

1857 Day Book

July 1. Foot drill @ 11 A.M.,
grubbing trees in afternoon

2 Foot drill @ 11 A.M.,
and grubbing stumps

3 Command returned
Foot drill @ 11 A.M.

4 - Grubbing trees

5 - Washing clothes &c,
Command left for Melbourne

6 Sunday

7. Sgt Major and Corporal Macaulay
left for Melbourne

8 Grubbing trees

9. Command returned. Sgt Major and
Corporal Macaulay

10 Grubbing trees, Trooper Wilding and
Jannie left for Gipps Land

11 Finished grubbing

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July

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Washing clothes &c

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Sunday, Commd left for Melbourne. Troops & Cauds as orderley

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Serjt Major left for Melbourne Troops Cosgrave and Joe left for Melbourne

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All the available force attending as Guard of Honor to His Excellency The Governor at Dinner and Ball

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Serjt Major returned Troops Backus arrived from the Goulburn

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Commd returned

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Commd left for Melbourne Mr Lydeard arrived from Pentridge and returned with Commd Troops Joe arrived with despatches for Gipps Land

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Troops Jack left for Gipps Land with despatches. Corporal McAuley and Troops Backus left for the Goulburn to call at Pentridge and take Troops Commy to relieve Troops Lee who is sick

Troopers Paddy and Murray left for
Pentridge. to replace Troopers Bushby
and Sam, deserted.

Trooper Joe returns to Melbourne
Trooper Hudson of the stunts department
dismissed from drill to his duty, and left
for Melbourne, being the last of the party.

July 15/51

All available price at
as found of horses to
H.E. the Governor at
Levee & Ball

on this for La Trobe was
app'd sent from the

Sunday

Murray left for Melbourne

Major and Sailor in search
of Horse Bang, did not find

Murray returned

24 Lieutenant and Sergeant Major left
for the Gold mine at the Pyrenees

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Pentridge. to replace Troopers Bushby
and Sam, deserted.

Trooper Joe returned to Melbourne,
Trooper Hudson of the stunts department
dismissed from drill to his duty, and left
for Melbourne, being the last of the party.

20th Sunday

21 Command^t left for Melbourne

22 Sgt Major and Sailor in search
of Trooper House Bang, did not find
him

23 Command^t returned

24 Command^t and Sgt Major left
for the Gold mine at the Pyrenees

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Day Book

July 1851

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Day Book.

August 1857

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10 ~~X~~ Sergeant Mayo returned from the Pyrenees, left Troop & Co. stationed at the Gold Mines.

11 Command^t returned from the Pyrenees

12 Making out the monthly returns and accounts -

First notice
of Gold Mines

Aug 10 / 57

Left Troop & Co.
Stationed at Pyrenees,
Gold Mines.

Lucas

Day Book

August 1851

- 13 Putting up Trellis work in
Command's Garden
- 14 Command left for Melbourne
- 15 Cutting up ~~wood~~ firewood
- 16 Washing clothes &c
Command arrived from
Melbourne
- 17 Sunday, Mr Lydiana from
Stockade
- 18 Command left for Melbourne
Mr Lydiana for Melbourne
- 19 Hot day - no work done
- 20 Filling up holes in Cattin
paddock
Command returned

Day Book

Aug^t

21 Not day, no work. Now
Carpenter Hannan arrived from the Goulbourn

22 Drawing Wood & Water

23 Command left for Melbourne

24 Sunday

25 Carpenter Hannan and Grocer Samie
left for the Goulbourn

26 Drawing Wood and Water.
Mr & Surveyor Look's dray arrived
with an order from Contractor for
200 lbs flour.

27 Working in Gardens -

28 ~~Command returned~~ Drawing fence road

29 Command returned

30 Making out the Monthly Returns &

31, Sunday, Command left for Melbourne

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~~August~~
September

1st Sergeant Major left for Melbourne, with the Mount
returns,

2nd, Sergeant Major returned

3rd Command returned

" Trooper Marambool and black
" returned to join the corps, having
" absconded, when detached @
Melbourne, and Pentridge,

4th Digging gardens

5th Drawing wood and water

6th Planting Potatoes

Summons granted to Mr. Bille
against John Armstrong and
servant

7th Summons served by Sgt. Major

September Day Book

8 Command^t left for Melbourne

9 Wet day, no work done
Mr Hostler and Governor's Groom
arrived to take away cattle
Trooper Darling in Melbourne with horse for Mr Bell

10th In search for cattle, found
ten head

11 Carting gravel to Command^t's garden,
Trooper Darling returned, Trooper Billy
arrived from Melbourne

12 Blewing out stables.
Commandant returned

13 Drawing wood & water

14 Sunday. Command^t left for ~~Burnaby~~
Burnaby. Trooper Billy attending
as far as Melbourne, P. Bourke
got permission to proceed to Melbourne

15 Drawing wood and water

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September

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16 Sergt Major left for Melbourne Sept

17 Sergt Major returned
R Bowler returned

18 Cleaning garden walks

19 Cleaning Parade ground

20 Found a Government Horse supposed
to belong to Mr. Sturges department

21 Sunday, Troops Macarthur
left for Melbourne to be stationed
@ The Paddock

22 Putting up a fence on Parade ground
Horse cart left for Melbourne

23 Cleaning Parade ground

September

24 Trooper Lee died at the South Yarra
Pound on his way from Melbourne to
the Station.

25 Cart returned

26 Clearing parade ground

27 Washing clothes &c

28 Sunday

29 Clearing parade ground

30th Drawing Wood and Water
~~at~~

Day Book

October 1851

- 1 Making out the September accts.
- 2 at Trooper despatched to town with letters for Commandant
- 3 Trooper Robinson arrived on Station
- 4 Trooper Robinson left for Melbourne
- 5 Sunday
- 6 Drafting cattle from the paddock
- 7 Drawing Wood and water
- 8 Sergt Major in Melbourne about oats for cultivation paddock
- 9 Sergt Major returned
Trooper Isaac arrived on Station
and got a pair trousers made
- 10 Isaac left for Melbourne

Day Book

October

Command returned

11

Richard Bowke Bullocke dismissed
his resignation and was
accepted,

Oct 51

Several of the white
Indians resign, presumably
having caught the cold
disease

Sunday — Command and
Sergt Major left for Melbourne
William left in charge of Station

William & son Sailor, and Richard
Bullocke dismissed, resigned, and
the Station, Horse Cart left
for Melbourne

14 Command and Sergt Major returned

15 Sergeant Gibson, Troopers Williams
Heister, Lee, Barkus, Mistry and
Brown arrived with the Horse Cart
from Pentridge Stockade

16 Troop Marabool arrived from
Melbourne with letters,

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October

Command returned

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tender his resignation and was
accepted,

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Sunday — Command and
Sgt Major left for Melbourne
Sullivan left in charge of Station

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William Tona Sailor, and Richard
Bowke Bullocke resign, and
left the Station, Horse Cart left
for Melbourne,

14 Command and Sgt Major returned

15

Sergeant Gibson, Troopers Williams
Reister, Lee, Backus, Mickey and
Brown arrived with the Horse Cart
from Puttrage Stockade

16

Trooper Marabool arrived from
Melbourne with letters,

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Sergeant Gibson in Melbourne
to order rations and forage for
Mount Alexandra, Trooper in Melbourne
with Carl Horse (Trooper) to go
to Mount Alexandra in Mr Forster's
cart, Corporal McAuley arrived
from the Goulbourn. Trooper
Robinson from Melbourne.
"The Gipps Land party arrived."

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Inspection of Horses and accoutrements

19

Prayer @ 11 AM,
Commandant and Mr Winter left
for Melbourne

20th

Commandant returned,
Sgt Gibson, Trooper Williams
Loe and Lack left for Mount
Alexandra got to diggins -

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Commandant left for Mount Alexandra
got to diggins -
Sgt Bryan left for Melbourne
on leave

October

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22

Drawing Wood & Water

Part to
Mt. Alexander
Oct 17/57

Serjt O'Brien returned from Melbourne

Trooper Dease left for Melbourne
on leave

Corporal Hannan with Troopers
Gaston, Tommy, Tony and Annie
arrived from the Melbourne

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Sunday

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Serjt Major & Serjt O'Brien out after
May Horses, got one of Mr. Murt's
in the South Yarra pound, and one
Native police Horse (Bang) on Robinsons
run

28

Drawing Wood and Water

~~Having loaded arms &c~~

29

Sergeant O'Brien, Corporal Hannan,
Troopers Robinson, Billy & Munro
left for Mount Alexander. Serjt Major
in Melbourne to equip the above party

october

Day Book

22 Drawing wood & water

23 Sergt O'Bryan returned from Melbourne

24 Troops leave left for Melbourne
on leave

25 Corporal Hannan with Troopers
Gaptou, Tommy, Vorey and Annie
arrived from the Goulbourn

26 Sunday

27 Sergt Major & Sergt O'Bryan out after
May Horses, got one of Mr. Sturt's
in the South Yarra pound, and one
Native police Horse (Bang) on Robinsons
run

28 Drawing wood and water

~~29 Leaving Adelaide~~

29 Sergeant O'Bryan, Corporal Hannan,
Troopers Robbison, Billy & Munito
left for Mount Alexander. Sergt Major
in Melbourne to equip the above party

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October

Day Book

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Lieutenant Major returned
Horse cart in Melbourne

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31

Corporal McAuley, Troopers
Sean, Jack and Peter left for
Mount Abranda gold diggings
Mr Wint and Trooper Garton
examining the ranges for parties
in search of gold

See Nov 8th + 10th
20. 21. 27

Roos

Further
fields

November

Day Book

- 1 Mr Winter and Garton returned
Horse Cart returned bringing 4 bags
Potatoes

Further repairs to gold
fields Oct 31/57

Sunday

Drawing Wood and Water

Mr Winter and Trooper Garton
out on the ranges,

- 5 Trooper Mackey arrived from Melbourne
with a despatch from the Commandr.

- 6 Trooper Mackey returned to Melbourne

- 7 Trooper Keaster left for Mount Alexander

- 8 Washing clothes

Corporal Hannam arrived from Mount
Alexander, bringing Commandr's Gig.

- 9 Sunday

16/10

November

Day Book

1 Mr Winters and Garton returned
Horse Cart returned bringing 4 bags
Potatoes

2 Sunday

3 Drawing Wood and Water

4 Mr Winters and Trooper Garton
out on the ranges,

5 Trooper Mickey arrived from Melbourne
with a despatch from the Command,

6 Trooper Mickey returned to Melbourne

7 Trooper Keaster left for Mount Alexander

8 Washing clothes

Corporal Hannam arrived from Mount
Alexander, bringing Command^{rs} G. J.

9 Sunday

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1857
November

Day Book

- X 10th Sergeant Major left for Melbourne
to receive orders from Mr. Porter.
Corporal Hannam left for
Mount Alexander.
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- 14 Sgt. Major returned
- 15 Wet day, no work done
- 16 Sunday
- 17 Drummer Brown in Melbourne
with the Bishops, House,
House cart in Melbourne for cattle
- 18 Repairing paddock fences
- 19 House cart returns bringing 500 lbs
of provisions

Day Book

November

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20th

Sergeant Gibson, and Trooper Jack
arrived from Mount Alexander

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Commandant and Trooper Peter
arrived from Mount Alexander

When resigned, saw
at the station, Nov 27

Washing clothes &c

Sunday

Commandant, and Sgt Major
left for Melbourne

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Sgt Major returned

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Commandant returned

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27

Sgt Gibson, Trooper Jack
and Peter left for Mount Alexander

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28

Commandant and Drummer Brown left
for Mount Alexander

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Washing clothes &c

30th

Sgt Major McLeod resigned,
and left the station in charge
to D. C. Sullivan.

Day Book

November

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20th

Sergeant Gibson, and Trooper Jack arrived from Mount Alexander

X

21

Command and Trooper Peter arrived from Mount Alexander

22

Washing clothes &c

23

Sunday

24

Command and Sgt Major left for Melbourne

25

Sgt Major returned

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Command returned

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Sgt Gibson, Trooper Jack and Peter left for Mount Alexander

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Command and Drummer Brown left for Mount Alexander

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Washing clothes &c

30th

Sgt Major McAland resigned, and left the Station in charge to W. C. Sullivan.

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