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*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 19th December, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under the authority of His Excellency the Governor, that the localities heretofore designated and defined in the *Government Gazette* of the 12th day of December, 1871, under and in pursuance of "The District Roads Act, 1871," as the Districts of Fremantle, Wellington, Sussex, Plantagenet, and Geraldton, shall not be taken to include any lands situated within the limits of the Municipalities of Fremantle, Bunbury, Busselton, Albany, and Geraldton, respectively; and that the locality heretofore designated and defined in the *Government Gazette* of 4th November, 1873, as the district of York shall not be taken to include any lands situated within the limits of the Municipality of York.

By Order,
A. O'GRADY LEFROY,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

BOATS AND BOATMEN.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 19th December, 1876.*

HIS Excellency The Governor has been pleased to appoint the following Officers to form a Licensing Board at Geraldton, in accordance with 19th Victoria, No. 15, and 25th Victoria, No. 12, viz:—

The Resident Magistrate,
The Inspector of Police,
Mr. William Trigg.

A. O'GRADY LEFROY,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

TENDER ACCEPTED.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 15th December, 1876.*

MAITLAND BROWN,

To convey a Mail from Geraldton to Glengarry, calling at Sandsprings, Ellendale, and Tibbradden, from Glengarry to Greenough,

and *vice versa*, and from Glengarry to Geraldton, once a week on horseback, for the sum of £60 per annum.

A. O'GRADY LEFROY,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

*Registrar General's Office,
Perth, 18th December, 1876.*

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the undermentioned minister has been registered in this office for the celebration of marriages in the Colony of Western Australia, according to the rites and ceremonies of the Church of England.

Name.	Residence.	District.
Rev. J. Allen.	Greenough.	Greenough.

E. L. COURTHOPE,
Acting Registrar General.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 19th December, 1876.*

HIS Excellency the Governor directs the publication of the following notices, for general information.

A. O'GRADY LEFROY,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

[Extract from Ceylon Government Gazette, November 10th, 1876.]

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Beacon recently erected on the two fathom patch off the port of Batticaloa on the east coast of Ceylon, bearing N. 43deg. 51min. E. from the Flagstaff near the bar, and distant 2,208 yards, has been washed away.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Colombo, 10th November, 1876.

ARTHUR N. BIRCH,
Col. Secy.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. DIRECTIONS FOR KURRACHEE HARBOR.

Latitude of Light-House on Manora Point..... 24d. 47m. 21s. N.
Longitude 66d. 58m. 15s. E.
The Light is a fixed one, 120 feet above the sea-level, visible in clear weather 16 miles.
In hazy weather, prevalent during the South-west Monsoon, about 7 miles.
Present light very inferior. A Dioptric light of the 2nd order sanctioned, and will shortly be exhibited.

* (The new light will be 150 feet above the sea-level, and visible in clear weather..... 20 miles).

* Notice will be given when the new light will be exhibited.

TIDES.

High water, full and change 10h. 30m.
Average rise and fall—Spring tides 9ft. 6in.
Do. do. —Neap tides..... 3 to 4 feet.

DEPTH OF WATER IN ENTRANCE CHANNEL AT HIGH WATER.

Spring tides 29 feet.
Neap tides..... 24 to 25 feet.

DRAUGHT OF VESSELS ENTERING OR LEAVING PORT.

Vessels with a draft not exceeding 22 feet can now enter and leave the Port without difficulty or delay during all seasons of the year.

During the fair season, from October to 15th May, vessels with a draught not exceeding 24 feet can enter and leave the Harbor.

Fixed moorings are placed for vessels of the largest class.

TIME OF TIDE FOR ENTERING PORT.

Sailing vessels should enter Port on the ebb-tide.

Steamers can enter either flood or ebb at the Pilot's discretion.

Masters of ships should not on any account attempt to enter the Harbor without a Pilot.

HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.

Among the extensive works executed, a Breakwater has been built, running out from Manora Point in a S. by E. direction, to a distance of 1,500 feet into 5 fathoms of water, this affords complete shelter to the entrance channel during the South-west Monsoon; also a channel has been opened through the Bar with a depth of 20 feet at low water spring-tides, 500 feet in breadth; the entrance is marked by buoys, one in each side of the channel.

NOTE.—A Mail Steamer arriving off the Port at night should burn two blue-lights in quick succession; during the fair season a Pilot will at once board, but during the monsoon she must keep off the Port until daylight.

A red light is exhibited at the extreme end of the Breakwater during the fair season only.

APPROACHING THE PORT.

COAST OF SIND.

INDUS BANKS.

The coast of Sind should be approached with **great caution**, too much attention cannot be paid to the lead, more especially in passing the banks of the Indus, which are extending considerably to seaward.

By night, a vessel should give the banks a berth of 15 to 20 miles, and if after passing the "Swatch," she does not get less than 18 to 20 fathoms, she may haul to the northward, not coming into less than 15 fathoms until the Kurrachee Light is seen.

By day, the breakers on the edge of the banks are a good guide, unless the water is quite smooth; but it is hardly possible for a vessel to run ashore by day on account of the marked discoloration of the water, which extends some distance outside the banks.

The tides during the springs are strong, the flood sets to the S.E., and the ebb to the N.W.

From February to end of Monsoon a strong South-easterly current may be expected, running at a rate of from 15 to 45 miles a day.

During the South-west Monsoon, vessels should make Ras Mauri (Cape Monze), which is 18 miles W. $\frac{1}{2}$ N. from Manora Light-house, and keep to windward of the Port, if the weather is thick, or if the tide does not suit for entering the Harbor. Allowance must also be made for a strong set to the South-east, which prevails more or less during the South-west Monsoon.

Do not bring Manora Point to the Southward of E. by N., or go under 15 fathoms near Cape Monze.

Masters of ships should endeavor to make the Port at daylight, and can with safety approach into 8 fathoms to about 2 miles distance from the Light-house, keeping it on any bearing from N.E. to N.N.E., and heave to for a Pilot.

ANCHORAGE IN THE ROADS.

From June to middle of September, ships should not on any account anchor, but stand off and on, keeping the Light-house bearing from N.N.E. to N.E.,—1 to 2 miles distance—until boarded by a Pilot, or directed by signal.

September to end of March.

Anchorage—Light-house N. by E. to N.N.E., distance 1 mile, 7 fathoms.

April and May.

Anchorage—Light-house N.N.E. to N.E., distance half a mile, 8 fathoms.

GEORGE C. PARKER, Lieutenant, I.N.,

Master Attendant's Office, Master Attendant, Kurrachee.
Kurrachee, 1st September, 1876.

NOTE.—Since 1851, the ships "Admiral Boxer," "Alicia," and "John Starr," have been totally lost on or near the banks of the Indus, and the ships "Thomas Campbell," "Augusta," "Dadum," and the steamer "Pioneer," have grounded on them, but eventually floated off.

Two large Troop Ships have also in the same period touched on them.

All these casualties were principally owing to *not making allowance for a strong set to S.E., and not using the lead.*

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 20th November, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Williams District for the purposes of "The District Roads Act, 1871," shall be the area bounded on the Northward by the North bank of the Hotham River, including the Bridge; on the

Westward by the Murray and Bunbury districts; on the Eastward by the Beverley district; and on the Southward by the Kojonup district.

Notice is hereby given that Wednesday, the 20th day of December next, has been fixed by His Excellency The Governor in Council for the election of a Local Board, within the meaning and pursuant to the provisions of "The District Roads Act, 1871," for the Williams Road District; and that His Excellency The Governor has appointed John C. Rosselloty, Esquire, Resident Magistrate, to be the Returning Officer at such Election.

By Command,

ERNEST W. HOWARD,

pro Acting Colonial Secretary.

Department of Public Works,

Perth, 12th December, 1876.

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Timber for Jetty, Fremantle,") will be received at this Office until noon of Monday, the 8th January, 1877, from persons willing to supply and deliver at Fremantle, the following Timber, &c. :—

1 pile 35 feet long 16 inches diameter
12 pieces 14 " 14 " "
13 " 18 " 12x8 " "
2 " 16 " 12x4 " "
30 iron bolts with nuts 3ft. 6in. long, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.
20 " " 10in. " $\frac{3}{4}$ in.
1 bar of iron, 16 feet long, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. x $\frac{1}{2}$ in.

Tenders to state the shortest time in which the above will be delivered.

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.

JAS. H. THOMAS,

Director of Public Works.

Department of Public Works,

Perth, 28th November, 1876.

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Timber for Railway,") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 27th December, 1876, from persons willing to supply and deliver at Champion Bay by the 1st February, 1877, the following Jarrah Timber, to be of first class quality, sound in every respect, and to be lined and squared :—

2 pieces 35 feet long 18" x 18"
3 " 35 feet " 12" x 12"
6 " 35 feet " 12" x 12"

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.

JAS. H. THOMAS,

Director of Public Works.

*Department of Public Works,
Perth, 28th November, 1876.*

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Repairs, &c., to Buildings at Geraldton,") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 27th December, 1876, from persons willing to perform various alterations and additions to Police Quarters, Stable, Forage Room, and Resident Magistrate's Offices, &c., at Champion Bay.

Full particulars may be obtained on application to the Resident Magistrate at Geraldton, or at the Department of Public Works, Perth.

Tenders to state the shortest time in which the work will be performed.

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 at the various Resident Magistrates, and at the Public Offices, Perth; and no tender will be entertained unless rendered on the prescribed form.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
Director of Public Works.

*Department of Public Works,
Perth, 23rd November, 1876.*

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Albany Jetty,") will be received at this Office until noon of Tuesday, the 9th January, 1877, from persons willing to undertake the enlargement of the Albany Jetty, in accordance with Plans and Specifications, which may be seen on application at the Department of Public Works, or the Office of the Resident Magistrate at Albany.

Tenders to state the shortest time in which the work will be performed.

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.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
Director of Public Works.

*Department of Public Works,
Perth, 23rd November, 1876.*

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Street through Geraldton,") will be received at this Office until noon of Tuesday, the 26th December, 1876, from persons willing to form and metal a street through Geraldton.

Full particulars may be obtained on application at the Department of Public Works, Perth, or the Superintending Engineer, Champion Bay.

Tenders to state the shortest time in which the work will be performed.

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.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
Director of Public Works.

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Telegraph Station,") will be received at this Office until noon of Tuesday, the 23rd January, 1877, from persons willing to construct a Telegraph Station for Eucla.

Plans and specifications may be seen on application at the Department of Public Works, Perth, or the Office of the Resident Magistrate, at Albany.

Tenders to state the shortest time in which the work will be performed.

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.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
Director of Public Works.

MAIL NOTICE.

*General Post Office,
Perth, December 8th, 1876.*

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

For the Australian Colonies, New Zealand, Tasmania, and America, on Monday, the 25th December, at 12 o'clock (noon).

For Europe, India, Cape of Good Hope, &c., on Saturday, the 30th December, at 2 o'clock, p.m.

Money Orders for transmission by the above conveyances will be issued on the Australian Colonies, New Zealand, and Tasmania, up to noon on Saturday, the 23rd December, and on the United Kingdom up to noon on Friday, December 29th.

Letters for Registration must be posted one hour before the closing of the Mails.

Late Letters, on payment of a fee of 6d., may be posted up to 12h. 30m. for the Colonial Mails, and up to 2h. 30m. for the European 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.

NOTICE.

*Custom House, Fremantle,
9th December, 1876.*

THE Board of Officers appointed to issue Licenses for Boats, under the Ordinances 25th Victoria, No. 12, and 19th Victoria, No. 15, will meet at the South Jetty, Fremantle, at 11 a.m. on the following days, viz.:—

On Saturday, 30th December, 1876.

„ Thursday, 4th January, 1877.

„ Thursday, 11th January, 1877.

Subsequent to the 11th January, 1877, the owner of any Boat found plying without a License will be proceeded against.

L. WORSLEY CLIFTON,
Collector of Customs.

POSTAL AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

*General Post Office,
Perth, 4th December, 1876.*

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

A. HELMICH,
Postmaster-General.

Tenders for Annual Contracts for the Year 1877.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 1st November, 1876.

TENDERS FOR COLONIAL AND CONVICT SERVICE, (endorsed "Tender for....." as the case may be) will be received at this Office until noon of TUESDAY, the 19th DECEMBER, 1876, from persons willing to Contract for the performance of the following Services during the year 1877:—

1.—GENERAL SUPPLIES

Of the following articles at the undermentioned Stations; 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, Williams, and Rottnest Island:

Fresh Meat @ per lb.

Salt Beef @ 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, Linseed Meal, Starch, Potatoes, Candle wick, Cotton wick, Kerosene wick, Rice, Soap, Tobacco, Salt, Bran, Coffee, Coffee Ground, Hops, Arrow-root, Butter, Pepper, Mustard, Cheese, Vegetables, and Raisins, @ per lb.

Sheeting Calico, @ per yard.

Samples of all but Meat and Vegetables must accompany tenders.

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

Pipes, @ per dozen.

Eggs, @ per dozen.

Leeches, @ per dozen.

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

Firewood for Rottnest to be Banksia wood, in billets of 9 inches diameter and three 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, 1877, if they think it desirable to do so.

Tender to be endorsed "Tender for General Supplies for 1877."

2.—FORAGE

For such Horses as may be employed in the Service during the year 1877, at Geraldton, Fremantle, and Perth.

Hay, @ per ton.

Barley, @ per bushel.

Bran, @ per lb.

The daily ration of each horse is 18 lbs. of Hay, and 9 lbs. 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

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender for any of the above named services, and reserves to itself the right of accepting a portion of a tender.

The whole of the supplies to be of unexceptionable quality, and subject to approval or rejection by officers or persons duly deputed by the Government.

district as the horses may from time to time be stationed, and in quantities not exceeding one month's supply.

Tender to be endorsed "Tender for Forage."

3.—CARTAGE

That may be required at Perth and Fremantle, during the year 1877.

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

Tender to be endorsed "Tender for Cartage."

4.—TRANSPORT

Between the undermentioned places during the year 1877:—

Perth and Fremantle, and *vice versa*.

Fremantle and Rottnest, and *vice versa*.

Perth and Rottnest, and *vice versa*.

Fremantle to Roebourne.

Do. to Champion Bay.

Do. to Bunbury.

Do. to Vasse.

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

Tender to be endorsed "Tender for Transport."

5.—BURIAL OF PAUPERS

At Perth, Fremantle, Guildford, Vasse, Bunbury, York, Newcastle, Champion Bay, Williams, and Albany, during the year 1877.

Tenderers 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.

Tender to be endorsed "Tender for Burial of Paupers."

6.—SWEEPING CHIMNIES

During the year 1877, at Perth, Fremantle, Champion Bay, and Albany.

Tender to be endorsed "Tender for Sweeping Chimnies."

7.—CESS PITS.

To empty Cess Pits and Dry Earth Closets during the year 1877, at Perth, Fremantle, Albany, Bunbury, Vasse, York, Toodyay, and Champion Bay.

Tender to be endorsed "Tender for Cess Pits."

Tenders for Annual Contracts for the Year 1877.—(Continued).

The flour to be warranted to keep good for six months after delivery.

Fresh Meat to be delivered daily, when the Government or its representative may consider it practicable, and in proportion of three days' supply of Mutton to four days' supply of Beef per week, or alternate days of each. When Beef is issued, fore and hind quarters, or portions thereof, are to be delivered alternately; six inches at least to be cut off the hough and neck bones. Mutton to be delivered in carcasses, excluding heads, necks, shanks below the knee, and hough joints.

The supplies to be delivered at such places and times as may be required by the Government or persons deputed by it.

The ordinary ration of Vegetables to consist of 1 lb. of Potatoes, but when demanded by the Government, and in season, the following equivalents must be supplied twice a week: Pumpkins, 2 lbs.; or Turnips, Carrots, or Cabbage, 1½ lbs.; or Onions, ¼ lb., for every pound of Potatoes.

All supplies must be delivered in good and sound packages; Corn and Flour sacks, and Oil casks, will be returned to the Contractors; other packages will be retained free of charge.

The Contractors will be liable for any expense which may be incurred by the Government in consequence of the non-performance of their contracts.

Payments to be made monthly, and for general supplies for the quantities actually consumed in the month.

No transfer of any Contract will be permitted, without the *previous consent* of the Government.

Each Tender must bear the bonâ fide signatures of two responsible and approved sureties, who will be required to be bound for the due performance of the Contract, under a penalty of about one-fourth of the estimated sum to be paid under each Contract. Parties are requested to be careful in drawing up their Tenders, which should be in strict conformity with this Notice.

Forms of Tender may be had on application to the Comptroller's Office, Fremantle, to the various Resident Magistrates, and at the Public Offices, Perth; and no tender will be entertained unless rendered on the prescribed form. It is not necessary to forward *duplicate* tenders; *one* tender form properly filled up and witnessed, both as regards the Contractor and his sureties, will suffice.

The Convict Department will not require to draw supplies under these Contracts until the 1st April, 1877.

By Command,
A. O'GRADY LEFROY,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 1st November, 1876.*

TENDERS FOR POLICE SERVICE (endorsed "Tender for....." as the case may be) will be received at this Office until noon of TUESDAY, the 19th DECEMBER, 1876, from persons willing to contract for the performance of the following Services during the year 1877:—

1.—Annual Supplies for Police, for 1877.

Supply of such Saddlery, Stable Utensils, Bedding, Rugs, Blankets, &c., for the use of the Police Department, during the year ending the 31st December, 1877, 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 the Police.

Tender to be endorsed "Tender for Annual Supplies for Police."

2.—SHOEING POLICE HORSES

At the undermentioned Police Stations during the year 1877:—

Albany	Northam
Bridgetown	Northampton
Bunbury	Perth
Champion Bay	Pinjarrah
Dongarra	Roebourne
Fremantle	Toodyay
Guildford	Vasse
Gwalla	Victoria Plains
Greenough	Williams River
Kojonup	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 Government, must be shod at the same rate as Police Horses.

Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Shoeing Horses."

Tenders for Annual Contracts for the Year 1877.—(Continued.)

3. **BARLEY or OATS for POLICE HORSES for 1877.**

To be supplied in the undermentioned quantities, at the several Police Stations named, at per bushel of 50 lbs.

	Bushels.
Albany.....	396
Albany Road, 36 miles.....	198
Bannister	198
Bunbury	264
Blackwood No. 1 Station.....	132
Do. Bridge.....	132
Beverley	132
Champion Bay	264
Canning	132
Dongarra	198
Fremantle	330
Guildford	264
Gingin.....	132
Greenough	198
Gwalla.....	264
Harvey	132
Kojonup	264
Lakes, York Road.....	132
Mandurah	132
Minninup	132
Mount Barker	198
Northam	198
Perth	924
Pinjarrah	132
Quindalup	132
Toodyay	264
Vasse	198
Victoria Plains	132
Williams River	330
York.....	330
Youndegin	132
Sharks Bay, delivered at } Champion Bay	132
Roebourne, to be delivered on } Fremantle Jetty	396

The Barley or Oats to be delivered at the Contractor's expense on or after 1st January, 1877, 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 take from the Contractor the whole quantity tendered to be supplied, unless demanded in writing as above.

Tender to be endorsed "*Tender for Barley or Oats for Police Horses.*"

The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender for any of the above-named services, and will in each case 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. It is not necessary to forward *duplicate* tenders; *one* tender form properly filled up and witnessed, both as regards the Contractor and his sureties, will suffice.

E. H. HIGHAM,
Chairman of Board.

Fremantle, Dec. 6th, 1876.

4. **HAY for POLICE HORSES, for 1877.**

Good Sown Wheat or Oat Hay, to be supplied at the several Police Stations named, at per ton of 2240lbs.

	Tons.
Albany	18
Albany Road, 36 miles	9
Bannister	9
Bunbury	12
Blackwood, No. 1 Station	6
Do. Bridge.....	6
Beverley	6
Champion Bay.....	12
Canning	6
Dongarra	9
Fremantle	15
Guildford	12
Gingin	6
Greenough	9
Gwalla	12
Harvey	6
Kojonup	12
Lakes, York Road	6
Mandurah	6
Minninup	6
Mount Barker	9
Northam	9
Perth	42
Pinjarrah	6
Quindalup.....	6
Toodyay	12
Vasse	9
Victoria Plains.....	6
Williams River	15
York	15
Youndegin	6
Sharks Bay, delivered at Cham- } pion Bay	6
Roebourne, delivered on Fre- } mantle Jetty	18

The Hay to be of first-rate quality, and delivered at the Contractor's expense on or after January 1st, 1877, 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 take from the Contractor the whole quantity tendered to be supplied, unless demanded in writing as above.

Tender to be endorsed "*Tender for Hay for Police Horses.*"

By Command,
A. O'GRADY LEFROY,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Fremantle District Roads Board.

THE Annual Meeting of the Electors of the above Board will be held in the Odd Fellows' Hall, Fremantle, on Thursday, the 28th December, 1876, at four o'clock, p.m., for the purpose of electing three members of the Board in lieu of those retiring by rotation, and for the transaction of general business.

E. H. HIGHAM,
Chairman of Board.

Fremantle, Dec. 6th, 1876.

Transfer of Land Act 1874.

TAKE NOTICE that John Daniel Manning of Perth Dairyman has made application to bring under the above Act all that parcel of land known as "Swan Location B 38" Bounded as described in the maps and books of the Survey Office and of record therein.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that any persons claiming any estate right title or interest in the said lands ARE HEREBY REQUIRED to lodge with the Registrar of Titles on or before the 12th day of January next a *caveat*, forbidding the said land from being brought under the operation of the above Act.

J. C. H. JAMES,
Commissioner of Titles.

18th December, 1876.

LAND SALES.

Crown Lands' Office, Perth, 19th December, 1876.

THE 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.

Date of Sale.	Place of Sale.	Description of Lot.	Number of Lot.	Quantity.			Upset Price.
				a.	r.	p.	
1877.							
3rd Jan.	Albany ...	Albany Town	P 7	3	0	0	*30s. per acre.
Do.	Perth ...	Guildford Do.	180				£7 10.
4th Jan.	Geraldton ...	Geraldton Do.	382				£15.
Do.	Do. ...	Geraldton Do.	383				£15.

* With £100 added for improvements, if other than the occupier purchase.

JAMES ROE, *pro* Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Transfer of Land Act, 1874.

TAKE NOTICE that John Sinclair of Bunbury in the Colony of Western Australia Police Constable has made application to bring under the operation of the above Act the following parcel of land situate in Fremantle W.A. viz :

Building Lot No. 450 as the same is described in the maps and books of the Survey Office and is of record therein.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons claiming to have any estate right title or interest in the said land are hereby required to lodge with the Registrar of Titles on or before the 2nd day of February next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the Act.

J. C. H. JAMES,
Commissioner of Titles.

Dec. 18, 1876.

Transfer of Land Act, 1874.

TAKE NOTICE that William Silas Pearse and George Pearse of Fremantle merchants have made application to be registered as proprietors as tenants in common of an estate in fee simple in the following parcels of land situate in the town of Fremantle W.A. as the same are described in the maps and books of the Survey Office and are of record therein :—

NORTH FREMANTLE SUBURBAN LOT No. 2.

FREMANTLE TOWN LOT No. 558.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons having any estate right title or interest in the above mentioned lands or in either of them ARE REQUIRED to lodge with the Registrar of Titles on or before the 5th day of January next a caveat forbidding the said land to be brought under the Act.

J. C. H. JAMES,
Commissioner of Titles.

December 18, 1876.

Transfer of Land Act, 1874.

TAKE NOTICE that Henry James Saw heir-at-law of the late Henry Saw Merchant deceased and Mary Anne Saw Thomas Saw and George Glyde executrix and executors of the will of the said Henry Saw all of Perth W.A. have made application to bring under the operation of the above Act the following parcels of land situate in Perth aforesaid as the same are described in the maps and books of the Survey Office and are of record therein.

Town Lots Nos. 92 93 94.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons having any estate right title or interest in the above mentioned lands or in either of them are required to lodge with the Registrar of Titles on or before the 5th day of January next a caveat forbidding the said land to be brought under the Act.

J. C. H. JAMES,
Commissioner of Titles.

December 18, 1876.

Comptroller's Office,
Fremantle, 16th December, 1876.

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

Reg. No. 6134 George Smith
,, 8859 Henry D. Gray

W. R. FAUNTLEROY,
Comptroller.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY give notice that I have applied to the Irwin District Roads Board for permission to place a gate across the road from Dongarra leading to the Irwin house.

SAM. J. PHILLIPS.

Dongarra, 24th Nov., 1876.

STATEMENT of Receipts and Expenditure of the Bunbury Municipal Council, during the Half-Year ending 30th November, 1876 :—

1876.		RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.
June 1.—	To balance in hand	...	202	5	4
	„ Arrears of Rates	...	2	0	0
	„ Rates, 1st Collection	...	1	14	7
	„ Do., 2nd do.	...	29	11	1
	„ Dog Licenses	...	1	2	6
	„ Firewood do.	...	4	0	0
	„ Cow do.	...	0	10	0
	„ Sheep do.	...	0	5	0
	„ Cart do.	...	4	10	0
	„ Farming Town Lands	...	8	10	0
	„ Fines and Forfeitures	...	1	2	0
			£255	10	6

1876.		EXPENDITURE.	£	s.	d.
Nov. 30.—	By Cash, Victoria St. Contract	...	41	12	6
	„ Stirling St. do.	...	74	14	9
	„ Stephen St. do.	...	49	11	4
	„ Footpaths and Drains	...	5	0	0
	„ Filling holes near B. M. Institute	...	18	0	0
	„ Salaries and Stationery	...	9	6	3
	„ Contingencies	...	1	0	0
	„ Balance...	...	56	5	8
			£255	10	6

Dec. 1.—To Balance in hand 56 5 8

WM. B. MITCHELL,
Chairman.

We certify that we have examined the above accounts and find the balance of £56 5s. 8d., correct on 1st Dec., 1876.

JOSEPH WITHERS,
T. CAMPBELL CAREY, } Auditors.

ESTIMATE of Income and Expenditure of Bunbury Municipal Council, during the year 1877:—

INCOME.		£	s.	d.
To Balance in hand from 1876	...	20	0	0
„ Government Grant, Victoria St.	...	50	0	0
„ Cart Licenses	...	20	0	0
„ Cow do.	...	6	0	0
„ Dog do.	...	9	0	0
„ Sheep do.	...	1	10	0
„ Firewood do.	...	3	10	0
„ Fines	...	2	10	0
„ Bunbury Commonage	...	9	0	0
„ Rent of North Bunbury	...	10	0	0
„ Rate for 1877 at eightpence in the £	...	70	0	0
Total		£201	10	0

EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
By Interest on bond Victoria Street	...	6	10	0
„ Salary, clerk and collector	...	15	0	0
„ Stationery and printing	...	7	10	0
„ Victoria Street (macadamizing)	...	50	0	0
„ Footpaths and drains, sundry streets	...	50	0	0
„ Raising gravel and repairs to sundry streets	...	52	10	0
„ Contingencies	...	20	0	0
Total		£201	10	0

WM. B. MITCHELL,
Chairman.

Geraldton Municipality.

BALANCE Geraldton Municipality, half-year ending 30th November, 1876:—

1876. RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
June —To balance last audit	...	301	11	7
Sept. — „ Colonial Treasurer	...	100	0	0
Oct. 30— „ Court Fees	...	5	5	6
„ Cart Licenses (private)	...	0	5	0
„ Cart Licenses (for hire)	...	1	10	0
„ Depasturing Licenses	...	0	15	0
„ Dog Licenses	...	0	18	9
„ Quarry Licenses	...	6	17	6
„ Dangerous Goods License	...	0	2	6
„ Assessments for half-year	...	61	1	11
„ Arrears of Assessments	...	10	3	7
Nov. 25— „ Rent, J. Still	...	9	7	6
„ Rent, Miss Strappini	...	5	8	0
Total		£503	6	10

1876. EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
June 8.—George Thomas, carting sand, Durlacher Street	...	2	6	0
„ William Pead, commission	...	14	5	0
July 6.—S. Langford, labor, Chapman Road	...	7	2	6
„ John Tracey, 5 months' bonus Greenough Road	...	5	0	0
„ George Thomas, carting sand, Greenough Road	...	21	5	6
„ Robert Creswick, making gate	...	1	4	9
„ George Thomas, carting, Durlacher Street	...	32	11	0
„ M. A. Smith, carting, Durlacher Street	...	18	3	0
Aug. 2.—Jas. Cunningham, Durlacher Street	...	33	3	0
„ 8.—John Still, clearing Council premises	...	4	0	0
„ Geo. Thomas, carting gravel, G. Road	...	5	16	0
„ Robt. Clarke, half-year's salary, telegram, &c.	...	5	2	2
„ J. Jennings, labor, Greenough Road	...	4	5	0
„ S. Langford, labor, Chapman Road	...	7	0	0
Sept. 7.—Fred. Gibson, carting	...	7	14	6
„ W. A. Times, advertising	...	0	6	9
„ Stirling & Son, do.	...	0	5	6
„ Samuel Jones, smith work	...	0	4	0
„ George Thomas, carting, Durlacher Street	...	10	0	6
Carried forward		179	15	2

	Brought forward	179	15	2
Sept. 7.—J. Jennings, labor, Durlacher Street	...	5	7	6
„ M. Downs' account from 1873 to 1876	...	4	10	11
Oct. 7.—J. Jennings, labor, Durlacher Street	...	5	0	0
„ D. Crawford, repairs to wheelbarrow	...	0	14	6
„ Jonathan Coe, smith work	...	0	14	0
„ James Palmer, carting	...	2	5	0
„ James Pearse, printing, advertising, &c.	...	3	16	7
Nov. 7.—T. W. Richards, removing sand, Marine Terrace	...	17	10	0
„ J. Still, stone for Marine Terrace	...	22	1	6
„ Geo. Thomas, carting, Do.	...	16	9	6
„ Fred. Gibson, do., Do.	...	14	4	3
„ J. Hall, labor, Greenough Road	...	10	10	0
„ John Giles, repairing Eastern Road	...	16	0	0
„ 27.—F. Gibson, carting, Marine Terrace	...	16	1	9
„ Geo. Thomas, carting, Greenough	...	20	0	6
„ Crowther & Co., powder and sundries	...	41	19	0
Balance	...	126	6	8
Total		£503	6	10

I certify that I have examined this account, compared the same with books and vouchers, and find it correct in every particular.

HENRY SMITH.

December 2, 1876.

ABSTRACT of Receipts and Expenditure for the year ending Monday, 4th December, 1876:—

Dr.		£	s.	d.
To Balance from 1875	...	57	18	4
„ Colonial Treasurer, grant of 1874	...	£87	10s.	
„ Colonial Treasurer, grant of 1876	...	£100		
Total		187	10	0
„ Court Fines	...	17	10	6
„ Cart and Carriage Licenses, private	...	£8	15s.	
„ Cart and Carriage Licenses, for hire	...	£15	10s.	
Total		24	5	0
„ Depasturing Licenses	...	5	15	0
„ Dog Licenses	...	20	11	3
„ Quarry Licenses	...	13	12	6
„ Dangerous Goods Licenses	...	1	0	0
„ Assessments for 1876	...	161	4	0
„ Arrears of Assessments	...	17	7	7
„ Rents	...	20	3	0
Total		£526	17	2
To Balance	...	126	6	8
Cr.		£	s.	d.
By Salaries, Commission &c.	...	30	2	10
„ Labor	...	83	11	6
„ Carting	...	208	2	0
„ Supervision	...	5	0	0
„ Printing and advertisements	...	6	9	1
„ M. Downs' account from 1873 to 1876	...	4	10	11
„ Giles' account, Eastern Road	...	16	0	0
„ Sundries	...	46	14	2
„ Balance	...	126	6	8
Total		£526	17	2

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HENRY SMITH.

December 2, 1876.