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Colonial Secretary's office
Sydney 13th January 1848.

Sir

In answer to your letter of the 23^d of last month, 1847/8, I am directed to inform you, that His Excellency the Governor approves of your requesting the tender of Mr. William Rutledge to convey the Mail once a week from and to Fairy Creek and Port Fairy, and once a week from and to Leigh and Port Fairy by Mustons Creek, for the sum of four hundred and forty pounds, the contract being made contingent upon the additional sum required viz: Eighty five pounds (as mentioned in your communication) being voted on the supplementary Estimate next Session of Council.

True Copy
Henry Kemp

Thos Hc
for the Colonial Secretary
(sgd) W. Elyard Junr

His Honor P. The above sum of £85 should of Superintendent course, be included in the supplementary Estimate of Your Honor's District for 1848.

FIXED CONTINGENT ABSTRACT.

A. G, No. 1.

No. of Warrant of 184 . Voucher, No. of Abstract C.
New South Wales, Melbourne, 31st July. 1848.

ABSTRACT of FIXED CONTINGENCIES in the DEPARTMENT of the Post Office
from the 1st January to the 30th June 1848, inclusively.

| | No. of Voucher. | Amount. | | |
|---|-----------------|---------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. |
| <i>To Amount of Advances made by Henry & Kemp Esq. as Chief Postmaster, for the District of Port Phillip, as follows:</i> | | | | |
| <i>To George Gordon, Postmaster Alberton, as refund of gratuities paid by him on Mails and loose Letters received at Alberton, from Foreign Ports, between 1st April and 30th June</i> | 1 | | 13 | 10 |
| <i>To George Gordon, Postmaster Alberton, as refund of gratuities paid by him on Mails despatched from Alberton for Foreign Ports, in the same period</i> | 2 | | 11 | 8 |
| <i>To George Gordon, Postmaster Alberton, as refund of gratuities paid by him on Mails and loose Letters received at Alberton from Post Offices on the Coast, between 1st April and 30th June</i> | 3 | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| <i>To George Sedwin Crouch, Postmaster Portland, as refund of gratuities paid by him on Mails and loose Letters received at Portland</i> | 4 | | | |

VOUCHER No. *82* OF ABSTRACT, No. *6* 232

Sub-Treasury, Melbourne,
3rd Augth 1848

I, the Undersigned, do hereby acknowledge to have received from WILLIAM LONSDALE, Esq., Sub-Treasurer, the sum of *Five* Pounds, *Sixteen* Shillings, and *Six* Pence, being for Contingent expenses of the Post Office Department.

as by accompanying account of particulars
from the *1st January* to the *30th June* 1848
and for which I have signed receipts in triplicate.

£ *5 17 6* Sterling.

Witness to payment. *Geo A Penn*

Henry & Kemp
Chf Post

FIXED CONTINGENT ABSTRACT.

A. G. No. 1.

No. of Warrant of 184 . Voucher, No. of A Abstract C. .
 New South Wales, Melbourne, 27th July 1848.
 ABSTRACT of FIXED CONTINGENCIES in the DEPARTMENT of *the Post Office*
 from the *1st January* to the *30th June* 1848, inclusively.

| To Amount of Advances made by Henry & Kemp Esq. as Chief Postmaster, for the District of Port Phillip, as follows: | No. of Voucher. | Amount. | | |
|--|--------------------|---------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. |
| To George Gordon, Postmaster Alberton, as refund of gratuities paid by him on Mails and loose Letters received at Alberton, from Foreign Ports, between 1 st April and 30 th June | 1 | 13 | 10 | |
| To George Gordon, Postmaster Alberton, as refund of gratuities paid by him on Mails despatched from Alberton for Foreign Ports, in the same period | 2 | 11 | 8 | |
| To George Gordon, Postmaster Alberton, as refund of gratuities paid by him on Mails and loose Letters received at Alberton from Post Offices on the Coast, between 1 st April and 30 th June | 3 | 1 | 1 | 14 |
| To George Lodwin Crouch, Postmaster Portland, as refund of gratuities paid by him on Mails and loose Letters received at Portland from Foreign Ports, between 1 st April and 30 th June | 4 | 19 | 2 | |
| To George Lodwin Crouch, Postmaster Portland, as refund of gratuities paid by him on Mails despatched from Portland for Foreign Ports, between the 1 st January and 31 st March | 5 | 1 | 17 | 7 |
| To George Lodwin Crouch, Postmaster Portland, as refund of gratuities paid by him on Mails despatched from Portland for Foreign Ports, between the 1 st April and 30 th June | 6 | 13 | 11 | |
| TOTAL.....£ | | 5 | 17 | 6 |

I certify, upon honor, that to the best of my knowledge and belief after due enquiry, the Expenses charged in the above Abstract were necessarily incurred for carrying on the Public Service, and that the Charges are made either according to authorised Rates, or at the lowest Prices for which the Articles and Services charged could be procured at the time they were engaged for. I further certify, that the Articles herein charged for were purchased for issue, under the authority of His Excellency the Governor.

Henry D. Kemp
Chief Postmaster

Examined and found to be correct.

Auditor General.

£ 13. 10

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

Witness to the Payment,

J. Murray

Geo Gordon
POSTMASTER.

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

PORT PHILLIP.

WE, the undersigned, do hereby acknowledge to have received from *George Gordon*, Postmaster at *Albion*, 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* 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 1d. each. | Amount. | | | Master's Signature. | Witness to the Payment. |
|------------------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---------|----|----|---|-------------------------|
| | | | | £ | s. | d. | | |
| FOREIGN MAILS. | | | | | | | | |
| 1848 April | 16 | <i>Alert</i> | <i>Hobart Town</i> | 9 | 9 | | <i>James Taylor</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | " | <i>Loose</i> | 4 | 4 | | <i>James Taylor</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | <i>Flynn Squirrel</i> | <i>Wellington, New Zealand</i> | 3 | 3 | | <i>James Thomas</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | 17 | <i>Alert</i> | <i>Hobart Town</i> | 4 | 4 | | <i>James Taylor</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | <i>Sybarus</i> | " | 6 | 6 | | <i>Edm. Lacey</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | " | <i>Loose</i> | 1 | 1 | | <i>Edm. Lacey</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | 19 | <i>Indicatory</i> | " | 14 | 14 | | <i>William W. Brown</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | " | <i>Loose</i> | 5 | 5 | | <i>William W. Brown</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | 24 | <i>Agencia</i> | " | 3 | 3 | | <i>John Martin</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | <i>Esperanza</i> | " | 10 | 10 | | <i>Thomas W. Nichols</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| May | 3 | <i>Miranda</i> | " | 18 | 18 | | <i>Godfrey & Bentley</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | " | <i>No 1</i> | 1 | 1 | | <i>Godfrey & Bentley</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | " | <i>No 2</i> | 3 | 3 | | <i>James Taylor</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | 12 | <i>Sybarus</i> | " | 2 | 2 | | <i>Edm. Lacey</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | <i>Agencia</i> | " | 1 | 1 | | <i>James Thomas</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | <i>Alert</i> | " | 4 | 4 | | <i>John Martin</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | <i>Alert</i> | " | 1 | 1 | | <i>John Martin</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | 13 | <i>Esperanza</i> | " | 5 | 5 | | <i>Thos. W. Nichols</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | 27 | <i>Miranda</i> | " | 7 | 7 | | <i>Godfrey & Bentley</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | <i>Alert</i> | " | 7 | 7 | | <i>Godfrey & Bentley</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | 30 | <i>Fair Tasmanian</i> | " | 3 | 3 | | <i>Edm. Lacey</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | 31 | <i>Alert</i> | " | 3 | 3 | | <i>James Taylor</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| June | 1 | <i>Deu D'rope</i> | " | 3 | 3 | | <i>Matthew Brown</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | 7 | <i>Agencia</i> | " | 21 | 21 | | <i>John Martin</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | <i>Alert</i> | " | 6 | 6 | | <i>John Martin</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | 17 | <i>Miranda</i> | " | 15 | 15 | | <i>Godfrey & Bentley</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | <i>Alert</i> | " | 6 | 6 | | <i>Godfrey & Bentley</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| TOTAL..... | | | | 106 | 13 | 0 | 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.

Geo Gordon
POSTMASTER.

PORT PHILLIP.

Warrant No. 184 } of Abstract
 Voucher No. of Abstract
 ABSTRACT of Sums paid by *George Gordon*, Postmaster at *Alberton*,
 an allowance for taking charge of Letters despatched by Ships to Foreign Ports, from the *7th April*
 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. | |
| FOREIGN MAILS. | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>April</i> | <i>1 John Martin</i> | <i>Agencia</i> | <i>Richardson</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>16</i> | | | <i>6</i> | |
| | <i>4 Edmund Lacey</i> | <i>Sylvanus</i> | " | <i>2</i> | <i>1</i> | | | <i>1</i> | |
| | <i>12 Godfrey B Bently</i> | <i>Miranda</i> | " | <i>3</i> | <i>10</i> | | | <i>10</i> | |
| | <i>18 James Taylor</i> | <i>Alert</i> | " | <i>4</i> | <i>11</i> | | | <i>11</i> | |
| | <i>21 William Harvey</i> | <i>Industry</i> | " | <i>5</i> | <i>5</i> | | | <i>5</i> | |
| | <i>25th Edmund Lacey</i> | <i>Sylvanus</i> | " | <i>6</i> | <i>16</i> | | | <i>6</i> | |
| | <i>28 John Martin</i> | <i>Agencia</i> | " | <i>7</i> | <i>16</i> | | | <i>6</i> | |
| <i>May</i> | <i>8 Godfrey B Bently</i> | <i>Miranda</i> | " | <i>8</i> | <i>13</i> | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | |
| | <i>16 Matthew Wilson</i> | <i>(See Drop)</i> | " | <i>9</i> | <i>3</i> | | | <i>3</i> | |
| | <i>18 John Martin</i> | <i>Agencia</i> | " | <i>10</i> | <i>7</i> | | | <i>7</i> | |
| | <i>20 John Martin</i> | <i>Agencia</i> | " | <i>11</i> | <i>7</i> | | | <i>7</i> | |
| | <i>25 John Todda Mate</i> | <i>Industry</i> | " | <i>12</i> | <i>7</i> | | | <i>7</i> | |
| | <i>30 Godfrey B Bently</i> | <i>Miranda</i> | " | <i>13</i> | <i>9</i> | | | <i>9</i> | |
| <i>June</i> | <i>1 Godfrey B Bently</i> | <i>Miranda</i> | " | <i>14</i> | <i>8</i> | | | <i>8</i> | |
| | <i>5 James Thomas</i> | <i>Flying Squirrel</i> | " | <i>15</i> | <i>16</i> | | <i>1</i> | <i>4</i> | |
| | <i>8 Matthew Wilson</i> | <i>(See Drop)</i> | " | <i>16</i> | <i>3</i> | | | <i>3</i> | |
| | <i>13 Thomas Arnold Nicholls</i> | <i>Esperanza</i> | " | <i>17</i> | <i>8</i> | | | <i>8</i> | |
| | <i>19 Godfrey B Bently</i> | <i>Miranda</i> | " | <i>18</i> | <i>14</i> | | <i>1</i> | <i>2</i> | |
| | | | | | | TOTAL..... | <i>140</i> | <i>11</i> | <i>8</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.

Amounting in all to *£ 140 11 8*
pence Sterling.

£ 1 10 4

Received from HENRY D. KEMP, Esq., Postmaster for the District, the Sum
of *One pound one Shilling and four pence* Sterling, in re-payment of Sums advanced by me, as per
foregoing Account.

Witness to the Payment,

J. Murray

Geo Gordon
POSTMASTER.

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

Geo Gordon
Postmaster.

Received from Henry D. Kemp, Esq., Postmaster for the District, the Sum of
one eight pence Sterling, in repayment of Sums
advanced by me, as per foregoing Account.

Witness to the Payment,
J. Murray

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 *One shilling & eight pence*

Sub-Treasurer.

PORT PHILLIP.

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

WE, the undersigned, do hereby acknowledge to have received from *George Gordon*, Postmaster at *Alberton*, 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 *30* of *June* 184*8*; 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>April</i> | <i>4</i> | <i>Miranda</i> | <i>Sydney</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>11</i> | <i>George Gordon</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | <i>19</i> | <i>Elizabeth</i> | <i>Melbourne</i> | <i>60</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>0</i> | <i>George Gordon</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | <i>27</i> | <i>Helina</i> | <i>Sydney</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>J. Brown</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| <i>May</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>Elizabeth</i> | <i>Melbourne</i> | <i>43</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>George Gordon</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | <i>15</i> | <i>ditto</i> | <i>" loose</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>0</i> | <i>George Gordon</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | <i>27</i> | <i>Miranda</i> | <i>Sydney</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>George Gordon</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| <i>June</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>Agnesia</i> | <i>Sydney</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>0</i> | <i>John Martin</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | <i>7</i> | <i>Agnesia</i> | <i>Sydney</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>0</i> | <i>John Martin</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | <i>16</i> | <i>Elizabeth</i> | <i>Melbourne</i> | <i>59</i> | <i>4</i> | <i>11</i> | <i>George Gordon</i> | <i>J. Murray</i> |
| " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| TOTAL | | | | <i>256</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>14</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.

Geo Gordon

£ 0.19.2

RECEIVED from *Henry D. Kemp* ^{Chief} Esq., Postmaster for the

District, the Sum of *Five new Shillings & Sixpence*

_____ Sterling, in re-payment of Sums advanced by me, as per

foregoing Account

Witness to the Payment.

H. C. Adams

W. G. Odum

POSTMASTER.

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

PORT PHILLIP.

WE, the undersigned, do hereby acknowledge to have received from *George Godwin* Postmaster at *Port Phillip*, 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 1848* and the *30* of *June* 184*8*; 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. | | |
| | FOREIGN MAILS. | | | | | | | |
| <i>1848</i> <i>April 8</i> | <i>John</i> | <i>Launceston</i> | <i>75</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>W. Godwin</i> | <i>C. F. Crouch</i> | |
| <i>28</i> | <i>Ros King</i> | <i>Launceston</i> | <i>34</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>10</i> | <i>John King</i> | <i>C. F. Crouch</i> | |
| <i>May 13</i> | <i>John</i> | <i>Launceston</i> | <i>43</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>W. Godwin</i> | <i>C. F. Crouch</i> | |
| <i>17</i> | <i>William</i> | <i>Launceston</i> | <i>10</i> | <i>10</i> | | <i>P. J. Gault</i> | <i>C. F. Crouch</i> | |
| <i>29</i> | <i>Rebecca</i> | <i>Launceston</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>7</i> | | <i>George Stuart</i> | <i>C. F. Crouch</i> | |
| <i>June 13</i> | <i>Minerva</i> | <i>Launceston</i> | <i>19</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>John M. Stuart</i> | <i>C. F. Crouch</i> | |
| <i>30</i> | <i>Brothers</i> | <i>Launceston</i> | <i>42</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>Wm. Lockray</i> | <i>C. F. Crouch</i> | |
| TOTAL.....£ | | | | <i>230</i> | <i>-</i> | <i>19</i> | <i>2</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.

Geo. Godwin
POSTMASTER.

I certify

PORT PHILLIP.

No. of Abstract }
 Warrant No. 184 }
 Voucher No. of Abstract }
 ABSTRACT of Sums paid by *George Ludwin Cruik*, Postmaster at *Port Phillip*
 as an allowance for taking charge of Letters despatched by Ships to Foreign Ports, from the *1st January 1843*
 to the *31st March* 1843 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>Jan'y</i> | <i>10 W. Murr</i> | <i>Joseph Cruik</i> | <i>Adelaide</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>6</i> | | | <i>6</i> |
| <i>20</i> | <i>C. F. Kinsopp</i> | <i>Sumo</i> | <i>Adelaide</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>12</i> | | <i>1</i> | |
| <i>21</i> | <i>Colin Brown</i> | <i>Sancti Spiritus</i> | <i>Summerton</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>58</i> | | <i>11</i> | <i>10</i> |
| <i>21</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>4</i> | <i>2</i> | | | <i>2</i> |
| <i>22</i> | <i>James Fairbairn</i> | <i>Julia Perry</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>11</i> | | | <i>11</i> |
| <i>24</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>11</i> | | | <i>11</i> |
| <i>24</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>1</i> | | | <i>1</i> |
| <i>30</i> | <i>W. Duncan</i> | <i>Uranus</i> | <i>Adelaide</i> | <i>8</i> | <i>12</i> | | <i>1</i> | |
| <i>31</i> | <i>J. Winchboro</i> | <i>Peri</i> | <i>Summerton</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>19</i> | | <i>1</i> | <i>7</i> |
| <i>"</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>10</i> | <i>2</i> | | | <i>2</i> |
| <i>Feb'y</i> | <i>12 W. G. Gray</i> | <i>Charlotta</i> | <i>Adelaide</i> | <i>11</i> | <i>1</i> | | | <i>1</i> |
| <i>"</i> | <i>J. Winchboro</i> | <i>Rosetta</i> | <i>Summerton</i> | <i>12</i> | <i>23</i> | | <i>1</i> | <i>11</i> |
| <i>13</i> | <i>Leonard Lane</i> | <i>Vivian</i> | <i>London</i> | <i>13</i> | <i>128</i> | | <i>10</i> | <i>8</i> |
| <i>"</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>7</i> | | | <i>7</i> |
| <i>25</i> | <i>James Fairbairn</i> | <i>Julia Perry</i> | <i>Summerton</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>15</i> | | <i>3</i> | <i>9</i> |
| <i>26</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>16</i> | <i>3</i> | | | <i>3</i> |
| <i>28</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>17</i> | <i>5</i> | | | <i>5</i> |
| <i>March</i> | <i>1 do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>18</i> | <i>4</i> | | | <i>4</i> |
| <i>2</i> | <i>E. F. Kinsopp</i> | <i>Sumo</i> | <i>Adelaide</i> | <i>19</i> | <i>29</i> | | <i>2</i> | <i>5</i> |
| <i>4</i> | <i>C. Groatkin</i> | <i>Peri</i> | <i>Adelaide</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>1</i> | | | <i>1</i> |
| <i>16</i> | <i>John P. Roseman</i> | <i>Unicorn</i> | <i>Adelaide</i> | <i>21</i> | <i>6</i> | | | <i>6</i> |
| <i>18</i> | <i>Wm Lockroy</i> | <i>Brothers</i> | <i>Summerton</i> | <i>22</i> | <i>43</i> | | <i>3</i> | <i>7</i> |
| <i>21</i> | <i>W. G. Chard</i> | <i>Joseph Cruik</i> | <i>Adelaide</i> | <i>23</i> | <i>5</i> | | | <i>5</i> |
| <i>27</i> | <i>James Hume</i> | <i>Mary Ann</i> | <i>Adelaide</i> | <i>24</i> | <i>5</i> | | | <i>5</i> |
| <i>"</i> | <i>Earley</i> | <i>Sherry</i> | <i>Summerton</i> | <i>25</i> | <i>19</i> | | <i>1</i> | <i>7</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..... *487* £ *1* 17 7 ✓

Amounting in all to *One hundred and Seventeen Shillings*
Seven pence Sterling.
 I certify

PORT PHILLIP.

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

Geo. Godwin
Postmaster.

Received from Henry D. Kemp, Esq., Postmaster for the District, the Sum of *One Pound*
Seventeen Shilling Seven pence, in repayment of Sums
advanced by me, as per foregoing Account.

* Witness to the Payment,

H. P. Cadman

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 *One Pound, seventeen shilling*
7 seven pence.

Sub-Treasurer.

No. of Abstract }
Warrant No. 184 }
ABSTRACT of Sums paid by *George Godwin* *Crouch*, Postmaster at *Port Phillip*,
as an allowance for taking charge of Letters despatched by Ships to Foreign Ports, from the *1st April 1848*
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. | |
| April 14 | <i>W. Tizard</i> | <i>John</i> | <i>Sammisto</i> | <i>139</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>3</i> | | | |
| | <i>W. T. Hirsopp</i> | <i>Sum</i> | <i>Addelaide</i> | <i>213</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | |
| | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>32</i> | | | <i>2</i> | | |
| 19 | <i>W. G. Gray</i> | <i>Charlotte</i> | <i>Sammisto</i> | <i>48</i> | | | <i>8</i> | | |
| | <i>John Greig</i> | <i>Roaring</i> | <i>Addelaide</i> | <i>54</i> | | | <i>4</i> | | |
| 28 | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>622</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>10</i> | | | |
| | <i>S. Lovett</i> | <i>Williams</i> | <i>Addelaide</i> | <i>79</i> | | | <i>9</i> | | |
| May 13 | <i>W. Tizard</i> | <i>John</i> | <i>Sammisto</i> | <i>82</i> | | | <i>2</i> | | |
| | <i>A. Roberts</i> | <i>Resource</i> | <i>Addelaide</i> | <i>94</i> | | | <i>4</i> | | |
| 29 | <i>W. T. Hirsopp</i> | <i>Sum</i> | <i>Addelaide</i> | <i>94</i> | | | <i>4</i> | | |
| | <i>The McLellan</i> | <i>John</i> | <i>Sammisto</i> | <i>1038</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>2</i> | | | |
| June 7 | <i>David Organ</i> | <i>Finger</i> | <i>Sammisto</i> | <i>1126</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>2</i> | | | |
| | | | <i>via Circular Head</i> | | | | | | |
| TOTAL..... | | | | | | <i>167</i> | <i>0</i> | <i>13</i> | <i>11</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.

Amounting in all to *Seventeen Shilling 7*
seven pence — Sterling.

I certify

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

Geo. Goddard
Postmaster.

Received from Henry D. Kemp, Esq., Chief Postmaster for the District, the Sum of *Thirteen shillings*
Eleven pence, in repayment of
advanced by me, as per foregoing Account.

Witness to the Payment,
H. D. Kemp

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 *Thirteen shillings & eleven pence*

Sub-Treasurer.

FIXED CONTINGENT ABSTRACT.

A. 6, No. 1.

No. of Warrant of 184 *Melbourne* New South Wales, Voucher, No. of A bstract C. *1st August 1848*
ABSTRACT of FIXED CONTINGENCIES in the DEPARTMENT of *the Post Office*
from the *1st June* to the *31st July* 1848, inclusively.

| | No. of Voucher. | Amount. | | |
|--|-----------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|
| | | £ | s. | d. |
| <i>To Amount of advances made by Henry D. Kemp Esq. Chief Postmaster for the District of Port Phillip, as follows;</i> | | | | |
| <i>To Masters of vessels, as quantities on mails and loose letters received at Melbourne from Foreign Ports, between 1st and 31st July</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>11</i> ✓ |
| <i>To Masters of vessels, as quantities on mails despatched from Melbourne for Foreign Ports, in the same period</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>13</i> | <i>11</i> | <i>2</i> ✓ |
| <i>To Robert Andrews, as extra letter carrier upon the 13th July</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>8</i> | <i>0</i> ✓ |
| <i>To Francis Ormond, for conveyance of extra mail from the Leight & bi-phaut Roads upon the 25th June</i> | <i>4</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>0</i> | <i>0</i> ✓ |

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VOUCHER No. *83* OF ABSTRACT, No. *6*

Sub-Treasury, Melbourne,
7 August 1848

I, the Undersigned, do hereby acknowledge to have received from WILLIAM
LONSDALE, Esq., Sub-Treasurer, the sum of *Twenty-one* Pounds,
six Shillings, and *one* Penny being
for *Contingent Expenses of the Postoffice Department*

as by accompanying account of particulars
from the *1st June* to the *31st July* 1848
and for which I have signed receipts in triplicate.

£ 21-6-1 Sterling.

Henry D. Kemp
Chief Postmaster
Witness to payment. *Geo R. Stone*

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

Geo. Edmunds
Postmaster.

Received from Henry D. Kemp, Esq., Chief Postmaster for the District, the Sum of *Thirteen shillings*, in repayment of *Eleven pence* advanced by me, as per foregoing Account.

Witness to the Payment,
H. P. C. Adden

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 *Thirteen shillings & eleven pence*.

Sub-Treasurer.

FIXED CONTINGENT ABSTRACT.

A. 6, No. 1.

No. of Warrant of 184 *Melbourne* New South Wales, Voucher, No. of A bstract C. *5th August 1848*

ABSTRACT of FIXED CONTINGENCIES in the DEPARTMENT of *the Post Office* from the *1st June* to the *31st July* 1848, inclusively.

| | No. of Voucher. | Amount. | | |
|--|-----------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | £ | s. | d. |
| <i>To Amount of advances made by Henry D. Kemp Esq. Chief Postmaster for the District of Port Phillip, as follows;</i> | | | | |
| <i>To Masters of vessels, as quantities on mails and loose letters received at Melbourne from Foreign Ports, between 1st and 31st July</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>11</i> ✓ |
| <i>To Masters of vessels, as quantities on mails despatched from Melbourne for Foreign Ports, in the same period</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>13</i> | <i>11</i> | <i>2</i> ✓ |
| <i>To Robert Andrews, as extra Letter Carrier upon the 13th July</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>8</i> | <i>0</i> ✓ |
| <i>To Francis Ormond, for Conveyance of extra mail from the Leech to Elephant Bunde upon the 25th June</i> | <i>4</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>0</i> | <i>0</i> ✓ |
| TOTAL..... | | £ <i>21</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>1</i> |

I certify, upon honor, that to the best of my knowledge and belief after due enquiry, the Expenses charged in the above Abstract were necessarily incurred for carrying on the Public Service, and that the Charges are made either according to authorised Rates, or at the lowest Prices for which the Articles and Services charged could be procured at the time they were engaged for. I further certify, that the Articles herein charged for were purchased for issue, under the authority of His Excellency the Governor.

Henry Kemp
Chief Postmaster

Examined and found to be correct.

Auditor General.

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

G. G. G. G. G.
Postmaster.

Received from Henry D. Kemp, Esq., Chief Postmaster for the District, the Sum of *Thirteen shillings*
Almon Pence, in repayment of
advanced by me, as per foregoing Account.

Witness to the Payment,
H. P. G. G.

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 *Thirteen shillings & eleven pence*

Sub-Treasurer.

FIXED CONTINGENT ABSTRACT.

A. G. No. 1.

No. of Warrant of 184 *Melbourne* New South Wales, Voucher, No. of A bstract C. *1st August 1848*

ABSTRACT of FIXED CONTINGENCIES in the DEPARTMENT of *the Post Office*
from the *1st June* to the *31st July* 184*8*, inclusively.

| | No. of Voucher. | Amount. | | |
|--|-----------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
| | | £ | s. | d. |
| <i>To Amount of advances made by Henry D. Kemp Esq. Chief Postmaster for the District of Port Phillip, as follows;</i> | | | | |
| <i>To Masters of vessels, as gratuities on mails and loose letters received at Melbourne from Foreign Ports, between 1st and 31st July</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>11</i> ✓ |
| <i>To Masters of vessels, as gratuities on mails despatched from Melbourne for Foreign Ports, in the same period</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>13</i> | <i>11</i> | <i>2</i> ✓ |
| <i>To Robert Andrews, as extra Letter Carrier upon the 13th July</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>8</i> | <i>0</i> ✓ |
| <i>To Francis Ormond, for conveyance of extra mail from the Leaph to Clephant Bendy upon the 25th June</i> | <i>4</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>0</i> | <i>0</i> ✓ |
| TOTAL..... | | £ <i>21</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>1</i> |

I certify, upon honor, that to the best of my knowledge and belief after due enquiry, the Expenses charged in the above Abstract were necessarily incurred for carrying on the Public Service, and that the Charges are made either according to authorised Rates, or at the lowest Prices for which the Articles and Services charged could be procured at the time they were engaged for. I further certify, that the Articles herein charged for were purchased for issue, under the authority of His Excellency the Governor.

Henry Kemp
Chief Postmaster

Examined and found to be correct.

Auditor General.

£ _____

RECEIVED from

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.

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 Esq* Postmaster at _____, 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 *July* and the *31st* of *July* 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. | | |
| July 5 | Circassian | Hobart Town | 74 | 6 | 2 | | <i>John Smith</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " | John Bull | do | 17 | 1 | 5 | | <i>John Collins</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " | Sobraon | Liverpool | 95 | 7 | 11 | | <i>John Pigeot</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " 7 | Mahomed Shah | London | 233 | 19 | 5 | | <i>Hugh Macmurtrei</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " 10 | Enterprise | Hobart Town | 14 | 1 | 2 | | <i>Samuel Miller</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " | Roseanna | Circular Head | 5 | 5 | | | <i>Wm. H. H. H.</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " | Joseph Cripps | Hobart Town | 42 | 3 | 6 | | <i>Wm. D. H.</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " 17 | Kansittart | Hobart Town | 8 | 8 | | | <i>George H.</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " | Ranger | Circular Head | 3 | 3 | | | <i>Daniel O'Connell</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " 19 | Margaret | Launceston | 236 | 19 | 8 | | <i>John H.</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " 20 | Margaret | Hobart Town | 57 | 7 | 5 | | <i>John H.</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " | Palmyra | London | 80 | 6 | 8 | | <i>Wm. H.</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " 22 | Agnes & Elizabeth | Hobart Town | 57 | 4 | 9 | | <i>John H.</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " 25 | River Chief | Hobart Town | 6 | 6 | | | <i>Wm. H.</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " 26 | Swan | Launceston | 136 | 11 | 4 | | <i>A. Wood</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " | Sultana | London | 287 | 1 | 3 | 11 | <i>Wm. H.</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " 28 | Petrel | Launceston | 34 | 2 | 10 | | <i>William H.</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " 31 | John Bull | Hobart Town | 18 | 1 | 6 | | <i>John Collins</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " | Lillias | do | 29 | 2 | 5 | | <i>John H.</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| " | Souvenir | Launceston | 26 | 2 | 2 | | <i>Wm. H.</i> | <i>Wm. Hinton</i> |
| TOTAL.....£ | | | | 1187 | 6 | 3.11 | <i>H. D. Kemp</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 D. Kemp
Esq POSTMASTER.

PORT PHILLIP.

No. of Abstract }
 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 July*
 to the *31st July* 1845, inclusive; as authorised under the 21st clause of the Act of the Governor and
 Legislative Council, 5 William IV., No. 21.

| Date. | To whom Paid. | Name of Vessel. | Address of Mails. | No. of Voucher. | No. of Letters. | Amounts. | | | |
|--------|--------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------|----|----|---|
| | | | | | | £ | s. | d. | |
| 1845 | FOREIGN MAILS. | | | | | | | | |
| Jan 21 | <i>John W. Williams</i> | <i>Sisters</i> | <i>Hobart</i> | 1 | 83 | 6 | 11 | | |
| May 2 | <i>R. Burt (mate)</i> | <i>Clarence</i> | <i>Launceston</i> | 2 | 82 | 6 | 10 | | |
| " 3 | <i>R. Burt (mate)</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | 3 | 21 | 1 | 9 | | |
| July 3 | <i>W. H. Boyd (mate)</i> | <i>Suns</i> | <i>Adelaide</i> | 4 | 130 | 10 | 10 | | |
| " 4 | <i>P. Hansen (mate)</i> | <i>Swan</i> | <i>Launceston</i> | 5 | 120 | 10 | | | |
| " 5 | <i>Henry Sanson</i> | <i>Flying Fish</i> | <i>Hobart</i> | 6 | 25 | 2 | 1 | | |
| " 6 | <i>J. Blyth (mate)</i> | <i>Petrel</i> | <i>Launceston</i> | 7 | 71 | 5 | 11 | | |
| " 7 | <i>W. Carder</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | 8 | 27 | 2 | 3 | | |
| " 8 | <i>Henry Dunford</i> | <i>Sam Cain</i> | <i>London</i> | 9 | 1546 | 6 | 8 | 10 | |
| " 8 | <i>W. Carder</i> | <i>Petrel</i> | <i>Launceston</i> | 10 | 22 | 1 | 10 | | |
| " 10 | <i>Henry Dunford</i> | <i>Sam Cain</i> | <i>London</i> | 11 | 308 | 1 | 5 | 8 | |
| " " | <i>John Collins</i> | <i>John Bull</i> | <i>Hobart</i> | 12 | 39 | 3 | 3 | | |
| " 11 | <i>Henry Dunford</i> | <i>Sam Cain</i> | <i>London</i> | 13 | 43 | 3 | 7 | | |
| " 12 | <i>Geo. W. Warner</i> | <i>Circassian</i> | <i>Hobart</i> | 14 | 113 | 3 | 7 | | |
| " 14 | <i>John Smith</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | 15 | 10 | | 10 | | |
| " 18 | <i>J. Miller</i> | <i>Enterprise</i> | <i>do</i> | 16 | 131 | 10 | 11 | | |
| " 25 | <i>J. Sheppard</i> | <i>Margaret</i> | <i>do</i> | 17 | 6 | | 6 | | |
| " 26 | <i>Thos Bell (mate)</i> | <i>Haven</i> | <i>Launceston</i> | 18 | 230 | 19 | 2 | | |
| " 27 | <i>W. Bell</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>do</i> | 19 | 19 | 1 | 7 | | |
| " 28 | <i>W. King (mate)</i> | <i>Adelaide</i> | <i>Manda</i> | 20 | 1 | | 1 | | |
| " " | <i>W. King (mate)</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>Kingston</i> | 21 | 2 | | 2 | | |
| " " | <i>W. King (mate)</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>Canterbury</i> | 22 | 1 | | 1 | | |
| " 29 | <i>David Gray (mate)</i> | <i>Olona</i> | <i>London</i> | 23 | 214 | 17 | 10 | | |
| " " | <i>J. Wharton</i> | <i>Adelaide</i> | <i>Kingston</i> | 24 | 1 | | 1 | | |
| " " | <i>David Gray (mate)</i> | <i>Olona</i> | <i>Adelaide</i> | 25 | 78 | 6 | 6 | | |
| " 31 | <i>James Baird</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>London</i> | 26 | 29 | 2 | 5 | | |
| " " | <i>James Baird</i> | <i>do</i> | <i>Adelaide</i> | 27 | 8 | | 8 | | |
| | | | | | TOTAL..... | 3290 | 13 | 11 | 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 fourteen shillings and two pence* Sterling.

Henry Kemp
Chief Postmaster

I certify

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

Henry D. Kemp
Chf. Postmaster.

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

advanced by me, as per foregoing Account.

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.

A. 13, No. 1.

No. of Abstract

Voucher No.

of Abstract

to Warrant No.

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THE DEPARTMENT OF *the Postoffice*

21 July - 1848.

Dr. to *Robert Andrews*

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

| DATE. | | AMOUNT. | | |
|-------------|---|---------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. |
| 1848. | | | | |
| July 15 | For Services as Letter Carrier, in Melbourne, upon the 13 th & 14 th July 1848, at 4/- per day; - in room of Martin Healy who was confined to his house upon these two days | | 8 | |
| TOTAL.....£ | | | 8 | |

J. Curran

Robert Andrews

H. D. Kemp

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.

RECEIVED on the *15th July* 1848, from *Henry D. Kemp Esq.* the Sum of *eight* Pounds, *eight* 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,

H. Short

S. Cowle, Government Printer, Patriot Office, Melbourne.

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Warrant No. 184 } Voucher No. of Abstract

THE DEPARTMENT OF *the Postoffice* -

7 July 1848.

Dr. to *Francis Ormond* -

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

| DATE. | | AMOUNT. | | |
|------------------|--|---------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. |
| 1848. June 25 | For Conveyance of the Port Fairy, Mustang Creek and Elephant Bridge mails, by special messenger from the Leigh to Geelong, upon evening of the 25 June 1848. The said mails not having been received at the Leigh postoffice in time for transmit on to Geelong by the regular conveyance. | 1 | - | - |
| TOTAL.....£ | | 1 | - | - |

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.

RECEIVED on the *29 July* 1848, from *Henry Kemp Esq* Postmaster the Sum of *one* Pounds, and *—* Shillings, and *—* Pence Sterling, in full payment of the above account, for which I have signed Triplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Francis Ormond
Witness to the payment,
H.P. Calder S. Coode, Government Printer, Patriot Office, Melbourne.

No. to Warrant No. of 184

Voucher No 84 of Abstract C.

THE DEPARTMENT of the Gaol, at MELBOURNE

Dr. to *Stene Craig, Contractor*

For the undermentioned daily Rations of Provisions, and Articles supplied to the Gaol, at Melbourne, for the period, from the *1st Feb* to the *31st July* 184*7*, inclusively, as per the annexed Return, viz. :-

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-----------|-----------|----------|
| <i>439</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> per Ration | <i>31</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>6</i> |
| <i>410</i> Rations of Provisions according to scale No. 6 issued to other Prisoners confined in Gaol, @ <i>4 1/2</i> per Ration | <i>23</i> | <i>10</i> | <i>0</i> |
| <i>150</i> Rations of Provisions according to Scale No. 4 issued to Children of Female Prisoners confined in Gaol, @ <i>3 1/2</i> per Ration | <i>5</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>0</i> |
| <i>81</i> Rations of Provisions according to Scale No. 8 issued to Prisoners confined in the Cells, @ <i>2 1/2</i> per Ration | <i>2</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>0</i> |
| <i>4 1/2</i> Mould Candles @ <i>5 1/2</i> per pound | <i>0</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>2</i> |
| <i>1 1/2</i> Dipt Candles @ per pound | <i>0</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>4</i> |
| <i>1 1/2</i> Common Oil @ <i>4 1/2</i> per gallon | <i>0</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>4</i> |
| Water @ per load | | | |
| Firewood @ per 100 pounds | | | |
| Cotton Wick @ per pound | | | |
| TOTAL AMOUNT..... | <i>56</i> | <i>11</i> | <i>1</i> |

Signature of the Contractor

Stene 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

C. Smith

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 *21 August* 184*7*, from *Wm. Lindsay, Esq.* the sum of *Fifty six* Pounds, *Eleven* 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.

Witness to the Payment

Geo. Brown Stene Craig

A RETURN of the Number of Prisoners on the Establishment of the Gaol, at Melbourne, entitled to, and supplied with Rations, to the *31st of July* 184*8*, inclusively.

the total number of full daily Rations actually issued for the period from the *1st of July*

| Date. | | | Actual number on the Establishment each day. | | | | Remarks explaining casualties and variations in numbers. | Rations and Allowances. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|--|-------------------------|--|--|--|-------------|-----------|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|------------|--------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|-------|---------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|-------|--------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Year. | Month. | Day. | Wardens & prisoners detained as witnesses or for want of bail, entitled to ration No. 2. | All other prisoners, not in Cells, entitled to ration No. 3. | Prisoners confined in Cells, receiving ration No. 4. | Children of female prisoners confined in Gaol, entitled to ration No. 5. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1848 | July | 1 | 49 | 45 | 5 | | <p>Ration No. 2, authorised to be issued to Gaol attendants, witnesses, and others awaiting bail, is composed of the following articles, viz. :-</p> <p>20 ounces Wheat Bread 8 " Maize Meal 16 " Fresh Beef 0 1/2 " Salt 1 " Sugar 0 1/2 " Soap</p> <p>Ration No. 3 authorised to be issued to Prisoners confined in Gaol, is composed of the following articles, viz. :-</p> <p>12 ounces Wheat Bread 12 " Maize Meal 4 " Fresh Beef 8 " Vegetables 0 1/2 " Salt 0 1/2 " Soap</p> <p>Ration No. 4 authorised to be issued to children of female Prisoners confined in Gaol, is composed of the following articles, viz. :-</p> <p>8 ounces Wheat Bread 4 " Fresh Beef 1 pint Milk 0 1/2 ounce Yellow Soap</p> <p>Ration No. 5 is issued to prisoners confined in the Cells, and consists of 24 ounces wheat bread, or 20 ounces flour.</p> <p>The following are the authorised allowances of fuel and light for the Melbourne Gaol, viz. :-</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th rowspan="2"></th> <th colspan="4">Summer daily allowance.</th> <th colspan="4">Winter daily allowance.</th> </tr> <tr> <th>loads water</th> <th>lbs. wood</th> <th>oz. candles</th> <th>gills oil.</th> <th>loads water</th> <th>lbs. wood</th> <th>oz. candles</th> <th>gills oil.</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Office Light</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>1 1/2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Cooking</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Prisoners' Wards, each</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>4 1/2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Muster and Contingencies</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>The Winter months are June, July, August, and September.</p> | | 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 | | | | | | | | 4 1/2 | Muster and Contingencies | | | | | | | | |
| | 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 | | | | | | | | | 4 1/2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Muster and Contingencies | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 2 | 49 | 45 | 5 | | | Discharged 1 laborer & 1 from Gaol | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 3 | 49 | 45 | 5 | | | Discharged 1 laborer & 3 from Gaol | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 4 | 48 | 44 | 5 | | | Discharged 1 laborer & 1 from Gaol | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 5 | 47 | 42 | 5 | | | Discharged 1 laborer & 1 from Gaol | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 6 | 47 | 44 | 6 | | | Discharged 1 laborer & 1 from Gaol | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 7 | 47 | 45 | 5 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 8 | 47 | 45 | 5 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 9 | 47 | 45 | 5 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 10 | 47 | 45 | 5 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 11 | 45 | 45 | 5 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 12 | 45 | 44 | 5 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 13 | 45 | 45 | 4 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 14 | 44 | 49 | 4 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 15 | 43 | 49 | 4 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 16 | 44 | 52 | 4 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 17 | 44 | 52 | 4 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 18 | 44 | 53 | | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 19 | 44 | 45 | | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 20 | 47 | 45 | | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 21 | 47 | 45 | | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 22 | 47 | 44 | | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 23 | 45 | 44 | | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 24 | 45 | 44 | | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 25 | 45 | 44 | | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 26 | 47 | 42 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 27 | 45 | 45 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 28 | 47 | 45 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 29 | 47 | 44 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 30 | 47 | 44 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 31 | 47 | 44 | | | Discharged 1 laborer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total daily Rations to the full number in Gaol during the month. | | | 1439 | 1410 | 91 | 15 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Deduct the number of Rations or portions of Rations not drawn. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total number of daily Rations actually issued | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

I do Solemnly and Sincerely Declare, that I have each day duly mustered, or caused to be mustered, all the Prisoners on the Establishment, and that the total number of Rations actually issued, 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 passed in the ninth year of the reign of His present Majesty, entitled "An Act for the more effectual abolition of Oaths and affirmations, and for the suppression of oaths and affirmations, and to substitute declarations in lieu thereof." Made and Signed before me at Melbourne, this *31st* day of *August* 184*8*, and for the suppression of oaths and affirmations.

William A. Beckett
 Prisoner Warden
 Signature of the Gaoler

No. of Abstract }
to Warrant of 184 . }

VOUCHER, No. 85 OF ABSTRACT C.

THE DEPARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE at Port Phillip

Dr. to *Wm Craig Contractor*

| | £ | 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</i> to <i>31st July</i> 184 <i>8</i> , inclusively, as per annexed Return, viz:— | | | |
| <i>366</i> Rations of Provisions, No. <i>3</i> , issued to Men of the Mounted Police, @ <i>7 1/2</i> per Ration | 11 | 5 | 90 |
| <i>31</i> Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Wives of Non-Commissioned Officers, and of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, @ <i>1/4</i> per Ration | " | " | " |
| <i>31</i> Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, above 7 years of age, @ <i>2</i> per Ration | " | 5 | 20 |
| <i>76</i> Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, under 7 years of age, @ <i>2</i> per Ration | " | 12 | 80 |
| <i>14 1/2</i> Candles, @ <i>1/16</i> per pound | " | 0 | 10 |
| Pounds of Firewood, @ per hundred pounds | | | |
| <i>362</i> Rations of Forage, @ <i>1/4</i> per Ration | 42 | 19 | 90 |
| TOTAL | £ 55 | 12 | 5 |

Signature of Contractor

Wm 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.

Wm Craig
Contractor

RECEIVED on the *21st* August 184*8*, from *William Lonsdale, Esq.* Sub-Treasurer the sum of *fifty-five* pounds, *twelve* shillings, and *five* 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,

Geo R Dean

Wm Craig

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

| | (In Figures) |
|--|--------------------|
| <i>One thousand four hundred and thirty nine</i> Full daily Rations of Provisions, Scale No. 2 | <i>4439</i> |
| <i>One thousand four hundred and ten</i> ditto | <i>1410</i> |
| <i>fifteen</i> ditto | <i>15</i> |
| <i>Eighty one</i> ditto | <i>81</i> |
| <i>Seven and three quarters</i> Pounds of Mould Candles | <i>47 3/4 lbs.</i> |
| <i>Seventy two</i> Pounds of Dipt Candles | <i>72 lbs.</i> |
| <i>Seventy two</i> Gallons of Common Oil | <i>72 Gall.</i> |
| Pounds of Firewood | |
| Pounds of Cotton Wick | |

Signature of the Gaoler

Wm Craig

A RETURN of the MOUNTED POLICE, Stationed at *Post Phillip*, New South Wales, entitled to Rations; and of the total number of full Daily Rations actually issued, for the period, from *the 1st* to *the 31st July* 1848, 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. | Number of Horses. | Remarks Explanatory of Casualties and the Variations in the Numbers. |
|---|------|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------|---|------------------------|---------------|--|--|--|-------------------|--|
| MONTH. | DAY. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 1 | / | | | 10 | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 10 | |
| | 2 | / | | | 10 | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 10 | |
| | 3 | / | | | 10 | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 10 | |
| | 4 | / | | | 10 | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 10 | |
| | 5 | / | | | 10 | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 10 | |
| | 6 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 11 | <i>One man and horse from Home river</i> |
| | 7 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 11 | |
| | 8 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 11 | |
| | 9 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 11 | |
| | 10 | / | | | 12 | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 12 | <i>One man and horse from Portland</i> |
| | 11 | / | | | 12 | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 12 | |
| | 12 | / | | | 12 | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 12 | |
| | 13 | / | | | 12 | | 13 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 12 | |
| | 14 | / | | | 10 | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 12 | <i>Two men to Hob. at Town</i> |
| | 15 | / | | | 10 | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 12 | |
| | 16 | / | | | 10 | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 12 | |
| | 17 | / | | | 10 | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 11 | <i>One horse to Bush.</i> |
| | 18 | / | | | 10 | | 11 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 11 | <i>One child born</i> |
| | 19 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 12 | <i>One man and horse from Portland</i> |
| | 20 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 12 | |
| | 21 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 13 | <i>One horse from Bush.</i> |
| | 22 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 13 | |
| | 23 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 13 | |
| | 24 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 13 | |
| | 25 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 13 | |
| | 26 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 12 | <i>One horse to Bush</i> |
| | 27 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 12 | |
| | 28 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 12 | |
| | 29 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 12 | |
| | 30 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 12 | |
| | 31 | / | | | 11 | | 12 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 13 | <i>One horse from Bush.</i> |
| Totals of Numbers and Days. | | | 31 | | 335 | | 366 | 31 | 31 | 76 | 362 | |
| Number of full daily Rations actually issued. | | | 31 | | 335 | | 366 | 31 | 31 | 76 | 362 | |

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
1/4 " 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 10lbs 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 | 1/2 | 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.

W. Martin Commanding Officer.
C. T. P.

Received from *Mr. Stone Camp*
 Contractor, at *Port Phillip* being for Rations and Allowances, as per the within
 Return, viz:—

| | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <i>Three hundred and sixty six</i> | Full Rations of Provisions to Men.... | <i>366</i> |
| <i>Thirty one</i> | Ditto to Women.... | <i>31</i> |
| <i>Thirty one</i> | Ditto...to Children above 7 | <i>31</i> |
| <i>Seventy six</i> | Ditto...to Children under 7 | <i>70</i> |
| <i>Fourteen $\frac{12}{10}$</i> | Pounds of Candles..... | <i>14 $\frac{12}{10}$</i> |
| | Pounds of Wood | |
| <i>Three hundred and sixty two</i> | Full Rations of Forage | <i>302</i> |

A. Mason
Capt. Camp

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

A 14.—No. 1.
 Voucher, No. 86 of Abstract C.

New South Wales.

ABSTRACT of Fees and Expenses on Inquests held by *R. G. Hope*
 Coroner for *County of Grant* from the *21 June*
 to the *21 July* 1848 inclusively.

| No. of Sub-Voucher. | SERVICE. | AMOUNT. | | |
|---------------------|--|----------|-----------|------------|
| | | £. | s. | d. |
| 1. | To Coroner's Fees and Allowance for <i>25</i> Miles Travelling, on Inquest, as per accompanying Return | <i>8</i> | <i>18</i> | <i>9</i> |
| 2. | To Surgeons' Fees on Inquests, as per ditto..... | <i>5</i> | <i>3</i> | |
| 3. | To Amount of Rewards for taking up Bodies of Persons found Dead | | | |
| TOTAL..... | | <i>£</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>3 9</i> |

Amounting in all to *Fourteen Pounds Three Shillings and ninepence*
R. G. Hope
 Coroner.

Melbourne
 COLONIAL TREASURY, SYDNEY, *18 Aug* 1848.

RECEIVED from C. D. RIDDELL, Esquire, Colonial Treasurer, pursuant to Warrant of Government, No. , dated the 184 , the Sum of *Fourteen Pounds, three Shillings, and ninepence* Pence, Sterling; being the Amount of Fixed Contingencies in my Department, from the *21 June* to the *21 July* 1848, as by Account of Particulars; and for which I have signed Duplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Witness to the Payment *J. P. B. R. G. Hope*
Coroner
 £ 14. 3. 9