

29th October 1839

34/153 Chief Protector Enclosing copies of a
letter to and from Mr Raymond one from the
Col. Secy. and another to my dredge, Parker & others
from the Col. Secy.

Chief Protector's Office

Melbourne Port Phillip

29th Oct. 1839

No. 192

Sir,

I have the honor to forward the enclosed
correspondence, and shall feel obliged, by your
Instructions in reference to the same, and
whether it will meet your Honors approbation
to include this item of expense in the
Contingent Abstract as suggested by the
Post Master General.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedt Servt

P. A. Robinson

Chief Protector

His Honor

C. J. La Trobe Esq^r

Superintendent

of the

copy

General Post Office
Sydney 5th Oct^r 1839

Sir,

In returning you the enclosed Envelopes transmitted from your Office, and in reply to your two communications of 14th ult^r respecting the charge of postage on them. I beg to inform you that there are only Officers of certain Departments in this Colony who are entitled to receive and dispatch Letters free by reason of their Office, and that yours does not appear in the List.

At the same time I beg to observe that you may, probably, be refunded the sum so paid by submitting it in your Contingent Abstract to the Auditor General.

I am Sir

Your Obedient Servant
(signed) Jas. Raymond

The Chief Protector
of the Aborigines
& Co. &c.
Melbourne