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VICTORIA.

GOLD FIELDS ACT.

ORDERS IN COUNCIL.

PURSUANT TO ACT OF PARLIAMENT, 21 VICTORIA, No. 32.

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 18th³ January, 1860.

THE DIVISIONS OF THE MINING DISTRICT OF CASTLEMAINE.

At the Government House, Melbourne, the twelfth day of December, 1859.

PRESENT :

His Excellency the Governor	
Major-General Macarthur, C.B.	Mr. Francis
Mr. Nicholson	Mr. Pyke
Mr. Wood	Mr. Bailey
Mr. McCulloch	Mr. Fellows
Mr. Service	

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the twenty-first year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, *An Act for amending the Laws relative to the Gold Fields*, it was amongst other things enacted that it should be lawful for the Governor in Council to split any mining district as thereinbefore mentioned into any number of divisions and to define the limits and boundaries thereof respectively, and also to determine the number of members of the mining board of such district which shall be elected within and for every such division, and from time to time to alter any such division and the limits and boundaries thereof, and to vary the number of members which shall be elected within and for every such division, but so that the total number of members elected for such district shall in no case exceed or be less than ten: And whereas by an Order of the Governor in Council, bearing date the fourth day of January, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, the mining district of Castlemaine was split into the divisions therein mentioned: And whereas it is expedient to unite the Taradale and Fryer's Creek divisions of the said district into one division: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, doth by this present Order abolish the Taradale division of the said mining district of Castlemaine, and doth hereby direct that the limits and boundaries of the Fryer's Creek division and of the other divisions of such district shall be those set opposite to the respective names of such divisions in the schedule hereunto annexed, and doth determine that the number

of members of the mining board of such district which shall be elected within and for every such division shall be that set immediately under the name of each such division respectively in the same schedule, that is to say:—

Names of the Five Divisions.	Limits and Boundaries of the Divisions.
CASTLEMAINE ... <i>Three members</i>	As described in the Order of the Governor in Council of the fourth day of January, A.D. 1858. Commencing at the junction of the River Loddon and the Jim Crow Creek; thence by the Jim Crow Creek to the Green Hill Creek; thence by a line south-easterly to the junction of the River Loddon and a creek unnamed near Holcomb; thence by the River Loddon to its source; thence by the Dividing Range to the River Campaspe; thence by the River Campaspe to the River Coliban; thence by the River Coliban to the Myrtle Creek; thence by a line south-westerly to Elphinstone; thence by the main road to Castlemaine, and by a line bearing west to a hill known as the Monk; thence by a line south-westerly to the junction of Campbell's Creek and the River Loddon; and thence by the River Loddon to the commencing point.
FRYER'S CREEK ... <i>Two members</i>	
TARRANGOWER ... <i>Two members</i>	As described in the Order of the Governor in Council of the fourth day of January, A.D. 1858.
HEPBURN ... <i>Two members</i>	As described in the same Order.
St. ANDREW'S ... <i>One member</i>	As described in the same Order.

And the Honorable William Nicholson, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

L.11776.

J. H. KAY,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

POLLING PLACES FOR THE MINING DISTRICT OF CASTLEMAINE.

At the Government House, Melbourne, the twelfth day of December, 1859.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor	
Major-General Macarthur, C.B.	Mr. Francis
Mr. Nicholson	Mr. Pyke
Mr. Wood	Mr. Bailey
Mr. McCulloch	Mr. Fellows
Mr. Service	

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the twenty-first year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, *An Act for amending the Laws relative to the Gold Fields*, it is amongst other things enacted that a poll shall be taken for the election of members for each division of every mining district, at such places within such division as the Governor in Council shall from time to time direct, and every poll shall commence at Nine o'clock in the forenoon, and close at Five o'clock in the afternoon, and shall be taken in such buildings as the returning officer shall select: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, doth by this present Order direct, that in lieu of all places previously appointed for taking the poll at elections for the several divisions of the mining district of Castlemaine, the poll shall be taken for the said elections at the several places named in the last column of the schedule hereunto annexed, within and for the divisions respectively set opposite thereto in the first column of the same schedule, that is to say:—

Names of the Divisions.	Polling Places.
Castlemaine ...	Castlemaine.
Fryer's Creek ...	Fryer's Creek, Taradale, and Vaughan.
Tarrangower ...	Maldon.
Hepburn ...	Hepburn and the old Racecourse.
St. Andrew's ...	Anderson's Creek:

And the Honorable William Nicholson, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

L.11776.

J. H. KAY,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

THE MINING DISTRICT OF CASTLEMAINE ALTERED.

At the Government House, Melbourne, the fifth day of January, 1860.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor

Mr. Nicholson
Mr. Wood
Mr. McCulloch

Mr. Service
Mr. Bailey

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the twenty-first year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, *An Act for amending the Laws relative to the Gold Fields*, it was amongst other things enacted, that it should be lawful for the Governor in Council from time to time to erect any portion of the colony into a mining district, and to give to such district some distinguishing name, and to define the limits and boundaries thereof, and also again to abolish any such district, and from time to time to alter and vary such limits and boundaries: And whereas by an Order of the Governor in Council, bearing date the fourth day of January, in the year One thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, the several districts therein mentioned were erected into mining districts: And whereas it is expedient to alter the limits of the mining district of Castlemaine: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, doth by this present Order alter and vary the mining district of Castlemaine, and doth define the limits and boundaries thereof to be as follow, that is to say:—

Commencing at the junction of the Deep Creek and the River Loddon; thence by a line easterly to the south-westerly angle of the parish of Lockwood; thence by a line bearing south five miles; thence by a line bearing east to the parish of Harcourt; thence by the northern boundary of that parish and the Mount Alexander Range to the Myrtle Creek; thence by the Myrtle Creek and the River Coliban to the River Campaspe; thence southward by the River Campaspe to its source; thence westwards by the Dividing Range to the source of the Bullarook Creek; thence by the range separating the Bullarook and Joyce's Creeks and a line west to the junction of the Tullaroop and Bullarook Creeks; thence northwards by the Deep Creek to the parish of Carisbrook; thence by the southern, eastern, and northern boundaries of that parish, and again by the Deep Creek to the commencing point aforesaid.

Commencing again at the junction of the Kooyong-koot Creek and the River Yarra; thence by a line south to the main road leading to Gipps-land; thence easterly by the main road leading to Gippsland to the sources of the River La Trobe; thence by the Dividing Range to Mount Baw Baw; thence by the Dividing Range forming the basin of the River Yarra to the source of the River Plenty; thence by the River Plenty to the River Yarra; and thence by the River Yarra to the commencing point last aforesaid.

And the Honorable William Nicholson, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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WHEREAS by an Act passed in the twenty-first year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled, *An Act for amending the Laws relative to the Gold Fields*, it was amongst other things enacted, that it should be lawful for the Governor in Council to split any mining district as thereinbefore mentioned into any number of divisions and to define the limits and boundaries thereof respectively, and also to determine the number of members of the mining board of such district which shall be elected within and for every such division, and from time to time to alter any such division and the limits and boundaries thereof, and to vary the number of members which shall be elected within and for every such division, but so that the total number of members elected for such district shall in no case exceed or be less than ten: And whereas by an Order of the Governor in Council, bearing date the twelfth day of December, One thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, the mining district of Castlemaine was split into the divisions therein mentioned: And whereas by an Order of the Governor in Council, bearing even date herewith, the said mining district of Castlemaine has

been altered, and it is expedient to alter the limits of one of the divisions of the said district: Now therefore His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, doth by this present Order alter the St. Andrew's division of the said mining district of Castlemaine, and doth hereby direct that the limits and boundaries of the said division and of the several other divisions of such district shall be those set opposite to the respective names of such divisions in the schedule hereunto annexed, and doth determine that the number of members of the mining board of such district which shall be elected within and for every such division shall be that set immediately under the name of each such division respectively in the same schedule, that is to say:—

Names of the five Divisions.	Limits and Boundaries of the Divisions.
CASTLEMAINE ... <i>Three Members</i>	As described in the Order of the Governor in Council of the fourth day of January, A.D. 1858.
FRYER'S CREEK ... <i>Two Members</i>	As described in the Order of the Governor in Council of the twelfth day of December, A.D. 1859.
TABBANGOWER ... <i>Two Members</i>	As described in the Order of the Governor in Council of the fourth day of January, A.D. 1858.
HEPBURN ... <i>Two Members</i>	As described in the same order.
ST. ANDREW'S ... <i>One Member</i>	Commencing at the junction of the Kooyongkort Creek and the River Yarra; thence by a line south to the main road leading to Gippsland; thence easterly by the main road leading to Gippsland to the source of the River La Trobe; thence by the Dividing Range to Mount Baw-baw; thence by the Dividing Range forming the basin of the River Yarra to the source of the River Plenty; thence by the River Plenty to the River Yarra; and thence by the River Yarra to the commencing point.

And the Honorable William Nicholson, Her Majesty's Chief Secretary for Victoria, shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

J. H. KAY,
Clerk of the Executive Council.