

No. of Abstract Warrant No. of 184 Voucher No. of Abstract

PORT PHILLIP.

WE, the undersigned, do hereby acknowledge to have received from *Henry D. Kemp chief* Postmaster at *Melbourne*, the Sums specified below, opposite to our several Names, for Mails and Loose Letters brought by us from Countries beyond the Seas, and delivered at the Post Office, between the 1st of *April* June and the *30th* of June 1848; as authorised under 19th clause of the Act of the Governor and Council, 5 William IV, No. 24, and by Letter from the Honorable the Colonial Secretary to His Honor the Superintendent, dated 3rd August, 1844.

Date of Payment.	SHIP'S NAME.	WHENCE ARRIVED.	No. of Letters at Id. each.	AMOUNT.			MASTER'S SIGNATURE.	WITNESS TO THE PAYMENT.
				£	s.	d.		
1848 June 2	<i>Ellen & Elizabeth</i>	<i>Circular Head V.D.L.</i>	4	2	4		<i>Joseph Theobald</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
" 7	<i>Swan</i>	<i>Launceston</i>	131	10	11		<i>N. Wood</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
" 8	<i>Arbona</i>	<i>Adelaide</i>	34	2	10		<i>James Baird</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
" 12	<i>Sister</i>	<i>Adelaide</i>	23	1	11		<i>J. Gifford</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
" 14	<i>June</i>	<i>Adelaide</i>	109	9	1		<i>E. T. Prince</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
" "	<i>Alice</i>	<i>Circular Head</i>	5	5			<i>W. Mole</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
" 16	<i>Margaret</i>	<i>Hobart Town</i>	12	1			<i>John Rose</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
" 19	<i>Shamrock</i>	<i>Launceston</i>	180	15			<i>John White</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
" 23	<i>Adelaide</i>	<i>Plymouth</i>	191	15	11		<i>Stephen Barton</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
" 26	<i>Lilias</i>	<i>Hobart Town</i>	31	2	7		<i>John Carr</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
" "	<i>Anna Maria</i>	<i>do</i>	87	7	3		<i>Edo McMill</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
" "	<i>Petrel</i>	<i>Launceston</i>	86	7	2		<i>William Caird</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
" "	<i>Raven</i>	<i>do</i>	138	11	6		<i>William Bell</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
" 27	<i>Flying Fish</i>	<i>Hobart Town</i>	102	8	6		<i>John Smith</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
" 28	<i>Swan</i>	<i>Launceston</i>	116	9	8		<i>N. Wood</i>	<i>A. Wilson</i>
				TOTAL.....£				
				1249			5. 4. 1. 1/2	

H. D. Kemp

NOTE.—Each separate Amount must have the Signature of a Master and a Witness.

I Certify, that I have actually paid the several Sums charged in the above Abstract, that the same is correct in every particular, and in accordance with the clause of the Act above-mentioned.

Henry D. Kemp
chief POSTMASTER.

PORT PHILLIP.

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

ABSTRACT of Sums paid by *Henry Kemp Esq.* Chief Postmaster at Melbourne as an allowance for taking charge of Letters despatched by Ships to Foreign Ports, from the 1st June to the 30th June 1848; inclusive; as authorised under the 21st clause of the Act of the Governor and Legislative Council, 5 William IV., No. 24.

Date.	To whom Paid.	Name of Vessel.	Address of Mails.	No. of Voucher.	No. of Letters.	Amounts.		
						£	s.	d.
1848	FOREIGN	MAILS.						
June 1	John Clinch	Myers Fish	Hobart Town	1	12	1		
" 2	John Clinch	do	do	2	3		3	
" 3	R. Davison	Posthumous	London	3	1059	4	6	7
" 3	William Bell	Raven	Lancaster	4	264	1	2	
" 5	John James (mate)	Posthumous	London	5	635	2	12	11
"	John Smith	Circassian	Hobart Town	6	51		4	3
" 6	John James (mate)	Posthumous	London	7	335	1	9	7
" 7	John Collins	John Bull	Hobart Town	8	5			5
"	John James (mate)	Posthumous	London	9	93		7	9
" 8	J. Thomson (mate)	William Howard	Batavia	10	1			1
"	J. Thomson (mate)	do	London via Batavia	11	2			2
" 9	J. Hardu (mate)	Sharnrock	Lancaster	12	155		12	11
" 10	J. Hardu (mate)	do	do	13	57		4	9
"	W. Jameson	William Howard	Batavia	14	1			1
"	W. Jameson	do	London via Batavia	15	17		1	5
"	W. Ceder (mate)	John Bull	Hobart Town	16	1			1
" 12	J. Thomson (mate)	W. Howard	London via Batavia	17	4			4
" 13	A. Wood	Swan	Lancaster	18	86		7	2
" 14	J. Thomson (mate)	William Howard	Batavia	19	2			2
"	J. Thomson (mate)	do	London via Batavia	20	2			2
" 15	James Miller (mate)	Enterprise	Hobart Town	21	8			8
"	J. Croston	Wanderer	Lancaster	22	35		2	11
" 16	J. Croston	do	do	23	14		1	2
"	Geo. Sedge	Duster	Hobart Town	24	3			3
" 17	J. Croston	Wanderer	Lancaster	25	2			2
"	M. M. Small	Matilda	Hobart Town	26	3			3
"	M. M. Small	do	do	27	18		1	6
" 20	Thos. Barnes (mate)	Alice	Circulamband	28	1			1
" 21	James Wisk (mate)	Margaret	Hobart Town	29	4			4
" 22	H. Burt	Clarence	Lancaster	30	110		9	2
" 30	W. Bell	Raven	Lancaster	31	242	1		2

NOTE.—Insert name of the party signing the receipt, whether Commander or Mate; and where Mails may be sent by way of any other Port, insert "via" such Port, in the address.

Amounting in all to *thirteen pounds eight shillings and nine pence* Sterling. *Henry Kemp* certify

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Received from HENRY D. KEMP, Esq., Postmaster for the District, the Sum of Sterling, in re-payment of Sums advanced by me, as per foregoing Account.

Witness to the Payment,

POSTMASTER.

I certify upon honor, that I have paid the several Sums charged in the foregoing Account on Letters despatched by Ships to Foreign Ports.

Henry D. Kemp
Postmaster.

Received from Henry D. Kemp, Esq., Postmaster for the District, the Sum of

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advanced by me, as per foregoing Account.

Postmaster.

Witness to the Payment.

I certify that I have carefully compared the Sums charged in the foregoing Abstract, with the several Vouchers therein referred to, and find the same to be correct, amounting to

Sub-Treasurer.

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PORT PHILLIP.

No. of Abstract Warrant, No. of 184 Voucher, No. of Abstract

WE, the undersigned, do hereby acknowledge to have received from *Henry Kemp* - Chief Postmaster at *Melbourne*, the Sums specified below, opposite to our several Names, for Mails and Loose Letters brought by us from Stations on the Coast of New South Wales and Port Phillip, and delivered at the Post Office, between the 1st of *April* and the *30th* of *June* 1848; as authorised under 4th Clause of the Act of the Governor and Council, 4th Victoria, No. 9.

Date of Payment.	Ship's Name.	Whence Arrived.	No. of Letters at 1d. each.	Amount.			Master's Signature.	Witness to the Payment.
				£	s.	d.		
	COAST MAILS.							
<i>1848</i> April 3	<i>Scotia</i>	<i>Alberton via 1st</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>J. P. Cyprian</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
" 4	<i>Elizabeth</i>	<i>Alberton</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>Wm. Taylor</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
" 6	<i>Thetis</i>	<i>Sydney</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>Wm. Collins</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
" 7	<i>Diana</i>	<i>Sydney</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>Henry Hall</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
May 1	<i>Christina</i>	<i>Sydney</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>Wm. Munnick</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
" "	<i>Sophia</i>	<i>Port Fairy</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>J. White</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
" "	<i>Raven</i>	<i>Alberton</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>William Bell</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
" "	<i>Phoebe</i>	<i>Sydney</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>George Burnett</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
" 2	<i>Madeline</i>	<i>Melbourne</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>Wm. Taylor</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
" 8	<i>Wanderer</i>	<i>Sydney</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>J. Cyprian</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
" 12	<i>Diana</i>	<i>Sydney</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>Henry Hall</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
" 27	<i>Elizabeth</i>	<i>Alberton</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>Wm. Taylor</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
" 30	<i>Phoebe</i>	<i>Sydney</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>George Burnett</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
June 1	<i>Christina</i>	<i>Sydney</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>Wm. Munnick</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
" 19	<i>Maar</i>	<i>Portland & Port Fairy</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>George Marcus</i>	<i>H. Wilson</i>
TOTAL.....				<i>270.</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>6.</i>	

Note.—Each separate Amount must have the Signature of a Master and a Witness.

I certify, that I have actually paid the several Sums charged in the above Abstract, that the same is correct in every particular, and in accordance with the clause of the Act above-mentioned.

Henry Kemp
Chief POSTMASTER.

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Post Office, Melbourne
1st June 1848.

Received from H. B. Kemp, Esq. Chief Postmaster for
the District of Port Phillip, the sum of 4
pounds being the amount of an overcharge
upon a letter received from George Plains

Wm. Shuster

Witness

for C. H. Dight
& Co. Smith

approved by the regisars council for
this Service for the Year 1848

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Post Office, Melbourne
13th June 1848.

Received of H. B. Kemp, Esq. Chief Postmaster for
the District of Port Phillip, the sum of 3
pence being the amount of an overcharge
upon a letter received from Carver, the
envelope of which could not be opened.

Wm. Shuster
Witness Nathl. Dimmock

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Voucher No. of Abstract

THE DEPARTMENT OF THE POST OFFICE

30th June 1848.

Dr. to Joseph Greening

For the undermentioned SERVICES performed for the Department, viz. :-

DATE.		AMOUNT.		
		£	s.	d.
1848. June 30	To Custody and repair of the Post Office Clock from 1st April to 30th June 1848, being one fourth part of £40 voted by the Legislative Council for this Service for the year 1848	8	10	0
<i>Joseph Greening</i>		TOTAL.....£	8	10

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.

Henry Kemp

RECEIVED on the 8th July 1848, from *H. Kemp* the Sum of Two Pounds, ten Shillings,

and Pence Sterling, in full payment of the above account, for which I have signed Triplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Witness to the payment,
Joseph Greening
S. Coode, Government Printer, Patriot Office, Melbourne.

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30th June 1848.

THE DEPARTMENT OF THE POST OFFICE,

Dr. to Alexander Uphill

DATE.		AMOUNT.	
1848 June 30	For having Conveyed the Post Office Mails, by Mail Cart from and to Mount Macedon and Melbourne, over a week from the 10th April to the 30th June 1848, inclusively, at the rate of 40 p. Annum, agreeably to the Contract, dated 10th December 1847	£ 22	10 "
	<i>A. Uphill</i>	Contractor.	

I CERTIFY, that Mr. Alexander Uphill has actually furnished Conveyance for the Post Office Mails, from and to the Places, and during the Period above-mentioned, in a satisfactory manner, and conformably with the Contract referred to.

Henry D Kemp - Chief Postmaster, Melbourne
A. Uphill - Postmaster, Mount Macedon

acknowledge to have received on the 11th July 1848, from *W. H. ...* Esquire, ~~Sub-Treasurer~~ the Sum of *Twenty two pounds ten Shillings* Sterling, in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Triplicate Receipts of the same Tenor and Date.

Witness to the Payment,
H. C. ...
A. Uphill Contractor.

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30th June 1848.

THE DEPARTMENT OF THE POST OFFICE,

Dr. to Edward B. Green

DATE.		AMOUNT.
1848 June 30	For having Conveyed the Post Office Mails, by <i>two horses</i> from and to <i>Mail carts from and to Melbourne</i> and Portland, by way of Ballan <i>Brimmingham</i> King Creek and the Swan, twice a week, and Mount Gambier, from and to the Swan, and Mount Gambier, by way of the Glenelg, twice a week. from the <i>1st April</i> to the <i>30th June</i> 1848. inclusively, at the rate of <i>£100 per annum</i> , agreeably to the Contract, dated <i>3rd December 1847</i>	£ 442. 10. 0
	<i>Edward B. Green</i>	Contractor.

WE CERTIFY, that Mr. Edward B. Green has actually furnished Conveyance for the Post Office Mails, from and to the Places, and during the Period above-mentioned, in a satisfactory manner, and conformably with the Contract referred to.

- Henry Kemp* — Chief Postmaster, Melbourne
- James Black* — Postmaster, The Grange
- Charles Smith* — Postmaster, Portland
- Henry Mackenzie* — Postmaster, The Glenelg

Henry Kemp, Esquire, Sub-Treasurer, acknowledge to have received on the *11th July* 1848, from *Edward B. Green* the Sum of *four hundred and forty two pounds ten shillings* Sterling, in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Triplicate Receipts of the same Tenor and Date.

Witness to the Payment,

H. P. Calder

Edward B. Green

Contractor.

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30th June 1848.

THE DEPARTMENT OF THE POST OFFICE,

Dr. to Francis Ormond

DATE.		AMOUNT.
1848 June 30.	For having Conveyed the Post Office Mails, by Gooshowe <i>Mail Cart, from and to Seelony and the Leigh, once a week</i>	
	from the <i>1st April</i> to the <i>30th June</i> 1848, inclusively, at the rate of <i>£85 per annum</i> , agreeably to the Contract, dated <i>22 December 1847</i> .	
		£ 21. 5. — ✓
	<i>Francis Ormond</i>	Contractor.

I CERTIFY, that Mr. *Francis Ormond*

has actually furnished Conveyance for the Post Office Mails, from and to the Places, and during the Period above-mentioned, in a satisfactory manner, and conformably with the Contract referred to.

W. Roope Postmaster, Seelony

Francis Ormond Postmaster, The Leigh

I acknowledge to have received on the *15th July* 1848, from ~~Warrant~~ *Henry* ~~Esquire~~, *Esquire*, the Sum of *Twenty one pounds five* ~~Shillings~~ *Shillings* Sterling, in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Triplicate Receipts of the same Tenor and Date.

Witness to the Payment,

P. Kelly

Francis Ormond

Contractor.

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30th June 1848.

THE DEPARTMENT OF THE POST OFFICE,

Dr. to *Frank Suardet*

DATE.		AMOUNT.
<i>1848</i> <i>June 30</i>	For having Conveyed the Post Office Mails, by <i>Mail Cart</i> from and to <i>The Melbourne Postoffice and</i> <i>the Shipping in Hobson's Bay, twice</i> <i>a day or oftener, as Messrs. have</i> <i>arrived with Mails</i> from the <i>1st April</i> to the <i>30th June</i> 1848. inclusively, at the rate of <i>£200 per annum</i> ; agreeably to the Contract, dated <i>8th December 1847</i> . <div style="text-align: right;">£ <i>50</i> " " ✓</div>	
<i>Frank Suardet</i> Contractor.		

I CERTIFY, that Mr. *Frank Suardet*

has actually furnished Conveyance for the Post Office Mails, from and to the Places, and during the Period above-mentioned, in a satisfactory manner, and conformably with the Contract referred to.

Henry D. Kemp
Chief Postmaster, Melbourne.

I acknowledge to have received on the *11th July* 1848, from *Henry D. Kemp* Esquire, ~~Sub-Treasurer~~, the Sum of *50 Pounds* Sterling, in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Triplicate Receipts of the same Tenor and Date.

Witness to the Payment,

H. C. Carden *Frank Suardet* Contractor.

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30th June 1848.

THE DEPARTMENT OF THE POST OFFICE,

Dr. to *Joseph Raleigh*

DATE.	AMOUNT.
<i>1848</i> <i>June 30</i>	<p>For having Conveyed the Post Office Mails, by <i>Steamer</i> from and to <i>Opprasid from and to Melbourne</i> <i>and Seaboy, Consisting of 5,381 Letters</i> <i>bearing Postage of various of Franks</i> <i>and Newspapers</i> from the <i>1st April</i> to the <i>30th June</i> 1848. inclusively, at the rate of <i>1 1/2 per Letter</i>; agreeably to the Contract, dated <i>14th Clause of the Act of the Governor</i> <i>and Council of Victoria No. 9</i> £ <i>22</i> <i>8</i> <i>8</i>.</p>
	<i>Joseph Raleigh</i> <i>Owner Contractor.</i>

I CERTIFY, that Mr. *Joseph Raleigh*

has actually furnished Conveyance for the Post Office Mails, from and to the Places, and during the Period above-mentioned, in a satisfactory manner, and conformably with the ~~Contract~~ ^{Act} referred to.

Henry Kemp
Chief Postmaster

I, *Henry Kemp* *Chief Postmaster*, acknowledge to have received on the *10th July* 1848, from *Wm. Kemp* *Esquire, Sec. Treasurer*, the Sum of *twenty-two pounds eight shillings and eight pence* Sterling, in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Triplicate Receipts of the same Tenor and Date.

Witness to the Payment,

A. Cadden *Joseph Raleigh* *Owner Contractor.*

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30th June 1848.

THE DEPARTMENT OF THE POST OFFICE,

Dr. to *George Ward Cole*

DATE.		AMOUNT.
1848 June 30	For having Conveyed the Post Office Mails, by <i>Steamer</i> from and to <i>Wesley</i> from and to <i>Melbourne</i> <i>and Geelong, consisting of 2400 letters</i> <i>bearing postage, by means of freights</i> <i>and newspapers</i> from the <i>1st April</i> to the <i>30th June</i> 1848, inclusively, at the rate of <i>1 per letter</i> ; agreeably to the Contract, dated <i>14th</i> Clause of the Act of the Governor and Council <i>14th</i> Victoria No. <i>9</i> . £ 10. 0. 0	
<i>George Ward Cole</i> Owner		

I CERTIFY, that Mr. *George Ward Cole* has actually furnished Conveyance for the Post Office Mails, from and to the Places, and during the Period above-mentioned, in a satisfactory manner, and conformably with the ~~Contract~~ referred to.

Henry Heyrick
Chief Postmaster

I acknowledge to have received on the *11th July* 1848, from ~~Ward~~ *Henry Heyrick*, Esquire, ~~Sub-Treasurer~~ *Chief Postmaster*, the Sum of *ten pounds and seven pence* Sterling, in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Triplicate Receipts of the same Tenor and Date.

Witness to the Payment,

H. C. Addison

George Ward Cole
Owner
Contractor.

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30th June 1848

THE DEPARTMENT OF THE POST OFFICE,

Dr. to Mrs. William Murdoch

DATE.		AMOUNT.
1848 June 30 th	For having Conveyed the Post Office Mails, by <i>Melmer</i> from and to <i>Mamus</i> from and to <i>Melbourn</i> and <i>Seelons</i> consisting of 2589 letters bearing postage, exclusive of <i>Frank's</i> and <i>Newspapers</i> from the 1 st April to the 30 th June 1848 inclusively, at the rate of 1/10 per letter agreeably to the Contract, dated 4 th Clause of the Act of the Governor and Council 4 th Victoria No. 9 — £	10. 15. 9.
<i>J. P. ...</i> <small>Contractor.</small>		

I CERTIFY, that Mr. *Mrs. William Murdoch* has actually furnished Conveyance for the Post Office Mails, from and to the Places, and during the Period above-mentioned, in a satisfactory manner, and conformably with the ~~Contract~~ ^{Act} referred to.

Henry Kemp
Chief Postmaster

Henry Kemp acknowledge to have received on the *10th July* 1848, from *William* Esquire, ~~Sub-Treasurer~~ ^{Postmaster}, the Sum of *ten pounds fifteen shillings and nine pence* Sterling, in full payment of the above Account, for which have signed Triplicate Receipts of the same Tenor and Date.

Witness to the Payment,
H. Cadden Contractor.

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Received from Henry Kemp Esq^r ^{dist} Postmaster for the District
the sum of one pound, seventeen shillings and three pence
Sterling, in repayment of sums advanced by me, as per
foregoing account

Witness to the Payment

H. C. Wills

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WE, the undersigned, do hereby acknowledge to have received from *William Roope* Postmaster at *Geelong* the Sums specified below, opposite to our several Names, for Mails and loose Letters brought us from Countries beyond Seas, and delivered at the Post Office, between the 1st of *January 1848* and the *30th* of *June* 1848; as authorised under 19th Clause of the Act of the Governor and Council, 5 William IV, No. 24.

Date of Payment.	Ship's Name.	Whence Arrived.	No. of Letters at id. each.	Amount.			Master's Signature.	Witness to the Payment.
				£	s.	d.		
June 20	"Hiver Chief"	Hobart Town	118	9	11		<i>P. Rawley</i>	<i>L. Wilson</i>
25	"David"	Hobart Town	17	1	5		<i>Robert Bowden</i>	<i>John Hurst</i>
Mar 7	"David"	Hobart Town	27	2	3		<i>Robert Bowden</i>	<i>John Hurst</i>
12	Lillias	Hobart Town	41	3	5		<i>Joshua Carr</i>	<i>James Boyle</i>
Apr 14	Rainbow	Hobart Town	113	9	5		<i>W. J. Paterson</i>	<i>Samuel Lawrence</i>
27	Lillias	Hobart Town	25	2	1		<i>Joshua Carr</i>	<i>Samuel Lawrence</i>
May 20	Agnes & Elizabeth	Hobart Town	55	4	8		<i>John Williams</i>	<i>Samuel Lawrence</i>
June 5	"David"	Hobart Town	50	4	2		<i>Robert Bowden</i>	<i>Charles Haynes</i>
TOTAL....			<i>447</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>3</i>		

I Certify, that I have actually paid the several Sums charged in the above Abstract, that the same is correct in every particular, and in accordance with the clause of the Act above-mentioned.

William Roope
Postmaster.

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PORT PHILLIP.

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 ABSTRACT of Sums paid by *William Roope*, Postmaster at *Guelong*
 as an allowance for taking charge of Letters despatched by Ships to Foreign Ports, from the *1st day of June*
 to the *30th day of June*, 184*8*, inclusive; as authorised under the 21st clause of the Act of the Governor and
 Legislative Council, 5 William IV., No. 24.

Date.	To whom Paid.	Name of Vessel.	Address of Mails.	No. of Voucher.	No. of Letters.	Amounts.		
						£	s.	d.
FOREIGN MAILS.								
<i>June 1</i>	<i>Thomas Clayton, Mate.</i>	<i>"Lillies"</i>	<i>Hobart Town</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	
<i>8</i>	<i>B. Bowden, Capt.</i>	<i>"David"</i>	<i>Hobart Town</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	
<i>21</i>	<i>John Williams, Capt.</i>	<i>"Agnes & Elizabeth"</i>	<i>Hobart Town</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>7</i>	
<i>21</i>	<i>Geo. Clinck, Capt.</i>	<i>"Vansittart"</i>	<i>Hobart Town</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>3</i>	
<i>30</i>	<i>Thos Ogilvie, Capt.</i>	<i>"Scotia"</i>	<i>Hobart Town</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	

Note.—Insert name of the party signing the receipt, whether Commander or Mate; and where Mails may be sent by way of any other Port, insert "via" such Port, in the address.

TOTAL..... *177* " *14* *9* *4*

Amounting in all to *Fourteen Shillings and Nine pence*
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I certify upon honor, that I have paid the several Sums charged in the foregoing Account on Letters despatched by Ships to Foreign Ports.

William Roope
Postmaster.

Received from Henry D. Kemp, Esq., Postmaster for the District, the Sum of *Twenty Shillings and nine pence*, in repayment of Sums advanced by me, as per foregoing Account.

Witness to the Payment,

William Hackett

I certify that I have carefully compared the Sums charged in the foregoing Abstract, with the several Vouchers therein referred to, and find the same to be correct, amounting to

Sub-Treasurer.

No. to Warrant No. of 184 .

Voucher No *61* of Abstract C.

THE DEPARTMENT of the Gaol, at MELBOURNE,

Dr. to *S Kemp Craig, Contractor*

For the undermentioned daily Rations of Provisions, and Articles supplied to the Gaol, at Melbourne, for the period, from the *1st* to the *20th June* 184*8*, inclusively, as per the annexed Return, viz. :-

	£	s.	d.
<i>159 1/2</i> Rations of Provisions according to Scale No. 2, issued to Wardsmen and Prisoners detained as Witnesses, or for want of Bail @ <i>5 1/2</i> ^d per Ration	33	6	9
<i>127 5</i> Rations of Provisions according to scale No. 3 issued to other Prisoners confined in Gaol, @ <i>4</i> ^d per Ration	21	5	"
Rations of Provisions according to Scale No. 4 issued to Children of Female Prisoners confined in Gaol, @ per Ration			
<i>49</i> Rations of Provisions according to Scale No. 8 issued to Prisoners confined in the Cells, @ <i>2 1/2</i> ^d per Ration	"	10	2
<i>4 1/2 lb.</i> Mould Candles @ <i>5</i> ^d per pound	"	3	1
Dipt Candles @ per pound	"		
<i>1 1/2 Gall</i> Common Oil @ <i>4</i> ^d per gallon	"	4	6
Water @ per load			
Firewood @ per 100 pounds			
Cotton Wick @ per pound			
TOTAL AMOUNT	55	12	6

Signature of the Contractor

S Kemp Craig

I Certify, that the whole of the Daily Rations and Articles specified 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. I further Certify, that no greater Quantities of Fuel and Light are charged for in this Account, than were necessarily required, and actually expended, during the month.

Signature of the Gaoler

W H Hackett

I Certify, that I have carefully inspected this Account, and the Return hereunto annexed, and, from my knowledge of the number of Prisoners, and other circumstances connected with the Gaol, during the period it comprises, I believe the same to be correct.

Signature of the Visiting Justice

James Smith

Received, on the *24th July* 184*8*, from *William Sandale Esq* the sum of *Fifty nine* Pounds, *Twenty* Shillings, and *six pence* Pence, in full payment of the above Account, for which *W Kemp Craig* have signed Receipts in Duplicate, of the same tenor and date.

Witness to the Payment

W H Hackett

S Kemp Craig

Ships to Port

A RETURN of the Number of Prisoners on the Establishment of the Gaol, at Melbourne, entitled to, and supplied with Rations, and of the total number of full daily Rations actually issued for the period from the 1st of June to the 30th of June 1847, inclusively.

Date.			Actual number on the Establishment each day.				Remarks explanatory of casualties and variations in the numbers.	Rations and Allowances.
Year.	Month.	Day.	Wardmen & prisoners detained as witnesses or for want of bail, entitled to ration No. 2.	All other prisoners, not in Cells, entitled to ration No. 1.	Prisoners confined in Cells, receiving ration No. 4.	Children of female prisoners confined in Gaol, entitled to ration No. 7.		
1847	June	1	53	34	"		Ration No. 2, authorised to be issued to Gaol attendants, witnesses, and others awaiting bail, is composed of the following articles, viz. :- 20 ounces Wheat Bread 8 " Maize Meal 16 " Fresh Beef 0 1/2 " Salt 1 " Sugar 0 1/2 " Soap	
		2	53	34	"			
		3	53	34	"			
		4	52	39	"	Disch ^d 1 from labor & received 2 for emp ^t	Ration No. 3 authorised to be issued to Prisoners confined in Gaol, is composed of the following articles, viz. :- 12 ounces Wheat Bread 12 " Maize Meal 4 " Fresh Beef 8 " Vegetables 0 1/2 " Salt 0 1/2 " Soap	
		5	52	39	"			
		6	52	41	"	Received 2 for emp ^t		
		7	51	42	"	Disch ^d 1 from labor & received 1 for emp ^t		
		8	50	42	"	Disch ^d 1 from labor		
		9	50	43	"	Rec ^d 1 for emp ^t		
		10	50	43	"			
		11	50	42	"	Disch ^d 1 from emp ^t		
		12	50	41	"	Disch ^d 1 from emp ^t		
		13	50	41	"			
		14	50	43	"	Rec ^d 2 for emp ^t		
		15	52	47	"	Rec ^d 2 for labor and 4 for emp ^t		
		16	52	46	"	Disch ^d 1 from emp ^t		
		17	52	45	"	Disch ^d 1 from emp ^t		
		18	51	45	"	Disch ^d 1 from labor		
		19	51	45	"			
		20	50	43	5			
		21	50	43	5	Rec ^d 1 for Sol. Conf ^t transferred to from No 6 to No 8 scale		
		22	50	43	5	Disch ^d 1 from labor & received 2 for emp ^t		
		23	50	43	4			
		24	50	43	4	Disch ^d 1 from Sol. Conf ^t		
		25	50	43	4			
		26	50	43	4			
		27	50	43	4			
		28	50	46	4			
		29	50	45	5	Rec ^d 3 for emp ^t		
		30	50	45	5	Transferred 1 from No 6 to No 8 scale		
		31	50	45	5			
Total daily Rations to the full number in Gaol during the month.			1524	1275	49			
Deduct the number of Rations or portions of Rations not drawn.								
Total number of daily Rations actually issued								

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Ration No. 2, authorised to be issued to Gaol attendants, witnesses, and others awaiting bail, is composed of the following articles, viz. :-
20 ounces Wheat Bread
8 " Maize Meal
16 " Fresh Beef
0 1/2 " Salt
1 " Sugar
0 1/2 " Soap

Ration No. 3 authorised to be issued to Prisoners confined in Gaol, is composed of the following articles, viz. :-
12 ounces Wheat Bread
12 " Maize Meal
4 " Fresh Beef
8 " Vegetables
0 1/2 " Salt
0 1/2 " Soap

Ration No. 4 authorised to be issued to children of female Prisoners confined in Gaol, is composed of the following articles, viz. :-
8 ounces Wheat Bread
4 " Fresh Beef
1 pint Milk
0 1/2 ounce Yellow Soap

Ration No. 5 is issued to prisoners confined in the Cells, and consists of 24 ounces wheat bread, or 20 ounces flour.

The following are the authorised allowances of fuel and light for the Melbourne Gaol, viz. :-

	Summer daily allowance.				Winter daily allowance.			
	loads water	lbs. wood.	oz. candles	gills oil.	loads water	lbs. wood.	oz. candles	gills oil.
Office Light	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1 1/2
Cooking	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Prisoners' Wards, each	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Muster and Contingencies	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	4 1/2

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

I do Solemnly and Sincerely Declare, that I have each day duly mustered, or caused to be mustered, all the Prisoners on the Establishment, that nominal Registers of the same have been regularly kept, that I have carefully examined and checked the numbers specified in the above Return, by comparison with the said Musters and Registers, and find them to correspond therewith; and, that the total number of Rations specified above, as having been actually issued, were, to the best of my knowledge duly supplied to the Parties entitled to receive them, and I make this solemn Declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of an Act made and passed in the ninth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Fourth, and of the Statute in that behalf made in various Departments of the Government of New South Wales and to substitute declarations in lieu thereof and for the effectual abolition of Oaths and affirmations, as has been made in various Departments of the Government of New South Wales and to substitute declarations in lieu thereof and for the suppression of voluntary and involuntary Oaths and affidavits.

Made and Signed before me at this day of 1847

Signature of a Magistrate *William Charles*
Signature of the Gaoler *W. H. H.*

No. of Abstract }
to Warrant of 184 . }

VOUCHER, No. 62 OF ABSTRACT C.

THE DEPARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE at Port Phillip
Dr. to Mr. 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 30 June 1848, inclusively, as per annexed Return, viz:—			
360 Rations of Provisions, No. 3, issued to Men of the Mounted Police, @ 1/2 ^d per Ration	11	5	0
30 Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Wives of Non-Commissioned Officers, and of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, @ gratis per Ration	"	"	"
30 Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, above 7 years of age, @ 2 ^d per Ration	"	5	"
60 Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, under 7 years of age, @ 2 ^d per Ration	"	10	"
14 1/2 Candles, @ 5 ^d per pound		5	11
Pounds of Firewood, @ per hundred pounds			
329 Rations of Forage, @ 2 1/2 ^d per Ration	39	1	4
TOTAL £ 51 7 3			

W. J. Row

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.

A. Mearns
Capt. Comd.

RECEIVED on the 2nd July 1848, from William Lowndale Esq. the sum of Fifty one pounds, shillings, three 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,
W. J. Row
Sydney. — W. J. Row, Government Printer.

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Received from *Skene Craig Esq.* Contractor,
at *Melbourne Port Phillip* being for Rations and Allowances, as per the within Return, viz:—

One thousand five hundred and twenty four	Full daily Rations of Provisions, Scale No. 2	(In Figures) 1524
One thousand two hundred and twenty five	ditto	1275
Forty nine	ditto	49
Seven and one half	Pounds of Mould Candles	7 1/2 lb
Sixty Pills	Pounds of Dipt Candles	60 Pills
	Gallons of Common Oil	
	Pounds of Firewood	
	Pounds of Cotton Wick	

Signature of the Gaoler *[Signature]*

A RETURN of the MOUNTED POLICE, Stationed at *Port Phillip*, New South Wales, entitled to Rations; and of the total number of full Daily Rations actually issued, for the period, from *1st* to *30th June* 184*8*, inclusively.

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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.	Number of Horses.
MONTH.	DAY.										
	1	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	2	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	3	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	4	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	5	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	6	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	7	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	8	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	9	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	10	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	11	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	12	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
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	14	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	15	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	16	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	17	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	18	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	19	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	20	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	21	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	22	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	23	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	24	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	25	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	26	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	27	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	28	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	29	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	30	/		//			12	1	1	2	10
	31										
Totals of Numbers and Days.		30		330			360	30	30	60	320
Number of full daily Rations actually issued.		30		330			360	30	30	60	320

Explanatory of Casualties and the Variations in the Numbers.

1 horse to Bush
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1 horse to bush
1 horse to Portland

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
- 10 " Beef
- 4 " Salt
- 4 " Tea
- 2 1/2 " Sugar
- 1/2 " Tobacco
- 1/4 " 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 1/4 " Meat
- CHILDREN UNDER 7 YEARS OF AGE.
- 4 ounces of Bread
- 4 " Meat

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	1/4	3	1/4

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.

J. Mair
Capt

Commanding Officer.

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

<i>Three hundred and sixty</i>	Full Rations of Provisions to Men....	<i>360</i>
<i>And thirty</i>	..... Ditto to Women..	<i>30</i>
<i>And thirty</i>	..... Ditto..to Children above 7	<i>30</i>
<i>Sixty</i>	..... Ditto..to Children under 7	<i>60</i>
<i>Fourteen to</i>	..... Pounds of Candles.....	<i>14 1/8</i>
<i>Six</i>	..... Pounds of Wood	
<i>Three hundred and twenty nine</i>	Full Rations of Forage	<i>329</i>

A. Mair
Capt. Camp

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VOUCHER, No. *63* OF ABSTRACT C.

THE DEPARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE at *Portland Bay*
Dr. to *William Rutledge*

For the under-mentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Forage, and of Articles, supplied to the above Corps, for the period,
from *the 1st day of March* to *the 31st day of March* 1848, inclusively, as per
annexed Return, viz:—

	£	s.	d.
<i>75</i> Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Men of the Mounted Police, @ <i>8^d</i> per Ration.....	<i>2</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>0</i>
Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Wives of Non-Commissioned Officers and of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, @			
Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, above 7 year of age, @			
Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, under 7 years of age, @			
Candles, @			
Pounds of Firewood, @			
<i>57</i> Ration of Forage, @ <i>2/6</i> per Ration.....	<i>7</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>
TOTAL.....	<i>9</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>6</i>

A. Mair

Signature of Contractor *A. Mair*

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.

A. Mair
Capt. Camp

RECEIVED on the *1848*, from
the sum of *Nine* pounds,
twelve shillings, *six* 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,

A. Mair

A. Mair
for Wm Rutledge

A RETURN of the MOUNTED POLICE, Stationed at *Dead Bay* New South Wales, entitled to Rations; and of the total number of full Daily Rations actually issued, for the period, from *the 1st day* to the *31st day of March* 1848, 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.										
	1				2						
	2				2						Horses to the Bush
	3				2						
	4				2						
	5				2						
	6				2						Horses from the Bush
	7				2						
	8				2						
	9				2						
	10				2						Horse to the Bush
	11				2						
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	13				2						
	14				2						
	15				2						Horse from the Bush
	16				2						
	17				2						
	18				2						
	19				3						Man from Geelong
	20				3						
	21				3						
	22				3						Horse from Geelong
	23				3						
	24				3						
	25				3						
	26				3						
	27				3						
	28				3						
	29				3						
	30				3						
	31				3						
Totals of Numbers and Days.					75						
Number of full daily Rations actually issued.					76						

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
4 " Salt
4 " 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.

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

A. Brown
Commanding Officer.

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VOUCHER, No. 64 OF ABSTRACT C.

THE DEPARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE, at *Portland Bay*
Dr. to *William Rutledge*

		£	s.	d.
For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Forage, and of Articles, supplied to the above Corps, for the period, from <i>1st day of April</i> to <i>the 30th day of April</i> 1848, inclusively, as per annexed Return, viz:—				
<i>90</i>	Rations of Provisions, No., issued to Men of the Mounted Police, @ <i>8</i> per Ration	<i>3</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</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			
	Candles, @ per pound			
	Pounds of Firewood, @ per hundred pounds			
<i>83</i>	Ration of Forage, @ <i>2/6</i> per Ration	<i>10</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>6</i>
TOTAL		<i>£ 13</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>6</i>

William Rutledge

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

*One lb
One lb
Four
Six*

<i>Seventy five</i>	Full Rations of Provisions to Men	<i>75</i>
	..... Ditto to Women	
	..... Ditto to Children above 7	
 Ditto to Children under 7	
	Pounds of Candles	
	Pounds of Wood	
<i>Five tyberie</i>	Full Rations of Forage	<i>57</i>

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M. Police*

Signature of Contractor *W. Rutledge*
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.

*A. Wain
S. Camp*

RECEIVED on the *18th* of *April* 1848, from *thirteen* pounds, *seven* shillings, *six* 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,
M. Vane *W. Rutledge*

A RETURN of the MOUNTED POLICE, Stationed at *Parramatta Bay* New South Wales, entitled to Rations; and of the total number of full Daily Rations actually issued, for the period, from *the 1st day of April* to the *30th day of April* 1848, inclusively.

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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.	Number of Horses.	Explanatory of Casualties and the Variations in the Numbers.	
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I Certify, that the above Return is in every particular.

A. Mearns

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:—

- 2½ ounces of Flour
- 16 " Beef
- ½ " Salt
- ½ " Tea
- 2½ " Sugar
- ½ " Tobacco
- ¼ " 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.

- 5½ ounces of Bread
- 5½ " 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	½	3	½

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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Horse from the Bush
Horse to the Bush
Horse from the Bush

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THE DEPARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE at *Portland Bay*
Dr. to *William Rutledge*

		£	s.	d.
For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Forage, and of Articles, supplied to the above Corps, for the period, from <i>the 1st day of May 1848</i> to <i>the 31st day of May 1848</i> , inclusively, as per annexed Return, viz:—				
<i>93</i>	Rations of Provisions, No., issued to Men of the Mounted Police, @ <i>8</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			
	Candles, @ per pound.			
	Pounds of Firewood, @ per hundred pounds.			
<i>83</i>	Ration of Forage, @ <i>2/6</i> per Ration.	<i>10</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>6</i>
TOTAL.....		£	<i>13</i>	<i>9</i> <i>6</i>

Signature of Contractor *W. Rutledge*

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.

W. Martin
H. Jones

RECEIVED on the *18* 184*8*, from the sum of *17* pounds, *9* shillings, *6* pence, in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Receipts in *triplicate* of the same Tenor and Date, pursuant to Warrant of Government, No. dated

WITNESS TO PAYMENT,
M. Jones

W. Rutledge
for W. Rutledge

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

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 Ditto to Women.....		
 Ditto to Children above 7		
 Ditto to Children under 7		
	Pounds of Candles		
	Pounds of Wood		
<i>Eight trees</i>	Full Rations of Forage	<i>8</i>	<i>3</i>

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H. Dr. Rutledge
M. Police