



Special List

GRG24/4 Correspondence files ('CSO' files) - Colonial, later Chief Secretary's Office – correspondence sent

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1837-1984

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OATS

Average weights per bushel of prize-winning oats from 1845 - 1850

A (1850) 2522

Scarce and dear

A (1852) 1340, 1468

T (1852) 469

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OATWAY, Edwin

A passenger to South Australia by the Duke of Bedford

A (1848) 1893

OATWAY, George

Inquest on his death

A (1851) 1453

O'BRIEN, Bridget

James Ferguson, the father of her illegitimate children, is sued by Dr. Robert Gething for £15 in medical fees.

A (1856) 531, 628½

X (1856) 90

Enquiry as to whether James Ferguson introduced her into polite society as his wife.

A (1856) 747

X (1856) 112

Transcript of court proceedings against James Ferguson

A (1856) 747

Her illegitimate children received into the Destitute Asylum

A (1856) 1356

X (1856) 251

O'BRIEN, Daniel J.

Request, on behalf of William Johnston, for fully executed land grants, in hundred of Nuriootpa

A (1855) 3645

W (1855) 846

O'BRIEN, Ellen, Mrs

Deserted by her husband

A (1846) 1269½

O'BRIEN, Mary

Acquitted of a charge of concealing the birth of a child

A (1850) 2787

O'BRIEN, Rev. Michael

Minister of the Roman Catholic Church, Morphett Vale

A (1849) 2005

O'BRIEN, Rev. Michael

Minister of St. Francis de Sales' Church at Mount Barker

A (1850) 319

His stipend as Minister of St. Mary's Church, Morphett Vale

A (1850) 750

His views on state aid to religion

A (1851) 464

Priest in charge of St. Francis de Sales' Church, Mount Barker

A (1851) 881

Correspondence connected with repayment of a deposit made for passage to S.A. of Patrick Hall and family

A (1855) 4134

W Finance (1855) 258

O'BRIEN, Rebecca Mrs

School mistress at Dry Creek

A (1849) 1751

O'BRIEN, Sarah

Enquiry as to her whereabouts. At present at Mr. J. Chambers' North Adelaide.

A (1856) 1946

X (1846) 487

O'BRIEN, Thomas

His school at Dry Creek

A (1849) 488, 1751

Appointed postmaster at Dry Creek

A (1850) 1240

R (1850) 321

O'BRIEN William Daniel

Appointed guard at the Adelaide Gaol

A (1855) 1172, 1279

W Finance (1855) 55

Resigns as guard, Adelaide Gaol

A (1855) 3018

W Finance (1855) 166

OBSERVATORY

Western Parklands recommended as a site.

A (1852) 2414

A (1854) 1241

Estimates including the Electric Telegraph Establishment

A (1852) 2414

Astronomical clock and a transit instrument to form a nucleus

A (1852) 1300

Agreement entered into by C. Todd as "Astronomical and Meteorological Observer"

A (1855) ~~3522~~

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OBSERVATORY

About to be erected. Site of one acre in parklands selected by Govt. Concurrence of Adelaide Corporation sought.

A (1855) 3793

W (1855) 870

Statement on the selection and appointment of C. Todd as Observer

W Finance (1855) 234

City Council's approval for establishment of an observatory in the park lands

A (1856) 103

X (1856) 38

Building of Observatory and Observer's Residence to be delayed. Mr. Todd to be given a lodging allowance

X (1856) 62

X Finance (1856) 32

Adelaide Town Clerk enquires about conditions prior to its erection on Park Lands

A (1856) 366

X (1856) ...

Astronomical books ordered by Mr. Todd being shipped by the Earl of Chester

A (1856) 1714

OBSERVER newspaper

See Adelaide Observer

OCCUPATION LICENCES

Forms of licence

A (1844) 550

A (1851) 2013

Proposed new system of issue

A (1844) 550

Lists of licences. With notes.

A (1846) 439 outside, 1375 outside, 1482 outside

A (1847) 329, 508, 731, 972, 1115, 1529

To be issued in districts which are not ready for pastoral leases

A (1851) 2013

Lists of holders, with statistics of areas and livestock

A (1849) 1267

A (1851) 28..

Difficulties arising from owners transferring their runs without paying their assessment dues.

A (1849) 12..

Need for amended regulations

A (1847) 1545

OCKENDEN, Palmer

Appointed to the Mounted Police Force

A (1845) 1243

K (1845) 101

Resigns from the Police Force

A (1846) 1330

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belong here.
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O'CONNELL, Martin

Appointed guard at the Yatala Labour Prison

A (1854) 1970

V (1854) 645

Resigns as guard at the Yatala Labour Prison, but reinstated

A (1854) 2690, 2741

V (1854) 815, 832

Dismissed for drunkenness as guard at Yatala Labor Prison

A (1854) 3559

V (1854) 1073

O'CONNOR, James

Appointment in the Police Force

A (1846) 1190

O'CONNOR, John

Refused licence of the London House Inn, Flinders Street, because of late payment.

A (1851) 1512, 1892

S (1851) 378

Not guilty of forgery

A (1851) 2801½

O'CONNOR, Patrick

Acquitted of a charge of murder. Convicted of assault. To be transported.

A (1850) 1962, 2246

OCTAVIA, immigrant ship

Miscellaneous papers

A (1855) 2349, 2632

W (1855) 551, 608

Emigration Commission's Secretary replies to report of infringement of the charter party of Octavia

A (1856) 1202

X (1856) 226

Secretary of Port Railway Board reports that assurances on goods per Octavia have been charged twice over

A (1856) 1364

X (1856) 274

ODDFELLOWS

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ODDFELLOWS' SCHOOL, Adelaide

Miscellaneous references

S.A. Feb. 13, 1844, 3D

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ODDFELLOWS' SCHOOL, Adelaide

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O'DEA John

Seeks employment as a census collector
A (1850) 2230
Inquest on his death
A (1851) 3301

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Disagreement with I. Breaker about a road through his property.
A (1853) 1749, 2122, 2563, 2772
A (1854) 1709
U (1853) 689, 779, 803

O'DONNELL, William

To receive rations
L (1845) 2 (twice)

DELRIICH, Frederich

Seeks remission of penalty under the Impounding Act
A (1845) 803
G (1845) 930, 931

OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE

J. Hance's appointment as Official Assignee to be temporary only
F (1842) 275

Security for property held by J. Hance as Official Assignee

A (1844) 628, 1524

H (1844) 335, 358 (twice)

J. Hance to find sureties as Official Assignee

A (1843) 22

A (1844) 1543

G (1844) 686

A (1845) 398

J. Hance offers land as security for the performance of his duties as Official
Assigned

A (1845) 10

G (1845) 692 (twice)

His (J. Hance's) conduct criticised by W. Bartley

A (1845) 1215, 1230, 1358, 1416

L (1845) 16, 35, 50

OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE

His (John Hance's) salary

A (1847) 543, 832

A (1852) 2132

T (1852) 744

Office furniture and equipment required

A (1855) 2837, 2982

W (1855) 669

Remarking upon circular relating to hours of attendance

A (1856) 455

Forwarding return of receipts and payments during 1855

A (1856) 655

John Hance retires

X (1856) 162

L.W. Thrupp applies for the position vice John Hance, retired.

A (1856) 950

X (1856) 195

Remarks on report of Estimates Committee

A (1856) 976½

L.W. Thrupp nominated

A (1856) 1053

X (1856) 200

Forwards requisition for furniture and requests that a larger authority be put on the estimates.

A (1856) 1125

X (1856) 224

Asked to find other accommodation as one of the officers used by his Department is required by the Post Office.

X (1856) 237

L.W. Thrupp suggests that his appointment be registered

A (1856) 1514

Naming his sureties

A (1856) 1583

X Finance (1856) 99

Recommending new office at White's buildings

A (1856) 1703

X Finance (1856) 165

Forwards a copy of agreement for rental of new offices and requests a supply of firewood and that directions be painted at entrance of office.

A (1856) 1734

X Finance (1856) 165

Forwarding sub estimates and requisitions for 1857 and urging supply of accommodation for his dept. at the Local Court House.

A (1856) 2407

X (1856) 426

E. Solomon requests that the Official Assignee may be instructed to carry out the wishes of the government relating to the sale of properties

A (1856) 2664

X (1856) 477

OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE

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A (1856) 2940
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O'FLANAGAN, Michael
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A (1847) 1077, 1261, 1280, 1334, 1352, 1416 p.3, 1462 p.13, 1566
O (1847) 73, 138, 182, 250

O'HALLORAN, Thomas Shuldham
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G (1843) 88

OGILBY, Robert
Charged with horse-stealing
A (1847) 351

OGLEBY, William
A whaler at Encounter Bay
A (1843) 480

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O'GRADY, Michael
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A (1856) 2781

O'HALLORAN, George W.
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A (1852) 3554
T (1852) 1040
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A (1853) 35
U (1853) 9, 13
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A (1853) 1781
U (1853) 545
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A (1856) 2943

O'HALLORAN, Thomas Junior

Applies for a government position

A (1852) 3553

T (1852) 1040

Passes the Civil Service examination. Governor deplores his handwriting

A (1853) 35

U (1853) 9, 13

Appointed fourth clerk in the Treasury

A (1853) 814

U (1853) 269

V (1854) 578

O'HALLORAN, Thomas Shuldham

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E (1841) 84, 85

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A (1842) 885, 934

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A 1842/No. 1040

F (1842) 283

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A 1843/No. 133

Quarterly report on the Police Force

A (1843) 474

G (1843) 86

Report on the Police Force compiled upon his resignation from office as Commissioner

A (1843) 490

Reason for his resignation as Police Commissioner

S.A. April 11, 1843, 2C

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H (1844) 76

A (1846) 529, 579

L (1846) 293, 306

N (1847) 244

Tenders for the purchase of section 464, district B.

A (1845) 577

G (1845) 874

Lawsuit with John Reynell over the depasturing of sheep

A (1845) 975

L (1845) 58

Appeals against the decision of the Commissioner of Crown Lands in the case of O'Halloran v. Reynell

A (1845) 1179

O'HALLORAN, Thomas Shuldham

Complains of the bad state of the roads to the south

A (1845) 1415

L (1845) 48

Application for glebe for a church at O'Halloran Hill

A (1846) 1059

M (1846) 117

A (1847) 143

O (1847) 218, 219 twice

Censured for his political coup during the Mineral Royalties Bill debate

A (1846) 1212

M (1846) 92, 97

Consulted about a proposed Crown Lands Bill

L (1846) 13..

Report on crops near O'Halloran Hill

A (1847) 441½

Complains of the blocking of a road near Tapley's Hill

A (1847) 1156

O (1847) 101 twice

Surety for B.T. Finniss

N (1847) 213

Trustee of Christ Church, O'Halloran Hill

P (1848) 312

On the need for allaying public anxiety about the disfranchisement of electors whose road rates are unpaid.

A (1851) 628

S (1851) 115, 129

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Correspondence about the death of his nephew, H. Dunkin

A (1853) 851, 1915, 1942, 1979

U (1853) 576

On the first Brighton District Council

A (1853) 2405

Declines the appointment of Commissioner of Police

A (1853) 3172

U (1853) 889, 892

Governor declares his military rank to be "perfectly obsolete"

A (1854) 2752

V (1854) 810, 820

Appointed lieutenant-colonel in the Volunteer Military Force

V (1854) 818

Chairman of Brighton District Council

A (1854) 2998

Invited to act on board of Management, Female Immigrant Depot, Adelaide

A (1855) 3112

W (1855) 739

W Finance (1855) 173 - 174

O'HALLORAN, Thomas Shuldham

Appointed Lt. Colonel in the Volunteer Military Forces

V (1854) 949

Accepts nomination as a member of Board of Management, Female Immigrant Depot, Adelaide.

A (1855) 3183

J.H. Biggs requests that Colonel O'Halloran may pay for and retain his own sword

A (1856) 911

As a member of the Female Immigrant Board, is informed of Governor's satisfaction.

A (1856) 2071

O'HALLORAN, William Littlejohn

Sends agricultural return

A 1842/No. 529

Opinion on Parkhurst boys

A 1843/No. 147

Appointment as a member of the Board of Audit

A (1843) 342

G (1843) 18, 19

Applies for vine and fig cuttings from Sydney Botanical Gardens

A (1844) 556

G (1844) 555

Correspondence about his claim for a remission of purchase money for land

H (1844) 76

A (1846) ..9, 579

L (1846) 293, 306

N (1847) 244

Resigns position as Private Secretary and accepts temporary appointment as Chief Clerk.

L (1845) 1

L (1846) 23..

Complaint against the Master of the Native School

A (1846) 2..

Complains of damage done to roads by flood waters

A (1847) 290

N (1847) 145

A (1849) 894

Seeks temporary appointment as Treasurer

A (1847) 427

Correspondence about the condition of the South Road near St. Mary's Church

A (1848) 1465

A (1849) 894

Suggests removal of a tree near the Brownhill Creek bridge

A (1849) 7..

Seeks promotion in the Government service

A (1849) 932

Q (1849) 2..

O'HALLORAN, William Littlejohn

Applies for Para grass

A (1849) 1144

Resignation as a trustee of the Savings Bank

A (1850) 1353

R (1850) 339

Appointed Auditor General pro tem

S (1851) 26

Certifies to the character of Wm. Haines

A (1852) 62

Unable to cope with his work with reduced staff.

A (1852) 779

T (1852) 237

Censured as Auditor General

A (1852) 2415

T (1852) 759, 776, 1009

Censured for neglect of duty as Auditor-General

A (1852) 3535

T (1852) 1036

Rebuked by the Governor for excessive optimism in a quarterly report

T (1852) 979

Circular about erasures in accounts

A (1856) 3

Is informed of ratings on mineral leases, land sales and escort fees

X (1856) 13

Suggests that a Commission should be set up to enquire into the keeping of the Public Accounts

X (1856) 190

O'HALLORAN FORD See Fort O'Halloran

O'HALLORAN HILL

Damage to public well

A 1842/No. 478

Suggested establishment of a post office

A (1848) 1086

P (1848) 344

Proposed erection of a semaphore for signalling the arrival of ships

A (1849) 1354

Q (1849) 37..

Surveyor-General requests instructions before sale of green slip section near O'Halloran Hill.

A (1856) 3176

Postal arrangements

Petition for an increase in the postmaster's salary

A (1853) 1332

U (1853) 419

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O'HALLORAN HILL, district

Description

S.A. Oct. 7, 1845, 2C

O'HALLORAN'S EXPEDITION AGAINST THE NATIVES, 1841

Miscellaneous correspondence

D (1841) 399

O'HARA, - lessee of the Government farm

Some correspondence appears to be in the name of George O'Hara and some William O'Hara

O'HARA, George

His difficulties. Terminates his contract for supplying wood to the Government.

A (1851) 2104, 2105, 2689

S (1851) 40., 423

O'HARA, W.

Seeks employment

A (1850) 1420

R (1850) 365

O'HARA, William

Lessee of the Government Farm

A (1850) 231, 1680, 2410, 2756

R (1850) 46 twice, 227, 460, 666, 684

A (1851) 102

S (1851) 48

Complains of dilapidation of the cottage and fences at the Government Farm

A (1850) 267

R (1850) 92

Seeks to assign or sublet the Government Farm

A (1850) 460

A (1851) 2218, 3032

R (1850) 182

S (1851) 441, 610

Complains of loss of office as road surveyor

A (1850) 874

Owes one year's rent for Government Farm

A (1852) 267

T (1852) 176

Recommended as clerk of the Kapunda Local Court

A (1852) 1048

Electoral clerk for the district of Light

A (1853)

U (1853) 378

Seeks a salary instead of fees as Clerk of Kapunda Local Court

A (1853) 2455

U (1853) 776

O'HARA, William

Accepts officer of Poll Clerk Dep. Returning Officer, and Clerk of Court of
Revision, District of Light
A (1855) 2830

O'HARA, William, Junior

A temporary clerk in the Audit Office. Seeks further appointment.
A (1850) 2607, 2651
R (1850) 63..., 641, 705

O'HEA, Dr. D.A.

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O'HEA, Dr. H.A.

Advertisement as a chemist
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A 1842/No. 855, 860
F (1842) 185, 187, 199
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E (1842) 544
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F (1842) 170, 191, 193
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A (1843) 1021
G (1843) 319

O'KEEFE, George

Negligence in permitting escape of a prisoner at Robe
A (1851) 104

O'KEEFE, J.G.

Seeks appointment as sub-collector of Customs at Robe
A (1854) 19
V (1854) 57
Appointed sub-collector of Customs at Robe
A (1854) 19
V (1854) 57
His service no longer required as sub-collector of customs at Robe.
A (1855) 442

O'KEEFE, John

Appointment in the Mounted Police Force
A (1850) 39

O'KEIFE, Mary

Matron at Female Immigrant Depot, Penola
A (1855) 4180
X Finance (1856) 1

OKELL, Peter

Seeks remission of his sentence

A (1852) 2020, 2371

T (1852) 668, 754

OKEY, James

Sentenced to transportation for theft

A (1844) 75

Transported to Tasmania

A (1844) 334½

G (1844) 571, 579

OLARENSHAW, Charles

A partner in the firm of Olarensaw, J & C which see

OLARENSHAW, J and OLARENSHAW, Charles

Sell the City Bridge Hotel to J. Heed

A (1855) 1652

OLDHAM, -

Site for police station, Kapunda offered by him. Validity of the title to be tested.

A (1856) 1213

OLDHAM, William

SM, Local Court, Angaston, recommends W. Oldham to be appointed as a JP

A (1856) 1058

Is informed of his appointment as Justice of the Peace

X (1856) 203

Acknowledges appointment as Justice of the Peace

A (1856) 1243

His title to allotment 47 in the township of Victoria

A (1856) 1326

Tender accepted for erecting dwelling at Aborigines Location

D (1839) 52

His resignation as teacher of the aborigines

D (1840) 209

OLDHAM, Nathaniel

Encloses bank drafts for transfer to England and reports on collection of subscription in aid of the War Relief Fund

A (1856) 564

OLDHAM, Rev. William

Honorary postmaster at Angaston

A (1846) 1167

M (1846) 76

A (1847) 2

Proposed call to Willunga

A (1846) 1382

OLDHAM, Rev. William

Seeks permission to perform marriages

A (1847) 554, 621

N (1847) 237, 262, 265

Resigns as postmaster at Angaston

A (1847) 1602

O (1847) 263

Postmaster at Kapunda

A (1849) 1479

Q (1849) 418

Correspondence about a cemetery at Kapunda

A (1851) 363, 507, 1179, 1670

S (1851) 91, 18.. twice

Surety for W. O'Hara

A (1852) 1048

Authorised to solemnize marriages

A (1853) 328

U (1853) 26

Testifies to the personal qualities of J. Blackburn

A (1853) 2718

U (1853) 832

Moved to Kapunda Congregational Chapel

A (1854) 1172

V (1854) 475

Resident manager of the Kapunda Mines. Settlers urge that he should be appointed magistrate of the local court.

A (1854) 3196, 3217, 3298

Sells land for a police station at Kapunda.

A (1855) 1559

OLD PORT REACH, Port River

Chart. With soundings, 1855.

A (1855) 2733

W (1855) 654

OLD PORT ROAD

Plan of Alberton showing Old Port Road

A (1854) 3198

V (1854) 988

OLD SPOT HOTEL, Gawler

Accommodation given to the Court and Bench is "intolerable"

A (1853) 2068

U (1853) 644

Sold by auction

S.A. April 20, 1849, 3E

Times April 23, 1849, 2A

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O'LEARY, Mary

Sub-matron on the Elgin

A (1849) 1701

OLIPHANT, William

Sends a memorial seeking the remission of a fine

A (1853) 2763

U (1853) 807

OLIVE OIL

Produced from olives grown at Hackney

S.A. July 6, 1849, 2C

Specimen sent to the International Exhibition of 1851. Trees grown from slips imported from Marseilles in 1845 by the S.A. Company.

A (1850) 2522

OLIVER, Charles

His death on Kangaroo Island

A (1849) 1493, 1531

Q (1849) 419

Times Aug. 13, 1849, 3G

Times Aug. 20, 1849, 3G

OLIVER ISLAND

Details sought about its accessibility to slipping

A (1852) 3194

T (1852) 929

See also Olive Oil

OLIVIA, immigrant ship

Miscellaneous references

A (1853) 2980

OLLIVER, Edward

Killed by J. Snow

A (1848) 1286

OLLIVER, Edwin

To establish a pound at Glen Osmond

A (1842) 396

E (1842) 755, 779

Memorial respecting a road claimed through his land at Glen Osmond

A (1855) 2842

W (1855) 700

Resigns as pound keeper at Glen Osmond

A (1852) 618

A (1853) 1449

T (1852) 208

U (1853) 453

OLLIVER, Edwin

Correspondence about an action against the Government for making a road through his land at Glen Osmond

A (1856) 2673

X (1856) 481

OLLIVER, -- (Sergeant)

Receives an award for the capture of W. Faulkner

V (1854) 923

O'LOUGHLIN, Thomas

Former seaman on the ship South Sea to be released from gaol (gaoled for non-payment of fine)

A (1856) 557

X (1856) 99

OLSEN, Olif

Former seaman on the ship South Sea to be released from gaol.

A (1856) 537

X (1856) 99

OMEGA, immigrant ship

Miscellaneous references

A (1851) 2229, 2261, 2262, 2274

A (1852) 2453, 2582

O'NEIL, Cornelius

Sheriff recommends the release of O'Neil from gaol

A (1856) 2339

X (1856) 411

O'NEIL, N.

Named in connection with mineral leases

A (1856) 1549

O'NEIL, Nicholas

Granted 80 acres of mineral land in the hundred of Monarto.

A (1854) docket missing

V (1854) 779

O'NEIL, P.

Named in connection with mineral leases

A (1856) 1549

O'NEIL, Patrick (mineral lessee)

See O'Neil Nicholas (vide C.S.O. 2738/1855)

O'NEIL, Peter

Acquitted of a charge of burglary
A (1851) 3693
Seeks remission of his sentence
A (1852) 2370, 2964
T (1852) 1010
Attempts to escape from the Adelaide Gaol
A (1853) 3296
A (1854) 113

O'NEILL, Andrew

Imprisoned as a military deserter
A (1850) 454
R (1850) 128 twice

O'NEILL, Thomas

Appointed as Temporary Guard, Adelaide Gaol
A (1855) 3339
W Finance (1855) 186

ONKAPARINGA, district

Appointed a registration district
A (1855) 1821
W (1855) 471
Daniel Barah forwards bylaws of the loyal Onkaparinga Lodge of Odd Fellows for approval.
A (1856) 476
Deputy Registrar of Births Deaths and Marriages calling attention to property of deceased persons not being accounted for.
A (1856) 739
X (1856) 140
Deputy Registrar replies to a report by Curator of Intestate Estates on the care of property of deceased persons
A (1856) 1033
X (1856) 140
Erasmus Gower accepts appointment as returning officer for Onkaparinga
A (1856) 1484

ONKAPARINGA, hundred

Nomination of road commissioners
A (1849) 2139 outsize
Memorial signed by 80 settlers
A (1849) 2139 outsize
(1854) 923
Election of Road Commissioners
A (1852) 42
A (1853) 466
T (1852) 60

ONKAPARINGA, hundred

Settlers petition for a local court and police station in the hundred

A (1855) 316 (outsize gr.3) 786

W (1855) 205, ...

School site granted on N.W. corner of section 4247

A (1855) 3455

W (1855) 849

Existence of gold on sections 83-4, 91-2, 95 disproved; the sections to be offered for sale by Govt.

A (1855) 4048

W (1855) 907

Name lists

Petition from settlers

A (1855) 316 (outsize Gr.3)

ONKAPARINGA, river

Description of new bridge between Crafers and Echunga

Reg. Aug. 26, 1846, 2E

William Gray forwards memorial for completion of works at the Onkaparinga River

A (1856) 862

X (1856) 172

See also

Hack's Bridge, near Mylor

ONKAPARINGA, river – bridge

Proposed bridge near Cox's Creek

A (1850) 1071

R (1850) 283

See also Noarlunga Bridge

ONKAPARINGA, river – wharf

Crane made for the Onkaparinga River to be changed with the one intended for the Yankalilla jetty

A (1856) 631

X (1856) 107

Colonial Architect requests authority to proceed with jetty at the Onkaparinga

A (1856) 2372

X (1856) 417

ONKAPARINGA, Port

William Grey is informed that no funds are available for further building at Port Onkaparinga

X (1856) 38

Harbour Master requests authority to visit Onkaparinga Harbor in the Blanche

A (1856) 1132

Harbour Master explains his request to visit Onkaparinga Moorings

A (1856) 1174

X (1856) 205, 214

ONKAPARINGA DISTRICT COUNCIL

Settlers urge its proclamation at a meeting at Woodside Inn (see Broadside). J. Thomson's protests.

A (1853) 847, 1170

U (1853) 288, 381

Settlers urge its proclamation and nominate councillors

A (1853) 855 (outside Gr.2)

Petition protesting against proposal to cede land in the Tiers to East Torrens District Council.

A (1853) 1198

U (1853) 386

Petition and copy of resolutions sent to the Governor

A (1853) 1284

Petition seeking the withdrawal of names of certain councillors

A (1853) 1321, 1598

U (1853) 406

Preliminary expenses

A (1853) 3052

U (1853) 884

Miscellaneous early correspondence

A (1854) 794, 817, 818, 923, 958, 2028, 3424

V (1854) 688, 1023

Suggests amendments to the Cattle Slaughtering Act.

A (1854) 2730

Correspondence about the necessity of a local court and responsibilities of the chairman

A (1855) 91, 316 (outside Gr.3) 666, 786, 970

W (1855) 20, 270

Makes a counter proposal to the Government's offer to advance funds for road making

A (1855) 1208

W (1855) 337

Proposed erection of a court house and district council office (combined) at Woodside

A (1855) 3037, 3595

W (1855) 798, 832

A Lorimer resigns chairmanship of council

A (1855) 4064, 4088

Thos. Inglis elected chairman vice A. Lorimer resigned

A (1855) 4088

T. Inglis leaves district. No longer Chairman of Council.

A (1855) 4173

District Clerk requests the appointment of Henry Kelly as Chairman vice Thomas Inglis, resigned

A (1856) 71

Forwarding assessment of rates and collection for 1855 and requests a grant for aid.

A (1856) 261

ONKAPARINGA District Council

Crown Solicitor forwards road orders for confirmation

A (1856) 525

William Gray urges the completion of Onkaparinga works

A (1856) 862

X (1856) 172

Clerk acknowledges letter relating to erection of a court house at Woodside

A (1856) 2020

X (1856) 319

Reporting change of Chairman from Mr. Kay to Mr. Francis Duffield

A (1856) 2112

Francis Duffield reports that the council declines offer of erection of office and court house

A (1856) 2251

X (1856) 402

Clerk notifying the amount of assessment

A (1856) 2514

Chairman asks if Government will pay for the collection of the Agriculture Returns

A (1856) 2782

Chairman reports that the District declines to erect offices in connection with the Court House

A (1856) 2783

Chairman forwards memorial for extended jurisdiction at Woodside Local Court

A (1856) 2995

X (1856) 545

Chairman forwards reply to circular about sale of unclaimed cattle

A (1856) 3052

X (1856) 497

ONKAPARINGA ROAD

See Roads – South Road

OPHTHALMIA

Its prevalence

Ad. Exam. Dec. 14, 1842, 3C

OPIE, Edward Andrew

The references in the Times to the artist do not give his Christian names or initials. The names "Edward Andrew" have been supplied his great grandson. An advertisement in the S.A. Reg. for 6 June 1840 (1B) shows that the painter's initials were E.A.

Advertisement as a portrait painter

Reg. May 30, 1840, 2C

A South Australian artist and actor

Times Feb. 19, 1849, 2G

Times April 2, 1849, 3G

Times July 30, 1849, 3G

OPIE, Edward Andrew

His painting of Boston Bay exhibited
Times Sept. 10, 1849, 3F

OPIE, Francis

Gelding saddle and bridle allegedly stolen from him.
A (1856) 544

OPIUM

Opium seized by Customs to be auctioned.
A (1856) 2707
X (1856) 488

OPPIE, John

Signs petition for P.O. on Hindmarsh Island
A (1856) 3151

OPPY, William

A passenger to South Australia on the William Money
A (1849) 15

OPZOOMER, Cornelius

Tried in Supreme Court
A (1856) 544

ORANGE LODGE

Formed
Reg. July 18, 1849, 3A

ORCHARD, Elizabeth

Convicted of larceny
A (1849) 708 outsize

ORCHARD, John

Appointed to the Police Force
A (1849) 651
Alleged interference with the work of the Customs officers at Port Adelaide
A (1859) 177., 1804
His death
A (1850) 1632

ORCHARD, Joseph

A passenger to South Australia by the Westminster
A (1848) 1017

ORCHARD, William Henry

Inquest on his death
A (1851) 1083

ORDE, William Beresford

Seeks permanent Government appointment

A (1847) 209, 1089, 1183

N (1847) 105, 118

O (1847) 60, 105

Sick leave

A (1847) 1339

Transferred from the Treasury to the Colonial Secretary's office

P (1848) 574 twice, 575

Correspondence about his transfer from the Treasury to the Colonial Secretary's Office.

A (1849) 1941½

Seeks appointment as chief clerk in the Police Department

A (1850) 115

Seeks temporary promotion in the Colonial Secretary's Office

A (1850) 485

R (1850) 138, 189

Seeks sick leave

A (1850) 772

Appointed Receiver of Fines and Fees

A (1851) 1904

S (1851) 453

His sureties as Receiver of Fines and Fees

A (1851) 2872

Applies for sick leave

A (1852) 1522

Appointed clerk of the Adelaide Local Court

A (1852) 1944

T (1852) 628 (twice)

Applies for the appointment of Chief Clerk in the Police Department

A (1852) 2878

T (1852) 881, 966

Makes statements to the discredit of A. Tolmer

A (1853) 3152, 3158, 3174, 3207½, 3248½, 3264, 3340, 3264, 3340

A (1854) 44, 106

U (1853) 932

V (1854) 43, 71

ORDINANCE STORES

Clerk requests payment of £3.6.0.

A (1856) 244

W (1856) 332

X Finance (1856) 23

OREGON, immigrant ship

Miscellaneous references

A (1851) 3312½, 3320, 3393, 3477

A (1852) 88

O'REILLY, Private

His wife entitled to free medical attention from Col. Surgeon
A (1855) 4133
X Finance (1856) 5, 6.

ORGAN, Benjamin

Surety for R. Moyle
A (1849) 1711

ORGANS

Subscription list opened for an organ at St. John's Church, Adelaide
R. March 20, 1841, 1E
S.A. April 2, 1841, 2C and 3C
Organ at Trinity Church
R. April 10, 1841, 3C
S.A. Nov. 9, 1841, 3D
S.A. Aug. 4, 1843, 2D
New organ at St. John's Church, Adelaide
S.A. June 27, 1848, 3D
R. July 5, 1848, 3D

ORIENTAL, immigrant ship

Miscellaneous references
A (1855) 2638, 3008
A (1855) 3618

ORMEROD, George

Application for an occupation lease on Mosquito Plains
A (1847) 329, p. 21
Declines appointment as a justice of the peace
A (1850) 1917
Proposed appointment as a justice of the peace
R (1850) 369
Friction with police over food supplied to them.
A (1852) 2181
A (1853) 1343, 1686, 1901
U (1853) 443, 695
Authority to operate a bonded store
A (1854) 564
V (1854) 207
Suggests enlargement of Immigration Depot, Robe. Quotation for housing and rationing of immigrants. The need for more immigrants.
A (1855) 3143
Government Resident, Robe forwards letter about money due for supplies and rent of depot
A (1856) 330

ORMEROD, George

His account for rationing the Highland immigrants at Robe from March to May 1856

A (1856) 1851

X (1856) 324

Intends applying for a warehouse at Robe for bonding goods

A (1856) 2400

ORNITHOLOGY See Birds

ORPHAN IMMIGRATION COMMITTEE

Miscellaneous references

A (1848) 1277, 1279, 1287, 1288, 1297, 1299, 1305, 1313, 1319, 1342, 1394, 1569

P (1848) 400, 405, ..., 417, 428, 501

A (1849) 944, 966, 1839

Q (1849) 299

A (1851) 2077

S (1851) 445

S.A. Sept. 1, 1848, 3D, 3E

S.A. Sept. 5, 1848, 3B

S.A. Sept. 12, 1848, 2B

Legal assistance needed for dealing with breaches of contract

A (1849) 90..

Request for authority to purchase furniture for Orphan Depot

A (1855) 697

W Finance (1855) 11

"Single females ought to be allowed to wash their linen .. before entering situations"

A (1854) 3630, 3631

V (1854) 1099, 1105

Minutes

A (1849) 601

A (1850) 1510

See also Children's Apprenticeship Board

ORPHANS

Correspondence about a bill for apprenticing orphans

A (1848) 1535

See also Orphan Immigration Committee

ORR, Andrew John

His school at Ardtornish

A (1848) 783, 976

P (1848) 258, 313

His school at Inverbrackie

A (1849) 663

ORR, Andrew John

Proposed appointment as postmaster at Inverbrackie

A (1849) 1187

A (1850) 1210

Seeks appointment as a census collector

A (1850) 2326

Clerk to the Onkaparinga Road Board

A (1851) 547

Accepts office as an electoral clerk

A (1851) 2015

ORSMOND, Elizabeth Mrs.

Seeks to undertake the duties of pound keeper in the absence of her son.

A (1852) 1085, 1122, 1203

T (1852) 343, ..., 380

Resigns as pound keeper at Gawler

A (1852) 2179

ORSMOND, Thomas

His death at Gawler

A (1850) 525

R (1850) 158

ORSMOND, Thomas Henry

Appointment as poundkeeper at Gawler

A (1848) 269, 636, 837

P (1848) 115, 243, 273

Poundkeeper at Gawler

A (1850) 525

R (1850) 158

Seeks appointment as Inspector of Brands

A (1849) 1941

OSBORN, family

Refund of deposit paid by R. Rigaud towards passage of family to S.A. per Velocity

A (1855) 4003

W Finance (1855) 247

OSBORN, Henry

Charge of larceny abandoned

A (1848) 413, 464

OSBORN, John

Convicted of horse stealing. To be transported

A (1850) 2787, 2805.

OSBORNE, Henry

To be struck off the local establishment of Sappers and Miners and returned to England.

A (1843) 131

A (1844) 1348

A (1846) 78

Selection of land for J. Chisholme

K (1845) 56, 79

OSBORNE, John

A former employee of T.H. Lipson

A (1850) 2395

R (1850) 572

OSBOURNE, William

His whereabouts

A (1854) 278

V (1854) 251 (twice)

OSCEOLA, immigrant ship

Miscellaneous references

A (1851) 1057, 1059, 1067, 1220, 1398

O'SHAUGHNESSY, Joseph

Complains of his rejection as a candidate for the Police Force

A (1849) 2187

Q (1849) 605

Appointment in the Police Force

A (1850) 277

O'SHAUGHNESSY, W.B.

Dismissed from the Police Force

A (1852) 2410

T (1852) 804

Is refused re-admittance to the Police Force

A (1854) 2222, 2465

V (1854) 722

O'SHAUGHNESSY, William

Resigns as guard at the Adelaide Gaol

A (1854) 2589

OSMANLI, steam ship

Wrecked off Kangaroo Island

A (1853) 3186, 3219

OSMENT, Elizabeth

Inquest on her death

A (1851) 3473

OSTER, Rev. Philip Jacob

Recommended by his fellow Evangelical Lutheran pastors for registration as an officiating minister

A (1856) 88

OSTER, Rev. Philip

Arrives with Prussians by the Gellert

A (1847) 1590

OSTRICH, barque

Miscellaneous papers

A (1854) 2168

O'SULLIVAN, Ellen, Mrs.

Matron on the Elgin

A (1849) 1701

O'SULLIVAN, J.J.

Schoolmaster and hospital assistant on the Elgin

A (1849) 1701

O'SULLIVAN, James J.

Seeks use of an abandoned wooden house in Emigration Square

A (1851) 3055

S (1851) 65..

Seeks employment

A (1850) 2189

A (1851) 1735

S (1851) 355

Memorial protesting against his arrest and treatment by the police

A (1849) 2014

Q (1849) 57..

His school at Bowden

A (1850) 295

A (1851) 1637

S (1851) 328

Seeks employment as a census collector

A (1855) 290

Appointed deputy registrar of births, deaths and marriages for Munno Para West and Yatala District Councils

A (1855) 1253, 1332

W (1855) 369

Enquires how the statistics for Yatala District Council will be taken.

A (1856) 2843

X (1856) 517

OSWALD, - Mrs.

Passenger to South Australia by the Princess Royal

A (1847) 332 (p.3)

OSWALD, Carl

Appointed postmaster at Tanunda

A (1850) 1240

R (1850) 321

OSWALD, J.R.

His house forcibly sold to pay his debts

A (1855) 210

OTHUM, William

A resident on the Park Lands

D (1839) 64

OTTAWAY, George

Shooting accident

S.A. March 31, 1848, 3B

S.A. April 4, 1848, 2E

Reg. April 1, 1848, 2D

OTTAWAY, John

Appointed guard in the Convict Department

A (1854) 1846

Resigns position of Guard, Yatala Labor Prison

A (1855) 646

W Finance (1855) 6

Appointed letter carrier at Port Adelaide Post Office

A (1855) 1524

W Finance (1855) 63

OUGHTON, Frederick

Drowned in the River Murray

A (1847) 1260

OVENS, John

Recommended for admission to the hospital

A (1843) 1077

G (1843) 332

OVENS, See Stoves

OVENS AND MURRAY ADVERTISER newspaper

Editor forwards bill for advertising of deserted families in Adelaide.

A (1856) 1580

X (1856) 306

Chief Secretary, Victoria will settle account with Ovens Advertiser

A (1856) 2075

X (1856) 301

OVERLAND CORNER

Police Commissioner recommends increased allowances to Police at Overland Corner

A (1856) 1178

X (1856) 252

Police Commissioner reports on the shipment of gram to Overland Corner, Police Station

A (1856) 2854

See also Police Station

OVERLAND SPRING, district

District north of the hundred of North Rhine. Call for it to be proclaimed a hundred.

A (1856) 2788

OVERLANDERS

See Live Stock - Overland imports

OVERLAND IMPORTS OF STOCK

See Live stock - Overland imports

OVERLAND ROUTE TO WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Proposed

Reg. March 28, 1840, 5D

S.A. April 2, 1840, 3C, 5E

Reg. April 4, 1840, 4A, 5C

S.A. April 16, 1840, 2E

Reg. April 4, 1840, 2A

OVERSEAS MAIL SERVICE

See Postal communication with Europe

OVERSEERS - Wages

See Wages - Overseers

OVERTON, Thomas

A nominee for the first Mitcham District Council

A (1853) 582

U (1853) -

OWEN, -

Recommended for medical attention

A (1849) 1020

OWEN, Bernard

Petition for remission of sentence

A (1849) 412, 672

Q (1849) ... 131, 214

OWEN, George James

A lunatic dies in prison

A (1854) 3727

Inquest on his death

A (1855) 50

OWEN, Dr. Harold

Surgeon on the Switzerland

A (1855) 3191

OWEN, James

Granted a publican's licence at Port Lincoln

A (1847) 430

A (1851) 1018

Appointment as pound keeper at Port Lincoln

A (1847) 667, 797

N (1847) 286, 324

Clerk reports J. Owen being sworn in as a constable for Para Wirra

A (1856) 2826

OWEN, William

Applies for the release of imprisoned seamen required by him for the Vixen

A (1844) 41..

G (1844) 639, 663

Seeks to patent a new smelting process

A (1847) 1230½

O (1847) 125, 221

A (1850) 20

Libel action against William Younghusband

S.A. Jan. 25, 1848, 3C

S.A. March 7, 1848, 2B

Reg. March 8, 1848, 2D

His school at Walkerville

A (1850) 2425

For his smelting works at Tothill's Gap, see Apoinga Smelting Works

For correspondence about the Emma Sherratt see Emma Sherratt, ship

OWENS, Bernard

Seeks remission of sentence

A (1848) 1991

OWENS, P.

Seeks information about emigrants he has nominated

A (1855) 457

W (1855) 134

OWENS, Patrick

Constable on the Lady McNaughton

A (1847) 1292

OWNSWORTH, Thomas

Appointed assistant keeper of Government Grounds
T (1852) 697 (twice)

OXEN, see Bullocks

OXENHAM, John

Receives rations and medicine
N (1847) 210 (twice)
Not entitled to relief
N (1847) 231

OXLEY, Joseph

Certifies Mrs. P.C. Perry's suitability as a school mistress.
A (1852) 39

OYSTER BAY district

See Stansbury district

OYSTERS

Suggested close season
A (1847) 821
N (1847) 328
Production at Coffins Bay
Reg. May 24, 1848, 3C
Reg. Sept. 19, 1849, 2B
Reg. Oct. 10, 1849, Supp. 1A
Proposed establishment of a fishery at Coffin's Bay
A (1849) 1699
For sale for 1/- a dozen at Glenelg
Times Feb. 19, 1849, 1D
Hansford Ward's oyster beds at Glenelg
A (1850) 113, 223
R (1850) 55, 79
A bill sought to legalise and regulate oyster beds
A (1853) 2813
A bed at Glenelg north and south of the Broadway. Plan of bank.
A (1854) 43, 92, 160, 262, 530, 635, 737
V (1854) 43, 115, 249
Proposed establishment (by Messrs. Porter) of oyster beds at Torrens Island.
A (1855) 3005 (missing), 3252
W (1855) 735
Establishment by J.H. Hubert of oyster beds at Port Adelaide
A (1855) 3493, 3602, 3803
W (1855) 822
Oyster beds must be clearly marked out and delineated
X (1856) 55

OYSTERS

Licence may be granted to Mr. G. Busher if he employs a surveyor to delineate the proposed oyster beds

X (1856) 100

Crown Solicitor forwards report on the granting of an oyster licence to John Hubert at Port Adelaide

A (1856) 308

J. Moulden forwards John Henry Huberts application for an oyster bed.

A (1856) 2222

J. Moulden forwards Mr. Huberts application for an oyster licence

A (1856) 2223

Harbour Master requests authority to visit proposed site of oyster beds

A (1856) 2361