

NEW SOUTH WALES – COLONIAL SECRETARY
LETTERS RELATING TO MORETON BAY AND QUEENSLAND
RECEIVED 1822 – 1860

LETTERS RECEIVED 1859 AND PAPERS FILED WITH THEM – REEL A2.42
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| | 59/02524 | 1859 06 15 | Under Secretary~ | Registrar General's Office, Sydney Christopher Rolleston, Registrar General | 1859 06 13 | At top: "Ex C – 59/576 – 18 June 1859" Letter reporting sums voted 1856 for making Extracts of Deeds affecting Moreton Bay expended – transmitting letter from Jonas Lauder [Lander?] employed in this duty informing 2500 Deeds of Grant to be copied [No 59/613] Para 2: Further £125 needed to complete work – rate of remuneration – submitting matter for approval & Notes in margin Executive Council & Notes re above | A2.42 | 001 – 002 |
| | | | | "C C" | 1859 06 17~ | Ex C re completion of work - £125 to be included in Supplementary Estimate for present year – to be submitted to Legislative Assembly [No 59/576] | | |
| | | | | A O Moriarty, Clerk of the Council | 1859 06 28 | Approved Returned Colonial Secretary's Office | | |
| | | | | "W T D" | 1859 07 09~ | Secretary to Treasury, Registrar General | | |
| | | | | "C C" | 1859 07 09~ 1859 07 11~ 1859 07 14 | | | |
| | 59/02524 | | Christopher Rolleston Registrar General | Registrar General's Office Jonas Lauder [Lander?] | 1859 06 10 | At top: "J Lauder [Lander?]" Letter re further sum £123-14-0 required to complete making Extracts of Deeds affecting lands in Moreton Bay District – details Also at top: "RGO/ 59/879/ 11 th June 1859" | | 003 |
| | 58/02741 | 1858 07 30 | Under Secretary~ | Registrar General's Office, Sydney Christopher Rolleston, Registrar General | 1858 07 29 | Letter re £600 voted 1856 for extracting Memorials of Deeds affecting property at Moreton Bay – balance for making copies of Deeds of Grant of Lands in Moreton Bay [No 58/756 – could be 58/758] & Notes in margin Approved Registrar General, Secretary to Treasury [Ref 59/02524] | A2.42 | 004 |
| | | | | "C C" | 1858 08 03~ 1858 08 09 | | | |
| | 57/04291 | 1857 10 26 | Hon CS | Registrar General's Office, Sydney Christopher Rolleston | 1857 10 24 | Letter re payment to Jonas Lauder [Lander?] for Extracts of Moreton Bay Deeds – rate – extracts 1842 to 1852 almost completed - requires authority for continuing work [No 57/1176] Para 2: Rate per annum paid to Mr Lauder [Lander?] Para 3: Requests authority to continue work at same rate per Extract & Notes in margin Approved Registrar General [Ref 58/02741] | A2.42 | 005 - 007 |
| | | | | "C C" | 1857 10 31~ 1857 11 02 | | | |

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| | 57/01783 | 1857 05 04 | Hon CS | Registrar General's Office, Sydney Christopher Rolleston | 1857 05 02 | Transmitting letter from Mr Lauder [Lander?] re remuneration for extracting Moreton Bay Deeds from Registers of Deeds Office Para 2: Re Mr Elyard's opinion re rate of pay for each Extract – requests rate be continued & Notes in margin Former papers 56/9003 herewith Refer to Attorney General Noted 5/- to be allowed for each Extract Returned Colonial Secretary's Office Approved Registrar General [Ref 57/04291] | A2.42 | 008 – 009 |
| | 57/01783 | | C Rolleston, Registrar General | Sydney Jonas Lauder [Lander?] | 1857 04 21 | At top: "J Lauder [Lander?]" Letter re extracting Memorials etc referring to Moreton Bay required by Section 30 Moreton Bay District Court Act – commenced 5 th March - discusses time spent & remuneration for 52 extracts re Lands in Moreton Bay – mentions Mr Elyard's report Also at top: "Registration 57/588 – 2 May 1857" & Notes in margin To Colonial Secretary with letter Colonial Secretary – "481" | | 010 – 011 |
| | | | | "C R" | 1857 05 02 1857 05 21 | [Cover] Christopher Rolleston Esq/ Registrar General | | 012 |
| | | | | "H W P" | 1856 12 12 1856 12 12 | Note At top: "Colonial Treasurer" Submitting J Lauder's [Lander?] application to prepare Index of Deeds affecting Land in Northern Districts Crown Law Officers Noted | | 013 |
| | | | | "W M M", AG | 1856 12 19 | Transcripts or extracts only – Mr Lauder [Lander?] wishes to be engaged, no promise but recommends – under control of Registrar General, should be consulted re Mr Lauder's [Lander?] terms – nothing to be done until Moreton Bay Bill passed into law & Registrar General placed at Head of Registry Office Returned Colonial Secretary's Office Also at top: "56/9003 – 11 Dec 1856" | | |
| | | | | "H W P" | 1856 12 24 1857 03 05~ 1857 03 12~ 1857 03 30~ | Notes Bring forward at proper time [Ref 57/01783] Both Bills passed but not yet assented to Bills assented to Understand Mr Lauder [Lander?] engaged in work under directions from Attorney General | | 014 |
| | | | Hon Stuart A Donaldson, Colonial Treasurer | Box 101 Post Office, Sydney Jonas Lauder [Lander?] | 1856 12 08 | At top: "Jonas Lauder [Lander?]" Stamped: TREASURY NO.6817/ DE 1856/ NEW SOUTH WALES Letter re proposal to select & abstract from Registry of Deeds an Index of Deeds affecting Lands in Northern Districts – re proposed new Registry | | 015 |

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| | 59/02527 | 1859 06 15 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | J W Verleven [difficult to decipher] | 1859 06 15~ 1859 09 08~ 1859 09 08 1859 09 09 | At top: "J W Verleven" Memorial of John William Verleven of Drayton, native of Hielbrun in Baden – 41 yrs, vine dresser – arrived by "Caesar Good Frau" ["Caesar Godeffroy"] 1852 Annexed certificate of character – wishes to purchase land <u>Certificate</u> [Signed] Alexander Bruce, C Pottinger, Alexander Coutts <u>Certificate</u> Bench of Magistrates [Signed] Frederick N Isaac JP, John Watts JP & Notes in margin "Mr V" No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | 017 - 018 |
| | 59/02620 59/02620 | 1859 06 20 | Hon CS | Brisbane William Anthony Brown, Returning Officer | 1859 06 14 1859 08 26 | At top: "Returning Officer Brisbane – No 7" Letter re nomination of John Richardson only candidate for Electoral District of Brisbane – declared duly elected – Writ endorsed, sent by steamer [No 59/8] & Notes in margin Sent to Clerk of Assembly [Cover] H M S/ The Honourable/ The Colonial Secretary~/ Sydney [from] Returning Officer Brisbane Stamped: REGISTERED BRISBANE [postmarked: BRISBANE-NSW / JU10-1859] & Notes re above "817" Writ for Brisbane received Friday 14 June 59 Sent to Clerk of Assembly 26 Aug 1859 | A2.42 | 019 020 |
| | 59/02742 | 1859 06 25 | Hon CS | Brisbane Thomas L Murray-Prior | 1859 06 21 1859 08 26 | At top: "Returning Officer East Moreton – No 32" Letter returning Writ of Election for East Moreton endorsed with name Robert Cribb & a Return of the Poll [Writ not filmed here] & Note re above Sent to Clerk of Assembly <u>East Moreton Election Polling 19th June 1859</u> [Name of Candidate/ North Brisbane/South Brisbane/ Cleveland/ Logan R/ Total/ Remarks] | A2.42 | 021 022 |

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| | | | | | | William Butterworth – Total: 115 Robert Cribb – Total: 178 Poll declared in favour of Robert Cribb, 20 th day of June 1859 – Thomas L Murray-Prior, Returning Officer [Cover] O H M S/ To the Honble/ The Colonial Secretary/ Sydney [postmarked: BRISBANE-NSW / JU21-1859; SYDNEY-NSW / JU25-1859A] [3 stamps still affixed : NEW SOUTH WALES- POSTAGE–1 x TWO PENCE, 2 x ONE PENNY] | | 023 |
| | 59/02744 | 1859 06 25 | Hon CS | Ipswich Henry Challinor, Returning Officer "C C" | 1859 06 17 1859 06 28~ | At top: "Returning Officer Ipswich" Letter reporting Writ returned by registered mail – certified Arthur Macalister returned as Member for Electoral District Ipswich Para 2: Re date Writ received – opened on his behalf by Benjamin Cribb – re Crown Solicitor's advice Para 3: Posted Ballot Papers to Clerk Legislative Assembly together with statement of votes polled for each Candidate Para 4: Re copies of Electoral Roll used during Poll – awaiting instructions Para 5: Reports on arrangements for the Poll – total number of votes polled 468 Para 6: Re votes taken at polling places in vicinity of Squatting Stations – mentions Mr Cramp, Ipswich elector Para 7: Re situation at some Stations & List of Persons Eligible to Vote – refers to political dishonesty of their employers & superintendents or overseers & Note in margin | A2.42 | 024 - 026 |
| | 59/02746 | 1859 06 25 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR | 1859 06 21 1859 06 25~ 1859 06 27~ 1859 06 28 1859 06 28 | Letter forwarding applications for Certificates of Naturalization [see p 029-030] <u>Margin</u> Hans Frederick Hartz Hugh Francis Kosa & Notes in margin "Mr V" No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | 027 - 028 |
| | 59/02747 | 1859 06 25 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Brisbane Hugh Francis Kosa [Kora?] | 1859 06 15 1859 06 28 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Hugh Francis Kosa of Fortitude Valley, Brisbane, native of Berlin, Prussia – 22 yrs, gardener – arrived per "Caesar Goddefray" ["Caesar Godeffroy"?] Hamburg March 1856 – annexed Certificate of character – intends to purchase land <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist since January 1859 [Signed] George Fullerton MD, George Hack, Walter Hill & Note in margin Certificate prepared | A2.42 | 029 |

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| | 59/02748 | 1859 06 25 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Brisbane Hans Frederick Hartz | 1859 06 15 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Hans Frederick Hartz of Goodstead, Brisbane River, native of Utersen, Duchy Holstein – 40 yrs, farm labourer – arrived per “Caesar Goddefroy” [“Caesar Godeffroy”?] 1856 – annexed Certificate of character – intends to purchase land <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist since January 1858 [Signed] George Warren, George Hack, Walter Hill & Note in margin Certificate prepared | A2.42 | 030 |
| | 59/02781 | 1859 06 27 | Hon CS | Gladstone M C O'Connell, Government Resident | 1859 05 27 | At top: “Government Resident” Stamped: TREASURYNO.4069/JN29-1859 Letter re continuance of Boats Crew – re safety & security of Port Curtis [No 59/78] Para 2: Established Settlement in March 1854 – isolated, mentions Station of Rannes Para 3: Re protection Para 4: Troops stationed in Brisbane – outrages from aboriginal violence – mentions Port Curtis & expedition under Colonel Barney with Company of 99 th Regt Para 5: Re colonization of area Para 6: 7 constables & 4 orderlies as protection for Settlement, with detachment of Native Police – mentions “Tom Tough” schooner – replaced with boats crew of 1 coxswain & 5 men Paras 7-8: Sufficient force – re aborigines in Gladstone: free from outrage – aborigines useful to townspeople cutting wood & getting water Para 9: Force decreased over time – 1 chief, 5 other constables Paras 10-11: No longer confident able to protect the town – re aborigines Para 12: Re Native Police Station within 3 miles – poorly supplied with men Para 13: Re Force needed to preserve peace – need for Boat in Port Curtis Harbour – expenditure Para 14: Re Boats crew: saved cargo & running gear of “Sable Chief” & aided “Jenny Lind” stranded in Bustard Bay Para 15: Further uses of Boats Crew: communicating with vessels – local knowledge, to act as pilots Para 16: Re continuing services of Boats Crew Para 17: Re capacity & convenience of Harbour & Notes in margin 59/02392 – Government Resident Gladstone 26 May re Boats Crew Treasury [Ref 59/3534] The Treasurer – to be returned Read Returned Colonial Secretary's Office Mr Elyard | A2.42 | 031 - 039 |
| | 59/02791 | 1859 06 28 | Hon CS | Barmundoo, Gladstone Alfred H Brown Returning Officer for Leichardt [as it is] | 1859 06 15 | At top: “Returning Officer Leichardt” Letter returning Writ for Electoral District endorsed with name of person elected Re Circular of 15 th April enquiring whether Gladstone, Rockhampton, Taroom, Rannes & Canoona all requisite as polling places: Rannes vacated as a Head Station - recommends cancellation as polling place | A2.42 | 040 – 041 |

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| | | | | "C C" | 1859 05 19~ 1859 06 03 | & Notes in margin Appointment of Mr Beddek may go forward Bench, Mr Beddek [crossed out], Under Secretary Lands, Secretary Crown Law Office, Registrar General, Secretary to Treasury, Auditor General See M14657 Note Frank Newell Beddek, C P S Rockhampton for Mr Vallack | | 048 |
| | | | | "C C" | 1859 05 17~ | Note <u>M14657</u> Re Mr Beddek – to go to Rockhampton by steamer – Police Magistrate Parramatta has not sent in report re qualifications – query whether he should go | | 049 - 050 |
| | 59/01681 | | W M Hutchinson [as it is] | Rockhampton P S Cloete | 1859 02 15 | Letter re conduct – ready & willing – no complaints | A2.42 | 051 – 052 |
| | 59/01681 | | H Hutchinson [as it is] | Rockhampton J Leith Hay | 1859 02 10 | Letter re conduct | | 053 |
| | 59/01681 | | A H Hutchinson [as it is] Clerk of Petty Sessions, Rockhampton | N M Police Camp, Fitzroy John Murray JP | 1859 02 14 | Letter re conduct | | 054 |
| | 59/01681 | | A M Hutchinson [as it is], C P S | Mount Athelstane W H Wiseman | 1859 02 22 | Letter re conduct | | 055 |
| | 59/01681 | | A M Hutchinson, Rockhampton | Rockhampton Frederick R Hutchinson | 1859 03 21 [as it is] | Letter re conduct | | 056 |
| | 59/01681 | | A M Hutchinson, C P S | Rockhampton Arthur F Wood JP | 1859 02 11 | Letter re conduct | | 057 – 058 |
| | 59/01681 | 1859 04 29 | Hon CS | Macquarie Street, Sydney Hutchinson [signature difficult to decipher – Albert Maxwell Hutchinson?] "C C" | 1859 04 26 1859 04 29~ | [Cover] A M Hutchinson/ C P S/ Rockhampton At top: "A M Hutchinson" Letter requesting transfer in the Public Service – difficulties with Police Magistrate at Rockhampton – resigns position as Clerk of Petty Sessions Para 2: No details of grievance but refers to his service & Certificates held by Hon Minister for Finance & Trade P S Enclosing letters from Members of the Bench & Notes in margin Inform re Government's decision | | 059 060 - 062 |
| | 59/02801 | 1859 06 28 | Under Secretary, Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney | Gladstone M C O'Connell, Government Resident | 1859 06 17 | At top: "Government Resident Port Curtis" Transmitting application from Bench of Magistrates Rockhampton for building erected as a Hospital to be used for Benevolent Asylum - contributions to be raised by Rockhampton public - Benevolent Asylum desirable for the town [No 59/81] & Notes in margin | A2.42 | 063 – 064 |

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| | 59/02801 | | Government Resident, Port Curtis | <p>"C C"</p> <p>Police Office, Rockhampton Arthur F Wood JP for the Bench</p> <p>"M O'C"</p> | <p>1859 06 29~</p> <p>1859 06 29~</p> <p>1859 06 04</p> | <p>Usual course to be adopted – under sanction of Government Resident building may be used temporarily for object suggested Government Resident</p> <p>"Urgent" Letter re need for Benevolent Institution – requests building used for hospital during gold rush & now closed be set aside for the purpose [No 59/3] & Notes in margin Received June 14th - to Colonial Secretary June 17th - to be returned</p> | | 065 - 066 |
| | 59/02823 | 1859 06 29 | Principal Under Secretary | <p>Office of Inspector General of Police, Sydney John McLerie</p> <p>"C C"</p> | <p>1859 06 28</p> <p>1859 06 29~</p> <p>1859 07 01</p> | <p>Letter reporting on Memorial of Thomas Porter Hardy & Joseph Wyatt forwarded by Victorian Government, alleging ill-treatment at hands of Police Rockhampton while visiting the Gold Fields [No 59/32] Para 2: Re depositions – mentions Inspector Harrison Para 3: Gives opinion re harsh treatment & Notes in margin Copy of letter & depositions to be sent to Victorian Government in answer to 59/02017 Chief Secretary</p> | A2.42 | 067 - 070 |
| | 59/02017 | 1859 05 14 | Hon CS | <p>Chief Secretary's Office, Melbourne J Moore, Under Secretary</p> <p>"C C"</p> | <p>1859 05 05</p> <p>1859 05 23~</p> | <p>At top: "Victoria" Transmitting copy of Memorial addressed to Sir Henry Barkly from Thomas Porter Hardy & Joseph Wyatt together with correspondence re treatment at hands of Police Rockhampton when visiting the goldfields –opinion: harsh treatment entitled to compensation Also at top: "2376/ Police/ May 25th" & "1078" & Notes in margin Refer to Inspector General of Police for enquiry & report – to be returned [Ref 59/02823]</p> | A2.42 | 071 – 072 |
| | 59/02017 | | His Ex Governor of Victoria | <p>Thomas Porter Hardy Joseph Wyatt</p> <p>John F Grace [Grau?] MD, Chairman</p> | | <p>At top: "2376/ Police" Memorial of Thomas Porter Hardy & Joseph Wyatt: 11 October departed Geelong on "<i>British Banner</i>" for Rockhampton arriving Keppel Bay 25th – Schooner "<i>Comet</i>" to Rockhampton on 27th Oct – mentions passenger Jones from "<i>British Banner</i>" 29th Oct returning by "<i>General Windham</i>" [<i>General Wyndham</i>?] taken into custody – before Magistrate Arthur Vyner charged with uttering forged notes on Union Bank Melbourne Details: Mentions witness Mansfield & prisoner Thornton & forged notes, witness Emery, witness Jones, Inspector Harrison, witness Bellenger, trial at Brisbane Re depositions – subverted & altered Declaration by Allan McFarlane & John Horton, - testimonials forwarded from Geelong – disgraceful treatment – demand redress</p> <p>"Copy" [Resolutions] Public Meeting, Mechanics Institute, Newtown, Geelong Thursday 10th February 1859 re Thomas Porter Hardy & Joseph Wyatt & arrest at Rockhampton on charge of presenting forged notes & treatment by Police: - Explanation given by Messrs Hardy & Wyatt satisfactory – honest men</p> | | 073 – 077 078 – 079 |

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| | 59/02017 | | Superintendent Nicolson, Detective Police | Police Department, Chief Commissioner's Office, Melbourne F C Standish, Chief Commissioner | | - Treatment unjust - Committee to prepare Memorial to Government praying the matter be investigated "Copy" Memo Not affecting Victoria but Detective Rendell in Rockhampton – Mr Nicolson to request him to report | | 080 |
| | 59/02017 | | | C H Nicolson, Superintendent | 1859 04 18 | "Copy" Believes Petitioners Hardy & Wyatt "indiscreet" – exposed to operation of gangs during rush at Port Curtis | | 081 |
| | | | | Detective Office, Melbourne Walter Rendell, First Class Detective | | "Copy" Report re Thomas Porter Hardy & Joseph Wyatt & uttering of forged Union Bank notes at Rockhampton Re man identified as Judd Percival [as it is - Percival?] (5 years Victoria for horse stealing); questioned Hardy & Wyatt: arrived Rockhampton per " <i>British Banner</i> " direct from Geelong – arrived free from England, married & resident in Geelong, trade as carpenters Number of forged Union Bank notes manufactured in Van Diemen's Land to be put off at Port Curtis by men proceeding by Barque " <i>Miami</i> " to Port Curtis from Hobart Town – re Memorialists – Hobart man admitted guilt stating Hardy & Wyatt knew nothing | | 082 - 084 |
| | 59/02893 | 1859 07 04 | Hon CS | Ipswich Benjamin Cribb, Returning Officer | 1859 06 27 1859 07 06~ | At top: "Returning Officer, West Moreton" Letter reporting election of Henry Mort Member for Electoral District West Moreton – Writ forwarded to Governor General, Ballot Papers to Clerk of Assembly – particulars of votes polled: Ipswich: 152 Mort – 97 Challinor Bigge's Camp: 18 Mort - 1 Challinor Gatton: 9 Mort - 0 Challinor Fasserfern [as it is]: 27 Mort - 1 Challinor [Fassifern?] Wivenhoe: 7 Mort - 4 Challinor Cressbrook: <u>32 Mort - 0 Challinor</u> 245 103 Majority in favour of Mort: 142 & Note in margin "Mr V" [Cover] To the Honourable/ The Colonial Secretary/ Sydney [postmarked: IPSWICH; SYDNEY-NSW / JY4-1859A] | A2.42 | 086 [no p 085] 087 |
| | 59/02894 | 1859 07 04 | Hon CS | Gowrie Frederick Nevile Isaac Returning Officer for Darling Downs | 1859 06 20 1859 07 04~ | At top: "Returning Officer Darling Downs" Letter acknowledging receipt of Writ of Election for Electoral District Darling Downs & Note in margin "Mr V" | A2.42 | 088 |
| | 59/02898 | 1859 07 04 | Hon CS | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham GR | 1859 06 27 | Letter re Dr Robertson's account for attendance on 1 st Division Native Police – details – mentions Lieut Murray [No 59/161] & | A2.42 | 089 - 092 |

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| | | | | "C C" | 1859 07 06~ 1859 07 11 | Notes in margin Sum not exceeding £25 may be allowed for 1857 as for 1858 Government Resident | | |
| | 59/01719 | 1859 05 02 | Hon CS | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR | 1859 04 27 | Letter re charges made by Dr Robertson for medical attention on 1 st Division Native Police – enclosing copy letter from Lieut Murray re circumstances & details re payments made [No 59/N.P.62] & Notes in margin Sum of £25 to be authorised Government Resident [Ref 59/02898] | A2.42 | 093 – 096 |
| | 59/01719 | | Commandant of N M Police, Brisbane | Native Mounted Police Camp, Fitzroy John Murray, Lieut of Division | 1859 05 10~ 1859 05 25 1859 02 15 | "Copy" Letter re Dr Robertson's accounts for medical attendance on 1 st Division Native Police – Dr Robertson provided list of some of the cases [listed in margin] Details re Dr Robertson's attendances: No records – his dwelling 3 ½ miles from Barracks at Gladstone, no dispensing chemists in Gladstone, camp on Fitzroy twice visited by Dr Robertson | | 097 – 098 |
| | 58/04742 | 1858 12 04 | Hon CS | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, Government Resident | 1858 11 27 | Letter forwarding Voucher for medical attendance to troopers 1 st Division Native Police – account for £90 – considered excessive, account returned to Lieut Murray [No 58/440] [Voucher not filmed here] Enclosing explanation from Dr Robertson – details payments already made to Dr Robertson & requests advice re future payments & Notes in margin Information re visits & numbers attended as well as charges for attendance on other Divisions of Native Police by other medical men would be desirable Arrangement extravagant – re Dr Robertson's bill Government Resident [Ref 59/01719] | A2.42 | 099 – 102 |
| | 58/04742 | | John Murray, Lieut Commanding Native Police, Gladstone | Gladstone A C Robertson | 1858 12 06~ 1858 12 14 1858 03 09 | "Copy" Letter re Voucher for £90 & payment allowed for visiting Native Police Camp Gladstone when Government Surgeon – mentions attendance at Fitzroy Camp distance 70 miles – suggests a guaranteed amount quarterly or yearly for attendance & treatment of Native Police | | 103 – 104 |
| | 59/02899 | 1859 07 04 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR | 1859 06 28 | At top: "A Holzberger" Letter forwarding application for Certificate of Naturalization in favour of Adam Holzberger – recommends [No 59/125] & Notes in margin "Mr V" Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | 105 |
| | 59/02899 | | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Adam Holzberger~ [signature difficult to decipher] | 1859 07 04~ 1859 07 05 1859 07 06 1859 06 27 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Adam Holzberger of Bulimba, native of Baden Germany – 46 yrs, labourer – arrived per "Caesar" in 1855 - annexed Certificate of character – possessed of land & is married <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for last 2 years [Signed] Martin Egert, shoemaker, Brisbane | | 106 |

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| | 59/02904 | 1859 07 04 | Hon CS | Ipswich Benjamin Cribb, President | 1859 06 28 1859 07 04~ 1859 07 05~ 1859 07 07 | Michael Holzberger [difficult to decipher], labourer, Bulimba At top: "President School of Arts Ipswich" Letter enclosing List of Subscriptions received by Treasurer Ipswich School of Arts from Sept 1858 to June 1859 – requests £100 voted by Assembly [List not filmed here] & Notes in margin "Mr V" £100 voted – to be issued if Colonial Treasurer has no objection Secretary to Treasury, B Cribb | A2.42 | 107 |
| | 59/02317 | 1859 05 30 | Hon CS | Ipswich Benjamin Cribb, President of The School of Arts Ipswich "C C" | 1859 05 24 1859 05 30~ 1859 06 08~ 1859 06 08 | At top: "B Cribb, President School of Arts Ipswich" Letter on behalf of Committee of the School of Arts to request £100 voted to purchase books etc – subscriptions exceed £100 – mentions F A Forbes Treasurer & Notes in margin "Mr V" Requests Nominal List of Subscribers with amounts, signed by Treasurer & one of the Committee Mr Cribb [Ref 59/02904] [Cover] To the Honourable/ The Colonial Secretary/ Sydney [postmarked: BRISBANE-MY; SYDNEY-NSW / MY30-1859A] [Small square cut from cover – to remove postage stamp?] | A2.42 | 108 109 |
| | 59/02907 | 1859 07 04 | Hon CS | Ipswich J Malbon Thompson | 1859 06 22 1859 07 04~ 1859 07 16 1859 07 23 | At top: "J M Thompson" Letter re Certificate of Naturalization for Adam Rieth [also spelt Rieth – see p 112] – employed on Station & unable to take oath in time required – requests date of Certificate be altered or another Certificate issued & Notes in margin "Mr V" Certificate prepared Usual letters [Cover] The Honourable/ The Colonial Secretary/ Sydney [postmarked: IPSWICH-NSW / JU28-1859; SYDNEY-NSW/1859A] [Small square cut from cover – to remove postage stamp?] | A2.42 | 110 111 |
| | 59/01129 | 1859 03 26 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Adam Rieth ~ [signature difficult to decipher] | 1859 03 18 1859 03 30 | At top: "A Rieth" Memorial of Adam Rieth of Ipswich, native of Eltville, Dukedom of Nassau, Germany – 35yrs, tailor – arrived in New South Wales per ship "Peru" 1854 - annexed Certificate of character – has purchased land <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for 2 years [Signed] Thomas Staer? Alfred William Compigné JP & Note in margin Certificate prepared [Ref 59/02907] | A2.42 | 112 |
| | 59/02908 | 1859 07 04 | His Ex Sir Charles Augustus FitzRoy, Governor General | Andreas Siegel | 1859 06 25 | At top: "A Siegel" [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF | A2.42 | 113 |

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| | | | [as it is – old form?] | | 1859 07 04~ 1859 07 04~ 1859 07 05 1859 07 06 | NATURALIZATION Memorial of Andreas Siegel of Warwick, native of Nassau, Germany – 26 yrs, musician – arrived per “Pacific” 1855 – annexed Certificate of character – wishes to purchase land in District of Moreton Bay & to settle there <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for about 20 months [Signed] Daniel F Roberts, Solicitor, T S Warry, chemist- Footnote: Care of D F Roberts, Brisbane & Notes in margin “Mr V” No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | | |
| | 59/02929 | 1859 07 05 | Under Secretary to Government | The Treasury, Sydney Henry Lane, Under Secretary | 1859 07 02 | [Printed letterhead] At top: “New South Wales” Enclosing copy of Colonial Storekeeper’s report re delay in supply of clothing for Native Police Also at top: “P.O. 736” & Notes in margin “3894” Copy report of Colonial Storekeeper to Government Resident – suggest to Treasurer future delays in supply should be brought to notice Secretary to Treasury, Government Resident | A2.42 | 114 – 115 |
| | 59/02929 | | | “C C” “J B” | 1859 07 06~ 1859 07 07 1859 07 01 | “Copy” – “B C” Re delay in supply of clothing to Native Police - mentions long passage of “Dunrobin Castle” with supplies & non-arrival of “Caldera” with further portion | | 116 |
| | 59/02632 | 1859 06 20 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident’s Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR | 1859 06 14 | Letter re delay in forwarding clothing & stores for Native Police [No 59/N.P.74] Para 2: Requisition to Colonial Storekeeper – only small portion of articles received – inconvenience – officers have purchased clothing for troopers as well as ammunition Para 3: Complaints received from Commandant & Lieut Murray 1 st Division – troopers feeling effects of cold & Notes in margin Copy to Treasury – steps to be taken for supply of clothing – inform Capt Wickham Government Resident [Ref 59/02929] | A2.42 | 117 - 120 |
| | 59/02946 | 1859 07 06 | Under Colonial Secretary | Crown Solicitor’s Office, Sydney John Williams, Crown Solicitor | 1859 07 04 | At top: “M Hutchinson” Letter re Bond prepared & furnished by predecessor on 16 th March to Bench of Magistrates to be executed by Clerk of Petty Sessions – Bond returned by J Leith Hay stating Mr Hutchinson no longer Clerk of Petty Sessions Rockhampton [No 246] & Notes in margin “59/00911” “Mr V” Another person has been appointed | A2.42 | 121 |
| | 59/00911 | 1859 03 12 | Hon CS | Police Office, Rockhampton Arthur Vyner PM | 1859 02 12 | At top: “Bench” Letter re A M Hutchinson [see also M Hutchinson, | A2.42 | 122 |

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| | | | | | | & Note re above See Abstract No 189 of 59 Notes re above Stamped: [AUDIT] OFFICE-NEW SOUTH WALES/ JY20 [very faint] Government Printer requested to report Estimate based on charges of private printers in Sydney – re £14 charged by Messrs Bays: suggests Roll would not have cost more than £8-10-0 if printed in Sydney | | 127 – 128 |
| | 59/03002 | | | | | Audit Office W C Mayne, AG Thomas Richards, G P | | |
| | 59/03002 | 1859 07 09 | His Ex Sir William Denison, Governor General | Ipswich Sebastian Wenzel~ [difficult to decipher] | 1859 07 04 | <u>Note attached to Certificate</u> Sebastian Wenzel, Care of Mr John Fred Schmidt, Tin-Man (Care of Mr Heitz), Bell Street, Ipswich At top: "S Wenzel" [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Sebastian Wenzel of Ipswich, Moreton Bay, native of Bieberach, near Heilbronn Kingdom of Wuertemberg, - 52 yrs, gardener & wine dresser – arrived per "Perry" ["Commodore Perry"?] from Liverpool 1855 – annexed Certificate of character – bought freehold property, wishing to settle in Colony <u>Certificate</u> [Signed] J C Foote, James Hanna & Notes in margin "Mr V" No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters 1859 07 09~ 1859 07 15~ 1859 07 16~ 1859 07 23 | A2.42 | 129 130 |
| | 59/03003 | 1859 07 09 | His Ex Sir William Denison, Governor General | Ipswich Philipp Udersbach [as it is – also spelt Phillip Udersbach] | 1859 07 04 | At top: "P Udersbach" [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Phillip Udersbach of Ipswich, Moreton Bay, native of Liborn, Duchy of Nassau - 38 yrs, carpenter – arrived per "Caesar" from Hamburg 1855 – annexed Certificate of character – purchased land & wishes to establish his homestead in this Country <u>Certificate</u> [Signed] J C Foote, James Hanna & Notes in margin "Mr V" No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters 1859 07 09~ 1859 07 15~ 1859 07 16~ 1859 07 23 Note re above "Phillip Udersbach, Care of Mr John Fred Schmidt, Tin-man (Care of Mr Heitz), Bell Street, Ipswich" | A2.42 | 131 132 |
| | 59/03011 | 1859 07 09 | Hon CS | Brisbane Hospital J Innes, Secretary | 1859 06 29 | At top: "Secretary" Letter informing Revd Robert Creyke elected Treasurer in place of W A | A2.42 | 133 |

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| | | | | | 1859 07 22 1859 07 23 | Certificate prepared Usual letters | | |
| | 59/02050 | 1859 05 16 | Hon CS | Michael Ratz~ [difficult to decipher] Witness: Charles F Chubb, Solicitor, Ipswich | 1859 05 10 1859 05 16~ 1859 05 18~ 1859 05 18 | Memorial of Michael Ratz, Farmer residing at Jebropilly [Jeebropilly?] near Ipswich District of Moreton Bay – native of Heddeshheim [see also Heddeshheim] near Baden in Grand Duchy of Baden Germany – 43 years – arrived 27 March 1855 per “Aurora” – wishes to be naturalized & Notes in margin “Mr V” Memorial incomplete – Certificate not attached Government Resident, Moreton Bay [Ref 59/03148] | A2.42 | 145 |
| | 59/02051 | 1859 05 16 | Hon CS | G Michael Schmidt Witness: Charles F Chubb, Solicitor, Ipswich | 1859 05 10 1859 05 16~ 1859 05 18~ 1859 05 18 | Memorial of George Michael Schmidt, Farmer residing at Jebropilly [Jeebropilly?] near Ipswich District of Moreton Bay – native of Heddeshheim [see also Heddeshheim] near Baden in Grand Duchy of Baden Germany – 33 years – arrived 27 March 1855 per “Aurora” – wishes to be naturalized & Notes in margin “Mr V” Memorial incomplete – Certificate not attached Government Resident, Moreton Bay [Ref 59/03148] | A2.42 | 146 |
| | 59/03206 | 1859 07 22 | Principal Under Secretary | Government Immigration Office, Sydney H H Browne, Agent for Immigration “C C” | 1859 07 21 1859 07 23~ 1859 07 26 | Reporting re letter from W C Stoker of London: emigrants from “Alfred” landed in Moreton Bay in good health – re Mr Brownfield’s conduct during voyage & remuneration – ineligible for further employment in Government Emigration Service [No 59/2822] Para 2: No portion of gratuity should be paid to Mr Brownfield’s representatives & Notes in margin Inform Mr Stoker [Ref 59/03042] | A2.42 | 147 - 149 |
| | 59/03042 | 1859 07 11 | Hon CS | 14 Grays Inn Square, London W C Stoker “C C” | 1859 04 25 1859 07 12~ | At top: “W C Stoker” Letter applying on behalf of Mrs Susan Brownfield re gratuity payable to her son J H Brownfield Surgeon Superintendent of Government Emigration Ship “Alfred” had he survived the voyage to Moreton Bay: “Alfred” sailed from Birkenhead June 1858 – 400 emigrants – arrived Moreton Bay 19 th September 1858, Mr Brownfield died 7 th September after short illness Emigrants landed Moreton Bay in good health Re Mr Brownfield & previous voyages, his conduct & health of emigrants – mentions Certificates from Immigration Agents or Inspectors at Melbourne and Sydney – Mrs Brownfield is a widow & legal personal representative of the deceased her only child - writer is also a relative Re suggestions of negligence during voyage – requests application be considered & Note in margin 59/03296 & Notes re above [on p.151] Query re referral to Agent for Immigration [Ref 59/03206] | A2.42 | 150 – 153 |
| | | | Hon CS | Government Emigration Board, 8 Park Street, Westminster SW S Walcott, Secretary | 1859 01 17 | At top: “M14610 – 25 th March 1859” Letter re state of ship “Alfred” on arrival in Moreton Bay – mentions letter from Agent of Immigration & Report of Local Immigration Board & result of enquiry into circumstances of death of Mr J H Brownfield Surgeon Superintendent – re intemperance | A2.42 | 154 – 157 |

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| | | | | "C C" H H Browne | 1859 03 25- 1859 03 28 1859 03 29 | Mr Browne's report: evidence that Dr Brownfield indolent with intemperate habits, unfit Re Dr Brownfield's death – causes Re appointment of Dr Brownfield – 5 previous voyages, first in "Bussorah Merchant" to Sydney 1852, last in "Hornet" to Melbourne 1857 – highly praised, zealous & efficient – recommendations for re-employment Enclosing extracts from Colonial Reports justifying Commissioners appointing Dr Brownfield to the "Alfred" Re Mr Browne's report that Dr Brownfield unfit & Notes in margin For the Agent for Immigration <u>I.O.</u> 59/1265 – 26 March 1859 Read & returned Returned Colonial Secretary's Office [Refs 59/03042, 59/2844] At top: "M 14610" <u>Mr J H Brownfield's Services</u> 1 "Bussorah Merchant" to Sydney 1852 & Immigration Board report 2 "Blenheim" to Melbourne 1853 & Immigration Board report 3 "Rodney" to Adelaide 1854 & copy of Immigration Agent's Certificate Port Adelaide, 9 March 1855 re John H Brownfield Surgeon Superintendent of "Rodney" – H Duncan M D Immigration Agent 4 "Arthur the Great" to Geelong 1856 & Immigration Board report 5 "Hornet" to Melbourne 1857 & Immigration Board report | | 158 – 160 |
| | 58/03646 | 1858 10 07 | Principal Under Secretary | Government Immigration Office, Sydney H H Browne | 1858 10 06 | Forwarding Reports of Local Immigration Board at Moreton Bay re Immigrant ship "Alfred" & death of Dr J H Blomfield [as it is – see also Brownfield] late Surgeon Superintendent [No 58/428] Para 2: From evidence & Dr Blomfield's Journals, considers he was indolent & intemperate – unfit to have charge of emigrants & Notes in margin To be forwarded for information of Immigration Commissioners Mem for copies Sent to Commissioners [M14610] <u>Enclosure No 1 to Immigration Agent's Letter to Principal Under Secretary of 6th October 1858 - 58/428</u> "Copy" "No 1" Letter re inspection of Immigrants per ship "Alfred" on 23 rd inst – gratifying result – in good health & satisfied with treatment during voyage [No 58/97] Re death of Dr Blomfield Surgeon Superintendent of "Alfred" – separate report | A2.42 | 161 – 163 |
| | | | Immigration Agent, Sydney | Government Immigration Office, Moreton Bay A C Kemball, W H Geary | 1858 09 27 | <u>Enclosure No 2 to Immigration Agent's letter to Principal Under Secretary of 6th October 1858 – 58/428</u> "Copy" Submitting evidence taken upon enquiry into death of Dr J H Blomfield, Surgeon Superintendent of Ship "Alfred" referred to in Report of Board No 1 – mentions statement of Henry Warren [No 58/98] Queries to Immigrants holding office on "Alfred" re Dr Blomfield – indolent & intemperate habits affected health – unfit for responsibilities of a Surgeon | | 164 |
| | | | Agent for Immigration, Sydney | Government Immigration Office, Moreton Bay J C Wickham, Government Resident | 1858 09 28 | | | 165 - 166 |

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| | | | Assistant Agent for Immigration, Brisbane | North Brisbane, Moreton Bay J & G Harris | 1859 07 11 | Encloses copy letter from Messrs Harris pressing claim "Copy Letter" <u>Enclosed in letter from Assistant Immigration Agent Moreton Bay to Immigration Agent, Sydney July 12th – 59/43 [as it is]</u> Letter re Mr Browne's communication to George Harris re account £3-11-0 for ships provisions for "Glentanner" – decline withdrawing claim & request settlement "True copy – A C K" | | 188 - 189 |
| | 59/03239 | 1859 07 25 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR "C C" | 1859 07 15 1859 07 27~ 1859 07 27 | Letter re funds £100 granted for employment of hard labour prisoners in Brisbane Gaol – query whether further advance will be made [No 59/131] Para 2: 20 men in Gaol under sentence to hard labour – need to procure stone to be broken by them & Notes in margin Hopes Resident Judge able to give such sentences as to allow Government to bring prisoners imprisoned for longer terms to Sydney or Parramatta Gaols Government Resident | A2.42 | 190 – 192 |
| | 59/03240 | 1859 07 25 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR "C C" A O Moriarty, Clerk of the Council "W T D" | 1859 07 18 1859 07 25~ 1859 07 28 1859 07 30~ 1859 08 01 1859 08 10 1859 08 11~ 1859 08 15~ | Forwarding letter from Sheriff Brown reporting appointment of J C Pearce as Clerk Brisbane Gaol – vacant due to resignation of Mr Rawlins [59/133] & Notes in Margin Query re salary £108 per year Returned Colonial Secretary's Office For Executive Council & Notes re above Executive Council advise James Canning Pearce be appointed Clerk in Gaol at Brisbane in room of Mr Rawlins resigned [No 59/ -] Approved Returned Colonial Secretary's Office Notice, Government Resident | A2.42 | 193 – 194 |
| | 59/03240 | | Hon CS | Sheriff's Office, Brisbane William Anthony Brown, Sheriff | 1859 07 18 | Letter re appointment of James Canning Pearce of Brisbane as Clerk in Brisbane Gaol in place of William Rawlins resigned [No 59/94] Para 2: Re appointment - Mr Pearce very old resident, one of first settlers & first to place steamer on Brisbane River – "in reduced circumstances" | | 195 |
| | 59/03243 | | | John McLerie, Inspector General of Police | 1859 07 26~ | <u>Memo</u> Recommending notification in Government Gazette offering Government Reward of £50 | A2.42 | 196 |
| | 59/03243 | 1859 07 25 | Hon CS | Gayndah H Herbert JP, C F Lawless JP, Gilbert Elliott JP, Robert Strathdee JP, John Livingstone JP, Arthur E Halloran JP | 1859 07 05 1859 07 25 | At top: "Bench Gayndah" Letter from Bench of Magistrates Burnett re German woman Katherine Kreecher – left home near Gayndah on 20 th March – remains found in bush 14 days later – brutal murder – requests Government offer reward Also at top: "3401/ Police/ July 26" & Notes in margin "56/36" Inspector General of Police - to be returned | | 197 – 198 |

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| | 59/03258 | 1859 07 25 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Philipp Abel [also spelt Philip Abel] | 1859 07 16 1859 07 25~ 1859 07 29~ 1859 07 29 1859 08 01 | At top: "P Abel" Memorial of Philip Abel of Ipswich County of Stanley native of Sindringen Kingdom of Wurtemberg – 28 yrs, vine dresser – arrived in New South Wales per ship "Commodore Perry" 1855 - annexed Certificate of character - agriculturist & intends purchasing land - requests Certificate of Naturalization <u>Certificate</u> [Signed] J C Foote, Ipswich; Henry Kilner, Ipswich & Note in margin "Mr V" No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | 199 |
| | 59/03259 | 1859 07 25 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Fridrick Eisenmenger [as it is – also spelt Frederick Eisenmenger - difficult to decipher] | 1859 07 16 1859 07 25~ 1859 07 29~ 1859 07 29~ 1859 08 01 | At top: "F Eisenmenger" Memorial of Frederick Eisenmenger of Ipswich County of Stanley, native of Sindringen Kingdom of Wertemberg [also spelt Wurtemberg] – 24 yrs, vine dresser – arrived in New South Wales per ship "Cressbrook" 1855 - annexed Certificate of character - agriculturist & desires to purchase land - requests Certificate of Naturalization <u>Certificate</u> J C Foote, Ipswich; Henry Kilner, Ipswich & Notes in margin "Mr V" No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | 200 |
| | 59/03260 | 1859 07 25 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Gottlieb Spresser | 1859 07 16 1859 07 25~ 1859 07 29~ 1859 07 29 1859 08 01 | Memorial of Gottlieb Spresser of Ipswich, native of Eberstadt Wurtemberg – 39 yrs, vine dresser – arrived in New South Wales per ship "Perry" ["Commodore Perry"?] 1856 - annexed Certificate of character - agriculturist & desires to purchase land - requests Certificate of Naturalization <u>Certificate</u> J C Foote, Ipswich; Henry Kilner, Ipswich & Notes in margin "Mr V" No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | 201 |
| | | | Hon CS | Ipswich Charles F Chubb | 1859 07 16 1859 07 26~ 1859 07 26~ | At top: "Eisenmenger/ Spresser/ Abel" Letter enclosing 3 Memorials for certificates of Naturalization for above parties – also mentions Schmidt & Ratz – parties anxious re land matters Notes re above Memorials were registered & submitted separately "Mr V" | A2.42 | 202 203 |
| | 59/03352 | 1859 08 01 | Hon CS | Gayndah Arthur E Halloran, Returning Officer for Electoral District of the Burnett | 1859 07 08 | At top: "Returning Officer, Burnett" Letter returning Writ of Election of Member in Legislative Assembly for Electoral District of Burnett with name of elected Member: Mr Gilbert Elliott Also at top: "Ex C 59/749 – 1 August 1859" Para 2: Return of Mr Elliott contested by George Howard, publican of Maryborough – voting on 5 th Inst – Mr Elliott duly elected, votes viz: <u>Mr Elliott</u> <u>Mr Howard</u> Gayndah 77 19 | A2.42 | 204 - 205 |

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| | 59/03352 | | | <p>"C C" "W T D" A O Moriarty, Clerk of Council</p> <p>"W T D" "C C"</p> <p>"C C"</p> | <p>1859 08 01~ 1859 08 01 1859 08 01</p> <p>1859 08 10 1859 08 10~</p> <p>1859 08 11</p> <p>1859 08 01</p> <p>1859 08 01~</p> | <p>Maryboro 65 49 [see also Maryborough] Nanango 24 - Dykehead <u>23</u> 5 189 73</p> <p>Majority in favour of Mr Elliott – 116 votes Para 3: Enclosing account of expenses incurred £24 & Note in margin Send to Auditor General & Notes re above For the Governor General</p> <p>Executive Council advise Governor should issue Proclamation declaring election of Gilbert Elliott [as it is – see also Elliott] valid notwithstanding delay in Return of Writ [No 59/749] Approved</p> <p>Proclamation published in Supplementary Gazette 2nd August 1859 Returned Colonial Secretary's Office</p> <p>Note <u>Writs for the Darling Downs & the Burnett</u> Writs to be returned by 30th July – only received 1st August – re validity of Election & delay in Return of Writ – to be declared with advice of Executive Council by Proclamation & Notes in margin John Douglass [as it is – also spelt Douglas] William Handcock</p> | | 206 – 207 |
| | 59/03353 | 1859 08 01 | Hon CS | <p>Gowrie Frederick N Isaac</p> <p>"C C" "W T D" A O Moriarty, Clerk of Council</p> <p>"W T D" "C C"</p> | <p>1859 07 18</p> <p>1859 08 01~ 1859 08 01 1859 08 01</p> <p>1859 08 10 1859 08 10~ 1859 08 11</p> | <p>At top: "Returning Officer Darling Downs" Letter returning Writ of Election for Darling Downs Also at top: "Ex C 59/748 – 1 August 1859"</p> <p>Notes re above For the Governor General</p> <p>Executive Council advise Governor should issue Proclamation declaring the election of Messrs Douglass [as it is] and Handcock valid notwithstanding delay in receipt of Writ [No 59/748] Approved</p> <p>Returned Colonial Secretary's Office</p> <p>Note re above Proclamation published in Supplementary Gazette 2nd August 1859</p> | A2.42 | 208 209 210 |
| | 59/03362 | 1859 08 01 | Hon CS | <p>Brisbane Robert Creyke, Treasurer for the Brisbane Hospital</p> | 1859 07 23 | <p>At top: "Treasurer Brisbane Hospital" Letter requesting £300 from General Revenue be paid into Joint Stock Bank Brisbane to credit of Brisbane Hospital – equal to sum collected during year & Notes in margin</p> | A2.42 | 211 |

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| | | | | "C C" | 1859 08 01~ 1859 08 03~ 1859 08 05 | "Mr V" Nominal List of Subscribers should be sent showing amount of the subscriptions R Creyke | | |
| | 59/03366 | 1859 08 01 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham GR | 1859 07 26 | Forwarding letter from Police Magistrate re charges for treatment of indigent persons sent to General Hospital by Bench of Magistrates [No 59/138] Para 2: Re Fines & Penalties collected by Treasurer of Hospital – character of a Benevolent Asylum, charges should be met – seeks opinion & Notes in margin | A2.42 | 212 – 215 |
| | 59/03366 | | Government Resident, Moreton Bay | Police Office, Brisbane William Anthony Brown, Police Magistrate | 1859 08 02 1859 08 09 1859 07 20 | Query re contribution of Government to the Society £300 per annum contribution paid from Treasury is for Brisbane Hospital, but fines referred to are for Benevolent Society – cases mentioned for Benevolent Asylum rather than the Hospital & Government Resident should point this out – should be received, without special payment, by Institution deriving the benefit of the fines referred to Government Resident "Copy" Letter enclosing vouchers from Secretary to Brisbane Hospital & Benevolent Asylum to be sent to Sydney for payment – declined - government should not pay in such cases [Vouchers not filmed here] Para 2: Treasurer receives fines & penalties from Police Offices from convicted persons – mentions Curran & McGeoaghan Para 3: Secretary considers Institution entitled to payments – seeks opinion Para 4: No other Charitable Institution in the District | | 216 – 217 |
| | | | | "W A B" | | <u>Cases referred to</u> "Carbon Tom" – aboriginal – pulled out of Brisbane River by Police – taken to Institution where he died Philip Curran found by Police 6 miles from Brisbane Peter McGeoaghan helpless & destitute | | 218 |
| | 59/03367 | 1859 08 01 | Under Secretary, Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney | Gladstone M C O'Connell, Government Resident | 1859 07 11 | [Copy letter] [SEE PRINTED COPY OF THIS LETTER AT P 261-271 FOR DETAILS; M C O'C's HANDWRITTEN LETTER UP TO PARA 5 – SEE P 221 – 224] At top: "Government Resident Port Curtis" Letter reporting on present condition of Settlement & Notes p 229: "Hanson/ Martyn" p 237: "Martyn / I consider" p 238: Courts of Petty Sessions at Gladstone, Maryborough, Rockhampton, Gayndah, Taroom, Nanango p 245: "I consider/ Nash" p 258: "?/Bloomfield" & Notes in margin | A2.42 | 219 – 220, 225 – 255 |
| | | | | "W T D" | 1859 08 01~ 1859 08 03 | Read - see M14507 [M14587?] with other papers herewith Perhaps to be laid before Parliament – many of matters may be for consideration of Government of new Colony – query re provision in Estimates – some matters, for instance Pilots etc, in Dept of Treasury "Copy laid before Parliament 4 th October 1859" | | |

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| | 59/03367 | 1859 08 01 | Under Secretary, Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney | Gladstone M C O'Connell, Government Resident | 1859 07 11 | At top: "Hanson" Letter reporting on present condition of Settlement [HANDWRITTEN BY M C O'C – up to Para 5 only – see printed copy of letter at p 261] & Notes in margin To be presented for Parliament & Note attached 58- 1859/ NSW/ Port Curtis (Report on present condition of Settlement) / presented to etc | | 221 – 224 |
| | 59/03367 | | Principal Under Secretary | Gladstone M C O'Connell, Government Resident | 1859 07 11 | [PRINTED] <u>1859</u> <u>NEW SOUTH WALES</u> <u>PORT CURTIS</u> <u>(REPORT ON PRESENT CONDITION OF SETTLEMENT)</u> Presented to both Houses of Parliament, by Command THE GOVERNMENT RESIDENT, PORT CURTIS, to THE PRINCIPAL UNDER SECRETARY. Para 1: Re delay with report & need for it to be laid before Executive Government Para 2: Course of events in District since September 1858 Para 3: Discovery of gold & colonization of this part of New South Wales Para 4: Pastoral occupation, discovery of gold in fresh localities Paras 5-6: Re Report Para 7: Progress of settlement – Tables appended re population, stock & coastal trade (Appendix 1) Para 8: Pastoral occupation – mentions settlers from Port Philip, 100,000 sheep, Counties of Pelham & Raglan Paras 9-10: Further deposits of gold 50 miles west of Port Curtis Para 11: Condition of settlement – increased property & growth Para 12: Colonization Paras 13-14: Fertile soil, luxuriant pasturage, water carriage, nearly tropical climate Para 15: Cultivation – experiment with cotton, samples to England Para 16: Garden culture: vegetables of all descriptions - in Government Garden: oranges, lemons, limes, pine apples, guavas, bananas, dates, cocoanuts, tamarinds, grapes, cherimolias [cherimoyas?], peaches & other fruits Para 17: Importance of mineral resources Para 18: Gold Para 19: Rich in other metals: geological formation Para 20: Porphyries, clay slates, limestones – comparison with Mexico & South America, mentions copper & lead, marbles near water carriage Para 21: Colonization Paras 22-24: Public Works – appends Sketch of Residency Port Curtis showing geographical features (Appendix 2) Paras 25-28: Port Curtis Harbour & centre of colonization, coastline 400 | | 256 – [260] 261 - 271 |

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| | | | | | | <p>Para 60: Proposes £1300 to finish Government Residency & fence portion of land reserved as a Domain i.e. £1000 for the house & £300 for the Domain</p> <p>Para 61: Need for expenditure on Public Works in Rockhampton – rapid growth, fertile land, head of FitzRoy River</p> <p>Para 62: Re Court House & Lock-up – also needs Public Wharf - £600 proposed – mentions Mr Moore Clerk of Works</p> <p>Para 63: Recommends metalling road near Rockhampton, taking traffic to the Dawson – reasons – suggests £400 – refer to Mr Moore</p> <p>Para 64: Proposes £200 each to roads from Gladstone to Gayndah & Gladstone to Taroom (Appendix 5)</p> <p>Para 65: Conclusion</p> <p><u>APPENDIX NO.1</u> [at p 268] Statistical Table of Progress in the Settlement of Port Curtis [Date/ Population/ Stock/ Coasting Trade: Arrivals & Departure of Vessels in and from Port Curtis] [Details: 1854 – 1859]</p> <p><u>APPENDIX NO. 2</u> [at p 268] Sketch appended</p> <p><u>APPENDIX NO. 3</u> [at p 269] PRESUMED average cost of Constables, and Prisoners from either Gladstone, Maryborough, or Rockhampton, to Sydney</p> <p><u>APPENDIX NO.4</u> Sketch appended</p> <p><u>APPENDIX NO. 5</u> SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURE on account of Public Works recommended by the Government Resident, <u>Port Curtis, for that Residency, during the Year 1860</u> [Items/ Heads of Expenditure] 1 Buildings for Courts of Judicature - £600 2 Custom House Buildings - £500 3 Aids to Navigation, Pilot Station - £300 4 Aids to Navigation, Buoys - £100 5 Aids to Navigation, Removing obstacles in Curtis Strait - £200 6 Aids to Navigation, Supply of Water to Shipping (say) £300 7 Government Residency, Gladstone - £1300 8 Wharf at Rockhampton - £600 9 Dawson Road - £400 10 Roads to Gayndah & Taroom - £400 [TOTAL] £7400 “Sydney, Thomas Richards, Government Printer – 1859”</p> <p>At top: “Appendix No.2” [at p 270 – not numbered] [PRINTED MAP] <u>SKETCH of THE DISTRICT OF PORT CURTIS</u> 1859 Explanation: Limits of Residency Port Curtis Limits of Electoral District of Leichhardt</p> | | |

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| | | | | | | Where Gold discovered Country under Occupation Lines of Communication "Sig.58" At top: "Appendix No. 4" [at p 271 – not numbered] [PRINTED MAP] PLAN of a portion of the TOWN of GLADSTONE <u>shewing the proposed conveyance of Water to Shipping</u> Places & Streets on map: Victoria Reservoir, Auckland Inlet, Site for Proposed Custom House, Proposed Public Wharf, Off Lane, Auckland Street, Cora Lane, Condoon Street, China Lane, Glenlyon Street, Lord Street, Yarroon Street, Roseberry Street, Ormonde Street Note: Pipes from Victoria Reservoir to Auckland Inlet to be laid either along China Lane or Glenlyon Street "Sig.58" | | |
| | 59/03384 | 1859 08 01 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR "C C" | 1859 07 26 1859 08 01~ | Forwarding 2 letters from Mr Brown Sheriff duly signed – Colonial Secretary's reprimand communicated [No 59/140] & Note in margin Two – dated 11 th July | A2.42 | 272 – 273 |
| | 59/03385 | 1859 08 01 | Hon CS | Sheriff's Office, Brisbane William Anthony Brown, Sheriff | 1859 07 11 1859 08 01~ | At top: "Sheriff" Letter reporting re aboriginal natives Chamary & Dick – death sentence to be carried out at Brisbane 4 August [No 59.88] & Notes in margin "Mr V" [M14725] | A2.42 | 274 |
| | 59/03386 | 1859 07 01~ [should be 1859 08 01] | Hon CS | Sheriff's Office, Brisbane William Anthony Brown, Sheriff | 1859 07 11 | At top: "Sheriff" Letter re James Burns & death sentence recorded – commuted to 15 years hard labour on roads – to be forwarded to Sydney on 13 th inst by "Clarence" steamer [No 59.89] & Note in margin "Mr V" Nothing further required | A2.42 | 275 |
| | 59/03241 | 1859 07 25 | Hon CS | Sheriff's Office, Brisbane William Anthony Brown, Sheriff | 1859 07 06 1859 07 25~ 1859 07 26~ 1859 08 01~ | At top: "Sheriff Moreton Bay" Letter re prisoner <u>Margin</u> Captain Edwards alias Charles Edwards alias Edward Hartwell Tried at Criminal Sitings Brisbane last May – sentenced 5 years hard labour on roads, now ticket of leave holder – forwarded to Sydney this day per "Yarra Yarra" steamer – reason for delay in sending: re escort expenses – mentions prisoner John Burns [as it is – see also James Burns] Also at top: "Not signed" & Notes in margin Query re Burns 15 yrs hard labour on the roads [Ref 59/03386] & Notes re above Sheriff to be referred through Government Resident to Return of Convictions: prisoner ordered to be worked on Cockatoo Island See 59/03386 stating prisoner Burns will be forwarded to Sydney – nothing | A2.42 | 276 – 277 |

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| | | | | | | further required [Ref 59/03386] | | |
| | 59/05636 | 1859 10 29 | Principal Under Secretary | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR | 1859 10 25 | At top: Stamped TREASURY NO.7111/ OC 31- [1859] Transmitting letter from Mayor of Brisbane requesting ferries & balance of rents of same collected during the year be handed over to Municipal Council [No 59/198] & Notes in margin Refer for views of Colonial Treasurer Mr Brennand: Query re ferries & rents received Annual rent: 1 Kangaroo Point Ferry £75-0-0 2 Ferry between N & S Brisbane £252-0-0 3 Brisbane Wharf not let 4 Commissariat Wharf £53-0-0 5 Kangaroo Point Passenger Ferry £16-0-0 6 In addition some wharfage accommodation at Ipswich granted to E B Uhr on which he pays 1/- annually [continues p 279] Re collection dates – re Ipswich & Notes re above [part obscured] | A2.42 | 278 – 279 |
| | | | | "W F" | 1859 10 29~ | | | |
| | | | | "H L" | | | | |
| | | | | "L I B" | 1859 11 05~ | | | |
| | | | | "S S"? | 1859 11 07 | Sending this to the Cabinet ... to Secretary of Public Works ... if this Ferry is on a main road | | |
| | | | | "H L" | | Main road extends to Armidale only | | |
| | | | | "S S"? | 1859 11 11 | If North & South Brisbane in one municipality no objection to giving up these ferries to the Municipality | | |
| | | | | "H L" | 1859 11 11~ 1859 11 12 1859 11 14 | Principal Under Secretary Returned Colonial Secretary's Office Re ferries, the Municipality & revenue raised with reference to 82 nd Section of Act <u>Submitted</u> | | |
| | 59/05636 | | Capt Wickham, Government Resident | Brisbane Municipality John Petrie, Mayor | 1859 10 25 | Municipal Council of Brisbane to prefer their application to Government of Queensland & this may be put by [Ref 59/05636] Letter requesting ferries together with monies on hand during current year be handed over to Council – refers to Clause 73 of Municipalities Act 1858 [No 5] | | 280 |
| | 59/03461 | 1859 08 05 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | J Evans Brown | 1859 08 04 | At top: "J E Brown" Memorial of John Evans Brown of Maranoa District, native of United States of America – 31 yrs, squatter – arrived in Colony by ship "Horizon" [as it is – "Horizon"?] 1856 – annexed Certificate of character – intends to become permanent resident – wishes to hold freehold property – requests Certificate of Naturalization <u>Certificate</u> James Williamson JP; William Deane, Solicitor; P L C Shepherd & Notes in margin "Mr V" | A2.42 | 281 – 282 |
| | | | | | 1859 08 05~ 1859 08 06~ | No objection to issue of Certificate | | |

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| | | | | The Treasury F G Campbell pro Treasurer | 1859 08 08 1859 08 09 1859 08 11 | Certificate prepared Secretary Treasury, Auditor General, Mr Brown [PRINTED RECEIPT] <u>NEW SOUTH WALES</u> No. 4410 Received from John E Brown the sum of £1-1-0 for naturalization fee Entd : L I Brennand | | 283 |
| | 59/03477 | 1859 08 06 | Hon CS | Ipswich J Malbon Thompson | 1859 08 01 | At top: "J M Thompson" Letter enclosing Petitions from John Moore and Joseph Carins, Germans desiring naturalization – reply to be sent to my care & Notes in margin "Mr V" | A2.42 | 284 |
| | 59/03477 | | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | John Moore~ [Jann Mor - difficult to decipher] | 1859 08 06~ 1859 08 06~ 1859 08 08 1859 08 09 | No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | | 285 |
| | 59/03477 | | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Joseph Carius [as it is –see also Carins] | 1859 07 00~ 1859 08 08 1859 07 00~ 1859 08 08 | Memorial of John Moore of Ipswich, native of Lorch Dukedom of Nassau Germany – 31 yrs, gardener – arrived per ship "Aurora" 1855 – annexed certificate of character – has purchased land - requests Certificate of Naturalization <u>Certificate</u> J C Foote, George Dowden & Notes in margin Certificate prepared Memorial of Joseph Carius of Ipswich, native of Lorch in Dukedom of Nassau Germany – 39 yrs, gardener – arrived per ship "Marbs" 1855 – annexed certificate of character – purchased land with view to making home in Colony – requests Certificate of Naturalization <u>Certificate</u> J C Foote, George Dowden & Notes in margin Certificate prepared | | 286 |
| | 59/03573 | 1859 08 15 | Principal Under Secretary | Government Immigration Office, Sydney H H Browne, Agent for Immigration "C C" W C Mayne, AG | 1859 08 12 1859 08 16~ 1859 08 18 1859 08 18 | At top: "59/3137" Letter re salary £20 per annum paid to George Appel for services as interpreter to German Immigrants Moreton Bay – referred to Assistant Immigration Agent Moreton Bay: appointment no longer necessary & Notes in margin Ref 59/02656 For information of Auditor General Stamped: AUDIT OFFICE-NEW SOUTH WALES/ NO.921/ AU17/ 1859 Noted & returned Returned Colonial Secretary's Office | A2.42 | 287 – 288 |
| | 59/02656 | | Principal Under | Government Immigration | 1859 07 06 | Note | A2.42 | 289 – 290 |

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| | 55/04149 55/04149 | | Hon CS | "W T D" Brisbane George Appel Brisbane | 1855 05 03~ 1855 05 03 1855 05 10 1855 04 00~ 1855 04 19 | Notes in margin May be approved Government Resident Moreton Bay, Auditor General [Ref 55/12553] Letter applying for appointment as official interpreter for German immigrants at Brisbane Moreton Bay – encloses list of signatures in support [Testimonial] Re George Appel of Brisbane (native of Germany) & appointment as official interpreter of the German language Signatories: Robert Little, William Gurney, John Stephen Ferriter, K Cannan, Henry Buckley, W A Duncan, W H Geary, R R MacKenzie, Alexander Raff, W Hobbs, Daniel F Roberts, C Heussler & Co., R B Sheridan, Charles H Manton, William Thornton, William Craies | | 305 – 306 307 |
| | 59/03579 | 1859 08 16 | Hon CS | Police Office, Condamine W F Kennedy JP Collins? JP | 1859 07 30 1859 08 15~ 1859 08 17~ 1859 08 18~ 1859 08 18 | At top: "Bench" Letter requesting Donald Ross Chief Constable be appointed Inspector of Slaughter Houses Police District Condamine [No 331] & Notes in margin "Mr V" Appointment now vested in the Bench Inform Bench | A2.42 | 308 |
| | 59/03581 | 1859 08 15 | Hon CS~ William Handcock Esq M L A per favour of the Moreton Bay Free Press | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham GR "C C" Darling Downs "An Elector" | 1859 08 10 1859 08 15~ 1859 08 18 1859 08 08 1859 09 20 | Letter re pay & allowance due to Mr Nicoll late Lieut in Native Police – signed vouchers received & £151-14-10 (pay & allowance from 1 st January to 8 th June 1858) paid to his credit at Joint Stock Bank Ipswich [No 59/N.P.81] & Notes in margin Mr Nicoll to be informed F Nicoll & [Newspaper clipping] Letter to newspaper with questions to be put to Mr Cowper - Re Lieut in Native Police appointed as Magistrate – resigned for improper conduct – use of letters JP after name – mentions "seat in the temple of Nemesis Drayton" & Notes re above "Mr Nicol [as it is – also spelt Nicoll] – late Officer N Police" Returned – put by | A2.42 | 309 – 310 311 |
| | 59/03139 | 1859 07 18 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham | 1859 07 12 1859 07 18 | Letter re arrears of pay & allowance due to Mr Nicoll late Lieut Native Police Force [No 59/N.P.78] Re Auditor General's report re accounts of 3 rd Division Native Police – need to refer it again to Auditor General Re Mr Nicoll's letters enclosed & Notes in margin Auditor General Stamped: AUDIT [OFFICE]-NEW SOUTH WALES/ NO.811/ JY19/ 1859 | A2.42 | 312 - 315 |

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| | | | | W C Mayne, AG | 1859 07 19 1859 07 20- 1859 07 20 | Capt Wickham informed Mr Nicoll not paid salary beyond 31 st December 1857 Returned Colonial Secretary's Office p 313 [partly obscured] Capt Wickham's ... to report further as early as possible Government Resident [Ref 59/03581] | | |
| | 59/02756 | 1859 06 25 | Hon CS | Drayton, Darling Downs Francis Nicoll, Late Lieut Native Police "W C M", AG "C C" "C C" | 1859 06 17 1859 06 25 1859 06 28 1859 06 29 1859 06 30- 1859 07 12- | Letter re arrears of salary due since 16 th July 1858 – query re payment before separation from New South Wales & Notes in margin "59/01723 – F Nicoll – 20 th April for arrears of salary – Auditor General 2 May" Auditor General Stamped: [AUDIT] OFFICE-NEW SOUTH WALES/ NO.721/ JN28/ [very faint] See 59/01723 Letter to Capt Wickham stating accounts of 3 rd Division Native Police appear to be adjusted Returned Colonial Secretary's Office [Ref 59/03139] Notes re above Papers to Capt Wickham requesting further report re Mr Nicoll's claim for salary - to be returned Returned with other communication from Mr Nicoll dated 30 th April [Ref 59/03139] | A2.42 | 316 317 |
| | 59/01723 | 1859 05 02 | Hon CS | Drayton Francis Nicoll, Late Lieut Native Police "W C M", AG | 1859 04 20 1859 05 02 1859 06 28 1859 06 29 | Letter re arrears of salary due from 31 st March to 16 th July 1858 – accounts handed to R S Walker – requests settlement before separation & Notes in margin "59/00184 Government Resident Brisbane – 12 January re pay due to Mr Nicoll late Lieut N Police – Auditor General 29 January" Auditor General – to be returned Stamped: AUDIT OFFICE-NEW SOUTH WALES/ NO.470/ MY3/ 1859 No objection to the payment of Mr Nicoll Returned Colonial Secretary's Office [Ref 59/03139] | A2.42 | 318 – 319 |
| | 59/00184 | 1859 01 17 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, Government Resident "C C" Audit Office E A Rennie for the AG | 1859 01 12 1859 01 17 1859 01 29 1859 01 29 1859 09 09 | Letter re Mr Nicoll late Lieut Native Police & payments due to him – mentions receipt of account of articles purchased by Mr Nicoll for troopers of 3 rd Division & claimed by Mr Nicoll [No 59/N.P.8] Para 2: Re balance of pay due to Mr Nicoll – withheld until 3 rd Division accounts arranged satisfactorily – in Audit Office for adjustment – mentions Mr Nicoll's successor R G Walker & reasons for delays & Notes in margin Inform F Nicoll Papers to Auditor General – to be returned Stamped: AUDIT OFFICE-NEW SOUTH WALES/ NO.109/ JA [very faint] Accounts now adjusted - papers to be returned with reference to reports on 59/01723 & 59/02756 | A2.42 | 320 - 323 |
| | 58/04901 | 1858 12 17 | Hon CS | Ipswich Francis Nicoll, Late Lieut | 1858 12 09 | At top: "F Nicoll late Lieut Native Police" Letter re non-payment of salary & payments made on account of native | A2.42 | 324 – 325 |

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| | | | | Native Police "C C" | 1858 12 24 1859 01 05 | troopers – re delays & Notes in margin "58/123" & "4512" [see 58/04512] "Advanced from private funds" Delay in adjustment due to Mr Nicoll's omitting to furnish information – refer him to last letter – copy of this to Capt Wickham Mr Nicoll, Government Resident [Ref 59/00184] | | |
| | 58/03142 | 1858 08 30 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, Government Resident | 1858 08 24 1858 08 31~ | Forwarding letter from Mr Coxen to Commandant re Mr Nicoll's unfitness to hold office of Lieutenant in Native Police Force [No 58/313] & Notes in margin Papers with 58/02680 Francis Nicoll re his dismissal submitted 24 July [Ref 58/03407] | A2.42 | 326 – 327 |
| | 58/03142 | | The Commandant of the Native Police | Alderton, Darling Downs H W Coxen | 1858 05 15 | Letter re bad conduct of Lieut Nicoll Native Police Wandai Gumbal – mentions Condamine Public House & Tierreyboo Head Station & his conduct after the "Hornet Bank" massacre | | 328 – 329 |
| | 58/04512 | 1858 11 15 | Principal Under Secretary | Audit Office, Sydney W C Mayne, AG "C C" | 1858 11 13 1858 12 07 1858 12 21 | Letter re furnishing rations to troopers of Native Police – statements correct, rations at 1/6 & additional 2 ^d per diem to troopers & Notes in margin "58/03839" Provision on Estimate for 5 ^d per day for each trooper & 1/6 per day in lieu of rations - 5 ^d per day should be issued as proposed – re cost of ration - considers 1/6 very high ration price – mentions parties benefiting from this Police Force & moderate terms Government Resident | 2.42 | 330 -331 |
| | | | | "C C" | 1858 10 29~ 1858 11 10 | Note Re letter to Mr Nicoll 11 th Inst – Extract (Para 2) of report of Government Resident re delay in communicating Government's decision to be sent to him Adjustment of accounts await his further explanation Re request for further inquiry into his case: no reason to question correctness of charges against him or for any further investigation (See 58/03142) Re Mr Nicoll's imputations on the Commandant Extract to be sent of report of Auditor General re rations & Notes in margin Auditor General, James Nicoll [as it is – see also Francis Nicoll] [Ref 58/04512] | A2.42 | 332 - 335 |
| | 58/03839 | 1858 10 25 | Hon CS | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, Government Resident | 1858 10 20 | Letter reporting re letters received from Mr Nicol [as it is] late Lieut Native Police Force [No 58/374] Para 2: Mr Nicoll's complaints re removal from the Corps – mentions Wandai Gumbal Head Quarters of 3 rd Division of the Corps Para 3: Re accounts of 3 rd Division & Mr Nicoll's claim – re sums placed to credit of his Joint Stock Bank - mentions Lieut Walker officer now in command of Division Para 4: Mr Nicoll to blame for delay in settlement of accounts Para 5: Re accounts furnished by Lieut Nicoll for Quarter ending 30 th September 1857 & Auditor General's objection Paras 6 & 7: Re troopers pay – mentions Mr Morisset & rations - also mentions Frederick Walker previous Commandant | A2.42 | 336 - 348 |

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| | | | | | 1858 10 25~ 1858 10 27~ | Re Pay Abstracts & rations & pay for each trooper Para 8: No knowledge of grave charge against Commandant & Notes in margin Query re arrangement referred to Cannot trace anything [Ref 58/04512] | | |
| | 58/03407 | | | | | Note <u>Mr Nicoll late Lieut Native Police</u> Suspended by Commandant but tendered resignation – charge for neglect of duty – referred to Government Resident Report: Commandant proceeded to Wandai Gumbal – Mr Nicoll avoided interview – Capt Wickham forwarded documents establishing neglect – Executive Council decision to remove him & withhold pay until accounts adjusted – mentions Mr Coxen's charges – details – mentions Condamine Public House & Tieryboo Station Re Mr Nicoll's complaints: mentions Mr Cardew – has grave charge against Commandant – mentions abstraction of 2 ^d /day from troopers pay – has taken legal advice - to proceed with criminal charges against Commandant & for arrears of pay Suggests referral to Capt Wickham for report re delays & present state of accounts – also re allusions to Commandant & abstraction of pay & Notes in margin Government Resident, F Nicoll [Ref 58/03839] | A2.42 | 349 – 355 |
| | 58/03407 | 1858 09 18 | Hon CS | "C C" Ipswich Francis Nicoll care of Panton & Co, Ipswich, Moreton Bay | 1858 10 09~ 1858 10 11 1858 09 12 1858 10 05~ 1858 10 05~ | At top: "Francis Nicoll" Letter re delay in receipt of letter of 8 th June 1858 (58/51 – 58/01781) [No 58/118] Para 2: Reasons for delay: omission of post town from envelope Para 3: Legal advice – proceeding re criminal charges & for recovery of salary withheld & Notes in margin Query re letter Letter of 8 June 1858 No 58/51 addressed to Government Resident Moreton Bay [Ref 58/03839] | | 356 – 357 |
| | 58/02680 | 1858 07 24 | Hon CS | Moreton Bay Francis Nicoll | 1858 07 10 | At top: "Francis Nicoll" Letter re dismissal from Native Police Force & communication of 8 th June 1858 (58/51 – 58/01781) [No 58/117] Re charges against him – mentions Mr Cardew & Mr Morrissett [as it is - also spelt Morisset] Para 2: Grave charge against Commandant – gratuitous savagery – reasons for resignation Note: Address care of Panton & Co, Ipswich Moreton Bay & Note in margin [Ref 58/03142] | A2.42 | 358 - 361 |
| | 58/01367 | 1858 04 17 | Hon CS | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, Government Resident | 1858 04 13 | Letter reporting re Francis Nicoll & Native Police Force - re Mr Nicoll's resignation – complaints [No 58/123] Para 2: Re Mr Nicoll's public & private cheques & the Bank – reasons for non-payment – mentions expenses of Maranoa Division – re Mr Nicoll's | A2.42 | 362 – 368 |

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| | | | | "C C" | 1858 04 17- 1858 04 19 | salary: paid to Bank of New South Wales & Notes in margin & across front of letter Query whether resignation should be accepted- if not useful, sooner Public Service relieved of him the better – refer to Capt Wickham re resignation Government Resident [Ref 58/01781] | | |
| | 58/01102 | 1858 03 27 | Hon CS | Francis Nicoll, Lieut Native Police "C C" | 1858 03 03 1858 04 01~ | At top: "Lieut Nicoll Native Police Letter re resignation – not forwarded through Commandant but direct to Government [No 58/113] & Notes in margin Letter referred to Capt Wickham [Ref 58/01367] | A2.42 | 369 |
| | 58/00927 [partly obscured] | 1858 03 12 | Hon CS | Francis Nicoll, Lieut Native Police "C C" | 1858 02 27 1858 03 13- 1858 03 18 | At top: "Francis Nicoll 2 nd Lieut Native Police Letter tendering resignation as Lieut Native Police – reasons [No 58/112] Para 2: Re public & private cheques dishonoured Para 3: Re native troopers & desertion Para 4: Re 2 nd Lieut Walker Para 5: Lower Condamine & Maranoa Districts at present unprotected & Notes in margin 5800747 Lieut Nicoll respecting suspension - Ex Council 1 March Refer to Capt Wickham Capt Wickham [Ref 58/01102] | A2.42 | 370 – 371 |
| | 58/00928 | 1858 03 12 | Hon Principal Secretary of State | Hornet Bank William Fraser, Silvester Fraser, Andrew Scott "C C" | 1858 01 11 1858 03 13- 1858 03 15~ | At top: "Messrs William & S Fraser and Scott" Letter preferring charges of neglect of duty against 2 nd Lieut Nicholl Native Police [as it is – also spelt Nicoll] – mentions threat to safety of settlers of Leichhardt District Re Mr Nicol [as it is]: mentions Bobby & the late Mrs Fraser only survivor of the tragedy, Toby who was at the murders at Euroombah – involvement in outrages in the District – protest at employment of certain blacks in Queen's Service – mentions Cockatoo, Bengaban? Tarome [see also Taroom], Juandah, Palm Tree Creek, Kinnoull, Euroombah – reasons Re Mr Nicoll's neglect of duty, laziness & apathy & Notes in margin 58/00747 Lieut Nicholl respecting suspension – Ex Council – 1 March Refer to Capt Wickham re Mr Nicholl's conduct Government Resident, Writers [Ref 58/01367, 58/01781] Ex Council 4 June? | A2.42 | 372 – 374 |
| | 58/00747 | 1858 02 27 | Hon CS | Francis Nicoll, Lieut Native Police "C C" | 1858 02 07 1858 03 01~ | At top: "Lieut Nicoll, Native Police Letter re suspension from 22 nd ult by Commandant Native Police & charge preferred by P Cardew of the Dawson – Dawson part of Lieut Murray's District & charges are untrue [No 58/109] Requests enquiry – has serious charges to prefer against Mr Cardew & others Para 2: Re neglect of Maranoa District: re recruits & horses promised by Commandant – has to protect Lower Condamine & Maranoa with one 2 nd Lieut, one Camp Sergeant & 8 troopers – has 21 recruits raised from other Districts – no clothing for troopers for 1857 Para 3: Begg full enquiry – mentions atrocities practiced upon aborigines (men, women & children) & Notes in margin Clerk of Executive Council – 1 March 58 Capt Wickham to report | A2.42 | 375 – 376 |

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| | 58/01781 | 1858 05 17 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, Government Resident | 1858 03 03~ 1858 05 12 | Government Resident [Ref 58/00928] At top: "E.C. 58/272 – 18 May 1858" Letter re charges preferred against Mr Nicol [as it is] of Native Police [No 58/189] Forwarding report of Commandant: Proceeded to Wandai Gumbal to investigate charges – Lieut Nicol [as it is] avoided interview – charges correct – evidenced by letters from Messrs Bennett, Gilliss or Eales, Scott & Ferrett [also spelt Ferritt] – suggests Lieut Nicol's resignation should not be accepted, should be dismissed from Public Service – re unsatisfactory state of accounts of 3rd Division – to withhold pay until adjustment made & Notes in margin Governor General & Executive Council Think Mr Nicol should be dismissed Clerk Ex Council [p 378: Ref 58/01367] | A2.42 | 377 – 380 |
| | | | | "C C" "W T D" | 1858 05 17~ 1858 05 17 1858 05 18 | | | |
| | | | | Edward C Merewether, Clerk of Council | 1858 05 31 | Notes re above Executive Council see proof of Lieut Nicoll's neglect of duty – advise resignation not be accepted – to be forthwith dismissed from Public Service - re Lieut Nicoll's accounts: in unsatisfactory state, advise pay be withheld until adjustment made – confirmed [No 58/303] | | 381 |
| | | | | "W T D" | 1858 06 03~ 1858 06 04 1858 06 08 1858 06 08~ 1858 06 16 | Approved Returned Colonial Secretary's Office Government Resident Moreton Bay, Secretary to Treasury Inform Auditor General Auditor General | | |
| | 58/01781 | | Government Resident Moreton Bay | Office of Commandant N M Police, Brisbane E V Morisset, Commandant Native Police | 1858 04 30 | Letter re conduct of Lieut Nicoll – complaints are correct, effects on character of Native Police Corps – enclosing documents – mentions Lieut Murray Re Lieut Nicol's [as it is] complaints - due to his own mismanagement – 1 st tour of inspection to Wandai Gumbal, Lieut Nicol absent – state of Camp, troopers living with local aborigines, joining in corroborees & marauding expeditions – mentions 2 nd Lieut Moorhead, also mentions Mr Lester of Terreyboo [see also Tierreyboo] Re Lieut Nicol's expenditure of salary on the troopers Re disorganization & want of supplies – deficiencies due to Mr Nicol's account – re state of accounts 3 rd Division – 2 nd Lieut Walker officer now in charge | | 382 – 387 |
| | | | | Francis Nicoll | "Friday morning" | [Pinned on top of following letter] Letter indicating letter was received at Blyth's the day after proposal to meet – re ammunition | | 388 |
| | | | E V Morrisett [also spelt Morisset], Commandant of Native Police Force | Wallam, Darling Downs James Bennett | 1858 03 13 | Letter re gross mismanagement of Native Police under Lieut Nicoll at Wandai Gumbal – mentions John Ferrett Reports Lieut Nicoll unfit for office – details, mentions enclosed note – re Mr Nicoll's attendance on the Bench as Magistrate – details re indifference & carelessness – mentions Wombo [Wambo?], Terreyboo [also spelt Tierreyboo], Lieut Smith, W H Yaldwyn from Terreyboo, Sandeman's Committee - efficient force under late Lieut Fulford - since appointment of Lieuts Irving & Nicoll now useless – re blacks | | 389 – 393 |
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| | | | E V Morisset, Commandant N Police | Dulacca William Gidlin? | 1858 03 17~ [obscured] | Mr James Bennett to the/ Commandant/ March 13 th 1858/ Charges against Lt Nicoll Letter re Lieut Nicoll's mismanagement of Native Police at Wandai Gumbal – mentions unable to find way in bush after shepherd & wife murdered at Boggindilla [also spelt Bogandilla] – poor response when Station at risk of attack by blacks from Dawson [Cover sheet] March 17 th 58/ William Giddlin? [also spelt Gidlin?] to Commandant/ relative to Lt Nicoll/ no importance | | 395 396 |
| | | | E V Morisset, Commandant Native Police, Taroom [also spelt Taroom] | Hornet Bank Andrew Scott~ | 1858 03 11 | Letter re Mr Ferret's charges [also spelt Ferrett] against Lieut Nicoll Native Police – statements in support Re tragic affair at Hornet Bank 27 October 1857 – went to Wandegumbal [see also Wandai Gumbal] to get help to apprehend murderers – mentions Mr Royds & Mr Gordon's Station on Yulebar – state of Police Station – Mr Nicoll promised to send Mr Moorhead – details – mentions Terreboo [see also Tieryboo], Mr Coxen & Mr Lester, Bogandilla, Thomas Ross [Cover sheet] "O H M S" E V Morisset Commandant Native Police/ Taroom [also spelt Taroom]/ March 11 th 1858/ Mr Andrew Scott to Commandant/ relative to charges against/ Lt Nicoll | | 397 – 399 400 |
| | | | Commandant N M Police Tarome [also spelt Taroom] Upper Dawson | Wallam, Darling Downs John Ferrett | 1858 03 20 | Letter re charges against Lieut Nicoll – refers to statements of gentlemen alluded to in letter of Dec 20 th last [No ?/45 – partly obscured] [Cover sheet] Mr Ferrett March 20 th / Relative to charges/ against/ Lieut Nicoll | | 401 402 |
| | 58/00227 | 1858 01 18~ [obscured] | His Ex Sir William Denison, Governor | T G Rusden | 1858 01 08 | At top: "T G Rusden" Letter forwarding "this day's" Herald with letter signed Andrew Scott referring to statement by Mr W Miles – refers to Native Police Force & mentions the late Frasers & Notes across letter Capt Wickham to report & letter to Rusden – mentions last communication from Capt Wickham or Mr Wiseman? (difficult to read) [Ref 58/01781] | A2.42 | 403 – 404 |
| | | | The Editor of the 'Sydney Morning Herald' | "C C" Hornet Bank, Upper Dawson Andrew Scott | 1858 01 16~ 1857 12 00~ | [Newspaper clipping] THE NATIVE POLICE : MASSACRE OF THE FRASER FAMILY Letter relating to the inefficiency & neglect displayed by Lieut Nicol [as it is] at the time of the Hornet Bank massacre – mentions Dawson River District, Hornet Bank, Lieut Powell, Lieut Nichol [as it is – also spelt Nicoll], Mr Royd of Juandah, Wandegumble [see also Wandai Gumbal], Mr Moorhead, Mr Miles | | 405 – 406 |
| | 59/03587 | 1859 08 15 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor | Johan Adam Geiger~ [difficult to decipher] | 1859 08 08~ | At top: "J A Gerger" [could be Geiger] Memorial of John Adam Geiger of Seven Mile Creek near Ipswich – native of Verberg near Baden Germany - 44 yrs, vinedresser - arrived in the Colony by ship "Morps" ["Marbs"?] 1856 - annexed certificate of character – has purchased land in District of Moreton Bay & settled on it as agriculturist – requests Certificate of Naturalization <u>Certificate</u> | A2.42 | 407 |

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| | | | | | 1859 08 15~ 1859 08 20~ 1859 08 22 1859 08 24 | [Signed] John Clarke Foote, Henry Kilner & Notes in margin "Mr V" No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | | |
| | 59/03588 | 1859 08 15 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor | Joseph Platz [difficult to decipher] | 1859 08 05 1859 08 15~ 1859 08 20~ 1859 08 22 1859 08 24 | Memorial of Joseph Platz of Seven Mile Creek near Ipswich – native of Hedesheim near Baden in Germany - 33yrs, vinedresser & married with six children - arrived in the Colony by ship "Aurora" 1856 - annexed certificate of character – has purchased land in District of Moreton Bay & settled on it as agriculturist – requests Certificate of Naturalization <u>Certificate</u> [Signed] John Clarke Foote, Henry M Reeve & Notes in margin "3477" [59/03477] "Mr V" No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | 408 – 409 |
| | 59/03624 | 1859 08 18 | Hon CS | General Post Office, Sydney W H Christie, Postmaster General "C C" | 1859 08 17 1859 08 18~ 1859 08 19~ 1859 08 24 | Letter re increase in salary of Postmaster Rockhampton from £12 to £60 – Auditor General requires written authority to pay [No 59/123] & Notes in margin "4855" Query re papers Approved Postmaster General | A2.42 | 410 - 411 |
| | 59/03658 59/03658 [partly obscured] | 1859 08 20 | Hon CS~ His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham GR Brisbane Michael Holzberger [difficult to decipher] | 1859 08 16 1859 08 20~ 1859 08 22 1859 08 24 1859 08 03 1859 08 22 | Letter forwarding Memorial for Certificate of Naturalization in favour of Michael Holzberger with recommendation [No 59/153] & Notes in margin "Mr V" Certificate prepared Usual letters [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Michael Holzberger of Bulimba, native of Grand Duchy of Baden, Germany – 50 yrs, farmer - arrived per "Cäsar" ["Caesar?"] 1855 Annexed certificate of character – wishes to become freeholder & settle as a farmer <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for 6 months [Signed] J C Heussler, Thomas S Cowell, Martin Egert & Note in margin Certificate prepared | A2.42 | 412 – 413 414 |

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| | 59/03674 | 1859 08 20 | Hon CS | Police Office, Ipswich Charles George Gray P M | 1859 08 10 | At top: "Police Magistrate Ipswich" Letter reporting re character of William Bell – implicated in many robberies – unable to recommend petition & Notes in margin Governor General Application refused | A2.42 | 423 – 424 |
| | 59/03674 | | Government Resident, Moreton Bay | Police Office, Brisbane William Anthony Brown, Police Magistrate | 1859 08 20~ 1859 08 20 1859 08 22~ 1859 08 22 1859 08 08 | Government Resident [Ref 59/03249] Letter reporting on character of William Bell – arrived as convict per ship "Hashemy" 1849 – July 1851 ticket of leave cancelled for being illegally absent from his District – in or near Ipswich until committed for trial for forgery 1858 – refer to Ipswich Bench for more particulars [No 59/174] | | 425 – 426 |
| | 59/03249 | 1859 07 25 | Hon CS | Supreme Court House, Sydney Samuel Frederick Milford | 1859 07 23 | At top: "Mr Justice Milford" Letter re William Bell – tried Brisbane 27 September for forgery & uttering – guilty – suggests inquiry be made from Police Magistrate Ipswich & Notes in margin Governor General & Notes re above | A2.42 | 427 – 428 |
| | | | | "C C" | 1859 07 25~ | Judge's report – enquiry re man's character may be made at Ipswich | | |
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| | | | | "C C" | 1859 07 26~ 1859 07 28 | Police Magistrate Ipswich [Ref 59/03674] | | |
| | 59/03147 | 1859 07 18 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor | William Bell | | At top: "William Bell" Petition [of William Bell] prisoner in Her Majesty's Gaol Brisbane – 2years hard labour – re erroneous verdict – mentions Judge Milford & Memoranda – outlines his case: cheque found near Ipswich, drawn by James Ivory & payable to Messrs Cribb & Foote - mentions Mr Foote, Mr Anderson accountant Ipswich, Queens Arms Public House, Mr McDonald, Mr Faircloth, Chief Constable, Colonel Grey Police Magistrate Occupation is tin-plate worker, married man with family, resided in Ipswich since 1849, of good character, 9 months of sentence completed – begs remission Note at end: "W A B – Sheriff" & Notes in margin Refer to Judge Judge Milford [Ref 59/03249] | A2.42 | 429 - 436 |
| | | | | "C C" | 1859 07 18~ 1859 07 20 | | | |
| | 59/03688 | 1859 08 22 | Principal Under Secretary | Government Immigration Office, Sydney H H Browne, Agent for Immigration | 1859 08 19 | Letter re information required by Legislative Assembly re Assisted Immigration to Moreton Bay & reasons for delay – Return to be submitted before meeting of Assembly [No 59/3367] & Notes in margin Return presented to Assembly 13 September 1859 | A2.42 | 437 – 439 |
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| | 59/03814 | 1859 08 30 | Private Secretary | Ipswich John Kent, Honorary Secretary | 1859 08 24 | At top: "John Kent Honorary Secretary to North Australian Rifle Club" Letter on behalf of North Australian Rifle Club soliciting patronage of His Excellency the Governor General - re government assistance in matter of Arms & accoutrements – mentions town of Ipswich and Brisbane & 'enemy' attacks & Notes in margin & across letter | A2.42 | 444 – 446 |
| | 59/03814 | | John Kent, Honorary Secretary to North Australian Rifle Club, Ipswich | "C C" | 1859 09 13~ 1859 09 21 | Acknowledge – Government has no Army at present, encourages formation of such Corps – re supply of arms & accoutrements Mr Kent | | 447 – 449 |
| | 59/03824 | 1859 08 31 | | Tarban Lunatic Asylum George H Allman, Sprott Boyd | 1859 08 29 | At top: "Medical Visitors" [PRINTED CERTIFICATE] Medical Board of Visitors re examination of Jane McLaren – found to be of sound mind – recommend discharge & Notes in margin "For discharge Jane McLaren" Discharge Warrant herewith [not filmed here] Dr Campbell | A2.42 | 450 |
| | | | | Francis N Lucas MD, Surgeon | 1858 08 17 | [Statement] Re Jane MacLaren [also spelt McLaren] – considered to be dangerous lunatic "Sworn before us this 17 th day of August 1858 – Charles George Gray PM, John Douglas JP" & Note in margin "Mr V" | | 451 |
| | | | | Henry Challinor, Surgeon | 1858 08 17~ | [Statement] Medical Practitioner practising at Ipswich - re Jane MacLaren: in Police cells, of unsound mind & a dangerous lunatic "Sworn before us at Ipswich this 17 August 1858 – Charles George Gray PM, John Douglas JP" | | 452 |
| | | | | K Cannan, Visiting Surgeon, Her Majesty's Gaol Brisbane, Moreton Bay | 1858 08 23~ | [Statement] Re Jane McLaren wife of Alexander McLaren of Ipswich labourer – unsound mind, recommends Lunatic Asylum for treatment – 'Stated this 23 rd day of August 1858' | | 453 |
| | | | Edward Quinn, Ipswich Chief Constable and | Ipswich Charles George Gray PM, John Douglas JP | 1858 08 17 | <u>Warrant of Commitment of a Lunatic for Safe Custody</u> [partly obscured] Re Jane McLaren – apprehended at Ipswich – derangement of mind – brought before Charles George Gray & John Douglas – opinions of Francis | | 454 - 455 |

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| | 59/01473 | | | "C C" "W T D" A O Moriarty, Clerk of the Council "W T D" "C C" | 1859 04 19~ 1859 04 21~ 1859 04 23 1859 04 27 1859 05 05 1859 05 06 1859 05 31 | [PRINTED FORM] VOUCHER No. THE DEPARTMENT of the Government Resident Port Curtis Dr to: Dr A C Robertson Gladstone DATE: 8 th August 1857 For the undermentioned SERVICES: To Medical Attendance from 1 st January to 8 th August 1857 at the Lockup, and on the Government Departments including visits as Resident Surgeon Port Curtis (being 7 months & 8 days salary at the rate of £300 per annum) £181-9-0 <u>Certificate</u> & Note written on Voucher: Dr Robertson substitutes this for the former Voucher | | 468 |
| | 58/03526 | 1858 09 28 | Hon CS | Gladstone M C O'Connell JP | 1858 09 11 | At top: "Police Magistrate" Letter enclosing account from Dr A C Robertson late Resident Surgeon Port Curtis for medical attendance on prisoners in lock-up & on various | A2.42 | 469 – 470 |

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| | 58/03526 | | | "C C" M C O'Connell JP, A C Robertson | 1858 09 28- | Government Departments during first 7 months of 1857 [No 58/38] Para 2: Duties continued under impression he still held appointment of Resident Surgeon – not notified of discontinuance Para 3: No salary voted for Resident Surgeon Port Curtis for 1857 Para 4: Strongly recommends Dr Robertson's claim & Notes in margin [and across letter] Dr Robertson occupied Government building as a residence – state rent to be charged if claim to be admitted - proposes fair remuneration for services – Dr Robertson dismissed for irregular conduct, mentions Capt O'Connell's letter of Dec 1856 – re charge per visit – query re Government Departments Gladstone [difficult to read] "Duplicate" [PRINTED FORM] VOUCHER No. THE DEPARTMENT of the Government Resident Port Curtis Dr to: Dr A C Robertson Gladstone DATE: August 8 th 1857 For the undermentioned SERVICES: To Medical Attendance from 1 st January to 8 th August 1857 at the Lockup, and on the Government Departments including 275 visits £182-13-4 <u>Certificate</u> & Note on form: N B Number of visits as stated by Dr Robertson – no account kept as presumed in receipt of Government salary "M C O'C – JP" | | 471 |
| | 57/04993 | 1857 12 14 | Hon CS | Gladstone M C O'Connell JP | 1857 11 25 | At top: "Commissioner O'Connell" Stamped: TREASURY NO.10605/ DE16-1857 Letter re Dr Robertson's claim for salary as Resident Surgeon Port Curtis [No 57/89] Para 2: Re notification from Dr Greenup no salary voted for appointment Para 3: No resignation of Dr Robertson's transmitted – re irregularities in his conduct & appointment as Resident Surgeon [Refs 56/09218 with 57/00230] Para 4: Re change of Government & 1856 appointments [Ref 57/00230] Para 5: Dr Robertson entitled to salary to date of receipt of notification from Dr Greenup as to discontinuance of appointment & Notes in margin "Mr V" [Refs 57/03568, 58/03526] Note Re Dr Robertson's claim for salary due to 5 August 1857 – reasons for withdrawal of salary from 1857 Estimates – re notice of discontinuance – declines to ask Parliament for salary for Dr Robertson for any portion of 1857 Capt O'Connell Dr Robertson [Ref 58/03526] | A2.42 | 472 – 474 |
| | 57/04993 | | | "C C" | 1857 12 15- 1858 07 06 1858 07 17 1857 12 16 | Note At top: Stamped TREASURY NO.10605/ DE16-1857 | | 475 – 477 478 |

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| | 57/00230 | | | | 1857 08 17 1857 08 17~ 1857 08 18~ 1857 08 20~ 1857 08 21 | Notes re above Query whether draft letter sent to Capt O'Connell No such letter entered Found draft with papers from records Write now Capt O'Connell | | 484 – 485 |
| | 57/00230 | | Capt O'Connell JP, Port Curtis | | | [Draft] Letter to inform that office of Resident Surgeon Port Curtis discontinued - re pay of Dr Robertson who resigned office: authorised to be issued on Certificate of Medical Adviser as Capt O'Connell declined - no longer Government Resident Para 2 [crossed out]: Dr Robertson to be informed of acceptance of his resignation & discontinuance of employment [crossed out] The Auditor General To be informed that under report of Capt O'Connell office of Resident Surgeon Port Curtis discontinued from 1 st of the present year | | 486 – 487 |
| | 57/00230 | | R Greenup MD, Medical Adviser to the Government, Parramatta | Gladstone, Port Curtis A C Robertson | 1856 12 31 | Letter forwarding Pay Abstracts for signature as Head of Medical Department – Capt O'Connell declined as no longer Government Resident – requests they be forwarded to Auditor General [Abstracts not filmed here] | | 488 |
| | 56/09218 | 1856 12 30 | Hon CS | Gladstone M C O'Connell, C C L | 1856 12 13 | At top: "Commissioner O'Connell" Letter re inebriety of Dr Robertson Resident Surgeon Port Curtis [No 56/104] Para 2: Suffering from delirium tremens –drunken interference at Government Land Sale 14 th March Para 3: Re misconduct & request for his resignation Para 4: Re need for Resident Surgeon Port Curtis - medical practitioner in private practice sufficient Para 5: Government to make contribution to induce eligible practitioner to locate in Gladstone – re duties: attendance on Native Police, aborigines & prisoners in lockup – suggests salary £150 per year Para 6: Dr Robertson of no use to the settlement & Notes in margin Governor General & Executive Council <u>Executive</u> 57/10 – 7 January 1857 Circulated by Command [Ref 57/00230] | A2.42 | 489 – 491 |
| | 56/09218 | | | "H W P" "E D T", "W M M" "H W P" "W T D" | 1856 12 31~ 1857 01 07 1857 01 14~ 1857 01 02~ 1857 01 03~ 1857 01 03 1856 01 06~ | Note Query re payment to Resident Surgeon Salary of £200 a year + ration of forage to enable visits to Native Police Executive Council Returned with 57/00230 | | 492 |
| | 55/01935 | 1855 03 01 | Hon CS | Parramatta R Greenup, Medical Adviser to the Government | 1855 02 28 | Letter recommending Archibald Robertson as a fit person to be Medical Officer at Port Curtis [No 55/83] Para 2: Member of Royal College of Surgeons London – credentials checked by Medical Board – testimonial from Convict Department Woolwich Para 3: Enquiry as to his general character – replies received indicate good moral character & Notes in margin See also 55/01936 | A2.42 | 493 – 494 |

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| | | | | "W T D" | 1855 03 02~ 1855 03 02 1855 03 08 | Mr Archibald Robertson to be appointed under this report Approved Auditor General, Government Resident, Medical Adviser [Ref 56/09218] Duplicate "copy" of letter at p 493 Note At top: "M12664 – 22/2/55" Dr Greenup to forward name of fit person to replace Mr Greig? as a medical man at Port Curtis Medical Adviser [Ref 55/01935] | | 495 – 496 497 |
| | 59/03917 | 1859 09 06 | Principal Under Secretary, Sydney | Police Office, Drayton John Watts JP, Francis Nicoll JP | 1859 08 27 | Letter reporting on character of Gottlieb Nereger [also spelt Nerger]: less than ordinary amount of intelligence, an inoffensive man – re absconding from Jondaryan – has little knowledge of English & conduct may be attributed to this [No 59/4] | A2.42 | 498 – 499 |
| | | | Principal Under Secretary, Sydney | Police Office, Drayton R Cobham JP, John Watts JP | 1859 07 09 | At top: "Bench" Letter replying to enquiry re issue of Certificate of Naturalization to Gottlieb Nereger & delay with administering Oath – Nereger absconded from employer – to obtain fresh Authority [No 59/3] & Margin: Refs 59/02754, 59/03917 & Notes re above | | 500 – 501 |
| | | | | "C C" | 1859 07 20~ 1859 07 25 | Before Certificate granted Magistrates to report re character of Applicant Bench Drayton | | |
| | 59/02754~ [partly obscured] | 1859 06 25 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Gottlieb Nerger [also spelt Gottlieb Nereger] | 1859 04 13 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Gottlieb Nerger of Toowoomba, Darling Downs, native of Hamburg, Germany - 32 yrs, general labourer – arrived per "Ceaser Gotofor" [as it is – "Caesar Godeffroy"?] 1852– annexed Certificate of character – has purchased land in Toowoomba & wishes to dispose of a portion of it <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for the last 3? years [Signed] Edward Lord, Martin Boulton, William H Groom, William Smith & Notes in margin "Mr V" Certificate issued in favour of this man on 7 th August 1858 & Bench Drayton informed - see 58/02772 Write to Bench re what was done & inform applicant | A2.42 | 502 |
| | | | | | 1859 06 27~ 1859 06 27~ | Bench Drayton, G Nerger [Ref 59/03149] | | |
| | | | | | 1859 06 29 1859 09 15 | Certificate prepared | | |
| | 58/02772 | 1858 08 02 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Drayton Gottlieb Nereger [also spelt Gottlieb Nerger] | 1858 07 12 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Gottlieb Nereger, native of Germany – 31 yrs, labourer – arrived per "Good Frau" ["Caesar Godeffroy"?] 1852– annexed Certificate of character – has purchased land at Toowoomba & intends to settle there | A2.42 | 503 |

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| | | | | | 1858 08 05- 1858 08 07 1858 08 09 | <u>Certificate</u> Have known man for 2 years [Signed] R Brownlee, John Broadbent & Notes in margin Prepare Certificate for approval Certificate prepared Secretary Treasury, Auditor General, Proth. Supreme Court, Bench Drayton, G Nereger [Ref 59/02755] | | |
| | 59/03920 | 1859 09 06 | Principal Under Secretary | Government Immigration Office, Sydney H H Browne, Agent for Immigration | 1859 09 05 1859 09 06- | Letter forwarding Return containing information re Assisted Immigration to Moreton Bay & other Sea Ports of the Colony – required by Legislative Assembly [No 59/3367] & Notes in margin Prepare for Assembly - Presented 13 September 1859 | A2.42 | 504 – 505 |
| | 59/03928 | 1859 09 07 | Hon CS | General Post Office, Sydney W H Christie, Postmaster General "C C" | 1859 09 06 1859 09 07- 1859 09 10 | At top: "59/5458" Letter reporting K S Tosswill contractor for conveyance of mails between Ipswich & Drayton absent from District – no provisions made re contract during absence [No 59/131] Para 2: Joseph Booth previous contractor willing to perform service – requesting authority to cancel Tosswill's contract & accept Booth's offer & Notes in margin Approved Postmaster General | A2.42 | 506 – 508 |
| | 59/03985 | 1859 09 10 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | William Bergan William Bergan | 1859 09 10- 1859 09 10- 1859 09 12 | At top: "Gaoler Brisbane" Petition of William Bergan Gaoler Her Majesty's Gaol Brisbane, Moreton Bay re Phillip Curran labourer – of unsound mind – annexed Certificates - requests admission into Lunatic Asylum for medical care <u>Certificate</u> Re Phillip Curran – unable to pay for his maintenance in Lunatic Asylum & Notes in margin "Mr V" Warrant herewith Government Resident | A2.42 | 509 – 509 again |
| | 59/03985 | | Samuel Sneyd, Chief Constable Brisbane & Keeper of the Gaol, Brisbane | William Pickering JP, George Raff JP | 1859 08 20 | [Warrant] Re Phillip Curran of Brisbane – apprehended Brisbane – deranged & suicidal – examined by Medical Practitioners Kearsey Cannan & Frederick James Barton & found to be a dangerous lunatic – to be delivered to Common Gaol, Brisbane until discharged or removed to Colonial Asylum | | 510 – 511 |
| | 59/03985 | | | Brisbane, Moreton Bay K Cannan, Frederick James Barton | 1859 08 20 | [Certificate] Re Phillip Curran (labourer) – unsound mind & a dangerous lunatic – recommend Lunatic Asylum for treatment "Sworn before us this 20 th August 1859 – William Pickering JP, George Raff JP" | | 512 |
| | 59/03986 | 1859 09 10 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | William Bergan | | At top: "Gaoler Brisbane" Petition of William Bergan Gaoler Her Majesty's Gaol Brisbane, Moreton Bay re James Simple, labourer – of unsound mind – annexed Certificates - | A2.42 | 513 – 514 |

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| | 59/03986 | | Chief Constable Ipswich & Keeper of Gaol, Brisbane | William Bergan | 1859 09 10~ 1859 09 10~ 1859 09 12 | requests admission into Lunatic Asylum for medical care <u>Certificate</u> Re James Simple – unable to pay for his maintenance in Lunatic Asylum & Notes in margin “Mr V” Warrant herewith Government Resident | | 515 – 516 | |
| | 59/03986 | | | Ipswich Charles George Grey [sic] JP “LS” Henry Buckley JP “LS” | 1859 09 01 | [Warrant] Re James Simple discovered at Ipswich in deranged state – examined by Medical Practitioners Francis Norman Lucas MD & Henry Challinor of Ipswich - found to be a dangerous lunatic – to be delivered to Common Gaol, Brisbane until discharged or removed to a Lunatic Asylum | | | 517 |
| | 59/03986 | | | Ipswich Henry Challinor, surgeon | | [Certificate] Re James Simple – found to be insane – mentions deposition of Abraham Wynne taken before Colonel Gray PM 27 August “Sworn before us this 1 st September 1859 – Charles George Gray PM, Henry Buckley JP” | | | 518 |
| | | | | Francis N Lucas MD | | [Statement] Francis Norman Lucas, Medical practitioner Ipswich re James Simple – found to be a dangerous lunatic “Sworn before us this 1 st September 1859 – Charles George Gray PM, Henry Buckley JP” | | | |
| | 59/03994 | 1859 09 10 | Hon CS | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR | 1859 09 06 | Letter forwarding application from Frederick Uhlmann for Certificate of Naturalization – recommends application [No 59/163] & Notes in margin “Mr V” Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | 519 – 520 | |
| | 59/03994 | | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Frederick Uhlmann | 1859 09 10~ 1859 09 15 1859 09 16 1859 08 29 1859 09 15 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Frederick Uhlmann of Bulimba, Brisbane – 38 yrs, farm labourer, married with 6 children – arrived per “Peter Godeffrau” [as it is – “Peter Godeffroy”?] 1852 Nov 28 – annexed Certificate of character – has purchased land <u>Certificate</u> [Signed] Donald Coutts of Bulimba, Hans Frederick Hartz, Bulimba & Notes in margin Certificate prepared | | 521 | |
| | 59/04028 | 1859 09 12 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Frederick Korn | 1859 08 24 | At top: “F Korn” [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Frederick Korn of Germany – 42 yrs, bush labourer – arrived per “Williamsburgh” | A2.42 | 522 | |

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| | | | | | | ["Wilhelmsburg?"] 1855 – annexed Certificate of character – arrived in District of Gayndah on 1 st January 1859 & purchased Crown lands <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist from arrival at Gayndah on 1 st January 1859 [Signed] John Gill, John Connolly, William Hampson, Daniel Perry, James Neville & Notes in margin "Mr V" Notes re above By direction of Governor General referred to Colonial Secretary No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | | 523 |
| | 59/05024 | 1859 09 19 | Hon CS | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham | 1859 09 14 | Letter enclosing documents received from Police Magistrate Brisbane re attack by unknown persons on Camp of Blacks near Brisbane 'with death of a gin' [No 59/175] Para 2: £50 reward offered for information leading to conviction of guilty parties & Notes in margin Approved Government Resident Brisbane | A2.42 | 524 – 526 |
| | 59/05024 | | Hon CS | Police Office, Brisbane William Anthony Brown, Police Magistrate | 1859 09 14 | Letter reporting re attack on tribe of blacks camped a mile beyond Breakfast Creek bridge – woman killed & man & child wounded [No 59/204] Para 2: Re deceased – mentions Coroner Para 3: Unsuccessful search for guilty parties Para 4: Blacks unable to give evidence – suggests reward | | 527 – 528 |
| | | | The Coroner, Brisbane | Police Office, Brisbane William Anthony Brown, PM | 1859 09 12 | "Copy" Letter reporting attack by persons unknown on Camp of blacks on 3 rd inst 1 mile beyond Breakfast Creek bridge – woman killed, man & child wounded [No 59/202-] Paras 2-3: Reporting Police have found place where woman is buried | | 529 |
| | | | Police Magistrate | Brisbane K Cannan, Coroner | 1859 09 13 | "Copy" Letter reporting re attack: body of dead 'gin' exhumed, unable to confirm cause of death – attended black's camp, saw boy 7 years with gunshot wounds – blacks to bring him to hospital | | 530 |
| | 59/05025 | 1859 09 19 | Hon CS | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham GR | 1859 09 14 | Letter re employment of hard labour prisoners confined in Brisbane Gaol – discusses expenditure [No 59/177] Para 2: Requests further £100 to continue employing such prisoners Para 3: Re hard labour rations & Notes in margin Re Estimates Secretary to the Treasury Auditor General | A2.42 | 531 – 533 |
| | | | | "C C" | 1859 09 19- 1859 09 20 1859 09 23 | | | |

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| | 59/05026 | 1859 09 19 | MP Hon CS | Henry Mort "C C" Ipswich Benjamin Cribb | 1859 09 19~ 1859 09 19~ 1859 09 12 | building School of Arts at Ipswich & Notes across letter The Estimates Secretary to Treasury; B Cribb Secretary At top: "President, Ipswich School of Arts" Letter requesting £600 be placed on Estimates to assist erection of a Hall for School of Arts – reasons, present temporary building inadequate [Cover] The Honble/ The Colonial Secretary/ Sydney [postmarked: IPSWICH-N S W / SP12; SYDNEY-N S W / SP19-1859A] <i>[stamp still affixed: NEW SOUTH WALES-POSTAGE-TWOPENCE]</i> | | 546 547 |
| | 59/05028 | 1859 09 19 | Hon CS | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham GR "C C" | 1859 09 13 1859 09 19~ 1859 09 22 | Letter re request from Revd B E Shaw Church of England Chaplain to Brisbane Gaol for Bibles & Prayer Books for the prisoners – requests supply be authorised from Colonial Storekeeper [No 59/17] & Notes in margin Approved to extent of £10 Government Resident, Secretary to Treasury | A2.42 | 548 – 549 |
| | 59/05039 | 1859 09 19 | | Thomas Richards G P | 1859 09 19 1859 09 19 1859 09 19 | Note James Houston <u>Poundkeeper Drayton</u> Notice of Impounded Cattle ['Cattle' crossed out], Horses with £1 payment Government Printer Received the Notice & £1 above referred to Returned Colonial Secretary's Office | A2.42 | 550 |
| | 59/05133 | 1859 09 26 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Guisepe Poncini | 1859 09 09 1859 09 26~ 1859 09 30~ 1859 09 30~ 1859 10 03 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Guisepe Poncini of Maryborough, Wide Bay, native of Ascouni [Ascona?] Switzerland – 23 yrs, brickmaker – arrived per "Leauvina" ["Lavina?"] 1855 – annexed Certificate of character –wishes to be purchaser of land <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist since his arrival in the Colony [Signed] James Griffin, Andrew Goodwin & Notes in margin "Mr V" No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | 551 |
| | 59/05133 | 1859 09 26 | | | | Certificate at p 551 duplicated here | | 552 |
| | 59/05139 | 1859 09 26 | W Elyard | Government Immigration Office, Moreton Bay A C Kemball, Assistant Immigration Agent "A C K" | 1859 09 22 | At top: "Mr A Kemball" Letter referring to alleged libelous article in 'Moreton Bay Courier' with reference to complaint made against him by J Swan – enclosing sheet from 'Moreton Bay Courier' of 17 th inst [No 59/67-428] Note re above Mentions Mr Kemball's letter 59/67, Mr Swan & | A2.42 | 553 – 555 556 |

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| | | | James Swan, 'Moreton Bay Courier' Office, Brisbane | Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney W Elyard | 1859 08 30 | Hon Colonial Secretary, also the "Yarra Yarra" & 'The Courier' [PRINTED - NEWSPAPER CLIPPING] THE MORETON BAY COURIER SATURDAY "Local Intelligence" THE IMMIGRATION AGENT AND THE "COURIER" Letter received per "Yarra Yarra": Re complaint preferred against Assistant Immigration Agent Brisbane re withholding information – extract of explanation enclosed Para 2: Mr Kemball's explanation <u>EXTRACT</u> Request for information about hiring of Immigrants & rates of wages – mentions Mr Swan & Captain Geary – Paper calls on Capt Wickham to institute an enquiry | | 558 – 559 [no p 557] |
| | 59/03671 | 1859 08 20 | Principal Secretary | Government Immigration Office, Moreton Bay A C Kemball, Assistant Immigration Agent "C C" | 1859 08 16 1859 08 22- | At top: "Asst Immigration Agent" Letter re complaint by Mr Swan proprietor of 'Moreton Bay Courier' & requesting permission to publish relevant correspondence [No 59/64] & Notes in margin & written across 1 st page of letter [difficult to read] See 59/03660 also No objection to Mr Kemball publishing correspondence but not necessary – appears to be misunderstanding – explanation at the time might have prevented the publication of ... that Mr Kemball was withholding information – hopes explanation will be satisfactory to Mr Swan | A2.42 | 560 – 561 |
| | 59/03660 | 1859 08 20 | Hon CS | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR | 1859 08 16 | Letter forwarding Mr Kemball's explanation re complaint against him as Assistant Immigration Agent Brisbane by Mr Swan proprietor of 'Moreton Bay Courier' [No 59/156] Para 2: Recommending Mr Kemball & Note in margin See 59/03671 also | A2.42 | 562 – 564 |
| | 59/03660 | | | Government Immigration Office- Moreton Bay A C Kemball, Assistant Immigration Agent | 1859 08 15 | Letter reporting re complaint against him by Mr Swan proprietor of 'Moreton Bay Courier' & enclosing article re his alleged withholding of information from the Journal re hiring of Immigrants & rates of wages – mentions Capt Geary [No 59/432] & "Enclosure referred to" THE MORETON BAY COURIER WEDNESDAY AUGUST 10, 1859 Re complaint against Dr Kemball re the withholding of information – mentions Cowper Administration [Newspaper clipping from 'Moreton Bay Courier' attached to letter at p 566] | | 565 - 569 |
| | 59/03423 | | Hon C Cowper | Immigration Office, Sydney H H Browne | 1859 07 29 | Returning Mr Swan's letter of complaint against Dr Kemball – mentions advertisement in the newspaper, the basis of the charge: rate of wages fixed by local Board & hiring of Immigrants similar to that pursued in Sydney – details Re violent nature of article against Dr Kemball: wishes to refer it to him through Government Resident & | A2.42 | 570 – 572 |

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| | 59/03423 | 1859 08 03 | Premier of New South Wales, Hon Charles Cowper | "C C" Courier Office, Brisbane James Swan | 1859 08 01~ 1859 08 02 1859 07 19 | Notes across letter To be called upon to explain this to the Resident Mr Swan, Government Resident [Ref 59/03660] [PRINTED NEWSPAPER CLIPPING] MORETON BAY COURIER [No date] Complaint re A C Kemball, Immigration Agent – re state of labour market & rates & the withholding of information – mentions Mr Kemball's advertisement At top: "James Swan" Letter re complaint against Immigration Agent Brisbane – has lived in Moreton Bay District 14 years & is proprietor of 'Moreton Bay Courier' – encloses "leader" from "last Saturday's paper" re Immigration Agent & his conduct [part of newspaper attached here – does not appear to relate to this matter] & the matter of his withholding of information Note re above Mr Browne to give his opinion re complaint [Ref 59/03660] | | 573 574 – 575 576 |
| | 59/05140 | 1859 09 26 | Under Secretary, Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney | Gladstone M C O'Connell, Government Resident "C C" | 1859 09 13 1859 09 26~ | At top: "Government Resident" Letter reporting on Dr Redhead's claim on account of his services at Rockhampton Hospital [No 59/103] Para 2: Dr Harvey in charge of Hospital during Dr Redhead's absence as witness, Supreme Court & was paid salary to 5 February when Hospital closed by Colonial Secretary Para 3: Re charge due to Messrs Moodie & Co for hospital supplies – also re settlement of attendants' wages Para 4: Re payment to Dr Harvey Para 5: Not aware of outstanding claim by Dr Redhead for services at Rockhampton & Notes in margin Does not appear anything due to Dr Redhead – not necessary to do anything unless he applies again | A2.42 | 577 - 578 |
| | 59/00888 | 1859 03 11 | Under Secretary, Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney | Gladstone M C O'Connell, Government Resident | 1859 02 24 1859 08 27~ 1859 09 01~ | At top: "Government Resident" Letter re discontinuance of arrangement made with temporary Surgeon at Rockhampton Hospital on Colonial Secretary's instructions [No 59/22] Para 2: Encloses copy letter to Police Magistrate Rockhampton [see p 587] – informed by Capt Vyner that Dr Harvey "locum tenens" for Dr Redhead during absence at Court, Brisbane has made a claim – amount Para 3: Re private arrangement made between Drs Redhead & Harvey & Notes in margin Query to Capt O'Connell whether heard from Dr Redhead & if anything due to him by Government Government Resident [Ref 59/05140] | A2.42 | 579 – 580 |
| | 59/00578 | 1859 02 16 | Hon C Cowper, Colonial Secretary & Premier NSW | Royal Hotel, Sydney J Redhead, Surgeon | 1859 02 15 1859 02 22~ | At top: "Braidwood" Stamped AUDIT OFFICE-NEW SOUTH WALES/ NO.211-FE 23 Transmitting copy letter addressed to Attorney General – mentions Mr Plunket [also spelt Plunkett] & letter addressed to Hon A J P Lutwyche – going to Braidwood & Notes re above Query Auditor General re precedent [Ref 59/00888] | A2.42 | 581 – 582 |

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| | | | | | | See letter to Bench | | |
| | 59/05191 | 1859 09 29 | Principal Under Secretary | Central Police Office, Sydney George Warburton JP | 1859 09 29 1859 09 30~ 1859 10 03 | Letter re appointment of Robert John Hamilton Fotheringham as Clerk of Petty Sessions Condamine – attended at Office to obtain Certificate qualifying him for situation – recommending him for appointment [No 59/38] & Notes in margin May now go forward Notice [crossed out] Secretary Crown Law Offices, Under Secretary Lands, Curators Intestate Estates, Bench Condamine [crossed out] | A2.42 | 593 – 594 |
| | 59/05193 | 1859 09 29 | Hon CS | 46 William Street R J H Fotheringham "C C" | 1859 09 29 1859 09 30~ 1859 10 01 | At top: "Clerk of Petty Sessions Condamine" Letter requesting further advance of salary & travelling expenses in journey to Condamine as Clerk of Petty Sessions gazetted on 6 th inst – re salary & advance: application to Treasury – re costs associated with move to Condamine & attendance at Central Police Station & Notes in margin To be complied with Immediate – 1 month more Secretary to Treasury, Bench, Mr Fotheringham | A2.42 | 595 - 597 |
| | 59/03955 | 1859 09 08 | Hon CS | 46 William Street R J H Fotheringham "C C" John Williams, Crown Solicitor | 1859 09 08 1859 09 09~ 1859 09 09 1859 09 14 1859 09 17 | At top: "R J H Fotheringham" Letter naming Sureties as Clerk of Petty Sessions Condamine: William Bede Dalley M L A, Eyre G Ellis, Solicitor & Notes in margin Approved Crown Solicitor to procure execution of usual Bond – to be returned W Elyard [Ref 59/05193] Notes re above No 350 Bond executed by Mr Fotheringham & his Sureties Recorded & Deposited in Iron Safe in Department Returned Colonial Secretary's Office - nothing further required [Ref 59/05193] | A2.42 | 598 599 |
| | 59/03962 | 1859 09 08 | William Elyard, Under Secretary | 46 William Street R J H Fotheringham "C C" | 1859 09 08 1859 09 10~ 1859 09 17 | At top: "Clerk of Petty Sessions, Condamine" Letter re appointment as Clerk of Petty Sessions Condamine – gazetted on 6 th – applying for salary in advance to cover expenses of journey to Condamine – names of Sureties submitted viz William B Dalley & Eyre G Ellis & Notes in margin Arrangement should take effect from 30 th Inst Two months pay may be advanced when Bond is executed Secretary to Treasury, R J H Fotheringham [Ref 59/03955] | A2.42 | 600 |
| | 59/05209 | | | John McLerie, Inspector General of Police | 1860 07 30 | Memo [page torn] Re correspondence - suggestions therein re Police protection at Tooloom Gold Fields carried out <u>Margin</u> '4488' & Notes re above Returned Colonial Secretary's Office – 'put by' | A2.42 | 601 – 602 |

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| | 59/05209 | 1859 10 01 | Hon CS | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR | 1859 09 27 | At top: "4488/Police – Oct 4" Letter re Gold Diggings at Toloom [as it is – see also Tooloom] – forwarding letter from Police Magistrate Ipswich re extensive gold field in locality – sufficient Police needed for protection [No 59/181] & Notes in margin Inspector General of Police "59/05023 & 59/05056 – Inspector General of Police – 27 Sept" | | 603 – 604 |
| | | | Government Resident, Brisbane | Police Office, Ipswich Charles George Gray PM | 1859 10 01– 1859 09 24 | "C C" "Copy" At top: "Oct 4 – 4488/ Police" Letter re Chief Constable's report on return of Escort from Toloom [No 13] Brought 427ozs 9pennywt 15 grams of gold, diggers have another 2000ozs – 700 men at Toloom - mentions Fairfield, Tubra Creek? – diggers from California & Port Phillip found gold at Mt Lindsay [Lindesay?], Mt Edwards, Mt Greville & Acacia Creek – 2 Public Houses on Diggings, one kept by "Black" from Fairfield, the other by "Brookes" from Rocky River – drinking & fighting, Police protection required Para 2: Gold at Acacia Creek on Gilbert Davidson's Run – locality tested & shaft sunk, no success – fears diggers mistaken re other places mentioned Para 3: Encloses Extraordinary of 'Ipswich Herald' & Note in margin: No 59.93 [PRINTED] THE IPSWICH HERALD AND GENERAL ADVERTISER EXTRAORDINARY ARRIVAL OF THE ESCORT <i>Ipswich Herald</i> Office, Friday [page partly obscured – see p 610] [PRINTED] THE IPSWICH HERALD AND GENERAL ADVERTISER EXTRAORDINARY ARRIVAL OF THE ESCORT <i>Ipswich Herald</i> Office, Friday News from Tooloom: Report from Escort favourable: 427oz 9dwts 15grs – ½ consigned to Sydney Banks, other to diggers' credit in Ipswich – Chief Constable (E Quinn) saw diggers with 2000ozs – 500-600 people – state of diggings: mentions the Clarence, also diggers public meeting & resolutions – mentions "Ipswichite" Davis, also Messrs Hanran, Fletcher & Conniss (first 2 forming part of Escort) & Mr Hanson part of Escort | | 605 – 608 |
| | | | | "SPECTATOR" | | [PRINTED] <i>To the Editor of the Ipswich Herald</i> [Letter] News from diggings: Public Meeting: resolutions 1 st proposed by James Perkins, seconded Mr Brookes – vote of thanks to | | 609 610 |

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| | | | | Ipswich "F W" | 1859 09 23~ | John Ranken & others forming Ipswich Gold Escort 2 nd Appreciation of Mr Fleming & merchants & storekeepers of Ipswich re supplies Cricket match – mentions Mr Miller, followed by Shooting match between George Slacombe & F J Coleman Re state of diggings & the diggers Re supplies – mentions Mr Miller & meeting at Mr Black's – Gold per ounce: £3.8s <hr/> Letter from a townsman re plenty of gold – extensive field <i>To the Editor of the Ipswich Herald</i> Information re Tooloom Diggings: Extensive gold – 500-600 men – satisfied, plenty of rations – report from storekeeper Smith that party of Frenchmen struck quartz reef at head of Clarence River - Fleming's horse drays welcomed by diggers – sold flour to Mr Miller storekeeper – also mentions Mr Southerden, Mr Wilson's agent & sale of flour – notes prices of provisions: tea, sugar, beef, flour – 2 public houses, 2 boarding houses, 3 stores – need to take provisions to diggings as none after passing Balbi's Printed & pub ^d for the Proprietors by EDMUND GREGORY of the Ipswich Herald General Printing Office, Ellenborough-Street, Ipswich, Moreton Bay Friday Sept 23 rd , 1859 | | |
| | 59/05056 | 1859 09 20 | Hon Secretary for Lands & Public Works | Ipswich John Ranken JP "John B"? "SWB? for the Under Secretary" | 1859 09 13 1859 09 19~ 1859 09 19 1859 09 20~ 1859 09 27~ | At top: "59/3873 – 19 September" Stamped COLONIAL SECRETARY-NEW SOUTH WALES/ NO.59/05056 – 20 SEP 59 Letter reporting re Toloom Gold Field [also spelt Tooloom]: discovered at head of Clarence 95 miles from Ipswich – public meeting to petition government for Escort, meantime private escort of 6 men started – extent of finds, gold abundant, mentions diggers from California & Victoria, about 500 diggers – need for supplies – Ipswich storekeepers started with drays – need for Police protection Also at top: "4401/ Police/ Sep 20" & Notes in margin Tooloom Gold Fields to be proclaimed in next Gazette & Gold Commissioner has been appointed – referred matter of Police protection to Chief Secretary J Ranken Forwarded to Principal Under Secretary –to be returned "59/05023 Government Resident Moreton Bay – 16 Sept on the above subject" – submitted yesterday Inspector General of Police | A2.42 | 611 – 616 |
| | 59/05212 | 1859 10 01 | Hon CS~ Government Resident, | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR "C C" "C C" Native Police Camp, Wide | 1859 09 27 1859 10 01~ 1859 10 01 1859 10 03~ 1859 10 04 1859 09 20 | Transmitting copy of application from Lieut John O'Connell Bligh of Native Police for leave of absence [No 59/N.P.90] Para 2: Recommending application – mentions his 6 ½ years service & Notes in margin Governor General Approved Government Resident Enclosing application for leave of absence for Lieut Bligh 2 nd Division Native | A2.42 | 617 – 618 619 |

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| | | | Brisbane | Bay E V Morisset, Commandant Native Police | | Police – recommends application [No 59.240] | | |
| | | | Commandant of Native Police Force, Wide Bay | John O'C Bligh, Lieut Native Police | 1859 09 19 | Letter requesting leave of absence for 8 weeks – served in Native Police Force 6 ½ years – 7 weeks leave previously for surgical aid | | 620 – 621 |
| | 59/05213 | 1859 10 01 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR | 1859 09 27 | Letter re detachment of Native Police in McLeay District & concerns of stockholders re its removal [No 59/N.P.92] Para 2: Letter sent to Commandant & copy of letter signed by James Cheers & others & Notes in margin Inform Messrs Cheers etc | A2.42 | 622 – 624 |
| | | | | "C C" | 1859 10 01~ 1859 10 06 | | | |
| | 59/03998 | 1859 09 10 | Hon CS | Kempsey James Cheers, stockholder Alexander Oakes, stockholder Montague C Oakes, stockholder | 1859 08 26 | At top: "James Cheers & others" Letter re removal of Native Police from present Station by Bench of Magistrates without consultation – request opinion of stockholders be obtained before action taken & Notes in margin Refer to Capt Wickham Capt Wickham, Applicants [Ref 59/05213] | A2.42 | 625 – 626 |
| | | | | "C C" | 1859 09 12~ 1859 09 15 | | | |
| | 59/05214 | 1859 10 01 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR | 1859 09 27 | Letter reporting re Quarters for the Native Police [No 59/N.P.93] Para 2: Enclosing copies of reports of Commandant: buildings & paddocks nearly complete (cost £1276-12-0); re raising of recruits – force is 19 short of allowed number [reports not filmed here – see p 691+] Para 3: Re Para 5 of Mr Morisset's letter re clothing & stores [see p 691], similar complaint from Lieut Walker, Officer in Command 3 rd Division – letter to Colonial Storekeeper – cause of discontent amongst troopers <u>Margin</u> "Dated 15 th September" - refer to Colonial Treasurer & Notes in margin For the Estimates [Ref 59/03877] | A2.42 | 627 - 630 |
| | | | | "C C" | 1859 10 26~ | | | |
| | 59/03877 | 1859 09 03 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, GR | 1859 08 30 | Letter re Quarters for Native Police: works undertaken [No 59/N.P.89] Para 2: Buildings at some Stations complete Para 3: Costs of buildings will not exceed £1276-12-0 Para 4: Commandant to report on present state of Corps & progress re obtaining recruits – Force still incomplete by 17 troopers – 103 paid for Quarter 30 June last & Notes in margin Auditor General – to be returned Stamped AUDIT OFFICE-NEW SOUTH WALES/ NO.976 Noted & returned Returned Colonial Secretary's Office Note for Estimates [Ref 59/05214] | A2.42 | 631 - 634 |
| | | | | "W E" W C Mayne, AG | 1859 09 03 1859 09 06 1859 09 07 | | | |
| | 59/00343 | | W Elyard | W C Mayne | 1859 02 14~ ["14 th "] 1859 08 00~ | Letter re possible complication re amount available - £1276 or £876 Note re above See letter to Capt Wickham 17 August 1859 Government Resident | A2.42 | 635 636 |

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| | 59/00343 | 1859 01 31 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, Government Resident | 1859 01 27 | Letter re erection of Quarters & enclosure of paddocks at Native Police Stations, enclosing copy letter from Commandant with Estimate of Costs – requests authority to proceed [No 59/N.P.28] Para 2: Re situations chosen Para 3: Station at Port Curtis: to remove to Calliope Creek Para 4: Station of 2 nd Division not proposed to be moved: dangerous to move too far from Maryborough – blacks troublesome & numerous, come from Frazer's Island [see also Fraser Island] – 'treacherous & daring' Para 5: Headquarters 3 rd Division moving from Wandai Gumbal to Bungle Creek [also spelt Bungil Creek] – sale of materials & land to defray costs of forming new Station & Notes in margin Approved Government Resident | | 637 – 642 |
| | | | | | 1859 01 31 1859 02 01 1859 02 01~ | Inform Treasury - send papers & copy of reply to Capt Wickham for perusal of Auditor General – to be returned | | |
| | | | | | 1859 02 10 1859 02 10 | Secretary to Treasury [Ref 59/03877] Auditor General Stamped AUDIT OFFICE-NEW SOUTH WALES/ NO.178 At bottom of p 638: Read & returned | | |
| | | | | W C Mayne, AG | 1859 02 16 | Returned Colonial Secretary's Office | | |
| | | | Government Resident, Moreton Bay | Office of Commandant Native Police, Brisbane E V Morisset, Commandant Native Police | 1859 01 24 | "Copy" Letter reporting re sites selected for use of several Divisions & Detachments of Native Police Corps: Head Quarters 1 st Division on the Fitzroy near Rockhampton – land already reserved Four Out Stations: "Upper Fitzroy", "Upper Dawson", "Banana" & "Port Curtis" Native Police at Port Curtis should be removed to the Calliope & building at Port Curtis sold Section at Wide Bay reserved for Native Police 12 miles from Maryboro [see also Maryborough] - Head Quarters of 2 nd Division 3 rd Division to be moved from Wandai Gumbal to Bungle Creek [also spelt Bungil Creek] near the Grafton Range 4 th Division at the Clarence already provided for – site for 5 th Division at Moreton Bay not yet selected | | 643 – 645 |
| | | | | E V Morisset, Commandant J C Wickham, Government Resident | | Estimates for Building, Fencing etc for the Use of the <u>1st Division Native Police Corps</u> [separate amounts listed here] Head Quarters 1 st Division Commandants & Officers Quarters Sergeants Quarters with saddle shed & store attached Fence for Paddock & Stockyard Drawing in material Out Stations: Officers Quarters at Banana, Upper Dawson & Upper Fitzroy Sergeants Quarters, Store and Saddle Shed <u>TOTAL: £577.00</u> | | 646 – 648 |
| | | | | | | at p 647 <u>2nd Division</u> Officers Quarters | | |

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| | 59/00343 | | Government Resident, Moreton Bay | Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney W Elyard | 1859 02 01 | <p>Sergeants Quarters with saddle shed & store attached Fencing & stockyard TOTAL: £289-12-0</p> <p>3rd Division Officers Quarters Sergeants Quarters with saddle shed & store attached Fencing & stockyard TOTAL: £210-0-0</p> <p>Note: Sale of present site & buildings at Wandai Gumbal to cover costs of erection etc at new site "Bungil Creek"</p> <p>at p 648 4th Division None required 5th Division <u>Site not yet chosen – say £200</u></p> <p>Abstract of Estimates</p> <table> <tr> <td>1st Division –</td> <td>577-0-0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2nd Division –</td> <td>289-12-0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3rd Division –</td> <td>210-0-0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4th Division – nil</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>5th Division –</td> <td><u>200-0-0</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>£1276-12-0</td> </tr> </table> <p>Deduct estimated proceeds sale Wandai Gumbal</p> <table> <tr> <td></td> <td><u>400-0-0</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>£876-12-0</td> </tr> </table> <p>"Copy" Letter re erection of Quarters & enclosure of paddocks at Native Police Stations – Colonial Secretary approval for expense not exceeding £1276-12-0 [No 59/11] Para 2: Colonial Secretary's approval for Station at Port Curtis to remove to Calliope Creek & materials of present quarters to be sold – proceeds to Treasury Para 3: Communication to Secretary for Land & Public Works re sale of Native Police Reserve at Wandai Gumbal</p> | 1 st Division – | 577-0-0 | 2 nd Division – | 289-12-0 | 3 rd Division – | 210-0-0 | 4 th Division – nil | | 5 th Division – | <u>200-0-0</u> | | £1276-12-0 | | <u>400-0-0</u> | | £876-12-0 | | 649 – 650 |
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| | £876-12-0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 59/03877 | | Government Resident, Moreton Bay | W Elyard~ [no signature] | 1859 08 18~ | <p>Letter (further to letter of 1 February) re arrangements for Quarters for Native Police: Colonial Secretary requests report re steps taken & expenses incurred Para 2: Separate report re present state of Corps & progress with recruiting</p> | A2.42 | 651 – 653 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 58/04744 | 1858 12 04 | Hon CS | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, Government Resident "C C" | 1858 11 30 1858 12 13~ 1858 12 14 | <p>Letter re removal of Head Quarters 3rd Division Native Police from Wandai Gumbal to Bungil Creek – requesting authority to erect buildings & paddocks at new Station & whether authority extends to all Division of Native Police [No 58/449] Para 2: Re expenses of erecting buildings & paddocks & those incurred by proposed recruiting party Para 3: Commandant to prepare plans & specifications if approval given & Notes in margin Approved Government Resident [No 59/00343]</p> | A2.42 | 654 – 657 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 59/00009 | 1859 01 04 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's | 1858 12 28 | Forwarding copy of report from Commandant Native Police re state of | A2.42 | 658 – 663 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| | | | | Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, Government Resident | | Detachments on Upper & Lower Dawson and at Wandai Gumbal & of the state of the District [No 58/490] Para 2: Re improvement at Wandai Gumbal Station – mentions disorganization when Lieut Walker took charge & his promotion to rank of Lieutenant Para 3: Re removal of 3 rd Division from Wandai Gumbal & objections from squatters – recommends Bungil for Head Quarters, mentions border squatters Para4: Re sale of land at Wandai Gumbal with buildings <u>Margin</u> Copy of letter & Estimate enclosed / "Land & Works" Para 5: Plans for Lieut Walker to proceed to Murray [as it is] & Gilgil Rivers for recruits – expensive expeditions to Murray not necessary – to confer with Mr Morisset <u>Margin</u> Further report to be made & Notes in margin | | |
| | | | | "C C" | 1859 01 12 | Inform Secretary of Land & Works re suggestion that Station referred to be sold | | |
| | | | | | 1859 01 19 | Under Secretary [Ref 59/00343] | | |
| | | | Government Resident, Brisbane | Wandai Gumbal E V Morisset, Commandant Native Police | 1858 12 15 | Letter reporting arrival having visited Native Police Stations at Upper & Lower Dawson – no further aggression by blacks – state of Corps: in good order Para 2: Improvement at Wandai Gumbal since Lieut Walker in command 3 rd Division – blacks peaceable but squatters wish to retain Native Police in neighbourhood Para 3: Protection of District: new Stations forming about Bungil Creek – Police presence required there Para 4: Removal of Head Quarters 3 rd Division to the Bungil without delay, Lieut Walker to call for Contracts for buildings etc Para 5: Accepted Tender of W H Coxen for Supply of Rations for Division – details Para 6: Men needed for Detachments at the Fitzroy & Port Curtis, Lieut Walker to proceed to the Mooney & Gilgil Rivers (principal heads of the Darling) for recruits – arrangements, mentions Lieut Murray Para 7: To go to Wide Bay & Brisbane | | 664 - 668 |
| | | | Government Resident, Brisbane | Wandai Gumbal E V Morisset, Commandant Native Police | | "Copy" Letter re removal of Head Quarters 3 rd Division Native Police from Wandai Gumbal to Bungil Creek – enclosing Estimate of cost of buildings etc for new Station – costs covered by sale of land at Wandai Gumbal with buildings – likely to realize £400-£500 | | 669 – 670 |
| | | | | | | Estimate of Expenses for Removal of the Quarters of the 3 rd Division to "Bungil Creek" [separate amounts listed here] Officers Quarters: Main building, verandah, 3 rooms [details] Sergeants Quarters [details] Store for Clothing & Rations [details] Armory & Saddle room [details] Stockyard [details] Paddock [details] TOTAL: £245 | | 671 |

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| | 58/03393 | 1858 09 18 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham, Government Resident | 1858 09 14 | Forwarding copy letter (No.1) from 2 nd Lieut Robert Walker Native Police Force to Commandant suggesting removal of Head Quarters 3 rd Division from Wandai Gumbal to site on Bungil Creek – tracing enclosed [No 58/337] Paras 2-4: Move from Wandai Gumbal: re ultimate distribution of the Force & report of Select Committee of Legislative Assembly – change would be beneficial - recommends Lieut Walker's suggestions Para 5: Erection of huts for accommodation of officers & stores, saddlery etc & enclosed paddocks for horses – requests authority to proceed Paras 6-7: Small tents required for patrol parties – reasons, details, costs Para 8: Re costs – mentions Votes for Force for years 1857 & 1858 & Notes in margin Approved Government Resident [Ref 58/04744] | A2.42 | 672 – 682 |
| | | | | "C C" | 1858 09 18~ 1858 09 20 | At p 674: [Tracing] Part of the Maranoa District [showing Stations, proposed new site for Barracks] Features named: Leichardt District [also spelt Leichhardt], Mt Kennedy, Mt Sowerby, Amby Creek, Mt Beagle, Grafton Range, Mt Abundance, Spencer, Bungil River & proposed new site Native Police, Wallumbilla River, Wallumbilla, Bogandilla, Dullana, Wallum [also spelt Wallam], N. P. Wandai Gumbal, Mt Mironte?, Mt 1st View [Mt First View], Yelbone River, Culbar or Maranoa River, Warroo, Werrybone [Weribone?], Yamboural, Surat, Nurrendar, Wanbungle?, Warkon, Condamine River, Alderton, Dogwood Creek, Condamine, Ballonne River or Condamine River, Mooni Waters, McKie, Bogora, Dangar, Warroo, Waggo, Binbian, Perribo? | | |
| | 58/03393 | | Commandant, Native Police~ | Police Barracks, Wandai Gumbal R G Walker, 2 nd Lieut Commanding 3 rd Division Native Police | 1858 07 19 | "Copy" "No 1" [parts of letter obscured] Paras 1-2: Letter re protection for his large District: suggests place affording best protection: Bungil Creek - central depot - details re patrols – mentions the "Ballonne" – encloses map copied from Surveyor's General's Office with localities marked Para 3: Re settlers & removal of Barracks – re expense – suggests Messrs Lang & Hunter resume the block (original owners) – cost estimate £350 Re communication & supplies – mentions Mr N P Goods? offer to Contract for supply of troopers on the "Bungil" Paras 4-5: General discussion in conclusion | | 683 – [687] |
| | | | Commandant of the Native Mounted Police | | 1858 07 20 | "Copy" "No 2" Letter from residents of Maranoa District re removal of Force at Wandai Gumbal to more central site – Wandai Gumbal situated at eastern verge – chosen 7 years ago – new Stations formed further west in need of protection – suggest Native Police Station at Bungil Creek 30 miles from Surat – protection for river Stations & scrubs on Grafton Range, home of hostile blacks Signatories Charles Coxen JP, Charles Coxen for Lang & Hunter, H P Gordon, Stephen Spencer, S G MacKay, Ewen Campbell, A S Darly, John Marlow, Charles Coxen for R Cobham Superintendent for W B Tooth, Finlay Ross, Charles Coxen for J R Wilkie | | 688 – 690 |
| | 59/05214 | | | Native Police Camp, Wide | 1859 09 15~ | "Copy" [part of letter obscured] | A2.42 | 691 – 697 |

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| | | | | Bay E V Morisset, Commandant Native Police | | <p>Letter reporting on present state of Native Police Corps – recruited to within 19 men of its complement, 17 required to complete 1st Division, 2 for 2nd Division – 3rd, 4th & 5th Divisions at full strength [No 59.239]</p> <p>Para 2: 2nd Lieut Baker to proceed down the Ballonne ...[obscured] to obtain men to fill vacancies</p> <p>Para 3: Difficulties with recruiting</p> <p>Para 4: Corps efficient – discipline & conduct of troopers satisfactory – cessation of outrages by blacks</p> <p>Para 5: Re neglect of Colonial Storekeeper to furnish clothing & supplies – troopers discontented – mentions 2nd Division Wide Bay without boots & 'white duck trousers'</p> <p>Para 6: Encloses Return showing strength of Divisions &</p> <p>Estimates [p 695-696 partly obscured]</p> <p>1st Division</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Lower Fitzroy [obscured] - Port Curtis: 2nd Lieut Powell? 1 sergeant, 8 troopers [partly obscured] - Upper ... 2nd Lieut, 8 troopers, no camp sergeant [partly obscured] - Lower Dawson: 2nd Lieut Carr, 1 sergeant, 8 troopers - Upper Dawson: 2nd Lieut G Murray, 2nd Lieut Swete, 1 sergeant, 12 troopers <p>2nd Division</p> <p>Head Quarters, Cooper's Plains, Wide Bay & Burnett [Names of officers & numbers of sergeants & troopers under their command/ Where stationed]</p> <p>John O'Connell Bligh Lieut commanding, 2nd Lieut Phibbs, 1 sergeant, 16 troopers <u>Where stationed: Lower Mary River</u></p> <p>3rd Division</p> <p>Head Quarters, Bungil Creek, Maranoa [Names of officers & numbers of sergeants & troopers under their command/ Where stationed]</p> <p>R G Walker, Lieut commanding Bungil Creek: 1 sergeant, 10 troopers</p> <p>2nd Lieut Morehead, Lower Condamine: 7 troopers, no camp sergeant</p> <p>2nd Lieut Baker, Lower Balonne [also spelt Ballonne]: <u>1 sergeant, 7 troopers</u></p> <p>4th Division</p> <p>Head Quarters, Clarence River [Names of officers & numbers of sergeants & troopers under their command/ Where stationed]</p> <p>2nd Lieut Dempster commanding, Clarence River: 1 sergeant, 6 troopers</p> <p><u>2nd Lieut Poulden, McLeay River: 1 sergeant, 6 troopers</u></p> <p>5th Division</p> <p>Head Quarters, Sandgate, Moreton Bay [Names of officers & numbers of sergeants & troopers under their command/ Where stationed]</p> | | |

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| | | | | | 1859 10 05~ 1859 10 08~ 1859 10 10 1859 10 19 | homestead in Colony <u>Certificate</u> [Signed] W H Chambers, Charles Wilson & Notes in margin "Mr V" No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | | |
| | 59/05230 | 1859 10 01 | Mr Elyard, Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney~ | Police Office, Gayndah [cannot read signature] | 1859 09 19 | [Letter partly obscured] Letter requesting another Certificate of Naturalization in favour of Mr Gill – re oath [No 56/39 – as it is] <i>[This letter appears to be filmed over another letter from same person re Mr John Gill & a Certificate of Naturalization]</i> & Notes in margin "Mr V" "59/03993 – John Gill" Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | [706] – 707 |
| | | | | John Gill | 1859 06 09 | [PRINTED FORM] [Certificate partly obscured] [Memorial of John Gill] arrived in Gayndah~ District 1857 – purchased Crown~ lands in Burnett District~ <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist since arrival at Gayndah in 1857 [Signed] Fritz Kehlet, Francis Glynn Connolly, John Connolly & Notes in margin "Mr V" Certificate issued August last – Applicant & Bench informed Inform Mr Gill | | 707 |
| | | | | "A D" | 1859 07 04~ 1859 07 05~ 1859 07 05~ 1859 07 16 | Notes re above Forwarded to Colonial Secretary "14/8/58" Write to Bench – query what was done Bench Gayndah Certificate prepared [59/03993] | | 708 |

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| | 58/02881/2 | 1858 08 10 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | John Gill | 1858 08 04 1858 08 14~ 1858 08 14 1858 08 17 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of John Gill of Gayndah, native of Norway – 30 yrs, watch maker – arrived per steamship "Hellesport" 1854 – annexed Certificate of character – to enable him to obtain deeds for land purchased <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for the last 12 months [Signed] J G Chapman CPS, E T Aldridge & Notes in margin Prepare Certificate for approval Certificate prepared Secretary Treasury & General Proth. Supreme Court, Bench Gayndah, J Gill [59/02912] | A2.42 | 709 |
| | 59/05335 | 1859 10 10 | [obscured] | Crown Law Offices, Sydney Secretary [signature obscured] | 1859 10 08 | At top: "Ex C 59/995 – 19 October 1859" [Letter partly obscured] Letter forwarding Draft Proclamation appointing places other than Brisbane for holding Courts of Civil & Criminal Jurisdiction in Moreton Bay District [No 59/50] & Notes re above Ex Council advise issue of Proclamation – copy appended [No 59/54] Proclamation published in ... [obscured] Approved Returned Colonial Secretary's Office | A2.42 | 712 [no p 710 or 711] |
| | 59/05335 | | | A O Moriarty, Clerk of the Council | 1859 10 10 | | | 713 |
| | 59/05335 | | | "T W D" | 1859 10 11 | | | |
| | 59/05335 | | | "C C" | 1859 10 19 | | | |
| | 59/05335 | | | "C C" | 1859 10 19 | | | |
| | 59/05335 | | | "C C" | 1859 10 20 | | | |
| | 59/05335 (crossed out) | | | "C C" | | Note Courts at Ipswich, Drayton, Gayndah (crossed out), Maryborough, Rockhampton or Gladstone Proclamation to be prepared [Draft] <u>Proclamation</u> Re provision of administration of justice in District of Moreton Bay - Court of Civil & Criminal Jurisdiction appointed in Brisbane – established as the Supreme Court at Moreton Bay - re appointment of places other than Brisbane for Criminal & Civil Courts: At the town of Ipswich Margin: Quarterly At the town of Drayton ("or Toowoomba" crossed out) Margin: ½ yrly At the town of Maryborough Margin: ½ yrly At the town of Gladstone ("Rockhampton or Gladstone" crossed out) "Under my Hand & Seal at Government House Sydney 4 th day of October 1859" | | 714 – 716 |

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| | 59/05370 | 1859 10 11~ | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Christian Frederik William Grell [see also Christian Friedrich Wilhelm Grell, Christian Friedrik William Grell] | 1859 09 24 1859 10 11~ 1859 10 15~ 1859 10 17 1859 10 19 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Christian Friedrich Wilhelm Grell of Coonambula, Gayndah, native of Neustadt, Holstein – 23 yrs, carpenter by trade – arrived per “Johan Cesar” [also spelt “Johann Caesar”] 1856 – annexed Certificate of character – wishes to settle in the Colony <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for 6 months [Signed] William Macarthur, Alpin Cameron & Notes in margin “Mr V” No objection to issue of Certificate Commission prepared [as it is] Usual letters | A2.42 | 717 |
| | 59/05371 | 1859 10 11 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | George Heinrich Siemon | 1859 09 23 1859 10 11~ 1859 10 15~ 1859 10 17 1859 10 19 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of George Heinrich Siemon of Coonambula, Gayndah, native of Amsbach, Homberg, Charhesse – 29 yrs, carpenter by trade – arrived per “Johan Cesar” [also spelt “Johann Caesar”] 1856 – annexed Certificate of character – wishes to settle in the Colony <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for 6 months [Signed] William Macarthur, Alpin Cameron & Notes in margin “Mr V” No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | 718 |
| | 59/05371 | | Hon CS | 79 Pitt Street H Hamburger, B Hamburger | 1859 10 10 | Letter enclosing application for Certificates of Naturalization from George Heinrich Siemon and Christian Friedrik William Grell | | 719 |
| | 59/05506 | 1859 10 20 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Drayton John Enders | 1859 10 01 1859 10 20~ 1859 10 26~ 1859 10 26 1859 10 28 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of John Enders of Westbrook, native of Germany – 40 yrs, gardener – arrived per “Iserbrook” 1856 – annexed Certificate of character – known for period of 2 years & 6 months – has purchased land at Toowoomba <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for 2 years & 6 months [Signed] William Beit, Thomas Muir & Notes in margin “Mr V” No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | 720 |
| | 59/05507 | 1859 10 20 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Drayton Andreas Diflo | 1859 10 01 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION | A2.42 | 721 |

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| | 59/05507 | | Principal Under Secretary, Sydney | Drayton G H Loveday | 1859 10 20~ 1859 10 26~ 1859 10 26 1859 10 28 1859 10 04 1859 10 26 1859 10 28 | Memorial of Andreas Diflo, native of Germany – 50 yrs, gardener – arrived per “Peru” 1855 – annexed Certificate of character – known since arrival for 4 years – has purchased land in Toowoomba <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for 4 years [Signed] William Beit, Thomas Muir & Notes in margin “Mr V” No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters Letter submitting applications for Certificates of Naturalization <u>Margin</u> Andreas Diflo, John Enders & Notes in margin Certificates prepared Usual letters | | 722 |
| | 59/05510 | 1859 10 20 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Adam Zimmerle | 1859 09 27 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Adam Zimmerle of German Station, native of Wurtemberg [also spelt Wurtemberg] – 54 yrs, farmer and vine dresser – arrived per “Caesar” 1852 – annexed Certificate of character – has purchased land & wishes to become naturalised <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for 15 months [Signed] R Francksen, James Morton & Notes in margin “Mr V” No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | 723 |
| | 59/05510 | | Hon CS | Brisbane Daniel F Roberts & Frederick Bell | 1859 10 20~ 1859 10 26~ 1859 10 26 1859 10 28 1859 10 10 1859 10 26 1859 10 28 | Letter enclosing application of Adam Zimmerle for Certificate of Naturalization & Notes in margin Certificate prepared Usual letters | | 724 |
| | 59/05511 | 1859 10 20 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Brisbane Francis B Kates | 1859 08 08 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Francis Benjamin Kates of North Brisbane, native of Prussia, Berlin – 29 yrs, teacher by profession – arrived per “Joshua” 1858 – annexed Certificate of character – wishes to purchase land <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for last 15 months [Signed] J C Heussler, William Mason & Notes in margin | A2.42 | 725 |

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| | 59/05511 | | Hon CS | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham GR | 1859 10 20~ 1859 10 26 1859 10 28 1859 10 12 1859 10 26 1859 10 28 | "Mr V" Certificate prepared Usual letters Letter forwarding Memorial for Certificate of Naturalization for Francis Benjamin Kates Classical Tutor at the Collegiate Institution Brisbane [No 59/191] & Notes in margin Certificate prepared Usual letters | | 726 – 727 |
| | 59/05512 | 1859 10 20 | Hon CS~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham GR "C C" | 1859 10 13 1859 10 20~ 1859 10 22 | Letter re application by Mrs Standen, widow with 3 young children, that 2 eldest be admitted to Roman Catholic Asylum viz Thomas Standen aged 5 years, Mary Alice Standen aged 3 years [No 59/193] Re late husband Thomas Standen: died a year ago, served in Customs Boat & Harbour Masters Department – good character – re situation of widow – recommends her case & Notes in margin For approval Government Resident, Committee | A2.42 | 728 – 731 |
| | 59/05516 | 1859 10 20 | Hon Chief Secretary | Brisbane John Petrie, Mayor "C C" | 1859 10 14 1859 10 20~ 1859 10 21~ 1859 10 22~ 1859 10 26 | Letter reporting his election as Mayor on 13 th last & forwarding Memo of Aldermen elected to form first Municipal Council of Brisbane Requests copies of Government Gazette from date of Government Proclamation of Brisbane as a Municipal District & that Government Printer be instructed to forward copies of future issues to the Council Requests 12 copies of Municipal Act for the Council & Notes in margin & across letter Query re Gazettes being supplied to any municipality "No" May be granted for the present Mayor of Brisbane, Government Printer <u>Memo</u> A List of Members elected to serve on the Brisbane Municipal Council John Petrie – Mayor Patrick Mayne – Alderman Thomas Blackett Stephens – Alderman Joshua Jeays – Alderman Albert John Hockings - Alderman George Edmonstone [also spelt Edmondston, Edmondstone] – Alderman Robert Cribb – Alderman George Warren – Alderman William Samuel Sutton - Alderman | A2.42 | 732 – 733 734 |
| | 59/05523 | 1859 10 20 | Hon CS | Brisbane Robert Cribb "J McL – I G P" | 1859 10 11 1859 10 20 1859 10 21~ 1859 10 22 | At top: "Robert Cribb" Letter re burglary at his office – requesting detective officer remain for trial of one of the burglars Also at top: "4860/ Police/ Oct 21" & Notes written across letter Inspector General of Police Re detective officer now in Brisbane Returned Colonial Secretary's Office | A2.42 | 735 |

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| | | | | | | & Notes in margin "5144" Query re former application or papers Papers with 59/05144 Secretary Wide Bay & Burnett Hospital 17 Sept 1859 reporting on institution Refer to Treasury Papers not at Treasury Deferred for present Signatories [p 743] Robert Strathdee, S James Adams, Earnest Beames, Samuel V Harries, James Martin, John Auerbach, Fritz Kehlet, John Connolly, ...? Walker, R W Smith, Francis Glynn Connolly, George Anderson, T Stanley Sudlow, Earnest Philpott, A & N Cameron, Alpin Cameron, William Macarthur, Robert Walker, C Scudder, James Marshall, Daniel Perry, James Neville [his mark], James Speering, John Smith [his mark], Abraham Heaton [his mark], Patrick Croke [his mark], Louis Henning [his mark], Louis Weelemiyer, Frederick F King? James Buchanan, James Miller, Gottlieb Scheuber, William Moss, Charles Lamond, ...? William Hampson, William F Hampson, Joseph Hampson, Thomas Noakes? R C Fitzpatrick, Charles Chang? John Gill, M Airey, G Pullen, Thomas Parker, John Augustus Adeville, Jacob Adeville [p 744] P Mathewson, George Staeheli, C Phillips, Donald Hood, John Dugan [Duggan?], William Barndell? James Harrison, James Kidely? William Aylmer? John Town, Martin Merz | | |
| | | | | "W F" | 1859 10 29~ 1859 11 03~ 1859 11 03~ 1859 11 07~ 1859 11 07~ | | | |
| | | | | "W F" | 1859 11 24 1859 11 18~ 1859 11 25~ | Notes re above Government cannot propose to make any new provision for payments in such cases in Queensland Residents H Herbert | | 745 |
| | 59/05748 | 1859 11 05 | Principal Under Secretary~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham GR | 1859 11 01 | Letter forwarding application from Conrad Frederick Isslaub for Certificate of Naturalization – recommends [No 59/201] & Notes in margin "Mr V" Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | 746 |
| | 59/05748 | | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Conrad F Isslaub | 1859 10 27 | [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Conrad Frederick Islaab [insert: Isslaub] of Brisbane, native of Germany – 25 yrs, shoemaker – arrived per "Grassbrook" 1855 – annexed Certificate of character – anxious to reside in Colony & to purchase freehold property <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for 15 months [Signed] George Appel, R Francksen & Notes in margin Certificate prepared | | 747 |
| | 59/05749 | 1859 11 05 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, | John Miller | 1859 10 17 | At top: "John Miller" [PRINTED FORM] | A2.42 | 748 |

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| | | | Governor General | | 1859 11 05~ 1859 11 07~ 1859 11 07 1859 11 08 | MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of John Miller of Maryborough, native of Prussia – 33 yrs, carrier – arrived per “Caesar Godafroth” [“Caesar Godeffroy”?] 1852 – annexed Certificate of character – has purchased Crown lands in Colony <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for the last 3 years [Signed] J G Chapman CPS, William McAdam CC & Notes in margin “Mr V” No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | | |
| | 59/05750 | 1859 11 05 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Warwick William Zworner | 1859 04 18 1859 11 07 1859 11 07~ 1859 11 07 1859 11 08 | At top: “W Zworner” [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of William Zworner of Warwick, native of Regensburg, Kingdom of Bavaria – 34 yrs, carpenter – arrived per “Johan Casar” [“Johann Caesar”?] 1853 – annexed Certificate of character – has become a freeholder & established in business <u>Certificate</u> Has known Memorialist during residence at Warwick [Signed] A Wienhold JP & Notes in margin “Mr V” No objection to issue of Certificate Certificate prepared Usual letters | A2.42 | 749 |
| | 59/05759 | 1859 11 05 | W Elyard | Adderton, Brisbane George Fullerton “W F” | 1859 11 02 1859 11 07~ 1859 11 11 1859 11 16 1859 11 21 | At top: “Dr George Fullerton” Acknowledging receipt of letter informing of his appointment as Magistrate & declining the Commission of the Peace – “distaste for Courts of Justice” & Notes in margin Supersedeas to be prepared Supersedeas herewith Dr Fullerton Proth. Supreme Court | A2.42 | 750 |
| | 59/05846 | 1859 11 12 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General | Michel Schneider [also spelt Michael Schneider] | 1859 10 29 1859 11 12~ 1859 11 16~ | At top: “M Schneider” [PRINTED FORM] MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION Memorial of Michael Schneider of Westbrook, native of Sendersberg in Bavaria – 31 yrs, labourer – arrived per “Iserbruck” [“Iserbrook”?] 1856 – annexed Certificate of character –has purchased land at Toowoomba <u>Certificate</u> Have known Memorialist for 3 years [Signed] William Beit, Thomas Muir & Notes in margin “Mr V” No objection to issue of Certificate | A2.42 | 751 |

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| | 59/05859 | | Hon CS | "W T D" "W F" Sheriff's Office, Brisbane William Anthony Brown, Sheriff | 1859 11 26 1859 11 29 1859 12 02~ 1859 12 00~ 1859 11 01 | Confirmed Approved Returned Colonial Secretary's Office Government Resident Letter reporting departure of Revd B Shaw Chaplain to Brisbane Gaol – appointed Revd Robert Moffatt, presently Minister at Kangaroo Point Brisbane subject to approval [No 59/124~] | | 759 |
| | 59/05860 | 1859 11 12 | Principal Under Secretary~ | Government Resident's Office, Brisbane J C Wickham GR | 1859 11 09 | Forwarding letter from Police Magistrate Brisbane re refusal by Brisbane Hospital Committee to receive patient sent by Bench of Magistrates [No 59/207] Para 2: Re patient Jennings – fit subject to be admitted to Hospital as a Benevolent Asylum – re fines paid Para 3: Re similar objections raised by Committee – mentions Benevolent Asylum Sydney & Notes in margin "59/03366" "Mr V" | A2.42 | 760 – 763 |
| | 59/05860 | | Government Resident, Moreton Bay | Police Office, Brisbane William Anthony Brown, Police Magistrate | 1859 11 12~ 1859 11 17 1859 11 21 1859 11 02 | "W F" Letter re Committee for Destitute Persons sent to Benevolent Asylums & query re Benevolent Asylum Brisbane & fines [No 59/240] Para 2: Re John Jennings – before Bench as vagrant of unsound mind – examined by 2 medical men, sent to Asylum with enclosed Order & Certificates – refused admission Para 3: Query whether fines should be sent to Benevolent Asylum Sydney & aged and infirm forwarded there also | | 764 – 766 |
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