement with the Council.

4. Water troughs, with ball tap, connected with hotels and erected on the public highway, £1 per annum.

5. Steam boilers, exceeding two horse-power (excepting for flour mills), £3 per annum.

6. Steam boilers, used only in the manufacture of sausage meat, at the rate of £1 10s. per annum.

7. Water from the stand-pipe, for every load of 400 gallons or less, 3d. per load.

8. Flour mills requiring water for milling purposes, a charge of 3d. per 1,000 gallons supplied by meter.

9. Victorian Railways, requiring water, a charge of 1s. per 1,000 gallons supplied by meter.

10. On all tenements (other than land on which there is no building) situate in a street in which a pipe for the supply of water has been laid down, and which tenement is not supplied with water by reticulation from such pipe, a charge of 5s. per annum.

11. Every garden in connexion with a building having an area of more than two square chains in extent, including foreshots, for any area over the two square chains water may be supplied by entering into a special agreement with the Council.

12. Only iron receptacles that are watertight and fitted with a ball tap in working order will be permitted to be erected on the footwalks for livery and other purposes.

13. All meters that may be required shall be provided and fixed in position at the expense of the occupiers or owners of the property.

14. No meter shall be affixed unless the dial of same is capable of registering one million gallons.

15. The Council reserves to itself the right, if at any time it finds it necessary or expedient to restrict the supply of water for garden purposes; and further, at all times prohibits the use of water for the growing of crops or using land for marketing purposes, other than the two square chains allowed, excepting by agreement.

16. Any person receiving water from the Council who shall take and carry away such water from his premises, or who shall allow any person to carry or take any such water or shall sell the same to any other person, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

17. Any person who, not having agreed to be supplied by the Council, who shall take or carry away water from any tap, trough, or private or public service pipe shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds.

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

19. The service pipes for conveying water from the pipes of the Council into the premises of consumers shall be of such size as the Council may in each case approve, but in no case shall they exceed the following diameters:—For the domestic supply of premises,  $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch diameter, and for all supplies by measurement, such diameter as the Council shall authorize in each case.

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

21. No person supplied with water by the Council shall wilfully or negligently allow the same to run to waste, and any person committing a breach of this By-law shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds for every such breach.

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

23. Any person requiring to be supplied with water shall give notice to the Council and receive its sanction before opening the ground or interfering with the main.

24. Before such sanction shall be given, the person giving such notice shall satisfy the Council that the person to be employed to carry out the work is a competent workman, and such work shall be done under the supervision and according to the directions of the officer of the Council appointed for that purpose.

25. The entire cost of laying on the service from the main shall be borne by the person requiring the water, excepting where carried to the opposite side of the road to the main, when the length to within four feet of the footwalk will be provided by the Council; also the stop-cocks in every case.

26. The Water Inspector or any other officer of the Council appointed under its seal for such purpose shall have power to enter upon the premises or buildings whether within or without such buildings for the purpose of inspecting all water mains and services at any time when he has reasonable cause to believe that any breach of this By-law is allowed or is taking place.

27. The rate shall be payable half-yearly in advance, namely, on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July in the year 1917; and the charges for the supply of water shall also be payable in like manner, or as may be demanded, in the case of the service being by meter.

28. Such person or persons as the Council may from time to time appoint for that purpose shall be and is or are authorized to demand, receive, collect, and recover the said rates and charges.

Passed by order of the Council this 10th day of January, 1917.

(SEAL) W. J. PARKER, Mayor.  
S. H. BUTLER, Town Clerk.

Approved by the Governor in Council,  
25th January, 1917.

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

## BROADFORD WATERWORKS TRUST.

## RATING BY-LAW FOR 1917 WITHIN THE BROADFORD URBAN DISTRICT.

**T**HE Commissioners of the Broadford Waterworks Trust, the Waterworks District of which has been duly proclaimed an Urban District, do hereby, in pursuance of the provisions of the *Water Act 1915*, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act make the following By-law:—

The rates and charges hereinafter specified are those which the occupiers or owners of land and tenements situated within the aforesaid Urban District and liable to be rated, shall pay for the year 1917 in respect of water supplied otherwise than by measure for domestic purposes, such rates to be paid half-yearly in advance in equal moieties on the 1st day of January and on the 1st day of July, 1917:—

1. On every house and tenement of the annual value of Fifteen pounds or under, according to the municipal valuation of such house or tenement during the said year, the sum of Thirty shillings.

2. On every house or tenement above the annual value of Fifteen pounds, according to the municipal valuation of such house or tenement during the said year, the sum of Two shillings in the pound of such valuation.

3. On every piece of vacant or unoccupied land, the sum of Ten shillings.

4. The following shall be the charge payable in respect of water supplied by measure:—

- (1) Water supplied by measure shall be charged for at the rate of One shilling for every One thousand gallons or at such price as may be specially agreed upon. The minimum quantity of water to be charged for in each case so supplied shall be twenty thousand gallons per half-year, or a quantity which at One shilling per thousand gallons would be equivalent to the quantity of water which the owner or occupier would be entitled to receive according to his assessed rate for the year if supplied otherwise than by measure.
- (2) For stand-pipe or hydrant water for each load of two hundred and fifty gallons or under, One shilling.
- (3) For a temporary supply during the erection of new buildings, Five shillings per cent. on the amount of contract for stonework, brickwork, and plastering, or in the event of there not being any contract, Five shillings per cent. on the amount charged or paid for stonework, brickwork, and plastering.
- (4) All accounts for water supplied under special agreement or by measure shall be paid as agreed upon.

5. Such person or persons as the Commissioners of the said Trust may from time to time appoint for the purpose are hereby authorized to collect and recover the said rates and charges.

Passed this 15th day of November, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

(SEAL) J. G. PEMBERTON, Chairman.  
J. ZWAR, Commissioner.  
T. J. BALMER, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,  
25th January, 1917.

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

#### BOROUGH ECHUCA WATER TRUST.

##### RATING BY-LAW FOR 1917.

THE Commissioners of the Borough Echuca Water Trust, pursuant to and in exercise and execution of the powers and authorities conferred by the Water Act 1915, do hereby make the following By-law, viz:—

1. The rates and charges hereinafter specified are those which the occupiers or owners of lands and tenements liable to be rated within the Waterworks District of the Borough Echuca Water Trust shall pay for the year 1917. Such rates and charges shall be deemed to be due and payable, in advance, on the first day of January, 1917, but the Trust may accept payment of the same by four quarterly instalments, payable on the first January, first April, first July, and first October of the said year, without prejudice to its right to recover the whole year's rate. That is to say:—
2. On every house or tenement used either wholly or partly as a domicile, a sum of Two shillings in the pound on the annual value of such property. The minimum rate under this clause to be Thirty shillings.
3. On every shop or place of business not used either wholly or partly as a domicile, a sum of Four pounds ten shillings per centum on the annual value of such property. The minimum under this clause to be Thirty shillings.
4. On every livery stable, saw-mill, cordial or aerated water factory, or other factory using water in connexion with its machinery or treatment, a sum of Seven pounds ten shillings, and on every flour mill, a sum of Fifteen pounds.
5. On every steam engine (not including any steam engine in a factory or mill rated under clause 4), a sum of One pound.
6. On every horse trough, a sum of Ten shillings.
7. The area of land allowed for each house or tenement paying the ordinary rate herein imposed shall not exceed one rood. Should any larger area of land be attached to a house or tenement, an extra sum of Five shillings shall be paid for every rood or part of a rood. Only one service-pipe connexion with the Trust's mains will be allowed to each house or tenement rated herein, and such service-pipe shall not exceed  $\frac{1}{2}$  of an inch in diameter.

8. For a temporary supply of water during the erection of new buildings, a sum of Ten shillings per centum on the amount of contract for stonework, brickwork, and plastering shall be made; or, if there be no contract, then upon the value or on amount charged or paid for stonework, brickwork, and plastering. All persons about to build must notify the Trust of their intention so to do.

##### Cases where Water is not Laid On.

9. On every house, tenement, factory, &c., not supplied through a service-pipe with water by the Trust, a sum of Two pounds ten shillings per centum on the annual value of such property. The minimum rate under this clause to be Fifteen shillings.
10. On every rood or part of a rood of land rated separately from any above-mentioned tenement, and facing a street or land in which a water main is laid contiguous thereto, the sum of Two pounds ten shillings per centum on the annual value of such property. The minimum rate under this clause to be Five shillings.
11. Any owner or occupier of property supplied through a service-pipe with water by the Trust who wishes to be charged at the minimum rate as provided in clause 9, must give notice, in writing, to the Trust's Secretary; the water will then be turned off, and the minimum rate will take effect after the expiration of the current quarterly period. No allowance in the rate will be made unless the water is turned off for a full quarter, nor in any case where the water is supplied to two or more premises through one service-pipe.

##### Water Supplied by Measure.

12. The charge for water supplied to market and other gardens and nurseries over one-quarter of an acre in area shall be One shilling per 1,000 gallons, such supply to be in every case by or through a meter, which shall be provided and affixed by the consumer after being approved by the Trust. The minimum quantity of water to be charged for under this clause shall be (20,000) Twenty thousand gallons. The service-pipe for the supply of such water shall not exceed 1 inch in diameter.

13. No person shall be allowed to irrigate from the Trust's water mains lucerne, sorghum, or other fodder crop without a permit from the Secretary of the Trust, who shall, subject to the approval of the Trust, issue the same. The fee for such permit shall be £1 10s. for each one-eighth ( $\frac{1}{8}$ ) or part of one-eighth ( $\frac{1}{8}$ ) of an acre to be irrigated. No person shall be allowed to irrigate from the Trust's water mains more than one-quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of an acre of any land unless a meter be attached to the service-pipe supplying such land. Any person committing a breach of this By-law shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds (£5).

14. The Trust may require a meter to be used in connexion with the supplying of water to any house or tenement in any case where it deem the same necessary. In such case the provisions of clause 12 shall apply to such house or tenement.

15. The Trust will not in any case be held liable to supply water under the provisions of clauses 12, 13, or 14 until all consumers are supplied for domestic purposes.

16. The charge for water supplied from the Trust's stand-pipes shall be One shilling for each (100) One hundred gallons.

17. In any case where rates, meter charges, or other charges are not paid when due, the water may be cut off until such amounts are paid.

18. Such person or persons as the Commissioners of the said Trust may from time to time appoint for that purpose is or are hereby authorized to collect and recover the above-mentioned rates and charges.

19. In the construction of this By-law the words "annual value" shall mean the municipal annual valuation in force on the 1st January, 1917; the word "Trust" shall mean the Borough Echuca Water Trust; and the word "tenement," as used herein, shall be deemed to include the whole of the land held or used by or on behalf of one person, as one contiguous property, whether divided into two or more parts by fences or not.

The foregoing By-law was made and passed by the Commissioners of the Borough Echuca Water Trust on the second day of January, 1917, and the seal of the said Trust was affixed hereto in the presence of—

(SEAL) EDWARD RUTLEY, Chairman.  
EDWIN R. REILLY, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,  
25th January, 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, 7th February.—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. Thursday, 8th February.—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, Naracoorte, Wolsley, Broken Hill, &c., on posters 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.; Hensleyville 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.

## CHEAP EXCURSIONS FROM AND TO MELBOURNE. CERTAIN LINES ONLY.

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

Wednesday, 14th February.—To Woodleigh and all stations to Wonthaggi at 6.32 a.m. (From those stations to Melbourne same date.)

Wednesday, 14th February.—To Kanawalla to Cavendish, at 7.40 a.m. (From Cavendish, &c., to Melbourne on Thursday, 15th February.)

Thursday, 15th February.—(1) To Dumosa and all stations to Nandaly, at 6.40 a.m. (From Nandaly, &c., to Melbourne, Wednesday, 21st February.) (2) To Langi Logan and all stations to Portland, at 7.40 a.m. (From those stations to Melbourne on Wednesday, 21st February.) (3) To Lyons and all stations to Dartmoor. (From those stations to Melbourne on Monday, 19th February.)

Friday, 16th February.—(1) To Bochara and all stations to Coleraine, at 7.40 a.m. (From those stations to Melbourne on Tuesday, 20th February.) (2) To Miakite and all stations to Casterton, at 7.40 a.m. (From those stations to Melbourne on Thursday, 22nd February.) (3) To Borung and all stations to Boort. (From those stations to Melbourne on Monday, 19th

February.) (4) To Barraport and all stations to Quambatook. (From those stations to Melbourne on Tuesday, 20th February.) (5) To Cannie and all stations to Manangatang. (From those stations to Melbourne on Thursday, 22nd February.)

Monday, 19th February.—To Marong and all stations to Wycheproof and Wedderburn, at 10.45 a.m. To Maryborough and all stations to Donald, at 10.15 a.m.

Tuesday, 20th February.—(1) To Lascelles and all stations to Yatpool, at 6.40 a.m. (2) To Sebastian and all stations to Swan Hill, at 9.45 a.m.

Wednesday, 21st February.—(1) To Creswick and all stations to Daisy, at 7.40 a.m. (*via* Ballarat). (2) To Beechworth and Yackandandah, at 6.15 a.m. (From Yackandandah to Melbourne on Thursday, 22nd, and from Beechworth on Friday, 23rd February.) (3) To Woorinten and all stations to Piangil, at 6.40 a.m. (4) To Murgheboluc and all stations to Tatyoon, at 6.30 a.m. (Up excursion Tatyoon and all stations to Gnarkeet to Melbourne on Wednesday, 21st, and from Berrybank and all stations to Murgheboluc on Thursday, 22nd inst.)

Thursday, 22nd February.—(1) To Hunter and all stations to Cohuna, at 6.40 a.m. (From those stations to Melbourne on Wednesday, 21st February.) (2) To Benalla and all stations to Bright, at 11.25 a.m. (3) To Jackson and all stations thence to Marnoo, at 7.40 a.m. (From those stations to Melbourne on Wednesday, 28th February.)

Friday, 23rd February.—To Lake Buloke and all stations to Woomelang, at 6.40 a.m.

Wednesday, 28th February.—To Tiega and all stations to Murrayville. (From Murrayville, &c., to Melbourne same date.) Thursday, 1st March.—To Melbourne from Carisbrook, and all stations to Campbell.

Monday, 5th March.—To Kyneton and all stations to Bendigo, at 8.20 a.m. (From Bendigo, &c., to Melbourne same day.)

Tuesday, 6th March.—(1) To Wodonga and all stations to Tallangatta, at 6.15 a.m. (2) To Melbourne from Navarre and all stations to Crowlands, at 10 a.m.

Wednesday, 7th March.—(1) To Wandong and all stations to Mansfield and Alexandra, at 9.20 a.m. (2) To Adelaide Lead and all stations to Warra Yadin (Avoca line), at 6.40 a.m. (3) To Melbourne from Warra Yadin and stations to Avoca on Monday, 5th March, and from Homebush and stations to Adelaide Lead on Wednesday, 7th March. (4) To Karn and all stations to Tatong by the 6.15 a.m. ordinary train ("Up" excursion, same date.)

Thursday, 8th March.—To Clyde and all stations to Port Albert, at 9.10 a.m. (2) Bullioh and stations to Shelley. (To Melbourne from those stations on Monday, 5th March.)

Tuesday, 1st May.—Irymple and Mildura, at 6.40 a.m. (To Melbourne from Mildura and Irymple on 2nd May.)

## CHEAP EXCURSIONS.

Wonthaggi—Woodleigh.—Wednesday, 14th February.—To Melbourne from Wonthaggi and all stations to Woodleigh. Wednesday, 14th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 13th February. Particulars at stations.

Cavendish line.—Thursday, 15th February.—To Melbourne from Cavendish, Kyup, and Kanawalla. Wednesday, 14th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Particulars at stations.

Boort—Mysia—Borong.—Monday, 19th February.—To Melbourne from Boort, Mysia, and Borong. Tickets close noon, 17th February. Friday, 16th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 15th February. Particulars at stations.

Dartmoor line.—Monday, 19th February.—To Melbourne from stations on Dartmoor line. Thursday, 15th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Particulars at stations.

Quambatook—Barraport.—Tuesday, 20th February.—To Melbourne from Quambatook and stations to Barraport inclusive. Tickets close noon, 19th February. Friday, 16th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 15th February. Particulars at stations.

Wycheproof—Marong—Wedderburn.—Tuesday, 20th February.—To Melbourne from Wycheproof and stations to Marong inclusive, and from Wedderburn. Monday, 19th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 18th February. Particulars at stations.

Donald—Maryborough.—Tuesday, 20th February.—To Melbourne from Donald and all stations to Maryborough inclusive. Monday, 19th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 18th February. Particulars at stations.

*Coleraine line.*—Tuesday, 20th February.—To Melbourne from Coleraine and stations to Bochara inclusive. Friday, 16th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 15th February. Particulars at stations.

*Portland—Brankholme—Langi Logan.*—Wednesday, 21st February.—To Melbourne from Portland and stations to Langi Logan inclusive. Tickets close noon, 20th February. Thursday, 15th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 14th February. Particulars at stations.

*Nandaly—Sea Lake—Dumosa.*—Wednesday, 21st February.—To Melbourne from Nandaly and all stations to Dumosa. Tickets close noon, Monday, 19th February. Thursday, 15th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 14th February. Particulars at stations.

*Tatooon—Gnarkeet.*—Wednesday, 21st February.—To Melbourne from Tatooon and all stations to Gnarkeet. Tickets close noon. Tuesday, 20th February.—From Melbourne to those stations on same date. Particulars at stations.

*Swan Hill—Sebastian.*—Wednesday, 21st February.—To Melbourne from Swan Hill and all stations to Sebastian inclusive. Tuesday, 20th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 19th February. Particulars at stations.

*Yatpool—Duyon—Inselles.*—Wednesday, 21st February.—To Melbourne from Yatpool and all stations to Inselles inclusive. Tuesday, 20th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 19th February. Particulars at stations.

*Cohuna—Hunter.*—Wednesday, 21st February.—To Melbourne from Cohuna and all stations to Hunter inclusive. Tickets close noon, 20th February. Thursday, 22nd February.—From Melbourne to all those stations. Particulars at stations.

*Berrybank—Murgheboluc.*—Thursday, 22nd February.—To Melbourne from Berrybank and all stations to Murgheboluc. Tickets close noon, 21st February. Wednesday, 21st February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Particulars at stations.

*Casterton line.*—Thursday, 22nd February.—To Melbourne from all stations on the Casterton line. Friday, 16th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Particulars at stations.

*Piangil—Woorina.*—Thursday, 22nd February.—To Melbourne from Piangil and all stations to Woorina inclusive. Tickets close noon, 21st February. Wednesday, 21st February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Particulars at stations.

*Manangatang—Cannie.*—Thursday, 22nd February.—To Melbourne from Manangatang and stations to Cannie inclusive. Tickets close noon, Tuesday, 20th February. Friday, 16th February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 15th February. Particulars at stations.

*Yackandandah—Wooragee.*—Thursday, 22nd February.—To Melbourne from Yackandandah and Wooragee. Tickets close noon, 20th February. Wednesday, 21st February.—From Melbourne to Yackandandah. Tickets close noon, 20th February. Particulars at stations.

*Daisy—Creswick.*—Thursday, 22nd February.—To Melbourne from Daisy and stations to Creswick inclusive (via Ballarat). Wednesday, 21st February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 20th February. Particulars at stations.

*Beechworth—Baarmutha.*—Friday, 23rd February.—To Melbourne from Beechworth and Baarmutha. Tickets close noon, 21st February. Wednesday, 21st February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 20th February. Particulars at stations.

*Bright—Benalla.*—Friday, 23rd February.—To Melbourne from Bright and stations to Benalla inclusive. Thursday, 22nd February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 21st February. Particulars at stations.

*Woomelang—Lake Buloke.*—Saturday, 24th February.—To Melbourne from Woomelang and stations to Lake Buloke inclusive. Friday, 23rd February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 22nd February. Particulars at stations.

*Murrayville line.*—Wednesday, 28th February.—To Melbourne from Murrayville and stations to Tiega inclusive. Tickets close noon, 26th February. From Melbourne to those stations on same date. Tickets close noon, 27th February. Particulars at stations.

*Marnoo—Rupanyup line.*—Wednesday, 28th February.—To Melbourne from stations on Marnoo and Rupanyup line. Thursday, 22nd February.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 21st February. Particulars at stations.

*Carisbrook—Campbell.*—Thursday, 1st March.—To Melbourne from Carisbrook and stations to Campbell inclusive. Tickets close noon, 28th February. Particulars at stations.

*Warra Yadin—Avoca.*—Monday, 5th March.—To Melbourne from Warra Yadin and all stations to Avoca inclusive. Tickets close noon, 4th March. Wednesday, 7th March.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 6th March. Particulars at stations.

*Bendigo—Kyneton.*—Monday, 5th March.—To Melbourne from Bendigo and stations to Kyneton inclusive. Same date.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 3rd March. Particulars at stations.

*Shelley—Bullioh.*—Monday, 5th March.—To Melbourne from Shelley and all stations to Bullioh inclusive. Tickets close noon, 3rd March. Thursday, 8th March.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 7th March. Particulars at stations.

*Navarre—Crowlands.*—Tuesday, 6th March.—To Melbourne from Navarre and stations to Crowlands inclusive. Tickets close noon, 5th March. Particulars at stations.

*Tatong—Karn.*—Wednesday, 7th March.—To Melbourne from Tatong and all stations to Karn inclusive; and from Melbourne to those stations on same date. Tickets close noon, 6th March. Particulars at stations.

*Homebush—Adelaide Lead.*—Wednesday, 7th March.—To Melbourne from Homebush and all stations to Adelaide Lead inclusive. Wednesday, 7th March.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 6th March. Particulars at stations.

*Tallangatta—Wodonga.*—Wednesday, 7th March.—To Melbourne from Tallangatta and stations to Wodonga inclusive. Tuesday, 6th March.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 5th March. Particulars at stations.

*Mansfield—Alexandra—Wandong.*—Thursday, 8th March.—To Melbourne from Mansfield and stations to Wandong inclusive, and from Alexandra line. Wednesday, 7th March.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 6th March. Particulars at stations.

*Port Albert—Korumburra—Clyde.*—Friday, 9th March.—To Melbourne from Port Albert and stations to Clyde inclusive. Thursday, 8th March.—From Melbourne to those stations. Tickets close noon, 7th March. Particulars at stations.

*Mildura—Lascelles.*—Wednesday, 2nd May.—To Melbourne from Mildura and Irymple. Tuesday, 1st May.—From Melbourne to Irymple and Mildura. Tickets close noon, 30th April. Particulars at stations.

#### SUNDAY TRAINS.

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

*Healesville line.*—Leave Melbourne, Flinders-street, for Healesville at 10.30 a.m., stopping certain stations to Lilydale and all stations thence, and at 11.22 a.m. stopping only at Box Hill, Ringwood, Croydon, Lilydale, and all stations thence, and return at 6.13 p.m. and 6.55 p.m., stopping all stations to Lilydale and at certain stations thence. Passengers from stations between Flinders-street and Lilydale at which the 10.40 a.m. train to Lilydale and join the Healesville train there. Return fares:—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d.

*Fern Tree Gully and Gembrook lines.*—Leave Flinders-street (from No. 1 platform, east end) at 10.25 a.m. for Upper Fern Tree Gully and Emerald, picking up at Richmond, Hawthorn, Glenferrie, Auburn, Camberwell, Box Hill, and Ringwood, and stopping at all stations thence; also at 11 a.m. for Fern Tree Gully and Gembrook, picking up at Richmond, Box Hill, and Ringwood, and stopping at all stations thence; and at 1.55 p.m. for Upper Fern Tree Gully and Belgrave, stopping at all stations. On return, leave Gembrook at 5 p.m., stopping at all stations to Bayswater (except Selby, Belgrave, and Upwey), and thence only at Glenferrie and Richmond to set down passengers; also leave Belgrave at 6.50 p.m., stopping at all stations to Ringwood, thence only at Box Hill, Camberwell, Glenferrie, and Richmond to set down passengers; and at 6.47 p.m. from Emerald, stopping at all stations to Box Hill, thence only at Camberwell, Auburn, Glenferrie, and Richmond to set down passengers.

These trains leave Upper Ferntree Gully at 7.9, 7.30, and 8.7 p.m. respectively for Melbourne. Return fares to Fern Tree Gully:—1st class, 1s. 9d.; 2nd class, 1s. 3d. Gembrook—2nd class, 2s. 6d. Passengers from stations, East Richmond to Mitcham inclusive, at which the 11 a.m. does not stop, will require to travel by the 10.40 a.m. Lilydale train to Ringwood, and join the Gembrook train there. Passengers from Melbourne for Fern Tree 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 10.45 a.m. for Mornington, stopping at all stations, and reaching Mornington at 12.40 p.m., leaving Mornington on return at 7.9 p.m., stopping at all stations and reaching Melbourne at 8.50 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d.

**Pakenham line.**—Leave Flinders-street for Pakenham at 11.5 a.m., and return at 7.9 p.m. Return fares:—First class, 3s. 6d.; second class, 2s. 6d.

**Lyndhurst, Cranbourne, Clyde.**—Leave Flinders-street at 11.5 a.m. for Lyndhurst, Cranbourne, and Clyde, reach Clyde at 3.50 p.m., and return from there at 5.50 p.m., arriving in Melbourne at 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.; second class, 2s.

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

**Eltham and Hurstbridge line.**—Leave Prince's-bridge for Hurstbridge at 10.5 a.m., stopping at all stations, and at 10.45 a.m., stopping only at Clifton Hill, Heidelberg (Rosanna if required), Eltham, and all stations thence, and at 11 a.m. and 5.50 p.m. for Eltham, stopping at all stations; returning from Hurstbridge at 5.40 p.m. (6.2 p.m. from Eltham), stopping at all stations; and at 6.45 p.m. (7.8 p.m. from Eltham), stopping only at Balee, Diamond Creek, Eltham, Heidelberg, Clifton Hill, and all stations thence, and at 7.34 p.m. from Eltham, stopping at all stations.

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

Tickets available for return on day of issue only. Full particulars on posters at stations.

#### THROUGH RAIL AND COACH TICKETS TO MOUNT BUFFALO.

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

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

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

#### MOUNT BUFFALO INCLUSIVE WEEK TICKETS.

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

#### BEECHWORTH, HEALESVILLE, AND WARBURTON EXCURSIONS.

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

#### CHEAP EXCURSION FROM GEELONG AND SOUTH GEELONG TO DRYSDALE AND QUEENSCLIFF ON SATURDAYS, TILL 31ST MARCH, 1917, INCLUSIVE.

The special train will leave Geelong at 2 p.m., and South Geelong at 2.5 p.m.; and return from Queenscliff at 7.45 p.m., and Drysdale at 8.10 p.m. Return fares:—To Drysdale, first class, 1s. 9d.; second class, 1s. 3d.; to Queenscliff, first class, 2s.; second class, 1s. 6d. Children under 14 years, half fare. Tickets can be obtained at Geelong and South Geelong stations up till the departure of the train. They will be available by the special train only. Passengers holding week-end or ordinary tickets to Drysdale and Queenscliff may travel to Geelong by the 10.15 a.m. from Ballarat, and 11 a.m. train from Melbourne, thence by the 2 p.m. special.

#### CHEAP EXCURSION TO RIDDELL, GISBORNE, MACEDON, WOODEND, TRENTHAM, LYONVILLE, AND DAYLESFORD, ON SATURDAYS, 17TH FEBRUARY; 3RD, 17TH, AND 31ST MARCH, 1917.

The special train will leave Spencer-street at 9.10 a.m., and return from Daylesford at 6.50 p.m. Return fares:—1st class, 1½d. per mile; 2nd class, 1d. per mile; children under 14 years, half fare. Tickets can be obtained at the Victorian Government Tourist Bureau, corner of Collins and Swanston streets, up till 5.0 p.m. the previous day, and at Spencer-street, North Melbourne, and Footscray stations up till starting time of train. See posters at stations.

#### CHEAP EXCURSION TO PORTLAND FROM CASTERTON AND ALL STATIONS THENCE TO BRANXHOLME INCLUSIVE, ON WEDNESDAY, 14TH FEBRUARY.

The special train will leave Casterton at 7.10 a.m., Merino at 7.48 a.m., and Branxholme at 8.38 a.m. Return fares:—First class, 1½d. per mile; second class, 1d. per mile. Children under 14 years, half fare. Tickets can be obtained at the respective stations up till 12 noon of Tuesday, 13th February. They will be available by the special only going and for return by 6.45 p.m. special same night, or by any ordinary train for one calendar month. See posters at stations.

#### SUMMER EXCURSIONS.

From 15th November, 1916, till 30th April, 1917, tickets in connexion with the following excursions will be issued:—Seaside and Gippsland Lakes; Mountainous Districts; through Rail and Coach; Buchan Caves; Mount Buffalo (issued throughout the year); Wednesday, Saturday, and Sunday Excursions to Williamstown, Port Melbourne, St. Kilda, Brighton Beach, Sandringham, and Mordialloc; Family Suburban Seaside Excursions. Full particulars can be obtained from the "Book Time-table" or from posters at stations.

#### SEASIDE AND GIPPSLAND LAKES EXCURSIONS.

From 15th November, 1916, till 30th April, 1917, Seaside Excursion Tickets will be issued at Melbourne and some of the principal stations to Geelong (Melbourne excepted), Queenscliff, Dean Marsh (Melbourne excepted), Forrest (Melbourne excepted), Timboon (Melbourne excepted), Portland, Warrnambool, Port Fairy, Carrum, Seaford, Frankston, Hastings, Mornington, Bittern, Stony Point, Sale, Bairnsdale, Tooradin, Foster, Bannison, Toora, Welshpool, Alberton, or Port Albert, and combined railway and steam-boat tickets for the Gippsland Lakes. The tickets will be available for return for two months, and the journey may be broken at Melbourne for three clear days going and returning. See posters at stations.

#### EXCURSION FARES TO MOUNTAINOUS DISTRICTS.

From 15th November, 1916, till 30th April, 1917, first and second class return tickets will be issued at Spencer-street or Flinders-street stations (as the case may be), to Beechworth, Yackandandah, Myrtleford, Porepunkah, Bright, Huon, Tallangatta, Alexandra, Yea, Mansfield, Walhalla, and Briagolong, from Echuca, Bendigo, Kerang, St. Arnaud, Maryborough, Geelong, Ballarat, Ararat, Stawell, Horsham, Warracknabeal, and Seymour to Beechworth, Yackandandah, Myrtleford, Porepunkah, Bright, Alexandra, Yea, Mansfield, Healesville, Warburton, and Gembrook; from Benalla, Wangaratta, and Shepparton to Healesville, Warburton, and Gembrook; from Warrnambool, Port Fairy, and Portland to Beechworth, Myrtleford, Porepunkah, Bright, Healesville, Warburton, and Gembrook; from Mangalore to Bright; from Albury, Wahgunyah, Wodonga, and Yarrawonga to Beechworth; and from Bendigo, Boort, Chillingollah, Donald, Echuca, Kerang, Korong Vale, Mildura, Sea Lake, Swan Hill, and Wycheproof, to Macedon and Woodend.

#### THROUGH RAIL AND COACH TICKETS.

From 15th November, 1916, till 30th April, 1917, through rail and coach tickets will be issued at Spencer-street or Flinders-street stations (as the case may be), at the Government Tourist Bureau, Collins-street, and at

Messrs. Thos. Cook and Son to Forest-road, Hazel Dell, Ferny Creek, Sassafras, Olinda, The Hermitage, Narbethong, St. Fillan's, Marysville, Kerami, Claverton, Nyora, Buxton, Acheron, Taggerty, Cathedral Side, Jamieson, Thornton, Upper Thornton, Eildon Weir, Darlingford, Tambo Crossing, Ensay, Swift's Creek, Cassilis, Omeo, Buchan, Marlo, Lorne, Port Campbell, Peterborough, Ocean Grove, Barwon Heads, Torquay, Portarlinton, Clifton Springs, Angelsea, Airey's Inlet, St. Leonards, Flinders, Inverloch, Walsh's Creek, and Apollo Bay; also from Geelong, Ballarat, Ballarat East, and Camperdown to Port Campbell and Peterborough; and from Geelong and South Geelong to Lorne.

Through rail and coach circular tickets will also be issued as follow:—(1) Melbourne to Healesville (rail), thence to Marysville and Alexandra (coach), and Alexandra to Melbourne (rail) and *vice versa*, also issued from Alexandra for circular journey. Fares.—First class, 31s. 6d.; second class, 26s. 8d. (2) Melbourne to Healesville (rail), thence to Alexandra via Narbethong (motor), and Alexandra to Melbourne (rail) and *vice versa*, also issued from Alexandra for circular journey. Fares.—First class, 30s.; second class, 25s. 2d. (3) Melbourne to Yarra Glen (rail), thence to Toolangi and Healesville (coach), and Healesville to Melbourne (rail), also *vice versa*. Fares.—First class, 14s. 6d.; second class, 12s. 8d. (4) Melbourne to Upper Ferntree Gully (rail), thence to Bayswater via Sassafras (coach), and Bayswater to Melbourne (rail) and *vice versa*. Fares.—First class, 7s. 3d.; second class, 6s. 8d. (5) Melbourne to Bright (rail), thence to Omeo and Bruthen (coach), thence to Melbourne (rail), also *vice versa*. Fares.—First class, 94s.; second class, 80s. 4d. (6) Melbourne to Warburton (rail), thence to Walsh's Creek (coach), and Walhalla to Melbourne (rail); also *vice versa*. Fares.—First class, 21s. 10d.; second class, 16s. 6d. Passengers make their own arrangements for the journey between Walsh's Creek and Walhalla. (7) Melbourne or Geelong to Forrest (rail), thence to Apollo Bay and Beech Forest (coach), and Beech Forest to Melbourne or Geelong (rail); also *vice versa*. Fares.—Melbourne: First class, 41s. 4d.; second class, 35s. 4d. Geelong: First class, 32s. 8d.; second class, 29s.

For full particulars see posters at stations.

**EXCURSIONS TO THE BUCHAN CAVES.**

Commencing on 15th November, 1916, Flinders-street station, the Government Tourist Bureau, Collins-street, and Messrs. Thos. Cook and Son will issue through rail, boat, and coach circular tickets from Melbourne to the Buchan Caves and return, available over the following routes:—Melbourne to Bairnsdale (rail), Bairnsdale to Cunninghamame (steamer), Cunninghamame to Lake Tyers (coach), Lake Tyers to Nowa Nowa (motor launch), and Nowa Nowa to Buchan (coach), returning Buchan to Nowa Nowa (coach), Nowa Nowa to Lake Tyers (motor launch), Lake Tyers to Cunninghamame (coach), Cunninghamame to Sale (steamer), and Sale to Melbourne (rail); or alternately going *via* Sale and returning *via* Bairnsdale. The journey cannot be broken on rail portion of route, but may be broken at the junction of the rail and boat or coach routes. Tickets are available for return for two (2) months from date of issue. Combined fares—First class, 68s.; second class, 55s. 6d. These tickets are also issued from Dandenong, Warragul, Moe, and Traralgon at proportionately reduced fares.

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

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

**WEDNESDAY, SATURDAY, AND SUNDAY EXCURSIONS.**

From 15th November, 1916, till 30th April, 1917, inclusive, Cheap Suburban Seaside Excursion tickets will be issued by all trains from 10 a.m. on Saturdays (north and south suburban stations, 10 miles radius, will issue tickets by connecting trains, which arrive at Melbourne about 10 a.m.), and by all trains on Sundays, and by all trains from 1 p.m. on Wednesdays, as follows:—Children under sixteen years, half fare.

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

To Williamstown.—From Flinders-street, Spencer-street, North Melbourne, and South Kensington. Rail only—First class, 9d.; second class, 6d. From Footscray and Seddon, second class, 6d. Rail and bath—First class, 1s.; second class, 9d. From stations nearer to Williamstown, children under sixteen years can travel at half ordinary return fares on these days. From any

north or south suburban station within a radius of 10 miles from Flinders-street, Spencer-street, or Prince's-bridge—First class, 1s. 3d.; second class, 9d. Passengers may terminate the journey at or return from North Williamstown or Williamstown Beach if desired. These tickets are available *via* Port Melbourne and ferry steamer or *via* Footscray on either route.

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

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

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

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

**FAMILY SUBURBAN SEASIDE EXCURSIONS.**

A special family card ticket will be issued at Melbourne and at all suburban stations within a radius of 20 miles of Melbourne to the following seaside resorts at the undermentioned fares by all trains from 10 a.m. on week days, and by all trains on Sundays:—

	From Melbourne and from stations not exceeding 10 miles from Melbourne.		Exceeding 10 miles but not exceeding 15 miles from Melbourne.		Exceeding 15 miles but not exceeding 20 miles from Melbourne.	
	1st Class.	2nd Class.	1st Class.	2nd Class.	1st Class.	2nd Class.
(a) To Port Melbourne and St. Kilda ...	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
(b) To Williamstown, Brighton Beach, and Sandringham ...	3 0	2 0	3 6	2 6	4 0	3 0
(c) To Mordialloc ...	4 0	3 0	4 6	3 6	5 0	4 0
(d) To Carrum ...	4 6	3 6	5 0	4 0	5 6	4 6
(e) To Frankston ...	5 0	4 0	5 6	4 6	6 0	5 0

Each ticket entitles two adults and four children under sixteen years, or one adult and five children under sixteen years, to travel between the issuing station and one of the above-named stations. Tickets are available for one return journey on the day of issue only. Journey may be broken at Melbourne only. The following public holidays:—Christmas Day, Boxing Day, New Year's Day, Good Friday, Easter Saturday, Easter Monday, and any other holidays notified from time to time—are excepted from the above arrangement.

**MILITARY 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 7.0 p.m., stopping to set down passengers as required to Essendon, thence at all stations. Cheap special fares:—From Melbourne—Return, 1st class, 4s. 6d.; 2nd class, 3s. 6d.; children under 3 years, free; over 3 and under 14 years, half fare. Tickets available for the day only. The above fares will also apply from stations between Melbourne and Seymour if cheaper than Holiday Excursion Fares.

**BROADMEADOWS SUNDAY TRAINS.**

On Sundays trains will leave Flinders-street for Broadmeadows at 12.45, 1.35, 2.23, 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.

GEO. H. SUTTON, Secretary.

## Victorian Railways.

## VICTORIAN RAILWAYS COMMISSIONERS.

BY-LAW No. 226.

THE Victorian Railways Commissioners, in pursuance of the powers conferred in their behalf under the provisions of the Railways Act No. 2716, do hereby make the following By-law, viz. :—

1. The charge which shall be imposed in respect of the reservation of a particular seat for the accommodation of a passenger in any train on which such reservations are permitted shall be One shilling (1s.).

2. Any passenger who after being warned shall occupy or attempt to occupy the seat in a railway carriage of any other passenger who has paid the prescribed reservation fee for that particular seat shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £2.

In witness whereof the common seal of The Victorian Railways Commissioners was affixed hereto this seventeenth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, in the presence of—

(SEAL) C. E. NORMAN, Chairman,  
E. B. JONES,  
Victorian Railways Commissioners.

Confirmed by the Governor in Council,  
25th January, 1917.

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

## HOLDING OF COUNTY COURTS AT YARRAWONGA DISCONTINUED.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twenty-fifth day of January, 1917.

## PRESENT :

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.  
Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson.  
Mr. McLeod

WHEREAS by section 3 of the *County Court Act* 1915 (6 Geo. V. No. 2636), it is amongst other things enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council to direct that County Courts shall be holden for the determination of certain actions cognizable by courts of common law, and with a limited jurisdiction in equity under the said Act, and, with the advice aforesaid, to alter the place of holding any such court or to direct that the holding of any such court be discontinued, and from time to time, with the advice aforesaid, to direct in what towns and places a County Court shall be holden: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby direct that the holding of County Courts at

## YARRAWONGA

be discontinued from and after the 28th day of February, 1917.

And the Honorable H. S. W. 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.

## ROAD IN THE PARISH OF RICH AVON WEST REDUCED IN WIDTH.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twenty-fifth day of January, 1917.

## PRESENT :

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.  
Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson.  
Mr. McLeod

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, in accordance with the provisions of, and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 485 of the *Local Government Act* 1915 (6 Geo. V. No. 2686), doth by this Order confirm the scheme for the reduction in width of a road in the parish of Rich Avon West, within the municipality of the shire of Dunmunkle, in the State of Victoria, as set out on a plan attached to such scheme, and deposited in the office of Lands and Survey, Melbourne, the said scheme being under the seal of the Shire of Dunmunkle of the first part, the seal of the Board of Land and Works of the second part, and under the hands and seals of persons whose signatures are subscribed and seals affixed to the said scheme, and who are called the parties of the third part.

And the Honorable W. Hutchinson, 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.

## Local Government Act 1915.

## HOURS OF POLLING.—SHIRE OF SHEPPARTON.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twenty-fifth day of January, 1917.

## PRESENT :

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.  
Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson.  
Mr. McLeod

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 134 of the *Local Government Act* 1915 (6 Geo. V. No. 2686), His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, and in compliance with a petition presented by the Council of the shire of Shepparton, dated the 6th November, 1916, doth by this Order declare that the time for closing the Poll at municipal elections for the said shire shall be Five (5) o'clock in the afternoon.

And the Honorable W. A. 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.

## Country Roads Act 1915 (Act No. 2635).

## ORDER APPROVING OF MAKING A DEVIATION FROM A MAIN ROAD IN THE SHIRE OF OMEO.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twenty-fifth day of January, 1917.

## PRESENT :

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.  
Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson.  
Mr. McLeod

WHEREAS the Country Roads Board constituted under the *Country Roads Act* 1915 (Act No. 2635) has represented to His Excellency the Governor in Council that it appears to it desirable that the deviation hereinafter referred to from the existing Bruthen-Omeo road in the shire of Omeo (declared to be a main road under the said Act which declaration was confirmed by the Order in Council published in the *Government Gazette* of the first day of April One thousand nine hundred and fourteen on page one thousand five hundred and forty-four) should be made by the said Board. And whereas the said Board in accordance with the requirements of section 19 of the said cited Act has caused to be prepared a map plan and estimate showing the points between which and on and through what land the said deviation is proposed to be made and the cost of acquiring the land and constructing the said deviation. And whereas on an inspection of the said map and plan and a consideration of the said estimate His Excellency the Governor in Council is satisfied that there are funds legally available for acquiring the land and constructing the said deviation. Now therefore be it known by this present Order that His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby approve of the said road being made, that is to say:—

"A." Commencing at a point on the southern boundary of allotment 100A, parish of Cobungra, distant 980.5 links from its south-western angle; thence north 64 deg. 16 min. east 459 links; thence south 57 deg. 40 min. east 378.1 links; thence south 28 deg. 22 min. east 9.3 links to the southern boundary of the above-mentioned allotment; thence north 89 deg. 6 min. west 738.2 links along this boundary to the point of commencement.

"B." Commencing at a point joined by lines bearing south 57 deg. 40 min. east 541.4 links, and south 28 deg. 22 min. east 173.6 links to a point on the southern boundary of allotment 100A, distant 1,947.9 links from its south-western angle; thence south 64 deg. 16 min. west 522.7 links; thence north 89 deg. 6 min. west 89.1 links; thence north 9 deg. 52 min. west 111.8 links; thence north 39 deg. 43 min. east 558 links; thence south 35 deg. 27 min. east 383.7 links to the point of commencement.

And the Honorable W. A. 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.

*Country Roads Act 1915 (Act No. 2635).***ORDER APPROVING OF A DEVIATION FROM AN EXISTING MAIN ROAD IN THE SHIRE OF TOWONG.**

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twenty-fifth day of January, 1917.

**PRESENT:**

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.  
 Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson.  
 Mr. McLeod

**W**HEREAS the Country Roads Board constituted under the *Country Roads Act 1915 (Act No. 2635)* has represented to His Excellency the Governor in Council that it appears to it desirable that the deviation hereinafter referred to from the existing Shelley-Jinjelic road in the shire of Towong (declared to be a main road under the said Act which declaration was confirmed by the Order in Council published in the *Government Gazette* of the twentieth day of December One thousand nine hundred and sixteen on page five thousand one hundred and sixty-one) should be made by the said Board And whereas the said Board in accordance with the requirements of section 19 of the said cited Act has caused to be prepared a map plan and estimate showing the points between which and on and through what land the said deviation is proposed to be made and the cost of acquiring the land and constructing the said deviation. And whereas on an inspection of the said map and plan and a consideration of the said estimate His Excellency the Governor in Council is satisfied that there are funds legally available for acquiring the land and constructing the said deviation Now therefore be it known by this present Order that His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria with the advice of the Executive Council thereof doth hereby approve of the said road being made, that is to say:—

Commencing at a point west 113 links from north-eastern angle of allotment 2 of 1, parish of Berringama, county of Benambra; thence through allotment 38 north 25 deg. 57 min. east 1,111.7 links; thence north 2 deg. 20 min. east 980.1 links; thence north 10 deg. 12 min. east 872 links; thence north 2 deg. 43 min. east 1,893 links; thence north 41 deg. 54 min. east 410.0 links to the boundary of a Government road; thence along that boundary south 66 deg. 52 min. west 510.6 links; thence south 2 deg. 43 min. west 1,981.7 links; thence south 17 deg. 11 min. west 2,632.9 links; thence south 10 deg. 54 min. east 344.3 links to the northern boundary of allotment 2 of 1; thence along that boundary east 231.8 links to the point of commencement.

And the Honorable W. A. 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.

*Country Roads Act 1915 (Act No. 2635).***ORDER APPROVING OF MAKING A DEVIATION FROM A MAIN ROAD IN THE SHIRE OF MORWELL.**

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twenty-fifth day of January, 1917.

**PRESENT:**

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.  
 Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson.  
 Mr. McLeod

**W**HEREAS the Country Roads Board constituted under the *Country Roads Act 1915 (Act No. 2635)* has represented to His Excellency the Governor in Council that it appears to it desirable that the deviation hereinafter referred to from the existing Boolarra-Foster road in the shire of Morwell (declared to be a main road under the said Act which declaration was confirmed by the Order in Council published in the *Government Gazette* of the fourteenth day of January One thousand nine hundred and fourteen on page ninety-two) should be made by the said Board And whereas the said Board in accordance with the requirements of section 19 of the said cited Act has caused to be prepared a map plan and estimate showing the points between which and on and through what land the said deviation is proposed to be made and the cost of acquiring the land and constructing the said deviation And whereas on an inspection of the said map and plan and a consideration of the said estimate His Excellency

the Governor in Council is satisfied that there are funds legally available for acquiring the land and constructing the said deviation Now therefore be it known by this present Order that His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria with the advice of the Executive Council thereof doth hereby approve of the said road being made, that is to say:—

Commencing at the intersection of the Budgerec and the Boolarra-Foster roads, near the south-western angle of allotment 9B, parish of Mirboo; thence southerly along the existing road a distance of 214 feet to a point on the existing road boundary and eastern boundary of Timber reserve, about 210 feet from its north-eastern angle; thence south-westerly, southerly, and south-easterly a distance of 855 feet to a point on the existing road boundary and eastern angle of the Timber reserve about 700 feet from its north-eastern angle; thence following the existing road in a south-easterly direction a distance of 696 feet to a point on the existing road boundary; thence south-westerly, southerly, and south-easterly through the said Timber reserve, a distance of 4,564 feet, to a point on the existing road boundary and eastern angle of the said Timber reserve about 1,580 feet from its south-eastern angle; thence crossing the existing two-chain road in a south-easterly direction to a point on its opposite boundary about 800 feet from the south-western angle of allotment 9, parish of Mirboo; thence going south-easterly and southerly through the said allotment a distance of about 1,030 feet to a point on the southern boundary of the said allotment 9, a distance of 172 feet from its south-western angle; thence southerly through allotment 11, parish of Mirboo, a distance of 1,105 feet to a point on the existing road, a distance of 1,100 feet from the north-western angle of the last-named allotment.

And the Honorable W. A. 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.

*Education Act 1915.***REGULATION ADDED TO.**

At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the twenty-fifth day of January, 1917.

**PRESENT:**

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.  
 Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson.  
 Mr. McLeod

**W**HEREAS by the *Education Act 1915 (6 Geo. V. No. 2644)* it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time make and rescind regulations for all or any of the purposes therein mentioned, and generally for carrying the said Act into effect: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby amend the Regulations made under the above-named Act by the addition of the following new sub-clause, that is to say:—

**REGULATION XXXVII.—TECHNICAL SCHOOLS.—NEW SUB-CLAUSE.**

Sub-clause 18 (a).—No increase in the salary attached to any vacant position nor in the salary of any teacher or officer of the Council of any technical school which receives a grant from the Annual Vote for Technical Schools shall be made unless the express sanction of the Minister has first been obtained. Provided that this sub-clause shall not apply to the position of any teacher or officer in receipt of less than £100 per annum.

And the Honorable Harry Sutherland Wightman Lawson, His Majesty's Minister of Public Instruction for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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

*Licensing Act 1915.*  
TIME FOR HOLDING LICENSING COURT  
EXTENDED.

*At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the  
twenty-fifth day of January, 1917.*

## PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.  
Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson.  
Mr. McLeod

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, doth by this present Order direct that the time for holding the Annual Sitting of the Licensing Court for the Licensing District of Rutherglen, appointed to be held in the month of December, 1916, be extended by a period not exceeding two months from the 31st December, 1916 (section 87 of the Act No. 2683).

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.

*Companies Act 1915.*  
CONSENT TO THE USE OF THE WORD "ROYAL"  
BY A COMPANY UNDER THE ABOVE ACT.

*At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the  
twenty-fifth day of January, 1917.*

## PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.  
Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson.  
Mr. McLeod

WHEREAS by the *Companies Act 1915* (6 Geo. V. No. 2631) it is amongst other things enacted that no company, association, or partnership, the name, style, or title of which includes the word "Royal" or the word "King" or the word "Queen" or the word "Crown" or the word "Empire" or the word "Imperial" or any word signifying Royal or Government support or patronage shall be registered in Victoria as a company unless the Governor in Council by Order published in the *Government Gazette* consents to the use of such word in the name, style, or title of such company: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, and in pursuance of provisions contained in section 279 of the said Act, doth hereby consent to the use of the word "Royal" in the name of the company known as the "Royal Automobile Club of Victoria," in which name it is desired the said company shall be registered.

And the Honorable H. S. W. Lawson, His Majesty's Attorney-General for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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

## SHIRE OF RODNEY.

ORDER MAKING AND LEVYING A SEPARATE RATE  
CONFIRMED.

*At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne,  
the twenty-fifth day of January, 1917.*

## PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.  
Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson.  
Mr. McLeod

HIS Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, and in pursuance of the provisions of sections 284, 285, and 286 of the *Local Government Act 1915* (No. 2686), doth by this Order confirm the separate rate made and levied by the Council of the Shire of Rodney in respect of certain properties, the descriptions of which, and the rates to be made and levied in respect whereof, are duly set forth and described in a notice of the Shire Council, as published in the *Government Gazette*, dated the 13th December, 1916, pages 5126, 5127, and 5128.

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.

BOROUGH ECHUCA WATER TRUST.  
MINIMUM RATES FOR THE YEAR 1917.

*At the Executive Council Chamber, Melbourne, the  
twenty-fifth day of January, 1917.*

## PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor of Victoria.  
Sir A. J. Peacock | Mr. Adamson.  
Mr. McLeod

WHEREAS by section 148 of the *Water Act 1915*, it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time fix a sum which shall be the minimum amount of rates to be paid annually by the occupier or owner of any land or tenement liable to be rated by any Waterworks Trust: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor of the State of Victoria, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the above State, and in pursuance of the provisions of the now in part recited Act, doth order and direct that the sums mentioned hereunder shall in each case be the minimum amount of rates to be paid for the year 1917 by every occupier or owner of property liable to be rated by the Borough Echuca Water Trust under clauses 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, and 10 respectively of its Rating By-law for the said year:—

- Clause No. 2.—One pound ten shillings.
- Clause No. 3.—One pound ten shillings.
- Clause No. 4.—Seven pounds ten shillings, and Fifteen pounds respectively, as specified.
- Clause No. 5.—Twenty shillings.
- Clause No. 6.—Ten shillings.
- Clause No. 9.—Fifteen shillings.
- Clause No. 10.—Five shillings.

And the Honorable Hugh McKenzie, His Majesty's Minister of Water Supply for the State of Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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

## The Game Act 1915.

## PROTECTION OF NATIVE GAME AT WALWA.

## 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.

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, and pursuant to the provisions of section 5 of the *Game Act 1915* (No. 2658), do by this Proclamation direct that the part of Victoria hereunder described shall be a locality in which, from the first day of January to the thirty-first day of December (both days inclusive) in each year, it shall be unlawful for any person to kill or destroy any native game included in the Third Schedule to the *Game Act 1915*.

Part of Victoria referred to:—County of Benambra, parish of Walwa: Commencing at the south-west corner of allotment 4 of section 4; thence easterly by the main Upper Murray road to the south-east corner of allotment 2; thence northerly by the eastern boundary of that allotment and a line in continuation of such boundary to the Murray River; thence westerly by that river to a point where a line in continuation of the western boundary of allotment 1 of section 4 meets the river; thence southerly by that line and the western boundaries of allotments 1 and 4 to the commencing point.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this twenty-fifth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the seventh year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(I.S.) A. L. STANLEY.

By His Excellency's Command,

D. McLEOD,  
Chief Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land Act 1915

AREAS OF LANDS COMPRISED IN CERTAIN CLASSES INCREASED AND DIMINISHED.

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.

WHEREAS by the Land Act 1915 it is amongst other things enacted that the Governor in Council may, by Proclamation to be published in the Government Gazette, at any time increase or diminish the area of land comprised in any of the classes mentioned in Part I., Division 1, section 5, of the said Land Act 1915, but that the area of lands which may be sold by auction (Class 6) shall not be increased except as in certain cases in the said Act provided: Now therefore 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, and in accordance with the provisions of sections 94 and 117 of the Land Act 1915 aforesaid, do hereby increase or diminish (as the case may be) the areas of Crown lands comprised in Classes 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, and 8 respectively of the classes mentioned in section 5 of the Land Act 1915 aforesaid to the extent set forth in the subjoined Schedules respectively (that is to say):—

Schedules referred to.

CLASSES DIMINISHED OR INCREASED.

County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Diminished.	Increased.	Description.
				Class.	Class.	
			A. R. P.			
Lowan ...	Boikerbert ...	PL 13B	10 1 24	8		Between the holdings of A. B. Porter and M. Koss
Lowan ...	Natimuk ...	63B	2 3 39	8		
Kara Kara ...	Yehrip ...	45A	15 0 0	7	3	
Gladstone ...	Bealiba ...	30B, sec. B	10 0 0	7	1	In the centre of parish
Talbot ...	Castlemaine ...	7D, sec. 3B	5 0 0	7	2	In the north of parish

CLASS INCREASED.

County.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Class.	Description.
			A. R. P.		
Normanby ...	Myamyn ...	4D, sec. 3	2 0 0	6	

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this twenty-fifth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the seventh year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(L.S.)

A. L. STANLEY.

By His Excellency's Command,

W. HUTCHINSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

TOWNSHIP PROCLAIMED.

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.

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, and in pursuance of provisions contained in Part I., section 19, of the Land Act 1915 (6 Geo. V. No. 2676), do hereby proclaim as a township, under the designation of Piangil, the land comprised within the boundaries hereinafter described, that is to say:—

Land Act 1915, Section 19.

TOWNSHIP OF PIANGIL.

County of Tatchera, parish of Piangil: Commencing at a point on the south boundary of allotment 139 bearing north two hundred and two links and four-tenths from the north-west angle of allotment 146; bounded thence by a line and allotment 146 aforesaid bearing south two thousand three hundred and ninety-seven links; thence by the south side of a road and a line bearing west one thousand nine hundred and seventy-nine links; thence by the Railway reserve bearing N. 0 deg. 2 min. W. two thousand and eighty-seven links; and thence by allotments 140 and 139 bearing N. 81 deg. 6 min. E. two thousand and four links to the point of commencement.—(P.145L(1) (16.P.5949).

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this twenty-fifth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the seventh year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(L.S.)

A. L. STANLEY.

By His Excellency's Command,  
W. HUTCHINSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

TOWNSHIP PROCLAIMED.

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.

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, and in pursuance of provisions contained in Part I., section 19, of the Land Act 1915 (6 Geo. V. No. 2676), do hereby proclaim as a township, under the designation of Yaapect, the land comprised within the boundaries hereinafter described, that is to say:—

Land Act 1915, Section 19.

TOWNSHIP OF YAAPECT.

County of Karkaroc, parish of Yaapect: Commencing at the south-west angle of allotment 7A; bounded thence by a line and allotments 14A and 14 bearing south three thousand three hundred and twenty-five links and a half; thence by the south side of the road forming the south boundary of section 5 bearing west one thousand seven hundred and nineteen links, and by that road and a line bearing N. 57 deg. 51 min. W. two thousand one hundred and twenty-one links; thence by the Railway reserve bearing N. 32 deg. 9 min. E. two thousand five hundred and ninety-five links; and thence by allotment 8 and a line bearing east two thousand two hundred and thirty-three links to the point of commencement.—(Y.124A(1) (16.M.14070).

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State of Victoria aforesaid, at Melbourne, this twenty-fifth day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the seventh year of the reign of His Majesty King George V.

(L.S.)

A. L. STANLEY.

By His Excellency's Command,  
W. HUTCHINSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

## APPROACHING LAND SALES.

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

	No. of Gazette.
Ararat—Thursday, 8th March, 1917	24
Beechworth—Friday, 23rd February, 1917	12
Bacchus Marsh—Monday, 20th February, 1917	15
Bright—Monday, 19th February, 1917	12
Dunolly—Wednesday, 7th March, 1917	15
Heathcote—Tuesday, 13th February, 1917	6
Melbourne—Wednesday, 14th March, 1917	24
Portland—Friday, 16th February, 1917	6

Lands and Survey Office, Melbourne.

## SALES (Nos. 9149 and 9150), 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 herein-after 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, 3rd February, 1917.

ARARAT.—Sale (No. 9149), at ELEVEN o'clock on THURSDAY, 8th MARCH, 1917, at the COURT HOUSE. To be conducted by E. BURGESS, Esq., Land Officer. Auctioneers: Messrs. YOUNG BROS.

## TOWN LOTS.

ARARAT, PARISH OF ARARAT, COUNTY OF RIPON.

Fronting Baird-street.

Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £2 5s.  
\*Lot 1. Area 1a. 0r. 10p., allotment 5, section 39.

At site of improvements of Sarah Sanderson.

Upset price £20 per lot.—Charge for survey £2 2s.  
\*Lot 2. Area 1a., allotment 11, section J. Valuation £45.

In Dawson-street.

Upset price £30 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.  
Lot 3. Area 2r., allotment 10, section 107.

## In Rundell-street.

Upset price £25 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.  
Lot 4. Area 1r. 9 6-10p., allotment 5, section 67.  
Lot 5. Area 1r. 9 7-10p., allotment 6, section 67.  
Lot 6. Area 1r. 9 8-10p., allotment 7, section 67.  
Lot 7. Area 1r. 9 9-10p., allotment 8, section 67.  
Lot 8. Area 1r. 9 9-10p., allotment 9, section 67.  
Lot 9. Area 1r. 10 7-10p., allotment 10, section 67.

STREATHAM, PARISH OF STREATHAM, COUNTY OF RIPON.

The old Post Office site.

Upset price £25 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.  
Lot 10. Area 1r., allotment 1A, section 1. Valuation £7 10s. (A. M. Dickman), £27 10s. (Trust).

WARRAK, PARISH OF WARRAK, COUNTY OF KARA KARA.

Upset price £1 5s. per acre.—Charge for survey £2 9s.  
Lot 11. Area 24a. 1r. 11p., allotment 37.

WESTMERE, PARISH OF TARA, COUNTY OF RIPON.

Near the State School site.

Upset price £10 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.  
Lot 12. Area 1r. 20p., allotment 37, section 5.

## COUNTRY LOTS.

PARISH OF ARARAT, COUNTY OF BOBUNG.

Near the holding of Samuel Bass.

Upset price £1 per acre.—Charge for survey £2 11s.  
\*Lot 13. Area 2a. 1r. 6p., allotment A15H, section 15.

Near holding of Harriet Pola.

Upset price £1 per acre.—Charge for survey £2 5s.  
\*Lot 14. Area 4a. 3r. 5p., allotment 2D, section 15.

PARISH OF LANGI-KAL-KAL, COUNTY OF RIPON.

Adjoining holding of G. T. Vowles.

Upset price £4 per acre.—Charge for survey £1.  
\*Lot 15. Area 3a. 0r. 15p., allotment 13D, section C. Valuation £13 (G. T. Vowles).

\*Lots 1, 2, 13, 14, and 15 will be sold subject to special mining conditions (section 81, Land Act 1915).

MELBOURNE.—Sale (No. 9150), at TWO o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 14th MARCH, 1917, at the AUCTION ROOMS of Messrs. BAILLIEU, ALLARD PROP. LTD. To be conducted by T. H. TAYLOR, Esq. Auctioneers: Messrs. BAILLIEU, ALLARD PROP. LTD.

## CITY LOTS.

NORTHCOTE, PARISH OF JIKA JIKA, COUNTY OF BOURKE.

Corner of Hutton and Railway streets, fronting Thornbury Railway Station.

Upset price £3 15s. per foot.—Charge for survey £1.  
Lot 1. Area 19 3-10p., allotment 1, section W. Frontage 36 feet by depth of 150 feet.

Upset price £3 5s. per foot.—Charge for survey £1.  
Lot 2. Area 19 2-10p., allotment 2, section W. Frontage 35 feet by depth of 150 feet.

Lot 3. Area 19 2-10p., allotment 3, section W. Frontage 35 feet by depth of 150 feet (half cost of dividing fence to be paid for by purchaser).

## TOWN LOTS.

WARRANDYTE, PARISH OF WARRANDYTE, COUNTY OF EVELYN.

Upset price £30 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.  
\*Lot 4. Area 2a. 0r. 20p., allotment 2A, section 8.

TOOLANGI, PARISH OF TARRAWARRA NORTH, COUNTY OF EVELYN.

Upset price £10 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.  
Lot 5. Area 1a. 1r. 4p., allotment 4.

MARYSVILLE, PARISH OF STEAVENSON, COUNTY OF ANGLESEY.

Upset price £15 per acre.—Charge for survey £1.  
\*Lot 6. Area 1a. 2r. 8p., allotment 6, section J.  
\*Lot 7. Area 1a. 2r., allotment 7, section J.  
\*Lot 8. Area 1a. 2r., allotment 8, section J.  
\*Lot 9. Area 1a. 2r. 8p., allotment 9, section J.  
\*Lot 10. Area 1a. 2r. 8p., allotment 10, section J.  
\*Lot 11. Area 1a. 2a., allotment 11, section J.

MARBOOING, PARISH OF WOOLAMAI, COUNTY OF MORNINGTON.

Upset price £8 10s. per lot.—Charge for survey, £1.  
Lot 12. Area 1r. 20p., allotment 2, section A.  
Lot 13. Area 1r. 16 7-10p., allotment 5, section A.

COUNTRY LOTS.

PARISH OF WANNAEUE, COUNTY OF MORNINGTON.

*Situated about One Mile from Rosebud, on Mornington Peninsula.*

- Upset price £12 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
- Lot 14. Area 2r. 39 5-10p., portion 11 of allotment 20.
- Lot 15. Area 2r. 31p., portion 13 of allotment 20.
- Lot 16. Area 2r. 37p., portion 14 of allotment 20.
- Lot 17. Area 1r. 39 4-10p., portion 30 of allotment 20.
- Lot 18. Area 1r. 39 4-10p., portion 31 of allotment 20.
- Lot 19. Area 2r. 5 7-10p., portion 28 of allotment 20.
- Lot 20. Area 1r. 28p., portion 15 of allotment 20.
- Lot 21. Area 2r. 8 5-10p., portion 16 of allotment 20.
- Lot 22. Area 2r. 6 4-10p., portion 17 of allotment 20.
- Lot 23. Area 1r. 34 6-10p., portion 18 of allotment 20.

PARISH OF GEMBROOK, COUNTY OF EVELYN.

*Portion of the old Acclimatization Reserve.*

- Upset price £2 per acre.—Charge for survey £1.
- Lot 24. Area 10a. 1r. 33p., allotment 5, section B.
- Lot 25. Area 17a. 0r. 10p., allotment 6, section B.

PARISH OF NARREE WORRAN, COUNTY OF MORNINGTON.

*Week-end Sites, situated about One Mile south of Belgrave Railway Station, on Fern Tree Gully and Gembrook line.*

- Upset price £15 per lot.—Charge for survey £1.
- Lot 26. Area 1a. 0r. 21p., allotment 28, section C.
- Lot 27. Area 1a. 3r. 34p., allotment 8, section C.
- Lot 28. Area 1a. 3r. 34p., allotment 9, section C.
- Lot 29. Area 1a. 3r. 37p., allotment 10, section C.
- Lot 30. Area 2a. 0r. 3p., allotment 11, section C.

\*Lots 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11 will be sold subject to special mining conditions (section 81, *Land Act 1915*).

SALE OF RIGHT TO LEASE OF CROWN ALLOTMENT AT MELBOURNE, ON 14<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 1917.  
To be conducted by T. H. TAYLOR, Esq.

THE Right to Lease of the Crown allotment hereinafter described, under sections 125 and 126 of the *Land Act 1915*, will be offered for sale by public auction, at the AUCTION ROOMS of Messrs. BAILLIEU, ALLARD PROP. LTD., at half-past THREE o'clock on WEDNESDAY, the 14<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 1917, for any or all of the purposes here specified, viz.:

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

W. HUTCHINSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Office of Lands and Survey,  
Melbourne, 3rd February, 1917.

SALE OF THE RIGHT TO THE LEASE.

A SALE of the Right to the Lease for a period of twenty-one years of Crown allotment hereinafter described will be held at the AUCTION ROOMS of Messrs. BAILLIEU, ALLARD PROP. LTD., at half-past THREE o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 14<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 1917. To be conducted by T. H. TAYLOR, Esq. Auctioneers: Messrs. BAILLIEU, ALLARD PROP. LTD.

(Description of Land.)

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

*Fronting Johnson-street.*

Upset annual rental £170.

Allotment 6, section 104. Area 1a. 0r. 25 6-10p.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The term shall be twenty-one (21) years, commencing 15<sup>th</sup> March, 1917.
2. The rent for one quarter must be paid at the time of sale, and thereafter quarterly in advance.
3. The site and all improvements and buildings, whether attached to the soil or not, shall revert absolutely to the Crown on expiry or any previous determination of the lease.
4. Plans of all buildings proposed to be erected on the land shall be submitted to and approved by the Board of Land and Works before erection, and the whole of the improvements must be maintained throughout the term of the lease in good order and repair to the satisfaction of the Board of Land and Works, which reserves the right of entry for inspection.

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

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

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

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

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

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

W. HUTCHINSON,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Office of Lands and Survey,  
Melbourne, 2nd February, 1917.

SUPPLEMENTARY SALE.

DUNOLLY.—Sale (No. 9148), at ELEVEN o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 7<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 1917, at the COURT HOUSE. To be conducted by A. W. GOODE, Esq., Land Officer.

TOWN LOT.

BEALIBA, PARISH OF BEALIBA, COUNTY OF GLADSTONE.

Upset price £7 per lot.—Charge for survey £2 5s.  
Lot 10. Area 2r. 32p., allotment 16, section 16. Valuation £60 (J. Skinner).

W. HUTCHINSON,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEY.

LAND EXCEPTED FROM OCCUPATION, ETC.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the Mines Act, 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 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1917, excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence the land hereinafter described, viz.:

Mines Acts.

KAMAROOKA.—Land excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence.—One rood thirty-six perches, county of Bendigo, parish of Kamarooka, being allotment 15a of section B.—(K.14d) (16.Y.17117).

F. W. MABBOTT,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

At the Executive Council Chamber,  
Melbourne, the 25<sup>th</sup> January, 1917.

LANDS PROPOSED TO BE PERMANENTLY RESERVED FROM SALE.

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

The following Notice was gazetted 10 on 7<sup>th</sup> February, 1917, pursuant to Order of 25<sup>th</sup> January, 1917.

WILLARA.—Site for a Cemetery about to be permanently reserved.—Five acres, county of Ripon, parish of Willaura: Commencing at the north-west angle of allotment 31A; bounded thence by a road bearing north eight chains; thence by lines bearing respectively east six chains twenty-five links and south eight chains; and thence by allotment 31A aforesaid bearing west six chains twenty-five links to the point of commencement.—(W.246(2)) (16.C.67054).

W. HUTCHINSON,

Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne.

**PROPOSED REVOCATION OF THE TEMPORARY RESERVATION OF LANDS.**

**I**N 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 land hereinafter referred to, viz. :—

*The following Notices were gazetted 1<sup>o</sup> on 17th January, 1917, pursuant to Orders of the 10th January, 1917.*

**BENDIGO.**—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 6th December, 1875, of two hundred and twenty acres, more or less, of land in the city of Sandhurst, now city of Bendigo, as a site for Supply of Gravel, is about to be revoked.—(S.372(14) (17) (16.C.67241).

**BENDIGO (WHITE HILLS).**—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 6th August, 1894, of sixty-four acres one rood twenty-five perches of land, in the city of Bendigo, as a site for Supply of Gravel, is about to be revoked, with the exception of the portion of gold mining lease No. 8337 comprised therein and hereinafter described, viz. :—

Ten acres two roods nine perches: Commencing at the east angle of the land temporarily reserved by Order of the 13th March, 1905, for the Supply of Gravel for Railway Ballast; bounded thence by lines bearing respectively N. 29 deg. 56 min. E. fifty-six links and a half and S. 54 deg. 29 min. E. eight hundred and twenty-two links and a half; thence by Murphy-street bearing S. 22 deg. 33 min. W. two hundred and sixty-five links; thence by lines bearing respectively S. 55 deg. 38 min. W. one thousand six hundred and ninety-nine links and N. 43 deg. 11 min. W. one hundred and ninety-six links; and thence by the Railway Ballast reserve aforesaid bearing N. 32 deg. 17 min. E. one thousand seven hundred and sixty-one links to the point of commencement.—(S.372(14) (17) (16.C.67241).

**LANGLEY (BLACK HILL).**—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 6th October, 1873, of two acres of land in the parish of Langley, being part of allotment 12, as a site for a State School, is about to be revoked.—(L.22(2) (16.C.68124).

*The following Notice was gazetted 1<sup>o</sup> on 24th January, 1917, pursuant to Order of the 19th January, 1917.*

**BOLGA.**—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 13th February, 1894, of sixty-four acres one rood eighteen perches of land in the parish of Bolga, as a site for Public Recreation, is about to be revoked so far as regards the portion thereof hereinafter described, viz. :—Three acres three roods thirty-five perches, being allotment 13 of section 10: Commencing at the north-west angle of the site; bounded thence by a road bearing S. 83 deg. 28 min. E. six hundred and fifteen links; and thence by lines bearing respectively S. 27 deg. 43 min. W. eight hundred and thirty-seven links, N. 83 deg. 48 min. W. three hundred and seven links, N. 5 deg. 7 min. W. two hundred and ninety links, N. 4 deg. 50 min. E. four hundred and thirty-six links, and N. 53 deg. 0 min. E. ninety-one links to the point of commencement.—(B.704(1) (Rs.1346).

*The following Notices were gazetted 1<sup>o</sup> on 7th February, 1917, pursuant to Orders of the 25th January, 1917.*

**MOORARBOOL WEST.**—The temporary reservation, by Order of the 11th October, 1866, of 57 acres 38 perches of land in the parish of Moorarbool West, being allotment 4b of section 5, as a site for Water Supply purposes, is about to be revoked.—(M.137(3) (16.Rs.1105).

**YOUANMITE.**—The temporary reservation by Order of the 15th May, 1888, of 29 acres 3 roods 11 perches of land in the parish of Youanmite, being allotment 14b of section B, as a site for Water Supply purposes, revoked in part by Order of the 15th June, 1909, is about to be revoked so far as regards the remaining portion.—(Y.107(2) (16.C.67953).

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

**LANDS TEMPORARILY RESERVED FROM SALE, ETC.**

**I**N 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 Orders made on the 25th day of January, 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 lands hereinafter described, viz. :—

**ALBERTON.**—Site for a State School, in addition to and adjoining the site set apart for National School, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence.—One acre

one perch and six-tenths, county of Buln Buln, township of Alberton, being allotments 12 and 13 of section 6: Commencing at the north-west angle of allotment 13; bounded thence by Thomson-street bearing N. 68 deg. 0 min. E. two chains; thence by allotments 11 and 10 bearing S. 22 deg. 0 min. E. five chains five links; thence by allotments 7 and 6 bearing S. 68 deg. 0 min. W. two chains; and thence by the existing site bearing N. 22 deg. 0 min. W. five chains five links to the point of commencement.—(A.146) (16.C.67479).

**BARKLY.**—Site for Supply of Gravel, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence.—One acre two roods ten perches, county of Kara Kara, parish of Barkly: Commencing at the east angle of allotment 79 of section B; bounded thence by that allotment bearing N. 30 deg. 0 min. W. four hundred links; thence by allotment 18 bearing N. 81 deg. 54 min. E. six hundred and thirty-seven links; thence by the Public Hall reserve bearing S. 5 deg. 40 min. W. two hundred links; and thence by a road bearing S. 60 deg. 0 min. W. four hundred and seventy-four links to the point of commencement.—(B.84(3) (15.C.66875).

**BUNG BONG.**—Site for a Quarry, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence.—Seven acres two roods sixteen perches, county of Gladstone, township of Bung Bong: Commencing at the south-west angle of allotment 1A of section 4; bounded thence by the road from Maryborough to Avoca bearing S. 84 deg. 0 min. W. three hundred and forty-three links and a half and N. 75 deg. 22 min. W. six hundred and seventeen links; thence by a road bearing north seven hundred and ten links; thence by a road bearing east nine hundred and thirty-eight links and six-tenths; and thence by allotment 1A aforesaid bearing south eight hundred and thirty links to the point of commencement.—(B.539C) (16.C.66705).

**ROSEDALE.**—Site for Supply of Gravel, also excepted from occupation for residence or business under any miner's right or business licence.—Eight acres eighteen perches, county of Buln Buln, parish of Rosedale, being part of allotment 309: Commencing at a point bearing S. 0 deg. 32 min. W. one hundred links from the north-east angle of allotment 1913; bounded thence by a road bearing S. 89 deg. 37 min. E. seven hundred and eighty-four links, and by that road and a line bearing S. 0 deg. 32 min. W. one thousand and thirty-five links; thence by a line bearing N. 89 deg. 37 min. W. six hundred and eighty-four links; thence by a road bearing N. 89 deg. 25 min. W. one hundred links; and thence by allotment 1913 aforesaid bearing N. 0 deg. 32 min. E. one thousand and thirty-five links to the point of commencement.—(R.36(6) (14.T.88747).

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

At the Executive Council Chamber,  
Melbourne, the 25th January, 1917.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that reasons against the forfeiture of the licences 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 licences and leases will be allowed to show cause against the same at the places and on the dates mentioned in the schedule hereto and before the persons therein mentioned.

**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, 6th February, 1917.

**SCHEDULE.**

**MELBOURNE,** 13th February, 1917, Land Officer:—  
S36/49, Albert F. Shaw, 20 acres, Borung; 069/103,  
Charles P. Holmes, 19 acres, Gowar; 065/145,  
Richard Walker, 4 acre, Maryborough; 352/8,  
James T. Wheatley, 173 acres, Woorarra;  
01228/129, Richard A. C. McFayden, 3 acres,  
Warburton.

**TALBOT,** 27th February, 1917, Land Officer:—  
11/8, Percy H. L. Cullip, 20a. 0r. 11p., Amherst.

**BALLAARAT,** 1st March, 1917, Land Officer:—  
96/S, Legal representatives of John Ridge (de-  
ceased), 5a. 2r. 16p., Carngham; 63/37, John  
Chambers, 94a. 1r. 28p., Trewalla.

PUBLIC HEARINGS BY A PERSON 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 person whose name is set opposite such places respectively in such schedule, being a person 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, 6th February, 1917.

SCHEDULE.

TALBOT, Tuesday, 27th February, 1917, at half-past Ten a.m.; Chas. J. Joy, Esq.

BEAUFORT, Wednesday, 28th February, 1917, at half-past Ten a.m.; Chas. J. Joy, Esq.

Mallee Lands.

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

THE land is situated at Merbein, near Mildura.

Applications (with uncanceled Victorian duty stamp of 5s. or postal note for same amount, affixed) must be made on the usual form, and delivered or forwarded by post to the Secretary for Lands, Melbourne, on or before Wednesday, 28th February, 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 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 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 about 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.

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

W. HUTCHINSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

SCHEDULE.

Allotment.	Section.	Area in Acres.	Parish.	Capital Value.		Value of Improvements.		Half-yearly Payment.		Deposit, including Lease Fee.	
				£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
19	..	11	Merbein .. ..	50	0 0	435	0 0	1	10 0	2	10 0

The Closer Settlement Act 1915.

THE Farm Allotments mentioned in the Schedule hereunder are hereby proclaimed available for application, and may be taken up on Conditional Purchase Lease.

Estate.	Parish.	Allotment.	Section.	Area.	Capital Value.		Deposit, including Lease and Registration Fees.		Half-yearly Instalment.	Remarks.	
					£	s. d.	£	s. d.			
Inishowen ...	Phillip Island	Portions of 7 and 8 of 52	...	A. B. P. 39 0 16	180	0 0	11	5 0	5	2 0	Formerly held by R. Justice (3090/49)
Swan Hill ...	Tyntynder ...	16	C	71 3 27	1,105	10 0	34	15 0	32	5 0	Formerly held by J. Mahon (919/49)

The incoming lessee must pay the valuation of improvements.

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

W. HUTCHINSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

EUMERALLA ESTATE.—RE-APPRAISED VALUES.

SCHEDULE OF ALLOTMENTS.

Allotment	Section	Area.	Parish.	Price per	Capital Value.	Deposit (including	Balance of	Half-yearly	
				Acre.	(Land only.)	Lease and	Purchase Money.	Instalment.	
		A. R. P.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
5	B	285 0 23	Macarthur	7 15 0	2,055 10 0	66 15 0	1,990 0 0	59 14 0	
6	"	351 2 27	"	4 0 0	1,408 0 0	44 5 0	1,365 0 0	40 19 0	
8	"	221 3 4	"	5 0 0	1,109 0 0	35 5 0	1,075 0 0	32 5 0	
1	"	435 1 24	"	4 5 0	1,853 0 0	59 5 0	1,795 0 0	53 17 0	
21	A		Banangal						
6	"	97 0 3	"	7 10 0	728 0 0	24 5 0	705 0 0	21 3 0	
7	"	104 0 33	"	7 5 0	755 10 0	24 5 0	732 10 0	21 19 6	
8 (1)	"	141 0 13	"	6 15 0	1,042 10 0	33 15 0	1,010 0 0	30 6 0	
9	"	95 3 37	"	7 10 0	720 0 0	23 15 0	697 10 0	20 18 6	
11	"	277 2 16	"	5 5 0	1,459 10 0	45 15 0	1,415 0 0	42 9 0	
15	"	353 3 2	"	5 15 0	2,035 10 0	66 15 0	1,970 0 0	59 2 0	
16A	"	277 3 26	"	5 7 6	1,494 5 0	50 10 0	1,445 0 0	43 7 0	
16B	"	290 1 6	"	5 7 6	1,564 2 6	50 7 6	1,515 0 0	45 9 0	
19	"	289 1 26	"	5 10 0	1,595 0 0	51 5 0	1,545 0 0	46 7 0	
20	"	293 2 28	"	5 10 0	1,617 0 0	53 5 0	1,565 0 0	46 19 0	
22	"	522 0 0	"	2 10 0	1,305 0 0	41 5 0	1,265 0 0	37 19 0	
23 (2)	"	680 1 39	"	1 15 0	1,248 0 0	39 5 0	1,210 0 0	36 6 0	
24 (2)	"	7 0 39	"	5 0 0					
2	21	748 3 26	"	1 3 0	843 18 0	30 3 0	815 0 0	24 9 0	
2	"	191 2 29	"	7 5 0	1,389 13 9	43 8 9	1,347 10 0	40 8 6	
5	"	330 1 24	"	4 15 0	1,568 0 0	49 5 0	1,520 0 0	45 12 0	
1 (3)	18	270 0 39	Clonleigh	5 0 0	1,366 0 0	46 5 0	1,320 0 0	39 12 0	
2	"	268 2 34	"	5 5 0	1,410 0 0	45 5 0	1,365 0 0	40 19 0	
GLENALADALE ESTATE.—RE-APPRAISED VALUES.*									
15 (4)	D	298 3 20	Glenaladale	6 6 0	1,898 0 0	59 5 0	1,840 0 0	55 4 0	
17	"	1 1 0	"	12 0 0					

- (1) Improvements included in capital value, £90.
- (2) Improvements included in capital value, £30.
- (3) Improvements included in capital value, £10.
- (4) Improvements included, £50.

\* In lieu of notice gazetted 17th January, 1917, p. 199.

W. HUTCHINSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Melbourne, 2nd February, 1917.

Closer Settlement Act 1915, Section 2.

LEASES UNDER THE CLOSER SETTLEMENT ACTS DECLARED VOID.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Leases mentioned in the Schedule hereunder have been declared void by the Governor in Council for the reason specified in each case.

W. HUTCHINSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

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

Estate.	Corr. No.	Name of Lessee.	Section of Land Act under which Leased.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Reasons for Forfeiture, &c.	Pay Office.
Inishowen...	3090	Reginald Justice...	49	Phillip Island	Pts. 7 & 8, sec. 52	A. R. P. 39 0 16	Non-compliance with conditions	The Secretary, L. P. and M. Board, Melbourne, Swan Hill
Swan Hill...	919	James Mahon ...	49	Tyntynder...	16, sec. C	71 3 27	Non-payment of instalments	

Land Act 1915, Sections 2 and 129.

LICENCES UNDER THE LAND ACTS 1869, 1904, 1905, AND 1915 EXPIRED OR BECAME NULL AND VOID.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Licences mentioned in the Schedule hereunder have Expired or become Null and Void for the reason specified in each case.

W. HUTCHINSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Melbourne, 2nd February, 1917.

District.	Corr. No.	Name of Licensee.	Section of Land Act under which Licensed.	Parish.	Allotment.	Area.	Class.	Reasons for Forfeiture, &c.	Pay Office.
Licence under the Land Act 1869.									
Ballarat ...	1006	Thomas J. Woolcock	49	Buninyong	114A	20 0 0	...	Expired ...	Ballarat
Licences under the Land Acts 1904-5-15.									
Boechworth...	0117	Walter M. Gale	129	Byawatha	...	...	...	Non-payment of licence-fees	Wangaratta
"	4460	The Junction Dredging Coy.	129	Forepunkab	...	2 1 28	...	Expired ...	Bright
Hamilton ...	503	A. A. Young ...	147	Moutajup	...	2 0 0	...	"	Hamilton
"	503A	A. A. Young ...	14	"	...	...	...	"	"
Bairnsdale ...	0173	John Jemmeson	129	Colquhoun	...	...	...	"	Bairnsdale
Melbourne ...	01049	H. W. Weatherhead	129	Tonimbuk	...	...	...	"	Melbourne

Land Act 1915, Section 2.

LICENCE AND LEASES UNDER THE LAND ACTS 1898, 1901, 1904, 1909 AND 1911 REVOKED OR DECLARED VOID

NOTICE is hereby given that the Licence and Lease mentioned in the Schedule hereunder have been revoked or declared void by the Governor in Council for the reason specified in each case.

For Areas made Available see Special Heading in next issue of "Gazette"—"Fortnightly List of Crown Lands Available (other than Mallee Lands)."

Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne, 25th January, 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.			
Licence under the Land Acts 1901-1-9-11 Revoked.									
Melbourne	0446	John J. Mahony	47	Alberton West	57	127 0 0	1st	Non-compliance with conditions	Yarram
Leases under the Land Acts 1898, 1901 and 1911 Declared Void.									
Beechworth	1146	Catherine Crawford	35	Gibbo	5 & 5A, sec. 2	320 0 0	3rd	Non-payment of rent	Tallangatta
"	016	Thomas Keady	35	Bunjil East	33, 35A, 35B, 35C	891 0 0	3rd	"	Bethanga
Stawell	757	John Potter, jun.	29	Glynwyll	3	434 0 0	3rd	"	Stawell
Bairnsdale	808	Charles N. Ricketson	29	Buchan	114	297 0 0	3rd	"	Bairnsdale
Melbourne	378	Bertie E.W. Aitken	13	Tonimbuk East	15 & 15A, sec. B	49 0 10	2nd	"	Melbourne

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 31 of <i>The Land Act 1869.</i>									
22220/31	Martin McCormack (1)	20 0 24	Borhoneyghurk	17.1.17	...	1 1 0	0 0 11	2 1 11	Geelong
Under Section 44 of the <i>Land Act 1890.</i>									
4129	James Butterworth	159 3 10	Doomburrim	17.1.17	4 0 0	1 6 0	0 6 8	5 12 8	Warragul 1.1.04
4284	Edward A. Conder	186 2 6	Wonga Wonga	11.1.17	4 13 6	...	...	4 13 6	Yarram 1.2.03
1229	John McDonald (2)	187 0 22	Kongwak	6.1.16	28 4 0	1 6 0	0 7 0	29 17 0	Melbourne 1.7.99
5036	John D. Loader	126 1 0	Doomburrim	18.1.17	3 3 6	1 6 0	0 5 4	4 14 10	Warragul 1.7.03
5117	Martin Moran	90 0 13	Woorarra	17.1.17	4 11 0	1 6 0	0 3 10	6 0 10	Yarram 1.11.03
1913	Ellen Nitschke	153 2 3	Corack	"	7 14 0	1 6 0	0 6 5	9 6 5	Donald 1.8.03
Under Section 61 of the <i>Land Act 1898.</i>									
2936	Wm. T. Varney (4)	107 1 31	Coongulmerang	17.1.17	2 14 0	1 6 0	0 2 3	4 2 3	Bairnsdale 1.7.03
2179	Daniel C. Allan and John A. Allan (4)	103 2 34	Wau Wauka West	15.1.17	1 6 0	1 6 0	0 2 2	2 14 2	Melbourne 1.10.02
Under Section 56 of the <i>Land Act 1901</i> as amended by the Land Acts 1904-9.									
077	John W. Walker (5)	60 1 1	Budgerie	15.1.17	21 7 0	1 6 0	0 1 4	22 14 4	Traralgon
Under Section 326 of the <i>Land Act 1915.</i>									
01063	Herman Christian Kruse (6)	0 1 0	Wonthaggi	15.1.17	0 6 8	1 1 0	0 0 4	1 8 0	Wonthaggi
01222	John Graham Wilkinson (7)	0 1 0	"	19.1.17	9 10 10	1 1 0	0 0 6	19 12 4	"
Under Section 383 of the <i>Land Act 1901.</i>									
14/383	Daniel C. Luers	241 2 4	Casterton	16.1.17	939 19 6	1 6 0	2 12 1	943 17 7	Casterton

(1) Includes £1 fee for certificate.  
 (2) Grant fee (£1 6s.) and assurance (7s. 10d.) paid at Yarram on 16th January, 1917.  
 (3) Balance assurance (10d.) and interest (£4 3s. 2d.) paid at Melbourne on 19th January, 1917.  
 (4) Third class.  
 (5) Third class. From licence.  
 (6) Value £7.  
 (7) Value £11.

LEASES.—TRANSFERS REGISTERED AT THE OFFICE OF TITLES.

RETURN of all Transfers Registered at the Office of Titles of Leases issued under sections 42-44, 47-49, 59-61, 54-56, 29, 35, and 170 of the Land Acts 1890, 1898, 1901, 1904, 1903, and 1911, and sections 49 and 59 of the Closer Settlement Acts for the following periods:—

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 5th day of January, 1917.							
18414/47-49	G. Hood ...	Henry John York, Boolarong, <i>vid</i> Foster	Gunyah	59	...	95 3 7	Traralgon
2101/47-49	A. Johnston ...	John Charles Baylis and Hugh Allan McMillan, Swift's Creek	Tongio-Munjie West	17	15	19 3 39	Omeo
2102/47-49	B. Johnstou ...	" " " "	" " "	18	15	19 3 34	"
11005/59-61	P. Ahlstedt ...	The Ballarat Trustees, Executors, and Agency Co. Ltd., Ballarat (as administrator)	Leongatha ...	82c	...	136 2 7	Warragul
088/51-56	F. I. Richardson ...	David McIntosh Stuart, Moonambel	Warrenmang...	14c	4	395 0 0	Avoca
2632/35	J. E. Searle ...	His Majesty the King ...	Kalingur ...	Pt. 53	...	339 3 38	Horsham
2086/29	The Union Trustee Co. of Australia Ltd.	Francis Lovell, Pakenham	Nar-nar-noon Gembrook ...	Pts. 132B	...	299 0 33	Melbourne
218/170	J. Martin ...	Norman George Martin, Trafalgar (as executor)	Yarragon ...	9	A	60 1 29	Warragul
Period ending the 12th day of January, 1917.							
2132/42-44	J. Coutts, jun. ...	Colac Waterworks Trust, Colac...	Olangolah ...	Pt. 10	...	108 2 0	Colac
5338/47-49	G. E. Billington...	The President, Councillors, and Ratepayers, Shire of Traralgon	Callignee ...	Pt. 4	C	6 0 2	Traralgon
2341/47-49	H. Gordon ...	Maud Margaret Sloper, Ar.rat...	Ararat ...	41	3A	50 0 32	Ararat
223/59-61	J. A. Dorron ...	Louisa Dorron, Mallacoota (as administratrix)	Wau Wauka...	4	A	104 1 33	Bairnsdale
2663/54-56	C. A. McRae (as executrix of D. D. McRae)	Harold Learmonth, Hamilton ...	Mocamboro ...	6	8	157 2 31	Casterton
2663/54-56	D. D. McRae ...	Charlotte Ann McRae, Merino (as executrix)	" ...	6	8	157 2 31	"
3650/54-56	A. M. Tatlock (as executrix of M. McDonald)	Ada Martha Tatlock, Hamilton...	Wartook ...	32	...	639 1 0	Horsham
656/29	A. C. Harrison ...	Elsa Blucher, Jumbuk ...	Jumbuk ...	43 & 43A	...	178 0 0	Traralgon
3958/35	T. H. Wade (as administrator of T. H. Wade)	Robert Henry Wade, Coleraine...	Harrow ...	37	...	634 0 0	Casterton
3958/35	T. H. Wade ...	Robert Henry Wade, Coleraine (as administrator)	" ...	37	...	634 0 0	"
LEASES UNDER THE CLOSER SETTLEMENT ACTS.							
2478/50	E. Smith ...	Isaac Turner Tyson, West Brunswick	Jika Jika ...	18	B	0 1 4½	The Secretary, L. P. and M. Board, Melbourne
1249/49	W. H. Dawson	Margaret Pfeiffer, Strathkellar...	North Hamilton	6	D	178 3 19	Hamilton

Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne, 2nd February, 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 authorize by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue at—
					Rent payable Half-yearly.	Rent due to date.	Lease Fee.	Total to pay.	
					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	
Under Section 49 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Act 1904.									
1.11.16	Wm. Blythe (1) ...	Trentham ...	2nd	62 2 30	1 3 8	...	1	1 0 0	Daylesford 080
2.1.17	Wm. Jno. Hearn ...	Glenmoona ...	1st	40 3 21	1 0 6	1 0 6	1	2 0 6	Avoca 0207
1.10.13	Patk. Jas. Heenan ...	Lexington ...	2nd	198 0 7	4 19 6	34 17 6	1	35 17 6	Ararat 3364
1.12.16	Wm. J. Gilchrist ...	Watchem ...	1st	114 1 22	4 6 3	4 6 3	1	5 9 3	Donald 0273
2.1.17	Thos. Wm. Hope ...	Warrenmang ...	1st	19 3 35	0 10 0	0 10 0	1	1 10 0	Avoca 0650
Under Section 49 of the Land Act 1901 as amended by the Land Acts 1904-9.									
2.10.16	James Gunn (2) ...	Fumina North	2nd V.C.	292 1 25	2 15 0	...	1	1 0 0	Warragul 0336
1.2.17	Herbert P. Bray (3), (4)	Langwarrin ...	2nd	94 0 27	4 15 0	...	...	...	Melbourne 0475

- (1) £1-3s. 8d. rent overpaid under licence credited.
- (2) In lieu of notice gazetted 10th January, 1917, page 104.
- (3) £2 per acre.
- (4) First rent and lease fee paid.

NOTE.—MELBOURNE DISTRICT.—The notice gazetted 5th April, 1916, page 1513, re 0813/54, Richd. Foat, junr. 150 acres 3 roods 36 perches, Woodside, is hereby cancelled.

Department of Lands and Survey, Melbourne, 1st February, 1917.

W. HUTCHINSON, Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

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

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.

W. HUTCHINSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Melbourne, 1st February, 1917.

Number of Licence.	Name and Address of Licensee.	Area, subject to modification of boundaries and area.	Parish or Situation.	Date of Licence.	Amount to be Collected.			Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
					Payment.	Fee for Licence.	Total Amount of First Payment.	
		A. R. P.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Under Section 50 of the Land Act 1901, as amended by the Land Acts 1904-9-11.—Payment to be made half-yearly.								
0106	Thomas M. McNaughton, Sheep Hills (1, 2, 3, 4)	24 0 0	Beaufort ...	1.1.10	9 9 0	1 0 0	...	Ballarat
Under Section 129 of the Land Act 1915.—Payment to be made yearly.								
0214	John D. Scott, Bairnsdale	(bathing-box)	Colquhoun (Bullock Island)	1.1.17	0 10 0	...	0 10 0	Bairnsdale
0169	Alfred Christie, Paynesville (5, 6)	(jetty, shed, and net-rack)	Bairnsdale (Raymond Island)	"	0 10 0	...	...	"
0210	Arthur W. Rashleigh, Paynesville	(net-shed)	Bairnsdale (Eagle Point Bay)	"	0 10 0	...	0 10 0	"
0129	Frederick C. Jordan, Paynesville (7)	(jetty)	Bairnsdale (Toonalook)	"	0 10 0	...	...	"
Under Section 121 of the Land Act 1915.—Payment to be made yearly.								
...	M. Murphy, Egerton (8)	60 0 0	Bungal ...	1.1.16	10 0 0	0 5 0	9 17 6	Ballarat
...	Jas. Irvine (8)	5 0 0	Town of Peterborough	1.1.17	2 0 0	0 5 0	2 5 0	Warrnambool

(1) In lieu of notice gazetted 16th March, 1910, p. 1792.—(2) Licence fees paid credited. £1 fee for new licence paid.—(3) Subject to special mining condition, section 93, Land Act 1901.—(4) Allotment 38, section 5, class 2nd.—(5) In lieu of notice gazetted 14th June, 1916, p. 2263.—(6) £1 credited as rent paid to 31st December, 1918.—(7) 10s., paid in name of Wilfred L. Barton, credited.—(8) Amount paid.

NOTES.

BAIRNSDALE DISTRICT.—The notice gazetted 31st March, 1915, p. 1231, re permit in the name of Wilfred L. Barton, Jetty site, parish of Bairnsdale, at Toonalook, is hereby cancelled.  
In notice gazetted 19th January, 1916, p. 299, re lease 67/8, John F. Spillman, allots. 2A and 2C, parish of Gillingall, date should be 1.1.10, not 1.10.15.

Land Act 1915, Section 2.  
LEASE SURRENDERED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor in Council has accepted the surrender of the Lease mentioned in the Schedule hereunder.

W. HUTCHINSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

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

District.	Corr. No.	Name of Lessee.	Section of Land Act under which Leased.	Parish.	Allot.	Area.	Class.	Reasons for Forfeiture, &c.	Pay Office.
						A. R. P.			
Benalla	39	Dennis Bosa	8	Lima	2, sec. D.	205 0 19	3rd	...	Benalla

Land Act 1915.

TRANSFER APPROVED.

THE following Application for Transfer of Licence under the 129th 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 Transferrer.	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.		
01237	Rosenfeld and Company Proprietary Limited	Rosenfeld Hillas and Company Pty. Ltd.	1 2 0	South Melbourne	129	1.11.15	190 0 0	£1, Melbourne	Melbourne

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Melbourne, 1st February, 1917.

W. HUTCHINSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Land Act 1915.

APPLICATION FOR A GRANT APPROVED.

THE following application for a Grant having been approved, it is hereby notified that the balance of the Purchase Money specified may be received by the Revenue Officer at Wonthaggi in 40 half-yearly instalments.

No.	Name.	Parish.	Allotment.	Section.	Area.	Purchase Money.	Rent paid Credited.	Balance.	Amount of Half-yearly Instalment.	Due Date of First Instalment.	Amount due.
010/142	John Willington Tarleton (1, 2, 3)	Wonthaggi	10	1	A. R. F. 0 0 16	£ s. d. 534 0 0	£ s. d. 28 4 3	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 14 2 2	30.6.12	£ s. d. 165 16 5

(1) Amount credited £28 4s. 3d. pays deposit, less £1 9s. 9d.—(2) Amount paid.—(3) Includes £23 5s. interest.

W. HUTCHINSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Melbourne, 1st February, 1917.

Land Act 1915.

PERMITS TO OCCUPY ISSUED TO APPROVED APPLICANTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that Permits to occupy Crown Lands have been issued to the following approved applicants, and that the Rents and Fees specified in each case may be received by the undermentioned Officers authorized by the Treasurer to collect Territorial Revenue.

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Melbourne, 2nd February, 1917.

No. of Lease.	Name and Address of Lessee.	Area, subject to Provisions of Sections and Area.	Parish or Situation.	Allotment.	Section.	Class.	Date of Lease.	Survey charges payable in 12 Instalments.	Amount to be Collected.			Payable to Receiver of Revenue at—
									Payment, including instalment of Survey Charge (if any).	Fee for Lease.	Total Amount of First Payment.	
215	James Lentham, Prodriggs (1)	457 2 18	O-host East Warburton	44 and 45	C	3rd v. C.	1.1.17	6 12 0	3 8 3	1 0 0	17 12 2	Beirnsdale
526	James George Morgan, Britanna Creek	50 0 0	Warburton	84A	..	2nd	1.2.17	..	0 18 9	1 0 0	1 18 9	Melbourne
086	George Benjamin Hockley, Orford	563 0 0	Broadwater	110	..	3rd	1.1.17	5 15 0	1 13 1	1 0 0	2 13 1	Port Fairy

(1) Valuation of improvements, £26, payable in two instalments of £13 each, with interest at 3 per cent. per annum, with first two rents.

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, 1st February, 1917.

W. HUTCHINSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey.

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 Licence to be credited.	Total Amount of First Payment.		
0755/47	John E. Laity, Wedderburne (1, 2)	A. R. P. 20 0 0	Wedderburne ...	26	4	1st	2.1.11	...	£ s. d. 0 10 0	£ s. d. 11 0 0	£ s. d. 1 0 0	Wedderburne ...	2527/103
0580/47	Michael O'Shannessy, South Melbourne (1, 2, 3)	16 0 0	Hendon ...	6B	5	1st	1.7.10	...	0 16 0	17 8 0	1 0 0	Ballarat ...	1737/103
0289/47	William C. Scobie, Ararat (1, 2)	20 0 0	Ararat ...	22	3A	2nd	2.1.11	...	0 7 6	17 0 0	1 0 0	Ararat ...	927/103

(1) Subject to special mining condition, section 98, Land Act 1901.

(2) 51 fee for licence paid.

(3) Special valuation £3 per acre.

Courts.

**RUSHWORTH.**—AUCTIONEERS' LICENCES.—Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting of Justices will be held at the Court House, Rushworth, on Friday, the 2nd day of March, 1917, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of taking into consideration an application by Patrick W. Brady for an Auctioneer's Licence. Dated at Rushworth this 30th day of January, 1917.—E. J. F. NICHOLAS, Clerk of Petty Sessions.

**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 .. .. .	Thursday, 8th March
Ballarat .. .. .	Tuesday, 17th April
Beechworth .. .. .	Friday, 16th March
Benalla .. .. .	Tuesday, 1st May
Bendigo .. .. .	Tuesday, 20th February
Castlemaine .. .. .	Tuesday, 20th March
Geelong .. .. .	Thursday, 15th February
Hamilton .. .. .	Thursday, 10th April
Horsham .. .. .	Tuesday, 6th March
Maryborough .. .. .	Thursday, 17th May
Melbourne .. .. .	Thursday, 15th February
Sale .. .. .	Tuesday, 27th February
Shepparton .. .. .	Tuesday, 3rd April
St. Arnaud .. .. .	Tuesday, 15th May
Warrnambool .. .. .	Tuesday, 13th February

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

Ararat .. .. .	Tuesday, 15th May
Bairnsdale .. .. .	Tuesday, 6th March
Ballarat .. .. .	Monday, 5th March
Beechworth .. .. .	Wednesday, 14th February
Benalla .. .. .	Wednesday, 21st February
Bendigo .. .. .	Tuesday, 20th March
Camperdown .. .. .	Thursday, 22nd February
Casterton .. .. .	Thursday, 8th March
Castlemaine .. .. .	Friday, 27th April
Charlton .. .. .	Wednesday, 25th April
Colac .. .. .	Wednesday, 21st February
Daylesford .. .. .	Tuesday, 29th May
Donald .. .. .	Wednesday, 18th April
Echuca .. .. .	Wednesday, 25th April
Geelong .. .. .	Tuesday, 20th February
Hamilton .. .. .	Thursday, 15th February
Horsham .. .. .	Tuesday, 12th June
Kerang .. .. .	Wednesday, 21st March
Korumburra .. .. .	Tuesday, 13th March
Kyneton .. .. .	Wednesday, 8th August
Mansfield .. .. .	Wednesday, 16th May
Maryborough .. .. .	Friday, 23rd February
Melbourne .. .. .	Thursday, 1st March
Mildura .. .. .	Tuesday, 27th March
Nhill .. .. .	Wednesday, 14th March
Omeo .. .. .	Wednesday, 4th April
Sale .. .. .	Thursday, 8th March
Seymour .. .. .	Tuesday, 3rd April
Shepparton .. .. .	Tuesday, 6th March
St. Arnaud .. .. .	Friday, 2nd March
Stawell .. .. .	Tuesday, 20th March
Wangaratta .. .. .	Tuesday, 20th February
Warracknabeal .. .. .	Wednesday, 21st March
Warragul .. .. .	Tuesday, 27th February
Warrnambool .. .. .	Tuesday, 27th March
Yarrawarra .. .. .	Wednesday, 14th February

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.
February 15th ...	—	February 15th
March 1st and 15th ...	March 1st ...	March 15th
April 2nd and 16th ...	April 2nd ...	April 16th
May 1st and 16th ...	May 1st ...	May 16th
June 1st and 18th ...	June 1st ...	June 18th
July 2nd and 16th ...	July 2nd ...	July 16th
August 1st and 15th ...	August 1st ...	August 15th
September 3rd and 17th ...	September 3rd ...	September 17th
October 1st and 16th ...	October 1st ...	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 for the year 1917.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

Ararat .. .. .	Tuesday, 20th February
Bairnsdale .. .. .	Tuesday, 6th March
Ballarat .. .. .	Monday, 12th February
Beechworth .. .. .	Wednesday, 14th February
Benalla .. .. .	Wednesday, 21st February
Bendigo .. .. .	Tuesday, 20th March
Birchip .. .. .	Thursday, 19th April
Camperdown .. .. .	Thursday, 22nd February
Casterton .. .. .	Thursday, 8th March
Castlemaine .. .. .	Friday, 27th April
Charlton .. .. .	Wednesday, 25th April
Colac .. .. .	Wednesday, 21st February
Daylesford .. .. .	Tuesday, 27th February
Donald .. .. .	Wednesday, 18th April
Echuca .. .. .	Wednesday, 25th April
Geelong .. .. .	Tuesday, 20th February
Hamilton .. .. .	Thursday, 15th February
Horsham .. .. .	Tuesday, 13th March
Kerang .. .. .	Wednesday, 21st March
Korumburra .. .. .	Tuesday, 13th March
Kyneton .. .. .	Thursday, 3rd May
Mansfield .. .. .	Thursday, 1st March
Maryborough .. .. .	Friday, 23rd February
Melbourne .. .. .	Thursday, 1st March
Mildura .. .. .	Tuesday, 27th March
Nhill .. .. .	Wednesday, 14th March
Numurkah .. .. .	Wednesday, 4th April
Omeo .. .. .	Wednesday, 4th April
Ouyen .. .. .	Wednesday, 28th March
Rochester .. .. .	Wednesday, 28th March
Sale .. .. .	Thursday, 8th March
Sea Lake .. .. .	Tuesday, 24th April
Seymour .. .. .	Tuesday, 3rd April
Shepparton .. .. .	Tuesday, 6th March
St. Arnaud .. .. .	Friday, 2nd March
Stawell .. .. .	Tuesday, 20th March
Swan Hill .. .. .	Thursday, 22nd March
Traralgon .. .. .	Thursday, 1st March
Wangaratta .. .. .	Tuesday, 20th February
Warracknabeal .. .. .	Wednesday, 21st March
Warragul .. .. .	Tuesday, 27th February
Warrnambool .. .. .	Tuesday, 27th March
Wonthaggi .. .. .	Wednesday, 18th April
Yarram Yarram .. .. .	Wednesday, 14th February
Yarrawonga .. .. .	—

COURTS OF MINES.—Dates fixed by the Judges.

COURT OF CHIEF JUSTICE.	
Melbourne	—
ARARAT DISTRICT.	
Ararat	Tuesday, 20th February
Stawell	Tuesday, 20th March

BALLARAT DISTRICT.

Ballarat .. .. . Monday, 12th February

BEECHWORTH DISTRICT.

Beechworth .. .. . Wednesday, 14th February  
Benalla .. .. . Wednesday, 21st February  
Mansfield .. .. . Thursday, 1st March

BENDIGO DISTRICT.

Bendigo .. .. . Tuesday, 20th March

CASTLEMAINE DISTRICT.

Castlemaine .. .. . Friday, 27th April  
Heidelberg (at Melbourne) .. .. . —  
Hepburn (Daylesford) .. .. . Tuesday, 27th February  
Kyneton .. .. . Thursday, 3rd May

GIPPSLAND DISTRICT.

Bairnsdale .. .. . Tuesday, 6th March  
Omeo .. .. . Wednesday, 4th April  
Sale .. .. . Thursday, 8th March  
Yarram Yarram .. .. . Wednesday, 14th February

MARYBOROUGH DISTRICT.

Maryborough .. .. . Friday, 23rd February  
St. Arnaud .. .. . Friday, 2nd March

Tenders.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, MELBOURNE.

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

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

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

8th February, 1917.

Diamond Creek.—Erection of two additional chambers at Cool Stores. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

15th February, 1917.

The Heart.—New building for State School No. 3744. Particulars at Police Stations, Sale and Bairnsdale. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Clyde Township.—New building, State School No. 3664. Particulars at State School No. 3664, Clyde Township. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Laverton.—Additions and repairs to shed and jetty, Explosives Reserve. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

State Schools.—Supply, &c., of sanitary pans, and hat and coat hooks. Preliminary deposit, £10. Final deposit, £10.

22nd February, 1917.

Ballarat.—Hospital for Insane, new administrative block (brick). Particulars at Public Offices, Ballarat and Geelong. Preliminary deposit, £20. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Ouyen.—Additions to State School No. 3615. Particulars at Police Station, Ouyen. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

Beaumaris.—Pavilion class-room at State school. Preliminary deposit, £5. Final deposit, 5 per cent.

1st March, 1917.

Ararat.—Wooden additions to Engineer's quarters, Hospital for the Insane. Particulars at Public Offices, Ballarat, and office of Inspector of Works, Ararat. 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, 7th February, 1917.

TENDERS FOR THE SERVICE OF 1917-18.

GENERAL STORES.

TENDERS will be received until Eleven o'clock a.m. on Monday, 20th February, 1917, from persons willing to furnish the undermentioned articles, in such quantities as may be ordered by the Victorian Government, or by the Commonwealth Government for its offices situated in Victoria, for the periods indicated hereunder, commencing 1st July, 1917:—

Schedule of Articles.	Years.	Preliminary Deposit.
		£
No. 11. Acid—Sulphuric, for the Royal Mint, and Chemicals for Refrigerating and other purposes ... ..	1	10
15. Brushmakers' Material ... ..	1	5
16. Carbon, Phosphorus, &c., for Rabbit Extirpation Purposes ... ..	1	5
18. Chemicals, &c.—Photo-Litho, Photographic, and other ... ..	1	5
26. Cutlery, Spoons, &c. ... ..	1	5
27. Druggists' and Chemists' Sundries, Glass and Earthenware, &c. ... ..	1	5
28. Drugs, Medicine, &c. ... ..	1	10
29. Dye-ware Goods ... ..	1	5
30. Enamelware ... ..	1	5
34. Floor Coverings, Upholstery and Window Blinds ... ..	1	10
35. Hylolplate and Blackboard Material ... ..	1	5
41. Lamps—Electric and Fittings ... ..	1	5
54. Paper—Ferro Prussiate, and other ... ..	1	5
56. Printers' and Bookbinders' Material ... ..	1	5
70. Tubing and Fittings (Gas, Water, and Steam), up to including 3 in. ... ..	1	5
71. Tubing and Fittings (Gas, Water, and Steam), over 3 in. ... ..	1	5

Security.—10 per cent. on total amount of tender accepted, except when otherwise specified in the tender form, but in no case will security of less than £5 be received.

Schedules as above, with full particulars, may be obtained from the Secretary to the Tender Board, by whom also the samples will be shown and any information afforded to persons tendering.

*In certain schedules where doubt exists as to whether the articles enumerated may or may not be manufactured within the Commonwealth, double columns are inserted for the rates, "A" for articles manufactured within the Commonwealth, and "B" for articles manufactured elsewhere.*

*Preference will be given by the Tender Board to tenders for articles manufactured within the Commonwealth, provided the quality of such article is satisfactory, and the rates charged are considered reasonable. Preference will also be given to articles of British manufacture as against those of foreign manufacture.*

Tenders must be accompanied by the preliminary deposit, as shown above, in bank notes, or a bank draft in favour of the Secretary to the Tender Board (cheques will in no case be received), which will be returned within ten days to unsuccessful tenderers on their application.

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

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

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

In the event of tenderers withdrawing their tenders before notification of acceptance of same, or failing to take up their accepted tenders within the prescribed period after notification of acceptance, the preliminary deposit will be forfeited, and, in addition, they may be disqualified from tendering or holding any future contracts for Government supplies for a period of twelve months, such disqualification to date from the notification of acceptance of tender. It is also stipulated that if a tenderer be a member of a firm and such firm be interested in the contract, then his tender is to be in the name of the firm and not in that of the individual; and that for a breach of this condition the preliminary deposit will be forfeited and the tender declared informal.

Tenders, enclosed in a separate envelope, and having the words "Tender for—" (as the case may be) written thereon, must be deposited in the Tender-box at the Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne; or, if sent by post, postage must be prepaid, and the tenders addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Pay Office, Treasury, Melbourne, which office they must reach by first post on the date of closing of tenders.

CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

1. The Government will not be bound to order from the contractor all the articles enumerated in the schedules, but only those articles, and such quantities of those articles, as it may be found necessary to order. Should the Government, however, require a larger supply of any article than the quantity stated in the schedule, the contractor will nevertheless be bound to supply the same at contract rates.

2. The supplies are to be the same as sample where so stated, and of the particular manufacture indicated in the schedule of tenders. In the case of different makers' goods, the contractor

will be required to supply the kind ordered. The supplies are to be the best quality of their several kinds or manufacture. In the event of the tender having been accepted for goods of Commonwealth or British Manufacture, as the case may be, all such goods supplied shall bear evidence that they are of the particular manufacture tendered for, and, in addition, the contractor may at any time during the currency of the contract be called on to furnish a statutory declaration as to the country of origin of the goods supplied.

3. Except where otherwise stated in the schedule, the value of all packages, cases, casks, &c., whether bulk be broken or not, must be included in the prices stated in the contractor's tender; all such packages, &c., to be considered the property of the Government, and no charges or expenses whatsoever beyond the price tendered and set out in the schedule will be allowed to the contractor for any articles or packages, cases, casks, &c. The net weight or quantity only will be paid for. Contractors must provide, without extra charge, whatever labour may be required in the packing of stores.

4. All orders for supplies will emanate from the departments requiring the goods. The goods shall be delivered as may be directed by the officer ordering the supply. At the time of delivering the supplies, the contractor shall produce the order for the same to the officer authorized to accept delivery, and such officer shall acknowledge thereon the receipt of the stores accepted, and shall return the order to the contractor.

4A. Under this contract goods may be ordered by any department of the Commonwealth, but it shall be optional on the part of the contractor to supply.

5. Supplies ordered for delivery in Melbourne and Williamstown are to be delivered free of all charges (whether cartage, freight, &c.), and, for the purposes of these contracts, Melbourne district will include a radius of 6 miles from the General Post Office, and Williamstown district will include the Town of Williamstown, Hobson's Bay, and the River Yarra. Suppliers for s.s. *John Murray* must be delivered at the Railway Pier, Port Melbourne.

6. Arrangements as to time of delivery and inspection of goods will be made by the officers ordering the goods.

7. Orders must receive prompt execution; and in the event of the goods not being delivered within forty-eight hours after the contractor shall have received the order, or within such other time as the order may specify for delivery, it will be competent for the officer named in Clause 6, or the head of the department to whom the goods are to be supplied, on giving the contractor twenty-four hours' notice, to purchase the supplies, or any like supplies that are suitable for the service, at the contractor's risk, and the extra expense incurred over and above the contract price (if any) will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money.

8. The contractor will be required to furnish his account in the prescribed form at the time of the delivery of the goods, and the account shall be accompanied by the receipted delivery orders on which it is based. The prices quoted in the orders cannot be increased.

9. The acceptance of the supplies shall be subject to the approval of the officer authorized to take delivery of the stores, or such other officer as shall be named in the conditions. The contractor may, however, claim a survey on any goods objected to, but in that case he must, within twenty-four hours after objection is made, give notice thereof, in writing, to the officer rejecting the goods. If, after the delivery of the supplies has been taken, any deficiency or defect is discovered therein, such stores may be returned to the contractor.

10. All goods forwarded under these contracts shall, where practicable, be forwarded by rail, and all consignments shall bear the number of the consignment notes under which they are forwarded, and also the name of the contractor or contractors by whom consigned, on a legibly written business label.

11. When the contractor is required to make delivery of goods at a railway station for transmission by rail for any department except the Commonwealth Departments, he shall obtain a receipt for the goods in duplicate on the Stores and Transport consignment note, at the same time handing in a triplicate of the form as an authority for the Railways to act as agent for, and charge the freight to, the Stores and Transport Department or such other Department as shall be named therein. He shall as soon as possible, and not later than twenty-four hours thereafter, deliver at the Tender Board Offices the original, the duplicate to be forwarded to consignee in accordance with Clause 12. (In the case of the Commonwealth Departments, however, the Commonwealth consignment note only which accompanies the order must be used.) Should the goods thus forwarded be rejected, the contractor must bear the cost of replacing such goods, for which service the departmental consignment note is not to be used. Any infringement of this condition will subject the contractor to such mulct as the Tender Board may recommend under Clause 16 of these conditions.

12. Immediately after the consignment of the goods, the officer to whom they are forwarded shall be notified by the contractor on the duplicate consignment note provided for the purpose, that the goods have been sent. On receipt of this document, the officer to whom it has been forwarded shall acknowledge thereon the receipt of the goods without delay to the Stores and Transport Office.

In the event of loss through failure on the part of the contractor to comply with this condition he will be held responsible, and the amount of the loss incurred for same will be deducted, as in Clause 7.

13. Should the order on the contractor specially provide that goods of a fragile character, or such as are liable to suffer loss by leakage, shall be consigned at the risk of the Railways Commissioners under special freight conditions, the contractor shall in such instance provide, in writing, on the consignment note an intimation to that effect, failing which in the event of loss, he shall bear the whole cost of replacing the goods, the amount being deducted from the contractor's account or the security money.

14. Delivery will not be deemed to have been made until the goods have been approved of. In case of the rejection or return of any supplies, the contractor shall bear the whole cost of replacing the supplies rejected or returned, otherwise purchases will be effected at the contractor's risk, and the extra expense deducted as in Clause 7.

15. The members of Boards of survey will be appointed by the Treasurer of the State for the time being, and the decision of the Board is to be considered as final. If the Board shall decide that the article is not of proper quality it must be immediately replaced by the contractor, failing which it, or any like supply that is suitable for the service, will be procured elsewhere, and the survey fees and extra expense (if any) will be charged as in Clause 7.

16. A refusal to execute orders, irregularity in the quantity or quality of the supplies, delay in delivering or replacing them when required, or non-compliance with the terms of Clauses 11 and 12 of these conditions respecting the forwarding of consignment notes, &c., will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding Fifty pounds, as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount may be deducted as in Clause 7. It will also be in the power of the said Treasurer, upon such refusal, irregularity, or delay, to terminate the contract forthwith, and declare forfeit the whole or any portion of the security money; and, in addition, the contractor will be disqualified from tendering or holding any future contract or contracts for a period of twelve months from the date of such disqualification.

17. Contractors are not at liberty to transfer their contracts under cover of power of attorney, coupled with an interest or otherwise; and no such transfer will be recognised by the Government. If it is found during the currency of the contract that the contractor has not conformed to the condition of advertisement—which stipulates that if a tenderer be a member of a firm, and such firm be interested in the contract, then the tender is to be in the name of the firm, and not in that of the individual—then the Honorable the Treasurer may, on the recommendation of the Tender Board, determine the contract, and forfeit the security money.

18. The contracts entered into under this notice are not to be considered as being broken, infringed, or vitiated by the importation of stores for the Government service, or by any contracts or purchases made by the Imperial Commissariat or Agent-General for Victoria, or by any contracts or agreements made for any works or supplies by the Department of Public Works, or State Rivers and Water Supply Commission, or on account of the Federal Government, or for the Railway Department, or for supplies for Technical High or Higher Elementary Schools, or for the Metropolitan Parks and Gardens, or for supplies to the Aborigines, or for connexions and fittings for Diamond Drills and Batteries; or by any article being made at and supplied for the use of any Government establishment, or by the consumption of the surplus stock of any Government establishment.

19. For the purpose of the contracts entered into under these conditions, it is hereby expressly provided that in the event of any alteration in the Tariff affecting any of the items included in these contracts, the Government or the contractor (as the case may be) may give two months' notice through the secretary to the Tender Board, of the termination of the contract for the particular item or items so effected to the opposite party, it being understood that such notice can only be given from the first day of the month, and within the period for which the contract is made. The contract for the unaffected items to remain in full force and effect. Any notice to be served under this condition shall be deemed to have been duly served if sent to the contractor in a registered letter at his last-known place of business or abode.

20. If, in the opinion of the Tender Board, the price of any item or items of the contract be materially affected during its currency by any cause as the direct or indirect result of the war or by the proclamation of peace, the Board shall have power to determine the contract for such item or items on receiving from the contractor three full calendar months' notice in writing. The Board, on its own behalf, may also give notice of termination of the contract as regards any item or items on giving three full calendar months' notice to the contractor, it being understood that such notice by either party can only be given as in Clause 19.

21. Under no circumstances other than those mentioned in Clauses 19 and 20 will a contractor be permitted to abandon his contract. In the event of the contractor failing to carry on the contract, the contract security money will in that case be absolutely forfeited; and, in addition, the contractor will be held liable for any loss which the Government may sustain in consequence of such failure.

22. For the purposes of these contracts the word Government shall mean Government of the Commonwealth as regards supplies for the Commonwealth, and Government of the State as regards supplies for the State; and the word Treasurer shall mean Treasurer of the Commonwealth as regards supplies for the Commonwealth, and Treasurer of the State as regards supplies for the State.

23. No sub-letting will be allowed; all work must be carried out in the factory of the contractor; the terms of employment of any person engaged in the preparation or manufacture of the articles tendered for, and the wages paid to any such person, shall be in accordance with and subject to the terms and conditions specified in the schedules concerned; and a copy of the labour clauses thus indorsed on the schedules affected shall be kept conspicuously and continually posted, in legible Roman characters, in the factory (and in each part of the factory where several rooms are in use) in which goods are prepared or manufactured under this contract. Any infringement of these conditions, in the opinion of the Treasurer, will subject the contractor, upon report from the Tender Board, to such mulct, not exceeding Fifty pounds (£50), as the Treasurer may direct, and the amount will be deducted from the contractor's account or from the security money; and the Treasurer's decision shall be binding, final, and conclusive as to the fact of infringement, and in all other respects.

A. J. PEACOCK,  
Treasurer.

The Treasury,  
Melbourne, 25th January, 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.

#### ELECTRIC LIGHT WIRE.

Wednesday, 7th February.—Supply and delivery of vulcanized rubber electric light wire. P.D.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent.

#### COAL LOADING, ETC., WONTHAGGI.

Wednesday, 7th February.—Discharging and loading coal, &c. (labour and tools only), at Wonthaggi Coal Depot. Particulars also at Wonthaggi station. P.D.,  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

#### GENERAL STORES.

Wednesday, 7th February.—Supply and delivery of fixed quantities of the undermentioned materials required during the year commencing 1st July, 1917:—Sundry ironmongery; sundry ironmongery (builders'); sundry ironmongery (tools); hammers; saws and blades; machine saws; spanners; emery, &c.; hinges; locks, keys, &c.; nails; screws; N.P. badges; steel letters, &c.; split pins; rivets (various); copper boilers, &c.; tinware; carriage window springs; tubes and fittings; bolts and nuts; iron washers; aluminium and antimony; brass; copper (sheet and tubing); galvanized iron; lead; tinned plates; zinc; crane chain; fencing wire; sundry wire; signal wire; wire netting. Deposits as specified.

Wednesday, 14th February.—Supply and delivery of fixed quantities of the undermentioned materials required during the year commencing 1st July, 1917:—Napery, &c.; feather dusters; chamois skins; seaming twine; mops; ship-chandlery; matches, soap, &c.; kerosene oil; glass; paperhangings; painters' and grainers' sundries; methylated spirits; crushed bones; inks; pens, pencils, &c.; drysalteries, &c.; writing and drawing paper; printing and writing paper; brown paper; pasteboards, &c.; expanded metal; charcoal; burners, lamps, &c.; lamp chimneys; carbons, telegraph glassware; telephone and telegraph sundries; electric light material; explosives. Deposits as specified.

Wednesday, 14th March.—Supply and delivery of fixed quantities of the undermentioned materials required during the year commencing 1st July, 1917:—Blister, cast and D.S. steel; mild steel; spring steel; steel blooms; shovels, picks, &c.; iron; linoleum; upholstery and furniture. Deposits as specified.

The samples, which are exhibited by the Department, may be seen on application to the Stores Purchasing Agent, Spencer-street Store (foot of Lonsdale-street).

#### INSULATED CABLE, TROLLEY WIRE, ETC.

Wednesday, 21st February.—Supply and delivery of insulated cable, trolley wire, copper rod and fuses, for Jolimont car shed. (Electrification.) P.D.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent.

#### CENTRIFUGAL PUMP SET, ETC.

Wednesday, 21st February.—Supply and delivery of motor-driven centrifugal pump set, starter, and accessories, for Boort water supply. Particulars also at Castlemaine, Ballarat, and Bendigo stations. P.D.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent.

#### IRONBARK OR GREY BOX TIMBER.

Wednesday, 7th March.—Supply and delivery of sawn or hewn ironbark or grey box timber (Victoria). Particulars also at Bairnsdale station. P.D.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent.

**TIMBER.**

Wednesday, 7th March.—Supply and delivery of sawn or hewn ironbark or tallowwood (New South Wales), or tallowwood timber (Queensland). Particulars at the Contractors' Room, Railway Offices, Spencer-street, and at the office of the Secretary for Railways, Sydney and Brisbane. P.D.  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent.

**HALF-WATT LAMPS.**

Wednesday, 21st March.—Supply and delivery of half-watt lamps, lanterns, and contact couplings. P.D.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent.

**TERMINAL BLOCKS.**

Wednesday, 4th April.—Supply and delivery of terminal blocks (complete) for electrical connexions. P.D.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent.

**ELECTRIC LIGHT WIRE.**

Wednesday, 4th April.—Supply and delivery of rubber-covered, taped and braided electric light wire for power signalling. P.D.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent.

**"KERITE" INSULATED WIRE.**

Wednesday, 18th April.—Manufacture, supply, and delivery of "Kerite" insulated wire for power signalling, electrification. P.D.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent.

**LEAD-COVERED TELEPHONE CABLE.**

Wednesday, 25th April.—Supply and delivery of one pair 20-lb. dry core lead-covered telephone cable for power signalling. P.D.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent.

**INCANDESCENT ELECTRIC LAMPS.**

Wednesday, 23rd May.—Supply and delivery of Incandescent Electric Lamps as ordered from 1st July, 1917, till 30th June, 1918. P.D., £2.

**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.

**Insolvency Notices.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the estates of Henry Rowden, of Richmond, butcher, and Frederick James Stow, of Collingwood, mantlepiece maker, have been sequestrated, and that general meetings of creditors in the said estates will be holden at the Insolvency Court Offices, the Law Courts, in the city of Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 14th day of February, 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 Melbourne this 5th day of February, A.D. 1917.

J. D. MUSTOW,  
Chief Clerk.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the estate of John Hines, of Beechworth, labourer, formerly butcher, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be holden at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Beechworth, on Thursday, the 15th day of February, 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 Beechworth this 2nd day of February, A.D. 1917.

H. R. McDONALD,  
Chief Clerk.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the estate of Thomas Blandthorn, of Melvor-road, Bendigo, in the State of Victoria, labourer, has been sequestrated, and that a general meeting of creditors in the said estate will be holden at the Insolvency Court Offices, at Bendigo, on Friday, the 16th day of February, 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 Bendigo this 2nd day of February, A.D. 1917.

J. H. DUNNE,  
Chief Clerk.

**Private Advertisements.****PUBLIC NOTICE.**

APPLICATION FOR THE CONSTITUTION OF A WATER TRUST.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Council of the Shire of Healesville has made application to the Honorable the Minister of Water Supply, under the provisions of the *Water Act 1915*, No. 2724, for the constitution of a Water Trust for the township of Marysville, and for a loan for the purpose of constructing works to supply the town of Marysville with water.

A general plan of the pipe works, with description thereof, has been forwarded to the Minister, and copies thereof are open for inspection at the Shire Offices, Healesville.

Dated this 7th day February, 1916.

By order from Healesville Shire,  
J. T. NOBLE ANDERSON, M.Inst. C.E.,  
Shire Engineer.

22nd January, 1917.

(Re-advertised.)

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**TOWN OF COBURG.****REGULATION No. 35.**

**A** REGULATION of the Town of Coburg, made under the 44th section of the *Meat Supervision Act 1915*, for fixing the fees for examining and branding carcasses of animals and meat fattened and slaughtered by any person on his own premises, which premises are situated outside the Meat Area, and also the carcasses of animals and meat slaughtered by any abattoir situated within the limits of the Meat Area as at present constituted from time to time within the town of Coburg.

By virtue of the powers conferred by section 44 of the *Meat Supervision Act 1915*, the Council of the Town of Coburg, being the Municipal Council of the Municipal District of Coburg, doth hereby make the following Regulation thirty-five (35) in place of Regulation twenty-eight (28), which is hereby repealed:—

**REGULATION No. 35.**

The fees payable for the examining and branding of carcasses or meat by or under the direction of the Meat Inspector shall be as follows:—

For every ox, cow, bull, heifer, steer, or calf ...	1s.
For every lamb ...	1d.
For every sheep or goat ...	1d.
For every swine ...	6d.

And such fees shall be paid to the Town Clerk, at the Town Hall, once at least in every week, and the amount of such payment shall correspond with and be accompanied by a voucher from the Meat Inspector.

Resolution for passing this Regulation was adopted on the 1st November, 1916, and confirmed on the 13th day of December, 1916.

In witness hereof the common seal of the municipality of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Town of Coburg was hereunto affixed this 13th day of December, 1916, in the presence of—

(SEAL) H. J. RICHARDS, Mayor.  
W. S. McALPINE, Councillor.  
W. MITCHELL, Town Clerk.

The foregoing Regulation was approved by the Board of Public Health this 17th day of January, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen. By order of the Board.

T. W. H. HOLMES,  
Secretary.

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**SHIRE OF ORBOST.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that Thomas Francis Rollason (Shire Secretary) has been appointed Prosecuting Officer for the Shire of Orbost under the Pure Foods Act.

(SEAL) DONALD MUNRO, Councillor.  
A. E. RODWELL, Councillor.

Shire Office, Orbost, 3rd February, 1917.

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DANDENONG WATERWORKS TRUST.  
RATING BY-LAW FOR 1917.

THE Dandenong Waterworks Trust do hereby, pursuant to and in execution of the powers and authorities conferred by the *Water Act 1915*, make the following By-law:—

1st. The following rates and charges are those which the occupiers or owners of lands and tenements shall pay for the year 1917 in respect of water supplied by the Trust within the Trust District, and such rates shall be payable in one moiety, and become due on the 1st day of January, 1917.

2nd. On every house and tenement of an annual municipal value of under Eight pounds sterling (£8), the minimum sum of Ten shillings (10s.).

3rd. On every house and tenement of an annual municipal value of Eight pounds sterling (£8) or upwards, the sum of One shilling in the pound (£1) on the amount of the said valuation.

4th. On warehouses and wholesale stores, not being domiciles or used in retail business, the sum of One shilling in the pound (£1) on the amount of municipal valuation, provided that in no case shall a less rate than One pound sterling be paid.

5th. A rate of One shilling in the pound (£1) on the municipal valuation shall be levied on all vacant land fronting such streets as are reticulated.

6th. Water supplied by measure to be used in private domiciles or other premises for domestic or other than domestic use shall be charged for at the rate of One shilling per 1,000 gallons. The minimum quantity to be charged for yearly shall be that which at One shilling per 1,000 gallons would be equal to the amount which the Trust would be entitled to receive under the current rating upon the municipal assessed value of any such premises, and at the rate of One shilling per 1,000 gallons in addition to a supply for domestic or other purposes beyond such an amount as aforesaid.

7th. The charge for water supplied for manufacturing and other purposes, and to buildings, lands, and institutions not rated, to be subject to special agreement with the Trust.

8th. For water supplied to charitable institutions for gardens or irrigation purposes, Sixpence per 1,000 gallons.

9th. For water supplied for cricket or bowling grounds, the charge shall be subject to arrangement with the Trust.

10th. For water supplied to gardens or nurseries cultivated for trade purposes, One shilling per 1,000 gallons.

11th. For water supplied to private fountains, Twenty shillings each, or as may be decided upon by the Trust, in addition to a charge for a supply for domestic or other purposes.

12th. For water supplied and used solely as a motive power for hydraulic lifts, water blasts, turbines, water wheels, electric and other motors (subject to the supply being refused or discontinued at any time), One shilling per 1,000 gallons, or as may be agreed upon, in addition to the rating upon the assessment of the premises for a supply for domestic or other purposes.

13th. For a temporary supply during the erection of new buildings, Ten shillings per cent. on the amount of contract for stone, brick work, or plastering.

The foregoing By-law was made by the Commissioners of the Dandenong Waterworks Trust on the 18th day of December, 1916, and the common seal of the Dandenong Waterworks Trust was hereunto affixed by authority of the Trust, in the presence of—

(SEAL) A. W. PEARSON, Chairman.  
E. P. WALKER, Commissioner.  
K. G. MCALPIN, Secretary.

Approved by the Governor in Council,  
10th January, 1917.

F. W. MABBOTT,  
Clerk of the Executive Council. 3610

SHIRE OF DANDENONG.  
By-Law No. 38.

NOTICE is hereby given that By-law No. 38, entitled a "By-law of the Shire of Dandenong, made under the *Local Government Act 1915*, and particularly under section 610 and sub-section (a) and (b) of section 635 and sub-section 9 of section 197 of the said *Local Government Act 1915*, and numbered 38, for regulating, fixing, and appointing the stallages, rents, tolls and dues to be levied in the Dandenong Shire Market, and for regulating the market place and the buildings, stalls, pens, and standings therein, and for preventing nuisances or obstructions therein or in the immediate approaches thereto, and for fixing the days and the hours, during each day on which the market shall be held, and for regulating public sales," was by resolution of the council

agreed to on the 20th day of December, 1916, and confirmed and sealed by the council on the 26th day of January, 1917.

A copy of this By-law is open for inspection, free of charge, between office hours, at the Shire Hall, Dandenong.

By order,  
K. G. MCALPIN, Shire Secretary.  
Shire Hall, Dandenong, 6th January, 1917. 3609

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Frederick George Wilson, Alexander Allan Rattray, Percival James Wootton Danby, Allan Ivo Malcolm Clerk, and Harry Douglas Giddy, in the business of accountants, at 47 Queen-street, Melbourne, under the style or firm of Wilson, Rattray, & Danby, has been dissolved as and from the 31st day of December, 1916, so far as concerns the said Allan Ivo Malcolm Clerk, who retires from the said firm.

Dated this 2nd day of February, 1917.  
F. G. WILSON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore carried on by Powell and Candy at 154 Chapel-street, Prahran, as sewing machine agents, was dissolved as from the first of January, 1917, Mr. James Powell having retired from the firm. Mr. Charles Henry Candy will continue to carry on the said business, and will pay the accounts.

Dated 27th January, 1917.  
JAMES POWELL.  
CHARLES HENRY CANDY.  
Witness to both signatures—DAVID THOMAS, Solicitor. 3576

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, John Robertson and Alexander Robertson, carrying on business as sheep and cattle farmers, breeders, and graziers, upon the Struan Estate, Narracoorte, in the State of South Australia, and the Elderslie Estate, in the State of Victoria, under the style or firm of "Robertson Bros.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the fifth day of June, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

Dated the 13th day of January, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen.  
JOHN ROBERTSON.  
ALEXANDER ROBERTSON.

THE partnership hitherto subsisting between Basil John Parkinson and Alexander Llewellyn Wettenthal, carrying on business as Solicitors at 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, as Parkinson & Wettenthal, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from February 1st, 1917.

In future B. J. Parkinson will carry on business at 31 Queen-street, Melbourne (1st floor), and A. L. Wettenthal at 31 Queen-street (5th floor).  
Dated the 31st day of January, 1917.  
BASIL J. PARKINSON.  
ALEX. L. WETTENTHAL.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF VICTORIA.  
No. 2488.—In the matter of the COMPANIES ACT 1915, and in the matter of MALDEN ISLAND PROPRIETARY LIMITED, and in the matter of a Petition by BARKSKIBET FRAM'S AKTIEREDERI, Thursday, the first day of February, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen. Before His Honour Mr. Justice Hood.

UPON the Petition of the above-named company, Barks kibet Fram's Aktierederi, a creditor of the above-named company, on the fifth day of January, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, preferred unto the Court, and upon hearing Mr. Macindoe, of Counsel for the petitioner, no notice of intention to appear having been given by any person, and no one appearing to oppose, and upon reading the said Petition, an affidavit of Anders Terkelsen Schreuder, filed on the fifth day of January, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, verifying the said Petition; an affidavit of Fred Coupar Jeffery, filed the twelfth day of January, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen; the affidavit of Frank Pilkington Brett, filed the twelfth day of January, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen; and the further affidavit of Fred Coupar Jeffery, filed the sixteenth day of January, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen; the *Government Gazette* of the twenty-fourth day of January, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen; the *Argus* newspaper of the twentieth day of January, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, each containing an advertisement of the said Petition, this Court doth Order that the said Malden Island Proprietary Limited be wound up by this Court, under the provisions of the *Companies Act 1915*; and that Thomas Closson Walker, Official Liquidator, of 360 Collins-street, Melbourne, be constituted Provisional Liquidator of the affairs of the company, and that the costs of this Petition

be taxed, and when so taxed, be paid by Malden Island Proprietary Limited, to the petitioner, or his solicitor.

By the Court,  
(L.S.) J. K. L.

10s. Stamp.  
2.2.17.

NOTE.—It will be the duty of the directors and of the secretary, or other chief officer of the company, and of such persons as the Official Liquidator may require, to attend on the Official Liquidator, Thomas Closson Walker, at 360 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, forthwith on the service of this Order.

FREDERICK BENJAMIN WATERS, Royal Insurance Buildings, 414 Collins-street, Melbourne, solicitor for the Official Liquidator. 3606

#### IN THE SUPREME COURT OF VICTORIA.

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THE HERBST FURNITURE MANUFACTURING COMPANY PTY. LTD., BURKE-ROAD, CAMBERWELL.

#### NOTICE OF SPECIAL RESOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the above company, held on the twenty-ninth day of January, 1917, the following resolution (which had been duly passed at a meeting held on the second day of January, 1917) was duly confirmed as a special resolution, namely:—

That the company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the *Companies Act 1915*.

Dated this 5th day of February, 1917.  
3547 C. HERBST, Secretary.

#### *Companies Act 1915.*

#### THOMSON'S PROPRIETARY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named company will be held at the office of L. G. Callaway & Down, Normanby Chambers, 430 Little Collins-street, Melbourne, on the fifteenth day of February, 1917, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purposes contemplated by section 189 of the *Companies Act 1915*.

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L. G. CALLAWAY, Liquidator.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Acts*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Robert James Curtis, formerly of Park-street, East Geelong, in the State of Victoria, carpenter and joiner, but late soldier on active service abroad, deceased (who died on the twenty-ninth day of July, 1916, and probate of whose will was, on the thirty-first day of January, 1917, granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, to the Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of Number 412 Collins-street, Melbourne, the sole executor appointed by the said will), are required to send particulars thereof, in writing, to the said company on or before the tenth day of March, 1917, after which date the said company will distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard to, and being liable only for, those claims of which it shall then have had notice.

Dated the sixth day of February, 1917.

HENRY I. CRAWCOUR, Yarra-street, Geelong, proctor for the said company. 3608

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Hellen Scott Miller, formerly of 9 Harmsworth-street, Collingwood, in the State of Victoria, but late of "Lutzen," 16 Ethel-street, Thornbury, in said State, widow, deceased (who died on the twenty-fourth day of October, 1916, and probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of said State, in its probate jurisdiction, on the twenty-fifth day of January, 1917, to The Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of 412 Collins-street, in the city of Melbourne, in said State, the executor appointed by said will), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said company, addressed to its general manager, at its office, 412 Collins-street, Melbourne aforesaid, on or before the twenty-third day of March, 1917, after which date the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased which shall have come to its hands or possession amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have had notice; and it will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim it shall not then have had notice.

Dated this sixth day of February, 1917.

ERNEST G. SCOTT WILLIAMS, 418 Chancery-lane, Melbourne, proctor for said company. 3558

#### STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of Robert Arthur Day, late of Tarwin, in the State of Victoria, farmer, deceased, intestate (who died on the twenty-ninth day of February, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted to Louisa Day, of Tarwin aforesaid, widow, on the twenty-ninth day of May, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said Louisa Day, care of The Perpetual Executors and Trustees Association of Australia Limited, of Nos. 89-91 Queen-street, in the city of Melbourne, in the said State, on or before the seventh day of March, 1917, after which date the said association 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 association will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim it shall not have had notice as aforesaid.

Dated this first day of February, 1917.

JAS. W. SUTHERLAND, of Leongatha, proctor for the administratrix. 3559

#### STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of John William Butterworth, late of Dumbalk, in the State of Victoria, farmer and cream carter, deceased (who died on the twenty-eighth day of May, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and probate of whose will was granted to Jane Levina Butterworth, of Dumbalk aforesaid, widow, the executrix appointed by the said will, on the twenty-fourth day of August, 1916, by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said Jane Levina Butterworth, at her address above-mentioned, on or before the seventh day of March, 1917, after which date the said Jane Levina Butterworth will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice; and the said Jane Levina Butterworth will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim she shall not have had notice as aforesaid.

Dated this second day of February, 1917.

JAS. W. SUTHERLAND, of Leongatha, proctor for the executrix. 3560

## STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of John Clement Davis, late of "Sunnyside," Southey-street, Saint Kilda, in the State of Victoria, civil servant, deceased (who died on the 11th day of October, 1916), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to The Union Trustee Company of Australia Limited, of 333 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the said State, the executor to whom probate of the will of the said deceased was granted on the 20th day of January, 1917, addressed to the said The Union Trustee Company of Australia Limited, on or before the twelfth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, after which date the said company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Clement Davis, 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 claim they shall not have had notice as aforesaid.

Dated this thirtieth day of January, 1917.  
HILL & TALBOT, 442 Chancery-lane, Melbourne,  
proctors for the said company. 3584

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE ARCHIBALD JOHN DUNLOP, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Archibald John Dunlop, late of Benalla, in the State of Victoria, farmer, deceased (who died on the 28th day of August, 1916, and probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of the said State to the Perpetual Executors and Trustees Association of Australia Limited, of 89-91 Queen-street, Melbourne, in the said State), are hereby required to send particulars of such claims, in writing, to the said association on or before the 10th day of March, 1917. And notice is hereby given that after that date the said association will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Archibald John Dunlop, deceased, which shall have come into its possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall have then had notice; and the said association shall not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim it shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 3rd day of February, 1917.  
W. J. CALDER, Nunn-street, Benalla, solicitor for  
the said association. 3592

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE CHARLES DOUGLAS GRANT, DECEASED (INTESTATE).

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of Charles Douglas Grant, late of Meepoll, in the State of Victoria, farmer, deceased, intestate (who died on the 14th day of May, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and letters of administration of whose estate were, on the 2nd day of August, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, to Robert Murray Grant, of Narromine, in the State of New South Wales, farmer, a brother of the said deceased), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the undersigned M. Grant, proctor for the said Robert Murray Grant, on or before the 31st day of March, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, after which date the said Robert Murray Grant will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Charles Douglas Grant, deceased, which shall have come to his hands or possession amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and the said Robert Murray Grant 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 5th day of February, 1917.  
M. GRANT, Wyndham-street, Shepparton, proctor for  
the said Robert Murray Grant. 3593

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Acts*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of William Thomas Cadwallader, late of No. 17 Hawthorn-grove, Hawthorn, in the State of Victoria, gentleman, deceased, intestate (who died on the 5th day of October, 1916, and letters of administration of whose estate were, on the 31st day of January, 1917, granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, to the Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of No. 412 Collins-street, Melbourne, the said company having been duly authorized to apply for such letters of administration by Frances Foster Cadwallader, of No. 17 Hawthorn-grove, Hawthorn aforesaid, the widow of the said deceased, and the

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person entitled to administer the estate), are required to send particulars thereof, in writing, to the said company, on or before the 10th day of March, 1917, after which date the said company will distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard to and being liable only for those claims of which it shall then have had notice.

Dated the 1st day of February, 1917.  
TOLHURST & DRUCE, 413 Chancery-lane, Mel-  
bourne, proctors for the said company. 3538

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—JOHN GLADSTONE MACKENZIE, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of John Gladstone Mackenzie, formerly of Orrong-road, Toorak, in the State of Victoria, medical practitioner, but late of parts beyond the seas, captain in the Australian Expeditionary Forces, deceased (who died on the 31st day of May, 1916, and probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the 18th day of December, 1916, to Arthur Spence Wilkinson, of 413 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, solicitor, the sole executor named in and appointed thereby), are hereby required to send particulars of such claims to the said executor, at the offices of Messieurs Home and Wilkinson, 413 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the said State of Victoria, before the 10th day of March, 1917. And notice is hereby given that after that day the said executor may proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased which shall come to his hands amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which he shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 26th day of January, 1917.  
W. J. HOME, 413 Collins-street, Melbourne, proctor  
for the said executor. 3583

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—RE EMMA ISABELLA NANCARROW, DECEASED (INTESTATE).

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of Emma Isabella Nancarrow, late of Shepparton, in the State of Victoria, married woman, deceased, intestate (who died on the 24th day of October, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and letters of administration of whose estate were on the 5th day of December, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, to William Nancarrow, of Shepparton aforesaid, retired farmer, the husband of said deceased), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the undersigned M. Grant, the proctor for the said William Nancarrow, on or before the 31st day of March, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, after which date the said William Nancarrow will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Emma Isabella Nancarrow, deceased, intestate, 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 William Nancarrow 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 5th day of February, 1917.  
M. GRANT, Wyndham-street, Shepparton, proctor for  
the said William Nancarrow. 3594

## RE JOHN McMATH, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to the *Trusts Act 1915*, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of John McMath, late of Donald, in the State of Victoria, retired farmer, deceased (who died on the twenty-ninth day of September, One thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and probate of whose will was granted by the Supreme Court of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the twenty-fifth day of January, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, to the Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited, of 412 Collins-street, Melbourne, in the said State, the executor named in and appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the said company at 412 Collins-street, Melbourne aforesaid, on or before the twelfth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen. And notice is hereby also given that after the last mentioned date the company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John McMath, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it then shall have had notice; and the company will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim it shall not then have had notice.

Dated this second day of February, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen.  
OAKLEY & THOMPSON, Donald (and at Birchip),  
proctors for the said company. 3545

**STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—MICHAEL HYNES, DECEASED.**

PURSUANT to the provisions of the *Trusts Act* 1915, notice is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of Michael Hynes, late of Arcade Hall, Chapel-street, Prahran, in the State of Victoria, clerk, deceased, intestate (who died on the second day of December, 1916, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted by the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, in its probate jurisdiction, on the ninth day of January, 1917, to Catherine Mary Nolan, of 143 Nelson-road, South Melbourne, in the said State, married woman), are required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to the administratrix of the said estate, the said Catherine Mary Nolan, care of the undersigned, on or before the 17th day of March, 1917; after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Michael Hynes, deceased, which shall have come to her hands or possession, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice; and the said administratrix will not be answerable or liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim she shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 30th day of January, 1917.

NOLAN & NOLAN, solicitors, 408 Collins-street, Melbourne, proctors for the said administratrix. 3600

**In the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria.—*Fi. Fa.***

NOTICE is hereby given that, under and by virtue of certain process issued out of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, and directed to the Sheriff, requiring him to levy certain moneys of the real and personal estate of Archibald Burnside, farmer, Shepparton, the said Sheriff will, on Friday, the 9th day of March, 1917, at the hour of Two o'clock in the afternoon, cause to be sold at the Police Station, Boolara (unless the said process shall have been previously satisfied, or the said Sheriff be otherwise stayed):—

All the right, title, estate, and interest (if any) of the said Archibald Burnside in and to all that piece of land containing 319 acres 1 rood 9 perches, or thereabouts, being Crown allotment 59, parish of Narracan South, county of Buln Buln, particularly described in certificate of title, volume 2169, folio 433715. Also all that piece of land containing 160 acres 2 roods 29 perches, more or less, being allotment 78, parish of Narracan South, county of Buln Buln, particularly described in Crown grant, volume 3110, folio 621877. Also to a depth of 50 feet below the surface of all that piece of land containing 166 acres 1 rood 21 perches, more or less, being allotment 64d, parish of Narracan South, county of Buln Buln, particularly described in Crown lease, volume 863, folio 172509. Also to a depth of 50 feet below the surface of all that piece of land containing 174 acres 3 roods 14 perches, more or less, being allotments 61 and 64c, parish of Narracan South, county of Buln Buln, particularly described in Crown lease, volume 863, folio 172508.

N.B.—Terms: Cash. No cheques taken.

Dated at Warragul this 31st day of January, 1917.

3587 P. G. THOMSON, Sheriff's Bailiff.

**The Licensing Act 1915, Section 286.**

**NOTICE THAT COMPENSATION WILL BE PAID.**

WHEREAS the undermentioned licensed premises in the respective Licensing Districts named have been deprived of a licence, notice is hereby given that the amount of compensation payable to the respective owners of such premises pursuant to the provisions of the Licensing Acts is the sum set opposite to each of such premises:—

Railway Hotel, Bullarto, Franklin Licensing District	£220
Globe Hotel, Lydiard-street, Ballarat East Licensing District	£375
Eagle Hotel, Buninyong, Buninyong Licensing District	£405
Heywood Hotel, Heywood, Heywood Licensing District	£250
Albion Hotel, Woorak, Dimboola Licensing District	£225
Lawloit Hotel, Lawloit, Lawloit Licensing District	£160
Terrick Club Hotel, Terrick East, Rochester Licensing District	£110
Grant's Hotel, Mologa, Terrick Licensing District	£200
Football Club Hotel, Rushworth, Rushworth Licensing District	£400

Dated at Melbourne this 6th day of February, 1917.

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W. H. BANKS,  
Registrar of Licensing Courts.

*Companies Act* 1915, Section 500.—23rd Schedule.  
**THE BALLARAT TRUSTEES, EXECUTORS, AND AGENCY COMPANY LIMITED.**

**REGISTER of Unclaimed Moneys held by the Ballarat Trustees, Executors, and Agency Company Limited.**

Name of Owner on Books.	Total Amount due to Owner.	Description of Unclaimed Money.	Date of last claim.
Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

Ballarat, 8th January, 1917. 3552

**Mining Notices.**

**WHITE HILLS GOLD RECOVERY COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY, BENDIGO.**

AN Extraordinary Meeting of Shareholders of the above-named company will be held at the office of the company, Colonial Bank Chambers, Bendigo, on Monday, the 26th day of February, 1917, at half-past Two o'clock p.m.

**Business:**

- To pass a resolution requiring the company to be voluntarily wound up without resort to the Court.
  - To determine the course to be pursued by the directors for the purpose and mode of disposal of any surplus of the company's property which may remain after the completion of the winding up.
  - To decide how the books and documents of the company shall be disposed of.
  - To confirm the minutes of the meeting.
- 3477 L. B. BIRCH, Manager.

**HOME REEFS GOLD MINES COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY, WANDLIGONG.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary Meeting of the above-named company is hereby convened, and will be held at the registered office of the company, Gavan-street, Bright, on Saturday, 24th February, 1917, at Three p.m., for the transaction of the following business:—To increase the capital of the company by raising the amount of each of the Eight thousand shares existing in the company from Five shillings to Seven shillings and sixpence.

**By order of the Board,**

3612 P. J. BREEN, Manager.

**HOME REEFS GOLD MINES COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY, WANDLIGONG.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Half-yearly General Meeting of Shareholders in the above company will be held at the registered office of the company, Gavan-street, Bright, on Saturday, 24th day of February, 1917, at a quarter past Three p.m. Business:—To receive and adopt report and balance-sheet; to elect director and auditor; general.

3613 P. J. BREEN, Manager.

**POREPUNKAH GOLD DREDGING COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twentieth Half-yearly General Meeting of Shareholders in the above company will be held at the registered office of the company, Gavan-street, Bright, on Tuesday, 20th February, 1917, at Three p.m. Business:—To receive and adopt report and balance-sheet; to elect three directors and auditor; general.

3614 P. J. BREEN, Manager.

**THE SLOANES AND SCOTCHMANS UNITED  
QUARTZ MINING COY. N. L.**

NOTICE.—A Call (the 85th) of One penny per share has been made on the capital of this company, due and payable to me at the registered office of the company, Main-street, Stawell, on Wednesday, the 14th day of February, 1917.

3542 JAMES PATON, Manager.

**THE CARLTON GOLD MINING COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY, STEIGLITZ.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (No. 16) of One penny per share has been made, payable to the secretary, at the registered office, 824 Drummond-street, North Carlton, on 14th February, 1917.

3548 H. JAS. BROWN, Secretary.

CENTRAL PLATEAU COMPANY NO LIABILITY,  
SEBASTOPOL.

NOTICE.—A Call (No. 257) of Twopence per share has been made on the capital of the company, and will be due and payable to the manager, at the office of the company, on Wednesday, 14th of February, 1917.

W. M. ACHESON, Manager.  
38 Lydiard-street South, Ballarat. 3550

BIRTHDAY TUNNEL COMPANY NO LIABILITY,  
BERRINGA.

NOTICE.—A Call (No. 35) of Threepence per share has been made on the capital of the company, and will be due and payable to the manager, at the office of the company, on Wednesday, 14th of February, 1917.

W. M. ACHESON, Manager.  
38 Lydiard-street South, Ballarat. 3551

BRITANNIA GOLD MINING COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—A Call (the 50th) of Threepence per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable at the office of the company, A.M.P. Chambers, Lydiard-street, Ballarat, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.

GEO. BARKER, Manager. 3553

NEW CHUM GOLDFIELDS COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—A Call (the 28th) of Threepence per share has been made, due and payable at the company's office, Commercial House, Charing Cross, Bendigo, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.

J. H. MCCOLL  
3554 (McCull, Rankin, and Stanistreet), Manager.

NEW GOLDEN FLEECE COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE.—A Call (the 35th) of Threepence per share has been made on the capital of this company, due and payable at the company's office, Commercial House, Bendigo, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.

J. H. MCCOLL  
3555 (McCull, Rankin, and Stanistreet), Manager.

CORONATION GOLD MINING COY.  
NO LIABILITY.

A CALL (the 18th) of Sixpence per share has been made, due and payable at the registered office of the company, Mont Albert-road, Balwyn, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.

A. YOUNG, Manager. 3563

EDNA MAY BATTLER GOLD MINING COMPANY  
N. L., WESTONIA, W.A.

A CALL (No. 8) of Sixpence per share has been made, due and payable at the registered office of the company, No. 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 14th day of February, 1917.

FRED. TRICKS, Manager.  
31 Queen-street, Melbourne. 3567

## EMPRESS GOLD MINES NO LIABILITY.

A CALL (No. 11) of Threepence per share on the increased capital has been made, due and payable at the registered office of the company, No. 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 14th day of February, 1917.

FRED. TRICKS, Manager.  
31 Queen-street, Melbourne. 3568

GREAT EXTENDED TUNNEL GOLD MINES  
NO LIABILITY, WALHALLA.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 60th) of One farthing per share has been made, due and payable on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917, at the company's office, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne.

THOS. HAMILTON, Manager. 3570

NUGGETTY AJAX GOLD MINING COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY.

A CALL (the 72nd) of Sixpence per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable at the company's office, National Mutual Building, 395 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.

J. C. BELL, Manager. 3571

WHITE, CRYSTAL TIN MINING COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY.

A CALL (the 22nd) of Threepence per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable at the company's office, National Mutual Building, 395 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.

J. C. BELL, Managing Director. 3572

No. 24.—FEBRUARY 7, 1917.—1316.—5.

LLANBERRIS NUMBER ONE COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY.

A CALL (99th) of Threepence per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917, at the company's office, Lydiard-street, Ballarat.

W. M. WILLIAMS, Manager. 3573

NEW NORMANBY QUARTZ MINING COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY.

A CALL (96th) of Threepence per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917, at the company's office, A.M.P. Building, Ballarat.

W. D. THOMPSON, Manager. 3574

NORTH WOAHH HAWP GOLD MINING COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY.

A CALL (80th) of Threepence per share has been made on the capital of the company, due and payable on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917, at the company's office, A.M.P. Building, Ballarat.

W. D. THOMPSON, Manager. 3575

THE MOUNT MURPHY WOLFRAM MINING  
COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

A CALL (the 8th) of Threepence per share has been made on the 8,000 contributing shares, due and payable at the company's office, on Wednesday, the 14th February, 1917.

G. WALLACE CRABBE, Manager.  
Leadenhall, Melbourne, 5th February, 1917. 3577

## DEVON GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

A CALL (the 9th) of Threepence per share has been made upon the capital of the company, due and payable at the registered office, 407 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.

WM. RYALL, Manager. 3578

HANOVER GOLD MINING COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 52nd) of One half-penny per share has been made on the uncalled capital of the company, due and payable to the manager, at the registered office, 123 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.

W. BRUCE FOX, Manager.  
123 Queen-street, Melbourne. 3588

CLONBINANE GOLD AND ANTIMONY MINING  
COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 16th) of Threepence per share has been made on the uncalled capital of the company, due and payable to the manager, at the registered office, 123 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.

W. BRUCE FOX, Manager.  
123 Queen-street, Melbourne. 3589

## CLANCY'S REEF GOLD MINES NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 42nd) of One penny per share has been made on the uncalled capital of the company, due and payable to the manager, at the registered office, 123 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.

W. BRUCE FOX, Manager.  
123 Queen-street, Melbourne. 3590

STOCKYARD CREEK ALLUVIAL GOLD MINING  
COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

NOTICE OF CALL.  
NOTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 2nd) of One pound (£1) per share has been made on the uncalled capital of the company's reserved share issue, due and payable to the manager, at the registered office, Echo Office, Station-street, Foster, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.

A. E. DICKSON, Manager.  
Echo Office, Station-street, Foster. 3591

THE COHEN'S LONG TUNNEL UNITED GOLD  
MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.

A CALL (17th) of Threepence per share on the increased capital of the company (making 5s. 9d. paid) has been made on shares numbered 1 to 30,000, and is due and payable at the company's office, 317 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.

A. S. CARROLL, Manager. 3595

RIVERINA SOUTH GOLD MINING COMPANY  
NO LIABILITY.

A CALL (the 11th) of Sixpence per share on all the shares in the company has been made, due and payable to the manager, at the registered office of the company, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 14th day of February, 1917.

By order of the Board,  
GEO. E. DICKENSON, Manager. 3596

**LEONORA GOLD BLOCKS NO LIABILITY.**  
**A** CALL (the 5th) of One shilling and sixpence per share (including the 1s. advertised for January) (making 10s. paid up) has been made on all the contributing shares in the company numbered from 1 to 30,000, due and payable at the registered office of the company, 47 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.

M. I. MURCHIE, Manager.  
 47 Queen-street, Melbourne;  
 5th February, 1917. 3597

**MCCANN'S REEF GOLD MINING COMPANY N. L.**  
**A** CALL (the 7th) of Twopence (2d.) per share has been made on the capital of the above company, due and payable at the registered office, 60 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.  
 3598 WM. LASCELLES, Manager.

**YILGARN CONSOLS GOLD MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY.**  
**A** CALL (the 10th) of Twopence per share has been made upon the uncalled capital of the company, due and payable at the registered office of the company, 379 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 14th day of February, 1917.  
 3599 A. O. LEWIS, Legal Manager.

**MOUNT LYELL BLOCKS COPPER MINES N. L.**  
**N**OTICE is hereby given that a Call (the 9th) of Threepence per share (making 22s. 3d. paid up) on the increased capital of the above company, has been made, and is due and payable to me, at the registered office of the company, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on or before the 14th February, 1917.  
 Dated at Melbourne this 5th day of February, 1917.  
 By order of the Board,  
 THOMAS ROLLASON, Manager.  
 3601

**BONPION TIN NO LIABILITY.**  
**A** CALL (the 5th) of One shilling per share (making shares 9s. paid up) has been made upon the contributing shares in the above-named company, due and payable to me, at the registered office, Broken Hill Chambers, 31 Queen-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, the 14th day of February, 1917.  
 3602 E. W. STRINGER, Manager.

**MOUNT PELION MINES NO LIABILITY.**  
**N**OTICE is hereby given that a Call (4th) of Two shillings and sixpence per share on contributing shares of above company has been made, due and payable at registered office of company, 395 Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.  
 3603 J. MCKINLEY WILSON, Manager.

**PRICE COPPER MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, TASMANIA.**  
**A** CALL (the 15th) of Twopence per share has been made on the capital of the above-named company, the same to be due and payable at the office of the company, 6-7 The Block, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Wednesday, 14th February, 1917.  
 3604 CHAS. L. WIBER, Manager.

**THE SLOANES AND SCOTCHMANS UNITED QUARTZ MINING COMPANY N. L.**  
**N**OTICE.—All shares forfeited for non-payment of the 84th call of One penny per share will be sold by public auction, at the registered office of the company, Main-street, Stawell, on Tuesday, the 20th day of February, 1917, at Eleven o'clock a.m., unless previously redeemed.  
 3543 JAMES PATON, Manager.

**ROSE OF DENMARK GOLD MINES NO LIABILITY, GAFFNEY'S CREEK.**  
**N**OTICE is hereby given that all shares forfeited for non-payment of the 28th and 29th calls of Threepence each per share, due on 13th December, 1916, and 10th January, 1917, respectively, will be sold by public auction, on Thursday, 15th February, 1917, at half-past Twelve p.m., at the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, unless previously redeemed.  
 THOS. HAMILTON, Manager.  
 60 Queen-street, Melbourne. 3569

**PRICE COPPER MINING COMPANY NO LIABILITY, TASMANIA.**  
**T**HE undermentioned shares in the above-named company forfeited for non-payment of the 14th and all previous calls of Twopence per share, will be sold by auction at the Stock Exchange, Collins-street, Melbourne, on Thursday, 15th February, 1917, at Twelve o'clock noon. All shares numbered 1 to 12,000 inclusive, on which the said calls remain unpaid, unless previously redeemed.  
 CHAS. L. WIBER, Manager.  
 5th February, 1917.  
 6-7 The Block, Collins-street. 3605

**AMALGAMATED WESTRALIA G. M. COY. N. L.**  
**N**OTICE is hereby given that Frederick Tricks has been appointed manager of the company, and that the office of the company is now at No. 31 Queen-street, Melbourne.

J. SHAW STANLEY, } Directors.  
 H. J. ELLIGER, }  
 (SEAL) FRED. TRICKS, Manager.  
 Melbourne, 1st February, 1917. 3539

**CATHCART VICTORY GOLD MINES NO LIABILITY.**  
**N**OTICE is hereby given that the registered office is now situated at Main-street, Stawell, and that the manager is James Paton.  
 W. HARDIE, } Directors.  
 D. F. LAWRIE, }  
 (SEAL) JAMES PATON, Manager.  
 3541

### Insolvency Notices.

**The Insolvency Act 1915.**—In the Court of Insolvency, Central District, at Melbourne.

**A** FIRST Dividend of 1s. 6d. in the £1 in the matter of Stanley Ernest McGeorge and Arthur Francis McGeorge, trading as McGeorge Bros., of High-street, Preston, in the State of Victoria, estate agents, is this day payable at my office, 47 Queen-street, Melbourne.  
 Dated this 25th day of January, 1917.  
 3579 F. G. WILSON, Trustee.

**The Insolvency Act 1915.**—In the Court of Insolvency, Central District, at Melbourne.

**A** FIRST Dividend of 8s. in the £1 in the matter of Alfred William Crowe, of "Kinkora," Lyster-ville-avenue, Malvern, in the State of Victoria, retired school teacher, is this day payable at my office, 47 Queen-street, Melbourne.  
 Dated this 25th day of January, 1917.  
 3581 F. G. WILSON, Trustee.

**The Insolvency Acts.**—In the Court of Insolvency, Midland District, at Bendigo.—In the matter of ROBERT WILLIAM ADAMS, of Danyo, in the State of Victoria, farmer.

**A** FIRST and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of the above-named, whose estate was sequestrated on the thirty-first day of May, 1916. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the fourteenth day of February, 1917, will be excluded from this dividend.  
 Dated this 3rd day of February, 1917.  
 3557 H. S. V. BUSST, Trustee, Law Courts, Bendigo.

**The Insolvency Act 1915.**—In the Court of Insolvency, Central District, at Melbourne.

**A** SECOND Dividend of 2s. 6d. in the £1 in the matter of Joseph Henry Brown, of 259 Queen's-parade, Clifton Hill, in the State of Victoria, produce merchant, is this day payable at my office, 47 Queen-street, Melbourne.  
 Dated this 1st day of February, 1917.  
 3582 F. G. WILSON, Trustee.

**The Insolvency Act 1915.**—In the Court of Insolvency, Central District, at Melbourne.

**A** THIRD Dividend of 6d. in the £1 in the matter of James Currie, of Camberwell-road, Hawthorn, in the State of Victoria, timber merchant, is this day payable at my office, 47 Queen-street, Melbourne.  
 Dated this 1st day of February, 1917.  
 3580 P. J. W. DANBY, Trustee.

### Impoundings.

**B**ALLAN.—Impounded at Ballan, by R. Kirby.

1 bay gelding, black points, long tail, both knees marked, no visible brand  
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 28th February, 1917.  
 C. A. COOPER,  
 3562—4/1 Poundkeeper.

**C**AMPERDOWN.—Impounded at Camperdown, 5th February, 1917, by A. Cameron, from Camperdown Grazing Area.

1 black pony gelding, star forehead, J near shoulder, J near jaw  
 If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 6th March, 1917.  
 JAMES LITTLE,  
 3611—4/8 Poundkeeper.

**CARLSRUHE.**—Impounded at Carlsruhe, 3rd February, 1917, by A. Ward.  
1 bay horse, C on flank  
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 2nd March, 1917.

3556—4/1 H. F. WALSH,  
Poundkeeper.

**ECHUCA.**—Impounded at Echuca, 2nd February, 1917.

1 black horse, dock tail, white star on forehead, near fetlock white, like S on near shoulder

1 bay horse, black legs, hind fetlocks white, star on forehead, white tip on nose, white spot on wither, like P on near shoulder  
If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st March, 1917.

3561—5/10 R. GREVILLE,  
Poundkeeper.

**HOPETOUN.**—Impounded at Hopetoun.

1 light-roan bullock, two back notches near ear, like AC near rump

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 28th February, 1917.

3537—4/1 H. JENKINS,  
Poundkeeper.

**MAFFRA.**—Impounded at Maffra.

1 red cow, short horns, slit and notch off ear, JW off ribs  
1 blue and white cow, slit and notch off ear, piece out back near ear, bang tail

1 red and white cow, cog-whool earmark off ear, 22 off rump and ribs

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 30th March, 1917.

3565—5/10 JAS. A. DU MOULIN,  
Poundkeeper.

**MELBOURNE.**—Impounded at Melbourne City Pound, Laurens-street, North Melbourne, by P. Fogarty.

1 bay pony mare, S on near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st March, 1917.

3546—4/1 C. CAVANAGH,  
Poundkeeper.

**WONTHAGGI.**—Impounded at Wonthaggi.

1 chestnut pony gelding, shod front feet, G near shoulder

If not claimed and expenses paid, to be sold on 1st March, 1917.

3566—3/6 D. O'DONNELL,  
Poundkeeper.

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