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*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
 Sept. 26, 1856.*

IT is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council has been pleased to approve of the following Public house Licenses being issued for the year 1857, in addition to those specified in Gazette notice of the 6th inst. :—

York, 2; Vasse, 3.

By His Excellency's command,
CHARLES SHOLL,
 Pro Colonial Secretary.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
 Sept. 27, 1856.*

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified for general information that by a despatch received from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies, No 18, dated May 23rd, 1856, he has received a copy of the Queen's Letters Patent, dated the 11th of January, 1856, which Her Majesty has commanded to be issued for erecting and constituting the Colony of Western Australia into a Bishop's See, to be called the Bishopric of Perth, and for appointing the Venerable Matthew B. Hale, Archdeacon of Adelaide, to be the first Bishop of the said See and ordaining that the Town of Perth shall henceforth be a City.

By His Excellency's command,
CHARLES SHOLL,
 Pro Colonial Secretary.

To Joiners and Timber Merchants.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
 September 26, 1856.*

SEALED TENDERS in duplicate endorsed "Tender for ——" (as the case may be) will be received at this office until noon of THURSDAY, the 9th of October next, for the undermentioned viz:—

Six (6) Doors and nine (9) Sashes, off the bench.

Mahogany	pieces	feet	total.
9x3	40 each	18	720
9x3	30 "	22	660
5x4	20 "	18	360
5x2	10 "	20	200

7x $\frac{3}{4}$

4000

Total number of feet run 5940
 Sundry White-Gum.

The contractor or contractors will be required to deliver the whole at his or their expense on Rottneest Island, within three weeks from the date of notification of acceptance of tender, under a penalty Ten Shillings (10s) per diem.

The whole must be subject to the approval of the Superintendent on Rottneest Island.

No tender will be entertained unless the original and the duplicate are rendered on half sheets of Foolscap, in the prescribed form.

Form of tender and specification may be seen, and all particulars obtained on reference to the Clerk of Public Works.

The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

By His Excellency's command,
CHARLES SHOLL,
 Pro Colonial Secretary.

To Carpenters.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth
 September 20, 1856.*

SEALED TENDERS, in duplicate endorsed "Tenders for Floors for Perth Gaol," will be received at this office until noon of TUESDAY, the 14th October next, for laying

MAHOGANY FLOORS

in such parts of the Perth Gaol as may be directed.

The contractor will be required under a penalty of £20, to complete the work within one month from the date of notification of acceptance of tender.

No tender will be entertained unless rendered in the prescribed form.

Form of tender and specification may be seen on reference to the Public Works office.

The Government will not necessarily accept the lowest or any tender.

By His Excellency's command,
CHARLES SHOLL,
 Pro Colonial Secretary.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
September 27, 1856.*

His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified for general information, and more particularly for the guidance and benefit of ship-masters and consignees, that the Imperial Act of Parliament passed in the last year, 1855, intituled "An Act to amend the Law relating to Bills of Lading," will be submitted to the Legislative Council at the next Session for adoption in Western Australia, and, if adopted, will come into immediate operation—

Clause I. Right under Bill of Lading to vest in Consignee or Endorsee.

II. Not to affect stoppage in transitu or claims for Freight.

III. Bill of Lading in hands of consignee *conclusive evidence* against master, &c. Provided that the master (or the person signing) may exonerate himself by proof of fraud on the part of the shipper or holder, the burden of proof lying on him.

By His Excellency's command,
CHARLES SHOLL,
pro Colonial Secretary.

Custom House, Fremantle, Sept. 11, 1856.

The following Rules and Regulations with respect to "Wreck" being extracts from the "Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," are published for general information—

Clause 443.

All cargo and other articles belonging to any ship or boat stranded or in distress, that may be washed ashore or otherwise be lost or taken from such ship or boat, shall be delivered to the Receiver of Wreck, and any person, whether he is the owner or not refusing to deliver the same to the Receiver or to any person authorised by him to demand the same, shall incur a penalty not exceeding L.100.

Clause 450.

If any person finding or taking possession of any "wreck," is the owner, he shall immediately give notice to the Receiver, describing in such notice, the marks by which such wreck is distinguished in default of which he shall incur a penalty not exceeding L.100.

If any person not being the owner finds or takes possession of any wreck, he shall as soon as possible deliver the same to the Receiver, in default of which, he shall forfeit all claim to salvage, and shall incur a penalty not exceeding L.100.

The term "wreck" includes "goods wrecked," casualties, flotsam, jetsam, lagan, derelict, things cast overboard, and anchors and cables found or to be found in or upon the shores of the sea or any tidal water.

WILLIAM GALE,
Receiver.

Tender Accepted.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
October 4, 1856.*

J. VERYARD, to make four forms for the Perth Girls' School House for £2 3s.

By His Excellency's command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
Colonial Secretary.

Annual Tenders.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
October 6th, 1856.*

SEALD TENDERS in duplicate, endorsed "Tenders for _____" (as the case may be) will be received at this office until noon of the 10th December next for the following supplies and services required by the Local Government at the undermentioned stations during the Year commencing 1st January and ending 31st December 1857 inclusive.

At Perth, Fremantle, Bunbury, York, Toodyay, and Albany.

Fresh Meat at per lb.

12 or 20 per cent Flour at per Ton of 2240 lbs.

20 " " Flour at per lb.

Fine flour at per lb.

Bread made of 20 per cent Flour at per lb

Do. do. Fine flour do.

Tea, sugar, rice, sago, oatmeal, soap, Blue and starch, salt and vegetables at per lb. Samples of all but vegetables must accompany the Tender.

Milk at per gallon.

Lamp Oil at do.

Firewood—to consist of banksia and shea oak in equal proportions, to be stacked by Contractor and subject to measurement on delivery—at per cord.

These supplies to be delivered at the expense of the respective Contractors at such places in the above named Towns, and in such quantities as may from time to time be required and in all cases to be subject to approval on delivery.

Burial of Paupers—Tenders to state price for burial of every adult and Child respectively. A Funeral Car and horse will be provided at Perth by the Government for the burial of adults.

At Perth, Fremantle, Guildford, York, Toodyay, Mandurah, Bunbury, Vasse, and Albany.

For shoeing Police horses at the above Stations. Tenders to state the rate per set and for removes.

At Perth—For printing Government Gazette, 60 copies to be furnished weekly to the Colonial Secretary's Department, any beyond that number the Contractor may dispose of for his own benefit at a price to be fixed by the Government. The Contractor to find Paper.

This contract liable to cancellation at any period of the year by either party on 3 month's notice being given of such intention.

At Perth—For such Printing as may be required by the Local Government. Tenders to state the price for Office Forms, Bills, and Acts of Council, and Estimates respectively. Tenders to include Paper which the contractor is required to provide.

At Perth—For sweeping Chimneys. Tenders to state at per Flue. Also for emptying Cesspools.

At Perth and Fremantle—For supplying Lime at per bushel and Bricks at per 1000. The contractor will be required to deliver the above at his own expense in such quantities and at such places on the respective townsites, as the Clerk of Works may from time to time direct. To whose approval the articles will be subject on delivery.

At Perth—For such Iron and Smith's Work as may be required from time to time by the Clerk of Works.

At Perth and Fremantle—For general Painter's, Plumber's, and Glazier's Work, and for repairs:

Perth and Fremantle—For such Water Transport as may from time to time be required during the year, between Perth and Fremantle. Tenders to state at per ton for freight and per head for passengers.

In all cases two sureties will be required to join the party tendering in a Bond for the due performance of his Contract and no Tender will be entertained unless the names of such Sureties are given.

Further particulars can be obtained at this office and at the office of Public Works where specifications can be seen of the Work required in connection with that Department.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By His Excellency's command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
Colonial Secretary.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
October 6, 1856.*

TENDERS (in duplicate) will be received at this Office up to Noon of Wednesday, the 19th November next for conveyance of the following Mails from the 1st January to 31st December, 1857.

The Tender may embrace the whole, or any portion of the undermentioned lines:

Perth and Fremantle, twice a day.

Perth and Guildford, daily.

Guildford and Northam, weekly.

Northam and Toodyay, ditto.

Northam and York, ditto

Guildford and Upper Swan, ditto.

Perth and Canning, ditto.

Perth and Albany, monthly.

This last Tender must include the conveyance of all steamers, and other ship Mails, to and from the Sound.

Tenders must state the rate per mile at which the contractor will undertake to convey additional or Express Mails, the mode in which it is intended to convey the Mails, whether on horseback or in a spring cart, and the probable time he will take in conveying it to its destination.

The arrival and departure of Mails will be subject to instructions from the General Post Office, and liable to alteration at any time during the year.

Two approved sureties will be required to join the contractor in a bond for the due fulfilment of the duties respectively contracted to be performed.

No payment will be made on account of any mail contract until such bond shall have been respectively signed by the contractor, and his sureties, and any breach of contract in the wilful or negligent departure or delivery of the Mails, at the appointed days and hours, will subject the contractor to the loss of a proportionate part of his monthly pay or the cancellation of his contract.

Tenders to be inscribed "Tenders for conveyance of Mails," and rendered on half sheets of foolscap paper, and each tender to bear the signatures of the proposed sureties.

Farther particulars may be obtained on

reference to the Acting Postmaster General.

By His Excellency's command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
Colonial Secretary.

TENDERS FOR FORAGE.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
Oct. 6, 1856.*

SEALD Tenders (in duplicate) endorsed "Tenders for Forage for Police Horses," will be received at this office until Noon of the 12th December next, for supplying the undermentioned quantities of Barley or Oats at per bushel of 45lbs.

At Perth, 438 bushels

— Fremantle, 219 ditto

— Mandurah, 73 ditto

— Pinjarrah, 73 ditto

Station at 34½ miles on Bunbury Road, 73 do.

At Bunbury, 219 ditto

— Guildford, 292 ditto

— York, 219 ditto

— Toodyay, 146 ditto

— Albany, 219 ditto

— Vasse, 146 ditto.

The Barley or Oats to be delivered at the expence of the contractor, on or after the 1st January, 1857, at such places in the above towns and in such quantities as may from time to time be directed by the Officer in charge of the Police Department.

All to be subject to approval on delivery Sureties for the performance of contract will be required.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

By His Excellency's command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
Colonial Secretary.

TENDERS FOR FORAGE.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
October 6, 1856.*

SEALD Tenders (in duplicate) endorsed "Tenders for Forage for Police Horses," will be received at this Office until Noon of the 12th December next, for supplying the undermentioned quantities of good Oat Hay at per ton of 2240lbs.

At Mandurah, 3 tons

— Pinjarrah, 3 ditto

Station at 34½ miles on Bunbury Road, 3 ditto

At Bunbury, 9 ditto

— Guildford, 12 ditto

— York, 9 ditto

— Toodyay, 6 ditto

— Albany, 9 ditto

— Vasse, 6 ditto

The Hay to be delivered at the expense of the contractor, on or after the 1st January, 1857, at such places in the above towns, and in such quantities as may from time to time be directed by the officer in charge of the Police Department.

All to be subject to approval on delivery. Sureties for performance of contract will be required.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

By His Excellency's command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
Colonial Secretary.

HAY.

*Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
October 4, 1856.*

SEALD Tenders (in duplicate) endorsed "Tenders for the purchase of Rottneft Hay," will be received at this

Office until Noon of the 10th December next, from parties who may be desirous of purchasing such portion of the Hay grown on the Island of Rottnest as is not required for the public service.

The Hay will be pressed and delivered at high water mark to the purchaser, who will have to bear the expense of loading and transport from the Island.

Tenders to state the price per ton, of 2240lbs.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any Tender.

By His Excellency's command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
 Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
 October 6, 1856.

A Conditional Pardon has been signed this day for the following man:—

Reg. No. 314 Richard Barry.
 By His Excellency's command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
 Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
 October 4, 1856.

RETURN of Conditional Pardons reported to this Office as being received since the 31st August, 1856.

By His Excellency's command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
 Colonial Secretary.

Reg. No.	98 John Luff
"	176 James Ryley
"	297 William Bailey
"	321 George Mann
"	1022 George Rogers
"	1043 David Hill
"	1093 John Shelton
"	1317 Edmund Jacques
"	1534 John Johnston
"	1587 William Clarke
"	1611 Martin Wilkinson
"	1740 John Holmes
"	1808 William Lamb
"	2013 Martin Moran
"	2029 John Lloyd
"	2044 Timothy Cullinane
"	2076 Joseph McNamara
"	2087 James Murphy
"	2125 Michael Enright
"	2286 Peter Carberry
"	2291 Michael Brien
"	2323 John Carroll
"	2349 Owen Lavin
"	2359 Thomas Murphy
"	2367 Daniel Riordan
"	2413 Edward Byrne
"	2424 Edmund Whelan
"	2432 Jeremiah Foley
"	2457 James FitzGerald
"	2485 Quinlan Leary
"	2549 Callaghan Foott
"	2607 John Kennedy
"	2673 Thomas Maiers
"	2737 John Mason
"	2924 John Negus
"	2996 William Stringer
"	3038 Arthur Campbell
"	3081 John Perks.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
 October 4, 1856.

RETURN of Ticket-of-leave Holders whose original Sentence of Transportation has expired since 31st August, 1856.

By His Excellency's command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
 Colonial Secretary.

Reg. No.	453 John Richards
"	674 Charles Hinton
"	823 Thomas Green
"	2357 Stephen Lacey.

General Post Office, Perth,
 October 4, 1856.

LIST of unclaimed letters lying at this Office:

Bishop, Miss M. A.; Brunghton, Mr J.
 Casey, Rosey
 Dyer, Charles
 Fay, Mr Henry
 Gibson, William
 Herrick, William
 McCarty, Mary
 O'Connell, John
 Rose, Samuel
 Stapelton, Daniel; Syred, Mr C.
 Timperley, Peter.

R. M. SUTHERLAND,
 Acting Postmaster General.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth
 October 4, 1856.

A Conditional Pardon has been this day signed for the following man:—

Reg. No. 2152 Maurice Carroll
 By His Excellency's command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
 Colonial Secretary.

Registrar General's Office, Perth,
 October 6, 1856.

I HEREBY notify that the Rev. T. W. Charlesworth, M.A., of Perth, Officiating Minister at Congregational Church, Perth, has, in accordance with the provisions of Colonial Ordinance No. 12 of 19th Victoria, registered his name at the General Registry Office as a Minister for solemnizing Marriages.

CHARLES SHOLL,
 Registrar General.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth,
 October 6, 1856.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs the publication of the following Return of the Weekly Amount of Liabilities and assets of the Western Australian Bank for the Quarter ending 30th September, 1856.

By His Excellency's command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
 Colonial Secretary.

General Statement of the average Weekly Amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Western Australian Bank, for the Quarter ending 30th September, 1856.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	...	6348	0	0
Deposits not bearing interest	...	39570	4	1
Ditto bearing interest, being funds of Charitable Institutions	...	350	0	0
		<u>£46268</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1</u>
ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Bills Receivable	...	23831	0	0
Cash credits, specialty securities, and other Debts	...	17130	19	11
Specie, Treasury Bills, Exchequer Bills, Notes of other Banks, and Balance at Agents	...	16389	14	9
Landed property (Bank Premises)	...	1400	0	0
		<u>£58752</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>10</u>

NOTE.—Under the head of "Deposits not bearing Interest is included the amount of Reserve Fund," which, however, is not subject to withdrawal.

FRANCIS LOCHEE, Cashier.