

No. of Abstract to }
Warrant, No. of 184 }

A 14.—No. 1.
Voucher, No. 25 of Abstract C. *C*

New South Wales.

ABSTRACT of Fees and Expenses on Inquests held by *W. B. Wilnot*
Coroner for *Melbourne* from the *1st October*
to the *31st December* 1844 inclusively.

No. of Sub-Voucher.	SERVICE.	AMOUNT.		
		£.	s.	d.
1.	To Coroner's Fees and Allowance for <i>22</i> Miles Travelling, on <i>3</i> Inquests, as per accompanying Return	8	16	6
2.	To Surgeons' Fees on <i>2</i> Inquests, as per ditto	2	2	-
3.	To Amount of <i>one</i> Reward for taking up Bodies of Persons found Dead	4	0	0
<i>W. B. Wilnot</i> TOTAL		£ 10	18	6

Amounting in all to *ten* Pounds *eighteen* Shillings and *six* Pence Sterling

Signature of *W. B. Wilnot* Coroner.

COLONIAL TREASURY, *Melbourne* SYDNEY, *3* February 1845.

RECEIVED from *W. Forsdale* *Esquire*, Colonial Treasurer, pursuant to Warrant of Government, No. , dated the 184 , the Sum of *ten* Pounds, *eighteen* Shillings, and *six* Pence, Sterling; being the Amount of Fixed Contingencies in my Department, from the *1st Oct* to the *31st Dec* 1844, as by Account of Particulars; and for which I have signed Duplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date.

W. B. Wilnot

Witness to the Payment,

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Sub-Voucher, No. to

Voucher, No. of Abstract C.

RETURN of INQUESTS held by

W B Wilnot

Coroner for

Melbourne

from the

1st October

to the

31st December

1844 inclusively.

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DATE.	ON WHOM HELD.	Bond or Free.	WHERE HELD.	No. of Miles distance from his usual Place of Residence.	Amount of Inquest Fees, at 20s. each, and of Travelling Expenses, at 9d. a Mile.		
					£	s.	d.
<i>1844</i>							
<i>Oct^r 4</i>	<i>James Kennedy J^r</i>		<i>Melbourne</i>		<i>1</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>
<i>10</i>	<i>George Clamps</i>		<i>Do</i>		<i>1</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>
<i>Nov^r 14</i>	<i>Henry Head</i>		<i>Brighton</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>30</i>	<i>Joseph Common</i>		<i>Melbourne</i>		<i>1</i>		
<i>Dec^r 9</i>	<i>John Provan</i>		<i>"</i>		<i>1</i>		
<i>12</i>	<i>Charles Stewart</i>		<i>William's Town</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>9</i>
<i>14</i>	<i>An Aborigine known by name of Bobby</i>		<i>Melbourne</i>		<i>1</i>		
<i>31</i>	<i>Thomas Forrest</i>		<i>Merri Creek</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>J B Wilnot</i>					TOTAL.....£ <i>8 10 0</i>		

I Certify, that I actually held the Inquests as stated in the above Return, and that the above Specification of Distances is true and correct.

W B Wilnot - Coroner.

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I Certify that I have received the Proceedings of the Inquests in the Cases specified in the foregoing Return.

James Crake
Crown prosecutor

ABSTRACT and AQUITTANCES of FEES paid to Surgeons attending by Sur-
 before *W. B. Wilson* Coroner for the District of *Port Phillip*
 inclusively, pursuant to Act of Council No. 3, of 13th June, 1838.

Date of Payment.	Name of the Surgeon.	Date of Inquest or Inquiry.	On whom held.
<i>Aug 7</i>	<i>C. J. Sandford</i>	<i>Oct 10</i>	<i>George Clump</i>
<i>Aug 7</i>	<i>J. Patterson</i>	<i>Dec 14</i>	<i>An Aborigine known the name of Wooby</i>

I CERTIFY, that the Surgeons above-named, were necessarily called upon, and attended to
 of Post Mortem Examinations above stated; and that the Distances for which Travelling Exp-
 Certify, that none of the Deaths, on which the Inquiries charged for were held, occurred in an

Surgeon's Inquests, or on Inquiries held by Justices of the Peace touching sudden Deaths, held
 from the *1st October* to the *31st December* 1844

Miles.	Number of attendances to give evidence, at 2s. each.	Number of Post Mortem Examinations, at 42s. each.	Total Amount of Fees.	We, the undersigned, do acknowledge to have received from the Sums opposite to our several Names, being in full of our Fees, respectively, as herein specified, for which we have signed Receipts in Duplicate.	Witness to the Payment.
	<i>1</i>		<i>1 1</i>	<i>C. J. Sandford</i>	<i>W. B. Wilson</i>
	<i>1</i>		<i>1 1</i>	<i>John Patterson</i>	<i>W. B. Wilson</i>
TOTAL.....			<i>£ 2 2</i>		

Professional Evidence; that they were required to make, and did actually perform the number
 charged, exceeded Ten Miles from the usual Residence of each Surgeon respectively. I further
 Gaol, or other Building, to which a Government Medical Officer was attached.

W. B. Wilson Coroner

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VOUCHER No. 26 of ABSTRACT A. 19.

The DEPARTMENT of the *Saot* at *Seeling Port Phillip*
Dr. to *Shene Craig*

	£	s.	d.
For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Articles supplied to the <i>Saot</i> , for the period, from the <i>1st November</i> to the <i>31st Dec^r</i> 1844, as per the accompanying Returns, viz:—			
<i>November 50 Rations @ 5</i>	1		10
<i>December 35 Rations @ 5</i>		14	7
TOTAL....	£	1	15 7

Signature of the Contractor *Shene Craig*
I CERTIFY that the whole of the Daily Rations and Articles charged for in the above Account were duly supplied for the period therein stated, by the above-named Contractor; and that in respect both of Quality, Quantity, and Description of Articles, the same were agreeable to the terms of his Contract.

RECEIVED on the *7th January* 1845, from *W. J. Row*,
Sub-Treasurer the Sum of *one pound fifteen*
shillings & seven pence in full payment of the above Account, for which I have
signed Duplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Witness to the payment,
Shene Craig

Form N^o 8

Return of Prisoners on the Establishment of the Gaol at Geelong entitled to, and supplied with Rations from Mr Craig Contractor from the 1st to the 30th November 1844 inclusively

Date	actual number of Prisoners supplied with Rations	
	Hardened & Prisoners detained as Witnesses or for want of Bail	All other Prisoners not specified in the preceding Column
1		2
2		1
3		1
4		2
5		2
6		2
7		2
8		3
9		3
10		3
11		3
12		3
13		2
14		2
15		2
16		2
17		2
18		1
19		1
20		1
21		1
22		1
23		1
24		1
25		1
26		1
27		1
28		1
29		1
30		1
		50

I hereby declare upon Oath, that I mustered all the Prisoners on the Establishment of the Gaol at Geelong, that Nominal Registers of the same have been regularly and duly kept, and I have carefully examined and checked the Numbers specified in the foregoing Return, by Comparison with the said Musters and Registers, and find them to correspond therewith

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and I further declare, that every individual before enumerated was entitled to, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, supplied with Rations for the days stated therein; and that the said Return is correct in every particular

Robert Cherry Gader

Sworn before me at Geelong
this 24th day of January 1845

[Signature]

Received from Mr. Stone Craig Contractor Post Phillip
the undermentioned Rations as Within:

50 | Fifty Rations

and for which I have signed a Receipt in Triplicate

Robert Cherry Gader

Form A. 8.

Return of Prisoners on the Establishment of the Gaol at Geelong entitled to, and supplied with Rations, from the Contractor from the 1st to the 31st December 1844 inclusive

Date	Actual number of Prisoners supplied with Rations	
	Wardens & Prisoners detained as Witnesses or for want of Bail	All other Prisoners not specified in the preceding Column
1		1
2		2
3		1
4		1
5		1
6		1
7		1
8		1
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17		1
18		1
19		3
20		3
21		2
22		2
23		2
24		2
25		2
26		2
27		2
28		2
29		2
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		35

I hereby declare upon oath, that I mustered all the Prisoners on the Establishment of the Gaol at Geelong, that nominal Registers of the same have been regularly and duly kept and I have carefully examined and checked the numbers specified in the foregoing Return, by comparison with the said Musters and Registers, and find them to correspond therewith

and I further declare, that every individual before
 enumerated was entitled to, and to the best of my knowledge
 and belief supplied with Rations for the days stated
 therein, and that the said return is correct in every
 particular

Robert Cherry Guder

Sworn before me at Geelong
 this 24th day of January 1845

John Fryer

Received from Mr. Skene Craig, Contractor at Port Phillip,
 the undermentioned Rations as within viz

35 } Thirty five Rations

and for which I have signed a Receipt in Duplicate

Robert Cherry Guder

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Voucher No. 214 OF ABSTRACT C

The DEPARTMENT of the Gaol, Geelong Port Phillip,
 DR. to MESSRS. CRAIG & BROADFOOT, Contractors.

the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Articles supplied to the Gaol
 at Geelong, for the period, from the 1st November
 to the 31st December 1844, as per accompanying Returns, viz:—

£. s. d.

129 Gallons Sub Sid @ 4/6

86

TOTAL.....£ . 86

Signature of the Contractor

Skene Craig

I CERTIFY that the whole of the Daily Rations and Articles charged for in the above Account were duly
 supplied for the Period therein stated, by the above named Contractors; and that in respect both of Quality, Quantity,
 and description of Articles, the same were agreeable to the Terms of their Contract.

Edw. Holton

RECEIVED on the 11th January 1845, from WILLIAM LONSDALE, Esquire,
 Sub-Treasurer, the sum of Eighty six shillings and six pence
 in full payment of the above Account, for which we have signed Duplicate

Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Witness to the payment,

Skene Craig

I Certify, that the Quantity of Fuel and Light estimated for in this Return has been appropriated for the Service required, and that no more Fires or Lights have been kept up than were actually necessary for the Establishment under the existing Regulations, during the period herein stated.

Robert Cherry Gaoler

RECEIVED from

the delivery thereof, viz:—
(In Figures.)

Coals	(In Words at length.)	Pounds.
Wood		Pounds.
Candles		Pounds.
Sperm Oil		Gallons.
¹²² / ₃₂ Fish Oil	<i>One & 29/32</i>	Gallons.
Cotton Wick		Ounces.
Patent Cotton Wicks		Number.

Robert Cherry Gaoler

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VOUCHER No. 28 OF ABSTRACT

The DEPARTMENT of the *Watch House* *Gulway* Port Phillip,
Dr. to ~~MESSRS. CRAIG & BROADFOOT~~ Contractors

For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Articles supplied to the *Watch House*
at Gulway, for the period, from the *1st November*
to the *31st December* 184*4*, as per accompanying Returns, viz:—

122/_{*32*} Gallons *Sub Oil* *24/6* " *8 6 7/16*
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TOTAL.....£ *8 6*

Signature of the Contractor

Wm Craik

I CERTIFY that the whole of the Daily Rations and Articles charged for in the above Account were duly supplied for the Period therein stated, by the above named Contractors; and that in respect both of Quality, Quantity, and description of Articles, the same were agreeable to the Terms of their Contract.

Edw Adolais

RECEIVED on the *11th January* 184*5*, from WILLIAM LONSDALE, Esquire,
Sub-Treasurer, the sum of *Eight shillings and nine pence*
in full payment of the above Account, for which *we* have signed Duplicate

Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Witness to the payment,

Wm Craik

I Certify, that the Quantity of Fuel and Light estimated for in this Return has been appropriated for the Service required, and that no more Fires or Lights have been kept up than were actually necessary for the Establishment under the existing Regulations, during the period herein stated.

Robert Cherry Gaoler

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the delivery thereof, viz:—
(In Figures.)

the undermentioned Articles, or Orders for

(In Figures.)	(In Words at length.)	
Coals		Pounds.
Wood		Pounds.
Candles		Pounds.
Sperm Oil		Gallons.
^{1 1/2} / ₃₂ Fish Oil	One & 29/32	Gallons.
Cotton Wick		Ounces.
Patent Cotton Wicks		Number.

Robert Cherry Gaoler

No. OF ABSTRACT
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VOUCHER No. 28 OF ABSTRACT

The DEPARTMENT of the *Watch House* *Geelong* Port Phillip,
DR. to ~~MESSRS. CRAIG & BROADFOOT~~ Contractors

For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Articles supplied to the *Watch House*
at Geelong, for the period, from the *1st November*
to the *31st December* 184*4*, as per accompanying Returns, viz:—

<i>1 1/2</i> <i>32</i> Gallons Fish Oil	<i>04/6</i>	£.	s.	d.
			<i>8</i>	<i>6</i> ^{<i>7</i>} / _{<i>16</i>}
			<i>8</i>	<i>6</i>

TOTAL.....£ " *8 6*

Signature of the Contractor

Stewart

I CERTIFY that the whole of the Daily Rations and Articles charged for in the above Account were duly supplied for the Period therein stated, by the above named Contractors; and that in respect both of Quality, Quantity, and description of Articles, the same were agreeable to the Terms of their Contract.

Edw. Adolphi

RECEIVED on the *11th January* 184*5*, from WILLIAM LONSDALE, Esquire,
Sub-Treasurer, the sum of *Eight shillings and nine pence*
in full payment of the above Account, for which we have signed Duplicate

Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Witness to the payment,

Stewart

I certify that the quantity of Fuel and Light estimated for in this Return has been appropriated for the use required and that no more Fire or Lights have been kept up than were actually necessary for the Establishment under the Existing regulations, during the period therein stated

John Pichy
Watchhouse Keeper

Due from Mr Skene Craig Contractor at Port Phillip the undermentioned articles, or value for the delivery viz

1 ²⁹/₃₂ Tub Oil — One ²⁹/₃₂ Gallons

John Pichy
Watchhouse Keeper

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VOUCHER, No 29 OF ABSTRACT C.

THE DEPARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE at Geelong Port Phillip

Dr. to Skene Craig

		£	s.	d.
For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions, and Forage, and of Articles, supplied to the above Corps, for the period, from 1 st to 31 st November 1844, inclusively, as per annexed Return, viz:—				
91	Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Men of the Mounted Police, at 8 ^d per Ration	3	8	✓
	Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Wives of Non-Commissioned Officers and of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, at per Ration			
	Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, above 7 years of age, at per Ration			
	Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, under 7 years of age, at per Ration			
15 ¹ / ₂ 03	Candles, at 6 per pound		4	✓
273	Pounds of Firewood, at 4 per hundred pounds		10	✓
61	Rations of Forage, at 2 ^d per Ration	6		
		£	9	3
			10	
TOTAL.....		£	9	3
			10	

Signature of Contractor

Skene Craig

I certify, that the whole of the daily Rations and Articles charged for in the above account, were duly supplied for the period therein stated, by the above-named Contractor; and that in respect both of quality, quantity, and description of Articles, the same were agreeable to the terms of his Contract.

J. B. Adolais J.P.C. & Co.

RECEIVED on the 11th January 1845, from William Sandall Esq. the sum of Five pounds, four shillings, and ten pence in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Receipts in Duplicate of the same Tenor and Date, pursuant to Warrant of Government, No. dated

WITNESS TO PAYMENT,

Skene Craig

A RETURN of the MOUNTED POLICE, Stationed at
Daily Rations actually issued, for the period, from

Geelong
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, New South Wales, entitled to Rations; and of the total number of full
to *30th November* 184*4*, inclusively.

DATE.		Field Officer.	Commissioned Officer.	Sergeant Major.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates.	Servants not Soldiers.	Total of Men.	Wives of the Soldiers of the Mounted Police.	Children of ditto, above 7 years of age.	Children of ditto, under 7 years of age.
MONTH.	DAY.									
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	30				3		3			
	31				3		3			
Totals of Numbers and Days.										
Number of full daily Rations actually issued.					91		91			

Remarks Explanatory of Casualties and the Variations in the Numbers.

ALLOWANCES.

The Daily Rations of Provisions authorised to be issued to the Men of the Mounted Police, is composed of the following Articles, viz:—

24 ounces of Flour
16 " Beef
1 " " Salt
1 " " Tea
2 1/2 " " Sugar
1/2 " " Tobacco
1/2 " " Soap.

That authorised to be issued to the Wives of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, is composed of the following Articles, viz:—

8 ounces of Bread
8 " " Meat.

That authorised to be issued to Children of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, is composed of the following Articles, viz:—

CHILDREN ABOVE 7 YEARS OF AGE.

5 1/2 ounces of Bread
5 1/2 " " Meat.

CHILDREN UNDER 7 YEARS OF AGE.

4 ounces of Bread
4 " " Meat.

One Man and One Horse from Melbourne

The Daily Ration of Forage for Horses and Oxen, is composed of the following Articles, viz:—

8 lbs Maize or Barley, or 10 lbs of Oats
4 lbs Bran
12 lbs of Oat or Cultivated Grass Hay, and
4 lbs Wheat Straw, for each Horse Daily, and half that quantity for each Bullock.

In case the entire Ration of Forage be not required or delivered, the Maize, Barley or Oats to be reckoned 4-12, Hay 5-12, Bran 2-12, and straw 1-12, of the full Ration.

The following are the authorised allowances of Fuel and Light, viz:—

	Summer.		Winter.	
	Coals, lbs.	Candles, oz.	Coals, lbs.	Candles, oz.
Field Officer	40	4	80	8
Commissioned Officers	20	2	40	4
Sergeant Major	20	2	40	4
Non-Commissioned Officers, Privates, } Servants not Soldiers, each	3	1-6th	3	1-3rd

When Wood is issued in lieu of Coal, it is to be in the proportion of three pounds of Wood for one pound of Coals.
The Winter months are June, July, August, and September.

I Certify, that the above is correct in every particular.

A. Holmes G. C. C. C. Commanding Officer.

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Received from *M^r. Stone Craig*
Contractor, at *Port Phillip*, being for Rations and Allowances, as per the
Return, viz:—

<i>Twenty one</i>	Full Rations of Provisions to Men	<i>91</i>
 Ditto..... to Women .	
 Ditto.. to Children above 7	
 Ditto.. to Children under 7	
<i>One</i>	Pounds of Candles.....	<i>1</i>
<i>Two hundred and seventy three</i>	Pounds of Wood.....	<i>273</i>
<i>Sixty one</i>	Full Rations of Forage.....	<i>61</i>

William Brack
Corporal. Port Phillip

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VOUCHER, No. *30* OF ABSTRACT C. *C*

THE DEPARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE at *Seelong Port Phillip*
Dr. to *Stone Craig*

For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Forage, and of Articles, supplied to the above Corps, for the period,		£	s.	d.
from <i>1st</i>	to <i>31st December 1844</i> , inclusively, as per annexed Return, viz:—			
<i>93</i>	Rations of Provisions, No., issued to Men of the Mounted Police, @ <i>8^d</i> per Ration.....	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>	
	Rations of Provisions, No., issued to Wives of Non-Commissioned Officers and of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, @ per Ration			
	Rations of Provisions, No., issued to Children of ditto, above 7 year of age, @ per Ration			
	Rations of Provisions, No., issued to Children of ditto, under 7 years of age, @ per Ration			
<i>75-00</i> <i>15/18</i>	Candles, @ <i>8</i> per pound.. . . .			<i>4</i>
<i>837</i>	Pounds of Firewood, @ <i>11</i> per hundred pounds....		<i>2</i>	<i>9</i>
<i>62</i>	Ration of Forage, @ <i>2/</i> per Ration.. . . .	<i>6</i>	<i>11</i>	
TOTAL.....		£	<i>9</i>	<i>9</i>

Signature of Contractor *Stone Craig*

I certify, that the whole of the daily Rations and Articles charged for in the above account, were duly supplied for the period therein stated, by the above-named Contractor and that in respect both of quality, quantity, and description of Articles, the same were agreeable to the terms of his Contract.

E. B. Addis E.C.L.

RECEIVED on the *11 February* 1845 from *William Casdall Esq*
Sub-Masquer the sum of *Nine* pounds,
Nine shillings, *and one* pence, in full payment
of the above Account, for which I have signed Receipts in Duplicate of the same Tenor and Date, pursuant to
Warrant of Government, No. dated

WITNESS TO PAYMENT,
Stone Craig

A RETURN of the MOUNTED POLICE, Stationed at *Le...*
of full Daily Rations actually issued, for the period, from *1st*

New South Wales, entitled to Rations; and of the total number
to the *31st December* 184*4*, inclusively.

DATE.		Field Officer.	Commissioned Officers.	Sergeant Major.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates.	Servants not Soldiers.	Total of Men.	Wives of the Soldiers of the Mounted Police.	Children of ditto, above 7 years of age.	Children of ditto, under 7 years of age.
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Totals of Numbers and Days.										
Number of full daily Rations actually issued.										

Explanatory of Casualties and the Variations in the Numbers.

ALLOWANCES.

The Daily Ration of Provisions authorised to be issued to the Men of the Mounted Police, is composed of the following Articles, viz:—

24 ounces of Flour
16 " Beef
1/2 " Salt
1/2 " Tea
2 1/2 " Sugar
1/2 " Tobacco
1/2 " Soap.

That authorised to be issued to the Wives of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, is composed of the following Articles, viz:—

8 ounces of Bread
8 " Meat

That authorised to be issued to Children of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, is composed of the following Articles, viz:—

CHILDREN ABOVE 7 YEARS OF AGE.

5 1/2 ounces of Bread
5 1/2 " Meat

CHILDREN UNDER 7 YEARS OF AGE.

4 ounces of Bread
4 " Meat

The Daily Ration of Forage for Horses and Oxen, as composed of the following Articles, viz:—

8 lbs Maize or Barley, or 10 lbs of Oats
4 lbs Bran
12 lbs of Oats or Cultivated Grass Hay, and
4 lbs Wheat Straw, for each Horse Daily, and half that quantity for each Bullock.

In case the entire Ration of Forage be not required or delivered, the Maize, Barley or Oats to be reckoned 4-12, Hay 3-12, Bran 2-12, and Straw 1-12, of the full Ration.

The following are the authorised allowances of Fuel and Light, viz:—

	Summer.		Winter.	
	Coals lbs.	Candles oz.	Coals lbs.	Candles oz.
Field Officer	40	4	80	8
Commissioned Officers	20	2	40	4
Sergeant Major	20	2	40	4
Non-Commissioned Officers, Privates, } Servants not Soldiers, each . . . }	3	1/2	3	1/2

When Wood is issued in Lieu of Coal, it is to be in the proportion of three pounds of Wood for one pound of Coals.

The Winter months are June, July, August, and September.

I Certify, that the above is true in every particular.
E. A. Bolles Commanding Officer.

A RETURN of the MOUNTED POLICE, Stationed at [illegible] New South Wales, entitled to Rations; and of the total number of full Daily Rations actually issued, for the period, from the first [illegible] to the thirty-first December 1844, inclusively.

DATE.		Field Officer.	Commissioned Officers.	Sergeant Major.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates.	Servants not Soldiers.	Total of Men.	Wives of the Soldiers of the Mounted Police.	Children of ditto, above 7 years of age.	Children of ditto, under 7 years of age.	Remarks Explanatory of Casualties and the Variations in the Numbers.
MONTH.	DAY.										
Dec	1				3					2	
"	2				3					2	
"	3				3					2	
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"	6				3					2	
"	7				3					2	
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"	25				3					2	
"	26				3					2	
"	27				3					2	
"	28				3					2	
"	29				3					2	
"	30				3					2	
"	31				3					2	
Totals of Numbers and Days.					93					62	
Number of full daily Rations actually issued.					93					62	

I Certify, that the above is correct in every particular.

[Signature]
[Name]

Commanding Officer.

ALLOWANCES.
 The Daily Ration of Provisions authorised to be issued to the Men of the Mounted Police, is composed of the following Articles, viz:—

- 24 ounces of Flour
- 16 " Beef
- 1/2 " Salt
- 1/2 " Tea
- 2 1/2 " Sugar
- 1/2 " Tobacco
- 1/2 " Soap.

That authorised to be issued to the Wives of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, is composed of the following Articles, viz:—

- 8 ounces of Bread
- 8 " Meat

That authorised to be issued to Children of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, is composed of the following Articles, viz:—

CHILDREN ABOVE 7 YEARS OF AGE.

- 5 1/2 ounces of Bread
- 5 1/2 " Meat

CHILDREN UNDER 7 YEARS OF AGE.

- 4 ounces of Bread
- 4 " Meat

The Daily Ration of Forage for Horses and Oxen, as composed of the following Articles, viz:—

- 8 lbs Maize or Barley, or 10 lbs of Oats
- 4 lbs Bran
- 12 lbs of Oats or Cultivated Grass Hay, and
- 4 lbs Wheat Straw, for each Horse Daily, and half that quantity for each Bullock.

In case the entire Ration of Forage be not required or delivered, the Maize, Barley or Oats to be reckoned 4-12, Hay 5-12, Bran 2-12, and Straw 1-12, of the full Ration.

The following are the authorised allowances of Fuel and Light, viz:—

	Summer.		Winter.	
	Coals lbs.	Candles oz.	Coals lbs.	Candles oz.
Field Officer	40	4	80	8
Commissioned Officers	20	2	40	4
Sergeant Major	20	2	40	4
Non-Commissioned Officers, Privates, } Servants not Soldiers, each .. . }	3	1/2	3	1/2

When Wood is issued in Lieu of Coal, it is to be in the proportion of three pounds of Wood for one pound of Coals.

The Winter months are June, July, August, and September.

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Received from *William Tulloch*
Contractor, at *Portland*, being for Rations and Allowances, as per the Warrant
Return, viz:—

	In Figures
Full Rations of Provisions to Men.....	98
..... Ditto to Women	31
..... Ditto to Children above 7	1
..... Ditto to Children under 7	22
Pounds of Candles	1
Pounds of Wood	1
Full Rations of Forage	98

A. Graham
Carpenter & Joiner

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to WARRANT 184 }
VOUCHER No. 32 of ABSTRACT C
A. 19.

The DEPARTMENT of the Emigration at Geelong Port Phillip
Dr. to *Skene Craig*

For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Articles supplied to the Emigrants at Geelong, for the period, from the 1 to the 31 November, 1844, as per the accompanying Returns, viz:—	£	s.	d.
76 Rations to Male Adults	2	10	8
180 Rations to Female Adults &c	4	10	0
225 Rations to Children under 10 years of age	3	15	0
TOTAL.....	£ 10	15	8

W. Tulloch

Signature of the Contractor *Skene Craig*
I CERTIFY that the whole of the Daily Rations and Articles charged for in the above Account were duly supplied for the period therein stated, by the above-named Contractor; and that in respect both of Quality, Quantity, and Description of Articles, the same were agreeable to the terms of his Contract.

RECEIVED on the 21st of January 1845, from *William Lindsay Esq*
Sub-Treasurer the Sum of *Twenty five Shillings and eight pence*
in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Duplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Witness to the payment,

Skene Craig

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MONTHLY RETURN of Emigrants entitled to and supplied with Rations after their arrival
 from Messrs. Craig and Broadfoot, Contractors, at Port Phillip from the 1st to the
 31st November 1844, inclusively.

DATE.	MALE ADULTS.	FEMALE ADULTS.	CHILDREN UNDER TEN YEARS OF AGE.	REMARKS.
1	4	7	9	
2	4	7	9	
3	4	7	9	
4	4	7	9	
5	4	7	9	
6	4	7	9	
7	4	7	9	
8	4	7	9	
9	2	7	9	
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12	2	7	9	
13	2	7	9	
14	2	7	9	
15	2	7	9	
16	2	5	6	
17	2	5	6	
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19	2	5	6	
20	2	5	6	
21	2	5	6	
22	2	5	6	
23	2	5	6	
24	2	5	6	
25	2	5	6	
26	2	5	6	
27	2	5	6	
28	2	5	6	
29	2	5	6	
30	2	5	6	
31				
	76	180	225	

I certify that I have carefully examined and checked the numbers specified in the foregoing return,
 and find the same to be correct, and that every Emigrant was supplied with Rations for the days therein
 stated.

[Signature]

E. B. Adolphi JP

Received from the Contractor at *Geelong Port Phillip*, the undermentioned articles being for Rations issued for the use of Emigrants from 1st

30th November 184*4*, viz.—

<p>76 180 225</p>	<p><i>Seventy six</i> <i>One Hundred & eighty</i> <i>Two Hundred & twenty five</i></p>	<p>Rations of Provisions to Male Adults. Ditto ditto to Female Adults. Ditto ditto to Children under 10 years of age</p>
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J. A. Hobbs

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to WARRANT 184 } A. 19. *C*
VOUCHER No. *33* of ABSTRACT

The DEPARTMENT of the *Emigration at Geelong Port Phillip*
Dr. to *Stone Craig*

For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Articles supplied to the Emigrants, for the period, from the <i>1st</i> to the <i>31st Dec. 1844</i> , as per the accompanying Returns, viz:—	£	s.	d.
<i>31 Rations to Male Adults @ 8</i>	1	"	8
<i>31 Rations to Female Adults @ 6</i>	"	"	15 6
TOTAL....	£	1	16 2

Signature of the Contractor *W. J. Row*
I CERTIFY that the whole of the Daily Rations and Articles charged for in the above Account were duly supplied for the period therein stated, by the above-named Contractor; and that in respect both of Quality, Quantity, and Description of Articles, the same were agreeable to the terms of Contract.

RECEIVED on the *24th January* 184*5*, from *William Stone Craig*
Act Treasurer the Sum of *One pound sixteen shillings and two pence*
in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Duplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Witness to the payment,
W. J. Row

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MONTHLY RETURN of Emigrants entitled to and supplied with Rations after their arrival from Messrs. Craig and Broadfoot, Contractors, at Port Phillip from the 1st to the 31st December 1841, inclusively.

DATE.	MALE ADULTS.	FEMALE ADULTS.	CHILDREN UNDER TEN YEARS OF AGE.	REMARKS.
1	/	/		
2	/	/		
3	/	/		
4	/	/		
5	/	/		
6	/	/		
7	/	/		
8	/	/		
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29	/	/		
30	/	/		
31	/	/		
	31	31		

I certify that I have carefully examined and checked the numbers specified in the foregoing return, and find the same to be correct, and that every Emigrant was supplied with Rations for the days therein stated.

1842.

x J. C. B. B. B. B. B.

Received from the Contractor at *Geelong* Port Phillip, the undermentioned articles being for Rations issued for the use of Emigrants from 1st

31st December 1844, viz.—

<i>31</i>	<i>Thirtyone</i>	Rations of Provisions to Male Adults.
<i>31</i>	<i>Thirtyone</i>	Ditto ditto to Female Adults.
		Ditto ditto to Children under 10 years of age.

E. B. Addis & Co.

S. GODDE, PRINTER, PATRIOT OFFICE, COLLINS-STREET.

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to Warrant No. 184 }

Voucher, No. *34* of Abstract *C*
A. 13, No. 1

THE DEPARTMENT OF *Immigration*

February 27th 1845

Dr. to *John Tunney*

For the undermentioned SERVICES performed for the Department, viz.—

DATE.		AMOUNT.		
		£	s.	d.
<i>1844</i> <i>April 16</i>	<i>For having performed the duties of Special Constable in the Immigrant Depot, & having daily saved out the Immigrants Rations from the 2nd of March to the 16th of April 1844 both days inclusive being a period of 45 days at the rate of one Shilling per diem</i>		<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>
<i>John Tunney</i>		TOTAL....£	<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>

I Certify that the Services charged in the above Account were satisfactorily performed, according to agreement, by the above-named individual. I further certify that they were necessarily required for the Public Service, and the Rates charged were the most reasonable for which they could be procured at the time they were stipulated for.
John Patterson.

RECEIVED on the *27* *Februs* 1845, from
the Sum of _____ Pounds,
Shillings, and _____ Pence Sterling, in full payment of the
above Account, for which _____ have signed Duplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date, pursuant to Warrant
of Government, No. _____ dated _____

WITNESS TO THE PAYMENT,

John Tunney
R. J. Howard, Government Printer.

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 to Warrant No. 184 . }

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THE DEPARTMENT OF *Public Works*

184 .

Dr. to *George Cavenagh*

For the undermentioned ARTICLES supplied for the Public Service; viz.—

DATE.	DESCRIPTION.	AMOUNT.		
		£	s.	d.
1844 October 1	To 20 Copies of lists of Unclaimed letters one whole sheet page foolscap		14	
Novbr 6	To 20 Copies of lists of Unclaimed letters one whole sheet page foolscap		14	
Decbr 6	To 250 Circular one half sheet page foolscap	7	6	
"	To 250 Circular one half sheet page foolscap	7	6	
"	To 20 Copies of lists of Unclaimed letters one whole sheet page foolscap		14	
30	To 20 Copies of lists of Unclaimed letters one whole sheet page foolscap		14	3 11 0
<u>Post Office Department</u>				
Octbr 26	To 50 Copies of Advertisements on Slip of paper one eight to page post		3	
28	To 250 Copies of Notices to special constables one half sheet foolscap		7	6
Decbr 6	To advertising "Public Notice" one Insertion	5	6	16 0
<u>Police Department</u>				
		<i>S. P. Ryan</i> TOTAL.....£ 47 0		

I Certify, that the Quantities of the above-mentioned Articles were duly supplied as stated by the above-named Individual, and that they were conformable to the samples stipulated for, and of good and sufficient quality. I further certify, that they were necessarily required for the Public Service, and that the Prices charged were the most reasonable for which the same could be procured at the time of Purchase.

James Watterbury Clerk of Works

RECEIVED on the *February* 1845, from *William Lonsdale Esq*
Hellbourne the Sum of *Four pounds seven shillings*

in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Duplicate Receipts of the same Tenor and Date, pursuant to Warrant of Government, No. *1844*

WITNESS TO THE PAYMENT,
James Watterbury

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 to Warrant No. 184 }
 THE DEPARTMENT OF *Post Office*
 Dr. to *George Cavenagh*
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For the undermentioned ARTICLES supplied for the Public Service; viz.—

DATE.	DESCRIPTION.	AMOUNT.		
		£	s.	d.
1844.				
Oct 1	To Additional paper supplied as fly leaves to printed forms required for the above Department 250 half sheets at the rate of 3/ per 100 whole sheets		3	9
Dec 30	To Additional paper supplied as fly leaves to printed forms required for the above Department 250 half sheets at		3	9
<i>Haing</i> TOTAL.....£			7	6

I Certify, that the Quantities of the above-mentioned Articles were duly supplied as stated by the above-named Individual, and that they were conformable to the samples stipulated for, and of good and sufficient quality. I further certify, that they were necessarily required for the Public Service, and that the Prices charged were the most reasonable for which the same could be procured at the time of Purchase.

Thomas Waterbury Clerk of Works

RECEIVED on the 1845, from *William Sinsdate Esq*
Mallow the Sum of *seven Shillings 14 pence*
 in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Duplicate Receipts of the same Tenor and Date, pursuant to Warrant of Government, No. dated
 WITNESS TO THE PAYMENT, *[Signature]*

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to Warrant No. 184

VOUCHER, No. 31 of ABSTRACT

A 13. No. 2

THE DEPARTMENT OF Insolvent Court

184

DR. to George Cavenagh

For the undermentioned SERVICES performed for the Department, viz.—

DATE.	Description	Times	Price	AMOUNT.		
				£	s.	d.
1847 October 1	To Advertising in the Insolvent State of Manswell	26	1 8		8	
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" 11	" " " " " " " " " " " "	15	1 3		5	3
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"	" " " " " " " " " " " "	18	1 6		6	
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" 8	" " " " " " " " " " " "	18	1 6		6	
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" 21	" " " " " " " " " " " "	15	1 3		5	3
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Novbr 8	" " " " " " " " " " " "	11	1 3		11	3
" 12	" " " " " " " " " " " "	11	1 3		11	3
" 11	" " " " " " " " " " " "	11	1 3		11	3
" 24	" " " " " " " " " " " "	27	1 3		8	3
Decbr 3	" " " " " " " " " " " "	27	1 3		8	3
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AMOUNT CARRIED OVER.....				7	15	0

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Witness to the payment,