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WESTERN AUSTRALIA, }
to wit.

(L. S.)
WILLIAM C. F. ROBINSON,
Governor.

PROCLAMATION by His Excellency WILLIAM CLEAVER FRANCIS ROBINSON, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Territory of Western Australia and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

WHEREAS I, the said Governor, have adjudged and declared it probable that infectious diseases, namely, Scarlet Fever and Scarletina, dangerous to the health of Her Majesty's subjects, may be brought from Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria, I do, by this Proclamation, order that all vessels coming from or having touched at Melbourne aforesaid, and all vessels and boats receiving any persons, goods, wares, and merchandise, packets, packages, baggage, wearing apparel, books, letters, or any other article whatever from or out of any such vessel so coming from or having touched at Melbourne, or on board of any vessel so coming from or having touched at Melbourne, or on board of any such receiving vessels or boats, shall be liable to Quarantine within the meaning of the Quarantine Ordinance, 1868; And I do further order that Quarantine shall be performed at the several ports of this Territory within the limits of the Quarantine grounds or stations now or hereafter to be defined in, for, or near such Ports respectively, for the period of fourteen days, to be computed from the day of arrival in the said Territory inclusively, by avoiding all intercourse or communication with any person or persons, place or places, in such Ports or elsewhere in the said Territory as is provided by the second section of the said Ordinance; *Subject, nevertheless,* to the power and authority given by the 6th and 7th sections of the said Ordinance to the several Resident Magistrates of any port or place other than Fremantle, for shortening or prolonging the time of, or releasing persons, goods, wares, merchandise, and other articles from Quarantine.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the said Colony, at Government House, Perth, this first day of February, 1876.

By Command,
A. O'GRADY LEFROY,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!!!