Sydney, Australia
Despatches from U.S. Consul, Sydney, N.S.W. 904-M 173 R1
1836-1906 Register & Deed, 1836-1856
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S.H. WILLIAMS

To Sec State -

From Bridges -
Oct 14, 1836. To see State, transmitting letter from Sam Bridges, Oct 9th, requesting new receipt for B. I. 10 oz. of 'exaggeration' further seen which he cannot act. 2. Amer. wheels & other business.

From W. W. -
Jan 20, 1838. From Boston to see State. Am. in U.S. no exaggeration.

Apr 26, 1838. - Receipt of seal - spelled Sidney.

Sept 1, 1838. - From Boston - bond - leaving aboard Tullub Sept 5th.

Feb 19, 1839. - Sydney - am. 4. Sam. receipt of exaggeration.

Apr 15, 1839. - No arrivals of Amer. ships.

Note: Deep. # 1 & 2 missing 1925. [P.S. above 2 Deep]

July 1, 1839. - 3 Amer. ships in quarantine; Colonial officers desire increased

Oct 10, 1839. - NZ at B.C. Conveyance; Tobacco prices want increased duty on imported products; try to get back-harvesting system in

Jan 1, 1840. - U.S. limit. Trade limited far anticipating his growing, if 27.07.

Jan 11, 1840 - J.W. & Col. Sec. regarding falling of Amer. Despatches.

Jan 13, 1840. - J.W. & Col. Sec. Regarding legality of above.

Jan 17, 1840. - Col. Sec. O N.W. - Sorry but no authority to supply holding despatches.

Apr 11, 1840. - Expedition still in area. N.Z. taken by Aust. Troops from N.S.W.

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Feb. 23, 1841 - Transmit letter from U.S. Govt. to Rev. Webster in N.Z.

Aug. 29, 1841 - R. Burtt, Phila to see State requesting name of U.S. consul, Sydney.

Map of Firth of the Thames by Wm. Webster resident in Coromandel Harbor since 1835 showing land purchased by him. Letter from Webster, Nov. 4, 1840 - writers of land & fruit effort to make Thames estuary receive land through Col. Sec. in Sydney. Comments on proportion of U.S. shipping in area.

July 13, 1841 - Returns. Fees $43.00 for San. & N. 10 ships.

Jan. 1842 - 1/2 yr returns 78 ships. Fees $50.75. Commerce of country depressed. Demand for wool down. 20,000 immigrants to N.S. Good relations w/officials. Requests U.S. grant for education & land in Col. Sec. Copy of Circulars, duty - needs replacement.

Apr. 5, 1842 - 2 ships in w/cargo from U.S. Trade improving.

May 30, 1842 - 1/2 yr returns 6 ships. Fees $54.50.

Dec. 28, 1842 - To Colonial Sec. Details of arrival of Capt. Harris of Sheringham & Isambard - Hope & Ocean &c. Local authorities unable to proceed.

Dec. 31, 1842 - Returns 6 ships. Fees $45.75.


July 13, 1843 - Report of fees $46.70. Prospect in arms goods poor due to

Oct. 10, 1843 - New order allowing foreign vessels to sell off all supplies & repairs, &c. Transhipment oil on every neutral vessel due to remittance of port charges other than piloting.


Returns 6 ships. Fees $66.50. Report on wages in Sydney & rates of exchange compared to U.S.
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1 July 1844 - Return 9 ships - Fees $110.25 Relief $114.31

1 Jan 1845 - All port charges on foreign vessels & acts - as of 20 Dec.
Retain 6 ships - Fees 52.25

1 July 1845 - Business better - 2 ships - Fees $28.80

1 Oct 1845 - Advocate arms, oil sold to Colony - rewrite cargo & framing adjusted - cut out long journey out home.
Appr. Asking of Sam Brown as U.C. Fremantle - does not know him.

1 Oct 1845 - Transmits letter to him from J.S. Williams, N.Z.
Comments on practice of sending ships unladen seamen home completed to another at great expense. Could not expect that nice he has been in Sydney only 2 ships have gone directly to the S. W. & are bound for fishing grounds on East Indies. Seamen sent to Sydney might be on U.S. payroll for years before an opportunity comes to land there home - he wishes to arrange for them to earn their way.

29 Sept 1845 - To S.B. Williams stating he knows of no U.S. law providing for transfer of seamen from one consulate to another and he will refuse to accept same in future unless writ. from Dept.

1 Jan 1846 - Defend position on detained seamen seeks arrest on definition of law. 11 ships - Fees $132.75

1 July 1846 - Arms, trade declining - Fees $256.50 - 25 ships. Attitude this is partial failure of N.W. fishing and lack of supplies in Sandwich Str.

16 Sept 1846 - J.R. Murray, Collector of Customs, New London, inquiry as to papers of Chelsea wrecked on Chatham Island Feb. 1845


1 Jan 1847 - Covers, of Capt. C. J. O., on right of local mercantile to adjudicate in cases between officers & men of armed ships in port. Transaction & 2 ships - $245. Fees $245 - not recalling - both U.S. But law may apply. Transmits opinion to law office on particular case of assault of armed men on another ship - ship Ocean.


15 July 1847 - To reply & request for instructions - Fees $456.50 - 32 ships

10 Oct. 1847 - Transmits register of Chelsea - Capt. Solis had pledged register as security on bill of exchange which was dishonored. From Dept. orders court action in Colony.

4 Nov. 1847 - Relief $729.70

1 Jan 1848 - Suggest uniformity of shipping articles - not then in force.
23 ships - Fees $380.85
54 Williams unless otherwise indicated

June from Cns. Sydney - M.173 R1

15 July 1848 - Fees $366.00 16 ships.

1 Jan. 1849 - Fees $452.25 20 ships.

25 July 1849 - Repairs & supply of ships good & new crews can be obtained. A good supply of coal - immigration & calif - 13 ships - Fees $205.00.

1 Jan. 1850 - Immigration to calif. All but west merchandise going there Fees $195.50 15 ships.

Apr. 1850 - Case of seamen aboard Planters shot by Capt. Hughey. Mr. West vessel in port. Capt. allegedly being absent from port. Sydney was news of shooting became public. Plans to return ships later. In accordance with agreement of men & eventually return to U.S. letter of Hughey in S.H.W. & need of presence.

29 May 1850 - Truce. copies of 38 & explains he had request from government. Backed up more now. Did as in Sam but did not pressure either passage due to cost & non being of real value to his family or his country. Explains as policies many think durability.

June 1850 - Fees $342.00 - 18 ships.

18 Dec 1850 - Geo. Hunt, U.S. Attorney - no state or city - on Hughey case.

M.173 - Reel 2 - Williams unless otherwise indicated.

1 Jan. 1851 - Fees $250.00 24 ships.

Apr. 14, 1851 - P.M. Beef Hill of U.S. to see state - instructions being given to P.M. S.F. to make arrangements for Sydney.

31 May 1851 - Discovery of gold in N.S.W. Copies of Sydney Morning Herald may 27 & 29 for gold fields. Vouchers for delivery of articles. Reports mine in U.S.-N.S.W. trade now.

3 Aug. 1851 - Gold discovery working out well. Estimates $5000 people working in gold fields now. He has no trouble with ship's crews as gold will not ruin because unless discharge papers can be shown. In regard to calif., papers conveying story of need for certificate of trade in coming years. were fees men. Williams doubts many will now leave any for calif. and comments on lack of exportable in gold fields here. - Defends Aunts. He was transportation to N.S.W. in 18 years. Must premises settled rent to Van Damme from whom they squared over 800. Council certificate of no value unless based on personal acquaintance. Fees $205. 22 ships.
Deep from Canberra Sydney - 904-M-173 R2

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Sydney 11/51

24 July 1851 - copy of 5 HW to Gov. John MacDougall of Calef. about Gov. Widdowson or Widdowson now in N.S.W. who claiming to have been responsible for 9 HW. Does U.S. want men? Herd coop. supporting letter.

5 Sept. 1851 - since gold discovered in Calef. about 4,000 from N.S.W. left as they often went for unwise & fanciful reasons they went well ahead in Calef. described chances of many who went. All free men. Colony not yet quality of unthinking criminals or U.S. in Calef. N.S.W. not happy at losing settlers. Band of Sydney people by Calef. people unremunerated. Society in colony improved since end of transport. Herd or order preferable in gold fields of Aust. unlike comparable situation in Calef. Those who want to Calef. had been forced & herded enough to collect money for passage. Herd duty bound to discharge U.S. Govt. of wrong doings about people of N.S.W. & hope that finally feeling between Aust. & U.S. will prevail. Those Sydney papers mentioning on affairs in Calef. complaints of vigilante action thus: Reiterated responsibility of giving counterfeit certificates & outlaws passengers. Perhaps a U.S.-Aust. agreement could work something out.

Possibly 35 connection in U.S. in less time than 38 & C. & commercial routes to U.S. Commercial advantages required by actions of U.S. toward Australians. Also U.S. profit in 50.

20 Aug 1851 - 5 HW to Gov. MacDougall - local authorities keeping up on Widdowson. Not the number of Jenkins (aunt) in U.S. authorities may be less cooperative.

Copies of Sydney papers. The Sydney 2.1851 on Vigilance Committee in U.S.

20 Nov. 1851


For N.S.W. may overtake w/ imports as anticipation of rate in pop. Some Americans suffered.

Copy of "Resources of Polynesian" by Mr. S. Early of Sydney sent at request of Savannah & Stadbrooke Island.

Also produce circulars for 1 Nov. 1851 by Math & Bio.

Also letter about Hector death need to prove death before funds can be released in case of children.

1 Jan 1852 - notes of gold. People risking as from Calef. Aust. & U.S. ways of anti-gold feeling due to strikes from Calef. gold fields, infringement Aust. in Calef. news of the aggression to Cuba. Numbers of similar aggression against Sandhurst Islands. Comments also of possibility changes duty. Fees 48.75 - 14 ships.

17 Jan 1852 - asking for more then a mere ask of Deep #33 on ship's papers. Problem serious now as temptation & desert gold fields is great & almost impossible to replace crews. Beaver & Advantage of any loopholes in contracts. Suggestions need for new regulations to control licenses & certificates on deckmen provided when ships men so they will be legally liable & subject to greatest interests of owners. asks act.

Trial of new Mitchell propeller for ships - example of cotton.

Copy of bill of 1852 by NSW to prevent desertions.

Fees $171.75 Ships - 10

Aug. 20, 1852 U.S. Acting for Southern Dist. Cali. & Sea States - will look into Hector disaster & forward to Bishop of N.Z.


Aug. 31, 1852 - Acting Sec. of Treas. & Sea States re. illegality of shipping seamen. Owners must have certified copy of shipping articles - original kept by Collectors of Customs but copy entirely legal in court of law. Similar before Consuls shipping seamen in foreign ports up to Consuls.

Sept. 10, 1852 - D. A. Boker, now of N.Y. asking for name & address of U.S. Cons. Sydney.

25 Dec. 1852 - Trans. Copy of bill passed on preventing desertion of seamen (not in file)

Free restrictions on foreign workmen in gold fields considered illegitimate as used in N.Z. & for labor to develop resources. And publication of provisions in U.S. to stimulate trade in bit over - prevent disappointments in second.

1 Jan. 1853 - Double work license for foreigner's bill may not be enforced - may be rejected. Helps if U.S. Cons. would communicate with govt. on nature. 15 ships. Fees $560.50

23 Feb. 1853 - For Clarke, Calman in N.H. to see States - left for S. W. Clarke, his son, from State Dec. 1853 received 2 letters. First of 3 letters. He is on way back to U.S. Been residing here several years. At Sydney - left Sydney last Aug to return to U.S. to interest since. Learning to regulate 25 lives between Sydney & Panama. Successful in objective.


15 Feb. 1853 - See States & F.W. Clarke - refer to States & Clarke of 2 Sept. 1852 in respect to the case. In spite of his presence in U.S. City importance of consul being at ports.

Copy of Sec. of U.S. leg to F.W. Clarke - 20 Mar. 1853 as re equa.
May 24, 1853 - Wm. H. Phelps, Zephyr N.W. to see State calling for names of U.S. Council, Adelaide.

Aug. 29, 1853 - Relief of resevoir - Expeditious 2 cases - comments on rising cost of living. Problem of passengers from SF to Port Phillip being left in Sydney w/o funds to complete voyage. Bad faith of agents.

Passengers have no readiness in local courts & Council cannot help officials although he has out of clarity, no official word of resevoir but he has resolved Sydney - (as cased). Fees: £2 30. 00 - 18 ships.

Eve: Statistical Returns NSW 1837-1852 - 41 pp. (See below)

Sept. 7, 1853 - Wm. H. Phelps to see State asking for Council's names.

Sept 16, 1853 - F. W. Clarke to see State from Sydney - air or post.

Aug 20th. No eagueration yet.


Delegation of board of £1,000 in question - £500. Protest from Woodward & Reaymond & Colonial Seal. Board reduced to £100.

Further cases from H.H. W on subject - objects to any board of principles - can be arbitrarily applied by local court & frustrate objectives of Parliament in re. Trade.

Oct 14, 1853 - Trans. Docs on above. Question at issue - "...that a colonial legislative has no power to impose restrictions on foreign ships trading between two colonial ports under the authority of an Act of the British Parliament." Unreasonable as far as is ship owners.

A. Peabody of N.Y. Nov 2, 1853 to see State asking for names of Council, Sydney.

Nov 2, 1853 - Trans. Doc. of Oct 3 - Also names of French take out of New Calabria - Ten newspaper clipping on reft. - Sydney Morning Herald.

Nov 2, 1853 -


24 Nov 1853 - Exequation & commutation new. Inventory of case. From S.H. W. but not archives - H.W. refused to give him archives books on grounds that U.S. Govt. did not pay for them - Clarke was disappointed.
F.W. Clarke unless otherwise indicated

11 Jan. 1854 - Refers copies between J.E.W. & self on matters to Wash. In decision - J.E.W. views acquisitions as necessary &desirable & duplicates of copies until original sent Wash. If Govt. wants records of copies, it would furnish copies with requests in writing & keep such records. J.E.W. to notify Dept. ATT&CG. on which map & doc. to send from Washington. F.W. Clarke to act as Secy. & has communicated the decision to Dept for 4 years. 1847 to 1850 have only heard calls by mail. "You deposited your No. 13 have again arrived." asked for reply & received no reply. U.S. Govt. has treated him as if letters were - trivial thing & seems no reason to show anything. If necessary he may refer to same papers. Decision & work.

11 Jan. 1854 - Fees $25.75 - Ships @18

19 Jan. 1854 - Appointed George Mitchell of New Castle, NSW, as UC.


10 May 1854 - TH W to see state - from Sydney - briefly app't as U.S. Consul Sydney - per letter of Oct 12, 1853. Also receipt of Colville's dispatch dated 9th. to present credentials - accepts w/ thanks. Page 1/4 on Quinorta, near Wellington, Port Phillip.

Notation Deep 6'1 missing [prob. above] 2' bound in Vol 81 from Wellington

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15 July 1854 - F.W. officially announced 9 June 1854 by Col. Govt.
8 June. read. copy from F.W. Clarke. Bish. consent of 12th. 13 Feb. 1854 read for 12th. 42 signatures. It writes permission of F.W. Secretary, act explained - local court action of disaster at request of justice without need for civil action - also info on harbor defenses. Commissioner in home of 4 ships; Fees $40.25 Sydney 2 6 ships @4/Deep $29.75 + $15.75

16 July 1854 - Clarke to Dept. notifying count. $468.31

10 of 1854 - Tariff already submitted with 49. Only US. names & products outside of Spirit, Tobacco, Sugar & Finer Wines.

Revenue Tariff only - 35c to 6c. Mar. 15, 1853 - only export $4. Recommends lower duty on wool, as useful & U.S. - providing cash for other things. 2nd week since last Mont. steep in promoting commercial interests of U.S. would be helpful. Stimson communication via Panama. Prices of coal expected to be lowered due to good supply. All turn in case by inquiry on promotion of U.S. commerce at base. Can.

Etc. Names on wages, printed rates of communication.

Missing

16 Nov. 1854 - Further to re: passengers having no relative when cheated by contractor - case of ANNA. Affidavits agreement between U.S. & British, of court & point of destination. Also asked for number of cases. Same passed at the House. Commissioner. Duty on spirits & alcohol increased 50%.

24 Jan. 1855 - Bide Caric. 7 - Required to Care of 800 1855 in Deep 2. of 1954. 1854 care of 15 men. 1854 in @ of 15 July 1854. Bide Caric. 7 6 20 Jan. 1855 22 ships; Fees $42.00 Printed Tariff enclosed.
5 Sept. 1855 - Ask Cleeve $8 0 9; Dept. of Nov. 28, 1854 & 26 27 Nov. 1855. Act to require carriage of passengers & not to remand Conv. Case. Sold. Also Cleeve $11 - Salem. For Sydney Port & sufficient to pay clerk hire. Also showed complaint & vices mentioned in Consul's Act to be abolished? Acts for copy of latest U.S. Consul.
Fees. $446.86 + 75. = $521.86 / Newcastle $75.25 29 ships + 8

1 Sept. 1855 - Death of Dr. John Driscoll, M.D. Also caused of some accidents & Robert Power & Geo. Dalton - all deceased.
Relief dr. $303.30 drawn on with Williamson

5 Sept. 1855 - Gold & silver medals for Capt. Buckley of Newcastle & latter's name from citizens of Sydney.

missing -

20 Oct. 1855 - Relief $31.50


1 Jan. 1856 - Advocate trade in flour. 19c per MAD. and return on imports prob. less than 15c. F. J. Robertson, Fort Victoria, [t. in progress].
Oct/Dec. 57 ships.

missing - Apr. June (Sydney) 9 ships - Newcastle - 3 ships.

more goods discovered in NSW. Ask.physical of Dec. 27 1856.

3 July 1856 - Unshipped letter - Dept. to Sam. John Gillis in re: complaints against Cons. Twinull, Mallett, etc. By R.C. Rockwood.

missing - July/Sept (Sydney) 7 ships. Fees $178.82 / Newcastle - nil.

22 Dec. 1856 - G.J. Abbott to Dept. asking for info on estate of David Mayo - Dept. no info.

Newcastle 2 1 16. 8 75 - 3 ships.

6 Mar. 1857 - P.M. Sunfells & Co. to see estate - effort to find seamen to deliver medals from Sydney.


Contingent on Act of 10 July 1856 - degenerates change in times for dis.
charge of seamen. Read for protection for seamen & capturing convicts right to leave his country in arbitrary case by officers & men.
Declaring persons to remain in full duties imprisonment. Of Act of 1856, because.
1. Additional salaries duties under act, together with duties in full.
2. New schedule of fees for both clerks hire impossible.
3. 0 duties to seamen on Captains & would not be partly to such jurisdictions.
4. Dept. counterparts post money by or selected - fees insufficient.
5. Distressed account of fees. $530. Under must fail, they would be 5 20. 25 or 20.
11 June 1857 - Claim of Allan, seaweed - Wrecked ship, 2 cases. 
11 June 1857 - Case of "Blue Anchor" - Discharge of seamen. 
13 July 1857 - Case of "Blue Anchor" - Discharge of seamen. 
21 July 1857 - Stillman Edgarg. 

Read 4th
Geo Thornton (?) mayor of Sydney. 15 July 1857 to see state recounting.

3. H.W. to Thornton. 13 July 1857 advising law prohibiting capt. of non- 
American by council and office. He suggests he send report to 
board. Also appeal for US shipwreck. Proceed as advisable to 
court. As authorized by H.W. to favor of Jacob Williams. 

9 Nov. 1857 - Notice of new light at Sydney Harbor.
8 Jan. 1858 - Disappearance of Capt. J.W. Davis & mate. Christopher 
Godfrey of Sugar Dragon w/ supporting papers. Question of 
confirmation of local courts. H.W. complained that court has 
been reforming to his place for what.

Return receipt, N.Y. 27 Jan. 1858. Copy of N.Y. Govt. Gazette. 2 Feb. 1858 notice of resignation of 

2 Mar. 1858 - H.W. - Fused cases. 
10 Mar. 1858 - R.D.M. - Fuse cases. 
10 Apr. 1858 - R.D.M. - Fuse cases. 

4 May 1858 - Report from C.W. 
10 May 1858 - Certificate of presence at port. 
9 Apr. 1858 - R.D.M. - Mutineers being sent to new Bedford in Sugar 
2 May. Not as another ship. Also R.D.M. notified Gen. W. Bedford 
2 May. 
9 Apr. 1858 - H.W. - Fused cases. 

24 Apr. 1858 - Evidence in Junior meeting - Details of arrangements.

10 May 1858 - Goods should reimburse owners for expense of transporting goods to New York.

10 May 1858 - Printed invoice on Sydney harbor. Payment due.


9 June 1858 - Return of goods. Local authorities would not lend sufficient funds.

6 July 1858 - Goods due. $1,318.87 due. Mostly due to Junior.


1 Aug. 1858 - Newcastle Returns. Regulations must be known.

10 Sept. 1858 - Murder of William A. Allen, brother of William Jordan.

11 Sept. 1858 - Sale of goods to be made to the nearest agent of the U.S. government.

10 Oct. 1858 - Returns. Explanation of various cases. Fees $300.30.


1 Jan. 1859 - Returns. Fees $511.78. 17 ships.


29 Jan. 1859 - Returns. Letter received.


11 Feb. 1859 - Will conform to regulations on returns in future.
Sept. from Sydney 7/04 M-173-R4

A.D. Merrill unless otherwise indicated

#18 Trous-
12 Mar. 1859 - Wreck of Defenders of Boston.
12 Apr. - Returns - Fees $140.06 15 ships.
12 - - Inverted relief.
13 May 1859 - Eskaton received May 2nd.
15 - - Returns from Adelaide.
15 June 1859 - Whaler Brighton condemned - relief to crew.
17 - - Pools family charity case - relief for American citizens?
20 July 1859 - Returns - $34.70 to purchase flag; $97.53 for postage.
21 - - Brighton & Defenders. Fees $526.30 19 ships.
25 Aug. 1859 - Stationary received in almost unseaworthy condition.
26 Aug. 1859 - Returns from Adelaide & Newcastle.
27 Sept. 1859 - Danvill NY Herald article of May 7, 1859 regarding Hall & Burns of Norwich meeting. Did not write article.
33 Dec. 1859 - Loss of William & Eliza of Fingal Island. Also report of brig burned on same island. Name unknown. From calf.
35 Dec. 1859 - Crew of Wm. & Eliza brought to Sydney in missionary brig. Unknown. Crew identified as ELLEN & S. F. Crew safe.
36 Dec. 1859 - Passage for Wm. & Eliza. Crew $844.80 from Home to.

Roll 5-
1 - 13 Jan. 1860 - Returns - Relief $531.86. Passage $121.29
2 - Returns - not in lat. 38.
3 - 14 Feb. 1860 - J. H. Williams has no knowledge of Spencers claim & money & watch.
Dear Sir, from Sydney - 904 M-173 RS

R D Merrill unless otherwise indicated

17 Feb., 1870 - Ask cire of Sept. 14, 1879 + dist. of Oct. 15

18 - Returns - Adelaide + Newcastle

13 Mar., 1870 - Returns - remitting despatches

14 Mar., 1870 - Arrived of James M. Green - prisoner aboard Black Sea to Adm. from Hon. for trial. Ship under repair - under local care. Can only hold Green for 60 days.

14 Mar., 1870 - Truss. Comes from N.Z. Complaint against "Wayde" said to have been involved in murder or assistance at Liverpool, Ohio from San. Pursey, Christchurch, Oct. 15, 1859.

5 Apr., 1870 - Returns - relish: $133.24. Fees = $296.48

14 - " " - Adelaide - Newcastle

2 July, 1870 - " " - Ask Cire of May 20, 135.

6 July, 1870 - Returns - Posting - $144.14. Complaints of receipt only of circulars. No answer to inquiries. asks for answer. Fees $464.76

15 - " July 1870 - Receipt of necessary forms. Ship's

16 - " " - new regulations which prevent U.S. consul from

charging reason in Circulars. N.W. copies of rights to local

authorities. Request for support from Washington. Also

copies of act 3/6 of 1873

17 - 19 July 1870 - Notice of death of J. B. Williams - Ferg. Agent of Dr. Isaac M. Farmer by Williams - supporter Beaver. He was an

illiterate man, respected in Ireland.


19 - 18 Aug., 1870 - Remon. claim to payment for expense in connection

with notice - writing documents - noting from Sept. 7th, 78.

20 - 21 Sept., 1870 - Trans. news of death of Edward Allen Aug. 18, 1860 in


21 - 6 Oct., 1870 - Returns - $276.36 in relish. Fees $343.52

22 - 5 Oct., 1870 - Yearly report. 45 vessels. Trade hi, m, imports of flour,

wheat, biscuits, etc. Imports of coal + gold. Chinese immigration during

18, 1870 to Sydney in last 2 years on large ships. Passed number to

Australia. Chinese depopular. Lacks of law in exchange + trade against

regressive Sydney + Auckland. "In every reported mission of French

force at New Zealand + Tahiti is considered as augmenting danger

to colonization and viewed with alarm." Feeling on insecurity -

Bilateral is N.Z. caused withdrawal of troops from New. Further

Alarming threat. Opinion is that N.Z. problem due to mismanagement

+ incompetence. Protests against his lack of authority over

other agencies in Sydney + local govt. Evidences however there.
Dec 21, 1860 - Returns from Newcastle & Adelaide - need forms 30 x.
Jan 19, 1861 - Returns - Fees **195.51** Relief **1035.51** Postage **63.80**
much of postage for Fiji consulate.
Jan 19, 1861 - Massacre of crew of Superior in Solomons. No British ship
around - French may go to revenge - considered an international
problem.
Feb 19, 1861 - Returns - Newcastle & Adelaide - needs blank forms.
Mar 21, 1861 - ±50 to ship going to try to rescue crew of Superior
in exchange of local goods - ±200 if release procured.
Apr 18, 1861 - Returns - Relief **1288.80** also Newcastle & Adelaide
Fees **2.79.30** 302.97. 14 ships.
Apr 20, 1861 - Consular work by Counsel - clerk who is regularly in
his employ as a merchant - accounted for by Counsel, Queensland.
May 16, 1861 - Edward Leavensworth, N.Y. to see state war. Consular
board - Born N.Y. wants to return to London for 3 mos. for health
reasons - to R.W. Cameron, 90 Beaver St. N.Y. Ask for any
advances you may have.
July 3, 1861 - Distressee **102.93**
July 3, 1861 - Returns - Relief **764.31**
July 19, 1861 - Returns - Newcastle & Adelaide.
Oct 10, 1861 - " - Distressee **181.06** Seaman from Superior
Newcastle & Adelaide.
Dec 20, 1861 - Wreck of Clementia in Solomons. Built. man of war going
5 group - £960 to John Devlin for relief - Enr. report of John Devlin
on wreck at sea - US consular vessel court - Various docs.
Nov 22, 1861 - Case of alleged victims executed - loyal to union.
Dec 2, 1861 - Returns as of Dec 2 - Leavensworth assumed office.
Relief **443.80** Crew of Clementia in Sydney in good condition.
Fees **229.74**
Dec 21, 1861 - Postage **34.46**
Jan 3, 1862 - Leavensworth - Jan 3, 1862 - cruise to take over. Inventory
in march revealed through Dec 2 - Leavensworth took over Dec 2.
Jan 20, 1862 - Leavensworth - Returns - Relief **255.07** Vessel sent
for remaining of crew of Clementia - Fees **67.35**
1860
May 23. - C.P. Wolcott - Rel. to alleged fugitives from justice
May 28. - Rev. T. D. Hill - Junior case
June 23. - T. Britton - Letter to Cons. Mr. B.
Oct. 8. - 5th Auditor - 11 sent
June 23. - R.D.M. - Requests info on S.R. Britton
Nov. 3. - " - 45 sold. Leave of absence granted
Dec. 7. - " - Died, as to Colonial Act rel. to seamen
Dec. 11. - " - Rel. to J.F. Brown's app't as Agent

1861
May 28. - 2. Heavenworth - No outfit & Canada - Leave 3 mos granted
June 4. - Smith - Auditor - Cost of sending seamen home
Oct. 26. - Emerson Etheridge - Case of Junior
Oct. 28. - D.N. Green -
Nov. 1. - R.D.M. - 19 rec'd. Partial claim allowed
Nov. 19. - 5th Auditor - 2 mos wages for George, accounting returned

1862
Feb. 28. - R.D.M. - 13 rec'd. Draft for $60 relief to be paid
Mar. 29. - " - Relief for Superior - Need assets in passage money
May 29. - 5th Auditor - Relief of crew of Superior
June 7. - " - " - Clematis
June 12. - B. Weeks - Claim for wages to auditor
" - 5th Auditor - " - Hellespont - Weeks
June 28. - " - Junior bill must be paid
Aug. 6. - 2 Heavenworth - 48 sold. Formal sale
Aug. 8. - B. Weeks - Twain. comes from auditor for further info

1863
Edward Heaverworth unless otherwise indicated

1862 - Returns - Adelaide & Newcastle - Confirms claims of both.

Mar. 15, 1862 - Revenue of men of Catalogue by Ariel at $1080.


Relief $1036.40. Fees $248.44

May 21, 1862 - Request for forms & instructions.

July 5, 1862 - Returns - Newcastle & Adelaide.

July 19, 1862 - Returns - Relief $651.33. Fees $141.95

Vouchers - various expenditures.

Aug. 19, 1862 - Manilla to Sea Statue - Due & Man 29, 1862 on assets.

Oct. 20, 1862 - Returns - Relief $15,711. Feeling off by tariffs due to insulation.

Fees $86.47

Oct. 21, 1862 - Returns from Newcastle.

Annual Report - 40 lives, vessels in port 1/3 during 1st quarter of the year. - Problem: shipping & seamen. - May not if any British ship needs men. - Fees are cheap, goods coming in. - Mercury & willing to order for fear of British's lack of insurance. Funds not growing either - Exchange rates poor - $1000 - fees so far $546.21 - office cost $400 per week to keep staff clean.

Passengers $130, passengers - Totals of $550 in office. - Use of guarantors allowed by previous council - Hunt keep up appearances in office. - 20 business connections. Working in not to support in self - not the pattern starting among filibusters. - Anti-fed expression on all levels. - Particularly shipping crowd.

Nov. 21, 1862 - Prisoners sent on Shrewsbury to U.S. - Cause (from boat)

Dec. 4 below.

Nov. 22, 1862 - Heaverworth to W. Blanchard in Melbourne:

About 2 girls with Mrs. March - apparent complaint of Philip.
1864

Jan 14 - E. Leavenworth - derp of Sep 21 read & referred to Senate Finance

Aug 10 - E. Leavenworth - Derek Apr 18 read. need act in mem. of dep. 

Dec 15 - H. H. Huntsman - letter to Mr. forwarded via Cons. Syd.

1865

Jan 21 - #1 - 2. Leavenworth - Huntsman inquiring enq.

To Huntsman - money req. if needed to be sent to Cons.

Aps 29 - 2 - 2. L - Draft made.

Sept 29 - 23 - R. D. Merrill (Mc.) 4 4 read. application for app. filed.

Sept 11 - 24 - 2 H - "142 read.

Oct 24 - 26 - 5 - Bank bond from rect.

Feb 26 - 25 - R. D. Merrill - Questions due to -

July 7 - 7 - R. D. Merrill - nomination confirmed. Commission incl. 

July 31 - Terence Conway - dept can only relieve seaman in mem. of dep.

Sept 8 - 8 - R. D. Merrill - 3 4 read. request full act of safe relief act.

Oct 15 - 5 - Auditor - Copy of Syd #5

Oct 24 - 10 - " 7 x read.


Nov 21 - 5 - Auditor - to Syd #6 on substitute seaman.
Edward Haavensworth unless otherwise indicated

July 20, 1863 - Relief $1303.80 - has been indisposed.
Aug. 21, 1863 - Parties - Newcastle - Adelaide -
Apr. 18, 1864 - Relief of Panama $314.66 - Wrecked -
Dec. 9, 1864 - W. H. Hanckman (?) asking about son - in - law - in - Consul Sydney -
July 29, 1864 - Smith at Adelaide to Haavensworth - subletting - retaining -
also retaining from Mitchell in Newcastle -

June 21, 1865 - R. D. Merrill - to - State - at - Acting - Consul - by
E. Haavensworth - reconnu - by - Commercial - Govt. - how accurate -
appr. as Consul which he was before - Haavensworth sailed -
June 3rd on Golden City for London -

June 21, 1865 - R. D. Merrill unless otherwise indicated

June 21, 1865 - Adelaide - retaining - Mar. 1864 - Mar. 1865 also - found -

June 21, 1865 - Geo. R. Chapman to see - States from Sydney - stating -
Haavensworth assembled on June 3rd - in - Golden City -
States he purchased - that - all were given credit - Chapman
at least 349 - $2,000 - cash receivables - to his credit -
Chapman known to - States - in - law - W. H. Cameron - whom -
Brought him out - of - the - colony - Chapman resigned himself as -
Six Years Clerk of the - Consulate - 44 Cumberland St - Sydney -

July 21, 1865 - Relief $51349.58 ordered by E. H. Difficulty in that -
E. H. left - suddenly - books not written up for a year -

Death of Lincoln -

July 21, 1865 - Sympathy - forwarded from NSW - Irish Hotel - league -
Aug. 21, 1865 - Portland - Erstwhile - Dist. Council - S.A. -

July 21, 1865 - Asst. Clerk of Apr. 17. Full respect accorded - Lincoln in Aug -
Oct. 20, 1865 - Returns from Newcastle - Adelaide -

21. 1865 - Drafts for relief - asks instructions -

Oct. 21, 1866 - Asst. Clerk of Feb. 26, 1866 - question of -
Oct. 21, 1866 (copy) - Explains relief charges -

Jan. 20, 1866 - 8 seamen sent by Brown from Fiji - wrecked -
i. A. ship

Hel. 1849 - M. 1871 R. 16

R. D. Merrill

1. R. D. Merrill unless otherwise indicated
July 23, 1866 - Draft sent of Feb 26, 1866 - Does not conclude always sent. Defends his efforts to be correct in reporting it in part. Fees do not pay for office & staff. Beams sent to Sydney from all our areas.

Aug. 23, 1866 - Relief $939.24. Mail via Panama route.

Sept. 1, 1866 - Reports.

Sept. 4, 1866 - Discussion of assets.

Nov. 3, 1866 - Estate to Merrill - questioning certain expenditures - explaining proper form of wording, etc.

Sept. 29, 1866 - Receipts - Newcastle & Adelaide. (Not in file)

Dec. 10, 1866 - Haydon H. Hall, N.Y.C. To state - ask receipt of app. as Court Agent, Sydney - accepts - please to leave following day, both Hartford, Conn. 1-25-23 yrs in N.Y.S. or two N.S.W. 14 yrs.

Dec. 31, 1866 - Applies for Melbourne Consulate vacated by Blanchard. "The duties of Sydney in the past few years have been almost a burden without pay ... I know most of the mercantile community of Melbourne having realized these previous to my residence here and could readily get a remittance from our countrymen if necessary." Refused to consider, but a Dodge of Georgetown. If Sydney a suitable port, he would be glad to retain.

Jan. 20, 1867 - Relief $666.91

Feb. 25, 1867 - H.H. Hall - advised N.S.W. Govt of app. as of Feb. 20th. Wrote to H.H. about claim - but he does not seem to understand what is required. Cannot spare month. It would take up to Melbourne. Received letters from Hall on Feb 20th. Complaints of irregular entries in records.

Mar. 7, 1867 - Die. of passport in Due. #3, Oct 14, 1866. App. to be gazetted soon as requisition received.


July 1, 1867 - H.H. - Assets.

July 31, 1867 - "Receipts. Mail will be sent via Panama. Faster & cheaper. Has heard that removal of Merrill not satisfactory to America. Is Sydney, states, are many of the states in community financially involved with A.R.M. Anticipates full report of affr.

Oct 1, 1867 - Returns & Letters. Relief # 394.74 - R.R. expansion in N.S.W. proposed - change of location - continue once a 1,000 working man to Calcutta in past year.


Dec 31, 1867 - Letters & Returns - Relief # 34.07 - Ships # 3. Emigration to Calcutta continues. Farewell to 18 months ago. Pension for 10 years from Melbourne to Newcastle. - Shreve.

Jan 4, 1868 - Ask #10 of Oct 25, 1867.

Feb 27, 1868 - Arrest of Z. S. Belton, master of LUBRA & destruction of vessel by mutineers, ask the report of local authorities on acts of violence committed aboard. Reply not possible, but complaints made Belton - Decl.

Mar. 31, 1868 - Ask #12 -

May 1, 1868 - Returns - Newcastle.

May 30, 1868 - Ask #14 - Circa #66 - C.K. Manuel - Recommends John Wallace Bernall as Consular Agent, Brisbane, - of Petersburg, Va. - Res. from citizens of New South Wales. - Also, C.K. Manuel. - Charles Simon have old & influential resident of Fiji on satisfactory terms. - Irish states many workers going to Fiji to take up land and "...the public advantage here is that Fiji & S. Pacific, will eventually own them. Fiji." - Letter they write May 2, 1868 is free for U.S. & goes not to press. The knowledge for indemnity claims as he cannot pay all, no question has been his clergy & he lacks the possibility of the extension of peace & civilization in Fiji may at last.

June 30, 1868 - Ask Circa #66 - Deep #17 - A.P. Bowes residing at Hampstead, N.B.U. will communicate with him. Also #18.
June 23, 1868.

30 June 1868 - Sydney Morning Herald on Melbourne Co. to purchase Fiji.

20 June 1868 - A.A. - Not encouraged man to go to Calcutta. Upon receipt of word from Mr. of Pacific R.R. Co. that labor needed, he renunciation of efforts. Will abide by stated suggestions on issue.

1 July 1868 - Return.


12 Aug. 1868 - Fiji - Private negotiations led to acquisition of Brit.-V. Sydney Morning Herald. "On Fijian occupation."

26 Aug. 1868 - Ask Cates 68, 69, 70.

Ask Deep 20, 21, 23, 24.


19 Oct. 1868 - Return - Start of Henry held for trial in shooting.

29 Oct. 1868 - Question on invoices.


29 Oct. 1868 - Newcastle Return.


21 Nov. 1868 - "27 + 28."

22 Nov. 1868 - "Info on estabhls & Rinderpest in Aust. + diseases of


28 Dec. 1868 - Panama, N.Z. & Aust. R. R. Mail Co. suspended operations. Communication only via Eng. Company lost $70,000 in 2 yrs. Sandridge from N.S.W. to $110,000 a yr. When R.R. across U.S. anticipated 33 lines from SF to N.Y.

9 Dec. 1868 - Accts.

Dec. 31, 1868 - Returns - Mate of Henry sentenced to 4 mos in prison.

Jan. 29, 1869 - Ask #3 of Nov. 3, 1868.

Feb. 22, 1869 - Ask #32.

Feb. 25, 1869 - Problem aboard Penang - mutiny - men sent to S.F.

can on case.


Mar. 22, 1869 - Ask #35.

Apr. 20, 1869 - Newcastle returns.

Apr. 20, 1869 - Returns.

May 18, 1869 - Ask #36.

June 8, 1869 - Case of C.H. Pearson tried & convicted of murder. Wife appeal to Hall, who does not believe he can interfere as no proof of Pearson's citizenship.

June 8, 1869 - Ask #37 - Charles Lee Morris - ref. to letter from him not in files - enquiring as to his whereabouts.

June 9, 1869 - Ask - books.


June 9, 1869 - Ask - letters from Eugene Rocha - efforts to help build canal at Darwin.
June 10, 1869 - Ack Cnr - Agpt of H. Fish.
June 11, 1869 - Ack #38 - Reply on invoices - landing certificates.
" " 39-40 - Hope application for allowance will be considered in next appropriation.
June 16, 1869 - Trans - news of alleged murder of John Leonard of Maini on Lord Howe Island - Dole - Verdict self-defense.
July 13, 1869 - Newcastle Returns.
" " - Ack #41 about Cannel uniforms capts. Also Cts.
" " Returns.
14, 1869 - Messrs Mr. Moss & Co continue to refuse to abide by regulations on hand certificates - suggests method of remedy in section.
Also Journal of Aug. 30 of U.S.B remitted to Dept. Agg.
Geo Written on letter from Fiji 19 Jan 1869.
Sept 2, 1869 - Ack. #42, 43 & 44.
Oct 4, 1869 - Returns.
Oct 5, 1869 - Ack #45 - Suggests Browers has been unfair to Burt.
Oct 6, 1869 - Newcastle Returns.
" Annual Returns - S & N. 43 Ames vessels - most to Newcastle. Imports- Exports - Tall, etc. in some detail.
Oct 8, 1869 - Requests forms.
Nov 2, 1869 - Ack #6.
Nov 3, 1869 - Fraudulent shipment of "guinea brandy" Sent N.Y. to Sydney in 4 vessels.
Nov 5, 1869 - Copy of petition for U.S. protection - Believes it would meet approval of "Social and Commercial Interests of the Colony (NSW)" anticipates emigration from NSW to plant cotton & cane.
Dec 2, 1869 - False packages of tobacco - Liverpool & Melbourne involved.
Jan 24, 1870 - Newcastles Returns.

Feb 23, 1870 - Ask #48 - Cries.

Mar 3, 1870 - Ask #47 - Trans. info on Polynesian Emigration into Queensland - Various acts & reports - Printed & Transmitted.

Mar 28, 1870 - Ask #49 - Did not receive No. 7 of Apr. 1867 in M.

Mar 29, 1870 - No. #50 - Cries.

Apr 4, 1870 - Returns.

Apr 19, 1870 - Newcastles Returns.


June 24, 1870 - Ask #51 & 52.

July 6, 1870 - Returns.

July 7, 1870 - Needs new seal & press - Calif. NZ Aust mail lines: speculator than via Europe for mail.

July 18, 1870 - Ask #53.

July 18, 1870 - Ask #54 - Dust. on handling certificates.

July 19, 1870 - Returns from Brisbane.

July 25, 1870 - Newcastles Returns.

July 26, 1870 - Suggest Consulates Gen. in Sydney. cousin of Aust. NZ ports - Turns over mail here he has "single handed" put tickets in opposition to British efforts. Wishes to have US flag dominate steam service to NZ & S Pacific. Has induced 3000 to emigrate to US in past 3 years. Settles in Calif. if means to purchase land. Asks to be named Mr. Jones under P. 2257700 - wants 6000.
If one set up it should be in Melbourne. - A larger city w/more 
U.S. commerce. Trade w/ other places small. Year ending 
Sept. 1868. 2500 ships Melbourne; 16 Sydney. Mr. Hall 
egaged in trade & us Con. Gen. made be 30 employed.

Aug 10, 1870 - Ask 56.
  "  Ask Day of #7 about R. W. Terry. [illegible].
  "  Ask 57.
Sept 7, 1870 - Ask 58 + 59.
Sept 30, 1870 - Returns.
  "  Newcastle returns.
  "  Mail service established.

Nov. 26, 1870 - Ask 60.
  "  "  61 on transmission of acts.
  "  "  Circ. on passports received.
Dec. 23, 1870 - No missing mail for W. F. Barscomb - Herbert.
Dec 31, 1870 - Newcastle returns.
  "  Sydney returns.
  "  Charges against Hall prepared by Capt. John S. Foster 
  "  negligence of duty & improper conduct. Foster had agreed to 
  "  pay on ship. Then refused at last minute. Further 
  "  instructions requested. Has since left colony & had desirousable 
  "  stating with Foster's character. Foster discharged from 
  "  Thomas' ship.

Dec 31, 1870 - Asks permission to name Giles S. Austin. Vice Consul 
should be here to be absent on business.

Dec 31, 1870 - Reported competition from N.Z. mail - want line via 
N.Z. rather than connection in Fiji or Aust. Here. 54 ft. run. 
The U.S. N.Z. & Australian line would have the Nebraska, 
Nevada, Dakota, Kansas. Taylor.

Mar. 27, 1870 - Ask 63, 64, 66.
  "  Ask 65 - read & press on way.
Apr 1, 1870 - Newcastle returns.
Apr. 1. 1870 - Sydney returns.

Apr. 15. 1870 - Ask £67.

Apr. 18. 1870 - Crie on transmission of private letters.

May 4. 1870 - Nega of new mail route. Hope of Aust. subsidy.

May 22. 1870 - Ask £69.

June 10. 1870 - Ask Crie £5 - info for Hydrographic Office expected.

June 12. 1870 - new sack & press arrived. Forwarded package to

July 1. 1870 - hope in contract w/ NSW Govt for SS line.

July 2. 1870 - (cover only)

July 21. 1870 - Question of whether or not ships papers had to be

Aug. 21. 1870 - Crie on transmission of mail. Suggest post-tariff.

Aug. 28. 1870 - James R. Taylor & Co. F. Sir 1870
Sept 29, 1871 - Estate to be settled - Mr. G. D. W. Vroom. £ 76.

No knowledge of Changey T. Taylor £ 79.

Oct 3, 1871 - Returns.

Oct 27, 1871 - Newcastle returns.

Oct 28, 1871 - Ack. £ 80.

- Ask £ 81 - Rev. R. W. Terry case - Further research will entail expense. Do you authorize?

Nov 26, 1871 - SS Nebraska ran into barque A. H. Boddie - Left scene of accident assuming damage slight. Boddie later abandoned and case brought to Admiralty Court. Nebraska seized & later released on bond. Counsel prepared legal action

- Nebraska steamer W H Wall's Capt. african, only 9 months revenue in bond - Barque gave no indication of damages.

Dec 19, 1871 - Annual Report (cover only)

Dec 20, 1871 - Customs duties - Forms completed (cover only)

- Ask £ 82 & 83

Dec 21, 1871 - Arr. USS St. Mary's from Fiji - Capt T. C. Harris, Nov. 4.

- Nebraska case. Court believed local court has no jurisdiction in case. Claim of £ 3,000 against Nebraska. Requested Harris to remain in port until case settled.

Mail service suspended as subscriptions insufficient - temporarily to resume in April. Would require subsidies by Wellington & New $20,000 each. per month. By ships stop at Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch & Port Chalmers. The terminus. Pte. cannot carry out contract without aid from other colonies.

- Jan 3, 1872 - Miss Exp. Total £ 385.97 from beginning of term.

- Jan 13, 1872 - Newcastle returns.

- Jan 19, 1872 - Ack. £ 84.

Jan 20, 1872 - Comments on Press message re NY. subsidy for

- Aunt & China mail service - Would Sydney continue of receiving subsidy for Aunt service. Philadelphia Case.

- Desires consideration for opening service & maintaining it against private competition. Would prefer to use his entire service on line.

- Nebraska lies. Sold advocates ease. Modern ships serviceable to £ 35,000. Vessels which could be used as mail. Transports & new. Would only interested in setting up company and source so he can sell his ship when rates will not be exceeded in continuous of line. Would believe in need of £ 250,000 would enable line to run £ 150,000 from Aunt. £ 100,000 from US.

- Notification of letter - "Mr. Hall has been removed." But still on staff.

Feb 16, 1872 - Claim of Change for release of Whales in Arctic ice - Taken to Honolulu, Sept 1871 - £ 30, 176. 0 for less on voyage.

- Queen of Lords case - Aug 14, 1872 - Questioned form & content of claim - suggested it should come through Board. Negation.
Feb. 16, 1872 - Webb & Vogel, Port Marten, Gen. of N.Z., in Sydney negotiating for subsidy from NSW without success. NSW demand direct service to NZ for no subsidy. NZ also wants direct service. Victoria gov't expected to have powers of subsidies also as Aus. colonies as Aus. colonies will not be dictated to by smaller NZ colony - Protection - shown to Mr. Webb. Webb's question of Webb's registry as "circular.

Mar. 15, 1872 - Trans. claims of Mr. Rechen to plans for Panama Canal. Brought up by survey by Mr. Beddington.

Mar. 15, 1872 - Ask # 87 - Estate of John Collers, claims by Maria Quayle - explains complications & expenses of further action.

May 14, 1872 - Webb's efforts in Victoria unsuccessful but new scheme of Vogel to run line from N.Z. to Melbourne. Will be submitted to Parliament of Victoria. NZ 70,000 subsidy too much for N.Z. Vogel trying to shift expense. Webb believes only viable route is Melbourne - Sydney - SF via Fiji, or NZ, new California & Queensland connected there at Tutuila as proposed by Webb.

Apr. 12, 1872 - Request for forms -

" - Newcastle returns.

" - Sydney returns - hurricane now $400.28 unpaid

" - Ask 85, 66, 86 + Circs. R.W. Fales, agents for Well-NYC.

May 9, 1872 - Wreck of Queen of the East. Crew saved. w/docs.

" - Relief # 706.73

" - Ask 89 + Circs. 18 + 19

May 23, 1872 - $32,500 subsidy to Webb here from Victoria Govt. per yr. $750 per year - subject to approval of Parliament. Expects it will not pass - subsidy will have to secure. Service in part or mo. distant.

May 23, 1872 - Leave requested - 6 mos. from Sept 1. Tielles S. Austin

" - Vice Consul agent in charge.

June 5, 1872 - Ask # 90


June 3, 1872 - From S.S. Austin - ask passport & app't

July 5, 1872 - Newcastle returns.

" - Sydney returns.

Aug. 1, 1872 - Ask 91 + 92 + Circ # 24
Sept 24, 1872 - asked 93, 94 & 95 to wire 23 & receive of stationary

need water scale

Sept 25, 1872 - asked 96 to make sure we leave - will leave Nov

Sept 27, 1872 - Conditions for mail service Sydney-SF via Fiji - Noril. Expected subsidy from US of $50,000 of which Britain expects to share $20,000. Other countries portions - Denmark $775,000 for SF-Honolulu mail by US, but would be sufficient. US contribution. US would contribute without making extra burden. Five printed conditions

Oct 17, 1872 - Returns

Newcastle returns

Oct 24, 1872 - Nebraska case. To pay $25.50 w/total. Ask in

Oct 24, 1872 - Mail service contract to be signed Nov 20th. Service from June - July 1873. Sydney-SF. Subsidy of $250,000 needed. It will be requested of Britain. US

The service unapplicable. With reduction of 10% duty on wool, has directed $500,000 to $10.00 rather than U.S. killing U.S. trade in wool

Jan 10, 1873 - Returns - Sydney

Jan 10, 1873 - Newcastle returns

Jan 16, 1873 - asked 98, 99, Ceres 24.25 & one of Oct 11

Feb 3, 1873 - Special commission ought to negotiate postal treaty

New US $50,000 per yr. mail US-Honolulu-Fiji-NZ-Australia

Apr 17, 1873 - Returns - Sydney

Apr 17, 1873 - Newcastle

May 27, 1873 - July 26, 1872 Hall granted 6 mos. leave from Sept 1.

James H. W. region agent Hall's successor May 27, 1873. Not yet qualified

Apr 18, 1873 - asked 97 - please leave to U.S. will explain

Loudin estate when in Waile

Apr 18, 1873 - asked 100, 101, 102, 103, 104 - a case 27-32

Declaration of marine insurance referred to in 100 not made in his presence. Evidence of alteration not written in. Signed

Refusal of Hall to certify handwriting certificate

May 16, 1873 - Entered into mail contract w/NSW govt if sufficient

subsidies obtained. 3rd American 1874 as in NSW agent to negotiate postal treaty. Requests Dept influence for subsidy to

his line. $75,000 - Pioneer of Aust-US services.
Deep from Sydney - 904 M-173 R7

HH Hall

- 203 (207) July 12, 1873 - Ask 106 - Holding $650 in London estate held against court action by Mr. Aitch of Brisbane.
- 204 (207) July 12, 1873 - Ask 105 + 107.
- 205 " Newcastle Returns.
- 206 (202) " Sydney Returns.
- 208 Oct 6, 1873 - Newcastle Returns.
- 209 " Sydney Returns.
- 210 Feb 28, 1874 - Sydney Returns.
- 211 " Newcastle Returns.
- 212 Mar 4, 1874 - Quigley claims - further proof needed.
- 213 " Ask Cares 43, 44, 45 + 47.

Memo
- Oct. 13, 1873 - not through official mail - refusal no reply. Deep still coming in refused by Hall as cons agent.

- 214 May 9, 1874 - Sydney returns.
- 215 " Newcastle returns.
- 216 June 14, 1874 - Request for Stationary.
- 217 " Books.
- 218 July 10, 1874 - Protests plan to leave Cons. Gen. at Melbourne. Victoria younger colony than NSW which has expanded over 130,000 to open up direct service to Panama - now service to keep up communally. While Melbourne has refused to contribute to mail subsidies opposed Pacific service. If Cons Gen. willing for Prem. of BSW believes app't should be to Sydney.

CO
- July 28, 1874 - Sydney Returns.
- 219 " Newcastle.
- 220 " Brisbane.

Message
- Oct 8, 1874 - Williams bond approved 30 July 1874 - Ref'd Deep #131 from Adenson.

Aug 28, 1874 - From J.H. Williams - Reply to Estate of May 14, 1874 and prov. ness of interest to Cons. Agent. By Gov. whole application at request of Alliance of Melbourne. Home in Sydney guarantees - Hall departed unexpectedly on land Cally, mail services - Took out letter of demission. Did not forebear allegiance to U.S. but did serve allegiance to Queen while in U.S. S

1st nominated by Jackson.
Dec 23, 1874 - Sydney to Newcastle Returns - Received enclosures of Sept 10, 1874 - Books and records in conjunction - Hall and the US $996.35. His estate rejected - HTW cannot collect.

No. 20. 1874 - Estimate of Wine Cattling - Also request info from ON seeking for regulation of dryness in wine. Cattling injured.

Dec 21, 1874 - Offer Decp. - Stationary needed - Encourage not yet in Capt. Brown's army to Sydney - Will investigate his charges against Hall - Agent. Hon George Harris Cons. Agent in Brisbane.

Jan 15, 1875 - Newcastle to Sydney Returns - Requests furs + info.

Feb 9, 1875 - James Burnie supposed to have been captured by natives at King George's Sound - Assistant requested of Capt. If are killed. 

Feb 10, 1875 - Given record of Capt. Brown's charges against Hall. no record of opium - facts - some explanation.

Feb 11, 1875 - Agent - Capt. Agent - but no evacuation yet - Also received Books - Will communicate in future via Melbourne although it will mean delay of 1 mo. + increase of portage.

Mar 10, 1875 from Counselor Bureau - Refers problem to Melbourne.

Apr 1, 1875 - Newcastle to Sydney Returns.

Apr 15, 1875 - Obed. - 6-10 - Books requested in #5 - Forms destroyed by bad packing - $320 voted $5,700 for Centennial Exhibition - Enc. request from Brisbane for Patent Office Reports.

June 12, 1875 - Report on case of Henry A. Hitchins on Hall's charge. 

Mention by Agent: "All the questions discussed here by Williams have been settled by the Dept. once and over and unhesitatingly to his views. If these questions have to be discussed with every counsel, it will be as well to advise one of these counselors who has the Dept., the legal part of the counsel." Over this is another notation suggesting Judge O'Connor might look to see the Dept.
Aug 13, 1875 - Return Sydney, Newcastle, Brisbane.
Aug 17, 1875 - Res. of miss expenses aed. Ask #11.

" Ask #15 - Cannot demand £536.49 from H. H. Hall.

[Note: H. H. Hall is U.S. Shipping [a cancelled position].]

Aug 17, 1875 - Ask Deep - Cairns.
Aug 17, 1875 - Brisbane Consular Agency reports no fees in 1873.

[Note: Question need [a query].]

Aug 17, 1875 - Advocates strict rules to prevent & avoid.
Aug 24, 1875 - Additional assents.

Sept 17, 1875 - Ask of Cairns + papers -

- Case of James Benney - Burr flag for protection.

- Ask #16

Sept 18, 1875 - Interview w/ Q.3 - who had decided not to reap larger
at Melbourne and wished Court Agency at Sydney raising
to full armed friendly act. Prev. & the Sandwich Islands
where N. U. had less commerce them of the U.S. had
full commerce - Personally glad to avoid extra duties of coastal
but understand official B.S. position + papers on comment.

Memo:

- Original, full Consulate as of May 25, 1876.
- W. Williams - Made Court Agency in Dec. 1876.
- In M. Hall's opinion - Ability to receive Hall to consult - explained in Dec.
- 1876 after meeting examination at Melbourne, to return Hall's correspondence w/ H. Hall
- Melbourne apparently did not understand what was
required of him - Hall continued as Court Agent.
- General issue raised up matter, especially noting analogy
between Melbourne & N.S.W. & recommending Cons. Gen. at Sydney.
- More population in Victoria in 1873 & 3 times as many
- British w/ U.S. Williams called in by Q.3 - suggestion made
that Sydney should be used.
- Fees for 1874:
- Sydney: £1325.91 + Newcastle: £1345.25.
- No report from Hobart.
- Fees at Hobart in 1873: £140.20.
- Auckland: £17.47.
- Australian & Amer. S.S. Co.
- SF to Home. & F.T. to Sydney & Auckland.
- Allegedly has C.S. Gent at Sydney.
- Consular from Australia, Chile, Denmark, France, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, Portugal,
- Sweden + Norway.

Roll - 5

Sept 30, 1875 - Annual Laundry - Sydney - Newcastle.

Further statistics.

Oct 2, 1875 - Notice of new light at Sugar hoop Pool.

Oct 9, 1875 - Sydney & Newcastle returns.
Oct 15, 1875 - Unable to deliver Deep to H.H. Waller - not in Colony.

Oct 14, 1875 - Visits Corson - Centennial Exhbit - lost same, Mrs. Dick Pfitz & Melbourne Centennial Commission.

Requests for statistical tables.

Oct 20, 1875 - Miss expenses.


Dec 13, 1875 - Financial statement from NSW for 1875-76. New tariff will favor US trade.


Jan 3, 1876 - In Sec's fees.

- Application of F. M. Nobbs as Council Court Agent Norfolk Island. Explaining that away ship stop at Island but leads to Dept. Does not know Nobbs' only met him once but his expenses are respectable. Nobbs son of clergyman at Norfolk is respectable.

Jan 3, 1876 - Miss expenses.

Jan 5, 1876 - Sydney returns.

- Fleap in Signal Station.

Jan 24, 1876 - Returns for Brisbane & Newcastle & fees.

Feb 4, 1876 - Case of 3 seamen removed from John F. Taylor. Matter settled amicably but record not straightforward due to reporter in US. newspapers incorrect.

Mar 31, 1876 - Sick Deep - Bot for Tulities to toward. But went visit.

- Returns - Sydney & Newcastle.

- Miss expenses.


Mar 31, 1876 - Take complete to N. Z. Only NZ ship heard to arrive. But went visit.

Apr 6, 1876 - Sick Deep 21st. Feb 6, 1876 - accepts appointment from Council.

Apr 6, 1876 - Council - Lincoln Co. Maine - Removed Sydney.

Apr 26, 1876 - Trans. agreement between Co. of Steinberger & others passed to 21st. Mar by Capt. F. B. Steven as in connection of samon. Detailed agreement between Steinberger & Godfrey & Co. dated Sept 10, 1874 - and Steinberger & John H. B. Deleke - Jan 2, 1875.
May 23, 1876 - Receipt of Deep 2 & 3 + flag.

May 29, 1876 - Pension for W. H. Sheppard - not received since 1863.

May 30, 1876 - William Cattlin alias James Haukins - Inquest for No.

July 17, 1876 - Returns - Sydney, Newcastle, Brisbane.

Miss expenses.

Aug 9, 1876 - Hall act. for Frederick Nelson - deceased seaman.

Aug 29, 1876 - Fees for S/N/I/B for year.

Sept 30, 1876 - Annual Returns - Imports & Exports - Statistical Returns.

Oct 10, 1876 - Returns S/N/I/B.

Miss expenses.

Oct 11, 1876 - Ask 7 & 8 - Presumes Sheppard to U.S. / Cattern reply to friends.

Oct 16, 1876 - Day of Annual Report - at suggestion of Adelieau -

- census agriculture, mining, forestry, fisheries, health,

- taxation, n. Telephone, Slavery, Population, Education's

- navigation, commerce, fortifications, pub. Debt, Trade w/ US

Oct 16, 1876 - Sheppard still in NSW - applies for pension.

Nov 2, 1876 - Ask $9, 10 & 11 - no acquittal yet.


Dec 4, 1876 - Maritime Jurisdiction over Torres Straits - request from

Cpt. Clarke of Florence Bay. - Course of Col. Govt.

Jan 2, 1877 - Returns S/N

- Miss expenses.

- Quarantine for small pox on SF ships. Only one case so far.

Jan 30, 1877 - Cannot comply with case 6 - amended on duties.

Printed copies of Budget Speech of Colonial Treasurer,

- increased in tax on tobacco with abolition of duty on beer,

- wool etc. - country prosperous.

Duncan Ross.

Mar 3, 1877 - Ask 13 - Books - Trans. Letter & See Mary about

Mar 16, 1877 - Books of De. Saumon of Virginia, purchased in New

Gumna, sent to Cattern of Cattern's S/F. James are as surgeon

on steamer for S/F. Differently left without means or friends,

about two years ago. Came to Cattern who through friends got his

position of surgeon on Expedition to New Guinea.

May 22, 1877 - Maintaining jurisdiction Torres Straits - claim by Queens.

- Brisbane returns.

Mar 27, 1877 - Request for Report on Chinese in Calif. on Education

in case copies of Chinese report for Sydney - much interest there.
Deep from Sydney 904. M 173 - R 8

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#29 Apr 5, 1877 - Return S/N
    " Miss. expenses


#31 Apr 27, 1877 - More on Torres Straits - Dutchmen's & Queensland

#32 May 11, 1877 - Ask 15 & 16 - Frequent received & forgot.

#33 May 17, 1877 - Brisbane returns

#34 May 19, 1877 - Rescue of crew of Statton - Wreckage sold to pay passage.
    Did not have to pay for chartered boat but asked 10 cents for luggage.

#35 May 19, 1877 - Refusal of 2 coats to take lightning scene aboard.

#36 June 16, 1877 - Report of E. Jervois on Defences of Sydney & Newcastle
    The Lake June 7, 1877

#37 June 30, 1877 - Return S/N / B (ris)
    " Miss. expenses

#39 July 17, 1877 - Plans of Sydney Harbour - Defences of Port Jackson.
    " Requisition for Ships' Daily Journal.

#40 Oct 1, 1877 - Annual Report - (cover only)

#41 Oct 11, 1877 - Return S+N
    " Miss. Expenses - incl. new coat of arms & flagstaff

#42 Oct 17, 1877 - Dept. Annual Report - (cover only)

    In NSW Govt. - The copy to Queensland Govt.

#44 Dec 3, 1877 - Comments on trade - Need of CB at present. Present
    tariff in U.S. against Bent, US Trade - New Centennial which
    is number of US ships in port. Try 125 in 1880. - Duties on
    tobacco for revenue & local product which will be subject to
    excise tax. Duty on U.S. goods more or less on all other incoming
    products. Duty on beer should a protective one. U.S. in most
    favored nation position - must act wider open. Work to U.S.
    Exce. printed copy of NSW tariffs & comparative tables in other
    colonies.

#45 Dec 4, 1877 - Ask 22 - Trans. copy of Mr. Reid's pamphlet &
    Statistical Register of NSW (1876).

#46 Dec 19, 1877 - Ask 23 -
    " Port Charges on for ships - Foreign ships equal &
    but except they cannot engage in coastal trade. But can
    trade between Colonies.

#47 Dec 25, 1877 - Death of Charles Folger in Parramatta -
    Claim of Thos. Watters in money & real. writs.
Deep from Sydney - 904 M. 173 - RS

E. H. Williams

52 Jan. 1, 1878 - Return N & S
53 Jan. 18, 1878 - Mose expenses
54 Mar. 15, 1878 - Brisbane returns - not in proper from but trade well.
      Expects upgrade as Queensland large & rich in natural resources,
      Skilful crew, locomotive = money = goods.
55 Apr. 11, 1878 - Return N & S
56 Apr. 12, 1878 - Mose expenses
57 " - Oak $24.25
58 June 15, 1878 - Mrs. Matthews board of son who joined U.S. Navy -
      Passage for James McGuire - (Bounty money)
59 June 22, 1878 - Wreck of Mabel Clark
60 July 4, 1878 - Return N & S
61 July 8, 1878 - Mose expenses
62 July 9, 1878 - Oak $20.27 - Letters to Capt. Wesley Clark of Florence
      Bailey returned & PM Gov. Clark's ship not heard from for
      well over a year & feared lost.
63 Sept. 28, 1878 - Statistical info not yet available from NSW Govt
      on which he base accurate report. Sends some US trade
      figures.
64 Oct. 7, 1878 - Return S/N/B
65 " - Mose expenses
66 Oct. 9, 1878 - Cite on NSW International Exhibt of 1879
67 Oct. 19, 1878 - Right of jurisdiction in case of internal discipline
      aboard armed ships in harbor. Encl. SD, SD, etc. in tit.
68 Oct. 31, 1878 - Annual report - (copy only)
69 Nov. 7, 1878 - Dup of annual report - Death of Richard Hill
70 Nov. 29, 1878 - In care of Capt. of Aug. 21st - from Surgeon Gen. of
      Hospitals & Vital Statistics in 1877.
71 Nov. 29, 1878 - Request for US - printed in NSW Govt.
72 Jan. 1, 1879 - " for Geological & Geographical Atlas of Colorado
      in NSW Govt.
73 Jan. 16, 1879 - Return N & S
74 " - Mose expenses
75 Feb. 24, 1879 - Suggests change in req. to provide for discharge of seamen
      in far ports by stipulated agent. This would be away with
      excessive in caps as men were get rid of dissatisfied seamen
      men will not costs to leave - also less to steam clerks in Sydney.
Jan 25, 1879 - Sydney Videw & Exhibits expanded by Govt. & Dept. for interested exhibitors.

Jan 26, 1879 - Trans. Vital Statistics, etc.

Mar 10, 1879 - Returns - Brisbane.


Apr 12, 1879 - Returns - S/N


" - Has not agreed to council as none available.

S. Austin not resident of NSW.

Apr 21, 1879 - Ask 88 - David J. Ross estate. No will found.

May 22, 1879 - More on duties. Exhibit - Info from Executive Committee.

June 11, 1879 - Questions Treasury on disallowances - Deakin State.

July 9, 1879 - Returns - S/N

July 12, 1879 - More expenses - Brisbane.

July 12, 1879 - Return - Imports via other colonial ports not subject to Brisbane as liq to be reimported.

July 12, 1879 - Ask 38 & 39 - Rev. Joseph Sam, Bannock of MO. as VC

Aug 11, 1879 - Ask 40 - 41 - 42 - Info on Dr. Eames Hudson to Melbourne. Dr. S. E. Hudson of Missouri wanted to practice medicine in Aus. Among certificates generally looked upon w/ suspicion. Copy of report on ease to E. G. J. M. Spence - Melbourne.


Aug 27, 1879 - Brisbane return.


Oct 23, 1879 - Returns S/N 8

Oct 24, 1879 - More expenses.

Oct 30, 1879 - Ask 43 & 44 - Various cases in libraries (3 public) & trade operations, health reports.


Dec 29, 1879 - Dept duty. Conner. Recently filed a request for his present transfer but not before. Comment on other aspects of immigration.

Jan 15, 1880 - Return S/N/C

Jan 16, 1880 - Nuis Exp.

Jan 19, 1880 - Legal appeal of John Hay as Sec. State.

Feb 4, 1880 - Pensions. Neuman Webster & H.F. Fitter. CHANDERNAGORE

Mar 18, 1880 - Refused to register Chandernagor as U.S. ship.

Ship brought Domingo to new settlement of New Zealand.

Apr 7, 1880 - Return S\&N

Apr 8, 1880 - Nuis Exp.

" - Cress.


June 10, 1880 - Receipt of forms - but not all order. Health kept up.

July 7, 1880 - Return S/N

" - More expenses.

July 8, 1880 - Schedule of duties. Duty of wines & spirits raised.


" - Copies of Stamp Duties Act, Wharfage & Tonnage Rates.

Aug 4, 1880 - Brisbane Return.


" - Considers certificates on tobacco & woof. Explain.

Sept 30, 1880 - Annual report & returns & remarks on statistical returns of N.W.
Deep from Sydney - 904 - M 173 - R 8
S. H. Williams

122 (cont.) "A council in an English community between which and his own country trade has been carried on for 37 years, as has been the case with this colony, can do but little by way of suggesting new sources of trade, as the import part of this trade due to the exportes on the other side are quite unsuitable to look after their own interests."

"I can only say that our countrymen will meet with sharp competition, and that it depends upon their ability to sell good articles at cheaper rates to obtain a leading position in this market - but such position we shall not be obtained by the cheapening means of building ships."

July 6, 1881 - Return S/N
July 7, 1881 - Miss expenses
July 9, 1881 - Ask 60 - Appreciates continuance in office
July 12, 1881 - Corrects error in 143 in which J.T.O stated everyone very anxious about attack on Pres. and "hope that it may prove fatal." Obviously should be "not fatal."
July 29, 1881 - Brisbane returns
" - Capt. Carigill's claim to passage to Mrs. Frank - New?
" - Wm. Brown discharged from angling & shipped out.
July 30, 1881 - Ask civic
Sept 2, 1881 - Smallpox epidemic in Sydney
Sept 29, 1881 - Chamber of Commerce meeting to express sympathy on death of Pres. Garfield - mourning in city
Sept 30, 1881 - Annual report delayed due to lack of statistics
" - Receipt of new Council regulations
Oct 6, 1881 - Trans. letter to Mrs. Garfield & son
Oct 24, 1881 - Return S/N /B
Oct 25, 1881 - Hrly. expenses + rent
Oct 27, 1881 - Ans. to Cen. of July 23, 1881 on fees - Past year fees $2182.95 - no salary
Nov 1, 1881 - From Charles Kahlke at Wash. D.C. ask ass't
Nov 17, 1881 - From Charles Kahlke - S.F. left Indiana Oct 7.
Nov 25, 1881 - Trans. address from Municipal Council, Brisbane to Mrs. Garfield
Dec 16, 1881 - So ill he has not been able to discharge duties since Dec 7 & since then in hands of Mr. Plaxton.
Can do nothing for present by order of Doctor
26 Jan. 1882 - Arr Sydney Dec 19, 1881. Took charge Jan 2nd 1882. Delay due to lack of steamer. SHW died Dec 31, 1881. Books in order. SHW left for Melbourne moved consulate from Pitt St. to George St. Rent on news office will exceed his budget but made change in interests of Govt. cites need in check. Much more work needed at Melbourne. 'W. H. T. etc. for newspaper. Journalists of Sydney have called on him recommending

26 Jan. 1882 - T. Q. Baron resigns as V.C due to business.

" - returns for Sydney

27 Jan. - Returns B & N

Roll 9

Feb 7, 1882 - Inventory of office. Death of 2 seamen

Feb 23, 1882 - Register of Florence Treaty sold to NSW citizen

Mar 22, 1882 - Recommends US action on duty on wool to avoid... of SF and SS, S.S. Cattle. protest from 5 Americans trading in New... years and under new laws must employ Freeland & S.S. and Freeland in order to continue trading. Cattle help from US govt.


Apr 19, 1882 - Returns S & B

" - Returns S

Apr 27, 1882 - Inquiries on Red of weaver's reg. - Requests forms.

May 10, 1882 - Ask - Deep 4 - Fees from Brisbane & deposition of effects of seamen's returned.

June 15, 1882 - Priscilla condemned & sold & Hattie & Tapley sold.

June 21, 1882 - Complaints that Harris & Hutchins too long in office.

July 1, 1882 - Request for 40 days leave to U.S. in Jan. on business

July 11, 1882 - Returns A & B.

July 12, 1882 - " S.


Oct 4, 1882 - Returns - S.

" Rent & misc expenses.

Oct 12, 1882 - Report on NSW in 1881 - Trade, Mining, Agric. etc.


Nov 13, 1882 - Death of J.W. Ferris.

Nov. 25, 1882 - War in exequaturs of Thomas (not on) Henry Boyd.

Dec. 25, 1882 - From S.F. - left Sydney Nov 30th; on SF. Dec 25th.


Jan 24, 1883 - Returns B & N. Rosales.

Jan 25, 1883 - Death of J.C. Rosales, seaman.

Jan 25, 1883 - Boyd. Quarterly accounts.


Apr 17, 1883 - Quarterly accounts - protests salary held up due to delay of SHW.

Apr 18, 1883 - Ask £16 - Quarterly report.

May 7, 1883 - B/N -

May 15, 1883 - Resignation of Boyd as U.C. due to health & illness.

May 17, 1883 - Copy of act regulating importation of sheep & cattle from U.S. allowing such importation.

May 21, 1883 - Wreck of Bell in Solomons - rescue of crew. Recommends some act. of savours of the mar. of U.S.

May 29, 1883 - Trans. Bell Register & Survey of NSW.

June 5, 1883 - Ask Erics.


July 13, 1883 - Quarterly report.

July 12, 1883 - Accts.

July 30, 1883 - Resignation of Henry law as Cons. Agent, Newcastle. Hearing from Dr. Alexander Brown of Foster had decided not to represent England in part.

July 31, 1883 - Quarterly Reports N+1.

Aug 27, 1883 - Request for 45 days leave to U.S. on leave beginning 27 Dec. [Dept. notes it cannot be granted so soon of the]

Aug 28, 1883 - Report on US goods needed in N.S.W. Detailed report on many items - farm implements, etc. - more opportunities exist - numerous products to test.

Note: Details of French wine MESSAGERIE MARITIME
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455 Oct 1, 1883 - Ask 17 to 21 - Death of Boyd - Aug 16, 1883 - Bond for sale
Transmitted - Thanks for clerk hire of $400 per y.

56 Oct 6, 1883 - Quarterly Reports
57 Oct 9, 1883 - " Aceats
58 Oct 12, 1883 - " Repts B + N
59 Oct 29, 1883 - Letter Bond - Due to line of coal - (not in file)
60 Nov 21, 1883 - Report of tonnage dues collected from Pacific Mail S.S. Co.
Sawyer July 1, 1879 - Total of $551.13.

61 Nov 27, 1883 - Ask 22 to 23 - Mentions delay in routing dispatches
To Sydney via Melbourne - Inc. ref. by Alan. B. Brown 1/2 John
Small Riley to be acting Cons. Agent, Newcastle - Riley native of England.
62 Jan 7, 1850 - Also from Brown, born East Maitland, N.S.W.
Feb 8, 1857 - an Australian.

62 Jan 21, 1884 - asks that council be allowed to trade - compensation
sufficiently large turned down good offers in part. A regulation
cannot be changed so must resign to adopt position with
equitable hire. Insurance Society of the U.S. in N.S.W.
Wishes to continue as council.

63 Jan 23, 1884 - Quarterly Report
64 " " "
65 Jan 29, 1884 - Ask 24 to 26. Thanks for leave but cannot use it
until July. Ref. to visit to U.S. as gentleman who "all
occupy high political or commercial positions and are
considered to be men that their visit will do more than do a great deal
inwardly the increase in commercial relations between the
United States and Australia." Quarterly Report B + N.

66 Jan 31, 1884 - Annual Report. (not in file) Apparently detailed
marked "Comment on..." for publication.

67 Feb 26, 1884 - Ask 27 to 28. New prohibition of migration of
workers from anywhere except Aust. colonies, due to disease
found in U.S. deep.

68 Apr 11, 1884 - Ask 29. Request from Chamber of Commerce of
Townsville asking for Consular Agent there. Recommends such
an appointment. Also request from Thomas of Notes - vessel which
recently came of Dade to compute it. It accompanied John
Stephens on board it sent a note to Capt. Ho q... Owner.

69 Apr 12, 1884 - Quarterly Report -
70 " Rent + Marine Expenses.

71 Apr 28, 1884 - Quarterly Reports B + B

72 May 19, 1884 - Ask 30. Dept. cannot agree to request to trade. 62.
Will remain in office until successor arrives.
May 23, 1884 - Transfers of ship ownership. Pettigrew to Bartole:
valid; refused Baker's brand. 2nd transfer requested by Dr. 2nd.

July 4, 1884 - Quarterly report.

July 10, 1884 - N + B

Rent & Wages. Expenses. Office moved to better location at 40 Hunter St., 2nd floor. Need to repaint


Oct 6, 1884 - Oct 31-33. Trans. explanation from Brown in

Nov 7, 1884 - Quarterly report - N + B

Dec 3, 1884 - As above, but claims the treatment of Capt. was requested Brown to make other arrangements.

Dec 23, 1884 - Quarterly report to Dec 23, 1884

Dec 23, 1884 - Quarterly report N + B

Dec 31, 1884 - Report on Wood Trade of Aust. (not in file)

Dec 31, 1884 - As above, requests $200 for furniture [allowed $100]

Ask #3 - Investigated charges against Brown in New Zealand. Found false inferences. Has instructed enq. agent to abolish.

Dec 31, 1884 - As above. Dr. & Griffin in command.

Dec 31, 1884 - As above. Thanks for transmitting thanks of N Z Govt. to Wm. F. D. Jarvis through Capt. & Dept. & Griffin in care.

Dec 31, 1884 - As above in his report to Dept.
Dec. 31, 1884 - Request for stationary.

Jan 20, 1885 - Report on Tariffs of NSW & Victoria. Comment: "very full and interesting." "Very long."

Jan 22, 1885 - Notice of Return to Dec 31, fraction of quarter.

Jan 23, 1885 - "N.B. none to report."

Jan 29, 1885 - Request for blank forms.

Feb. 17, 1885 - Annual Report on NSW "very full & interesting."


Feb 20, 1885 - Request for record books.

Feb 20, 1885 - J. Thomas Farrell - who filed intent to become citizen of U.S. in 1881 in S.F. Purchased land from natives of New Britain & had deeds recorded in Sydney. Former Brit. subject. New citizenship in U.S. Also trading between Sydney & New Britain & other islands. Trade west for security titles. German govt has protectorate over New Britain.

Feb 21, 1885 - July. on check here. Dept. replied to be continued but not increased. Presently $400. Duties at Sydney "much more difficult than those at Auckland." Paid in check out of our pocket money.


Feb 25, 1885 - Request for minerals resources of the U.S.

Feb 25, 1885 - Register of Robert Morgan: condemned & sold Sydney.

Mar 20, 1885 - Report on Tin Mines of NSW. "Interesting & valuable data." [Very interesting.]

Mar 22, 1885 - Bond for Stuart.


Mar. 26, 1885 - Ask passport. 5, 6 & 7.
Apr. 2, 1885 - Arents & returns.

Apr. 3, 1885 - Arent of clerk hire.

Apr. 17, 1885 - Report on Pearl Fishery of Queensland. (not in file)

Apr. 22, 1885 - Death of Capt. A.W. Hunt.


May 15 - From Hales - Explains relief for Oceana.

May 19 - Geo. Slate - Presents his removal as V.C. to Mr. Griffin. Is now employed & asked him to hesitate. Did not think from him that marine last letters required. Has not seen him. Has been replaced. Called at Hales' house - thrown out of office.

Assistance Griffin's unfitness - probably out of his mind. Does not want Griffin job but thinks Dept. should look into affairs of Commissioner's Dept. Notation: - "It is desirable that the C.G. his Vice President be in accord with the Dept. will not interfere unless some very reason is presented.

Etc. Testimony from public officials to his character.


May 20, 1885 - Receipt of cures.

" - Arent $ & 9.

May 23, 1885 - Returns.

June 1, 1885 - Bond for Geo. F. Stuart.

June 8, 1885 - Arent $42 on Thos. Farrell's Land. "10-13

" - Arent $42. Wm. Williams Brown notified of appointment.

June 13, 1885 - Arent $15. Messes have cared for negro children and are paying their passage to N. Sydney. Chas. Flue.

June 18, 1885 - Arent $16. Approval of Henry Edward Stokes as City Agent.

Aug. 18, 1885 - Hales, George. Newcastle凭据 his removal from office. Hales had advised he had not applied for reappointment & why he retiried to recognize all points under him.

June 16, 1885 - Report on Silver Mines of NSW.

June 15, 1885 - From Kable of Larnaca. Hales of 40 Newlin St. Sup. manufacturer of machinery to treat ores - letter in support of Alex. Brown and other. G. Griffin - Refuse no reply.


July 3, 1885 - Receipt & Returns at quarter.

July 13, 1885 - Instructions to races on route of flying missionaries.
1885 - G.W. Griffith

44 July 13 - Receipt of cases.
45 " - Clearing hire.
46 July 15 - Acket 14th of July - Sydney Morning Herald July 16, 1885.
47 July 29 - Return from Newcastle.
49 Aug 13 - Report on Health Trade of NSW.
50 " - Wreck of Isabella Costa. Men saved.
51 " - Aggregate res. of fees & June 30, 1885.
53 Sept 7 - Flag needed in Sept. & seal for Newcastle.
54 Sept 8 - Receipt of cases.
55 Sept 9 - Act "49. Ordered changes at Newcastle for parcel to ship & stamps on advance to be discontinued. Practice by persons counsel agency representing - very remuneraive.
56 Sept 9 - Web line on death of Grant.
57 Sept 9 - Report on Grant. Copper mines.
58 " - Request for copy of Corp. Regs.
59 " - hand defects between Thos. Farrell & Geo. Grant. Our hand & weight to trade in New Britain & New Zealand. Farrell has proclaimed U.S. protection which Griffin has not agreed to an amendment - also sends messages & notices engaged in questionable labor practices. Hurtle increase in Amer. trade in South Seas. New station in Solomon & White Man Bros of F.W. in Engrainville need in some measure of protecting Amer. interests. All letters on subject to WASH. JA Hilt. - Meanwhile has advised Farrell of Dept. view on land purchases (sub. 9-42). Also German counsel protest against lape of Golden Gate appropriation mail entitled to pay. Citizen in Sydney & German counsel. Capt. Ellard Miller purchase land in name of Emura 2. Ferry to, out of Guam in Coe of Apia. Farrell reports cotton coffee plantations, in good shape & 32 stations for collection of copra, molasses, etc. Corneal, W. German Commissioner. 85 pp.
60 Sept 10 - Resolutions of sympathy on death of Grant. West.
62 Sept 10 - Permission to change $20.93 to out Daily Does + 50 to keep books & does in office.
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1885. C. W. Griffin


Oct 7 - Report on Hardware Trade of NSW

Oct 6 - Quarterly returns.

" - Act 1 for black hine.


Oct 7 - Acts + returns from B. W.

" - Adv 25 - Appreciation of Dept. to Messrs of Syd. transmitted

" - Adv 26, 27, 28 - + cites.

" - Adv 27 - Has asked Brown to refund money erroneously collected from Capt. of Seabury but says reply. Settled incident as one reason for non reappearance of Brown.

Oct 31 - #27 - Are from Brown. Had nothing to do w/money which was given by master of seabury to agent of vessel. My items & hospital authorities. kolman due on hospital bill had paid. Incident not likely to recur as new council agent better than old one.

Nov 3 - Report on Hardware + Ironmongery Trade of NSW

" - Murder of Capt C. P. Holcombe widow of Bartle-Gottlieb

by natives at Wathco. Killed while trading.

Nov 4 - Report on NSW wood.

" - Council office at Barasfield Chambers, 52 Castlereagh St. currently located on one of principal streets. 2 blocks from Post Office. Rent $8.32 per annum + $25. Rent allowance only 75. Describes 2 rooms on 1st floor, separate promenade offices. Janitor @ 57 per mo. Rooms carpeted & provided with window blinds at our expense. Furniture allowance only $100 complemented furniture paid by Council. Sketch of rooms.

Nov 15 - Request for printed Council Reports.


Dec 3 - Reply of Dec 2. 3rd name of Dr. Henry Sinclair to applicant for pension. Jolin Solomon.

Dec 3 - C. P. William last overhead.

Dec 7 - Effects of Dr. Matthew M. Knox. Heads power of attorney.

Dec 28 - Report on Beer Trade of NSW
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1886 - G. W. Griffin.

88 Jan 20 - Ask Desp. 32, 33, 34, 35 + 36 - Thanks given local Grant.
84 Jan 20 - Ask Desp. 37 - will investigate.
85 Jan 20 - Ask Desp. 39.
86 Jan 20 - "" 38 - Farrell case. ""
87 Jan 21 - Ask line on death of Vice Pres Hendricks.
88 Jan 22 - Ask 41 - sterilized seed for stationary.
89 Jan 23 - Ask 31 - cottony cushion scale on orange trees unknown in Aust. - only white scale + brown scale. - 1st report.

90 Jan 23 - Accts + Returns.
91 "" - Check hire acct.
92 "" - Accts + Returns from N. & B.
93 Feb 15 - Report on wine trade of NSW.
95 Feb 25 - Passed Dept message on lead in New Britain to Farrell in accordance with Joint of 9 Feb 25, 1885 - U.S. Trade of New Britain. Ensign of any nation. Do not wish whole matter to report. Also asked German authorities for info as to how much dispute writes.

97 "" - Report on Australian Wool Clip for 1885-86.
98 Mar 10 - Request stationary + blanks.
99 "" - Trans. Letter promise of NSW on splenic apoplexy in sheep.
100 Mar 22 - Ask ciecs.
101 "" - New join of oath.
102 "" - Ask 44 - Have signed of James Traynor, Sending request to NZ as he left ship at Bay of Islands.
104 Apr. 1 - Effects of C. P. Strandell 5157 + letters to Dept for hair in Sweden.
105 Apr. 4 - Premises of NSW requests ans. to questions on chilled meat.
106 "" - Accts + Returns.
107 "" - Cleared here.
108 Apr. 14 - Report on Timber Trade of NSW.
Apr 14 - Report on Wooden Pavements

Apr 16 - Occ 45 - Explains settlement of estate for Mrs. Cameron & Mrs. Cameron Estate amount 6 2953.55 - Canal Co. 1880 for work which was completed - Recruiter had money & would not release it. Mrs. C & Mrs. S in U.S. Their mother in Sydney refused of every step, had asked for Council's help & approved action.

Apr 20 - Ask cited of effects of deceased seaman.

May 1 - Report on Bermudez Archipelago. Ammo, commence started in 1879 by Mrs. Emma E. Forey the land of Toren Cott & his Saman wife - 36 years old now educated in Sydney & S.F. Described by her as a pleasant place with some water. Mentioned most of his cows & sheep to New Britain in 1879. Part of them. Farsaill - Castle was 120,000 acres. Off. May 9 had participated in lease of Pago Pago & U.S. owns a few acres. Possibly for U.S. trading colony. Other Amer. Guns in area - 15 pp. 19 parts.

May 5 - Requests to go to U.S. for health. Needs change of climate.


May 17 - Reply to 49 - 15 paid to hospital - Brown responsible for irregular discharge but not besides & repay money which was given. Hospital to receive in Brown's place.

May 18 - Reply to 50 - No reason for bail & possible pardon to go to U.S. early 47.

May 19 - Receipt of unofficial fees for year.

May 18 - Boats & Returns - N + 3

May 19 - Reply to 48 - Claim of Dr. Van Camp against Geo. E. Sharp. Must write to Collector agency. States Van Camp's assertions against him are a poor return to gridiron getting him free passage home. Solicitor's opinion Van Camp's claim without before law. Litigation, dep. w/ auditor absent in U.S. would be costly & probably useless - see corresp.

June 3 - Affairs of Capt. Poleheber & Bartele. Welcome said to have wife & children in Hartley. Also history of native woman who took his effects & claimed Sailing Protection in Del. Vessel taken by John B. Wilkerson. Bartele objected, who probably gave her some money & then it registered to make U.S. flag - now wants to ship vessel - asks instructions.

June 12 - Report on foreign vessels - Foreign vessels & wages to

June 14 - Inquire into Van Bierden passport.

June 14 - Reply to 51 - France, unsatisfactory report of officials on Dr. M.M. Know estate - & have miscellaneous points.

June 16 - Read copy of passport of Carl van Bierden on nationality points.

June 24 - Quantity & value to grain exported 1884-1885 - not nice.
July 8 - Reply #50 - NSW qmr st ill will not grant Bailey pardon.

July 9 - Torts, duties - new vs old schedules - People advocate free trade policy.

July 10 - Reply #57 - Estate of Jno. Higgins - useless to go further.

July 12 - Celebration of 4th of July. Morning levee, garden party & banquet. 1st time in history of Aust. that the reg. of the fleet attended U.S. breech. celebration - host Carrington - G.O. of N.S.W. Chippys - Carrington ordered F's of U.S.

July 13 - Dispute between U.S. and French traders in Bismarck Archipelago. Trade of tobacco on hand - info on Gen. quit agreements a

July 14 - Ack #56 w/sens. for Col. Sec. on sphere of policy.

July 14 - Request from Col. Sec. Brisbane for exchange of docs.

July 14 - Box of mineral & scientific specimens from G.F. Knos to Tiffany & Co. N.Y. sent via Manfosa.

July 22 - Golden Gate detained at Cooktown. Capt. accused of kidnapping in Bismarck Archipelago. Court managed to get it addressed - changes by drunken water.

July 24 - Assets & Actives - B. N.


Aug 6 - #62 - The record of death of John Elderidge 0 men in N.S.W.

Aug 7 - #60 - Passport for Carl von Briesen already explained.

Sept 1 - Ask Day. 64, 65, 66 & 68 w/o von Briesen passport.


Sept 9 - Clerk hire to Sept 9.

Sept 9 - Geo. F. Stuart - Griffin to draw salary. Stuart to take fees.


Oct 1 - Presentation of gold watch to Capt. Neilson for rifle reserve.

Oct 2 - Clerk hire - Sept 10 - 30.
169  Dec 31 - Clerk hire -
169  " - Assets & Returns -

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also #74. Copy of P.C. Barlow's letter sent to C.S. Sec. + 47 ft.
168  Jan 25 - Copy of will of Thos. Begens
169  Jan 31 - Report on Immigration to New South Wales.
170 Jan 25 - Blowers pension claim.
171  "  Assets & Retinue - Newcastle.
172 Feb 9 - Report on the Coal Mines of N.S.W.
173 Feb 10 - Ask 75 - Called attention of Col. Sec. to Golden Gate case &
             injury to Capt. Steele & requested medical inspection in future.
174 Feb 11 - Macquarie pension.
175  "  Feb 12 - 77 - Has written the Gov. of New Britain asking him to
             appoint an interested tribunal to substitute formal end 
176 Feb 12 - Ask leave on divorce papers & certificates.
178 Feb 21 - Retinue - Townsville & Brisbane.
179 Feb 22 - Request for flags.
180  "  Feb 22 - Request for stationary.
181 Feb 23 - Attempted assassination of Premier of Tonga, Shirley W.
             Reports on conditions in Tonga. Dispute between the groups of
             Mr. J. B. Monien = Premier & W. Bakers & Mrs. George.
             Legislative meeting side. People handed by July 1/2 of people;
             but Baker accused of partisanship & Germans. The newspapers
183 Mar 9 - Pension claim of Martin P. Lawson.
184 Mar 11 - Ask fees.
185  "  79 with forward rift on Capt. Holder when received.
186  "  81 - Queries being made as to whereabout of Edward William.
187 Mar 22 - 80 - Portrait received, leaving for port on Golden Gate.
188 Mar 31 - Retinue.
189  "  Check hire.
190 Apr 13 - Report on 1860 gold mining.
191 Apr 18 - Ask fees.
192  "  Request for supplies.
193  "  Ask #82 & #83 Workshops of Pres.
194 Apr 20 - Trans. Copy of Financial Statement for N.S.W. by Burns
             Colonial Stores. Who has been advocate of mines, trade & removal
             of many duties.
195 May 12 - Ask #84 & #85 & money for Thos. Britton's will.
196 May 12 - NSW Board of Health wants to keep function of Health
             Inspectors of immigrants stationed at Liverpool by it. (Pres.)
19.6 (cont) Similar plan proposed at Aunt. Sanitary Conf. Around August I knew of US plan similar & if it originated in U.S or Aunt.

197 May 13 - Stuart sailed from Raaluna Cyp 7th - Report through Sydney.

198 May 18 - Report on NSW Harvest.

199 May 19 - Leaves & Returns - N & B.

200 June 10 - Ask #85 & #86 - Cries.

201 June 13 - Report on the Fruit Trade of NSW.

202 June 27 - Leaves Newcastle.

203 June 30 - " Sydney.

204 " - Clarke Hire.

205 July 13 - Arrival of Stuart at Port [Underlined] Germany has assumed sovereignty over给你们 local authorities will not receive him without orders from Berlin. Relations continued in meantime.


207 " - #87 Explains publication of Report on Coop & Timbers as done by Statistician who helped with figures but used more of his material for pub. than authorized.

208 July 13 - Newspaper accounts of 4th of July in Sydney. Notions celebration has become a tradition in Sydney. American from a colony with a colony that they harmonize.

209 Aug 8 - Report on NSW tariff news.

210 Sept 3 - new. Patrick B. Kenna as V.C. 23 yrs old native of NSW check at consults - private see.

211 Sept 3 - Ask #87 - reply to Financial Statement sent to Mr. Burns.

212 " - Ask #90 - Vre medical inspector of US at foreign ports.

213 Sept 5 - Request for supplies.

214 Sept 6 - Report on Fisheries of NSW.

215 Sept 30 - Check hire.

216 " - Assets & Returns.

217 Oct 5 - Report of Tobacco Industry of NSW.


219 " - Collect Cries.

220 Nov 1 - Copy of cable to Dept. sent by Cox & Sewall in Samoa.

"Tasmanian German aid troops municipal government American insurgents." Sent copy of Sydney Morning Herald Oct 25, 1887 on Samoa. Remarks on situation in Samoa as he knew it.
Nov 30 - Report on Dairy Farming in NSW with drawings of cattle.

Dec 23  - Ask 293 - Forms.

Dec 31  - Assets & returns.


Apr 6   - Clerk hire.

Apr 10  - Report on Australian Railways.

Apr 19  - NZ Audit. Museum request for a copy of Wilkes report - none in NZ.

May 12  - Pears' thanks to Capt. Bennett conveyed.


May 15  - Ask 102 & Cities.
Deep from Sydney - 904 - M-173 R12

1882 - C.W. Griffin


Roll 13

240 Report on Horses - 29 pp - from previous roll - Deep # 240.


250 June 7 - Request for allowance of office furniture - £100.

251 June 9 - Newspaper clippings on Commodore dinner - Centenary of Aotu.


253 July 5 - Check here.

254 "- Assets for quarter.

255 July 9 - Conf. on Chinese - to prevent them landing in Sydney allowed by law w/ payment of 20/- per head but question very serious - efforts to prevent Chinese landing & exclusion law passed but no uniformity of action among Colonies. - Ex. "The Chinese in Australia." Speech by Sir Henry Parkes - 16 May 1885 - 17 pp. - Retail.

256 July 9 - Report of difficulties between Capt. Morse of Allemeda & Federation - Seamen's Union in re. Chinese harbor on boats ammonia vessels carrying ammonia. - Union will prohibit assistance to vessels employing Chinese - Morse refused dock & aid in introducing cargo & taking on coal unless he replaced Chinese w/ union workers. - Finally Morse agreed to take 21 union men & U.S. to replace the Chinese for return voyage. - Griffin only called in late in game - final agreement between Morse & union workers on new goods assistance. - Ex. covers.


259 Aug 7 - Maggie - Union demanded 33 men be shipped. Griffin had arranged for coal & discharge of ship w/o union help. By notifying amenities, non-union men w/ police protection - shipped.

260 Aug 7 - Ask @ 103 to 106 - Cries.

261 Sept 4 - #107 - Inquiries made about John D. Atkins.

262 Sept 4 - #108 - 110 - Cries.

263 Sept 30 - Check here.


265 Oct 1 - Assets & Liabilities.
Oct 2 - Comments on Samoan War. Irritation that Mr. Griffin writes with more intelligence & good sense about Samoan affairs than anyone except Mr. John Thurston. To be commended.

Oct 2 - Report on NSW Chinese Settlement. [Enclose to Congress. Read it.]

Oct 2 - Request for furniture. [Enclose nothing objectively.]

Oct 2 - Ask #112 - restriction.


Nov 26 - Ask #115-116 - 6 cires.

Nov 26 - Requests 60-day leave to U.S.

Dec 24 - Ask #117-119 - 6 cires.

Dec 31 - Check here.

Feb 1899 - Estates & rentals.

Jan 18 - Trans. copy of "Wealth & Progress of NSW" [Put in Dept. library.]

Jan 20 - Ask #120 - 6 cires.

Jan 21 - Report on Commerce & Shipping of NSW.

Feb 20 - Check here.

Feb 20 - Ask #122 - Must leave due to ill health & Domestic affairs. Family in U.S. in great distress. Presence called for. Leaving on Queensland. Only direct to Kentucky. Hope cargo approved. V.C. Leaves in charge [Dept. agreed to grant leave] [Post Sydney, Feb 1899.]

Feb 20 - #123 - Has received one letter from Whipplesey & replied. Claims valuable but suggests responsible yours if he wishes to publish it.

Feb 20 - Estates in part of quarter.

Feb 20 - Report on Shooting of Chinese coolie abroad Southern Coffee. Remarked at kitchen of given. Griffin convinced of necessity of extreme means of subduing such who had been present for some time. Feeds from address to move as Dept. "If you can get your kitchen without letting your code & is the kitchen 'worthless? Apparently so". Fine cook in a Christmas and should back." [See Descriptions.]

Feb 20 - Griffin in poor health. Left on zealandia. Send off at Town Wall from distinguished citizens. Cheapest.


Apr 8 - Admiral Kimberley's report on loss of U.S. men at Apia. 16 March - Cheapest and wife's expression of sympathy.
1889 - Kenna

286 Apr 17 - Ask #124 - 125 + cites.
287 Apr 15 - Accr + Returns.
288 Apr 15 - Check hire.
289 May 3 - Ask #126 + cites.

290 June 12 - VC appl not rec'd by Bat Jkt. Asks for action.
291 June 29 - From S.F. As S/F + Leaving that day for Sydney.
292 July 4 - Check hire.
293 July 9 - Accr + Returns.
294 July 11 - Request from United States Institution for publications by U.S. Govt on naval + military subjects. WJ Carr.
295 July 27 - Check hire. Port of quarter.
296 July 27 - Accr for port of quarter.
298 July 27 - Cred. cit.
299 July 27 - Ref. to port July 25 + entered on duty.

Roll 14 - B.W. Griffin

300 Aug 6 - Requests purchase of Remington Typewriter $150.
301 Aug 7 - Request for reports Dept. of Agri. Be sent to Monthly Can.
302 Aug 21 - Ask #128 + c129 + cites.
303 Aug 22 - Report on Credit System of N.S.W.
304 Sept 4 - Wreck of 'Rosa Walt'. Sends 1/2 register, ads inst. Under unclear reg. men thought to have been shipped to Newcastle, then to Sydney. But nothing practical no experience. Two docs.
Sept 14 - Request for forms.

Sept 16 - Trans. samples of song have been w/l of AGCT for AGC.

Sept 24 - Trans. 7 popular songs of NSW for Prof. Song.----

T. S. Barlow

Sept 28 - Report on Cotton Textiles imported into NSW.

Sept 30 - Check hire.

Oct 7 - Report on Irrigation in N.S.W.


Oct 30 - 2nd report on Irrigation in NSW - after the end of parliament.

Oct 30 - Trans. new song on entry of livestock & quarantines.

Nov 7 - Report on Agriculture in NSW & Victoria.

Nov 18 - Report on Canals in NSW.

Nov 27 - Report on Federation of the Austral. Colonies. Plan to new bust to date no unanimity on how it might he brought about. No two colonies have same fiscal policy or tariff aimed against each other as much as against specific interests; customs tariff. These obstacles although other barriers to agreement. Also quantity of goods sent to other Republican sentiment in Aus. Canada encourages trade relations - U.S trade hunt by non-report by U.S. Govt. of Sydney. If steamships - use newspaper clipping on subject of Federation of all states political opinion.

Dec 6 - Ask 130-133 - c:ries.

Dec 20 - Whittelsey claim against W. H. Lucas of Sydney. - Exposition Whittelsey he says was collected but paid him 500 dollars in Sydney at the time to proceed. Copy of Whittelsey invoice undated payment outstandingly against him.

Dec 20 - Ask 137 - Trans. of pub. to U.S. United Service Institute of N.S.W.

Dec 31 - Clerk hire.

Dec 31 - Assets & return.
Deep from Sydney - 904 - M-173 - R 14

1890 - G.W. Griffin

327 Jan 9 - Ask "139, 140 = cites.
328 Jan 21 - Report on Orange, Lasson, Fig 10 Cine Cadet in Aust.
329 Jan 22 - " " Agri. prospects of the Aust. Harvest.
330 Feb 13 - Ask "141 = cites.
331 Feb 17 - Report on the South Australian Harvest.
332 Feb 18 - " Rabbits in Aust.
333 Feb 19 - Distribution of 250 copies of U.S. Export Almanac done.
334 " " Reply 141 - Children of Patrick O'Brien his heirs. Search for.
335 " " 140 - No James A. Cooper in Solomon's. Passed question to Fiji.
336 Mar 8 - Ask cites.
337 Mar 17 - Report on the Wheat Harvest in NSW.
338 Mar 19 - " Australian Wool Season 1889-90
339 Mar 31 - Clerk here.
340 " " Quarterly returns.
341 Apr. 14 - Ask 142 -
342 Apr. 28 - Trans. Congratulations from Chief Sec. of Victoria on Griffin's report on Aust. Alliances & action of U.S. Cong. on migration.
343 May 6 - Report on refrigerators & food preserving appliances in Aust.
344 May 5 - Ask cites.
345 May 30 - " "
346 June 11 - Report on Australasian Gold Returns in 1889 -
347 June 13 - Mineral specimen & geological guide from Govt. Geologist of NSW sent in 2 boxes to The Ohio Falls Geographical Sec., Louisville, Ky.
348 July 1 - Clerk here.
349 July 8 - July 4th. celebration - newspaper clippings.
350 July 8 - Quarterly accts. - Cash
352 Aug 5 - Ask 143 = cites.
354 " " Sending 2 boxes of Aust. newspapers, periodicals, requested by Prov. of Milwaukee. Exhibition for display.
Aug 8 - Higher wages on British and Colonial vessels reason for desertion of seamen in Sydney. Deserters arrived at 41 mentors in some cases. Easy to re-ship at Sydney.

Aug 20 - Report on sanitary reports in NSW.
Sept 2 - Report on auriferous silver.
Sept 3 - Ask $144 - completed w/ instructions.

Oct 1 - Aces & mine.

Nov 25 - Report on iron & hardware industry in NSW.
Dec 14 - Request from Royal Commission on report on labor.
Dec 16 - Ask 145 & Cities.

Dec 24 - Canada piling 35 subsidy - formal. Outcome inquest.
Dec 29 - Committ on report on migration.

Oct 1 - Check hire.

Jan 5 - Check hire.
Jan 10 - Aces & return.
Jan 19 - Report on customs tariff on NSW.

Jan 29 - Requests 60 days leave due to ill health & urgent private
+ domestic reasons.

Feb 7 - Report on India Rubber Trade w/ US.
Feb 13 - Trans. letter from Imp. of Stock on contagious diseases among
animals in NSW.

Feb 17 - Trans. effects of George Bleazard.
Feb 23 - Report on city streets of NSW.
Feb 26 - Resignation of Kenna as V.C. Griffin instigated act.

Mar. 12 - Report on roads & highways of NSW.

Mar. 20 - Nominated Alexander Cameron as V.C. U.S. c. b. 1862
at Petersburg, Va. convenient w/ similar work & large knowledge of
colonial & Indian affairs.

Mar 23 - Miss expenses.
Mar 23, 1891 - Cheque hire

Mar 23 - Leaving that day due to ill health. Griffin to get salary. Cameron cheque hire, continuing expenses, rental, rent.

Mar 26 - Address presented to Griffin by Mr. Mr. Alfred Stephen on his departure. Officers - editors - musicians praising Griffin's work in US & etc.

Mar 23 - Griffin leaving that evening. Cameron taking over.

Apr. 14 - Cameron appl. in Post Gazette of Mar 26.

Apr. 17 - Add # 146, 147, 149 + cures. # 148 not read.

Apr. 27 - Picturesque Atlas rent: left behind by Griffin.

Apr. 27 - From Louisville - Add # 148 - best of care of two nurses who avoided law.

Apr. 27 - Mr. Louisville. Apr. 26th. Hope to go to work soon.

May 6 - Request for forms & supplies.

May 9 - 45% receipt of 148 - receipt of # 150 + cures.

May 11 - Kiln placed under Army flag. Mrs. Forth the Enderby wrecked. Kiln purchased as replacement.


May 18 - Dispatch of lot of muscias to Smithsonian.

June 3 - From Washington, D.C. Concern of Mrs. Forth due to status as Amer. citizen. Land in New Britain - trade registered in Col. Sydney. Before German annexation. Right to only portion 3rd. Pte. Forth marrying his aunt. Sold ship at Pittsfield, N.Y. Near council Sydney. Mrs. F. recommends her son James M.C. Forth as V.C. W.F. Force Aurora. He received the certificate of Briton 2 years old.

Fais. Fais. flag & request men of war to come to inquire into troubles. Wants opinion of his status as Amer. 2. Pte. of James M.C. Forth to V.C. At Realease. 3 men of war to protect Amer. interests.

Req. note: Mrs. F. can apply to passport to machine. Griffin should send his opinion there to action guidance. Can meet Sydney next. Very happy from Washington.

June 25 - Report on Aust. Federation - (not in file)

July 1 - Cheque hire.

July 2 - Letters of Return from Washington, D.C.

July 6 - Request a 30 day extension of lease. [granted]

July 24 - Add # 151, 152, 153 + cures.
1891 - Alex. Cameron

July 25 - Celebration of July 4th. Deputation from Presbyterian Synod protest against US refusing to join other powers in putting a stop to trade in arms & liquor in Western Pac. to natives. 

Aug 5 - From Louisville - Requests 30 day extension of leave. [Interested]

Oct 1 - Clerk here. [Forwarded to Mrs. Griffin]

Oct 28 - 4 boxes of Griffin's books & papers forwarded to Dept.

Oct 29 - Accepts a Catamaran

" Request by NSW Agent for reports on alumina.

Red 154-155 & cieco.

Nov. 10 - Report on Trade in Fertilizers in NSW

Nov. 16 - Trans. letter to Judge Good

Dec. 28 - Discrimination between eth & seawater on landing certificates

Dec. 30 - Requests 6 weeks' leave to N.Z. for health. Influences

Dec. 19 - Transfer of Three Cherokees to Amer. Flag purchased by Mrs. Foytes

Dec. 23 - Red 156 & cieco.

" - Red 157 - An cieco. inquirers on us. etc.

Tel. Dec. 26 "R. Jones Monaghan here makes no secret of identity. Do you wish him detained or not." Answer"

Tel. Dec. 29 "Monaghan entirely well. Will return these matters."

1892

Jan. 9 - Confining tales - Monaghan writing book as usual. Has impressed himself with what he calls 'dastardly connection' but Cameron fear of doubtful people. Has given him $500 as directed but does not think it will last long. Keep home because he fears safety of the brain. Has always done business with Reuters - same calls with his continuance not approved by Dept.


Jan. 11 - Inj. Co. trading in U.S. to inj. co. w/ Austria. in names which have authorized agents to act on their behalf in U.S.

Jan. 11 - Accepts a letter.

Jan. 13 - Clerk here.

Jan. 21 - Loss of N.H. hurricane by fire of unknown origin

Tel. Jan. 29 "Monaghan sailed 5th Monday for Manypsa

Feb. 9 - Departure of Monaghan.
Feb 16 - Ask cires.

Feb 17 - Australian Fire Ins. Co. of Sydney rep. by S.S. Hindsay of Photo. circular forwarded to Cameron by Maj. of Australian Mutual Fire Ins. Co. but no such firm registered in Sydney.

Feb 18 - Reply 159 - Call. report on cires sent to New govt.

Mar 16 - Ork 160 + 161 - Shipment of handling certificated confirmed.

Mar 17 - Ass't for R. Jones Wanganui 8.27.04.

Mar 18 - Request for supplies.


Mar 23 - Questions re. Regents of Copyrights of Sydney - I'm connected w/ others of copyright act 3rd Mar. 1891 by Pres. of U.S.

Apr 13 - Capt. Johnson carried aboard vessel not entitled to ship's

articles - value about 200 pounds - letter apple 2" per. Seaman

browned - Capt. took care of affects himself.

Apr 15 - Quarterly returns.

Apr 15 - Ask cires.

Apr 14 - Clerk hire.

Apr 29 - Justification of assets - 8.14.

June 6 - Request for info on wiring extension walls & water cons

June 7 - Ask cires.

July 2 - Death of J.P. Haseman, late Cons. Gen. of Melbourne.

July 5 - Celebration of July 4th.


July 21 - Clerk hire.

July 27 - Quarterly returns.

July 28 - Plan to move office approved - Purchase of furniture not.


July 22 - Receipt of supplies + 162.

Aug 2 - Red crisis.

" Ask 168 - from hid. of Congo copyrights.

" Miss expenses - question on charging.


Sept 14 - Taxation report on wool.

Sept 15 - Red crisis.


Sept 19 - Returns.

" Slack hire.


Sept 19 - Handed over to Hamps. Sept 17

" Condition of consulate property request for purchase.

Sept 20 - Supplies for consulate.


Oct 1 - Quarterly returns.

" Slack hire.

Tel Oct 5 - "Miller left Sydney. Warrant issued."

Oct 6 - Ask 269 - ordering arrest of John F. Hillers - tel. in reply.


" Ask cities.

Oct 17 - Ask 166 - no info on H.F. Snow - no money.

Oct 27 - Move to 40 Barrington St. - good location. $400 rent. Janitor 750.

Oct 27 - Report of the Royal Commission on Strikes & reports regarding recent strikes at Brihan Hill.

Oct 28 - Condolence on death of Mrs. Harrisin.

Oct 29 - Bill problem.


Nov 12 - Ask 168 - no news of John Miller.
1892

20 Nov 13 - Ask Cires

21 Dec 14 - Ask 169 - Asks for copy of Work Report & expenses $142.03

22 Dec 15 - Prohibition of importation of horses from Canada into NSW - Prohibi-

tion will be removed if govt. of U.S. will give assurance that glanders

is not prevalent in Canada. Dr. William Leck of NS Dept. to examine

request certificate of health for stock to be shipped for colony of New

S. F. - 2nd.

23 Dec 19 - Ask Cires

24 Dec 20 - Ask for $71,172 + $4,56.

25 Dec 21 - Bank requires my endorsement & Scidmore's draft travelling

expenses - Japan - heard me.

26 Dec 22 - Cable - glanders prevalent in Canada

1893

26 Jan 3 - Ask tel - from Sea Stakes on glanders - Prohibition against

horses from Canada will not be renewed.

27 Jan 6 - Return

28 " - Check here.

29 Jan 11 - Cable sent to H. Blacklock, Asia (incopy - cost $31.07)

30 " - NSW Dept. of mines requests copies of recent US mining reports.

31 Jan 14 - Info on conveyance of transfer re real property in NSW - Reply #6

32 Jan 17 - Sympathy - Death of Rutherford B. Hayes.

33 Feb 20 - No such firm as "Aunt Ferdinand Co. of Sydney, N.S.W." registered.

34 Mar 2 - Ask Cires on death of Hayes.

35 Mar 10 - Tarawa sold to Aunt. Co. 1/2 registered on.

36 Mar 10 - Papers for Francis McKee - Complaint refers to

proximo vice council - will surely contest & not change.

37 Mar 30 - Death of James J. Bealings - usual order.

38 Mar 31 - Ask Cires.

39 " - Ask #10 - no funds for mine induction.

40 Apr 6 - Ceres
Apr. 5 - Requests new flags

Apr. 13 - Trans. publication of NSW Govt.

Apr. 27 - Indians busy west home on Oceanic SS Co. Suggest Indian Bureau be advised to look after them in SF & get them back to their reservation at Pine Ridge.

Apr. 28 - Ask cities.

May 5 - Requests 60 days leave to U.S. Reply by cable at his expense.

May 6 - Ask cities.

May 10 - Report on unsatisfactory state of trade between Austr. & U.S. Notice of Canadian appointment as Consul has reconcluded a liberal & progressive policy on part of U.S. in Ocean & Slavo lines. (Commercy)


June 3 - Nominates Wm. H. Daragon as Deputy Consul, Sydney. Cameron very competent but no head of manufacturing establishment must divide. Tull - Daragon. 20 yrs old, native of NSW. Checks at Consulate since Oct. 1891.


June 9 - #12 - Claim of Mrs. Sloan to John Harris estate. Will check.

" - Requests instructions of visiting Bills of Health.

" - NSW subsidy $10,000 to SS line - Vancouver to Sydney - $25,000 subsidy from Canada.


June 17 - Trans. Annual Report of NSW.

June 27 - Report on methods of registering, recording & transferring land titles & deeds in NSW.

July 3 - Returns - quarterly


1893 - Wm. Hapes

July 18 - Requests office supplies.


July 22 - Oats flags. *13 -

July 26 - Reasons for restoration of clerk hire to $500. Must supplement clerk pay to get competent person. Pay present clerk $900. Please do not reduce to $400 - $500 allowed for several years past.


Aug 3 - From "Virginia." Posts Point Sydney. Unable to return due to ill health no name - within Hapes good trip.

Aug 5 - Hearing Sydney Aug 7 - Hapes to return salary. Ewing to get unofficial pass. Clerk hire contingent expenses. This copy of agreement.

Aug 16 - Ask #15 + Cuts.

Aug 17 - Requests Blue Book or official register + late statutes.

Aug 18 - Ask passport + requests 1 mos. salary.

Sept 2 - An S.F. 31 Aug.

Sept 11 - Need for fireproof safe - no security in new offices.


Oct 3 - Checks here.

Oct 2 - Salary for Aug - Sept.

Oct 11 - Handed over to Geo. W. Bell. Invention office.


Oct 16 - Requests copy of duties of excess commerce etc.

Oct 24 - #17 - Coupons belonging to estate of Mr. Hansen. Sent to England.

Oct 25 - #5 - Francis Hanlon either of weak intellect or incapable.

Oct 25 - Transfer of council agency Norfolk to Sydney.

Oct 25 - Requests supplies.
1893 - George W. Bell.

7 Oct 26 - Ask cires.
8 Oct 27 - Honors on Death of Hamilton Fish.
9 Oct 28 - Case of Francis H. Weeks, fugitive to New police.
10 Oct 30 - "7. no increase in clerks here noted.
12 " - Bond & oath forwarded.
13 Nov 18 - Ask cires.
14 Nov 21 - Ask # 18.
15 Nov 27 - Ask receipt of supplies.
16 Dec 12 - Request for 2 dry copies of Cameron's report on wool trade.

1894

18 Jan 8 - Quarterly Reets.
19 Jan 9 - Clerk hire.
20 Jan 10 - from Portland, Oregon, ready for 10 days in Oct, receipt paid.
21 Jan 16 - Ask # 9 & # 19.
22 Feb 5 - Request that messenger service & manual labor be allowed.
23 Feb 12 - Ask # 10 & cires.
24 Feb 19 - Request to have 100 copies.
25 Mar 16 - Ask Cameron's wool reports.
26 Mar 17 - Request books for Consulate.
27 Mar 19 - Report on financial crisis of 1893 - predecessor "seems to have had no respect for these people, and consequently he saw nothing worthy of respectful notice in a review of their business methods."
28 Apr 3 - Quarterly accounts.
29 Apr 9 - Ask cires.
30 Apr 10 - Return of passports & report of D. Robinson, Norfolk, Jr.
31 May 10 - Complete set of law books of New Zealand & U.S.
May 18 - The records of N.S.W.

May 18 - Report on Trades between N.S.W. & U.S. - [illegible]

"Impressed with the importance of Sydney as the metropolis of Australia and the chief port of the leading colony of the continent and realizing the lack of correct information regarding its resources, industries, products, and development, I have prepared the accompanying special report believing it to be of great value to our countrymen who are seeking an outlet for American products and information regarding the benefits and opportunities of foreign countries.

"As to regard this country as a fair field for American enterprise if properly cultivated I believe our people should become acquainted with the special features of this country."

June 1 - Pension for John Murray.

June 2 - Asks authority to subscribe to several newspapers.

"Asks city council for 50 copies of his report on financial crisis when published.

June 11 - Acquisition for typewriter - $100 for Smith Premier. Roll 16.

July 6 - Accounts & Return.

"- Clerk hire.

July 10 - Annual return.

"- Return of passports.

July 12 - Asks instruction on payment of hospital bill for seaman.

Aug 27 - Sacks requested will be collected in proper season.

Sept 3 - Report on change in cost of N.S.W. - Triangle between free-trade & protection elements in adult labor troubles of financial crisis.

Nov 21 - Goods sold to Mrs. Emma Fortesque.

Nov 26 - Thieves of N.S.W. jail officer.

Dec 19 - Request for supplies 1895.


"- Funds for men at "1 in hospital - 2 dead.

Feb. 22 - Address of son of T.M. Dawson former C.E. Agent, Newcastle.

May 14 - Mrs. Forsyth, the married German citizen "Three Cheers" transferred to German flag.

June 5 - Asks interpretation of various instructions on hides allowed into U.S.

June 8 - No law in N.S.W. relating to sending distribution of wireless seeds.
Deep from Sydney - 904 - M.173 R16

1895 - Geo. W. Bell

64 June 21 - Undersea for FINANCE & TRADE asks for info on explosion in Parkensburg, Va.


66 " - Sugar Industry of Queensland.

67 Aug 2 - asks that cheese be reared to 50D. Please mission in business and need for competent cheese.

68 Aug 30 - reply "43 - seeds requested have been paid. Jan.-Feb.

69 Sept 30 - New Bonds for Dawson & Ewing.

70 Oct 21 - Ask #21 & 22.

71 Oct 26 - Problems of disinfecting horse hides. 1st letter - 2nd.

72 " - Rec. Brisbane & Newcastle for post under Sydney. Newcastle certainly should be perfumed with Linseeds package, suff. to average in amount to the port. Both ports now held by Brit. Newcastle - Attractive Kimberly - businessman who is honorable & competent but puts his own loss. Pixar. To Newcastle attached to Sydney - which in the larger port, an extra could visit once a three a month.

73 Nov 16 - Asks info on shipment of glue pieces - disinfection.

74 Dec 1 - Bank Marginal sold - sand's 1/2 regular.

75 Dec 21 - Ship Hamilton

1896

76 Jan 7 - Rec. Dept. Shipping of seamen to be discharged in port of ports at point's option should be discontinued. Need to ship jobs in Sydney over - practice unjust to seamen. Seaman - 2nd & 1st.

77 Jan 11 - Reply "24 - Three clear a foreign built vessel. He requests to turn in.

78 Jan 15 - Request for books for Parliamentary Library of 1895.

79 Jan 21 - Request for 40 days leave to U.S. Clerk & Deputy Auditor Dawson.

80 Jan 24 - Will attend to bond in U.S. Connected.

81 Feb 10 - Rec. Leslie E. Brown as Commissioner Agent Sura. Permanent resident of Sura. Connected with mutual life assurance Co. of NY. Well recommended of good appearance. [Dept. sends inquiries of life assurance. Co. in Kansas. In June this. Recalled said to make apt. & it was long.

82 Mar 13 - Reply "28 - By direction of his report appearing in press. Had been sent out by instructions to try to increase 127. B.C.A. Atomic energy by US smooths & good. Not well liked. Has tried to turn this round. Remains the same. Col. highly in his favor. The publication of his views by excess of zeal - apparently well liked. Dept. appreciates medicine but asks him to abide by rules -]
Apr. 6 - passport for Z. D. Bussell.

Apr. 8 - Practice of signing crews in foreign ports eversion of immigration
unemployed men ship as overseers, sometimes paying or passing w/understanding they can stay in u.s.

Apr. 9 - Receipt of funds from estate of I. M. Dawson, for son.

Apr. 13 - Rules for examination of bodies - Harry died of typhoid.

May 5 - Rec. letter of Harry M. Remiess as VC - living in New York.

June 5 - Thanks for books for N.S.W. Parliamentary Library.

June 12 - " " " " 600.

June 15 - Reports plague or disease of cattle in Queensland.

June 24 - Box of seeds of forage plants of aunt. sent.

June 26 - Letter of rec. for Cheesita and beef industries, etc.

July 1 - Report on 4 Americans imprisoned in N.S.W. his efforts to get them

July 1 - Difficulty in supplying info requested by Phila Museum.

July 6 - Leaving this day for S.F. Remiess doing work for 1/2 unofficial fees.

July 30 - Arrive S.F. going to Santa Bend. Work for leave.

Oct. 7 - Request from Dept. of Agric., N.S.W. for info on U.S. Agric. colleges.

Oct. 23 - Left U.S. Sept. 17th. Travelled almost on -

Nov. 23 - Dept. of Mines, N.S.W. - request for reports.

Nov. 23 - Impossible to get info, requested by Phila Museum. But museum
officials may write direct to list of immigrants enclosed.
Dec 11 - Dept of Buiness requests more info on agri. colleges.
Dec 12 - new form of consular invoice.
Dec 16 - Info on boot trade for Phila. Museum.
Dec 18 - Request copy of report on immigration.
Dec 21 - Info on standing of info. almond (not in file).
Dec 21 - Norfolk Island - 1 page only of report on conditions.

1897
Jan 18 - Prisoner Nashville grant sent to S.F. for trial. Attempted murder.
Feb 10 - Protests alleged complaints by S. I. Falk are forgery. W/ evidence.
Feb 13 - Cannot get receipts for postage.
Feb 15 - Copies of forms printed in Sydney for Consulate w/ explanation.
Mar 8 - Request by Atty Gen NSW for books w/ suggestion of regular.
Mar 15 - Setting of Q. T. Baqua's case.
Mar 15 - Sample letter head & request for supplies.
Mar 22 - Specimen for Phila. Museum.
Mar 22 - Tax Dept NSW request for info on US income tax law registered.
Apr 9 - Division of fees equally between Sydney & Norfolk Agency. But fees has altered harford & fees.
Apr 10 - William W. Weeds in local misuse eacly. Reply 4/17
Apr 12 - Info. for Phila Museum.
May 10 - Importation of marine sheep - obstacles to same.
June 10 - Consular invoices w/ copies.
June 10 - Letter for Chief of Police, Chicago [not identified].
June 10 - Harbor regulations for Port of Sydney.
June 29 - Absence of discharge of seamen at for. ports.
July 6 - Annual returns - inventory of property.

Aug 7 - Resignation William Robertson who apparently filled in for Cameron in 1893 or before.
Aug 30 - Request for parts of Consular Library.
Sep 22 - Request from Dept of Buiness & Agri. for info on Stock Inspector's work for sheep imported & not.
Sept 27 - Copy of Tariff & Customs laws of N.S.W.

Oct 21 - R.H. Hill not known; letter cannot be delivered.

Oct 23 - Case of Herman W. Van Bleiswck - reply #53. Not a sailor - explains attempts made to ship men home. Workable bodies, men willing to work, as coal heavies can get passage. Van B. applied but scenes could not help him - not desired from him lately.

"During the last few years over 500 persons have made direct appeals to this government for assistance to reach the United States. Each applicant believed his or her case to be one of particular hardship. Some very intelligent people demand assistance. These apply [!] with as much confidence as they would for an insurance policy, while others would and write their letters and express their fear of being left to see relatives a country. Out of this large number of applications I have received passage for only one hundred during past ten years."


Nov 8 - Sale of Marine - 1/2 Rejected.

Dec 22 - Request by Govt. Statistician of N.S.W. for US Statistical work.

Dec 24 - Seemed opportunity to ship home for Van Bleiswck, who could not take this due to injury to foot. Council decided he is competent in more work - letter from Van B. not fit to be on sailing vessel.

Dec 3 - Februarst change report in meet. Reply to #54.

Dec 17 - Report on American trades w/NSW

Dec 23 - Asks for copies of immigration laws.

1898

Jan 17 - Reply #57 - Report of Dept. Again to N.S.W Govt. Request for treaty

Feb 5 - Reply #59 - Requests delay by solicitors in reply to Einfeldt.

Mar 14 - Proposed change in legislation regarding trade affairs. Comments on growth of British loyalty - despised preference in trade. American had grown under new free trade policy - shared. Fears not only tariff but a preferential tariff in favor of N.W.

Apr. 16 - Federal movement in Aust. Copy of proposed legislation & history. Previously unsatisfactory but of federation, now some direction. It is probably to vote it down. New sentiment in favor of preferential duties makes federation an advantage. It is certain that the manifest destiny of the race, every Anglo-Saxon, would demand that we keep our interests in our own movement, but in this human age, we are forced to count the cost of every action. Sentiments of states to expedite and as our future colony being forced to consider federation and discrimination together as we have anti-American sympathies with this movement, especially as there are strong sentiments that this preferential scheme will not succeed in the best or colonial parliament, and that commercial opportunities will remain for some time at least, substantially as they are.

May 5 - Public feeling respecting Span.-Amer. war. Sympathy in Aust. offer of help to several, enthusiasm over victory of Epidemic. Catholic antagonism also noted. Jordan attempts & fails to straight through without of spreading, customs, letters, clippings.
May 6 - Securing remain in U.S Navy - sending trim home.


May 21 - Arrangements made at Newcastle for coal for Pacific Squadron, delicate situation due to neutrality laws.


June 6 - N.S.W. defeated Fed movement - actual majority in favor, but not the minimum 80,000 votes - only 76,196 - 2,861 less than 80,000. Taking part in U.S. vigorous campaign. Bell does not convey defeat of Federal half a great misfortune, but expresses sympathy of people, a vital question. Defeat of Fed movement a misfortune for mankind but good for economy of U.S. -

June 18 - Draft #3 - Explains no events in destruction mine July 1897.

July 16 - W.H. Dawson only clerk - must employ capable clerks.


July 16 - Celebration of July 4th. Quotations of good will.

Aug 11 - Cash books.

Aug 24 - Ship sent to Manila with frozen beef and potatoes, etc.

Aug 27 - Supplies to Manila negotiation difficulties.

Oct 6 - Ask cri - preparing report on cotton textiles.

Oct 24 - Report on Textile trade in N.S.W.


Jan 9 - Nom. of Richard F. O'Roche as U.C. Harry M. Rennies received.


Mar 10 - Report on Paper Trade in N.S.W.

Mar 11 - Trans. resolution by Wesleyan Methodist Church of Victoria & Tasmania. Expression of solidarity with same brethren.
Feb. 13 - Confrontation of Karl Surnell & having killed a man in Ohio. 
156 - May 24 - Transfer to Point registry of Republic. 
158 - Apr. 10 - History of Emma Forker Kolbe. Her proposal lease of 
159 - Apr. 15 - Difficulties of getting bonds for U.S. need for bondsman being 
160 - Apr. 20 - Request for 60 days leave to U.S. 
162 - Apr. 22 - Reports on seaman next. Reply May 16th. 
163 - May 5 - J. M. 137 to 138 omitted. 
164 - May 9 - Reply 74 - Explains his call for survey of Republic. 
165 - June 3 - No change in check. 
166 - June 5 - Inquiring aut P. Miller is sick sent to Brisbane. 
167 - June 5 - Asks to deliver bond requested direct to Dept. while on leave. 
168 - Reply 76 - Report on contract for compensation for carrying the 
169 - July 5 - July 5 - Celebration. Friendly & good will evidenced by people of 
170 - July 24 - Question of wheat in responsibility for hospital bill. 
171 - July 29 - R. F. O'Rourke fee application for part of U.S. - Bond to be settled when case is in Washington. 
172 - July 31 - Machinery in great for Federation of Australia by Jan. 1901. 
173 - Aug. 2 - More on NSW acceptance of 1907. 
175 - Sept. 11 - Payment to view of Samniette - Illegal allotment deducted by 

Deep from Sydney - 904 - M-178 - R16

1899 - G. W. Bell


B1. 176 Oct 11 - Corporation lawyer NSW - will obtain


B1. 179 Nov 27 - let to Sydney has 25th removed duty.

1900

177 Jan 2 - Trans. Sergeant desired by W. Duffy for store piles.


1. July 24 - from Vancouver, B.C. left Inlandola, June 19


W1. Bell - Aug 31 - asks speedy attention to accounts. Was only "sorcery"

W1. supply of ready money on hand. Plans to stay on Inlandola for a few months, but does not know where he will go

W1. after that. Turned over to successor Aug 31st.

1836

7-92
May 30 - To S. N. Williams - Consular appointment and instructions.

7-112
Oct 1 - - Letter of Aug 22 from Boston read.

7-117

1837

7-171
Oct 14 - SHW - Hon. R. Williams. Exequatur sent to SHW from London.

7-179
Dec 1 - SHW - Cie. Seal, flag, etc.

1838

7-201
Apr 2 - - Cie's sent.

7-264
Sept 11 - See Trees - SHW's bond.

7-268
Oct 1 - SHW - Cie's letter Sept 1 - Bond approved.

1839

7-342
Oct 1 - - Feb 19 + Apr 15.

7-382
Apr 1 - - 3 + 4 - appointment of agent at Swan River.

7-383
- - - - Cie. Expenses of seaman - from USS vessels of war.

7-384
June 1 - - Letter of 1st rate read. Copies of treaties sent.

1841

7-426
Jan 1 - - 6 read. Digest of Commerical legs cannot be furnished.

7-446
May 3 - R. Burt - Phila. SHW Consul Sept.

7-450
July 1 - SHW - 47 read.

1842

7-503
May 12 - SHW - 9, 10 read. Request of destitute seaman desire present employment.

7-588

1843

12-79
Apr 25 - - Death of Agent at Fremantle - Samuel Moore to be appointed.

10-283
Feb 14 - SHW - case of seaman Anne Marie, similar cases.

1845

12-246
Sept 19 - T. Murray, new London - Chelsea papers not yet read. from SHW.

1847

12-310
May 30 - " - Request Register of Chelsea.

1848

12-384
July 7 - Daniel Graham - Register of Chelsea.

12-384
- - Murray - to Trees.

1849

12-423
Apr 18 - James Bankhead - inquiry as to son sent to Sydney.
12-424

1850

12-481
Mar 4 - I.H.W. - Eric of Men 1850 sent.

15-104

15-103
Dec 13 - "US Dist. Att'y" case.

1851

15-82
Apr 9 - W.H. Hall, Postmaster Gen. - Extract from dep. on Syd-SF rail.

15-85
Apr 12 - I.H.W. - "13-41 resd. claims of several vessels conveying Amer. sailors to non US ports cannot be allowed - Capt. Heiser case and Dist. Att'y case - Relate to Gen. Syd-SF & P.M. Gen. Have counsel been sent from Dept. of State?"

15-93
Apr 24 - N.H. Hall - P.M. Gen. - Syd-SF mail.

15-95
" - I.H.W. - Forwards above for trans to P.M. Gen. Syd.

1852

15-218
July 6 - Cornwall - See Trees - Deep in re. 'illegal shipment of seamen'.

15-219
July 9 - Alfred Wheeler. - Giving info. about C. Hector.

15-219

15-228
July 17 - Publishers Hat. Dr. - Requested to pub. notice to manufacturers.

15-242
Sept 1 - 3 I.H.W. - Ack to 48.

15-246
Sept 2 - F.W. Clarke - notified of appl. as counsel.

15-244
Sept 3 - W.H. Hodge. - Refusing case - Letter asked in re. 'illegal shipment of seamen'.

15-244
" - I.H.W. - notified of Clarke appl. - Deliver archives.

15-255
" - 14-W.H. Plummer - Cons. address given.

15-255
Sept 15 - D.A. Bowers - " " "

15-279
Nov. 15 - Gales & Seaton. - Colonial tariff for pub.

1853

15-345

15-347
Feb 16 - Jonathan Clarke - Asked to send case to son.

15-384
Apr. 22 - Munro. - Gold Fields legs. For pub.

15-401

15-405
Oct 11 - F.W. Clarke - deliver archives to I.H.W. -

15-414
June 3 - " - Trans. 10 vols of laws.

15-413
1854

Feb 13. To James H. Williams - nomination confirmed Commission sent.
Mar. 8. To F. W. Clark - Deep of Nov 24th read - want info on Box of statutes.
Mar. 9. To Union - Death of R. Allan noticed.
" " " " To Boston Post " " " "
June 16. To J. H. Williams - Trans. docs from F.S. Leg. rel. to F. Grants.
Aug 31. " " Bond read - trans to Treas.
Nov 28. To S.W. - 42 read.
Dec 26. " " 72 read.
Dec 27. To S.W. - Dang to #8 read. Statutes of NSW read.

1856

Jan 8. To 5th Auditor - trans. S.D. Williams.
Jan 8. To 5th Auditor - no info on death of sulphur spicer in Dept. Will forward case to cons. S.D.
Jan 17. To S.W. - forwards signature on spicer.
" " " " To Hugh Halley - forwarding medals etc & heirs.
" " " " To Capt. Isaac Hubbard - dues on medals carried out.
Jan 8. To Boston Post - death of Isaac have.
" " To Mercury Post - death of G.W. Dalton.
Nov 3. To S.W. - 10 read. Removal of Mr. Van Camp. Appt. of E. Jenkins.
Nov 6. To W. D. Shepherd - 342, #14 in affect of E. Fields.
Indexes of Cons. Dust. Sydney -

1856

23-185
Nov 6 - To Maria Fields - Info on effects of husband.
23-182
" - W. D. Shepherd - Acting 5th Auditor - in re effects R. Fields.
23-222
Dec 22 - To J. H. W. - Info wanted on effects of Dustin Mayo.
23-229
" " - 14th Red. - Further info wanted on R. Fields.
23-241
" Distressed relative & discharge of seamen - ask to be made to Hawaiian Con. Gen. Cite cases against Dr. Van Camp.
23-244
Dec 6 - To C. B. H. Fassenden - Ref. to Fields' effects.
23-246
Dec 9 - " - Further info on "
23-258
Dec 22 - To Joanna Mayo - Info on effects of Dustin Mayo.
23-262
Dec 26 - To Murray McConnell - "

1857

23-359
Jan 15 - " - Requested to ref. Cons. reports.
23-386
Feb 5 - To J. W. Kendall - Info on estate of L. Langmaid.
23-391
Feb 6 - To W. McConnell - Trans. above on "
23-426
Feb 25 - To J. H. Jones - Info requested on crew of Burnum.
23-429
" - To L. Seaman - "
25-40
May 29 - " - Trans. medals for men in Rabaul.
25-130
25-43
" - To J. Eldridge - Trans. medal.
25-172
Sept 11 - To H. Nalson - "
25-172
" - To J. Eldridge - "
25-173
" - To J. H. W. - 18th Red. - Resignation accepted. Thanked.
31-155
Sept 22 - To T. A. Neal - Letter of Apr. I read with info on Mr. Williams.
25-192

1858

25-293
Jan 20 - To J. H. W. - 47-23 Red.
25-379
May 18 - To Robert D. Merrill - Stationary sent.
25-385
" " - Trans. letter of Mayor of Syd. ref. to appl. of W. Smith as agent, Adelaide.
25-390
May 24 - To J. L. Merrill - Bond read. for C. H. Merrill.
25-439
July 8 - To C. B. H. Fassenden - Field's effects.
15-455
July 18 - To Sol. of Texas - Letter of 14th Red. & copy sent to Consul.
1958

Aug 2 - To Act 5th Auditor - Informed of apt of R.D. Merrick.
Aug 14 - To 5th - Draft paid - Ref. to letter of Mar 21st.
Aug 16 - To R.D. M - Stationery, forms &rega. sent.
Aug 23 - To D.R. Green - Junior case to Sec. Interior.
" - To Sec. Interior - J.R. Green's claim in Junior case.
Aug 27 - " - Sec. pay expenses in Junior case.
Aug 28 - To C.H. Woodbury - Junior claim to Sec. Interior.
Aug 28 - To 5th Auditor.
Sept 6 - To Sec. Int. - Ref. to transportation of criminals from Syd.
July 12 - To Sec. of Treas - Trans Syd #2 & 5 on Junior case.
July 16 - To R.D.M - Copies of papers in Junior case. More info wanted.
Dec 16 - To Hon. H.E. Rood - Draft on F.A. Spencer given Cons.
June 13 - To R.D.M - Commission sent.

1959

May 5 - To T.A. Head - Letter read. Ref. to Williams claim to Hannika.
Apr 6 - To R.D.M - Inquiries as 2 seamen missing Ochotch Sea.
May 27 - To Hon. C. Durling - Copy of Pam. Flash papers will be sent.
June 1 - To Col. W.A. Wight.
June 4 - To Hon. C. Durling - Copy of Swap Dogon papers sent.
June 13 - To C.F. Worken - We info on execution of Hall & Burns.
June 15 - To Sec. of Treas - Request Winess be allowed to read.

1860

May 12 - Non T.D. Elliot - Ref. to Junior seaman.
May 14 - " - "
Apr 27 - Non W.E. Dietrich - Consul's address given.
May 14 - 5th Auditor - Mr. Elliot wants info on Junior seaman.
May 12 - Acting Comptroller -
May 17 - Non J.N. - Names of Consuls given.
May 21 - 5th Auditor - Ref. to Armstrong's claim for extra wages.
1866

Dec 4 - RDM - 1st. H.H. Hall - Letter of appointment as Consular Agent.

Dec 5 - 2nd. - "You will report in person to Consul at Melbourne, for examination for appointment as Consular Agent in Melbourne. Be sure, as this agent will be replaced.


Dec 5 - 3rd. - RDM - Deliver actives to H.H. Hall.

Dec 14 - See Trees - Bond for Hall.

Dec 14 - 4th. - H.H. Bond reclaimed - Passport enclosed.

Dec 17 - 5th. - RDM - 5th. receipt.

Melbourne, Dec 8

Dec 8 - 1866 - 1st. W. M. Blanchard. "Mr. H.H. Hall will report to you for examination as to fitness for appointment as Consul at Sydney. You will examine him per instructions herewith enclosed. Send questions & answers to Dept. for review."
Invoices to Consular Instructions - Sydney

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1867

75-180 Jan 31 - To Rev. C.W. Parker requesting info on R.W. Torrey.

75-180 Feb 2 - 14 - To R.D. Maxwell - 10 received.

75-180 Feb 26 - 15 - " 11 " . App't Blanchard vacancy already made.

75-180 Apr 17 - 16 - To R.D. M. - 12 & 13 rec'd. no vouchers in 13.

75-180 May 4 - 4 - To H.H. Hall - Unnumbered of Feb 28th rec'd.

75-180 May 27 - 5 - To H.H. H. - Unnumbered of Mar 7th rec'd. Dept appl. certificate being sent to London. number requested.


75-180 July 23 - 6 - To H.H. H. - 3 rec'd. nominations of Smith & Mitchell.

75-180 Aug 14 - 7 - - Trans. Torrey case.

75-180 Sept 12 - 8 - To H.H. H. - Unnumbered of July 1st rec'd.

75-180 Sept 17 - To D.K. Simonds - inquiring on Warren Langmaid estate.

75-180 Sept 17 - To Sec. Navy. Trans. Sydney. 5 & 4 rec'd.

75-180 Sept 17 - 9 - To H.H. H. - 4th & 5 rec'd. 5 to Navy.

75-180 Oct 22 - - To E.W. Vroom - homes of former & present councils, letters of app't. given.

75-180 Oct 25 - 10 - To H.H. H. - 6 rec'd. filed for consideration.


75-180 Nov 21 - 12 - To H.H. H. - 7 rec'd.

75-180 Dec 10 - 13 - To H.H. H. - 8 rec'd. Repeat of 11 above on Agencies.

75-180 W.G. Wright Comt. Agent Bay of Islands.

75-180 Feb 24 - 14 - To H.H. H. - 9 rec'd.


75-180 Mar. 12 - 16 - To H.H. H. - Dept forwarded to Comt. at Melbourne ship.

75-180 To H.R. Pritchett, Hants. Revoking app't. if it comes to Sydney, please read on.

Index to Councils Report - Sydney

1866


A6-416 - Apr. 24 - "15 - To HHH - "10-12 read - #12 held for consideration.

48-355 - Apr. 27 - "19 - " - Complaint from Mr. Bower that Council had issued instructions to go to SF w/ understanding they could obtain employment on Central Pacific RR. "You will repair from such action in future."

48-291 - May 11 - "20 - To HHH - Ref. #12 - "Dept is of the opinion that the authorities were justified by law in the action taken by them in case of Miss Anna B." 

A6-779 - May 16 - "21 - To HHH - "13 read.

48-411 - May 19 - "22 - " - Ref. to illegal action by Corps. in issuing certificates to certain persons pretending to entitle them to employment on Central Pacific RR. Corps. instructed to discontinue this practice at once.

A6-800 - June 20 - "23 - To HHH - "14 read.

A6-481 - June 22 - "25 - " - Furnish native state or country.

48-567 - July 20 - "26 - "16 read - Hr of John Wallace Barnett to Brisbane approved.

60-25 - Aug. 19 - "27 - To HHH - "17-21 read. #17 & 19 to parties interested.


A7-54 - Aug. 26 - "28 - To HHH - "18 read w/ interest.

A7-108 - Sept. 15 - "29 - "22 & 23 read.

50-60 - " - To Hon. J.A. Hendricks - Bowers papers read.

51-63 - Nov. 2 - " - To John H. Bowers - Money to handle a passage home.

97-242 - Nov. 3 - "30 - To HHH - "24 read - contracts noted.


51-151 - " - To Mrs. Sophia H. Bowers - Her inst. on son Alken G. Bowers & to Sydney.

51-152 - " - To HHH - "31 - Package w/ #150 & inst. a readiness Bowers home.

A7-320 - "32 - To HHH - "30 read.

A7-198 - Dec. 17 - "33 - " - 31-35 read. #31 held for consideration.

51-210 - Dec. 22 - "34 - " - More exchange from Mr. Bowers inc.


1868

A 7-384 - Dec 24 - $35 - To HHH - $36 - referred to Cons. of Agri.

1869

37-534 Feb 18 - $36 - To HHH - $38 - 39 - on discontinuance of Panama Mail service. Reel. to interest.

51-434 Feb 26 - To J. R. Morris - Request for info sent to Sydney.

51-435 " - $37 - To HHH - Inquiring as to whereabouts of Chas. Lee Morris.


51-491 May 25 - $38 - To HHH - $31 - on landing, etc. Copy of letter from Sea-Use.

51-492 " - $39 - " - $41-43 - Dept cannot grant request in $43 - Camp of cons. fixed by law - was by dept.

51-505 Apr 1 - To Cons. of Agri. - Copy of Syd. Deep #40 on Rendelport.

97-625 " - $40 - To HHH - $40 - Reel. referred to Agri.

71-529 Apr 12 - $41 - " - $44-46 - reel. addressed to Cons. Uniform reel.

55-70 June 2 - Mrs. Sophia L. Bowes - Copy of Syd. #50 - reel. for info.

A-7-836 June 4 - #42 - To HHH - $50 - 51 - reel. - Copy of #50 to Mrs. Bowes.

A-7-880 June 21 - #43 - " - $47-49 - reel. #49 for future consid.

88-1 " - $44 - " - $50 - Reel. - Dept awaits full report in Burke.


by Capt. Stanley.

55-191 July 6 - #45 - To HHH - $54-56 - reel. #55 referred to Navy.

A8-67 Aug 25 - #46 - " - $60-66 - ".

55-464 Oct 5 - #47 - " - Request for info. on emigration from Polynesia to Queensland, requested by Chas. Sumner.


A8-285 Nov 17 - #48 - To HHH - $67-73 - reel. except #71. Also remembered of July 14 on Morse & Co. with negative sound.


56-190 Dec 20 - #49 - To HHH - Ref. Dept. #7. - Requests info. on R. W. Terry.

A8-391 Dec 21 - #50 - " - #74-78 - reel.

1870


A8-510 Jan 28 - $51 - To HHH - $79-80 - reel. #80 to Trees.

A8-594 Feb 23 - #52 - " - #82-83 - Tobacco brand under investigation by Trees.
1870

Mar 18 - See Trees - Request for info on landings certificates.

May 11 - 453 To HHH - 84-86 read. 486 to Portmanite Gen.

Apr 15 - 854 - Info on landings certificates from Trees.

Apr 16 - To P.M. Gen - Trans Dept 86 - ref. to start of monthly line of mail steamers between Auckland NZ & S.F.

May 25 - 855 - To HHH - 86 read. Copy to P.M. Gen.

June 12 - 836 - 89-90 read. Copy of Dept 7 sent. to Umph.

May 16 - To Lewis. Summer - May examine report from Sydney of Dept.

May 17 - 857 - To HHH - 87 read. Thanks for valuable inclosures.

June 15 - 858 - 91-92 read.

June 17 - 859 - 93 to Dept Apri.


Sept 16 - 861 - 95 read.

Sept 24 - 862 - Explain charges by Capt John S. Foster.

Capt John S. Foster - Cons. asked to explain.

Nov 12 - 863 - To HHH - 96 read. new seal being sent.

Nov 14 - 864 - 104-110 read.

Dec 13 - 865 - Seal & press forwarded.

Dec 22 - R. B. Sheridan - Info. on Shipment.

Dec 24 - R. H. - Request for info from Shipment.

Dec 23 - 866 - To HHH - 811 read.
Regestry of Censor 1870-1906
Regestry of Consular Communications sent 888-M-17-R 32

1871
To H.H. Hall

# 67 Jan 17 - Ack 112 + 113 + 114
# 68 Jan 26 - to Estate of W & J. Howard & Edwin E. Marvin requests settlement

# 69 Feb 16 - Ack 116 + 117
# 70 Feb 18 - Ack 115 - missing letters to Herbert Semmings
# 71 " - Ack 118-119 + Dec 31 - mail service between SF & Amur. Colomos - sent by PM Gen.
# 72 Feb 20 - approves copy to Sivas J. Austin & Co. Agent - no leave without permission from Dept.

1872

# 73 May 23 - Ack 120-126 Could have informed one Dept.
# 74 June 17 - Ack 127-130 - 129 on Howard estate to Marvin.
# 75 June 24 - Report facts in re James R. Taylor of Keansage
# 76 " - 26 - settlement of estate of D.W. Vroom clients
# 77 " - 27 - Ack 123
# 78 July 18 - 131-135
# 79 Aug 3 - Changes & Terrill's genuine distinguished service

# 80 Aug 14 - Ack 136, 137, 138, 139 - att'n & Regs.
# 81 Aug 31 - Makes inquiries in re Terry - Dept 123
# 82 Sept 10 - Ack 140-143
# 83 " - 144 - Deposit of ship's paper with Trees.
# 84 Oct 10 - 146 + 147 - Copy of letter to PM Gen.
# 85 Oct 18 - 145 - Austin Bond approved - Passport sent

# 86 Nov 15 - 148 to 151 - see req. 
# 87 Dec 7 - Mrs. Maria Quigley wants info on John Collins estate.
# 88 Dec 16 - Ack 152-155 - 155 to C.W. Parker

1872

# 89 Feb 29 - Ack 156-161
# 90 Mar 14 - 162-163 - assets approved
# 91 Apr 27 - 166 - Case of Chance not clearly stated
# 92 May 8 - 167-170
Register of Cases - Sydney

1872 - H.H. Hall

93 May 31 - Ack 172 - 172 - 66 - 292
94 " - " - 171 - Stationery & forms ordered - 66 - 292
95 July 26 - Ack 174 - 181
96 " - " - 179 - 6 mos leave from Sept 1st granted 66 - 549
97 Aug 1 - Explain alleged neglect to rent premises of London estate of heirs.
98 Aug 27 - Ack 182 - 183 - of June 8th
99 Oct 3 - " 184
100 Nov 22 - Ack 185 - 188 - & 188 2 P.M Gen. Stationary - 68 - 432
101 Dec 13 - Explanation denied of complaint of Lewis Benjamin of Council usual. to verify landing certificate.
102 Dec 18 - Ack 189 - 192 - & 192 to Trace - 68 - 538

1873

103 Jan 20 - Ack 191 - Sent as to collission at sea - 69 - 74
104 Feb 7 - Ack 193 - Tel. ref. to postal service - 49 - 159
105 Feb 15 - Copy of P.M. Gen. letter on mail service Sqr. SF - 69 - 198
106 Mar 5 - Full report of London estate delay - 69 - 244
107 Mar 14 - Ack 194 - 196 - 69 - 293
108 Mar 20 - Notification of appointment as Court Agent - Bond requested - 69 - 315
109 Apr 13 - Duplicate of above sent.

1874

SHW # 2

July 20 - Investigate overcharges of Hall of Martin & owners of Agate - 74 - 492

SHW # 3

July 30 - Bond made. Appel approved. Apply for same recog. Place of birth? Cons. lego & residoral sent - 74 - 539

SHW # 4

July 30 - Deliver archives to Williams

SHW # 5

Oct 2 - Ack 216 - 218 - Forms & Stationary sent

SHW # 6

Dec 11 - 29th in America - Controversy w/ Rew. Dr. Vaughan

SHW # 7

Dec 14 - Ack " 1 & 2 - Commission sent London July 30 - 76 - 107
Jan 11 - Investigate excessive fees charged by Bome &

Henry A. Mitchells.


Info wanted on William Cattling of Oyster.

Jan 13 - No Navy Record of Wm. Cattling. Ask # 3

Jan 27 - Request return of fees.

" " - Any agencies can be discontinued?

Settlement only to be

Mar 11 - Postage charged on Miss. cast.

Mar 15 - No books for Consular Agent. Just as to

Disposition of active wages & disembarked seamen.

Stationery & forms sent - Ask # 4 & 5.

Apr 9 - # 6 cast.

" 19 - 17 "

May 22 - Make mined. Demand against Hall for $286.99

Due Agent. If he refuses, Intent will be brought

against his sureties.

June 18 - Ask # 10 - Statistical Atlas sent. Instructed to

Settle all expenses.

June 28 - Ask # 8 - Miss. cast. Ref. to date & signature


Consular Officers should not be stripping commissaries.

Equipment or discharge fee $1.00. Letters requesting

Assist or relief of seamen from prison $5.00. Charge of

$10.00 by master for expenses of detention should be

prevented - Charge should not exceed actual cost of

Arrest to be brought by master against seaman in

suit for cost.

Nov 23 - Ask # 11-20 - # 16 to Treas.

Dec 2 - Reply to # 21 - Change to Consolidate will be res. & err.

Dec 3 - Ask # 24-7 - One subject per card. Inquire as

to whereabouts of son of Mr. W. N. Dick. To Henry

Nov 30 - Requested to reconsider transfer of agents & cases

fees collected.

Dec 4 - Commissioner made appeal of cases directly

w/ Centennial Authorities. - flower, no statistic.

Dec 29 - Centennial Core.
1876 - S. H. Williams

24 Jan 29 - £22.30 - Moving Herald returned, needed. 81.10.

25 Feb 5 - Notice of apt for Consul.

26 Mar 21 - £35. Flag sent. Horse rented quarterly. 81.51.

31 Apr 31. 39.

June 5 - Investigating records of estate of Frederick Nelson in books kept by Wells. Case not reported. 82.467.


June 26 - Aggregated of fees for 1875 requested.


July 24 - £5. Claim for wages of brother by Henny Catlin & Co. 83.61.

Aug 17 - £1. Deed bonded approved.

Aug 31 - Official passport due.

Sept 2 - £5. Application from for Catlin heirs.


Dec 15 - £8.15. Sent.

1877

Jan 9 - Sheppard pension claim. Papers sent. 84.517.

Feb 22 - £18. Read & referred to Consul Melbourne. 85.140.


Mar 23 - £22. See C. A. C. for new work on landing certificate.


May 17 - £26.28. Read. Copy sent. Claims in Court. Reports of Bureau of Ed. will be sent if obtainable. 86.49.

June 14 - £25.32. Read.

July 31 - £36.33.34.36. Refused. Wrote letter to Board. 86.557.

Sept 28 - Offered to purchase for library "An essay on New Zealand" by man of N. S. W. 87.107.
#23  Oct 23 - Ask #37-41 - Ships Daily Journal sent  87-306
24  Dec 20 - Ask #40-46  87-682

1878
25  Jan 25 - Ask #47-48 - Thanks for Reid's Statistical Register  88-240
26  Mar 19 - " 49-53 - Letter of Rosser, in re death of
Charles Folger sent to mayor of Boston; claim
of Thomas Watson to Navy  88-546
27  Apr 13 - Letter from Mayor of Boston about Char. Folger.
Open letter to Geo. Rosser - Take steps to secure
suitable for child  88-692
28  June 8 - Ask #54-57  89-324
29  Oct 17 - #58 - Navy no record of son of Mary L. Matthews  90-259
30  Oct 19 - Ask #59-62  90-276
31  Oct 30 - James McGinnis paid in full under existing laws  90-359

1879
32  Jan 4 - Ask #63-69  91-42
33  Jan 10 - Proceeds copy of will of David J. Ross, Esq.
Letter Henry Davis  91-78
34  Jan 24 - Nominate V.C.  91-171
35  " - Ask #70-71 - Copy of Revised Statistics to V.C.  91-171
36  Feb 11 - #67 - Dept opinion thatatty Gen. of N.B.
Court in opinion Colonial authorities have juris-
diction in cases of cruelty on board ships while
in harbor of Colony  91-249
37  Mar 13 - #76 - Requests full report on Sydney Exhibit  91-527
38  Apr 1 - Ask #72-77  91-646
39  Apr 18 - Ask #74 - Appl. Suitable V.C.  92-72
40  June 3 - Council can appoint Univ. of N.B. Medical School
of high standing if Dr. J. J. Hudson needs help  92-437
41  June 18 - Ask #78-82  92-547
42  June 18 - Manner of transmitting relief drafts  92-547
43  Aug 23 - Non of Joseph Gernol Barron as V.C. approved  93-358
44  Sept 16 - Ask #83-89 - Amount of wages refunded by Com-
to remain undisbursed by Indio. Relief only per-
congress in their case  93-502
45  Sept 23 - Ask #85-91  93-526
Register of Cases - Sept 888 - M17 - R 36

1877 - J. H. Williams

46 Dec 17 - # 92-98 seed
47 Dec 26 - Enq. Trees letters ref. to remission of duty on wood entering U.S from Aust.

1880

48 Mar 10 - Ack 99-103 - Seal press stationary department. 95-317
49 Apr 6 - #104 - Fitter & Webber pension application
50 Apr 13 - Directors from Int. Dept. Ino above application
51 June 14 - Ack 106-109 - flag sent.
52 July 28 - Ack 110-111
53 Sept 27 - Ack 113-119
54 Oct 22 - Ack 120-121 - Trees. sent on counselor certificate for tobacco & wood use.
55 Oct 25 - #105 - Dept views on vessels foreign built & sold to Amer. Citizen - 500 ton massed in case of Chautauqua
56 Nov 12 - Ack 122-123 - Question of pension due Mr. W. J. Franklin takes to Capt. Cargill for trans. to U.S.
57 Dec 30 - Ack 124-127
58 Feb 8 - Cons. Agent Brisbane charging $5.00 for landing certificate. Orders ur. to instruct Agent in his duties.
59 Apr 26 - Continuing support of lunatic reversion at present. If insane may be sent to U.S. Ack 128-132
60 May 23 - Sale of 52,000 perennium from July 1, 1881. File bond
61 Aug 4 - Ack 133-140
62 Aug 27 - Expression of sympathy on assassination of Garfield - Ack 145-144 - Blames sent
63 Sept 30 - Ack 141-42. 145-8
64 Oct 11 - Mr. Franklin's pension. Capt. Cargill cannot be reimbursed by official grat. action.

1. Has 1 - Deliver allegro to Chas. Kaleo
2. Oct 31 - Appt.
1881 - Charles Kahlo

3 Nov 1 - Bond approved - passport transmitted.

5 Dec 8 - Death of Pres. Condolence act. 149-151 read.

22 Dec 22 - Consular rego sent - act 15-2-6

1882

1 Jan 11 - act 155-57

8 Mar 8 - Mar 31 - Resign. accepted

10 May 31 - Act 158-9 + $1-6 - ditto. on preparation of dispatches, desired by effects of deceased American & requests hurricane - no entrance returns

12 Apr 12 - #7 read

2 Apr 27 - #9 - new of sub. officer Boyd (Syd) + W&B approved 103-194

1 June 1 - #10-11 read

8 July 9 - "13-14 - Supplies needed - vessels need not be inspected if port free of disease.

9 July 20 - #12 - ditto on accounts - should not buy furniture w/o act permission from dept.

10 Aug 5 - #15-16 read.


18 Aug 18 - #18 read - 60 day leave & US granted.

19 Nov 7 - #19-23 read

18 Dec 18 - Geo. Harris changes Kahlo demanded division of funds collected prior to his incumbency - asks explanation.

1883

1 Jan 11 - #21-30 read. Purchases of safe approved. Requisitions 105-508

1 Mar. 1 - #31-4 read

17 July 9 - #36-41 - "Norman not considered for agency.

18 July 18 - Dup of #42 wanted

19 " - Reqty of Boyd accepted

20 Aug 8 - #400 per annum clerk hire - $192-48 read

21 Aug 18 - New of Slate as V.C. approved. Bond act.

22 Sept 22 - Requests act. turnage dues collected since July 1879 on P & M's Co.

23 Sept 28 - Agent Alex Brown Newcastle
1883 - Kahle

24 December - 45 days leave granted - Cautious counsel on his course of action intended to visit U.S. W. prominent officials.

25 December - Mr. J. C. Smith - Heavily awarded gold watch to Capt. Webber, 'Rose' to Mr. O. Bellamy, 'Resolute' to John Stephenson.

26 December - Ask $56-$59 - Slate bond approved.

27 December - $57 - Exchange less changes as planned.

1884

28 January - Complaints of irregularities in shipping men at Newcastle - Ordered to write cons. agent.

29 February - No cause to change rule consuls may choose own agents - Portman base at whistle.

30 May 21 - Rely accepted - Dept has no authority to allow you to engage in business - Cannot not a precedent by recommending your case to Congress.

May 1 - Letter introducing W. A. Marshall, claim against NSW for shilling of sheep.

31 May 31 - Refuse - Pay owners usual crew maintenance.

60-63 read - No need for agent at Thomasville.

32 June 2 - Pub. Doc. for J. Henderson from Cons. of A.P.

33 June 30 - #70-72 read.

1 July 16 - Appl.

2 July 12 - Compensation.

3 August 7 - Complaints of extraction of fees by agent - U. Agent to give explanation.

4 August 20 - No reply to appl. - Accept?


1891 - Sept 23 - Appl.

2 Compensation.

35 September 24 - Newcastle - Changes for unofficial services - Agent must explain.

36 October 23 - #76 - Mine rent approved except rent overcharge.

3 November - More complaints about Newcastle changes.

4 November - Cong. on "NZ has Commerce and Resources" by W.B. from reply - Thanks of Birt. Min.
1884- W. G. Griffin

37 Dec 17 - 400 clerk hire ent. 112-302
38 Dec 22 - Clerk hire contd suspndd - vac & sick
39 Dec 22 - 77-79 clerk - Newcastle explanation of fees satisfactorily

1885

5 Jan 13 - Delivered archives to G. W. Griffin
6 Feb 5 - £100 allowances for furniture
7 Feb 5 - Report w/ #4 approved - strict rules to Agents
8 May 11 - Commission set up
9 May 17 - #10 supplies sent 7/10 + 80-86 meal
40 May 23 - 4th for "O Acorel" account
41 Apr 4 - Approved app to Stewart as V.C.

[Handwritten note: Examine whether the native of New Britain can convey a good title to individual property when finally becomes U.S. territory. This question can be brought up again.]

10 Apr 8 - #14 - Morgan's dowell + record books sent
11 Apr 8 - Hm. of Harris at Brisbane approved
12 Apr 14 - Clerk hire contd but not increased
13 Apr 17 - 11, 17 & 19 meal - copy of hr. Resumes sent
14 Apr 17 - #12 meal - Approve Agency Townsville + H. Brown
15 May 1 - Facilitate passage of children of Robert P. Neale to U.S.
16 May 1 - #23 - Henry E. Stokes appd. Agent Newcastle
17 May 16 - #22 - Stewart's bond approved
18 May 28 - #11-25 meal
19 June 1 - Investigate claims at Newcastle re: report
20 June 15 - Clerk hire 400
21 June 25 - #26-33 meal
22 June 27 - Dept requests controversy between Ens. + former V.C. but cannot interfere unless good reason
23 July 25 - Investigate 3 yr. imprisonment of John C. Bailey for manslaughter at Sydney.
July 27 - Forward effects of A M Hunt to Dept. #29 to read
July 28 - #26 reid - Stuart's bond approved
July 29 - Convey to Mason's Dept. appreciation of their kindness to diploma children of R.P. Reus

July 30 - #34-41 reed.
July 31 - Dept. sees no reason for Mr. Brown's displeasure at counsel Griffin's removal of him from office.

August 6 - Investigate Decker & complaint in Newcastle
August 19 - Effects of Chas. A. Holm sent to Stockholm #42-76
September 21 - No appropriation to pay #216.45
September 29 - Estate of Miss M. Knox

October 2 - How does Hunt deal with scale on orangripes?
October 17 - #48 - Invention of J.B. Garnham of no value to

October 19 - #49-52 - Appreciate sympathy - Grant death

" - #53-57 reid - Approves Counsel's cause in Newcastle

October 19 - #55 - Cons. Regs. will be sent if Cons. has no copy

" 20 - #60 - Thanks for Grant memorial - appreciated.

" 20 - Report on estate of Thomas Higgins

24 - Farrell land claims in New Britain - must be set up before German tribunal on such issues. US needs legal occupational in cases of denial of justice by such tribunals. Farrell has made no specific allegation of citizenship. Reply #61

November 9 - Cost of bail deposits 0.10 - max. allowance for furniture already given. Reply #62

December 7 - Decker refund should be collected by Counsel.

" 9 - Vouchers

" 29 - Inquiry - Joseph B. Hart + wife - where?

1886

January 4 - #75 reed

January 25 - Where is James Travis?

War 2 - Explanation of fees charged Mrs. B.M. Cameron

War 4 - #76-91 reed

War 6 - Petition for official fees requested
48 Man 22 - Debt of G. M. Slaten to Aaron Van Camp. Please settle

49 Man 22 - Report on Frank case - Newcastle

50 Man 26 - H. Bratley pardoned ship him to U.S. as handsman

51 Apr 8 - Estate of M. M. King (Knot)

52 Apr 15 - Estate of Peter Mc Dornan - [marked cancelled]

53 Apr 17 - #95 - Approves Cons. action on Case for the land claims in New Britain; #94 - Approves Host estate action; wood samples to Ethnologist

54 Apr 24 - How much grain from Sydney 1824-35

55 May 6 - Estate of M. M. Knoke - Proof of Death

56 " - Decrease of sheep - exchange of info Rep #99.

57 " - What value estate of Thomas Higgins?

58 " - Stationary of forms sent.

59 June 2 - Cons. Explanation of Cameron/Scullion fee approved

60 June 29 - Passport info not understood - Rep. telegraph

61 June 29 - Clerk 96-111

62 June 30 - How did John G. Owens die?

63 June 29 - 60 day leave approved.

64 June 29 - Clerk him to continue if pending bill passed.

65 June 29 - #114 reed.

66 July 20 - Estate of M. M. Knoke - approves action #122

67 July 20 - #121 reed

68 July 20 - Passport Carl von Biren issued 1882 - #123

69 July 22 - #105 - Info from Agri on chilled meat.

10 Aug 30 - #131 - Tribunals constituted by Germany for settlement of land titles disputes between Armen. Citizens & German subjects in British Archipelago. All German authorities fail to give proper notice to limited duty citizens, the position can confidently appeal to Dept.

11 Aug 30 - #112-135 reed. reply #133 - Investigate murder of Capt. Kahler by natives of St. John; a report

12 Sept 29 - #136-140 reed.

13 Sept 23 - Commanded Cons. action on detention of Golden Gate at Coos Bay...
1886 - G. W. Griffin

14 Oct 27 - Prof. Bardin enquires about exchange of doc w/ Queensland - 21 boxes of pub. docs sent.

6 Nov - Reply #120 - Sale of Schooner Bartolo/Italina

7 Nov - Consul cannot cancel requisition on our initiative

8 Nov - Requisition of N.P. Sorensen - Cert. of navy

9 Nov - Special passport enq.

10 Nov - U.S. cannot demand damages for detention of Golden Gate. But Consul can reject C.P. fort.

11 Nov - Receipt and delivery in future will very much auments

12 Nov - Copy of will of Thomas Higgins

13 Nov - Dept cannot judge Farrell land case. Consul may continue to judge fairly and to assure fair trial

14 Nov - Reply #158 - Report of murder of Kehler sent 24th Dec

15 Jan - Further info on Kehler murder + action of U.S. melancholic to be sent to Dept.

16 Jan - Approves nom. Geo. F. Stuart at Raubugah, New Britain

17 Feb - Where is Edwin Willard

18 Feb - *141-154 read

19 Feb - 18 - Rep. 165 - Eun. commission of Pres. for Wesley Church

20 Mar 15 - Rep #68 - The. Higgins will read - Payment

21 Apr 1 - Flags - Stationary sent

22 Apr 26 - #165-187 read

23 May 2 - Caution case against pub. of reports in newspaper.

24 June 8 - #400 for Clarke line next year

25 June 30 - #194 - Thanks for copies of Financial Cond. of 1850

26 July 9 - #196 - Describes functions of medical inspectors of emigrants Liverpool & US

27 July 16 - #188-198 read

28 Sept 8 - #199-208

29 Oct 27 - #213 - Docs. & forms to be sent.

95 Jan 26 - Reply No. 222 - No info avail on disease of rabbits 124-24
96 Jan 30 - Reply No. 223 - Exchange blanks - 33
97 Jan 31 - Keena's Bond approved - 45
98 Feb 31 - #209-226 read - 45
99 Feb 23 - Where is Albert Heney - 241

100 Mar 21 - Dept. approved Agency in Realuma under impression it was Brit territory. Now finds it is German. Cannot
lease Agency in Gen. U.S. under indenture in Pink
law. Therefore Agency discontinued. Dept. would
report on trade with U.S. thru Steward - 124-487

101 Mar 30 - Thanks Capt. Bennett in name of Pres. for rescue
of crew of H. T. Barry #227-233 read - 568

102 May 30 - Supplies to be sent - 569

103 May 5 - Reply #234 - April reports will be sent to Bruce 125-225

104 May 9 - #234-237 read - 271

105 May 23 - #240-243 - 389

106 June 21 - #249 read - 649

107 July 5 - Where is John D. Atkinson - 266-56

108 July 6 - Collection of minerals of N.S.W. to Smithsonian - 70

109 July 6 - Nole hire - 400

110 July 19 - #251 read - 168

111 July 20 - Asks for writing of furniture & what he needs - 183

112 July 24 - Asks for copy of new Chinese immigration law &
report on how it works - 223

113 Aug 17 - #285 read - 415

114 - #256 - 4th of July celebration, read - 414

115 Aug 18 - Reply #256 consular means to have done all that
was practical to preserve ships. Maintained useful in
difficulty between Capt. Morse of Australia & Federated
Sedoma's Union on Chineses labor quarter - 427

116 Aug 22 - Trans. letter from Smithsonian on National of N.S.W. - 454

117 Nov 3 - #252-269 read - Wool samples to Hatt. Museum - 127-410

118 Nov 9 - Compliments Constable on his very intelligent review of
condition in Samoan civ. war - 469
Register of Cornc. Sydney. 888-M-17 R38

1888 - G.W. Griffin

119 Nov 12 - Letter of thanks from National Museum for wool 127-485
120 Nov 28 - #170 for furniture
121 Dec 12 - #270 rec'd -

1889
122 Jan 2 - 60 leave to U.S. cannot be granted. — 203
123 Jan 7 - Please reply to Frank H. Whittlesey on debts — 254
124 Feb 12 - Case turn aside by law in shipping seamen for coasted voyages — 634
125 Feb 28 - #244-273 rec'd 129-92
126 Mar 14 - Thanks for "The Wealth and Progress of NSW" — 216
127 May 22 - #255 - Report on Hurricane in Samoa rec'd very interesting. 130-148
128 Jul 10 - Thanks for report on Melbourne exposition. — 500
129 Jul 19 - Reply to #290 - Has inquired of London season for delay in racey of V.C. — 546
130 Aug 20 - #400 black hire. 131-112½
131 Sept 12 - #297 rec'd 289
132 Sept 30 - #301 - Books sent — 405
133 Oct 3 - #300 - #30 allowed for purchase of typewriter — 416
134 Oct 9 - #304 - Relief received, rec'd. approved — 446
135 Oct 12 - Book sent - request re #44 of Aug 29 — 472
136 Oct 16 - F.H. Whittlesey complaint — 498
138 Oct 24 - #274-289 rec'd — 570
139 Nov 9 - Supplies sent — 668
140 Nov 23 - Where is J.A. Cooper? 132-75
141 Dec 10 - Estate of Patrick O'Brien — 173

R-39

1890

142 Feb 5 - Approves letter to Whittlesey —
143 June 2 - Extradition papers. See Auckland 822.
Register of Coves - Sydney - 888 - M-17 - R-39

1890 - C.W. Griffin

144 July 15 - Cans. Reports for Aprt. Acox. of NSW sent as requested.
145 Aug 4 - Books for Edward Lovejoy.
146 Nov 13 - Attm. to numbering dispatches.
148 Jan 28 - Please explain report from Auckland of discharge of 2 seamen from Marquis without extra wages.
149 Feb 24 - Rep. 334 - Cans. 5 for examination records. Patrick O'Brien.
150 Mar 21 - 40 days leave to US granted.
151 Apr 20 - Where is Thomas Scott?
153 June 2 - Reply 392 - Appr. as VC announced. Send approved.
154 July 11 - 30 day extension of leave.
156 Aug 12 - 30 day extension of leave.
157 Sept 7 - Mrs. Emma Foyt. The may apply to Melbourne for passport. Request for war vessel at Newburgh sent to Navy.
160 Nov 17 - Complaint of double year charged Samuel Bloomer hides.
Tel. Dec 22 - Where is R. Jones Moloney?
Tel. Dec 28 - Give R.M. $500 to return home.
161 Dec 29 - Official report of Senate of Calif. on Chinese immigration - Governor's letter enclosed to the Undersecretary.
Tel. Dec 29 - Why send tel. through Rauters? Send direct to Dept.
162 Jan 6 - Where is Robt. Jones Monaghan?
163 Jan 20 - Handing certificate - See #26 to Newcastle.
Tel. Jan 23 - Searum passage for Monaghan. Friends in S.F.
164 Apr 26 - #421 - Supplies ordered sent.
165 May 23 - All copyright claims by Bill subject to recorded by library on May.
1892 - William Kapan

165 July 7 - Appointment
165 July 7 - Compensation
165 July 20 - Explain handling certificates of kerosene - R.W. Cameron
165 July 21 - Bond read
166 July 21 - Deliver advice to William Kapan
167 Aug 17 - Please forward money belonging estate of W.F. Sims
167 Aug 22 - New location loss approved - no permanent allowance
168 Oct 3 - Request extradition of John F. Miller - employment
168 Oct 3 - Confirm tel.
169 Oct 13 - #442 - Wool report rec'd - Expenses authorized
170 Oct 22 - Trans. Sec. report on effect of tariff on wages, prices, telephones
171 Oct 31 - #441 - Contingent expenses allowed except janitor
172 Nov 4 - #445/2 - Thanks for report on mineral products of NSW

175 Nov 5 - #7 supplies sent

7 - #6 report coat of arms, other purchases not allowed
6 - #7 reply #443 - thanked for report on tel. on sheep, etc.
6 - #26 report on manner of conveying laws in Aust.

Tel 21 Dec - "Indorse Draft"

Tel 24 "Glanders not prevalent Calif. Every horse has no evidence of disease there"

1893

1 Jan 6 - Pension of Francis M. McKean to be corrected
9 Feb 11 - Reply #452 - Forward expenses for wool report
10 Feb 20 - Interest on funds for passage of destitute Ame. Indians
11 Mar 11 - Reply #453 - Paid "mining industries of the U.S." rent
12 Mar 31 - Estate of John Harris
12 May 26 - Draft of $43 rec'd - Flag will be sent
14 June 9 - Effects of deceased Ame. Draft refused - lack of funds
Tel June 17 - Reason of absence "Granted subject to changes"
15 June 25 - Confirm above tel.
1 Aug 10 - Appt.
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1893

1. Aug 25 - Compensation £2,000.


5. Sept 11 - Commission one.

6. Sept 13 - 8th - Check line cannot be increased.


9. Nov 17 - Reply 74 - no allowance in present safe at present.


11. Dec 9 - Bond to Treasurer.

12. Jan 28 - Salary to be paid on execution of bond.

1894

13. Feb 19 - Dept fund to pay messenger service claim.

14. Feb 21 - Nominations of Vice and Deputy Council approved.

15. Feb 28 - Messenger service expense disallowed to funds.

16. Mar 7 - Baggs, N.S.W. - obtaining money under false pretences. Dept. refrains to refund amount secured by Baggs.

17. Apr 9 - Pension to John Murray.

18. July 21 - May subscribe to "Daily Commercial & Shipping news."


20. Sept 10 - Check line £400.


22. Nov 22 - Reply 51 - "Three losses." Foreign built 4/4 Register should be sent to Dept. on transfer to German flag.

23. July 13 - Reply 52 - Tread of May 18, 1895 for disinfection of hides.
1895 - George W. Bell

21 Aug 17 - Return 38 remors of Sydney Exhibition of 1879 - not delivered.

22 Aug 20 - Reply 54 - Details of nitroglycerine explosion at Parkhurst, W.Va. by Gov. of State.

23 Nov 6 - Bond of V.C. Chas. G. Edging approved.

24 Nov 26 - Forward 1½ Register of Those Chas. at once.

25 Dec 7 - Reply # 61 - Hides of horses must be disinfected.

26 " - " - 62 - Rejected reductions of Newcastle from Commercial Agency to Cons. Agency, planning of same at agency at Brisbane under Sydney not considered advisable.

27 Dec 14 - Letter of Cons. Agency Sydney - Leave is discontinued. Reply # 63 - Dept directs him to nominate suitable person.

1896

Jan 16 - Trade info & samples desired by Commercial Museum.

Jan 25 - Consuls prohibited from publishing trade & commerce reports in newspapers. End for Dept only.


Feb 5 - Reply # 64 - Hides of meat cattle disinfected.

Feb 21 - Try to obtain transfer to U.S. of remains of - Hannaney.

Mar 2 - 67 read on discharge & shipping of steam.

Mar 20 - 60 days leave to U.S. granted.

Mar 28 - Bond to Trea.


Apr 20 - Trade & Commerce Reports will best serve purpose by printing in Commercial Reports.

June 12 - Resignation as V.C. accepted - Trea. rule - cannot not bond.

July 6 - Appt of Harry W. Remsco as V.C. approved.

July 17 - Removal of Cons. to new quarters approved.

July 16 - Counsel has no authority to issue permits - C.G. Moline.

Aug 10 - # 86 - Approves action on behalf of 4 cases. 

Aug 13 - # 82 - Cattle diseases Queensland identified to Texas fever. No danger of it being brought to U.S. with hides.

Oct 1 - # 85 - Explanation of purchase of furniture satisfactory.

Dec 2 - Reports of Columbia Exposition not yet received.
1897 - George W. Bell

Jan 4 - "89 read. Agr. pubs. trains.

Jan 15 - Write direct to Agr. college to find standing courses.

Feb 20 - Report on b Norfolk Dr. read.


Mar 22 - "100 read. Complaint against council by F. W. Fawcet referred to CG. Melbourne who stated without foundation.

Apr 27 - "103 - No law on interchange of statutes of U.S. & foreign countries. They can be purchased.


July 12 - Reply 112. Dist. on printing forms.

Aug 13 - " 115 - Dist. on Bolus for trees. On discharge of seamen.

Aug 20 - Find Herman W. Van Blarcom & find light employment on vessel & U.S. not entitled to relief as seaman.


Sept 23 - Slippage of seamen on discharge in N. Pott. Calusa Cove.

Oct 16 - "116 - Requested Interior Dept. pkb. sent.

Nov 19 - "118 - Methods of exterminating rabbits requested by Agr.

Dec 17 - Census report cannot be sent nor can part of N.S.W. be put on mailing list for part pubs. Individual requests will be answered for particular pubs.

Dec 28 - Estate of John Ingaliside.

1898

Jan 31 - Whereabouts of W. Van Blarcom to Sec. lodge. Rep. 124


Feb 24 - "128 - Forestry in Europe forwarded.

Mar 13 - Report on seamen rescued from U.S. vessels since July 1897.


June 14 - "132 - Dept. appreciates tender of entertainment in U.S. Army from W. S.

Aug 23 - "143 read.
1898 - George W. Bell -

June 8 - Bond of V.C. Harry W. Remie received.

1899 - Copy made of 69 to Sydney, N.S.

Jan 4 - Received 50 of a coin cast of Rennie Bond.


Feb 27 - Appointed Richard F. O'Rourke as V.C. Forces sent.

Mar 6 - Request full report of detention of Republic at Newcastle.

Mar 22 - #137-138 not read. Copies requested.

"24 - Does not appear justified in calling for survey of Republic.

Apr 4 - Estate of Philip Millward.

Apr 5 - Report on contract for carrying ocean mail from NSW.

Apr 17 - Pardon for Henry Garland detained from NSW forces, now

in U.S. Army, forwarded to soldiers - council course approved.

Apr 18 - #154 read.

May 6 - Garland pardon held as Garland discharged Feb 1899.

May 19 - 154 - Application for purchase by 28 fourths of Greenock

St. in Camarines should be made to Spanish Proctor.

June 8 - #120-60 May receive to U.S. granted.

June 10 - Cries should be sent as soon as received.

June 10 - 164 - read in re. Republic.


July 29 - Desire诂古 thesis on wreck of Hattie E. Worcester [spec.]

Aug 22 - #169 read.

Sept 5 - #172-173 read.

Nov 8 - Report of Bureau of Ordinance on Coastal Defense plans will be


Nov 15 - Reply 170 - Collection of hospital expenses for Americans

aboard was Tucker - ditch.

Nov 16 - See #87 on Court Defense Plans.

Nov 18 - Same as previous.

Nov 23 - Missing Despatches #69-84.
1900 - George W. Bell

June 1 - Orlando H. Baker was appointed to replace Geo. W. Bell - compensation $2,000.

No indication of why change was made.