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No. 401.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 22nd August, 1879.*

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct the publication, for general information, of the Finding of the Court held under the provisions of the 28th Vict., No. 2, on the 11th day of August, 1879, for the purpose of enquiring into the circumstances connected with the casualty that occurred to the schooner "Belle of Bunbury," at Bunbury, on the 5th instant.

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

HAVING in accordance with the provisions of 28 Vic. No. 2, made inquiry respecting the casualty which occurred to the schooner "Belle of Bunbury," in the Port of Bunbury, on August 5th, 1879, we find,

1. That on the 5th August, 1879, the "Belle" was in process of being removed from the Middle Head, on the western side of the Jetty, round its extreme end to the Eastern side.
2. That the ring of the anchor to which she was temporarily riding broke.
3. That the "Belle" drifted down upon the Jetty, and carried away her stern, port bulwarks, chain plates, boom, bowsprit, &c., besides doing considerable damage to the Jetty.
4. That the said casualty resulted wholly from the ring of the anchor to which she was riding giving way, and that no blame attaches to the master, mate, or crew of the vessel.

W. PEARCE CLIFTON, R.M.,
Sub-Collector of Customs.

THOS. H. LOVEGROVE, J.P.

Resident Magistrate's Office, Bunbury, }
August 13th, 1879. }

No. 389.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 11th August, 1879.*

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the Legislative Council has decided on placing at the disposal of Government a sum of money to ensure the products of the Colony being properly represented at the forthcoming Exhibition, to be held at Melbourne in 1880.

It is the intention of Government in the appropriation of this sum to restrict itself, as is usual in other countries, to assisting the efforts of persons who may be willing to exhibit on their own account—and not itself to attempt to exhibit on behalf of the Colony, except it may be in the case of some special product for the exhibition of which it has greater facilities than the public.

The Commissioners of the Melbourne Exhibition having urgently requested that the Government would state, as soon as possible, the probable amount of space required by Western Australia, it is necessary that intending Exhibitors should forward to the Colonial Secretary, not later than 30th September, a list of the articles or products proposed to be exhibited, to facilitate which, blank forms, as under, can be obtained from Government Residents and Resident Magistrates, and at all the Post Offices throughout the Colony.

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

MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.

Name of Exhibitor and place of residence.	Goods proposed to be Exhibited.		Cubical or superficial space to be occupied when exhibited.	Remarks.
	Description, including quantity or number.	In which District Grown, Produced or Manufactured.		

C.S.O.—No. 402.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth, 22nd August, 1879.

HIS Excellency The Governor directs the publication of the following General Abstract of the Average Amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the National Bank of Australasia, for the Corporation generally, for the Quarter ended 30th June, 1879.

By His Excellency's Command,

ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY, Colonial Secretary.

GENERAL ABSTRACT, showing the Average Amount of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the NATIONAL BANK OF AUSTRALASIA, for the Corporation generally, taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter, from the 1st April to the 30th June, 1879.

LIABILITIES.			AMOUNT.		TOTAL.		ASSETS.			AMOUNT.		TOTAL.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				£	s.	d.
Notes in Circulation	{	Not bearing Interest...	273525	9	11	5086	4	11	Coined Gold and Silver and other	.....	395953	4	4
		Bearing Interest...
Bills in Circulation	{	Not bearing Interest...	.....	.....	.....	30933	18	3	Landed Property, Premises, &c. ... ..	.....	101533	7	10
		Bearing Interest...
Balances due to other Banks ... ..			.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Notes and Bills of other Banks ... ..	.....	28617	12	2
Deposits.....	{	Not bearing Interest...	900563	10	10	.....	.....	.....	Balances due from other Banks ... ..	.....	36707	6	6
		Bearing Interest... ..	1834671	10	1								
Total Amount of Liabilities			3044780	14	0	Total amount of Assets			4225044			2	8	

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 30th June, 1879 £800,000

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 12½ p cent. p annum.

Amount of the last Dividend declared £50,000

Amount of the Reserved Profits after declaring such Dividend £294,794 8s. 6d.

Perth, 19th August, 1879.

JOSEPH SMYTH, Manager.

I, JOSEPH SMYTH, make oath, that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful Account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities of the above Bank for the Corporation generally, during the period specified; and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Ordinance of the 30th Victoria, No. 9.

Sworn before me at Perth, this 19th day of August, 1879.

} FRANK DE LISLE, Justice of the Peace.

JOSEPH SMYTH.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Meteorological Observations for the week ending 21st August, 1879.

WIND Registered by Mr. Forsyth, Harbor Master, at Arthur's Head, Fremantle; altitude above the sea 55 feet, in Latitude 32° 02' 14" S., Longitude 115° 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° 57' 25" S., Longitude 115° 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.	MEAN OZONE: Mean amount.	EVAPORATION: Amount in inches.
		Dry.		Wet.		Solar.	Terrestrial.		Horizontal velocity in miles, per hour.	General direction.				
		Maximum.	Minimum.	Maximum.	Minimum.									
21st	30.128	67.2	47.3	60.1	45.5	119.4	40.3	.74	12.13	Easterly.	75	3.4	6.3	.49

Highest reading of Barometer 30.311 17th | Thermometers in shade. { Maximum Dry 73.8 18th
 Lowest do. do. 29.804 19th | { Minimum Dry 42.3 17th

The Observations are taken at Perth at 9 a.m., (excepting Barometer, which is registered at 12 a.m.)

M. A. C. FRASER, Observer.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Mail Time Table during the Months of
AUGUST-SEPTEMBER, 1879.

FOR THE AUSTRALIAN COLONIES, &c.								FOR EUROPE, INDIA, CHINA, &c.			
Per Rob Roy and Otway.				Overland.				Per Rob Roy.*			
CLOSE AT	DAY.	DATE.	TIME.	CLOSE AT	DAY.	DATE.	TIME.	CLOSE AT	DAY.	DATE.	TIME.
Perth ...	Monday ...	Aug. 25	11 a.m.	Perth ...	Saturday	Aug. 30	11 a.m.	Perth ...	Monday ...	Sept. 8	11 a.m.
Fremantle ...	Monday ...	Aug. 25	1 p.m.	Fremantle ...	Saturday	Aug. 30	8 a.m.	Fremantle ...	Monday ...	Sept. 8	1 p.m.
Guildford ...	Monday ...	Aug. 25	8 a.m.	Guildford ...	Saturday	Aug. 30	8 a.m.	Guildford ...	Monday ...	Sept. 8	8 a.m.
York ...	Saturday	Aug. 23	2:30 p.m.	York ...	Wednesday	Aug. 27	2:30 p.m.	York ...	Saturday	Sept. 6	2:30 p.m.
Northam ...	Saturday	Aug. 23	12:30 p.m.	Northam ...	Wednesday	Aug. 27	12:30 p.m.	Northam ...	Saturday	Sept. 6	12:30 p.m.
Newcastle ...	Saturday	Aug. 23	4 p.m.	Newcastle ...	Wednesday	Aug. 27	4 p.m.	Newcastle ...	Saturday	Sept. 6	4 p.m.
Canning ...	Friday ...	Aug. 22	Noon	Canning ...	Friday ...	Aug. 29	Noon	Canning ...	Friday ...	Sept. 5	Noon
Pinjarra ...	Thursday	Aug. 21	10 p.m.	Pinjarra ...	Thursday	Aug. 28	10 p.m.	Pinjarra ...	Thursday	Sept. 4	10 p.m.
Bunbury ...	Monday ...	Aug. 25	9 p.m.	Bunbury ...	Thursday	Aug. 28	8 a.m.	Bunbury ...	Monday ...	Sept. 8	9 p.m.
Vasse ...	Monday ...	Aug. 25	10 p.m.	Vasse ...	Wednesday	Aug. 27	4 p.m.	Vasse ...	Monday ...	Sept. 8	10 p.m.
Victoria Plains	Saturday	Aug. 23	8 p.m.	Victoria Plains	Saturday	Aug. 23	8 p.m.	Victoria Plains	Saturday	Sept. 6	8 p.m.
Gingin ...	Sunday ...	Aug. 24	3 p.m.	Gingin ...	Sunday ...	Aug. 24	3 p.m.	Gingin ...	Sunday	Sept. 7	3 p.m.
Dongarra ...	Thursday	Aug. 21	9 a.m.	Dongarra ...	Thursday	Aug. 21	9 a.m.	Dongarra ...	Thursday	Sept. 4	9 a.m.
Champion Bay	Thursday	Aug. 21	10 a.m.	Greenough ...	Wednesday	Aug. 20	6 p.m.	Greenough ...	Thursday	Sept. 4	9 a.m.
Northampton	Wednesday	Aug. 20	9 a.m.	Bannister ...	Sunday ...	Aug. 31	3 a.m.	Champion Bay	Thursday	Sept. 4	2 p.m.
				William River	Sunday ...	Aug. 31	10 a.m.	Northampton	Wednesday	Sept. 3	9 a.m.
				Arthur River	Sunday ...	Aug. 31	3 p.m.	Mt. Barker ...	Wednesday	Sept. 3	6 p.m.
				Kojonup ...	Sunday ...	Aug. 31	10 p.m.	Kojonup ...	Thursday	Sept. 4	8 a.m.
				Mt. Barker ...	Monday ...	Sep. 1	3 p.m.	Arthur River	Thursday	Sept. 4	3 p.m.
								William River	Thursday	Sept. 4	8 p.m.
								Bannister ...	Friday ...	Sept. 5	2 a.m.

For Albany and the Offices on the Road Overland:

CLOSE AT PERTH.	ARRIVE AT ALBANY.	CLOSE AT ALBANY.	ARRIVE AT PERTH.
Thursday, September 11th, 11 a.m.	Sunday, September 14th, 11 a.m.	Tuesday, September 16th, 11 a.m.	Friday, September 19th, 11 a.m.

MAILS FROM EUROPE, &c.:

Due at K.G. Sound.	Expected to arrive at K.G. Sound.	Expected at G.P.O.
Monday, September 8th ...	Thursday, September 4th ...	Sunday, September 7th ...

MAILS FROM COLONIES, &c.:

Leave Melbourne.	Leave Adelaide.	Due at K.G. Sound.	Expected to arrive at K.G. Sound.	Expected at G.P.O.
"OTWAY," Saturday, August 16th ...	Wednesday, August 20th	Tuesday, August 26th ...	Tuesday, August 26th ...	Sunday, August 31st
"P. & O. STEAMER," Thursday, September 4th	Saturday, September 6th	Thursday, September 11th	Wednesday, Sept. 10th ...	Saturday, September 13th

The Correspondence by these Mails will be despatched to District P.Os. for Distribution by first opportunity after receipt. (See Annual Time Table of 1st January, 1879.)

* The English Mails to be despatched on the 8th September, will be due in London *via* Brindisi on October 20th, and *via* Southampton on October 27th.

LETTERS for Registration must be posted one hour before the closing of the Mails.

LATE LETTERS, on payment of a fee of 6d., may be posted half-an-hour after the closing of the Mails.

NEWSPAPERS and Book Packets must be posted one hour before the closing of the Mails, otherwise they will not be forwarded until the next Mail.

MONEY ORDERS will be issued as under:

For the Australian Colonies, &c., up to Saturday, August 23rd, at 11 a.m.
Do. Friday, August 29th, at 11 a.m.
For the United Kingdom, up to Saturday, September 6th, at 10 a.m.

A. HELMICH,

General Post Office, Perth,
8th August, 1879.

Postmaster General and General
Superintendent of Telegraphs.

LAND SALES.

Crown Lands' Office, Perth, 25th August, 1879.

THE undermentioned Allotments of Land will be offered for Sale, at Public Auction, on the date and at the places specified in the Schedule below, at one o'clock, p.m.

SCHEDULE.

Date of Sale.	Place of Sale.	Description of Lot.	Number of Lot.	Quantity.			Upset Price.	
				a.	r.	p.		
1879.								
Sept. 3	Perth	Fremantle Town	716	0	2	17	£12 $\frac{1}{2}$ lot.	
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	840	0	2	21		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	883	0	2	0		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	884	0	2	0		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	885	0	3	0		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	846	0	3	26		
Do.	Do.	Perth Do.	H 65	0	3	19		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	" 107	1	1	20	£15 per lot.	
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	" 115	1	2	13		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	" 132	2	2	20		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	" 133	2	2	20		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	" 109	1	2	13		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	" 116	2	0	24		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	" 117	2	2	16		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	" 118	1	3	24		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	" 119	1	3	24		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	" 120	2	2	35		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	" 114	1	2	13		
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	V 116	0	2	27		
Do.	York	York Do.	51	1	0	0		£10 per lot.
Do.	Do.	Do. Do.	360	1	0	36		

MALCOLM FRASER, Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Central Board of Education,
Perth, 20th August, 1879.

THE Central Board of Education has been pleased to appoint Revd. A. BUCHANAN a member of the Wellington District Board, vice R. H. Rose, Esq., resigned.

CHARLES H. CLIFTON,
Secretary.

Comptroller's Office,
Fremantle, 23rd August, 1879.

CERTIFICATES of Freedom have been issued to the undermentioned convicts whose sentences have expired:—

Reg. No. 9007, George Stainforth
" 9495, James Lemercie
" 10086, Peter Vigo

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

Reg. No. 9487, James Kenworthy

JOHN F. STONE,
Comptroller.

NOTICE.

WE have this day applied to the Beverley Road Board for permission to close the track running through our 40-acre block, No. 873, at Winarlin.

E. ROBINSON & Co.

August 18th, 1879.

Department of Public Works,
Railway Branch,
Perth, 26th July, 1879.

I HEREBY certify that the Geraldton and Northampton Railway may safely be used for Public Traffic.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
Commissioner of Railways.

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