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*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
June 30, 1842.*

Tenders in triplicate will be received at this office until two o'clock on Tuesday, the 19th July next, for supplying the under-mentioned stores required for the use of H.M. schooner Champion.

Tallow, 1 cwt.
1 coil rope, 1½ inch
1 do. ¾ inch
1 bolt No. 4 canvass
Nails mixed, ¾ of cwt.
Scarf tacks, 500
Pump ditto, 500
Copper ditto, 10 lbs.
Yellow paint, 14 lbs.
Black do. 28 lbs.
White do. 28 lbs.
Paint oil, 8 gallons
6 paint brushes.
Fir planks for bulwarks, 6 of 1½ inch
Mahogany ditto, 7 of ¾ inch
Pump leather, ½ hide
Sheet lead, 25 lbs.
8 squares of window glass, 4 of 7x6½,
and 4 of 11½x7½
Powder, 20 lbs.
Beeswax, 2 lbs.

*By His Excellency's command,
PETER BROWN.*

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
July 7, 1842.*

His Excellency the Governor has directed the following to be published.

*By His Excellency's command,
PETER BROWN.*

*H. M. Col. schooner Champion,
Nornulup, June, 17, 1842.*

I beg to inform you for the information of His Excellency the Governor, that having left King George's Sound on the 12th inst. and reached about twelve miles to the eastward of Cape D'Entrecasteaux, I fell in with a heavy gale of wind, which by noon the next day had driven us so far to the eastward that I deemed it prudent to run into Nornulup; and, passing between the outer and inner islands, I found a clear deep passage about 1½ miles wide; the outer island has a ledge of rocks even with the water's edge, laying S.W. by S. about ½ of a mile. The south side of the passage has a small reef extending about 100 yards off the island, or perhaps less. Hauling close round this, I anchored in 8 fathoms water, with the outer island bearing S.S.W.½W., Rame Point E. of ½ S., and the inlet about W., distant ¾ of a mile. This bay, found between Rame Point and the black rocks, appeared clear, excepting off Rame Point, where I saw heavy breakers at least 2½ or 3 miles, and affords ample accommodation in its west corner from any wind to the westward of S.W.; a long swell, however, even with a N.W. gale run in. Hoisting out my boat, I went and examined the entrance to the inlet, which I found about 200 yards wide, but more than half with heavy rollers on it, but keeping close to the south side I found a channel of from 14 feet to 6 feet, but not less, and about 20 yards wide; the entrance running

nearly east and west for about 300 yards, then turned north about the same distance into a large sheet of water, whose greatest breadth was about N.E. and S.W. It was full of shoals, having, I have no doubt, passages through them. Its greatest breadth I estimate at 3½ miles, and its depth about two. The next day I again went into the inlet, and passing a small island near the N.W. point I found a river running, and pulling in found about 4 or 5 feet of about 30 yards wide, and running in a westerly direction; it was beautiful fresh water at its entrance. I went about two miles up and saw it still running some considerable distance beyond, undiminished in breadth, but very much deeper having 12 feet water. I stopt at a small white sandy cliff, the land on each side was very thickly timbered with white gum. The whole inlet abounds with wild fowl, and the river with fish.

I have the honor
to remain, Sir,
Your obed't servant,
FRANK HELPMAN.

The Hon. the Colonial }
Secretary, Perth. }

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
July 4, 1842.*

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct it to be notified for the information of those concerned that warrants for the payment of the undermentioned contingent accounts have been sent to the Colonial Treasurer between the 1st and 30th June—

Sundry persons, pay for police—May
G. Leake, boots for constable Williams
J. Williams, constable's pay
F. F. Armstrong, native school expenses—
May and June
Do., provisions for natives
A. Jones, Teacher Guildford
Do., rent of school
R. Robinson, Teacher Fremantle—1st Jan.
to 30th May
Do., sundries for school
H. C. Sutherland, Theodolite purchased
Sundry soldiers, services with Assistant-
Surveyor Hillman quarter ending 31st
March, 1842
Do., ditto April and May
A. Hillman, forage allowance
Do., bush do.
C. Bibra, repairing harness, &c.
J. Crichton, saddle supplied
W. Rogers, tuition at Perth to 30th June
Do., expenses as witness
T. Wright, do.
J. Collins, do.
J. Welbourne, expenses as constable
J. Chipper, do.
J. Williams, do.
T. Salkill, do.
Shenton & Co., tools, &c., for Rottnest
G. Leake, rice and soap for do.
F. Croft, blankets for do.
E. Back, boat hire to do.
N. Smith, superintending prisoners at labor
H. H. Brown, allowance as Hospital-
Assistant
Do., provisions to patients

T. Gill, chainer's pay
W. Holmes, maintenance of M. White—
May and June
E. Barron, conveyance of mail Guildford
Thos. Hester, ditto Bunbury to 30th June,
and allowance for charge of Post
Office Canning
M. Quin, conveyance of mail Fremantle—
May and June
N. E. Shaw, ditto Toodyay
James Jones, ditto York.
Bibra & Mylne, repairs to bonded store,
Fremantle
J. W. Davey, case of stationery
C. J. Sholl, copying bill of Council
L. & W. Samson, auction commission on
sale of boat
H. Trigg, travelling expenses on service
R. McB. Brown, ditto
John Crane, work at embankment at the
Flats
W. Sheppard, attendance on Sundays at
Church, 3 months ending 30th June
A. Helmick, services Colonial Secretary's
office
*By His Excellency's command,
PETER BROWN.*

*Commissariat Office, Perth,
July 7, 1842.*

Tenders in triplicate will be received at this Office on Thursday, 21st July, 1842, at 12 o'clock, for the supply of Fifty gallons Vinegar, and six cwt. Peas, for Her Majesty's service.

W. H. DRAKE,
Dep.-Asst.-Com.-General.

*Commissariat Office, Perth,
July 7, 1842.*

Tenders in triplicate will be received at this Office on Thursday, 21st July, 1842, at 12 o'clock, from such persons as may be willing to undertake the making and baking of biscuit from flour to be supplied by the Commissariat from this date to the 31st March, 1843.

The tenders must express the rate of charge per cwt., and the quantity of biscuit to be returned for each cwt. of flour issued to the contractor.

Two sufficient sureties will be required for the due performance of the contract.

For further particulars application to be made to this office.

W. H. DRAKE,
Dep.-Asst.-Com.-General.

*Commissariat Office, Perth,
June 27, 1842.*

To be sold by Auction at the Commissariat Store, on Monday, 11th July, at 12 o'clock, a quantity of Colonial Bran.

Also, a small quantity of transport stores, consisting of peas, raisins, brown sugar, &c.

W. H. DRAKE,
Dep. Asst. Com. General.

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