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Proclamation.

By His Excellency CHARLES FITZGERALD,
Esquire, Commander in the Royal Navy,
Governor and Commander-in-Chief in
and over the Territory of Western Aus-
tralia and its Dependencies and Vice-
Admiral of the same.

IN pursuance of the authority in me
vested by a certain Act of the Impe-
rial Parliament of Great Britain and Ire-
land, passed in the 5th and 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 portions of Land will
be offered for Sale by Public Auction, by
the Collector of Revenue, at Perth, on
the 18th day of July next, at one o'clock,
at the upset price affixed thereto, on the
terms and conditions set forth in certain
Land Regulations, dated 14th June, 1843:

At Perth, on the 18th of July next,—
Perth Building Lot Y 63. Upset price 20*l*.
Fremantle Building Lot No 189. Upset price
30*l*.

At Perth on the 1st August, 1855—

Guildford Building Lot No 148. Upset price 10*l*.
Cockburn Sound Location No 66—Comprising
46 acres more or less, bounded on the East by a
South line of 23 chains from a spot 6 chains West
from S.E. corner of H. M. Lefroy's location No
60; on the South by a West line of 20 chains 90
links; on the West by a North line of 20 chains,
and on the North by Location 60 and 61, all
boundaries true. Upset price £1 per acre.

Cockburn Sound Location No 67—Comprising
10 acres more or less, in a square of 10 chains, ad-
joining South side of T. Gardiner's location No
62; opposite boundaries parallel and equal and all
true. Upset price £1 per acre.

Avon Location No. 146—Comprising 10 acres
more or less in form of an average square on left
bank of Warrenine Brook, the East boundary
extending magnetic NNW through centre of a
flooded gum tree, notched with a cross, near right
bank of a tributary to left bank aforesaid: bridged
near the junction about a mile true NW by W
from J. Walker's location 129; bounded also on
the River side by a public roadway one chain in
width. Upset price £1 per acre.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal
of the said Colony, at Perth, this 9th day
of July, 1855.

CHARLES FITZGERALD,
Governor, &c.

By His Excellency's command,
W. A. SANFORD,
Colonial Secretary.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!!!

Proclamation.

By His Excellency CHARLES FITZGERALD,
Esq., Commander in the Royal Navy,
Governor and Commander-in-Chief in
and over the Territory of Western Aus-
tralia and its Dependencies and Vice
Admiral of the same.

IN pursuance of the authority in me
vested by a certain Act of the Impe-
rial Parliament of Great Britain and Ire-
land, passed in the 5th and 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 portions of Land will
be offered for Sale by Public Auction
by the Sub-Collector of Revenue at
Albany on the 1st of August next, at one
o'clock, at the upset price affixed thereto,
on the terms and conditions set forth in
certain Land Regulations, dated 14th
June, 1843:—

By the Sub-Collector of Revenue at Al-
bany on the 1st August, 1855:—

Plantagenet Location No. 73.—Comprising 10
acres more or less in a square of 10 chains true
North and South, and 10 chains East and West,
the middle of the East boundary being at junction
of two small water courses about 10 chains North-
westward from the old Barracks at Narpund.
Upset price £1 per acre.

At Albany, on the 5th September, 1855:—

Kojenup Location No. 13.—Comprising 30 acres
more or less bounded on the South by a line 10
chains east and 20 chains west from the centre of
Warkelup spring, on the East and West by north
line of 10 chains each, and on the North by an

east line of 30 chains, all boundaries true, Upset price £1 per acre.

Kojenup Location No. 14.—Comprising 10 acres more or less extending 10 chains East and 10 chains South from a spot 2 chains South from NE corner of R. Noorish's Location No. 2, at Warkelup spring, opposite boundaries parallel and equal and all true. Upset price £1 per acre.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony, at Perth, this 15th day of July, 1855.

CHARLES FITZGERALD,
Governor, &c.

By His Excellency's command,
W. A. SANFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!!!

Proclamation.

By His Excellency CHARLES FITZGERALD, Esq., Commander in the Royal Navy, 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, passed in the 5th and 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 portions of Land will be offered for sale by public auction, by the Collector and Sub-Collector of Revenue on the days and at the places hereinafter mentioned at one o'clock at the upset price affixed thereto, on the terms and conditions set forth in certain Land Regulations, dated 14th June, 1843:—

At Perth on the 1st August 1855;—

Perth Building Lot Y 177. Upset price £25.

Swan Location No. 138.—Comprising 10 acres more or less in form of an average square adjoining south side of the new Road, Guildford to Toodyay, the West boundary starting south from a part of said road 300 yards eastward from the 6th mile post from Guildford, the South boundary 10 chains in length east, and all true. Upset price £1 per acre.

At the Vasse on the 1st August 1855;—

Busselton Building Lot No. 95. Upset price £7.
Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the colony, at Perth, this 15th day of July, 1855.

CHARLES FITZGERALD,
Governor, &c.

By His Excellency's command,
W. A. SANFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!!!

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
July 14, 1855.*

TENDERS (in duplicate) will be received at this office up to noon of the 31st July inst., from persons desirous of purchasing Government Debentures (in sums of not less than £100) to the extent of £1000, repayable at the option of the Government any time after the expiration of 12 Calendar months from the date of issue, three months' notice being given of intention to discharge such Debentures.

Persons tendering to state the rate of interest at which they are disposed to pur-

chase and to what amount.

By His Excellency's command,
W. A. SANFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
July 14, 1855.*

IT having been represented that great risk to the Bridges on the line of road from Perth to Albany, is entailed by persons lighting fires under the land piles of such Bridges; it is hereby notified for general information that most positive instructions have been issued to the Police to prevent a recurrence of such practice, and any persons discovered offending in this respect will be punished with the severest penalty of the Law.

By His Excellency's command,
W. A. SANFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
July 14, 1855.*

Tillage Lease.

THE Sub-Collector of Revenue will offer for sale in Albany, at Public Auction on the 5th September, 1855:—

A Tillage Lease for 8 Years, ending the 31st December, 1862, of the following land in the Plantagenet District.

Bald Island, to the Eastward of Mount Manypeak, comprising 320 acres, more or less. Annual Rent £10; upset premium 5s.

The whole premium and half the Annual Rent payable for remainder of 1855.

By His Excellency's command,
W. A. SANFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

Intended Road Northam to Bolgart.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
July 12, 1855.*

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct the publication for the information of all whom it may concern, of the following general description of an intended public road to be run between Northam Townsite and Bolgart Reserve, as nearly as may be found desirable along the line at present in use.

The road to be sixty-six feet wide, commencing at the turning off from the present marked road adjoining the new Churchsite at Northam, and extending in a NNWesterly direction crossing the Northern boundary of Northern Townsite about 35½ chains from its east end, crossing the Northern boundary of location 14 about 40½ chains from its East end, crossing the Northern boundary of Location 6 nearly 36 chains from its east end, entering the Southern boundary of Location W about 85½ chains from its West end, crossing the Western boundary of the same Location about 88 chains from the West corner of the Location, and extending thence in a general NNW direction for 11½ miles to Bejoording, passing through the Eastern part of Location No 4. From Bejoording the Road will pass in a Northerly direction to Bolgart Spring, crossing obliquely through portions of Locations 5 and 37, and thence will take a NNWesterly direc-

tion towards Moore River and Champion Bay.

By His Excellency's command,
W. A. SANFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

*General Post Office, Perth,
July 14, 1855.*

List of unclaimed Letters lying at this Office:

Gordon, Mr.
Jameison, W.
Ward, Mr.

THE undermentioned Letter is detained at this office for Bearing Stamps insufficient to cover the Postage:—

Edward Macklin, Toodyay.
A. HELMICH,
Postmaster-General.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
July 14, 1855.*

CONDITIONAL PARDONS have been this day signed for the following men:—

Reg. No. 87 David Sutherland
" 103 Thomas Woods
" 1780 William Serman
" 2405 James Farrell
" 2520 John Grant.

By His Excellency's command,
W. A. SANFORD,
Colonial Secretary.

THE following Address has been presented to His Excellency the Governor from the inhabitants of Fremantle:—

To His Excellency CHARLES FITZGERALD Esq., Commander in the Royal Navy, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Territory of Western Australia and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY—

We the undersigned, free inhabitants of the town of Fremantle, in the Colony of Western Australia, beg to approach Your Excellency, on the eve of your departure from this colony, with our expressions of the high esteem and respect which we entertain for you, and also the regret we all feel at your departure from amongst us.

It is now nearly seven years since your Excellency assumed the Government of this colony. At that time, the colony may be said to have hardly held existence; for years it had been struggling, and the colonists had almost ceased to hope. There was little scope for more than kind consideration on the part of our Ruler; and in those days of trouble, we always found you cheering us in our difficulties, and encouraging us to fresh exertions.

After two years, the determination of Her Majesty's Government to convert the colony into a Penal Settlement, in accordance with the wishes of the majority of its inhabitants, opened a wider field, and we believe we speak the feelings of the colonists at large, when we assert that, looking to the sudden and material alteration in the circumstances of the colony, occasioned by such determination, Your Excellency's rule over us has been one of more than usually unmixed satisfaction.

The general tenor of your public and private life, your accessibility and prompt attention to the wants and wishes of all, have won from us no ordinary degree of esteem, and with the highest respect for your character, and a well founded con-

viction, that the period of your administration will be ever gratefully remembered by us.

With such feelings, we respectfully address your Excellency, and bid you and Mrs FitzGerald farewell, with a fervent prayer for your future happiness and continued success in life.

Your Excellency's
Humble and Obedient Servants.

To which His Excellency replied :—
Government House,
Perth, July 7, 1855.

Gentlemen,—

I have to thank you for your kind Address, and much as your previous hospitality and respectful consideration on all occasions both to me and Mrs. FitzGerald might have led me to expect. I was scarcely prepared for this last flattering tribute so far above any merit I could claim, at the same time I can with sincerity assure you that the difficulties of your position at the principal port has ever engaged my anxious attention, and my great regret is that more has not been done to facilitate your commercial enterprise, I trust however the little that has been effected will be to you an earnest of my desire to give increased facilities in the Roadstead for the ingress and egress of vessels, and also to establish a safe and secure harbor by the construction of a mole from Arthur's Head, which would have long since been proceeded with had not the magnitude of the undertaking been hitherto so far beyond the resources of the colony.

Your allusion to the present state of things as compared with the past comes pleasingly on the mind. I remember the day of my landing now nearly seven years since when all was gloom, despondency, and despair.

Let us therefore be grateful to an All-wise Providence for the present prosperity which everywhere prevails, and that such may be continued until no doubt remains of the permanent stability of every interest in Western Australia, is I assure you the anxious wish of Mrs FitzGerald and myself.

I have, &c.,
CHARLES FITZGERALD,

THE following Address was presented to His Excellency the Governor by the Ministers of the Wesleyan and Congregational Churches:—

To His Excellency CHARLES FITZGERALD Esq., Commander in the Royal Navy, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of Western Australia, and Vice Admiral of the same.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY

We, the Ministers of the Wesleyan and Congregational Churches in the colony of Western Australia, feel it meet and right to address your Excellency on the occasion of your departure from the colony.

From a sense of your Excellency's ability and justice in the administration of the government over which you have presided in this colony for the urbanity and kindness which we have invariably experienced at your hands as individuals:

and especially for the interest, sympathy, and impartiality, which your Excellency has ever evinced for the promotion of the interests of the denominational Churches to which we respectively belong, we cannot but express our sincere thanks; and beg to assure your Excellency that, you will long live in the grateful remembrances of that portion of the christian community of this colony which we now represent; and over the spiritual interests of which, in the order of Divine Providence, we have been placed.

We refer with delight to the general harmony and christian reciprocity which has invariably subsisted among all denominations of christians in this colony during your Excellency's administration: and we are led to attribute this inestimable feeling mainly, under the blessing of Almighty God to your Excellency's persevering endeavours to deal fairly with all parties according to christian charity and judgment: and we trust that the harmony so subsisting among brethren, and which your Excellency has had the happiness to promote will be crowned with the more enlarged blessing of a gracious Providence on all the religious, social, and civil interests of this colony.

We most respectfully offer our cordial and best wishes for your Excellency's continued health and prosperity, and that of your estimable and amiable family.

To Mrs. FitzGerald we would make distinct and sincere acknowledgements, for the deep interest she has manifested in the charitable and laudable institutions of the colony, and towards the poor in general: and we unite in the earnest prayer that, she may long be spared to prosecute her labours of love, and richly to enjoy as her best reward that favour which is life, and that loving kindness which is better than life."

We beg to remain your Excellency's faithful and obliged servants

SAMUEL HARDEY
JAMES LEONARD
WILLIAM LOWE
JOSEPH JOHNSTON
T. W. CHARLESWORTH

Perth, July 12th 1855.

His Excellency replied :—

Government House,
Perth, July 12, 1855.

Reverend Gentlemen,—

I receive with no ordinary satisfaction the Address you have honored me with on the eve of my departure, bearing testimony to the impartiality of procedure and fair dealing that have distinguished my administration of the Government of this Colony for a period of nearly seven years,

You do me but justice in believing that during my stay among you my first and principal object has been by example and conciliation to foster the exercise of charity peace and goodwill among all Christian communities so essential to the promotion of all worldly good, and I beg to assure you that I am not a little gratified to find that Christian Ministers of all denominations bear unsought for testimony to the Christian brotherhood that now prevails throughout this province, but I should be wanting to you and the other Christian Ministers did I withhold my acknowledgements that this so desirable a state of things is mainly attributable to the mild and forbearing spirit in which you have all respectfully discharged the obligations of your sacred offices.

I thank you for the kind manner in which you speak of Mrs FitzGerald in identifying herself with the institutions of charity and education in Western Australia, and I believe I may venture to say that Mrs FitzGerald has always endeavored to discharge with sincerity the duties devolving on the position in which Providence has been pleased to place her in this Colony.

I have the honor to be,
Reverend Gentlemen,

Your Very Faithful Servant,
CHARLES FITZGERALD,

To the Ministers of the Wesleyan and
Congregational Churches in the Colony
of Western Australia.

A. SHENTON, Government Printer, St. George's
Terrace, Perth.