



## THE WESTERN AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

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*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 4th October, 1870.*

HIS Excellency The Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that Her Majesty's Government have been pleased to recognize the appointment of M. LOUIS BOLS as Consul General for Belgium in Australia. M. Bols will reside at Sydney.

By Command,  
GEO. PHILLIPS,  
*pro* Colonial Secretary.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 24th September, 1870.*

HIS Excellency The Governor has been pleased to direct the publication of the following Regulations, issued by Her Majesty's Government for the guidance of British Pilots, in regard to piloting French or Prussian Ships of War.

By Command,  
GEO. PHILLIPS,  
*pro* Colonial Secretary.

### INSTRUCTIONS TO BRITISH PILOTS.

"British Pilots are not to pilot Ships of War of either belligerent, except in British Waters, within three miles of the shore, or to do more than pilot such ships into or out of British Ports or Roadsteads when they are not at the time engaged in any hostile operations: but Ships of War in distress may always be piloted out of immediate danger."

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 20th September, 1870.*

TENDERS (in duplicate) endorsed "Tenders for the Conveyance of the ——— Mail" (as the case may be) will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 16th November next, for the conveyance of the following Mails for one, two, or three years, commencing on the 1st January, 1871:—

1. Perth to Fremantle, and *vice versa*, twice daily (Sundays excepted.)

2. Perth to Guildford, and *vice versa*, daily (Sundays excepted.)
3. Guildford to Newcastle, and *vice versa*, twice a week.
4. Guildford to York, and *vice versa*, twice a week.
5. Perth to Vasse, *via* Canning, Serpentine, Pinjarrah, Australind, and Bunbury, and *vice versa*, twice a week.
6. York to Newcastle, *via* Northam, and *vice versa*, twice a week.
7. York to Stanton's Springs, *via* Brookton and Beverley, and *vice versa*, once a week.
8. Guildford to Upper Swan, and *vice versa*, once a week.
9. Pinjarrah to Mandurah, and *vice versa*, once a week.
10. Bunbury to Blackwood, and *vice versa*, twice a month.
11. Busselton to Quindalup, and *vice versa*, twice a week.

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, are required to be conveyed in spring vehicles, and in the other cases tenderers are to state whether they propose to convey the Mails in a spring cart or on horseback, as preference will probably be given to the former mode of conveyance, where offered.

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.

*Special Forms of Tender*, with conditions attached, may be had on application to the Postmaster-General and the various Resident Magistrates, and no tenders will be entertained unless rendered on these forms.

Further information may be obtained on reference to the Postmaster-General.

By command,  
GEO. PHILLIPS,  
*pro* Colonial Secretary.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 11th October, 1870.*

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint MR. ALFRED JONES to be Poundkeeper at Guildford, *vice* Devenish, resigned.

By Command,

GEO. PHILLIPS,  
*pro* Colonial Secretary.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 11th October, 1870.*

**H**IS Excellency The Governor has been pleased to appoint MR. ALFRED JONES to be Bailiff of the Local Court at Guildford, *vice* Devenish, resigned.

By command,

GEO. PHILLIPS,  
*pro* Colonial Secretary.

#### MAIL NOTICE.

*General Post Office, Perth,  
26th September, 1870.*

**M**AILS for transmission by Contract Packet *via* King George's Sound will close at the General Post Office, Perth, as under:—

For Europe, India, Cape of Good Hope, &c., on Thursday, the 13th October, at 4 o'clock p.m.

For the Australian Colonies, New Zealand, and Tasmania, on Saturday, the 15th October, at 4 o'clock p.m.

Money Orders for transmission by the above conveyance will be issued on the United Kingdom up to 11 o'clock a.m. on 12th, and on the Australian Colonies, New Zealand, and Tasmania, up to 11 o'clock, a.m. on the 14th.

Letters for Registration must be posted one hour before the closing of the Mail. Late Letters, on payment of a fee of 6d., may be posted up to 5 o'clock p.m. for the European Mails, and up to 4.30 p.m. for the Colonial Mails.

Newspapers must be posted one hour before the closing of the Mail by which they are intended to be sent, otherwise they will not be forwarded until the next Mail.

A. HELMICH,  
Postmaster-General.

#### LAND SALES.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 11th October, 1870.*

**T**HE undermentioned Allotments of Land will be offered for Sale, at Public Auction, by the Collector of Revenue, at Perth, on the 2nd November, 1870:—

*Busselton Suburban Lot, No. 61,  
Contents, 4 acres and 35 perches,  
Upset price, £1 per acre.*

*Busselton Suburban Lot, No. 62,  
Contents, 5 acres, 2 roods, 30 perches,  
Upset price, £1 per acre.*

*Busselton Suburban Lots, Nos. 63 & 64,  
Contents, 4 acres, 1 rood, each,*

*Upset price, £1 per acre.*

By the Sub-Collector of Revenue at Bunbury, on the 12th October, 1870:—

*Coolingup Suburban Lots, Nos. 28 & 30,  
Contents, 10 acres each, more or less,*

*Upset price, £1 per acre.*

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

*Denison Town Lot, No. 99,*

*Upset price, £5.*

*Geraldton Town Lot, No. 201,*

*Upset price, £6.*

On the 16th November, 1870:—

*Geraldton Town Lot, No. 361,*

*Upset price, £6.*

On the 21st December, 1870:—

*Northampton Town Lots, Nos. 111, 113,  
and 114,*

*Upset price, £5 per lot.*

By command,

GEO. PHILLIPS,  
*pro* Colonial Secretary.

*Comptroller General's Office,  
Perth, 7th October, 1870.*

**C**ONDITIONAL PARDONS have been issued to the undermentioned Convicts:—

Reg. No. 5731 William Simpson  
" 6069 Herbert Slack  
" 6644 Robert Kirk  
" 6725 John Rankin

A CONDITIONAL RELEASE has been issued to the undermentioned Convict:—

Reg. No. 8919 David Lockley

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

Reg. No. 3708 Charles Dibden  
" 7363 Thomas Barret  
" 8083 John McLaughlan  
" 9640 William Howard  
" 9643 John Symmonds

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

Reg. No. 5637 Patrick Murphy  
" 5736 Edward J. Salter  
" 8044 Henry Jackson  
" 8387 Henry J. Phillips

THE undermentioned men, respecting whom letters of inquiry have been received, are requested to communicate with this office:—

Reg. No. 7036 John Brennan, received a Conditional Pardon 21st May, 1870.

Reg. No. 6097 Samuel Grey, received a Conditional Pardon 23rd July, 1868.

HENRY WAKEFORD,  
Comptroller General.

*Colonial Treasury, Perth, 1st October, 1870.*

**R**ETURN of Lands again open for re-selection, the conditions of sale not having been complied with.

Name.	Description.	No.	Contents.		
			A.	E.	P.
Holloway, John	Fremantle Town Lot	713			
Clarkson, Joseph Charles	Pinjarrah Sub. Lot	72	5	1	20
Parsons, Mesbeck	Albany Town Lot	352			

A. O'GRADY LEFROY, Colonial Treasurer.