of Abstract No to Warrant No. 18 .

A 14, No. 3.

Voucher No. of Abstract.

ABSTRACT and AQUITTANCES of FEES paid to Surgeons attending by Sum[illegible] Inquests, or on Inquiries held by Justices of the Peace touching sudden Deaths, held before W. B. Wilmot Coroner for the District of Me[illegible] from the 1st January to the 31st March — 1846, inclusively, pursuant to Act Council No. 3, of 13th June 1838.

Date of Payment.		Name of the Surgeon.	Date of Inquest or Inquiry.		On whom held.	[illegible]iles. [illegible]eeding [illegible] at 1s. [illegible] Mile.	Number of attendances to give evidence, at 21s. each.	Number of Post Mortem Examinations, at 42s. each.	Total Amount of Fees.			We, the undersigned, do acknowledge to have received from W. B. Wilmot the sums opposite our several names, being in full of our Fees, respectively, as herein specified; for which we have signed Receipts in duplicate.	Witness to the Payment.
April	1	Patrick Cussen M.D.	Jany	3	James Reardon	"	1	"	1	1	"	P. Cussen M.D.	Alfred Smith
"	1	Patrick Cussen M.D.	Feby	3	Jane Martin	"	1	1	3	3	"	P. Cussen M.D.	Alfred Smith
March 1st 1845		A. F. Greeves	"	21	John Moss	"	1	"	1	1	"	A Greeves	G. F. A Wilson
March	21	W. H Campbell	"	25	Wm Urquart	"	1	"	1	1	"	W H Campbell	G. F. A Wilson
April	1	Patrick Cussen M.D.	"	7	Robert Bastyon	4	1	1	3	7	"	P. Cussen M.D.	Alfred Smith
"	1	Do — Do —	"	17	Thos Crozier	"	1	"	1	1		P. Cussen M.D.	Alfred Smith
								Total.....£	10	14	"		

I CERTIFY, that the Surgeons above-named, were necessarily called upon, and attended to giv[illegible]al Evidence; that they were required to make, and did actually perform the number of Post Mortem Examinations above stated; and that the distances for which Travelling Expenses are cha[illegible]en Miles from the usual Residence of each Surgeon respectively. I further Certify, that none of the Deaths, on which the Inquiries charged for were held, occurred in an Hospital, a Gaol[illegible]g, to which a Government Medical Officer was attached.

Dec. 31/0

W B Wilmot
Coroner

Sub-Voucher, No. to

Voucher, No. of Abstract C.

RETURN of INQUESTS held by W B Wilmot Coroner for Melbourne from the 1st January to 31st March 1846 inclusively.

DATE.		ON WHOM HELD.	Bond or Free.	WHERE HELD.	No. of Miles distance from his usual Place of Residence.	Amount of Inquest Fees, at 20s. each, and of Travelling Expenses, at 9d. a Mile.		
						£	s.	d.
Jany	2	Ward L. Cole	F	Beach Lazaretto	2	1	1	6
	3	James Reardon	"	Melbourne	—	1		
	13	Mary Ann Moulday		Do — —	—	1		
	2	Wm Woodcock		Do — —	—	1		
	3	Jane Martin		Do — —	—	1		
	11	Man unknown	-	Brighton	7	1	5	3
	12	John Sweeney		Melbourne	"	1		
	19	Martin Dunn		Do — —	—	1		
	21	John Moss		Do — —	"	1		
	"	George Radford		Do — —	"	1		
	23	Infant of Thos Kidd		Pascoeville	7	1	5	3
	25	Wm Urquhart		Melbourne	"	1		
Feby	7	Robt Eastyon		River Plenty	14	1	10	6
	9	Wm Noble		Melbourne		1		
	17	Thos Crozier		Do		1		
				W B Wilmot TOTAL..... £		16	2	6

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

W B Wilmot **Coroner.**

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

James Croke

Crown Prosecutor

A 14.—No. 1.

of Abstract to
Warrant, No. of 18 .

Voucher, No. 45, of Abstract C.

New South Wales.

ABSTRACT of Fees and Expenses on Inquests held by Tom Hyams Coroner for Portland Bay Dist from the First January to the 31st March 1846 inclusively.

No. of Sub-Voucher.	SERVICE.	AMOUNT. £.	s.	d.
1.	To Coroner's Fees and Alllowance for — Miles Travelling, on Two Inquest, as per accompanying Return	2	"	
2.	To Surgeons' Fees on Two Inquest, as per ditto.....	6	6	"
3.	To Amount of — Rewards for taking up Bodies of Persons found Dead			
	TOTAL..... £	8	6	0

Amounting in all to

Eight Pounds Six Shillings

Tom Hyams
P.P. Actg. Coroner.

COLONIAL TREASURY, Melbourne 7 April 1846

RECEIVED from W Lonsdale Esquire, Colonial Treasurer, pursuant to Warrant of Government, No. , dated the 184 , the Sum of Eight — Pounds, Six — Shillings, and — Pence, Sterling; being the Amount of Fixed Contingencies in my Department, from the 1st Jany to the 31st March 1846, as by Account of Particulars; and for which I have signed Duplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Witness to the Payment,

Tom Hyams P.P.
& Actg Coroner

£ 8. 6. 0

Sub-Voucher, No. to

Voucher, No. of Abstract C.

RETURN of INQUESTS held by Foster Tyans, Arty Coroner for Land Bay Dist. from the First January 31st March 1846 inclusively.

...TE.		ON WHOM HELD.	Bond or Free.	WHERE HELD.	No. of Miles distance from his usual Place of Residence.	Amount of Inquest Fees, at 20s. each, and of Travelling Expenses, at 9d. a Mile. £	s.	d.
...46								
...y	5	Wm Leslie	Fm	Geelong	2	1	0	0
...y	18	Pat Higgins	Ticket Bond	Barrowan	4	1	0	0
					TOTAL.....	£ 2	"	"

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

Foster Tyans Ar.
Arty Coroner.

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

James Croke
Crown prosecutor

No. of Abstract, No. Warrant No. of 184 . Voucher, No. of Abstract. A. 14, No. 3.

ABSTRACT and ACQUITTANCES of FEES paid to Surgeons attending by Summons on Coroner Justices of the Peace, touching sudden Deaths, held before Capt. Tyrans Acting Coroner for the District of Geelong ... 1846 to the 31st of March 1846, inclusively, pursuant to Act of Council, No. 3, of 13th June, 1838.

Date of Payment.	Name of the Surgeon.	Date of Inquest or Inquiry.	On whom held.	Number of Attendances to give Evidence, at 21s. each.	Number of Post Mortem Examinations, at 42s. each.	Total Amount of Fees.	We, the undersigned, do acknowledge to have received from the Sums opposite our several Names, being in full of our Fees respectively, as herein specified, for which we have signed Receipts in Duplicate. Foster Tyrans	Witness to the Payment.
April 11th	J. Mathan Clarke	January 4	Joseph Lindsay	One	One	3 3 0	J. Clarke	P. McKeever
April 11th	J. Mathan Clarke	February 18	Patrick Higgins	One	One	3 3 0	J. Clarke	P. McKeever
					TOTAL.....£	6 6 0		

I Certify, that the Surgeons above-named, were necessarily called upon, and attended to give their P... were required to make, and did actually perform the number of Post Mortem Examinations above stated; and that the distances for which Travelling Expenses are charged exceeded Ten Miles from the usual Reside... ...ely. I further Certify, that none of the Deaths, on which the Inquiries charged were held, occurred in a Hospital, a Gaol, or other Building, to which a Government Medical Officer was attached.

Foster Tyrans Pr
Acting Coroner

Sydney: W. J. Row, Government Printer

to Warrant No. of 184 . Voucher No 46 of Abstract C.

E DEPARTMENT of the Gaol, at MELBOURNE,

Dr. to Skene Craig, Contractor

		£	s.	d.
	For the undermentioned daily Rations of Provisions, and Articles supplied to the Gaol, at Melbourne, for the period, from the 1st to the 31st of March 1846, inclusively, as per the annexed Return, viz. :—			
967	Rations of Provisions according to Scale No. 2 issued to Wardsmen and Prisoners detained as Witnesses, or for want of Bail @ 3 4/5 per Ration	15	6	2
1434	Rations of Provisions according to scale No. 6 issued to other Prisoners confined in Gaol, @ 3d per Ration	17	18	6
6	Rations of Provisions according to Scale No. 7 issued to Children of Female Prisoners confined in Gaol, @ Gratis per Ration	0	0	0
35	Rations of Provisions according to Scale No. 8 issued to Prisoners confined in the Cells, @ 2d per Ration		5	10
73/4 lbs	Mould Candles @ 5d per pound		3	2
[illegible]	Dipt Candles @ per pound			
3-2½	Common Oil @ 4/ per gallon		5	9
[illegible]	Water @ per load			
1-6	Firewood @ 4d per 100 pounds	3	2	0
	Cotton Wick @ per pound			
	TOTAL AMOUNT £	37	1	5

Signature of the Contractor Skene Craig

I Certify, that the whole of the Daily Rations and Articles specified in the above Account, were duly Supplied for the period rein stated by the above-named Contractor; and that, in respect both of Quality, Quantity, and Description of Articles, the same re agreeable to the terms of his Contract. I further Certify, that no greater Quantities of Fuel and Light are charged for in this ccount, than were necessarily required, and actually expended, during the month.

Signature of the Gaoler Wm Ellis

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

Signature of the Visiting Justice James Smith

Received, on the 23 April 1846 from William Lonsdale Esqre sum of Thirty seven Pounds, one Shillings, and five nce, 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 Skene Craig

A RETURN of the Number of Prisoners on the Establishment of the Gaol, at Melbourne, entitled to, and supplied with [illegible] number of full daily Rations actually issued for the period from the 1st of March to the 31st of March 1846, inclusively.

Date. Year.	Month.	Day.	Actual number on the Establishment each day. Wardsmen & prisoners detained as witnesses or for want of bail, entitled to ration No. 2.	All other prisoners, not in Cells, entitled to ration No. 6.	Prisoners confined in Cells, receiving ration No. 8.	Children of female prisoners confined in Gaol, entitled to ration No. 7.		Remarks and variations
1846	Jany	1	17	65		1		
		2	17	65		1		
		3	17	65		1		
		4	17	63		1		Disch[illegible] Prisoners
		5	37	43		1		Transfer[illegible] to No 2 scale
		6	37	43		1		
		7	35	43				Discharg[illegible]ers & 1 child
		8	34	40				Discha[illegible]ners
		9	34	40				
		10	31	39				Discha[illegible] Prisoners
		11	31	39				
		12	31	39				
		13	31	40				Receive[illegible]er
		14	31	41				Receive[illegible]ep
		15	45	37				Transfer[illegible] to No 2 scale
		16	45	37				and receive[illegible]
		17	40	41	1			Transfer[illegible] 4 to No 6 & 1 to No 8 scale
		18	41	42				Rec'd 1 pri[illegible] from No 8 to No 2 scale
		19	39	40	3			Disch'd 1 [illegible]fered 2 from No 2
		20	39	40	3			to No 8 scale [illegible] sentence from
		21	39	40	3			Supreme C[illegible] No 6 to 8 (pun-
		22	39	37	3			ishment [illegible]stice) Discharg[illegible]ners
		23	39	37	3			
		24	37	39	3			Transfer[illegible] to No 6 scale
		25	37	39	3			
		26	37	41	3			Receive[illegible]ers
		27	18	60	2			Disch'd 1 [illegible]fered 19 from No 2 to
		28	18	59	2			No 8 [illegible] Discharg[illegible]ner
		29	18	60	2			Received [illegible]er
		30	18	60	2			
		31	18	60	2			
Total daily Rations to the full number in Gaol during the month.			967	1434	35	6		
Deduct the number of Rations or portions of Rations not drawn.			"	"	"	"		
Total number of daily Rations actually issued			967	1434	35	6		

Rations and Allowances.

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
0¼ ,, Salt
1 ,, Sugar
0¼ ,, Soap

Ration No. 6 authorised to be issued to Prisoners confined in Goal, is composed of the following articles, viz. :—

12 ounces Wheat Bread
12 ,, Maize Meal
4 ,, Fresh Beef
8 ,, Vegetables
0½ ,, Salt
0½ ,, Soap

Ration No. 7 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
0¼ ounce Yellow Soap

Ration No. 8 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. loads water	lbs. wood.	oz. candles	gills oil.	Winter daily allowance. loads water	lbs. wood	oz. candles	gills oil.
Office Light	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"
Cooking	"	600	"	"	"	"	"	"
Prisoners' Wards, each	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Muster and Contingencies	"	"	4	½	"	"	"	"

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 Es[illegible]al 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 Ra[illegible] 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.

Made and Signed before me at Melbourne Gaol this eighth day of April 1846.

Signature of a Magistrate ☞ James Smith J.P.

Signature of the Gaoler ☞

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VOUCHER, No 11/ OF ABSTRACT C.

EPARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE at Port Phillip

Dr. to Stone Craig Contractor

	£	s.	d.
he undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions, and Forage, and of Articles, supplied to bove Corps, for the period, from 1st to 31 March 6, inclusively, as per annexed Return, viz :—			
5 Rations of Provisions, No. 3, issued to Men of the Mounted Police, at 5 per Ration	7	7	11
Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Wives of Non-Commissioned Officers and of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, at per Ration			
Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, above 7 years of age, at per Ration			
Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, under 7 years of age, at per Ration			
4 lb. Candles, at 5d per pound		1	6
5 Pounds of Firewood, at 4d per hundred pounds		10	7
53 Rations of Forage, at 1/7 per Ration	27	18	11
TOTAL	£35	18	11

Signature of Contractor ☞ Stone Craig

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

W. Lonsdale J.P.

ECEIVED on the 23 April 1846, from William Lonsdale Esquire Treasurer the sum of Thirty five pounds, ten shillings, and eleven pence, yment of the above Account, for which I have signed Receipts in Duplicate of the same Tenor and Date, o Warrant of Government, No. dated

TO PAYMENT,

Stone Craig

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

		(In Figures)
Nine hundred and Eighty Seven	Full daily Rations of Provisions, Scale No. 2	
One thousand four hundred & thirty four	ditto 6	
	ditto 7	
Six	ditto 8	35
Thirty five	ditto	
Seven and a three Quarters	Pounds of Mould Candles	
	Pounds of Dipt Candles	
One gallon three pints & two & a half gills	of Common Oil	
Eight tons Six cwt and Eight	Pounds of Firewood	
	Pounds of Cotton Wick	

Signature of the Gaoler ☞

W. Clarke, Government Printer, Herald Office, Melbourne.

—Printed at the Patriot Office, Collins-street.

A RETURN of the MOUNTED POLICE, Stationed at Port Phill[illegible], New South Wales, entitled to Rations; and of the total number of full Daily Rations actually issued, for the period, from [illegible] of March 1846, inclusively.

DATE. MONTH.	DAY.	Field Officer.	Commissioned Officer.	Serjeant 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.	[illegible]tory of Casualties and the Variations in the Numbers.
1846 March	1				11				11				
	2				11				11				
	3				11				11				
	4				11				11				[illegible]se taken on Forage
	5				11				11				
	6				11				11				
	7				12				12				
	8				12				12				[illegible]arrington from the Hume
	9				12				12				
	10				12				12				
	11				12				12				
	12				12				12				
	13				12				12				
	14				12				12				
	15				12				12				
	16				12				12				
	17				12				12				
	18				12				12				
	19				12				12				
	20				12				12				
	21				11				11				Diane to the Hume river
	22				11				11				
	23				11				11				
	24				11				11				
	25				11				11				
	26				11				11				
	27				11				11				
	28				11				11				
	29				11				11				
	30				11				11				
	31				11				11				
Totals of Numbers and Days.					355				355				
Number of full daily Rations actually issued.					355				355				

I Certify, that th[illegible]y particular.

[illegible] Commanding Officer.

ALLOWANCES.

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

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

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

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

Received from Mr Skene Craig

Contractor, at Port Phillip — being for Rations and Allowances, as per

Return, viz:—

		In Fig
Three hundred and fifty five	Full Rations of Provisions to Men....	355
	.....Ditto.....to Women.	
	.....Ditto..to Children above 7	
	.....Ditto..to Children under 7	
Three 11/16	Pounds of Candles.....	3
Three thousand one hundred & ninety five	Pounds of Wood.....	3195
Three hundred and fifty three	Full Rations of Forage.....	353

H. Rose Sergt.
Mr Police

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VOUCHER, No. 48 OF ABSTRACT C.

PARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE at Portland

Dr. to William Tulloh Contractor

	£	s.	d.
...ermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Forage, and of Articles, supplied to the above Corps, for the period, ...th First — to the Thirty first March 1846, inclusively, as per ...d Return, viz:—			
93 Rations of Provisions, No. 3, issued to Men of the Mounted Police, at 9½ per Ration.....	3	13	7
31 Rations of Provisions, No. 4, issued to Wives of Non-Commissioned Officers and of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, at 4 per Ration	"	10	4
31 Rations of Provisions, No. 5, issued to Children of ditto, above 7 years of age, at 3 per Ration	"	7	9
62 Rations of Provisions, No. 5, issued to Children of ditto, under 7 years of age, at 3 per Ration	"	15	6
6½ Candles, at 5 per pound	"	"	4
— Pounds of Firewood, at — per hundred pounds	"	"	"
17 Ration of Forage, at 3/4 per Ration	12	16	6
TOTAL..... £	18	4	2

W. H. Hall

Signature of Contractor ☞ Wm Tulloh

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

J. Mair J.P.
Police Magistrate

...ECEIVED on the 21 April 1846, from Wm Lonsdale Esquire the sum of Eighteen pounds, four shillings, two pence, in full payment ...re Account, for which I have signed Receipts in Duplicate of the same Tenor and Date, pursuant to Warrant of ...t, No. dated

Wm Tulloh

...TO PAYMENT,

...R Penn

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VOUCHER, No. 48 OF ABSTRACT C.

DEPARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE at Portland

Dr. to William Tullich Contractor

undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Forage, and of Articles, supplied to the above Corps, for the period,	£	s.	d.
1st Inst. to 7th Inst. 1846, inclusively, as per Signed Return, viz :—			
93 Rations of Provisions, No. 5, issued to Men of the Mounted Police, at 9½ per Ration.....	3	13	7
31 Rations of Provisions, No. 4, issued to Wives of Non-Commissioned Officers and of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, at 8 per Ration	1	10	4
31 Rations of Provisions, No. 5, issued to Children of ditto, above 7 years of age, at 3 per Ration	1	7	9
12 Rations of Provisions, No. 5, issued to Children of ditto, under 7 years of age, at 3 per Ration		15	6
1440 Candles, at 5 per pound			4
— Pounds of Firewood, at — per hundred pounds			
177 Ration of Forage, at 3/4 per Ration	12	15	3
TOTAL.....	£ 18	4	2

Signature of Contractor William Tullich

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

J. Mowat J.P.
Wm Thompstone

RECEIVED on the 21st April 1846, from Wm Lonsdale Esquire the sum of Eighteen pounds, four shillings, two 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 Payment, No. dated

Wm Tullich

Witness to Payment,
Geo R Pearce

Received from William Tullich Contractor, at Port Phillip, being for Rations and Allowances, as per the Return, viz :—

In Figures		
Three hundred and fifty five	Full Rations of Provisions to Men....	355
	.....Ditto.....to Women.	
	.....Ditto..to Children above 7	
	.....Ditto..to Children under 7	
Three 11/16	Pounds of Candles.....	3
Three thousand one hundred & ninety five	Pounds of Wood.....	3195
Three hundred and fifty three	Full Rations of Forage.....	353

H. Rose Sgt
Mounted Police

A RETURN of the **MOUNTED POLICE**, Stationed at [illegible]
of full Daily Rations actually issued, for the period, from the First
New South Wales, entitled to Rations; and of the total number
to the Thirty first March 1846, inclusively.

DATE. MONTH.	DAY.	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.
March	1	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	2	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	3	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	4	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	5	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	6	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	7	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	8	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	9	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	10	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	11	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	12	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	13	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	14	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	15	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	16	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	17	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	18	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	19	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	20	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	21	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	22	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	23	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	24	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	25	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	26	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	27	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	28	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	29	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	30	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
	31	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	2
Totals of Numbers and Days.		"	"	"	93	"	"	"	93	31	31	62
Number of full daily Rations actually issued.		"	"	"	93	"	"	"	93	31	31	62

Casualties and the Variations in the Numbers.

[illegible] sick, took 10 days Rations
[illegible] sick duty, took 4 days Rations
[illegible] House of Industry
[illegible] Hors off duty

I Certify, that the a[illegible] every particular.

[illegible]
Commanding Officer.

ALLOWANCES.

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

24 ounces of Flour
16 ,, Beef
½ ,, Salt
½ ,, Tea
2½ ,, Sugar
1 ,, 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
9 ,, 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 Acticles, 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	1-6th	3	1-3rd

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

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

Received from William Tulloh

Contractor, at Portland, being for Rations and Allowances, as per the

Return, viz :—

	In Figu
Full Rations of Provisions to Men	93
.....Dittto.....to Women	31
..... Ditto....to Children above 7	31
.....Ditto....to Children under 7	62
Pounds of Candles	15
Pounds of Wood	
Full Rations of Forage	77

A. Graham
Corp. Md. Paper

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

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MENT OF His Honor the Superintendent 1846.

Dr. to George D'Arcy Bonesignot

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

	AMOUNT. £	s.	d.
To (1) one copy of Port Phillip Patriot and Morning Advertiser published daily (Sundays excepted) and delivered each morning of publication at the rate of seventeen shillings and six pence per quarter	—	17	6
TOTAL..... £	—	17	6

W. H. Hull

G. Bonnifield

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

...ECEIVED on the 7 April 1846, from

the Sum of Pounds,

Shillings, and Pence, Sterling, in full payment of the

...t, for which have signed Duplicate Receipts of the same Tenor and Date, pursuant to Warrant of

No. dated

G. Bonnifield

...THE PAYMENT,

...THE PAYMENT,

G. Bonnifield

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

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...ENT OF Colonial Secretary 1846

Dr. to George D'Arlay Boursiquot

For the undermentioned **ARTICLES** supplied for the Public Service: viz.—

	AMOUNT. £	s.	d.
To (5) five Copies of Port Phillip Patriot and morning) advertiser published daily (Sundays excepted) and delivered each morning of publication at the rate of Seventeen Shillings and six pence per Copy £	4	7	6
TOTAL.....£	4	7	6

W. H. Hull

G. Boursiquot

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

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...CEIVED on the 7 April 1846, from

the Sum of Pounds,

Shillings, and Pence, Sterling, in full payment of the

..., for which have signed Duplicate Receipts of the same Tenor and Date, pursuant to Warrant of

...No. dated

G. Boursiquot

...HE PAYMENT,

A. 12. No. 1.

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...NT OF His Honor C. J. La Trobe

Dr. to George Cavenagh

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

	AMOUNT. £	s.	d.
One Copy each day of publication of the Port Phillip Herald newspaper from the first day of January up to the 31 March 1846 both days inclusive at the rate of 12/6 per Quarter	"	12	6
TOTAL.....£	"	12	6

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

...EIVED on the 7th April 1846, from William Lonsdale Esq ...urne the Sum of Twelve shillings & Sixpence in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Duplicate ...e same Tenor and Date, pursuant to Warrant of Government, No. dated

...HE PAYMENT,

...J. Row, Government Printer.

A. 12. No. 1.

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ENT OF The Hon.ble the Colonial Secretary

Dr. to George Cavenagh

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

	AMOUNT. £	s.	d.
5 Copies each day of publication of the Port Phillip Herald Newspaper from the 1st day of January to the 31 day of March 1846 both days inclusive at the rate of 12/6 each copy per Quarter	3	2	6
TOTAL..... £	3	2	6

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

ECEIVED on the 7 April 1846, from William Lonsdale Esq
Treasurer the Sum of Three pounds two shillings & six pence
in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Duplicate
of the same Tenor and Date, pursuant to Warrant of Government, No. dated

TO THE PAYMENT,

W. J. Row, Government Printer.

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THE DEPARTMENT OF His Honor the Superintendent 184 .

Dr. to Thomas the Constable

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

DATE.			AMOUNT. £	s.	d.
184 6					
March	31.	To Subscription to the Port Phillip Gazette for one copy for His Honor the Superintendent of Port Phillip being from the 1st January to 31st March 1846 both days inclusive at the rate of 10/ per Quarter —	"	10	"
		TOTAL..... £	"	10	"

Thos Moodie

S R Perry

Certify that the Quantities of the above-mentioned Articles were duly supplied as stated by the above-named individual and that they were conformable to the samples stipulated for, and of good and sufficient quality,

I further certify that they were necessarily required for the Public Service, and that the Prices charged were the most reasonable for which the same could be procured at the time of Purchase.

RECEIVED *on the* 24th April 1846, *from* William Lonsdale Esq
the Sum of Ten Shillings
in full payment of the above Account, for which I *have signed Duplicate Receipts of the same Tenor and Date.*

WITNESS TO THE PAYMENT,

S R Perry

Thos Moodie

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ER DEPARTMENT OF The Colonial Secretary Sydney 184 6.

Dr. to Thomas Mc Combie

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

DATE.			AMOUNT.		
184 6			£	s.	d.
March	31	To Subscription to the Port Phillip Gazette 4 times a week for the Colonial Secretary Sydney, being from the 1st January to 31st March 1846 both days inclusive, at the rate of 4s per Quarter each copy	2	10	"
		Thos Mc Combie TOTAL.....	£ 2	10	"

Certify that the Quantities of the above-mentioned Articles were duly supplied as stated by the above-named individual and that they were conformable to the samples stipulated for, and of good and sufficient quality,

I further certify that they were necessarily required for the Public Service, and that the Prices charged were the most reasonable for which the same could be procured at the time of Purchase.

RECEIVED *on the* 24th April 1846, *from* William Lonsdale Esq
the Sum of Two pounds ten shillings
in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Duplicate Receipts of the same Tenor and Date.

WITNESS TO THE PAYMENT,

Thos Mcombie

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MENT OF the Colonial Secretary Treasurer 184 .

Dr. to the Estate of William Kerr Merchant

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

	AMOUNT. £	s.	d.
For Copies of the Melbourne Courier Newspaper from the first day of January to the fourth day of March 1846 at the rate of Twelve Shillings and Sixpence per Quarter each	2	3	9
Total	2	3	9

days 90 : 12 . 6 : 63 : 8 . 9
5 Copies £ 2 . 3 . 9

TOTAL £ 2 3 9

Wm. M. Saunders
Present Assignee
Alex. M. Grant late assignee

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

RECEIVED on the 184 , *from*

the Sum of

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

THE PAYMENT,

Wm. M. Saunders
Present Assignee
Alex. M. Grant late assignee

Insolvent Court Melbourne
20th April 1846.

In the Matter of the Insolvency
of William Kerr of Melbourne
Port Phillip. Newspaper
Proprietor and Publisher

I do hereby certify, that in the
above named Estate, placed Under
Sequestration on the Twenty Sixth of February
1846 - Archibald McLachlan of Melbourne,
Esquire, was appointed Official Assignee
for the said Estate by His Honor the Resident-
Judge; and that at the Second Meeting
of Creditors holden before the Chief Commissioner
of Insolvent Estates on the Twenty fifth
day of March last, Alexander H. Thacker
of Melbourne was Elected Assignee toget-
-her in conjunction with the said Official
Assignee.

In the absence of William Kerr
Esquire Chief Commissioner
(sailed for England)

James M. Seward
Chief Clerk of the Insolvent
Court Melbourne

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PARTMENT OF The Colonial Secretary 1846.

Dr. to Thomas Wilkinson

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

DATE.			AMOUNT. £	s.	d.
1846.		To five copies of the "Portland Guardian" Newspaper supplied for the Honorable the Colonial Secretary @ 10/. per each copy per quarter	2	10	"
April	31				
		TOTAL..... £	2	10	"

Thomas Wilkinson

J. R. Pemm

Certify that the quantities of the above-mentioned Articles were duly supplied, as stated by the above-named individual, that they were conformable to the samples stipulated for, and of good and sufficient quality. I Further Certify that they were necessary required for the Public Service, and that the Prices charged were the most reasonable for which the same could be procured at the time of purchase.

RECEIVED on the 3rd *day of* April 1846. *from* W. Sandale Esq

the Sum of Two — *Pounds,*

Ten — *Shillings, and* — *Pence, Sterling, in full payment of the Account, for which I have signed Duplicate Receipts of the same Tenor and Date, pursuant to Warrant of Government, No.*

WITNESS TO THE PAYMENT,

Thomas Wilkinson.

PRINTED AT THE GUARDIAN OFFICE.

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THE DEPARTMENT OF ~~Police, Portland~~ Printing Advertising

Dr. to Thomas Hamilton Osborne, Printer & Publisher.

For the undermentioned SERVICES performed for the Department, viz :— Portland

DATE.			AMOUNT.		
			£	s.	d.
184*6*.		For Advertising Government Notices in the Portland Gazette Newspaper.			
May	27	To Advertising in the Portland Gazette Newspaper "Notice For Persons to take the Electors for the County of Normanby" 2 insertions of 38 lines each, at the rate of 3/- for the first 6 lines & 3d per line for the remaining 32 lines	1	2	6
"	17	To Advertising "Notice of the Annual Licensing Meeting" 2 insertions of 17 lines each, at the rate of 3/- for the first 6 lines and 3d per line for the remaining 11 lines		11	6
		T. H. Osborne TOTAL.... £	1	13	6

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 that the Rates charged were the most reasonable for which the same could be procured at the time they were stipulated for.

J. Manifold
Police Magistrate

RECEIVED on the 14 April 1846, from Wm Sandeman Esqr
Sub Treasurer at Melbourne

the Sum of ——— One Pounds,
Thirteen Shillings, and ——— Six Pence, Sterling, in full payment of the
above Account, for which I have signed ~~Duplicate~~ Receipts of the same Tenor and Date; pursuant
to Warrant of Government No. dated T. H. Osborne

Witness to the Payment,

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April 1846.
Missing Voucher No. 3

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DEPARTMENT OF The Superintendent of Bridges 1846

Dr. to John H. Craig

For the undermentioned SERVICES performed for the Department; viz:

DATE.		AMOUNT. £	s.	d.
	"Princes Bridge"			
	For Services performed as "Clerk and Foreman of Works" to the Superintendent of Bridges from the 1st to the 31st of March 1846, inclusive.—			
	31 days — — @ 6/- per diem	9	6	"
	John H. Craig			
	TOTAL..... £	9	6	"

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

David Lennox
Supt. of Bridges

RECEIVED on the 2 April 1846, from the Sum of Nine — Pounds, Six — Shillings, — Pence Sterling, in full payment of the above account, for which have signed Triplicate of the same tenor and date.

John H. Craig.

...to the Payment,

W. Clarke, Government Printer, Herald Office, Melbourne.

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DEPARTMENT OF The Superintendent of Bridges. 184 6

Dr. to N. Mc Donald.

For the undermentioned SERVICES performed for the Department; viz:

DATE.		AMOUNT. £	s.	d.
6	Princes Bridge. —			
om	For Constructing and erecting two Cranes required in the Con			
n. 1st	struction of the "Princes Bridge" over the Yarra Yarra River at Melbourne, as per my accepted			
to	Tender dated Decr. 16th 1845.			
pril 15th	From January 1st to April 15th 1846 — — — — —			
	For two Cranes @ £45. each	90	"	"
	Roderick McDonald — TOTAL..... £	90	"	"

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

James Ruttenbury Clk. Works — David Lennox Supt. of Bridges

RECEIVED on the 24th April 1846, from Wm. Lonsdale Esq: the Sum of Ninety Pounds, — — — Shillings, — Pence Sterling, in full payment of the above account, for which I have signed Triplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Roderick McDonald

Witness to the Payment,

W. Clarke, Government Printer, *Herald* Office, Melbourne.

Melbourne Decr 16th 1845.

To Mr Lennox

Superintendent of Bridges

Sir I propose to make the Canes required by you for the Bridge & find the Materials as per Specification for the Sum of Forty five Pounds £45 each.—

If approved of I shall endeavour to give you complete satisfaction.

I am Sir your Humble Servant

R. McDonald.

Millwright

Market Square

Melbourne

A correct Copy

John H. Craig

Clk & Foreman of Wks

to the Supt. of Bridges

Witness to the Payment,

Alexander Tucker