Wanted Poster for Frederick Vern, December 1854, Victoria, Australia

REVARD FOR THE APPREHENSION Frederick Vern

WHEREAS

A Man known by the name of VERN, has unlawfully, rebelliously, and traitorously levied and arrayed Armed Men at Ballaarat, in the Colony of Victoria, with the view of making war against Our Sovereign Lady the QUEEN:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That whoever will give such information as may lead to the Apprehension of the said VERN, shall receive

A REWARD OF £500

being the Reward offered by SIR ROBERT NICKLE.

By His Excellency's Command,

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DESCRIPTION OF VERN.

Tall, about 5 feet 10; inches, long light hair falling heavily on the Side of his head, little whisker, a large flat face, eyes light grey or green and very wide asunder. Speaks with a strong foreign accent. A Hanoverian by birth, about 26 years of age.

BY AUTHORITY . JOHN PERRES, GOVERNMENT PRINTER, MELBOURNE

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Colonial Secretary's Office, Melbourne, 11th December, 1864.