



GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

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WESTERN AUSTRALIA, } Proclamation by His
to wit. } Excellency FREDERICK

L. S. ALOYSIUS WELD, Esquire,
Governor and Commander-
in-Chief in and over the
Territory of Western Aus-
tralia and its Dependencies,
and Vice-Admiral of the
same.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Imperial Parliament of Great Britain and Ireland intituled "The Merchant Shipping (Colonial) Act, 1869," it is among other things enacted that the said Act should be proclaimed in every British possession by the Governor thereof, as soon as might be after he received notice thereof, and that the same should come into operation in that British possession on the day of such Proclamation.

NOW THEREFORE I, the said Governor do hereby proclaim the said Act accordingly, and do require and enjoin all Her Majesty's subjects and others in the said Colony whom it may concern to take due notice thereof.

Given under my Hand and the Public Seal of the said Colony, at Government House, Perth, this eighteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, and in the thirty-third year of Her Majesty's Reign.

By command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN. !!!

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 21st December, 1869.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified for general information, that on and after the 1st January next ensuing, the Masters and Commanders of every ship or vessel (except as herein-after named) entering the Port or Harbor at Albany, in the vicinity of which Public Lights have been established, shall pay the Light Dues set forth in the scale or list lettered C in the schedule to the Ordinance, 18 Vict., No. 15 of 1855, namely 2d. per ton each way. No such Light Dues, however, shall be deemed payable by any of Her Majesty's Ships or Vessels of War, or Ships or Vessels chartered on behalf of Her Majesty.

FRED. P. BARLEE,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 21st December, 1869.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under the provisions of an Ordinance of the 12th Victoria, No 4, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint William Knight, Esquire, Registrar General, to take an account of the Population, and of the amount of Live Stock and Crops, and other particulars of the Colony of Western Australia, and every householder, employer of servants, and proprietor or occupier of land, or owner or person in charge of any sheep, cattle or live stock of any description therein, must be prepared, on the 31st day of March next ensuing, to give all such information as may be required to fill up such form or forms as may be tendered to them by the above named Officer or persons duly acting in his behalf.

By command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
Colonial Secretary.

£5000 REWARD !!

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*Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Perth, Western Australia,
 15th July, 1869.*

IT is hereby notified for general information, that the Local Government of Western Australia offer as a Reward for the discovery of a workable GOLD FIELD within a radius of Three hundred miles from any declared port in the Colony, on or before the 31st day of December, 1869, the sum of

£5000

upon the following conditions :—

1.—That the Reward be not payable until 5000 ounces of Gold, of standard purity at the least, and either alluvial or crushed from quartz, and obtained from such Gold Field, be entered and cleared at the Custom House in Fremantle, and actually shipped to Great Britain, either in one entry or by several entries, before the first day of July, 1870.

2.—That the Governor of the Colony for the time being, in Executive Council do finally adjudicate and determine to whom alone, or, if there be several claimants, to whom and in what proportions, and under what circumstances, such Reward shall be payable and paid.

3.—That the locality or localities of such discovery be clearly and accurately defined and published in the Government Gazette of the said Colony of Western Australia on or before the 31st day of December, 1869.

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

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Perth, 21st December, 1869.*

TENDERS (in duplicate) endorsed "Tenders for Greenough Flats Bridges." will be received at this Office until noon of Monday the 17th January, 1870. from persons willing to undertake the work to be performed in the construction of three bridges on the Greenough Flats situate between Criddle's and one mile north of Maley's Mill.

Plans and specifications may be seen on application at the Offices of the Resident Magistrate, Greenough, and the Clerk of Works at Fremantle.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and will require the guarantee of two responsible persons for the due performance of the contract.

Forms of Tender may be had on application to the various Resident Magistrates, and at the Public Offices, Perth; and no tender will be entertained unless rendered on the prescribed form.

By command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
 Colonial Secretary.

TENDERS ACCEPTED.

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*Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Perth, 21st December, 1869.*

H. HORTON,

To enclose the Police Station at the Lakes on the York Road with a three rail fence and palings, at £3 per chain: also to make and fix three gates for £8.

R. SPARKES,

To erect an Obelisk at Port Irwin for £45.

R. OXENHAM,

To convey a mail from Northampton to Geraldine and *vice versa*, every fourth week, for one or three years, at £20 per annum.

E. O. COCKRAM,

To convey a mail from Gingin to Yatheroo and *vice versa*, once every fourth week, for three years, at £25 15s. 0 per annum.

WILLIAM BROWN,

To keep clear the Beaufort and Bannister Bridges, and all bridges between them, during 1870, for £8.

By command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
 Colonial Secretary.

LAND SALES.

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*Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Perth, 21st December, 1869.*

THE undermentioned Allotments of Land will be offered for Sale, at Public Auction, by the Collector of Revenue, at Perth, on the 5th January, 1870:—

*Fremantle Town lot, No. 638,
 Upset price £6.*

*Pinjarra Town lot, No. 15,
 Upset price £5.*

*Perth Town lot, No. N 31,
 Upset price £6.*

*Perth Town lots, Nos. X 17, 18, 19,
 and 20,
 Upset price £6 per lot.*

*Pinjarra Town lot, No. 16,
 Upset price £5.*

*York Town lot, No. 78,
 Upset price £5.*

*York Suburban lot, No. 289,
 Contents 6 acres more or less.
 Upset price £1 per acre,*

By the Sub-Collector of Revenue, at Geraldton, on the 19th January, 1870:—

*Northampton Town lots, Nos. 124, 125,
 and 126.
 Upset price £5 per lot.*

By the Sub-Collector of Revenue, at Albany, on the 20th January, 1870:—

*Albany Town lot, No. 303,
 Upset price £6.*

By command,
FRED. P. BARLEE,
 Colonial Secretary.

NOTICE.

OWNERS of Lighters plying to and from Shipping in the Port of Fremantle are hereby warned that from and after the 1st January, 1870, any boat found plying without a License under 25th Vic., No. 12, will be dealt with according to Law, *i. e.*, Owners of Registered Vessels are liable to a fine of £100, and unregistered Vessels to forfeiture.

Parties are further warned that the "Collector's License" is not transferrable nor serviceable to any other person than the Master or Managing Boatman named therein.

The Board of Officers appointed under the above named Ordinance will meet at the South Jetty, Fremantle,

On Friday, 31st December instant,

On Monday, 3rd January, prox.,

On Thursday, 6th January, prox.,

at 11 a.m., for the purpose of granting Licenses under the above Ordinance, for the ensuing year.

L. WORSLEY CLIFTON,
Collector of Customs.

*Custom House,
Fremantle, 3rd December, 1869.*

Savings' Bank Department.

*General Post Office,
Perth, 21st December, 1869.*

DEPOSITORS in the Post Office Savings' Bank are requested to forward their Books to this Office at the end of the current year. in order that the entries therein may be compared with the Books of the Postmaster General, and that the interest due to Depositors may be entered in their books.

A. HELMICH,
Postmaster General.

*Comptroller General's Office,
Perth, 21st December, 1869.*

CONDITIONAL Release has been issued to the undermentioned Convict:—

Reg. No. 9219 George Kloz
HENRY WAKEFORD,
Comptroller General.

*Comptroller General's Office,
Perth, 21st December, 1869.*

CERTIFICATES of Freedom have been issued to the undermentioned Convicts whose sentences have expired:—

Reg. No. 3591 James Mountain
" 4129 William Bilbrough
" 4255 Robert Wright
" 6017 Felix Newman
" 6054 Edwin Moorehouse
" 6467 Peter Vigo

" 6917 Alexander Marney
" 7548 Charles Henry Smith
" 7761 James Ladd
" 7902 John Williams
" 7964 Henry Clarke
" 8547 Daniel Donovan

HENRY WAKEFORD,
Comptroller General.

*Comptroller General's Office,
Perth, 21st December, 1869.*

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to revoke the Tickets-of-Leave of the undermentioned Convicts:—

Reg. No. 1439 Thomas Turnbull
" 4420 James Docherty
" 5652 James Miller
" 5695 Anthony Pyne
" 5718 Thomas Tole
" 5847 John Pilkington
" 5960 William Raymond
" 6386 John Monaghan
" 6451 William Taylor
" 6556 John Delobe
" 6710 George Reid
" 6715 William Rose
" 6737 George Smith
" 6849 Robert Cooley
" 7000 Patrick Armstrong
" 7028 James Bristow
" 7206 Francis Murray
" 7216 Henry McCart
" 7232 William Rixey
" 7271 John Sullivan
" 7304 William White
" 7374 Charles Clifford
" 7507 Thomas Owens
" 7509 Thomas Papworth
" 7524 Daniel Robinson
" 7597 James L. Ainsworth
" 7644 Abraham Butler
" 7667 James Coxon
" 7739 William Johnson
" 7744 Thomas Joy
" 7838 Peter Rourke
" 7948 Thomas Brown
" 7963 Carlo Cameron
" 8013 John Haphey
" 8044 Henry Jackson
" 8106 Alfred Rose
" 8146 Joseph Thomson
" 8149 George Wilson
" 8159 Richard Wilson
" 8248 Herbert Davis
" 8298 Thomas Hansbury
" 8302 Peter Hudson
" 8304 Robert Hudson
" 8313 Edward Jones
" 8363 Charles Murphy
" 8387 Henry J. Phillips
" 8428 James Shaw
" 8577 John Hunter
" 8674 Henry Parkinson
" 8780 George Burrell
" 8946 Duncan McPherson
" 9233 William Mac Cormick
" 9281 Thomas Ryan
" 9284 Edmond Sedgewick
" 9361 William Ward
" 9484 Thomas Jones

HENRY WAKEFORD,
Comptroller General.