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General Post Office, Perth, 5th February, 1858.

NOTICE.

ITH a view to accelerating the delivery of correspondence despatched from this Colony to the United Kingdom, via Suez by the Contract Packets, it has been determined by Her Majesty's Postmaster General to open the mails on board the Steamers by which they are conveyed from Alexandria to Malta, and to effect a partial or complete sorting of the Letters and Newspapers, as may be found practicable. To meet however any objection that has been raised to the plan of sorting on board, on the ground of the opportunity it would afford for tampering with Letters, it is intended by the regulations that all Registered Letters shall be sent in a separate mail, and that that mail shall not be opened until it arrives in London. Persons wishing their Letters not to be overhauled on board the Packets are requested to have them Registered.

A. HELMICH,
Postmaster General.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

LIGHTHOUSES AT KING GEORGE'S SOUND, WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

OR the guidance of Shipping frequenting King George's Sound, a lighthouse has been erected on the summit of Breaksea Island at the entrance of the Sound, and another at the entrance to Princess Royal Harbour.

A light is exhibited in both between sunset and sunrise.

That on Breaksea Island is a good Catadioptric light of the 2nd order, white, fixed, and elevated 383 feet above sea level. It may consequently be seen in clear weather at the distance of 9 leagues, from an elevation of 12 feet above the water.

The octagonal iron tower which carries this light is erected near the centre of the

island, which is $1\frac{3}{4}$ miles in length E. by S. and W. by N., with an average width of nearly a quarter of a mile. From Breaksea light the extremity of Bald Head bears South 40 degrees West 3 miles, Cape Vancouver at the foot of Mount Gardner East 15 degrees North 7 miles, and the light at the entrance of Princess Royal Harbour West 20 degrees North $6\frac{1}{2}$ miles. By a vessel from the Westward the light may first be seen round the steep slope of Bald Head on the bearing of N. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ E., just open to the South of the Eclipse Islands. These bearings are magnetic.

The light at Princess Royal Harbour is on Point King, the North point of its narrow entrance. It is a fixed white light of the same description as that on Breaksca, but smaller, and is elevated 37 feet above high water. From the mid channel between Breaksca and Michaelmas Islands this light bears W. by N. ½ N., and from the N.E. extremity of Bald Head N. W. ¼ W. It is carried by a wooden square tower 17 feet in height, and 37 feet from the water's edge. All bearings magnetic.

J. S ROE, Surveyor General.

Perth, Western Australia, February 5th, 1858.

Tillage and Pastoral Leases for Sale.

THE Honorable the Collector of Revenue will offer for Sale by Public Auction, at Perth, on the 3rd day of March,, 1858, the undermentioned Tillage and Pastoral Leases:—

Tillage Lease 1029, to the end of 1858, for 100 acres more or less of land extending 33 chains 33 links East and 30 chains South from centre of a Post near left bank of Murchison River, about 4 miles in a direct line above its mouth at the sea; opposite boundaries parallel and equal, and all true.

Annual Rent, £10 Upset premium, 5s. Tillage Lease No. 1032, to the end of 1858, of 125 acres more or less on Lower Greenough Flat, extending 31½ chains S.E. from J. Perejuan's Tillage Lease 960, and between a continuation of his N.E. and S.W. boundaries, all true.

Annual Rent, £12, 10s. Upset premium 5s.

Pastoral Lease 1039, to the end of 1858, for 6,000 acres of land in the Williams District, extending 158 chains 11 links East and the same West from the North extreme of Lake Queerearup, and $189\frac{3}{4}$ chains North from said extreme, all true, and the Lake situate about $9\frac{1}{2}$ miles South, 36 degrees West from Mount Hugel. Upset rent £8.

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

Land Sales already notified in the "Government Gazette."

At Perth,-

On the 3rd March 1858:-

Victoria Location 316, of 340 acres Upset price £1 per acre.

Victoria Location, 317, of 100 acres Upset price £1 per acre.

At Albany,-

On the 1st April, 1858:-

Plantagenet Location, 75, of 10 acres. Upset price, £1 per acre.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office Perth, February 6th, 1858.

THOMAS CHIPPER,

O convey express mails from Albany to Perth, for the sum of £25 per trip.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth, February 6th, 1858.

ONDITIONAL PARDONS have been this day signed for :—

Reg. No. 225

225 William Petty. 1543 Richard Shaw.

1596 Peter Rice.
By His Excellency's command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,

Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth, February 8th, 1858.

ETURN of Conditional Pardons, reported to this Office, as being received during January, 1858:—

No. of Con.Par	Reg. No.	Names.		
1825	1062	John White		
1807	1065	John Box		
1827	1619	Benjamin Eaton		
1830	2309	Thomas Dixon		
1823	3762	Henry Melville		
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By His Excellency's command, FRED. P. BARLEE, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth, February 10th, 1858.

THE following List of CART LICENSES issued at Perth for the Year 1858, are published for general information:—

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

LIST OF CARTS THAT HAVE BEEN GRANTED LICENSES AT PERTH FOR 1858.

Names.	No.	Description.	TOTAL.
George Haysom	3.4.5.	Horses.	3
L. R. Toovey.	2	Ditto.	1
George Stubberfield	7	Ditto.	1
Henry Towton.	9	Ditto.	1
Charles Barron.	18	Bullocks.	1
Joseph Harris	15	Ditto.	1
James R. Mews	16	Horses.	1
James R. Mews	22	Bullocks.	1
John Gregg.	29	Ditto.	1
Pedro De Silva	25	Bullocks.	1
Thomas Church	11	Horses.	1
John Bridge.	10	Ditto.	1
John Buckingham	28	Ditto.	1
James Ougden	36	Ditto.	1
James R. Mews	1	Bullocks.	1
George. and John Watts	24	Bullocks.	1
John Liddlelow	8	Horses.	1
William Pass	6	Ditto.	1
John Stanton		Bullocks.	1
George Shenton		Horses.	1

CHARLES SYMMONS.
Acting Police Magistrate.