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Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of External Affairs,
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THE following Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, dated the 28th December, 1901, covering a copy of the Importation of Dogs Order of 1901, and of a Memorandum thereon, is published for general information.

EDMUND BARTON.

[CIRCULAR.]

Downing-street, 28th December, 1901.

SIR,

With reference to my Circular Despatch of the 25th August, 1900, enclosing copies of a Memorandum issued by the Board of Agriculture relating to the importation into Great Britain of dogs brought from abroad, I have the honour to acquaint you that the Board have informed me that, in view of the fact that rabies, whilst very prevalent abroad, is believed to have been finally eradicated in the United Kingdom, they have considered it a favorable opportunity to issue regulations which, although not differing in character from those at present in force in so far as they require all dogs landed from abroad to undergo a period of quarantine, yet lay down more specific and stringent rules on the subject, and I accordingly transmit to you for such publication in the colony under your Government as you may think desirable, copy of the Importation of Dogs Order of 12th December, 1901, and of a Memorandum thereon.

2. The Board have observed that the new Order will not have full effect prior to the 15th March next, and that in the meantime the landing of dogs other than performing dogs intended to be kept in this country will be authorized on conditions substantially the same as those which have hitherto obtained.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient, humble Servant,

(Signed) J. CHAMBERLAIN.

The Governor-General of the Commonwealth
of Australia.

The Right Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth of Australia.

(Signed) HOPETOUN,
Governor-General.

13th February, 1902.

BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

IMPORTATION OF DOGS ORDER OF 1901.

The Board of Agriculture desire to draw the attention of local authorities and of the public generally to the provisions of this Order, which regulates the landing in Great Britain of dogs brought from any country except Ireland, the Channel Islands, or the Isle of Man.

This Order, which consolidates and amends the Importation of Dogs Order of 1897 and the Orders amending it, takes effect from the 1st of January, 1902, except as to Article 2, which is particularly referred to hereafter. It will be observed that no

imported dog is allowed to be landed in Great Britain without a licence of the Board of Agriculture obtained previous to landing.

Until the 15th March next, the landing of dogs will be authorized under substantially the same conditions as to detention and isolation as have hitherto obtained. After the 15th March the landing of dogs will be subject to Article 2 of the Order, which expressly provides that every imported dog must be detained and isolated at the expense of its owner upon premises in the occupation or under the control of a veterinary surgeon, which shall have been previously approved in writing by the Board for that purpose, for a period of six calendar months, during which period the dog may not be moved from the place of detention except as provided in that Article. This Article does not apply in the case of an imported dog which is intended to be exported from Great Britain within forty-eight hours, or of a performing dog, with regard to the detention and isolation of which special conditions will be imposed by the licence authorizing its landing.

Conditions of Licences.

The Board may insert in any licence granted by them authorizing the landing of an imported dog, such further conditions as they think necessary or desirable for prescribing and regulating the detention and isolation of the dog, upon the place of detention authorized in the licence, or for any of the purposes set forth in Article 3 of the Order.

Every dog which is brought to Great Britain from any other country except Ireland, the Channel Islands, or the Isle of Man, and which is not accompanied by a licence issued by the Board of Agriculture authorizing the landing of the dog in Great Britain, must at all times while on board a vessel in any port in Great Britain be (a) secured to some part of the vessel by a collar and chain and muzzled with a wire cage muzzle so constructed as to render it impossible for such dog while wearing the same to bite any person or animal, but not so as to prevent such dog from breathing freely or lapping water; or (b) confined in an enclosed part of the vessel from which the dog cannot escape. And if any such dog die, or be lost from such a vessel, the person in charge of the dog is required forthwith to give notice of such death or loss to the Board.

The Memorandum A 160/A as to the Importation of Dogs into Great Britain from abroad, dated the 8th August, 1900, will cease to have effect when Article 2 of this Order comes into operation.

In order that as little inconvenience as possible may be caused in the enforcement of the Order, the Board trust that local authorities will assist them by taking steps to make its contents known as widely as possible in their districts.

T. H. ELLIOTT,
Secretary.

4 Whitehall-place, London, S.W.,
12th December, 1901.

(6396.)

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(Dated 12th December, 1901.)

IMPORTATION OF DOGS ORDER OF 1901.

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts 1894

and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

Restriction on Importation of Dogs.

1. An imported dog, that is to say, a dog brought to Great Britain from any other country, except Ireland, the Channel Islands, and the Isle of Man, shall not be landed in Great Britain unless its landing is authorized by a licence of the Board previously obtained, and when landed it shall be subject to the provisions of this Order, and to the conditions inserted in any licence authorizing its landing.

Detention and Isolation of Imported Dogs.

2. (1) An imported dog shall, for a period of six calendar months after its landing, be detained and isolated at the expense of its owner upon premises in the occupation, or under the control, of a veterinary surgeon, which shall have been previously approved in writing by the Board for that purpose, and such premises are in this Order referred to as the "place of detention."

(2) During the said period the dog shall not be moved from the place of detention except to another place of detention or to a vessel for exportation, and in either case only with a licence of the Board authorizing such movement.

(3) This Article shall not apply to (a) an imported dog which is shown to the satisfaction of the Board to be a *bona fide* performing dog; or (b) to an imported dog which is intended to be exported from Great Britain within forty-eight hours after its landing; but every such dog shall be subject to the other Articles of this Order.

(4) This Article shall come into operation on the fifteenth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and two.

Conditions of Licence.

3. The Board may insert in any licence granted by them under this Order authorizing the landing of an imported dog such conditions as they think necessary or desirable for the following purposes:—

- (i.) for prescribing and regulating the detention and isolation of the dog so far as the same is not prescribed and regulated by this Order;
- (ii.) for prescribing the person by whom and the premises on which the dog shall be detained and isolated;
- (iii.) for regulating the movement of the dog to the place of detention or vessel for exportation, and for prohibiting or regulating its movement during a period of six calendar months after its landing, or until its exportation, as the case may be;
- (iv.) for prescribing the confinement of the dog in a suitable hamper, crate, box, or other receptacle during the movement of the dog by railway, or along a highway or thoroughfare;
- (v.) for prescribing the mode of isolation of the dog;
- (vi.) for prescribing the muzzling of the dog;
- (vii.) for prescribing the notice to be given of the death or loss of the dog, or of any matter arising in connexion with the movement, detention, or isolation of the dog, and the persons by whom and to whom the notice is to be given; and
- (viii.) for prescribing the production of a licence for inspection by an officer of the Board, or constable, or officer of Customs.

Notice of Detention in case of Illegal Landing.

4. (1) Where an imported dog has been landed in contravention of this Order or of any Order hereby revoked, the Board, or an Inspector of the Board, may give notice to the owner or person in charge of the dog requiring that, within a time specified in such notice, the dog shall be moved (a) to a vessel for exportation, or (b) to a place of detention for the purpose of detention and isolation in accordance with the provisions of such notice.

(2) Such provisions may be inserted in the notice as the Board may think necessary or desirable for any of the purposes mentioned in the preceding Article.

(3) A notice under this Article may, subject to any instructions issued by the Board, be given by an Inspector of the Local Authority.

(4) If the owner or person in charge of the dog, after receipt of such notice, fails to move the dog as required by the notice, he shall be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1894.

Withdrawal of Licence in cases of Default.

5. (1) If the owner or person in charge of an imported dog is convicted of an offence under this Order in relation to the dog, the Board, or an Inspector of the Board, may give notice to such owner or person in charge, requiring him to move the dog to a vessel for exportation within a time specified in such notice.

(2) If the owner or person in charge of the dog, after receipt of such notice, fails to move the dog as required by the notice, he shall be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1894.

Relanding prohibited of Imported Dogs moved to Vessels for Exportation.

6. An imported dog which has been moved to a vessel for exportation in accordance with a licence or notice under this Order shall not be relanded in Great Britain without a licence of the Board authorizing such landing.

Seizure of Dogs in case of Default.

7. (1) If an imported dog is not detained and isolated as required by this Order or by the conditions or provisions of any licence or notice thereunder, an Inspector of the Board may seize the dog and thereupon the Board shall detain and isolate it at the place of detention specified in the licence or notice, or any other place of detention selected by them; in accordance with the requirements of this Order or the said conditions or provisions.

(2) If the owner of the dog does not, within ten days after the expiration of the period of detention specified in this Order or in the licence or notice, claim the said dog from the Board and pay to them their expenses of detaining and isolating the dog, the Board may destroy or otherwise dispose of the dog as they think expedient.

Proceedings under Customs Acts for Unlawful Landing.

8. (1) If any person lands or attempts to land a dog in contravention of this Order, he shall be liable, under and according to the Customs Acts, to the penalties imposed on persons importing or attempting to import goods the importation whereof is prohibited by or under the Customs Acts, without prejudice to any proceedings against him under the Act of 1894 for an offence against that Act.

(2) The dog in respect whereof the offence is committed shall be forfeited under and according to the Customs Acts in like manner as goods the importation whereof is prohibited by or under the Customs Acts.

Detention of Dogs on Vessels in Port.

9. (1) Every dog to which this Article applies shall at all times while on board a vessel in any port in Great Britain be—

(a) secured to some part of the vessel by a collar and chain, and muzzled with a wire cage muzzle so constructed as to render it impossible for such dog while wearing the same to bite any person or animal, but not so as to prevent such dog from breathing freely or lapping water; or

(b) confined in an enclosed part of the vessel from which the dog cannot escape.

(2) If any dog to which this Article applies shall die, or be lost from a vessel, in any port in Great Britain, the person in charge of the dog shall forthwith give notice of such death or loss to the Board.

(3) The provisions of this Article shall apply to every imported dog which is not accompanied by a licence issued by the Board authorizing the landing of such dog in Great Britain.

Extension of certain Sections of Diseases of Animals Act 1894.

10. Dogs shall be animals, and rabies shall be a disease, for the purposes of the following sections of the Act of 1894 (namely):—

- Section forty-three (powers of police);
- Section forty-four (powers of inspectors);
- Section fifty-six (unlawful landing);

and also for the purposes of all other sections of the said Act containing provisions relative to or consequent on the provisions of those sections and this Order, including such sections as relate to offences and legal proceedings.

Local Authority to enforce Order.

11. The provisions of this Order, except where it is otherwise provided, shall be executed and enforced by the Local Authority.

Offences.

12. (1) If a dog is landed in contravention of this Order, the owner and the charterer and the master of the vessel from which it is landed, and the owner of the dog, and the person for the time being in charge thereof, and the person causing, directing, or permitting the landing, and the person landing the same, and the consignee or other person receiving or keeping it knowing it to have been landed in contravention as aforesaid, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts and defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1894.

(2) If a dog is moved in contravention of this Order, or of the conditions or provisions of a licence or notice thereunder, the owner of the dog, and the person for the time being in charge thereof, and the person causing, directing, or permitting the movement, and the person moving the dog, and the consignee or other person receiving or keeping it knowing it to have been moved in contravention as aforesaid, and the occupier of the place from which the dog is moved, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts and defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1894.

(3) If a dog is not kept isolated as required by this Order, or by the conditions or provisions of a licence or notice thereunder, the owner of the dog, and the person for the time being in charge thereof, and the occupier of the place where such dog is detained, and the person failing or neglecting to isolate the dog, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts, defaults, or omissions, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1894.

(4) If a dog is not secured, muzzled, or confined as required by this Order, or by the conditions or provisions of a licence or notice thereunder, the owner of the dog, the person for the time being in charge thereof, and the master of any vessel on board which the dog is or has been carried to Great Britain, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts and defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1894.

(5) If a person with a view to unlawfully evade or defeat the operation of this Order, or of the conditions or provisions of a licence or notice thereunder, allows a dog to stray, he shall be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1894.

(6) If the owner or person in charge of a dog fails to give, produce, or do any notice, licence, or thing which by this Order, or by the conditions or provisions of a licence or notice thereunder, he is required to give, produce, or do, he shall be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1894.

Revocation of Orders.

13. (1) The Orders described in the Schedule to this Order are hereby from and after the commencement of this Order revoked: Provided that such revocation shall not invalidate or make unlawful anything done under any Order hereby revoked, or affect

any licence or authority granted, or any right, title, obligation, or liability accrued thereunder before the commencement of this Order, or interfere with the institution or prosecution of any proceeding in respect of any offence committed against, or any penalty incurred under, any Order hereby revoked before the commencement of this Order.

(2) A licence granted under any Order hereby revoked shall, from and after the commencement of this Order, have effect as if it had been granted under this Order, and may be enforced accordingly.

Interpretation.

14. In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires—

“The Board” means the Board of Agriculture:

“The Act of 1894” means the *Diseases of Animals Act 1894*:

“Master” includes a person having the charge or command of a vessel:

Other terms have the same meaning as in the Act of 1894.

Extent.

15. Except where otherwise expressed this Order extends to Great Britain.

Commencement.

16. This Order (except Article 2 thereof) shall come into operation on the first day of January, One thousand nine hundred and two.

Short Title.

17. This Order may be cited as the IMPORTATION OF DOGS ORDER OF 1901.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this twelfth day of December, One thousand nine hundred and one.

(SEAL)

T. H. ELLIOTT,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Orders Revoked.

No.	Date.	Short Title.
5611	1897. 7 May ...	The Importation of Dogs Order of 1897
5810	1898. 14 June ...	The Importation of Dogs (Amendment) Order of 1898
6194	1900. 5 December ...	The Importation of Dogs (Amendment) Order of 1900

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of External Affairs,
18th February, 1902.

THE following Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, dated the 27th December, 1901, covering a copy of a Proclamation by the King in Council, determining new designs for Gold and Bronze Coins, is published for general information.

EDMUND BARTON.

[Circular.]

Downing-street,
27th December, 1901.

SIR,

I have the honour to transmit to you, for your information and with a view to its publication in the Commonwealth under your Government, the accompanying copy of a Proclamation by the King in Council, dated 10th inst., determining new designs for Gold and Bronze Coins.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient, humble Servant,

(Signed) J. CHAMBERLAIN.

The Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia.

The Right Honorable the Prime Minister of the Commonwealth of Australia.

(Signed) HOPETOUN,
Governor-General.

13th February, 1902.

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

EDWARD R. I.

WHEREAS under section 11 of the *Coinage Act 1870*, We have power, with the advice of Our Privy Council, from time to time by Proclamation to determine the design for any coin:

And whereas it appears to Us desirable to determine new designs for the gold and bronze coins mentioned in the First Schedule to the *Coinage Act 1870*:

We, therefore, in pursuance of the said enactment and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, proclaim, direct, and ordain as follows:—

1. The designs for the said gold and bronze coins shall be as follows:—

GOLD COINS.

(1) *Five-pound Piece*.—Every five-pound piece shall have for the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription, “EDWARDUS VII DEI GRA: BRITT: OMN: REX FID: DEF: IND: IMP:” and for the reverse the image of Saint George armed, sitting on horseback, attacking the dragon with a sword and a broken spear upon the ground, and the date of the year, with a graining upon the edge.

(2) *Two-pound Piece*.—Every two-pound piece shall have the same obverse and reverse impression and inscription in all respects as the five-pound piece, with a graining upon the edge.

(3) *Sovereign*.—Every sovereign shall have for the obverse impression the aforesaid effigy with the inscription “EDWARDUS VII D.G. BRITT: OMN: REX: F. D. IND: IMP:” and for the reverse the same impression in all respects as the five-pound piece, with a graining upon the edge.

(4) *Half-Sovereign*.—Every half-sovereign shall have the same obverse and reverse impression and inscription in all respects as the sovereign, with a graining upon the edge.

BRONZE COINS.

(1) *Penny*.—Every penny shall have for the obverse impression Our effigy with the inscription, “EDWARDUS VII DEI GRA: BRITT: OMN: REX FID: DEF: IND: IMP:” and for the reverse impression the figure of Britannia seated on a rock surrounded by the sea, her right hand holding a shield which rests against the rock, while in her left hand she grasps a trident, and the inscription “ONE PENNY,” with the date of the year and a plain edge.

(2) *Half-Penny*.—Every half-penny shall have the same obverse impression and inscription as the penny, and for the reverse the figure of Britannia seated as described for the penny, and the inscription “HALF-PENNY,” with the date of the year and a plain edge.

(3) *Farthing*.—Every farthing shall have the same obverse impression and inscription as the penny, and for the reverse the figure of Britannia seated as described for the penny, and the inscription “FARTHING,” with the date of the year and a plain edge.

2. This Proclamation shall come into force on the first day of January, Nineteen hundred and two.

Given at Our Court at St. James's, this tenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and one, and in the first year of Our reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of External Affairs,
21st February, 1902.

APPOINTMENT OF CLERK IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK TO THE FEDERAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General in and over the Commonwealth of Australia, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has been pleased to approve, under the provisions of section 84 of the *Commonwealth of Australia Constitution Act*, of the transfer of—

HENRY HERBERT LEWIS, Clerk to the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor of the State of New South Wales,

to the position of Clerk in the office of the Clerk to the Federal Executive Council, to take effect on and from the 1st day of January, 1901.

EDMUND BARTON.

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Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of External Affairs,
21st February, 1902.

APPOINTMENT OF JUNIOR CLERK.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General in and over the Commonwealth of Australia, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has been pleased to approve of the appointment of—

HERBERT FRANK FARRANDS

to the position of Junior Clerk in the Department of External Affairs, such appointment to take effect on and from the 1st instant.

EDMUND BARTON.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1901-2.)

No. of Contract.	Particulars of Tender and Amount recommended for Acceptance.	Amount.	Name for Approval.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authority.
	CLOTHING AND KITS FOR NEW SOUTH WALES ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.	£ s. d.			
	(Permanent Section.)				
	Tunics, blue cloths, Warrant Officers each	4 12 6			
	" " " Sergeants " "	3 15 0			
	" " " Corporals " "	2 9 0			
	" " " Privates " "	2 5 0			
	Jackets, field service, Warrant Officers " "	2 0 0			
	" " " Sergeants " "	1 16 0			
	" " " Corporals " "	1 11 0			
	" " " Privates " "	1 7 6			
	Patrol jacket, blue cloth, Warrant Officers " "	4 10 0			
	Jackets, mess, Warrant Officers and Sergeants " "	6 0 0			
	Waistcoats, field service, all ranks... " "	0 4 6			
	Trousers, blue cloth, Warrant Officers per pair and Regimental Staff Sergeants " "	1 3 0			
	Trousers, blue cloth, Company Staff-sergeants and Sergeants " "	1 2 0			
	Trousers, blue cloth, Rank and File " "	0 19 0			
	Trousers, field service, all ranks " "	0 14 6			
	Pants, riding, Bedford cord " "	1 3 0			
	Jumpers, all ranks " each	0 14 6			
	Canvas jumpers " " "	0 4 0			
	" trousers " " per pair	0 4 6			
	Puttees " " " "	0 3 0			
	Helmets, Jean, complete (with mountings) each	0 9 6			
	Helmets, Jean " " "	0 5 9			
	" " mountings, ball " "	0 1 0			
	" " " chain " "	0 1 0			
	" " " front plate " "	0 1 0			
	Hats, felt, with puggaree, Army Medical Corps, badge and chin strap " "	0 7 6			
	Hats, felt, with silk puggaree, Army Medical Corps badge, Warrant Officers " "	0 12 0			
	Puggarees, hat and helmet " "	0 1 3			
	" white " " "	0 0 9			
	Hats, white quilted, with black ribbon, gold letters "Army Medical Corps" complete " "	0 3 6			
	Hat ribbons " " "	0 1 6			
	Caps, forage, Staff, with peak " "	1 15 0			
	" " Warrant Officers and Staff-Sergeants " "	1 0 0	Mr. C. Anderson ¹ ...	Permanent Army Medical Corps, Division No. 53, Subdivision No. 2.—Contingencies. Uniforms for the corps and kits.	Approved by the Rt. Hon. the Minister of State for Defence on 31st January, 1902.
	" " Sergeants " " "	0 18 0			
	" " Rank and file " " "	0 3 0			
	" Field Service, Warrant Officers " " "	0 13 0			
	" " Sergeants " " "	0 13 0			
	" " Rank and file " " "	0 5 0			
	Gold embroidered letters, A.M.C. (1 per pair, inch) " "	0 5 0			
	Great coats, grey, Warrant Officers each	1 15 0			
	" " Rank and file " "	1 1 6			
	" " Drivers, with cape and belt " "	1 15 0			
	" " blue cloth, Warrant Officers " "	5 15 0			
	Geneva Red Cross Badge, gold rim " "	0 2 6			
	" " " worsted rim " "	0 1 6			
	Badges, hat, gilt " " "	0 1 6			
	" " brass " " "	0 0 9			
	Gold embroidered crowns " " "	0 3 6			
	Gold chevrons, 4 bar on " " "	0 6 0			
	" " 3 " " " "	0 4 6			
	" " 2 " " " "	0 3 0			
	" " 1 " " " "	0 1 6			
	Worsted Crowns " " "	0 2 0			
	" Chevrons, yellow, 4 bar " " "	0 2 0			
	" " 3 " " " "	0 1 6			
	" " 2 " " " "	0 1 0			
	" " 1 " " " "	0 0 6			
	Cloth Chevrons, 4 bar " " "	0 2 0			
	" " 3 " " " "	0 1 6			
	" " 2 " " " "	0 1 0			
	" " 1 " " " "	0 0 6			
	" " Crown " " "	0 2 0			
	Chin straps, helmet and hat " " "	0 0 3			
	" " forage cap " " "	0 0 2			
	Boxes, kit, with lock and key, complete " " "	0 7 9			
	Braces, elastic " " per pair	0 0 8			
	Blacking, tins of (Day and Martin) per tin small	0 0 3½			
	Brushes, blacking (3 in set) " per set	0 1 11			
	" brass " " each	0 0 6			
	" hair " " "	0 0 9			
	" cloth " " "	0 0 7			
	" shaving " " "	0 0 9			
	Bags, kit, waterproof " " each	0 5 6			
	Combs, hair " " "	0 0 3			

¹ Fulfilled previous contracts satisfactorily.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1901-2)—continued.

No. of Contract.	Particulars of Tender and Amount recommended for Acceptance.	Amount.	Name for Approval.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authority.
	CLOTHING AND KITS FOR NEW SOUTH WALES ARMY MEDICAL CORPS—continued.				
	(Permanent Section)—continued.	£ s. d.			
	Drawers, white cotton ... per pair	0 1 10			
	Gloves, white cotton (assorted sizes) ...	0 0 8			
	Half hose, men's worsted (assorted sizes) ...	0 0 9			
	Holdhalls ... each	0 0 9			
	Knife and fork, small ... per pair	0 0 8			
	Knives, clasp ... each	0 1 3			
	Lanyards, knife, white cotton ...	0 0 3			
	Pipe-clay, pieces (English) ...	0 0 1			
	Powder, polishing, tins ...	0 0 2	Mr. C. Anderson ¹ ...	Permanent Army Medical Corps, Division No. 53, Subdivision No. 2.—Contingencies. Uniforms for the corps and kits.	Approved by the Rt. Hon. the Minister of State for Defence on 31st January, 1902.
	Razor and case ...	0 1 0			
	Shirts, flannel, union, blue ...	0 5 6			
	Sticks, brass, button ...	0 0 4			
	Spoons, table ...	0 0 2			
	Sponges, small ...	0 0 6			
	Straps, great-coat (3 in set) ... per set	0 0 8			
	Spurs, swan neck, with straps and chain per pair	0 7 0			
	Towels, honeycomb ... each	0 0 4			
	Tins, mess, complete ...	0 1 6			
	SUPPLY OF UNIFORMS—PERMANENT ARMY SERVICE CORPS, NEW SOUTH WALES.				
	Frock, full dress, Warrant Officer, complete	3 5 0			
	" " Staff Sergeant ...	3 0 0			
	" " Sergeant, complete ...	3 0 0			
	" " Rank and file complete ...	1 11 0			
	Jackets, F.S. serge, Warrant Officer, complete	2 5 0			
	" " Staff Sergeant, complete	2 5 0			
	" " Sergeant, complete	3 0 0			
	" " Rank and file, complete	1 11 0			
	Jumpers, serge ...	0 14 6			
	Trousers, blue cloth, Warrant Officer ...	1 2 6			
	" " other ranks ...	1 2 6			
	" serge, plain, Warrant Officer ...	0 17 6			
	" " other ranks ...	0 15 0			
	" canvas, white, all ranks ...	0 4 6			
	Pants, Bedford cord ...	1 2 0			
	" khaki cord ...	0 10 6			
	Shoulder cords, gold ... per pair	0 12 6			
	" " worsted ...	0 2 0			
	Leggings, brown leather, block ...	0 9 0			
	" " laced drivers ...	0 7 0			
	Hats, felt ...	0 5 9			
	Puggaree, hat, silk, W.O. ...	0 5 0			
	" " cashmere, rank and file ...	0 1 3			
	" helmet, white muslin, including fixing on	0 1 3			
	Caps, forage, droop peak, gold lace	1 10 0			
	Caps, forage, round, Sergeants (with chin Rank and file) straps	0 18 0	Mr. C. Anderson ¹ ...	Uniforms and kits for corps	Approved by the Rt. Hon. the Minister of State for Defence on 31st January, 1902.
	Caps, P.M.W.O.'s and Sergeants, complete, with gold badge	0 2 9			
	Caps, P.M., rank and file, complete	1 0 0			
	Helmets, jean cork ...	0 5 0			
	" mountings, ball top gilt ...	0 6 0			
	" " brass ...	0 4 6			
	" " chain gilt ...	0 1 0			
	" " brass ...	0 4 6			
	" " brass ...	0 1 0			
	Gloves, brown leather ... per pair	0 4 0			
	" white ...	0 5 0			
	Collars, white celluloid ...	0 0 6			
	Badges, hat and cap, gold embroidered	0 7 0			
	" A.S. Corps, brass ...	0 0 6			
	Chevrons, gold, per bar (to include sewing on)	0 1 3			
	" cloth, white, per bar ...	0 0 6			
	Crowns, gold embroidered ...	0 3 3			
	" worsted ...	0 1 6			
	Stars, gold embroidered ...	0 2 6			
	Horse shoes, gold embroidered ...	0 2 7			
	" worsted ...	0 1 6			
	Wheels, gold embroidered ...	0 2 7			
	" worsted ...	0 1 6			
	Bits, gold embroidered ...	0 3 0			
	" worsted ...	0 1 6			
	Spurs, gold embroidered ...	0 3 0			
	" worsted ...	0 1 6			
	Trumpets, crossed, gold embroidered	0 4 3			
	" worsted ...	0 1 6			
	Footstraps ...	0 0 6			
	Chinstraps, hat and helmet ...	0 0 3			
	Chinstraps, forage cap ...	0 0 2			
	Puttees, blue ...	0 3 0			

¹ Fulfilled previous contracts satisfactorily.

ROBERT COLLINS,
Secretary Department of Defence.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of Defence,
17th February, 1902.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1901-2.)

No. of Contract.	Particulars of Tender and Amount recommended for Acceptance.	Amount.	Name for Approval.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authority.
	COMMONWEALTH CONTINGENT FOR SERVICE IN SOUTH AFRICA.	£ s. d.			
	<i>Supplies for the Western Australian Quota of the above Contingent.</i>				
	Stirrup Leathers... .. per pair	0 4 0	B. Rosenstamm ...		
	Girths each	0 4 6			
	Surcingle "	0 3 9			
	Rein leathers per pair	0 4 10			
	Bridles each	0 7 4			
	Pelham Bits "	0 3 3			
	Shackles and ties "	0 1 2 ³ / ₄			
	Heel ropes "	0 1 2			
	Horse brush "	0 1 9			
	Currycomb "	0 0 4			
	Dandy brush "	0 1 6	R. Betchell and Coy.		
	Saddle bags "	0 17 6			
	Saddle soap "	0 0 5 ³ / ₄			
	Saddles "	3 14 6			
	Stirrup irons per pair	0 2 9			
	Halters each	0 1 9			
	Horse dusters "	0 0 5			
	Cheek chains "	0 1 6			
	Spurs per pair	0 3 9			
	Numnahs each	0 9 8			
	Head ropes "	0 1 6	Dorney and Coy. ... T. Moran and Coy. ... J. A. Naylor ... Campbell and Collopy Munyard and Kenworthy		
	Nose bags "	0 3 6			
	Dubbing tins "	0 1 5			
	Body roller "	0 2 4			
	Wallets per pair	0 15 0			
	Wallet straps "	0 1 1			
	Beef and mutton... .. per lb.	0 0 9			
	Bread "	0 0 1 ³ / ₈			
	Horse shoeing per set	0 6 0			
	Groceries per scale	0 ...			
	Tin plates per doz.	0 1 11	Bethell and Thurstan	Commonwealth Contingent for South Africa	Approved by His Excellency the Governor-General in Council on 6th February, 1902.
	Tin pannicans "	0 1 9			
	Best brooms each	0 3 2			
	Shaving brush, &c. "	0 1 6			
	Sponge "	0 0 7			
	Kit bags "	0 2 0			
	Section kit bags "	0 7 0			
	Horse slings "	0 5 6			
	Hat "	0 11 0			
	Khaki jacket "	1 18 6			
	Under vest "	0 2 6	Boan Bros. ...		
	Shirt "	0 5 6			
	Horse blanket "	0 6 6			
	Knife "	0 0 4 ¹ / ₂			
	Fork "	0 0 4 ¹ / ₂			
	Spoon "	0 0 9			
	Razor "	0 2 9			
	Waist belt "	0 2 1			
	Hard brush "	0 0 11			
	Cloth brush "	0 1 0			
	Shovel "	0 3 9	Bon Marche ...		
	Clothes basket "	0 5 6			
	Dungaree jacket "	0 3 11			
	Dungaree breeches per pair	0 3 5			
	Sox "	0 1 0			
	Guernsey each	1 5 2			
	Khaki breeches per pair	1 2 10			
	Men's blankets "	0 10 6			
	Towel each	0 1 0			
	Pieces soap "	0 0 4			
	Canvas shoes per pair	0 4 6	J. J. Snigg ... Pearse Bros.... Kelly and Coy. ... Pearse Bros.... Gardner Bros. ... J. Grahame ... Hy. Armstrong ... Monger's W.A. Stores		
	Ankle boots "	0 9 10 ¹ / ₂			
	Laces, P. hide "	0 0 2			
	Oats per ton	9 4 0			
	Bran "	6 15 0			
	Chaff "	4 15 0			
	Rock salt per cwt.	0 5 0			
	Repairs to tents "	0 15 0			
	Repairs to iron work, Karrakatta... .. "	8 5 0			
	Trimming Scissors "	0 2 10			

ROBERT COLLINS,
Secretary Department of Defence.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of Defence,
14th February, 1902.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1901-2.)

No. of Contract.	Particulars of Tender and Amount recommended for acceptance.	Amount.	Name for approval.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authority.
		£ s. d.			
	1st Commonwealth Contingent for service in South Africa. <i>Supplies for the Tasmanian quota of the above Contingent—</i>				
	Old Hay per ton	3 15 0	} Messrs. W. T. Bates and Coy.	} Commonwealth Contingent for South Africa	} Approved by His Excellency the Governor - General in Council on the 6th February, 1902
	Oats per bushel	0 2 8			
	Bran "	0 0 11.			
	Old Chaff per ton	3 10 0			
	Carrots "	2 10 0	} Messrs. Brownell Bros.		
	Blankets (Horse) ... per pair	0 8 4			
	Dubbin per gross	1 13 0	} C. Davis ...		
	Mess Tins (Cavalry) ... each	0 2 6			
	Branding Iron and Numbers for horses hoofs, "A.C.," "T.," and Numerals per set	2 15 0			
	Jack-shea Pot and Leather Case, complete	0 3 4	} Messrs. Marsh and Coy.		
	Razors per dozen	1 6 6			
	Shaving Brushes "	0 6 0			
	Hair Combs "	0 7 6			
	Woollen Caps each	0 1 6	E. Lewis ...		

ROBERT COLLINS,
Secretary Department of Defence.

Commonwealth of Australia.

The Treasury,

14th February, 1902.

CERTIFYING OFFICERS.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General in and over the Commonwealth of Australia, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has directed that, in pursuance of clause 36 of the Regulations respecting Public Moneys, accounts for expenditure for the service of the Departments set forth hereunder be certified by the officers named opposite to such service respectively.

GEORGE TURNER,
Treasurer.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

Commonwealth of Australia.—Constitution Act.

Section 3, Salary of the Governor-General ... The Secretary to the Treasury.

Section 48, Allowances to Senators ... The Clerk of the Parliaments.

Section 48, Allowances to Members of the House of Representatives ... The Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Section 66, Salaries of Ministers of State ... The Secretary to the Treasury.

Section 84, Pensions and Retiring Allowances ... As regards payments in any State, the officer authorized to certify accounts for the maintenance or continuance of the Department in that State as at time of transfer of the Department to the Commonwealth.

Audit Act 1901, No. 4.

Section 4, Salary of Auditor-General ... The Auditor-General.

VOTES.

I.—The Parliament.

The Senate ... ..	...	The President of the Senate.
The House of Representatives	...	The Speaker of the House of Representatives.
Parliamentary Reporting Staff	...	The Principal Parliamentary Reporter.
The Library ... ..	...	The Speaker of the House of Representatives as Chairman of the Joint Library Committee.
Refreshment Rooms ... ..	...	The President of the Senate as Chairman of the Joint House Committee.
Water-power for Parliament House	...	
Electric Lighting, Repairs, &c.	...	
Parliament Gardens ... ..	...
Miscellaneous ... ..	...

II.—The Department of External Affairs.

Administrative ... ..	...	The Secretary, Department of External Affairs.
Federal Executive Council	...	Ditto.
Miscellaneous ... ..	...	Ditto.

III.—The Attorney-General's Department.

Secretary's Office ... ..	...	The Secretary to the Department of Attorney-General.
Miscellaneous ... ..	...	Ditto.

IV.—The Department of Home Affairs.

Administrative Staff ... ..	...	The Secretary, Department of Home Affairs.
Electoral Office ... ..	...	Ditto.
Works and Buildings ... ..	...	Ditto.
Additions, New Works, and Buildings	...	Ditto.
Miscellaneous ... ..	...	Ditto.

For the Holding of the First Elections of the Parliament—Expenditure in the :—

State of New South Wales	...	The Principal Under-Secretary of New South Wales.
„ Victoria ... ..	...	The Under-Secretary of Victoria.
„ Queensland ... ..	...	The Chief Returning Officer of Queensland.
„ South Australia ... ..	...	The Returning Officer of South Australia.
„ Western Australia ... ..	...	The Returning Officer of Western Australia.
„ Tasmania ... ..	...	The Chief Returning Officer of Tasmania.

V.—The Department of the Treasury.

The Treasury ... ..	...	The Secretary to the Treasury.
Audit Office ... ..	...	The Auditor-General.

Government Printer ...	...	...	The Secretary to the Treasury.
Unforeseen and Accidental Expenditure			Ditto.
Advance to the Treasurer ...	...	...	Ditto.
Miscellaneous ...	...	...	Ditto.

VI.—The Department of Trade and Customs.

Minister's Office	The Comptroller-General.
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Expenditure solely for the maintenance or continuance of the Department as at the time of transfer to the Commonwealth, viz. :—

For expenditure in the—

State of New South Wales	...	...	The Collector of Customs (New South Wales).
State of Victoria	...	...	The Collector of Customs (Victoria).
State of Queensland	...	...	The Collector of Customs (Queensland).
State of South Australia	...	...	The Collector of Customs (South Australia).
State of Western Australia	...	...	The Collector of Customs (Western Australia).
State of Tasmania	...	...	The Collector of Customs (Tasmania).
Miscellaneous ...	...	...	The Comptroller-General.

VII.—The Department of Defence.

Central Staff ...	...	...	The Chief Accountant.
Miscellaneous ...	...	...	Ditto.
Demonstrations, Royal Reception and Opening of Parliament			As regards expenditure in any State, the officer authorized to certify accounts for the maintenance or continuance of the Department in that State as at the time of transfer to the Commonwealth.
Australian Naval Forces	...	...	As regards expenditure to be debited to any State, the officer authorized to certify accounts for the maintenance or continuance of the Department in that State as at the time of transfer to the Commonwealth.
Thursday Island ...	...	...	The Accountant of the Department in Queensland.
King George's Sound	...	...	Commandant, Military Forces, Western Australia.

Expenditure solely for the maintenance or continuance of the Department as at the time of transfer to the Commonwealth, viz. :—

Expenditure in the State of—

New South Wales—

Military ...	...	...	The District Paymaster of the Military Forces.
Naval ...	...	...	The Officer Commanding Naval Volunteer Artillery.

Victoria—

Military	...	...	...	The Paymaster of the Military Forces.
Naval	...	...	...	The Naval Commandant.

Queensland—

Military	...	...	...	The Accountant.
Naval	...	...	...	The Naval Commandant.

South Australia—

Military	...	...	...	The Paymaster, Military Forces
Naval	The Naval Commandant.

Western Australia	The Acting Commandant, Military Forces.
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Tasmania	The Commandant.
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VIII.—The Postmaster-General's Department.

Central Staff	The Secretary, or, in his absence, the Chief Clerk.
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	The Secretary, or, in his absence, the Chief Clerk.

Expenditure solely for the maintenance or continuance of the Department as at the time of transfer to the Commonwealth, viz.:—

Expenditure in the State of—

New South Wales	...	...	...	The Deputy Postmaster-General, or, in his absence, the Chief Clerk.
Victoria	...	...	...	The Deputy Postmaster-General, or, in his absence, the Chief Clerk.
South Australia	...	...	...	The Deputy Postmaster-General, or, in his absence, the Chief Clerk.
Queensland	...	...	...	The Deputy Postmaster-General, or, in his absence, the Chief Clerk.
Western Australia	...	...	...	The Deputy Postmaster-General, or, in his absence, the Chief Inspector.
Tasmania	...	...	...	The Deputy Postmaster-General, or, in his absence, the Chief Clerk and Accountant.

For the balances due to the States under sections 89 and 93 of the Constitution	The Sub-Treasury Accountant in the State to which the balance is payable.
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"Other" expenditure throughout the Commonwealth (with the exception of special appropriations and expenditure for holding of elections)	To be countersigned by the Secretary to the Treasury.
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Department of the Treasury,
31st December, 1901.