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*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 12th November, 1877.*

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that His Excellency Major-General SIR HARRY ST. GEORGE ORD, R.E. K.C.M.G., C.B., arrived in this Colony on the 5th instant, and at Perth on the 12th instant, and on this latter day, in accordance with the subjoined Despatch of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, His Excellency was duly sworn in as Lieutenant Governor of this Colony.

ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

Downing Street, 31st August, 1877.

SIR,—I have the honor to transmit to you, herewith, a Commission under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, (25th August, 1877), appointing you to be Lieutenant Governor of the Colony of Western Australia.

This Commission is issued to you pending the preparation of permanent Letters Patent and your own Commission as Governor. Those Instruments, together with the Royal Instructions, will be sent to you as soon as they can be completed. In the meantime you will be guided by the Commission and Instructions issued to your predecessor, of which I enclose a copy.

I have, &c., CARNARVON,
Major General Sir H. St. George Ord, K.C.M.G., C.B., &c., &c.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 12th November, 1877.*

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased, with the approval of His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, to appoint Lieutenant St. JOHN ST. GEORGE ORD, R.A., to be Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency.

ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 12th November, 1877.*

HIS Excellency The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant St. JOHN ST. GEORGE ORD, R.A., to be Acting Private Secretary to His Excellency.

ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 12th November, 1877.*

HIS Excellency The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by OCTAVIUS BURT, Esquire, of the office of Clerk to the Executive Council.

ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 12th November, 1877.*

HIS Excellency The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant St. JOHN ST. GEORGE ORD, R.A., to be Acting Clerk of the Executive Council, *vice* Oct. Burt, Esquire, resigned.

ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 10th November, 1877.*

HIS Honor the Administrator directs it to be notified that he has received Returns to thirteen several Writs issued by him on the 9th of October last, for the election of Members of District Boards of Education in Western Australia for the Electoral Districts of Perth, Fremantle, York, Toodyay, Northam, Beverley, Albany, Wellington, Vasse, Murray, Swan, Greenough, and Geraldton, and that by the Returns endorsed on such Writs it appears that

MESSRS. ROBERT NAPOLEON BULLEN, STEPHEN HENRY PARKER, RICHARD WATSON HARDEY, SYDNEY HYMUS, and JOSEPH THOMAS REILLY,

were duly elected for the Electoral District of Perth; and that

Rev. D. G. WATKINS, Rev. JOSEPH JOHNSTON, Rev. JOHN O'REILY, Messrs. H. M. LEFROY and EDWARD H. HIGHAM,

were duly elected for the Electoral District of Fremantle; and that

Rev. GEO. ROUTH HOWARD, Rev. WILLIAM TRAYLEN, Rev. P. J. GIBNEY, Messrs. SAMUEL EVANS BURGESS and WILLIAM EDWARDS,

were duly elected for the Electoral District of York; and that

Rev. RAPHAEL MARTELLI, Mr. SAMUEL POLE PHILLIPS, Rev. WILLIAM HUGH PIDCOCK, Messrs. DANIEL CONNOR and JAMES SINCLAIR,

were duly elected for the Electoral District of Toodyay; and that

Rev. RAPHAEL MARTELLI, Rev. STEPHEN BROWN, Messrs. WILLIAM JOHN CLIFTON, GEORGE THROSSELL and FREDERICK MORRELL,

were duly elected for the Electoral District of Northam; and that

Rev. FRED. LYNCH, Messrs. EDMUND BARRETT LENNARD, JAMES FLEAY, HENRY LUKIN and HARDEN YORK,

were duly Elected for the Electoral District of Beverley; and that

Sir THOMAS COCKBURN-CAMPBELL, Bart.,
Mrs. SARAH HARE, Mrs. HENRIETTA
McKAIL, Messrs. WILLIAM FINLAY and
WILLIAM JAMES COOPER,

were duly Elected for the Electoral District of Albany; and that

Mr. THOMAS HENRY LOVEGROVE, Rev.
JOSEPH WITHERS, Rev. HUGH BRADY,
Messrs. ROBERT HENRY ROSE and WIL-
LIAM SPENCER,

were duly Elected for the Electoral District of Wellington; and that

Messrs. WILLIAM A. MILNE, A. MILNE
ROBERTSON, JOHN GARDINER, WILLIAM
W. BRAMWELL and THOMAS FOX,

were duly elected for the Electoral District of Vasse; and that

Messrs. JOHN WELLARD, JOSEPH LOGUE,
JUN., JAMES S. PRICE, ALEXANDER R.
ADAMS and ARTHUR BIRCH,

were duly Elected for the Electoral District of Murray; and that

Messrs. CHARLES CORNELIUS FAUNTLEROY,
THOMAS JECKS, EDMUND R. BROCKMAN,
NATHAN ELIAS KNIGHT and SAMUEL
RICHARD HAMERSLEY,

were duly Elected for the Electoral District of Swan; and that

Messrs. FREDERICK WALDECK, WILLIAM F.
WALDECK, EDWARD HAYES LAURENCE,
Rev. JAMES ALLEN, and Mr. JOHN
PEREJUAN,

were duly elected for the Electoral District of Greenough; and that

Rev. WILLIAM J. WORTH, Messrs. ISAAC
WALKER, GEORGE BASTON, VERNON
BIRCH, and MICAH DOWNS,

were duly Elected for the Electoral District of Geraldton.

ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 10th November, 1877.

HIS Honor the Administrator directs the publication of the following Notice to Mariners for general information.

ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

CIRCULAR SEPARATE.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Cape Town,
Cape of Good Hope, 2nd August, 1877.

SIR,—I am directed to forward two copies of a Notice to Mariners (dated 17th July, 1877), regarding a Light Tower in course of erection in the vicinity of Cape St. Francis, on the South East Coast of this Colony, and to request you will have the goodness to give publicity to the same.

I have, &c.,
CHARLES MILLS.

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.—SOUTH COAST.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

It is hereby notified that a Light Tower is being built about two hundred to three hundred yards within the pitch of a low point (Seal Point), situated one and three-quarter miles westward of Cape St. Francis, to be hereafter called "Cape St. Francis Lighthouse."

The Tower is a cylindrical stone structure, ninety-feet high, with keeper's quarters attached at base, and is situated in latitude $34^{\circ} 22' 30''$ south, and longitude $24^{\circ} 50' 20''$ east of Greenwich.

It is intended to display a second order Holophotal Revolving White Light, flashing at intervals of twenty seconds, with focal plane one hundred and one and a half feet above the base of the Tower, and one hundred and eighteen feet above the level of high water.

The light will be visible in clear weather about sixteen and three-quarters sea miles from the deck of a vessel fifteen feet above the sea. It will command the coast uninterruptedly to the westward, but will be cut off to the eastward by Cape St. Francis on the line N. 53° E. true, or would not be visible from the eastward on a bearing more southerly than S. 53° W. true.

The nearest existing lights are Cape Recife, about forty-five miles to the eastward; and Mossel Bay (Cape St. Blaize), about one hundred and thirty-three miles to the westward.

The Tower will probably be ready for the reception of the Lenticular about January, 1878, and the light may probably be exhibited some time between 1st March and 30th April, 1878, of which due and precise notice will be given.

JAMES FFORDE,
Chief Inspector of Public Works.
Public Works Office,
Cape Town, 17th July, 1877.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 4th October, 1877.

TENDERS (in duplicate, endorsed "Tenders for (as the case may be) Mail,") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 14th of November, 1877, for the conveyance of the undermentioned Mails for one, two, or three years, viz. :—

1. From Fremantle to Rockingham, and *vice versa*, once a week, on horseback.
2. From York to Newcastle, *via* Northam and Neuleyine, and *vice versa*, twice a week, in a spring vehicle or on horseback.
3. From York to Beverley, Brookton, Moorumbine, Boyadine, and Annandale, returning *via* Beverley to York, once a week, on horseback.
4. From Vasse to Quindalup, and *vice versa*, twice a week, on horseback.
5. From Perth to Albany, and *vice versa*, once in every four weeks. Each trip to be performed in 72 hours, subject to a penalty of £1 for each hour in excess of that time, to be deducted from the Contractor's monthly pay. The Mails must be conveyed in a four wheeled spring vehicle.
6. From Kojonup to Etipup, twice in every four weeks, and *vice versa*, on horseback.

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.

Where Mails are conveyed in wheeled vehicles, a free passage must be provided for an Officer of the Post Office or Telegraph Department, when required by the Postmaster General.

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

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

ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

Tenders for Annual Contracts for the Year 1878.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 6th November, 1877.

TENDERS FOR COLONIAL AND CONVICT SERVICE, (endorsed "Tender for....." as the case may be) will be received at this Office until noon of WEDNESDAY, the 12th DECEMBER, 1877, from persons willing to Contract for the performance of the following Services during the year 1878:—

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, at 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.

Coir for beds, @ per cwt.

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.

Firewood for Fremantle to be @ per cord, delivered at the Government Jetty, North Fremantle.

The Government reserve the right to cancel the Contract for Meat at the end of March, 1878, if they think it desirable to do so.

Tender to be endorsed "Tender for General Supplies for 1878."

2.—FORAGE

For such Horses as may be employed in the Service during the year 1878, at Geraldton, Fremantle, and Perth.

Hay, @ per ton.

Barley, @ per bushel.

Bran, @ per lb.

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.

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.

Tender to be endorsed "Tender for Forage."

3.—CARTAGE

That may be required at Perth and Fremantle, during the year 1878.

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 1878:—

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 1878.

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.

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

6.—SWEEPING CHIMNIES

During the year 1878, 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 1878, 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 1878.—(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.

By Command,

ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,

Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 6th November, 1877.

TENDERS FOR POLICE SERVICE (endorsed "Tender for....." *as the case may be*) will be received at this Office until noon of WEDNESDAY, the 12th DECEMBER, 1877, from persons willing to contract for the performance of the following Services during the year 1878:—

**1.—Annual Supplies for Police,
for 1878.**

Supply of such Saddlery, Stable Utensils, Bedding, Rugs, Blankets, &c., for the use of the Police Department, during the year ending the 31st December, 1878, 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 1878:—

Albany	Northampton
Bridgetown	Perth
Bunbury	Pinjarrah
Champion Bay	Roebourne
Dongarra	Toodyay
Fremantle	Vasse
Guildford	Victoria Plains
Greenough	Williams River
Kojonup	York
Northam	

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.

Tenders to be endorsed "*Tender for Shoeing Horses.*"

Tenders for Annual Contracts for the Year 1878.—(Continued.)

3.—BARLEY or OATS for POLICE HORSES for 1878.

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

	Bushels.
Albany.....	330
Albany Road, 36 miles.....	198
Bunbury.....	264
Blackwood, No. 1 Station.....	132
Do. Bridge.....	132
Beverley.....	132
Champion Bay.....	264
Dongarra.....	198
Fremantle.....	264
Guildford.....	198
Gingin.....	132
Greenough.....	198
Northampton.....	264
Kojonup.....	264
Mandurah.....	132
Minninup.....	132
Mount Barker.....	198
Northam.....	132
Perth.....	792
Pinjarrah.....	132
Toodyay.....	198
Vasse.....	198
Victoria Plains.....	132
Williams River.....	264
York.....	264
Youndegin.....	132
Sharks Bay, delivered at } Champion Bay.....	132
Roebourne, to be delivered on } Fremantle Jetty.....	330
Station East of Champion Bay	264

The Barley or Oats to be delivered at the Contractor's expense on or after 1st January, 1878, 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 does not bind itself 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.

By Command,
ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
 Colonial Secretary.



£50 REWARD!

THE above Sum will be paid to anyone giving such information as will lead to the conviction of the person or persons who, on or about the 22nd of October, placed some stones on the Rails near the 16th mile of the Geraldton and Northampton Railway.

By Order of His Honor the Administrator,
J. H. THOMAS,
 Director of Public Works.
 Perth, 31st October, 1877.

4.—HAY for POLICE HORSES, for 1878.

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

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

The Hay to be of first-rate quality, and delivered at the Contractor's expense on or after January 1st, 1878, 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 does not bind itself 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."

NOTICE.

A BI-WEEKLY EXPRESS having been established between Eyre and Eucla, until the completion of the Intercolonial Telegraph Line, Notice is hereby given that TELEGRAMS for the United Kingdom, Australian Colonies, &c., will be received at any of the Telegraph Stations throughout the Colony up to 4 p.m., every Tuesday and Friday.

A. HELMICH,
 Postmaster General.
 Postal and Telegraph Department,
 General Post Office, Perth,
 8th November, 1877.

*Department of Public Works,
Perth, 2nd November, 1877.*

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Timber for Jetty,") will be received at this Office until noon of Friday, the 23rd November, from persons willing to supply and deliver at South Jetty, Fremantle, the following Jarrah Timber:—

		ft.	in.		inches.
2	pieces	19	0	long	12 × 8
2	"	13	0	"	12 × 8
3	"	20	0	"	12 × 8
2	"	17	0	"	12 × 8
7	pieces	24	0	"	12 × 12
1	piece	16	0	"	10 × 6
1	"	6	0	"	12 × 8

Tenders to state the shortest time in which the whole 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 Works' Office, Perth, where full particulars can be obtained.

No tender will be entertained unless on the prescribed form.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
Director of Public Works.

*Department of Public Works,
Perth, 24th September, 1877.*

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for additions to New Public Offices, Perth,") will be received at this Office until noon of Friday, the 23rd November, from persons willing to undertake the erection of certain additions to the New Public Offices, 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 to the various Resident Magistrates, and at the Public Works' Office, Perth, where Plans, Specifications, Conditions, and full particulars can be obtained.

No tender will be entertained unless on the prescribed form.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
Director of Public Works.

*Department of Public Works,
Perth, 10th October, 1877.*

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Light-keeper's Quarters,") will be received at this Office until noon of Friday, the 16th November, from persons willing to erect Light-keeper's Quarters at Point Moore, Champion Bay.

Revised Plan and amended Specification may be seen and full particulars obtained on application at the Office of the Resident Engineer of the G. and N. Railway, Champion Bay, and at the Department of Public 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 Works' Office, Perth.

No tender will be entertained unless on the prescribed form.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
Director of Public Works.

*Department of Public Works,
Perth, 1st November, 1877.*

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Police Station, Post and Telegraph Offices, Beverley,") will be received at this Office until noon of Thursday, the 6th December, from persons willing to erect certain additions, &c., to the Police Station and Post and Telegraph Offices, Beverley.

Plans and specification may be seen, and full particulars obtained, on application at the Department of Public Works, Perth, or at the Office of the Resident Magistrate, York.

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 Works' Office, Perth.

No tender will be entertained unless on the prescribed form.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
Director of Public Works.

*Department of Public Works,
Perth, 4th November, 1877.*

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Hospital Kitchen, Guildford,") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 5th December, from persons willing to erect a Kitchen, &c., at the Hospital at Guildford.

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

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 Works' Office, Perth, where Plans, Specifications, Conditions, and full particulars can be obtained.

No tender will be entertained unless on the prescribed form.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
Director of Public Works.

*Department of Public Works,
Perth, 4th November, 1877.*

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Mount Eliza Dépôt,") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 5th December, from persons willing to perform certain alterations and additions to the Mount Eliza Dépôt.

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 Works' Office, Perth, where Plans, Specifications, Conditions, and full particulars can be obtained.

No tender will be entertained unless on the prescribed form.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
Director of Public Works.

Crown Lands' Office, Perth, 26th October, 1877.

HIS Honor The Administrator has been pleased, on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Crown Lands, to set apart as Public Reserves the Land described in the Schedule below, for the purposes therein set forth:—

RESERVES.

Recorded Number.	Content. A. R. P.	Description of Boundaries.	Purpose for which made.
279A	100 0 0	Bounded on the <i>North</i> by the sea coast in Geographe Bay. On the <i>East</i> by the West boundary of Reserve 46A. On the <i>West</i> by the East boundary of Sussex location 48; and on the <i>South</i> by parts of the North sides of the road from Dunnsbro to Busselton and Toby Inlet.	For public purposes.
280 A	10 0 0	Situate on an Island in the Harding River adjoining a stockyard erected by Messrs. McRae & Co. The precise boundaries to be determined by survey.	For Show Ground for Cattle, Roebourne.
281 A	5000 0 0	Bounded on the <i>Southward</i> by a line of about 235 chains, extending in a West-South-Westerly direction, along the Northern boundary of Avon Location 3, from the South corner of Toodyay townsite. On the <i>East</i> by the Western and part of the Northern boundary of Toodyay townsite and by Avon Locations 122, 211, 390, 35, 279, 396, 397, and 405. On the <i>Northward</i> by a line of about 258 chains, extending West-South-West from a spot on the Western boundary of said Location 405, at 10 chains South-South-East from its North-West corner; and on the <i>Westward</i> by a South-South-Easterly line about 250 chains. This area is exclusive of all Fee Simple Lands and Special Occupation Leases and Licenses.	For Commonage, Toodyay.

MALCOLM FRASER, Commissioner of Crown Lands.

BY virtue of Her Majesty's Writ, under the hand of The Administrator and the Public Seal, to me directed, dated the ninth day of October, 1877, I do hereby give Public Notice that an Election of five Members of a District Board of Education for the District of Irwin, will be held in the Magistrate's Court-house, Dongarra, at 12 o'clock, noon, of the fifteenth day of November next ensuing, pursuant to the Act of the Legislative Council, intituled "*An Act to provide for Public Elementary Education, and to encourage voluntary efforts in support of Schools;*" at which day and place all persons entitled to vote at the said election are requested to give their attendance.

Dated the fifteenth day of October, 1877.

GEORGE ELIOT,

Resident Magistrate and Returning Officer for the Educational District of Irwin.

Paris Exhibition.

ALL articles intended for the Paris Exhibition of 1878, must be delivered at the Commissariat Store, Perth, or the "A" Store, Customs House, Fremantle, not later than the 12th November next, after which date nothing can be received unless specially arranged for.

OCT. BURT,

Honorary Secretary, Central Committee.
13th September, 1877.

I HEREBY give notice that I have applied to the Sussex Roads Board for permission to close the road known as Padbury's Road.

W. R. BUNBURY.

August 11th, 1877.

Busselton Municipality.

ANNUAL Financial Statement for the year ending October 31st, 1877:—

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
Govt. Grant, Balance 1876, £38 Os. 2d.,	}	98	0	2
1877, £60				
Loan for drain, Stanley Street, Balance,	}	94	2	3
1876				
Ordinary Revenue, Balance, 1876		34	10	5
Rates collected		40	17	0
Licenses for Dogs		5	12	6
Do. Carriages		5	10	0
Do. Cattle		7	18	9
By sale of stone		0	5	3
		£286	16	4

EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
Causeway and Queen Street		24	16	3
Completing drain in Stanley Street ...		113	10	0
Footpaths and Gutters		1	15	0
Repayment of loan, 1st half		50	0	0
Interest on do., and on overdraft ...		5	5	10
Collector's commission, £2 18s. 11d.,	}	5	13	11
and Writing £2 15s. Od.				
Postages		0	6	2
Balance in hand, Govt. Grant		73	3	11
Do. Ordinary Revenue		12	5	3
		£286	16	4

HENRY W. BROWN,

Chairman.

Examined and found correct,

JOHN GARDINER, }
T. H. CARTER, } Auditors.

LIST of applications received at the Resident Magistrate's Office, Pinjarrah, for Licenses under "The Wild Cattle Nuisance Act, 1871":—

Arthur Birch ...	For Self.
J. F. Thomas ...	Self, C. J. W. Thomas and Aboriginal Tommy.
John Wellard ...	Self, J. P. O. Wellard, and Thomas Hanratty.
William Patterson ..	Self, and G. P. Paterson.
David S. Murray ..	Self, G. W. Murray, and John McKay.
E. McLarty ...	Self, and W. G. McLarty.

J. G. MURRAY, R.M.
Resident's Office, Pinjarrah, }
3rd November, 1877. }

THE following applications have been received at the Resident Magistrate's Office for Licenses to destroy Wild Cattle and Horses under "The Wild Cattle Nuisance Act, 1871," for the year 1878:—

William Curtis... ..	For Self.
Stewart Keenan	Self, and Jas. Keenan.
Ebenezer Harris	Self, and John Harris.
Mary Seymour... ..	For Ebenezer Harris.
E. Dawson, Jun.	For Self.
John Abbey	For Self.
David Abbey	For Self.
Thomas Abbey	For Self.
Thomas Thurkle	For Self.

J. S. HARRIS,
Resident Magistrate.
Busselton, 1st Nov., 1877.

LIST of applications received by the Resident Magistrate, Toodyay, for Licenses to destroy Wild Cattle and Horses under the "Wild Cattle Nuisance Act, 1871," for the year 1878:—

Applicants.	Persons employed.
Rosendo Salvado ...	Ramiro Landaluce, Henry Yudich, Frederic Yrbel.
Wm. J. Chidlow, Jun.	Self, Edward Dudley, John Wilkins.
Charles Lloyd ...	Self, Joseph M. Lloyd.
George Slater ...	Self, Henry Slater.

R. FAIRBAIRN,
Resident Magistrate, Toodyay.
3rd November, 1877.

APPLICATION received by the Resident Magistrate, York, for a License to destroy Wild Cattle and Horses under "The Wild Cattle Nuisance Act, 1871," for the year 1878:—

Applicant.	Persons Employed.
John Sewell ...	Self, George Sewell, Decimus Sewell, & William Sewell.

W. COWAN,
Resident Magistrate, York.
9th November, 1877.

I HEREBY notify that I have applied to the Swan District Roads Board for permission to close a road running through my property between the Swan and Toodyay Roads.

SL. W. VIVEASH.
Swan, Nov. 10th, 1877.

MAIL NOTICE.

*General Post Office,
Perth, November 12th, 1877.*

MAILS for transmission by Coasting Mail Steamer for Europe, India, Cape of Good Hope, &c.; the Australian Colonies, New Zealand, Tasmania, and America, will close as under:—

At Geraldton, Champion Bay, on Saturday, November 24th, at 11 a.m.

At the GENERAL POST OFFICE, PERTH, on Tuesday, November 27th, at 11 a.m.

At Fremantle, on Tuesday, November 27th, at 12h. 30m. p.m.

At Bunbury, on Wednesday, November 28th, at 4 a.m.

At Busselton, on Wednesday, November 28th, at 10 a.m.

At the General Post Office, Perth:—

Money Orders for transmission by the above conveyances will be issued on the United Kingdom, the Australian Colonies, New Zealand, and Tasmania, up to 11 a.m. on Saturday, 24th November.

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 one hour after the closing of the Mails.

Newspapers must be posted one hour before the closing of the Mails, otherwise they will not be forwarded until the next Mail.

NOTE:—Mails for Albany, Bannister, Williams River, Arthur River, Kojonup, and the Albany Road, will be made up at this Office on Saturday, 24th November, at noon.

A. HELMICH
Postmaster-General.

For Sale at the Government Printing Office.

PARLIAMENTARY DEBATES: containing the debates in the Legislative Council during the Session from 7th August to 13th September, 1876. Price, half-bound, 7s. 6d.; boards, 5s.