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No. 175.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 14th October, 1878.*

HIS Excellency The Governor has been pleased to appoint Corporal JOHN HOLLOWAY to be Bailiff of the Local Court at York, *vice* Monger.

By His Excellency's Command,
ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 174.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 12th October, 1878.*

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct, that the "road one chain wide, extending along the Eastward side of Allotments G 33, 32, 31, 30, 29, 28, 27, 26, and 25 on the Greenough Flats, from North corner of G 33 to East corner of G 25," be closed.

By His Excellency's Command,
ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 173.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 11th October, 1878.*

TENDERS (in duplicate, endorsed "Tender for (as the case may be) Mail,") will be received at this Office until noon of Friday, the 29th of November, 1878, for the conveyance of the undermentioned Mails for one, two, or three years, viz.:—

1. From Vasse to Warren River (Brockman's) *via* Lower Blackwood, and *vice versa*, twice a month, on horseback.
2. From York to Youndeggin, and *vice versa*, *via* Dangin, Carrolling, and Mount Stirling, once a week, on horseback.
3. From Gingin to Yatheroo, and *vice versa*, once every four weeks, on horseback.

4. From Bannister to Wandering, and *vice versa*, three times a month, on horseback.

5. From Champion Bay to Cheangwa, and *vice versa*, once a month, 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.

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

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

By His Excellency's Command,
ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 164.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 20th September, 1878.*

TENDERS (endorsed "Tenders for Narra Tarra Mail") will be received at this Office until noon of Monday, the 21st October, 1878, for the conveyance of a mail, on horseback, once a week, for one, two, or three years, between Champion Bay and Narra Tarra.

The arrival and departure of the mail will be subject to alteration by the Postmaster General 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 of 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 the right to terminate the contract at any time by giving three months' notice.

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

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

By His Excellency's Command,
ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

No. 172.—C.S.O.

IMMIGRATION.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Perth, 1st October, 1878.

NOMINATED Immigration being about to be resumed, any person wishing to apply for Free Passages from the United Kingdom for their friends, can obtain Forms of Application and all necessary information from the Immigration Agent at Perth, or the Resident Magistrate of the district in which they reside.

Applicants will be called upon to sign an agreement that such Nominated Immigrant will not cause any expense to the Government upon his or her arrival in the Colony.

Immigrants will also be called upon, prior to being furnished with a passage, to sign an agreement to remain three years in the Colony, or refund to the Colonial Government the cost of their passage from England.

By His Excellency's Command,
ROGER TUCKER^D. GOLDSWORTHY,
Colonial Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Perth, 26th September, 1878.

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Stables") will be received at this Office until noon of Thursday, the 17th October, from persons willing to undertake the erection of a four-stall stable at each of the following Police Stations, on the Albany Road, viz:—

| | |
|----------------|----------|
| 36-Mile | Station. |
| Bannister | " |
| Williams River | " |
| 136-Mile | " |
| Kojonup | " |

Copies of specification may be seen at each of the above Stations.

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 Specifications and full particulars can be obtained.

No tender will be entertained unless on the prescribed form.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
Director of Public Works.

MAIL NOTICE.

General Post Office,
Perth, 11th October, 1878.

MAILS for transmission to Europe, the Australian Colonies, &c., will be despatched as under:—

Overland to Albany for the Australian Colonies, New Zealand, Tasmania, and America, closing at:—

The General Post Office, Perth, on Saturday, October the 26th, at 8 a.m.

By *Rob Roy* to Albany, for Europe, India, Cape of Good Hope, &c., closing at:—

The General Post Office, Perth, Monday, November 4th, at 1 p.m.

The Post Office, Fremantle, Monday, November 4th, at 2 p.m.

The Post Office, Geraldton, Friday, November 1st, at 8 a.m.

The Post Office, Bunbury, Monday, November 4th, at 9 p.m.

The Post Office, Vasse, Monday, November 4th, at 10 p.m.

At the General Post Office, Perth:—

Money Orders for transmission by the above conveyances will be issued on the Australian Colonies, New Zealand, and Tasmania, up to 11 a.m. on Friday, October 25th; and on the United Kingdom, up to 11 a.m. on Saturday, November 2nd.

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.

MA I L S for Albany, Bannister, Williams River, Arthur River, Kojonup, and the Albany Road, will be made up at this Office on Saturday, October 26th, at 8 a.m.

A. HELMICH, Postmaster-General,
and General Superintendent of Telegraphs.

MAIL NOTICE.

General Post Office,
Perth, 8th October, 1878.

MAILS for the Australian Colonies, New Zealand, Tasmania, and America, for transmission per "*Rob Roy*" to Albany, and thence by s.s. "*Otway*," will close as under:—

At the General Post Office, Perth, on Saturday, October the 19th, at 2 p.m.

At the Post Office, Geraldton, on Wednesday, October 16th, at 11 a.m.

At the Post Office, Fremantle, on Saturday, October 19th, at 4 p.m.

At the Post Office, Bunbury, on Saturday, October 19th, at 10 p.m.

At the Post Office, Vasse, on Saturday, October 19th, at 10 p.m.

At the General Post Office:—

Money Orders for transmission by the above conveyance will be issued up to 1 p.m., on Friday, October 18th.

A. HELMICH, Postmaster-General
and General Superintendent of Telegraphs.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Meteorological Observations for the week ending 7th October, 1878.

WIND Registered by Mr. Forsyth, Harbor Master, at Arthur's Head, Fremantle; altitude above the sea 55 feet, in Latitude 32° 02' 14" S., Longitude 115° 45' 12" E.
 The other instruments registered are placed in the grounds adjoining the Survey Office, Perth; altitude above the sea 47 feet, in Latitude 31° 57' 25" S., Longitude 115° 52' 02" E.

MALCOLM FRASER,
 Surveyor General.

| Week ending. | BAROMETER: Mean Reading corrected, and reduced to sea level, and 32 deg. Fah. | THERMOMETERS IN SHADE. | | | | RADIATION THERMOMETERS. | | RAIN: Amount in inches. | WIND. | | DEGREE OF HUMIDITY, Saturation = 100: mean amount. | CLOUD: Mean amount. | OZONE: Mean amount. | EVAPORATION: Amount in inches. |
|--------------|---|------------------------|----------|----------|----------|-------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|---|--------------------|--|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|
| | | Dry. | | Wet. | | Solar. | Terrestrial. | | Horizontal velocity in miles, per 24 hours. | General direction. | | | | |
| | | Maximum. | Minimum. | Maximum. | Minimum. | | | | | | | | | |
| 7th | 30.055 | 70.6 | 50.8 | 65.2 | 49.2 | 128.4 | 43.5 | 0.33 | 588.66 | Easterly | 82 | 5.4 | 4.7 | 1.01 |

Highest reading of Barometer 30.229 on 7th
 Lowest do. do. 29.777 on 2nd
 Thermometers in shade. { Maximum Dry 74.0 on 2nd
 { Minimum Dry 45. on 4th

The Observations are taken at 10 a.m., (excepting Barometer, which is registered at 12 a.m.)

M. A. C. FRASER,
 Observer.

LAND SALES.

Crown Lands' Office, Perth, 15th October, 1878.

THE undermentioned Allotments of Land will be offered for Sale, at Public Auction, on the date and at the place 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. | |
| 1878. | | | | | | | |
| 7th Nov. | Geraldton ... | Geraldton Town | 395 | 1 | 0 | 14 | £15 per lot. |
| Do. | Do. | Denison Sub. | 13 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 30s. per acre. |

JOHN FORREST, Acting Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Comptroller's Office,
 Fremantle, 12th October, 1878.

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

Reg. No. 7592, David Williams
 „ 10072, William Smith

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

Reg. No. 8526, John Curran
 „ 10171, Thomas Harrison

JOHN F. STONE,
 Superintendent.

Department of Public Works, Railway Branch,
 7th October, 1878.

I HEREBY certify that the first thirty-one miles of the Geraldton and Northampton Railway may be safely used for goods and mineral traffic.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
 Commissioner of Railways.

For Sale at the Government Printing Office.

ACTS OF COUNCIL, Blue Books,
 Votes and Proceedings of the Legislative Council, &c.

NOTICE.

THE following Admiralty Charts, including those containing the latest surveys by Captain W. E. Archdeacon, R.N., are now procurable at the Survey Office, Perth, and the Office of the Harbor Master, Fremantle, at the undermentioned prices:—

| | Price per Chart. |
|---|---------------------|
| | s. |
| Champion Bay, No. 1725 | 3 |
| Champion Bay to Cape Naturaliste (including Swan River), No. 1033 | 5 |
| Gage's Roads and Cockburn Sound, No. 1058 (Nos. 1033, 1058, and 1725, are from Captain Archdeacon's recent surveys) | 5 |
| King George's Sound and Princess Royal Harbor, No. 2619 | 5 |
| Terra Australis, No. 1059 | 5 |
| Gage's Roads, Swan River, and Rottnest Island, No. 1700 | 5 |
| C. Catastrophe to Nuyts Archipelago, No. 1061 | 5 |
| North Coast of Australia, No. 1044 | 5 |
| Torres Straits, No. 2375 | 5 |
| Australia, North and East Coast, No. 2354 | 5 |
| Torres Strait, North and East entrances with the outlying reefs, No. 2422 | 5 |
| Admiralty Gulf and Vansittart Bay, on the North-West Coast, No. 1050 | 1 |
| The Buccaneer Archipelago, on the North-West Coast, No. 1052 | 2 |
| Entrance to Port Gregory, compiled in Survey Office, Perth (not to be fully depended on) | 3 |
| Terra Australis, No. 1060 | 5 |
| North-West Coast of Australia, No. 1048 | 5 |
| North-West Coast of Australia, No. 1047 | 5 |
| The Houtman Rocks, No. 1723 | 3 |
| Camden Bay to Vansittart Bay, No. 1051 | 2 |
| Part of the North-West and West Coast of Australia, No. 1055 | 5 |
| West Coast of Australia, No. 1056 | 5 |
| Sharks Bay, No. 518 | 5 |
| Exmouth Gulf, No. 1054 | 1 |
| Plan of Cambridge Gulf, No. 1049 | 1 |
| South Coast of Australia—Great Australian Bight to Cape Jervis, &c., No. 1061 | 5 |

MALCOLM FRASER,
Surveyor General.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY notify that I have applied to the Swan Roads Board for permission to erect two swing gates upon the road passing through Swan Location No. 437, one on the east boundary line, the other on the west boundary line.

RICHARD COCKRAM.
Gingin, 5th October, 1878.

Department of Public Works,
Perth, 30th August, 1878.

Eastern Railway.

AS many of the Pegs put in during the Preliminary Survey of the Eastern Railway have been removed, His Excellency the Governor directs, now that the Final Survey is being made, that Clause 9 of "The Railways Act, 1878," should be published for general information.

JAS. H. THOMAS,
Commissioner of Railways.

CLAUSE IX.—"Any one obstructing or interfering with the said Commissioner or the person or persons employed by him or his or their assistants or servants as aforesaid, while entering on and surveying any land for any of the purposes aforesaid, and any person wilfully or negligently moving, breaking, throwing down, altering, defacing, destroying, injuring, or concealing any such peg, post, or other land-mark as aforesaid, shall be guilty of an offence; and such offence shall be cognizable in a summary manner by any two Justices of the Peace, who shall inflict on every person guilty thereof, a fine or penalty not exceeding Ten Pounds."

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