



## NEW SOUTH WALES – COLONIAL SECRETARY

### LETTERS RELATING TO MORETON BAY AND QUEENSLAND RECEIVED 1822 – 1860

#### LETTERS RECEIVED 1860 AND PAPERS FILED WITH THEM – REEL A2.43 [PART 2] CONTINUED FROM REEL A2.43 [PART 1]

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|              |           |            |   |  |  | LETTERS RECEIVED 1860 & PAPERS FILED WITH THEM  |          |           |
|              | 60/00073  | 1860 01 07 | Hon Colonial Secretary<br>New South Wales | Queensland<br>Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>Robert G W Herbert<br>Colonial Secretary | 1859 12 28   | Letter by direction of His Excellency the Governor acknowledging receipt of communication of 19 <sup>th</sup> inst, inviting attention to Memorial which had been received from miners & other residents at Taloom Gold Fields [as it is] subject of establishment of Gold Escort from that place to Ipswich, & am desired to state in reply that every facility will be afforded by this Government for secure transmission of produce of the Gold Fields [No 59/26]<br>&<br>Note in margin  | A2.43    | 234 - 235 |
|              | 59/06230  |            |   | Clerk of the Council   | 1859 12 05   | [Minute]<br>At top: "Ex CI – 59/1203"<br>With every disposition to meet wishes of Petitioners the Executive Council regret it is not in their power to do so in as much as recent Separation of Moreton Bay has removed Ipswich & greater portion of road through which Escort would pass from without the control of this Government<br>They advise however that a communication of wishes of Petitioners be promptly made to Government of the new Colony of Queensland.<br>And as they perceive that one of the reasons assigned for the prayer of the Petition is the bad state of the road from Tooloom [also Taloom] to Grafton, they further advise that Bench of Magistrates at the latter place be requested to report whether this road can be improved by a moderate outlay; & if so, what the probable expense would be<br>The Bench might also be requested to state for information of Government what are the distances from Tooloom to Grafton & Ipswich respectively<br>At end: Min 59/53 - 5 Dec 1859 / Confirmed 12 December 1859<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>Bench Grafton<br>Approved | A2.43    | 236 – 237 |
|              | 59/06230  |            |   | "W D"<br>"W F"   | 1859 12 06<br>1859 12 14<br>1859 12 15~<br>1859 12 00~<br>1859 12 15 | Colonial Secretary Queensland<br>Returned CSO 60/73   |          |           |
|              |           |            |   | "W F"  | 1859 12 06   | The annexed Petition was presented to the Colonial Secretary by Mr Macalister late M P for Ipswich who leaves town tomorrow, & requests   |          | 238 – 239 |

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|              | 59/06230  | 1859 12 07 | His Ex Sir William Thomas Denison, Governor General |      | 1859 12 06       | <p>an answer may be forwarded to him. Write to him that the Petitioners may be informed that the Government will communicate to have communicated with Grafton Board for their opinion upon the practicability of improving the road from Tooloom to Grafton, &amp; on the respective distances from Tooloom to Grafton and Ipswich – also that Government will communicate or have communicated with the Government of Queensland upon the subject of an escort from Tooloom to Ipswich – Let the communications above referred to be addressed to Grafton Bench &amp; Government of Queensland</p> <p>&amp;<br/>Note at end<br/>Mr Macalister, Bench Grafton</p> <p>To His Excellency Sir William Thomas Denison Knight Commander of the Most Honorable Order of the Bath Governor General in and over all Her Majesty's Colonies of New South Wales, Tasmania, Victoria, South Australia and Western Australia and Captain General and Governor-in-Chief of the Territory of New South Wales and its Dependencies -<br/>The Memorial of the undersigned Diggers and others residents at the Taloom Gold Fields - respectfully sheweth</p> <p>That Memorialists have heard with great satisfaction that Your Excellency has appointed a Sub Commissioner for this Gold Field but that satisfaction has been in some measure damped by a report (which however your Memorialists trust has no foundation) that a Gold Escort to Ipswich has not yet been appointed and that your Excellency's Government has it in contemplation to send an Escort via Timbarra</p> <p>That your Memorialists humbly submit that being on the spot they are in a position fully to judge of the direction in which the Escort should go and your Memorialists all wish that it may go to Ipswich and thence if desired to Sydney for the following reasons:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That your Memorialists derive nearly the whole of their supplies from Ipswich and necessarily have occasion to transmit more gold there than elsewhere</li> <li>2. That the road from Taloom to Ipswich is much better than the road to Grafton and a much shorter distance, the latter in wet weather being almost impassable</li> <li>3. That if the Escort be sent via Timbarra which is 50 miles from Taloom your Memorialists will be subjected to the delay and additional danger of having it sent thence to Grafton a still further distance</li> <li>4. That Ipswich is only about 90 miles from the Diggings with a good dray road and that there is water carriage from there to Brisbane and thence to Sydney</li> </ol> <p>That in addition to above reasons your Memorialists humbly submit that as your Memorialists have been indebted to Ipswich for a private Escort and for supplies of goods when otherwise the Diggers would have had to leave from sheer starvation that Town is entitled to some consideration on that account, even supposing the line were not much more desirable (as indeed it is) share the Timbarra or Grafton line</p> <p>That your Memorialists being of this opinion will not deem it safe or desirable to transmit their gold by any other road than by Ipswich</p> <p>&amp;<br/>Notes in margin<br/>For a Gold Escort from Taloom to Ipswich &amp; Sydney</p> |          | 240 – 243 |

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|              |           |           |    |      |                  | <p>Ex CI 59/1203 – 7<sup>th</sup> December 1859<br/>60/73<br/>[p 241]</p> <p>Your Memorialists being fully aware of the desire of Your Excellency's Government to do that which is for the public benefit and deeming that the prayer of this Memorial if granted will be highly beneficial to the Inhabitants of the Taloom Gold Fields respectfully pray that Your Excellency will be pleased to take the foregoing statements into your favorable consideration and grant to your Memorialists an Escort to or via Ipswich<br/>And you Memorialists as in duty bound will ever pray etc<br/>[Signatories]</p> <p><b>[1<sup>h</sup> col]:</b> James Perkins, Michal Kavanagh [as it is], Robert Rice? Thomas Caswell jnr, Henry Lloyd, John Lloyd, M Buchrach?, John Hodges, John Shanley, John B Thompson, Percy von Oyte? Isaac Cook, Robert Gordon, Hugh Gilmour, William Scott, Frank C Powell</p> <p><b>[2<sup>nd</sup> col]:</b> Henry Crook? John Mitchell, George Slocombe, Frederick Lambert, S Loeven? William Coronel, Robert Ashworth, James ..?.. James Johnson, O Samuel?<br/>Charles T Gray, Donald Gordon, William Wilson, Richard Spring, William Payne, Robert Jenkins?</p> <p><b>[3<sup>rd</sup> col]:</b> E ??, John Chuan, James Cooke, Edward Loe, James Anderson, Donald McPhee, John Devine, ???, F Ch Winterhoff? Joseph Gordon, William Gordon, Alexander Gordon, Fitzander Griur? Richard Evans, Sidney Scowcroft, Edward Butterworth</p> <p><b>[4<sup>th</sup> col]:</b> George P Betts, James Rees, James Coomes, H A Krippendorff, C F Krippendorff, John Rowe, Matthew Berry, Johny Cheton?<br/>C Heckelmann? Martin Lobwine? Henry Bourne, George Gilbreath, Martin Anderson, William Shaddock, James Hall</p> <p><b>[5<sup>th</sup> col]:</b> Hugh Gallagher, Edward Lockhart, A J Davis, Thomas Crotty, James Templeton, John Monks, George Boyse, John Williams, ...? Williams, Francis James, William Hyne, William Smith, C Larter, John Wilson, W...? Porter<br/>[p 242]</p> <p><b>[1<sup>h</sup> col]:</b> Hugh Farell, William Cotter, Walter Morphey, Thomas Dooley, Simon Stapleton, Peter McGonigal, Thomas Donnelly, Michal Obrine, Oliver Gallagher, Henry Brinnie, Patt Morphey, William McCoy, Michal Laffey, John Mcreadey, Edward O'Conner, Patt Fool? Hugh Shanlar?<br/>Duncan Stewart, Edward Towity? Peter Farrel, Martin Knaresbore, Bernard Hynd, Michal Dearey, Thomas Overend, John Robbins, Emanuel Quinn, W J Newberrey, William Storey</p> <p><b>[2<sup>nd</sup> col]:</b> Henry P Mills, Edward Hartt, John Newbould, Jeremiah Smith, Charles Dutney, John Melville, William McGill's, Thomas Colliys, James Mitchell, Anton? Stacey, Walter Blackie, Frederick Brown, J Augustus Fisher, William Lennox, John F Rowe, Robert Neal, William Huggson, John James Hartley, John Hoig, John Conner, C Daniel Clones? Daniel X Reny, A Brant, Tony Baxter? John Lowry, Thomas Williams, Michael Reed, Edward Broad?</p> <p><b>[3<sup>rd</sup> col]:</b> T H Drew, William Craine, Robert Thrift, Thomas Reid, Richard Ingram, Edward Percival, N B Stirrat, Thomas Darcy, John Clark, Robert Dunne, Austin Cusen, D McGlaughan, J G Ediny? A H Ibood [Abood?]<br/>John F Wach, Patt Blanchfield, Thomas Hogarty, Peter Carton, Thomas Scott, James Patterson, Henry Rosse, Henrey McGearey, William</p> |          |      |

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|              |           |            |                            |   |                  | <p>Blocksidge, William Keech, Thomas McGore, D F Carroll, Samuel Wallden, Edward Pughe</p> <p><b>[4<sup>th</sup> col]: [some *signatures* cross over to col 5]</b></p> <p>F Waeye? T Fittler, C..? Neumann, George Voysey, William Fisher, Patrick Lockheart, *Donald McPhee*, *William Ray*, *John McPhee*, *William McDonald*, *Alexander McPherson*, *Dugal McColony?*</p> <p>Edward Cook, William Hopper, James A Sauter, Alfred Sykes, David Speryman? Charles Holloway, Henry Niemeitz, John Turner, R Jemmings, John Cavanagh, John E Baxter, Daniel Lynch, Peter Gallagher? [obscured]</p> <p>David Clifton [Daniel?], John McCawley, James Wilson</p> <p><b>[col 5]:</b> McPhee [from col 4], Ray [from col 4], McPherson [from col 4], D McGee, Thomas Aird, Thomas Lynch</p> <p>[p 243]</p> <p><b>[1 h col]:</b> W P Strang, H Berray? F Roberts? Henry Gill, David Elder? Richard Scott, William Thomas, James Hogg, John McLean, John Young, Frederick John Roboon? Walter Haskings, Thomas Williams, Micheal Christie, George Craig, James T Riddel, Henry Sones, George Titterton, Terranc Gorman? James Smith, James Poupart, Robert Gautrie, James Smith, John Tyrrell, John Ogan? James Ryan, Alexander Gray, James Surman? Hugh Wilson, George F Maxwell</p> <p><b>[2<sup>nd</sup> col]:</b> William Twitterson? Sam Hollis, Henry Hollis, John Hollis, John Scott, James Barren, Samuel Wilson, Joseph Hulme, Bartholamew McHenry, W B Welch, Thomas Burden, Robert Ireland, John Sinclair, William Jones, John Stout? George Buley, George Brown, George Williams, George Glass, Isaac Hutton, Henery Parkinson, William Denison, George Simpson, Samuel Reed? Petor Pates, John Foy, John Hamard, John Telford, Thomas Driver, Thomas Slack</p> <p><b>[3rd col]:</b> John Davey, George Wilson, David Whitby, John Cameron, Alexander Duff, John Drysdale, Gordon Cameron, James Mitchell, Richard Atkinson, Ralph Howarth, Francis Halbury, Mechial Downer? John Dunbar Grant</p> |          |                         |
|              | 60/00074  | 1860 01 07 | Colonial Secretary, Sydney | Colonial Secretary's Office, Brisbane, Queensland<br>Robert G W Herbert<br>Colonial Secretary | 1859 12 28       | <p>Letter desired by the Governor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 19<sup>th</sup> inst accompanying Schedule of correspondence (stated to have been forwarded by the same opportunity) pertaining to Public Service of this Colony [No 59/27]</p> <p>Have to thank you for courtesy of your communication &amp; to say that matters alluded to shall be duly attended to on receipt of the correspondence which has not yet come to hand</p> <p>&amp;</p> <p>Notes in margin<br/>Immediate</p> <p>1860 01 07<br/>1860 01 07~<br/>1860 01 07~<br/>1860 01 09~</p> <p>It should be explained why the letter was sent without papers referred to Papers were sent by the Steamer on the same evening that the letter was posted and it was so stated in the margin of the letter</p> <p>Enquire if they have been forwarded</p> <p>&amp;</p> <p>Notes on p 246<br/>Upon enquiry I have ascertained that the parcel was duly forwarded<br/>Put by</p> <p>[PRINTED RECEIPT]<br/>THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY</p>  | A2.43    | 245 – 246<br>[no p 244] |
|              | 60/00074  |            |                            |   |                  |  |          | 247                     |

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|              |           |            |   |   |                          | <p>Received at Sydney this 19 December 1859 from Colonial Secretary N S W to be forwarded per Telegraph to Brisbane, the following goods, namely :-<br/>1 pce addressed The Colonial Secretary Queensland</p> <p>Weight, Contents, and Condition Unknown. To be conveyed by the Company on the following terms, viz.,<br/>The Company not to be responsible, under any circumstances, if such Goods or any of them be missed or lost, unless a claim be made on account thereof, within Four Weeks, from this date; nor for Goods left at their wharves for shipment previous to the advertised day of sailing of the Steamer for which they are intended; nor for Goods after being landed from their Steamers; nor for any loss of, or damage to, any Goods which exceed the sum of Two Pounds sterling in value, unless the Goods so lost or damaged be booked as of more than that value, and paid for accordingly; nor for any loss or damage, from fire, storm, flood, or tempest, or the perils and dangers of the seas, rivers, and navigation, whether in ships, boats, barges, or at wharves, warehouses or otherwise, or for decay or deterioration from delay, or otherwise; nor for any loss or damage whatsoever, under any circumstances, unless such loss or damage shall occur, or arise from, or in consequence of, the gross and wilful default of the Company</p> <p>Paid 2/6 – C Doyle</p> |          |      |
|              | 60/00075  | 1860 01 07 | Hon Colonial Secretary<br>New South Wales | Colonial Secretary's Office<br>Brisbane<br>Queensland<br>Robert G W Herbert | 1859 12 28               | <p>At top: "Re application for admission of Desmond to Lunatic Asylum"<br/>Letter informing received &amp; submitted to the Governor your letter of 19<sup>th</sup> Inst re application for removal of a lunatic from Brisbane Gaol to Asylum at Tarban Creek – desires to thank you for courtesy of your communication [No 59/28]<br/>&amp;<br/>Note in margin</p>   | A2.43    | 248  |
|              | 60/00091  | 1860 01 07 |   | W Kohler  | 1860 01 03               | <p>At top: "Declaration of loss of License to hold Public Exhibitions"<br/>Brisbane, Queensland<br/>To Wit:<br/>I, William Kohler, professor of magic, do make oath that the license granted to me by the Government of New South Wales in November last, and received by me while in the town of Warwick, in the Colony of Queensland, has been lost, mislaid or otherwise gone out of my possession by accident; &amp; pray that Government of New South Wales will grant to me a license similar thereto, &amp; forward it to the town of Warwick in order that I may be at liberty to follow my profession in the said Colony of New South Wales</p> <p>Sworn before me the third day of January A D 1860 –<br/>William Anthony Brown, Commissioner for Affidavits<br/>&amp;<br/>Notes at end<br/>Queensland<br/>This application is for a license to perform within the Colony of <u>New South Wales</u><br/>License herewith<br/>Mr Kohler</p>  | A2.43    | 249  |
|              |           |            |   | "W F"   | 1860 01 07               |   |          |      |
|              |           |            |   | "W F"   | 1860 01 09<br>1860 01 00 |   |          |      |

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|              | 60/00178  | 1860 01 13 | Principal Under Secretary                                   | Office of Inspector General of Police, Sydney<br>John McLerie<br>Inspector General of Police | 1860 01 11       | <i>[Part of top of this letter is obscured by a black metal implement]</i><br>At top: Accounts remaining unpaid from Districts in Colony of Queensland<br>In submitting the list of accounts ,, this Department ... have been received from certain Districts within the Colony of Queensland [No 60/6]<br>Request to be instructed as to their disposal, as well as any others that may be received for any expenditure incurred previous to 30 <sup>th</sup> November ult, whether to be paid here or forwarded to Brisbane<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>Approved<br>Inspector General of Police   | A2.43    | 250 – 251         |
|              | 60/00213  | 1860 01 16 | Colonial Secretary New South Wales                          | Colonial Secretary's Office, Brisbane, Queensland<br>Robert G W Herbert                      | 1860 01 06       | By direction of Governor to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your letter of 30 <sup>th</sup> ult enclosing papers re removal of Mr Bergan from his office of Gaoler at Brisbane [No 60/13]<br>&<br>Note in margin – "Put by"   | A2.43    | 252               |
|              | 60/00297  | 1860 01 21 | Principal Under Secretary                                   | Department of Public Works. Sydney<br>B H Martindale   | 1860 01 19       | [Printed Letterhead – Old English font]<br>Directed to inform that Crown Solicitor has prepared & forwarded to this Department a Lease from Dr Hobbs of certain premises at Brisbane to be used as Residence for Governor of Queensland & that such lease at suggestion of the Governor General has been drawn in name of Mr Herbert [59/729]<br>2. Lease is enclosed herewith together with original agreement signed by Dr Hobbs [not filmed here] & I am to request that you will move Chief Secretary to forward the same for use of the Government of Queensland &<br>Notes in margin<br>59/5211 Government Resident Brisbane 27 September<br>Rent of House for Sir G F Bowen / L & P Works / 1 October 59 B C<br>To be forwarded<br>Colonial Secretary Queensland<br>Under Secretary Public Works "W D"  | A2.43    | 254<br>[no p 253] |
|              | 60/00328  | 1860 01 23 | His Excellency Governor General Sir William T Denison K C B | Queensland Government House, Brisbane<br>G F Bowen   | 1860 01 18       | [Stamped] "TREASURY No 471 / JA 23 1860"<br>Has received application from Commandant of Native Police to be supplied with twelve (12) double barrelled carbines for use of the force under his orders - has at the same time been intimated to me that Colonial Storekeeper in New South Wales from whom all supplies of this description have heretofore been provided will have made arrangements in anticipation of such demands as the present; & that in all probability articles of the description in question are in store at Sydney<br>2. Should this be the case, I have to inform Your Excellency that it would be a matter of convenience to this Government if arms could be supplied at such a price as may be deemed reasonable & would therefore request Your Excellency may be pleased to cause instructions to be given to Colonial Storekeeper to forward them to Brisbane by an early opportunity, accompanied by a statement of cost for liquidation of which immediate directions shall be given by this Government<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>Registered<br>These arms may as well be furnished<br>Colonial Secretary | A2.43    | 255 – 257         |
|              |           |            |   | "J M C"?<br>"W D"  | 1860 01 21       |  |          |                   |

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|              |           |            |  | "E C M" Principal Secretary<br>"W F"<br><br>"H L"<br>"J B"<br>"H L"<br><br>"W F"               | 1860 01 21<br>1860 01 23<br><br>1860 01 24~<br>1860 01 24~<br>1860 01 24~<br>1860 01 24~<br>1860 02 04<br>1860 02 09 | Accordingly – blank cover<br>Colonial Treasurer will be kind enough to enquire in the first instance whether these arms can be spared – blank cover<br>Mr Buchanan can these arms be spared?<br>Yes without any inconvenience<br>Mr Elyard<br>Noted<br>Returned Colonial Secretary's Office<br>Approved<br>Sent to Treasury, Colonial Secretary, Colonial Storekeeper? [faint]  |          |           |
|              | 60/00396  | 1860 01 28 | Hon Colonial Secretary,<br>New South Wales | Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>Robert G W Herbert<br><br>W F                      | 1860 01 23<br><br><br><br>1860 01 30<br>1860 01 30~  | At top: "Queensland"<br>Acknowledging receipt of letter of 17 <sup>th</sup> inst informing me, for consideration of His Excellency the Governor, that a new Commission of the Peace for Colony of New South Wales is about to be issued; as well as of another letter of the same date, transmitting a petition from certain inhabitants of Ipswich, praying that that town may be erected into a Municipality; and to thank you for your courtesies in making the above communication [No 60/58]<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br><br>Submitted  | A2.43    | 258 – 259 |
|              | 60/00611  | 1860 02 10 | Principal Under Secretary                  | Registrar General's Office,<br>Sydney<br>Christopher Rolleston, Registrar General<br><br>"W F" | 1859 02 09<br>[as it is]<br><br><br>1860 02 10<br>1860 02 13   | At top: "Registrar General"<br>Requesting to be informed whether it is desire of Government that all "Statistical" information regarding Queensland be expunged from the "Statistical Register" for 1859 – or whether (seeing new Colony formed part of New South Wales up to within a month of end of the year) such Returns as have been, or may be obtained shall find a place in the Register at the foot of similar Returns, belonging to this Colony [No 60/147]<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>Better confine the Returns to this Colony<br>Registrar General  | A2.43    | 260       |
|              | 60/00870  | 1860 02 27 | Hon Colonial Secretary, Sydney             | Ipswich<br>George Faircloth, Treasurer<br><br>"W F"  | 1860 02 13<br><br><br><br>1860 02 29   | At top: "Treasurer Hospital"<br>Acknowledging receipt of letter of 17 <sup>th</sup> ult in reply to his of 3 <sup>rd</sup> November not 3 <sup>rd</sup> December last, as mentioned by you in reference to Grant of £500 for outfit of Ipswich Hospital, & stating Government had decided "that no sum of money voted by Parliament can be appointed in any other year than the one for which the Vote may have been passed"<br>States Building Committee considered it would not be correct to apply for money for Outfit until building itself was <u>completed</u> which now being done, and ready for use, they desire me to bring the matter again under your notice, and hope for favourable result. In again urging this claim on Government, beg to refer to letter dated 6 <sup>th</sup> February 1857 No 56/9194<br>[Margin: Circular] received from your Office relating thereto & I enclose a copy of a letter which was addressed to Colonial Storekeeper, Sydney, as suggested in the letter above referred to – and to which, up to the present time, I regret to say Committee have received no reply<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> December appears to be the date<br>I see no reason for altering the determination previously arrived at in this matter | A2.43    | 261 – 262 |

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|              |           |            |                                |   | 1860 03 02                 | G Faircloth<br>59/6277<br>Answered 21 July 1860 (very faint)   |          |           |
|              | 59/06277  |            |                                | "E A R"   | 1860 02 23~                | [Note]<br>Will Mr Vallack be so good as forward the Vouchers enclosed in 59/6277 officially so that the disposal of them may be recorded?  | A2.43    | 263       |
|              | 59/06277  | 1859 12 09 | Hon Colonial Secretary, Sydney | Ipswich<br>George Faircloth,<br>Treasurer to Hospital | 1859 12 03                 | At top: "Hospital Treasurer"<br>Letter enclosing for information of Government a statement of expenditure of money (£1500) granted for building of a hospital in their town, accompanied by Certificate from Clerk of Works that the building is completed & work done to his satisfaction, also Receipts of various Contractors for payment of their demands<br>As building is now quite ready for furnishing, I shall feel obliged by your causing £500 (five hundred pounds) the amount voted by Legislature for the Outfit, to be placed to my credit at one of the Banks here, in order that the Hospital may be made ready for reception of patients<br>&<br>Notes in margins p 264-265<br>[p 264]:<br>W V<br>£500 was voted in 1857 as an outfit for the Hospital at Ipswich without any condition<br>It will now have to be decided what claims of this nature are to be admitted as a charge against –<br>60/870<br>[p 265] against this Government. The money having been noted in this case & the money due before separation should perhaps be paid<br>&<br>Notes re above [at end of p 265] |          | 264 – 265 |
|              |           |            |                                | "W F"   | 1859 12 09~<br>1859 12 12~ | 1859 12 14<br>It has been decided by Government in consequence of a conversation in the Assembly on the subject of unexpended balances that no sum of money voted by Parliament can be appropriated on any other year than the one for which the Vote may have been passed. In other words the authority to expend expires with the year. This rule shuts out the present application &<br>written over above<br>1860 01 17<br>G Faircloth Decr. 59 [crossed out] - 60/870   |          |           |
|              |           |            |                                |   | 1860 07 26                 | Note - Statements and Receipts forwarded to Auditor General  |          | 266       |
|              | 60/00870  |            |                                | Ipswich<br>F N Lucas M D<br>Secretary                 | 1857 03 04                 | "Copy"<br>Letter addressed to Colonial Storekeeper Sydney by Secretary to Ipswich Hospital, as suggested in Colonial Secretary's letter to the <u>Committee of 6<sup>th</sup> February 1857 No 56/9194</u><br>In a letter received from Colonial Secretary's Office, the provisional Committee for the hospital at Ipswich have been directed to apply to you for a list of bedsteads, blankets, rugs, utensils etc adapted to the special purposes of hospitals and other charitable Institutions with prices affixed<br>The articles selected by the Committee can be supplied from the Colonial Store and charged against the Vote for the outfit and support of Hospitals  | A2.43    | 267       |



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|              | 60/00871  | 1860 02 27 | Hon Colonial Secretary,<br>New South Wales | Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>Robert G W Herbert | 1860 02 17                              | At top: "Queensland - Almanac for 1860"<br>Has direction of His Excellency Sir George Bowen to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your letter of 4 <sup>th</sup> Inst transmitting a copy of Waugh's Australian Almanac for 1860 [No 60/189]<br>2. Begs leave in return to forward you a copy of an Almanac [margin: sent separately] for the present year published in Brisbane<br>&<br>Notes in margins   | A2.43    | 268 – 269 |
|              |           |            |  | "W F"  | 1860 02 28<br>1860 02 28~<br>1860 02 29 | Acknowledge receipt & thank<br>Colonial Secretary   |          |           |
|              | 60/00118  | 1860 03 14 | Under Secretary to<br>the Government       | Audit Office, Sydney<br>W C Mayne<br>Auditor General           | 1860 03 12                              | Submitting for consideration of Government enclosed letter received from Under Secretary of Queensland referring to communication (enclosed copy) addressed from this Department to Charles Carrington, late clerk to the Government Resident at Brisbane<br>2. From letter from Under Secretary, will observe His Excellency Sir George Bown takes exception to my having addressed myself direct to Mr Carrington on subject of <u>accounts in adjustment</u> [Margin: £600.0.0] of Advances made to Mr Road Surveyor Roberts by late Government Resident in April and May 1857 and of Balance remaining in Mr Roberts hands on 31 <sup>st</sup> March [Margin: £104.12.4] dates at which Captain Wickham and Mr Roberts were both officers of Government of New South Wales<br>3. In taking the step to which His Excellency the Governor of Queensland thus excepted I have the honour to point out that I did but adhere strictly to the course dictated by reason, and established by prescription, that, on matters connected with Public Accounts of Government he serves, an Auditor General shall correspond directly, and without any intervention whatever, with any Department, or any individual concerned in the keeping or preparation of those accounts.<br>In asserting this right I need hardly disclaim all idea of asserting any to address myself otherwise than through the proper channel of the Government he serves, to any officer on subjects other than Public Accounts of this Colony<br>4. In the Territory of Queensland there are some thirty six individuals who, as Collectors and Receivers of Revenue belonging to New South Wales, and as Disbursers of Expenditure from that Revenue, were, up to the date of Separation, Public Accountants of the Colony, bound to render accounts for Audit and to afford every the fullest information required by this department; and I submit that the fact of separation cannot be held to have relieved those persons from any of the responsibilities connected with their accounts, of to hand imposed on the Auditor General of this Colony any new restrictions in dealing with them.<br>The increase of labour, the delay and impediments to an early adjustment of Accounts which communicating through the principal Departments at Brisbane, instead of directly with the Accountants would involve, are so obvious as to relieve me from all necessity for detailing, or dwelling on them.<br>[Margin notes at Para 4: [very faint]<br>I can, by no means to ... and I am at a loss to understand on what ... Vouchers for Expenditure moneys issued from the Treasury New South Wales to Officers? in Government Service in New South Wales and for the ... service of (then) New South Wales, can be claimed as Records of the | A2.43    | 270 – 273 |

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|              |           |            | Auditor General<br>Sydney   | Colonial Secretary, Brisbane<br>A Orpen Moriarty,<br>Under Secretary           | 1860.03 14~<br><br>1860 03 22<br><br>1860 06 01 | Government of Queensland – “I have the honor to be, Your Most Obedient Servant” <i>[partly obscured at left side of margin]</i><br>5.To the position asserted by the Under Secretary that the documents which Mr Carrington was called on to forward, “form (if existing)” a portion of the records of the Colonial Secretary’s Office at Brisbane”, I must distinctly state that I can, by no means, subscribe; and I am at a loss to understand on what grounds Vouchers for Expenditure of moneys issued from Treasury of New South Wales to officers of Government of New South Wales, and for Public Service of (then) New South Wales can be claimed as Records of the Government of Queensland<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>p 270:<br>I agree in the views expressed by the Auditor General, as to his right to communicate with parties direct regarding Accounts of New South Wales Government. It would only occasion delay, and unnecessary correspondence were he to address this otherwise<br>Auditor General<br><br>[Stamped] “AUDIT OFFICE / NEW SOUTH WALES / No.143-MR*10”<br>With reference to your letter of 10 <sup>th</sup> Inst addressed to Mr Carrington, making enquiries asserting certain accounts that you state have not been received at your Office [No 60/238]<br>I have the honour by direction of His Excellency Governor Sir George Bowen to point out to you that it would have been regular if your enquiries had been addressed to Government and not to Mr Carrington, who would not of course feel at liberty (or be so) to forward Papers which (did any such exist) would form a portion of the records of this office. But as the question has even thus been brought under notice, I beg to inform you that enquiry will be made upon the subject [Margin: Ultimo – For Record 10 <sup>th</sup> ] |          | 274 – 275 |
|              |           |            | Mr Charles Carrington<br>Late Clerk to the<br>Government Resident<br>Brisbane | Audit Office, Sydney<br>W C Mayne  | 1860 02 10                                      | (Copy)<br>No accounts appearing to have been received at this Office as adjustment of Advances, amounting to £600 made by Captain Wickham to Mr Road Surveyor Roberts on April and May 1857, nor for sum of £104.12.4 remaining in his hands on 31 <sup>st</sup> March 1857, for Road purposes, I have the honour to request that you will have the goodness to forward these documents to me, as soon as possible, if they are to be found among the Papers of late Government Resident – or, if not, that you will communicate with Mr Roberts with the view to their being furnished   |          | 276       |
|              | 60/01179  | 1860 03 19 | Under Secretary,<br>Colonial Secretary’s<br>Office, Sydney                    | Colonial Secretary’s Office<br>Brisbane<br>A Orpen Moriarty<br>Under Secretary | 1860 03 06<br><br>1860 03 19~<br>1860 03 20     | At top: “Colonial Secretary Queensland”<br>Letter requesting that he will order the accompanying Notice to be inserted in the New South Wales Government Gazette [No 60/254]<br>&<br>Notes<br>Insert<br>Gazette   | A2.43    | 277       |
|              | 60/01378  | 1860 04 04 | Principal Under<br>Secretary, Sydney  | Colonial Secretary’s Office<br>Brisbane<br>A Orpen Moriarty<br>Under Secretary | 1860 03 29                                      | At top: “Colonial Secretary, Queensland”<br>By direction to request that he be good enough to move Mr Cowper to authorise the Government Printer in Sydney to forward as soon as can be convenient, twenty five copies of the Electoral Act of 1858 [No 60/392]<br>2. If Act on sale at Government Printing Office, instructions will be given for  | A2.43    | 278 - 279 |



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|              |           |            |   |  |  | <p>market would be thrown open to our farmers. The next thing would be that the Clarence River would be made a port of entry, and we might look forward to the time when the produce of the district would be shipped direct to its port of destination.</p> <p>It is also urged that Brisbane being so close to the borders of Queensland, supposing the dividing line to be traced from Port Danger, that the inhabitants of that district would hail with unmixed satisfaction our annexation to the new Colony, inasmuch as Brisbane would then be sufficiently central, for all purposes, as the capital. Our numbers, too, would ensure us considerable sway in the new Assembly; in fact a large proportion of the members would be returned by the districts, and this fact would always procure for us strict justice.</p> <p>Then it is said that by going with Moreton Bay we should get rid of a load of debt contracted by the Sydney Government; and that no claim could be made on us, inasmuch as the Sydney Treasury has received over £100,000 from these districts, and has not expended £5000. We shall return to the subject in our next [as it is]</p> |          |                            |
|              | 60/01616  | 1860 04 21 | Principal Under Secretary,<br>Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney | Colonial Secretary's Office, Brisbane<br>A O Moriarty,<br>Under Colonial Secretary | 1860 04 10<br><br>1860 04 21~<br>1860 04 21~<br><br>1860 05 01 | <p>At top: "Colonial Secretary – Queensland"</p> <p>Letter requesting that you be so good as to move the Hon the Colonial Secretary to direct me to be furnished for the information of this Government, with an extract from the Proceedings of the Executive Council of New South Wales with reference to the formation of the Trust on the appointment of the Managing Committee of the Botanic Gardens in Brisbane [No 60/481]</p> <p>&amp;</p> <p>Notes in margin &amp; across letter<br/>See 56/743 &amp; other papers herewith<br/>I can trace no Minute of the Executive Council on the subject. The Committee was appointed on the recommendation of Captain Wickham – See 55/5834 – 25 April<br/>Colonial Secretary of Queensland may be informed to the above effect &amp; the Papers on the subject which are in this office sent to him<br/>Colonial Secretary</p>  | A2.43    | 283 – 284                  |
|              | 60/01817  | 1860 05 07 | Hon Charles Cowper,<br>Sydney                                     | "C C"<br><br>Nindooibah, Albert River,<br>Queensland<br>Alfred William Compigne    | 1860 07 26<br><br>[no date]                                    | <p>At top: "Alfred William Compigne of Queensland requesting his name be retained in the Commission of the Peace for N S W "</p> <p>Note: This gentleman is one of those named by the Government of Queensland in 60/920 to be retained in the Commission of the Peace for New South Wales. This may therefore be put by</p> <p>Letter requesting his name be retained in the Commission of the Peace about to be issued for the Colony of New South Wales<br/>Residing on the boundary I am anxious to be able to act in either Colony</p>  | A2.43    | 284 again – 285<br><br>286 |
|              | 60/01835  | 1860 05 08 | Hon Colonial Secretary, Sydney                                    | Court House, Gayndah<br>M Airey, Clerk of Petty Sessions                           | 1860 04 23   | <p>Letter referring to letter addressed by Mr Elyard dated October 26<sup>th</sup> 1859 stating provision would be made on Supplementary Estimates for increase of £25 in my salary as Clerk of the Bench - have since been informed that in consequence of separation of Queensland this sum was not granted, the separation of the two Colonies not having taken place till December last, and my claim having been admitted at the time by yourself, and since by Mr Forster, I trust that sum of £25 will be allowed by New South Wales Government<br/>&amp;<br/>Notes in margin</p>   | A2.43    | 287 – 288                  |

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|              |           |            |   | "C C"   | 1860 05 08<br>1860 05 11                              | Application was made to the Queensland Government<br>Mr M Airey  |          |                   |
|              | 60/00503  | 1860 02 03 | Hon Colonial Secretary                              | Henry Herbert JP, Union Club                                    | [no date]   | At top: "Register Papers"<br>Respecting an application made by Bench of Magistrates of Gayndah for increase to be made to Clerk of Petty Sessions at that place of twenty five pounds per annum<br>In the reply to which a letter was sent to G Elliott dated 26 <sup>th</sup> October 1859 - 59/5606 . 693 [as it is] mentioning that provision will be made on the Supplementary Estimates – would feel obliged if you let me know if such provision has been made<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>60/85 – 20 Decr 59 - Bench Gayndah – respecting salary of C P S sent to Treasury 7 Jany 60 B C<br>Ask for these?<br>Note<br>Now herewith<br>Mr Herbert 60/1835   | A2.43    | 289 – 290         |
|              | 60/00503  |            | H Herbert JP<br>Union Club                          |   | 1860 02 06~<br>1860 02 07~<br>1860 02 13<br>[no date] | In reply to letter of 3 <sup>rd</sup> inst enquiring whether provision has been made for augmentation of pay of Clerk of Petty Sessions at Gayndah to £175 per annum, in conformity with my letter to Mr Elliott of the 26 <sup>th</sup> of October last Directed by Colonial Secretary to inform you that instructions were given for placing necessary amount on Supplementary Estimates, but that in consequence of separation of Moreton Bay and establishment of Colony of Queensland this will not now be brought forward by this Government   |          | 291 – 292         |
|              | 60/00085  | 1860 01 07 | W Elyard,<br>Colonial Secretary's<br>Office, Sydney | Court House, Gayndah<br>M Airey<br>Clerk of Petty Sessions      | 1859 12 20  | [Stamped] TREASURY No 193 / JA 9 1860<br>Referring to your letter to Mr Elliott no 59.5606, 693 dated 26 October requesting you be good enough to inform me of the proposed increase in my salary as Court of Petty Sessions at Gayndah has been passed & amount paid to my account at the Union Bank<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>59/5606 - G Elliot [as it is] 25/10 - Increase of salary to CPS Gayndah<br>Treasury 26/10 by letter<br>This will not now be provided for by this Colony<br>The papers are at the Treasury – Blank cover<br>Secretary to the Treasury<br>The papers?<br>Estimate herewith 59.7080 [60/503]   | A2.43    | 293               |
|              |           |            | Secretary to the<br>Treasury                        | "W E"<br><br>Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Sydney<br>W Elyard | 1860 01 07<br><br>1859 10 26                          | [Stamped] "TREASURY No 7080 / OC 31 1859"<br>In transmitting to you the accompanying application from Mr Elliott & Bench of Magistrates at Gayndah for augmentation of twenty five pounds per annum to salary of Clerk of Petty Sessions at that place, I am directed by Colonial Secretary to request you will move the Colonial Treasurer to cause provision to be made for this augmentation on Supplementary Estimate. It appears that the salary was originally £100 per annum with a temporary increase of £66.13.4 a year, which latter rate was fixed instead of £100 as allowed generally in consequence of the Clerk having had at the time quarters<br>[p 300] and that when temporary increase was reduced 25 per cent, on its |          | 294 –<br>295, 300 |

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|              |           |            |                                    | "H L"<br>"S S"   | 1859 10 31~<br><br>1859 10 31~<br>1859 11 23~              | being amalgamated with the salary in 1857 the £66.13.4 was reduced one fourth or £16.13.4 leaving only £150 a year. Present Clerk is not allowed quarters and duties which he has to perform are represented to be equal to those at places where salaries of £175 are paid<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>59-5606<br>Submitted for Supplementary Estimates?<br>Yes<br>Mr Wells<br>Estimates?<br>Noted - also at top: "406"  |          |                        |
|              | 59/05606  | 1859 10 26 | The Hon Colonial Secretary, Sydney | Sydney<br>Gilbert Elliott  | 1859 10 25   | At top: "Gilbert Elliott M P"<br>Submitting letter transmitted to him by Bench of Magistrates at Gayndah in relation to increase of salary to Clerk of the Bench of £25 per annum in order to make it equal to salaries of Clerks at Maryborough, Gladstone, Rockhampton & Dalby and from my knowledge of the circumstances requesting me I add my recommendation which I have much pleasure in doing, believing that the Clerk of the Bench at Gayndah has fully as much business to do and is equally entitled to receive the same amount of salary viz £175 per annum as clerks at any of the before mentioned places, & particularly as I believe the expense of living is fully greater at Gayndah<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>--- [obscured] put in Supplementary Estimates<br>G Elliott<br>Secretary to Treasurer<br>60/85 | A2.43    | 296 - 297              |
|              | 59/05606  |            | The Hon Colonial Secretary, Sydney | Court House, Gayndah<br>R H Strathdee JP,<br>William White JP,<br>Henry Herbert JP | 1859 10 26~<br>1859 10 00~<br>1859 11 04<br><br>1859 10 03 | At top: "Bench of Magistrates, Gayndah"<br>Letter recommending in bringing forward the Police Estimates for 1860, that salary of Clerk of the Bench for this District should be advanced to £175 per annum, the business of this Court having greatly increased during the last two years<br>2. We have the further the honour to recommend that sum of £25 should be placed on the Supplementary Estimates to make up the amount of Mr Airey's salary for the current year<br>&<br>Note in margin - 56/40   |          | 298 - 299              |
|              | 60/01894  | 1860 05 11 | Hon Colonial Secretary, Sydney     | Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>Robert G W Herbert                     | 1860 04 27   | At top: "Queensland"<br>Letter by direction of Sir George Bowen to acknowledge, with thanks, receipt of your letter of 11 <sup>th</sup> April, together with 25 copies of Electoral Act of 1858 [No 60/650]<br>&<br>Note in margin: "Put by"   | A2.43    | 301<br>[300 with 294+] |
|              | 60/02139  | 1860 05 21 | Hon Colonial Secretary, Sydney     | Crown Law Office, Queensland<br>T Rawlins  | 1860 05 17   | At top: "T Rawlins"<br>By advice from England, informed Mr Charles Eastwood at present holds an appointment under Government of New South Wales. Being desirous of ascertaining his address, applying to you in hopes of your being enabled to oblige me with the same. Apologizing for thus troubling you<br>&<br>Notes in margin   | A2.43    | 302 - 303              |

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|                 |              |              |                                   | W V<br><br>"R S B"   | 1860 05 21~<br>1860 05 31~<br>1860 06 02~<br>1860 06 04~<br>1860 06 04~<br>1860 06 04<br>1860 06 04<br>1860 06 13 | I cannot trace the name of this person as employed in any public department, perhaps reference may be made to Auditor General<br>B C<br>Stamp: "AUDIT OFFICE - NEW SOUTH WALES - No 402 / JU 2 1860"<br>Mr Muir or Mr Hall<br>Mr Charles W Eastwood holds appointment as Clerk in the Railway Department<br>B C - Audit Office<br>W C Mayne, Auditor General<br>Returned Colonial Secretary's Office<br>&<br>Note [p 303]<br>Inform<br>Mr Rawlins  |             |           |
|                 | 60/02240     |              |                                   |  | 1860 06 14~<br><br>1860 06 14~<br>1860 06 19<br><br>1860 06 12<br>1860 06 14~                                     | At top: "Memo"<br>Under a report received from the Police Magistrate of Goulburn, it is found that Karl Lind was at the time of his death in the employment of F R Rossi near Goulburn and did not possess sufficient property to pay for his funeral<br>B C letter here herewith returned<br>&<br>Notes across Memo<br>Mr Cronquist to be informed<br>Mr Cronquist<br>At end:<br>John McLerie, Inspector General of Police<br>Returned Colonial Secretary   | A2.43       | 304 - 305 |
|                 | 60/02240     | 1860 05 21   | Hon Colonial<br>Secretary, Sydney | Drayton, Queensland<br>Corfitz Cronquist, Printer,<br>"Darling Downs Gazette" Office,<br>Drayton | 1860 05 18  | At top: "C Cronquist"<br>"Enquiry respecting property supposed to have been found upon Charles Lind drowned in the Wollondilly"<br>In month of January this year a country man of mine, a native of Sweden, Mr Charles Lind (Karl Lind) unfortunately happened to be drowned while attempting to cross the Wollondilly River [as it is] He had been a miner at Adelong for more than two years and left that place with the intention of going home. I am quite satisfied that he possessed at the time of his death <u>not less</u> than £900, whether in cheques, notes, gold or money I don't know. I should feel greatly obliged if you would be so kind as to inform me if such sum was found about the body, and. If so, if it is placed in the department of Testate Estates and within what time his right heir may recover it, as it is my intention to write to his parents in Sweden who are the right and lawful heirs of the deceased and cause such documents to be sent out through the Government as will prove the legal heirs. The deceased was an acquaintance of mine, and I take a great deal of interest in the result. With today's mail I inform the Swedish and Norwegian Consul, George Were, Esquire, of this communication and in expectation of reply, I beg to ..... myself Honourable Sir<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>2263 / Police May 29<br>&<br>Notes across letter<br>Refer to Inspector General of Police - B C |             | 306 - 307 |
|                 |              |              |                                   | "C C"  | 1860 05 28~   |  |             |           |





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|              | 60/<br>[no number] |            |  | Drayton<br>E Kitching   | 1860 03 01  | the facts of the case so that they take steps in the matter,<br>I am Sir Yours Obediently<br><br>Forwarding note drawn in favour of Sheriff of Sydney for fifty pounds in case of Rossiter v Mehan - will remit residue in next post<br>P S Will answer your letter relative to your stating about ? immediate payment to you whilst in Sydney<br><br>[Envelope] <i>[part torn]</i><br>[Stamped] REGISTER DRAYTON / 103 - Registry - other stamps obscured<br>Solicitor, 364 George Street, Sydney<br>Part stamp at bottom "N S W / MR - 1860"   |          | 314<br><br>315             |
|              | 60/02553           | 1860 06 20 | Under Secretary,<br>Colonial Secretary's<br>Department | Crown Law Office, Sydney<br>W E Plunkett<br><br>"C C"   | 1860 06 18<br><br>1860 03 02<br>1860 06 20~<br>1860 06 26 | Returning within letter with accompanying Extract from proceedings of Executive Council of Queensland, re bail having been allowed by Justice Milford in Sydney to a prisoner named W P Palmer who had been committed to take his trial at Maryborough, I am directed by Attorney General to forward the enclosed copy letter received from Crown Solicitor [No 60/94]<br>&<br>Notes in Margin<br>B C<br>Inform Queensland Government<br>Colonial Secretary  | A2.43    | 316 - 317                  |
|              | 60/00919           | 1860 03 02 | Hon Colonial<br>Secretary,<br>New South Wales          | Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>Robert G W Herbert<br><br>"W F"<br><br>"A O M" - Clerk of the Council | 1860 02 29<br><br>1860 03 02                              | At top: "Re bail being allowed the Prisoner W P Palmer"<br>Letter directed by Sir George Bowen to invite your attention to the accompanying Extract from Proceedings of the Executive Council of Queensland, having reference to the case~ of a prisoner who while~ under committal to take his trial in Courts of this Colony & released upon bail at Sydney by one of the Judges of Supreme Court of New South Wales [No 60/222]<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>Refer to Law Officers B C<br>To be returned [60/2553]<br><br><u>Extract from Proceedings of the Executive Council of Queensland on 28<sup>th</sup> February 1860</u><br>His Excellency the Governor places before Council a report from the Attorney General by which it appears that a prisoner named W P Palmer who had been committed on 13 <sup>th</sup> December to Brisbane Gaol to take his trial at Maryborough, was on 7 <sup>th</sup> January whilst under escort to Brisbane Gaol & in custody of Queensland authorities admitted to bail by his Hon Mr Justice Milford in Sydney & without any notice being given to the Crown Law Officers were until the 27 <sup>th</sup> January when New South Wales Crown Solicitor merely forwarded the recognizance of Bail<br>2. Council deem it unnecessary to express any opinion upon the foregoing circumstances, feeling it to be sufficient that they should advise that the attention of the Government of New South Wales be invited to the case | A2.43    | 318 - 319<br><br>320 - 321 |
|              | 60/02884           | 1860 07 16 | Hon Colonial<br>Secretary,<br>Sydney                   | Brigade Office, Sydney<br>R Atkinson, Captain Major of<br>Brigade   | 1860 07 16  | At top: "Brigade Major"<br>Letter by direction of Lieut Colonel Commanding the Troops, to acquaint you for information of His Excellency the Governor General, that in consequence of a Reinforcement of Troops required for New Zealand, the  | A2.43    | 322                        |

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|              |           |            |  | "C C"  | 1860 07 18~  | sending of a detachment to Queensland as stated in my letter of 9 <sup>th</sup> inst, is deferred for the present<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>[other notes – very feint unable to read]   |          |           |
|              | 60/02786  | 1860 07 09 | Hon Colonial Secretary, Sydney             | Brigade Office, Sydney<br>R Atkinson Captain Major of Brigade      | 1860 07 09   | At top: "Brigade Major"<br>Letter by direction of Lieut Colonel Commanding the Troops, to acquaint you for information of His Excellency the Governor General that, in compliance with directions received from Head Quarters, a detachment as per margin, of 1 <sup>st</sup> Battalion 12 <sup>th</sup> Regiment will be held in immediate readiness to proceed to Brisbane Queensland, & that Deputy Assistant Commissary General Petrie will proceed to that Colony [10/7/60 – "W D"] on Wednesday next, to make necessary arrangements for accommodation, provisioning etc, returning to Sydney on the completion of this duty<br>At top: "Detachment of the 12 <sup>th</sup> Regt to proceed to Melbourne" [as it is]<br><u>Margin</u><br>Sub - Segts - Drs - Rank & file<br>1 2 1 25 | A2.43    | 323 – 324 |
|              |           |            |  | "C C"  | 1860 07 11~<br><br>1860 07 11~<br><del>1860 07 00~</del> | Notes re above<br>Send a copy of this for the information of the Colonial Treasurer<br><del>Secretary to Treasury</del> [crossed out] [60/2884]  |          | 325       |
|              | 60/03052  | 1860 07 28 | Hon Colonial Secretary                     | Brisbane, Queensland<br>William Anthony Brown<br>Police Magistrate | 1860 07 24   | At top: "Police Magistrate"<br>Letter to request that you will have the goodness to give instruction to Government Printer to send a copy of the New South Wales Government Gazette [Margin: from 1 <sup>st</sup> January 1860] and the "Hue and Cry"<br>&<br>Notes in margin  | A2.43    | 326       |
|              |           |            |  | "C C"  | 1860 08 01~<br><br>1860 08 03~                           | There may be no objection to supply the Government Gazette & the Inspector General may be asked to furnish the Police Report of Crime Queensland to be informed<br>Colonial Secretary, Printer, Inspector General  |          |           |
|              | 60/03276  | 1860 08 11 | Hon Colonial Secretary,<br>New South Wales | Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>A Orpen Moriarty       | 1860 08 07   | At top: "Queensland"<br>[Stamped] "DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS / AUG 14 - 60/1849" on top of CS number 60/2927~<br>Acknowledging receipt of your letter of 27 <sup>th</sup> ult enclosing copy of communication from Department of Public Works New South Wales, intimating the steps that have been taken with a view of giving publicity to the Notice forwarded in my letter of 28 <sup>th</sup> June respecting Tenders for construction of a Steam Dredge for Harbours of this Colony, directed to invite your attention to the Notice in the accompanying Gazette of 4 <sup>th</sup> inst & to request that you will be so good as to cause a similar Notice to be inserted in the New South Wales Government Gazette & in local papers<br>&<br>Notes in margin                       | A2.43    | 327 – 328 |
|              |           |            |  | "C C"  | 1860 08 11   | For the Secretary for Public Works – see letter from Under Secretary for Public Works No 167 B C   |          |           |
|              |           |            |  | "W A M" "B H M"  | 1860 08 13~  | Rec'd 13/8 for Gazette --- ?? Gazette of 14 <sup>th</sup> August   |          |           |
|              |           |            |  | "W A M" "B H M"<br>"W M A"   | 1860 08 07~<br>1860 08 18~                               | Notes re letter above<br>Submitted for information   |          | 329       |

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|              |           |            |  | "B H M"  | 1860 08 20~<br>1860 08 20~<br>1860 08 21~<br>1860 08 21~<br>1860 08 21                          | Inserted as requested<br>Principal Under Secretary – B C – noted<br>Returned Colonial Secretary's Office<br>Inform<br>Colonial Secretary   |          |           |
|              | 60/02927  | 1860 07 19 | Principal Under Secretary, Sydney          | Dept of Public Works, Sydney<br>B H Martindale                 | 1860 07 17<br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br>1860 06 28~<br>1860 07 04~<br>1860 07 19~ | [Printed Letterhead - Old English font]<br>Letter referring to B C of 4 <sup>th</sup> inst forwarding to this Department letter dated 28 <sup>th</sup> ultimo from Hon Secretary Queensland transmitting a notice inviting Tenders for construction of a Steam Dredge for Harbours of that Colony, directed to inform you that Notice in question has been inserted in Government Gazette & daily papers of Sydney & will continue to appear in the former until the time within which Tenders for this service can be received has expired [Margin: 31 <sup>st</sup> July 1860] & in the latter three times a week until the last mail for Brisbane in time to reach that place by 31 <sup>st</sup> instant leaves Sydney [No 167]<br>2. Plan of this Dredge has in accordance with wishes of Queensland Government and in terms of the Notice referred to - see note book &<br>Notes in margin<br>60/1546 – 60/2718 – 60/2715<br>Colonial Secretary Brisbane<br>Notice respecting Steam Dredge etc & for Public Works – B C<br>Forward copy of this to Colonial Secretary at Brisbane for information of Government of Queensland with reference to letter of 28 <sup>th</sup> of June<br>Colonial Secretary [60/3276]   | A2.43    | 330 – 331 |
|              | 60/02715  | 1860 07 04 | Hon Colonial Secretary,<br>New South Wales | Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>Robert G W Herbert | 1860 07 27<br><br>1860 06 28  | At top: "Queensland"<br>[Stamped "DEPARTMENT OF THE ENGINEER IN CHIEF / FOR HARBOURS & RIVERS / no 657/60-13 JULY"]<br>Adverting to letters of 21 <sup>st</sup> March & 28 <sup>th</sup> May last, & to Plans & Reports you were good enough to forward showing steps taken by Government of New South Wales with reference to removal of obstructions to navigation of Moreton Bay & River Brisbane, I have to inform that it is proposed immediately to proceed with construction of a Steam Dredge for harbours of this Colony & that in event of its being found practicable to obtain satisfactory tenders in the Colonies; advantage will be taken of the Plans for which this Government are indebted to Engineer-in-Chief for Harbours and Rivers Navigation at Sydney<br>2. Day has accordingly been fixed for receipt of tenders for the work, namely Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> July next, & request you will cause accompanying notification to be inserted in New South Wales Government Gazette & also in one or more of daily papers in Sydney<br>3. It is promised that original plans of which tracings have been forwarded to this Government are in possession of the Engineer-in-Chief & it had been thought probable that with approval of Government that officer will not object to allow them to be inspected in his Department by intending tenderers & to afford any explanations that may be required, I am therefore to point the attention of your Government to that portion of the accompanying Notice which refers applications to Engineers Office, for information as to the Plans & specifications & to request that you will be so good as to cause the substance of this communication to be conveyed to that Officer<br>& | A2.43    | 332 – 334 |

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|              |           |            |                                   | <p>"C C"<br/>"W A M"? "W W H"? "B H M"</p> <p>"E O M"<br/>"H W M"?</p>                 | <p>1860 07 04~<br/>1860 07 07~</p> <p>1860 07 09<br/>1860 07 13~<br/>1860 07 13~<br/>1860 07 14~</p> | <p>Notes in margin &amp; across letter<br/>[Stamped "DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS / JUL 7 / 60 /1546"]<br/>For Secretary for Public Works – B C<br/>We inserted in Government Gazette late date – and in Herald and Empire three times a week late to be steamer leaves for Brisbane which will reach them no later than 30<sup>th</sup> August. Inform Mr Moriarty? &amp; request him to furnish to the ,,,, the information required<br/>Engineer Harbours &amp; Rivers</p> <p>Return to Public Works Office – inform of steps taken<br/>Principal U S [60/2927]</p>   |          |           |
|              | 60/02588  | 1860 06 25 | Hon Colonial Secretary, Sydney    | Colonial Secretary's Office, Brisbane<br>A Orpen Moriarty,<br>Under Colonial Secretary | <p>1860 06 14</p> <p>1860 06 25~<br/>1860 06 26</p>  | <p>At top: "Queensland"<br/>Directed to acknowledge with many thanks the receipt of your letter of 28<sup>th</sup> ult forwarding certain papers and reports having reference to the obstructions to the navigation of the Brisbane River and the best means to be adopted for their removal [60/163]<br/>&amp;<br/>Notes in margin<br/>Send a copy for the information of Secretary of Public Works with reference to U Secretary's letter of 18<sup>th</sup> ult<br/>U S P Works [60/2715]</p>   | A2.43    | 335 - 336 |
|              | 60/02158  | 1860 05 20 | Principal Under Secretary         | Department of Public Works, Sydney<br>B H Martindale                                   | <p>1860 05 18</p> <p>1860 05 22~<br/>1860 05 28</p>  | <p>[Printed Letterhead - Old English font]<br/>Letter re Blank Cover of 14<sup>th</sup> ult transmitting to this Department a letter from the Under Colonial Secretary of Queensland inviting attention to a request contained in a previous communication addressed to me; that the Government of that Colony might be placed in possession of any Reports that had been obtained with reference to the obstruction to the navigation of the Brisbane River and the best means to be adopted for their removal, I am directed by Secretary of Public Works to enclose herewith [Margin: Noted - 19/5/60] all the papers and reports which can be traced having reference to this subject and I am to request you will have the goodness to move the Hon Colonial Secretary to forward the same to the Government of Queensland [No 60/984]<br/>&amp;<br/>Notes in margin<br/>To be forwarded to Colonial Secretary of Queensland<br/>Colonial Secretary [60/2588]</p> | A2.43    | 337 – 338 |
|              | 60/01512  | 1860 04 14 | Principal Under Secretary, Sydney | Colonial Secretary's Office, Brisbane<br>A Orpen Moriarty,<br>Under Colonial Secretary | <p>1860 04 11</p> <p>1860 04 16~<br/>1860 04 14~</p>   | <p>At top: [Stamped] "DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS /APR 7-60 /984"<br/>Letter re Colonial Secretary's letter of 21<sup>st</sup> ult, with respect to Steam Dredge for Brisbane River, encloses copy of letter addressed by me on 13<sup>th</sup> March to Under Secretary for Public Works in Sydney, &amp; am directed to request that you will be so good as to invite the attention of Hon Colonial Secretary to this former portion of the request therein contained, that this Government might be placed in possession of any <u>Reports</u> that had been obtained with reference to obstructions to navigation of Brisbane River and the best means to be adopted for their removal [No 60/421]<br/>&amp;<br/>Notes in margin<br/>Rec'd<br/>For the Secretary for Public Works - B C<br/>Inform [60/2158]<br/>&amp;</p>  | A2.43    | 339 – 340 |

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|              | 60/01512  |            | Hon Secretary for Public Works, Sydney       | "B A M?" "B H M"<br><br>Colonial Secretary's Office, Brisbane<br>A Orpen Moriarty, Under Secretary | 1860 04 19<br>1860 04 19<br><br>1860 04 17?<br><br>1860 03 13 | Note at top p 340 - 60/984<br>&<br>Notes in margin - p 340<br>Ask Mr Moriarty if he is aware of any reports – B C<br>Noted<br>&<br>Notes at end [p 340]<br>The only report that I can find is one from Mr Surveyor Debenham in 1851 on the Bar of the River Brisbane. There were several reports within the last few years from Mr Surveyor Roberts & Harbour Master on the impediments to the navigation of the Rivers Brisbane & Bremer but copies were only sent to this office. The originals are kept by Government Resident Captain Wickham. It was in contemplation at one time to send down Mr Moriarty to report but in consequence I think of the then anticipated separation of Moreton Bay. His visit was postponed from time to time – At all events he has never reported nor has he been at Brisbane for the purpose<br><br>At top: "Queensland" "Copy"<br>[Stamped] "DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS / APR/ 7-60 /984"<br>Letter by direction of His Ex the Governor to request you will be so good as to move the Hon the Secretary for Public Works to cause this Government to be placed in possession of any Reports, Plans, etc that may have been made with reference to obstructions to navigation of Brisbane River & the construction of a Steamer Dredge & punts, for which instructions were it is understood given by the Government of New South Wales, prior to the separation of this Colony & provision was made by the Legislative in the year 1856 [No 60/317] |          | 341 – 342 |
|              | 60/01377  | 1860 04 04 | Hon Colonial Secretary, Sydney               | Colonial Secretary's Office, Brisbane<br>Robert G W Herbert<br><br>"C C"                           | 1860 03 29<br><br>1860 04 04~                                 | Letter acknowledging with thanks the receipt of Tracings from the Plans & copies of specifications & Estimates for a Steam Dredge for Brisbane River [no 60/391]<br>&<br>Note in margin [Ref 60/1512]   | A2.43    | 343       |
|              | 60/01216  | 1860 03 21 | Under Secretary, Colonial Secretary's Office | Dept of Harbours & Rivers, Sydney<br>E O Moriarty<br><br>"C C"                                     | 1860 03 20<br><br>1860 03 20~<br><br>1860 03 21               | By direction of Hon Secretary for Public Works, forward for transmission to Queensland tracings from Plans with copies of the Specifications & Estimates for a Steam Dredge for the Brisbane River, Moreton Bay which have been prepared in this office under my direction, originals are for the present retained [No 60/90~]<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>Copy of this may be sent to Colonial Secretary at Queensland – but it is not necessary that the Package should be sent through this office – it should be forwarded direct<br>Colonial Secretary [No 60/1377]   | A2.43    | 344       |
|              | 60/00640  | 1860 03 22 | Under Secretary for Public Works             | Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney<br>W Elyard  | 1860 03 21  | At top: "26"<br>Letter with reference to letter from Engineer in Department of Harbours & Rivers forwarding by direction of Secretary for Public Works tracings from Plans with copies of specifications & Estimates for a Steam Dredge for the Brisbane River to be transmitted to Queensland, I am instructed by Colonial Secretary to state that Government of Queensland have been apprised that these documents will be furnished but to request that Package containing them may be sent by Mr Moriarty direct to Brisbane addressed to Colonial Secretary  | A2.43    | 345 - 346 |

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|                 |              |              |   | "W M A"  | 1860 03 22<br>1860 03 22<br>1860 03 22<br>1860 03 22<br>1860 03 23~<br>1860 03 24~<br>1860 04 30   | &<br>Notes in margin<br>60/599<br>Chief Secretary Brisbane<br>Application for Reports Plans etc navigation of Brisbane River – Steam<br>Dredge etc submitted yesterday<br>Documents alluded to appear to have been sent to Queensland see Mr<br>Moriarty's report on 60/492 herewith<br>Submitted for information<br>Seen<br>Mr H?<br>Put by - 60/984<br>Sent to Colonial Secretary – B C – Put by  |             |           |
|                 | 60/00599     | 1860 03 20   | Under Secretary for<br>Public Works, Sydney | Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>A Orpen Moriarty | 1860 03 15<br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br>1860 03 20<br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br>1860 03 20<br>1860 03 21~  | At top: "Queensland"<br>With direction of His Ex the Governor to request that you will be so good as<br>to move the Secretary for Public Works to cause this Government to be<br>placed in possession of any reports, plans etc that may have been made<br>with reference to the removal of obstructions to navigation of the Brisbane<br>River & construction of a Steam Dredge & punts for which instructions were<br>it is understood been given by Government of New South Wales prior to<br>the separation of that Colony, and provision was made by the Legislature in<br>1856 [No 60/317]<br>&<br>Notes in margin [very faint in parts]<br>59/634<br>Engineer for Harbours whether plans for new Steam Dredge for Brisbane<br>River are to be proceeded with<br>Engineer for Harbours – B C 20/12/59<br>60/492<br>Engineer for Harbours, Plans, specifications etc for the Hull machinery &<br>punts for the Moreton Bay Dredge<br>Engineer for Harbours – B C 8 <sup>th</sup> inst<br>Mr Moriarty requested to return the papers forwarded to him on the 8 <sup>th</sup> inst<br>on this subject and to state when the tracings etc will be ready to forward to<br>Moreton Bay – B C<br>For the U S [No 219/60] | A2.43       | 347 – 348 |
|                 | 60/00492     | 1860 03 06   | Under Secretary for<br>Public Works         | Dept of Harbours & Rivers,<br>Sydney<br>E O Moriarty         | 1860 02 28<br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br>1860 03 06<br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br>1860 03 06<br><br><br><br>1860 03 08<br>1860 03 08<br>1860 03 08 | Forwarding Plans Specification & Estimate for Hull Machinery and Punts<br>for Moreton Bay Steam Dredge [No 60/98]<br>&<br>Notes at top: 59/634 Eng for Harbours – enquiring whether for new Steam<br>Dredge for Brisbane River to be provided<br>Returned to Mr Moriarty – B C – 20 Dec 1859<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>Estimate including 3 Mud Punts - £12,747-0-0 – Tracings of the Plans, &<br>copies of Specification and Estimate beg to send for the information of<br>Govt of Queensland<br><br>... to Chief for Harbours – B C<br>Noted - 173/60   | A2.43       | 349       |
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|              |           |            |  | "P W"  | 1860 03 21  | All plans of River Brisbane and tracings of Plans of Moreton Bay Dredge are forwarded by Telegraph Steamer to Colonial Secretary Queensland this day - 21 March by G E – E O M<br>60/599 [text on front page has seeped through into back of page]   |          |           |
|              |           |            |  |  | 1860 03 21<br>1860 03 28~   | Do not send the enclosed to Brisbane<br>Send a copy of 60/2158   |          | 351       |
|              | 60/03277  | 1860 08 11 | Principal Under Secretary, New South Wales | Colonial Secretary's Office, Brisbane<br>A Orpen Moriarty                              | 1860 08 07  | At top: "Queensland"<br>"Notice for Tenders for construction of Telegraph between Brisbane & the frontier for publication"<br>[Stamp] "DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS / AUG 14 - 60/1848"<br>Intention of this Government to proceed at once with construction of line of Telegraph between Brisbane and the frontier – request you will be so good as to cause to be inserted in New South Wales Government Gazette and Sydney morning papers a Notice, calling for tenders for the work, similar to the one in the copy of Queensland Gazette which I herewith enclose<br>[No 60/373]<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>For Department of Public Works – B C<br>Received 13/8 for Gazette tomorrow<br>Gazette of 14 <sup>th</sup> August<br>Submitted for information   | A2.43    | 352       |
|              |           |            |  | "C C"<br>"B H M"   | 1860 08 11~<br>1860 08 13~  |  |          |           |
|              |           |            |  | "B H M"<br>W Hall  | 1860 08 17~<br>1860 08 18   |  |          |           |
|              |           |            |  | "B H M"  | 1860 08 20~<br>1860 08 20<br>1860 08 21~<br>1860 08 21~<br>1860 08 21 | Notes re above<br>Inserted as requested<br>Principal Under Secretary B C – noted<br>Returned CSO<br>Inform<br>Colonial Secretary   |          | 353       |
|              | 60/03510  | 1860 08 25 | Hon Colonial Secretary, New South Wales    | Colonial Secretary's Office, Brisbane<br>A Orpen Moriarty,<br>Under Colonial Secretary | 1860 08 17  | At top: "Queensland" "Under Colonial Secretary"<br>Directed to inform that His Excellency Governor Sir George Bowen has laid before Executive Council your letter dated 28 <sup>th</sup> ult in reply to application made to your Government for an equitable partition by reference to relative numbers of the force at date of separation of the Police Reward and Superannuation Fund, which derived from fixed deductions from pay of the Constabulary is understood to amount now to be profitably invested by the Trustees appointed to charge of it [No 60/448]<br>2. It is proposed by you that in place of the fund being divided as had been suggested, your Government should meet all claimed against the fund for any pensions or gratuities to which members and widows of members of the Police force of Queensland who on 30 <sup>th</sup> November last were in the service of New South Wales, and were henceforth continued in the Police, may become entitled under existing law and regulations applicable to such cases, all such claims to be submitted as they may arise, to be dealt with by the Government of New South Wales<br>3. The course proposed is justified by reference to difficulty of apportioning the fund under arrangement first suggested, and is stated to be similar to that which was adopted by the Board of Customs in England, on transfer to the Colonial Government of the Colonial Branch of Customs department<br>4. I am now desired by His Excellency under advice of Council to inform | A2.43    | 354 – 358 |

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|              |           |           |    |             |                            | <p>you that it is conceived that it will, under all circumstances of the case be preferable to adopt your proposal which if not so favourable to those Members of the Police Force * [see margin notes] of this Colony who may have joined the Police subsequently to separation or may hereafter join it, as to the same class of persons in New South Wales, will to counterbalance this and other disadvantages, have the recommendation of tending to place the arrangements upon this head between the respective Governments upon a definite footing *</p> <p>&amp;</p> <p>Notes in margins<br/>[p 354?]</p> <p>3701 / Police – August 29</p> <p>To be communicated to the Auditor General – B C</p> <p>Noted</p> <p>[Stamped]: AUDIT OFFICE-NEW SOUTH WALES / No 725 - AU 27/1860 M51075</p>   |          |           |
|              |           |           |    | "C C"       | 1860 08 25~<br>1860 08 27~ | Noted & returned  |          |           |
|              |           |           |    | "W C M" A G | 1860 08 27~<br>1860 08 28  | Returned CSO  |          |           |
|              |           |           |    |             |                            | [p 358 * – part obscured] does not appear ... the difference will arise. If the same Law is acted on the claim of the Police who have joined since separation will be the same as that of the Police here who have since come with the force  |          |           |
|              |           |           |    | "W E"       | 1860 08 28                 | Note  |          | 359       |
|              |           |           |    |             | 1860 08 29~<br>1860 09 01  | Forwarded for the information of Inspector General of Police B C<br>To be returned<br>Rec'd J McLerie<br>Noted<br>Returned CSO – Put by   |          |           |
|              |           |           |    |             |                            | At top: "M15075 – 18 <sup>th</sup> July 60" – "Minute 60/30 – 2 <sup>nd</sup> July 1860"<br>Proceedings of the Executive Council with reference to claims upon the <u>Police Reward Fund of New South Wales arising in Queensland</u><br>2 <sup>nd</sup> July 1860<br>His Ex the Governor General lays before Council a letter from Under Secretary to Government of Queensland representing that application has been made by Widow of the late Chief Constable at Maryborough for a Pension in consideration of the long and meritorious service of her husband and requesting that as any allowance of this nature would be defrayed from the Police Rewards and Superannuation Fund of New South Wales to which the deceased officer was a contributor, he may be informed of the state of the Fund with a view to arrangements being made for the transfer to local Trustees of the proportion of the same family belonging to the Police of that Colony. As a means of arriving at this proportion the Under Secretary suggests that the Inspector General of Police of this Colony should be requested to compare the relative strength of the Police Force of the Northern Districts with that of the remaining districts of New South Wales at the date of separation, and that the result might be taken as the ratio of division of the Fund. This application has been referred to the Auditor General and the Inspector General of Police, whose reports on the subject His Excellency also places before the Council – Both of these officers are of opinion that the Fund should be retained in its integrity by |          | 360 - 363 |



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|              |           |           |    |   |                          | <p>this Colony, and that the cases in which there are claims upon it by members of the Police Force in Queensland should be submitted to this Government as they arise and be dealt with under the provisions of the Act 16 Victoria No 33</p> <p>The Council entirely concur in the propriety of this arrangement which as is pointed out by the Inspector General of Police, is precisely similar to that adopted by Board of Customs in England on the transfer to this Government of the Colonial branch of the Department – and deeming the communications of the two cases strictly analogous and that it would be difficult if not impossible fairly to apportion the Fund in the manner suggested by the Under Secretary at Brisbane, they advise that it be intimated to the Government of Queensland that the Government considers it expedient to retain the Fund in its integrity, but is prepared to meet all claims against for Pensions and Gratuities to which members, and the widows of members if the Police Force in Queensland, who on the 30<sup>th</sup> of November last were serving in the Police of this Colony, and were henceforth contingent in the Police of Queensland, become entitled under the existing Law and Regulations applying to such case.</p> <p>From the report of the Inspector General of Police it would appear that under the Regulations the widow of late Chief Constable McAdam is not entitled to a Pension, but that on the production of the Marriage Certificate before the Police Pension Board she will be entitled to a recommendation from that Board to receive a gratuity of £200.16.8 from the Police Reward Fund, being an amount equal to thirteen months pay of her husband at the time of his decease</p> <p>The Council further advise that these circumstances be also communicated to the Government at Brisbane with an intimation that in pursuance of the above decision the amount in question will be paid to Mrs McAdam on her obtaining the necessary recommendation from the Board</p> <p>Edward C Merewether<br/>Clerk of the Council – confirmed 12 July 1860</p> <p>&amp;</p> <p>Notes in margin<br/>Minute 60/20? 60/30?<br/>3702 / Police – Aug 30~<br/>Approved<br/>Colonial Secretary 60/3510</p> |          |           |
|              | 60/02411  |           |    | John McLerie<br>Inspector General of Police | 1860 07 17<br>1860 07 25 | <p><u>Memo</u></p> <p>If it were considered desirable to transfer to the Colony of Queensland, the proportion of the existing Police Reward and Superannuation Funds, the actual amount contributed to those Funds, since their establishment, by that portion of the Police Force now belonging to the new Colony could be easily arrived at – but it is concluded that the cases in which there are claims on this Fund, by persons in Queensland should be submitted to this Government, as they arise, and, by this arrangement, which is similar to that pursued by the Board of Customs in England, on the transfer of that Department to this Colony; such claims could be considered, and disposed of, under provisions of Act of Council, 16<sup>th</sup> Victoria No 33; [margin: 1/ herewith] and it would then be unnecessary to transfer any portions of the Funds to Queensland. The 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Clauses of the Act referred to show that rates and scale of Pension and Allowances, granted out of those Funds; and although no provision is made, in that Act, for the Widows of</p>   | A2.43    | 364 – 367 |

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|              | 60/02411  | 1860 06 11 | Principal Under Secretary,<br>New South Wales | Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>A Orpen Moriarty<br>Under Colonial Secretary | "C C"<br><br>1860 06 17~<br><br>1860 06 18<br>1860 06 19<br><br>1860 06 01 | <p>deceased Members of the Police Force [margin: Section 22 has been overlooked – 21<sup>st</sup> - W C M -AG] the appended copy of the Police Regulation [margin 1/ herewith] in reference to Widows' Pensions is forwarded for the information of the Queensland Government.</p> <p>Under this Regulation, the widow of the late Chief Constable of Maryboro [Maryborough] whose husband served in the Police from 19 January 1848 to 30<sup>th</sup> November 1859 (when his services were transferred to Queensland) will on the Certificate of her Marriage being produced before Police Pension Board, be entitled to a recommendation from that Board, to receive a gratuity of £205-16-8 from Police Reward Fund, being an amount, equal to 13 months pay of her husband at the time of his decease. If Chief Constable McAdam has served upwards of 15 years, his widow would, under Police Regulations, have been entitled to a Pension of between £20 and £50, the maximum Person awarded to widows</p> <p>&amp;</p> <p>Notes in margin<br/>Auditor General has to this perhaps report upon the general question, as regards all Funds in a similar position – B C<br/>[Stamped] AUDIT OFFICE / NEW SOUTH WALES / No 444-JU 21/ 1860 M15075</p> <p>&amp;</p> <p>Notes at end<br/>2523 ...B C Letter herewith returned<br/>Returned CSO</p> <p>At top: 2523 / Police – June 12<br/>This Government having had under consideration an application from the widow of late Chief Constable of Maryborough for a Pension in consideration rations of this long and meritorious services of her husband, and as any allowance which it may be deemed proper to grant it should be defrayed from Police Reward and Superannuation Fund to which the deceased was a contributor. [No 60/126]<br/>I have the honor pursuant to instructions to request that you will be so good as to move Mr Cooper to cause information to be conveyed to him as to the present state of the fund in question, with a lien to an arrangement being made for this transfer to Local Trustees of the proportion of the fund fairly belonging to the Police of this Colony<br/>As a means of arriving at that proportion, I might suggest that Inspector General of New South Wales should be requested to compose this relative strength of this Police Force of these districts, with that of the remaining Districts of New South Wales, at the date of Separation, and that the result might be taken as the ratio of division of the fund<br/>It is almost unnecessary that I should add that this question should not be complicated with any other fiscal arrangements between the Colonies, as this fund has been created by deduction from this pay of the Constabulary and therefore forms a private fund for their benefit, or that of their families<br/>I beg at the same time to request information as to rates and scales of pensions [Margin: Inspector General of Police] and allowances granted out of the Police Reward and Superannuation Fund and the regulations under which such Pensions and allowances are accorded</p> <p>&amp;</p> <p>Notes in margins [written across p 369-370 – difficult to read]</p> |          | 368 – 371 |

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|              | 60/02411  |           |    | Audit Office<br>W C Mayne A G | 1860 06 22                | It is concluded that the cases in .... there are claims on this fund ... persons in Queensland <del>will be</del> should be submitted, as they arise to this Government any amount awarded will then repaid by this ... & it will be unnecessary to transfer any portion of the funds to Queensland   |          | 372 – 373 |
|              |           |           |    |                               | 1860 06 25                | At top: Stamp: EX.... COUNCIL / NEW SOUTH WALES – No 552 / JUL 2 / 1860 [blurred]<br><u>Memorandum</u><br>The Police Superannuation and Reward Funds” and “Assessment on Sheep” (Scab Act) are the only Funds I am aware of against which claims from Queensland can arise<br>The application made by that Government touching the Police Superannuation and Reward Funds cannot I consider, be entertained – these Funds should be retained in their integrity by Government of New South Wales, subject to their proper integrity as such accrue, for the proportionate part of Pensions and Gratuities to which members (and the widows of members) of the Police Force of Queensland, who on 30 <sup>th</sup> November 1859, were serving in the Police Force of New South Wales, and were thenceforth continued in the Police Services of Queensland, become entitled under the existing law and regulations, applying to those Funds. Section 22 of Act 16 <sup>th</sup> V No 233 expressly includes the Widows of Members of the Police force  |          |           |
|              |           |           |    | “C C”<br>“W D”                | 1860 07 02~<br>1860 07 02 | At end: Returned CSO<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>Executive Council – BC<br>M15075<br><br>[PRINTED]<br><b>[Margin summaries only noted here]</b><br>Running title: Police Regulation Act – 1852<br>NEW SOUTH WALES<br>No XXXIII<br>An Act for the Regulation of the Police Force [Assented to, 21 <sup>st</sup> December, 1852]<br><b>I.</b> Repeal of 14 Vict., No 38 appointment of Chief & other Constables<br><b>II.</b> Inspector-General of Police to be appointed<br><b>III.</b> Superintendent for Metropolitan District, and Superintendents of Mounted Patrol [for Roads and Gold Escorts] etc. to be appointed [p 375]<br><b>IV.</b> Chief and other Constables to be appointed [Inspector General, Chief & other Constables for Metropolitan District, Constables for Mounted Patrols, Gold Escorts, Gold Police, Benches of Magistrates]<br><b>V.</b> Additional Constables may be appointed at the cost of the individuals applying [Inspector General, City of Sydney & Metropolitan District, Metropolitan Superintendent, amount of pay]<br><b>VI.</b> Inspector General, with approval of the Governor, to frame rules; and to alter or amend the same<br><b>VII.</b> Qualifications of Chief and other constables to be appointed under this Act [sound constitution, age, good character for honesty, fidelity and activity – read and write]<br><b>VIII.</b> Oath to be taken by Officers and Constables [Inspector General, |          | 374 – 381 |

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|              |           |           |    |      |                  | <p>Superintendent of Police for Metropolitan District] [Oath – <i>printed here</i>]</p> <p><b>IX.</b> Penalty on constables for neglect of duty / Governor may mitigate or remit penalty / Appeal to the Governor allowed</p> <p><b>X.</b> All powers and authorities vested in constables to cease upon dismissed from office etc.</p> <p><b>XI.</b> Three months' notice of resignation to be given by constables, under a Penalty</p> <p><b>XII.</b> Exemption from Tolls [<i>in XII: toll-gate – turnpike road – bridge, or ferry</i>]</p> <p><b>XIII.</b> Enquiries as to conduct of Police</p> <p><b>XIV.</b> Witnesses on such enquiries</p> <p><b>XV.</b> Penalty for personating constables etc</p> <p><b>XVI.</b> Repute to be evidence of appointment</p> <p><b>XVII.</b> Superannuation Fund deducted from pay and salary of Members of Police Force, two pounds per centum per annum</p> <p><b>XVIII.</b> Officers how Superannuated</p> <p><b>XIX.</b> Conditions of Superannuation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Proviso as to persons disabled in the execution of duty</li> <li>- Gratuities in certain other cases</li> </ul> <p><b>XX.</b> Gratuities in certain other cases</p> <p><b>XXI.</b> Officers superannuated etc, to assist in keeping the Peace, etc</p> <p><b>XXII.</b> Appropriation of penalties ["The Police Reward Fund" – widows of any such persons after their death]</p> <p><b>XXIII.</b> For protection of Constables</p> <p><b>XXIV.</b> Portions of certain Police Acts repealed:<br/>4 Wm.IV.No.7 / 2 Vict.No.2. / 11 Vict.No.44 / 4 Vict.No.17 / 7 Vict.No.21.</p> <p><b>XXV.</b> Police Reward Fund under former Acts, and Police Superannuation Fund transferred [14 Vic., No.38]</p> <p><b>XXVI.</b> Detailed account of appropriation of Police Reward Fund, etc, to be laid before Legislative Council, and when</p> <p><b>XXVII.</b> Construction of words – refers to Schedule annexed to this Act</p> <p><b>XXVIII.</b> Commencement of Act</p> <p><i>[Passed the Legislative Council, this seventeenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two]</i></p> <p>CHARLES NICHOLSON – SPEAKER<br/>Wm MACPHERSON, CLERK TO THE COUNCIL<br/><i>In the name and on the behalf of Her Majesty, I assent to this Act</i></p> <p>CH A. FITZROY – GOVERNOR-GENERAL<br/><i>Government House, Sydney, 21<sup>st</sup> December 1852</i></p> <p>SCHEDULE REFERRED TO<br/><u>METROPOLITAN DISTRICT</u><br/>Bounded on the north and north-west etc ...<br/><i>[Areas noted: Broken Bay, Cowan Creek, Hyndes' Grant, Lane Cove River, Parramatta River, Parish of Concord, Parish of St George, George's River, Botany Bay, Cape Solander, islands in Pork Jackson &amp; Parramatta River]</i></p> <p>At top: <u>Rules and Regulations for the distribution and appropriation of the Superannuation and Police Reward Funds</u></p> <p>1. All claims for Pensions, Rewards, or Gratuities from these Funds are to be submitted to a Board, which will sit on the first Monday (or other convenient day) in each month</p> |          | 382 – 385 |

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|              |           |           |    |      |                  | <p>2. The Board to consist of the Auditor General, Inspector General of Police and Superintendent of Police for the Metropolitan District</p> <p>3. All claims to be duty supported by such certificates, vouchers, and testimonials as Board may require, and dealt with each on its own merits, which will guide Board in amount of Pension, Reward, or Gratuity they may decide on recommending in their reports to His Excellency the Governor General</p> <p>4 The maximum of Pension and that of gratuity to members of the Constabulary duly certified to be unfit for service, is fixed respectively by the scale laid down in 19<sup>th</sup> &amp; 20<sup>th</sup> sections of the Act 16 Vict No 33, and can in no case be exceeded</p> <p>5. Claims from widows and families of deceased members of the force, duly supported by Certificates of Marriage and Births and by such other vouchers and testimonials as Board may require are to be considered and dealt with as stated in Rule 3, but amount of Pension or Gratuity is in no case to exceed the maximum fixed by scale in Sections 19 and 20 of Act</p> <p>6. No widow to be regarded as having any claim to Pension or Gratuity unless married more than twelve months previous to husband's decease, except in cases of death having been caused by injury or accident in him in duty</p> <p>7. Women of good character only to be entitled to any Gratuity</p> <p>8. Children being eligible for admission into Orphan Schools, no gratuity is to be paid to them, but Board is to examine into particulars of each case, and where there are grounds for doing so, to recommend that children be admitted into these Institutions</p> <p><u>Rules applying to Constabulary Pensions</u><br/> <b>[386 – 387]</b></p> <p>1. All Constabulary Pensioners, in first taking up their residence in any locality, are to make themselves personally known to Chief or District Constable of Police District in which it lies, and are to notify it to Inspector General of Police, acting in like manner on any change in residence</p> <p>2. Constabulary Pensions are not, without leave previously obtained from His Excellency the Governor General, through Inspector General of Police, to leave the Colony; any breach of this or preceding Rule will render Pensioner liable to forfeit, at the pleasure of his Excellency the Governor General, the whole or any part of the Pension allowed them</p> <p>3. Constabulary Pensions will be payable monthly on receipt of the proper vouchers, into such Banks in Sydney, and to credit there of such persons as the Pensioners may direct them to be paid to, by a printed form of Authority [Margin: herewith] to Inspector General of Police, duly filled up and signed</p> <p>4. Pensioners resident in Sydney, or in Sydney Police District, must have their vouchers signed by Superintendent of Police for the Metropolitan District and will be paid by that officer monthly</p> <p><b>[390 - 391]</b></p> <p>5. Pensioners resident in other Districts (duly filled up) presented by Chief or District Constable of the District to the Bench of Magistrates in Petty Sessions, for the purpose of being declared to, and subscribed by the Pensioners, before a Magistrate, by whom they will be certified</p> <p>6. No charge of any kind, except that for necessary postage stamp, is to be made against Pensioners for presenting, declaring, certifying or forwarding</p> |          | 386 – 387<br>&<br>390 – 391 |

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|              |           |            |  |  |                  | <p>the vouchers, which are, when perfected, to be transmitted by Clerks of Petty Sessions, to the Inspector General of Police monthly</p> <p>[PRINTED FORM – OUT OF ORDER]<br/> <b>[388]</b><br/> Dated the ..... day of 185...<br/> We I the undersigned, belonging to the Establishment of the Police District respective monthly, Salaries Pension to the credit of the Public Account of ..... at the .....</p> <p>Witness to the Signatures and Marks<br/> Witness</p> <p>-----</p> <p><b>[389]</b><br/> <u>No 1.</u><br/> No. of Warrant No. 186...<br/> Voucher No.<br/> Amount payable to ....<br/> ... Pensioner of the Constabulary of New South Wales, as £.s.d (in table)<br/> .....*..... Constable, now residing at ..... In the Police District of ....<br/> for the period from .... to ..... 185, inclusively, at .....TOTAL £</p> <p>I ..... do solemnly and sincerely Declare, that I have not been appointed to nor held any public situation, subsequently to † 18 .... :<br/> I further solemnly and sincerely Declare, that I am the Individual entitled to a Pension at the ..... day of ..... 186....<br/> Subscribed before me at )<br/> this .....day of ..... 186 )<br/> <i>Signature of a Magistrate</i></p> <p>I, certify that ..... now present, is the Pensioner named in the above Voucher and Declaration<br/> <i>Signature of Chief or District Constable .....</i></p> <p>Received on the ..... from John McLerie Esquire Inspector General of Police the sum of .....Pounds .....Shillings and ....Pence, being the full amount of my Pension, as ... for the period † from .....to ... 186...., inclusively<br/> <i>Witness £.....</i></p> <p>-----</p> <p>*Insert Chief, District, or ordinary, as the case may be<br/> † Here insert the Date of commencement of the Pension<br/> ‡ The Chief Constable of the District, or if there be none, the District Constable, must, in every case be the Witness to the signature of the Pensioner to this receipt</p> |          | 388 - 389 |
|              | 60/03733  | 1860 09 08 | Hon Colonial Secretary,<br>New South Wales | Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>A Orpen Moriarty<br>Under Colonial Secretary | 1860 08 30       | <p>At top: "Queensland"<br/> Acknowledging receipt of your letter dated 21<sup>st</sup> inst enclosing certain parliamentary papers and stating that as complete a set as possible of the Government Gazette of New South Wales will be forwarded to this Government, I am directed to inform you that necessary instructions will be given to comply with the requests conveyed in 3<sup>rd</sup> paragraph of your letter [No 60/520]<br/> &amp; Note in margin</p>  | A2.43    | 392 – 393 |
|              |           |            |  | "W V"  | 1860 09 10~      |  |          |           |

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|              | 60/03816  | 1860 09 12 | Principal Under Secretary                   | Legislative Assembly Offices, Sydney<br>F Eldershaw<br>for Clerk of the Legislative Assembly | 1860 09 12       | At top: "Further Books for Queensland"<br>[Letterhead: PARLIAMENT / N. S. WALES]<br>Referring to your letter of 21 <sup>st</sup> ultimo requesting to be furnished, for transmission to Government of Queensland; with a copy of Votes and Proceedings of Legislative Council of this Colony prior to 1856<br>[no 60/59]<br>Have now honour to transmit to you herewith the following volumes viz:<br>Votes and Proceedings for<br>1824 to 1837 - 1 vol : 1840 - 1 vol : 1844 - 2 vols : 1845 - 1 vol :<br>1846 (1 <sup>st</sup> Session) - 1 vol : 1846 (2 <sup>nd</sup> Session) - 1 vol : 1847 - 2 vols :<br>1848 - 1 vol : 1849 - 2 vols : 1850 - 2 vols : 1851 (1 <sup>st</sup> Session) - 1 vol :<br>1851 (2 <sup>nd</sup> Session) - 2 vols : 1852 - 2 vols : 1853 - 2 vols : 1854 - 2 vols :<br>1855 - 3 vols - [signed] "S W J"<br>2. Regret to inform that it is not in my power to supply a copy of the Votes and Proceedings for the years 1838, 1839, 1841, 1842 and 1843, there not being a spare copy for those years in this Department<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>60.580 [as it is]<br>Colonial Storekeeper for shipment | A2.43    | 394 - 395 |
|              | 60/03358  | 1860 08 16 | William Elyard<br>Principal Under Secretary | Sydney<br>Charles Tompson, Clerk of Legislative Assembly                                     | 1860 08 15       | [Letterhead: PARLIAMENT / N.S. WALES]<br>Also at top: "Votes & Proceedings for Queensland"<br>In attention to the request contained in your letter of 8 <sup>th</sup> inst, forward herewith for transmission to Government of Queensland, a bound copy of Votes and Proceedings and of the Printed Papers of Legislative Assembly of this Colony, under the present Constitution to the end of Session 1858-9<br>2. Papers of last Session have not yet been bound, but will be duly forwarded when complete [No 60/57]<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>60/570<br><u>10 vols:</u> 1856-7 - 3 vols : 1857 - 2 vols : 1858 - 3 vols : 1858-9 - 2 vols<br>Clerk of Assembly for Council Papers prior to 1856 [60/3816]   | A2.43    | 396 - 397 |
|              | 60/03322  | 1860 08 14 | Principal Under Secretary                   | Legislative Council Office, Sydney<br>J W Connor<br>Clerk of Legislative Council             | 1860 08 13       | In accordance with request in letter of 8 <sup>th</sup> inst [Margin 60/2760] to forward herewith a bound copy of Journals of the Legislative Council of this Colony, under the present Constitution, for transmission to Government of Queensland - volume for Session 1859-60 shall be forwarded when ready<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>60/2760<br>4 volumes in separate parcel [60/3358]  | A2.43    | 398       |
|              | 60/02760  |            |   | Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney  | 1860 07 19       | [PRINTED LETTERHEAD]<br><i>Memorandum</i><br>Application having been made by Queensland Government for a <u>complete</u> set of Gazettes of this Colony, Government Printer is requested to say whether it is in his power to furnish the same<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>It is not in my power to furnish a complete set<br>&  | A2.43    | 399       |

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|              | 60/02760  | 1860 07 07 | Principal Under Secretary, Sydney            | "C C"<br><br>Colonial Secretary's Office, Brisbane<br>A Orpen Moriarty<br>Under Colonial Secretary | 1860 07 21~<br><br>1860 08 08<br><br>1860 06 29   | Notes written across Memorandum<br>Government Printer may perhaps be requested to supply a complete set of Government Gazettes as far as he can. Parliamentary papers can perhaps be supplied by the Clerks of the Legislative Council & Assembly<br>Clerks of Assembly & Council, Government Printer [60/3322]<br><br>At top "Queensland"<br>Directed to request that you will be good enough to move Mr Cowper to authorise Government Printer in Sydney to forward to me as soon as it may be convenient a complete file of the Government Gazette, and of Votes & Proceedings of Legislative Council, and of Houses of Parliament under present Constitution from as early a time as they can be supplied [No 60/226]<br>2 If Gazettes etc are on sale at Government Printing Office, instructions will be given for payment of price on my being apprised thereof, but if it is not customary to supply it in this manner, I am to state that Mr Herbert will feel thankful if Gazettes etc can be furnished by courtesy of your Government<br>&<br>Notes in margin [very faint]<br>Can the Printer supply these – enquire by Memo<br>Memo to Printer respecting Gazette by Aug 19 <sup>th</sup><br>Parliamentary Papers are furnished from the Council & Assembly<br>2 copies of Gazette are sent to Colonial Secretary Queensland [60/3322]                                      |          | 400 - 401   |
|              | 60/04197  |            |  | "McW"?   | 1860 07 09~<br>1860 07 09~  |   |          |   |
|              | 60/04197  | 1860 10 06 | Charles Cowper Esquire<br>Colonial Secretary | "C C"<br><br>Dalby, Queensland<br>Frank S Bowerman   | 1860 10 11~<br>1860 10 08<br>1860 10 11~<br>1860 10 12~<br><br>1860 10 15<br><br>1860 09 24 | [Notes]<br>A copy of the letter to Post Master General to be prepared<br>Herewith<br>Are the other Papers asked for here?<br>The notes mentioned are not with the papers<br>The copy of the letter to Postmaster General may be sent to Mr Bowerman with an intimation that the notes to which he refers do not appear to be in the office<br>Mr Bowerman<br><br>At top: "For copies of documents"<br>Letter reminding that in October 1859 a Memorial from Magistrates was presented to you by Mr Douglas soliciting on my appointment as Police Magistrate. Mr Manning & Mr Coxen addressed notes to Mr Douglas on the subject, requesting him to urge my claims as strongly as possible, I was told to take copies of those notes, and make whatever use of them I thought proper, I omitted however to take copies, I regret to say If those notes were deposited in your office by Mr Douglas, I shall feel eternally obliged to you, if you will do me the great favour of causing copies to be forwarded to me with least possible delay, as they are of the most material importance to me at present.<br>I will also feel thankful if you will also cause a copy of letter addressed to the Postmaster General in February 1857 I think appointing me a permanent Clerk on the Establishment of the General Post Office, intimating that I had passed the Board of Examination | A2.43    | 402 – 403<br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br>404 – 405 [pages out of order] |
|              | 60/04197  |            | Honourable William Forster                   | Dalby<br>Frank S Bowerman  | 1860 01 14  | As I have good reason to suppose that none of the Memorials or other documents having reference to Police Magistracy for Dalby have been  |          | 406 – 407   |



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|              |           |            |   |   |  | forwarded to the Colonial Secretary's Office Brisbane, from the offices in Sydney as it will materially facilitate the object in ...? I hope you will see no objection to the request I have preferred I wrote to Captain McLerie for a letter of this description and in forwarding it to me "adds" that under the recent separation of Queensland from New South Wales, it is a matter which this no longer reference to his Department<br>I wrote to you about a month ago, but since received no reply as yet – I remain yours faithfully<br>&<br>Notes at top<br>Is there <u>sent</u> a letter to be <u>found</u> as is referred here<br>No such letter can be traced [60/4197]   |          |                                   |
|              | 60/00749  | 1860 02 20 | Principal Secretary,<br>New South Wales | Police Office, Dalby<br>Frank S Bowerman<br>C P S | 1860 01 14                             | At top: "Clerk of Petty Sessions, Dalby"<br>Letter informing that a number of communications have from time to time been addressed to Hon Principal Secretary of New South Wales having reference to the necessity of appointing a Police Magistrate for Dalby Darling Downs – but no consequence of the recent separation of Queensland from New South Wales it is a matter which has no longer reference to the latter Colony. Respectfully request that you will have the goodness to cause all such documents as bear on this subject to be transmitted from your Office to that of Colonial Secretary at Brisbane Queensland<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>Let Mr Bowerman apply through Government of Queensland for papers he requires<br>F S Bowerman   | A2.43    | 408 – 409                         |
|              | 60/00749  |            | Charles Cowper,<br>Sydney               | Queensland, Dalby<br>Frank S Bowerman             | 1860 02 21<br>1860 02 22<br>1859 12 14 | <b>[411-rh]</b><br>About 12 <sup>th</sup> October last Mr J C White J P of Jundayin[as it is] Juandah? [Jondaryan?] addressed a letter to you urging my appointment as Police Magistrate for this District, Mr White at the time kindly gave me permission <b>[410-lh]</b> to make whatever use of it, I thought it proper, I did not then retain a copy of it, but as Queensland is now a separate Colony, I am anxious to get whatever documents or recommendations that would facilitate my promotion, or otherwise effect the object I have in view<br><b>[410-rh]</b> Will therefore esteem it a ... favour if you will either cause the note in question to be transmitted to me, or a copy thereof, or should you have destroyed it, would you so far oblige me by stating what the purport of it was – as far as<br><b>[411-lh]</b> regards myself and the Magistracy. Trusting that you will not deem me intrusive - Remain Sir, respectfully (difficult to read)<br><b>[411-rh]</b> Notes at top<br>Perhaps Mr Elyard may be able to comply. It is possible Mr Walker may have the document<br>&<br>Margin<br>Enclose with 59/5539 with 59/5975 herewith~<br><b>[410-rh]</b> Notes at top<br>A copy may be made & sent to him<br>Copy sent to Mr Bowerman under Blank Cover 60/749 – 59/6549 |          | 410 – 411<br>[pages out of order] |
|              |           |            |   | "W F"   |  |  |          |                                   |
|              |           |            |   | "C C"   |  |  |          |                                   |

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|              | 59/06549/2 | 1859 12 28 |  |   |                           | Frank Bowerman – For return of Testimonials [no text here]  | A2.43    | 412                            |
|              | 59/05975   | 1859 11 19 | Hon William Forster<br>Principal Secretary | Police Office, Dalby<br>Charles Coxen JP<br>A W Manning J P<br>A Galbraith JP Nanango Bench<br>W H Yaldwin JP, Taroom Bench<br>H C Gregory JP, Taroom Bench | 1859 11 08                | Letter re Memorial addressed to your Predecessor by Magistrates attending sittings of this Bench urging the appointment of a Stipendiary Magistrate – it is time that the absolute necessity of this appointment has been repeatedly brought under the notice of the Government, both by the Magistrates and residents of the District generally, but we regret to add that our efforts have not been attended with success. We deem it our duty once more to represent the urgency of this appointment for the due and efficient performance of the Public Service [No 59/65]<br>Respectfully to request that you will be good enough to inform us whether it is your intention to cause a sum of money to be placed on the Estimates for the ensuing year as the salary of the officer in question<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>See 59/5985 also  | A2.43    | 413 – 415 / [416] not numbered |
|              |            |            |  | "W F"   | 1859 11 23~<br>1859 11 28 | The Government purpose making no new appointments in Queensland unless in case of great emergency<br>Bench [59/6549/2]  |          |                                |
|              | 59/05985   | 1859 11 19 | Colonial Secretary<br>Sydney               | Dalby<br>Frederick William Roche  | 1859 11 10                | Having received a notification of my appointment to the Magistracy, beg most respectfully to inform you that though willing as I am to conduce to the Bench of my fellow Colonists, as far as my humble services will be available I fear from the present want of Magistrates in this town and neighbourhood, that the duties and responsibilities of the Bench would be entirely thrown on me; now as I have a very large business to attend to I fear I could not do justice, singly, to the wants of this community, the only Magistrate within twenty miles of here, being Mr C Coxen who resides two thirds of his time in Brisbane, and Mr Ellis who has been lately appointed is about removing to occupy a new run some hundred miles from here, consequently should he left the greater part of my time in the very unenviable position of being the only Justice available, on all occasions, many of which would not be disposed of without a second Magistrate. I would beg to call your attention to the memorials, forwarded at sundry times from Magistrates of the District, to the Government, praying for the appointment of Mr Frank Bowerman our C P S to the office of Stipendiary Magistrate, should the Government be pleased to make the above appointment, I should then be always on the spot to respond to the call of duty, but as matters are at present, I should be perfectly powerless in four-fifths of cases<br>Margin: See also 59/5975<br><br>[Cover]<br>To the/ Honorable Colonial Secretary / Sydney<br><b>MAIL STAMPS:</b> SYDNEY-NEW SOUTH WALES / NO 18-1859<br>IPSWICH -NEW SOUTH WALES / NO 5-8151 [as it is]<br><b>STAMP:</b> POSTAGE / NEW / SOUTH / WALES - TWO PENCE / head of QUEEN VICTORIA | A2.43    | 417 – 418<br><br>419           |
|              | 59/05612   | 1859 10 27 | The Honorable Chief<br>Secretary           | 21 Cowper Terrace, Sydney<br>John Douglas,<br>Member of Assembly  | 1859 10 26                | At top: "Police Magistrate for Dalby – J Douglas – that C P S Dalby be approved a Stipendiary Magistrate"<br>Requesting your consideration of a Memorial presented by me on 17 <sup>th</sup> inst & addressed to Chief Secretary by Magistrates of Dalby Darling Downs, in which they drew his attention to gross state of judicial destitution under   | A2.43    | 420                            |

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|              |           |            |                    |       | 1859 11 04~<br><br>1859 11 07 | <p>which their District suffers in consequence of their incapacity to perform the duties which devolve upon them and in which they pray that the present Clerk of the Bench should be appointed a Stipendiary Magistrate</p> <p>Repeated representations have been made on this subject.</p> <p>Superintendent of Police is acquainted with several well founded complaints - made by those who have suffered long and sometimes punished incarceration? of the great difficulty in obtaining a regular attendance of the unpaid Magistracy</p> <p>&amp;</p> <p>Notes in margin<br/>R.4 (faint notes written over)<br/>5539~</p> <p>Inform Mr Douglas that in expectation of the early arrival of the gentleman appointed Premier of Queensland &amp; pending the questions connected with Moreton Bay the consideration of the application forwarded by him is proposed to be deferred</p> <p>Mr Douglas<br/>59/5975</p>   |          |  |
|              |           |            |                    | "W F" | 1859 11 05                    | "On 1 December"   |          | 421                                      |
|              | 59/05539  | 1859 10 21 | Hon Charles Cowper |       | [no date]                     | <p>At top:" Recommending that F Bowerman C P S at Dalby be appointed a Stipendiary Magistrate"</p> <p>At top: To the Hon Charles Cowper, Member of Legislative Assembly &amp; <u>Principal Secretary to Her Majesty's Government in New South Wales</u>"</p> <p><b>The Memorial of the Magistrates in the Commission of the Peace for the District of Dalby</b></p> <p>[p 422] Most respectfully sheweth: That for a considerable length of time past, the administration of justice in this thriving and opulent Town of Dalby has been marked by such an irregularity of attendance on the part of the Magistrates, that it has called forth the remarks of correspondents with local newspapers and occasional even "leading articles" to emanate from the Editors of the subject – yet this complaint is mad against individuals who have to ride (the nearest 20 miles, 25 miles and 30 miles respectively)</p> <p>[p 423] at a pecuniary loss to themselves and the (almost) certainty of finding no co-adjutor on their arrival. That your Memorialists, being perfectly sensible of the truth and justness of the complaints so constantly recurring; beg leave to remark, that with every inclination and earnest desire to perform their duties as Justices of the Peace and to exhibit their loyalty to their sovereign in their devotion to the interests of the Public; innumerable circumstances arise, in which their far remove position from the Police Office and every day tax upon their energies and attention to private pursuits, preclude the possibility of their giving their attendance at the moment it may be most wanted. That your Memorialists consider</p> <p>[p 424] in a place of such rising importance as the Town of Dalby – where the land sales effected within the last two years have realized a very considerable sum, that is not only essential but absolutely necessary, a Resident paid Magistrate should be appointed to meet the almost daily requirements of the community</p> <p>That your Memorialists, having had ample opportunity of judging the efficiency and energetic readiness displayed on all occasions, by Frank Sydney Bowerman in his capacity of Clerk to the Bench and Agent for the Sale of Crown Lands, and with the most unqualified confidence in that</p> | A2.43    | [422] –<br>425<br>[422-424 not numbered] |

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|              | 59/05539  |           | Hon Principal Secretary | Police Office, Dalby<br>(signed)<br>Charles Coxen JP<br>John McArthur JP<br>Edward M Royds JP [also Edmund]<br>John Ker Wilson JP [also Kerr]<br>W H Yaldwin JP [also Yaldwyn] | 1859 10 01~<br>1859 10 10~<br>1859 10 26~<br><br>1859 10 26<br><br>1858 03 22 | gentleman's experience, capability, zeal and fitness for the appointment<br>Most Respectfully Pray<br>That Your Honor will be pleased to take into your serious consideration the pressing wants & so late and important a community and recommend the [p 425] appointment of Mr Frank Sydney Bowerman as Resident Stipendiary Magistrate for the Town of Dalby<br>And Memorialists, as in duty bound, will ever pray etc<br>Charles Coxen JP – A Keith Collins JP – J C White JP - A W Manning JP &<br>Notes in margin & written across first page [422]<br>59/5336<br>J C White J P<br>Scarcity of Magistrates Dalby<br>This is contrary to the rules laid down and I regret to say that I cannot recommend that the request be complied with<br>Magistrates Bench 59/5612<br><br>"Copy" "59/5539" At top: "58/29"<br>At top: "Bench of Magistrates at Dalby"<br>Have the honour to call your attention to a certain Petition from a number of Inhabitants of this Town and District, which Petition was transmitted to your predecessor urging the appointment of a Stipendiary Magistrate under the provision of the Act of Council 20 <sup>th</sup> Victoria No 32<br>We can only reiterate our previously expressed opinion that such an appointment is most urgently required to meet the wants of this District, the business of the Court being frequently at a stand still for the want of a Resident Magistrate.<br>We do ourselves the honour to bring under your notice, for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General, that Mr Frank Bowerman, Clerk of this Bench, who is also Agent for the sale of Crown Lands, appears to us to be a gentleman well qualified for such office. He is an active and intelligent officer whose appointment we feel persuaded would give very general satisfaction throughout the District<br>We feel every confidence in recommending Mr Bowerman for the situation, believing, as we do, that the duties appertaining thereto would be satisfactorily and efficiently performed by him<br>We most respectfully request that you will have the goodness to cause this matter to be brought under the notice of His Excellency together with the accompanying documents having reference thereto |          | 426 – 428 |
|              | 59/05539  |           | Hon C Cowper            | Jondaryan<br>J C White   | 1859 10 12  | Returned home this evening from Gumburra [as it is – Goomburra?] and found Memorial addressed to you as Colonial Secretary in the subject of a Stipendiary Magistrate for Dalby. I saw attached my name to it as it is very similar in purport to the letter I forwarded a few days ago on considering the matter over, I would beg to suggest that even if Messrs Roche and Sydney were appointed to Commission of the Peace, it would be expedient to appoint a Stipendiary Magistrate also for both these gentlemen, although well qualified by Education & Talent; yet by avocations they follow, are so thrown into contact with the Public, that in many cases I am afraid, the Bench Business if left entirely to them, as it would often be, would scarcely work well. Mr Bowerman the present Clerk of the Bench is a most zealous and efficient officer and as well qualified to hold the appointment of a Police  |          | 429       |

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|              |           |            |                            |   |                  | Magistrate, provided you deem it advisable to carry out this arrangement. Trusting that you will excuse my troubling you on a subject which veriously [as it is] affects the Public welfare  |          |           |
|              | 58/01308  | 1858 04 12 | Hon Principal Secretary    | Police Office, Dalby<br>Charles Coxen JP<br>John McArthur JP<br>Edw M Royds JP [also Edmund]<br>John Ker Wilson JP [also Kerr]<br>W H Yaldwyn JP [also Yaldwin] | 1858 03 22       | At top: "Bench of Magistrates at Dalby"<br>We do ourselves the honour to call your attention to a certain Petition from a number of the Inhabitants of this Town and District, which Petition was transmitted to your predecessor urging the appointment of a Stipendiary Magistrate under the provision of the Act of Council 20 <sup>th</sup> Victoria No 32<br>We can only reiterate our previously expressed opinions that such an appointment is most urgently required to meet the wants of this District, the business of the Court being frequently at a stand still for the want of a resident Magistrate<br>We do ourselves the honour to bring under your notice, for consideration of His Excellency the Governor General, that Mr Frank Bowerman, Clerk of this Bench (who is also Agent for the sale of Crown Lands) appears to us to be a gentleman well qualified for such an office, he is an active and energetic [as it is] officer whose appointment we feel persuaded would give general satisfaction throughout the District<br>We feel every confidence in recommending Mr Bowerman for the situation believing, as we do, that the duties appertaining there to would be satisfactorily and efficiently performed by him<br>We most respectfully request that you will have the goodness to cause this matter to be brought under the notice of His Excellency together with the accompanying documents having reference thereto<br>Note in margin – 59/5539   | A2.43    | 430 – 432 |
|              | 58/01308  |            | Hon the Colonial Secretary | Police Office, Dalby<br>A W Manning P M<br>Brooks Foster JP [also Forster]<br>James Taylor JP   | 1857 09 19       | "Copy"<br>At top: "The Bench of Magistrates at Dalby"<br>We do ourselves the honor to transmit herewith the accompanying Memorial from certain inhabitants of Dalby and others, requesting us to bring under your notice for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General the desirability of having a Stipendiary Magistrate appointed for the Police District of Dalby under the provisions of the Act of Council 20 <sup>th</sup> Victoria No 32. [No 57/64]<br>In seconding the wishes of so large & respectable a portion of the inhabitants of this District, we can conscientiously affirm that we consider it most necessary in consequence of the paucity of Magistrates who attend the sittings of this Bench, that such an officer should be appointed with as little delay as is practicable<br>2. At the present time there are only two Magistrates residing within this District who attend the sittings of the Bench and however desirous those gentlemen may be to give their services for the public benefit, yet it must be apparent from the great distance they both reside from the Police Office, namely 20 and 25 miles respectively, that to attend regularly, say once a week, becomes a very great tax upon their time and necessarily interferes very much with their private pursuits<br>3. In conclusion we can only reiterate our entire concurrence in the desirability and we respectfully beg leave to add the necessity of such an appointment being made, and we have therefore the honor to request that you will have the goodness to cause this matter to be brought under the notice of the Governor General hoping that His Excellency will be pleased to comply with the wishes of the Inhabitants of the District |          | 433 – 437 |

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|              |           |           | Bench of Magistrates Dalby          | Darling Downs, Dalby [Signatures at end]                             | 1857 08 31       | <p>"Copy"</p> <p>We the undersigned householders residing within the Police District of Dalby, respectfully be leave to bring under your notice for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General the following circumstances</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That the number of inhabitants within the Police District of Dalby is rapidly increasing; that Dalby, the place for holding Petty Sessions is in the centre of a large Pastoral District</li> <li>2. That there are only two Magistrates at present within this District and residing respectively 20 and 25 miles from here, both of whom have been recently appointed to the Commission of the Peace and however desirous these gentlemen may be to give their services for the public good, it must frequently happen that they cannot regularly attend the sitting of the Bench and consequently cases either fall to ground entirely or are not further prosecuted from the absence of a resident Magistrate, to whom aggrieved parties can at once make their complaint</li> <li>3. For the reasons we have thus briefly referred to, we think it most desirable and necessary that a Stipendiary Magistrate should be appointed for the District under the provisions of the Act of the Governor and Council 20 Victoria No. 32</li> <li>4. In conclusion we beg that your worships will join with us in recommending this matter to the most favourable consideration of the Governor General, earnestly hoping that His Excellency will be pleased to comply with our request</li> </ol> <p>(Signed)</p> <p><b>p 442:</b> John McArthur JP, Richard Cobham JP, William B Tooth, Joseph King, A Galbraith JP, Frederick W Roche, John Broadbent, William Kennedy, J Jemott [J Jessop?], J C Bushman</p> <p><b>p 443:</b> D Stewart Laurie, S Correy, William McArthur, Frank Bowerman CPS, John Richard Clarke, Arthur F Wood – Acting District Surveyor, Alexander Johnston, James Jones, Daniel Sullivan, Jeremiah Sullivan, William Frazer [William Fraser?], H Koch, James Gaffin, Jonathan Barnett, Philip Smith [Phillip Smith?], Samuel Allwood, A P Gayler, George Helsham, Benjamin Cooper, Hugh Ross</p> <p><b>p 444:</b> John Ridgeley? [Ridgley?], John Kennedy? G A Den Taaffe, William Henry Barnard, John Woodland? Walter Driver, Samuel Hawke, F H Tamm, Edward Wallace, Jeremiah Amos, Henry Rashleigh? Robert Brock [Brook?], William Cox, Patrick Hallinan, M Clyde? John Schoolbred? John K Wilson JP, M Goggs? Peter Duncan? Daniel Corkill, D Kennington?</p> <p><b>p 445:</b> Robert Fletcher? John Kent JP, William Hunter, George L D Bush?</p> |          | 438 – 445 |
|              |           |           | A W Manning Cr Crown Lands, Drayton | Police Office, Dalby James Taylor JP Brooks Foster JP [also Forster] | 1857 09 19       | <p>"Copy"</p> <p>We have the honour to transmit herewith for your perusal the accompanying Petition from a number of the Inhabitants of Dalby and the surrounding District, urging the appointment of a Stipendiary Magistrate under the provisions of the Act of Council 20 Victoria No 32 and in bringing this subject under your notice we can only assuring you that we entirely concur in the views of the persons who have signed the Petition and we have to express a hope that you will lend the weight of your influence in</p>  |          | 446 – 448 |

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|              |           |            | Bench of Magistrates, Dalby     | Crown Land Office, Darling Downs<br>A W Manning, C C L         | 1857 09 25       | recommending the prayer of the Petitioners to the most favourable consideration of the Government - we have the honourable Sir your most obedient servants [No 57/65]<br><br>"Copy"<br>Acknowledging receipt of your letter of 19 <sup>th</sup> Inst accompanying the Dalby Memorial for appointment of a Stipendiary Magistrate and requesting me to forward the same to the Government with my favourable report, I do myself the honour to inform you in reply that I have by this day past, forwarded the Petition to the Hon Colonial Secretary and have advocated the matter as strongly as the Petitioners could desire. Immediately on receipt of any reply to the Memorial it will be my duty to communicate with you   |          | 449 – 450 |
|              |           |            | Bench of Magistrates, Dalby     | Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney<br>W Elyard                | 1857 10 17       | At top: "Copy" "57/4025"<br>I am directed by the Colonial Secretary to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 19 <sup>th</sup> ultimo, transmitting a Memorial from certain Inhabitants at Dalby urging the desirableness of the appointment of a Stipendiary Magistrate for that District [No 396]   |          | 451       |
|              | 57/04965  | 1857 12 12 | Hon Principal Secretary, Sydney | Police Office, Dalby<br>Charles Coxen JP<br>Charles J Royds JP | 1857 12 01       | At top: "Bench of Magistrates at Dalby"<br>Do our honour to call your attention to the following circumstance – From the accompanying List [printed cutting pinned on margin p 452] which we do ourselves the honour to transmit for your perusal no provision is made for the ensuing year for the salary of Clerk of Petty Sessions, at Dalby [No 57/78]<br>Presuming that the accompanying list Government Resident £is correct, we can only conclude that it must be the intention of the Government to accede to the prayer of the Memorialists that a Stipendiary Magistrate is to be appointed for the Police District of Dalby under the provisions of the Act of Council 20 Vic No 32<br>We do ourselves the honor to request that you will have the goodness to cause us to be informed whether our surmises are correct [Printed List pinned to Margin]<br>GOVERNMENT AND POLICE<br>Government Resident £700, Clerk £200;<br>in lieu of forage and for travelling expenses<br>£ ? [blurred]<br>fuel, light and water £8; postage £15;<br>stationery £10 ..... 983.0.0<br>Assistant Immigration Agent,<br>£255; medical attendant, £75;<br>Matron, £54 15s; wardsman, £30;<br>Provisions, £1000, fuel and light, £75;<br>stores £25; miscellaneous expenses, £250 .....1759.0.0<br>Police Magistrate, Ipswich ..... 375.0.0<br>Clerk of Works ..... 400.0.0<br>Coroner ..... 20.0.0<br>Shipping Master £50, Stationery £2..... 52.0.0<br>Health Officer ..... 100.0.0<br>Vaccinator ..... 25.0.0<br>Clerk of Petty Sessions Brisbane, £25; allowance as Clerk of Water Police Court, £50; Ipswich, £25; Drayton, £175; Gayndah, £150; Port Curtis, X | A2.43    | 452 – 453 |

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|              |           |            |                                | "C C"  | 1857 12 14~<br>1857 12 14~<br><br>1857 12 15 | £175; Taroom, £150; Warwick, £175;<br>Wide Bay, £175; Lower Condamine, £175, ... 1675.0.0<br>&<br>Notes [p 453]<br>Present arrangement respecting Dalby – Immediate<br>I cannot trace any correspondence in the office relative to discontinuous of Clerk of Petty Sessions at Dalby - provision is made for it at Lower Condamine / 58/1308<br>Bench   |          |           |
|              | 57/04025  | 1857 10 05 | Hon Colonial Secretary, Sydney | Police Office, Dalby<br>Brooks Forster JP<br>James Taylor JP<br>A W Manning PM | 1857 09 19                                   | At top: "Bench of Magistrates at Dalby"<br>We do ourselves the honor to transmit herewith the accompanying Memorial from certain inhabitants of Dalby, and others requesting us to bring under your Notice, for the consideration of the Governor General the desirability of having a Stipendiary Magistrate appointed for the Police District of Dalby under the provisions of the Act of Council 20 Vic No. 32 [No 57/64]<br>In seconding the wishes of so large and respectable a portion of the residents of this District, we can conscientiously affirm that we consider it most necessary, in consequence of the paucity of Magistrates who attend the sittings of this Bench, that such an officer should be appointed with as little delay as is practicable<br>2. At the present time there are only two Magistrates [Margins: across p 455 & 456 - viz Brooks Forster JP, Charles Coxen JP] residing within this District, and who attend the sittings of the Bench and honoured desirous those gentlemen may be to give their services for Police benefit, yet it must be apparent from the distance they hath reside from the Police Office, viz 20 and 25 miles respectively that to attend regularly (say once a week) becomes a very great tax upon their time, and necessarily interfered very much with their private pursuits<br>3. In conclusion we can only reiterate our entire concurrence in the desirability, and we respectfully beg leave to add the necessity of such an appointment being made, and we therefore have the honor to request that you will have the goodness to cause this matter to be brought under the notice of the Governor General hoping that His Excellency will be pleased to comply with the wishes of the Inhabitants of this District<br>We have the honor to be Sir, your most obedient servants | A2.43    | 454 – 457 |
|              | 57/04025  |            | Hon Colonial Secretary         | Crown Lands Office, Darling Downs<br>A W Manning C C L                         | 1857 09 24                                   | Having been requested by Bench of Magistrates Dalby to forward accompanying Memorial for appointment of a Stipendiary Magistrate at Dalby, do myself the honor to transmit the same trusting that it may be found possible to accede to the Petition [No 57/166]<br>Police duties at Dalby are very heavy – there are only two Magistrates resident in the district who live so far apart that no system can be adopted for the regular holding of Petty Sessions. The consequence is that I am compelled to ride more than one hundred miles from time to time to dispose of such cases as are awaiting Bench decision<br>My own duties present beg regular attendance at Dalby, and it is no uncommon thing for cases to fall to the ground by reason of the non-attendance of magistrates. I think it would be quite possible for an Stipendiary Magistrate to act for the two Police districts of Dalby and Condamine   |          | 458 – 459 |



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|              | 57/04025  |            |                        | Darling Downs, Dalby<br>[signatures at end]                    | 1857 08 31       | <p>At top: "Bench of Magistrates at Dalby"</p> <p>Undersigned house holders residing within Police District of Dalby respectfully beg leave to bring under notice for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General the following circumstances</p> <p>1 That the number of inhabitants within Police District of Dalby is rapidly increasing and that Dalby the place for holding Petty Sessions is in the centre of a large pastoral District</p> <p>2 That there are only two Magistrates at present within this District and residing respectively 20 and 25 miles from here both of whom have been recently appointed to the Commission of the Peace, and however desirous those gentlemen may be to give their services for the public good, it must frequently happen that they cannot regularly attend the</p> <p><b>[461]</b> Sittings of the Bench and consequently cases either fall to the ground entirely, or are not further prosecuted from the absence of a resident Magistrate to whom the aggrieved parties can at once make their complaint</p> <p>3 For the reasons which we have thus briefly referred to, we think it most desirable &amp; necessary that a Stipendiary Magistrate should be appointed for this District under the provision of the Act of the Governor &amp; Council 20<sup>th</sup> No 32</p> <p>4 In conclusion we beg your worships will join with us in recommending this matter for the most favourable consideration of the Governor General, earnestly hoping that His Excellency will be pleased to comply with our request</p> <p>We have the honor / to be/ Gentlemen / Your Obedient Servants –<br/>Charles Coxen junior, John McArthur JP Taroom Bench,<br/>Richard Cobham JP, William B Tooth, Joseph King,<br/>A Galbraith JP, Frederick W Roche</p> <p><b>[462]</b><br/>John Broadbent, W F Kennedy, John Jemott [Jessop?], J C Bushman, D Stewart Laurie, S Correy, William MacArthur, Frank Bowerman CPS, John Richard Clarke, Arthur F Wood - Acting District Surveyor, A Johnston, James Jones, Daniel Sullivan, Jeremiah Sullivan, William Fraser H Koch; Dines? Griffin? James Gaffin, Jonathan Barnett, Phillip Smith? Samuel Collwood [Allwood?]<br/>A P Gayler? George Hilsham? [Helsham?] Benjamin Cooper, Hugh Ross, John Ridgley? John Kennedy, G A Den Taaffe, William Henry Barnard, John Woodland? Walter Driver, Samuel Hawke</p> <p><b>[463]</b><br/>F H Tamm, Edward Wallace, Jeremiah Amos, Henry Rashleigh, Robert Brock, William Cox, Patrick Hallinan, M Clyde (J M Clyde?), John Schoolbred? John Ker Wilson JP, M Goggs, Peter Duncan, Daniel Corkill, D Kennington? John Henninges? Herringes?<br/>Robert Fletcher, John Kent, William Hunter, George L D Bush</p> |          | [460] – [463] these pages not numbered |
|              | 57/04003  | 1857 10 03 | Hon Colonial Secretary | Dalby, Myall Creek<br>L M Eaele - Eagle?<br>J Meade Swifte M D | 1857 09 22       | <p>At top: "For appointment of Police Magistrate Myall Creek" "Dr Swifte"</p> <p>Honor of drawing your attention to a Memorial about to be forwarded from inhabitants of this district applying for a Police Magistrate to be appointed for Myall Creek, and respectfully to remind you that sometime previous to the late Commission of the Peace being issued. I was the only resident Magistrate here and that the entire Magisterial and most of the Clerical duties devolved upon me. I flatter myself that I performed the duties to the satisfaction of the Government and residents and therefore be respectfully to offer myself as a Magistrate for the office of Police Magistrate of this</p>  | A2.43    | 464 – 465                              |

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|              |                        |           |                           |  |   | district should His Excellency be pleased to entertain the prayer of Memorialists. You will perceive by the Memorial referred to, that there is no Magistrate residing near here and that of late the execution of Police business has been dependant on casual visits of Magistrates properly belonging to other Benches. Should His Excellency be pleased to entertain a favourable view of my application I would of course give up my medical practice<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>Not yet received<br>Since received – see 57/4025<br>Other papers ...Herewith [very faint]<br>&<br>Across margin & letter<br>The Government has no immediate intention of appointing a Stipendiary Magistrate in this place and even if this had the applicant, would not be considered eligible to full the office<br>Dr Swift [as it is] informed [57/4025]   |          |           |
|              |                        |           |                           | "C C"  | 1857 10 03~<br>1857 10 05~<br>1857 10 05~<br><br>1857 10 15 ~<br><br>1857 10 16 |  |          |           |
|              | 60/04203<br>[? CS ref] | [no date] | Under Secretary for Lands | Botanic Gardens<br>Charles Moore   | 1860 10 18  | At top: " <del>60/4935</del> " <i>[crossed out]</i><br>With reference to the subject of the accompanying letter, I beg to inform you that I have no Sea Island Cotton Seed to spare, nearly all that I had of this has been given away to various applicants and a few seeds only left for home sowing. I am not aware that this kind of seed can be procured In the Colony<br>&<br>Notes across letter<br>Inform "C C"? - send copy Colonial Secretary<br>&<br>Notes [p 467]<br>Inform the Chief Secretary<br>Under Secretary – B C<br>Received Colonial Secretary Office   | A2.43    | 466 – 467 |
|              |                        |           |                           | "M F"  | 1860 11 07?<br><br>1860 11 05~<br>1860 11 06~<br>1860 11 07~                    |  |          |           |
|              |                        |           |                           | Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>Robert G W Herbert<br>Colonial Secretary | 1860 09 27  | At top: "Colonial Secretary – Queensland"<br><del>60/4203 – 6 Oct 1860 / 60/4935 – 10 Oct 60</del> <i>[crossed out]</i><br>The Government of Queensland anxious to encourage extensive cultivation of the Cotton plant in this Colony, as a probable plant in this Colony as a probable source of large profit to the community and Revenue, are desirous of obtaining a moderate supply of seed of the finer quality, usually known as Sea Island Cotton but as such is not procurable in Brisbane. I have the honor to enquire whether Government of New South Wales have any available that might be spared for so desirable an object as the cultivation in a soil and climate considered to be in all respects suitable. Should such be the case I would request that this colony may be favoured with any quantity that can be spared by Government of New South Wales<br>[No 60/691]<br>&<br>Note in margin<br>Secretary for Lands – B C<br>Noted |          | 468 – 470 |
|              |                        |           |                           | "C C"  | 1860 10 09~<br>1860 10 10~  |  |          |           |
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|              |           |            |  | "M F"  | 1860 10 12~   | Refer to the Director of the Botanic Garden - B C  |          |           |
|              | 60/04279  | 1860 10 11 | Hon Colonial Secretary                     | Crown Solicitor's Office, Sydney<br>John Williams, Crown Solicitor                   | 1860 10 10  | At top: "Copy of letter from Queensland respecting execution of Bond and requesting instructions" "Crown Solicitor"<br>Letter forwarding to you on the annexed half sheet a copy of a letter I have received from the Principal Under Secretary of Queensland and to ask whether or not it is your desire that I should comply with the request made to me therein viz to prepare and obtain the execution of a Bond by Messrs P N Russell for the faithful performance of a contract entered into by that Firm with the Government of Queensland [No 60/749]<br>&<br>Notes across letter<br>The Government has no objection; but the application being made direct to Mr Williams. I conclude the Queensland Government will pay his professional charges<br>Civil Crown Solicitor  | A2.43    | 472       |
|              |           |            | Civil Crown Solicitor<br>Sydney            | Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>A W Manning<br>Principal Under Secretary | 1860 10 11~<br><br>1860 10 13<br><br>1860 10 02   | <u>Queensland</u><br>Government of Queensland having accepted the joint Tender of Messrs P N Russell & Co & Mr Cuthbert all of Sydney for the construction and delivery in Brisbane of a Steam Dredge according to the Notice from this office under date 3 <sup>rd</sup> August 1860 copy of which is enclosed and as names of all parties to such Tender are not ascertainable here without reference to Sydney, I am instructed to forward to you the above named Tender, together with forms of bond to be signed by Tenderers, and to request that you will have the goodness to fill in the names of all parties and otherwise arrange of all parties and otherwise arrange the full Execution of the Bond, re-transmitting the same to this Office when duly signed   |          | 473       |
|              | 60/04716  | 1860 11 12 | Hon Colonial Secretary,<br>New South Wales | Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>A W Manning                              | 1860 11 02  | <u>Queensland</u><br>At top: "Appointment of Police Magistrate Sydney and Water Police Magistrate to the Commission of the Peace"<br>Acknowledge receipt of your letter of 18 <sup>th</sup> October last, requesting that Police Magistrate and Water Police Magistrate might respectively be appointed Magistrates of Queensland of Queensland, I am instructed to inform you that your request will be complied with [No 60/910]<br>2. Appointments of the gentlemen names will appear in the forth coming Gazette<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>Inform Police Magistrate & Water Police Magistrate<br>Informed<br>Inspector General of Police B C<br>Noted - To be returned<br>&<br>Notes re above<br>Read noted and returned – B C<br>John McLerie, Inspector General of Police<br>Returned Colonial Secretary's Office<br>"Put By" | A2.43    | 474 - 476 |
|              | 60/04834  | 1860 11 19 | Hon Colonial Secretary<br>New South Wales  | A W Manning<br>Principal Under Secretary   | 1860 11 12~<br>1860 11 16<br>1860 11 17<br>1860 11 21~<br><br>1860 11 21<br>1860 11 21~ | <u>Queensland</u><br>Acknowledging receipt of letter of 13 <sup>th</sup> ultimo transmitting a copy of Statistical Register of New South Wales 1850 to 1859 [No 60/946]  | A2.43    | 477       |

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|              | 60/05199  | 1860 12 08 | Hon Colonial Secretary<br>New South Wales | Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>A W Manning<br>for the Colonial Secretary                             | 1860 12 05  | <u>Queensland</u><br>Acknowledging with thanks receipt of your letter of 24 <sup>th</sup> ultimo, stating that certain volumes relative to Legislative & Assembly of New South Wales will be transmitted to this office [No 60/1036]   | A2.43    | 479       |
|              | 60/05200  | 1860 12 08 | Hon Colonial Secretary<br>New South Wales | Colonial Secretary's Office,<br>Brisbane<br>A W Manning<br>for the Colonial Secretary<br><br>"W V"                | 1860 12 05<br><br>1860 12 10~   | <u>Queensland</u><br>At top: "Respecting issue of Writs to swear in Magistrates"<br>Acknowledging receipt of your letter of 21 <sup>st</sup> ultimo respecting Writs of Dedimus Potestatum to be issued to Mr Brown Police Magistrate of Brisbane, to enable him to administer the usual Oath to gentlemen who have recently been appointed Magistrates of the Colony New South Wales &<br>Note in margin  | A2.43    | 480 - 481 |
|              | 60/05560  | 1860 12 31 | Hon Colonial Secretary<br>Sydney          | Legislative Assembly Chambers,<br>Brisbane<br>Lewis A Bernays<br>Clerk of the Legislative Assembly                | 1860 12 27<br><br>1860 12 31~<br>1861 01 08                                       | <u>Queensland</u><br>"Clerk Legislative Assembly - Votes & Proceedings forwarded"<br>Have the honor to apprise you that I have this day caused to be forwarded to you by A S N Company's Steamer two copies of Bound Volumes of Votes & Proceedings of Legislative Assembly of Queensland during the late Session [60/71]<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>Acknowledge receipt & thanks<br>Colonial Secretary of Queensland  | A2.43    | 482       |
|              | 60/04750  | 1860 11 13 | Hon Colonial Treasury<br>Sydney?          | Maryborough, Wide Bay,<br>Queensland<br>John Bourk?<br>Solicitor<br><br>"H L"<br><br>"J W"<br><br>"A C"?<br>"J W" | 1860 10 06~<br><br>1860 10 10~<br><br>1860 11 13~<br><br>1860 11 13<br>1860 11 13 | Stamps at top: "TREASURY NO. 5986 / NO. 10"<br>"COLONIAL SECRETARY – NEW SOUTH WALES / No 4750 /13 NOV 60"<br>Informing that on 6 <sup>th</sup> September 1858 the Clerk of Petty Sessions here forwarded to your Department the sum of £1"16"6 as fees for Letters of Naturalization of one "John Chiam" a Chianam [as it is] - Chinaman? and as no such Letters have as yet been received by him after constant application both to the Sydney & Queensland Offices, he has very much been a sufferer [as it is] in the transferring of his property. I will therefore feel obliged if you will kindly enquire with the matter as my client is at very much expense in the delay in the sale of his property<br>&<br>Notes in margin<br>Issued<br>&<br>Notes re above p 484<br>J Chian [as it is] paid £1.16.6 for Certificate of Naturalization<br>1 November 1858 Voucher 5498 per C/S Maryborough<br>U O<br>For the information of Chief Under Secretary<br>The Treasury<br>57/3858 | A2.43    | 483 – 484 |

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|              |           |           |    | "H L"                                       | 1860 11 14       | <p>I do not find any application for J Chiam for Certificate of Naturalization in 1858, but see 57/3858 herewith – <i>illegible here</i> .... Assured Maryborough being in Queensland</p> <p><u>MEMORIAL, OR APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION</u></p> <p>To His Excellency Sir William Thomas Denison ....</p> <p>1. The Memorial of Chiam (Chinaman) of <u>Maryborough, Wide Bay</u>, respectful sheweth that your Memorialist is a Native of <u>Amoy</u></p> <p>2. That your Memorialist is <u>twenty five</u> years of age and is a <u>butcher &amp; gardener</u></p> <p>3. That your Memorialist arrived in Colony of New South Wales by the ship <u>not remembered</u> – came to Towns Wharf in a ship commanded by <u>Capt Collins</u> in the year <u>1850</u> and has been resident therein since that date</p> <p>4. That your Memorialist begs to refer to Your Excellency to the annexed Certificate of Character and of the correctness of the statements herein contained from respectable persons to whom your Memorialist has been known since his arrival in the Colony</p> <p>5. That your Memorialist having purchased land from the Crown and made improvements thereon is unable to obtain a title until a Certificate of Naturalization is granted .....[further printed]</p> <p>6. That your Memorialist therefore respectfully requests that your Excellency may be pleased to grant to your Memorialist a Certificate under the provisions of the said Act conferring upon your Memorialist the privileges of a natural born British Subject, with such restrictions as to your Excellency may seem meet</p> <p>And your Petitioner ever pray</p> <p><i>Signature</i> [Chinese writing] (Chiam)</p> <p>60/4750</p> <p>Date September 16<sup>th</sup> 1857</p> <p>We the undersigned, do hereby certify as to the correctness of the statements contained in the subjoined Memorial, that we have known the Memorialist <u>Two years and a half</u> and believe him to be a person of respectable character</p> <p>James Buchanan – H Caliner? Henry Kilner? – Edward Feilding Palmer – J D Walker – W F Vaughtner?</p> <p>&amp;</p> <p>Notes in Margin</p> <p>Certificate approved</p> <p>Certificate prepared</p> <p>Sent to Treasury Under General ..... Supreme. Court Maryborough?</p> |          | 485       |
|              |           |           |    | Edward C Merewether<br>Clerk of the Council | 1860 02 16~      | <p>At top: "M14963 – 16<sup>th</sup> Feb 60"</p> <p><u>Proceedings of Executive Council on 6<sup>th</sup> February 1860 relative to transfer of Lunatics from Queensland to Sydney Asylums – as temporary measure</u></p> <p>Minute No 60/6 – Confirmed – 13<sup>th</sup> February 1860</p> <p>His Excellency the Governor General informed Council that he has recently received a Despatch from Governor of Queensland in which Sir George Bowen requests that he may be informed whether Government of New South Wales is willing to permit Lunatics to be forwarded from Brisbane to Asylums at Sydney and Parramatta for treatment and if so what rates they will be received [No 6/ - as it is]</p> <p>2. His Excellency consults the Council as to the nature of the reply which</p>  | A2.43    | 486 – 488 |

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|              | 60/00444  | 1860 01 31 | The Principal Under Secretary | Crown Law Offices, Sydney<br>W E Plunkett | [1860] 02 27     | <p>he shall return to Sir George Bowen and at the same time lays before them together with the original Despatch an opinion from the Honorable the Attorney General from which it appears that there are legal and technical difficulties on the way of the adoption of the course proposed by Sir George 3. With every desire to meet so far as in them lies the wants and wishes of the Government of Queensland the Council regret that they are unable to advise that His Excellency should hold out to Sir George Bowen any prospect of the Lunatics from Queensland being received and treated in the Asylums at Tarban Creek and Parramatta even as a temporary measure; for they are well aware and the knowledge is not confined to themselves, that the accommodation afforded by these Asylums falls far short of that which is required for the reception and treatment of our own Lunatics. Council therefore do not consider it necessary to deal with the legal difficulties, but it would perhaps be desirable that His Excellency should draw Sir George Bowen's attention to them</p> <p>&amp;<br/>Notes in margin<br/>Approved</p> <p>This has been acted upon by the Governor General and is being provided for information?</p> <p>At top: "Opinion that Governor of Queensland has no power to send his Lunatics to New South Wales"<br/>In returning the within letter transmitted by you under B C 23<sup>rd</sup> instant, from His Excellency Sir G F Bowen relative to lunatics being sent from Queensland for the present to the Asylum in this Colony, I am directed by Attorney General Wise to state he is of opinion that Governor of Queensland has no power by Law, to send lunatics <u>here</u>, nor is New South Wales bound to received them into their Asylums [No 60/23]<br/>The Agreement advanced in 2<sup>nd</sup> paragraph of Sir G F Bowen's letter would the Attorney General thinks equally apply to all Public Buildings such as <u>prisons</u>, hospitals, etc, etc, and in effect it is, the Attorney General considers a claim to be treated as if Queensland had <u>not</u> been separated.</p> <p>&amp;<br/>Notes in margin<br/>Stamp: EXECUTIVE COUNCIL / No 95-FEB 6<sup>th</sup>-1860 – NEW SOUTH WALES<br/>Governor General</p> <p>I do not think it would be desirable to raise technical objections to a compliance with Governor of Queensland - it will be for him to prove of this legality of his actions – we are willing for the present to allow him to send a few lunatics to our Asylum until he can make provision for them but this provision should be made as speedily as possibly, for we shall not be able to provide for many lunatics from Queensland while our own increase to see firstly</p> <p>&amp;<br/>Notes at end</p> <p>In the present insufficient state of our accommodation and in face of the legal opinion herewith I cannot recommend the reception into N S Wales of lunatics from Queensland</p> <p>M14963</p> |          | 489 – 490 |

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|              | 60/00444  | 1860 01 23 | Governor General<br>Sir W T Denison<br>K C B | "W F"   | 1860 02 04~<br>1860 02 04 | Noted<br>Executive Council – B C<br>&<br><u>Written over</u> at bottom of page<br>Communicated to the Governor of Queensland by Sir W Denison's<br>Despatch of 7 <sup>th</sup> February 1860   |          |           |
|              | 60/00444  |            |  | Government House, Brisbane,<br>Queensland<br>G F Bowen<br>[& notes following - see p 497] | 1860 01 17                | At top: "Treatment of Lunatics from Queensland in the N S Wales Asylums"<br>Want of proper establishment in Brisbane for confinement and treatment of<br>Lunatics having manifested itself, I am anxious to be in a position to judge<br>whether it would be more advantageous to establish such an institution<br>here, or forward (if an arrangement for the purpose can be brought about)<br>the patients to Sydney, for treatment in the Asylums already established in<br>New South Wales [60/327]<br>2. The latter would probably, for many reasons, be the course most<br>conducive to the benefit of the patients – moreover it would be superfluous<br>to remind Your Excellency that the Asylums in New South Wales were<br>erected either by the Imperial Government or at expense of the <u>whole</u><br>Colony, before its recent division<br>3. I therefore with advice of my Executive Council do myself the honour to<br>request that Your Excellency will be so good as to inform me if the<br>Government of New South Wales is willing to permit Lunatics from this<br>Colony to be forwarded to Asylums at Sydney or Parramatta, for treatment<br>at rates to be specified, and if so, at what rates they would be received<br>4. The number of patients from this Colony would in all probability, be very<br>trifling. There are only three (3) at present; and it might be arranged that<br>when they exceed fifty, Queensland will be bound to erect an Asylum within<br>the limits of this Colony<br>I have the honor to be, Sir, Your Excellency's most obedient Servant<br>&<br>In margin & across top [p 491]<br>Registered |          | 491 – 496 |
|              |           |            |  | "J M C"?<br>"W D"   | 1860 01 21                | I think that there can be no objection at present to allow Lunatics from<br>Queensland to be sent to New South Wales Asylums under the conditions<br>that the transferred to & from Brisbane should be paid by the Government<br>of Queensland – it would however be impossible for Government of New<br>South Wales to admit for treatment even half the number mentioned by Sir<br>G Bowen and it would be advisable that he should be informed that the<br>arrangement for the treatment of the Lunatics from Queensland can only<br>be worked upon as a temporary arrangement which must of course<br>terminate should the accommodation at our disposal not be sufficient for<br>more than our own people<br>60/444<br>Colonial Secretary<br>Accordingly - B C<br>Secretary to Crown Law Officers – see Minute on page 7 - B C<br>Very faint at end of page 1: Answer by Sir W Denison's Despatch<br>9 February 1860  |          |           |
|              |           |            |  | "E C M" - Principal Secretary<br>"W E"  | 1860 01 21<br>1860 01 23  |  |          |           |
|              |           |            |  | "W F"   | 1860 01 23                | Note<br>There is considerable difficulty in finding accommodation for the lunatics<br>properly belonging to this Colony. Under these circumstances I should be   |          | 497       |

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