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## PROCLAMATION

Western Australia, }  
to wit. }

By His Excellency SIR WILLIAM CLEAVER FRANCIS ROBINSON, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the territory of Western Australia and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.

(L. S.)

WILLIAM C. F. ROBINSON,  
Governor.

WHEREAS by divers Acts of the Imperial Legislature, it is made lawful for the Governor of the Colony of Western Australia for the time being, to fix such place within any part of the said Colony, and such time for holding every Session of the Legislative Council of the said Colony, as he may think fit; Now THEREFORE I, SIR WILLIAM CLEAVER FRANCIS ROBINSON, K.C.M.G., being Governor as aforesaid, in exercise of the powers so in me vested, do hereby announce and proclaim that a SESSION OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA shall commence and be holden for the despatch of business on MONDAY, THE NINETEENTH DAY OF JULY, 1880, at two o'clock in the afternoon, in the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, in the CITY OF PERTH, within the said Colony; and the Members of the Legislative Council are hereby required to give their attendance at the said time and place accordingly.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Colony, at Government House, Perth, this 14th day of June, 1880.

By His Excellency's Command,  
ROGER TUCKERD. GOLDSWORTHY,  
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!!!

No. 648.—C.S.O.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Perth, 5th July, 1880.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased, provisionally, and until Her Majesty's pleasure shall be known, to appoint the following gentlemen to be Members of the Legislative Council:—

The Honorable ROGER TUCKFIELD GOLDSWORTHY,  
C.M.G., Colonial Secretary.

The Honorable GEORGE WALPOLE LEAKE, Q.C.,  
Acting Attorney General.

The Honorable MALCOLM FRASER, Surveyor  
General and Commissioner of Crown Lands.

STEPHEN STANLEY PARKER, Esquire.

LOCKIER CLARE BURGESS, Esquire.

GEORGE RANDELL, Esquire.

By His Excellency's Command,

ROGER TUCKERD. GOLDSWORTHY,

Colonial Secretary.

No. 647.—C.S.O.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Perth, 2nd July, 1880.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be members of the Central Road Committee, viz:—

GEORGE RANDELL, Esq., M.L.C.

J. G. LEE STEERE, Esq., M.L.C.

C. CROWTHER, Esq., M.L.C.

By His Excellency's Command,

ROGER TUCKERD. GOLDSWORTHY,

Colonial Secretary.

No. 649.—C.S.O.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 5th July, 1880.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Police Constable BACK to be Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, for the Gingin District.

By His Excellency's Command,  
ROGER TUCKER<sup>D</sup>. GOLDSWORTHY,  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 650.—C.S.O.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 5th July, 1880.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs the following Report of the Inspector of Charitable Institutions to be published for general information.

By His Excellency's Command,  
ROGER TUCKER<sup>D</sup>. GOLDSWORTHY,  
Colonial Secretary.

Perth Poor House,  
28th June, 1880.

SIR,—I have the honor to report having on the 28th of May visited and inspected the Perth Protestant Orphanage for Girls. Number of Government inmates, 23; private, 2; total number, 25. They were clean, healthy looking, and neatly clothed. There has been no sickness amongst the children during the past quarter, and their conduct continues good. The food supplied them is good, and they are allowed sufficient for their wants. The dormitories were clean and well ventilated. The children attend school, which is conducted on the premises.

The same day I visited and inspected the Native and Half-Caste Mission, Perth. Number of boys, 8; girls, 13; total number, 21. They were clean, neatly clothed, and healthy looking. Their conduct continues good. The food supplied them is good in quality, and they are not stinted. The dormitories were clean and well ventilated.

The same day I visited and inspected the R. C. Orphanage for Girls. Number of Government inmates, 56; maintained by private funds, 13; total number, 69. The children were clean, healthy looking, and neatly clothed. There has been no sickness amongst the children during the past quarter, and their conduct continues good. The food supplied them is good in quality, and they are allowed sufficient for their wants. The children attend school, which is conducted on the premises. The dormitories were clean and well ventilated.

The same day I visited and inspected the R. C. Orphanage for Boys at Subiaco. Number of Government inmates, 42; maintained by private funds, 19; total number 61. They were clean, healthy looking, and neatly clothed. There has been no sickness amongst the children during the past quarter, and their conduct continues good. The food supplied them is good in quality, and they are allowed sufficient for their wants. The children attend school, which is conducted on the premises. The dormitories were clean and well ventilated.

June 17th.—Visited and inspected the Swan P. Orphanage for Boys. Number of Government inmates, 35; maintained by private funds, 3; total number, 38. The boys were clean, healthy looking, and neatly clothed. A case of sickness occurred in May, which terminated fatally; with this one exception the health of the children has been good. There were no complaints as to their conduct during the past quarter. The food supplied to them is good in quality, and they are allowed sufficient for their wants. The children attend school, which is conducted on the premises. The dormitories were clean and well ventilated. The water supply at each Institution is good.

I have, &amp;c.,

WILLIAM DALE,

Supt. Poor Houses.

The Honorable the Colonial Secretary.

Surveyor General's Office,  
Perth, 17th June, 1880.

## G U A N O.

Houtman's Rocks near Champion Bay,  
and Islands in Sharks Bay.

THE Government of Western Australia invites tenders from persons desirous of obtaining the right to remove Guano from the group of Islands known as Houtman's Rocks, and from the Islands in Sharks Bay. Such tenders must be sent in to the Surveyor General, Perth, Western Australia, on or before the 1st October next, but the Government does not bind itself to accept the highest or any tender.

2. Tenders may be made for all the Guano on the Islands in Sharks Bay, and on the Islands forming the group called Houtman's Rocks, together or separately, and may specify for a lump sum to be paid in advance annually, for the right to remove some given quantity within a time to be agreed upon.

3. The Contractor will be required, within twenty-one days after receiving a notification that his tender is accepted, and before the issue of any license, to deposit in the hands of the Western Australian Government ten per cent. on the value tendered for, as security for the due performance of the contract, and this sum will be retained by the Government until the termination of the contract. The Contractor will at no time be at liberty to remove any Guano unless the royalty agreed upon has been paid.

4. All the vessels employed must be provided with a license issued under the authority of the Colonial Act 40th Victoria, No. 9, and such may be obtained through the Collector of Customs at Fremantle, or the Government Resident at Geraldton.

5. The contractor will be at liberty to erect on any or all of the islands any buildings, jetties, tramways, &c., and, subject to the conditions hereinafter expressed as to forfeiture, to remove the same at any time within six months of the termination of the contract.

The contract to be entered into in pursuance of this notice shall be deemed to commence on the date of acceptance of tender.

6. Each tender, unless otherwise expressed, shall be deemed to be open to acceptance by the Government for the space of fourteen days from the 1st October; and the Government shall be at liberty to accept any tender by notifying to the person making it, by telegraph, that his tender is accepted. Any person who shall tender, and, on his tender being accepted, shall fail to deposit the ten per cent. as hereinbefore set forth in paragraph 3, shall be deemed to have broken his contract, and the Government shall thereupon be at liberty to accept any other tender, and to hold such person responsible for all loss consequent on his breach of contract.

7. Tenders will also be received for the removal of Guano, on payment of royalties to be calculated as under:—

The quantity of Guano taken by each ship on which royalty has to be paid shall be ascertained by adding 25 per cent. to the registered tonnage of timber built ships, and 40 per cent. to the registered tonnage of iron built ships;

provided that, if the captain or agent of any ship, or the Government, shall in any instance be dissatisfied with the foregoing arrangement, the ship shall be exactly measured according to Lloyds', and the number of cubical feet so ascertained divided by 40 shall be taken to be the tonnage capacity of the ship.

8. The attached Reports give the information in the possession of Government respecting the islands alluded to in this notice, but no guarantee will be given as to the quantity or quality of the Guano existing on either or any of the islands alluded to, and the beds of Guano shall be worked in a regular and systematic manner, in accordance with instructions that may from time to time be issued by the Government. All Guano removed will be at the contractor's risk after payment of the royalty agreed upon.

9. In case of any breach of the conditions mutually agreed upon the contract or contracts will be deemed to be at an end, and the agreement null and void, and any money paid, on account of licenses or otherwise, forfeited, and in such case the Government reserves the right of taking such proceedings against the contractor as the law provides.

10. Further particulars can be obtained, and charts of the islands seen, at the Survey Office, Perth, at the Customs House, Fremantle, or at the Office of the Government Resident at Geraldton.

By His Excellency's Command,  
MALCOLM FRASER,  
Surveyor General.

Report on Houtman's Rocks, by Capt. W. E. Archdeacon, R.N., Admiralty Surveyor:—

The chart of the "Houtman Rock" and sailing directions referring thereto, published by the Admiralty, are so explicit as to enable the cautious mariner to approach and enter the anchorages with implicit confidence.

The anchorages thoroughly surveyed were Recruit and Good Friday Bays and Batavia Roads.

The two former are perfectly accessible and safe at all seasons.

The space in Recruit Bay is, however, very limited; that in Good Friday Bay is very commodious and suitable for vessels of any draft.

Batavia Roads can only be used as a temporary anchorage, and to load Guano from South end of Pelsart Island or from islets in its vicinity the vessels would have to anchor inside "Pelsart Lagoon" (or the space between Mangrove and Square Islets), from which anchorage the Guano deposits appear to be some five miles distant; cargo boats or other small craft could, however, work at all seasons between the anchorage and adjacent islets, the outer and continuous reefs rendering perfect protection from any sea.

The chart and sailing directions compiled from the surveys of two of the ablest surveyors in H.M. Service should be sufficient to satisfy Lloyds' Agent, or any careful shipmaster, as to safety of these anchorages.

The opinion of the Government Resident, Champion Bay, is that:—

The Admiralty Chart of the Houtman's Rocks is so clear that a Master ought to have no difficulty in taking his vessel by it in any part of the Group.

Report on samples of Guano from Houtman's Rocks, by Mr. William Johnson, Government Analytical Chemist, Melbourne:—

Constituents found in Guano.	Nos. of Samples.		
	1.	3.	5.
Phosphates (chiefly of Lime)...	53.6	55.2	72.4
Carbonate of Lime	3.2	4.0	2.4
Alkaline salts traces			
Organic Matters	24.0	22.4	10.0
Containing some Ammonia			
Sand...	4.0	0.8	2.4
Moisture ...	15.2	17.6	12.8
	100	100	100

Sample No. 1.—Rat Island (top covering), supposed about 3000 tons.

Sample No. 5.—South end of Pelsart Island (top covering), supposed about 2000 tons.

Sample No. 3.—Island south of Gun Island (top covering), supposed about 200 tons.

No. 640.—C.S.O.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Perth, 14th June, 1880.

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Lifting Buoys and Moorings at the Irwin") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 14th July, 1880, from persons willing to lift, clean, tar, and replace the Buoys at the Irwin; also to lift and underrun the Moorings, clear the chains, and replace shackles and chains where necessary.

Full particulars can be obtained from the Harbor Master, Fremantle, who will supply such buoys, chains, and shackles, as may be required.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and will require the guarantee of two responsible persons for the due performance of the Contract.

Forms of Tender may be had on application to the various Resident Magistrates, and at the Public Offices, Perth; and no tender will be entertained unless rendered on the prescribed form.

By His Excellency's Command,

ROGER TUCKER, GOLDSWORTHY,  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 646.—C.S.O.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Perth, 29th June, 1880.

TENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Boat") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 14th July, from persons willing to supply a Boat for the Public Service.

Specifications can be seen at the Office of the Superintendent of Police, Perth, and the Sub-Inspector of Water Police, Fremantle.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and will require the guarantee of two responsible persons for the due performance of the Contract.

Forms of Tender may be had on application to the various Resident Magistrates, and at the Public Offices, Perth; and no tender will be entertained unless rendered on the prescribed form.

By His Excellency's Command,

ROGER TUCKER, GOLDSWORTHY,  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 639.—C.S.O.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 14th June, 1880.

**A** REWARD of £5 will be given to any person picking up, overhauling, and buoying the set of Government Moorings lost at the Irwin. Information as to position, &c., can be obtained from the Harbor Master.

Moorings, if found, must be buoyed with a proper buoy, supplied by the Harbor Master, before the reward can be claimed.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**ROGER TUCKER<sup>D</sup>. GOLDSWORTHY,**  
Colonial Secretary.

Department of Public Works,  
Perth, 22nd June, 1880.

**T**ENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Road Contract, No.....") will be received at this Office until noon of Wednesday, the 14th July, from persons willing to contract for certain works on the Road Guildford to Victoria Plains Junction.

After July 1st, Specifications, &c., may be seen at Gingin Police Station; Cockman's Hotel; Guildford Police Station, and Public Works' Office, 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; and no tender will be entertained unless rendered on the prescribed form.

**JAS. H. THOMAS,**  
Director of Public Works.

Notice to Postmasters and the Public.

REDUCTION OF POSTAGE.

Postal and Telegraph Department,  
General Post Office,  
Perth, 15th June, 1880.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, for general information, that on and after the 22nd June inst., the following reduced rates of Postage on correspondence for the United Kingdom, forwarded by the Contract Packets, *via Brindisi*, will be substituted for those which came into operation on the 15th March last.

Letters... Sixpence per half ounce.

Newspapers ... One penny each.

Book Packets, and Patterns, or Samples, as under:—

One penny not exceeding 1 ounce, two-pence not exceeding 2 ounces, fourpence from 2 ounces to 4 ounces, and four-pence for every additional four ounces.

By Command,  
**A. HELMICH,**  
Postmaster General  
and General Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Crown Lands' Office,  
Perth, 1st July, 1880.

**R**ETURN of Applications for Leases and Licenses of Crown Lands approved during June, 1880:—

No.	Applicant.	Class.	Acres.	Rent.
<b>AYON.</b>				
294	J. H. Monger...	S.O. Lea.	100	£ s. d. 5 0 0
900	H. Smith ...	"	100	5 0 0
1788	C. A. Biechynden ...	S.O. Lic.	100	5 0 0
1790	Thos. Davis ...	"	100	5 0 0
1791	A. J. Jones ...	"	200	10 0 0
1796	Jas. Straghan ...	"	100	5 0 0
1812	John Wilkins ...	"	100	5 0 0
1813	Do. ...	"	100	5 0 0
A 4720	J. W. Morrell... ..	1	4000	4 0 0
" 4723	C. E. Dempster ...	2	20000	5 0 0
" 4727	A. G. Twine ... ..	"	20000	5 0 0
" 4758	W. Lukin ... ..	1	6570	6 12 0
" 4764	C. C. Smith, jun. ...	"	3500	3 10 0
" 4856	E. G. B. Lenhard ...	"	1330	1 7 0
" 4857	J. T. Parker ... ..	"	800	1 0 0
" 4891	W. G. Leeder ... ..	"	5000	5 0 0
" 4897	A. G. Twine ... ..	2	20000	5 0 0
P 6	John Brown ... ..	P	8000	1 0 0
<b>CANNING.</b>				
P 4846	C. C. Fautleroy ...	1	1200	1 4 0
" 4847	Do. ... ..	"	10000	10 0 0
A 4861	J. K. Churchyard ...	"	1400	1 8 0
<b>KOJONUP.</b>				
A 4675	Monger & Hoops ...	1	25000	25 0 0
" 4817	Thos. Haddleton ...	"	4610	4 13 0
<b>MELBOURNE.</b>				
1756	Geo. Bishop & Son ...	S.O. Lic.	100	5 0 0
A 4766	Jas. Clinch ... ..	1	3000	3 0 0
" 4767	Do. ... ..	"	4000	4 0 0
" 4768	Do. ... ..	"	7000	7 0 0
" 4862	J. H. Monger ... ..	"	3000	3 0 0
" 4863	Do. ... ..	"	4000	4 0 0
<b>NELSON.</b>				
A 4872	William Gibbs, jun....	1	7000	7 0 0
" 4873	Do. ... ..	"	3000	3 0 0
<b>NORTH.</b>				
N 1805	Richard Burges ... ..	2	40000	10 0 0
" 1806	Geo. Shenton ... ..	"	70350	17 15 0
" 1809	Grant Anderson, & Edgar	"	20000	5 0 0
" 1810	Do. ... ..	"	20000	5 0 0
" 1811	Do. ... ..	"	20000	5 0 0
" 1812	Do. ... ..	"	20000	5 0 0
" 1813	Do. ... ..	"	20000	5 0 0
" 1814	Do. ... ..	"	20000	5 0 0
" 1817	A. R. Richardson ...	"	20000	5 0 0
" 1818	Do. ... ..	"	20000	5 0 0
" 1820	D. M. McKay... ..	"	100000	25 0 0
" 1821	Do. ... ..	"	100000	25 0 0
" 1822	W. A. Robinson ... ..	"	20000	5 0 0
<b>SUSSEX.</b>				
1777	Daniel Rogers ... ..	S.O. Lic.	100	5 0 0
<b>SWAN.</b>				
1803	J. G. Truslove ... ..	S.O. Lic.	100	5 0 0
A 4771	C. W. Ferguson ... ..	1	3000	3 0 0
" 4773	T. J. Jones ... ..	"	3000	3 0 0
" 4774	Do. ... ..	"	3000	3 0 0
" 4811	Francis Spice ... ..	"	12000	12 0 0
" 4812	C. C. Fautleroy ... ..	"	2000	2 0 0
" 4844	J. & J. Clune ... ..	"	10000	10 0 0
<b>VICTORIA.</b>				
1103	Jas. McCaugh ... ..	S.O. Lea.	108	5 8 0
1798	C. & H. Foss ... ..	S.O. Lic.	100	5 0 0
A 4879	Do. ... ..	2	20000	5 0 0
" 4880	N. W. Cooke ... ..	"	20000	5 0 0
<b>WELLINGTON.</b>				
A 4782	Thos. Gibbs ... ..	1	3000	3 0 0
<b>WILLIAMS.</b>				
1805	Fred. Crane ... ..	S.O. Lic.	100	5 0 0
1810	A. Krakoner ... ..	"	100	5 0 0
A 4735	W. Lukin ... ..	1	18500	18 10 0
" 4783	Thos. Gibbs ... ..	"	3000	3 0 0
" 4824	Thos. Newman ... ..	"	4000	4 0 0
" 4825	Chas. Claydon ... ..	"	4860	4 18 0
" 4877	W. Gibbs, jun. ... ..	"	3000	3 0 0
" 4878	Do. ... ..	"	3000	3 0 0

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

Supreme Court.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that His Honor the Chief Justice has directed that the next Criminal Session, for the trial of all persons under committal, be held at the Supreme Court, on Wednesday, the 6th day of October next.

**JAMES COWAN,**  
Registrar.

Supreme Court Office, }  
Perth, 22nd June, 1880. }

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Mail Time Table during the Months of  
JUNE-JULY, 1880.

FOR THE AUSTRALIAN COLONIES, &c.										FOR EUROPE, INDIA, CHINA, &c.		
Per Rob Roy and Otway.				Overland.			Overland.			Per Rob Roy.		
CLOSE AT	DAY.	DATE.	TIME.	DAY.	DATE.	TIME.	DAY.	DATE.	TIME.	DAY.	DATE.	TIME.
Perth ...	Monday ...	June 28	1 p.m.	Saturday	July 3	10 a.m.	Saturday	July 17	10 a.m.	Monday ...	July 12	11 a.m.
Fremantle ...	Monday ...	June 28	2 p.m.	Saturday	July 3	8 a.m.	Saturday	July 17	8 a.m.	Monday ...	July 12	Noon.
Guildford ...	Monday ...	June 28	8 a.m.	Saturday	July 3	8 a.m.	Saturday	July 17	8 a.m.	Monday ...	July 12	8 a.m.
York ...	Saturday	June 26	9:30 a.m.	Wednesday	June 30	9:30 a.m.	Wednesday	July 14	9:30 a.m.	Saturday	July 10	9:30 a.m.
Northam ...	Saturday	June 26	6:30 a.m.	Wednesday	June 30	6:30 a.m.	Wednesday	July 14	6:30 a.m.	Saturday	July 10	6:30 a.m.
Newcastle ...	Saturday	June 26	10 a.m.	Wednesday	June 30	10 a.m.	Wednesday	July 14	10 a.m.	Saturday	July 10	10 a.m.
Canning ...	Friday ...	June 25	2 p.m.	Friday ...	July 2	2 p.m.	Friday ...	July 16	2 p.m.	Friday ...	July 9	2 p.m.
Pinjarra ...	Friday ...	June 25	6 a.m.	Friday ...	July 2	6 a.m.	Friday ...	July 16	6 a.m.	Friday ...	July 9	6 a.m.
Bunbury ...	Monday ...	June 28	9 p.m.	Thursday	July 1	1 p.m.	Thursday	July 15	1 p.m.	Monday ...	July 12	9 p.m.
Vasse ...	Monday ...	June 28	10 p.m.	Thursday	July 1	6 a.m.	Thursday	July 15	6 a.m.	Monday ...	July 12	10 p.m.
Victoria Plains	Saturday	June 26	8 p.m.	Saturday	June 26	8 p.m.	Saturday	July 10	8 p.m.	Saturday	July 10	8 p.m.
Gingin ...	Sunday ...	June 27	3 p.m.	Sunday ...	June 27	3 p.m.	Sunday ...	July 11	3 p.m.	Sunday ...	July 11	3 p.m.
Yongarra ...	Thursday	June 24	9 a.m.	Thursday	June 24	9 a.m.	Thursday	July 8	9 a.m.	Thursday	July 8	9 a.m.
Greenough ...	Wednesday	June 23	6 p.m.	Wednesday	June 23	6 p.m.	Wednesday	July 7	6 p.m.	Wednesday	July 7	6 p.m.
Champion Bay	Thursday	June 24	1 p.m.	Wednesday	June 23	3 p.m.	Wednesday	July 7	3 p.m.	Thursday	July 8	1 p.m.
Northampton	Wednesday	June 23	11 a.m.	Wednesday	June 23	11 a.m.	Wednesday	July 7	11 a.m.	Wednesday	July 7	11 a.m.
Bamister ...	...	...	...	Saturday	July 3	...	Saturday	July 17	...	Friday ...	July 9	...
William River	...	...	...	Sunday ...	July 4	...	Sunday ...	July 18	...	Thursday ...	July 8	...
Arthur River	...	...	...	Sunday ...	July 4	...	Sunday ...	July 18	...	Thursday ...	July 8	...
Kojonup ...	...	...	...	Sunday ...	July 4	...	Sunday ...	July 18	...	Thursday ...	July 8	...
Mt. Barker ...	...	...	...	Monday ...	July 5	...	Monday ...	July 19	...	Wednesday	July 7	...

Per Rob Roy. — Close at G.P.O., Perth, on Monday, 28th June, at 11 a.m.; at P.O., Fremantle, at noon; and at the various townships on the same dates and hours as the mails for the Australian Colonies to be despatched per Rob Roy and Otway, on that day. — See first page of this issue.

MAILS FROM EUROPE, &c.		MAILS FROM COLONIES, &c.			
Due at K.G. Sound.	Expected at G.P.O.	Leave Melbourne.	Leave Adelaide.	Due at K.G. Sound.	Expected at G.P.O.
Wednesday, July 7th	Saturday, July 10th	"P. & O. STEAMER" Friday, June 25th	Sunday, June 27th	Thursday, July 1st	Sunday, July 4th
Wednesday, July 21st	Saturday, July 24th	Friday, July 9th	"OTWAY." Wednesday, June 23rd Sunday, July 11th	Tuesday, June 29th Thursday, July 15th	Sunday, July 4th Sunday, July 18th

MOVEMENTS of the S. S. "ROB ROY" between GERALDTON and ALBANY:

Leave Champion Bay.	Arrive Fremantle.	Leave Fremantle.	Arrive Bunbury.	Arrive Vasse.	Arrive Albany.	Leave Albany.	Arrive Vasse.	Arrive Bunbury.	Arrive Fremantle.	Leave Fremantle.	Arrive Champion Bay.
June 24 ...	June 25 ...	June 28 ...	June 29 ...	June 29 ...	June 30 ...	July 2 ...	July 3 ...	July 3 ...	July 4 ...	July 6 ...	July 7
July 8 ...	July 9 ...	July 12 ...	July 13 ...	July 13 ...	July 14 ...	July 16 ...	July 17 ...	July 17 ...	July 18 ...	July 19 ...	July 20

The Correspondence by these Mails will be despatched to District P.Os. for distribution by first opportunity after receipt.

The English Mails to be despatched on the 28th June and 12th July will be due in London on the 7th and 21st August, respectively.

LETTERS for Registration will be received up to one hour before the time of closing the Mails.

LATE LETTERS, on payment of postage and a fee of 6d., may be posted half-an-hour after the time appointed for closing the Mails.

NEWSPAPERS and Book Packets must be posted one hour before the time of closing the Mails, otherwise they will not be forwarded until the next Mail.

MONEY ORDERS can be obtained at the G.P.O. as under:

On the Australian Colonies, &c., up to Saturday, June 26th, at 11 a.m.  
Do. Friday, July 2nd, at 11 a.m.  
Do. Friday, July 16th, at 11 a.m.

On the United Kingdom, up to Saturday, June 26th, at 11 a.m.  
Do. Saturday, July 10th, at 11 a.m.

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

Crown Lands' Office,  
Perth, 1st July, 1880.

RETURN of Applications to purchase  
Crown Lands approved during June,  
1880:—

No.	Applicants.	Acres.	PURCHASE MONEY.		
			£	s.	d.
	AVON.				
1094	G. B. McKeever* ...	10	5	0	0
1103	Knight Bros.† ...	7	7	0	0
	MELBOURNE.				
584	Richard Farrell ...	80	40	0	0
	VICTORIA.				
1333	Rosendo Salvado ...	40	20	0	0
1355	Eliza <sup>th</sup> . S. Readhead	40	20	0	0

\* Regulation 45. † Regulation 33.

MALCOLM FRASER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

THE following Admiralty Charts are now  
procurable at the Surveyor General's  
Office, Perth, at the undermentioned prices:—

No.	Description.	Price.
	NORTH COAST.	s. d.
2354	Cape Greville to Booby Island ...	3 2
2422	Torres Straits, North-east and East entrances ...	3 2
2375	Torres Straits, Western Channels ...	3 2
1044	Gulf of Carpentaria to Cape Ford ...	3 2
	NORTH-WEST COAST.	
1047	Cape Ford to Buccaneer Archipelago ...	3 2
1049	Plan of Cambridge Gulf ...	0 8
1050	Admiralty Gulf and Vansittart Bay ...	0 8
1051	Camden Bay and Vansittart Bay ...	1 3
1052	Buccaneer Archipelago ...	1 3
1048	Buccaneer Archipelago to Cape Lambert ...	3 2
	WEST COAST.	
1055	Cape Lambert to Cape Farquhar ...	3 2
1053	Dampier's Archipelago ...	0 8
1054	Exmouth Gulf ...	0 8
1056	Cape Cuvier to Champion Bay ...	3 2
518	Sharks Bay ...	3 2
1723	Houtman's Rocks ...	2 0
1033	Champion Bay to Cape Naturaliste ...	3 2
1725	Champion Bay ...	2 0
1058	Rottneest Island, Gage's Roads, and Cockburn Sound ...	3 2
1700	Gage's Roads ...	2 6
1035	Warnbro Sound ...	2 0
	SOUTH COAST.	
1037	Flinders Bay and Hamelin Bay ...	2 0
1034	Cape Naturaliste to King George's Sound ...	3 2
2619	King George's Sound and Princess Royal Harbor	2 6
1059	East Mount Barren to Cape Paisley ...	2 6
1060	Cape Arid to Australian Bight ...	3 2
1061	Cape Catastrophe to Nuyts' Archipelago ...	3 2

MALCOLM FRASER,  
Surveyor General.

1st July, 1880.

Comptroller's Office,  
Fremantle, 3rd July, 1880.

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

Reg. No. 9004 Joseph Smith  
,, 9694 John Connolly

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

Reg. No. 8163 John Williamson  
,, 9845 Frederick G. Parsons

JOHN FORREST,  
Acting Comptroller.

## NOTICE.

Department of Public Works,  
Perth, 10th June, 1880.

REFERRING to the Notice issued from  
this Department, dated the 7th February  
last, to proprietors of Steam Boats and other  
Vessels, regarding the Fremantle Railway  
Bridge, I have now to further give notice that  
on and after Monday next the River Traffic  
will have to pass through either of the two  
openings of 50 feet which have been com-  
pleted, pending the erection of the superstruc-  
ture over the remaining water-ways.

A Red Flag will be hoisted over those  
passages open for Traffic.

JAS. H. THOMAS,  
Commissioner of Railways.

## NOTICE.

Postal and Telegraph Department,  
General Post Office,  
Perth, 4th June, 1880.

NOTICE is hereby given, for the infor-  
mation of the public, that in order to  
expedite the letter deliveries in the city, per-  
sons desirous of obtaining their correspondence  
from the General Post Office, will, from and  
after the 1st July next, be required to give  
notice of such wish in writing, when their  
letters will remain until called for, otherwise  
they will not be procurable until the town de-  
livery is made. This rule does not apply to the  
letters by either the English or Colonial Mails,  
which will be delivered at the window for two  
hours after the mails are sorted, as at present.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF LAND TITLES.

<sup>36</sup>  
1880 Transfer of Land Act, 1874  
(Section 51).

TAKE NOTICE that William John Chidlow of the  
town of Northam farmer has made application as  
administrator of the estate and effects of the late  
William Chidlow of the same place deceased to  
be certificated as the proprietor of an estate in fee  
simple in the following parcels of land situate in the  
Avon District and being

Avon Locations 731 732

and as the same are described in and are the subject of  
certificates of title volume IV folia 251 and 252 respec-  
tively.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons other  
than the applicant claiming to have any estate right  
title or interest in the above parcels of land ARE HEREBY  
REQUIRED to lodge with the Registrar of Titles on or  
before the 30th day of July now next a caveat forbid-  
ding the same from being brought under the Act.

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

June 28th, 1880.

Messrs. Stone & Burt, Perth, Solicitors for the above  
applicant.

<sup>39</sup>/<sub>1880</sub> Transfer of Land Act, 1874.

TAKE NOTICE that Frederick Robert Stirling of the city of Perth printer has made application to be certificated as the owner of the following parcel of land situated in Perth aforesaid and containing 1 rood 7 perches or thereabouts being so much of

*Town Lot H 43*

as is bounded

*On the SW by 74½ links of Hay Street and*

*On the NW by 394½ links of Town Lot H 42*

the opposite sides being parallel and equal, and as the same is occupied by Edmund John Stirling.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons other than the applicant claiming to have any estate right title or interest in the above parcel of land ARE HEREBY REQUIRED to lodge with the Registrar of Titles on or before the 30th day of July now next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the Act.

J. C. H. JAMES,

Commissioner of Land Titles.

28th June, 1880.

<sup>40</sup>/<sub>1880</sub> Transfer of Land Act, 1874.

TAKE NOTICE that Horace George Stirling of the city of Perth printer has made application to be certificated as the owner of the following parcel of land situate in Perth aforesaid and containing 1 rood 8 perches or thereabouts being so much of

*Building Lot H 43*

as is bounded

*On the SW by 75½ links of Hay Street and*

*On the SE by 394½ links of Town Lot H 44*

the opposite boundaries being parallel and equal.

<sup>41</sup>/<sub>1880</sub>

ALSO in the following parcel of land being another portion of the said Lot H 43 and containing 1 rood or thereabouts and bounded on the NE by 150 links of Murray Street and on the NW by 165½ links of Town Lot H 42 the opposite boundaries being parallel and equal.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons other than the applicant claiming to have any estate right title or interest in the above parcels of land ARE HEREBY REQUIRED to lodge with the Registrar of Titles on or before the 30th day of July now next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the Act.

J. C. H. JAMES,

Commissioner of Land Titles.

28th June, 1880.

<sup>42</sup>/<sub>1880</sub> Transfer of Land Act, 1874.

TAKE NOTICE that Edmund Stirling of the city of Perth gentleman has made application to be certificated as the owner of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcel of land situate in Perth aforesaid and containing 0a. 0r. 30p. or thereabouts viz.:—So much of

*Building Lot W. 6*

as is bounded

*On the S.E. by 75 links of Stirling Street commencing from the South-west boundary of Lot W. 7 and on the N.E. by 250 links of said Lot W. 7. The opposite boundaries being parallel and equal.*

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons other than the applicant claiming to have any estate right title or interest in the above parcel of land ARE HEREBY REQUIRED to lodge with the Registrar of Titles on or before the 30th day of July now next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the Act.

J. C. H. JAMES,

Commissioner of Land Titles.

28th June, 1880.

<sup>49</sup>/<sub>1880</sub> Transfer of Land Act, 1874  
(Section 51).

TAKE NOTICE that Matthew Skinner Smith of the City of Perth Superintendent of Police; Joseph Doonan of the Town of Fremantle Storekeeper; Henry de Burgh of the Moore River grazier; and Daniel Glyn Watkins of Fremantle aforesaid a clerk in holy orders as devisees in trust for sale under the will of the late Henry Maxwell Lefroy of Fremantle aforesaid deceased have made application to be certificated as the proprietors of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcels of land situate in Fremantle aforesaid being

*Town Lots 617, 619*

as the same are described in and are the subjects of Certificates of Title volume II folium 39 and volume III folium 135.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons other than the applicants claiming to have any estate right title or interest in the above lands or in either of them ARE HEREBY REQUIRED to lodge with the Registrar of Titles on or before the 19th day of July now next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the Act.

J. C. H. JAMES,

Commissioner of Land Titles.

28th June, 1880.

*Mr. George Parker, Fremantle, Solicitor for the above applicants.*

<sup>48</sup>/<sub>1880</sub> Transfer of Land Act, 1874  
(Section 51).

TAKE NOTICE that Matthew Skinner Smith of the City of Perth Superintendent of Police; Joseph Doonan of the Town of Fremantle storekeeper; Henry de Burgh of the Moore River grazier; and Daniel Glyn Watkins of Fremantle aforesaid a clerk in holy orders as devisees in trust for sale under the will of the late Henry Maxwell Lefroy of Fremantle aforesaid deceased have made application to be registered as the proprietors of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcel of land situate in the Cockburn Sound District containing 98 acres or thereabouts viz.:—So much of

*Location No. 7*

as is the subject of Certificate of Title volume IV folium 388 that is to say—the entire Location less the acre whereof John Snook is the registered proprietor (vol. V fol. 6) and the acre whereof Donald McKenzie is the registered proprietor (vol. V fol. 167).

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons other than the applicants claiming to have any estate right title or interest in the above land ARE HEREBY REQUIRED to lodge with the Registrar of Titles on or before the 19th day of July now next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the Act.

J. C. H. JAMES,

Commissioner of Land Titles.

28th June, 1880.

*Mr. George Parker, Fremantle, Solicitor for the above applicants.*

H. Birch in Liquidation.

A THIRD and final dividend of 1s. 8¼d. in the £1 in the above estate will be payable at the Guildford Exchange, on and after Tuesday, July 13th, 1880. A meeting of creditors will be held at the offices of Messrs. Stone and Burt, Perth, on July 14th, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Trustee's Report, closing the estate, and granting Trustee his release.

JAMES MORRISON,

June 29, 1880.

Trustee.

I HAVE applied to the Northam Roads Board to recommend my being allowed to close two short pieces of road, reaching from the road between Wilberforce and Seabrook to Lots 365 and 238; the roads were marked for the convenience of the original purchaser many years ago and have never been cleared or made use of, and as I have now purchased the two blocks of land I should be glad to do away with the roads.

EDMD. R. BROCKMAN.

June 25th, 1880.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS for the week ending 21st June, 1880.

Station.	Week ending.	Barometer Readings as compared with standard, but not reduced to sea level.					Thermometers in Shade.								Degree of Humidity, Saturation=100.	Radiation Thermometers exposed.		Wind.		Rainfall in inches.	Cloud amount 0 to 100.	Ozone.	Evaporation.
		Mean for Week.	Extreme Readings.				Dry Bulb.		Wet Bulb.		Extreme Readings, Dry Bulb.					Solar.	Terrestrial.	Horizontal velocity in miles per hour.	General direction.				
			Highest.	Date.	Lowest.	Date.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Date.	Min.	Date.									
Albany ...	21st	29.993	30.459	16th	29.615	21st	56.9	46.7	53.1	44.9	58.3	17,18	45.1	20, 21	80	...	...	6.38	N.W.	2.54	69	...	...
Bunbury ...	do.	30.053	30.463	"	29.643	20th	60.2	44.8	55.1	42.8	64.2	17th	41.6	15th	80	...	...	9.36	Southerly	2.26	...	...	...
Fremantle ...	do.	30.050	30.440	15th	29.680	"	66.8	55.9	61.7	51.5	70.0	15th	52.8	20th	77	...	...	12.60	N.E. to W.	0.81	...	...	...
Geraldton ...	do.	30.104	30.293	"	29.999	18th	64.8	50.2	56.6	45.7	66.7	18th	43.5	15th	65	...	...	12.01	Variable	0.80	...	...	...
Perth*	do.	30.032	30.343	16th	29.656	20th	62.1	42.9	56.9	41.8	64.3	16th	38.2	17th	80	109.8	37.7	...	Variable	1.13	40	6.3	61
Rottneft ...	do.	30.093	30.452	"	29.730	"	59.1	53.8	55.8	50.2	63.1	21st	48.6	21st	81	...	...	11.03	N.	2.01	...	...	...
York ...	do.	29.490	29.827	"	29.105	"	55.5	40.7	51.1	40.3	56.6	15, 16, 18	36.4	17th	86	...	...	2.08	Variable	0.79	22	...	...

\* Barometer corrected and reduced to sea level and 32° Fah.

Average Rainfall for the Week=1.48.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS from 22nd to 30th June, 1880 (inclusive).

Albany ...	28th ...	29.977	30.329	26th	29.427	22nd	56.8	47.2	53.1	45.5	61.8	28th	43.1	22nd	80	...	...	7.40	S.S.W.	1.69	48	...	...
Bunbury ...	28th ...	29.895	30.347	"	29.443	"	58.2	46.6	52.1	42.3	62.7	26, 27	37.6	23rd	69	...	...	9.10	Variable	1.48	...	...	...
Fremantle ...	28th ...	30.090	30.380	"	29.600	"	66.7	55.3	60.4	51.3	68.0	26.7	50.0	25th	72	...	...	10.44	Easterly	0.45	24	...	...
Geraldton ...	28th to 30th	30.280	30.310	30th	30.240	29th	65.4	*	62.6	*	70.0	8 30	57.5	29th	...	...	...	5.75	Easterly	0	...	...	...
	28th ...	30.119	30.321	26th	29.730	22nd	61.7	*	55.7	*	63.7	23rd	*	*	...	...	...	11.65	Variable	2.64	47	...	...
Perth†	28th ...	30.014	30.244	25th	29.480	"	60.9	42.3	56.7	40.9	63.0	28th	39.0	28th	80	111.8	36.8	...	Variable	1.72	31	6	68
	29th to 30th	30.130	30.152	29th	30.109	30th	67.9	42.9	61.1	40.5	68.8	29th	42.8	20th	75	121.5	34.6	...	E.	0	0	3.5	23
Rottneft ...	28th ...	30.102	30.470	27th	29.534	22nd	61.4	52.5	56.0	50.1	64.0	24th	49.2	24th	75	...	...	11.40	E.	1.61	...	...	...
York ...	28th ...	29.469	29.771	26th	28.963	"	55.6	41.7	51.7	40.2	57.6	27th	36.4	28th	79	...	...	1.92	W.	1.49	11	...	...
	29th to 30th	29.499	29.579	29th	29.555	30th	56.6	40.9	51.9	39.1	57.6	30th	40.4	30th	73	...	...	0.37	N.W.	0	0	...	...

\* Readings unsatisfactory.

† Barometer corrected and reduced to sea level and 32° Fah.

Average Rainfall for the Week=1.53.

The Observations are taken at 9 a.m., with the exception of the Barometer, which is registered at noon.

M. A. C. FRASER, Compiler of Records.

NOTICE.

I HAVE applied to the Murray Roads Board for permission to put two swing gates across the Old and New Roads between Mandurah and Bunbury, near the 44 and 48 mile posts.

HENRY SUTTON.  
Mandurah, April 16th, 1880.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY give notice that it is my intention to close the road running through my property at Narling.

THOMAS REYNOLDS.  
Narling, York, June 22, 1880.