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PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency FRED-  
WESTERN AUSTRALIA, } ERICK ALOYSIUS WELD,  
to wit. } Esquire, Governor and Com-  
mander-in-Chief in and  
(L.S.) over the Territory of West-  
FRED. A. WELD, ern Australia and its De-  
Governor. } pendencies, &c., &c., &c.

IN pursuance of the authority in me vested by the 17th Section of an Ordinance passed in the twenty-fifth year of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, No. 9, intituled "An Ordinance to regulate the carriage of Passengers by vessels engaged in the Coasting Trade," I do hereby notify and proclaim that the undermentioned scale of the duration of Coasting Voyages between the Port of Fremantle and Shark's Bay, and *vice versa*, and between the Port of Fremantle and Port Irwin, and *vice versa*, in this Colony, is and shall be the scale of such duration of voyages accordingly.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the said Colony, at Government House, Perth, this twentieth day of November, 1873.

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

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!!!

Duration of Colonial Coasting Voyages referred to:—

P O R T S .	SUMMER.	WINTER.
	No. of Days.	No. of Days.
Fremantle to Shark's Bay...	20	28
Shark's Bay to Fremantle...	28	20
Fremantle to Irwin.....	8	12
Irwin to Fremantle.....	12	8

Western Australian  
Railways.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, Western Australia,  
6th November, 1873.

THE Government of Western Australia are prepared to receive Tenders for the construction, and maintenance for one year, of the Geraldton and Northampton Railway, in the Victoria District, thirty-three miles sixty-six chains in length, single line, light construction, three feet gauge.

Full particulars can be obtained at the Offices of The Honorable The Surveyor General at Perth, Western Australia, or Messrs. J. B. Were and Sons, 80 Collins Street, West Melbourne, Victoria, where plans, specifications, sections, and conditions of Contract may be seen.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 25th November, 1873.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that on and after the first day of January, 1874, a postage of one penny will be levied on every Newspaper posted at any of the Post Offices of this Colony, either for transmission abroad or for delivery in the Colony.

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

ROTTNEST SALT.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 11th November, 1873.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that Rottnest Salt, in bags each containing 1 cwt., can be purchased from A Store in Fremantle, at the rate of £4 per ton.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 18th November, 1873.

**TENDERS** (endorsed "Tender for Materials for Rottnest,") will be received at this Office until noon of Monday, the 1st December, 1873, from persons willing to supply the under-mentioned articles at Rottnest, on or before the tenth proximo:—

- 2 rolls 6 lb. Milled Lead
- 1 do. 5 lb. " "
- 350 lbs. 4-inch Ewbank nails
- 450 lbs. 2 " " batten nails
- 100 lbs. 3½ " " " "
- 600 lbs. Shingle nails
- 10,000 feet run of 7 x 1 Jarrah
- 12,000 feet " of battens (double measure).

Full particulars of the above can be had on application at the Office of the Clerk of Works, Perth.

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.

#### FORAGE.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 11th November, 1873.

**TENDERS** (endorsed "Tender for Forage,") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 17th December, 1873, from persons willing to contract for Foraging such Horses as may be employed on Public Works during the year 1874, at Geraldton.

The daily ration of each horse is 18lbs. of Hay, and 9lbs. of Corn; and Tenders must state the rate per diem for each horse. The forage must be delivered at the Contractor's expense, and at such places in the district as the horses may from time to time be stationed, and in quantities not exceeding one month's supply.

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.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 7th October, 1873.

**TENDERS** (in duplicate), endorsed "Tenders for (as the case may be) Mail," will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 26th November, 1873, for the conveyance of the undermentioned Mails, for one, two, or three years, viz.:—

1. From Bunbury to Balbarrup, *via* Bridgetown, and *vice versa*, twice a month.
2. From Pinjarrah to Mandurah, and *vice versa*, once a week.
3. From Busselton to Quindalup, and *vice versa*, once a week.
4. From Guildford to York, and *vice versa*, once a week.
5. From Guildford to Newcastle, and *vice versa*, once a week.
6. From Perth to Vasse, *via* Canning, Serpentine, Pinjarrah, Australind, and Bunbury, and *vice versa*, once a week.
7. From Perth to Guildford, and *vice versa*, once daily.
8. From Perth to Fremantle, and *vice versa*, twice daily.
9. From Guildford to Upper Swan, and *vice versa*, once a week.
10. From York to Newcastle, *via* Northam and Newleyine, and *vice versa*, once a week.
11. From Perth to Long's Station *via* Guildford, Gingin, Victoria Plains, Walebing, and Berkshire Valley, and *vice versa*, once a fortnight.
12. From Long's Station, to Northampton, *via* Irwin River, Dongarra, Greenough and Geraldton, and *vice versa*, once a fortnight.
13. From Bunbury to Dardanup, and *vice versa*, once a week.
14. From Fremantle to Rockingham, and *vice versa*, once a week.
15. From Guildford to Chittering, and *vice versa*, once in four weeks.
16. From Vasse to Lower Blackwood, and *vice versa*, twice a month.

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

Two approved sureties will be required to join the Contractor in a guarantee for the due fulfilment of the duties contracted to be performed.

Special Forms of Tender, with conditions attached, may be had on application to the various Resident Magistrates, and at the General Post Office, Perth; and no Tender will be entertained unless rendered on the prescribed form.

The Government will reserve to themselves the right to terminate the contract at any time, by giving three months' notice.

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

Further information may be had on application to the Postmaster-General.

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

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 4th November, 1873.*

**TENDERS** (endorsed "Tender for Dongarra Police Station,") will be received at this Office until noon of Monday, the 1st December, 1873, from persons willing to make certain additions to the Dongarra Police Station.

Plans and Specifications can be seen and full particulars obtained on application at the Office of the Resident Magistrate, Dongarra.

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.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 4th November, 1873.*

**TENDERS** (endorsed "Tender for Greenough Police Station,") will be received at this Office until noon of Monday, the 1st December, 1873, from persons willing to make certain additions to the Greenough Police Station.

Plans and specifications can be seen and full particulars obtained on application at the Office of the Resident Magistrate, Greenough.

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.

#### ANNUAL SUPPLIES for 1874.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 4th November, 1873.*

**TENDERS** (endorsed "Tender for Annual Supplies,") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 17th December, 1873, from persons willing to supply the following articles at the undermentioned Stations during the year ending 31st December, 1874, to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be required.

At Perth, Fremantle, Albany, Bunbury, York, Newcastle, Champion Bay, Guildford, Busselton, and Rottnest Island:—

Fresh Meat, @ per lb.

20 per cent. Flour, @ per lb., and @ per ton of 2240 lbs.

Fine Flour, @ per lb.

Bread made from 20 per cent. Flour, @ per lb.

Ditto from Fine Flour, @ per lb.

Tea, Sago, Blue, Soda, Candles, Sugar, Oatmeal, Starch, Potatoes, Candlewick, Rice, Soap, Tobacco, Salt, Bran, Coffee, Hops, Arrowroot, Butter, Pepper, Mustard, Cheese, and Vegetables, @ per lb.

Sheeting Calico, @ per yard.

Samples of all but Meat and Vegetables must accompany tenders.

Gin, Brandy, Wine, Porter, Vinegar, Lime Juice, Milk, @ per gallon; Colza (about 600 gallons) and Kerosene Oil, @ per gallon.

Eggs, @ per dozen.

Firewood, @ per cord of 128 feet, to consist of Banksia, to be stacked by the Contractor, and subject to measurement on delivery.

Firewood for Rottnest to be Banksia wood, in billets of 9 inches diameter and 3 feet in length.

Firewood for Breaksea Island, King George's Sound, to be @ per cord delivered on the Island.

The Government reserve the right to cancel the Contract for Meat at the end of March, 1874, if they think it desirable to do so.

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.

#### CARTAGE.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 4th November, 1873.*

**TENDERS** (endorsed "Tender for Cartage,") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 17th December, 1873, from persons willing to supply such Cartage as may be required by the Local Government, at Perth and Fremantle, during the year 1874.

Tenders must state the rate per trip and per day, for one, two, or three-horse teams respectively.

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.

**BARLEY or OATS for POLICE HORSES  
for 1874.**

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 4th November, 1873.*

**TENDERS** (endorsed "*Tender for Barley or Oats for Police Horses,*") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 17th December, 1873, from persons willing to supply the under-mentioned quantities of Barley or Oats at the several Police Stations named, at per bushel of 50 lbs.

	Bushels.
Albany ... ..	330
Albany Road, 36 miles ...	132
Bannister ... ..	132
Bunbury ... ..	264
Blackwood No. 1 Station...	132
Do. Bridge ... ..	132
Baylup ... ..	132
Beverley ... ..	132
Champion Bay ... ..	264
Canning ... ..	132
Dongarra ... ..	132
Fremantle ... ..	330
Guildford ... ..	264
Gingin ... ..	132
Greenough... ..	198
Gwalla ... ..	264
Harvey ... ..	132
Irwin ... ..	132
Kojonup ... ..	264
Lakes, York Road ... ..	132
Mandurah ... ..	132
Minninup ... ..	132
Mount Barker ... ..	154
Northam ... ..	132
Perth ... ..	792
Pinjarrah ... ..	132
Quindalup... ..	132
Stanton's Springs ... ..	132
Toodyay ... ..	264
Vasse ... ..	198
Victoria Plains ... ..	132
Williams River... ..	198
York ... ..	330
Youndegin... ..	132

The Barley or Oats to be delivered at the Contractor's expense on or after 1st January, 1874, in such quantities of not less than one quarter of the whole and not exceeding the whole of the above weights, and at such times only at the above-named Stations, as may be demanded in writing by the officer in charge of such Stations.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, nor to take from the Contractor the whole quantity tendered to be supplied, unless demanded in writing as above, 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.

**HAY for POLICE HORSES for 1874.**

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth 4th November, 1873.*

**TENDERS** (endorsed "*Tender for Hay for Police Horses,*") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 17th December, 1873, from persons willing to supply good Sown Wheat or Oat Hay at the several Police Stations named, at per ton of 2240 lbs. :—

	Tons.
Albany ... ..	15
Albany Road, 36 miles ...	6
Bannister ... ..	6
Bunbury ... ..	12
Blackwood No. 1 Station ...	6
Do. Bridge ... ..	6
Baylup ... ..	6
Beverley ... ..	6
Champion Bay ... ..	12
Canning ... ..	6
Dongarra ... ..	6
Fremantle ... ..	15
Guildford ... ..	12
Gingin ... ..	6
Greenough ... ..	9
Gwalla ... ..	12
Harvey... ..	6
Irwin ... ..	6
Kojonup ... ..	12
Lakes, York Road ... ..	6
Mandurah ... ..	6
Minninup ... ..	6
Mount Barker ... ..	7
Northam ... ..	6
Perth ... ..	36
Pinjarrah ... ..	6
Quindalup ... ..	6
Stanton's Springs ... ..	6
Toodyay ... ..	12
Vasse ... ..	9
Victoria Plains ... ..	6
Williams River ... ..	9
York ... ..	15
Youndegin ... ..	6

The Hay to be of first-rate quality, and delivered at the Contractor's expense on or after January 1st, 1874, in such quantities of not less than one ton and not exceeding the whole of the above weights, and at such times only at the above-named Stations, as may be demanded in writing by the Officer in charge of such Stations, and to be subject to approval on delivery.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, nor to take from the Contractor the whole quantity tendered to be supplied, unless demanded in writing as above, 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.

**Annual Supplies for Police, for 1874.**

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 4th November, 1873.*

**TENDERS** (endorsed "*Tender for Annual Supplies for Police,*") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 17th December, 1873, from persons willing to supply such Saddlery, Stable Utensils, Bedding, Rugs, Blankets, &c., for the use of the Police Department, during the year ending 31st December, 1874, as may from time to time be required by the Superintendent of Police.

Samples of each Article must accompany Tenders.

On application at the Office of the Superintendent of Police, a list of the various Articles required, together with the average annual consumption of each, can be seen.

Full particulars will be afforded by the Superintendent of Police.

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.

**SHOEING for POLICE HORSES for 1874.**

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 4th November, 1873.*

**TENDERS** (endorsed "*Tender for Shoeing Horses,*") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 17th December, 1873, from persons willing to Shoe Police Horses at the undermentioned Police Stations during the year 1874:—

Albany	Kojonup
Bridgetown	Northam
Bunbury	Perth
Champion Bay	Pinjarra
Dongarra	Toodyay
Fremantle	Vasse
Guildford	Victoria Plains
Gwalla	Williams River
Greenough	York

Tenders to state the rate per set, and for removes.

Police Horses to be shod to the satisfaction of the Officer in charge of the District.

Horses not in the Police Force, but the property of the Local Government, must be shod at the same rate as Police Horses.

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.

**Burial of Paupers.**

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 4th November, 1873.*

**TENDERS** (endorsed "*Tender for Burial of Paupers,*") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 17th December, 1873, from persons willing to contract for Burial of Paupers at Perth, Fremantle, Guildford, Vasse, Bunbury, York, Newcastle, Champion Bay, and Albany, during the year 1874.

Tenders must state the price for the burial of an adult or child respectively.

Contractors to find pall.

At Perth the contractor will be allowed the use of a funeral car.

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.

**TRANSPORT.**

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 4th November, 1873.*

**TENDERS** (endorsed "*Tender for Transport,*") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 17th December, 1873, from persons willing to supply Transport between the undermentioned places during the year 1874:—

- Perth and Fremantle, and *vice versa.*
- Fremantle and Rottneest, and *vice versa.*
- Perth and Rottneest, and *vice versa.*
- Fremantle to Roebourne.
- Do. to Champion Bay.

Tenders to state the price per ton, and per head for passengers.

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.

**Sweeping Chimneys.**

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 4th November, 1873.*

**TENDERS** (endorsed "*Tender for Sweeping Chimneys,*") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 17th December, 1873, from persons willing to contract for Sweeping Chimneys during the year 1874, at Perth, Fre-

mantle, Champion Bay, and Albany, for the Local Government.

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.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 4th November, 1873.*

**TENDERS** (endorsed "*Tender for Cess Pits,*") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 17th December, 1873, from persons willing to contract for emptying Cess Pits and Dry Earth Closets during the year 1874, at Perth, Fremantle, and Champion Bay.

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.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 1st October, 1873.*

**HIS** Excellency The Governor desires it to be notified, for general information, that the contribution in respect of all sheep depastured in the Colony to be paid on or before the first day of January, 1874, for defraying the cost and expense of the Scab-in-Sheep Ordinance of 1866, shall be reduced from Two pounds to One pound ten shillings for every one thousand sheep, and so on for any greater or smaller number possessed by one owner.

FRED. P. BARLEE,  
Colonial Secretary.

**SEALED** Tenders in the form used in the Commissariat Department (blank forms whereof can be had on application at the Commissariat Office at Bangalore), will be received up to 12 o'clock on the 6th day of January, 1874, by the Executive Commissariat Officer at Bangalore, for the Supply by Contract of the Articles mentioned in the subjoined Schedule.

Tenders will be opened by the Executive Commissariat Officer at Bangalore, in the presence of those interested who may choose to attend.

Each Tender must be accompanied by the deposit (in Cash or Currency Notes) shown in Column 5 of the Schedule; and in default of such deposit the Tender will be rejected; no Tender will be received after the time fixed for the opening of Tenders.

No person making a Tender shall be allowed to withdraw his Tender for the space of 60 days from the date thereof, and in the event of his so doing his deposit shall be forfeited to Government.

Tenders should be superscribed—"Tenders for the supply of Australian Flour."

All needful information may be had on application at the Commissariat Office at Bangalore.

Every Tender not made in the required form will be rejected.

The Commissary-General reserves to himself the right of rejecting Tenders without assigning any reason for so doing.

The Tenderer, if successful, must, within three days, deposit security of the nature and amount specified in Column 6 of the Advertisement.

The successful Competitor will be required to pay the value of the Stamp under the provisions of Clause 16, Schedule I. of the General Stamp Act XVIII. of 1869. Value of Stamp about Rupees 350, more or less, according to total cost of Flour, calculated at rate of approved Tender.

SCHEDULE.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Description of Articles to be supplied.	Probable Quantity or Number.	Period of Delivery specifying Quantities.	Place of Delivery, and to whom to be made.	Amount of Deposit in Cash or Currency Notes to accompany the Tender.	Amount of Security in Cash, Currency Notes, or Govt. Promissory Notes to be furnished by the successful Tenderer.	Fines for each Breach of Contract.
Australian Flour, best sort, warranted to keep for 6 months.	Tons. 276	To be delivered as follows :— 1874. Tons. 15th March 70 15th May 70 15th Aug. 70 15th Nov. 66 Total..276	At the Government Bakery, Bangalore, free of all expense.	Rs. 3,000	At 20 per cent on the value of the Articles Contracted for.	

By order of the Commissary-General.

R. A. MOORE, Lieutenant-Colonel.  
*Asst. Commissary-General.*

Commissariat Office, Bangalore, 2nd September, 1873.

J. LOUDON, Colonel, *Commissary-General.*

Forms of Tender for the above service can be had on application at this Office.

FRED. P. BARLEE,  
Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth, 28th October, 1873.

**MAIL CONTRACTS!!!**

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 3rd November, 1873.*

**I**NTENDING CONTRACTORS for Conveyance of Mails are requested to state, in their Tenders, the terms on which they will convey Mails to and from the Eastern and Southern Districts *twice* as well as *once a week*; and *once a week* as well as *once a fortnight* to and from Champion Bay.

By Order,  
**FRED. P. BARLEE,**  
Colonial Secretary.

*General Post Office,  
Perth, 24th November, 1873.*

**M**AILED 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 Saturday, the 6th December, at 4 o'clock, p.m.

For the Australian Colonies, New Zealand, and Tasmania, on Thursday, the 4th December, at 12 o'clock (noon.)

Money Orders for transmission by the above conveyance will be issued on the United Kingdom up to 11 a.m. on Friday, 5th December, and on the Australian Colonies, New Zealand, and Tasmania, up to 11 a.m. on Wednesday, 3rd December.

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 12h. 30m. 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.

*Commissioner of Crown Lands' Office,  
Perth, 24th November, 1873.*

**I**T should be clearly understood by Lessees and Licensees of Pastoral Lands, Tillage Lease holders, and Licensees of Special Occupation Lands, that their rents for the year 1874 become due on the 1st day of January next. From that date to the 1st day of March following they will be received at the Treasury at Perth and by the different Sub-Collectors throughout the Colony. Any remaining unpaid after the 1st day of March, will be immediately subjected to the fines and penalties provided.

**MALCOLM FRASER,**  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Comptroller General's Office,  
Perth, 22nd November, 1873.*

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

Reg. No. 8974 Michael Ryan  
" 9809 Charles Longhurst

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

Reg. No. 5960 William Raymond  
" 7311 William Wynn  
" 8224 John Blackburn  
" 8382 Edward Price  
" 8515 Thomas Carter

**W. R. FAUNTLEROY,**  
Acting Comptroller General.

**T**HE "Elementary Education Act, 1871," with Regulations for the Conduct and Management of Elections of District Boards of Education, and By-Laws and Regulations of the Central Board of Education, in a pamphlet form, can be procured at the Government Printing Office, Perth. Price, 1s.

**LAND SALES.**

*Crown Lands' Office, Perth, 25th November, 1873.*

**T**HE undermentioned Allotments of Land will be offered for Sale, at Public Auction on the dates and at the places specified in the Schedule below, at one o'clock p.m.

**SCHEDULE.**

Dates of Sale.	Places of Sale.	Description of Lots.	Numbers of Lots.	Quantity.			Upset Prices.
				a.	r.	p.	
1873.							
Dec. 3.	Geraldton	Northampton Town	65	...	...	...	£7 10s.
Do.	Albany ...	Albany ... Do.	371	...	...	...	£9.
Do.	Perth ...	Perth ... Town	Y 263	...	...	...	Do.
Do.	Do. ...	Pinjarrah ... Do.	101	...	...	...	£7 10s.
Do.	Do. ...	Do. ... Do.	102	...	...	...	Do.
Do.	Newcastle	Northam ... Do.	139	...	...	...	Do.
Dec. 10	Albany ...	Albany ... Do.	219	...	...	...	£9.
Do.	Do. ...	Do. ... Do.	305	...	...	...	Do.
Do.	Do. ...	Do. ... Do.	306	...	...	...	Do.

**MALCOLM FRASER,** Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Commissioner of Crown Lands' Office, Perth, 1st November, 1873.

THE following Return of Class B Pastoral Leases abandoned or forfeited by non-payment of Rent, for the year 1873, is published for general information.

MALCOLM FRASER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NAMES.	Nos.	ACRES.	NAMES.	Nos.	ACRES.
AVON.			HAY.		
R. B. Leake ... ..	4022	4000	Thos. Norrish...	4892	4000
E. B. Lennard ... ..	4042	10000	A. Muir & Sons ... ..	5368	9880
J. H. Monger ... ..	4382	4000	R. Muir ... ..	5622	3000
Seabrook & Robinson ... ..	4438	10000	A. Muir ... ..	6026	10000
Jas. Ward ... ..	4471	5000	J. McKail ... ..	6202	10000
Do. ... ..	4473	10000	Do. ... ..	6203	4000
W. M. Parker... ..	4786	10000	A. Moir ... ..	6245	10000
Jas. Ward ... ..	4787	5000	W. J. Gillam ... ..	6316	10000
John Taylor ... ..	4793	10000	Jas. Arber ... ..	6375	10000
W. M. Parker ... ..	4827	10000	A. Muir & Sons ... ..	7231	10000
Thos. Edwards ... ..	4828	10000	Jas. Arber ... ..	7233	9700
J. H. Monger... ..	5116	3000	J. Hassell ... ..	7234	10000
W. Shaddick ... ..	5167	6000	Do. ... ..	7235	5000
Seabrook & Robinson ... ..	5209	10000	KENT.		
A. Smith ... ..	5231	6000	A. & A. Moir ... ..	3630	10000
J. Delmage ... ..	5233	4000	J. Hassell ... ..	3695	10000
Padbury & Co. ... ..	5236	3000	Camp. Taylor ... ..	4492	10000
J. Draper ... ..	5248	5000	A. & G. Moir ... ..	4584	6000
Chas. Heal ... ..	5516	6000	G. Cheyne ... ..	4868	10000
A. J. Edwards ... ..	5522	4000	J. Hassell ... ..	4869	10000
Padbury & Co. ... ..	5524	7000	Do. ... ..	4870	10000
R. D. Hardey ... ..	5549	4000	Do. ... ..	4871	8000
F. Morrell ... ..	5630	5000	A. & G. Moir ... ..	5371	8800
E. R. Brockman ... ..	5704	4000	G. Cheyne ... ..	5372	10000
E. Robinson & Co....	5760	4400	Do. ... ..	5373	10000
Do. ... ..	5919	10000	Jno. Hassell ... ..	5380	5800
J. H. Gregory ... ..	5992	6000	Do. ... ..	5381	5920
J. Seabrook ... ..	6075	10000	J. Wellsteen ... ..	5928	8500
J. Morrison ... ..	6166	10000	Do. ... ..	5929	8500
J. R. F. Wells ... ..	6206	10000	Jno. Hassell ... ..	5930	4000
Thos. Edwards ... ..	6265	4000	Do. ... ..	5931	9000
J. Sewell, Jun. ... ..	6266	1000	Do. ... ..	5932	8000
Do. ... ..	6267	1000	Do. ... ..	5933	6000
W. Padbury ... ..	6509	10000	A. & G. Moir ... ..	6143	10000
Do. ... ..	6510	10000	J. R. Dunn & Sons ... ..	6382	10000
C. & H. Foss ... ..	6516	6000	Jno. Hassell ... ..	6512	2000
R. B. Leake ... ..	6581	5150	A. & G. Moir ... ..	6659	5000
W. Padbury ... ..	6631	9900	Dempster, Bros. ... ..	6826	6000
J. W. Cowan ... ..	6703	4000	Do. ... ..	6827	6000
R. B. Leake ... ..	6725	4000	Do. ... ..	6828	10000
New & Clark ... ..	6853	2000	H. K. Toll ... ..	6829	10000
A. Smith ... ..	6854	2000	Jno. Hassell ... ..	7241	5000
C. & H. Foss ... ..	6905	4000	KOJONUP.		
E. B. Lennard ... ..	7055	10000	W. Grover ... ..	3619	3000
J. Morrison ... ..	7056	10000	Do. ... ..	3620	5000
W. A. Robinson ... ..	7057	10000	Do. ... ..	4265	10000
C. & H. Foss ... ..	7058	4000	G. Kersley ... ..	4502	4500
A. Smith ... ..	7059	2000	E. M. Spencer... ..	4580	6000
Jno. Parrish ... ..	7060	5000	E. Quartermaine ... ..	4597	10000
W. M. Parker ... ..	7061	10000	W. Andrews ... ..	4598	10000
Do. ... ..	7062	3000	E. Quartermaine ... ..	4814	6000
J. H. Monger ... ..	7063	4000	Jos. Spencer ... ..	4863	5000
Jas. Sinclair ... ..	7064	4000	Jno. Hassell ... ..	4865	2250
W. M. Parker... ..	7065	10000	E. Quartermaine ... ..	4866	6000
Chas. Lloyd ... ..	7066	10000	A. Moir ... ..	4897	10000
B. D. Clarkson ... ..	7067	5000	W. Padbury ... ..	5037	10000
Do. ... ..	7068	2000	Do. ... ..	5038	5000
HAY.			E. Treasure ... ..	5089	10000
A. Moir ... ..	3646	10000	P. Garoty ... ..	5134	10000
A. Muir & Sons ... ..	3647	10000	A. Moir ... ..	5287	6000
Do. ... ..	3648	10000	E. Quartermaine ... ..	5289	6000
J. Hassell ... ..	3651	5000	E. M. Spencer... ..	5387	10000
A. Muir & Sons ... ..	3653	10000	Do. ... ..	5388	10000
A. Moir ... ..	3654	10000	Do. ... ..	5389	10000
G. E. E. Warburton ... ..	3664	10000	Jno. Hassell ... ..	5392	5534
J. Hassell ... ..	3665	5000	Do. ... ..	5393	6000
Jno. Williams... ..	3674	10000			
A. Muir & Sons ... ..	4862	10000			



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NAMES.	Nos.	ACRES.	NAMES.	Nos.	ACRES.
KOJONUP.			NELSON.		
A. Moir ... ..	5394	10000	K. Brown ... ..	6225	10000
Do. ... ..	5395	6000	Do. ... ..	6226	10000
W. H. Graham ... ..	5396	10000	J. Mottram ... ..	6234	10000
E. M. Spencer ... ..	5399	10000	J. Forrest & Co. ... ..	6314	10000
E. Quartermaine ... ..	5401	10000	A. Muir & Sons ... ..	6374	10000
Do. ... ..	5402	10000	J. Allnutt & Co. ... ..	6735	10000
Do. ... ..	5403	5000	Jno. Forrest ... ..	6741	10000
G. Kersley ... ..	5406	6000	Chas. Rose ... ..	6743	10000
E. Quartermaine ... ..	5616	5000	Jno. Mottram ... ..	6744	5000
E. Treasure ... ..	5655	10000	W. T. Loton ... ..	6825	10000
A. Moir ... ..	5656	10000	E. R. Brockman ... ..	6874	10000
Thos. Norrish ... ..	5658	10000	Do. ... ..	6875	10000
G. Kersley ... ..	5923	2000	J. Blechynden ... ..	7172	10000
H. Hayward ... ..	6021	6000	Jno. Forrest ... ..	7173	6000
W. H. Graham ... ..	6151	10000	Do. ... ..	7174	2330
E. Treasure ... ..	6207	4000	Chas. Rose ... ..	7175	10000
Do. ... ..	6208	10000	Jno. Forrest ... ..	7176	6000
A. Moir ... ..	6344	10000	J. & G. Giblett ... ..	7289	10000
W. H. Graham ... ..	6517	10000	H. McKenzie ... ..	7290	5000
Jas. Annice ... ..	6519	6300	PLANTAGENET.		
Thos. Norrish ... ..	7213	6000	A. Trimmer ... ..	3685	6000
Do. ... ..	7214	10000	J. Robertson ... ..	4083	10000
W. J. Gillam ... ..	7216	10000	W. Ponton ... ..	4330	10000
E. Quartermaine ... ..	7217	10000	H. K. Toll ... ..	4332	4000
Do. ... ..	7218	10000	W. G. Knight ... ..	4445	5000
Do. ... ..	7219	5000	A. Trimmer ... ..	4582	10000
E. Treasure ... ..	7220	6000	Jno. Hassell ... ..	4859	5000
W. J. Noonan ... ..	7221	5000	J. McKail ... ..	4898	9855
W. H. Graham ... ..	7222	10000	A. Trimmer ... ..	5150	10000
W. Whitehead ... ..	7223	6000	Do. ... ..	5258	5000
G. Kersley ... ..	7224	5000	Do. ... ..	5261	5000
L. VanZuileicom ... ..	7225	5000	W. Jeffries ... ..	5361	6000
Jas. Annice ... ..	7226	5000	H. K. Toll ... ..	5362	10000
T. Haddleton ... ..	7294	5000	W. Sounness ... ..	5364	7000
MURCHISON.			J. R. Dunn & Sons ... ..	5365	7100
F. H. du Boulay ... ..	4592	10000	G. Chester ... ..	5366	7500
Do. ... ..	4593	6000	W. Ponton ... ..	5379	10000
Do. ... ..	4594	10000	J. A. & A. Hassell ... ..	5662	2000
Do. ... ..	4595	6000	D. Young ... ..	5779	10000
W. Nancarrow ... ..	4677	10000	A. Moir ... ..	6023	7680
Do. ... ..	6511	6000	T. Sherratt ... ..	6025	10000
R. M. Habgood ... ..	7242	10000	W. Sounness ... ..	6197	3000
Do. ... ..	7243	10000	W. Melluish ... ..	6205	5000
NELSON.			A. Muir & Sons ... ..	6884	5000
H. McKenzie ... ..	4173	10000	H. K. Toll ... ..	7240	4000
J. G. Lee Steere ... ..	4842	2280	W. Cooper ... ..	7295	6000
E. G. Hester ... ..	4847	6600	SUSSEX.		
J. Blechynden ... ..	4850	3000	R. Scott ... ..	6877	10000
J. Allnut ... ..	4852	10000	VICTORIA.		
J. Higgins ... ..	4854	10000	National Bank ... ..	4586	10000
Chas. Rose ... ..	4855	10000	Do. ... ..	4587	10000
A. Muir & Sons ... ..	4856	10000	Do. ... ..	4588	10000
J. Giblett ... ..	5338	10000	P. Morrissey ... ..	4668	9920
J. Blechynden ... ..	5356	10000	N. W. Cooke ... ..	4671	7360
Giblett & Moulton ... ..	5357	10000	T. Whitfield ... ..	4672	10000
J. Allnutt ... ..	5358	10000	Do. ... ..	4673	9830
Do. ... ..	5359	10000	W. Long ... ..	4675	6360
J. Giblett ... ..	5431	9920	L. C. Burges ... ..	4982	10000
P. Wheatley ... ..	5687	10000	Do. ... ..	4983	10000
J. Scott, Jun. ... ..	5690	10000	Bell, Eakins, & Eves ... ..	5109	5000
Do. ... ..	6055	10000	J. T. Cooke ... ..	5397	10000
T. Giblett ... ..	6061	10000	N. W. Cooke ... ..	5398	7500
A. Muir & Sons ... ..	6062	10000	A. & G. Shenton ... ..	5499	10000
Do. ... ..	6063	6000	D. Macpherson ... ..	5651	10000
T. Dickson & Co. ... ..	6065	10000	J. T. Cooke ... ..	5716	10000
Do. ... ..	6066	10000	W. Long ... ..	5911	10000
Do. ... ..	6067	10000	Do. ... ..	5912	10000
E. R. Brockman ... ..	6178	10000	J. T. Cooke ... ..	5921	10000
Do. ... ..	6179	10000	J. Morrissey ... ..	5976	4000
Do. ... ..	6180	10000			

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NAMES.	Nos.	ACRES.	NAMES.	Nos.	ACRES.
VICTORIA.			VICTORIA.		
A. & G. Shenton ... ..	6040	10000	W. F. Waldeck ... ..	7250	2000
Do. ... ..	6041	10000	WILLIAMS.		
J. S. Davis ... ..	6042	10000	M. T. Hamersley ... ..	3979	2000
M. A. Morrissey ... ..	6043	4000	C. Smith, Jun. ... ..	4559	10000
W. Long ... ..	6112	6000	Do. ... ..	4560	10000
W. F. Waldeck ... ..	6117	10000	W. Andrews ... ..	4599	10000
L. McPherson ... ..	6175	6000	R. Clayton ... ..	4985	4000
W. F. Waldeck ... ..	6209	10000	W. Padbury ... ..	5041	10000
M. Logue ... ..	6210	10000	W. Lukin ... ..	5225	10000
Do. ... ..	6211	10000	Jno. Taylor ... ..	5303	5000
Thos. Burges ... ..	6253	10000	W. Cornwall ... ..	5444	10000
Do. ... ..	6257	3000	E. Quartermaine ... ..	5453	5000
Jas. Nairn ... ..	6513	4800	Jno. Taylor ... ..	5624	10000
A. & G. Shenton ... ..	6514	10000	W. Lukin ... ..	6291	5000
Bell, Eakins, & Eves ... ..	6515	10000	W. Padbury ... ..	6361	10000
J. S. Davis ... ..	6701	6000	Do. ... ..	6362	4000
J. Stokes ... ..	6729	10000	M. T. Hamersley ... ..	6414	4500
Thos. Burges ... ..	6757	10000	E. B. Lennard ... ..	6442	5000
Do. ... ..	6758	5000	C. Smith, Jun. ... ..	6494	10000
J. S. Davis ... ..	6788	10000	R. Clayton ... ..	6686	3000
Thos. Burges ... ..	6842	5000	Do. ... ..	6687	3000
J. Morrissey ... ..	6941	5000	W. Padbury ... ..	6732	4000
Exors. P. Morrissey ... ..	6943	10000	O. Hale ... ..	7201	2000
Chas. Crowther ... ..	6944	8000	G. Monger ... ..	7202	10000
Jno. Morrissey ... ..	6945	4000	Do. ... ..	7203	10000
J. T. Cooke ... ..	6946	5300	Do. ... ..	7204	10000
Bell, Eakins, & Eves ... ..	6948	6000	W. Andrews ... ..	7314	6000
W. Long ... ..	6949	6000			
J. Stokes ... ..	7249	10000			

## York Municipality.

## NOTICE

IS hereby given that the General Annual Meeting of Electors and Ratepayers will be held in the Mechanics' Institute on Monday, 1st December next, at noon, for the purpose of electing a Chairman, six Councillors, Auditors, and a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

W. W. HOOPS,  
Chairman.

York, November 10th, 1873.

## NOTICE.

IN accordance with the 26th Section of "The District Roads' Act, 1871," I give notice that I have applied to the Blackwood Roads' Board for permission to place two gates across the Upper Preston, about 20 chains South from Location 40, and about 110 chains from above.

R. H. ROSE.  
Parkfield, 3rd November, 1873.

Albany Municipal Council Office,  
10th November, 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the Municipal Act of 1871, that if the sum of £6 15s. now due for arrears of rates upon Albany Town Lot No. 2 B be not paid to the Collector of the Municipality by the owner, W. Drake, or his recognized agents, on or before the 4th day of January, 1874, the said land will be sold by Public Auction, at Albany Court House, at 3 p.m. on 5th day of January, 1874, without further notice.

T. COCKBURN-CAMPBELL,  
Chairman, Albany Municipality, K.G.S.

## NOTICE.

THIS is to certify that I, the undersigned, have applied to the Murray Roads Board for permission to close the road leading from the South Dandalup Causeway to the Queen's Hotel.

W. PATERSON,  
Creaton, Dandalup.