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No. 1700.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 15th January, 1884.*

**H**IS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that he has received a Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State, informing him that Her Majesty will not be advised to exercise her power of disallowance of the following Acts of the Legislature of Western Australia:—

*47 Victoria, 1883.*

- No. 1.—“An Act to confirm the Expenditure for the services of the year One thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, beyond the grants for that year.”
- No. 2.—“An Act for the Maintenance of proper Order and Discipline amongst the Imperial Pauper Invalids in the Imperial Invalid Depôt at Fremantle.”
- No. 3.—“An Act to make provision for the recovery of the Expenses of the Inspection of Licensed Vessels.”
- No. 4.—“An Act to Incorporate the Governors of the Fremantle Grammar School.”
- No. 5.—“An Act to provide for the payment of certain additional and unforeseen expenses in the year One thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, over and above the Estimates for that year.”
- No. 6.—“An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws providing for the Abolition of Grand Juries and for the Summary Discharge, in certain cases, of Persons under Committal for Trial for Felonies and Misdemeanors.”
- No. 8.—“An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws providing for the summary trial and punishment of Aboriginal Native Offenders in certain cases.”
- No. 9.—“An Act to determine the direction of the latter part of the Eastern Railway within and near to the Town of York.”
- No. 10.—“An Act to amend ‘The Pearl Shell Fishery Regulation Act, 1875.’”
- No. 11.—“An Act to enable ‘The Governors of the High School, Perth,’ to raise Money on Mortgage.”
- No. 12.—“An Act to regulate and protect Electric Telegraphs.”
- No. 13.—“An Act to consolidate and amend the Law relating to Dogs.”
- No. 14.—“An Act to repeal ‘An Ordinance to provide additional Regulations for the Port of Fremantle.’”

No. 15.—“An Act to provide for the Destruction of Rabbits in Western Australia.”

No. 16.—“An Act to provide for the payment of the Salary of the Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court.”

No. 17.—“An Act to extend the provisions of the Shipping and Pilotage Acts 1855 and 1873.”

No. 18.—“An Act to amend ‘The District Roads Act, 1871, Amendment Act, 1876.’”

No. 19.—“An Act to amend ‘The Municipal Institutions Further Amendment Act, 1882.’”

No. 20.—“An Act for the protection and better Administration of the Estates of Deceased Persons in certain cases.”

No. 21.—“An Act to authorise the establishment of Private Warehouses for Goods subject to Customs Duties.”

No. 22.—“An Act to further amend ‘The Transfer of Land Act, 1874.’”

No. 23.—“An Act further to amend ‘The Wild Cattle Nuisance Act, 1871.’”

No. 24.—“An Act to promote the further Settlement of the Colony of Western Australia by the establishment of a Board of Immigration, and of an Immigration Fund.”

No. 25.—“An Act to appropriate the sum of Two Hundred and Forty-five Thousand Four Hundred and Eighty-six Pounds and Threepence out of the General Revenue of the Colony for such Services as shall come in course of payment during the year One thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.”

By Command,

MALCOLM FRASER,  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1693.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 14th January, 1884.*

**H**IS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified, for general information, that the Commissioners for the Amsterdam Exhibition have awarded Western Australia a Gold Medal for the exhibit of Native Weapons.

By Command,

MALCOLM FRASER,  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1690.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 12th January, 1884.*

IN pursuance of instructions contained in a Circular Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, dated the 9th of November, 1883, His Excellency the Governor directs the publication of the following Declaration between the Governments of Great Britain and of Sweden and Norway, respecting the Privileges of Commercial Travellers.

By Command,  
**MALCOLM FRASER,**  
Colonial Secretary.

DECLARATION between the Governments of Great Britain and of Sweden and Norway respecting the Privileges of Commercial Travellers.

*Signed at Stockholm, October 13, 1883.*

The Government of Her Britannic Majesty and the Government of His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway being desirous of defining by a special Declaration the interpretation to be given to Article IX of the Convention of Commerce and Navigation signed at London the 18th March, 1826, as regards the Customs treatment of the samples introduced into the territories of either of the Contracting Parties by commercial travellers, being subjects of the other, have agreed upon the following Articles:—

## ARTICLE I.

Swedish and Norwegian commercial travellers shall, in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and British commercial travellers shall, in Sweden and Norway, enjoy the same privileges, facilities, and advantages in respect to the Customs treatment of their samples, or in any other matter, as are now or may hereafter be accorded to commercial travellers of the most favored nation in these respects.

## ARTICLE II.

The present Declaration shall come into operation from the date of its signature, and shall remain binding so long as the Convention between Great Britain and the United Kingdoms of the 18th March, 1826, shall continue in force.

Done at Stockholm, the 13th October, 1883.

(L.S.) HORACE RUMBOLD.  
(L.S.) HOCHSCHILD.

No. 1691.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 12th January, 1884.*

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint MICHAEL GRIFFIN to be Assistant Lightkeeper at Point Moore Lighthouse.

By Command,  
**MALCOLM FRASER,**  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1695.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 15th January, 1884.*

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Sergeant J. P. CUNNINGHAM, Senior Officer of Police at Guildford, to be Bailiff of the Guildford Local Court.

By Command,  
**MALCOLM FRASER,**  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1696.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 15th January, 1884.*

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that he has received a Return of the election of the following officers to serve on the York Municipal Council, viz. :—

CHAIRMAN—J. H. Monger.  
MEMBERS—John Sewell,  
Richard Hardman.

By Command,  
**MALCOLM FRASER,**  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1701.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 17th January, 1884.*

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct the publication, for general information, of the following telegraphic correspondence with the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

By Command,  
**MALCOLM FRASER,**  
Colonial Secretary.

## TELEGRAMS.

*Governor to Secretary of State.*

[Dated 5th January, 1884.]

Wire any news Cable and Railway schemes.

(Signed) GOVERNOR.

*Secretary of State to Governor.*

[Dated 12th January, 1884.]

Cable and Railway draft agreements sent to promoters month ago. No replies yet.

(Signed) DERBY.

No. 1698.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 15th January, 1884.*

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct the publication, for general information, of the Minutes and Finding of the Court of Inquiry held under the provisions of the Local Ordinance 28th Victoria, No. 2, on the 7th day of January, 1884, for the purpose of inquiring into the circumstances connected with the stranding of the schooner "Minnie," which occurred at Port Irwin, on the night of the 12th December, 1883.

By Command,  
**MALCOLM FRASER,**  
Colonial Secretary.

## MINUTES.

*Western Australia, }  
to wit*

MINUTES of a preliminary Court of Inquiry held under the provisions of the Local Ordinance 28th Victoria, No. 2, before Leonard Worsley Clifton, Esq., Collector of Customs, and J. G. Slade, Esq., Justice of the Peace, to inquire into the circumstances attending the stranding of the schooner "Minnie" of Fremantle, Official No. 75,291, of 38 $\frac{1}{2}$  tons burthen, at Port Irwin, on the night of 12th December last, when in command of Robert Owen, the number of whose Local Certificate is No. 19.

Held at the Customs House, Fremantle, this 7th day of January, 1884.

The Court having appointed, under the provisions of the 5th Section of the Act above quoted, W. Owston, Master Mariner, the number of whose Certificate is 75,647, Nautical Assessor to the Court, proceeded to examine the following witnesses in his presence.

Robert Owen saith : I was master of the schooner "Minnie" of Fremantle, Official No. 75,291, of 38 tons, and hold a local certificate as master, No. 19, and was master of the vessel on the 12th December, and was lying at anchor at Dongarra on that day. I had a crew of 3 men besides myself and 5 passengers: 3 adults and 2 children. I got under weigh about midnight, intending to sail for Fremantle; the night was fine and a very light breeze from the S.E. As the vessel was canting she took the ground aft. I hauled off from the Jetty at midday and I was lying at anchor at about 120 yards from the Jetty at the time of getting under weigh. The vessel took the ground on a sand bank. I had no chart of the Port and have not inquired if there is one.

When the vessel canted, her head was to the S.W., and the vessel took the ground on the keel about 60 yards from where she had been lying. S.E. is a fair wind out of the Port of Irwin. After the anchor was up the vessel would not pay off, but forged ahead and ran on to a bank, and she remained there that night. We ran a kedge out that night to the northward, and the vessel came off herself in the morning; no damage occurred to the vessel, the water was quite calm, the vessel has had no repairs since and has again loaded at Fremantle. I have often got under weigh at night before. I have never run a vessel ashore in getting out of the Irwin before this.

*Examined by the Nautical Assessor.*

The vessel was fast about 12 hours with a S.E. wind. I reckon the tide would be at its lowest early in the morning.

On the 12th the moon was about full. The line of the kedge broke twice when trying to heave the vessel off. We ran out the kedge as soon as the vessel touched and began heaving on it; when the first line parted I ran out a second kedge. I am sure it was sand and not reefs the vessel ran on. The warp which parted got between the rudder and the stern post.

(Sd.) ROBERT OWEN.

Antonia Ratke—I was an able seaman on board the "Minnie" and know nothing of navigation. There was no mate on board. I remember the night the vessel took the ground, it was about full moon, a very light breeze about S.E.; I remember the anchor being hove; the vessel canted to the S.W.; we had all sails set, head sails and all; the vessel would not pay off; the Captain was at the helm; I do not know how the helm was placed; the vessel made head way; when I found the vessel would not pay off, the peak of the mainsail was not dropped, but it was dropped when she grounded; the headsails were to windward when she was trying to cant. I cannot tell whether the peak of the mainsail was dropped just before she touched the ground or after she had touched.

The Captain was under the influence of drink at the time of the casualty, and when he was at the wheel. I did not see the Captain drink anything. The Captain came on board with the passengers at 11 o'clock. The Captain knew what he was doing. When the vessel was canting, the Captain gave an order to haul the jib sheets from port to starboard, which was done; and I afterwards, on my own authority, put them to port again, as I knew it to be wrong. The Captain asked me if I was going to take charge of the vessel. I altered the head sails as I knew that had the Captain's orders been carried out the vessel would have grounded.

When I altered the sails, contrary to the Captain's orders, the Captain left them just as I had altered them. The crew were quite sober, except the Captain.

I saw some brandy come on board, and it was given to me to stow away by the Captain, but next morning the bottle was gone. The Captain was quite sober all the voyage after the vessel got off.

*Examined by Nautical Assessor.*

The vessel left the jetty about 1 p.m. We anchored the vessel in the usual place, and had the same room for getting under weigh that we have had before.

(Sd.) A. RATKE.

James Hope saith: I am a Wheelwright, and was a passenger on the "Minnie." I went on board about 11 o'clock p.m. with the Captain. When the Captain got into the boat to go off to the ship he did not stagger in the boat. The Captain was sober to my knowledge when he was in the boat. I saw him take a glass of spirits before going on board. When the vessel was under weigh the Captain was at the wheel.

I do not recollect anything about the headsails being altered.

(Sd.) JAMES J. HOPE.

FINDING OF THE COURT.

*Read in open Court.*

There is no doubt that this casualty was occasioned by the intemperance of the Master, Robert Owen; but as the vessel received no "serious damage," we are unable to prefer specific charges against the said Robert Owen, under the provisions of the 3rd section, 40 Vict., No. 4, and therefore dismiss the case.

L. WORSLEY CLIFTON,  
Collector of Customs.

J. G. SLADE,  
Justice of the Peace.

I concur in the above finding of the Court,  
Wm. OWSTON,  
Nautical Assessor.

Approved,  
F. N. B.,  
12-1-84.

No. 1694.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 14th January, 1884.*

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, on the recommendation of the Toodyay District Roads Board, to approve of the road passing through Mr. James Butterly's paddocks from Byeen to Boolgart, and known as the Boolgart Road, being closed.

By Command,  
MALCOLM FRASER,  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1697.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 15th January, 1884.*

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that he has received Returns of the election of officers to serve on the undermentioned Roads Boards, during the year 1884, viz. :—

SWAN DISTRICT ROADS BOARD.

CHAIRMAN—Samuel R. Hamersley.  
MEMBERS—C. C. Fauntleroy,  
Henry Brockman,  
R. D. Hardey.

NORTHAM DISTRICT ROADS BOARD.

MEMBERS—W. S. Dempster,  
Geo. Throssell,  
W. J. Morgan,  
G. R. M. Meares.

By Command,  
MALCOLM FRASER,  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1686.—C.S.O.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 8th January, 1884.*

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that under the provisions of "The Municipal Institutions Act, 1878," the Albany Municipality having failed to elect a Council in accordance with such Act, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct that an election of members of a Municipal Council for Albany shall be held at the Albany Court House, on Thursday, January 31st, 1884.

By Command,  
MALCOLM FRASER,  
Colonial Secretary.

No. 1664.—C.S.O.

Injuries to Buoys, Beacons, and Ship Marks.

*Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 26th December, 1883.*

WHEREAS by "The Shipping and Pilotage Consolidation Ordinance, 1855," it is enacted that any person who shall wilfully injure or remove any buoy, beacon, or sea mark used for the convenience of navigation or security of shipping shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding fifty pounds.

And whereas about the end of November last certain beacons in the River Swan were riddled by rifle bullets, and there is good reason for believing that some person or persons did wilfully injure the said beacons: Notice is hereby given that a reward of £5 will be given to any one who shall give such information to the Police authorities at Perth, or elsewhere, as will lead to the conviction of the said offender or offenders.

And notice is hereby further given that all offenders against the said Ordinance will be prosecuted according to Law.

By Command,  
GEO. PHILLIPS,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN VOLUNTEERS.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Sub-Lieutenant SMITH, of the Geraldton Rifle Volunteers, to be a Lieutenant on the Unattached List in the West Australian Volunteer Force. This Officer will do duty with the Fremantle Rifle Volunteers until the Officer Commanding that Corps can, on vacancy occurring, and with due regard to the claims of others, recommend him to be taken on the strength of it, in the rank he is holding.

By order,  
E. F. ANGELO,  
Lieut.-Colonel, I.F.O.

14th January, 1884.

IN accordance with the 15th Section of "The Medical Ordinance, 1869," the following list of persons registered under such Ordinance is published for general information.

By His Excellency's Command,  
**MALCOLM FRASER,**  
 Colonial Secretary.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	QUALIFICATIONS.	TITLE.
Barnett, Henry Calvert ...	Fremantle ...	Registered under Imperial Medical Act. Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians, Edinburgh, 1860. Member of Royal College of Surgeons, England, 1854. Licentiate in Midwifery, 1854	Colonial Surgeon, Fremantle.
Bompas, Charles Smith ...	Busselton ...	Member of Royal College of Surgeons, England, 1840. Licentiate of Society of Apothecaries, London, 1841. Registered under the Imperial Medical Act ...	District Medical Officer, Vasse.
Elliott, Charles Boulton ...	Geraldton ...	Registered under Imperial Medical Act. Member of Royal College of Surgeons, England, 1873. Licentiate of Royal College of Physicians, Edinburgh, 1873	District Medical Officer, Champion Bay.
Green, Alfred ...	Toodyay ...	Declaration that he was practising Medicine in the Colony before the 1st day of July, 1869.	
Hope, James William ...	Fremantle ...	Registered under Imperial Medical Act. Licentiate 1874, Member of Royal College of Physicians, Edinburgh, 1878. Licentiate of Society of Apothecaries, London, 1874 ...	Surgeon, Fremantle Prison.
Holmes, Nathaniel Wheatcroft	Guildford ...	Registered under the Imperial Act, 23rd November, 1878. Licentiate Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh, 1878. Licentiate Royal College of Physicians, Edinburgh, 1878	District Medical Officer, Swan.
King, Joseph ...	Greenough ...	Registered under Imperial Medical Act. Licentiate Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland, 1879	District Medical Officer, Greenough.
Lovegrove, Thomas Henry ...	Bunbury ...	Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, England, 1867 ...	District Medical Officer, Bunbury.
Mayhew, William ...	Newcastle ...	Declaration that he was practising Medicine in the Colony before the 1st day of July, 1869 ...	District Medical Officer, Toodyay.
O'Meehan, John Albert...	Roebourne ...	Registered under Imperial Medical Act. Licentiate of the Royal College of Surgeons of Ireland, 1876	District Medical Officer, North.
Rogers, Cecil ...	Albany ...	Registered under Imperial Medical Act. Licentiate of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh, 1867. Licentiate of the Society of Apothecaries, London, 1867 ...	District Medical Officer, Albany.
Rosseloty, John Crampem ...	Williams ...	Registered under Imperial Medical Act. Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, England, 1863	District Medical Officer, Williams.
Sampson, John ...	Bunbury ...	Declaration that he was practising Medicine in the Colony before the 1st day of July, 1869.	General Practitioner.
Scott, Edward ...	Perth ...	Registered under Imperial Medical Act. Member of Royal College of Surgeons, England, 1874. Licentiate of the Society of Apothecaries, London, 1873.	Do.
Stephens, Samuel ...	Perth ...	Registered under Imperial Medical Act. Member of Royal College of Surgeons, England, 1883. Licentiate of the Society of Apothecaries, London, 1882 ...	Resident Medical Officer, Colonial Hospital.
Thomson, John Rae Menzies ...	York ...	Bachelor of Medicine of the University of Melbourne, 1878. Bachelor of Surgery, 1879 ...	District Medical Officer, York.
Turnour, Charles Chad ...	Guildford ...	Registered under Imperial Medical Act. Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, England, 1875. Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians, Edinburgh, 1879. Licentiate of Midwifery, 1879	General Practitioner.
Waylen, Alfred Robert ...	Perth ...	Registered under Imperial Medical Act. Doctor of Medicine of the University of St. Andrews, 1858. Member of Royal College of Surgeons, England, 1856. Licentiate in Midwifery of the Royal College of Surgeons of England, 1856. Licentiate of the Society of Apothecaries, London, 1856.	Colonial Surgeon.

**GOVERNMENT IMMIGRATION.**

**FREE PASSAGES**

to

**NOMINATED IMMIGRANTS.**

THE Board of Immigration are prepared to receive Applications from Colonists desirous of obtaining Free Passages for Emigrants from the United Kingdom to this Colony.

All such applications to be made on printed forms, which may be obtained at any Magistrate's Court or Police Station.

In all cases the trade or occupation of the person sought to be introduced must be stated. Applications to be forwarded to the Secretary to the Immigration Board, Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth, not later than 1st February next.

The following are considered to be the most desirable class of Immigrants:—

Agricultural Labourers,	Gardeners,
Shepherds,	Wheelwrights,
Blacksmiths,	Sawyers,
Carpenters,	Dairy women and Domestic
Masons and Bricklayers,	Servants.
Brickmakers,	

The Board of Immigration desire to ascertain, as far as possible, at an early date, the actual number of labourers, &c., required by the Colonists for the ensuing year. This knowledge can only be arrived at by the prompt co-operation of those who may be intending to apply for free passages for their relations or friends from the United Kingdom, or who may otherwise be in want of labourers, &c.

All such persons are accordingly invited to send in applications as above. The applications may be of three classes, as follows:—

First.—The names and addresses of the Immigrants it is desired to introduce may be given, the trade or occupation, &c., of each proposed Immigrant being stated, as provided in the forms of application.

Second.—The names of the Immigrants need not be stated, but only the male or female Immigrants required, their trades or callings, &c., and the address of the Agent instructed by the applicant to select the individuals on his behalf.

Third.—The number of male or female Immigrants required, their trades or occupations, &c., may be stated, but it may be left to the Board to select and nominate through their own Agent.

The Board reserve to themselves the right of accepting or rejecting any nomination.

In case the funds at the disposal of the Board for Immigration purposes should not be sufficient to provide passages for all those nominated, the applications will be taken in the order in which they are received.

MALCOLM FRASER,

Chairman of the Board of Immigration.

Perth, Western Australia, }  
14th November, 1883. }

No. 1679.—C.S.O.

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Perth, 1st January, 1884.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that His Excellency the Governor has approved of the following allotment of the sum of £17,000 voted for the construction and up-keep of Roads and Bridges during 1884.

The Grant to each Road Board is intended to meet the whole wants of the District in respect of its Roads and Bridges during the twelve months.

The reserved sum of £1,000 will only be disbursed to meet contingencies of an unforeseen and exceptional character.

By Command,

MALCOLM FRASER,

Colonial Secretary.

**Distribution of Funds available for Roads and Bridges 1884—£17,000.**

	Allowed in 1883.	Allotted for 1884.	Remarks.
<b>ROAD BOARDS.</b>			
	£	£	
Roebourne ...	590	1450 <sup>a</sup>	<sup>a</sup> Including £1,000 for Cossack Road.
Wellington ...	720	950	
Northam ...	268	800 <sup>b</sup>	<sup>b</sup> Including £500 for Avon Bridge.
Wandering ...	700	750	
Murray ...	660	750 <sup>c</sup>	<sup>c</sup> Including £100 for Mandurah Road.
Geraldton ...	595	700	
Irwin ...	770 <sup>d</sup>	700 <sup>e</sup>	<sup>d</sup> This included £280 for Bridge at Mountain's Crossing. <sup>e</sup> Including £200 for the same Bridge.
Plantagenet ...	480	650	
Beverley ...	328	650 <sup>f</sup>	<sup>f</sup> Including £300 for Dale Bridge.
York ...	450	550	
Kojonup ...	460	560	
Vasse ...	460	600 <sup>g</sup>	<sup>g</sup> Including £50 for Bridge over Willyabrup Brook.
Newcastle ...	380	550 <sup>h</sup>	<sup>h</sup> Including £100 for road to New Norcia.
Williams ...	400	550	
Victoria Plains ...	440	550	
Canning ...	396	550	
Blackwood ...	400	500	
Swan ...	320	450	
Perth ...	305	440 <sup>i</sup>	<sup>i</sup> Including £100 for West Guildford Block Road.
Greenough ...	250	400 <sup>j</sup>	<sup>j</sup> Including £125 to meet claims of settlers on the Back Flats.
Northampton ...	265	400	
Gascoyne ...	Nil.	300	
Kimberley ...	Nil.	230	
Upper Murchison ...	100	200	
Fremantle ...	80	100	
Total Road Boards ...		14330	
<b>MUNICIPALITIES.</b>			
Perth ...	100	100	
Fremantle ...	100	100	
Geraldton ...	75	75	
Albany ...	50	50	
Guildford ...	50	50	
York ...	50	50	
Northam ...	40	40	
Bunbury ...	35	35	
Busselton ...	35	135	<sup>k</sup> Including £100 for repair of Causeway and two bridges.
Newcastle ...	35	35	
TOTAL ...		670	
GRAND TOTAL ...		15000	
Reserved for Contingencies ...		1000	
Metalling Bridges (to be expended separately) ...		1000	
TOTAL ...		17000	

No. 1692.—C.S.O.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth, 14th January, 1884.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor directs the publication of the following General Abstract of the Liabilities and Assets of the Western Australian Bank, for the Quarter ended 31st December, 1883.

By Command,  
MALCOLM FRASER,  
Colonial Secretary.

GENERAL ABSTRACT, showing the Average Amount of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the WESTERN AUSTRALIAN BANK, taken from the several Weekly Statements during the Quarter, from the 1st October to the 31st December, 1883.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.		AMOUNT.	TOTAL.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Notes in Circulation	{ Not bearing Interest...	11889 0 0	Coined Gold and Silver and other coined metals	" " "	21635 14 5
	{ Bearing Interest...	" " "		Gold and Silver in bullion or bars	" " "
Bills in Circulation	{ Not bearing Interest...	93 7 0	Public Securities	" " "	7500 0 0
	{ Bearing Interest...	" " "	Landed Property, Bank Premises	" " "	8450 0 0
Balances due to other Banks	" " "	48307 1 11	Notes and Bills of other Banks	" " "	553 0 0
Deposits...	{ Not bearing Interest...	81621 2 9	Balances due from other Banks	" " "	8927 9 2
	{ Bearing Interest...	112591 0 0	Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the said Bank from other Banks	" " "	309651 16 4
Total Amount of Liabilities...	£	254501 11 8	Total Amount of Assets	£	356717 19 11

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ended 31st December, 1883 .. £50,000 0 0  
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, 16  $\frac{1}{2}$  cent.  
Amount of the last Dividend declared .. 4,000 0 0  
Amount of the Reserved Profits after declaring such Dividend .. 62,340 13 9

Perth, 31st December, 1883.

FRAS. LOCHEE, Manager.

I, FRANCIS LOCHEE, make oath, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful Account of the Average Amount of Assets and Liabilities of the above Bank during the period specified; and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Act of the Legislative Council 42nd Victoriae, No. 33.

Sworn before me at Perth,  
this 9th day of January, 1884. } SAM. E. BURGESS, Justice of the Peace.

FRAS. LOCHEE.

No. 1653.—C.S.O.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Perth, 14th December, 1883.

**T**ENDERS (endorsed "Tender for Narra Tarra Mail") will be received at this office until noon of Thursday, the 31st January, 1884, for the conveyance of a Mail between Geraldton and Narra Tarra, via Mills' and Morrissey's, on horseback, once a week, for one, two, or three years.

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

The arrival and departure of the mail will be subject to instructions from the Postmaster-General and liable to any alteration 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 Postmasters, 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.

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

By Command,  
GEO. PHILLIPS,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Postal and Telegraph Department,  
General Post Office,  
Perth, 8th January, 1884.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that for the future the Morning Delivery by Letter Carriers from this Office will take place at 9 o'clock, instead of at 9:30 as heretofore.

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

### Notice to Postmasters and the Public.

Postal and Telegraph Department,  
General Post Office,  
Perth, 1st January, 1884.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, for the information of the public, that from and after this date the following reduced rates of Postage will be charged on correspondence for South Australia, Victoria, New South Wales, Queensland, Tasmania, and New Zealand:—

Letters not exceeding half an ounce	...	2d.
Exceeding half an ounce but not exceeding one ounce	...	4d.
And for every additional half ounce or fraction of half an ounce	...	2d.

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

Crown Lands' Office, Perth, 12th January, 1884.

RETURN of Approved Applications for Leases and Licenses of Crown Lands for which Rent has been paid during the month of December, 1883:—

Applicant.	No.	Acres.	District.	Rent.	Applicant.	No.	Acres.	District.	Rent.
<b>EASTERN DISTRICT.—Leases Class 2.</b>					<b>CENTRAL DISTRICTS.—Pastoral Licenses Class I. (Continued.)</b>				
				£ s. d.					£ s. d.
Broad, Henry & John ...	2-174	20000	...	5 0 0	Warburton, A. E. ...	6-159	6000	Hay ...	3 0 0
Ponton Bros. & Sharp ...	2-191	20000	...	2 10 0	Do. ...	6-160	3000	Do. ...	1 10 0
Scott, George B. ...	2-192	20000	...	2 10 0	Pridmore, George ...	6-162	3000	Co. Sound ...	1 10 0
Gale, Monger, & Co. ...	2-236	22368	...	2 17 6	<b>Special Occupation Licenses.</b>				
Watson, Joseph ...	2-243	20000	...	2 10 0	Graham, Wm. Henry ...	7-201	200	Kojonup ...	5 0 0
Lacey, Brothers ...	2-244	30000	...	3 15 0	McNeil, John ...	7-203	100	Do. ...	2 10 0
Do. ...	2-245	30000	...	3 15 0	Hindson, Richard ...	7-226	100	Plantagenet ...	2 10 0
<b>NORTHERN DISTRICT.—Leases Class 2.</b>					Parker, E. & Jas. & Jno. W. ...	7-286	100	Avon ...	2 10 0
Bresnahan, Denis, Jun. ...	4-95	17600	...	4 10 0	Keating, John ...	7-294	100	Do. ...	2 10 0
Russell, Alfred ...	4-319	27000	...	3 7 6	Readhead, E. S. ...	7-301	290	Victoria ...	7 5 0
Do. ...	4-320	20000	...	2 10 0	Higgins, Lavinia ...	7-303	100	Wellington ...	2 10 0
Do. ...	4-321	20000	...	2 10 0	Parker, E. & Jas. & Jno. W. ...	7-305	100	Avon ...	2 10 0
Do. ...	4-322	20000	...	2 10 0	Readhead, E. S. ...	7-309	100	Victoria ...	2 10 0
Woodley & Gooch ...	4-323	20000	...	2 10 0	Read, William ...	7-311	100	Melbourne ...	2 10 0
Thomas, William ...	4-346	40000	...	5 0 0	Readhead, E. S. ...	7-316	250	Victoria ...	6 5 0
Courthope, E. B. ...	4-356	78000	...	9 10 0	Hope, James William ...	7-331	100	Avon ...	2 10 0
Durlacher, John Slade ...	4-358	5000	...	1 5 0	Do. ...	7-332	100	Do. ...	2 10 0
Durlacher & Knight ...	4-359	31000	...	3 17 6	Do. ...	7-333	100	Do. ...	2 10 0
Ogilvie, Andrew J. ...	4-361	20000	...	2 10 0	Burnett, John ...	7-338	100	Melbourne ...	2 10 0
Richardson, A. R. ...	4-362	20000	...	2 10 0	Morrissey, Michael ...	7-340	100	Victoria ...	2 10 0
Ryan, John ...	4-363	20000	...	2 10 0	Do. ...	7-341	100	Do. ...	2 10 0
Aitken & Birrell ...	4-364	20000	...	2 10 0	Do. ...	7-342	100	Do. ...	2 10 0
Grant, Anderson, & Edgar ...	4-365	65000	...	8 2 6	Do. ...	7-343	200	Do. ...	5 0 0
Sewell, Edgar ...	4-366	20000	...	2 10 0	Do. ...	7-344	200	Do. ...	5 0 0
Do. ...	4-367	20000	...	2 10 0	Crane, Frederick ...	7-348	200	Williams ...	5 0 0
Do. ...	4-368	20000	...	2 10 0	Coe, Thomas ...	7-350	100	Sussex ...	2 10 0
Do. ...	4-369	20000	...	2 10 0	Monger, C. S. ...	7-351	100	Avon ...	2 10 0
Do. ...	4-370	20000	...	2 10 0	Studson, H. G. ...	7-352	100	Swan ...	2 10 0
Cumming & Britnall ...	4-371	25000	...	3 2 6	Simpson, Henry ...	7-356	100	Williams ...	2 10 0
Cameron, Alex S. ...	4-372	40000	...	5 0 0	Pumphrey, T. C. W. ...	7-357	100	Do. ...	2 10 0
Higham, E. H. ...	4-373	24000	...	3 0 0	McClure, John ...	7-360	100	Victoria ...	2 10 0
<b>CENTRAL DISTRICTS.—Pastoral Licenses Class I.</b>					Peacock, Frederick ...	7-366	100	Avon ...	2 10 0
Scott, G. F. & W. ...	6-150	3000	Nelson ...	1 10 0	Pearse, Francis ...	7-368	123	Victoria ...	3 1 6
Cowcher, G. S. F. & J. E. ...	6-154	3000	Murray ...	1 10 0	White, John & Patrick ...	7-377	150	Avon ...	3 15 0
Fleay, Charles ...	6-155	3000	Wellington ...	1 10 0	Monger, John Henry ...	7-381	460	Do. ...	11 10 0
Mitchell, James ...	6-156	3000	Victoria ...	1 10 0	Galle, Jean M. F. F. ...	7-385	100	Plantagenet ...	2 10 0
Desmond, William ...	6-137	6000	Do. ...	3 0 0	Lewington, Edward ...	7-393	100	Co. Sound ...	2 10 0
Do. ...	6-158	3000	Do. ...	1 10 0	<b>Mining Licenses.</b>				
					Gale, William H. ...	10-4	10	Victoria ...	10 0 0

JOHN FORREST, Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Lands' Office, Perth, 12th January, 1884.

RETURN of Leases and Licenses of Crown Lands transferred during the month of December, 1883.

LESSEE OR LICENSEE.	CLASS.	No.	ACREAGE	DISTRICT.	To WHOM TRANSFERRED.
<b>CENTRAL DISTRICT.</b>					
Best, G.	S. O. L.	1352	100	Avon	Smith, Brothers
Pearse, W. S. & G.	"	821	100	Co. Sound	Francisco, D. B.
Scrivener, John, Jr.	"	2279	100	Avon	Patton, James M.
Do.	"	2280	100	Do.	Do.
McClure, John	"	7-360	100	Victoria	Gale, Monger & Co.
Montague, Brothers	M	2881	25	Do.	Crowther, Mitchell, & Scott
Scotthorne, H. B. (Est.)	1	9427	3000	Nelson	Wright, Thomas
Wright & Co., J. W.	...	12-4	1920	Swan	White, Abraham
<b>NORTHERN DISTRICT.</b>					
Best, John Sydney	2	N 2670	45000	North	Union Bank
Do.	...	" 2874	200000	Do.	Do.
Simpson & MacIntosh	...	" 1446	32000	Do.	Parker, S. H., & Burt, Sept.
Do.	...	" 1448	32000	Do.	Do.
Do.	...	" 1449	20000	Do.	Do.
<b>KIMBERLEY DISTRICT.</b>					
McRae, Duncan	...	K 883	100000	Kimberley	Cowan & Roy

JOHN FORREST,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS for the Week ending 28th of December, 1883.

Table with columns: Station, Week ending, Barometer corrected and reduced to sea level, Extreme Readings (Dry Bulb, Wet Bulb, Shade), Thermometers in Shade, Degrees of Humidity, Radiation, Wind, Rainfall in inches, Cloud amount, Ozone, Evaporation.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS for the three days ending 31st of December, 1883.

Table with columns: Station, Day, Barometer, Extreme Readings, Thermometers in Shade, Degrees of Humidity, Radiation, Wind, Rainfall in inches, Cloud amount, Ozone, Evaporation.

Average Rainfall for the three days—0.8 inch.

The Observations are taken at 7 a.m., with the exception of the Barometer, which is registered at noon.

ARTHUR H. WILLIAMS, Meteorological Reporter.

Crown Lands' Office, Perth, 12th January, 1884.

RETURN of Approved Applications to Purchase Crown Lands for which Purchase Money has been paid during the month of December, 1883.

Table with columns: Purchaser, No., Contents, Town or District, Purchase Money, No. of Regulation under which purchased.

\* By remission through W. A. Timber Co.

JOHN FORREST, Commissioner of Crown Lands.

1883

Transfer of Land Act, 1874.

TAKE NOTICE that Alexander Robert Richardson of Lowlands gentleman has made application to be registered as the proprietor of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcels of land situate in the Cockburn Sound District...

(1). 151 acres. Part of Cockburn Sound Location 16.

Bounded on the E. by the western boundary of Suburban Lot No. 2 starting at a spot 14 chains north of the southern corner post of said Lot (the post being jarrah 4ft. high and 7in. in diameter) and extending north 64chs. 52lks. thence west 23chs. 40lks. thence south 6lchs. 52lks. thence east 23chs. 40lks. to the starting point.

(2). 2304 acres. Part of Cockburn Sound Location 16.

Bounded on the N. by a west line 140 chains from a spot 149chs. 51lks. north from the south-west corner post of 5000 acres the property of the applicant known as "Lowlands" being Suburban Lot No. 2.

On the W. by a south line 184chs. 51lks. to a post.

On the S. by an east line 102chs. to a post.

On the E. by a north line of 35chs. to a post; thence east 38chs. to a post at the south-west corner of Lowlands aforesaid thence north 14chs. to a post thence west 23chs. 40lks. to a post thence north 64chs. 52lks. thence east 23chs. 40lks. to a post and finally by a north line 71chs. 29lks. to the starting post.

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 in this Office on or before the 26th day of January next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the operation of the Act.

F. A. MOSELEY, Registrar of Titles.

Land Titles' Office, Perth, } 17th December, 1883. }

Parker and Parker, Perth, Applicant's Solicitors.



DEPARTMENT OF LAND TITLES.

<sup>45</sup>/<sub>1883</sub> **Transfer of Land Act, 1874; and The Real Property Limitation Act, 1878.**

TAKE NOTICE that James Dyer of the City of Perth gentleman has made application to be registered as the proprietor of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcel of land situate in the town of York viz. —

*York Building Lot 28.*

Bounded on the E. by 233 links of Howick Street.

On the W. by a like distance of Guy Street and

On the N. and S. by Building Lots 29 and 27 each 433 links.

Attention is drawn to the fact that the above description materially differs from that advertised to date. The former description was taken from the original Crown Grant, which has been found to be erroneous, and is in course of amendment.

The land was granted by the Crown to William Wade and the applicant claims to have acquired a title by possession.

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 in this office on or before the 23rd day of February next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the operation of the Act.

F. A. MOSELEY,  
Registrar of Titles.

Land Titles' Office, Perth, }  
1st January, 1884. }

*Parker and Parker, Perth, Solicitors for the applicant.*

<sup>167</sup>/<sub>1883</sub> **Transfer of Land Act, 1874.**

TAKE NOTICE that John Joseph Higham of the town of Fremantle merchant has made application to be registered as the proprietor of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcel of land situate in Fremantle aforesaid being

*The Southern Moiety of Fremantle Building Lot 416*

containing 14½ perches and bounded

On the S. by 105 links of High Street.

On the E. by 85 links of Market Street.

On the N. by a line 107 links parallel to the southern boundary and

On the W. by 85 links of Building Lot 415 and as the same is in the occupation of the National Bank of Australasia.

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 in this Office on or before the 19th day of January next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the operation of the Act.

F. A. MOSELEY,  
Registrar of Titles.

Land Titles' Office, Perth, }  
19th December, 1883. }

*Stone & Burt, Perth, applicant's Solicitors.*

<sup>166</sup>/<sub>1883</sub> **Transfer of Land Act, 1874.**

TAKE NOTICE that James Coates Fleming of the city of Perth Superintendent of Telegraphs has made application to be registered as the proprietor of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcel of land situate in Perth aforesaid being one third part of Perth Building Lot C8 with total frontage of 198 links upon Howick Street facing the Roman Catholic Convent School and with a frontage upon Lord Street of 219 links.

The entire allotment was originally granted to Charles MacFaull in 1841.

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 in this Office on or before the 26th day of January next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the operation of the Act.

F. A. MOSELEY,  
Registrar of Titles.

Land Titles' Office, Perth, }  
28th December, 1883. }

<sup>168</sup>/<sub>1883</sub> **Transfer of Land Act, 1874.**

TAKE NOTICE that James Gainer of Rosamel near Australind stockowner has made application to be registered as the proprietor of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcel of land situate in the Wellington District being part of Wellington Location No. 1 containing one thousand acres including

*Rural Lot No. 64 Ommanney Road*

Bounded on the N. by a line starting from the South West corner of Rural Lot 70 Ommanney Road and extending West along the South boundary of Marshall Waller Clifton's 798 acre block and by 4 chains of its prolongation West measuring together 84 chains on the W. by a line extending 110ch. 83lks. in direction South 14½ degrees West on the S. by an East line 84 chains to the West boundary of Rural Lot 58 Ommanney Road and from thence by lines extending in a Northerly direction along the West boundaries of part of Rural Lot 58 and the whole of Rural Lots 60 and 62 Ommanney Road together measuring 48 chains 35 links and after crossing a public road in the same direction extending East 50 chains to Ommanney Road. Thence in a Northerly direction along the West side of road aforesaid 20 chains 66 links and thence West 50 chains along the South boundary of Rural Lot 66 Ommanney Road and finally in a Northerly direction along the Western boundaries of Rural Lots 66 and 68 Ommanney Road 41 chains 32 links to the starting point. Bearings true.

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 in this Office on or before the 26th day of January next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the operation of the Act.

F. A. MOSELEY,  
Registrar of Titles.

Land Titles' Office, Perth, }  
21st December, 1883. }

<sup>78</sup>/<sub>1883</sub> **Transfer of Land Act, 1874.**

TAKE NOTICE that John Henry Monger of the town of York merchant has made application to be registered as the proprietor of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcel of land situate in the City of Perth viz. —

*Oa. 1v. 37 perches portion of Perth Building Lot W 58.*

Starting from the South-west corner of W 58 of the intersection of Nash and Moore Streets and bounded

On the S. by 230 links of Moore Street

On the E. by 329 links of Building Lot W 59

Then by 351 links of the Eastern Railway and

On the W. by 93 links of Nash Street.

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 in this office on or before the 26th day of January next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the operation of the Act.

F. A. MOSELEY,  
Registrar of Titles.

Land Titles' Office, Perth, }  
24th December, 1883. }

*Parker and Parker, Perth, Applicant's Solicitors.*

<sup>169</sup>/<sub>1883</sub> **Transfer of Land Act, 1874, and Ordinance 29th Victoria, No. 8.**

TAKE NOTICE that Patrick O'Byrne of Fremantle tanner Executor of the will of the late Patrick O'Byrne of the same place military pensioner deceased has made application to be registered as the proprietor of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcel of land situate in North Fremantle viz :

*North Fremantle Town Lot P4 (one acre.)*

Bounded on the N. by 150 links of Swan Street.

On the W. by Town Lot P3 } each 666 links

On the E. by Town Lot P5 }

On the S. by a line parallel and equal to the Northern boundary.

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 in this Office on or before the 2nd day of February next a caveat forbidding the applicant from being registered accordingly.

F. A. MOSELEY,  
Registrar of Titles.

Land Titles' Office, Perth, }  
31st December, 1883. }

<sup>172</sup>  
1883

### Transfer of Land Act, 1874.

TAKE NOTICE that William Spencer of the town of Bunbury merchant has made application to be registered as the proprietor of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcels of land situate in the Nelson District, viz.

*Nelson Location 20 (40 acres)*

Bounded on the N. by a West line 15 chains from a spot 180 chains South from a marked mahogany tree at North-West corner of land heretofore known as Pastoral Lease 1270 said tree being about 969 chains 11 links South and 184 chains East from South-west corner of Wellington Location 55.

On the E. by a South line 26 chains 66 links from spot aforesaid and by opposite boundaries parallel and equal.

*Nelson Location 30 (40 acres)*

Bounded on the S. by a line 20ch. 88lks. extending East from a spot 14ch. 2lks. North from South-east corner of land heretofore known as Pastoral Lease 725 said corner being 184ch. East and 1049ch. 41lks. South from South-west corner of Wellington Location 55.

On the W. by a North line 19ch. 16lks. from corner aforesaid and by opposite boundaries parallel and equal.

*Wellington Location 259 (50 acres)*

Bounded on the S. by an East line 23ch. 75lks. from a spot 5ch. 43lks. East from North-west corner of Nelson Location 30.

On the W. by a North line 21ch. 5lks. from spot aforesaid and by opposite boundaries parallel and equal.

In each of the above cases the bearings are true.

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 or in any of them ARE HEREBY REQUIRED to lodge in this office on or before the 2nd day of February next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the operation of the Act.

F. A. MOSELEY,

Land Titles' Office, Perth, } Registrar of Titles.  
31st December, 1883. }

*George Leake, Perth, Applicant's Solicitor.*

<sup>110</sup>  
1883

### Transfer of Land Act, 1874; and The Real Property Limitation Act, 1878.

TAKE NOTICE that Alfred Gardiner of Brunswick farmer has made application to be registered as the proprietor of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcels of land situate in the Wellington District being 5 parcels of Wellington Location No. 1 known as Allotments Nos. 34 35 36 Victoria Road and Nos. 1 and 2 Henry Road Brunswick the boundaries being as follows:—

*Nos. 1 and 2 Henry Road (each 100 acres)* starting from the junction of Henry and Waterloo Road Eastward 45 chains. *Thence* Northward along East side of Henry Road 44ch. 50lks. the opposite boundaries being parallel and equal.

*Nos. 34 and 36 Victoria Road (each 100 acres)* starting from the junction of Henry and Victoria Roads Southward 45ch. 50lks. on the West side of Henry Road. *Thence* West 44ch. the opposite boundaries being parallel and equal.

*No. 35 Victoria Road (94 acres)* starting from the junction of Ommanney and Victoria Roads. West 23 chains along North side of Victoria Road. *Thence* North 34 chains East 32 chains and Southward by 35 chains of the West side of Ommanney Road to starting point.

As to *No. 34* the applicant's claim is partially and as to the other allotments wholly of a possessory nature.

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 in this office on or before the 12th day of April next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the operation of the Act.

F. A. MOSELEY,

Registrar of Titles.

Land Titles' Office, Perth, }  
December 11th, 1883. }

*Parker and Parker, Perth, Applicant's Solicitors.*

<sup>170</sup>  
1883

### Transfer of Land Act, 1874.

TAKE NOTICE that Godfrey Charles Knight of Perth Esquire William Dalgety Moore of Fremantle merchant and John Frederick Stone of the same place Esquire

have made application to be registered as the proprietors of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcels of land situate in the city of Perth consisting of

*Portions of Perth Building Lots L29 and L30.*

together forming an entirety bounded as follows:—commencing at the North West angle of Building Lot L30.

Bounded on the Northward by 286 and two-fifth links of Mount Street.

On the Eastward by 297 links of a roadway 9ft. wide

Thence by a line 129 links about South West

Then by a line 283 links about South South West to a point on the Southern boundary of said L30

On the Southward by 137½ links of Mount's Bay Road

and On the Westward by the Eastern boundary of Building Lot L31 measuring 600 links to the starting point.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons other than the applicants claiming to have any estate right title or interest in the above parcels of land ARE HEREBY REQUIRED to lodge in this office on or before the 26th day of January next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the operation of the Act.

F. A. MOSELEY,

Land Titles' Office, Perth, } Registrar of Titles.  
24th December, 1883. }

*Stone & Burt, Perth, Solicitors for the above applicants.*

<sup>136</sup>  
1882

### Transfer of Land Act, 1874.

TAKE NOTICE that William Jenkins Gillam and William Finlay of Albany gentlemen 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 Albany aforesaid being

*Albany Town Lot 332.*

Bounded on the W. by 5 chains of Spencer Street

On the S. by 1ch. 30lks. of Frederick Street

On the S.E. by Town Lot 333 measuring 5 chains and

On the N.E. by a line 2ch. 52lks. parallel to the South boundary and by a line of 70lks. perpendicular to Spencer Street and comprising an area of 1a. Or. 12p.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons other than the applicants claiming to have any estate right title or interest in the above parcel of land ARE HEREBY REQUIRED to lodge in this Office on or before the 16th day of February next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the operation of the Act.

F. A. MOSELEY,

Registrar of Titles.

Land Titles' Office, Perth, }  
14th January, 1884. }

*George Leake, Perth, Solicitor for the Applicants.*

<sup>3</sup>  
1884

### Transfer of Land Act, 1874.

TAKE NOTICE that George Shenton of the City of Perth merchant surviving trustee and executor under the will of the late George Shenton of the same place and of a like occupation has made application to be registered as the proprietor of an estate in fee simple in possession in the following parcels of land situate in the town of Geraldton being Geraldton Building Lots 46 and 87.

*Building Lot 46 (2 roods).*

Bounded on the E. by 184 links of Fitzgerald Street.

On the N. by Building Lot 45 measuring 272 links.

On the W. by Building Lot 51 measuring 184 links and

On the S. by Building Lot 47 measuring 272 links.

*Building Lot 87 (2 roods 12 perches).*

Bounded on the N. by 163 links of Marine Terrace.

On the W. by Building Lot 86 measuring 360 links.

On the S. by 102 links of Building Lot 91 and

On the E. by Building Lot 90 measuring 166 links and Building Lot 88 measuring 252 links.

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 or in either of them ARE HEREBY REQUIRED to lodge in this office on or before the 16th day of February next a caveat forbidding the same from being brought under the operation of the Act.

F. A. MOSELEY,

Registrar of Titles.

Land Titles' Office, Perth, }  
11th January, 1884. }

*Stone and Burt, Perth, Applicant's Solicitors.*

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Mail Time Table during the Month of  
JANUARY-FEBRUARY, 1884.

FOR THE AUSTRALIAN COLONIES, &c.				FOR EUROPE, INDIA, CHINA, &c.									
Overland.				Overland.				Per Ferret.			Per Ferret.		
CLOSE AT	DAY.	DATE.	TIME.	DAY.	DATE.	TIME.	DAY.	DATE.	TIME.	DAY.	DATE.	TIME.	
Perth ...	Sat.	Jan. 26*	11 a.m.	Sat.	Feb. 9*	11 a.m.	Sat.	Jan. 19	8 p.m.	Sat.	Feb. 2	8 p.m.	
Fremantle ...	Sat.	Jan. 26	8 45 a.m.	Sat.	Feb. 9	8 45 a.m.	Sat.	Jan. 19	9 p.m.	Sat.	Feb. 2	9 p.m.	
Guildford ...	Sat.	Jan. 26	8 30 a.m.	Sat.	Feb. 9	8 30 a.m.	Sat.	Jan. 19	3 50 p.m.	Sat.	Feb. 2	3 50 p.m.	
York ...	Wed.	Jan. 23	8 30 a.m.	Wed.	Feb. 6	8 30 a.m.	Sat.	Jan. 19	8 30 a.m.	Sat.	Feb. 2	8 30 a.m.	
Northam ...	Wed.	Jan. 23	6 30 a.m.	Wed.	Feb. 6	6 30 a.m.	Sat.	Jan. 19	6 30 a.m.	Sat.	Feb. 2	6 30 a.m.	
Newcastle ...	Wed.	Jan. 23	9 a.m.	Wed.	Feb. 6	9 a.m.	Sat.	Jan. 19	9 a.m.	Sat.	Feb. 2	9 a.m.	
Canning ...	Friday	Jan. 25	2 p.m.	Friday	Feb. 8	2 p.m.	Friday	Jan. 18	2 p.m.	Friday	Feb. 1	2 p.m.	
Pinjarra ...	Friday	Jan. 25	6 a.m.	Friday	Feb. 8	6 a.m.	Friday	Jan. 18	6 a.m.	Friday	Feb. 1	6 a.m.	
Bunbury ...	Thur.	Jan. 24	noon	Thur.	Feb. 7	noon	Sat.	Jan. 19	10 p.m.	Sat.	Feb. 2	10 p.m.	
Vasse ...	Thur.	Jan. 24	6 a.m.	Thur.	Feb. 7	6 a.m.	Sat.	Jan. 19	10 p.m.	Sat.	Feb. 2	10 p.m.	
Victoria Plains ...	Sat.	Jan. 19	8 p.m.	Sat.	Feb. 2	8 p.m.	Sat.	Jan. 12	8 p.m.	Sat.	Jan. 26	8 p.m.	
Gingin ...	Sunday	Jan. 20	3 p.m.	Sunday	Feb. 3	3 p.m.	Sunday	Jan. 13	3 p.m.	Sunday	Jan. 27	3 p.m.	
Dongarra ...	Thur.	Jan. 17	9 a.m.	Thur.	Jan. 31	9 a.m.	Sunday	Jan. 13	10 a.m.	Sunday	Jan. 27	10 a.m.	
Greenough ...	Wed.	Jan. 16	6 p.m.	Wed.	Jan. 30	6 p.m.	Sunday	Jan. 13	6 p.m.	Sunday	Jan. 27	6 p.m.	
Champion Bay ...	Wed.	Jan. 16	2 p.m.	Wed.	Jan. 30	2 p.m.	Wed.	Jan. 16	9 p.m.	Wed.	Jan. 30	9 p.m.	
Northampton ...	Wed.	Jan. 16	noon	Wed.	Jan. 30	noon	Wed.	Jan. 16	noon	Wed.	Jan. 30	noon	
Bannister ...	Sunday	Jan. 27	...	Sunday	Feb. 10	...	...	...	...	Friday	Jan. 18	...	
William River ...	Sunday	Jan. 27	...	Sunday	Feb. 10	...	...	...	...	Thur.	Jan. 17	...	
Arthur River ...	Sunday	Jan. 27	...	Sunday	Feb. 10	...	...	...	...	Thur.	Jan. 17	...	
Kojonup ...	Mon.	Jan. 28	...	Mon.	Feb. 11	...	...	...	...	Wed.	Jan. 16	...	
Mt. Barker ...	Tues.	Jan. 29	...	Tues.	Feb. 12	...	...	...	...	Wed.	Jan. 16	...	

\* These dates are liable to alteration should the P. and O. Steamers leave Colombo for K. G. Sound sooner or later than contract time, of which due notice will be given.

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, Jan. 16th	Saturday, Jan. 19th...	"FRANKLIN:" Saturday, Jan. 12th...	Wednesday, Jan. 16th	Sunday, Jan. 20th ...	Thursday, Jan. 24th
Wednesday, Jan. 30th	Saturday, Feb. 2nd ...	"OTWAY:" *Saturday, Feb. 2nd	Wednesday, Feb. 6th	Sunday, Feb. 10th ...	Thursday, Feb. 14th
Wednesday, Feb. 13th	Saturday, Feb. 16th...	"P. & O. STEAMER." Thursday, Jan. 17th Thursday, Jan. 31st	Saturday, Jan. 19th... Saturday, Feb. 2nd ...	Wednesday, Jan. 23rd Wednesday, Feb. 6th	Saturday, Jan. 26th Saturday, Feb. 9th

\* On or before.

MOVEMENTS of the Steamship "FERRET" 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.
Jan. 17 ...	Jan. 18 ...	Jan. 20 ...	Jan. 20 ...	Jan. 20 ...	Jan. 22 ...	Jan. 24*	Jan. 25 ...	Jan. 25 ...	Jan. 26 ...	Jan. 28 ...	Jan. 29
Jan. 31 ... 4 a.m.	Feb. 1 ...	Feb. 3 ... 7 a.m.	Feb. 3 ...	Feb. 3 ...	Feb. 5 ...	Feb. 7*	Feb. 8 ...	Feb. 8 ...	Feb. 9	Feb. 11 ... 6 p.m.	Feb. 12

\* Or one day earlier, if possible.

PROBABLE MOVEMENTS of the Steamship "FERRET" between FREMANTLE and COSSACK:

Leave Fremantle.	Arrive Geraldton.	Leave Geraldton.	Arrive Sharks Bay and Gascoyne.	Arrive Cossack.	Leave Cossack.	Arrive King's Sound.	Leave King's Sound.	Arrive Cossack.	Leave Cossack.	Arrive Gascoyne and Sharks Bay	Arrive Geraldton.	Leave Geraldton.	Arrive Fremantle.
Feb. 19 ...	Feb. 20...	Feb. 21...	Feb. 22 & Feb. 23	Feb. 25...	Feb. 28...	...	...	...	...	March 1 & March 2	March 3	March 3	March 4

NOTE.—In March s.s. "Otway" proceeds through to King's Sound.

The English Mails to be despatched on the 19th January and 2nd February will be due in London on the 26th February, and 12th March, 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 Friday, January 25th, at 11 a.m.  
Do. Friday, February 8th, at 11 a.m.

On the United Kingdom, India, Hong Kong, Cape of Good Hope, and German Empire, up to  
Friday, January 18th, at 2 p.m.  
Friday, February 1st, at 2 p.m.

A. HELMICH,

Postmaster General  
and General Superintendent of Telegraphs.

**NORTH FREMANTLE BRIDGE.**

ON and after this date, no load over 25 cwt. will be allowed to cross this Bridge.

By Authority,  
RICHD. R. JEWELL,

Acting Director of Public Works.

Public Works and Railways Department, }  
Perth, 7th May, 1883. }

**EASTERN RAILWAY.**

ON and after 1st of January next, all Parcels must be prepaid.

JAS. H. THOMAS,  
Commissioner of Railways.

Works and Railways Department, }  
24th December, 1883. }

**NOTICE.**

NO PERSON suffering from Measles, or from any other infectious or contagious disease, will be allowed to travel on any of the Government Railways of the Colony.

JAS. H. THOMAS,  
Commissioner of Railways.

Works and Railways' Department,  
Perth, 14th December, 1883.

**NOTICE.****Beverley District Roads Board.**

THE Dale Bridge is unsafe for traffic. People passing over the Bridge are requested to do so at a walking pace.

J. SEABROOK,  
Chairman.  
Beverley, April 3rd, 1883.

**NOTICE.**

THE undersigned have applied to the Northampton Roads Board for permission to place a pair of swing gates across the road that runs from Wheel Fortune, by the Salt Pool, and on by "Woombowarra," Martin's Spring, at a spot about 54 chains N.N.W. from N.W. corner of Location A 727 (20 acres).

Also to erect a pair of swing gates across continuation of same road at the N.W. corner of Martin's Spring reserve, on the West Line.

L. C. BURGESS, JUN.  
Oakabella, 17th Dec., 1883.

**NOTICE.**

I HAVE applied to the Northam Roads Board for permission to erect two swing gates on the by-road leading from Burlong, on the West bank of the Avon River, across the Mokine property, towards York.

THOMAS WILDING.  
Mokine, 27-12-83.

**NOTICE.**

I HAVE applied to the Victoria Plains Roads Board for permission to close the old track running through my Fee Simple Ground at "Woolba Woolba," Dundaragan.

T. J. JONES.

Gingin, October 27th, 1883.

I HAVE applied to the Toodyay Roads Board for permission to fence across the road leading from "Wangamine Bridge" up the "Wangamine Brook" leading through my ground as far as that extends.

Toodyay, Nov. 30th, 1883. JOHN BOURKE.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention to apply to the Toodyay Roads Board for permission to enclose the road running through my ground No. 1167, formerly belonging to T. B. Sinclair.

THOMAS HIBBERT.

Wongamine, Toodyay,  
4th December, 1883.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1871.**

IN THE SUPREME COURT, WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

*In the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors instituted by John Corbett and Michael Corbett, of Wandering, farmers.*

A SECOND General Meeting of the creditors of the above named persons is hereby summoned to be held at the Supreme Court House, on Thursday, the 24th day of January instant, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon precisely. A majority in number and value of the creditors then assembled may confirm the resolution come to at the first General Meeting, or a majority in number representing three-fourths in value of such creditors, may by resolution declare that the affairs of the above named persons may be liquidated by arrangement and not in Bankruptcy.

Dated this sixteenth day of January, 1884.

(L.S.)

GEORGE LEAKE,  
Solicitor for the Debtors.

*Comptroller's Office,*

*Fremantle, 15th January, 1884.*

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

Reg. No. 8375 Robert Nickson  
" 10244 Charles Gallagher  
" 10247 Charles Johnson  
" 7805 George Needham

JOHN F. STONE,

Comptroller.

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