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PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency Major-General SIR HARRY ST. GEORGE ORD, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the territory of Western Australia and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

(L.S.)
H. ST. GEORGE ORD,
Governor.

WHEREAS the Legislative Council now stands prorogued until Wednesday, the twelfth instant, and whereas it is expedient further to prorogue the same; Now THEREFORE I, the said Governor, in exercise of the powers in me vested, do by this my Proclamation further prorogue the said Legislative Council from Wednesday, the twelfth instant, until Wednesday, the ninth day of April, next ensuing.

Given under my hand, and issued under the Public Seal of the said Colony, this tenth day of March, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

By His Excellency's Command,
ROGER TUCKERD. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!!!

No. 298.—C.S.O.

Government Notice.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 7th March, 1879.

WITH reference to *Government Gazette* Notice, C.S.O., 203, of 18th November, 1878, relating to the introduction of Chinese Immigrants, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to notify, that a batch of fifty Chinese Coolies has arrived per "Janet" from Singapore, for employment in the Colony for a term of three years. The Government has already received applications for the services of a number of these Coolies, but as such applications were made without any knowledge of their several occupations, it is thought better to furnish these particulars for the information of the public.

The Government will now be prepared to receive applications from persons willing to engage any of the Coolies, whose callings are subjoined, for not less than one year, at the wages specified—rations and lodgings to the satisfaction of the Government being guaranteed in addition.

Applications which have been already made, will have priority of consideration if renewed on the above terms.

7	House Servants				
5	Cooks				
5	Gardeners				
4	Laborers, also accustomed to Carpenter's work				
4	do.	do.	Ship	do.	do.
4	do.	do.	Tanner's		do.
2	do.	do.	Blacksmith's (Hammermen)		
1	do.	do.	Sawyer's work		
1	do.	do.	Tailor's	do.	
17	do.	generally			

All the laborers express their willingness to make themselves generally useful.

It is desirable that any one applying for the services of these Coolies, should, if possible, be represented by some Agent at Perth or Fremantle, with whom the Government can

communicate respecting the details of the condition of their employment, over which the Government will exercise constant supervision during the whole time of their indenture.

Applications should be made direct to Mr. Dale, Superintendent of Immigration, North Depôt, Fremantle.

By His Excellency's Command,
ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 300.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 10th March, 1879.*

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the appointment of Lance-Corporal BURNSIDE as Pound-keeper at Northam.

By His Excellency's Command,
ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 301.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 10th March, 1879.*

IT is hereby notified, that on the recommendation of the Local Roads Board for the Wellington District, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to declare the under-mentioned road to be a Minor Road in accordance with the provisions of the 34th Victoria, No. 26.

The road now in use from the 2-mile post on Bunbury to Australind Road, Southward via Scott's Elup Farm, to the present entrance gate to Miss Bunbury's property, on the way to Picton Church, and from said entrance gate to said Picton Church, and also from said entrance gate South-westerly along track now in use to the Bunbury to Dardanup Road, meeting said road near the Quarry Reserve.

By His Excellency's Command,
ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 297.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 4th March, 1879.*

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Two-wheeled Trap for Police Department,") will be received at this Office until noon of Tuesday, the 18th day of March, from persons willing to build a Two-wheeled Trap for the Police Department.

For particulars apply at the office of the Superintendent of Police.

Tenders to state sum offered for old trap at present at Police Stables, Perth.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and will require the guarantee of two responsible persons for the due performance of the Contract.

Forms of Tender may be had on application to the various Resident Magistrates, and at the Public Offices, Perth; and no tender will be entertained unless rendered on the prescribed form.

By His Excellency's Command,
ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 295.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 1st March, 1879.*

IT is hereby notified, that on the recommendation of the Local Roads Board for the Swan District, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to declare the undermentioned Road to be a Minor Road in accordance with the provisions of the 34th Vict., No. 26.

To commence at the Road between Guildford and Perth, going in a South-east direction on the north side of the Northern Boundary of Location 22, continuing South-east until it meets a track, the general bearing of which is East-south-east, following this track until it meets a line, a continuation of the North-east boundary of Location 773, passing outside of the North-east end of 773, continuing in the direction (viz. S.E.) a few hundred yards beyond 773 (so as to avoid a hill and afterwards tender ground), then turning South to meet on the Northern Boundary of Location 28 a line commencing at the East corner of Location 34, passing in nearly a North-east direction outside of Location 33 through 32 and 31 outside 30 and 29 through 28 and meeting on the Northern Boundary of 28 the proposed line from Perth Road to that point.

By His Excellency's Command,
ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 277.—C.S.O.

Immigration from the Australasian Colonies.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 6th February, 1879.*

WHEREAS a notice with the above heading was published in the *Government Gazette* of March 30th, 1875, whereby it was notified that certain passage money would be paid to persons introducing from the Australasian Colonies European Immigrants of the laboring classes, and that certain assistance towards the passages of the wives and families of persons so introduced would also be allowed; Notice is now given, that the above Notice of March 30th, 1875, is cancelled, and that from and after the date of this Notice no such passage money will be paid.

Persons interested in this matter will also take notice that grants of land are still made to Immigrants, but under conditions somewhat different to those set forth in the said Notice of March 30th, 1875. The conditions under which those grants are now made are to be found in the Land Regulations published on the 14th September, 1878.

By His Excellency's Command,
ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 256.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 18th January, 1879.*

WHEREAS certain lands belonging to the Pensioners' Benevolent Society have been sold to certain Pensioners, but the said Pensioners have had no proper conveyances executed to them of the said lands; and whereas by an Act passed in the 37th year of the reign of Her Present Majesty and numbered 17, power was given to the Governor to appoint some person to be the successor of the

last Treasurer of the above-named Society, for the purpose of executing conveyances to the Pensioners above referred to; and whereas the Governor, in pursuance of the said Act, appointed Frederick Palgrave Barlee, Esq., now Lieutenant-Governor of Honduras, to be the successor of the last Treasurer, as above mentioned, and for the above-mentioned purpose;

Now this is to give notice that if any Pensioner, entitled as above, will have a proper deed of conveyance prepared and send the same, together with all proper vouchers and evidences of title, to the Colonial Secretary, on or before the 1st day of June next, the Colonial Secretary will, on being duly satisfied of the title of the claimant, forward such deed of conveyance to the said Frederick Palgrave Barlee, for execution by him, and will do all in his power to procure its execution.

After the above date, the Government will decline in any way to assist any Pensioner claiming to be entitled to land from the Pensioners' Benevolent Society.

By His Excellency's Command,
ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

*Registrar General's Office,
Perth, 8th March, 1879.*

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the undermentioned Minister of the Congregational Church has been duly registered for the Celebration of Marriages in Western Australia:—

Name.	Residence.	District.
Rev. Jos. Odgers.	Fremantle.	Fremantle.

LAURENCE S. ELIOT,
Registrar General.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN LINE.

(FIRST SECTION.)

*Department of Public Works,
Perth, 3rd December, 1878.*

TENDERS will be received at this Office up to noon on Monday, the 21st April, 1879, for the construction of a Line of Railway between the Port of Fremantle and Guildford, being a distance of 20 miles or thereabouts.

Plans and Specification can be seen at this Office on and after Monday, the 20th January, and at Melbourne and Adelaide at a place and on a date which will be duly announced.

Printed Specifications will be obtainable at Three Guineas each.

Each Tender must be accompanied by a Bank Deposit Receipt for £1,000, in favor of the Commissioner of Railways.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
Commissioner of Railways.

Rents for Crown Lands.

*Crown Lands' Office,
Perth, 28th February, 1879.*

THE attention of the public is drawn to the following regulation:—

All annual rents, except rents for mineral lands which are payable on the first of January, are to be paid in advance on the first day of March in each year; licenses or leases from time to time granted during the year, may be dated as from the first day of January and the first day of July; the proportion in this case that is to be charged for the portion of the first year shall be so calculated, but no period less than one-half of a year shall be allowed, the rent being always calculated as from the first of January to the thirty-first of December. Failure of payment of rent shall forfeit all right to the land and the improvements thereon; and all applications for renewal of licenses must be deposited at the Land Office on or before the last day of January in each year. Except when fresh applications are being dealt with, no application will in future be made for payment of rent from the Treasury or any of its branches.

MALCOLM FRASER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Comptroller's Office,
Fremantle, 8th March, 1879.*

A CERTIFICATE of Freedom has been issued to the undermentioned Convict, whose sentence has expired:—

Reg. No. 8422 Alfred Skelton

A CONDITIONAL Release has been issued to the undermentioned Convict:—

Reg. No. 9773 George Hudson

HIS Excellency The Governor has been pleased to revoke the Tickets-of-Leave of the undermentioned Convicts:—

Reg. No. 5936 James Williams
" 9422 James Cuthbert
" 9845 F. G. Parsons
" 9881 Thomas Spelling

JOHN F. STONE,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF LAND TITLES.

1878 Transfer of Land Act, 1874.

TAKE NOTICE that William McCormick of Fremantle formerly a military pensioner has made application to be certificated as the owner of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcel of land situate in the city of Perth viz:—

Building Lot W 67

as the same is described in the maps and books of the Survey Office and is of record therein.

The allotment has frontages upon Mackie Street Short Street and Nash Street and was originally granted to William Boyle.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all other persons claiming to have any estate right title or interest in the above land are hereby required to lodge with the Registrar of Titles on or before the 21st day of March next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the Act.

J. C. H. JAMES,
Commissioner of Land Titles.

February 21st, 1879.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Meteorological Observations for the week ending 7th March, 1879.

WIND Registered by Mr. Forsyth, Harbor Master, at Arthur's Head, Fremantle; altitude above the sea 55 feet, in Latitude $32^{\circ} 02' 14''$ S., Longitude $115^{\circ} 45' 12''$ E.

The other instruments registered are placed in the grounds adjoining the Survey Office, Perth; altitude above the sea 47 feet, in Latitude $31^{\circ} 57' 25''$ S., Longitude $115^{\circ} 52' 02''$ E.

MALCOLM FRASER,
Surveyor General.

Week ending.	BAROMETER: Mean Reading corrected, and reduced to sea level, and 32 deg. Fah.	THERMOMETERS IN SHADE.				RADIATION THERMOMETERS.		RAIN: Amount in inches.	WIND.		DEGREE OF HUMIDITY, Saturation = 100: mean amount.	CLOUD: Mean amount.	OZONE: Mean amount.	EVAPORATION: Amount in inches.
		Dry.		Wet.		Solar.	Terrestrial.		Horizontal velocity in miles, per 24 hours.	General direction.				
		Maximum.	Minimum.	Maximum.	Minimum.									
10th	29.885	84.0	62.0	77.0	59.0	143.8	53.0	0.26	346.80	South Westerly	74	5	5	1.79

Total Rainfall for the week=0.26 inches.

Highest reading of Barometer 30.120 6th
Lowest do. do. 29.713 4th

Thermometers in shade. { Maximum Dry 102.3 1st
Minimum 53.0 7th

The Observations are taken at 10 a.m., (excepting Barometer, which is registered at 12 a.m.)

M. A. C. FRASER,
Observer.

NOTICE.

Bunbury Municipality.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Bunbury Municipal Council, held on the 20th January, 1879, the following Assessment was declared on all rateable property situated in the Bunbury Municipality for the year 1879, viz. :—

Eightpence in the pound on all occupied premises; fourpence in the pound on all unoccupied premises for six months previous to declaration of this rate.

All vacant grants in Victoria Street to be valued at £60, and the same in all other streets be valued at £30. That the annual value of all such vacant grants be estimated at one-tenth of their total value for the purposes of this rate.

The rate as above declared to be levied in two collections, viz., the first on the 1st April, and the balance on the 1st September in the current year.

Signed at Bunbury, this 1st day of March, 1879.

WM. SPENCER,
Chairman of the Bunbury Municipality.

NOTICE.

I HAVE applied to the Geraldton Roads Board for permission to close the old road running through my paddocks at Tibbradden, in Pastoral Lease No. 9207. Said road lying south of the present main road to the eastward,

JOHN S. DAVIS.

Tibbradden, 20th February, 1879.

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