WESTERN AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

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Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth, January 22, 1848.

Persons desirous of Contracting for the Conveyance of the Post Office Mails, from and to the undermentioned places, for one Year from the 1st April, 1848, are requested to send in their Tenders to this Office, on or before Tuesday, the 21st March next-

Daily. Between Perth and Fremantle. Three times a Week. Between Perth and Guildford.

Once a Week. Between Guildford and Toodyay via York. Once a Month.

Between Fremantle and King George's Sound, via Mandurah, Australind, Bunbury and the Vasse.

The several Mails to be carried on horseback or in light carts.

Parties tendering or an authorised agent to attend at this Office on the day appointed to open the Tenders, and each Tender is to bear the signature of two respectable persons who are willing to enter into a bond with the contractor for the safe conveyance of the mail, and the due performance of the contract.

By His Excellency's command, G. F. MOORE, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth, January 27, 1848.

Additional Tenders.

It being considered advisable to establish a more frequent communication with the Southern Districts, if such an object can be attained at any reasonable rate, additional Tenders will also be received at the same time with the above, for carrying a Mail once a fortnight, or once a week, between Perth and Mandurah, Bunbury, or the Vasse, and also for carrying a Mail monthly between Bunbury and Albany, to which objects the particular attention of the Resident Magistrates of these districts respectively, is particularly directed.

By His Excellency's command, G. F. MOORE, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth, *February* 4, 1848. With reference to the Chinese Laborers recently sent for to Singapore, His Excellency directs it to be notified that no Applicant will be considered entitled to receive one of these men who has not complied with the terms of the Government Notice dated 5th Jan. 1848.

By His Excellency's command, G. F. MOORE,

Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,

February 4, 1848. The System of Promiums offered in the Notices dated 23rd June, 1841, and repeated on the 12th Jan. 1847, for the training of Aboriginal Youths in habits of civilized life, not having been productive of the beneficial results which were expected therefrom, His Excellency has directed it to be notified that the said Notices are hereby rescinded, and that no claim arising

after this date will be acknowledged. Parties having previous to this time taken any of the Aborigines into their service, with a view to claim a premium on that account, are required to notify the same to the Government within three months from this date, giving the name and description of the native, and the period from which he has been employed in order that the claim may be recorded.

By His Excellency's command, G. F. MOORE,

Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office Perth, February 19 1848.

Weekly Report of Depasturiny Licenses ssued.

T. F. Smith, 4,000 Acres, Avon district. By His Excellency's command G. F. MOORE,

Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office Perth,

February 19 1848.

Depasturing License.

The following application has been received :

Feb. 21, 1848-James M'Coart, 330 acres, Sussex District, adjoining the fee-simple lands of Sir J. Stirling, the Rev. Dr. Brady, and Messrs. Ommanney, Hur-ford, Doolan, and Moriarty.

By Hie Excellency's command G. F. MOORE, Acting Colonial Secretary.