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EXPEDITION ISLAND, OFF CAMDEN
HARBOR.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 20th April, 1865.

HIS Excellency The Governor directs the publication of the following notice of the recent discovery of a low sandy island off the North-West coast of Australia, by Captain John T. Jarman, of the barquetta *Tien Tsin*.

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

Fremantle,
20th April, 1865.

SIR,—

I have the honor to report to you the existence of an Island not laid down on the Admiralty chart, sheet No. V., of N.W. Australia, surveys of Capts. King and Stokes, 1842, or on a general chart of Australia, dated 1864. The nearest danger on the Charts being the Beagle Banks, distant some eighteen miles to the North Westward. The following is an extract from my Journal:—

February 15th, 1865. — Daylight, moderate breeze from W.S.W., vessel steering E $\frac{1}{4}$ S., fine clear weather. At 7h. 20m. a.m., the look-out from aloft reported land to N.N-Eastward; hauled the vessel up direct for it, until had shoaled the water from forty fathoms to five fathoms, over a rocky bottom, the west end of the land then bearing due North, and distant five miles.

It proved to be an island, low and sandy, somewhat elevated towards its centre, which portion was apparently dotted with stunted bushes. It is six miles in length, trending nearly East and West, with an apparent breadth of not more than two or three miles.

The island is now about fifty feet in height, giving it a probable elevation of about thirty feet at high water. Shallow water extends three to four miles southward of it, and many scattered patches of rock are now visible, extending a considerable distance from both the East and West ends. Same doubtless cover at high water.

As we ran along the edge of the shoal water on a due East course, obtained three sets of sights for longitude, thirty minutes' interval

of time between each set, the distance run carefully noted by log, and bearings of the land. By these observations I make the centre of the island to be in latitude (from Sun's meridian altitude) 15° 32' 35" South and longitude 123° 45' 45" East, assuming Arthur's Head, W.A., to be in 115° 45' East.

My chronometers I found to be keeping excellent time, by many subsequent observations at Camden Harbor, and Tien-Tsin Bay.

This danger is in the direct track of vessels coming from the Westward, toward the new settlement at Camden Harbor.

Sighted Cockell's Island at noon, Champagne Isles at 1 p.m., and anchored at 7 p.m. abreast of Point Hall.

I have named this discovery "Expedition Island," in consideration of our present employment in service of the West Australian Government. March 21st, 1865, on my return passage, I passed at 11 a.m. close to the Island, and verified the above position. Same day at 4 p.m., made Adele Island.

I am Sir,

Your obedient servant,

JOHN T. JARMAN,

Master of the barquetta *Tien Tsin*, of London.

Hon. J. S. ROE,

Surveyor General,
Western Australia.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 21st April, 1865.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the Reverend Thos. Bond, as a member of the General Board of Education.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth 25th April, 1865.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the following Assessment to be made at Albany, during the current year:—

On Town allotments West of Melville-street and East of Mount-street, 2s. 6d. each, on Town Allotments West of Parade-street and East of Osnaburg-street, 5s.

each; on Town Allotments abutting on the streets now proposed to be made, 20s. each; all other Town Allotments 10s. each; on Suburban Allotments within 32 chains of York-street, 5s. each; all other Suburban Allotments 2s. 6d. each.

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

Notice to Postmasters and the Public.

*General Post Office,
Perth, 19th April, 1865.*

ARRANGEMENTS having been made for extending to Tasmania, the Money Order system in force between this and the other Australian Colonies, it is hereby notified that on and after the 1st proximo, Money Orders will be issued at this Office on any of the following Money Order Offices in that Colony, namely,—

Hobart Town,
Launceston,
Longford,
Oatlands,
New Norfolk,
Port Arthur,
Ross,
Sorell,
Torquay,
Westbury.

The regulations and rate of commission will be the same as for Money Orders on Victoria &c.,

A. HELMICH,
Postmaster-General.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 18th April, 1865.*

THE undermentioned Allotments of Land will be offered for Sale, at Public Auction, by the Collector of Revenue at Perth, on the 3rd May, 1865.

Perth Town Lot W 57.

Upset price £6.

Pinjarra Suburban Lots, 9 and 10.

Upset price £1 per acre.

Pinjarra Suburban Lots, 12 and 13.

Upset price £1 per acre.

By the Sub-Collector of Revenue at Geraldton, on the 17th May, 1865.

Geraldton Town Lot, No. 205.

Upset price £6.

By the Sub-Collector of Revenue at Albany, on the 17th May, 1865.

Albany Town Lot, No. 186.

Upset price £6.

By His Excellency's command,

FRED. P. BARLEE,
Colonial Secretary.

*Surveyor General's Office,
Perth, 20th April, 1865.*

THE following Pastoral Leases, have been renewed by His Excellency the Governor, for a further term of 8 years from 1st January, 1865.

Nos.	CLASS.	LESSEES.	ACRES.	RENT.		
				£	s	d
Avon.						
873	B	J. Sinclair	5000	7	10	0
886	"	G. Slater	6000	11	1	0
Melbourne.						
908	B	Jas. Clinch	7000	8	10	0
Nelson.						
911	B	Monger & Steere	20000	15	10	0
913	"	R. T. Jones	20000	15	0	0
Plantagenet.						
835	B	H. McKenzie	2000	9	0	0
Swan.						
860	B	R. Cockram	5000	7	10	0
Victoria.						
805	B	Hamersley Whitfield & Co.	20000	15	0	0
890	"	R. J. Brockman	20000	18	15	0
895	"	J. Williams	4000	7	0	0
893	"	M. Morrissey	20000	16	5	0
1464	"	Do.	20000	21	5	0

J. S. ROE, Surveyor General.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 25th April, 1865.*

HIS Excellency the Governor directs the publication of the following Abstracts of the Revenue and Expenditure of the Colony, for the Quarter ended the 31st March, 1865.

By His Excellency's command,

FRED. P. BARLEE,
Colonial Secretary.

Abstract of the Revenue of the Colony of Western Australia.

For the Quarter ended 31st March, 1865.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	AMOUNT.			TOTAL.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Customs	8243	4	1			
Harbor Dues	345	2	11			
Land Sales	968	17	10			
Land Revenue	9656	6	11			
Rents (exclusive of Land)	32	4	0			
Transfer Duties	80	13	2			
Auction Duties	4	14	0			
Licenses	1899	10	2			
Postages	891	17	2			
Fines, Forfeitures, and Fees of Court	283	3	1			
Fees of Office	97	15	6			
Rottnest Native Penal Farm	35	0	0			
Sale of Government Property	26	13	0			
Reimbursements in aid of expenses incurred	654	5	10			
Miscellaneous Services	2	1	3			
Special Receipts	120	14	0			
				23342	2	11
Commissariat Chest on Account of Police and Magistracy	3368	16	4			
				3368	16	4
<i>Audit Office, Perth, 18th April, 1865.</i>				£ 26710	19	3

W. KNIGHT,
Auditor General.

Abstract of the Expenditure of the Colony of Western Australia.

For the Quarter ended 31st March, 1865.

HEADS OF SERVICE.	AMOUNT.			TOTAL.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
CIVIL ESTABLISHMENTS.						
Salaries	8688	7	1			
Do. Provisional and Temporary	27	7	6			
Allowances	871	15	0			
Office Contingencies	530	13	1			
Total Establishments				10118	2	8
Pensions, Retired Allowances and Gratuities	37	10	0			
Revenue Services	23	8	0			
Administration of Justice	189	1	3			
Ecclesiastical	12	10	0			
Charitable Allowances	332	14	2			
Hospitals	230	0	0			
Police	1626	14	2			
Gaols	713	10	11			
Rottnest Native Penal Establishment	212	14	1			
Rent	250	11	8			
Transport	130	0	3			
Conveyance of Mails	620	3	5			
Works and Buildings	506	8	2			
Roads and Bridges	1371	15	10			
Miscellaneous Services	2061	13	9			
Immigration	50	7	8			
Aborigines	235	6	2			
Harbor Master	67	9	3			
Interest, Savings' Bank	153	19	11			
Refunds	121	7	5			
Remittance to Crown Agents	1000	0	0			
				9950	16	1
<i>Audit Office, Perth, 18th April, 1865.</i>				£ 20068	18	9

W. KNIGHT,
Auditor General.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 20th April, 1865.*

HIS Excellency the Governor directs the following Return of Pastoral and Tillage Leases abandoned or forfeited by non-payment of Rent for the Year 1865, to be published for general information.

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

Name.	Nos.	ACRES.	CLASS.
Avon.			
Bresnahan & McManus	1375	100	T
W. Gorman	1669	100	"
C. Wisbey	1732	200	"
Wm. Ashbolt	1736	100	"
J. Murphy	1896	100	"
A. W. Morgan	1925	98 $\frac{1}{2}$	"
W. Foster	1983	100	"
J. W. Hardey	2495	100	"
F. W. Slade	2565	10000	B
C. Massingham	2574	2000	"
R. Bourke	2666	100	T
E. Odea	2719	100	"
Jas. Knight	2767	100	"
T. Edwards	2803	10000	B
S. G. Meares	2911	100	T
C. Lloyd	2931	10000	B
J. W. Cowan	2945	8000	"
B. D. Clarkson	2949	5000	"
R. Barnden	2955	5000	"
Sinclair, Lloyd & Glass	2956	4000	"
Do.	2957	5000	"
R. W. Badcock	3015	5000	"
Do.	3016	4000	B
J. Williams	3026	100	T
Cockburn Sound.			
E. T. Troode	1681	100	T
Canning.			
B. Mason	2920	100	T
Hay.			
G. Pettit	3074	10000	B
Murchison.			
C. Von Bibra	1389	6000	B
Do.	2902	10000	"
Do.	2903	10000	"
Murray.			
W. Pollard	2022	100	T
Nelson.			
T. Castle	1883	100	T
J. Allnutt	2001	320	"
T. Roberts	2083	10000	B
W. L. Brockman	2122	10000	"
H. B. Scotthorne	2184	100	T
R. W. Clifton	2557	10000	B
Do.	2558	10000	"
W. L. Brockman	2734	10000	"
J. Allnutt	2735	100	T

NAME.	Nos.	ACRES.	CLASS.
NELSON (<i>continued.</i>)			
J. B. Sinclair	2738	10000	B
Monger & Steere	2817	100	T
A. Muir & Sons	2967	5000	B
Plantagenet.			
J. McKail	1468	4000	B
Alex. Moir	2287	6000	"
J. Williams	2417	2000	"
Trimmer & Co.	2428	5000	"
Do.	2968	10000	"
Kent.			
A. Moir	2256	4000	B
G. Pettit	2284	10000	"
G. Cheyne	2403	6700	"
Kojonup.			
W. Elverd	1406	100	T
E. Treasure	2163	6000	B
Do.	2634	100	T
P. Brooker	2689	6000	B
S. Drolf	1708	10000	"
Do.	1934	5000	"
A. Forsythe	3075	100	T
Sussex.			
R. Scott	2390	10000	B
W. Moriarty	2642	100	T
Swan.			
W. H. Summers	2626	100	T
T. Jones	2650	150	"
Jno. Dewar	2838	150	"
S. Mortimer	2845	100	"
Jno. York	2940	100	"
C. Fowler	3068	33	"
G. Sadler	3070	100	"
Victoria.			
W. Padbury	1333	100	T
Do.	1334	100	"
Do.	1335	100	"
Do.	1336	100	"
Do.	1337	100	"
Do.	1338	100	"
T. Duncan	1664	100	"
M. Logue	2013	2300	B
MacPherson & Slater	2038	10000	"
Do.	2039	10000	"
Do.	2040	10000	"
Do.	2041	10000	"
Do.	2042	10000	"
Hamersley & Co.	2064	160	T
Do.	2068	240	"
Do.	2069	240	"
Do.	2071	240	"
Do.	2072	240	"
H. Eves	2254	138	"
W. King	2288	10000	B
Jno. Williams	2361	7000	"
C. A. Langford	2507	100	T

NAME.	Nos.	ACRES.	CLASS.
<i>VICTORIA, continued.</i>			
Jno. Stokes	2509	3000	B
Wm. Nancarrow	2528	100	T
Wm. Stokes	2576	3000	B
Gray & Waldeck	2659	7200	"
Wm. King	2686	100	T
Geo. Shenton	2864	100	"
Jas. Rudd	2867	100	"
Do	2868	100	"
E. Whitfield	2873	100	"
T. Russ	2910	100	"
H. J. Cooke	2965	4000	B
H. Eves	2037	120	T
Wellington.			
E. Higgins	1595	100	T
Jas. Busher	1740	100	"
J. G. Thomson	2383	100	"
M. Lyons	2811	100	"
Wm. Forrest	3072	100	"
Do.	3073	100	"
Melbourne.			
W. Hunt	2357	100	"
Williams.			
W. Harris	2885	150	"

J. S. ROE,
Surveyor General.