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PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency SIR HARRY  
 WESTERN AUSTRALIA, }  
 to wit. } ST. GEORGE ORD, R.E., Knight  
 Commander of the Most Dis-  
 tinguished Order of Saint  
 Michael and Saint George,  
 Companion of Our Most  
 Honorable Order of the Bath,  
 Lieutenant Governor and  
 Commander-in-Chief in and  
 over the territory of Western  
 Australia and its Dependencies,  
 &c., &c., &c.

(L.S.)  
 H. ST. GEORGE ORD.

WHEREAS the Legislative Council now stands prorogued until Monday, the twenty-sixth instant, and whereas it is expedient further to prorogue the same; NOW THEREFORE I, the said Lieutenant-Governor, in exercise of the powers in me vested, do by this my Proclamation further prorogue the said Legislative Council from Monday, the twenty-sixth instant, until Wednesday, the twentieth February, next ensuing.

Given under my hand and issued under the Public Seal of the said Colony, at Government House, Perth, this 20th day of November, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

By Command,  
 ROGER TUCKERD. GOLDSWORTHY,  
 Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!!!

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
 Perth, 23rd November, 1877.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor directs it to be made generally known that henceforth the Postmaster-General of this Colony will be designated "The Postmaster-General and General Superintendent of Telegraphs."

ROGER TUCKERD. GOLDSWORTHY,  
 Colonial Secretary.

Steam Communication with Straits Settlements, and Adelaide.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
 Perth, 26th November, 1877.

THE Government of Western Australia being anxious to establish a regular steam communication between the Ports of the Colony, the Straits Settlements, and India on the one hand, and Adelaide on the other, will be glad to receive proposals from persons or firms willing to undertake this service.

Further information may be obtained on application to the Colonial Secretary.

ROGER TUCKERD. GOLDSWORTHY,  
 Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
 Perth, 23rd November, 1877.

THE following By-Laws, compiled and passed by the Geraldton Municipal Council, have been confirmed by His Excellency The Lieutenant-Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council.

ROGER TUCKERD. GOLDSWORTHY,  
 Colonial Secretary.

WHEREAS by "The Municipal Institutions' Act, 1876," section 49, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Council to make, publish, alter, modify, amend, or repeal such by-laws as to them shall seem meet for

certain purposes in the said section named and *inter alia* "for the preservation of public decency and public health;" And whereas by an Act to amend the twenty-sixth section of "The Police Ordinance, 1861," section 1, it is enacted that from and after the passing of this Act, it shall be lawful for any Municipal Council duly constituted under the provisions of "The Municipal Institutions' Act, 1876," subject to the provisions of the said Act, to make, publish, alter, modify, or repeal such by-laws and regulations as to them shall seem meet for regulating the hours within, and the conditions under which, bathing shall be permitted in or near to any public wharf, or public place, or quay, or jetty within the limits of its Municipality, and when any Council has made any such by-laws as aforesaid, then within the jurisdiction of such Council the subject of bathing shall cease to be regulated by section twenty-six of "The Police Ordinance, 1861," in so far as the provisions of the said section may be at variance with the said by-laws. Now therefore, pursuant to the powers above-mentioned, it was resolved at a meeting of the Council of the Geraldton Municipality, held on the fifth day of November, 1877, that the following by-laws should be by-laws of the said Geraldton Municipal Council.

#### By-Laws for the preservation of public decency and public health.

1. It shall not be lawful for any person to bathe in or near to any public wharf, or public place, or quay, or jetty within the limits of the Municipality, between the hours of eight of the clock in the morning, and eight of the clock in the evening; and any person who shall offend against this by-law shall forfeit and pay, upon conviction, a penalty not exceeding one pound.

2. It shall not be lawful for any person to bathe without wearing a proper bathing dress, in or near to any public wharf, or public place, or quay, or jetty within the limits of the Municipality, between the hours of seven of the clock in the morning, and eight of the clock in the morning, and any person who shall offend against this by-law shall forfeit and pay, upon conviction, a penalty not exceeding one pound.

ARTHUR H. DU BOULAY,  
Chairman.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 26th November, 1877.*

**H**IS Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor directs it to be notified, that he has received Returns of the election of Officers to serve on the Municipal Councils of the Municipalities of York, Newcastle, Busselton, Guildford, Perth, Fremantle, and Geraldton, as follows, viz. :—

#### MUNICIPALITY OF YORK.

CHAIRMAN.—Joseph Taylor Monger, Esq., M.L.C.  
AUDITORS.—Messrs. R. J. Wheeler and Edmd. Cahill.  
COUNCILLORS.—S. S. Parker, Esq., M.L.C.  
Mr. Charles Edwards,  
Mr. Herbert Monger,  
Mr. Thomas Hodges,  
Mr. George Wall,  
Mr. Richard Gallop, jun.

#### MUNICIPALITY OF NEWCASTLE.

CHAIRMAN.—Mr. C. S. Monger.  
AUDITORS.—Messrs. J. Cooper and J. Egdill.  
COUNCILLORS.—Mr. W. Donegan,  
Mr. W. A. Demason, } West Ward.  
Mr. W. Robertson, }  
Mr. D. Connor, } East Ward.  
Mr. W. G. Leeder, }  
Mr. G. F. Hart, }

#### MUNICIPALITY OF BUSSELTON.

CHAIRMAN.—Mr. John Gardiner.  
AUDITORS.—Messrs. George Holland Knapton and George Cross.  
COUNCILLORS.—Mr. John C. Fletcher,  
Mr. W. W. Bramwell,  
Mr. Wm. H. Milne,  
Rev. Henry W. Brown,  
Mr. A. M. Robertson,  
Mr. Thomas Fox.

#### MUNICIPALITY OF GUILDFORD.

CHAIRMAN.—Mr. Thomas Jecks.  
AUDITORS.—Messrs. C. C. Fauntleroy and Fred. Read.  
COUNCILLORS.—Mr. James Morrison,  
Mr. C. H. Elliott,  
Mr. N. E. Knight,  
Mr. S. Chester,  
Mr. E. Chatterton,  
Mr. J. Allpike.

#### PERTH CITY COUNCIL.

CHAIRMAN.—Mr. S. H. Parker.  
AUDITORS.—Messrs. B. Smith, Geo. Dent, and J. T. Reilly.  
COUNCILLORS.—Mr. J. B. Roe, } East Ward.  
Mr. B. Smith, }  
Mr. R. R. Jewell, }  
Mr. F. Backshell, } West Ward.  
Mr. Richd. Sholl, }  
Mr. F. L. Hussey, }  
Mr. A. D. Letch, } Central Ward.  
Mr. J. Summers, }  
Mr. H. Birch, }  
Mr. W. L. Harper, } North Ward.  
Mr. Geo. Vincent, }  
Mr. W. Waldock, }

#### MUNICIPALITY OF FREMANTLE.

CHAIRMAN.—Mr. E. H. Higham.  
AUDITORS.—Messrs. J. F. Fordham and P. Webster.  
COUNCILLORS.—Mr. E. Solomon, } West Ward.  
Mr. G. A. Davis, }  
Mr. J. J. Harwood, }  
Mr. Geo. Pearce, } North Ward.  
Mr. D. S. Annear, }  
Mr. B. C. Wood, } South Ward.  
Mr. T. W. Oakley, }  
Mr. J. Snook, }  
Mr. D. K. Congdon, }

#### MUNICIPALITY OF GERALDTON.

CHAIRMAN.—Mr. George Baston.  
AUDITORS.—Messrs. Henry Smith and Thomas W. Stroud.  
COUNCILLORS.—Mr. Charles Crowther, Senior.  
Mr. Hepburn Gale.  
Mr. Martin Hoskin.  
Mr. Micah Downs.  
Mr. William Trigg.  
Mr. Henry Levy.

#### ROGER TUCKF<sup>D</sup>. GOLDSWORTHY,

Colonial Secretary.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 26th November, 1877.*

**H**IS Excellency The Lieutenant Governor directs it to be notified that he has received a return to the Writ issued by His Honor the Administrator on the 9th October last, for the election of Members of a District Board of Education in Western Australia, for the Electoral District of Irwin; and that by the Return endorsed on such Writ it appears that

MESSRS. HENRY F. WALDECK, DAVID BRAND,  
JAMES NAIRN, SAMUEL F. MOORE, and  
FRANK PEARSE

were duly elected for the Electoral District of Irwin.

ROGER TUCKF<sup>D</sup>. 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 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."

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.

**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<sup>D</sup>. 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 TUCKF<sup>D</sup>. GOLDSWORTHY,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 27th November, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that Monday, the 31st December next, has been fixed by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor for the Election of a Local Roads Board within the meaning and pursuant to the provisions of "The District Roads Act, 1871," for the Murchison District, and that His Excellency has appointed GEORGE ELIOT, ESQUIRE, to be the Returning Officer at such Election.

ROGER TUCKF<sup>D</sup>. GOLDSWORTHY,  
Colonial Secretary.

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."

V.  R.  
**£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.

*Department of Public Works,  
Perth, 14th November, 1877.*

**TENDERS** (endorsed "Tender for Timber,") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 28th November, from persons willing to supply and deliver at Roebourne 24,000 feet of 7" x 1" Jarrah Timber.

Tenders to state the shortest time in which the timber 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, 14th November, 1877.*

**TENDERS** (endorsed "Tender for Additions to Court House,") will be received at this Office until noon of Thursday, the 6th December, from persons willing to perform certain additions to the Court House at the Williams.

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

Plans and specification may be seen at the Office of the Resident Magistrate, Williams.

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, 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 Depôt,") 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 Depôt.

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.

#### Appointment.

**HIS** Honor the Chief Justice has been pleased to appoint Mr. WILLIAM BRIGGS, of West Maitland, in the Colony of New South Wales, Solicitor, a Commissioner to administer Oaths and to take and receive Affidavits, &c., to be used in the Supreme Court of Western Australia.

ROWLEY C. LOFTIE,  
Master Supreme Court, &c.  
Supreme Court Office, }  
Perth, 26th Nov., 1877. }

*Comptroller's Office,  
Fremantle, 24th November, 1877.*

**A** CERTIFICATE of Freedom has been issued to the undermentioned convict, whose sentence has expired:—

Reg. No. 8916 Joshua Lockwood

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

Reg. No. 8285 George Greenwood

" 8419 William Scholes

" 9756 John Hampshire

" 9923 John Young

W. R. FAUNTLEROY,  
Comptroller.

**TENDERS ACCEPTED.**

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 22nd November, 1877.*

1.—SUMMERS, BROS.,

To convey a Mail, for three years, between Fremantle and Rockingham, once a week, on horseback, or in a spring trap when required, at £20 per annum.

2.—THOMAS SINCLAIR,

To convey mails, for three years, between York and Newcastle, *via* Northam and Neuleyine, twice a week, in a Spring Vehicle, at £84 per annum.

3.—GEORGE WORTH,

To convey Mails, for three years, between York and Beverley, in a Spring Vehicle, twice a week, and to Brookton, Moorambine, Boyadine, and Annandale, once a week, on horseback, at £119 10s. per annum.

4.—GEORGE BARNARD,

To convey mails for two years, between Vasse and Quindalup, twice a week, on horseback, at £28 10s. per annum.

5.—THOMAS CHIPPER,

To convey, for three years, in a four wheeled spring vehicle, the mails between Perth and Albany, once in every four weeks, at £1,200 per annum.

6.—MICHAEL MORRIS,

To convey, on horseback, a mail for three years, between Kojonup and Eticup, twice in every four weeks, at £35 per annum.

By Command,

ROGER TUCKER<sup>D</sup>. GOLDSWORTHY,  
Colonial Secretary.

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**DEPARTMENT OF LAND TITLES.**

**Notice to Applicants.**

**A**PPPLICANTS are informed that their applications are not complete unless they are accompanied by a list of the documents submitted as evidence.

Moreover some portion of the evidence necessary to substantiate a title is frequently omitted to be sent and although such applications are not at once rejected (as they might be) yet the absence of a complete supply of evidence entails considerable trouble and correspondence.

Too much care cannot be taken in filling up an application and professional assistance is very generally necessary as for instance in the case of further proofs being wanted beyond those which are immediately available and there may often be in existence adverse interests which an applicant of integrity but not versed in the law may omit to disclose thereby incurring a considerable risk of eventually losing the interest in land which he claims the provisions of the statute notwithstanding.

J. C. H. JAMES,  
Commissioner.

November 23, 1877.

**Transfer of Land Act, 1874.**

**T**AKE NOTICE that Thomas Cockburn Campbell baronet of Albany a member of the Legislative Council has made application to bring the parcel of land described in the maps and books of the Survey Office as

*Albany Suburban Allotment No. 65*

under the operation of the above Act as being entitled to an estate in fee simple in the same.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons claiming any estate right title or interest in the said land are hereby required to lodge with the Registrar of Titles on or before the 19th day of December next a *caveat* forbidding the said land from being brought under the Act.

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

November 20, 1877.

**LAND SALES.**

*Crown Lands' Office, Perth, 27th November, 1877.*

**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.**

Date of Sale.	Place of Sale.	Description of Lot.	Number of Lot.	Quantity.			Upset Price.
				a.	r.	p.	
1877.							
Dec. 5	Perth ... ..	Fremantle ... .. Town	875 ... ..	0	1	10	£20.*
Do.	Do. ... ..	Do. ... .. Town	476, 477, 478, } 474, 526, 475, } 473, 479, 480, } 481	...	...	...	£12 † lot.
Do.	Do. ... ..	Do. ... .. Town	525 ... ..	...	...	...	£12.
Dec. 6	Northam ...	Northam ... .. Town	135 ... ..	...	...	...	£7 10s.
Do.	Do. ... ..	Do. ... .. Sub.	66 ... ..	5	0	0	30s. per acre.
Do.	Geraldton ...	Denison ... .. Do.	6 ... ..	1	3	1	Do.

\* With £100 added if other than the owner of the adjoining lots purchase.

† The lots marked thus will be bought by remission for the purposes of the Government.

MALCOLM FRASER, Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Lands' Office,  
Perth, November 16th, 1877.

**R**ETURN of Applications for Leases and Licenses of Crown Lands approved during October, 1877:—

No.	Applicants.	Class.	Acres.	Rent.
<b>AVON.</b>				
A 2893	Clarkson & Lukin ...	2	3000	1 0 0
" 2911	Charles F. Broun ...	1	2000	1 0 0
" 2914	William Marwick ...	2	4000	1 0 0
" 2915	Do. ...	"	4000	1 0 0
1160	Denis Bresnahan, jun. ...	S.O.L.	100	2 10 0
1161	Do. ...	"	100	2 10 0
1167	George Gale ...	"	100	2 10 0
1176	John Brooks ...	"	100	2 10 0
<b>KOJONUP.</b>				
1074	Thomas Crean ...	S.O.L.	100	5 0 0
<b>MELBOURNE.</b>				
1149	David Elder ...	S.O.L.	100	2 10 0
1171	James Burnett ...	"	100	2 10 0
<b>NORTH.</b>				
N 701	John H. Monger ...	C	20000	5 0 0
" 702	Do. ...	"	20000	5 0 0
" 703	Do. ...	"	20000	5 0 0
" 704	Do. ...	"	20000	5 0 0
" 705	Do. ...	"	20000	5 0 0
" 706	Do. ...	"	20000	5 0 0
" 707	Do. ...	"	20000	5 0 0
" 708	Do. ...	"	20000	5 0 0
" 709	Do. ...	"	20000	5 0 0
" 710	Do. ...	"	20000	5 0 0
" 785	William C. Glass ...	"	8000	1 10 0
" 806	John H. Monger ...	"	10000	1 5 0
" 810	Aubrey Brown ...	"	10000	1 5 0
" 811	Do. ...	"	10000	1 5 0
" 812	Do. ...	"	5000	1 0 0
" 813	Do. ...	"	5000	1 0 0
" 814	Do. ...	"	10000	1 5 0
" 815	Do. ...	"	5000	1 0 0
" 816	Do. ...	"	20000	2 10 0
" 817	Do. ...	"	5000	1 0 0
" 818	Do. ...	"	10000	1 5 0
" 820	Wm. Burges & Co. ...	"	4000	1 0 0
" 821	Do. ...	"	6000	1 10 0
" 822	John F. Hancock ...	"	5000	1 5 0
" 827	Robert J. Sholl ...	"	20000	5 0 0
" 880	George J. Lockyer ...	"	7000	1 0 0
" 881	Do. ...	"	10000	1 5 0
" 882	Do. ...	"	5200	1 0 0
" 883	Do. ...	"	9000	1 2 6
" 884	A. R. Richardson & Co. ...	"	5000	1 0 0
" 885	George J. Lockyer ...	"	12000	1 0 0
" 886	Do. ...	"	5000	1 0 0
" 887	T. R. McKenzie & Co. ...	"	10000	1 5 0
" 888	Henry H. Hiekes ...	"	20000	1 5 0
" 889	George J. Lockyer ...	"	10000	2 10 0
" 890	Do. ...	"	10000	2 10 0
" 891	Do. ...	"	10000	2 10 0
" 892	Do. ...	"	10000	2 10 0
" 893	Do. ...	"	10000	2 10 0
" 894	Do. ...	"	10000	2 10 0
" 895	T. R. McKenzie & Co. ...	"	10000	2 10 0
" 897	Henry H. Hiekes ...	"	15850	3 15 0
" 898	Do. ...	"	4000	1 0 0
" 901	Simpson & McIntosh ...	"	5000	1 0 0
" 902	Do. ...	"	10000	1 17 6
" 903	John Withnell ...	A	4000	1 0 0
" 904	Anderson & Grant ...	C	5000	1 0 0
" 905	Do. ...	"	10000	1 17 6
" 906	Samuel H. Viveash ...	"	20000	2 10 0
" 907	T. R. McKenzie & Co. ...	"	10000	1 5 0
<b>PLANTAGENET.</b>				
A 2819	John Hassell ...	1	1000	1 0 0
<b>SWAN.</b>				
1200	Campbell Taylor ...	S.O.L.	100	5 0 0
<b>VICTORIA.</b>				
A 2821	John Morrissey ...	2	4000	1 10 0
" 2822	Do. ...	"	3000	1 2 6
" 2833	Charles Crowther ...	"	18070	4 11 9
" 2860	Cream, Brothers ...	1	6000	3 0 0
" 2861	Do. ...	"	2000	1 0 0
" 2865	Henry Criddle ...	"	2000	1 0 0
" 2866	Richd. Rowland, jun. ...	"	10000	5 0 0
" 2882	Richard Lucas ...	M.L.	20	5 0 0
" 454	Owen McGuinness ...	S. O. Lea.	140	7 0 0
" 1097	James Pascoe ...	S. O. Lic.	100	3 15 0
" 1103	James McCagh ...	"	145	4 1 0
" 1105	Edward Goodwin ...	"	100	5 0 0
" 1107	Thomas Criddle ...	"	100	2 10 0
" 1139	Richd. Hollingsworth ...	"	100	2 10 0
" 1140	George Willmott ...	"	100	2 10 0
" 1142	Richd. W. Barnden ...	"	192	4 18 0
<b>WILLIAMS.</b>				
A 2927	Henry Boddington ...	1	10000	5 0 0

MALCOLM FRASER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Transfer of Land Act, 1874.

**T**AKE NOTICE that Abraham Moses Josephson of the town of Fremantle storekeeper as being entitled to an estate in fee simple in possession in the land hereinafter described has made application to bring under the operation of the above Act all that parcel of land situate in Fremantle aforesaid being a portion of Building Lot No. 573 and bounded as follows

On the NE by one chain eighty links of Parry Street  
On the SW by part of Lot 573 measuring one chain eighty links

On the NW by one chain forty-six links of Lot 572 and

On the SE by one chain forty-six links of Ellen Street parallel thereto

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons claiming to have any right title or interest therein ARE HEREBY REQUIRED to lodge with the Registrar of Titles on or before the 19th day of December next a caveat forbidding the said land from being brought under the Act.

J C. H. JAMES,  
Commissioner of Titles.

November 10, 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.

**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.

**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.

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.