Act No. 73, 1900.

FEDERAL ELECTIONS.

An Act to provide for the election in New South Wales of Members of the Parliament of the Commonwealth; to provide that a Member of such Parliament shall be incapable of being summoned or elected or of sitting as a Member of the Legislative Council or Legislative Assembly in the Nineteenth or any subsequent Parliament of New South Wales; and for purposes consequent on or incidental thereto. [11th December, 1900.]

BE it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Preliminary.

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the "Federal Elections Act, 1900."

Election of senators.

Appointment of returning officer for Colony.

2. The Governor shall appoint a returning officer for the Colony, who, subject to this Act, shall, within the Colony and for the purpose of any election of senators, have powers and perform duties similar to those conferred and imposed on a returning officer within his electoral district for the purpose of an election to the Legislative Assembly; and, subject to this Act, the provisions of the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act of 1893 and any Acts amending the same, relating to returning officers shall apply to and in respect of the returning officer for the Colony.

But it shall not be necessary for the returning officer for the Colony to preside or take a poll at any booth.

Time of issue of writs and of elections.

3. The writ for the first election of senators shall be issued on such day as the Governor thinks fit, and the election shall be held on the twenty-fourth day thereafter.

Triennial vacancies.

The writ for any triennial election to fill vacant places in the Senate shall be issued in the month of November in the year at the expiration

expiration of which the places are to become vacant, and the election to fill such places shall be held on the twenty-fourth day after the issue

The writ to elect a successor of a senator whose place has become vacant before the expiration of his term of service shall be issued on the day of or as soon as possible after the issue of the writs for the next general election of members of the House of Representatives, or on the day of the issue of the writ for the next election of senators for New South Wales, whichever election will first happen.

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4. All writs for the election of senators shall be returnable on Return of writs. a day not later than the thirty-fifth clear day after the day of the issue thereof.

5. An elector at an election of senators may vote within the Divisions for voting. division for which he is qualified to vote for a member of the House of Representatives, and may vote for as many candidates as there are senators to be elected, but any ballot-paper purporting to record more or fewer votes than the said number of senators shall be rejected at the close of the poll.

Election to the House of Representatives.

6. The divisions of New South Wales for which members of the Electorates for House of Representatives may be chosen are those described in the House of Representatives. Schedule to this Act.

One member shall be chosen for each division.

Disqualification of Member of Parliament of Commonwealth to sit in State Parliament.

7. A member of the Parliament of the Commonwealth shall be Members of incapable of being summoned or being nominated or elected as a member Parliament of Commonwealth not of the Legislative Council or Legislative Assembly in the Nineteenth or to sit in State Parliament. any subsequent Parliament of New South Wales.

If any member of the said Council or Assembly in any such Parliament is elected to the Parliament of the Commonwealth, his seat in the said Council or Assembly shall,—

- (a) if no petition is lodged against such election, be vacant on the expiration of the time limited for lodging such petition;
- (b) if such petition is lodged, be vacant if and when such petition is finally determined in his favour.

And where such vacancy occurs in the said Assembly the election of such member to the said Assembly shall thereupon be void, and a writ shall forthwith issue for a new election.

SCHEDULE.

No. 1.—EAST SYDNEY.

County of Cumberland: Embracing the eastern part of the City of Sydney, bounded on the north by the waters of Port Jackson from Sydney Cove, at a point where an eastern extension of the centre of a thoroughfare (generally known as Queen's Wharf) meets it, easterly to the mouth of Rushcutter's Creek; and thence by that creek southerly to Bayswater Road; thence by the centre of that road westerly to its intersection with the centre of Barcom-street; thence by the centre of that street and Great Barcomstreet southerly to its intersection with the centre of Oxford-street; thence by the centre of Oxford-street westerly to its intersection with the centre of Dowling-street; thence by the centre of that street southerly to its intersection with the centre of Cleveland-street; thence by the centre of Cleveland-street westerly to its intersection with the centre of Elizabeth-street; thence by the centre of that street northerly to its interesection with Liverpool-street; thence by the centre of that street westerly to Georgestreet; thence by the centre of that street northerly to its intersection with the centre of a thoroughfare known as Queen's Wharf; thence along the centre of that thoroughfare easterly to Sydney Cove at the point of commencement; together with the waters of Port Jackson and the islands therein east of a line joining Blue's Point and Dawes Point, also east of a line joining Middle Head and Grotto Point, and south of a line joining Dobroyd Point and Green Point, together with Lord Howe Island.

No. 2.—WEST SYDNEY.

County of Cumberland: Embracing the western part of the City of Sydney, and an eastern portion of the Glebe, and bounded on the north by the waters of Port Jackson from Sydney Cove, at a point where an eastern extension of the centre of a thorough-fare, known as Queen's Wharf, meets it northerly, westerly, and southerly, to the intersection of the centre of Glebe Point Road; thence by the centre of that road south-easterly to Parramatta Road (known as George-street West); thence by the centre of that road to Cleveland-street; thence by the centre of Newtown Road; thence by the centre of that road to Cleveland-street; thence by the centre of that street easterly to the centre of Elizabeth-street; thence by the centre of that street to Liverpool-street; thence by the centre of that street to George-street; and by the centre of George-street northerly to its intersection with the centre of a thoroughfare known as Queen's Wharf, thence along the centre of that thoroughfare easterly to Sydney Cove at the point of commencement; together with the waters of Port Jackson and the Parramatta River and the islands therein west of a line joining Blue's Point and Dawes Point.

No. 3.—WENTWORTH.

Comprising part of the county of Cumberland: Starting at the waters of Port Jackson in Rushcutter's Bay, at the mouth of Rushcutter's Creek; thence by that creek, the centre of Bayswater Road, Barcom and Great Barcom Streets southerly and south-westerly to the centre of Oxford-street; thence by the centre of that street westerly to its intersection with the centre of Dowling-street; thence by a line southerly along the centre of Dowling-street to the north boundary of the Kensington Estate; thence by that boundary westerly to its north-west corner, being the east boundary of the borough of Waterloo; thence by that boundary southerly to the centre of Gardeners' Road; thence by the centre of that road easterly to the centre of Bunnerong Road; and by the centre of that road south-westerly to a point where it meets the north boundary of J. N. Brown's "Bunnerong," 131 acres; thence by that boundary westerly and its west boundary southerly to the waters of Botany Bay; by the waters of Botany Bay to

the South Pacific Ocean; by the South Pacific Ocean northerly to Port Jackson; and by the waters of Port Jackson southerly and westerly to the point of commencement; together with Bare Island, in Botany Bay.—To include Paddington, Double Bay, Rose Bay, Vaucluse, Watson's Bay, Waverley, Bondi, Coogee, Randwick, Woollahra, Maroubra Bay, Little Bay, La Perouse, Kensington.

No. 4.—SOUTH SYDNEY.

Comprising part of the county of Cumberland, parishes of Botany, Alexandria, and Petersham: Starting from the centre of Newtown Road, where the centre of Cleveland-street meets it; thence by the centre of Cleveland-street easterly to a point where it meets the centre of Dowling-street; thence by the centre of Dowling-street southerly to the north boundary of the Kensington Estate; thence by that boundary west and the eastern boundary of the municipal district of Waterloo southerly to the centre of Gardeners' Road; thence by the centre of that road easterly to the centre of Bunnerong Road; by the centre of Bunnerong Road southerly to its intersection with the centre of Long Bay Road; thence by the centre of that road south-westerly to a point where it meets the north boundary of J. N. Brown's "Bunnerong," 131 acres; thence by that boundary westerly, and its west boundary southerly to the waters of Botany Bay; by the waters of Botany Bay westerly and by the left bank of Cook's River upwards to Shea's Creek Canal; thence by the east side of that canal, being the west boundary of the borough of North Botany, northerly to the centre of Ricketty-street; thence by the centre of that street westerly to its intersection with the prolongation of the south-eastern side of Swamp Road; thence by the western boundary of the borough of Alexandria north-easterly, easterly, and northerly, to the centre of the Barwon Park Road; thence by the centre of that road by the centre of Cook's River Road; and by the centre of Newtown Road generally northerly to the point of commencement.— To include Redfern, Darlington, Waterloo, Alexandria, Macdonaldtown, Erskineville, Eveleigh, Botany, North Botany, and Banksmeadow.

No. 5.—LANG.

Embracing part of the county of Cumberland: Commencing on Cook's River where the east side of Shea's Creek Canal meets that river; thence by that bank of that Canal northerly to the centre of Ricketty-street; by the centre of that street westerly to its intersection with the prolongation of the south-eastern side of Swamp Road; thence by the western boundary of the borough of Alexandria north-easterly, easterly, and northerly to the centre of the Barwon Park Road; by the centre of the Barwon Park Road to the centre of the Cook's River Road; by the centre of the Cook's River Road to the centre of the Newtown Road; by the centre of the Newtown Road to the centre of the Parramatta Road; by the centre of Parramatta Road to Johnston's Creek; by that creek and the eastern boundary of the borough of Petersham southerly to Stanmore Road by the centre of that road and the Canterbury Road, which divides the borough of Marrickville from that of Petersham; thence by that road westerly and south-westerly to the intersection with Garnett-street; by the centre of that street southerly to Cook's River; thence by that river upwards to where the road from Salt Pan Creek to Canterbury meets it; thence by the centre of that road to that creek, and by that creek downwards to George's River; and by George's River downwards to a point due north of the north-west corner of portion 78, Sir T. Mitchell's 30 acres, parish of Holsworthy, county of Cumberland; thence by the west boundary of that portion and its southerly continuation to a point due west of the south-west corner of portion 58, T. Holt's 80 acres, parish of Sutherland, county of Cumberland; thence by a line east to the right bank of Woronora River; thence by that river upwards to the south boundary of portion 10, by part of that boundary east, the west boundaries of portions 140 and 125 south, part of the south boundary of the latter portion east to Saville's Creek, by that creek and the northern shores of Port Hacking, generally

easterly to the Pacific Ocean; thence by the Pacific Ocean northerly to Cape Banks; thence by the northern side of Botany Bay, excluding Bare Island, westerly to the confluence of Cook's River; thence by that river upwards, to the point of commencement.—To include Camperdown part of Newtown, St. Peter's, Dulwich Hill, Marrickville, Arncliffe, Rockdale, Kogarah, Carlton, Hurstville, Penshurst, Oatley, Sutherland, and Como.

No. 6.—DALLEY.

Comprising part of the county of Cumberland, parish of Petersham: Starting at the waters of Port Jackson at a point where the centre of the Glebe Point Road meets it; bounded thence by the centre of that road south-easterly to a point where it meets the centre of the Parramatta Road; thence by the centre of the Parramatta Road westerly to the centre of Long Cove Creek; thence by the centre of that creek and the centre of the canal to the waters of Long Cove, Port Jackson; and by the waters of Port Jackson northerly, easterly, southerly, and again easterly, to the point of commencement.—To include Balmain, Leichhardt, Annandale, part of the Glebe, also Glebe Island.

No. 7.—PARKES.

Embracing part of the county of Cumberland: Starting from Long Cove at the centre of the canal at the mouth of Long Cove Creek; thence by the centre of that canal and creek southerly to the centre of the Parramatta Road; thence easterly by the centre of that road to Johnston's Creek; thence southerly by that creek to the Great Western Railway line; thence westerly to the centre of Liberty-street; thence by the centre of that street southerly to the centre of Stanmore Road, and by the centre of that road and Canterbury Road westerly and south-westerly to the intersection of Garnet-street; thence by the centre of that street, being the boundary between the municipalities of Marrickville and Canterbury, southerly to Cook's River; thence by that river upwards to the centre of the road from Canterbury to Salt Pan Creek; thence by the centre of that road south-westerly to that creek; thence by that creek to George's River, and by George's River and Prospect Creek upwards to the centre of Liverpool Road; thence by the centre of that road and the centre of Dog Trap Road to A'Beckett's Creek; thence by that creek, Duck Creek, and the Duck River to the Parramatta River; thence by that river downwards to the starting point.—To include Petersham, Dobroyd, Lewisham, Summer Hill, Drummoyne, Five Dock, Ashfield, Croydon, Concord, Enfield, Mortlake, Burwood, Strathfield, Homebush, Newington, Flemington, Rockwood, Auburn, Granville, Clyde, Bankstown, Canterbury, and Burwood Road.

No. 8.—NORTH SYDNEY.

Commencing at the ocean at the north head of Port Jackson; and bounded thence by the waters of Port Jackson to Green Point; thence by a line westerly to Dobroyd Point; thence again by the waters of Port Jackson to Grotto Point, and by a line southerly to Middle Head; again by the waters of Port Jackson generally westerly to a point east of Onions Point; thence by a line west to that point on the left bank of the Parramatta River; thence by that river upwards to the southern extremity of the Orphan School Road; thence by that road northerly to the Kissing Point Road; thence by that road south-westerly to the eastern boundary of section 73 of the town of Parramatta; thence by that eastern boundary and the eastern boundary of section 72A northerly, and by the north-eastern boundary of the last-named section northwesterly to Belmore-street East; thence by that street south-westerly to the southwestern boundary of Francis Oakes' 50 acres; thence by that boundary and the southwestern boundary of T. and J. Hackett's 120 acres north-westerly, and by part of the north-western boundary of the said 120 acres north-easterly, to the south-western boundary of D. Nairn's 76 acres; thence by that boundary north-westerly to the Governor's Arms Road; thence by that road generally north-easterly to the road from Carlingford to Peat's Ferry; thence by that road northerly to Peanant Hills, and MAN CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF

by the road to Dural northerly to the prolongation of the south-western boundary of portion 20 of 80 acres, parish of North Colah, county Cumberland; thence by a line partly forming that boundary, and by part of the south-eastern boundary of that portion bearing respectively south-easterly and north-easterly to Tunks' Creek and by that creek downwards to Berowra Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the right bank of the Hawkesbury River; and thence by that bank of that river upwards to the Great Northern Road at Wiseman's Ferry; thence by that road northerly to Mount McQuoid, and by the range dividing the waters of the Wollombi Brook from those of Wyong and Mangrove Creeks easterly to the source of Dora Creek; thence by that creek downwards to Lake Macquarie; thence by the western margin of that lake southerly to the western boundary of the parish of Wallarah, county of Northumberland; thence by that western boundary southerly to the south-western corner of R. Henderson's 640 acres on the northern margin of Tuggerah Lake; thence by that margin of that lake easterly to Budgewoy Creek; thence by that creek northerly to a point west of the south-west corner of portion 86; thence by a line partly forming the south boundary of that portion east to the Pacific Ocean; and thence by the waters of that ocean southerly to the point of commencement.

No. 9.—PARRAMATTA.

Commencing on the Capertee River at the intersection of the boundary dividing the Land Districts of Rylstone and Lithgow, near Sir John's Mouth; thence by that boundary generally south-westerly to the boundary dividing the counties of Roxburgh and Cook; thence by that boundary southerly to the southern boundary of the parish of Wolgan, county of Cook; thence by that boundary easterly to the west boundary of the parish of Cook, by that boundary and the western boundary of the parish of Marangaroo southerly to Farmer's Creek; thence by that creek upwards to its junction with Good Luck Hollow; thence by the south-western boundary of the borough of Lithgow and by the south boundaries of portions 32, 87, 90, 101, and 8, parish of Lett, to Lockyer's line of road from Lithgow to Hartley Vale platform, and by that road viû the Village of Clwydd to the western boundary of portion 136, parish of Hartley; thence by the west boundaries of portions 136, 135, 134, 98, and the east boundaries of portions 188 and 108, being recreation reserve at Mount York, south to the edge of the cliffs forming the eastern margin of the Kanimbla Valley, by the edge of those cliffs generally southerly and easterly to the western boundary of the parish of Jamieson; thence by that boundary southerly to the creek forming the southern boundary of that parish; thence by that creek downwards to Jamieson's Valley Creek; thence by that creek downwards to Waterfall Creek; thence by that creek upwards to a point west of the south-west corner of portion 21, parish of Kedumba, county of Cook; thence by a line east to that corner; thence by the southern boundaries of portions 21 and 22 to the western boundary of portion 23; thence by part of the western and southern boundaries of portion 23, southerly and easterly, and by the range forming the northern watershed of the Warragamba River (being also the boundary between the Land Districts of Penrith and Picton) generally southerly and easterly to the junction of the Nepcan and Warragamba Rivers; thence by the Nepean River upwards to Bringelly Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the Bringelly Road; thence by that road easterly to the northern boundary of the parish of Minto, county of Cumberland; thence by that boundary and a line easterly to the right bank of George's River; thence southerly to Harrow Road, of the Mooorebank Estate, by that road easterly to the west boundary of portion 52, parish of Holsworthy, by part of that boundary and part of the northern boundary of the same portion northerly and easterly to Harris Creek, by that creek downwards to George's River; thence by that river and Prospect Creek upwards to the Liverpool Road, by that road and Dog Trap Road to a'Beckett's Creek; thence by that creek, Duck Creek, and the Duck River to Parramatta River; thence by that river upwards to a point south of Orphan School Road; thence by a line to that road; thence by that road northerly to the Kissing Point Road; thence by that road south-westerly

to the eastern boundary of section 73 of the town of Parramatta; thence by that eastern boundary and the eastern boundary of section 72A northerly, and by the north-eastern boundary of the last-named section north-westerly to Belmore-street East; thence by that street south-westerly to the south-western boundary of Francis Oakes' 50 acres; thence by that boundary and the south-western boundary of T. and J. Hackett's 120 acres northwesterly, and by part of the north-western boundary of the said 120 acres north-easterly, to the south-western boundary of D. Nairn's 76 acres; thence by that boundary northwesterly to the Governor's Arms Road; thence by that road generally north-easterly to the road from Carlingford to Peat's Ferry; thence by that road northerly to Pennant Hills, and by the road to Dural northerly to the prolongation of the south-western boundary of portion 20 of 80 acres, parish of North Colah, county of Cumberland; thence by a line partly forming that boundary, and by part of the south-eastern boundary of that portion bearing respectively south-easterly and north-easterly to Tunks' Creek, and by that creek and Berowra Creek downwards to the right bank of the Hawkesbury River; thence by that bank of that river upwards to Wiseman's Ferry; thence by the Great Northern Road northerly to Mount McQuoid; thence by the range forming the southern watershed of Wollombi Brook and Yengo Creek westerly to the junction of Yengo Creek and the Macdonald River; thence by the western boundary of the county of Northumberland northerly to the watershed between Macdonald River and Parson's Creek; thence by that watershed and by the range dividing the waters of Baerami or James' Creek, Gungalwa Creek, and Doyle's Creek from the waters of the Macdonald River westerly to Mount Monundilla; thence by the range forming the eastern watershed of Blackwater Creek south-westerly to Mount Coricudgy, on the Great Dividing Range; thence by that range and the range forming the eastern watershed of Umbiella Creek southerly to the Capertee River; and thence by that river downwards, to the point of commencement.

No. 10.—ILLAWARRA.

Starting at the south head of Sussex Inlet; and bounded thence by the waters of the South Pacific Ocean northerly to the north head of Port Hacking; thence by the shores of Port Hacking, its north-west arm and Saville's Creek generally westerly, to the south boundary of portion 125, parish of Sutherland, county of Cumberland; by part of that boundary west, the west boundaries of that portion and portion 140 north, and part of the south boundary of portion 10 west to the Woronora River; thence by that river downwards to the south-west corner of portion 58, T. Holt's 80 acres; thence by a line west to a point due south of the south-west corner of portion 78, Sir T. Mitchell's 30 acres, parish of Holsworthy; thence a line north to George's River, and by that river upwards to Harris Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the northern boundary of portion 52, parish of Holsworthy, county of Cumberland; thence by part of that boundary westerly and by part of the western boundary of that portion southerly to Harrow Road of the Moorebank Estate; thence by that road westerly to George's River; thence by that river downwards to the northern boundary of the parish of Minto; thence by that boundary westerly to the Main Southern Road; thence by that road south-westerly to the Bringelly Road; thence by that road westerly and southerly to Bringelly Creek; thence by that creek downwards to its confluence with the Nepean River; thence by that river downwards to the confluence of the Nepean and Warragamba Rivers; and bounded thence by the range forming the northern watershed of the Warragamba River westerly and northerly to the southern boundary of portion 23, parish of Kedumba, county of Cook; thence by the southern boundary of that portion westerly and part of its western boundary northerly to the south boundary of portion 21; thence by the south boundaries of that portion and portion 22 and their prolongation westerly to Waterfall Creek; thence by that creek downwards to Kedumba or Jamieson's Valley Creek; thence by that creek downwards to its confluence with Cox's River; thence by that river upwards to its confluence with the Kowmung River; thence by that river and by Lannigan's Creek upwards to its source at Mount Colong; thence by the range forming the northern

watershed of Murruin on Settlers' Creek generally westerly to the source of that creek on the Great Dividing Range; thence by that creek downwards to the Wollondilly River, and by that river upwards to Paddy's River; thence by that river and Uringalla Creek upwards to the boundary dividing the counties of Argyle and Camden; thence by that boundary southerly and by Barber's Creek downwards to its confluence with the Shoalhaven River; thence by that river upwards to the boundary dividing the Land Districts of Nowra and Braidwood; thence by part of that boundary easterly to the range dividing the waters of the Clyde River from those of the Shoalhaven; thence by that range south-easterly and a line partly forming the south boundary of portion 12, parish of Tianjara, county of St. Vincent, east to the range dividing the waters of Swan Lake, Conjola Creek, and the Clyde River, from those of St. George's Basin and Wandrawandian Creek; thence by that range easterly, to the point of commencement, together with all the islands lying off the coast of the district above defined.

No. 11.—MACQUARIE.

Commencing at the confluence of the Belubula River with the Lachlan River; and bounded thence by the first-mentioned river upwards to the western boundary of portion No. 11, parish of Collett, county of Ashburnham; thence by that boundary northerly, and by the northern boundary of that portion, and the northern boundary of portion No. 92, easterly to the north-east corner of the latter portion; thence by the eastern boundaries of portions 60, 153, and 152 northerly, by the southern boundary of portion 94 easterly, and by the western, southern, and eastern boundaries of portion 38 southerly, easterly, and northerly to the south-west corner of portion No. 67; thence by the southern boundary of that portion and portion 59 easterly to the south-east corner of the last-named portion; thence by a line southerly to the north-east corner of portion 4; thence by the northern and western boundaries of that portion westerly and southerly to the Belubula River; thence by that river upwards to the Panuara Rivulet; thence by that rivulet upwards to the southern boundary of the parish of Clarendon, county of Bathurst; thence by that boundary and the southern boundary of the parish of Waldegrave easterly to Flyer's Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the northern boundary of the parish of Calvert; thence by that boundary easterly to the road from Carcoar to Millthorpe, by that road northerly to the northern boundary of the parish of Graham; thence by that boundary easterly and the boundary between the parishes of Colville and Shadforth, northerly to the south boundary of the parish of Byng; thence by that boundary (and a line) easterly to Long Swamp Creek; thence by that creek and Swallow Creek downwards to its confluence with the Macquarie River, by that river downwards to its junction with Turon River; thence by that river upwards to Cunningham's or Crudine Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the boundary dividing the Land Districts of Rylstone and Bathurst; thence by that boundary, generally south-easterly, to the eastern boundary of the parish of Warrangunia, county of Roxburgh; thence by that boundary northerly, and by the south boundary of the parish of Mead easterly, to the western boundary of the parish of Clandulla; thence by the western and southern boundaries of that parish southerly and easterly to Capertee or Bogee River; thence by that river downwards to the boundary dividing the land districts of Rylstone and Lithgow near Sir John's Mouth; thence by that boundary generally south-westerly to the boundary dividing the counties of Roxburgh and Cook; thence by that boundary southerly to the southern boundary of the parish of Wolgan, county of Cook; thence by that boundary easterly to the west boundary of the parish of Cook, by that boundary, and the western boundary of the parish of Marangaroo southerly to Farmer's Creek; thence by that creek upwards to its junction with Good Luck Hollow; thence by the south-western boundary of the borough of Lithgow, and by the south boundaries of portion 32, 87, 90, 101, and 8, parish of Lett, to Lockyer's line of road, from Lithgow to Hartley Vale platform, and by that road viâ the Village of Clwydd to the western boundary of portion 136, parish of Hartley; thence by the west boundaries of portions 136, 135, 134, 98 and east boundaries of portions 188 and 108, being recreation reserve at Mount York, south to the edge of the Cliffs forming the eastern margin of the Kanimbla Valley, by the edge of the cliffs generally southerly

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and easterly to the western boundary of the parish of Jamieson; thence by that boundary southerly to the creek forming the southern boundary of that parish; thence by that ercek downwards to Jamieson's Valley Creek; thence by that creek downwards to Cox's River; thence by that river upwards to Kowmung River; thence by that river upwards and by Lannigan's Creek upwards to its source at Mount Colong; thence by the range forming the northern watershed of Murruin or Settler's Creek generally westerly to the Great Dividing Range; thence by that range generally northerly to the range forming the southern watershed of Fish River Creek and Campbell's River (also being part of the southern boundary of the Land District of Bathurst); thence by that range generally westerly to the head of the Isabella River; thence by that river downwards to its confluence with the Abercrombie River; thence by that river downwards to its confluence with the Lachlan River; thence by that river downwards and crossing that river to the boundary dividing the counties of Forbes and King; thence by that boundary (being the range forming a watershed between the Boorowa River and Neila Creek) southerly and westerly, and by the range dividing the counties of Monteagle and Forbes north-westerly to the source of Bang Bang Creek; thence by that creek downwards to Crowther or Koorawatha Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the boundary between the counties of Forbes and Monteagle; thence by that boundary, being a marked line west to the range dividing the waters flowing into Lachlan River from those flowing into Tyagong and Burrangong Creeks; thence by that range northerly and south-westerly to the source of Kangaroobie Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the Lachlan River; and thence by that river upwards, to the point of commencement.

No. 12.—WERRIWA.

Commencing at the confluence of Barber's Creek with the Shoalhaven River; and bounded thence by that river upwards to its junction with Reedy Creek; thence by the southern boundaries of the parishes of Larbert, Barnet, Fairy Meadow, Currandooley, and Wamboin, county of Murray, bearing generally westerly to the railway from Goulburn to Cooma; thence by that railway generally southerly to the Molonglo River; thence by that river downwards to the Murrumbidgee River; thence by that river downwards to Boambola Ford; thence by the road from Yass to Mullion southerly and by the northern boundaries of portions 97 and 139, parish of Cavan, county of Cowley, bearing west to the range dividing the waters of Mountain Creek from those of the Murrumbidgee River; thence by that range southerly to the range dividing the waters of the last-mentioned river from those of the Goodradigbee River; thence by that range southerly to the spur range which divides the waters of Flea Creek from those of the Goodradigbee River above that creek; thence by that spur range to the confluence of Flea Creek and the Goodradigbee River; thence by a line crossing that river to a spur range; thence by that spur range to the main range dividing the waters of the Tumut River from those of the Goodradigbee River; thence by that main fange generally northerly to the range dividing the waters of Macpherson's Swamp Creek from Jeremiah Creek; thence by that range northerly to the Murrumbidgee River, and by that river downwards to the junction of Jugiong Creek; thence by the range dividing the waters of Jugiong and Cunningham's Creeks from those of Cooney's and Muttama Creeks north-westerly to the eastern boundary of the municipal district of Wallendbeen at the eastern boundary of portion 690, parish of Cullinga, county of Harden; thence by that municipal boundary southerly, westerly, and generally north-westerly to the range aforesaid at the eastern boundary of portion 350, parish of Jindalee, county of Harden; thence by that range northwesterly to the range dividing the waters of the Lachlan River from those of the Murrumbidgee River; thence by that range north-easterly to the range dividing the Murrumbidgee River; thence by that range north-easterly to the range dividing the waters of the Boorowa River from those of Kooroowatha or Crowther Creek; thence by that range northerly to the range forming the boundary between the counties of Forbes and Monteagle; thence by that boundary to the range dividing the waters of Neila Creek from the Boorowa River; thence by that range to the confluence of the Boorowa with

the Lachlan River; thence by the Lachlan upwards to its junction with the Abercrombie River; thence by that river upwards to its junction with the Isabella River; thence by that river upwards to its source, being the range forming the southern watershed of the Fish River Creek and Campbell River; thence by that range easterly to the Great Dividing Range; thence by that range south-easterly to the source of Settlers' or Murruin Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the Wollondilly River, and by that river upwards to Paddy's River; thence by that river and Uringalla Creek upwards to the boundary dividing the counties of Argyle and Camden; thence by that boundary southerly and by Barber's Creek, to the point of commencement.

No. 13.—EDEN—MONARO.

Commencing on the boundary dividing the Colonies of New South Wales and Victoria, at Cape Howe; and bounded thence by the waters of the South Pacific Ocean, northerly to the south head of Sussex Inlet; and bounded thence by the range dividing the waters of Swan Lake, Conjola Creek, and the Clyde River from those of St. George's Basin and Wandrawandian Creek, westerly to a point east of the south-east corner of portion 12, parish of Tianjara, county of St. Vincent; thence by a line and the south boundary of that portion west to the range dividing the waters of the Clyde River from those of the Shoalhaven River; thence by part of the boundary dividing the Land Districts of Milton and Braidwood and Nowra and Braidwood generally westerly to the Shoalhaven River; thence by that river upwards to its junction with Reedy Creek; thence by the southern boundaries of the parishes of Larbert, Barnet, Fairy Meadow, Currandooly, and Wamboin, county of Murray, bearing generally westerly to the railway from Goulburn to Cooma; thence by that railway generally southerly to the Molonglo River; thence by that river downwards to the Murrumbidgee River; thence by that river downwards to Boambola Ford; thence by the road from Mullion to Yass southerly, and by the northern boundaries of portions 97 and 139, parish of Cavan, county of Cowley, bearing west to the range dividing the waters of Mountain Creek from those of the Murrumbidgee River; thence by that range southerly to the range dividing the waters of the Murrumbidgee River from those of the Goodradigbee River; thence by that range southerly to the spur range which divides the waters of Flea Creek from those of the Goodradigbee River above that creek; thence by that spur range to the confluence of Flea Creek and the Goodradigbee River; thence by a line crossing that river to a spur range; thence by that spur range to the main range dividing the waters of the Tumut River from those of the Goodradigbee River; thence by that range, and the ranges dividing the waters of the Murrumbidgee, Eucumbene, and Snowy from those of the Tumut and Murray Rivers generally southerly to the source of the Upper Indi River on the boundary dividing the Colonies of New South Wales and Victoria aforesaid; and thence by that boundary southeasterly, to the point of commencement,—together with all the islands lying off the coast of the district above defined.

No. 14.—ROBERTSON.

Starting at the confluence of Ranter's Creek with the Castlereagh River; and bounded thence by that creek upwards to the south boundary of the parish of Lincoln, county of Lincoln; thence by part of that boundary, and by part of the boundary between the counties of Lincoln and Ewenmar, westerly and south-westerly to Coolbaggie Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the road from Brocklehurst to Warren; thence by that road westerly to Ewenmar Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the boundary between the Burroway and Belgoreen pastoral holdings; thence by that boundary south-westerly to the Macquarie River; thence by that river downwards to the boundary between the counties of Oxley and Narromine; thence by that boundary south-westerly to Boggy Cowal; thence by Boggy Cowal and Backwater Cowal easterly to Wallaby Creek; thence by that creek and Ugumjil Creek upwards to the source of the last-mentioned creek, in the Sappa Bulga Range; thence by that range southerly to the

source of Belowrie Creek; thence by that creek and Whylandra Creek downwards to the road from Dubbo to Obley; thence by that road southerly to the Little River; thence by that river downwards to Burrawong or Buckinbah Creek; thence by that creek upwards to Loombah Creek; thence by that creek upwards to Googodery Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the south-west corner of portion 106, parish of Catombal, county of Gordon; thence by a line partly forming the southern boundaries of that portion and portion 18 east to the south-east corner of the latter portion; thence by the eastern boundary of that portion north to the south-west corner of portion 80, parish of Cardington; thence by the south and east boundaries of that portion east and north to the south-west corner of portion 81; thence by the south boundaries of that portion and portion 87 east to the south-east corner of the latter portion; thence by a line forming the eastern boundaries of that portion and portion 94 north to the southern boundary of portion 113; thence by the southern and part of the eastern boundary of that portion east and north to the southern head of Two-mile Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the Bell River; thence by that river downwards to Nubrigyn Creek; thence by that creek upwards to a northern boundary of the parish of Warne, county of Wellington; thence by that boundary westerly and by the western boundary of that parish southerly to Larras Lake Creek; thence by that creek upwards to its source in the range dividing the waters flowing into the Macquarie River from those flowing into the Bell River; thence by that range to the source of Curragurra Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the road from Wellington to Ophir; thence by that road southeasterly to Boshe's Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the Macquarie River aforesaid; thence by that river upwards to the Turon River; thence by that river upwards to Cunningham's or Crudine Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the boundary dividing the land districts of Rylstone and Bathurst; thence by that boundary generally south-easterly to the eastern boundary of the parish of Warrangunia, county of Roxburgh; thence by that boundary northerly, and by the south boundary of the parish of Mead easterly to the western boundary of the parish of Clandulla; thence by the western and southern boundaries of that parish southerly and easterly to Capertee or Bogee River; thence by that river downwards to Sir John's Mouth; thence by the range forming the eastern watershed of Umbiella Creek; by that range and the Great Dividing Range northerly to Mount Coricudgy; thence by the range forming the eastern watershed of Blackwater Creek north-easterly and the range dividing the waters of Baerami Creek from Gungalwa and Bureen or Greig's Creek northerly to the southern boundary of the parish of Arndell, county of Hunter; by part of that boundary westerly and the western boundary of that parish northerly to the Goulburn River; by that river downwards to the range dividing the waters of Hall's Creek from Guan Gua and Wybong Creeks; by that range northerly and the Liverpool Range westerly to the source of Coolah Creek; by that creek and the Coolaburragundy and Talbragar Rivers downwards to the road from Dunedoo to Merrygoen; thence by that road to Merrygoen Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the south-east corner of portion 78, parish of Mendooran, county of Napier; thence by a line partly forming the east boundaries of that portion and portion 79 north to the Castlereagh River; and thence by that river downwards, to the point of commencement.

No. 15.—NEWCASTLE.

Commencing at Nobby's Head at the mouth of the Hunter River; and bounded by the Pacific Ocean southerly to a point east of the south-west corner of portion 86 of 15 acres, parish of Wallarah, county of Northumberland; thence by a line to that corner and by the south boundary of that portion and a line west to Budgewoy Creek; thence by that creek to Tuggerah Lake, and by the northern margin of that lake to the south-west corner of R. Henderson's 610 acres; thence by the western boundary of the parish of Wallarah northerly to Lake Macquarie; thence by the western margin of that lake to the mouth of Dora Creek, and by Dora Creek upwards to its source in the Sugarloaf Range:

Range; thence by that range north-easterly to the Great Sugarloaf Mountain; thence by a line west to the west boundary of the population area of Minmi; thence by the western and northern boundaries of that area and the south boundary of portion 21, parish of Hexham, and its continuation to a point south of the south-east corner of portion 17; and thence by a line north partly forming the east boundary of portion 17 to the north-east corner of that portion; thence by the north boundaries of 18 and 19 to the Hunter River; thence by the left bank of that river and the northern shore of Fullarton Cove to the south-east corner of William Russell's, 1,155 acres, parish of Stockton, county of Gloucester; thence by part of the east boundary of that grant and the north boundary of Captain Hollimworth's 1,030 acres, parish of Stockton, and John Smith's 640 acres, parish of Stowell, and by part of the east boundary of the latter portion and the northern boundaries of portions 155, 71, and 72, and their prolongation easterly to the ocean; and thence by the ocean southerly, to the point of commencement.

No. 16.—HUNTER.

Commencing at Yacaaba, the north head of Port Stephens; thence by the northern shore of Port Stephens westerly, and by the left bank of the Karuah and Larpent Rivers upwards to the north boundary of the A.A. Company's 464,640 acres grant; thence by that boundary west and by an east boundary of that grant north to the left bank of Telagaree Brook; thence by that brook and Mammy Johnson's Creek downwards to the junction of Ward's River; thence by that river upwards to the crossing of the road from Stroud to Gloucester; thence by that road northerly to where it crosses the Avon River; thence by that river upwards to its source in the range forming the watershed between the Gloucester and Karuah Rivers; thence by that watershed generally westerly, and the watershed at the head of the Chichester, Williams, Allyn, and Paterson Rivers westerly to Mount Royal Range; thence by that range northerly to the Liverpool Range; thence by that range westerly and south-westerly to the range dividing the waters flowing into Halls' Creek from those flowing into Guan Gua Creek and the Wybong Creek; thence by that range southerly to the Goulburn River; thence by that river upwards to the north-west corner of the parish of Arndell, county of Hunter; thence by the west and part of the south boundary of that parish to the range dividing the waters of Baerami Creek from the waters of Bureen or Greig's Creek and Gungalwa Creek; thence by that range southerly to Mount Monundilla; thence by the range dividing the waters of Baerami or James Creek, Gungalwa Creek, and Doyle's Creek from the waters of the Macdonald River, and by the watershed between Macdonald River and Parson's Creek easterly to the western boundary of the county of Northumberland; thence by that boundary southerly to the junction of Yengo Creek and the Macdonald River; thence by the southern watershed of Yengo Creek and the range forming the southern watershed of Wollombi Brook to Mount McQuoid and the range dividing the waters of the Wollombi Brook from those of Wyong and Mangrove Creeks, and by the range dividing the waters of the Wollombi Brook from those of Dora Creek; thence by the Sugarloaf Range to the Great Sugarloaf Mountain; thence by a line west to the western boundary of the Population Area of Minmi; thence by the western and northern boundaries of that area and the south boundary of portion 21, parish of Hexham, and its continuation to a point south of the south-east corner of portion 17, and thence by a line north, partly forming the east boundary of portion 17, to the north-east corner of that portion, thence by the north boundaries of portions 18 and 19 to the Hunter River; thence by the left bank of that river and the northern shore of Fullarton Cove to the south-eastern corner of William Russell's 1,155 acres, parish of Stockton, county of Gloucester; thence by part of the east boundary of that grant and the north boundaries of Captain Hollinworth's 1,030 acres, parish of Stockton, and John Smith's 640 acres, parish of Stowell, and by part of the east boundary of the latter portion and the northern boundaries of portions 155, 71, and 72, and their prolongation easterly to the ocean; and thence by the ocean northerly, to the point of commencement.

No. 17.—HUME.

Commencing on the boundary dividing the Colonies of New South Wales and Victoria at the source of the Upper Indi River in the range dividing the waters of the Snowy River on the east from those of the Murray River on the west; and bounded thence by that range and the ranges dividing the waters of the Snowy, Eucumbene, Murruinbidgee, and Goodradigbee Rivers from those of the Murray and Tumut, generally northerly to the range dividing the waters of Macpherson's Swamp Creek from Jeremiah Creek, by that range northerly to the Murrumbidgee River, by that river downwards to the junction of Jugiong Creek; thence by the range dividing the waters of Jugiong and Cunningham's Creeks from those of Cooney's and Muttama Creeks north-westerly to the eastern boundary of the municipal district of Wallendbeen at the eastern boundary of portion 690, parish of Cullinga, county of Harden; thence by that municipal boundary southerly, westerly, and generally north-westerly to the range aforesaid at the eastern boundary of portion 350, parish of Jindalee, county of Harden; thence by that range north-westerly to the range dividing the waters of the Lachlan River from those of the Murrumbidgee River; thence by that range westerly to the range dividing the waters of Houlaghan's Creek from those of Billabung and Wantiool Creeks; thence by that range southerly to the watershed of Sandy Creek; thence by the western and southern limits of that watershed southerly and easterly to the Murrumbidgee River; thence by that river upwards to the confluence of Yaven Yaven or Hillas' Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the main south road, by that road southerly to a point east of the north-east corner of portion 53, parish of Yaven, county of Wynyard; thence by a line forming the northern boundaries of that portion and portions 100 and 103 west to the range dividing the waters of the Yaven Yaven Creek from those of Tarcutta Creek; thence by that range north-westerly to a point east of the north-east corner of portion 100, parish of Tarcutta; thence by a line and the north boundary of that portion west to its north-west corner; thence by the western and part of the southern boundary of that portion south and east to a point north of the north-east corner of portion 16; thence by a line partly forming the eastern boundary of that portion south to Tarcutta Creek; thence by that creek upwards to a line forming the north-western boundaries of portions 61, 76, 77, and 78; thence by that line south-westerly to the southern boundary of portion 78; thence by part of that boundary east to the range dividing the waters of Tarcutta Creek from those of Kyeamba and Coreinbob Creeks; thence by that range southerly, via Bijengun Mountains, to the head of Toole's Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the confluence of Kyeamba Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the confluence of O'Brien's Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the northern boundary of the parish of Woomahrigong; thence by part of that boundary generally westerly to the north-east corner of portion 167, parish of Rowan; thence by the eastern and part of the southern boundary of that portion and the eastern boundary of portion 18, parish of Woomahrigong south, west, and again south to the south-east corner of the last-named portion; thence by the southern boundary of that portion and a line west to the range forming the boundary between the counties of Mitchell and Wynyard; thence by that boundary generally along that range westerly and north-westerly, viâ Plum Pudding Hill, to the northern boundary of portion 79, parish of Sandy Creek, county of Mitchell, and along that boundary west to the eastern boundary of portion 156, parish of Uranquintry; thence by part of the eastern and by the southern boundary of that parish southerly and westerly to the south-west corner of portion 44, parish of Sandy Creek; thence by a line west to Sandy Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the southern boundary of the parish of Yarragundry; thence by that boundary generally westerly to the southerninost boundary of the parish of Mundowey; thence by that boundary and a western boundary of that parish west and north to the road from Urana to Wagga Wagga; thence by that road south-westerly to the eastern boundary of portion 18, parish of Bullenbung; thence by that boundary north, and by the northern boundaries of that portion, and portions 5, 16, 17, and 66 west to Bullenbung Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the northern boundary of portion 50, parish of Osborne; thence by a line forming

forming that boundary and the northern boundary of portion 51 westerly to the eastern boundary of portion 41; thence by part of that boundary and the northern and western boundaries and part of the south-western boundary of that portion, north, west, south, and south-easterly to the intersection of the north-easterly prolongation of the southeastern boundary of portion 70; thence by a line, that boundary, the south-eastern boundary of portion 116, and a line south-westerly to the northern boundary of portion 98; thence by part of that boundary west and by the western boundaries of portions 98 and 99 south to the south-west corner of the last-named portion; thence by part of the south-eastern boundary of portion 55 south-westerly to the boundary between the counties of Urana and Mitchell; thence by that county boundary generally north-westerly and westerly to the north-west corner of portion 44, parish of Galore, county of Urana; thence by part of the western boundary of that parish southerly, the northern and western boundaries of the parish of Osborne westerly and generally southerly to Brookong Creek; by that creek downwards to the north-western corner of the parish of Hebden; by the western boundary of that parish generally southerly to Urangeline Creek; by that creek downwards to the north-western corner of the parish of Finlay; by the western boundary of that parish generally southerly to the southern boundary of the county of Urana; by part of that boundary westerly, the western boundaries of the parishes of Mahonga and Osborne, county of Hume, generally southerly, the southern boundary of the parish of Mahonga Forest westerly, the western boundary of the parish of Granville southerly, the northern boundary of the parish of Lowes westerly, the western boundaries of the parishes of Lowes, Buraja, and Corowa, and a line southerly to the left bank of the Murray River; and thence by the left bank of that river upwards, and by the tributory known as the Upper Indi River (forming the boundary dividing the Colonies of New South Wales and Victoria) to the source of that tributary at the starting point.

No. 18.—BLAND.

Starting on the range forming the boundary between the counties of Forbes and Monteagle where it meets the range dividing the waters of the Boorowa River from those of Kooroowatha or Crowther Creek at the source of Morongla Creek; and bounded thence by the last-named range southerly to the range dividing the waters of the Lachlan River from those of the Murrumbidgee River; thence along that range by the boundary dividing the counties of Monteagle and Bland from the counties of Harden and Clarendon, south-westerly, westerly, and northerly to the range dividing the waters of Houlaghan's Creek from those of Billabung and Wantiool Creeks; thence by that range southerly to the watershed of Sandy Creek; thence by the western and southern limits of that watershed southerly and easterly to the Murrumbidgee River; thence by that river upwards to the confluence of Yaven Yaven or Hillas Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the Main South Road; thence by that road southerly to a point east of the north-east corner of portion 53, parish of Yaven, county of Wynyard; thence by a line forming the northern boundaries of that portion and portions 100 and 103 west to the range dividing the waters of the Yaven Yaven Creek from those of Tarcutta Creek; thence by that range north-westerly to a point east of the north-east corner of portion 100, parish of Tarcutta; thence by a line and the north boundary of that portion west to its north-west corner; thence by the western and part of the southern boundary of that portion south and east to a point north of the north-east corner of portion 16; thence by a line partly forming the eastern boundary of that portion south to Tarcutta Creek; thence by that creek upwards to a line forming the north-western boundaries of portions 61, 76, 77, and 78; thence by that line southwesterly to the southern boundary of portion 78; thence by part of that boundary east to the range dividing the waters of Tarcutta Creek from those of Kyeamba and Coreinbob Creeks; thence by that range southerly, viâ Bijengun Mountains, to the head of Toole's Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the confluence of Kyeamba Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the confluence of O'Brien's Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the northern boundary of the parish of Woomahrigong; thence by part of that boundary generally westerly to the north-east corner

of portion 167, parish of Rowan; thence by the eastern and part of the southern boundary of that portion and the eastern boundary of portion 18, parish of Woomahrigong, south, west, and again south to the south-east corner of the last-named portion; thence by the southern boundary of that portion and a line west to the range forming the boundary between the counties of Mitchell and Wynyard; thence by that boundary generally along that range westerly and north-westerly viâ Plum Pudding Hill to the northern boundary of portion 79, parish of Sandy Creek, county of Mitchell, and along that boundary west to the eastern boundary of portion 156, parish of Uranquintry; thence by part of the eastern and by the southern boundary of that parish southerly and westerly to the south-west corner of portion 44, parish of Sandy Creek; thence by a line west to Sandy Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the southern boundary of the parish of Yarragundry; thence by that boundary generally westerly to the southernmost boundary of the parish of Mundowey; thence by that boundary and a western boundary of that parish west and north to the road from Urana to Wagga Wagga; thence by that road south-westerly to the eastern boundary of portion 18, parish of Bullenbung; thence by that boundary north, and by the northern boundaries of that portion, and portions 5, 16, 17, and 66 west to Bullenbung Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the northern boundary of portion 50, parish of Osborne; thence by a line forming that boundary and the northern boundary of portion 51 westerly to the eastern boundary of portion 41; thence by part of that boundary and the northern and western boundaries and part of the south-western boundary of that portion, north, west, south, and south-easterly to the intersection of the north-easterly prolongation of the south-eastern boundary of portion 70, thence by a line, that boundary, the southeastern boundary of portion 116, and a line south-westerly to the northern boundary of portion 98; thence by part of that boundary west and by the western boundaries of portions 98 and 99 south to the south-west corner of the last-named portion; thence by part of the south-eastern boundary of portion 55 south-westerly to the boundary between the counties of Urana and Mitchell; thence by that county boundary generally northwesterly and westerly to the boundary dividing the parishes of Birrego and Faithfull, county of Mitchell; thence by that boundary generally northerly to the boundary dividing the Buckingbong Pastoral Holding from Boree Creek and Brewarrina Pastoral Holdings; thence by that boundary northerly to Sandy Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the road from Sandy Creek to Buckingbong; thence by that road northerly to the Murrumbidgee River; by that river downwards to the west boundary of North Yanko Pastoral Holding, by the western and part of the northern boundary of that holding northerly and easterly and the eastern boundary of North Gogeldrie and part of the eastern boundary of Binya Holding northerly to the northern boundary of Barellan Holding; thence by part of that boundary easterly to the south-eastern corner of portion 1, parish of Dowling, county of Cooper; thence by its eastern boundary and prolongation thereof north to a point 1 mile 70 chains north of the north-eastern corner of that portion; thence a line east to meet the south-eastern prolongation af the northeastern boundary of portion 4, parish of Ariah; thence by a line part of which forms that boundary north-westerly to the south-eastern corner of Nariah Holding; thence by part of the eastern boundary of that holding northerly to Gobothery Range; by that range dividing the counties of Gipps and Dowling northerly to the north boundary of portion 39, parish of Curriba, county of Dowling; thence a line east to the west boundary of the parish of Wollongough, county of Gipps; by part of that boundary north; its north boundary east; part of its east boundary south; the south boundary of the parish of Ugalong east to Humbug Creek; by that creek upwards to the south boundary of parish of Livingstone; by southern and eastern boundaries of that parish generally easterly and northerly; the south and eastern boundaries of parish of Bena east and northerly to the western margin of Lake Cowal; by that margin and Bland Creek southerly and easterly, and by the boundary dividing the land districts of Forbes and Grenfell, generally easterly to the Lachlan River; by that river upwards to Kangarooby Creek; by that creek upwards to its source in the range dividing the waters of Kangarooby and Tyagong Creeks; by that range and the range dividing the waters of the Lachlan River from those of Tyagong and Burrangong Creeks north-easterly and

southerly and by a marked boundary between the counties of Forbes and Monteagle, easterly to Crowther, or Kooroowatha Creek, by that creek downwards to its junction with Bang Bang Creek; by that creek upwards to its source in the range dividing the counties of Forbes and Monteagle, and by that range easterly, to the point of commencement.

No. 19.—CANOBOLAS.

Commencing at the confluence of the Belubula River with the Lachlan River; and bounded thence by the latter river downwards to its intersection with the boundary dividing the Land Districts of Forbes and Grenfell; by that boundary generally westerly to Bland or Yeo Yeo Creek; by that creek and the western margin of Lake Cowal generally north-westerly to the eastern boundary of the parish of Bena, county of Gipps; by that boundary southerly, its south boundary westerly, by eastern and southern boundaries of the parish of Livingstone generally southerly and westerly to Humbug Creek; by that creek downwards to the south boundary of the parish of Ugalong; by the south and part of the west boundary of that parish westerly and northerly, the north and part of the west boundary of the parish of Wollongough westerly and southerly, and a line and part of the north boundary of portion 39, parish of Curriba, county of Dowling, west to the range dividing the counties of Dowling and Gipps; by that range northerly to Lachlan River; by that river downwards and the boundary dividing the counties of Cunningham and Blaxland north-westerly to the boundary dividing the counties of Flinders and Cunningham; by that boundary southeasterly and the boundary between the Land Districts of Nyngan and Parkes generally north-easterly to the Bogan River; thence by the boundary between the counties of Oxley and Narromine north-easterly to the Boggy Cowal; by that Cowal and Backwater Cowal easterly to Wallaby Creek; by that creek and Ugumjil Creek upwards to the source of the last-mentioned creek in the Sappa Bulga Range; by that range southerly to the source of the Belowrie Creek; by that creek and Whylandra Creek downwards to the road from Dubbo to Obley; thence by that road southerly to the Little River; thence by that river downwards to Burrawong or Buckinbah Creek; thence by that creek upwards to Loombah Creek; thence by that creek upwards to Googoderry Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the south-west corner of portion 106, parish of Catombal, county of Gordon; thence by a line partly forming the southern boundaries of that portion and portion 18 east to the south-east corner of the latter portion; thence by the eastern boundary of that portion north to the south-west corner of portion 80, parish of Cardingon; thence by the south and east boundaries of that portion east and north to the south-west corner of portion 81; thence by the south boundaries of that portion and portion 87 east to the south-east corner of the latter portion; thence by a line forming the eastern boundaries of that portion and portion 94 north to the southern boundary of portion 113; thence by part of the southern and part of the eastern boundary of that portion east and north to the southern head of Two-mile Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the Bell River; thence by that river downwards to Nubrygyn Creek; thence by that creek upwards to a northern boundary of the parish of Warne, county of Wellington; thence by that boundary westerly and by the western boundary of that parish southerly to Larras Lake Creek; thence by that creek upwards to its source in the range dividing the waters flowing into the Macquarie River from those flowing into the Bell River; thence by that range to the source of Curragurra Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the road from Wellington to Ophir; thence by that road south-easterly to Boshe's Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the Macquaric River; and thence by that river upwards to the confluence of the Swallow Creek; and thence by Swallow Creek and Long Swamp Creek upwards to the boundary between the parishes of Byng and Colville, county of Bathurst; thence by that boundary westerly, and by the boundary between the parishes of Colville and Shadforth southerly, and by the northern boundary of the parish of Graham westerly, to the road from Millthorpe to Carcoar; thence by that road southerly to the southern boundary of the parish of Benerce; thence by that boundary westerly to Flyer's Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the southern boundary of the parish of Waldegrave; thence by that boundary and the southern boundary of the parish of Clarendon westerly to the Panuara القارات والمعافلا فينجاف والمحارا والانتاق والمساور والمساور

Rivulet; by that rivulet downwards to its confluence with the Belubula River, and thence to the western boundary of portion 4, parish of Collett, county of Ashburnham; thence by that boundary north and the northern boundary of that portion east to the north-east corner of that portion; thence by a line northerly to the south-east corner of portion 59; thence by the south boundary of that portion and portion 67 westerly to the east boundary of portion 38; thence by part of that boundary southerly, the southern boundary of that portion south-westerly, westerly, and north-westerly, and part of the western boundary westerly to the southernmost boundary of portion 94; thence by part of that boundary westerly to a point north of the north-east corner of portion 152; thence by a line forming the eastern boundaries of portions 152, 153, and 60 southerly to the north-east corner of portion 92; thence by the northern boundaries of that portion and portion 11 westerly, and by the western boundary of the latter portion southerly to the Belubula River; thence by that river downwards to the starting point.

No. 20.—COWPER.

Commencing at "Yacaaba," the north head of Port Stephens; thence by the northern shore of Port Stephens westerly, and by the left bank of the Karuah and Larpent Rivers upwards to a north boundary of the Australian Agricultural Company's 464,640 acres grant; thence by that north boundary west, and by an east boundary of that grant north to the left bank of Telagaree Brook; thence by that brook and Mammy Johnson's Creek downwards to the junction of Ward's River; thence by that river upwards to the crossing of the road Stroud to Gloucester; thence by that road northerly to where it crosses the Avon River; and thence by that river upwards to its source in the range forming the watershed between the Gloucester and Karuah Rivers; thence by that watershed generally westerly, and the watershed at the head of the Chichester, Williams, Allyn, and Patterson Rivers westerly to the Mount Royal Range; thence by that range northerly to the Great Dividing Range; thence by that range northerly to the range dividing the waters of Tuggolo Creek and the Barnard River, and thence by that range to the junction of Back Creek with Tuggolo Creek at a tree marked A over 91; thence by Tuggolo Creek and Myall River downwards to the south-west corner of portion 4, parish of Togalo, county of Hawes; thence along the south boundary of that portion east to the road from Nowendoc to Giro; thence by that road northerly to the P.G.K. tree on that road; thence by a marked line north-easterly to the Nowendoc River, and by that river downwards to its junction with the Cooplacurripa River; thence by the boundary dividing the counties of Macquarie and Hawes generally northerly to Rowley's River, and by that river and Cell's River upwards to its source, and a marked line north to the road from Walcha to Port Macquarie; thence by that road generally easterly to the west boundary of portion 7, parish of Debenham, county of Macquarie; thence by the west boundary of that portion north to Ralfe's Rivulet; thence by that rivulet downwards to the Hastings River; thence by that river upwards to its source, and the boundary between the counties of Macquarie and Vernon (being the range dividing the waters of the Yarrowitch River from the Hastings River) northerly and easterly to the source of Kunderang Brook; thence by that brook downwards to the Macleay River; thence by that river upwards to the Chandler River; thence by that river upwards to the south boundary of the parish of Poganbilla, county of Clarke; thence by that boundary east to Oaky River; thence by that river upwards to the south boundary of the parish of Serpentine; thence by that boundary east to the Styx River; thence by that river upwards to the range forming the boundary between the counties of Raleigh and Clarke; thence by that range northerly and by the Guy Fawkes River downwards to the Boyd or Little River; thence by that river downwards to Razorback Creek; thence by that creek upwards to its source; thence a line westerly to the source of Roger Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the Henry River; thence by that river upwards to the west boundary of the parish of Newton Boyd, county of Gresham; thence by the west and north-west boundaries of that parish north and north-easterly to the range forming the boundary between the counties of Gough and Prake, and thence by that range north and north-westerly to the Gibraltar Range; thence by that range generally north to the range dividing the waters of the Clarence

River from those of the Timbarra or Rocky River; thence by that range and Nogrigar Creek downwards to the Clarence River; thence by that river downwards to Dubadar or Deep Creek; thence by that creek upwards to its source, and by the range south-easterly by Mount Neville and by Mount Marsh to the Richmond Range; and thence by that range easterly, northerly, and again easterly to the South Pacific Ocean; and thence by the ocean southerly to the starting point,—together with all the islands lying off the coast of the district above defined.

No. 21.—NEW ENGLAND.

Starting at the junction of Glen or Robertson's Creek with the Beardy River; and thence by Swamp Oak Creek upwards to its source; thence by the boundary between the counties of Gough and Arrawatta generally southerly crossing the Severn River, and by the range forming the watershed between the Viver's or King's Plains and Wellingrove Creeks and the Mitchell and Macintyre Rivers southerly to the boundary of the counties of Gough and Hardinge (being the range dividing the waters of Moredun Creek from Graham's Valley Creek); thence by that boundary westerly to the road from Bundarra to Inverell; thence by that road southerly to Cope's Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the Gwydir or Big River; thence southerly along the range forming the boundary between the counties of Murchison and Hardinge to Mt. Drummond; thence by the Nandewar Range, south-westerly to the range dividing the counties of Darling and Nandewar, and forming the watershed between the Manilla River and Maule's Creek; and thence by that range and the range dividing the waters falling into the Tulcumbah Creek from those falling into the Borah, Wongo, and Halla Linga Creeks south-easterly and southerly to the northern boundary of portion 133, parish of Tulcumbah, county of Nandewar; thence by the boundary dividing the counties of Nandewar and Darling generally southerly to the Namoi River; thence by that river and Peel River upwards to the eastern boundary of the parish of Carroll, county of Buckland; thence by that boundary southerly to the road from Carroll to Somerton; thence by that road north-easterly to the range forming the boundary between the counties of Buckland and Parry; thence by that range south-easterly to the range dividing the waters of Sandy Creek and Mountain Creek from those of Currabubula Creek; thence by that range southerly to the east boundary of the parish of Babbinboon, county Buckland; thence by that boundary and the east boundary of the parish of Denver and the boundary between the parishes of Mooki and Clift southerly to the northern boundary of Breeza Pastoral Holding; thence by that boundary westerly to the road from Lake Goran to Curlewis; thence by that road south-westerly to the north extremity of the west boundary of portion 47, parish of Nea, county of Pottinger; thence by that west boundary south, its south boundary, and part of the south boundary of portion 46 easterly to a point north of the north-east corner of portion 3; thence by a line south partly formed by the east boundaries of portions 3, 4, 5, and 18, to the south-east corner of the last-named portion; thence by the south boundary of portion 18 and part of the south boundary of portion 1 west to a point due north of the northern corner of portion 144, parish of Brothers, county of Pottinger; thence by a line south, partly formed by the east boundaries of portions 144, 143, 142, 161, 141, 90, 62, 59, 71, 83, and 89, to the south-east corner of the last-mentioned portion; thence by part of the south boundary of that portion west, by the easternmost boundary of portion 105, parish of Coolanbilla, by part of a south boundary of that portion west, a line, and the west boundaries of portion 17 and 16 south to the north boundary of portion 24; thence by part of the north boundary of that portion west and the west boundaries of that portion and portion 19 south to the road from Bundella to Walhallow; thence by that road south-westerly to the east boundary of Trinkey Pastoral Holding; thence by the east boundary of that holding southerly, and by the south boundary of that holding westerly to Coomoo Coomoo Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the road from Blackville to Bundella; thence by that road south-easterly to Yarraman Creek; thence by that creek upwards to its source in the Liverpool or Great Dividing Range; thence by that range easterly and north-easterly, and again northerly to the range dividing the waters of Tuggolo Creek and the Barnard

Barnard River; and thence by that range to the junction of Back Creek with Tuggolo Creek at a tree marked A over 91; thence by Tuggolo Creek and Myall River downwards to the south-west corner of portion 4, parish of Togalo, county of Hawes; thence along the south boundary of that portion east to the road from Nowendoc to Giro; thence by that road northerly to the P.G.K. tree on that road; thence by marked line north-easterly to the Nowendoc River, and by that river downwards to its junction with the Cooplacurripa River; thence by the boundary dividing the counties of Macquarie and Hawes generally northerly to Rowley's River, and by that river and Cell's River upwards to its source, and a marked line north to the road from Walcha to Port Macquarie; thence by that road generally easterly to the west boundary of portion 7, parish of Debenham, county of Macquarie; thence by the west boundary of that portion north to Ralfe's Rivulet; thence by that rivulet downwards to the Hastings River: thence by that river upwards to its source, and by the boundary between the counties of Macquarie and Vernon, being the range dividing the waters of the Yarrowitch River from the Hastings River northerly and easterly to the source of Kunderange Brook; thence by that brook downwards to the Macleay River; thence by that river upwards to the Chandler River; thence by that river upwards to the south boundary of the parish of Poganbilla, county Clarke; thence by that boundary east to Oaky River; thence by that river upwards to the south boundary of the parish of Serpentine; thence by that boundary east to the Styx River; thence by that river upwards to the range forming the boundary between the counties of Raleigh and Clarke; thence by that range northerly, and by the Guy Fawkes River downwards to the Boyd or Little River; thence by that river downwards to Razorback Creek; thence by that creek upwards to its source; thence a line westerly to the source of Roger Creek; thence by that creek downwards to Henry River; thence by that river upwards to the west boundary of the parish of Newton Boyd, county of Gresham; thence by the west and north-west boundaries of that parish north and north-easterly to the range forming the boundary between the counties of Gough and Drake; thence by that range north and north-westerly to Gibraltar Range; and thence by that range northerly to the source of Keyes' or Pheasant Creek; thence by that creek and the Rocky River downwards to Morven Creek; thence by Morven Creek upwards to its source, and thence by the range forming the boundary between the counties of Clive and Gough southerly to the range dividing the waters of the Severn River from those of the Deepwater River; thence by that range westerly and northerly to the range dividing the waters of Glen or Robertson's Creek from those of the Deepwater River; thence by that range northerly to the road from Tent Hill to Deepwater; thence by that road westerly to the west boundary of portion 52, parish of Wellington Vale, county of Gough; thence by part of that boundary northerly to Glen or Robertson's Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the Beardy River, being the starting point.

No. 22.—GWYDIR.

Starting on the Liverpool or Great Dividing Range at the source of Yarraman Creek; thence westerly along that range to the source of Coolah Creek; thence by that creek and the Coolaburragundy and Talbragar Rivers downwards to the crossing of the road from Merrygoen to Dunedoo; thence by that road north-westerly to Merrygoen Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the east boundary of portion 78, parish of Mendooran, county of Napier; thence by a line partly forming the east boundary of that portion and portion 79 northerly to the Castlereagh River; thence by that river downwards to the junction of Wallumburrawang Creek; thence by that creek upwards to its source; thence by the range forming the eastern boundary of Gumin Gumin Pastoral Holding northerly to the range forming the boundary between the counties of Baradine, Leichhardt, and Gowen; thence by that range northerly to Square Top Mountain; thence by the western boundary of Goorianawa Pastoral Holding northerly to Terembone or Teridgerie Creek; thence by that creek downwards

downwards to the road Coonamble to Pilliga; thence by that road south-westerly to Gunyillah or Weetaliba Creek; thence by that creek and Tourable or Bullarora Creek downwards to the Castlereagh River; thence by that river downwards to Nedgera Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the north-western boundary of West Gungalman Pastoral Holding; thence by that boundary and the north-western boundary of Quabathoo Pastoral Holding south-westerly, and by a western boundary of the lastmentioned holding southerly, and a northern boundary of that holding westerly to a south-eastern boundary of the county of Clyde; thence by that boundary southwesterly to the Macquarie River; thence by that river downwards to the Darling or Barwon River; thence by that river upwards to the boundary between the counties of Finch and Narran; thence by that boundary generally northerly to the western shore of Lake Narran; thence by that shore north-easterly to the Narran River; thence by that river upwards to the north boundary of the Colony; thence by the 29th parallel easterly to the Barwon River; thence by that river, the Macintyre and Dumaresq Rivers upwards to the junction of the Beardy River; thence by that river upwards to the junction of Glen or Robertson's Creek; thence by Swamp Oak Creek upwards to its source; thence by the boundary between the counties of Gough and Arrawatta, generally southerly, crossing the Severn River, and by the range forming the watershed between the Vivers or King's Plains and Wellingrove Creeks and the Mitchell and Macintyre Rivers southerly, and by the range forming the boundary between the counties of Gough and Hardinge westerly to the road from Bundarra to Inverell; thence by that road southerly to Cope's Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the Gwydir or Big River; thence southerly by the range forming the boundary between the counties of Murchison and Hardinge to Mount Drummond: thence south-westerly by the Nandewar Range forming the boundary between the counties of Murchison and Darling to the range forming the watershed between Maule's Creek and the Manilla River; thence south-easterly along that range which divides the waters of Tulcumbah Creek and the Manilla River; thence by the range dividing the waters falling into the Tulcumbah Creek from those falling into the Borah, Wonga, and Hall Linga Creeks south-easterly and southerly to the northern boundary of portion 133, parish of Tulcumbah, county of Nandewar; thence by the boundary dividing the counties of Nandewar and Darling generally southerly to the Namoi River; thence upwards by that river and the Peel River to the eastern boundary of the parish of Carroll, county of Buckland; thence by that boundary south to the road from Carroll to Somerton; thence by that road north-easterly to the range forming the boundary between the counties of Buckland and Parry; thence by that range south-easterly to the range dividing the waters of Sandy and Mountain Creeks from Currabubula Creek; thence by that range south-easterly to the east boundary of the parish of Babbinboon, county of Buckland; thence by that boundary and the east boundary of the parish of Denver and part of the west boundary of parish of Clift southerly to the northern boundary of Breeza Pastoral Holding; thence by that boundary westerly to the road from Lake Goran to Curlewis; thence by that road south-westerly to the north extremity of the west boundary of portion 47, parish of Nea, county of Pottinger; thence by the west boundary of that portion south, its south boundary and part of the south boundary of portion 46 easterly to a point due north of the north-east corner of portion 3; thence a line partly forming the east boundaries of portion 3, 4, 5, and 18 south; thence along the south boundary of the last-named portion and part of the south boundary of portion 1 west, to a point due north of the northern corner of portion 144, parish of Brothers, county of Pottinger; thence by a line partly forming the cast boundaries of portions 144, 143, 142, 161, 141, 90, 62, 59, 71, 83, and 89 south, and part of the south boundary of the lastnamed portion west, to a point north of the north-east corner of portion 105, parish of Coolanbilla; thence by the easternmost boundary of that portion south, part of a south boundary west, and a line partly forming the west boundaries of portions 17 and 16 south to the north boundary of portion 24; thence by part of that boundary west, and by the west boundaries of that portion and portion 19 south, to the road from Bundella to Walhallow; thence by that road south-westerly to the east boundary of Trinkey Pastoral Holding; thence by that boundary southerly and

by part of the south boundary of that holding westerly to Coomoo Coomoo Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the road from Blackville to Bundella; thence by that road south-easterly to Yarraman Creek; thence by that creek upwards to its source in the Liverpool Range, which is the starting point.

No. 23.—RICHMOND.

Starting on the South Pacific Ocean at Point Danger; and bounded thence by the boundary dividing the Colonies of New South Wales and Queensland south-westerly to the junction of the Beardy River with the Dumaresq River; thence by the Beardy River upwards to Glen or Robertson's Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the western boundary of portion No. 52, parish of Wellington Vale, county of Gough; thence by part of that boundary southerly to the road from Tent Hill to Deepwater; thence by that road generally easterly to the range dividing the waters of Glen or Robertson's Creek from those of the Deepwater River; thence by that range southerly to the range dividing the waters of the Severn River from those of the Deepwater River; thence by that range southerly and easterly to the range forming the boundary between the counties of Clive and Gough; thence by that range northerly to the source of Morven Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the Rocky River, and by that river and Keyes' or Pheasant Creek upwards to its source in the Gibraltar Range; thence by that range generally northerly to the range dividing the waters of the Clarence River from those of the Timbarra or Rocky River; thence by that range and Nogrigar Creek downwards to the Clarence River; thence by that river downwards to Dubadar or Deep Creek; thence by that creek upwards to its source, and by the range south-easterly, by Mount Neville, and by Mount Marsh to the Richmond Range; and thence by that range easterly, northerly, and again easterly to the ocean; thence by the ocean northerly to the starting point,-together with all the islands lying off the coast of the district above defined.

No. 24.—DARLING.

Commencing at the intersection of Narran River with the boundary dividing the Colonies of New South Wales and Queensland; and bounded thence by Narran River upwards to the western shore of Narran Lake; thence by part of that shore southerly to the boundary dividing the counties of Finch and Narran; thence by that boundary generally southerly to the Darling or Barwon River; thence by that river downwards to the junction with the Macquarie River; thence by that river upwards to the boundary dividing the counties of Gregory and Clyde; thence by part of that boundary northeasterly to the northern boundary of Quabathoo Pastoral Holding; thence by part of that boundary easterly, by the western boundary northerly, by the north-western boundary of that holding, and the north-western boundary of the West Gungalman Pastoral Holding north-easterly to Nedgera Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the Castlereagh River; thence by that river upwards to Bullarora or Tourable Creek; thence by that creek upwards to Gunyillah Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the crossing of the road from Coonamble to Pilliga; thence by that road north-easterly to Terembone or Teridgere Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the western boundary of Goorianawa Pastoral Holding; thence by that boundary southerly to Square Top Mountain on the boundary dividing the counties of Baradine and Leichhardt; thence by that boundary and the range forming the boundary between the counties of Baradine and Gowen generally southerly to the range forming the eastern boundary of Gumin Gumin Pastoral Holding; thence by that range southerly to the source of Wallamburrawang Creek; thence by that creek downwards to its confluence with Castlereagh River; thence by that river upwards to Ranter's Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the south boundary of the parish of Lincoln, county of Lincoln; thence by part of that boundary and by part of the boundary between the counties of Ewenmar and Lincoln westerly and south-westerly to Coolbaggie Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the road from Brocklehurst to Warren; thence by that road westerly

westerly to Ewenmar Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the boundary between the Burraway and Belgoreen Pastoral Holdings; thence by that boundary south-westerly to the Macquarie River; thence by that river downwards to the boundary between the counties of Oxley and Narromine; by that boundary south-westerly to Bogan River; by part of that river upwards to the boundary dividing the land districts of Parkes and Nyngan; thence by that boundary generally southerly, westerly, and southerly to the range dividing the counties of Flinders and Cunningham; thence by that range to the east boundary of the county of Mouramba, by part of that boundary and the boundary dividing the county of Mouramba from the counties of Blaxland and Mossgiel; thence by the boundary dividing the county of Woore from the counties of Mossgiel and Manara, to the boundary between Mount Manara and Marfield Pastoral Holdings: thence by that boundary north, the north-eastern boundary of that holding north-westerly, and by the south-eastern boundaries of Mount Manara, Baden Park, and Fulham Pastoral Holdings, north-easterly to the eastern corner of the last-mentioned holding; thence by the north-eastern boundary of Fulham Pastoral Holding aforesaid north-westerly to the south-eastern boundary of Cultowa Pastoral Holding; thence by that boundary north-easterly, and the north-eastern, north-western, and again the northeastern boundary (the latter being part of the south-western boundary of the county of Rankin), north-westerly to Darling River; thence by that river upwards to the boundary dividing the county of Landsborough from the county of Killara; and by that boundary north-westerly to the Paroo River; thence by that river upwards to the boundary dividing the county of Ularara from the county of Fitzgerald; thence by a part of that boundary, which forms part of the southern boundary of Nocoleche Pastoral Holding. west to the western boundary of that holding; and thence by that boundary and the western boundaries of the Wamaaring, Tinpagee, and Talycale Pastoral Holdings generally northerly to the boundary dividing the Colonies of New South Wales and Queensland; and thence by that boundary east, to the point of commencement.

No. 25.—RIVERINA.

Commencing on the left bank of the Murray River, at the south-west corner of the Colony of New South Wales; and bounded thence by that bank of that river upwards to its intersection with the prolongation of the boundary dividing the parishes of Collendina and Corowa, county of Hume; thence northerly by that prolongation and the boundaries dividing the parishes of Collendina, Sandy Ridges, Gray, and Billabung Forest, from the parishes of Corowa, Buraja, and Lowes (and crossing Twelve-mile Creek) to the south boundary of the parish of Gordon, by part of that boundary east to its south-east corner; thence northerly by the boundary dividing the parishes of Gordon and Granville to Coreen Creek; thence crossing that creek northerly by the eastern boundary of the parish of Wilson to the south-west corner of parish of Mahonga Forest; thence easterly by the southern boundary of that parish to the western boundary of the parish of Osborne; thence by that boundary northerly to Billabong Creek; thence crossing that creek northerly by the boundary dividing the parishes of Rand and Mahonga to the boundary dividing the counties of Hume and Urana; thence by part of that boundary easterly to the south-west corner of the parish of Finlay, county of Urana; thence by the western boundary of that parish northerly to Urana or Urangeline Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the eastern boundary of the parish of Brookong; thence by that boundary northerly to Brookong Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the west boundary of the parish of Osborne; thence by the west, south, again west, and north boundary of that parish to the west boundary of the parish of Galore; and thence by that boundary northerly to the boundary dividing the counties of Urana and Mitchell; thence by that county boundary generally north-westerly and westerly to the boundary dividing the parishes of Birrego and Faithfull, county of Mitchell; thence by that boundary generally northerly to the boundary dividing the Buckingbong Pastoral Holding from Borce Creek and Brewarrina Pastoral Holdings; thence by that boundary northerly to Sandy Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the road from Sandy Creek to Buckingbong; thence

by that road northerly to the Murrumbidgee River; thence by that river downwards to the west boundary of North Yanko Pastoral Holding; thence by that boundary northerly, part of its north boundary easterly, to the south-east corner of North Gogeldrie Pastoral Holding; thence by the east boundary of that holding and part of the east boundary of Binya Pastoral Holding northerly to the northern boundary of Barellan Pastoral Holding; thence by that boundary east to the south-eastern corner of portion 1, parish of Dowling, county of Cooper; thence by its eastern boundary and the prolongation thereof northerly to a point 1 mile and 70 chains north from the north-eastern corner of that portion; thence a line east to meet the south-eastern prolongation of the north-eastern boundary of portion 4, parish of Ariah; thence by a line part of which forms that boundary north-westerly to the southern extremity of the eastern boundary of Nariah Holding, by that boundary northerly to Gobothery Range; thence by that range, viâ the Monument and Gorman's Hill, and dividing the counties of Gipps and Dowling, northerly to Lachlan River; thence by that river downwards to the boundary dividing the counties of Cunningham and Blaxland; thence by that boundary north-westerly; thence by the boundary dividing the county of Mouramba from the counties of Blaxland and Mossgiel westerly; thence by the boundary dividing the county of Woore from the counties of Mossgiel and Manara to the road from Ivanhoe to Wilcannia; thence by that road north-westerly to the south boundary of Billila Pastoral Holding; thence by that boundary westerly to the Darling River; thence by that river downwards to the east boundary of the county of Tandora; thence by that county boundary northerly and its north-eastern boundary north-westerly to the easternmost corner of Glenlyon Pastoral Holding; thence by a south-east boundary of that pastoral holding south-westerly to the north boundary of Kinchega Pastoral Holding; thence by the boundary dividing that holding from Glenlyon, Topar, and Mount Gipps Pastoral Holdings westerly to the eastern boundary of Homestead Lease No. 91-8; thence by that boundary southerly to Stephens Creek; thence by that creek downwards to the south boundary of the county of Yancowinna; thence by part of that boundary westerly to its intersection with the south boundary of Kinchega Pastoral Holding; thence by parts of the south and west boundaries of that holding west and north to the south boundary of the county of Yancowinna aforesaid; thence by that county boundary westerly to the boundary dividing the Colonies of New South Wales and South Australia; and thence by that boundary south, to the point of commencement.

No. 26.—BARRIER.

Commencing at the north-west corner of the Colony of New South Wales; and bounded thence by the western boundary of the Colony south to the south-west corner of the county of Yancowinna; and bounded thence by part of the south boundary of that county easterly to the western boundary of Kinchega Pastoral Holding; thence by part of that boundary southerly, and by part of the southern boundary of that holding easterly to its intersection with the south boundary of the county of Yancowinna; thence by part of that boundary easterly to Stephens Creek; thence by that creek upwards to the east boundary of Homestead Lease No. 91-8; thence by that boundary northerly to the south boundary of Mount Gipps Pastoral Holding, by the south boundary of that holding and the south boundary of Topar and Glenlyon Pastoral Holdings easterly to the south-east corner of the last-named holding; thence by the south-eastern boundary of that holding to the south-western boundary of the county of Young; thence by that boundary south-easterly and southerly to Darling River; thence by that river upwards to the south boundary of Billila Pastoral Holding; thence by that boundary easterly to the road from Wilcannia to Ivanhoe; thence by that road south-easterly to the northern boundary of the county of Manara; thence by that county boundary easterly to the east boundary of Mount Manara Pastoral Holding; thence by part of that boundary north, the north-eastern boundary of that holding northwesterly, by the south-eastern boundaries of Mount Manara, Baden Park, and Fulham Pastoral Holdings, north-easterly to the eastern corner of the last-mentioned holding;

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thence by the north-eastern boundary of Fulham Pastoral Holding aforesaid north-westerly to the south-eastern boundary of Cultowa Pastoral Holding; thence by that boundary north-easterly, and the north-eastern, north-western, and again the north-eastern boundary (the latter being part of the south-western boundary of the county of Rankin), north-westerly to Darling River; thence by that river upwards to the boundary dividing the county of Landsboroguh from the county of Killara, and by that boundary north-westerly to the Paroo River; thence by that river upwards to the boundary dividing the county of Landsborough from the county of Killara, and by that boundary boundary which forms part of the southern boundary of Nocoleche Pastoral Holding west to the western boundary of that holding, and thence by that boundary and the western boundaries of the Wanaaring, Tinapagee, and Talyeale Pastoral Holdings, generally northerly to the boundary dividing the Colonies of New South Wales and Queensland; and thence by that boundary west, to the point of commencement.