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In the Supreme Court
of the Colony of Victoria

In the Probate Jurisdiction
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In the Estate of John
James Ward late of
Parramatta in the
Colony of Victoria
deceased Intestate

Attorney
of
Jury



Joseph J. J. J.
Proctor
attorney

In the Supreme Court }
of the Colony of Victoria } In the Probate Jurisdiction

In the Estate of John
James Ward late of
Pakenham in the Colony
of Victoria Groom deceased
Intestate

I Patrick O'Brien of Cowwarr in
the Colony of Victoria Groomer make oath and say:-

1. That I am worth property in the Colony
of Victoria of the value of three hundred
and fifty two pounds over and above what will
pay all my just debts and liabilities
2. That such property consists of freehold
land in the parish of Toongabbie North County
of Tanjil and being sections O¹ and O² respectively
containing eighty acres each on the boundary
of the Township of Cowwarr in the said Colony
which section O¹ I value at the sum of two hundred
pounds and which section O² I value at the
sum of two hundred pounds
3. That I am not swayed in any other matter
whatsoever

Sworn at Cowwarr in the } Patrick O'Brien
Colony of Victoria this twenty first
day of July 1893

Before me

Nidger Harvey
A Commissioner of the Supreme Court of
the Colony of Victoria for taking affidavits

In the Supreme Court
of the Colony of Victoria

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Probate Jurisdiction

In the Estate of John
James Ward late of
Fakenham in the
Colony of Victoria
deceased intestate

Applicant

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Joseph Thibierge
Proctor
Melbourne

In the Supreme Court
of the Colony of Victoria } In the Probate jurisdiction

In the Estate of John James
Ward late of Parkham
in the Colony of Victoria
Grocer deceased Intestate

I Edward Cummings of Cowwarr in
the Colony of Victoria Blacksmith make oath and
say:—

1. That I am worth property in the Colony
of Victoria of the value of three hundred and fifty
two pounds over and above what will pay all
my just debts and liabilities.

2. That such property consists of one ~~one~~
hundred and ninety nine acres two roods and
twenty two perches or thereabouts of freehold
land being section eighteen parish of

~~the~~ Toongabbie ^{road} County of Tangil at Winnindoo
which I value at the sum four thousand pounds

3. That I am not swifty in any other
matter whatsoever

~~the~~ Sworn at ^{Cowwarr} ~~Winnindoo~~ in the }
Colony of Victoria this ~~twenty first~~ } E Cummings
day of July 1893 }

Before me

Thidger Harvey

A Commissioner of the Supreme Court
of the Colony of Victoria for taking affidavits

In the Supreme Court
of the County of Victoria

Robert Brown
vs
the Estate of John

4/8/93
In the Estate of John

James Ward - late of
Pakenham in the County
of Victoria Proces
deceased Administrators

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Official

of

Administrators



Joseph Subjunct
Proctor
Victoria

In the Supreme Court
of the Colony of Victoria } In the Probate jurisdiction

In the Estate of John James
Ward late of Pakenham
in the Colony of Victoria
Grocer deceased Intestate

I Ellen Ward of Cowwarr in the Colony of
Victoria Widow make oath and say:-

1. I am seeking to obtain Administration of the Estate of the above named John James Ward deceased of whom I am the lawful widow
2. The said deceased died on the twelfth day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety three at the Melbourne Hospital in the Colony aforesaid
3. The deceased left no real estate in the Colony of Victoria but left personal estate in the said Colony not exceeding in value the sum of three hundred and fifty two pounds
4. The deceased left him surviving only me this deponent and two children issue of his marriage with me namely Bernard Ward aged eighteen months or thereabouts and John James Ward aged two months or thereabouts and no other child or children and myself and the said two children are the only persons entitled to share in the estate of the said deceased
5. I have made careful search and enquiry to ascertain whether deceased left a will but have been unable to find any and I verily believe that the said deceased never made a will
6. To the best of my knowledge information and belief the said deceased did not within the

space of two years preceding the date of his death convey or otherwise dispose of for other than adequate valuable consideration any real or personal property of which he was seized or possessed

✓ 7. That if I obtain administration I will well and truly collect and administer according to law to the best of my knowledge and ability the property lands and hereditaments goods chattels and credits of the said deceased at the time of his death which at any time after shall come to the power or control hands or possession of me as his administratrix or of any other person or persons for me that I will make or cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the property lands and hereditaments goods chattels and credits of the said deceased which shall have come to the hands possession or knowledge of me or to the hands or possession of any other person or persons for me and the same so made will sign with my proper handwriting and will exhibit and deposit or cause to be exhibited and deposited the same Inventory in the office of the Master in Equity within three calendar months next ensuing the order granting administration And further that I will make or cause to be made a true and just account of the administration of the estate which I have undertaken as to receipts and disbursements and as to what portion is retained by me and what portion remains uncollected and the same so made will sign with my proper

handwriting and will exhibit and
deposit or cause to be exhibited and
deposited the same account in the
said office of the Master in Equity
within fifteen calendar months next
ensuing the order granting administration
Sworn at ~~Cowwarr~~ in the
Colony of Victoria this ~~twenty first~~ day of July 1893

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Before me

Thidger Harvey

A Commissioner of the Supreme
Court of the Colony of Victoria for taking
affidavits

In the Supreme Court
of the Colony of Victoria

In the Probate Jurisdiction

In the Estate of John
James Ward & the of
Parkerham in the County
of Victoria Goods deceased
Intestate

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Affidavit

of

Testimonials and Searches



Joseph J. J. J. J.
Proctor
Melbourne

In the Supreme Court In the Probate
of the colony of Victoria Jurisdiction

In the Estate of John
James Ward late of
Pakenham in the colony
of Victoria Grocer deceased
Intestate

I James Bunt Stewart clerk to our Joseph
FitzGerald of 108 Queen Street Melbourne
in the colony of Victoria Proctor make
oath and say:-

1. There appeared in the "Argus" newspaper
published in the City of Melbourne on the
twenty first day of June one thousand
eight hundred and ninety three a notice
of which the following is a copy:-

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" After fourteen days from the
" publication hereof application will
" be made to the Supreme Court ^{of Victoria} in
" the Probate Jurisdiction that Letters
" of administration of the Estate
" of John James Ward late of Pakenham
" in the colony of Victoria grocer deceased
" Intestate may be granted to Ellen
" Ward of Lowmore in said colony widow
" of the said deceased
" Dated this twenty first day of June 1893
" Joseph FitzGerald 108 Queen Street
" (Corner Little Collins Street) Melbourne
" Proctor for the said Ellen Ward

2. I have since the death of the above

deceased searched in the office of the
Registrar General of the Colony of Victoria
and find that no will of the said deceased
is there deposited

3. I have this day searched in the proper
office of this Honourable Court and find that
no caveat has been lodged in this matter
Sworn at Melbourne in the
Colony of Victoria this 24th
day of July 1873

J. Burt Stewart

Before me
Wm. McDonald
Commissioner of the Supreme
Court of the Colony of Victoria for
taking affidavits.

24th 1893
In the Supreme Court
of the Colony of Victoria
John Robert Thompson

John Robert Thompson
Probate Jurisdiction
1893

In the Estate of John
James Ward late of
Parkhurst in the County
of Victoria Grocer
deceased, intestate
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Official
of

Administratrix



John Robert Thompson
105 Queen Street
Melbourne

In the Supreme Court }
of the Colony of Victoria } In the Probate Jurisdiction

In the Estate of John
James Ward late of
Parkenham in the Colony
of Victoria Grocer
deceased Intestate

I Ellen Ward of Cowwarr in the Colony
of Victoria Widow make oath and say:-

1. I am seeking to obtain administration
of the Estate of the above named John James
Ward deceased of whom I am the lawful widow
2. The said deceased died on the twelfth
day of April one thousand eight hundred and
ninety three at the Melbourne Hospital in
the Colony aforesaid
3. The deceased left no real estate in the
Colony of Victoria but left personal estate
in the said Colony not exceeding in value
the sum of three hundred and fifty two pounds
4. The deceased left him surviving only me
his deponent two children issue of his
marriage with me namely Bernard Ward
aged eighteen months or thereabouts and
John James Ward aged two months or
thereabouts and no other child or children
and myself and the said two children are the
only persons entitled to share in the estate
of the said deceased
5. I have made careful search and
enquiry to ascertain whether deceased

left a will but have been unable to find any and I verily believe that the said deceased never made a will

6. To the best of my knowledge information and belief the said deceased did not within the space of two years preceding the date of his death convey or otherwise dispose of for other than adequate valuable consideration any real or personal property of which he was seized or possessed

7. That if I obtain administration I will well and truly collect and administer according to law to the best of my knowledge and ability the property lands and hereditaments goods chattels and credits of the said deceased at the time of his death which at any time after shall come to the power or control hands or possession of me as his administratrix or of any other person or persons for me that I will make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the property lands and hereditaments goods chattels and credits of the said deceased which shall have come to the hands possession or knowledge of me or to the hands or possession of any other person or persons for me; and the same so made will sign with my proper handwriting and will exhibit and deposit or cause to be exhibited and deposited the same inventory in the office of the Master in Equity within three calendar months next ensuing the order granting administration And further that I will make or cause to be made a true and just account of the administration of the estate which I have undertaken as to my receipts and

disbursements and as to what portion is retained by me and what portion remains uncollected and the same so made will sign with my proper handwriting and will exhibit and deposit or cause to be exhibited and deposited the same accounts in the said office of the Master in Equity within fifteen calendar months next ensuing the order granting administration

Sworn at Bow-warr in

the Colony of Victoria this is
Fourth (4th) day of July 1893

Ellen Ward

Before me

George W. M. M. -

A Commissioner of the Supreme
Court of the Colony of Victoria for taking
affidavits.

In the Supreme Court
of the Colony of Victoria
Probate Jurisdiction
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In the Estate of John
James Mordaunt late of
Parkham in the County
of Victoria deceased
Intestate

Affidavit

of —

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James Mordaunt

In the Supreme Court
of the Colony of Victoria & In the Probate Jurisdiction

In the Estate of John James
Ward late of Parkham
in the Colony of Victoria
Grocer deceased Intestate

I Patrick O'Brien of Cowwarr in
the Colony of Victoria Grazier make oath
and say:-

1. That I am worth property in the Colony of
Victoria of the value of three hundred and fifty
two pounds over and above what will pay
all my just debts and liabilities.
2. That such property consists of freehold
land in the parish of Toongabbie North County
of Tanjil and being sections 0' and 0² respectively
containing eighty acres each on the boundaries
of the Township of Cowwarr in the said Colony
which section 0' of land I value at the sum of
£^{Two}~~Four~~ hundred pounds and which section 0²
I value at the sum of ^{Two}~~Four~~ hundred pounds.
P.O.B.
3. That I am not surety in any other matter
whatsover

Sworn at Cowwarr in the
Colony of Victoria this 4th
day of July 1893

Patrick O'Brien

Before me

George Wood.

Commissioner of the Supreme Court of the
Colony of Victoria for taking affidavits.

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In the Supreme Court
of the Colony of Victoria

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In the Probate Jurisdiction

In the Estate of
John James Ward
late of Parkenham in
the Colony of Victoria
deceased Intestate

Affidavit
of

Deputy



Joseph Henry Smith
Deputy Probate
Magistrate

In the Supreme Court,
of the Colony of Victoria } In the Probate Jurisdiction

In the Estate of John
James Ward late of
Parkenham in the Colony
of Victoria Grocer deceased
Intestate —

I Mary Harkin of Corwar in the
Colony of Victoria Grainger ^{Widow} make oath and say:

1. That I am worth property in the Colony
of Victoria of the value of Three hundred
and fifty two pounds over and above
what will pay all my just debts and
liabilities.
2. That such property consists of the sum
of Four Hundred & fifty pounds
placed by me on fixed deposit
in the Colonial Bank of Australia
at Traralgon in the said Colony for one
year from the First day of February.
One thousand eight hundred and ninety three
at Four pounds per centum per annum
3. That I am not surety in any other
matter whatsoever

Sworn at Corwar
in the Colony of Victoria
this 4th day of
July 1893

Mary Harkin

Before me

George Wood.

Commissioner
for taking Declarations

A Commissioner of the Supreme
Court of the Colony of Victoria for taking
Affidavits

In the Supreme Court
of the Colony of Victoria
In the Probate Jurisdiction
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In the Estate of John
James Macdonald late of
Fosterham in the County
of Victoria Governor
deceased Administrator

Edwards
of
Administration & Executor



Joseph John Gervais

In the Supreme Court
of the Colony of Victoria } In the Probate Jurisdiction

In the Estate of John
James Ward late of
Pakenham in the Colony
of Victoria deceased
Intestate

James Burt Stewart -
John Robertson, clerk to Mr Joseph
Fitzgerald of 108 Queen Street Melbourne in
the Colony of Victoria Solicitor make oath
and say:-

1. That the following advertisement duly
appeared in the Argus newspaper published
in the City of Melbourne on the twenty first
day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety three
"After fourteen days from the publication hereof application will
"be made to the Supreme Court of Victoria in the Probate Jurisdiction that
"Letters of Administration of the Estate of John James Ward late of Pakenham
"in the Colony of Victoria grocer deceased intestate may be granted
"to Ellen Ward of Bourwarre in said Colony widow of the said deceased
"Dated this twenty first day of June 1893.

"Joseph Fitzgerald 108 Queen Street (corner Little Collins
"Street) Melbourne Proctor for the said Ellen Ward

2. That I have since the death of the said deceased searched in
the office of the Registrar General of the Colony of Victoria and find that no will
of the above named deceased is there deposited

3. That I have this day searched in the proper office of this
honorable Court and find that no caveat is lodged in this matter

Sworn at Melbourne in the Colony
of Victoria this sixth day of
July 1893 Before me

J Burt Stewart

James B. Stewart
a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of Victoria for taking affidavits

In the Supreme Court of
the Colony of Victoria

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In the Probate Jurisdiction

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IN THE ESTATE of JOHN JAMES
WARD late of Pakenham in the
Colony of Victoria Grocer
deceased Intestate -

APPLICATION that LETTERS of
ADMINISTRATION of the Estate
of above named deceased be
GRANTED to ELLEN WARD the
Widow of the said deceased -

Granted
14/7/93
[Signature]

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Joseph FitzGerald
Proctor
Melbourne

Cowarr

1st July 1893

J Fitzgerald Esq
Solicitor
Melbourne

Dear

Your packet
containing fresh affidavits
received on Saturday.
Mr Lane mentioned when
sending the first papers
that Mr Wood should
be a Commissioner of the
Supreme Court; before
he would be qualified to
witness them. We ask-
ed him if he was & he
replied in the affirmative.

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In the Supreme Court

of the Colony of Victoria

In the Probate Jurisdiction

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In the Estate of John James
Ward late of Pakenham in
the Colony of Victoria
Grocer deceased Intestate

APPLICATION that Letters
of Administration of the
Estate of above named
deceased be granted to
Ellen Ward the Widow of
said deceased

Granted

4/8/93

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WJ

Joseph FitzGerald
Proctor

Melbourne