Kh Box 77 No. 2 Section Botanical Gardens 10.11.1896. Mr. Perry

City Clerk.

Sir, The receipts per bearer from Maze and Swing Boats yesterday total 2pounds 19 shillings and ½ pence, Maze 1pound 4 shillings and 6. ½ pence. Boats 2 pounds 14 shillings and 6 pence, please let bearer have word back with him as to whether I can get our hay cut by Mr. Adneys Mower as was done this last two years it is far more economical them cutting it with scythe.

Your obedient servant, Thomas Rooney.

Kh Box 77 16.11.1896.

Letter from Reid and Sons Ballarat Coffee Palace to his Worship the Mayor. Asking for permission to purchase a Merry – go – Round as an amusement for children at the Gardens.