

the 1st day of November 1841, both days inclusive.

DETAIL.	Number of Persons.	LAMPS.				PERIOD.		Number of Days.	DAILY ALLOWANCE.						TOTAL QUANTITY FOR PERIOD.						REMARKS.
		S Single	D Double	P Passage	H Hand				Coals,	Wood.	Candles.	Sperm Oil.	Fish Oil.	Cotton wick	Coals.	Wood.	Candles.	Sperm Oil.	Fish Oil.	Cotton wick	
		s.	d.	p.	h.	From	To		lb.	lb.	oz.	gills.	gills.	oz.	lbs.	lb.	lb.	gill s.	gill s.	oz.	
Contingencies						November	1 st to 30 th	Thirty			4		1				7 1/2		1 1/2		
Received, according to the regulations.....																	7 1/2		1 1/2		
On hand, unconsumed, at commencement of above period																					
Total to be accounted for.....																					
Deduct on hand, now unconsumed.....																					
Quantity actually expended during the above period ...																	7 1/2		1 1/2		

I Certify

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

W. M. B. G. 1844

RECEIVED from *S. P. Craig Esquire Contractor at Melbourne Port Phillip* the undermentioned Articles, or Orders for the delivery thereof, viz:—

(In Figures.) (In Words at length.)

Coals	_____	Pounds.
Wood	_____	Pounds.
Candles	<i>Seven & one half</i>	Pounds.
Sperm Oil	_____	Gallons.
Fish Oil	<i>Fourteen & one half</i>	Gallons.
Cotton Wick	_____	Ounces.
Patent Cotton Wicks	_____	Number.

7/12
14/16

W. M. B. G. 1844

FORM No. 8.

A 25.

RETURN of PRISONERS on the establishment of the Gaol, at *Melbourne Port Phillip* entitled to, and supplied with Rations, from the *Contractors Stores* from the 1st to the 30th November 1844, inclusively.

Actual Number on the Establishment each Day.		Actual Number of Prisoners supplied with Rations.		Rations issued in advance for Prisoners forwarded to other Establishments over and above the Number specified in Columns 3 and 4.	Police Prisoners on 30 th Nov 44	REMARKS.
Wardmen & Prisoners detained as Witnesses, or for want of Bail.	All other Prisoners not specified in the preceding Column.	Wardmen & Prisoners detained as Witnesses, or for want of Bail.	All other Prisoners not specified in the preceding Column.			
1	2	3	4	5		
1		11	27		"	
2		11	26		"	
3		11	24		"	
4		11	25		"	
5		10	25		2	
6		10	24		2	
7		9	23		1	
8		9	26		1	
9		9	26		"	
10		9	27		"	
11		9	27		"	
12		9	29		1	
13		9	31		"	
14		9	30		"	
15		9	30		"	
16		9	33		"	
17		9	31		"	
18		9	31		"	
19		9	33		"	
20		11	29		"	
21		12	31		"	
22		12	31		"	
23		12	29		"	
24		12	30		"	
25		12	30		"	
26		11	30		"	
27		11	30		"	
28		11	27		"	
29		11	27		2	
30		10	25			
31						
Totals...		305	847		9	

I hereby declare upon Oath, that I mustered all the Prisoners on the Establishment of the Gaol at *Melbourne Port Phillip* on the 30th November 1844; that Nominal

Registers of the same have been regularly and duly kept; and I have carefully examined and checked the Numbers specified in the foregoing Return, by comparison with the said Musters and Registers, and find them to correspond therewith; and I further declare, that every Individual before enumerated in Columns 3, 4, and 5, was entitled to, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, supplied with, Rations for the Days stated therein; and that the said Return is correct in every particular.

Signature of the Gaoler,

Sworn before me, at Melbourne
this 5th Day of December 1844

Charles Payne J.P. Signature of Magistrate.

STATEMENT of RATIONS issued to the PRISONERS on the Establishment of the Gaol, at Melbourne Port Phillip, as per annexed Return, from the 1st to the 30th November 1844, inclusively.

No. of Rations.	Description of Persons supplied with Rations.	Reference to Scale of Rations.	Pounds of				
			Wheat	Barley	"	"	"
305	Wardsmen and Prisoners detained as Witnesses, } or for want of Bail }	42 305	"	"	"	"	"
847	All other Prisoners	96 847	"	"	"	"	"
9	Rations issued in advance <u>Military contract</u>	9	"	"	"	"	"
Amount in full Rations			"	"	"	"	"
Deduct the Amount of Portions of Rations not claimed ..			"	"	"	"	"
Total Quantities actually issued			1151	"	"	"	"

Place and Date M. Gaol Melbourne P.P.
30th November 1844

Signature of the Gaoler,

Received from Shane Craig Requin Contractor in Charge of
at Melbourne Port Phillip, the undermentioned Quantities of the
following Articles, being for Rations as above, viz. :-

(In Figures.)

(In Words at Length.)

305 Three hundred and five rations of provisions
issued to prisoners in Gaol on 42 scale
847 Eight hundred and forty seven rations of
provisions issued to prisoners in Gaol on 96 scale
9 Nine rations of provisions issued to
prisoners in Gaol on 9 scale

and for which I have signed a Receipt in Duplicate.

Signature of the Gaoler,

I Certify, that the Computations have been examined by me and found correct,

I have carefully inspected this account and the returns thereto subjoined 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.

Mackenzie
Sheriff

No. of Abstract }
to WARRANT 184 }
The DEPARTMENT of the

Voucher No. 229 of Abstract A. 19.

Dr. to Gaol at Melbourne
Shene Crisp, Contractor

For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Articles supplied to the Hospital, for the period, from the 1 st Jan ^y to the 31 st March 1844, as per the accompanying Returns, viz:—		£	s.	d.
120 pounds of fine Bread @ 1 1/2 p ^{ts}		15		
120 " of Meat " 1 1/2 "		15		
7 " of Tea " 1/10 "		12	11	
38 " of Sugar " 2 1/4 "		7	1 1/2	
4 " of Salt " 1 "				4
55 " of Vegetables " 3/4 "		3	5 1/4	
4 " of Rationed " 1 1/2 "		1	6	
1/2 dozen of Port Wine " 36 p ^{ts}		12		
6 pounds of Candles " 5 p ^{ts}		2	6	
8 " of Rice " 1 1/2 "		1	8	
25 Quarts of Milk " 3 p ^{ts}		10	5	
TOTAL....		£	41	9

Signature of the Contractor

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

RECEIVED on the 1st Decem^r 1844, from William Conedale Esq^r
Pub Treasurer the Sum of Four pounds, one shilling and nine pence 2/9 in full payment of the above Account, for which
signed Duplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Witness to the payment,

Melbourne

31st March 1844

Received from Wm. Craig, Contractor for the
District of Port Phillip the undermentioned, being
the use of the Gaol Department

20 One hundred & twenty pounds of fine Bread

20 One hundred & twenty pounds of Meat

7 Seven pounds of Tea

8 Thirty eight pounds of Sugar

4 Four pounds of Salt

5 Fifty five pounds of Vegetables

4 Four pounds of Oatmeal

1/2 1/2 dozen of Port Wine

6 Six pounds of Candles

8 Eight pounds of Rice

25 Twenty five Quarts of Milk

and for which I have signed duplicate receipts

G. J. P. M. D.

No. of Abstract
to WARRANT 184 }

Voucher No. 230 of Abstract A. 19.

The DEPARTMENT of the

Genl at Port Phillip
Dr. to Skene & Co. Contractors

For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Articles supplied to the				£	s.	d.
Sick - , for the period, from the 1 st April to the 30 June 1844,						
as per the accompanying Returns, viz:—						
100	pounds	of fine Bread	1 1/2 p lb	"	12	6
100	"	" of Meat	" 1 1/2 "	"	12	6
5	"	" of Lea	" 1/10 "	"	9	2
24	"	" of Sugar	" 2 1/4 "	"	1	6
4	"	" of Salt	" 1 "	"	"	4
4	"	" of Soap	" 5 "	"	1	8
40	"	" of Vegetables	" 3/4 "	"	2	6
8	"	" of Capmeal	" 1/2 "	"	3	"
3/2	dozen	of Port Wine	" 36/p doz	"	9	"
8	pounds	of candles	" 5 p lb	"	3	4
40	"	" of Rice	" 2 1/2 "	"	8	4
10	"	" of Straw	" 1/4 p 100 lbs	"	"	1 3/4
35	Quarts	of Milk	" 5 p qt	"	1	7
TOTAL....				£	19	

Signature of the Contractor

Skene & Co.

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

RECEIVED on the 4 Decem^r 1844 from William Lindsay Esq.
Sub Treasurer the Sum of Four pounds, one shilling &
nine pence 2/9 in full payment of the above Account, for which
signed Duplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Skene & Co.

Witness to the payment,

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to WARRANT 184 }

Voucher No. 237 of Abstract A. 19. C

The DEPARTMENT of the Gaol at Geelong
Dr. to Henry Craig

For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Articles supplied to the
Gaol, for the period, from the 1st July to the 31st October 1844,
as per the accompanying Returns, viz:—

	£	s.	d.
July — 70 Rations — @ 5 ^d	1	9	2 ✓
Aug ^t — 16 Rations — @ 5 ^d	"	6	8 ✓
Sept ^r — none			
October — 6 Rations — @ 5 ^d	"	2	6 ✓
TOTAL.....£	1	18	4

Signature of the Contractor

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

RECEIVED on the 18th Decem^r 1844, from William Lonsdale Esq
Sub Treasurer the Sum of One pound & eighteen shillings
and fourpence in full payment of the above Account, for which
signed Duplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Witness to the payment,

Form A:8.

Return of Prisoners on the Establishment of the Gaol at Guelph
entitled to, and supplied with Rations from Mr. Craig Con-
tractor from the 1st to the 31st July 1844 inclusively

Date	actual number of Prisoners supplied with Rations	Wardens and all other Prisoners detained not specified as Wardens or in the preceding for want of Bail Column
1	2	
2	2	
3	2	
4	3	
5	3	
6	4	
7	4	
8	4	
9	5	
10	4	
11	4	
12	2	
13	2	
14	2	
15	2	
16	2	
17	2	
18	2	
19	2	
20	2	
21	2	
22	2	
23	2	
24	2	
25	2	
26	2	
27	1	
28	1	
29	1	
30	1	
31	1	
Totals	70	

I hereby declare upon Oath that I mustered all the Prisoners
on the Establishment of the Gaol at Guelph, that Nominal Registers
of the same have been regularly and duly kept, and I have
carefully examined and checked the numbers specified in the

foregoing Return, by comparison with the said Musters and Registers, and find them to correspond therewith, and I further declare, that every individual before enumerated was entitled to, and to the best of my knowledge and belief supplied with Rations for the days stated therein, and that the said Return is correct in every particular.

Robert Cherry Gader

Sworn before me at Geelong
this 7th day of November 1844

Edw. Adolphi JP

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

70 | Seventy Rations

and for which I have signed a Receipt in Triplicate
Robert Cherry Gader

Form N^o 8.

Return of Prisoners on the Establishment of the Gaol at Geelong,
entitled to and supplied with Rations, from Mr. Craig
Contractor from the 1st to the 31st August. 1844 inclusively

Date	Actual Number of Prisoners supplied with Rations	
	Prisoners all other pris- oners detained as mentioned or for want of Bail	specified in the preceding columns
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13		1
14		2
15		1
16		1
17		1
18		1
19		1
20		1
21		1
22		1
23		1
24		1
25		1
26		1
27		1
28		
29		
30		
31		
Total		16

I hereby declare upon oath, that I mustered all
the Prisoners on the Establishment of the Gaol at Geelong
that Nominal Registers of the same have been regularly
and duly kept; and I have carefully examined and
checked the Numbers specified in the foregoing Return
by comparison with the said Musters and Registers

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

Robert Cherry Gadsden

Sworn before me at Gallegos
this 7th day of November 1844

E. B. Giddis Jr

Received from W. Craig Contractor at Port
Phillip the Undermentioned Rations as Within

16 / Sixteen Rations

and for which I have signed a Receipt in Triplicate

Robert Cherry Gadsden

Form No. 8.

Return of Prisoners on the establishment of the boat at Gallegos
entitled to and supplied with rations. from Mr. Craig
contractor from the 1st to the 31st October 1844 inclusively

Date	Actual number of Prisoners supplied with rations	
	Prisoners and witnesses for want of Rats	all the Prisoners not specified in the preceding column
1		
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16		
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20		
21		
22		
23		
24		
25		
26		1
27		1
28		1
29		1
30		2
31		6

I hereby declare upon oath, that I mustered all
the Prisoners on the establishment of the boat at Gallegos
that nominal Register of the same have been regularly
and duly kept, and I have carefully examined and
checked the numbers specified in the foregoing return

By comparison with the said Muster and registers
and find them to correspond therewith, and further
declare, that every individual before enumerated was
entitled to, and to the best of my knowledge and belief
supplied with rations for the days stated therein, and
that the said return is correct in every particular

Robert Cherry Gader

Sworn before me at Geelong
this 7th day of November 1844

6/ Six Rations *Ed Boddie Jr*

and received from Mr. Craig Contractor at Port Phillip
the undermentioned Rations as within
Robert Cherry Gader

6/ Six Rations

And for which I have signed a Receipt in
Triplicate.

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to WARRANT 184 }

VOUCHER No. 232 of ABSTRACT

A. 19.

The DEPARTMENT of the Watch House at Geelong
Dr. to *Shene Craig*

For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Articles supplied to the
Watch House, for the period, from the 1st August to the 30th Sept 1844,
as per the accompanying Returns, viz:—

	£	s.	d.
August 10 Rations @ 3		26	
Sept 9 Rations @ 3		23	

TOTAL... £ 1 19

Signature of the Contractor

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

RECEIVED on the 18th Dec 1844, from

Sub Treasurer

the Sum of

Twenty shillings & some

I have

Pence

in full payment of the above Account, for which

signed Duplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Witness to the payment,

Form N^o 10.

Return of Persons Confined in Watch House at Seclong
Entitled to, and Supplied with Rations, by M^r Craig
Contractor From 1st to the 31st August 1844 inclusive

Date	Number of Persons Actually Supplied with Rations each day	
	free	Convicts
1		
2		
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4		
5		
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11		
12		
13		
14	1	
15	2	
16	1	
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22		
23		
24		
25		
26	1	
27	1	
28	1	
29	1	
30	1	
31	1	
Totals	10	

Shereby

declare upon oath, that every individual as before stated, did actually receive Rations for the days specified and that the foregoing Return is correct in every particular.

Robert Cherry Gaoler

Sworn before me at Geelong
this 7th day of Nov^r 1844
S B Sides JP

Approved

S B Sides JP

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

10 / Ten Rations

And for which I have signed a Receipt in duplicate

Robert Cherry Gaoler

Form N^o 10.

Return of Persons Confined in Watchhouses at Geelong
Entitled to and Supplied with Rations, by Mr. Craig
the Contractor from 1st to 30th September 1844, inclusively

Date	Number of Persons actually supplied with Rations	
	Free	Convicts
1	1	
2	1	
3	1	
4	1	
5	1	
6	1	
7	1	
8	1	
9		
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19		
20	1	
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23		
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26		
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28		
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Total	9	

I hereby

Declare upon Oath, that every individual, as before
stated, did actually receive Rations for the days specified
and that the foregoing Return is correct in every particular

Sworn before me at Gelong Robert Cherry Gader
this 7th day of Nov. 1844
E. B. Lohles JP

Approved
E. B. Lohles JP

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

9 / Nine Rations.

And for which I have signed a Receipt in Duplicate
Robert Cherry Gader

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Voucher, No 233 of Abstract C.

THE DEPARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE at Port Phillip
Dr. to Skene 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 1 st to 30 th November 1844, inclusively, as per annexed Return, viz:—				
213	Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Men of the Mounted Police, at 6 per Ration	5	6	6
	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			
23 1/2	Candles, at 5 per pound			11
	Pounds of Firewood, at per hundred pounds			
213	Rations of Forage, at 1/10 per Ration	20	8	3
TOTAL.....		£25	15	8

Signature of Contractor Skene Craig

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

Wm. Lonsdale Esq

RECEIVED on the 18th Decem^r 1844, from William Lonsdale Esq
the sum of Twenty five pounds,
shillings, and eight pence,
in full payment of the above Account, for which I have signed Receipts in Duplicate of the same Tenor and Date,
pursuant to Warrant of Government, No. dated

WITNESS TO PAYMENT,

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

New South Wales, entitled to Rations; and of the total number of full
184, inclusively.

DATE.		Field Officer.	Commissioned Officer.	Sergeant Major.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates.	Servants not Soldiers.	Total of Men.	Wives of the Soldiers of the Mounted Police.	Children of ditto, above 7 years of age.	Children of ditto, under 7 years of age.
MONTH.	DAY.									
	1				/		/			
	2				/		/			
	3				/		/			
	4				/		/			
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	27				/		/			
	28				/		/			
	29				/		/			
	30				/		/			
	31				/		/			
Totals of Numbers and Days.					213		213			
Number of full daily Rations actually issued.					213		213			

Remarks Explanatory of Casualties and the Variations in the Numbers.

ALLOWANCES.

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

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

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

8 ounces of Bread
8 " Meat.

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

CHILDREN ABOVE 7 YEARS OF AGE.

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

CHILDREN UNDER 7 YEARS OF AGE.

4 ounces of Bread
4 " Meat.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Commanding Officer.

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

Two hundred & thirteen
Seven 3/4
Two hundred & thirteen

Full Rations of Provisions to Men....	In Figures. 213
..... Ditto..... to Women.	
..... Ditto... to Children above 7	
..... Ditto... to Children under 7	
Pounds of Candles.....	7 3/4
Pounds of Wood.....	
Full Rations of Forage.....	213

H. Rose Secy
M. Powell

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VOUCHER, No. 234 OF ABSTRACT C.

THE DEPARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE at *Portland & Mount Ecclesly*
Dr. to *Mr McDowell*

For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Forage, and of Articles, supplied to the above Corps, for the period,		£	s.	d.
from <i>the 1st</i>	to <i>the 31st August 1842</i> inclusively, as per annexed Return, viz:—			
135 Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Men of the Mounted Police, @ <i>10 1/2</i> per Ration.....		5	18	1/2
31 Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Wives of Non-Commissioned Officers and of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, @ <i>4</i> per Ration		"	10	4
— Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, above 7 year of age, @				
Ration				
62 Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, under 7 years of age, @ <i>2 1/2</i> per		"	11	1/2
Ration				
<i>4 3/4</i> Candles, @ <i>4</i> per pound.. . . .		"	9	1/2
Pounds of Firewood, @				
138 Ration of Forage, @ <i>2 1/2</i> per Ration.. . . .		19	16	9
<i>Add 5 per cent on £ 97. 17. 7 1/2</i>			1	6 1/2
<i>resp Contract</i>				
TOTAL.....		£ 28	4	6

provisional
Signature of Contractor *Mr McDowell*
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.
John Mayhew

RECEIVED on the *12* December 1842, from *Mr. Laidlaw Esq*
Sub. Measure — the sum of *Twenty Eight* — pounds,
Four shillings, and *6* 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 *Mr McDowell*
WITNESS TO PAYMENT,

No. of Abstract
to Warrant of 184 . }

VOUCHER, No. 234 OF ABSTRACT C.

THE DEPARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE at *Portland & Mount Pleasant*
Dr. to *Mr. McDowell*

For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Forage, and of Articles, supplied to the above Corps, for the period,		£	s.	d.
from <i>the 1st</i> to <i>the 31st August</i> 184 <i>4</i> inclusively, as per annexed Return, viz:—				
<i>135</i> Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Men of the Mounted Police, @ <i>10 1/2</i> per Ration.....		<i>5</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>1/2</i>
<i>31</i> Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Wives of Non-Commissioned Officers and of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, @ <i>4</i> per Ration		<i>1</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>4</i>
— Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, above 7 year of age, @ per Ration				
<i>62</i> Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, under 7 years of age, @ <i>2 1/2</i> per Ration		<i>1</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>1/2</i>
<i>1 1/2</i> Candles, @ <i>9</i> per pound.. . . .		<i>1</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>1/2</i>
Pounds of Firewood, @ per hundred pounds....				
<i>135</i> Ration of Forage, @ <i>2 1/2</i> per Ration.. . . .		<i>19</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>9</i>
<i>Add 5 per cent on £ 27.17. 7 1/2</i>			<i>1</i>	<i>6</i>
<i>resp Contract</i>				
TOTAL.....		<i>£ 28</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>6</i>

Signature of Contractor

Mr. McDowell

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.

Signature

RECEIVED on the *12* December 184*6*, from *Mr. Gauddab Corp*
the sum of *Twenty Eight* — pounds,
shillings, and *Sixpence* 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 *Mr. McDowell*

WITNESS TO PAYMENT,

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

<i>Two hundred & thirteen</i>	Full Rations of Provisions to Men....	<i>213</i>
	Ditto.....to Women..	
	Ditto...to Children above 7	
	Ditto...to Children under 7	
<i>Seven 3/4</i>	Pounds of Candles.....	<i>7 3/4</i>
	Pounds of Wood.....	
<i>Two hundred & thirteen</i>	Full Rations of Forage.....	<i>213</i>

H. Rose Secy
M. Powell

A RETURN of the MOUNTED POLICE, Stationed at *Pottsville* *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 August* 184*4*, inclusively.

DATE.	Field Officer.	Commissioned Officers.	Sergeant Major.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates.	Servants not Soldiers.	Total of Men.	Wives of the Soldiers of the Mounted Police.	Children of ditto, above 7 years of age.	Children of ditto, under 7 years of age.	Number of Horses.
MONTH.	DAY.									
<i>August</i>	1			4		4	1		2	4
	2			4		4	1		2	4
	3			4		4	1		2	4
	4			4		4	1		2	4
	5			4		4	1		2	4
	6			4		4	1		2	4
	7			4		4	1		2	4
	8			4		4	1		2	4
	9			4		4	1		2	4
	10			4		4	1		2	4
	11			4		4	1		2	4
	12			4		4	1		2	4
	13			4		4	1		2	4
	14			4		4	1		2	4
	15			4		4	1		2	4
	16			4		4	1		2	4
	17			4		4	1		2	4
	18			4		4	1		2	4
	19			4		4	1		2	4
	20			4		4	1		2	4
	21			5		5	1		2	6
	22			5		5	1		2	6
	23			5		5	1		2	6
	24			5		5	1		2	6
	25			5		5	1		2	6
	26			5		5	1		2	6
	27			5		5	1		2	6
	28			5		5	1		2	4
	29			5		5	1		2	4
	30			5		5	1		2	4
	31			5		5	1		2	4
Totals of Numbers and Days.				135		135	31		62	130
Number of full daily Rations actually issued.				135		135	31		62	130

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

Remarks Explanatory of Casualties and the Variations in the Numbers.

Men *Horses*

from Melbourne 2 from Melbourne

to Melbourne 2 lost horses to Melbourne

ALLOWANCES.

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

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

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

8 ounces of Bread
8 " Meat

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

CHILDREN ABOVE 7 YEARS OF AGE.

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

CHILDREN UNDER 7 YEARS OF AGE.

4 ounces of Bread
4 " Meat

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Commanding Officer.

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Received from
Contractor, at
Return, viz:—

, being for Rations and Allowances, as per the Within

In Figures:

Full Rations of Provisions to Men.....
..... Ditto to Women.....
..... Ditto to Children above 7
..... Ditto to Children under 7
Pounds of Candles
Pounds of Wood
Full Rations of Forage

A. Graham
Capt. M.P. Police

No. of Abstract }
to Warrant of 184 . }

VOUCHER, No. 235 OF ABSTRACT C.

THE DEPARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE at *Portland*

Dr. to *William Stilled Contractor*

For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Forage, and of Articles, supplied to the above Corps, for the period,
from *the 1st* to *the 31st October* 1844, inclusively, as per
annexed Return, viz:—

101 Rations of Provisions, No. 5, issued to Men of the Mounted Police, @ *5* per Ration.....

51 Rations of Provisions, No. 4, issued to Wives of Non-Commissioned Officers and of Soldiers of the
Mounted Police, @ *5* per Ration

Rations of Provisions, No. , issued to Children of ditto, above 7 year of age, @ per
Ration

62 Rations of Provisions, No. 5, issued to Children of ditto, under 7 years of age, @ *5* per
Ration

3/4 Candles, @ *5* per pound.....

Pounds of Firewood, @ per hundred pounds.....

92 Ration of Forage, @ *2/6* per Ration.....

TOTAL.....£ *15 15 9 1/2*

Signature of Contractor *W. Stilled*

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.

W. Stilled
Chief Magistrate

RECEIVED on the

December 1844, from *William Stilled Esq*
Sub-Treasurer the sum of *fifteen* pounds,
shillings, and *ninety* pence, in full payment

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

WITNESS TO PAYMENT,

A RETURN of the MOUNTED POLICE, Stationed at *Portland* **New South Wales, entitled to Rations; and of the total number**
of full Daily Rations actually issued, for the period, from *the first* **to the** *thirty first* **October** *1844*, **inclusively.**

DATE.		Field Officer.	Commissioned Officers.	Sergeant Major	Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates.	Servants not Soldiers.			Total of Men.	Wives of the Soldiers of the Mounted Police.	Children of ditto, above 7 years of age.	Children of ditto, under 7 years of age.	Number of Horses.	Remarks Explanatory of Casualties and the Variations in the Numbers.	
MONTH.	DAY,														
October	1	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	4	1	.	2	4	One man & two horses on duty, look & day taken	
.	2	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	4	1	.	2	2		
.	3	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	4	1	.	2	2		
.	4	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	4	1	.	2	2		
.	5	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	4	1	.	2	2		
.	6	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	4	1	.	2	4	Two men & two horses off duty	
.	7	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	4	1	.	2	4	One man & horse on duty	
.	8	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	4	1	.	2	4	Patrolled at Portland	
.	9	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	4	1	.	2	4	do do	
.	10	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	4	1	.	2	4	One man & horse off duty	
.	11	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	4	1	.	2	4	One man & horse on duty, look up	
.	12	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	4		
.	13	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	4		
.	14	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	4	One man under sentence	
.	15	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	4	One man & two horses on duty	
.	16	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	4	One man & two horses on duty, look up	
.	17	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	2	One man & two horses on duty, look up	
.	18	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	2		
.	19	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	2		
.	20	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	2		
.	21	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	2	Patrolled at Seelby	
.	22	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	1	.	2	2	do do	
.	23	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	1	.	2	2	do do	
.	24	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	1	.	2	2	do at Portland	
.	25	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	2		
.	26	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	2		
.	27	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	3	One man & horse off duty	
.	28	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	3		
.	29	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	3		
.	30	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	3		
.	31	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3	1	.	2	3		
Totals of Numbers and Days.		.	.	.	101	.	.	.	101	31	.	62	92		
Number of full daily Rations actually issued.		.	.	.	101	.	.	.	101	31	.	62	92		

ALLOWANCES.

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

24 ounces of Flour

16 " Beef

4 " Salt

4 " Tea

2 1/2 " Sugar

1/2 " Tobacco

1/2 " Soap.

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

8 ounces of Bread

8 " Meat

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

CHILDREN ABOVE 7 YEARS OF AGE.

5 1/2 ounces of Bread

5 1/2 " Meat

CHILDREN UNDER 7 YEARS OF AGE.

4 ounces of Bread

4 " Meat

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

8 lbs Maize or Barley, or 10 lbs of Oats

4 lbs Bran

12 lbs of Oats or Cultivated Grass Hay, and

4 lbs Wheat Straw, for each Horse Daily, and

half that quantity for each Bullock.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Commanding Officer.

P. M. M. S. S.
Rev. Magistrate

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

	In Figures.
Full Rations of Provisions to Men.....	101
..... Ditto to Women	31
..... Ditto to Children above 7	0
..... Ditto to Children under 7	02
Pounds of Candles	1
Pounds of Wood	2
Full Rations of Forage	92

A. Graham
Coop. M. Police

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 to Warrant of 184 . }

VOUCHER, No. 236 of Abstract C. 6

THE DEPARTMENT of the MOUNTED POLICE at *Portland*

Dr. to *William Tulloh Contractor*

For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Forage, and of Articles, supplied to the above Corps, for the period,
 from *the 1st* to *the 31st November* 1844, inclusively, as per
 annexed Return, viz:—

	£	s.	d.
<i>40</i> Rations of Provisions, No. 3, issued to Men of the Mounted Police, @ <i>8</i> per Ration.....	3	0	0
<i>30</i> Rations of Provisions, No. 4, issued to Wives of Non-Commissioned Officers and of Soldiers of the Mounted Police, @ <i>3</i> per Ration	1	1	0
" Rations of Provisions, No. 5, issued to Children of ditto, above 7 year of age, @ — per Ration	0	0	0
<i>60</i> Rations of Provisions, No. 5, issued to Children of ditto, under 7 years of age, @ <i>2</i> per Ration	0	10	0
<i>114</i> Candles, @ <i>8</i> per pound.....	0	0	8
— Pounds of Firewood, @ — per hundred pounds.....	0	0	0
<i>48</i> Ration of Forage, @ <i>1/6</i> per Ration.....	0	9	0
TOTAL.....	£ 13	12	9

Signature of Contractor *W. Tulloh*

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.

W. Tulloh
Philip Magistrate

RECEIVED on the

1844, from *William Tulloh* pounds,
 the sum of *thirteen*

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

WITNESS TO PAYMENT,

W. Tulloh

A RETURN of the MOUNTED POLICE, Stationed at Portland New South Wales, entitled to Rations; and of the total number of full Daily Rations actually issued, for the period, from the first to the Thirtieth November 1844, inclusively.

DATE.	Field Officer.	Commissioned Officers.	Sergeant Major.	Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates.	Servants not Soldiers.			Total of Men.	Wives of the Soldiers of the Mounted Police.	Children of ditto, above 7 years of age.	Children of ditto, under 7 years of age.	Number of Horses.	Remarks Explanatory of Casualties and the Variations in the Numbers.	
MONTH.	DAY.													
Nov	1							3	1		2	3		
	2							3	1		2	3		
	3							3	1		2	3		
	4							3	1		2	3		
	5							3	1		2	3		
	6							3	1		2	3		
	7							3	1		2	3		
	8							3	1		2	3		
	9							3	1		2	3		
	10							3	1		2	3		
	11							3	1		2	3		
	12							3	1		2	3		
	13							3	1		2	3		1 man & horse on duty
	14							3	1		2	3		
	15							3	1		2	3		1 man & horse off duty
	16							3	1		2	3		
	17							3	1		2	3		
	18							3	1		2	3		
	19							3	1		2	3		
	20							3	1		2	3		
	21							3	1		2	3		1 man & horse on duty, both 5 days rations.
	22							3	1		2	3		
	23							3	1		2	3		
	24							3	1		2	3		
	25							3	1		2	3		
	26							3	1		2	3		
	27							3	1		2	3		1 man & horse off duty
	28							3	1		2	3		
	29							3	1		2	3		
	30							3	1		2	3		
	31													
Totals of Numbers and Days.								90	30		60	78		
Number of full daily Rations actually issued.								90	30		60	78		

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

[Signature]
[Signature]

Commanding Officer.

ALLOWANCES.

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

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

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

8 ounces of Bread
 8 " Meat

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

CHILDREN ABOVE 7 YEARS OF AGE.

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

CHILDREN UNDER 7 YEARS OF AGE.

4 ounces of Bread
 4 " Meat

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

	In Figures.
Full Rations of Provisions to Men.....	90
..... Ditto to Women	30
..... Ditto to Children above 7	—
..... Ditto to Children under 7	60
Pounds of Candles	2
Pounds of Wood	—
Full Rations of Forage	78

A. Graham
Corps of Engineers

No. of Abstract }
 to WARRANT 184 }

Voucher No. 234 of Abstract A. 19. *C*

The DEPARTMENT of the *Immigrants* at *Port Phillip*
 Dr. to *Wm. Craig, Contractor*

For the undermentioned Daily Rations of Provisions and Articles supplied to the <i>Hospital</i> , for the period, from the <i>1st July</i> to the <i>31 March</i> 1844, as per the accompanying Returns, viz:—		Num	£	s.	d.
90 pounds of fine Bread	<i>2 1/2 p lb</i>	"	11	3	
90 " of Meat	<i>1 1/2 "</i>	"	11	3	
30 " of Tea	<i>1/10 "</i>	"	5	6	
20 " of Sugar	<i>2 1/4 "</i>	"	3	9	
2 " of Salt	<i>1 "</i>	"	2		
30 " of Vegetables	<i>3 1/2 "</i>	"	11	0	
2 " of Oatmeal	<i>1 1/2 "</i>	"	9		
12 dozen of Soap	<i>3 1/2 p doz</i>	"	1	4	
4 pounds of Candles	<i>5 1/2 p lb</i>	"	1	8	
4 " of Rice	<i>2 1/2 "</i>	"	10		
20 " of Butter	<i>4 1/2 p 100 lb</i>	"	1	2	
10 Quarts of Milk	<i>5 p qt</i>	"	1	2	
TOTAL.....			£	3	5

Signature of the Contractor *Wm. Craig*
 I CERTIFY that the whole of the Daily Rations and Articles charged for in the above Account
 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 *this* Contract.

RECEIVED on the *4 Decem* 1844, from *William Donald Esq.*
Pub Treasurer the Sum of *Three pounds five shillings*
Seven pence 1/2 in full payment of the above Account, for which *I* have
 signed Duplicate Receipts of the same tenor and date.

Witness to the payment,