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NAMES of Victorian Railway Stations

with their origins and meanings, together with similar information relative to the Capital Cities of Adelaide, Sydney, Brisbane, and a few of the Border Stations of New South Wales and South Australia

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FOREWORD.

The following list had its origin in a request made by the Council of the Historical Society of Victoria in May, 1916, to the Victorian Railways Commissioners, that they should publish a list of the names of railway stations in this State, with their origins and meanings, such as had already been issued by the Railway Departments of South Australia and Queensland. The Commissioners, in reply, suggested that the compilation of such a list might be more suitably undertaken by the Society than by the Department. Accordingly the work was delegated by the Council to one of its members, Mr. Thos. O'Callaghan, who has now completed his labours, after an investigation extending over more than twelve months.

Equipped at the outset with considerable knowledge of the subject, Mr. O'Callaghan took up his task with enthusiasm, and has carried it out in a manner which is beyond praise. The work involved extensive correspondence with officials and other persons throughout the State, the examination of records, and the making of appeals to the public through the press, the results of all which were carefully considered by Mr. O'Callaghan, who has thus been enabled to place on record much information that would otherwise have been lost in the course of a very few years. The Council confidently expects that the publication of this list will do a great deal to arouse the interest of Victorians in the history of their State, as exemplified in the incidents connected with the naming of railway stations and of the towns to which they belong.

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Chairman of Council.

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PLACE NAMES.

An Introduction to "Names of Victorian Railway Stations."

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The study of place names may be said to stand to history and ethnology in somewhat the same relation as the study of fossils stands to geology. group or set of fossils represents, with more or less strictness, a distinct age of geologic time as, roughly speaking, does each group of place names represent a period of historic or prehistoric time."*

That statement was made in Scotland, and referred only to the study of the subject within the British Isles. It cannot include Australia, because Australia's early history was not recorded. Before the coming of the white man the aboriginal native knew no writing, and therefore kept no records save and except such as he could effect by making notches on a message stick, or on a spear, or, in a few rare instances, by painting, on cave walls, a few rude figures of men and animals and a few hieroglyphics or signs.

Apart from records left by early visiting navigators, the history of Australia

may be said to have commenced in 1788.

Britain was certainly known 450 B.C., and was, probably, populated long before that date. The Roman occupation commenced 55 B.C. and continued until A.D. 410. At later dates parts of the country were held by Kelts, Picts, Scots, Teutons, Danes, Norwegians, and Normans. Each of these races left its impress on the country in the form of place names and in other ways, and each of them marked a distinct period in the history of the country.

In Australia no such conditions have existed. Though known for a considerable time as "New Holland," this country has never been the property of the Dutch or of any other people than the British except when it was held

by its aboriginal inhabitants.

A country which has been held and inhabited by one people over the whole time covered by its recorded history affords no facilities for the division of that history into marked or well-defined periods. In some small degree it may be said that the discovery of gold marked a period differing from that which preceded it, but, in so far as place naming is concerned, the difference was but slight. Names peculiar to the gold era, such as "Middle Creek," "Back Creek," "Peg Leg Gully," "Dead Horse Flat," "Tinpot Gully," "Blanket Flat," &c., were of the language commonly, if not exclusively, spoken, and might have been bestowed in any year between 1788 and 1850 without attracting unusual attention.

It may here be remarked, though the subject will be dealt with at greater length later on, that the work of an Australian compiler of place names lies mainly in the direction of determining how or why names became attached to places, and not as to how they originated.

Where a native word is used to distinguish a locality the case is different, and the writer must seek for the origin of such word. The Australian aboriginal occasionally gave a name to a camping place, or to a bend in a river, or to a creek, or to a place where edible roots or fruit grew, and he had names for each class of bird, or beast, or fish, or insect, or reptile known to him, and for a few trees and shrubs. Names so given, which survive, are euphonious and appropriate.

In very many cases aboriginal place names, now existing, were not bestowed by the blacks but by the white people. The words may have belonged to one or other of the many native languages then existing, and may have been supplied by the natives for the purposes to which they were put, but it is safe to say, generally, that such names bore no relation to and had no connexion with the places to which they were given. Furthermore, it is certain that all, or nearly all, of these native names have been corrupted into forms difficult, if not impossible, of recognition.

In many instances of place naming one can imagine the wily blackfellow chuckling over the gullibility of his white questioner, when he found the latter not only ready but eager to accept such words as "Goornong" (excrement), Poowong (carrion, putrefaction, rottenness), Bogong (moths and grubs), Boinka (flat black beetle), and Korumburra (maggot or blowfly). These are not names which one would knowingly choose to distinguish a village, township, or estate, but the fact remains—these names, and others of a similar character, have been chosen and now find places in the *Municipal Directory*.

It is difficult to understand why persons intrusted with the privilege and duty of supplying native names for places in Victoria, have selected such names from the languages of tribes located in Queensland, New South Wales, South Australia, and Tasmania. To these names, as names, no objection need be taken, but equally suitable titles for the places could have been found in the vocabularies of the tribes formerly inhabiting the localities. Amongst borrowed native names, mention may be made of "Warragamba," taken from the upper part of the "Hawkesbury" (N.S.W.), between Cox and Nepean rivers; "Weeaproinah," taken from one of the Tasmanian native dialects. "Wyelangta" comes from the same source; "Toongabbie," from the Hawkesbury River (N.S.W.), near Windsor; and "Kardella," from Queensland. The meaning of the first given name is unknown; "Weeaproinah" means "Large Timber," and "Wyelangta," in another dialect, has the same meaning. "Toongabbie" means "Place near the water," and "Kardella" means "Opossum."

The first place names of Australia were bestowed by exploring navigators, and Cape "Keer Weer," or "Turn again," is the earliest recorded. It was named in the year 1606, by the officers of a Dutch vessel called the *Duyfhen* or "Dove." It marked the point at which they turned their vessel homeward.

In the year 1616 Dirk Hartog visited our shores in a vessel called the *Eendracht*. "Dirk Hartog's Island," in Shark's Bay, W.A., commemorated his visit. The bay was so named, in 1699, by Captain Dampier because of the large number of sharks seen there. Previous to that date the bay was known as Dirk Hartog's.

In 1622 a Dutch vessel called the *Leeuwin*, or "Lioness," visited the same coast, and her officers called the country Landt van der Leeuwin, after the ship. This discovery included the point we know as Cape Leeuwin.

Tasman, the discoverer of the island now known as "Tasmania," which he called "Van Diemen's Land" in honour of Anthony Van Diemen, Governor-General of the Netherlands-India, did not visit the mainland of Australia on that occasion. His discovery of the island was made in the year 1642, and the name which he bestowed upon it was retained until 1855.

An order of the Queen in Council was made on 21st July, 1855, at the request of the Legislative Council of the Colony substituting the name "Tasmaniz" for that of Van Diemen's Land. That order came into force on the 1st January, 1856. The new name was given in honour of "Tasman," the discoverer. Amongst the places named by him are the following:—"Storm Bay," because a storm arose as he approached it, and he was obliged to bear away for a time; "Maria Island," after Maria Van Diemen, wife of the Governor-General of Netherlands-India; "Schouten Island," after Corneliszoon Schouten, a fellow citizen of the port of Hoorn; "Vanderlin Island," after Cornelius Van der Lyn; "De Witt Island," after the Commodore of the Exploring Squadron; "Tasman's Island," after himself.

The Gulf of Carpentaria was named after Peter Carpentier, Governor of the Dutch East India Company, but it is uncertain who named it. Two Dutch vessels—Pera and Arnheim—visited the Gulf in 1623, and the master of one—"Jan Carstensz"—named a small river near Cape Keer Weer after Carpentier. Tasman thoroughly explored the Gulf in 1644, and after that date the name appeared on maps and charts. Some writers say that Tasman named it.

Torres Strait was named after Luis Paez de Torres, second in command of the De Quiros expedition in 1606. The name was entered upon a chart by "Dalrymple," hydrographer to the British Admiralty, and met with immediate and general approval.

Of all the navigators whose names have been associated with Australian discoveries, the greatest and most respected was Captain James Cook. His first voyage to New Holland, as it was then called, was made in 1770, and in that year he named many of the headlands, bays, and islands of our eastern coast.

Early in the morning of the 19th April, Zachariah Hicks, Chief Officer of the *Endeavour*, sighted land, and, later on the same date, a point then in view was named "Point Hicks." It is much to be regretted that this name has disappeared from our maps. It was the first place named by Cook in Australia, and the person after whom it was named died on the homeward voyage. The opinions of a few peculiar people to the contrary notwithstanding, there can be no reasonable doubt that "Cape Everard," as it is now called, is the "Point Hicks" of Captain Cook, and steps should be taken to restore the original name.

Coasting northward, Cook named "Cape Howe," after Lord Howe, Treasurer of the Navy, in the Chatham Administration; Cape Dromedary was the name he bestowed on what we now know to be "Montague Island," but which he mistook for part of the mainland. The name survives, as it

was given to the mountain which overlooks the island. It was the appearance of that mountain which suggested the name. "Botany Bay" he so named because of the great quantity of plants found there by Mr. Banks and Dr. Solander: "Point Sutherland," after Forbes Sutherland, a seaman, who died, and was buried there; "Point Solander," after Dr. "Point Stephen," after Philip Stephen, Secretary to the Solander: Admiralty; "Port Jackson," after Sir George Jackson, Secretary to the Admiralty; "Smoky Cape," because smoke was seen arising thereon from the fires of natives; "Cape Byron," in honour of Commodore Byron, of H.M.S. Dolphin; "Cape Moreton," as the name is now spelt, was named "Cape Morton," by Captain Cook, after the Earl of Morton. "Point Danger" was so called because he saw breakers ahead and on the larboard bow, and hauled off to the eastward; "The Glass Houses," because the three hills appeared to him like glass houses; "Wide Bay," was a descriptive title; "Sandy Cape," because of two large patches of white sand seen lying upon it; "Bustard Bay," because a species of bustard, as large as a turkey, was shot there; "Hervey's Bay" was named in honour of Captain Hervey; "Cape Capricorn," from its situation, almost directly under the tropic of "Cape Palmerston," after Henry Viscount Palmerston; "Northumberland Islands," after the Duke of Northumberland; "Repulse Bay," because it was found to be open and unsheltered, and Cook had to steer away from it; "Cumberland Islands," in honour of the Duke of Cumberland; "Cape Gloucester," after the Duke of Gloucester; "Cleveland Bay," after the Duke of Cleveland; "Magnetical" (now "Magnetic") Island, because the ship's compasses were disturbed when approaching it; "Dunk Island," after George M. Dunk, Earl of Halifax; "Cape Grafton," after the Duke of Grafton; "Cape Tribulation," because of circumstances of danger and distress surrounding him when he saw it; "Endeavour River," after the ship, which was "beached" and repaired there.

On his second visit to Australia Cook named the "Furneaux Islands" after Captain Furneaux, of the ship Adventure, and "Norfolk Island" after the Duke of Norfolk.

Captain Furneaux, who accompanied Cook on his second exploring expedition, named "Eddystone Point" (Tasmania) after the "Eddystone," near Plymouth, England; "Cape Barren," because of its desolate appearance; and "Adventure Bay" after his ship.

George Vancouver visited the Australian coast in 1791, and named a few places, amongst which may be mentioned "Chatham Cape," called after William Pitt, Earl of Chatham, and "King George's Sound," in honour of King George III.

George Bass, though a surgeon, was also a navigator and explorer of no mean capacity. His voyage in a whaleboat, made in 1798, was a daring adventure successfully carried out. Amongst the places named by him on that voyage were "Sealer's Cove," so called because he thought it would provide shelter for sealing vessels; "Cape Wollamai," from its resemblance to the helmet-headed fish "Wollamai" (Snapper) of Port Jackson; "Corner Inlet" is a descriptive name; "Bowen's Island," in Jervis Bay, he named after Lieutenant Bowen, who had discovered and named that bay in 1791, after Admiral Sir John Jervis, afterwards Earl of St. Vincent; "Westernport"

he so named in relation to its position from Sydney; "Shoalhaven," because the greater part of the harbor was filled with shoals of mud and sand; "Barmouth Bay" and "Twofold Bay" are descriptive titles.

A little later, Bass was associated with Flinders, and it was due to their efforts that proof of the long-suspected insularity of Tasmania was obtained. In acknowledgment of Bass' share in this discovery, the strait between the island and the mainland was named after him.

Matthew Flinders and George Bass came to Australia in H.M.S. Reliance, with Governor Hunter, in 1795, and soon after their arrival commenced that adventurous career which has rendered their names immortal. Flinders was then only a midshipman, and his first adventure with Bass was in a dinghy called the Tom Thumb. No valuable discoveries were made during that voyage, but, in 1798, in a vessel called the Norfolk, they discovered "Port Dalrymple," which was afterwards named by Governor Hunter, in honour of Alexander Dalrymple, hydrographer to the Admiralty.

The "Tamar" River was discovered at the same time, and the name was afterwards given, by Captain Paterson, in honour of Governor King, who was born at Launceston, on the English Tamar. "Circular Head" was also discovered, and named by them from its appearance. "Cape Grim" was so called because of its forbidding appearance. Mounts Zeehan and Heemskirk were seen and named after Tasman's two ships; Mount Norfolk they named after the little vessel in which they sailed.

Flinders made another voyage in the Norfolk, in 1799, along the eastern coast, but no discoveries worth mentioning resulted.

Having returned to England, Flinders was appointed Commander in the Royal Navy, and placed in charge of a vessel called the Investigator. To his labours, while in charge of that vessel, we are indebted for much of our knowledge of Australia, and, incidentally, for many of our place names. "Fowler's Bay" was discovered by him, and named after Lieutenant Fowler. of the Investigator. "Mount Lofty" he named from its appearance; "Mount Brown," after Robert Brown, the botanist who accompanied him; "Kangaroo Island," from the large number of those animals seen thereon; "Backstairs Passage." because it formed a sort of private entrance to the Gulf of St. Vincent, between Kangaroo Island and the mainland: "Port Lincoln." after his native place in England; "Cape Wilberforce," after the great philanthropist of that name; "Boston Island," after Boston, in Lincolnshire; "Flinders Island," after his brother-Samuel W. Flinders, second lieutenant of the Investigator; the "Gulf of St. Vincent," after Admiral the Earl of St. Vincent; "Nepean Bay," after Sir Evan Nepean, of the Admiralty; "Cape Catastrophe," because of the loss of his sailing master and a boat's crew there; "Thistle Island," after John Thistle, the sailing master previously referred to; "Memory Cove," in memory of the catastrophe above mentioned; "Encounter Bay," because it was there that the vessels of Flinders and Baudin met.

"Port Phillip" was entered by Flinders on 26th April, 1802. He was then unaware that Murray had preceded him on the 15th February, and did not learn of that fact until his return to Sydney. It is probable that Flinders, believing himself to be the discoverer of an extensive bay, gave names to the prominent features near the entrance, but, if so, he suppressed them on learning that Murray had done all that was necessary in that way. Two

places were, however, named by him, and the names survive, viz., "Indented Head" and "Station Peak." The first mentioned was named from its appearance. The blacks called it "Bingolite," meaning "ribbed or stratified." "Station Peak" was so named by Flinders after he had ascended it and noted its fitness for a "look-out" or observation station. The native name is "Wurdi Youang," meaning "Big Hill." In the same year Flinders started northward to proceed through "Torres Strait" and examine the Gulf of Carpentaria. Two of the place names bestowed by him on that voyage were "Port Curtis," in honour of Sir Roger Curtis, who commanded the squadron stationed at the Cape of Good Hope, and "Port Bowen," in honour of Captain James Bowen, R.N.

Lieutenant Grant, in command of H.M.S. Lady Nelson, was the first to make the voyage through Bass Strait from the westward. He reached Sydney in December, 1800, and in passing along our coastline named several places. "Cape Northumberland," he called after the Duke of Northumberland; "Cape Nelson," after the ship Lady Nelson; "Cape Otway," he called Cape "Albany Ottway," in honour of his much-respected friend, William Albany Ottway; "Cape Paterson," in honour of Colonel Paterson, of the New South Wales Corps; "Cape Schank," after Captain Schank, R.N., who had taken much interest in fitting out the ship Lady Nelson; "Cape Liptrap," after his friend, John Liptrap, of London; "Mount Schank," after Captain Schank, previously mentioned; "Mount Gambier," in honour of Admiral Gambier; "Curtis Island," he called "Sir Roger Curtis Island," in honour of Admir. I Sir Roger Curtis; "Laurence Islands," after Captain Laurence, one of the Elder Brothers of the "Trinity House"; "Julia Percy Island," in honour of Lady Julia Percy, a member of the Northumberland family; "Rodondo Island," off Wilson's Promontory, he called after an island of that name in the West Indies.

At a leter date Grent named "Churchill Island," in Westernport, in honour of John Churchill, of Dawlish, in the County of Devon. Many years after the departure of Grant from our shores "Grantville," on the shore of Westernport, was named after him...

While to Lieutenant Murray belongs the credit of discovering Port Phillip, the name which he gave it was "Port King," and he gave it in honour of Governor King. This name was set aside by the Governor, because he thought his predecessor, Governor Phillip, more deserving of the honour. Other names given by Murray are still retained. "Mount Arthur's Seat," he named because of its resemblance to a hill of that name near Edinburgh; "Point Nepean," he named in honour of Sir Evan Nepean, of the Admiralty; "Swan Harbor," he named because of the enormous number of swans seen there.

To Baudin, the French navigator, we owe the name "Cape Borda," which he called after "Borda," French navigator, mathematician, and astronomer; "Cape Buffon," after Buffon, the naturalist; "Geographe Bay," after his ship; "Cape Cuvier," after a French naturalist.

Other names were bestowed by the officers of Baudin's expedition, but most of them have ceased to distinguish the places to which they were given. "Cape Naturaliste," which was named after one of the French vessels, still survives.

Captain Phillip Parker King, son of Philip Gidley King, formerly Governor of New South Wales, has added largely to the nomenclature of Australian places. "Enderby Islands" (W.A.) were named by him after a very old and valued friend; "Exmouth Gulf," in compliment to the noble and gallant Viscount Exmouth; "Escape River" (Q.), because he had a narrow escape from shipwreck there; "Darch's Island" (N.A.), after his esteemed friend Thomas Darch, of the Admiralty; "Cape Sorell" (T.), in honour of Lieutenant Governor Sorell; "Cape Baskerville" (N.A.), after a midshipman of that name serving on the ship Bathurst, commanded by King; "Cape Croker" (N.A.), after the Principal Secretary to the Admiralty; "Cape Don" (N.A.), after Lieutenant-General Sir George Don, K.C.B.; "Cape Lambert" (W.A.), after Aylmer Bourke Lambert, Esq.; "Cape Locker" (W.A.). after Edward Hawke Locker; "Cape Preston" (W.A.), after his friend Richard Preston: "Cambridge Gulf" (W.A.), in honour of the Viceroy of Hanover; "Port Essington" (N.A.), as a tribute to the memory of his friend the late Vice-Admiral Sir William Essington, K.C.B.; "Port Hurd" (N.A.), after Captain Thomas Hurd, hydrographer to the Admiralty; "Popham Bay" (W.A.), after Rear-Admiral Sir Home Popham, K.C.B.; "Port Keats," after Vice-Admiral Sir Richard G. Keats. G.C.B.; "Mount Bellender Ker" (Q.) was named at the request of Mr. Allan Cunningham, the botanist, after John Bellender Ker, Esq.; "Mount Cockburn" (W.A.), after Admiral Sir George Cockburn, G.C.B.; "Mount Cook" (Q.), after Captain Cook, who had suffered much distress and anxiety at that place; "Montagu Sound" (W.A.), after Robert Montagu, Admiral of the White; "Point Swan" (W.A.), in honour of Captain Swan, of the Cygnet, under whom Dampier had served; "Castlereagh Bay." after Lord Castlereagh, Prime Minister of England; "Clarence Strait," after the Duke of Clarence; "Coburg Peninsula" (N.A.), after H.R.H. Prince Leopold: "Greville Island" (W.A.), after the Right Hon. Charles Greville: "Grant's Island" (N.A.), after Captain Charles Grant, C.B., under whose ausnices King entered the navy; "Goodenough Bay" (W.A.), in compliment to the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Carlisle; "Goulburn Island" (N.A.), after the Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies; "Field Island" (N.A.), after Mr. Justice Barron Field, of Sydney; "Foul Point," in memory of the difficulties which ultimately compelled him to leave the coast; "Melville Island" (N.A.), after Viscount Melville, First Lord of the Admiralty; "Mermaid Strait" he named after the little vessel in which he was then sailing; "Apsley Strait," after the Right Hon. Earl Bathurst, whose second title was Lord Apsley; "Macquarie Strait" was named after Governor Macquarie.

In 1839 Captain J. L. Stokes, of H.M.S. Beagle, named a large number of places in Australia, amongst which may be mentioned "Point Tarrant" (Q.), after one of the officers of the ship; "Point Torment" (W.A.), because of the incessant and vindictive attacks of swarms of mosquitoes; "Port Darwin" (N.A.), in honour of Charles Darwin, the celebrated naturalist; "Refuge Cove," because it is the only place a vessel can find shelter from the eastward, on that side of Wilson's Promontory; "Strzelecki Range" (V.), after Count Strzelecki, the explorer; "Good Friday Harbor" (W.A.), because it was discovered at Easter time; "Adam Bay" (W.A.), after Admiral Sir Charles

Adam; "Cone Bay" (W.A.), from a singular hill of that form on its eastern shore; "King's Sound" (W.A.), in honour of Captain P. P. King; "Easter Islands" (W.A.), because they were discovered at Easter time; "Point Gore" (Q.), after Lieutenant Gore, of the Beagle; "Roe Islands" (W.A.), after Lieutenant Roe, R.N., Surveyor-General of West Australia; "Mount Fatigue," because Strzelecki and his companions suffered greatly there from fatigue.

While there are numerous other navigators responsible for place names on our coastline, the scope of this paper will not permit of their inclusion.

Governor Phillip bestowed the first inland place names in Australia in 1788. He named "Sydney Cove" after Thomas Townshend, Viscount Sydney, nephew of that Charles Townshend after whom Cook had named Cape Townshend. The town of Sydney took its name from the Cove.

As the settlement extended, names were given to the streets or lanes. Amongst the earliest of these were "High-street," because of its position and greater official importance than the others; "Pitt Row," in honour of William Pitt, Prime Minister; "Chapel Row," because religious services were held there; "Windmill Row," because a windmill was erected on its boundary.

Of the native place names which have survived only two can be mentioned, viz., "Toongabbie" and "Parramatta." "Toongabbie" means "Place near the water." "Parramatta" means "Eels sit down" or "Abundance of eels."

The Hawkesbury River was named in July, 1789, by Governor Phillip, in honour of Lord Hawkesbury, President of the Council of Trade and Plantations. "Pittwater" was named in 1788, after William Pitt, Prime Minister; "Carmarthen Hills," after the Marquis of Carmarthen, afterwards Duke of Leeds; "Lansdowne Hills," after the Marquis of Lansdowne; "Neutral Bay" as an anchorage for foreign ships visiting the port. The "Blue Mountains" were named, in 1790, from their appearance.

Passing over the years from 1793 to 1810, and thus omitting the place names bestowed by Governors and Acting Governors from Phillip to Bligh, inclusive of the latter, we come to Macquarie's reign. Of him it may be said that he never neglected an opportunity to insert his name on the maps of Australia, and that no other Governor has been so well advertised. When the possibilities were exhausted for the further application of his Christian or surname to harbor, river, or street, his wife's Christian and maiden names were brought into use, and, occasionally, his native place in Scotland was honoured. Failing these, he turned to members of his military staff. If Macquarie did nothing else while in Australia, he certainly provided for himself enduring memorials in the way of place names, and his admirers have ably seconded his efforts in that particular.

Names bestowed by his predecessors were not sacred in the eyes of Macquarie. One of his first acts, in 1810, was to name or rename streets and places in the Colony. "High-street" he renamed "George-street," in honour of King George III.; "Pitt Row" he called "Pitt-street"; "Chapel Row" he changed into "Castlereagh-street," in honour of Lord Castlereagh; "Hunter-street" he named after Ex-Governor Hunter; "Bell Row" he changed to "Bligh-street," in honour of ex-Governor Bligh; "Windmill Row" he named

"Prince-street" in honour of the Prince of Wales; "Bent-street," in compliment to Mr. Ellis Bent, Judge Advocate; "Bridge-street" was allowed to retain that name, because it led to a bridge which then spanned the Tank Stream; "Elizabeth-street" was named after one of the christian names of his wife; "Macquarie-street" he named after himself; "Gloucester-street," after the Duke of Gloucester; "Market-street," because of its proximity to the then new market place; "Clarence-street," after the Duke of Clarence; "Cumberland-street," after the Duke of Cumberland; "York-street," after the Duke of York. This street was previously known as Barrack-street. "O'Connell-street" he named after Lieutenant-General Sir Maurice O'Connell; "Richmond Hill," after the Duke of Richmond; "Sussexstreet," after the Duke of Sussex. In Tasmania he named "Antil Ponds" and "Antil-street," after Major Antil, of the 48th Regiment; street," Hobart, after his own native County in Scotland; "Bathurst-street." after Earl Bathurst; "Elizabeth-street," after Mrs. Macquarie; "Murraystreet," after Captain Murray, of 73rd Regiment; "Macquarie-street," after himself; "Campbell-street," after Mrs. Macquarie's maiden name.

Other places named after Macquarie or his wife are as follows:—Port Macquarie, Lachlan River, Macquarie River (N.S.W.), Macquarie Strait, Macquarie Harbor, Macquarie River (Tas.), Campbell Town (N.S.W.), Campbelltown (Tas.).

In 1824 Hume and Hovell named several places on their line of route, and the principal of these, though the name no longer attaches to it, was the "Hume River." It was discovered and crossed by the explorers near the site of Albury, and as Hume had seen it first his name was given to it. About six years later Captain Charles Sturt saw the same river at the part where it receives the waters of the Murrumbidgee River, and named it the "Murray," in honour of Sir George Murray, Secretary of State for the Colonies. It must be said for Sturt that he was not aware that the river named by him was identical with the one discovered and named by Hume and Hovell.

It is a matter for regret that this change of name was effected. Hume was the first white man whose eyes ever rested upon that stream, and he had reached it after a long, toilsome, and dangerous journey. It is, therefore, right and proper that it should bear his name rather than that of a man who, however amiable in private life and capable as an official, had done nothing for Australia and, indeed, knew nothing of this country except the little which he may have gathered from the perusal of official correspondence.

The "Ovens River" was discovered by Hume and Hovell and named in honour of Major Ovens, Private Secretary to Governor Brisbane. The "Goulburn River" they named in honour of Mr. Henry Goulburn, Under-Secretary for the Colonies. Finding, afterwards, that the name had been given to another river in the Colony, they renamed it "Hovell." This latter name did not find favour with the public, and the river is still called "Goulburn." "Mount Battery" was named by them from its shape and appearance, which resemble a raised earthwork or battery. "Sunday Creek" was so called because they camped on its banks on a Sunday night.

To Major Mitchell we are indebted for a large number of Victorian place names, but in his case, as in all others quoted, only a comparative few can be

mentioned. "Swan Hill." was so called because his party, having camped there, was disturbed at night by the noise made by these wild-fowl on a lagoon; "Pyramid Hill," because it resembled an Egyptian monument; "Pyrenees," after the well-known chain of mountains in Europe; "Grampians," after the Scotch hills; "Mount Abrupt," from its appearance; "Mount Aberdeen," after Aberdeen in Scotland; "Mount Bainbrigge," after a friend of Peninsular days; "Mount Barnard," after Sir Andrew Barnard, Commander of the Light Division during part of the Peninsula "Mount Shadwell," and "Mount Clarke," the latter of which, is the Mount Elephant of Learmonth, were named in honour of Major Shadwell Clarke; "Mount Clay," after a friend of Peninsular days; "Mount Cole," after General Sir G. Lowry Cole, under whom he had served in Spain; "Mount Hope," because, from its summit he hoped to obtain a view of the land which he called Australia Felix; "Mount Hotspur," because it was the only elevation near Julia Percy Island; "Mount Kincaid," after an old and esteemed friend of Peninsula recollections; "Mount Macedon," after the Greek Macedonia, and in reference to Port Phillip; "Mount Napier," after Sir George Napier; "Mount Ochtertyre," after Sir George Murray, second son of Baron Ochtertyre; "Mount Pierrepoint," after a friend who had served with him in Spain; "Mount Stavely," after General Sir William Stavely; "Mount Rouse," after another friend who had served with him in Spain; "Mount Stapylton," after Mr. G. C. Stapylton, Surveyor, second in command of the expedition; "Mount Sturgeon," after Colonel Sturgeon, of the Staff Corps; "Mount William," in honour of His Majesty, King William IV.; "Mount Zero," a remarkable cone at the western extremity of the chain of mountains, because the weather was intensely cold there. The "Campaspe River" he named after Alexander's "Light o' Love," afterwards wife of Appelles, the painter. "Mount Alexander" was first named Mount Byng, but was renamed in order, as was said, to preserve the classic connexion between the names Alexander, Macedon, and Phillip. "Mount Arapiles" was named after a village in Spain overlooking the battlefield of Salamanca. Mitchell ascended the Victorian mountain on the anniversary of the battle. The "Glenelg River" was called after Lord Glenelg, Secretary of State for the Colonies; the "Richardson River," after John Richardson, the Botanical Collector for the Expedition, who fell into that stream. The "Chetwynd River" was named after Mr. G. Chetwynd Stapylton, the Surveyor previously mentioned. He was one of the early Government Surveyors at Port Phillip and, a few years later, met a terrible fate while surveying in Queensland. He was killed and partly eaten by the blacks. The "Avoca River" was a name inspired by Moore's poem, the "Meeting of the Waters," the scene of which is in the beautiful vale of Avoca, Ireland.

The primary object of the writer of this paper was to provide an introduction to the work entitled Names of Victorian Railway Stations. It has, however, expanded, insensibly, until it includes much of the early place naming of Australia. This expansion has occurred without touching on the works of explorers such as Oxley, Cunningham, Leichardt, Franklin, Stuart, Strzelecki, McMillan, Eyre, Ross, Von Mueller, and Howitt. In the work itself a few of these names will be found, but the place names, to which they are attached, form but a small percentage of the existing number.

In perusing the following—or any other work—on place names, it should be remembered that the application of a name to a place does not prove that such name had its origin then and there. In some few instances it may have been so, but in the great majority of cases it will be found that one place has been called after another or after some person or some notable event.

Generally speaking, the compiler of a work on Australian place names is not required to trace the origin of the names he records, because such origin has no bearing on the application of the names to the localities distinguished by them. If a name did not originate in the place which bears it, information as to such origin is interesting, but unnecessary.

Where places bear native names, or names compounded, built up, or manufactured specially to meet a requirement, the case is different. In the case of some native names, it is possible and necessary to trace the origin. In others it is neither necessary nor possible, and in such cases one has to accept and adopt the meanings, alleged to have been given by the aborigines, as recorded by one or other of the many writers of aboriginal vocabularies. "Barpinba" and "Barraport" are examples of the names referred to in the first part of this paragraph, and will be found within the work referred to.

A comprehensive work on place names of Australia would be welcomed by the public, and would be a valuable addition to the history of our country. Ample material exists now, but is rapidly disappearing.

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VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
Addington	Feet. 1461	921	
			took its name from an hotel established by a man named Griffiths. The hotel took its name from the adjoining parish of Addington surveyed by John Hamlet Taylor about 1854-5. The parish took its name from William Leonard Addington, second Viscount Sidmouth, of Sidmouth, Devon., T. O'C. and D. B.
Adelaide	101	4831	
ADELAIDE LEAD	740	1153	Maryborough to Ararat. The name was given on the discovery of the "Lead" by a party of miners from Adelaide, South Australia. A. W. K.
AGNES	28	116 1	Melbourne to Port Albert. Named from the Agnes River, which was called after "Agnes," daughter of John Gellion, an early settler, who kept an hotel
ALBACUTYA	249	2721	in Port Albert in 1853. T. O'O. Dimboola to Yaapeet. Native. From "Ngelbakutya," Sour Quondong. Watkin, p. 1. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 176
Alberton	34	132½	Melbourne to Port Albert. The township, after which this station was named, was surveyed by Mr. Townsend in 1842. The design was sent in on
		,	30th March, and was laid before the Executive Council on 15th July. The name "Albert Town" found favour, but the surveyor's modification was ultimately adopted, and the name—Alberton—gazetted on 27th September, 1842. The name was
_			given in honour of Prince Albert. V. H. M., vol. 2, p. 60
ALBERT PARK	23	13	Melbourne to St. Kilda. This station took its name from the adjacent park, which was called after Prince Albert, consort of Queen Victoria. T. O'C.
ALBURY	137 534	9½	Melbourne to Bendigo. Called after the Albion Quarrying Company, whose quarry is near by. V. R.
		1901	New South Wales. So named, by Surveyor Townsend, from the resemblance of its surroundings to those of Albury, in Kent, England. V. H. M., vol. 3, p. 71
ALEXANDRA	720	102	Tallarook to Mansfield. The station was called after the town, which was named in honour of Alexandra, Princess of Wales, now Dowager Queen. Alexandra Times, 10.11.68

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Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
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ALLANSFORD .	. 40	159	Melbourne to Port Fairy. The township, after which this station is called, took its name from the Allan brothers, settlers in that locality in 1842,
ALLENDALE .	1546	901	V. H. M., vol. 1, p. 63
ALMURTA .	118	67	Nyora to Wonthaggi. Local aboriginal for "Mistletoe." M. E. K. Curr, vol. 1, p. 425, gives "Sweet" as the equivalent of "Almurta" in the dialect of
Alphington .	113	53	Macumba River natives, S.A. Melbourne to Hurstbridge. Named by Sir William Manning, a former owner of the property, after
Amphitheatre .	905	1353	station takes its name was so called because of its
Anderson .	199	76	shape and situation—a circular plain surrounded by hills. T. O'C. Nyora to Wonthaggi. Named in compliment to the Ander- son family, old residents of the locality. One member at least was resident there in 1837. He reported
Angleside	580	1631	of a farm near by. The farm was so called because
ANTWERP	326	2353	it is three-cornered or angle-sided. J. D. C. Dimboola to Yaapeet. This place was formerly a sheep station, occupied by Mr. H. G. Ellerman, who called it after a city in Belgium, where he was born. D'Alton, p. 2
Arapiles	406	2233	Horsham to Goroke. This station took its name from Mount Arapiles. The mountain was named by Major Mitchell in 1836, after a place on the Peninsula overlooking the battlefield of Salamanca. Mitchell ascended this mountain on the anniversary of the
Ararat	1028	131	battle. Mitchell, vol. 2, pp. 185, 189 Melbourne to Serviceton. The town, after which this station.was called, took its name from a mountain a few miles distant. The mountain referred to took its name from the scriptural Mount. Blair, p. 11.
Arcadia	395	98	Hutchinson, p. 7 Seymour to Tocumwal. Named after that Arcadia which was situated in the middle of Peloponnessus. It was famous for its mountains, and was celebrated by the poets. Received its name from "Arcas,"
Argyle	817	711	son of Jupiter. Lempriere Wallan to Bendigo. Named after "Argyle," a pioneer in craft Lady Nelson. Saxton, p. 6

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310	$231\frac{1}{4}$	
		by German settlers, after a promontory on the north- west coast of the Island of Rügen, a German posses- sion in the Baltic. T. O'C.
141	43	
955	136 <u>1</u>	Melbourne to Serviceton. Formerly "Armstrong's Diggings." So called after the discoverer. The name was abbreviated by the Railway authorities. A. S. K.
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512	139 <u>‡</u>	Maryborough to Inglewood. Formerly "Arnold's Rush." Called after the brothers William and David
106	31/2	Arnold, who discovered gold there. E. R. Melbourne to Albury. The nearness of this place to the Flemington Race-course suggested the name of
1		the English Race-course—Ascot. The station took
162	83	its name from the place. T. L. Outer Circle. Name suggested by ex-Councillor Dillon, when the line was opened in 1890. It was named
		after Ashburton Terrace, a beautiful site overlooking the City of Cork, Ireland, where he resided prior to coming to Australia. R. W. S.
23	18	Melbourne to Mornington. About the year 1882 Mr. J. R. Crooke, in partnership with Mr. Whittingham, owned a mare called "Aspen," which had been very successful in racing engagements. Because of this he gave the name to the then new race-course. The
		settlement which grew around the locality took the
124	43	name of the course. J. R. C.
		built and named by the Reverend W. H. J. Liddiard.
996	293	Smith, p. 49. Herald, 8.9.13 Ferntree Gully to Gembrook. Formerly Menzies Creek. Called "Aura" after the estate of Mr. R. Kerr,
491		Shire President. A. S. K. The estate was named after a mountain in Ireland, and the name is said to be an expression of the beautiful. R. H. K.
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Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Miles from	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
Avoca	Feet. 794	127	Maryborough to Ararat. The Avoca River, from which the town derives its name, was discovered and named
•	: 4	'	by Major Mitchell, 1836. Sutherland, vol. 1, p. 87, says that Mitchell gave the name "moved, doubtless, by the clearest of crystal and brightest of green," which Tom Moore has so sweetly celebrated in the
Avonmore	442	1243	Irish Valley
		, · ·	were asked to provide another name, and held a meeting for that purpose. A farmer named Boyd suggested "Avon," and this was agreed to with the addition of the second syllable of the old name—
Axedale	566	89 <u>1</u>	Axe Creek. The creek was probably named after the Axe River, Dorsetshire and Devonshire, England.
Baarmutha	1595	168 1	A. S. K. and R. R. B. Wangaratta to Beechworth. A native word, meaning a number of small creeks. A. A. and J. J. B. The Beechworth Race-course is situate in "Baarmutha Park," but the place to which the blacks gave the name is known as the "Three-mile." G. T. W. "Barmootha" is the form in which J. J. B. gives the word
BACCHUS MARSH	343	313	Melbourne to Serviceton. This place was named by Kenneth S. Clarke, after Captain W. H. Bacchus, who settled in the Melbourne end of the valley early
BADDAGINNIE	611	1133	Named by J. G. W. Wilmott, surveyor. The members of his party were short of provisions and on the verge of starvation when Mr. Wilmott arrived in
Вадяпот	511	112	camp. Saxton, p. 8 Bendigo to Echuca. Named from a town in Berk- shire, England. Saxton, p. 8
Bairnsdale	46	1701	Melbourne to Orbost. Bairnsdale is a corruption of the name "Bernisdale," given by Mr. McLeod to a pastoral
			station occupied by him, and including the site of the present town. The name "Bernisdale" was derived from a small hamlet in the Isle of Skye, the home of Captain Norman McLeod, grandfather of the Australian McLeod. V. H. M., vol. 3, p. 176. Login, p. 52, says that the place was named Bairnsdale because the children were fond of playing in a dell or dale. Native name, "Wy Yung," a kind of duck. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 188

Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
BALACLAVA	Feet.	5	Melbourne to Sandringham. Named after a famous battlefield in the Crimea. Garryowen, vol. 1,
BALD HILLS	1423	821	p. 22 Ballarat to Daylesford. So called after certain low, bald hills in the vicinity. V. R.
Balee	197	21	Melbourne to Hurstbridge. Local aboriginal for "Mistletoe." M. E. K.
Ballan	1666	491	
			close to the village, and then owned by Robert Von Stieglitz. He had named it after an estate in Ireland. W. T. and Saxton
BALLARAT	1416	733	
BALLARAT NORTH	1444	741	part of Yuille's pastoral station now known as Lake Wendouree. T. O'C.
BALLARAT EAST BALMATTUM	1413 565	73 <u>1</u> 98 <u>1</u>	See Ballarat
			to signify "Man lying on his back." Mount Bal- mattum, from which the station takes its name, presents that appearance when viewed from the northward. J. McG. and G. T. W.
Balwyn	249	6 <u>3</u>	Outer Circle. The Balwyn district obtained its name from Mr. Andrew Murray's vineyard, which was
			situated on what was afterwards known as Balwynroad. The name, according to Mr. Murray, was Gaelic for "Wine-house." R. W. S.
Bamawm	351	1473	mawm." The latter is a corruption of "Pannoo- berniwar." as it appears in Barry, and of "Paunoo-
			barnawar," as given by Beveridge. In both cases the words mean "Creek." "Pannoo" and "Paunnoo" mean "Little." Barry, p. 3. Beveridge, p. 180
BANDIANA	566	1901	Wodonga to Shelley. After the Bandiana Range, which was so called after a bandy-legged native woman named "Anna." Saxton, p. 8
BANNOCKBURN	394	55 <u>₹</u>	Geelong to Ballarat. This township was named after the place in Stirlingshire, Scotland, where Robert Bruce defeated Edward II. T. O'C.
Banool	631	1164	Colac to Crowes. An abbreviation of Moorbancol. Bancol means "Hill." Smyth, vol. 2, p. 102

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	Feet.		
BANYENA	450	194 1	railway station took its name was called after
BARFOLD	1162	72	Banyena Plains and pastoral station. A. S. K. Kyneton to Redesdale. Took its name from the homestead and pastoral station of Sir W. H. F. Mitchell, near Kyneton. The estate was named by Mr. Yaldwin, a previous owner, after a place owned by him in Yorkshire, England. E. F. M.
BARKER	116	41/2	
Barnawartha	589	174	Melbourne to Albury. Native. "Barnawaitha," "Tall rushes." Said to have been "Barne-wathera" originally, meaning deaf and dumb. V. H. M., vol 5, p 26. "Barna-Woodther," without hearing, deaf and dumb. J. F. H. Mitchell, p. 10
Barongarook	739	1021	Colac to Crowes. Native name of creek in that locality. A. S. K. Means "Running water." W. D.
Barpinba	404	903	Irrewarra to Cressy. Formerly "Weering." When it became necessary to change the name of this station, three members of the Colac Shire Council for the Weering Riding were asked to suggest a name. Messrs. Barnard, Pink, and Bath were the members referred to, and they, taking the first three letters of the names of Barnard and Pink and the first two
BARRAKEE	438	1681	letters of Bath's name, produced "Barpinba." U. R. Bendigo to Nandaly. Native. Means "Place of stone." R. B.
Barraport	339	177	Bendigo to Manangatang. Formerly "Barrapoort." The name was constructed by Mr. J. T. Russell, then a resident of the locality. "Barrabit" was the native name of the place, and "Boort" held the nearest post-office. Taking "Barra" from the native name and "oort" from Boort, the letter "P" was added, and Barrapoort appeared. The Railways Commissioners deleted an "o," and thus we have "Barraport." J. A. R.
Barwo	334	1503	
Barwon	510		Birregurra to Forrest. Named from the Barwon River. "Barwon" is a native word meaning "Magpie." Whitworth, p. 40. The name applied to the river by J. H. Wedge, in 1835, was written "Barwourne." Bonwick, p. 254. Barwon, "Great wide." J. J. B.
Batman	219	7	Melbourne to Fawkner. Named in memory of John Batman, the founder of Port Phillip Settlement, who arrived in 1835. T. O'C.

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	Feet.		
Baxter	170	31 <u>1</u>	nington. Named after Baxter's Flat. The "Flat" took its name from Captain Baxter, who was
4			appointed Clerk to the Bench of Magistrates, at Melbourne, on 5th January, 1838, and Postmaster on the same date. He settled near to the Flat in the early "forties," and his pastoral "run" included
BAYSWATER	327	18 1	the site of the Baxter Railway Station Melbourne to Ferntree Gully. Named by Mr. J. J. Miller after his birthplace, in England. Massina, p. 83
Beaconsfield	164	281	
BEALIBA	688	1372	Maryborough to Mildura. Native. "Beal-ba." "Beal," the red or flooded gum tree. "Ba," a creek, i.e., the Redgum Tree Creek. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 195
Beaufort	1271	102½	
Beeac	391	96 <u>3</u>	
BEECH FOREST	1747	1243	
Веесниогти	1775	171}	Wangaratta to Beechworth. Formerly known as "May Day Hills." Named "Beechworth" by the Government surveyor who surveyed the town. He
	'		called it after his native place in Leicestershire, England. Ingram, p. 54
Beechworth Junction	503	149	See Beechworth
BELGRAVE	747	253	Ferntree Gully to Gembrook. Named after "the estate of the late Councillor E. W. Benson." The estate was named after "Belgrave," in Leicestershire, England. R. H. K.
Bell	195	$6\frac{1}{2}$	Melbourne to Whittlesea. Named after "Bell-street," Preston. V. R.
Bena	703	65	Melbourne to Port Albert. Name suggested by Mr. P. Whittet, J.P., and taken from Longfellow's poem, <i>Hiawatha</i> , canto 5, line 20. It was applied to the American pheasant. R. J. F. and H. T. L.
BENALLA	559	1211	Melbourne to Albury. Native. "Benalta," big water-holes. Benalla Standard, 1889. Musk duck, Watkin, p. 3

Name of Station.	,	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
Bendigo	• * •	Feet. 758	1003	Melbourne to Echuca. The late J. E. Foreman, J. P., of St. Kilda, informed the compiler that when a boy
٠,		,		he had been present when a fight occurred between two diggers to settle a question of alleged encroach- ment on a mining claim. The smaller of the com- batants won the fight, and was applauded by the
		•		"diggers," who cried out "Bravo Bendigo Bravo—We'll call this place Bendigo." "Bendigo" was then the sobriquet of an English prize fighter. This
			·	occurred on Fenton's Station, as it was then called. In December, 1852, the name was officially declared to be "Castleton"; but in January, 1853, it was renamed "Sandhurst." In 1891 the name "Bendigo" was reverted to. T. O'C.
BEN NEVIS	••	876	144	Maryborough to Ararat. This station took its name from Mount "Ben Nevis," near by, which was named after the Scotch mountain, from which stretches the Grampian Range. T. O'C.
Bennison	••	31	110 <u>1</u>	Melbourne to Port Albert. Called after Mr. Richard Bennison, formerly of Yanikie Station, later of Sale. He settled in Gippsland in the "forties." G. C.
Bentleigh		92	9 1	and C. D. Melbourne to Mornington. Named in honour of the late Sir Thomas Bent, Premier of Victoria. T. O'C.
BERRINGA	••	1009	99	Ballarat to Cressy. Native name for the Rainbow bird. Bee eater. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 204
BERRIWILLOCK	• •	236	225 3	Bendigo to Nandaly. Native. From a shrub which grew small fruit or berries, and was called "Berri." A bird called "Willok" came in large numbers to feed upon the fruit referred to. The bird was of the parrot species now known as "Cockatoo." A. W. B. and R. B. The cockatoo referred to is slate coloured, with crimson breast and crest
BERWICK	••	165	27	Melbourne to Orbost. Named after Berwick, on Tweed, Scotland. T. L. Old English—"Berewic," a demesne farm; from O.E., bere, wic—a dwelling, village. Maxwell
Berrybank	• •	540	94½	Geelong to Maroona. So named from Mack's "Berrybank Station," near Cressy. This property was taken up in the "forties" by Messrs. Tennant and Lyons. Acquired in the early "fifties" by the late J. G. Mack and named by him "Berrybank," after the home of his family in Berwickshire, Scotland. The railway station is in or about the centre of the original estate. J. L. C.
Вет Вет	••	580	121	Maryborough to Inglewood. From the native name of a large creek in the locality. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 180

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Beulah	Feet. 290	2383	Beulah. Isaiah, 62, 4. See also Bunyan's Pilgrims'
Beveridge	989	26	Progress. T. O'C. Melbourne to Albury. Named after Mr. Peter Beveridge, who formed a cattle station there in 1840. The place was first known as Mercer's Vale.
Вікснір	334	2143	birchip, a name given to a pastoral station or run- taken up by Mann and Falconer, 1847. The township
Birregurra	389	83 <u>1</u>	on Birregurra Creek, near Bleak House Station. U. R. Native—"Burrai Gurray," a kangaroo
BITTERN	80	42	camp. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 201 Frankston to Stony Point. So called from a bird of that name. Saxton, p. 10
BLACKBURN	302	10 <u>3</u>	Melbourne to Healesville. Named after Mr. G. Blackburn, a property owner in that locality. Herald, 8.9.13.
BLOWHARD	1393	85	Origin—O.E., blace, blace, black brook. Johnston Ballarat to Waubra. Mount Blowhard, from which this station takes its name, was so called by a shepherd
			boy in the employment of Mr. Pettitt. His experience of windy days there had been frequent. Withers,
BOCHARA	494	205	pp. 13, 14 Hamilton to Coleraine. Called after Bochara pastoral station or run. A. S. K. The name given to the
			pastoral station was probably derived from "Bokhara," a Khanate in Central Asia, referred to by Moore in the "Veiled Prophet of the Khorassan," Lalla Rookh. South Australian tribes of aborigines
			have Bookara—very hot; and Bokara—dry, in their dialects; but as Cashmere pastoral station is
			adjacent to Bochara Station, the eastern origin seems the more probable. The Vale of Cashmere (Vic.) was named by Dr. Corney. Bonwick, Western Victoria, p. 127
BOIGBEAT	202	2321	Bendigo to Nandaly. A native word, meaning "Broken tree." R. B.
Boinka	162	332	Ouyen to Pinnaroo. Native. Flat black beetle. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 55
Boisdale	113	138 <u>1</u>	Maffra to Briagolong. Called after Foster's Boisdale run, which was taken up by John Foster, the first of the Foster brothers to arrive from Tasmania. R. T. E. A loch and parish in the outer Hebrides
			are so named. Probably Old Norse or Danish. Means rocky basin at the foot of a waterfall. T. O'C.

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,	Feet.		
Bolga	700	2073	name "Bulga," a hill. A descriptive name. C. D.
BOLINDA	1269	35	Bolga or Bulga means "Mountain." P. T. M. Lancefield Junction to Lancefield. This station took its name from Clarke's Bolinda Vale Run. A. S. K.
Bonegilla	596	1933	Wodonga to Tallangatta. Native. "Bongella," small islands. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 175. Bonegilla, deep water, big cattle camp. J. J. B.
Bonnie Doon	925	118	Tallarook to Mansfield. Names by Thomas Nixon, after a stream near Ayr, Scotland. Alexandra Times, 27.10.68
BOOLARRA	290	101	Morwell to North Mirboo. Native. "Twenty." Smyth, vol. 2, p. 162
BOORGAN	479	131 <u>‡</u>	Melbourne to Port Fairy. Name given by the aborigines to the large water-hole on the Emu Creek between the Castle Carey bridge and the present railway
			bridge. It was a great camping, hunting, and fishing centre. Meaning not accurately known, but probably "Boorcan" signifies something like "Big water" or "Deep water." W. K. M. and D. M.
Boort	305	169	Boorcana, white. J. J. B. Bendigo to Manangatang. Native. "Smoke." Smyth, vol. 2, p. 212
Border Town	268	300 <u>‡</u>	South Australia. A Government township, laid out in 1852, about 10 miles from Victoria. So named because it was near the border line of the two Colonies. S.A. R., p. 5
Borung	3 93	156	Bendigo to Manangatang. Native. Mallee scrub, broad-leaf Mallee. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 195
BOWMAN	745	169	Everton to Bright. Named after Mr. William Bowman, who, in 1838, took up a station called Tarrawingee, which included the country afterwards known as Everton and Bowman's Forest. V. H. M., vol. 5, p. 29
Box Hill	317	91	Melbourne to Healesville. This name was selected at a meeting of early residents of the locality. Though
		-	being the name of a place in England, it was considered as peculiarly appropriate, because of the large proportion of yellow box trees growing amongst the
Boys	308	97 <u>3</u>	local native timber. J. R. K., and <i>Herald</i> , 8.9.13 Melbourne to Port Albert. Mrs. Catherine S. M. Boys,
	1		Mr. Frederick O. Boys, and Simon Harcourt Boys owned the land which included the site of the railway station. It was named in compliment to them. R. D. B. Mr. Callanan, ex-Surveyor-General, says that the station was named after Barry Boys, the
Bradford	819	95 <u>1</u>	Surveyor. W. T. Castlemaine to Shelbourne. Named after "Bradford," in Yorkshire, England. T. O'C.

Name of Station.	neight above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
	Feet.		
Bradshaw	1674	52	Melbourne to Serviceton. Named from Bradshaw's Creek, which runs near by. The creek was named
Branxholme	411	213]	after an early resident of the locality. V. R. Branxholme to Casterton. Named after a place in Scotland. "Branxholm" was a great feudal castle in Teviot Valley, Roxburghshire, owned by the Barons of Buccleugh. See Lay of Last Minstrel. T. O'C.
Bravington	374	681	Warragul to Neerim South. The railway line passed through the property of Mr. Robert Bravington, and the station was named after him. R. W. F.
Briagolong	196	143 1	
BRIDGEWATER	456	$126\frac{1}{2}$	Bendigo to Manangatang. Named after a place in England. Saxton, p. 12
Bright	1002	196	Everton to Bright. Named after John Bright, M.P., England. T. O'C.
BRIGHTON	49	7 1 2	Melbourne to Sandringham. This name was applied to the special survey of H. Dendy, when about to be subdivided and sold in 1841. Dendy, no doubt, took the name from the English seaside town. See advertisement, Port Phillip Patriot, 31.5.1841
BRIGHTON BEACH	26	91	See Brighton
MIDDLE BRIGHTON	41	81	See Brighton
Brim	316	$\begin{vmatrix} 229 \end{vmatrix}$	Murtoa to Hopetoun. Native. Spring, or well with water. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 205
Brisbane	39	1298	Queensland capital. Took its name from the River Brisbane, which was discovered by Thomas Pam- phlett and John Finnegan, shipwrecked timber- cutters. The discovery was reported by them to John Oxley, Surveyor-General of New South Wales,
		•	who surveyed and named it in honour of Sir Thomas Brisbane, Governor. The site of the city was first called "Edinglassie." Knight, p. 355. Field, pp.
			18, 56. Edinglassic was a name made up from Edinburgh and Glasgow, and was given by the first Chief Justice of New South Wales, Sir Francis Forbes, to his estate. Lone Hand, 1.4.14
Broadford	725	463	Melbourne to Albury. Ray Clark, one of the carly pioneers of the district, married a woman from Broadford, Scotland. He called the settlement after his wife's birthplace. The name was considered suitable because of the use made of the "ford," at Sunday Creek, in the old coaching days. T. J. B. Broadford is derived from Old Norse or Danish, and
Broadmeadows	408	101	meant "Broad Firth." Johnston Melbourne to Albury. This name was given as descriptive of the locality. T. O'C.

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Brookfield	Feet. 596	164 <u>‡</u>	Everton to Bright. This station took its name from the adjacent estate of the late H. A. Crawford. The estate was named by Mr. Crawford, after his birthplace in America. T. J. S. and G. T. W.
Broomfield	1467	89	Ballarat to Daylesford. Derives its name from Mr. Broomfield, an early resident. A. J. P.
Brunswick	150	41/2	Melbourne to Fawkner. Named after Captain George Brunswick Smyth, 50th Regiment. He was in charge of mounted (military) police in Port Phillip, 1839. Herald, 8.9.13
Brunswick South Bruthen	151 50	4 189 3	See Brunswick Melbourne to Orbost. Native. "Brewdthan," an evil spirit. Bruden Johnny, Omeo native, Tanjil, p. 6. Argus, 17.6.05
BUANGOR	1108	1161	Melbourne to Serviceton. Derived its name from a pastoral station owned by the late Mr. Colin Campbell, on Fiery Creek, in 1849. The blacks called the place "Bwanger," that being the name given by them to a hill near the station homestead. G. M. C. and
Buchanan	1822	126	C. H. C. Colac to Crowes. Named after Charles Buchanan, an old resident at Colac, and selector at Beech Forest. M. T.
Buckley	394 519	64½ 165	Melbourne to Port Fairy. From "Buckley's Falls," named by J. H. Wedge after William Buckley, the wild white man. (Bonwick, p. 254.) T. O'C.
Buckrabanyule	·		Bendigo to Nandaly. Native. "Buckrabanyul." "Bukra," the middle, "banyul" or "panial," a hill, i.e., the middle of three, as viewed from Swanwater. Smyth, vol. 2, pp. 195, 204
Buffalo	148	943	Melbourne to Port Albert. Took its name from Buffalo Creek, which is near the station. The creek was so named because of the large number of cattle running wild on the plains when the place was first
Bullabul	462	1341	visited by the surveyors. Reynolds and H. T. L. Maryborough to Inglewood. Named from Bullabul Creek and "diggings." Bullabul is the native name of a bird. Nightingale. A. S. K.
Bullarto	2452	693	Woodend to Daylesford. Native. Abundance, big, broad, large. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 135
BULLION BULN BULN	719 475	217 663	Wodonga to Shelley. Native. A mountain. P. T. M. Warragul to Neerim South. Native. Lyre bird. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 205
Bumberrah	184	182½	Melbourne to Orbost. Native name, given to the parish by the late W. T. Dawson, District Surveyor. It was probably his rendering of the name of an aboriginal well known in the early days, and recorded by the late Λ . W. Howitt, P.M., in "Kamilaroi and Kurnai" as "Bumbra." T. A.

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	Feet.		
Bungaree	1845	64	Melbourne to Serviceton. Native. "Bungarie," hut or tent. Also native chief. The last of the chiefs of the Sydney tribe. Saxton, p. 13
Bung Bong	767	1192	
Buninyong	1471	803	Ballarat to Buninyong. Native. "Bunnin-youang,"
Bunyip	143	481	big hill, like a knee. "Bunnin" means knee, "youang" means hill. Withers, p. 13. A corruption of "Bunning-youang." Smyth, vol. 2, p. 217 Melbourne to Orbest. Native. "Buneep," an hypothetical monster that dwells in the swamps and rivers. Smyth, vol. 1, p. 435. Amphibious animal (mythical). Cole, p. 145. Mythical. An amphibi-
	40	0.1	ous animal. J. F. H. Mitchell, pp. 6, 19
Burnley	42	$2\frac{1}{2}$	Melbourne to Healesville. The suburb from which this station takes its name was called after William Bust Burnley, an early settler, who purchased the land from the Crown. <i>Herald</i> , 8.9.13
Burrum	467	190 <u>‡</u>	
BURRUMBEET	1315	863	
Burwood	139	8	Outer Circle. Called after Burwood-road, which took its name from a building erected by Doctor James Palmer, in 1852, and called "Burwood House," after a place in the Old Country. Saxton, p. 14
Bushy Park	130	140	a place in the Old Country. Saxton, p. 14 Maffra to Briagolong. So called after the estate in that locality owned by Angus McMillan, the Gippsland explorer. R. T. E.
BYLANDS	1411	38,	
Byrne	248	160	Wangaratta to Whitfield. Named after Mr. Andrew Byrne, owner and occupier of a farm near to the station. J. D. C.
BYRNESIDE	368	113	Toolamba to Echuca. Named after a prominent land holder. Premier in irrigation. A. S. K.
CALDERMEADE	24	451	Melbourne to Port Albert. The property from which this station took the name was bought by Archibald
			McMillan, in 1856. He named it after "Calder" in Scotland. E. T. C. Calder is Gaelic, and means wood by the water or stream. T. O'C.
CAMBERWELL	205	$5\frac{1}{2}$	
CAMBERWELL EAST 11185.—8	224	6	See Camberwell

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CAMPBELL	Feet. 886	80≩	name from "Campbell's Creek," a gold-field named
Camperdown	541	123]	after William Campbell, who held that locality, and part of Forest Creek, as a pastoral station. T. O'C. Melbourne to Port Fairy. When surveying the town the surveyor asked Dr. Curdie, "Who is the oldest settler in this district?" "Duncan McNicol," was the reply. "Duncan!" said the surveyor; "Ad-
Canadian	1463	75 3	miral Duncan won the battle of Camperdown. We'll call it Camperdown." V. H. M., vol. 1, p. 58
Cannie	363	1983	Bendigo to Manangatang. Native. Snake. Smyth,
CANTERBURY	200	6 <u>3</u>	vol. 2, pp. 9, 73. Melbourne to Healesville. Named in honour of Viscount Canterbury, Governor of Victoria, 1866–1873. Herald, 8.9.13
CARAPOOEE	625 1469	152 <u>1</u> 79 <u>1</u>	Maryborough to St. Arnaud. Native. A hill. Watkin, p. 7
Carina	293	3613	Ouyen to Pinnaroo. From "Careena." Native name in south-west of New South Wales for water. Poole. Carena, gums (of the mouth). Curr, vol. 3, p. 650.
Carisbrook	634	1071	Smyth, vol. 2, p. 421 Castlemaine to Maryborough. After Caroline Bucknell, now Mrs. Joyce. Named by Mr. Bucknell. Saxton, p. 16
CARLSRUHE	1800	-53	Melbourne to Bendigo. Named by Charles Hotson Ebden, after the German city in which he finished his education. He gave the name to a pastoral station which he formed there. The pastoral station was afterwards sold to the Government, and used as a
• ,	1		depôt for mounted police in 1852 and later. West-
CARLTON NORTH	131	41	p. 55, the name was derived from that of the residence of the Prince of Wales in the early part of last century. The <i>Herald</i> , 8.9.13, says that it was named after the "Carlton Club," a hotel which stood in
CARNEGIE	149	73	American Scottish millionaire, who has displayed great liberality in his gifts of libraries to various
Carrum	23	213	places. T. O.C. Melbourne to Mornington. Native. Karum Karum, boomerang. For some time the name was spelt "Carrum Carrum." The Railway authorities abbreviated this to "Carrum." For native name, see Curr, vol. 3, p. 457

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`	Feet.		
CARWARP	189	332	Maryborough to Mildura. From native name for bend of Murray River, where McGrath brothers, of Kidd's station, had a hut. A. S. K.
Casterton	158	2451	Branxholme to Casterton. Named after the parish and village of Casterton, Westmoreland, England. T. O'C.
Castlemaine	919	78	Melbourne to Bendigo. Named by Mr. W. H. Wright, Chief Gold-fields' Commissioner, in honour of his uncle, Viscount Castlemaine, at whose estate, on the banks of the Shannon, a few miles from Athlone, he had spent much of his early life. Mount Alexander
CATHKIN	581	931	Mail, 26.10.1908 Tallarook to Mansfield. The site of this railway station was included in a pastoral station taken up in the early days by Dr. Patrick, and afterwards occupied by Mr. Maxwell. The pastoral station was named after "Cathkin Braes," near Carmunnuck, Lanarkshire, Scotland. The railway station took the name
Caulfield	169	6 1	from the pastoral station. Pioneers, p. 208. G. J. T. Melbourne to Mornington. Named after Mr. John Caulfield, an early settler in that locality, and one of the first members of Committee of the Mechanics' Institute, Melbourne, 1839. Herald, 8.9.13
CAVENDISH	672	2131	
CHARLTON	432	1733	Bendigo to Nandaly. This township took its name from that of the pastoral station of which it formed part, viz., "Charlton West." The pastoral station was taken up by W. M. Bell, about 1848, on behalf of Caye and Kaye, and the name "Charlton" appears
			upon the plan made then by W. S. Urquhart, Surveyor. The name was probably taken from Charlton, near Woolwich, England. T. O'C. Charlton, O.E., village of the Churls or Carls. Johnston
CHELSEA	24	20	Melbourne to Mornington. Named after "Chelsea," Metropolitan District, London, England. Famous for its hospital for invalid soldiers. Thomas Carlyle, called the Sage of Chelsea, lived there. T. O'C.
CHELTENHAM	122	131	Melbourne to Mornington. The place from which this station took its name was at one time known as "Two Acre Village." In 1853, Charles Whorral built an inn there, and called it "Cheltenham," after his native town in Gloucestershire, England.
			As the settlement of "Two Acre Village" (which was so named by Josiah Morris Holloway in 1850, or thereabouts) grew, the name of the inn was adopted by the township. T. L. Cheltenham, O.E., enclosure on River Chelt. Johnston

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	Feet.	1071	Paralla to Various Named often "Charges Vale"
CHESNEY	533	$127\frac{1}{2}$	Pastoral Station, which took its name from the
CHEVIOT	665	831	owner—Colonel Chesney, R.E. G. D. S. and G. T. W. Tallarook to Mansfield. Named after "Cheviot Hills," the original name of the "Killingworth" Sheep Station, which embraced the site of the railway
			station. The name, as applied to the Victorian hills, came from Scotland. C. de B. K.
CHEWTON	1093	743	
CHILLINGOLLAH	182	$241\frac{1}{4}$	
		,	India, in the Punjaub. Memorable as the scene of a sanguinary battle, fought in January, 1849, between a British force under Lord Gough and the Sikh army
CHILTERN	691	168 <u>‡</u>	under Shere Singh. A. W. G. and M. M. W. C. Melbourne to Albury. Named after "Chiltern," in Wiltshire, England. Saxton, p. 17
CHINKAPOOK	188	249 1	
CLAREMONT	596	164½	
CLAYTON	197	12	Melbourne to Orbost. An abbreviation of "Clayton's-road." Named after John Hughes Clayton, a solicitor and sporting resident of the locality. T. L.
CLIFTON HILL	113	31	suburb of Bristol, England, by J. H. Knipe.
Clunes	1081	963	McCarron, p. 59. Herald, 8.9.13, and T. L. Ballarat to Maryborough. Named by Donald Cameron, after a farm at Inverness, Scotland. Withers, p. 24
CLYDE	110	30≩	Melbourne to Port Albert. The station took its name
•			from the village which was called after "Clyde Creek," near to which it was built. The creek was
COALVILLE	385	851	
COBDEN	458	1353	
COBRAM	376	1551	
			name from the township which was called after "Cobram," a pastoral station, taken up by "Hume," the explorer, and Philpotts, about the year 1845. The name is a native one, and means "Head," as "Head station." C. T. and G. T. W. Cobbera or cobrahead. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 5. Caubra—head. Ib.,
	1		p. 87. Kobram—Stawell town site. Ib., p. 206

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Coburg	Feet. 200	61	Melbourne to Fawkner. This place was first called "Pentridge." Desiring to remove the odium attaching to the name of the penal establishment in that locality, it was decided to rename the town. It was then called "Coburg," in honour of the Duke of Edinburgh, who was also Duke of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha. McCarron, p. 67. Herald, 8.9.13.
COBURG NORTH COCAMBA	237 170	7 <u>₹</u> 255 <u>‡</u>	See Coburg Eendigo to Manangatang. A corruption or variation of the native name "Kookimboo," given to a tank in the Mallee, and adopted for the railway station.
COCKATOO	619	36 3	It means "Laughing Jackass." A. S. K. Ferntree Gully to Gembrook. Formerly "Cockatoo Creek," near which the station stands. The name was applied when gold was discovered there, and was suggested by the presence of large numbers of the sulphur-crested white birds known by that name. A. S. K. and V.R.
COHUNA	264	185 1	
COLAC	437	951	Melbourne to Port Fairy. Native. "Kolak," sand. Dawson, p. lxxx. There is a high bank of sand along
Colbinabbin	381	$117\frac{1}{2}$	the Colac Lake, where the Botanic Gardens are Murchison East to Colbinabbin. Named after a
COLDSTREAM	273	26	pastoral station or run in that locality. A. S. K. Melbourne to Healesville. This station took its name from that of an estate owned by Messrs. Kerr and Robert Black, through which the line passes. The estate was named by the owners in 1859. They called it "Coldstream," because a nice cold stream of water ran through the property. Robinson
COLERAINE	308	2211	Hamilton to Coleraine. Named by Mr. Bryant, Surveyor, after a place in Ireland. Saxton, p. 18. The Irish Coleraine is in the County Londonderry, on the River Bann. Celtic—"Cuil-rathain," a ferny corner. T. L. and T. O'C. Mrs. Gage, a very early resident of the locality, who came from Coleraine,
COLLINGWOOD	74	21	Ireland, is said to have suggested the name Melbourne to Hurstbridge. Collingwood was so named by Robert Hoddle, Surveyor, at the request of Superintendent Latrobe. So stated, by Hoddle, in a letter dated 2nd March, 1842, covering plans of survey. W. T. Named after Admiral Collingwood, who took
			charge of the fleet at the battle of Trafalgar, when Nelson was killed. McCarron, p. 59. The place took its name from an old hotel which was called after Nelson's Admiral, Cuthbert Collingwood. Herald, 8.9.13

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	Feet.		
Colquioun	422	1984	parish in which Cunninghame is situate. It was surveyed by the late Henry Davidson, and named by the District Surveyor, W. T. Dawson. Colquhoun was named after Miss Colquhoun Cunninghame, sister of Mr. William Cunninghame, then resident at Marangbaur Hill. C. H. S. C. and T. A.
CONDAH	401	2211	Ararat to Portland. The lake, after which this station is called, was so named by the late Cocil Pybus Cooke. In 1849 it bore the name "Lake Condon," and was included in a cattle station known by the same name. The station was purchased by Mr. C. P. Cooke in 1849 from Mr. Smyth. In 1855 Mr. Cooke was told that "Condah" was the native name for black swan, which birds were then plentiful on the lake. Believing the statement, he changed
:	*.	,	the name to "Condah," and when he found that he had been misinformed he thought it unnecessary to revert to the old name or to provide a new one. S. W. C.
CONGUPNA ROAD	361	119 1	
COPE COPE	397	175 •	Maryborough to Mildura. Native. "Gope Gope." A large lake fed by smaller lakes. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 195. Drainage. Whitworth, p. 133
CORAM	.888	1001	
Corio	43	393	
COROMBY	445	1903	
Corowa	503	176	N.S.W. Native. Rocky river. Korowa, emu feathers. Curr, vol. 3, p. 570. "Currowa," spelt "Corowa," the Curro pine, from which the native blacks procured resin for fastening the thollong into the reed spears. J. F. H. Mitchell, p. 20. Rocks in the river. J. J. B.
Cosgrove	417	1263	
Cowangie	140	345 <u>1</u>	
Cowwarr	184	113 3	Traralgon to Stratford. Native. Mountain. Saxton, p. 19

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	Feet.		
CRAIGIEBURN	617	161	name in Dumfrieshire, Scotland. T. O'C. "Craigie"
CRANBOURNE	160	27 1	is Gaelic for craggy or rocky. Johnston Melbourne to Port Albert. Named after Cranbourne, Berkshire, England. T. O'C.
CREIGHTON	613	89	Melbourne to Albury. From Creighton's Creek, which was named after A. W. Creighton, a pioneer. Saxton, p. 19
Cressy	414	85 <u>1</u>	Geelong to Maroona. Named in compliment to Jean Duverney and his wife, "Rosine," after Cressy in France. The place was once known as the "Frenchman's," and the inn opened by the Duverneys is still
Creswick	1438	85 <u>1</u>	so called. See "Duverney." J. L. C. Ballarat to Daylesford. Named after Mr., Henry Creswick. The place was known for many years as Creswick's Creek. Withers, p. 4
CRESWICK NORTH	1421	861	See Creswick
CRIB POINT	! 31	441/2	Frankston to Stony Point. This station takes its name
			from a point of land running out into Westernport, and forming part of the Commonwealth Naval Base. T. O'C. The point obtained its name from the fact that two men built a "crib" or "hut" thereon in the early days, and spoke of it as their "crib." M. Clinton
Crossley	123	1773	
Crossover	622	72 <u>1</u>	Warragul to Neerim South. This name was applied to the stream which had to be crossed by the "diggers" en route to the Tanjil Rush in "sixties." The name had special reference to the ford at which the crossing was effected. R. T. E.
Crowes .	1359	139	Colac to Crowes. Named after Mr. Con. Crowe, a local land-owner. Cornthwaite and W. T.
Crowlands	822	148	Ben Nevis to Navarre. Called after a place of that name in England. Saxton, p. 19
Croxton	158	51	Melbourne to Whittlesea. Takes its name from the Croxton Park Race-course in that locality. The local race-course took its name from the English Croxton. T. O'C.
Croydon	336	18 1	
CUDGEE	96	. 155	Melbourne to Port Fairy. Native. From "Cud-yawa-da, skin of a kangaroo. Smyth, vol. 2, pp. 5, 174
CURDIE'S SIDING	52	1463	Camperdown to Timboon. Named after Dr. Curdie, an early squatter in that district. Curdie's Inlet was
Curlewis	154	55	also named after him. T. O'C. Geelong to Queenscliff. Named after an early squatter who settled in that locality in 1838. He was the
			father of A. C. Curlewis, School Inspector, and of G. Curlewis, Stock Inspector. J. McC.

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	Feet.		•
Curyo	308	$227\frac{1}{2}$	Maryborough to Mildura. Called after a pastoral station or run in that locality. A. S. K.
Daisy Hill	737	1113	
Dalmore	16	374	Melbourne to Port Albert. Named after McGregor's Dalmore Estate, near by. A. S. K.
Dalyston	19	821	Nyora to Wonthaggi. Named by Mr. Daly, who owned the land upon which the township was built, 1909. It was first called Daly's Town. T. O'C.
DANDENONG	60	18½	Melbourne to Orbost. The station took its name from the town. The town was called after the creek. Writing of the creek, in 1837, Captain Lonsdale spelt the name "Dan-y-nong." The first surveyor, in the "forties," wrote it as "Tangenong." It was always difficult to distinguish between "d" and "t" sounds when spoken by natives. T.O'C. Dandenong—high or lofty. J. J. B.
Danyo	168	3503	Ouyen to Pinnaroo. Native. Mallee Eucalyptus, no developed flowers or fruit. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 173
DARBYSHIRE	1642	2243	Wodonga to Shelley. Took its name from a creek close by which had been called after Mr. J. Darbyshire, a surveyor, who had his camp near the site of the present station. M. Q. and G. T. W.
DARLIMURLA	543	105½	Morwell to North Mirboo. The native name for Stony Creek, and preferable as euphonious. C. D. and Smyth, vol. 2, p. 191
DARLING	85	7	Burnley to Darling. Named in honour of Sir Charles Henry Darling, Governor of Victoria, 1863-1866. R. W. S. and T. O'C.
DARNUM	375	65½	
Dartmoor	113	2611	Heywood to Mount Gambier. Named after "Dartmoor" or "Dartmoor Forest," an extensive upland tract in Devonshire, England. A. E. McL. Native name—"Pokar," big place. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 197
DAVID	299	84	Moe to Thorpdale. Named after the land-owner upon whose block the railway station was erected. W. T.
Dawson	181	117	Translgon to Stratford. Named after Mr. W. T. Dawson, District Surveyor. R. T. E.
DAYLESFORD	2039	751	Woodend to Daylesford. Named after the English home of Warren Hastings, Worcestershire. Was previously known as "Jim Crow Diggings," and as "Wombat Hill." D. MeL.
DEAN MARSH	514	903	Birregurra to Forrest. The place was named Dean's Marsh" after the owner of the pastoral station or run on which it was situate. The Railway authorities altered the name to its present form. A. S. K.

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	Feet.		
DEEPDENE	203	71	Mr. D. C. Askew, corner of Burke and Whitehorse
DEEP LEAD	748	1543	roads. R. W. S. Melbourne to Serviceton. So named when gold was discovered there, as the sinking was unusually deep for that district. A. W. McC.
DEER PARK	184	11	Melbourne to Serviceton. So named from former depôt for Melbourne Hunt Club's deer. Crisp, p. 32
Deniliquin	310	190	N.S.W. First known as "The Sandhills." The present name is a corruption of "Denilakoon," the name of the king of the aboriginal tribe inhabiting the locality at the time of its occupation by the whites. Lone Hand, 1.7.14, p. 149
DENNINGTON	38	169	Melbourne to Port Fairy. Named after a place in Suffolk, England. T. O'C.
Derby	478	1211	Bendigo to Manangatang. Named after "Derby," the principal town in the county of that name in England. F. S.
DERRINAL	664	78 <u>1</u>	
DERRINALLUM	562	1091	Geelong to Maroona. Native. "Dherinallum," white
•			sea bird, tern, or sea swallow. Flocks of these birds frequent the salt marshes in the neighbourhood. Dawson, p. lxxxi. "Tirrinchillum" or "Tarrinallum, a hill of fire. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 214
DETPA	.318	255½	
DEVENISH	472	1373	
DIAMOND CREEK	177	19 1	
DIAPUR	493	259 <u>1</u>	Melbourne to Serviceton. From the old pastoral station name—"Diapur Dam," a small reservoir near to the site of the railway station. V. R.
DIGGERS REST	753	20 1	Melbourne to Bendigo. A favourite resting or camping place for "diggers" going to or coming from the "diggings" in the "fifties." Shelter sheds were crected there by the charitable Mrs. Chisholm. Hence the name. T. O'C.
DIMBOOLA	364	2243	Surveyor, who laid out the town. He called it after
			"Dimbula," in Ceylon. The name signified—"A land of figs." D'Alton, p. 1 and letter

Name of Statio	a.	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
		Feet.		
DINGEE	• •	346	1314	Bendigo to Piangil. Native. A star. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 72
DINMONT	••	1273	1213	
DITCHLEY	••	1656	1241	
Dobie	••	1026	125 1	Melbourne to Serviceton. Named after William Dobie, who settled in that locality in 1848, took up land, and became a wealthy grazier. He died in the early "fifties," and was buried on his estate. H. E. J. and P. McG.
DOCKER	• •	537	157≩	Wangaratta to Whitfield. Named after John Bristow Docker, who is the present owner of the adjoining estate. J. D. C. and T. O'C.
DONALD	, ••	374	182 1	
DONNYBROOK	••	731	203	
Dooen	••	435	1981	
Dookie	••	488	130	Shepparton to Katamatite. When Mr. Wilmott was surveying the district, Mrs. Turnbull, who then owned Major Station, was continually lamenting to him the loss of that portion of her station property which is now the site of Dookie. Mrs. Turnbull had lived on the Malay Peninsula, and Wilmott, knowing the Malay language, called the place "Dookie," which signifies "lament." J. N. S. and G. T. W.
Doroo	••	325	663	Geelong to Maroona. Native. This name was written "Duroq" by Mr. H. W. H. Smyth, Surveyor, in 1842, and much later by Brough Smyth, as "Durok." It means a swamp. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 196
Dowling	••	1408	803	Melbourne to Serviceton. From Dowling Forest, which was called after Mrs. W. H. T. Clarke, whose maiden
Drouin	••	444	56 <u>1</u>	name was Elizabeth Dowling. Withers, p. 4 Melbourne to Orbost. The town, from which this station takes its name, was called after a Frenchman, who invented a process for the extraction of metals from
			-	ores—chlorination (wet) process. T. O'C.

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Drysdale	Feet.	57½	who, with her partner, Miss Newconfie, settled in that
Dumosa	323	2001	locality in 1840. Lang, p. 114. Argus, 17.6.05 Bendigo to Nandaly. Named after the eucalyptus dumosa. Mallee. T. O'C.
DUNKELD	833	178½	
DUNNEWORTHY	934	1411	
Dunnstown	1738	67½	
Dunolly	631	1253	Maryborough to Mildura. After Dunollie House, at Dunollie Castle, the home of McDougall. Saxton, p. 22
DUVERNEY	452	893	Geelong to Maroona. Named after an early French settler named "Jean Duverney," who came to
Dwyer	594	1653	Australia with Messrs. Peter McArthur and Nicolas Cole, about 1837. He was employed by them on their property near Camperdown, where a shallow lake is still known as the "Frenchman's Marsh." Scared by the aboriginals in the thickly-timbered country, he left, and, accompanied by his wife, "Rosine," went to the open plains. He settled on the Woady Yallock River, where "Cressy" now stands, and there established a rest house, which afterwards became an hotel (see Cressy). Madam's name is perpetuated in Lake Rosine. J. L. C. Wangaratta to Whitfield. Takes its name from Mr.
7 "77") 			John Dwyer, the owner and occupier of a farm near by. J. D. C.
Eaglehawk	737	,105 <u>₹</u>	Bendigo to Piangil. So called because a shepherd killed an eaglehawk there which was attacking his sheep. Bendigo Independent, 8.10.1890
EBDEN	638	1953	Wodonga to Shelley. Named after Mr. Charles Hotson Ebden, a prominent public man in the early days of Port Phillip. He took up stations in the North-east and at Carlsruhe, and was a member of the First and Second Parliaments of Victoria, and Treasurer in the Haines Ministry, 1857-8. T. O'C.
Есниса	315	145	Bendigo to Echuca. Native. The meeting of the waters. The junction of rivers. Smyth, vol. 2, pp. 197-202. Echuca was formerly known as Hopwood's Ferry. Maiden's Punt was a little higher up the river, and was worked from the north side. T. O'C.
Edgecombe	1594	62 3	Kyneton to Redesdale. Named in honour of Lord Mount Edgecombe. Saxton, p. 24

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Еш	• •	Feet. 620	1671	Wangaratta to Whitfield. Takes its name from a pastoral station or run belonging to Messrs. Faithfull, and called "Hedi." An aboriginal word meaning
ELAINE	••	1270	76 <u>1</u>	cold winds. M. J. K. and G. T. W.
ELINGAMITE		434	1401	Camperdown to Timboon. Takes its name from a
ELLAM	••	385	255	lake and pastoral run in that locality. A. S. K. Dimboola to Yaapeet. Reputed to be derived from the word "Mallee" spelt backwards. M. E. K.
ELMHURST	••	962	144	Maryborough to Ararat. Called after "Elmhurst," a hamlet in South Staffordshire, England, near Lichfield. T. O'C.
ELMORE		42 8	1281	
Elphinstone		1365	70 <u>1</u>	Melbourne to Bendigo. Named after Lord Elphin-
		k.		stone, who was Governor of Bombay and Madras during the mutiny in India. 13th Baron. The locality was formerly known as "Sawpit Gully." T. O'C.
ELSTERNWICK	••	51	6	Melbourne to Sandringham. From the German "Elster," magpie, and "wick," harbor or estuary—village. Herald, 8.9.13
ЕІТНАМ	••	114	16 <u>1</u>	
EMBERTON	••	1288	69 <u>1</u>	Kyneton to Redesdale. From the Emberton Falls on the Campaspe River. A. S. K.
EMERALD	••	1045	32	Ferntree Gully to Gembrook. So named by the Reverend Doctor Bleasdale, who found precious stones in the
Еми	••	628	1451	creek. T. O'C. Maryborough to Mildura. The first settlement in this locality was on Emu Creek, about 1 mile from the
				site of the station. The settlement took its name from the creek, and that name was retained when the
EPPING	••	415	13	population moved to the present site. T. O'C. Melbourne to Whittlesea. Named after Epping, England (Essex). T. L.
Егзом	•••	615	1051	
ERICA	, • •	1320	98 <u>1</u>	Moe to Walhalla. Named after Mount Erica, of the Baw Baw group near by. J. R.
Erwen	••	398	109	Murchison East to Colbinabbin. Named after Mr Erwen, a local settler. M. E. K.

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		Feet.		
Essendon		146	5	Melbourne to Albury. This station took the name from
		1		the place, which was surveyed in 1852 by Mr. E. Bellairs,
		1		Government Surveyor. It was named on the plan
•	1	i		as Essendon and Hawstead, on the Five Mile Creek.
				Essendon was called after a place of that name in Hertfordshire, 3 miles from Hatfield. Hawstead
	/		,	was called after Hawstead in Suffolk, 3 miles from
	_			Bury St. Edmonds
Essendon N		118	6	See Essendon
EUREKA	• •	1457	$74\frac{1}{2}$	Ballarat to Buninyong. Named after the Eureka Stockade, the site of which is near to the railway
•				station. T. O'C.
EUROA		574	93,	Melbourne to Albury. Native. "Eurawa," push, shake, thrust. Beveridge, p. 186. Push, shove,
			•	shake, thrust. Beveridge, p. 186. Push, shove,
		,	-	thrust. Barry, p. 5. When the station was owned
1.				by Mr. Kirkland, in 1848, the name was spelt "Urowa." In the early "fifties," when held by
			1	Mr. Forlonge, the name appeared as "Eurowa."
				T. O'C. Baylis gives it as follows:—Wahroa, Uroa,
Ti		827	107:	Euroa—the face. J. J. B. Everton to Bright. Called after local creek and
Eurobin	• •	041	1874	waterfall. Eurobin is a native name meaning "Big
			.	lagoon at foot of a mountain." Watkin, p. 9.
				Lagoon at foot of mountain. J. J. B.
Evelyn	•••	738	$27\frac{1}{2}$	Lilydale to Warburton. After William J. Evelyn,
•				M.P., 1849 to 1857, for Surrey West, England. Saxton, p. 25
Eversley		892	1471	Maryborough to Ararat. Named after Eversley
				Creek near by. A. S. K.
Everton	• •	780	161	Wangaratta to Beechworth. The name "Everton"
1		,		vas given by Dr. G. E. Mackay to a pastoral station at Tarrawingee, and was so recorded by
◆ *•		,		Mr. J. B. Henderson, Surveyor. The diggings and
	•			township took the name from Mackay's station.
			ا ا	J. S.
FAIRFIELD I	ARK	115	5	Melbourne to Hurstbridge. So named by the late C. H. James, who bought and subdivided the land.
•				He called it after a town in Derbyshire, England.
				T. L. From Old Norse or Danish. Means sheep
77		051	1041	fell Bendigo to Piangil. Formerly Reedy Lake. Named
FAIRLEY	• •	251	1841	Bendigo to Piangil. Formerly Reedy Lake. Named after Mr. Lionel Fairley, who was manager and
		,		part owner of Reedy Lake Station, R. B. and
				Ĵ. F. C.
FAIRVIEW	• •	36 8	$186\frac{1}{2}$	Bendigo to Nandaly. Formerly Bungeluke. The
		,		present name was given because the settlement is upon a small hill, from which a fair view of surround-
				ing country is obtainable. R. B.

Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
FAWKNER	Feet. 243	81	Fawkner, one of the early settlers in Port Phillip (1835), and one of the members of the first Legislative
Ferguson	1722	127 <u>1</u>	Council in Victoria. T. O'C. Beech Forest to Crowes. Named after a local settler, formerly gardener to Lord Hopetoun, in Scotland. M. E. K.
Fernbank	272	$152\frac{1}{2}$	Melbourne to Orbost. Purely descriptive, the bracken being very luxurious there. C. D.
FERN HILL	2136	593	
Fish Creek	165	99 1	Melbourne to Port Albert. The settlement took its name from a creek near by in which blackfish were very plentiful. The station was called after the
FITZROY NORTH	121	41/2	station takes its name, was, in the "forties," part of an area known as "Newtown." When the place obtained representation on the Council of the City of
	<u>.</u>		Melbourne it was named "Fitzroy" Ward in compliment to Sir Charles A. Fitzroy, Governor of New South Wales (1846-1855). When it became a separate municipality the name was retained. McCarron, p. 58. Herald, 8.9.13. Garryowen, vol. 1,
Flemington Bridge	50	21/2	Melbourne to Whittlesea. There is much difference of opinion as to the derivation of the name "Flemington." Garryowen, vol. 2, p. 721, says that it was named in compliment to Bob Fleming, a retail butcher who settled in that locality at an early date. McCarron, p. 57, says the place was named after John Wood Fleming, native of Melbourne, born 1837. Herald, 8.9.13, agrees with McCarron. The Argus, 5.6.96, on the authority of Thomas Kissock, says that the place was named by Mr. Watson (of Watson and Hunter, early pastoralists), in honour of his wife, whose father was manager of a Flemington estate in Scotland. The compiler accepts Mr. Kissock's statement in preference to the others. T. O'C.
Flinders Street Flynn	173	106	See Melbourne Melbourne to Orbost. Formerly "Flynn's Creek." Named after James Manton Flynn. He was the first police constable stationed in that locality, and first Chief Constable at Alberton, January, 1848. The name was, then, improperly spelt "Flinn." W. W.

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x	Feet.		
FOOTSCRAY	53	31/2	Melbourne to Williamstown. Named after "Foots Cray,"
•			Kent, England. Herald, 8.9.13. V. H. M., vol. 1, p. 94. "Foot's," the foot of England; "Cray," a small stream. Lone Hand, 1.7.14
FOOTSCRAY WEST	80	43	
FORREST	576	1031	Birregurra to Forrest. Named after Charles Lamond Forrest, M.L.A., Victoria. T. O'C.
FOSTER	76	1071	Melbourne to Port Albert. Named after W. H. Foster, Police Magistrate and Warden. This place was
			formerly known as Stockyard Creek. V. H. M., vol. 1, p. 155
Frankston	2 8	26½	Melbourne to Mornington. Named in 1854 after Charles Franks, killed by aborigines at the Werribee
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			in 1836. His remains were buried on Flagstaff Hill, the first of Port Phillip burial-places after 1835. Frankston once formed part of Mr. Charles Wedge's
			pastoral station, and it is not improbable that he suggested the name, as the station of the
•	,		Messrs. Wedge, at the Werribee, was near to that of Franks and Armytage, where Franks was killed.
FULHAM	76	1231	T. O'C. Melbourne to Orbost. Named after a pastoral station in
PULHAM	10	1202	that locality, taken up by Mr. King, grandson of Governor King. In 1853 the station was held by F. Desailly and later by the "Jones" family. The station was named after "Fulham," near London. A. S. K. and J. S.
GALAH	165	298	Ouyen to Pinnaroo. Formerly "Anderson's Plains," and so called after a stockman on Kulkyne Station. The present name "Galah" comes from the well-known species of parrot. A. S. K. and T. O'C.
GALAQUIL	301	2343	Murtoa to Hopetoun. Native. "Gaalkwill," rush. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 45
GAMA	273	253 3	Maryborough to Mildura. Native. Large wallaby. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 45
Gannawarra	250	191	Kerang and Koondrook Tramway. Native. "Gonowarah," black swan. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 213
GARDEN VALE	45	7	Melbourne to Sandringham. This name is descriptive of the locality, which is devoted to market gardening and horticulture. T. O'C.
GARDINER	65	53	Burnley to Darling. Takes it name from Gardiner's Creek, which was called after Mr. John Gardiner, who, with Hawdon and Hepburn, brought the first mob of
			cattle to that part of Port Phillip known since
		, .	as Molbourne. He established a cattle station at Gardiner's Creek, and, with Hawdon, had a
:			slaughtering-place at "Como," then known as the Punchbowl. T. O'C.

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GARFIELD	Feet. 120	453	Melbourne to Orbost. This place was named after General J. Abram Garfield, President of the United States of America, 1881. He died in same year. Garfield was previously known as Cannibal Creek. W. P.
Garvoo	329	144½	Melbourne to Port Fairy. A contraction of the name "Garvock," given to the mount now called Warrnambool. Named by Major Mitchell, 1836. Saxton, p. 28. "Garvock," Gaelic, rough field. Maxwell
Grelong	57	45	Melbourne to Port Fairy. Named by Governor Bourke, 1837, from the native name of the hill upon which the town was built. "Geelong" means the place of the cliff. Westgarth, p. 58. Sutherland, vol. 2, p. 149, gives the meaning as "white sea bird or curlew." J. F. H. Mitchell, p. 20, says it means "swampy plains, resort of native companions"
GEELONG NORTH	56	431	
GELLIBRAND	62 246	$46\frac{1}{4}$	
		2	River, which was called after Joseph Tice Gellibrand, a member of Batman's Association, engaged in the Settlement of Port Phillip, 1835. He was lost in the bush with a companion named Hesse, and was, probably, killed by the blacks. T. O'C.
GELLIONDALE	30	1291	Melbourne to Port Albert. Named after Mr. John Gellion, an early settler, who kept an hotel at Port Albert in 1853. See Gippsland Mercury, 19.5.11
Сем вкоок	1020	403	Ferntree Gully to Gembrook. So named, because
GERANGAMETE	469	993	precious stones were found in the creek. T. O'C. Birregurra to Forrest. Named after a run or pastoral station in that locality. A. S. K.
GERANG	446	235 1	Melbourne to Serviceton. Formerly "Gerang Gerung." Native. "Gerang," branch, leaf. Barry, p. 3. "Jerrang," leaf, bough. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 103
GHERINGHAP	250	513	Geelong to Ballarat. Native. The yellow blossom of the black wattle. A species of white gum. The
GISBORNE	1526	40	haunt or habitat of the opossum. J. McC. Melbourne to Bendigo. Named after Henry Fysche Gisborne, Private Secretary to Sir Richard Bourke, Governor of New South Wales, and one of the early
GLENALBYN	505	1391	Crown Lands Commissioners in Port Phillip. T. O'C. Bendigo to Nandaly. From an old pastoral station taken up by Lachlan and Patterson, 1848-9. Patterson, who came from the Highlands of Scotland, probably named the place after his native glen. Mr. Hall, who held the property later, called it "Glenalbyn Grange." J. C. and D. H. C.

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	Feet.		
GLENFERRIE	90	41	Melbourne to Healesville. Said to have been named
		·	after a house called "Glen Ferry," built by Mr. Peter Ferry, an old-time Melbourne solicitor. His spelling of the name is to be seen in the newspapers of the "sixties." It was previously called "Barkly Road," after Sir Henry Barkly. Barnard, p. 59. The
•			Herald, 8.9.13, says that "Glenferrie" was named after W. H. Glen, of the Collins-street music warehouse, and Peter Ferrie, in 1841
GLEN FORBES	99	683	Nyora to Wonthaggi. Called after the estate of the late Mr. D. McKenzie in that locality. The station was first called "McKenzie," after the gentleman referred to, but it was found necessary to change the name, and then the estate name was substituted.
			"Forbes" is a family name of the McKenzies, one of Mr. McKenzie's sons being named "Allan Forbes." A. McK.
GLENFYNE	439	1421	Camperdown to Timboon. Named after a glen at Ardrishaig, Argyllshire, Scotland, near Loch Fyne. T. O'C.
GLENGARRY	144	1031	
GLEN HUNTLY	152	71/2	Melbourne to Mornington. Takes its name from Glen Huntly-road, which was named after a ship quaran- tined in the bay, off the Red Bluff. A few of the
			passengers died after the ship's arrival, and were buried on the Bluff. The Glen Huntly arrived on 17th April, 1840. T. O'C.
GLEN IRIS	82	61/2	Burnley to Darling. Took its name from that of the residence of Mr. J. C. Turner, solicitor, one of the earliest settlers in the district. R. W. S.
GLENLOTH	380	183	Bendigo to Nandaly. Named by Gideon Ruther- ford, after his village home in Scotland. V. H. M., vol. 3, p. 83
GLENORCHY	567	162½	
GLENROWAN	747	136	Melbourne to Albury. Called after Glenrowan Pastoral Station, so named by the Brothers Rowan, who owned it. It was here that the Kelly gang was besieged. Ned Kelly was captured and the others killed. T. O'C.
GLENROY	311	9	Melbourne to Albury. Named by Duncan Cameron, after his native place in Inverness, Scotland. Saxton, p. 29
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Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Milles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
	Feet.	,	
GLEN THOMPSON	890	1671	Ararat to Hamilton. Named after Mr. A. T. Thompson, an early settler. Saxton, p. 29
GNARKEET	529	991	Geelong to Maroona. Native. Chain of ponds. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 182
Golden Square	785	991	Melbourne to Bendigo. So named because of the large quantity of gold found by miners in that locality. T. O'C.
Golsdborough	722	1293	Maryborough to Mildura. So named because of the large quantity of gold found there. The place was previously known as Old Dunolly. T. O'C.
Golf Links	135	63	Outer Circle. So named because of adjacent golf links. V. R.
GOODING	201	833	
GOORAMBAT	.531	1313	pastoral station in that locality. Native. "Gooram-
Goornong	472	118	batti," nonsense. Curr, vol. 3, p. 335. A. S. K. Bendigo to Echuca. Native. Excrement. Curr, vol. 1, p. 33. Native p'ant, mignonette. J. F. H. Mitchell; p. 8. The plant referred to has a disagreeable
			smell, reminiscent of the derivation first given. T. O'C.
GORAE	71	2461	of Schofield's Creek. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 202
Gordon	1876	. 563	Melbourne to Serviceton. Named in honour of the Duke of Gordon, Scottish duke Lennox. T. O'C.
Goroke	532	$245\frac{1}{2}$	vol. 2, pp. 63, 202
Gould	605	903	Moe to Walhalla. Named after the landlord of the "Cecil Inn," on the old coach road Moe to Moondarra.
	007	0002	He was known as "Roast Beef Gould." J. R.
GOWAN	207	2263	tion of that of a local settler—McGowan. M. E. K.
GOYURA	279	249	Murtoa to Hopetoun. Native. "Kuyura," the mountain of light. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 206. "Koorooro," light. Curr, vol. 2, p. 333
Graham	11	2	Melbourne to Port Melbourne. Took its name from Graham-street, Port Melbourne. V. R.
GRANITE	518	64 1	
GRASSDALE	464	2223	Branxholme to Casterton. In Wells' Geographical Dictionary or Gazetteer of the Australian Colonies, published in 1848, the name of the pastoral station of the
		l. 1	Messrs. Coldham (from which this railway station took
	1]	its name) is given as "Crasdale." Old colonists say that this is an error, and that the name given by the
			Coldhams was the name it now bears, and was descriptive. T. O'C.
GREAT WESTERN	784	1413	Melbourne to Serviceton. So called on account of being in the Western District. A Stawell newspaper,
	1	ľ	July, 1904. Saxton, p. 3

(Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
GREDGWIN	Feet. 407	180]	Gree-jin. A small swamp or natural water-hole,
			the water in which became polluted by the leaves from oak trees dropping therein. In the local aborigines dialect the name meant "dirty water." R. B. and J. A. R.
GREEN HILL	1554	$64\frac{1}{2}$	Kyneton to Redesdale. Named after an adjacent hill which bears that title. T. O'C.
GREENSBOROUGH	151	13 1	
GREENWALD	375	254	Heywood to Mount Gambier. Takes its name from that of a pastoral station or run, occupied in 1860 by Mr. F. Edgar. A. S. K.
GRITJURK	661	2153	
GROVEDALE	116	503	Melbourne to Port Fairy. This name was given- to his house by one of the early English residents, and was selected by the Shire Council as the name
		,	of the station when it was deemed advisable to change it from "Germantown," the name it formerly bore. H. W. B.
Guildford	815	841	Castlemaine to Maryborough. Named after a town in Surrey, England. T. O'C.
Gunbowen	278	172	Elmore to Cohuna. Gunboa, tortuous. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 175. Anabranch. 1b., p. 195. Curr, vol. 3, p. 499, says the proper name is "Kanbowro"
Gymbowen	557	2383	Horsham to Goroke. Native. "Kim-bowa," a long time since. Smyth, vo. 2, p. 169
Haddon	1291	841	
HALLAM	57	$22\frac{1}{2}$	
Hamilton	576	1971	
			was known as "The Grange." In 1851 it was notified in the Government Gazette that a site for a
			town had been selected, and the name was given as "Hamilton." The site was that previously known as "The Grange." -No record has yet been found as
			to the reason for naming the place "Hamilton"; but it is probable that it was named in honour of the Duke of Hamilton (and Brandon), whose seat was at
		77 11 1	a place called "Hamilton," near the confluence of the Avon and the Clyde, 11 miles from Glasgow, in Scotland. T. O'C.

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	Feet.		
Hammond	407	96 <u>1</u>	
Hampton	34	10 <u>1</u>	to the station because the railway line crosses Hampton-street at that spot. Hampton-street took its name from Mr. D. B. Hampton. A. R. F., and
, HAPPY VALLEY	1070	97 <u>‡</u>	early "diggers" struck rich yields of gold, and were
, HARCOURT	1096	823	thus made happy. A. J. S. Melbourne to Bendigo. Named after Sir William Harcourt, English statesman. History of Harcourt, p. 2 (1910)
HARTWELL	137	71/2	Outer Circle. The district was named "Hartwell" after "Hartwell House," one of the earliest residences built there. It was the property of Mr. Irwin,
Hastings	43	39 <u>‡</u>	and was built in 1853. R. W. S. Frankston to Stony Point. Named in honour of the Marquis of Hastings. Previously known as King's Creek. T. O'C.
Наттан	159	310 <u>1</u>	
HAVELOCK	616	1181	Maryborough to Inglewood. Named after Sir Henry Havelock, of Indian Mutiny fame. T. O'C.
Hawksburn	60	3 <u>1</u>	Melbourne to Mornington. Named after "Hawks-burn House," the home of James Horatio Nelson Castles, Col'ector of Customs, Melbourne. Cooper, p. 120. The Herald, 8.9.13, says that the place took its name from an hotel owned by James Whitlock
Hawkesdale	507	189 <u>1</u>	
Hawthorn	44	3 1	Melbourne to Healesville. Named after Lieutenant Hawthorne, R.N. Smith, pp. 37-38. The name "Hawthorn" was for a time written with a final "e." Herald, 8.9.13, says it was named after Lieutenant Hawthorne, of the Frigate Phantom or the Frigate Electra, which visited the port between 1852 and
Hazelwood	218	92½	Morwell to North Mirboo. Named after McMillan's Hazelwood Cattle Station adjoining. J. B. H. and H. T. L.
HEALESVILLE	267	39	Melbourne to Healesville. Named after the Hon. Richard Heales, Chief Secretary of Victoria, 26th November, 1860, to 14th November, 1861. Massina, p. 57

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HEATHCOTE	Feet. 787	73½	Wallan to Bendigo. Named after Sir William Heath- cote, a prominent member of the British Parliament
			for Oxford University, 1854–1868. This place was previously known as "McIvor Creek Diggings." T. O'C.
Hedley	42	1231	
Heidelberg	178	8	descendants. A. W. G. Melbourne to Hurstbridge. Named by "Gontinental" Brown, a land agent, after the city on the banks of the "Neckar." Mr. Walker purchased the property from the Crown, and when it was subdivided Brown
			sold it for him. Boldrewood, p. 128. "Warringal" was the name given to the Government township. Native. Means Eagle's Nest. Argus, 12.8.96
HENTY	189	2361	Branxholme to Casterton. Named after the Henty family, first permanent settlers in Port Phillip. Francis Henty occupied "Merino Downs" Pastoral Station, within the bounds of which the railway
Heyfield	190	1201	station stands. Glancy and S. W. C. Traralgon to Stratford. Named after Malcolm McFarlane's pastoral station, on the Macalister
Heyington	40	33	River, in the "forties." C. D. Burnley to Darling. Derived its name from "Heyington House." Cooper, p. 138
Heywood	88	2351	
HIGH CAMP	1021	51½	
Ніснетт	123	113	name. R. F. and A. E. H. Melbourne to Mornington. Takes its name from Highett's-road, which was so called because the Hon. William Highett, M.L.C. (1857 to 1880), owned land
HILLSIDE	146	163	in that locality. T. O'C. Melbourne to Orbost. Called after Mr. David Hill, a farmer, who lived near the station site. J. S.
Hinksons	250	1873	Kerang and Koondrook Tramway. Named after a local land-holder. A. S. K.
Hoddle Range	422	1023	Melbourne to Port Albert. Named after Mr. Robert Hoddle, one of the early surveyors of Port Phillip, and first Surveyor-General of Victoria. T. O'C.

Name of Station.		Height above Sea.	Milles from	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
Номевиян	••	Feet. 805	123 <u>₹</u>	Maryborough to Ararat. Named after the "Home- bush Inn," on the Maryborough road to Ararat. A. S. K.
Homewood	••	564	74 <u>1</u>	Tallarook to Mansfield. Named after James and Elizabeth Homewood, early settlers. Mrs. Home- wood is living there still. Saxton, p. 33, and C. de B. K.
Hopefield	••	465	180 <u>}</u>	
Hopetoun	••	261	2541	
Нокѕнам	••	434	203 <u>1</u>	Melbourne to Serviceton. Named after Mr. Darlot's native town in Essex, England. D'Alton, p. 1. Mr. Darlot was one of the earliest squatters in the Wimmera district. Darlot-street, Horsham, was named after him. T. O'C. Native name—"Wopetbungundilar," house of feathers. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 177
HUNTER	••	407	135,	
HUNTLY	••	623	108	Bendigo to Echuca. Named after a place in Aberdeen- shire, Scotland. T. O'C.
Huon	••	577	201	Wodonga to Shelley. Named after the "Huon" brothers, who took up a station in that locality in 1836. Mr. Charles Huon formed the Wodonga Run for his brother Paul. V. H. M., vol. 3, p. 143
Hurstbridge	••	247	224	Melbourne to Hurstbridge. This station was named after a bridge which spans Diamond Creek near to the residence of a family named Hurst, after whom the bridge was named. T. L.
Нуем	••	670	169,	Wangaratta to Whitfield. Named after Mr. William Hyem, the owner of the Whitfield Estate near-by. J. D. C. and M. E. K.
ILLABAROOK	•	840	100	
ILLOWA	••	82	172	Melbourne to Port Fairy. This name is probably a corruption of the native word "Illour," meaning "yesterday." See Smyth, vol. 2, p. 36. Curr, vol. 2, p. 241, gives the word as "Illower," with same meaning

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Inglewood	Feet.	131	Bendigo to Manangatang. The borough from which
			this station takes its name was so called by Mr. John Catto, now of Rheola, but then of the place since known as Old Inglewood. The Thompsons, who were relatives of Mrs. Hall, of Glenalbyn Grange, had discovered gold at "Thompson's Gully," and Mrs. Hall expressed a wish that the new gold-field should
	**		be called "Inglewood," after the English forest, near to which her people had lived. It being necessary for postal purposes that the "Rush" should be named, Mr. Catto put up a notice outside the
•			post-office irscribed "Inglewood Gold Fields," and giving directions for the forwarding of letters. He also notified the Secretary for Mines. D. H. C.
Ingliston	1513	45	Melbourne to Serviceton. Takes its name from the estate of the late Peter Inglis. Crisp, p. 42
Inverteigh	220	62 <u>1</u>	Geelong to Maroona. The name of this township signifies "Mouth of the River Leigh," and describes its situation. The Station took its name from the township. C. A. C. W.
IRREWARRA	420	`91 <u>₹</u>	
IRYMPLE	147	347 <u>1</u>	
IVANHOE	154	63	mm 4 4 4 mm 1
Jackson	476	180 <u>1</u>	
JALLUMBA	530	2301	
JARROTT	736	173	Wangaratta to Whitfield. Takes its name from Mr. Mark Jarrott, the owner and occupier of a farm near-by. J. D. C.
Јеетно	405	613	
JEPARIT	277	2473	

Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourae.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
Joel	Feet. 752	154}	Ben Nevis to Navarre. An abbreviation of Joel Joel
JOEL	102	1014	Took its name from Mr. Joel Pennington, who was manager of Tottingham Station for Laurence Rostron, and known to all and sundry as "Joel." To induce the blacks to refrain from killing and maiming sheep, he gave them dressed mutton, and promised a continuous supply during their good behaviour. Strange blackfellows seeing the local natives with
•			the meat inquired as to the source from which it had been obtained. The reply was "Joel Joel." It was a common custom for the blacks to duplicate
JOLIMONT	65	1	names. H. V. P. Melbourne to Hurstbridge. Name given by the Swiss wife of C. J. Latrobe (Superintendent of Port Phillip, 1839-1851, and Lieutenant-Governor of Victoria, 1851-1854) to the little hill upon which their home was built. Mrs. Latrobe named the place after her
Joyce's Creek	671	951	home in Switzerland. Sutherland, vol. 1, p. 191 Castlemaine to Maryborough. Named after the Joyce family, early settlers. T. O'C.
Jumbunna	625	73	Korumburra to Outtrim. Native. Colloquy, conference, discourse. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 140
Jung	500	192	Melbourne to Serviceton. Native. An abbreviation of Jung Jung, which means "spoiling, making a mess
Kanawalla	791	203	of it." Smyth, vol. 2, p. 206 Hamilton to Cavendish. Called after the Kanawalla Pastoral Station or Run. A. S. K.
Kaneira	263	217	Bendigo to Nandaly. Named by Mr. Breen, Surveyor, after a man named Kiniry. Saxton, p. 38
KANGAROO FLAT	841	973	Melbourne to Bendigo. So named in pre-"diggings" days, as it was a favourite resort of kangaroos. T. O'C.
Kaniva	470	$272\frac{1}{2}$	Melbourne to Serviceton. Probably a corruption of "Kanizba," the name of a town in Hungary. A
			large number of Germans and Austro-Hungarians were amongst the earliest land selectors in that
Kanumbra	881	1011	locality. The aboriginal name for the place was "Budjick," meaning "tomahawk." D'Alton Tallarook to Mansfield. This place took its name from a local pastoral station or squatting run owned by the late D. E. Stoddart. The railway station was named by Mr. Hardy, Land Officer, Alexandra. W. T.
KARDELLA	511	71½	Melbourne to Port Albert. This name was chosen by the Railways Commissioners from three submitted by Mr. James Brydon and Mr. Robert Cornall, through
			Mr. Groom, on 3rd November, 1890. In the language of the aborigines between Gregory and Leichardt rivers, Queensland, it means "opossum." J. B. and E. D. See also Curr, vol. 2, p. 324

Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
Karn	Feet. 609	1,283	Benalla to Tatong. Native. Snake. Smyth, vol. 2, pp. 91-125
KARYRIE	323	221	Maryborough to Mildura. From the name of an
Катаратите	383	147	old squatting station in the locality. M. E. K. Shepparton to Katamatite. Native. From Catamatiet, a creek. Saxton, p. 38. This place is situated on the banks of a creek called the "Boosey," and the name is said by some to be a contraction of the
			question, "Kate, am I tight?" To which the answer was, "Yes; you're on the boosey." This pleasantry was attributed to one of the early surveyors. W. H. T.
KATUNGA	361	1401	Cobram to Tocumwal. Named by Mr. A. Leahy, surveyor, after an old blackfellow known as "Katunga." J. W. and G. T. W.
KAWARREN	392	1081	Colac to Crowes. Native. "Porcupine." Smyth, vol. 2, p. 115
KEELY	266	1813	Elmore to Cohuna. Named after Mr. Keely, a large land-holder, through whose property the line passes. M. E. K. and R. B.
Kensington	·45	21	
Kensington South	22	21	See Kensington
KERANG	25 5	179 <u>1</u>	Bendigo to Piangil. Native. A vegetable parasite. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 176
KERANG SOUTH	259	1743	See Kerang
KERNOT	149	65½	Nyora to Wonthaggi. Named after Mr. M. E. Kernot, Chief Engineer for Railway Construction, Victoria. V. R.
KERRISDALE	540	68 <u>‡</u>	Tallarook to Mansfield. Named after Kerrisdale Pastoral Station. The pastoral station was named after an estate in Scotland. T. J. B.
Kew	118	43	Melbourne to Hawthorn, and Kew. This name was given to an estate, owned by Mr. N. A. Fenwick, which now forms part of the town. The estate was called
			after the English Kew, which lies near to a place called Richmond. The town took its name from Fenwick's Estate, and the station bears the name of the town. Barnard, p. 9. Herald, 8.9.13, says that
	<i>‡</i>		O'Shannassey's Kew Hotel gave its name to the town. This is incorrect
Kia (now Kiamal)	185	294	Maryborough to Mildura. Native. To sit. E. F. B. In several native dialects the work "Kia" appears. In one it means "emu," in another "war spear," in a third "yes," and in a fourth "a fibrous tree,"
			from which nets are made. Grey, p. 63. Curr, vol. 1, pp. 323 and 374; vol. 2, p. 9

Name of Station.	Height above Ses.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
,	Feet.	}	
Kiata	481	240	Melbourne to Serviceton. Native. Summer heat. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 200
KILCUNDA	41	791	Nyora to Wonthaggi. Named after the Kilcunda coal seam, in the locality. The coal seam took its name from the Kilcunda Run or Pastoral Station. V. R. and A. S. K.
Killara	321	343	
KILMANY	101	119½	Melbourne to Orbost. Named by the late Hon. William Pearson, after a village situate near his native place in Fifeshire, Scotland
KILMORE	1215	421/2	
KILMORE EAST	908	391	
KILMORE JUNCTION KINGAID SIDING	1145 1549	$\frac{33_{1}}{131}$, J
KINCAID SIDING		101	Colac to Crowes. Called after Mr. Kincaid, a local saw- miller. M. E. K.
Kingston	1708	92 <u>‡</u>	land speculator from Ballarat purchased a large block of land and subdivided it into town allotments. This block of land was near the site of the present township. In compliment to his native town—
			Kingston-on-Thames—he named it "Kingston," and on the plan of subdivision that name appeared, and was adopted for the present township. Leishman and Treacy. O.E., Cyne Stan, royal stone. Johnston
King Valley	694	1711	Wangaratta to Whitfield. Descriptive. The valley of of the King River near-by. T. O'C. and J. D. C.
KINNABULLA	300	224 1	Maryborough to Mildura. This place was owned by Mr. Stephen Laver, now of Loch, in 1889. Wild cattle were numerous and destructive, and, as they could not be approached by day, they were occasionally
	,		shot at night when coming to drink at a drain or water-course. The blacks accompanied the whites on these occasions, and were given part of the meat obtained. When hungry, they would ask Mr. Laver to go out and "Kin-na-bulla" (kill a bullock). The word thus formed was adopted by Mr. Laver as a
			brand for his wool-packs, and, later, was applied to
Ķirkstall	108	179	the place. A. G. O. and S. L. Melbourne to Port Fairy. Named after a village in
Knott's Siding	1300	100	Yorkshire, England, near Leeds. T. O'C. Moe to Walhalla. Called after Mr. G. W. Knott, timber merchant, of Melbourne, who had a saw-mill in the vicinity. V. R.

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	Foet.		
Knowsley	653	83	Wallan to Bendigo. Named after a place in Lancashire, England. Saxton, p. 39
KOETONG	2048	229	Wodonga to Shelley. Native. Frost, cold. The district is noted for its heavy frosts. H. A. F. and G. T. W. A place of echoes. J. F. H. Mitchell. The place took its name from a pastoral station called "Koetong."
			A. A. Koetong, frost. J. J. B.
Koondrook	250	1931	Kerang and Koondrook Tramway. Native. "Koon-darook," moon. Mathew, p. 208
Koonwarra	109	83	Melbourne to Port Albert. Native. "Koonoowar," swan. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 210. Curr, vol. 3, pp. 478, 486
Koo-wee-rup	21	41	Melbourne to Port Albert. Native. Blackfish, swimming. Macdonald. Native—"Kowe," water; "We-
Kooyong	40	41/2	rup," blackfish. Saxton, p. 39 Burnley to Darling. Native. Camp or resting-place. Australasian, 31.5.02. The haunt of waterfowl. Cooper, p. 2. Camp or home. Argus, 2.7.12. Resting-
Корке	1344	82	place or camp. J. J. B. Ballarat to Linton. Formerly Trunk Lead. Took its present name from an old pioneer family resident in the district. Mr. Alfred Kopke was a member of the Shire Council at whose request the station was so
Koriella	751	971	named. A. J. S. Cathkin to Alexandra. Formerly "Alexandra Road," and, later, "Rhodes." "Koriella" is the native name of the Goulburn River, near to which the
Когоіт	212	175½	station stands. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 195
Korong Vale	460	151	meaning as small fish Bendigo to Manangatang. "Korong" is a native word signifying "canoe" or "boat." Smyth, vol. 2, p. 141. Curr, vol. 3, p. 459, gives the meaning as "big." Mathew, p. 225, agrees with Smyth's
KORUMBURRA	746	68	definition Melbourne to Port Albert. Native. Maggot. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 141. March fly. Ib., p. 125. Kurum-
Котта	332	152}	
Koyuga	324	135	p. 68 Toolamba to Echuca. Native. A plain in the midst of a forest. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 197
Kurting	478	135	Bendigo to Manangatang. Named from Mount Kurting. A. S. K.
Kyabram	347	124	Toolamba to Echuca. Native, "Kiambram," thick forest. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 203

Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
	Feet.		
KYEMERY	311	1571	Elmore to Cohuna. Native. Kangaroo. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 69
Kyneton	1687	57	Melbourne to Bendigo. The Jeffrey brothers bought part of Carlsruhe Station from Ebden, and called that part "Chiverley." There the township was built, and Mr. Latrobe, at the request of Mrs. Jeffrey, senior, permitted that lady the privilege of naming it. She suggested "Kineton," the name of her native town in Warwickshire, England; but this was altered to "Kyneton," meaning the town at the back of the wood. J. M. R.
Kyup	721	209	Hamilton to Cavendish. Local aboriginal for "finger." M. E. K.
LACEBY	509	1501	Wangaratta to Whitfield. Named after the "Laceby" Pastoral Station adjacent. J. D. C.
Lан	338	2251	Murton to Hopetoun. Native. A stone. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 214
LAKE BOGA	232	205	Bendigo to Piangil. Named by Major Mitchell, 1836. The station took its name from the lake. The derivation of the name "Boga" is unknown. The native name is "Kooem," milk. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 176. Labilliere, vol. 1, p. 287
LAKE BULOKE	380	1871	Maryborough to Mildura. Called after a lake of that name adjacent. A. S. K. "Buloke" means place for frogs. J. McC.
LAKE CHARM	252	1901	
LALBERT	279	2053	Bendigo to Manangatang. Native. "Laal-bit." "Laal," the parasite which grows on the mallee; "bit," is the knot at the end of it. Smyth, vol. 2, pp. 176, 207, 217
LAL LAL	1531	833	Geelong to Ballarat. Native. Dashing of waters. Supposed to signify a crack or crevice. Smyth, vol. 2, pp. 198, 207. Probably great rift. Mathew, p. 40
Lancefield	1559	46	Lancefield Junction to Lancefield. Took its name from a pastoral station owned by Mr. Main, in the early "forties," which included the site of the present town. Inquiry as to derivation of name led to its being traced to Glasgow. The Editor of the Glasgow Herald made inquiries there, but failed to trace the origin or meaning. Mr. Main was a well-known Melbourne contractor, and built a bridge near Essendon which still bears his name. Guthridge
TION LANDSBOROUGH	790	31 <u>1</u> 158 <u>1</u>	

Name of Station.	Height sbove Ses.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
	Feet.		
Lang Lang	53	474	Melbourne to Port Albert. Called after a pioneer named "Lang." Saxton, p. 41
Langi Logan	965	136≹	Ararat to Hamilton. Native. The home or run of Mr. Logan. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 207
LANGWARRIN	325	293	Melbourne to Mornington. Took its name from a pastoral station or run owned by Mr. William Willoby, 1853. The run included the site. A. S. K.
LARA	52	353	Melbourne to Port Fairy Formerly known as "Duck Ponds." It was here that Hume and Hovell terminated their journey in 1824, and rested a few days before returning. The stream appeared on an early
		,	map as "Hovell's" Creek, but some of the early settlers called it "Duck Ponds." In the middle "seventies" the name was changed to "Hovell's
			Creek," but public protest caused it to be re-christened "Lara," which, in the language of the natives, means "hut on stony ground." The word is akin to "Lah,"
LARPENT	458	100 <u>‡</u>	which means stone. J. McC. Melbourne to Port Fairy. A number of the early settlers in this locality came to Australia in a ship
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		,	called the <i>Larpent</i> , and adopted the name for their new home. U. R. and T. L.
LASCELLES	256	2481	Maryborough to Mildura. Named after Mr. E. H.
i	•		Lascelles, a gentleman who took great interest in the opening up and settlement of the Mallee country.
			He aided the project by precept and example T. O'C. Herald, 12.2.17
LAUNCHING PLACE	355	41	Lilvdale to Warburton. When "packing" was a
•			recognised industry, the Yarra River was largely used for transport, and this place was the terminus for the
			flat-bottomed boats used in the traffic. "Pack" horses carried the goods from the boats to Wood's
LAURIE	642	1323	Point and other diggings. Smith, p. 98 Maryborough to Inglewood. Named after the late
•			Mr. Peter Laurie, through whose property the railway line passed. Some of the Laurie family still reside at
T.	1510	1971	the Red Hill Farm. E. F. B. and A. M. C.
LAVERS HILL	1510	1371	Beech Forest to Crowes. Named after Mr. Laver, the first settler in the neighbourhood, from Gippsland.
		`	He cleared a large tract of scrub and then abandoned
LAVERTON	33	13	his selection. Cornthwaite and M. T. Melbourne to Port Fairy. Called after the old Laverton Estate, owned by Mr. Langmore. It is said that the
			estate took its name from that of one of three gentle- men who went to England to purchase the property
			from the owner, then resident in that countr A. J. L.
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Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Miles from	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
LEARMONTH	Feet. 1350	883	Ballarat to Waubra. Named after the Learmonth family. Thomas Learmonth had a station there in 1838. T. L.
LEARMONTH North	1370	891	
LEICHARDT	589	1174	Bendigo to Manangatang. Named in memory of Dr. Ludwig Leichardt, the lost explorer. T. L.
reitchvirie	276	177	
LEONARD	2247	824	Ballarat to Daylesford. Formerly "Leonard's Hill." In the early days of Daylesford a timber splitter named "Leonard" took up some land in the forest, on the
			back part of this hill. Without any formality the hill became known by his name. Mr. Wilkie now owns the land formerly owned by Leonard. D. McL. and A. G. S.
Leongatha	273	78	Melbourne to Port Albert. Native. Cheek-tooth, dental, relating to teeth. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 141. Curr, vol. 3, p. 533
LEOPOLD	27	5 2	Geelong to Queenscliff. Formerly "Kensington." Name changed because of confusion with a Melbourne suburb. The name "Leopold" was given in honour of Prince Leopold, a son of Queen Victoria. T. L.
Leslin	1320	35 3	Wallan to Bendigo. This name was given by Mr. Robert A. Robertson, proprietor of saw-mills and timber seasoning works at Wandong. The property passed into the hands of Mr. David Beath, of Beath, Schiess, and Co., Chairman of the Australian Seasoned Timber Company, who was born at "Leslie," Fife-
•			shire, Scotland. This fact led Mr. Robertson to submit the name "Leslie" for the railway station. R. A. R.
Lethbridge	547	613	Geelong to Ballarat. First known as the "Muddy Waterholes." It was a camping-place for travellers on their way to the gold-fields. On the completion of the Ballarat railway line, the place was called Lethbridge, after one of the leading officials engaged in the construction. J. McC.
LEVY	1447	75 <u>1</u>	Ballarat to Buninyong. Named after Councillor Abraham Levy, J.P., Mayor of Ballarat East. J. G.
Lillico	404	641	Warragul to Neerim South. Named after Andrea Lillico, through whose property the railway line
LILLIMUR	407	2783	passed. W. R. F. Melbourne to Serviceton. Native. "Lillima," bone. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 8. Gum on the eyes. D'Alton, p. 5

Name of Station	a.	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
Lilliput	••	Feet. 548	165	Springhurst to Wahgunyah. So named by Mr. James Gullifer, after that imaginary land to which the imaginary Gulliver made his famous voyage, as told by Dean Swift. The name was given by Gullifer to a cattle station, in 1844. The station property is now a farming and district, and has retained the
LILYDALE	••	322	231	name. V. H. M., vol. 5, p. 21 Melbourne to Healesville. Named "Lillydale," by Mr. Hodgkinson, who was a visitor at "Yering," the residence of Mr. Paul de Castella, at the time he (Hodgkinson) was surveying the township. He named it after Mrs. Paul de Castella, baptized "Elizabeth," but known, familiarly, as "Lilly." V. H. M., vol. 3, p. 144
LIMA		673	1351	Benalla to Tatong. Called after "Lima," Pastoral Station, which had been so named by Mr. McKellar, of Black and McKellar, the owners. The station was named after "Lima," in Peru, where Mr. McKellar had resided. G. D. S. and G. T. W.
LINDENOW	• •	218	159 1	Melbourne to Orbost. The place from which this station takes its name was so called by Loughnan and Taylor, from India, who settled on the Mitchell country. It was named after a place in India. Macdonald, p. 10. Native name—"Moor-murn"
Linga	••	197	326 <u>1</u>	Ouyen to Pinnaroo. An invented name signifying a camp—a place to linger. A. S. K. "Lingi," camp. Watkin, p. 17. "Lingi," home. J. J. B.
LINTON	••	1098	∙ 9 8 <u>₹</u>	Ballarat to Linton. Named after Mr. Linton of Linton Park. Gold was discovered upon his station. The "diggings" and the township took his name. McGrath, p. 118
LISMORE	• •	524	103 <u>‡</u>	Geelong to Maroona. Known in the early days as "Brown's Waterholes." Situated on the "Gala" Estate, originally owned by John Brown, from "Galashiels," Scotland. In the "fifties," it was named "Lismore," probably by Mr. Skene, Surveyor-General, after Lismore, in County Waterford, Ireland. J. L. C.
LITCHFIELD	••	383	192	Maryborough to Mildura. Named after Mr. Litchfield, a local settler. M. E. K.
LITTLE RIVER	• •	108	29½	Melbourne to Port Fairy. This name was applied to, rather than bestowed upon, the stream by way of contrasting it with the larger rivers, such as the "Werribee," seen by the pioneers in 1835-6. No other name has been applied to the stream, and the station was, appropriately named after it, though the name "Bulban" was given to the township a few years ago. J. McC.

Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
LLANELLY	Feet. 583	138 1	Town." The present name was given to the place by Welsh miners. It was called after Llanelly in Car-
Loch	293	59	marthenshire, Wales. A. M. C. and E. F. B. Melbourne to Port Albert. Named after Sir Henry Brougham Loch, Governor of Victoria, afterwards Lord Loch. T. O'C.
Locksley	549	791	Melbourne to Albury. Formerly "Burnt Creek:" This name was adopted for the post office in 1886 from Tennyson's "Locksley Hall." The township was surveyed in 1887, and the name given to the post office extended thereto. W. T.
Londrigan	531	1521	Wangaratta to Beechworth. Named after Mr. Londrigan, who owned the land upon which the station was built. T. L.
Longlea	588	93	Wallan to Bendigo. Formerly called "Axe Creek." Changed to "Longlea" about the year 1903, and so named after Mr. W. J. Long, a Councillor of the Strathfieldsaye Shire, who owned Stonebridge Park, near the Station. R. R. B.
LONGWARRY	143	51	Melbourne to Orbost. From the Longwarry run or pastoral station in that locality. A. S. K.
Longwood	578	843	Melbourne to Albury. Named after the residence of Napoleon Bonaparte at St. Helena. Saxton, p. 42
Lorquon	356	261 1	
Lovat	269	111	Colac to Crowes. Formerly "Lovis River," that being the name of a stream which runs near by. Not being considered suitable, the name was changed to "Lovat," and it seems probable that the late Duncan Fraser, who surveyed the Beech Forest railway line, suggested it, as Fraser was the family name of Lord Lovat. W. T.
Lower Ferntree Gully	404	$21\frac{1}{2}$	
Loy Yang	118	1011	Melbourne to Orbost. Called after a pastoral station or run, of that name, owned by Mr. William Whittaker. The name given to this place by the aborigines was
LUBECK	488	175	"Neo Yang," the place of the conger eel. W. W. Melbourne to Serviceton. Named, by early German
LYNDHURST	55	23	settlers, after Lubeck, a free city in Germany. T. O'C. Melbourne to Port Albert. Named after Lord Lynd- hurst, Lord Chancellor of England. Saxton, p. 42
Lyons	271	248	Heywood to Mount Gambier. Named after Rear-Admiral Sir Edmund Lyons, second in command of
LYONVILLE	2408	67 <u>1</u>	the fleet in the Black Sea in 1854. Saxton

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	Feet.		
MACAULAY	13	2	Melbourne to Whittlesea. The street or road from which this station takes its name was called after Thomas Babington Macaulay, poet and historian. T. O'C.
Macedon	1660	431	Melbourne to Bendigo. This station was called after the township at the foot of Mount Macedon. The mountain was named by Major Mitchell, 1836. He wrote—"I gave it the name of Mount Macedon, with
			reference to Port Phillip." Mitchell, vol. 2, p. 283. Second edition, vol. 2, p. 285 Evidently Mitchell had, in his mind, found some connexion between the Greek "Phillip" and the "Phillip" after whom our port was called. The phonetic resemblance may have misled him. Compiler
MACLEOD	177	101	
MACORNA	272	1651	
Maffra	87	1314	Traralgon to Stratford. The station took its name from the town, which was called after "Maffra," in the
			Maneroo country, Wellesly County, New South Wales. The New South Wales "Maffra" was, probably, named by one of the many ex-military officers settled there who had seen service in the Peninsular War,
			and had pleasant recollections of that attractive old town called "Mafra," situate on the west coast of Portugal, southward of "Torres Vedras." How the name gained a letter between Portugal and New South Wales cannot be explained. T. O'C.
MAINDAMPLE	1029	$122\frac{1}{2}$	Tallarook to Mansfield. Native. Woman's breasts. Paps. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 196. It is a conical hill, and was, probably, so named because of its appearance
Maldon	1177	89	Castlemaine to Shelbourne. Named after Maldon, in Essex, England. Formerly known as Mount Tarren- gower. T. O'C.
MALLUM	705	1363	Benalla to Tatong. Aboriginal name for Murray cod- fish. M. E. K.
MALMSBURY	1492	63 1	Melbourne to Bendigo. Named after the Earl of Malms- bury, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs. This
			place was known as the "Columbine" in the early "fifties." Probably a corruption of the name of the river "Coliban." T. O'C. The original Malmsbury, in England, derived its name from "Maidulph" or
			Maldulph, who, in 7th century, established there a hermitage and school. Johnston

Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	• Derivation and Meaning of Name.
	Feet.		
Malvern	168	$5\frac{1}{2}$	
W	175	259 }	Lorimer, of the Gardiner Shire Council. Judge Skinner had an estate there, which was called after Malvern, in Worcestershire, England. This suggested the name to Sir James Lorimer. <i>Herald</i> , 8.9.13 Bendigo to Manangatang. Local aboriginal name
Manangatang		2007	applied to a water reserve. M. E. K.
Mangalore	498	68	Melbourne to Albury. The locality after which this station was called was once part of a pastoral station taken up, in 1838, by Colonel Joseph Anderson, for himself and for his brother, Lieutenant-General John Anderson. The name "Mangalore," was that of the military station in India at which Lieutenant-General
•			Anderson was then serving. Recollections of a
:			Peninsular Veteran, by Late Col. Joseph Anderson, and V.H.M., vol. 4, p. 152
Mannerim	153	61	Geelong to Queenscliff. Named after the "Mannerim"
Manor	74	243	Estate, near Drysdale. W. D. Melbourne to Port Fairy. On the division of the "Werribee Park" Estate, Mr. Percy Chirnside became the
			owner of the western part and erected a new house,
		ρ.	near the Werribee River, calling it the "Manor." The railway line was made through the estate, and, when the station was built, the Department called it
			after the house. D. A. L.
Mansfield	1036	1311	hamshire, England. Saxton, p. 44
Marcus	83	613	Geelong to Queenscliff. Named after "Marcus" Hill, a remarkable local feature. A. S. K.
Marnoo	490	200	Lubeck to Marnoo. Native. Finger. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 178
Marong	620	$112\frac{1}{2}$	
Maroona	825	1442	Geelong to Maroona. Took its name from an old pastoral
MARSHALL	39	49 <u>1</u>	"Breakwater," until the men engaged in the tanning industry, in that locality, established a settlement, which was called "Marshall's Town," after Mr. Foster Marshall, a prominent resident. The Railway
			authorities abbreviated the name to "Marshall."
Maryborough	787	112	H. W. B. and J. McC. Melbourne to Mildura. Named by Mr. J. Daly, assistant Gold Commissioner, 1854, after his birth-
Massey	373	1971	place in Queen's County, Ireland. Age, 13.7.03 Maryborough to Mildura. Named after Mr. Massey,
Mathoura	310	1781	a local settler. M. E. K. and A. S. K. N.S.W. Native. Windy. J. F. H. Mitchell, p. 23

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	Feet.		
McColl	369	1441	Elmore to Cohuna. Named after the Hon. J. H. McColl, M.L.A., Minister for Mines, 1893-4; Minister for
McDevitt	1045	120	Lands, 1899-1900. T. O'C. Colac to Crowes. Two settlers—Devitt and McDonald—wanted the siding. To satisfy both the Railways Commissioners took the prefix from "McDonald" and added it to "Devitt," thus making
35 - W	96	9	the name of the station McDevitt. Cornthwaite and W. T.
McKinnon	90	9	Melbourne to Mornington. So called because the Mordialloc railway line intersects McKinnon's-road near the station. A. R. F.
Meatian	284	212 3	
MEENIYAN	77	88	Melbourne to Port Albert. Native. Moon, lunar, relating to the moon. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 141
Melbourne			Flinders Street.—Takes its name from a street named by Sir Richard Bourke, in 1837, after Captain Matthew Flinders, R.N. Sutherland, vol. 1, p. 153 Prince's Bridge.—Takes its name from a stone bridge over the Yarra River, opened for traffic in 1850, and
			named in honour of the Prince of Wales, afterwards King Edward VII. T. O'C. Spencer Street.—The street, from which this station takes its name, was so called by Governor Sir Richard Bourke, in 1837, after Earl Spencer, previously Lord Althorp. McCarron, p. 14. Garryowen, vol. 1,
MELBOURNE NORTH	18	1	p. 15 Melbourne was named by Governor Sir Richard Bourke, 1837, in honour of Lord Melbourne (William Lamb), whose title was derived from a little town in Derby- shire, England. V. H. M., vol. 3, p. 93. Westgarth, p. 58. North Melbourne was formerly known as "Hotham," and so named in honour of Governor Sir Charles Hotham. T. O'C.
Melbourne South	17	11/2	
MELBOURNE PORT MELLIS	10 392	2 1 212 1	See Port Melbourne
MELTON	393	231	

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	Feet.		
Mentone	66	141	Melbourne to Mornington. The village, from which this station took its name, was called after a well-known health resort on the shore of the Mediterranean, near Nice. Portion of the locality was first called "Dover Slopes," by J. H. Knipe. A syndicate, led by Sir M. H. Davies, purchased the property, discarded Knipe's plan, and called it Mentone. Herald, 8.9.13, and T. L.
MERBEIN	140	3581	Mildura to Merbein. Formerly "White Cliffs." "Merbein" is the native name of a sandhill close by. A. S. K.
MEREDITH	1126	71	Geelong to Ballarat. Named after Mr. Charles Meredith, of Tasmania. Saxton, p. 45
Merino	266	2311	Branxholme to Casterton. Took its name from Merino Downs Station, which was so called because Mr. Frank Henty paid particular attention to breeding merino sheep. Boldrewood, p. 110. The township of Merino is close to the Merino Downs Pastoral
Mernda	532	.20	Station. Glancy Melbourne to Whittlesea. Formerly South Yan Yean. Native. "Merndi," earth. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 9.
Merton	1085	1083	Soil, p. 75 Tallarook to Mansfield. Named after a town in England. Saxton, p. 45
Merrigum	356	117 3	Echuca to Toolamba. Native. A small plain. Smyth, vol. 2, pp. 198, 203
Merri	127	41	Melbourne to Whittlesea. Takes its name from the Merri Creek. Merri is a native word, meaning "Rocky." Smyth, vol. 2, p. 12
METCALFE EAST	1441	66 3	Kyneton to Redesdale. Named in honour of Lord Metcalfe, Governor of Jamaica. Saxton, p. 45
MIAKITE	518	2173	Branxholme to Casterton. This station was, formerly, called "Murndal" (native for thunder), but, at the request of the Hon. S. Winter Cooke, was changed to "Miakite," that being the native name of a small water-course near by. S. W. C.
Midas	1446	823	Ballarat to Waubra. After a gold mine of that name in the vicinity. Some one having a knowledge of Greek Mythology called the mine after "Midas," King of Phrygia, to whom Bacchus granted the gift, that
MIDDLE CREEK	1156	1121	everything he touched should turn to gold. V. R. and T. O'C. Melbourne to Scrviceton. Named from an adjacent creek. Any significance this name ever had has, long since, been forgotten. It was given by bullock drivers in bygone days, and similar names may be found all over the country. A. S. K.

Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
	Feet.		
MIDDLE PARK	12	$2\frac{1}{2}$	because of its situation in relation to "Albert Park," and to the other railway stations in that locality.
MILDURA	153	3511	Pastoral Station. Mildura is an aboriginal word signifying "Ophthalmia, or sore eyes prevalent." J. F. H. Mitchell, p. 23. First called "Yerre Yerre," a name given by the natives to the cliffs near the
MILLBROOK	1854	58½	bool." The name was changed to avoid confusion with a similar named place near Geelong. The name "Millbrook" was given because Mr. Matthew
	. •		Butterly had erected a flour-mill near the stream. H. M. G. and M. McC.
Millgrove	432	451	
Milltown	430	$227\frac{3}{4}$	Ararat to Portland. The place after which this station was called was so named at the suggestion of Mr. Ingram, a surveyor. He suggested the name, because
			a saw-mill then stood near to the site of the present station. S. W. C.
Mincha	282	1591	
MINHAMITE	566	196 <u>‡</u>	
MININERA	908	138 1	
MINYIP	426	198 1	Murtoa to Hopetoun. Native. "Munnip," ashes, dust. Also written "Muncep," "Munneep," dirt, ashes, dust. Smyth, vol 2, pp. 100, 116,
MIRALIE	267	238	Bendigo to Piangil. Local aboriginal for black duck.
MIRAM	513	266 <u>1</u>	M. E. K. and Smyth, vol. 2, p. 37 Melbourne to Serviceton. An abbreviation of "Miram Piram." Native. Bough of a tree, branch. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 141
MIRBOO NORTH	784	109	Morwell to North Mirboo. "Mirboo," native, kidneys, reins. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 142
Мітснам	482	13 1	

Name of Station.		Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
Мітіамо	••	Feet. 319	1421	Bendigo to Piangil. R. R. Stewart, a half-caste (mother aboriginal), now living at Lake Boga, says that this name is a corruption of the native name "Mittia Mum," meaning—"Fellow me behind." (As we would put it—"Fellow behind me.")
MITRE LAKE	••	399	2273	McCallum Horsham to Goroke. The name of the lake was derived from Mitre Rock, Mount Arapiles, named by Major Mitchell, 1836, from its shape or appearance. Major Mitchell also named the lake. Mitchell, vol. 2, p. 188. Second edition, vol. 2, p. 189
Моама	• •	310	1561	N.S.W. Echuca to Deniliquin. Native. Dead. Curr, vol. 1, p. 263
Мое	••	229	80 <u>1</u>	Melbourne to Orbost. Named after the river and swamp adjacent. A. S. K. and J. B. H.
Moira	• •	310	1701	N.S.W. Echuca to Deniliquin. Native. Reedy swamp. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 202
Molesworth	••	569	901	Tallarook to Mansfield. Named after Sir William Molesworth, M.P., England, by Thomas Pinniger,
Mologa	•••	309	147	Surveyor. Saxton, p. 46 Bendigo to Piangil. Native. Large sandhill. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 203
Monea	••	550	75≩	Melbourne to Albury. Named after an old sheep and cattle station in that locality. J. L. and G. T. W. The station was named after "Monea," in County Fermanagh, Ireland
Monegeetta	••	1362	361	Lancefield Junction to Lancefield. Takes its name from a pastoral station, held in the "forties," by John Pascoe Fawkner, and then called "Mooneejettee." In 1857 it was surveyed, and the name changed to "Monegeeta." W. T.
Monegeetta North		1493	38 <u>1</u>	See Monegeetta.
Monomeith	••	22	43	Melbourne to Port Albert. Native. "Monomeeth," agree, amity, appreciate, approve. p. 142. "Monomeeth," good. Curr, vol. 3,
MONTAGUE	••	. 10	11	p. 533 Melbourne to Port Melbourne. Named after Montague-street, South Melbourne. A. S. K.
MONT ALBERT	••	345	8 1	Melbourne to Healesville. Took its name from Mont Albert-road. J. R. K. The road was probably
Montgomery	••	48	1331	named in honour of Prince Albert. T. O'C. Melbourne to Orbost. Called after Mr. William Montgomery, an early owner of the pastoral station through which the railway line was built. He was one of the earliest settlers and the largest land-holder in the district. T. L. and H. B.

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MOOLAP	Feet. 27	50	Geelong to Queenscliff. Native. Means a gathering place of the blacks when about to procure saltwater shell fish. Moolap was one of the early landing places
MOOLORT	770	1003	of the pioneers. J. McC. Castlemaine to Maryborough. Native, "Moo-laa," fern. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 160
Moondarra	1238	95	Moe to Walhalla. Native. "Mundara," thunder. Curr, vol. 3, pp. 519, 563
Moonee Ponds	137	41	
Moorabbin	118	10₹	
Moorabool	200	481	Geelong to Ballarat. Native. The curlew, according to Geelong natives. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 194. A corruption of Marrarbool. J. McC. "Moorroobull," ghost. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 122
Moorooduc	168	343	Melbourne to Mornington. Native. "Murraduk," dark. Curr, vol. 1, p. 333. Night. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 33
Mooroolbark	290	201	Melbourne to Healesville. Native. Red Clay. V. H. M., vol. 1, p. 97
Mooroopna	372	110	Seymour to Tocumwal. Native. Deep water. Smyth, vol. 2, pp. 198, 203
Moranding	1041	493	Wallan to Bendigo. Native. "Moraangtin," hand. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 12
Morang South	512	163	
Mordialloc	13	16½	Melbourne to Mornington. This place was formerly known as "Moody Yalloak," and the name was so written by William Thomas, Guardian of Aborigines in 1854. (Pioneers, p. 72.) Curr, vol. 3, p. 534, writes it "Mordi Yallook." It means "near the little sea." "Yallock," a running creek or rivulet. J. F.
Moreland	193	5}	H. Mitchell, p. 11 Melbourne to Fawkner. Took its name from the estate of Dr. Farquhar McCrae, formerly of the Enniskillen Dragoons. He purchased the property about the
			year 1838, and named it after an estate which had belonged to his grandfather—Alexander McCrae—in Jamaica. G. G. McC.
Moriac	331	60	Melbourne to Port Fairy. Formerly "Mount Moriac." Native. "Morack" hill. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 143
Mornington	61	391	Melbourne to Mornington. Named after Lord Mornington, afterwards Marquis of Wellesly, Governor-General of India, elder brother of the first Duke of Wellington. T. O'C.
Mortlake	.430	1501	

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	Feet.		
Morton Plains	355	$207\frac{1}{2}$	Maryborough to Mildura. After Mr. Affleck's station of that name. A. S. K.
Morwell	283	89	Melbourne to Orbost. After the Morwell River, near by. The name of the river was first adopted to distinguish a roadside public house and the village grew up under that name. A. S. K.
Mossiface	53	187 <u>‡</u>	Melbourne to Orbost. Originally, "Mossyface." The name was descriptive of the banks of the Tambo River at that spot. The native name was "Martungdun,"
Mount Clear	1519	773	meaning mussel shell. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 188 Ballarat to Buninyong. Named after a hill in the vicinity. V. R.
MOUNT HELEN	1626	791	Ballarat to Buninyong. Named after a hill in the vicinity. V. R.
MOUTAJUP	771	1843	Ararat to Hamilton. From the native name for an adjacent swamp. A. S. K.
Моуни	564	1613	Wangaratta to Whitfield. Native. "Meyrrheu," wind. Corrupted into "Myrhee," and again to Moyhu. A. J. E.
Moyne	66	1811	Melbourne to Port Fairy. From the River Moyne, near by. A. S. K.
Muckleford	908	841	Castlemaine to Maldon. Named after an early settler in that locality. Nicknamed "Muckle John." Saxton, p. 47. Held as a run or pastoral station by Mr. William Hunter, in 1853. A. S. K.
Munro ,	248	1441	
Murchison	403	931	Murchison East to Colbinabbin. Named after Captain John Murchison, an early squatter. He was related to Sir Roderick Murchison, an eminent geologist. Barnard, p. 47
Murchison East	401	911	See Murchison
MURGHEBOLUC	277	57	Geelong to Maroona. Native. Plenty of frogs. "Murghi," plenty; "boluc," place for frogs. J. McC.
MURRAYVILLE	191	3563	Murray, Premier of Victoria, 1910. J. E. S.
Murroon	487	951	Birregurra to Forrest. Native. The forehead. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 200
Murrumbeena	141	81	Melbourne to Orbost. Native. "Mirambeena," you. Curr, vol. 3, p. 533. Thee, thou, ye, your, belonging to you. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 142
Murtoa	460	1851	Melbourne to Serviceton. Named by Mr. Walter Madden, Land Officer, Horsham, 1873. He obtained the name from a local aboriginal, who said it was the native name of the locality, and meant "home of the lizard." The place was then lizard infested. H. W. M.

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Musk	Feet. 2231	72 <u>1</u>	Woodend to Daylesford. An abbreviation of "Musk Creek." The native musk tree grows plentifully
Myamyn	427	$224\frac{1}{2}$	there, and the creek was so named because it ran through a musk scrub. A. G. S.
Myer's Flat	606	1072	Bendigo to Piangil. An old "diggings," which, together with Myers Creek, was called after Mr. Myers, the owner of a pastoral station which extended from Marong to Yarraberb. The homestead was on Myers
Myrtleford	686	1771	CreekF. C., J. E. C., and R. B. Everton to Bright. Took its name from Myrtle Creek. Myrtle trees grew on the banks of that stream; hence the name. T. O'C.
Mysia	337	160 1	Bendigo to Manangatang. Called after that "Mysia" which, in ancient geography, was a division of Asia Minor, bordering on the Aegean Sea, the Hellespont,
Mystic Park	343	1963	the Mystic Park Hotel. A carrier, in the early days.
			built a hotel about a mile from the site of the present structure, and named it "Mystic Park," after a place near Dublin, Ireland, whence he came. He was known as Paddy Bell. R. B.
Mywee	360	150	Seymour to Tocumwel. Local aboriginal for "deep water." T. G. V. and G. T. W.
NAGAMBIE	428	78 <u>1</u>	Seymour to Tocumwal. Native. Derived from "Nogamby," meaning a "lagoon," which, in the early days, was near to the site of the township. When the
			Goulburn Weir was made, the backwater filled the lagoon and low-lying flats, forming what is now known as Lake Nagambie. W. H. S. and G. T. W.
NANDALY	216	2553	
Nar-nar-goon	115	40	Melbourne to Orbost. Means native bear or sloth. J. F. H. Mitchell p. 19
NAROGHID	630	1311	Camperdown to Timboon. Aboriginal name for the volcanic mount now known as "Ewen's Hill" (originally known as "Gnarogein Hill"), situated south-east from Terang. Stephen Ewen was one of the first landholders in that neighbourhood. "Naro-
			ghid," or "Nurragid" was the natives' name for the scarlet parrot (Red Lowrie), one of the handsomest of Australian birds, which existed in great numbers in that locality. W. K. M. and D. M.

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		<u> </u>	
	Feet.	<u> </u>	
NARRACAN	544	873	
Narre Warren	62	241	adjacent. A. S. K. and J. B. H. Native, "Narru- quon," crow. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 92 Melbourne to Orbost. This place was first known as
			"Narre Narre Warren," and was, in part, reserved by Captain Lonsdale, 1837, as a depôt for the native police. "Narre," she-oak; "Warren," ocean.
			Australasian, 28.11.03. Native. "Nyerriwarren," red. G. G. McC.
NATHALIA	335	1473	Numurkah to Picola. Named after Nathalia Narystkin, or Narishkina, mother of Peter the Great (Czar of Russia) and second wife of the Czar Alexis. T. C. M. Proclaimed January, 1880. W. T.
NATIMUK	395	2183	Horsham to Goroke. Named after Lake Natimuk. A. S. K.
NATIMUK EAST	430	217	See Natimuk
NAVARRE	748	$166\frac{3}{4}$	
		:	station on the Avon River. The sheep station was
•			named after that part of Spain which was formerly the
NAVIGATOR	1640	721	Kingdom of Navarre. T. O'C. Geelong to Ballarat. When the railway line
MAYIGATOR	1010	124	was in course of construction, a sailor obtained
			a licence for his "shanty." On the day of opening
	}		the "hotel" he hoisted a naval flag and proclaimed
			to all assembled—"This is the Navigator's
•	ļ '		Inn." The settlement which grew around has, ever
			since, been known as "Navigators." The Railway authorities clipped off the final "s." M. C. C. and
		·	P. McM.
NEERIM SOUTH	669	743	
		*	elevated, long, pointed weapon, spear. Smyth, vol.
			2, p. 144. Bunce, p. 21. War spear. Curr, vol. 3,
NT NT		1002	p. 533
NERRIN NERRIN	775	1263	Geelong to Maroona. Named after McPherson's old pastoral station or run. M. T. "Nerrin Nerrin," many waters. J. J. B.
NETHERBY	406	$267\frac{1}{2}$	Jeparit to Yanac. Named after "Netherby," in Yorkshire, England. T. O'C.
NEWLYN	1800	901	Ballarat to Daylesford. "Newlyn" is the name
			of a village in Cornwall, England, and was adopted for this township by early Cornish settlers. A. J. P.
NEWMARKET	56	23	Melbourne to Albury. New stock sale yards. Descriptive. A. S. K. Formerly written "New
**			Market." T. O'C.
Newport	51	$6\frac{1}{2}$	Melbourne to Williamstown. The name is commemora-
	'		tive of the establishment of a new port on the Saltwater River. T. O'C.
l	' , '		Daluwater Inver. I. O.

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Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
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NEWSTEAD	Feet. 710	921	Castlemains to Maryharough Called after the "New
HEWSIEAD	'``	"-4	stead Inn," opened and so named by Messrs. Beard,
			Friedlich, and Jones in 1855. The locality was
			previously known as "Mingus' Crossing-place," over the Loddon, to Simson's, Daisy Hill, and Avoca.
			See advertisement, Mount Alexander Mail,
Newtown .,	1135	923	18.5.1855 Ballarat to Linton. This place is really a continuation
110000	1100	1	of Scarsdale, and the name was given to distinguish
			it from old Scarsdale, when buildings were first erected
NHILL	431	2481	there. A. J. S. Melbourne to Serviceton. Native. "Nihill," red clay.
			It is said that the name originally supplied by
			the blacks was "Nyell," meaning the abode of spirits. D'Alton, p. 4, says that the name is
			'derived from the wooden pegs used by the blacks for
			pegging out opossum and other skins. V. H. M., vol. 1, p. 99
Nicholson	48	1761	Melbourne to Orbost. From the Nicholson River, which
			was named by Angus McMillan, 1840, after Dr.
•			Nicholson, of Sydney (afterwards Sir Charles). Pioneers, p. 256. Argus, 12.2.05
NILMA	335	631	Melbourne to Orbost. Formerly called Bloomfield, after
			a place in Ireland. "Nilma," in the language of the local aborigines, signified the home or habitat of the
			Gang Gang parrot
NINDA	220	2441	Bendigo to Nandaly. Local aboriginal for "clouds." M. E. K.
NINTINGBOOL	1230	86	Ballarat to Linton. From the name of a pastoral
NOBLE PARK	109	167	station owned by Mr. A. McLachlan, 1853. A. S. K. Melbourne to Orbost. Mr. Alan Frank Buckley, owner of
TIODED I ANA	100	104	the land upon which the station was built, called the
			park after his son—" Noble." The railway station took the name of the park. A. S. K.
Nooramunga	489	1341	Benalla to Yarrawonga. Native. "Plenty of game,"
N	400]	or "Plenty of food." T. C. and G. T. W.
Noradjuha	482	2232	Horsham to Toolondo. Native. Wind. Curr, vol. 3, p. 485. Properly, "Noredja"
NORTHCOTE	152	43/4	Melbourne to Whittlesca. Named after Sir Henry
			Stafford Northcote (Baron, 1846), second son of the Earl of Iddesleigh. Herald, 8.9.13
North Shore	49	413	Melbourne to Port Fairy. Descriptive of the position of
Nowa Nowa	49	2071	the station in relation to Corio Bay. T. O'C. Melbourne to Orbost. Native. "The Rising Sun."
TIOWA TIOWA	***	2014	Saxton, p. 50. The hill of the black stones. Argus,
		l l	6.1.17, p. 5

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	Feet.		
Nowingi	134	3221	Maryborough to Mildura. Native name of waterholes in the vicinity. A. S. K.
Nullan	420	202½	Murtoa to Hopetoun. "Nullan" is an abbreviation of Nallan Nullan, the name of a parish in the County of Borung. "Na-laan" means a spring in the Mallee. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 208. "Nullan," blow. Barry, p. 2
Nullawil :.	298	207	Bendigo to Nandaly. Native name of stick used by blacks for killing "Willock," or birds known as "Galah." A. W. B. and R. B.
Numurkan	354	1333	
Nunga	170	284	Maryborough to Mildura. Native. Day. Watkin, p. 24
Nurcound	572	2323	Horsham to Goroke. Native. Birds. Native Companion. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 62
NYAH	262	$232\frac{1}{2}$	Bendigo to Piangil. Native name of a bend in the Murray River. A. S. K. Native. "Nyah," see. Curr, vol. 3, p. 107. Native, "Nya," what. Barry,
Nyang	238	$312\frac{3}{4}$	p. 4 Ouyen to Pinnaroo. Native. To sit. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 46
Nyarrin	228	250	Bendigo to Nandaly. Aborigines' name for a mound of earth on west bank of Lake Tyrrell. M. E. K.
NYORA	-396	55 <u>1</u>	Melbourne to Port Albert. Native. The native cherry. Smyth. vol. 2, p. 173. There is a grove or clump of native cherry trees below the "Tinpot" on
Oakleigh	187	9 <u>7</u>	McDonald's track. "Nyora," was named by Mr. John Lardner, Serveyor. R. J. F.
Oak Vale	345	1851	of a park near his home in Hertfordshire, near the Malvern Hills. Haughton
Officer	108	31	Melbourne to Orbost. Named after Mr. Robert Officer, who owned land near to the site of the railway station, and took an active part in procuring the erection of
Ondit	425	96 <u>1</u>	the first siding. W. T. and Ramage Irrewarra to Cressy. Named after Lake Ondit, which is near to the station. A. S. K.

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Orbost .	Feet.	$230\frac{1}{2}$	Melbourne to Orbost. The Orbost pastoral station was
			named by Mr. McLeod, after "Orbost," in the Isle of Skye, the home of his uncle. The township took its name from the pastoral station, and the railway station took its name from the township. V. H. M., vol. 3, p. 176
ORMOND	118	81	Melbourne to Mornington. Named after Captain Ormond, of the ship John Bull, which brought immigrants to Port Phillip in 1840. Francis Ormond, of
			Ormond College and Working Men's College fame, was a son of Captain Ormond. Point Ormond, for- merly the Red Bluff, was named in honour of the
OUTTRIM	541	75 <u>1</u>	Richard Outtrim, M.L.A., formerly Minister for Mines.
OUYEN	165	2883	waterholes in the vicinity of the station. "Ouyen"
Ovens	734	1803	was discovered by Hume and Hovell, 1824, and named
		1 40	by them in honour of Major Ovens, 57th Foot, Secretary to Governor Brisbane. Labilliere, vol. 1, p. 213. Flanagan, vol. 1, p. 248
OXLEY	514	152	Wangaratta to Whitfield. Called after Oxley Plains, so named by Hume and Hovell, 1824, after John Oxley, Surveyor-General, of New South Wales. T. O'C.
PAINSWICK	744	1301	Maryborough to Inglewood. Called after "Painswick," in Gloucestershire, England. T. O'C. Melbourne to Orbost. Named after General Pakenham,
PAKENHAM	94	35½	who served in the Crimean War. He was brother-in- law to the first Duke of Wellington. Saxton
PALMERSTON	769	1731	Everton to Bright. Named after Lord Palmerston. Saxton, p. 52
PANITYA	299	368 1503	Ouyen to Pinnaroo. Native A piece of land. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 46 Melbourne to Port Fairy Named after Lord Pana
ZIII DI U IVE	200	1004	Melbourne to Port Fairy. Named after Lord Pan- mure. Saxton, p. 52. "Panmure," is Pictish for "great enclosure or church." Johnston
Paradise	905	31	V. R. The late Mr. O'Connor called his farm "Paradise," and his house "Eden." The railway station
Parwan	464	291	took its name from the farm. R. H. K. Melbourne to Serviceton. Native. Magpie. Whit-
PASCOE VALE	123	7	worth, p. 375 Melbourne to Albury. Named after a property which John Pascoe Fawkner owned there. He called the
			place "Pascoville," but the name was soon changed to the present form. Herald, 8.9.13, and T. O'C.

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	Feet.		
Ратпо	289	1651	
PENNYROYAL	530	93	p. 196 Birregurra to Forrest. Named after Pennyroyal Creek near by, where the plant known by that name grew
Penshurst	721`	2081	plentifully. A. S. K.
PETTAVEL	333	561	Melbourne to Port Fairy. Formerly Pettavel Road.
		004	Named after a Swiss vigneron, who came from
1.	1	1	Neufchatel about the middle "forties," and settled
			in the Barrabool Hills. The railway line passed
			close to his property. J. McC.
PIANGIL	206	242	Bendigo to Piangil. Native. Fish. Curr, vol. 3, p. 502
PICOLA'	327	1541	Numurkah to Picola. Native. "Bigola," whirling,
1100DA	. 02.	1012	rushing water. Steedman and G. T. W.
PIEPER	758	174	Wangaratta to Whitfield, William Herman and Alexander Emil Piepers own and occupy a farm near by.
PIMPINIO	447	$213\frac{1}{2}$	
PINE LODGE	395	121	sitting on his heels. D'Alton, p. 5 Shepparton to Dookie. Took its name from a sheep station in that locality. Whitworth, p. 380
Pinnaroo	402	373	S.A. A native term used to express a "big man." S. A. R., p. 23. "Pinaroo," an old man. Curr,
PIRA	257	2273	vol. 2, p. 20. Wood, vol. 1, p. 293
PIRRON YALLOCK	467	$104\frac{1}{2}$	
TIMBON TALLIOUR	*01	1042	
Pisgan	1496	813	loak," the little creek or water. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 193 Ballarat to Waubra. Named after the biblical mount from the top of which Moses was directed to view the
PITTONG	1181	1044	promised land. Deut., chap. 3, verse 27. T. O'C. Ballarat to Skipton. Native. Father. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 12
PLATINA	995	1021	
Pomborneit	545	1133	Melbourne to Port Fairy. Native. "Purrumbo- neit," to rub out. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 119
POORNEET	464	79 <u>1</u>	Geelong to Maroona. Native. Tadpole. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 148
Porepunkan	921	192 1	
			Indian officer who was with a party of "diggers," called the place Porepunkah—"pore" and "punkah" being two Hindoo words signifying respectively, "wind" and "blower." The name was given during
			a storm. Second:—Derived from a native name of somewhat similar pronunciation, signifying, "meeting of the waters," and having reference to the junction of
•		'	the Buckland and the Ovens rivers. E. J. D.

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PORTLAND	Feet.	251½	Ararat to Portland. The town of Portland took its name from Portland Bay. The bay was named, in honour of the Duke of Portland, by Lieutenant James
1			Grant, of the ship Lady Nelson 7th December, 1800. Labilliere, vol. 1, p. 40. The railway station took its name from the town. Native name—"Lya Whollot," long grass. Whitworth, p. 387. Smyth, vol.
PORTLAND NORTH PORT ALBERT	40 11	250 1 1363	Melbourne to Port Albert. This haven was known as "Corner Inlet." Mr. Orr, who visited the place with a party of gentlemen, in 1841, named it "Port Albert," in honour of the Prince Consort. In the Herald, 11.5.41, a vessel called the Isabella is advertised as about to sail for Port Albert. Sutherland, vol. 1, p. 221. V. H. M., vol. 2,
PORT FAIRY	15	186½	p. 50 Melbourne to Port Fairy. Named after a little vessel called <i>The Fairy</i> , James Wishart, Master, which took shelter in the bay, 1827. Sutherland, vol. 2, p. 30. The town was once known as "Belfast," and was so named after the principal city in the North of Ireland. T. O'C.
PORT MELBOURNE	10	2 1	Melbourne to Port Melbourne. This name is descriptive as the place is the port of Melbourne, on Hobson's Bay. In the early "fifties," it was known as "Liardet's" Beach, and took that name from a family resident there. Later Mr. Latrobe named it "Sandridge." That name was also descriptive, for the whole frontage, near to the beach, was an irregular
Prahran	43	3\}	ridge of sand. T. O'C. Melbourne to Sandringham. Named "Pur-ra-ran" by George Langhorne, Missionary to Aborigines, 1837. The name was a compound of two aboriginal words signifying, "land partially surrounded by water," and was given, orally, by Langhorne to Mr. Robert Hoddle, the Surveyor. Mr. Hoddle wrote it in his note-book as "Prahran," and in that form it appeared on a plan of surveyed, but unsold, lands in
Prairie	334	1361	1840. Cooper, pp. 7-8 Bendigo to Piangil. So named because of its situation on plain, or prairie country. T. O'C.
Preston	211	7	Melbourne to Whittlesea. Named by Mr. Edward Wood, after "Preston," in Sussex, England. Argus, 7.1.02
PRINCE'S BRIDGE PULLUT	348	259	See Melbourne Dimboola to Yaapeet. Native. Box-tree. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 56

Name of Station	n.	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
Pura Pura		Feet.	1211	Geelong to Maroona. Aboriginal name for the "blow
I UNA I UNA	••		1212	hole," as it is now known. This unique and curious
				volcanic freak, which is situated on the south-east slope of Mount Hamilton, consists of a square opening
				in the rocky ground, about 15 feet deep, with abso-
				lutely unscaleable walls, and with a solid natural bridge spanning it from side to side (about 12 feet
•		, , .		across). The cavity is always about half-full of clear spring water of the best quality, which was, no doubt,
				the principal attraction to the blacks for camping
Purdeet		670	$201\frac{1}{2}$	
				A superior fibrous vegetable. Blacks eat it raw or cooked. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 127. The name was
				given to a pastoral station, owned by Mr. D. Hutton
1				in 1853, and adopted for the railway station. A. S. K.
PYALONG	••	815	$56\frac{1}{2}$	Wallan to Bendigo. Native. Signifies two small water- holes excavated by the black gins, with yam sticks,
				before the whites came. J. F. H. Mitchell, p. 20.
		,		The name was given by Mr. A. F. Mollison to his pastoral station in 1837. Sutherland, vol. 1, p. 115
PYRAMID	••	294	155	Bendigo to Piangil. Pyramid Hill, from which this station takes its name, was so called by Major
				Mitchell, 1836, because, as he said, it resembled
		•		an Egyptian monument. Mitchell, vol. 2, pp. 15-7-8
Q UAMBATOOK	•••	300	191	Bendigo to Manangatang. Native. "Quambartook." A rat. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 176
QUANTONG		394	214	Horsham to Goroke. Native plum. Sometimes written "Quandong." J. F. H. Mitchell, p. 1
QUEENSCLIFF		12	67 1	Geelong to Queenscliff. Named in honour of Queen
				Victoria. Was formerly called "Shortland's Bluff," after Mr. Shortland, of H.M.S. Rattlesnake, who, with
				other officers of the ship, was engaged in the survey of Port Phillip Bay. Blair, p. 514, says that the bluff
* . • · · · ·				was named after Lieutenant John Shortland by
				Murray. Blair was inaccurate. See V. H. M., vol. 1. pp. 99-100; vol. 2, p. 30; and Records, vol. 3, pp. 345, 481-2
RAINBOW	• •	294	$266\frac{1}{4}$	Dimbools to Yaspeet. An old station name for the
				"Rises," which were once nearly covered with a variety of flowering shrubs, suggesting the colours of
	,			the rainbow. V. H. M., p. 185, vol. 4. Native name —"Croadgibrim," a bitter spring. D'Alton
RAVENSWOOD	••	979	901	Melbourne to Bendigo. Named after the Ravenswood
		•	• •	Inn. Saxton, p. 56

Name of Station.	Height above Ses.	Miles from Melbourne.	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
	Feet.		
RAYWOOD	418	120	Bendigo to Piangil. Named after an early gold "dig- ger," who worked on that field. J. A. P. H.
REDESDALE	981	76 <u>1</u>	Kyneton to Redesdale. Named after Lord Redesdale. G. C. C. The Mitford family take the title of Earl
			from "Redesdale," the valley of the river "Rede," Northumberland, which extends from the border at Carter Fell to the North Fyne. Bartholomew
Redesdale Junc-	1641	60	See Redesdale
REGENT	219	73	Melbourne to Whittlesea. Named after Regent-street, Preston. V. R.
Reid	1558	78]	Ballarat to Buninyong. Formerly "Reid's Creek." So named after David Reid, who had a sheep station there, upon which gold was discovered by one of his shepherds. Saxton, p. 56
Remlaw	434	208	Horsham to Goroke. This name was obtained by reversing that of the old pastoral station, "Walmer," near to the homestead of which it stands. A. S. K.
Reservoir	309	8 <u>1</u>	Native name—"Tulgamuruy Catyin," water of the visitors. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 178 Melbourne to Whittlesea. So called because of its proximity to a reservoir built on high ground, where
	r	1	water from the Yan Yean and Maroondah systems is stored for distribution through the metropolis. T. L.
RICHMOND	26	$1\frac{1}{2}$	Melbourne to Sandringham. Named after Richmond on Thames, in affectionate remembrance of that levely
	-		hill, where the first Tudor King built his palace and named it after his own early title, he having been Earl of Richmond. McCarron, p. 60. [Herald, 8.9.13
RICHMOND EAST RICHMOND WEST	26 68	$\frac{2}{1\frac{1}{3}}$	See Richmond
RIDDELL	1205	351	Melbourne to Bendigo. From Riddell's Creek, which was named after Mr. J. C. Riddell, an early squatter. He was elected member for West Bourke in the Second Parliament, and was re-elected to each succeeding Parliament up to and inclusive of the eighth. T. O'C.
RINGWOOD	408	15]	75 11 1 Tr. 1 111 37 1 14 4
RIPPONLEA	35	5½	Melbourne to Sandringham. From "Rippon Lea," the home of the late Sir Frederick Sargood, at Elsternwick. Although the railway station was not named until long after the demise of Sir Frederick, the Railways Commissioners recognised the property as a "land mark," and named the station after it. "Rippon," is a Sargood family name. A. H. S.

Name of Station.	Height above Sea.	Miles from	Derivation and Meaning of Name.
RIVERSDALE	Feet. 180	6 <u>1</u>	Outer Circle. Named from the Riversdale-road, on which it abuts. Originally known as Moloney's-road,
Rochester	378	1383	but was changed to the same name as the Hawthorn continuation, sometime in the "fifties." The name "Riversdale" originated in the fact that the road led to the dale or valley of the River Yarra. R. W. S.
•			Governor named the place "Rowechester," in compliment to the founder. The name soon lapsed into its present form. Argus, 23.11.14
ROCKBANK	365	181	Melbourne to Serviceton. So called because of rocky
Rocklyn	1921	86 <u>1</u>	slopes near by. V.R. Ballarat to Daylesford. The place called "Rocky
			Lead," near which this station stands, was so named because of the stony nature of the country through which the "diggers" had to sink. When the Railways Commissioners required an abbreviation of the name, "Rocky Lead," the inhabitants met and decided upon "Rocklyn," as, in some measure, pre-
R океву	380	69 <u>1</u>	Warragul and Neerim South. Named by a Councillor of the Buln Buln Shire after a village in Yorkshire, England, where he was born. R. W. F.
Rokewood	574	95	Ballarat to Cressy. This place is said to have been named by English miners, after the "Rokewood"
Romsey	1597	40½	family of "Coldham Hall," Suffolk, England. T. O'C. Lancefield Junction to Lancefield. Named after Romsey, in Hampshire, England. G. S. and A. G. G.
Rosanna	126	. 9	Melbourne to Hurstbridge. An early settler built a place which he called "Rosanna House," upon an estate to which he had given the same name. When the railway was constructed, the Shire Council recommended the adoption of the name for the railway
Rosebery	282	246	station. T. L. Murtoa to Hopetoun. Named after Lord Rosebery.
Rosebrook	29	184 1	P. D. Rose, who settled near that little stream in 1843. V. H. M., vol. 1, p. 59. Native name, "B-oyop-butyum-butyum," mesembryanthemum or pig's-face.
Rosedale	58	1111	Smyth, vol. 2, p. 178 Melbourne to Orbost. Named after Mrs. Rose Okeden, wife of a run holder. C. J. Du Ve, Olden, Rosedale

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	Feet.		
	526	341	Melbourne to Serviceton. Named after "Rowsley," in Derbyshire, England. T. O'C.
ROYAL PARK	121	3 <u>‡</u>	Melbourne to Whittlesea. So named because the station is situated at the northern end of the Royal Park. T. O'C.
Ruby	266	$74\frac{3}{4}$	Melbourne to Port Albert. Named after Ruby Creek, a stream in the vicinity. V.R.
RUPANYUP	458	1843	Lubeck to Marnoo. Native. "Rubunyup," name given to an overhanging tree near the Korong Swamp,
RUSHWORTH	475	1043	where the blacks used to camp. C. M. and G. S. W. Murchison East to Colbinabbin. The township, after which this station is called, owes its name to Mr. Horne (Orion), Warden of the gold-field. It was first known as "Dry Diggings," and "Whroo"—4 miles away—as "Wet Diggings." In order to have
			a more marked distinction between the names of the two places Mi. Horne suggested that the name "Dry Diggings" should be changed and added that it was "a rush worth coming to." The words "rush" and "worth" caught the fancy of the diggers, and the compound word, "Rushworth," was adopted.
RUTHERGLEN	555	169 1	the Hon. J. A. Wallace, after his native place in
SAILOR'S FALLS	2087	801	Lanarkshire, Scotland Ballarat to Daylesford. This place was originally known as "The Sailor's Fall." In the early "digging"
		,	days a runaway sailor was pursued by the police, and in his eagerness to escape he endeavoured to pass down one of the steep walls of the gorge. He fell to the bottom, and it was feared that he had been killed. He was, however, only badly bruised and made good his escape. In course of time the name was applied to the waterfall in the same gorge. D. McL.
SALE	32	127 3	Melbourne to Orbost. Named after Sir Robert Henry Sale (Jellalabad), 1842. T. O'C. Native name— "Way Put." Tangil, pp. 38, 87
SALISBURY	475	$242\frac{1}{2}$	Melbourne to Serviceton. Named after Lord Salisbury. Saxton, p. 58
Sandford	154	242 1	Brancholme to Casterton. The township of Sandford, from which this station took its name, was called after "Sandford" Pastoral Estate, which was occupied by the Henty family in 1837. John Henty held the property for many years, and, probably, named it after a place in England. Native name—"Watchropat," the place of bream. Glancy. Pioneers, p. 263. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 197

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Sandown Park	Feet.	151	torian Trotting Club changed the name of this race- course from "Oakleigh Park" to "Sandown Park"
Sandringham	49	111	in 1891. The name "Sandown" was taken from a race-course in Surrey, England. M. P. C.
Scarsdale	1189	904	bought a large area of land adjoining "Gipsy Village" and called it "Sandringham," after the residence of Edward, Prince of Wales—afterwards King Edward VII. T. L. Ballarat to Linton. It has been stated that this place was named after Scarsdale, in Derbyshire, England. As there is no place in Derbyshire or in any other part of England named Scarsdale, that statement is incor-
			rect. Scarsdale was one of the old Hundreds of Derbyshire, and from it the Leeke family took the title—Earl of Scarsdale. The Leeke family became extinct, and the name—Scarsdale—was reserved in the Barony conferred on Sir Nathaniel Curzon, 1761. The Victorian "Scarsdale" was, probably, named after "Harry Scarsdale," a prospector who camped near a water hole on Woady Yallock Creek. McGrath,
Seaford	17	233	called to decide upon a name for this place it was agreed that the name, whatever it might be, should contain some reference to the sea. Councillor Sydney Plowman, thinking of "Sleaford," near Boston, in Lincolnshire, his native place, suggested that the "1" in that name should be dropped, thus making it
SEA LAKE	176	238	"Seaford." The suggestion was adopted. S. P. Bendigo to Nandaly. The name was given to the lake because of its unusual depth amongst Mallee lakes. Tradition relates that a "Dago bullocky," riding in search of his team came upon this strange sheet of water, and expecting it to be, as usual in such swamps, a foot or so in depth, he boldly urged his horse across
			it. A few steps, and the water was up to the saddle flaps, for the lake, though of the smallest, is 13 feet deep. Out he scrambled in great alarm and rode back to camp crying out that he had found a lake deep as the sea—a Sea Lake. V. H. M., vol. 4,
Sebastian	478	116	p. 184 Bendigo to Piangil. Named after Sebastian Smith, a prospector who, in the year 1863, discovered a rich reef in that locality. R. B.

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Seddon	, • •	Feet.	4	Melbourne to Williamstown. Called after Richard Seddon, Premier of New Zealand, who had lived and
SELBY		753	271	worked in that locality. Herald, 8.9.13 Ferntree Gully to Gembrook. Named after Mr. G. W. Selby, J.P., a local land-owner and Shire President. M. E. K.
Serviceton	•	390	287	Melbourne to Adelaide. Named after the Hon. James Service, formerly Premier of Victoria. <i>Handbook</i> , pp. 306-362
SEVILLE	••	410	$32\frac{1}{2}$	
SEYMOUR	••	464	61 <u>‡</u>	Melbourne to Albury. Named by Major Mitchell, after Lord Seymour. Saxton, p. 59
SHEEP HILLS	••	380*	206 1	Murtoa to Warracknabeal. Named after small hills on McMillan's pastoral station, which were so called because of their suitability for sheep-yard sites.
SHELBOURNE		675	991	A. S. K. Castlemaine to Shelbourne. This place was named in honour of the Marquis of Lansdowne, after whom Lansdowne-street, East Melbourne, was also named. The second title of the Marquis was Earl of Shel-
				bourne. The latter name was, occasionally, spelt with an "o" as in The Knights of England, by W. A.
SHELLEY	••	2562	235 1	
SHENLEY	• •	223	$6\frac{1}{2}$	Outer Circle. Was named after the estate of the late Mr. C. Wentworth. The estate was named after the place in England where Mr. Wentworth's father had resided prior to leaving for Australia. R. W. S.
SHEPPARTON		372	113	Seymour to Tocumwal. Named after Sherbourne Sheppard, owner of Tallygaroopna Pastoral Station in the "forties" and "fifties." Argus, 6.1.10
Sinson	••	658	116	Maryborough to Inglewood. Named after Hector Norman Simson, formerly of Charlotte Plains Station, 1841. T. O'C.
Skehan	••	526	155 1	Wangaratta to Whitfield. Named after Mr. John Skehan, owner and occupier of a farm near the railway station. J. D. C.
SKIPTON	•••	946	111 1	
SMYTHESDALE	••	1180	88 <u>1</u>	Ballarat to Linton. Named after Captain John James Barlow Smythe. McGrath, p. 120. Native name— "Naringook." Smyth, vol. 2, p. 179
Somerton	• •,	543	13 <u>1</u>	

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SOMERVILLE	Feet.	34	Frankston to Stony Point. Named after Sir William Meredyth Somerville, M.P. for "Drogheda," 1837–1852, and for Canterbury, 1854–1865. Under-Secretary for Home Department, 1846–7. Chief Sec-
			retary for Ireland, 1847-52. Created Baron Athlumney, 1863. "Somerville" was also the name of his seat in County Meath, Ireland. Burke writes of him—"He was a distinguished statesman and orator and died lamented, on 7th December, 1873." T. O'C.
South Yarra	27	23	Melbourne to Sandringham. So named because of its position south of the Yarra River. T. O'C.
Speed	327	$264\frac{3}{4}$	Maryborough to Mildura. Named after a local land- holder. A. S. K.
SPENCER STREET SPOTSWOOD	47	 53	See Melbourne Melbourne to Williamstown. Named after Mr. Spotswood, a relative of Mrs. Richard Scddon. Herald,
			8.9.13. Previously called "Spottiswood," and said to have been so named after Captain George
Springhurst	627	160	Spottiswood. Argus, 24.5.06 Melbourne to Albury. Formerly known as "The Springs," which was the name of a pastoral station near by. From "Springs" to "Springhurst" was an easy transition when a name for the railway station
SPRING VALE	165	141	was required. A. S. K. Melbourne to Orbost. Matthew Bergin built an hotel there and called it "Spring Vale," after a spring near by. The settlement took its name from the hotel and the railway station from the settlement.
St. Albans	218	111	T. O'C. Melbourne to Bendigo. Called after "St. Albans," Hertfordshire, England. T. O'C.
STALKER	1698	1343	Beech Forest to Crowes. Named after an original land selector at Beech Forest. M. E. K. and M. T.
St. Arnaud	784	158½	Maryborough to Mildura. Named by Captain Clarke, R.E., after Marshal St. Arnaud, Commander of the French Army in the Crimea. Blair, pp. 552-3
STAVELY	840	162	Ararat to Hamilton. From Mount Stavely, which was named by Major Mitchell, 1836, after General Sir William Stavely. Mitchell, vol. 2, p. 264; vol. 2, second edition, p. 266
STAWELL	759	150	Melbourne to Serviceton. Named in honour of Sir William Foster Stawell, Chief Justice of Victoria. Previously known as "Pleasant Creek." T. O'C. The native name was "Yerip," ironbark gum-tree. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 178
St. James	451	1413	Benalla to Yarrawonga. Took its name from an old sheep and cattle station, so called and owned by Mr. O. Philpotts. A. S. K.

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	Feet.		
ST. KILDA	28	$3\frac{1}{2}$	Melbourne to St. Kilda. Named by Lieutenant-Governor Latrobe after a small vessel called the Lady of St. Kilda. Garryowen, vol. 1, p. 22; vol. 2,
			pp. 506, 954. The St. Kilda was a yacht owned by Colonel Acland, and was wrecked near the Red Bluff.
			Argus, 25.9.11. The place was named after St. Kilda, a small island on the west coast of Scotland. V. H. M., vol. 1, p. 30. Native name—"Euro Goroke,"
			meaning stone found on beach with which the blacks shaped and sharpened their axes. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 217
Stoneyford	491	111	Melbourne to Port Fairy. Took its name from a ford over the creek at the swamp. It was the old coach change. W. T. M.
STONY CREEK	156	90	Melbourne to Port Albert. After a local creek of same name. The name of the creek is descriptive.
STONY POINT	27	45½	T. O'C. Frankston to Stony Point. Descriptive of a point on the eastern side of the Mornington Peninsula, running
Strangway	755	88 <u>1</u>	out into Western Port. T. O'C. Maryborough to Castlemaine. Named after General
STRATFORD	72	137½	Strangways. Saxton p. 60 Melbourne to Orbost. Named after Shakespeare's birth- place—Stratford-on-Avon. The river near to the
	,	,	Gippsland Stratford was named "Avon" by Angus McMillan. <i>Pioneers</i> , p. 257. It has been asserted that McMillan named this river after the Scotch
			Avon, but as the English River is of world-wide fame, through Shakespeare, it is not strange that a township on the banks of the Gippsland stream should be called
STRATHALLAN	346	1461	corrupted to "Cornelia" Creek. Named "Strath-
			allan, by the Hon. William Campbell, the owner of the estate, after his birthplace in Scotland. R. B.
STRATHKELLAR	766	192	Ararat to Hamilton. Took its name from a pastoral station through which the railway line passed. The pastoral station bore the family name of the owner—Mr. Thomas McKellar. T. O'C.
STRATHMERTON	359	146	
Sulky	1510	803	Ballarat to Daylesford. Called after the place previously known as "Sulky Gully." The gully was so named
			because the rich lead of gold there was discovered by a miner of reserved disposition who had been nick- named "Sulky Bob." Mason

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Sunbury	Feet. 702	233	Melbourne to Bendigo. Named by William Jackson, after a village on the Thames. Sunbury Times, 23.5.03. The Jackson Brothers and George Evans
Sunshine	124	73	were the first settlers in that locality. T. O'C.
SURREY HILLS	287	73	Melbourne to Healesville. Named by Mr. J. Hanlon Knipe, after the hills of the English county. T. L.
SUTHERLAND	565	165½	Maryborough to Mildura. From Sutherland's Creek. Named after Robert Sutherland, pioneer. Saxton, p. 60
Swan Hill	227	$214\frac{1}{2}$	Bendigo to Piangil. Named by Major Mitchell, 1836. His party camped there, and was disturbed at night by the noise made by these wild-fowl on a lagoon. Labilliere. vol. 1, p. 292. Native name—"Marty-rocquert," platypus. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 176
SWANWATER	479	1701	Maryborough to Mildura. Took its name from the Swanwater Run or Pastoral Station
Sydenham	348	15	Melbourne to Bendigo. Named by Mr. Coane, Surveyor, and partly because of its euphony. Saxton, p. 60
Sydney	67	582½	N.S.W. The capital city of New South Wales took its name from Sydney Cove, which was named by Governor Phillip, 1788, in honour of Thomas Townshend, Vicount Sydney. <i>Records</i> , vol. 1, part 2, p. 122. The part of Port Jackson called Sydney Cove by Governor Phillip, is now known as Circular Quay
TABILK	442	74	Seymour to Tocumwal. Native. "Tarbilk," country. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 162. Called after Chateau Tabilk. Planted by R. H. Horne (Orion). A. S. K.
Tabor	674	210	Warrnambool to Hamilton. This station was called after a little hill in the locality, to which the name "Tabor" had been given. Mount Tabor, in lower Galilee, is the place to which "Barak" was commanded by Deborah, the prophetess, to lead an army of 10,000 men. Judges, chap. 4, verse 6. E. G. S. and Slattery
TALBOT	818	1071	
TALLANGATTA	622	$212\frac{1}{2}$	
TALLAROOK	558	56	Melbourne to Albury. Native. "Tooloorook," a brackish creek. Cole, p. 145. Wattle-bird. J. F. H. Mitchell, p. 6
Tallygaroopna	363	1237	

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	Feet.		,
TANDARRA	362	127	Bendigo to Piangil. Native. Camp here. Australasian, 28.10.05, and J. J. B.
TARADALE	1338	673	Melbourne to Bendigo. Named after "Tarradale," the home of Dr. Murchison, in Ross Shire, Scotland, where Sir Roderick Murchison, the eminent geologist, was born. The name was suggested by Mr. W. S. Urquhart, surveyor, as a tribute of respect to one who had made such wonderful discoveries in relation to mineral deposits. Saxton
TARGOORA	482	148	Wangaratta to Whitfield. Called after Mr. A. H. Clarke's Targoora estate near by. J. D. C.
TARNAGULLA	638	136 <u>‡</u>	Maryborough to Inglewood. Took its name from "Tarnagulla" Pastoral Station, owned by Mr. Catto, in the "forties." The township occupies the site of the old station homestead, and was surveyed in 1854. W. T.
TARRANGINNIE	506	255½	Melbourne to Serviceton. Native. Describes a man with sore feet. D'Alton, p. 5. "Tarraginna." What. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 428
TARRANYURK	297	242	Dimboola to Yaapeet. This name is believed to be a corruption of "Tarr-nook," aboriginal for "wooden bucket." T. O'C.
TARRAWARRA	240	34	Melbourne to Healesville. Native. "Tarra," thigh. Saxton, p. 62
TARRAWINGEE	602	1573	Wangaratta to Beechworth. Native. "Karawingi," Emu. Curr, vol. 3, p. 454. The place took its name from a pastoral station which included the site of the township. A. A.
TARWIN	67	861	Melbourne to Port Albert. Named after the Tarwin River. "Tarwin" is a native name signifying "thirsty." Curr, vol. 2, p. 279
TATONG	744	139 <u>1</u>	Benalla to Tatong. From a pastoral station or run in that locality. A. S. K.
TATURA	377	110	Toolamba to Échuca. Native. Small lagoon. Saxton, p. 62
TATYOON	928	1444	station in the locality, C. D. Native. "Katt- voong." water; pronounced Katyoong
TEDDYWADDY	395		Bendigo to Nandaly. Native. Signifying dirty water. R. B.
Telford	414		Benalla to Yarrawonga. Named after Robert Telford, a local landholder, who had the first pastoral station in the district. W. H. T.
Темру	256	2683	Maryborough to Mildura. Was formerly a temporary siding between Speed and Ouyen. In Railway despatches or way-bills the word "Temporary" was written in the abbreviated form, "Tempy," and in that form was adopted as the name of the station. Tuite

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TERANG	Feet. 434	1374	Melbourne to Port Fairy. Native. Small branch
THOMASTOWN	359	11	with leaves. A branch of a tree. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 214. Fresh lake. Ib., p. 183. Twigs with leaves. Dawson, p. lxxxii. Bush. Barry, p. 2 Melbourne to Whittlesea. After an early settler named
Thomson	717	104	"Thomas." Sutherland, vol. 2, p. 437 Moe to Walhalla. From the Thomson River, which was named by Count Strzelecki, 1840, after E. Dess Thomson, Colonial Secretary, Sydney. Sutherland
THORNBURY	191	6	vol. 1, p. 217 Melbourne to Whittlesea. A paddock at Northcote, when subdivided during the land boom, in 1887, was called "Thornbury Park," probably by C. H.
THORPDALE	797	91 <u>1</u>	James. The station took the name of the park. T. L. Moe to Thorpdale. First known as "Narracan South," and later as "Wallington," after Captain Wallington, A.D.C. The name "Thorpdale" was suggested, by
		,	Mr. Stranger, as suitable having regard to the meaning of the word—Saxon, "Thorp," a village; "dale," a valley. The railway station took its name from the
TIEGA	177	2951	village. G. C. and W. T. Ouyen to Pinnaroo. Native. Sister. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 67
Timboon	247	1491	
TINAMBA	105	126 1	
Tocumwal	364	156 <u>1</u>	
			opposite was fathomless, and that an underground river led from there to the rocks, 7 miles to the north-east. Lone Hand, 1.9.14. Big waterhole. J. J. B.
TONGALA	332	1303	
TOOBOORAC	1031	623	Wallan to Bendigo. This place was held as a sheep station, in 1843, by Mr. J. H. Patterson, and was, by him, named "Tourbouric," that being the native name of a large hill near the station homestead. In the early days of the McIvor diggings (Heathcote),
•			Patterson's house became licensed as a hotel, and was called the "Pick and Shovel." Pioneers, p. 6

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Toolamba		Feet.	1031	Seymour to Tocumwal. Native. Small lagoon. Argus,
LOOLAMBA	••	001	1004	17.6.05. "Toolambi," bark. Curr, vol. 3, p.
Toolondo	••	560	2343	Horsham to Toolondo. Native. A swamp. Smyth, vol. 2, pp. 62, 201
Toongabbie	••	231	1083	Traralgon to Stratford. Called after "Toongabbie," near Windsor, on the Hawkesbury River, New South Wales. A. W. H. It means, "a place near the water." Lone Hand, 1.9.14
Toora	••	45	$113\frac{1}{2}$	Melbourne to Port Albert. Native. Woman mind fire. Curr, vol. 1, p. 34
Tooradin	• •	16	$35\frac{1}{2}$	Melbourne to Port Albert. Native. The fabulous monster which was supposed to have haunted swamps and rivers. In some places called "Bunyip." The native word was "Too-roo-dun." Smyth, vol. 1, p. 436
Toorak	••	121	41	
Tooronga	••	41	51	Burnley to Darling. Native. New, not old, modern. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 150
Tostaree	••	143	213 <u>1</u>	Melbourne to Orbost. First known as "Hospital Creek." The principal inhabitant—a Dane named Jonson—kept an accommodation house, which he called "Tostarre House," after "Tostarre," his native town in Denmark. T. A.
TOTTENHAM	••	101	53	Melbourne to Bendigo. Named after "Tottenham," in Middlesex, England. a workingman's town, 6 miles from London Bridge. T. O'C.
Tourello	••	1196	93	Ballarat to Maryborough. From the name of a pastoral station owned by Donald Cameron, 1853 (Clunes and Tourello). A. S. K.
Trafalgar	• •	223	74	Melbourne to Orbost. Named after the bay in which Nelson's famous naval battle was fought. T. O'C.
TRAGOWEL	••	263	1701	Bendigo to Piangil. Named after Tragowel Swamp and a pastoral station of same name, in the locality. A. S. K.
TRARALGON	. • • !	141	97 1	Melbourne to Ofbost. Native. "Native companion," a kind of crane, feeding on frogs or "jirrygorats,"
TRAWALLA	••	1219	97 <u>1</u>	yabbies, &c. J. F. H. Mitchell, p. 18 Melbourne to Serviceton. Native. Much rain. Wild water. Smyth, vol. 2, pp. 178-192
TRAWOOL	••	546	63	Tallarook to Mansfield. Native. Called after Mount Trawool and creek of same name in vicinity. A. S. K.
TRENTHAM	••	2264	633	Woodend to Daylesford. Named after Lord Trentham. Saxton, p. 64

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Tresco	Feet. 236	201½	after "Tresco," a small village, in the parish of Breage, County of Cornwall, England, the birthplace of his father—Thomas Cornish. W. C.
TULKARA	722	163‡	and W. T. Ben Nevis to Navarre. Local aboriginal name for quail. M. E. K.
Tulloh	769	99	Colac to Crowes. Named after Mr. Colin Tulloh, a retired merchant and a land-owner in the locality. His home is in the vicinity of the railway station. J. M. R.
Tungamah	421	1494	
Tunstall	454	121	
Turriff	248	$260\frac{1}{2}$	Maryborough to Mildura. Named after Mr. Turriff, manager for Mr. E. H. Lascelles. A. S. K.
TUTYE	197	339	Ouyen to Pinnaroo. Native. Rest. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 56
Туавв	88	36½	Frankston to Stony Point. Native. "Tyaba," worm. Mathew, p. 232
Tylden	1884	56 <u>}</u>	Woodend to Daylesford. Named after Brigadier-General Tylden, of Crimean fame. Saxton, p. 64
Tynong	98	431	
ULTIMA	263	2211	Bendigo to Manangatang. This name was given to a pastoral station, in the Mallee country, taken up by Mr. G. Govett, in 1851, and was intended to signify the furthest limit of settlement at that period. V. H. M., vol. 4, p. 137
Underbool	174	3193	Ouyer to Pinnaroo. Native. Probably from "Wimbool," the ear. "Bool" means water. Native name of waterholes. A. S. K.
UPPER FERNTREE GULLY	414	223	
UPWEY	674	$24rac{1}{4}$	Ferntree Gully to Gembrook. Named, at the suggestion of Miss Tullidge, after her estate in the vicinity. The name was given to the estate because Miss Tullidge's forefathers had lived at "Upwey," an old English village on the River "Wey." G. G. F.

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Vectis	Feet. 431	2111	"Vectis," which was named by Major Firebrace, after the Roman name for the Isle of Wight, where he was born. D'Alton, p. 1. The native name of "Vectis" was "Yawmbul," a swim. Smyth, vol. 2,
VICTORIA PARK	84	$2\frac{1}{2}$	p. 178 Melbourne to Hurstbridge. The park after which this station is called was named in honour of the late Queen Victoria. It was previously known as "Dight's Paddock." T. L.
VIOLET TOWN	585	1051	
VITE VITE	711	115 <u>‡</u>	Geelong to Maroona. Named after a pastoral property in the neighbourhood, which took its name from Mount Vite Vite, a small volcanic hill, north of the town of Derrinallum. "Vite Vite," is the aboriginal term for a wading bird of the Avocet type, which frequented a large swamp in the locality, in great
WAAIA	350	1401	numbers. J. L. C. Numurkah to Picola. Native. "Waa" and "Waang," the crow. Smyth, vol. 2, pp. 9, 62, 215
WAHGUNYAH	454	174	Springhurst to Wahgunyah. Native. The resting-place of the crows. Argus, 3.6.05. Beware of the gunyah or camp. V. H. M., vol. 5, p. 32. Mud house. J. J. B.
WAHRING	414	84½	Seymour to Tocumwal. Native. "Waaring," name of a part of the Goulburn River. Saxton, p. 66
WAIL	443	2191	vol. 2, pp. 62, 194, 201, 208
WAITCHIE	181	233 1	Bendigo to Manangatang. Named after a pastoral station in that locality. M. E. K. Native name for crow. A. S. K.
WALHALLA	1021	1064	Moe to Walhalla. Norse. "Valhalla," name given by Mr. Johnson to a mining claim and afterwards adopted as the name of the town. "Valhalla," the palace of immortality, inhabited by the souls of heroes
WALLACE	1940	61 1	
WALLAN	980	29 1	Saxton, p. 66 Wallan to Bendigo. Formerly "Wallan Wallan." Native. "Walla Walla," much rain, a great flood. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 215. "Wallan-wallan," round. Ib., p. 105

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Walpeup	Feet. 350	307½	Ouyen to Pinnaroo. Means, "a big smoke." D'Alton, p. 6. An adaptation of "Warra-worup," native name for Acacia decurrens, which grows freely
		•	in the district. R. P. This place was named "Consolation Plain," by George Neumayer, 31st October, 1861. V. H. M., vol. 4, p. 69. Barry, p. 5, spells the word, "Wolpeep" and gives the meaning as "boil." This spelling and definition is more
WAL WAL	526	169	reliable than the others. T. O'C. Melbourne to Serviceton. Native. Reeds, full of reeds. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 209
Wanalta	365	$112\frac{1}{2}$	Rushworth to Colbinabbin. This place is situate on "Wangulta" Creek, and the locality was known as "One Halter Plain." Curr, vol. 3, p. 526. "Wanalta" is, probably, a corrupt rendering of "one halter."
Wandin	550	301	T. O'C.
Wandong	1050	341	p. 11 Melbourne to Albury. Native. Ghosts, spirits. Named by G. F. Askell. Sutherland, vol. 2, p. 420. "Wondong," ghosts. Curr, vol. 3, p. 373
WANGARATTA	493	145 1	Melbourne to Albury. Native. Nesting-place of cormorants, J. F. H. Mitchell, p. 19. Home of cormorants. V. H. M., vol. 5, p. 27. Open country; where rivers meet. Australasian, 12.5.06
Wannon	439	$210\frac{1}{2}$	
Waranga	425	991	Murchison East to Colbinabbin. Native. "Warranga," sing. Beveridge, p. 188. Barry, p. 5
WARBURTON	523	473	Lilydale to Warburton. Named after Charles Warburton Carr, Police Magistrate and Warden. Massina, p. 38
WARNCOORT	383	87	Melbourne to Port Fairy. Native. An abbreviation of "Tarndwarncoort," which means, "like a bandicoot running." Descriptive of the low hills on which "Tarndwarncoot," the home of Mr. Dennis, stands. U. R.
Warne	275	213	Bendigo to Nandaly. Named after a local land holder. A. S. K.
WARRACKNABEAL .	361	216½	
WARRAGAMBA	385	1401	Elmore to Cohuna. This is the native name of an upper part of Hawkesbury River (N.S.W.), from the mouth of Cox River to Nepean River. Webster, p. 2055

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	Feet.		
Warragul	367	611	savage, wild, an opponent, an enemy. Smyth, vol. 2,
WARRA-YADIN	1023	136	p. 151 Maryborough to Ararat. Takes its name from Warra Yadin Creek
WARRENHEIP	1723	693	Melbourne to Serviceton. Native. "Warrengeep,"
WARRNAMBOOL	33	166	emu feathers, trees on summit. Withers, p. 13. "Warrenyeep," Smyth, vol. 2, p. 217 Melbourne to Port Fairy. Originally, "Warnimble," a place of plenty. V. H. M., vol. 1, p. 97. Tribes on the Darling, N.S.W., have the word "Warrambool,"
			meaning "the milky way," a strip of land abounding in fine trees and shrubs, with a stream of water running through it, the home or promenade of the blessed dead. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 286. Named by Mr. Pickering, appropriate a bill beyond the Harling.
			ing, surveyor, after a hill beyond the Hopkins. Bonwick, p. 40—Western Victoria
Warrong	276	179	Warrnambool to Hamilton. Native. "Warroong,"
WATCHEM	383	2021	dew. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 100 Maryborough to Mildura. Native. Where wild hops grow. V. H. M., vol. 1, p. 97
WATCHUPGA	278	2343	Maryborough to Mildura. Native. A species of shrub (Dodonæa viscosa). Smyth, vol. 2, p. 172
Watson	1210	96 <u>1</u>	
Waubra	1489	95}	Rosales, of the late Walhalla Gold Mining Company. He retired into the Moondarra forest and cleared a good area of timbered country, including the site of the railway station. J. R. Ballarat to Waubra. Native. "Wauubra," lose
		•	the way. Barry, p. 5. "Wauubra" is the native name of a creek running through the locality. It is crooked and irregular in its course. Butler and Bourke
WAUBRA JUNC-	1508	793	See Waubra
TION WAYGARA	187	$221\frac{1}{2}$	
WEDDERBURN	675	151	p. 14 Wedderburn Junction to Wedderburn. Named from
			fifth canto and fourth verse of Scott's "Lay of the Last Minstrel" and note to same poem, relative to Sir David Home, of Wedderburn. There is, however,
The second secon			another account of the origin of this name as applied to the Victorian Wedderburn:—The township was
			surveyed by Mr. Wills. A number of young men were spending an evening with him, and the naming of the
			place was discussed. One of the guests suggested "Wedderburn," after a stream near his native place. The suggestion was adopted. V. H. M., vol. 1,
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WEEAPROINAH	Feet. 1709	1291	Colac to Crowes. This name is taken from the language of a tribe of Tasmanian aborigines, and means "large
WEERITE	476	1173	timber." Smyth, vol. 2, p. 427 Melbourne to Port Fairy. Native. "Weright," a marsh. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 184
Wellsford	480	1151	Melbourne to Echuca. Called after an extensive farm, owned by the late Mr. Mills. He called it "Wellsford
Welshpool	56	1193	Park." R. B. Melbourne to Port Albert. Named after Patricias W. Welsh, an early resident of Melbourne (1837), who carried on business as a merchant and was manager of the Batman Estate, after the death of John Batman. T. O'C.
WENDOUREE	1497	76	Melbourne to Serviceton. Native. "Wéndaaree," be off; or, off you go. Saxton, p. 67. Lake Wendouree, from which this station takes its name, was formerly known as "Yuille's Swamp." Withers, p. 13
Werneth	479	901	Ballarat to Cressy. After the "Werneth" Estate, a
Werribee	77	193	The name was first applied to the river. In 1824, Hume and Hovell called it the "Arndell," after Dr. Arndell, of Sydney. It was variously described by Wedge, the surveyor, as the "Peel" and the "Weiri-
WESTGARTH	120	334	bee." Bonwick Melbourne to Hurstbridge. Took its name from Westgarth-street, which was called after William Westgarth, an early colonist and well-known writer. T. L.
Westmere	780	$132\frac{1}{2}$	
WHITELAW	724	661/2	
WHITFIELD	807	1753	
WHITTLESEA	637	25 <u>3</u>	
WHOOREL	407	871	Birregura to Forrest. Native. "Whoola," where? C.D.
WILLAURA	813	154 2	Ararat to Hamilton. This name is said to have been formed by the surveyor from the names of his children—William and Laura. The place was previously known as Wickliffe Road. A. S. K.
Williamstown .	15	83	

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WILLIAMSTOWN BEACH	Feet.	8 <u>1</u>	See Williamstown
WILLIAMSTOWN PIER	8	9	See Williamstown
WILLOWMAVIN	1124	45 <u>₹</u>	Bendigo to Wallan. A fancy name given to Rutledge's special survey and adopted for the railway station. A. S. K.
Wimba	699	118 <u>‡</u>	
WINCHELSEA	281	70 <u>3</u>	
WINDERMERE	1330	83 1	Melbourne to Service ton. Named after a parish and small town on the eastern shore of Lake Windermere, Westmoreland, England. T. O'C.
WINDSOR	47	4	Melbourne to Sandringham. Named after Windsor, England. Site of famous castle. T. O'C.
Wingeel	390	73½	Geelong to Maroona. Native. Eagle. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 151
Winnap	140	258	Heywood to Mount Gambier. Local aboriginal for "fire." M. E. K. Native. "Wannap," fire. Smyth,
Winton	562	1271	
Wodonga	538	187	Winton. Saxton, p. 68 Melbourne to Albury. Native. "Woodanga," an edible nut. This place was taken up as a cattle station in 1836, by Mr. Charles Huon. V. H. M., vol. 5, p. 22
Wolseley	363	291 3	S.A. A town and railway station on the South Australian side of the border. It was named after Lord Wolseley, once Commander-in-Chief of the British Army. S. A. R., p. 31
Wombat	2109	85	Ballarat to Daylesford. Called after Wombat Hill. The hill was so called because it was the home or
		`	habitat of the burrowing marsupial known as the wombat. A. G. S.
Wonthaggi	81	86 <u>1</u>	Nyora to Wonthaggi. Native. Borne, drag, to pull along. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 151. Procure, to fetch, obtain. Bunce, p. 35
WOODBURN	1920	78 <u>1</u>	Ballarat to Daylesford. Named after Miles Dixon Woodburn, a councillor of the borough for many
Woodend	1840	48 1	
Woodfield	973	114 1	

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	Feet.		
Woodleigh	174	621	Nyora to Wonthaggi. An estate adjoining this railway
			Nyora to Wonthaggi. An estate adjoining this railway station was named "Woodleigh," by Isaac W. and
			Albert De Lany, the owners. They called it after a
,	İ		cattle station of that name, on the Herbert River, North Queensland, the property of Mr. Charles
			Garbutt. The railway station took its name
			from the estate of the De Lany brothers.
WOODVALE	515	112	I. W. De L. Bendigo to Piangil. Named after the "Woodvale"
YYOODYALE	313	112	pastoral station or run, situate in that locality. J. A. P. H.
Woolamai	69	721	Nyora to Wonthaggi. After Cape Wollamai, Phillip
			Island, which was named by Surgeon Bass, 1798, from
			its resemblance to the helmet headed fish—"Wolamai" or "Sea Horse," of Port Jackson. In his
+			journal Bass wrote:—"High cape, like Snapper's
			head." Records, vol. 3, p. 324
Woolsthorpe	438	185	Warrnambool to Hamilton. Called after a village in Lincolnshire, England. The birthplace of Isaac
			Newton
WOOMELANG	260	2414	Maryborough to Mildura. Native. "Woomylang,"
	200	071	poor, very miserable. Smyth, vol. 2, pp. 47-48
Woori Yallock	296	371	Lilydale to Warburton. Named after a local creek. Means, running creek or rivulet. J. F. H. Mitchell, p. 11
Woorinen	225	222	Bendigo to Piangil. Native. Mouth. (This is also
	,		applicable to the bows of a canoe.) Smyth, vol. 2,
Woorragee	1369	1783	p. 73 Wangaratta to Yackandandah. Native. Peppermint
WOOMRAGEE	1000	1104	tree (Eucalyptus). Saxton, p. 69. This place took
			its name from a pastoral station which included the
337	#10	\ n=	site. A. A.
Wright	712	35	Feintree Gully to Gembrook. Named after the land- owner upon whose block the station was built. W. T.
Wunghnu	351	1293	Seymour to Tocumwal. James Cooper, an educated and
		آ ا	intelligent blackfellow of one of the Murray tribes, now
			resident at Yarrawonga, gives the pronunciation of the name as "one yuh," and says that it means,
			boomerang. H.D.L. R. and G.T.W. "Wunghu,"
*	ļ		bad. Curr, vol. 3, p. 313
WYCHEPROOF	357	1901	Bendigo to Nandaly. Native. "Wychepoorp,"
			"Witchie," rushes; "poorp," the head or top of the
	1		hill, i.e., the plant called Witchie, grows on the top of the hill. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 208
WYCHITELLA	552	1593	Bendigo to Nandaly. Named after the old "Wychi-
		*	tella" station. Like Wycheproof, this name is
			derived from the plant called Witchie. "Witchelli," a dry stick. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 209
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	Height above Sea.	Miles from Melbourne.	
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	Feet.		
WYELANGTA	1758	133	Colac to Crowes. The name of this station was taken
		ľ	from the language of Tasmanian aborigines of Oyster
			Bay and Pittswater. It means large timber. Smyth,
	1	0=00	vol. 2, p. 427
YAAPEET	249	2763	
		انمميا	native name for natural waterholes. A. S. K.
YABBA NORTH	402	$138\frac{1}{4}$	Shepparton to Katamatite. "Yabba," native for
			plenty talk. V. H. M., vol. 5, p. 32
YABBA SOUTH	415	$133\frac{3}{4}$	See Yabba North
Yackandandah	1003	184	Wangaratta to Yackandandah. Native. "Yag-gun-
		[[doona," from "Yaggun," native name for country,
			and "doon," a hill. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 175
YANAC	421	2793	
		ا مما	which fly at night. D'Alton and A. S. K.
YAN YEAN	571	22	Melbourne to Whittlesea. Name of a native chief
•			who signed the Batman treaty in 1835. John Bat-
•		i i	man wrote the name "Yan Yan." It means
	1.		bachelor, unmarried, boyish, young male. Smyth,
		·	vol. 2, pp. 121, 123, 153. Garryowen, vol. 2,
47	200		p. 562
YARCK	689	97	Tallarook to Mansfield. Took its name from an old
		·	cattle station which, formerly, occupied that locality,
		[including the site of the railway station. G. J. T.
		}	Native, "Yaruk," the long river. Smyth, vol. 2,
V. nn. Came	000	903	p. 197
YARRA GLEN	232	30≩	Melbourne to Healesville. Takes it name from the
			adjacent river. The river "Yarra Yarra" was so
		1	named by John Helder Wedge, in 1835. The meaning, according to "Wedge," is waterfall. Bonwick,
	1	i i	m 970 If M wal A m 76 Smeth wal 9
			p. 279. V. H. M., vol. 4, p. 76. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 198. "Ever flowing" and "red gum trees" are
			the commonly accepted meanings of the words
			Yarra Yarra, T. O'C.
YARRA JUNCTION	377	421	See Yarra Glen
YARRAGON	272	69	Melbourne to Orbost. Native. "Yarragongatha,"
THINAGON	2.2	00	hair of the head. Curr, vol. 3, p. 533
YARRAVILLE	45	43	Melbourne to Williamstown. Descriptive. A town on
I AMMA TIBELL	70	74	the "Yarra." T. O'C.
YARRAWONGA	420	1613	Benalla to Yarrawonga. Native. Where the
Lamanonon	120	1012	"Wonga," or cormorant, builds in the tall gums.
			The native name of the Woradgery tribe. Argus,
	}		23.6.06. The name of the place originally was
			"Yarrawam-mether," but it was changed by Mrs.
A			Elizabeth Hume, the owner of the pastoral station
			on part of which the town was afterwards built.
			V. H. M., vol. 3, p. 83. J. F. H. Mitchell, p. 9.
e	• •		Pigeon's nest. J. J. B.
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Yarroweyan	••	Feet. 368	150½	Strathmerton to Cobram. Native. Strong wind. C. D. Yarroweyah was, originally, part of "Byjannah" station, owned by Mrs. Hume. C. T. "Yarrowee," gum-tree growing in the water.
YATCHAW	••	659	$220\frac{1}{2}$	J. J. B. Warrnambool to Hamilton. This is the native name for the place generally known as Buckley's Swamp.
YATPOOL		159	338 1	
YAUGHER	<i>.</i> ••	550	1021	
YEA	••	565	79 3	R.E., after Colonel Lacy Yea, of Crimean fame.
YENDON	٠.	1600	871	
YERING	••	238	$28\frac{1}{2}$	Saxton, p. 71 Melbourne to Healesville. Native. "Yerrang" (erroneously called "Yering"), scrubby. The flats of the Yarra were once covered with scrub. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 188. "Yerring," beard. Curr, vol. 3, p. 291
YEOBURN	••	250	184	Kerang and Koondrook Tramway. Named after Mr. Charles Yeo, who owned much land in the locality, including the site of the railway station. R. B. and W. T.
YINNAR	••	239	96 <u>‡</u>	Morwell to North Mirboo. Native. "Yinar," woman.
YORK STREET	••	1434	75	Ridley, p. 17 Ballarat to Buninyong. The street from which this station takes its name was originally called "Esmond," after the gold discoverer of that name. In the later sixties it was inhabited by dissolute characters, and, desiring to dissociate himself from a connexion so undesirable, Esmond requested that the name be changed. It was then that the name of the Hon. Elliott York, of the staff of H.R.H. the Duke of Edinburgh, was substituted. J. G.
Youanmite	••	391	142	Shepparton to Katamatite. This name comes from "Youan" or "Youang," a hill, and the affix "mite" is probably personal, as "I call it," "I say," &c. Smyth gives the name without supplying its meaning, but shows "Freshtown" as the name given on the map of the locality. Smyth, vol. 2, p. 195. T. O'C.

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