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Proclamation.

By His Excellency Lieut.-Col. FREDERICK CHIDLEY IRWIN, Knight Companion of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Territory of Western Australia and its Dependencies, and Vice Admiral of the same.

In pursuance of the authority in me vested by a certain Act of the Imperial Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland, and passed in the 5th & 6th years of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled "An Act for regulating the sale of Waste Lands belonging to the Crown in the Australian Colonies," I do hereby notify and proclaim, that the following portion of Land in the district of the Avon, will be offered for sale by Public Auction, by the Collector of Revenue, at Perth, on Wednesday, the 19th day of April, 1848, at the upset price affixed thereto, on the terms and conditions set forth in certain land regulations, dated the 14th June, 1843.

Avon Location, No. 57—Comprising twelve (12) acres, more or less, extending 10 chains N.N.W. and 12 chains W.S.W. from a spot 20 chains N.N.W. from the S.W. corner of Avon Location, No. 4.

Upset price £1 per acre.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony, at Perth, this 21st day of March, 1848.

F. C. IRWIN,
Governor, &c.

By His Excellency's command,
G. F. MOORE,
Acting Colonial Secretary.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!!!

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sale by Public Auction by the Collector of Revenue at Perth on Wednesday, the 19th April next, at the upset price affixed thereto, on the terms and conditions set forth in certain land regulations, dated 14th June 1843.

Perth Suburban Lots, Nos. 12, 13, 14 and 15.—Containing two acres each or thereabouts.

Upset price £2 per acre.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony, this 18th day of March, 1848.

F. C. IRWIN,
Governor, &c.

By His Excellency's command
G. F. MOORE,
Acting Colonial Secretary.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!!

Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
April 7, 1848.

Tenders will be received at this Office up to 12 o'clock on Wednesday, the 18th instant, for supplying the Jail at Fremantle with Fresh Meat for 12 months.

By His Excellency's command.

R. R. MADDEN,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office Perth,
April 7, 1848.

Considerable inconvenience having arisen from the non-attendance of the number of Magistrates hitherto required to carry into effect the provisions of the Act of Council, 6 Will. 4, No. 2, "for the recovery of small debts in a summary way in districts remote from Perth"—viz, of three Magistrates, notice is hereby given that from this date the attendance of two Magistrates will be sufficient to form the Court.

By His Excellency's command,
R. R. MADDEN,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office Perth,
April 7, 1848.

Circumstances having arisen which render the present receipts of the Post Office Department very inadequate to the expenditure for that service, His Excellency the Governor in virtue of the Ordinance 9 Vict. No. 6 "to provide for the conveyance and Postage of Letters," and of the provision of said Act, empowering him to "increase and reduce the Postage of the same from time to time, as to the Governor shall seem meet," has directed it to be notified for general information, that hence-

forward an additional charge of *two pence* on each single foreign letter received in this colony, and a charge on double letters according to the present ratio of the charges on increased weight, shall be made, and likewise of *one penny* on each foreign Newspaper received in this colony, except in the case of Newspapers addressed to the Editors of Newspapers.

By His Excellency's command,
R. R. MADDEN,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth
March 28, 1848.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct the publication for general information, of the following copy of a Treaty of Commerce and Navigation between Her Majesty and the Grand Duke of Tuscany.

By His Excellency's command,
R. R. MADDEN,
Colonial Secretary.

Treaty of Commerce and Navigation between Her Majesty & the Grand Duke of Tuscany. Signed at Florence, April 5, 1847.

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and His Imperial and Royal Highness the Grand Duke of Tuscany, being equally animated by the desire of extending the commercial relations between their respective dominions, have agreed for this purpose to conclude a Treaty of Commerce and Navigation, and have named as their Plenipotentiaries, that is to say:

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Honourable Peter Campbell Scarlett, Her Majesty's Secretary of Legation at the Court of His Imperial and Royal Highness the Grand Duke of Tuscany;

And His Imperial and Royal Highness the Grand Duke of Tuscany, Alexander Humbourg, Knight of the Military Order of Saint Stephen Pope and Martyr, Knight of the Grand Cross of the Order of Merit, with the title of Saint Joseph, Commander of the Order of Civil Merit of Saxony, Knight of that of Leopold of Austria, Privy Councillor of State, Finance, and War, Director of the Royal Secretaryship of War, Minister of Foreign Affairs of His Imperial and Royal Highness:

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following Articles:—

ARTICLE I.

From and after the date of the exchange of the ratifications of the present Treaty, British vessels arriving at, remaining in, or departing from, the ports of Tuscany and its dependencies, and Tuscan vessels arriving at, remaining in, or departing from, the ports of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, or of Her Britannic Majesty's possessions abroad, shall be subject to no other or higher dues or charges, of whatsoever nature they may be, than those which are now, or shall hereafter be, imposed upon national vessels, on their arrival at, during their remaining in, or on their departure from such ports.

ARTICLE II.

1. All articles of the growth, produce, or manufacture of Tuscany and its dependencies, which are or shall be permitted to be exported from the ports of Tuscany and its dependencies in Tuscan vessels, shall likewise be permitted to be exported from those ports in British vessels, either to the ports of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, or to the ports of Her Britannic Majesty's possessions abroad, or to the ports of any other foreign country.

2. All articles of the growth, produce, or manufacture of the dominions of Her Britannic Majes-

ty, which are or shall be permitted to be exported from the ports of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland in British vessels, shall likewise be permitted to be exported from those ports in Tuscan vessels, either to the ports of Tuscany and its dependencies, or to the ports of any other foreign country.

3. All articles of the growth, produce, or manufacture of Tuscany and its dependencies, which are or shall be permitted to be imported in British vessels, from the ports of Tuscany and its dependencies, or from the ports of any other foreign country, into the ports of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, shall likewise be permitted to be imported in Tuscan vessels.

4. All articles of the growth, produce, or manufacture of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, which are or shall be permitted to be imported into the ports of Tuscany and its dependencies in Tuscan vessels, shall likewise be permitted to be imported into those ports in British vessels.

ARTICLE III.

All articles whatsoever which can be legally imported into the ports of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland in Tuscan vessels, or into the ports of Tuscany and its dependencies in British vessels, shall, on their importation, be subject to the same duties of importation, dues, and charges, and be entitled to the same bounties, drawbacks, and allowances, whether such articles be imported in vessels of the one or of the other country.

ARTICLE IV.

All articles whatsoever, which can legally be exported from the ports of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in Tuscan vessels, or from the ports of Tuscany and its dependencies in British vessels, shall, on their exportation, be subject to the same duties of exportation, dues, and charges, and be entitled to the same bounties, drawbacks, and allowances, whether such articles be exported in vessels of the one or of the other country.

ARTICLE V.

The Ionian Islands being under the protection of Her Britannic Majesty, the subjects and vessels of those Islands shall enjoy in the Tuscan dominions, all the advantages which are granted by the present Treaty to the subjects and vessels of Great Britain, as soon as the Government of the Ionian Islands shall have agreed to grant the same reciprocal advantages in those islands to the subjects and vessels of His Imperial and Royal Highness the Grand Duke of Tuscany; it being understood that to prevent abuses, every Ionian vessel claiming the benefits of the present Treaty, shall be furnished with a patent signed by the Lord High Commissioner, or by his representative.

ARTICLE VI.

The present Treaty shall be in force until the first of January, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, and further until the end of twelve months after either of the High Contracting Parties shall have given notice to the other of its intention to terminate the same; each of the High Contracting Parties reserving to itself the right of giving such notice to the other on the first of January, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, or at any subsequent time.

And it is hereby agreed between them, that at the expiration of twelve months after such notice shall have been received by either Party from the other, this Treaty, and all the provisions thereof, shall altogether cease and determine.

ARTICLE VII.

The present Treaty shall be ratified, and the ratifications thereof shall be exchanged at Florence, at the expiration of two months, or sooner if possible.

In witness whereof the above-named Plenipotentiaries have signed the present Treaty in two originals, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done at Florence, the fifth of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven.

(L.S.) P. CAMPBELL SCARLETT.
(L.S.) A. HUMBURG.

Declaration signed by the British and Tuscan Plenipotentiaries on the exchange of the Ratifications of the preceding Treaty.

The Undersigned, Plenipotentiaries of Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and His Imperial and Royal Highness the Grand Duke of Tuscany, having met together for the purpose of exchanging the ratifications of the Treaty of Commerce and Navigation signed at Florence on the 5th of April last :

The Plenipotentiary of Her Britannick Majesty hereby declares, by order of His Government, that the provisions of the Treaty shall extend to the British possessions of Malta and Gibraltar.

The Plenipotentiary of His Imperial and Royal Highness the Grand Duke of Tuscany hereby declares, by order of his Government, that British steam-vessels may enter, remain in, and depart from Tuscan ports, without being obliged upon each occasion to pay the port charges of any kind which may be due, but that the account thereof shall be settled at the end of every six months ; and the Consul of Her Britannick Majesty at Leghorn shall arrange with the authorities in Tuscany as to the measures to be taken for regulating and assuring the payment thereof.

The Plenipotentiary of His Imperial and Royal Highness further declares, by order of his Government, that British steam-vessels are permitted to maintain in Tuscan ports coal-hulks for their express use and at their own charge.

Done at Florence, the twelfth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven.
(L.S.) P. CAMPBELL SCARLETT.
(L.S.) A. HUMBOURG.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
April 1, 1848.*

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Alfred Hawes Stone, Esquire, to be Commissioner of the Court of Requests in the Town of Perth, in the room of E. W. Landor, Esq., who has retired.

*By His Excellency's command,
R. R. MADDEN,
Colonial Secretary.*

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
April 1, 1848.*

Weekly Report of Depasturing Licenses issued.

March 24.—James M'Court, 330 acres, Sussex district

“ 30.—Messrs. Lefroy, 20,000 acres Melbourne district

April 1.—T. Little, 8000 acres, Wellington district.

Weekly Report of Sandal-wood Licenses issued.

April 1.—G. Hancock, 2 men, 3 months York district.

Publican's License.

Edward Barnard, City Arms, Perth.

Dog Licenses.

Guildford & Swan Districts.

G. F. Moore	3	R. Brockman	1
— Doust	1	E. Ellis	1
W. L. Brockman	5	S. Moore	2
G. Best	2	— M'Gorman	1
D. Jones	1	J. Pollard	1
E. Forbes	1	J. Williams	1
R. Bates	2	C. Pratt	1
E. Briley	1	W. Fisher	1
J. Welbourne	1	S. Heal	1

*By His Excellency's command
R. R. MADDEN,
Colonial Secretary.*

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
April 7, 1848.*

His Excellency the Governor is pleased to direct the publication of the last Quarterly Return of the Western Australian Bank of the Average amount of Notes in Circulation.

Average Notes, £4,199.

Average Deposits, £15,740 2s. 11d.

*By His Excellency's command,
R. R. MADDEN,
Colonial Secretary.*

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
April 6, 1848.*

His Excellency the Governor, directs it to be notified for general information, that the Tender of Richard Lennard for erecting a Building for the reception of Native Prisoners in Perth, has been accepted.

*By His Excellency's command,
R. R. MADDEN,
Colonial Secretary.*

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
April 7, 1848.*

His Excellency the Governor, has been pleased to appoint the Hon. Richard Robert Madden, Esquire, Colonial Secretary, to be a Magistrate of this Territory.

*By His Excellency's command,
R. R. MADDEN,
Colonial Secretary.*

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
April 6, 1848.*

His Excellency the Governor, directs it to be notified for General information, that the undermentioned Tenders for conveying the several Mails specified for 12 months from the 1st of April, Instant, have been accepted :

Perth and Fremantle daily.—G. Haysom.
Perth and Guildford, 3 times a week —G. Haysom.
Guildford and Toodyay via York weekly —C. Horne.
Fremantle and King George's Sound, by way of Maudurah, Australind, Bunbury, and the Vasse Monthly —T. Watson.
Fremantle. and Australind, Bunbury, and the Vasse, once a Month —T. Watson.

*By His Excellency's command,
R. R. MADDEN,
Colonial Secretary.*

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c. To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting. KNOW YE, that we having taken into our Royal consideration, the Loyalty Integrity and ability of our trusty and well beloved Richard Robert Madden, Esquire, do hereby constitute and appoint him the said Richard Robert Madden to be Colonial Secretary of our colony of Western Australia. To have, hold, exercise, and enjoy the said office and place during our pleasure, together with all the rights, privileges, profits, and advantages thereunto

belonging or appertaining. Provided always that the said Richard Robert Madden shall continue to reside within the said Territory of Western Australia, and shall execute the said office in his own person, except in case of sickness or other incapacity. In witness whereof we have caused our trusty and well beloved Frederick Ohidley Irwin, Governor and Commander in chief of our said colony, to affix to these presents the public seal of our said colony.

Signed at Perth, Western Australia,
this 4th day of April, in the Year of
our Lord 1848.

Signed E. C. IRWIN
Governor &c.

TO be Sold by Public Auction by MR LIONEL SAMSON, on Wednesday, the 17th of May, next at one o'clock precisely, by order of the Mortgagee.

The South East half of the building Allotment in Perth, V. 26, situate in Murray Street, at present in the occupation of Thomas Highfield.

Perth, April, 7 1848.

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