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The Parliament of the Commonwealth.

ACTS OF PARLIAMENT ASSENTED TO.

IT is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor-General has, in the name and on behalf of His Majesty, assented, at the date specified, to the undermentioned Acts passed by the Senate and House of Representatives in Parliament assembled, viz. :—

No. 3. "An Act to abolish the Rebate of Excise Duty on Sugar."
(Assented to 30th July, 1903.)

No. 4. "An Act to provide for a Bounty to Growers of Sugar-Cane and Beet."
(Assented to 30th July, 1903.)

E. G. BLACKMORE,
Clerk of the Parliaments.

Office of the Senate,
Melbourne, 3rd August, 1903.

Commonwealth of Australia.

The Attorney-General's Department,
Melbourne, 31st July, 1903.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the appointment of

CHARLES POWERS

as Crown Solicitor for the Commonwealth; to take effect on and from the 1st day of July, 1903.

ALFRED DEAKIN.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of Home Affairs,
Melbourne, 21st July, 1903.

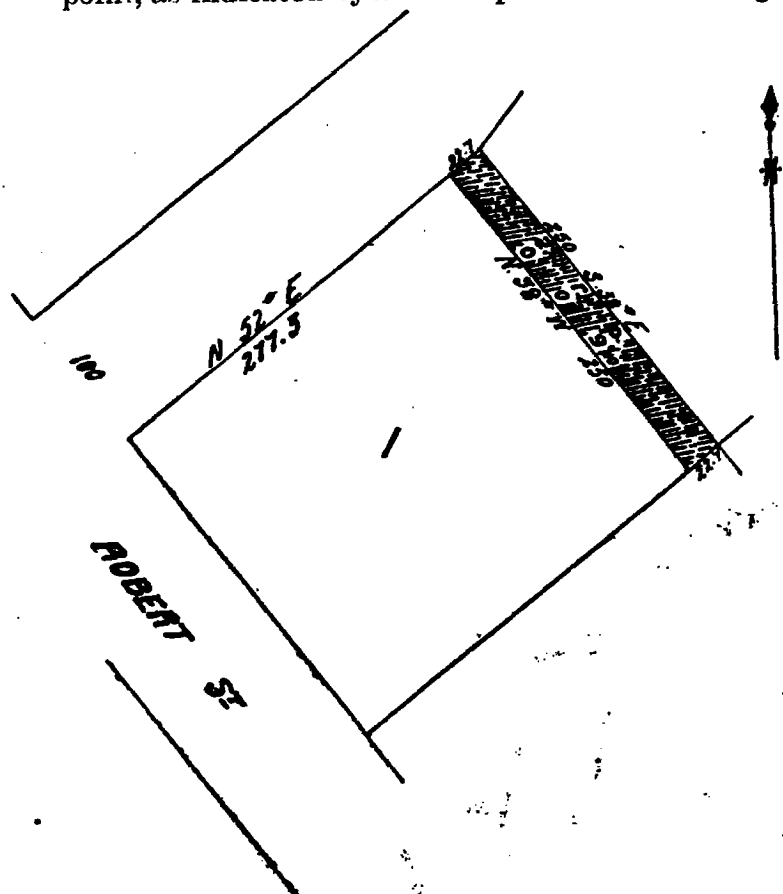
ACQUISITION OF LAND FOR POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT AT SEYMOUR, IN THE STATE OF VICTORIA.

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 acquisition of the following land, namely :—

All that piece or parcel of land containing 9½ perches, being part of allotment 1, section 1, township of Seymour, county of Anglesey, State of Victoria, Commonwealth of Australia: Commencing at a point on the south side of the chain-road forming the north-western boundary of allotment 1, section 1 aforesaid, bearing north 52 degrees east 277·3 links from the intersection of the south side of the chain-road above referred to with the east side of Robert-street; bounded thence by the chain-road above mentioned, bearing north 52 degrees east 22·7 links; thence by allotment 4 bearing south 38 degrees east 250 links; thence by allotment 3, bearing south 52 degrees west 22·7 links; thence by a line

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bearing north 38 degrees west 250 links, to the commencing point, as indicated by hatched portion of following sketch :—



Scale One Chain to One Inch

from Mrs. M. A. Mahon, for the use of the Postmaster-General's Department, and of the payment of the sum of £15 therefor.

WILLIAM JOHN LYNE,
Minister of State for Home Affairs.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of Home Affairs,
Melbourne, 5th August, 1903.

RE-VESTING OF CUSTOMS OFFICE AND SITE UPON WHICH IT STANDS, AT MOAMA, NEW SOUTH WALES, IN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, in pursuance of Sub-section (I) of Section 85 of the Constitution of the Commonwealth, has been pleased to declare that the Customs Office and the land upon which it stands at Moama, in the State of New South Wales, lately occupied by the Department of Trade and Customs, which building and land were, at the establishment of the Commonwealth, property of the State of New South Wales, exclusively used in connexion with the Department controlling Customs, and became vested in the Commonwealth under Sub-section (I) of Section 85 of the Constitution, shall, from and after the 15th day of July, 1903, cease to be vested in the Commonwealth.

WILLIAM JOHN LYNE,
Minister of State for Home Affairs.

Commonwealth Public Service Act 1902.
(Regulation No. 148.)

NOTIFICATION OF VACANCIES.

VACANCIES having occurred in the Commonwealth Public Service in the respective positions specified hereunder, applications will be received by the Public Service Commissioner up to Saturday, the 22nd instant, from officers qualified and desirous of being appointed thereto. The attention of applicants is directed to Regulation No. 38.

Position.	Locality.	Division.	Salary.
<i>Postmaster-General's Department.</i>			
STATE OF NEW SOUTH WALES.			
Post and Telegraph Assistant	Rockdale ...	General ...	£60 per annum.
Assistant	Chatswood ...	General ...	£60 per annum.
STATE OF VICTORIA.			
Labourer	Stores Branch, G.P.O., Melbourne	General ...	Minimum £102, maximum £120, per annum.
STATE OF QUEENSLAND.			
Line Repairer in Charge	Cardwell ...	General ...	£150 per annum.
Letter Carrier	Brisbane ...	General ...	£110 per annum.
Assistant Mechanician	Brisbane ...	General ...	£114 per annum.

By order,
FRANCIS REDDIN,
Secretary.

Office of the Commonwealth Public Service Commissioner,
Melbourne, 7th August, 1903.

Commonwealth Public Service Act 1902 (Regulation No. 148)

NOTIFICATION OF VACANCY.

A VACANCY having occurred in the Commonwealth Public Service in the position specified hereunder, applications will be received by the Public Service Commissioner up to Saturday, the 8th August next, from qualified persons desirous of being appointed thereto.

Department of the Treasury.

Position.	Locality.	Division.	Salary.
Linotype Engineer	Government Printing-office, Melbourne	Professional	Minimum, £275; maximum, £300 per annum.

Qualifications:—Applicants must be competent and experienced mechanical engineers (fitters), with a thorough knowledge of the linotype machine. Must be able to erect and repair such machines, and to maintain a large installation in good running order. Must also have been in charge of a number of machines for a period of at least four (4) years.

By order,
FRANCIS REDDIN,
Secretary.

Office of the Commonwealth Public Service Commissioner,
Melbourne, 23rd July, 1903.

Commonwealth Public Service Act 1902 (Regulation No. 148).

NOTIFICATION OF VACANCY.

A VACANCY having occurred in the Commonwealth Public Service in the position specified hereunder, applications will be received by the Public Service Commissioner up to Saturday, the 15th August next, from officers qualified and desirous of being appointed thereto. The attention of applicants is directed to Regulation No. 38.

Postmaster-General's Department.

Position.	Locality.	Division.	Salary.
Line Repairer's Assistant	Melbourne ...	General ...	Minimum, £102; maximum, £120 per annum.

By order,
FRANCIS REDDIN,
Secretary.

Office of the Commonwealth Public Service Commissioner,
Melbourne, 23rd July, 1903.

Commonwealth Public Service Act 1902.
(Regulation No. 148.)

NOTIFICATION OF VACANCY.

A VACANCY having occurred in the Commonwealth Public Service in the position specified hereunder, applications will be received by the Public Service Commissioner up to Saturday, the 8th August next, from officers qualified and desirous of being appointed thereto. The attention of applicants is directed to Regulation No. 38.

Department of Trade and Customs.

Position.	Locality.	Division.	Salary.
Secretary	Central office, Melbourne	Clerical ...	£600 per annum.

Qualifications for the position.—Intelligence, good education, method, and good memory.

Duties.—Taking charge of all official papers which have to be laid before the Minister, and seeing that such are all complete, all necessary information supplied, and in proper order; taking opportunities of bringing them under the Minister's notice, and especially, noting carefully any directions, verbal or otherwise, given thereon by the Minister; following Parliamentary debates, press reports, &c., and carefully attending to all Parliamentary questions, taking care that the Minister is supplied with all information either expressly called for, or which may be of use in connexion with any matter.

By order,
FRANCIS REDDIN,
Secretary.

Office of the Commonwealth Public Service Commissioner,
Melbourne, 16th July, 1903.

Commonwealth Public Service Act 1902.
(Regulation No. 148.)

NOTIFICATION OF VACANCIES.

VACANCIES having occurred in the Commonwealth Public Service in the respective positions specified hereunder, applications will be received by the Public Service Commissioner up to Saturday, the 15th August, from officers qualified and desirous of being appointed thereto. The attention of applicants is directed to Regulation No. 38.

Position.	Locality.	Division.	Salary.
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Attorney-General's Department.

Clerk	Crown Solicitor's Office, Melbourne	Clerical	£120 per annum.
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Qualifications—Experience in a solicitor's office, and ability to typewrite.

Department of Home Affairs.

Clerk	Melbourne	Clerical	£110 per annum.
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Department of Trade and Customs.

Watchman	Sydney, N.S.W.	General	£120 per annum.
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Postmaster-General's Department.

STATE OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

Assistant	Wagga Wagga	Clerical	£160 per annum.
Assistant	Cooma	Clerical	£160 per annum.
Assistant Driver	Sydney	General	£110 per annum.
Mail-boy	Haymarket	General	£60 per annum.

STATE OF QUEENSLAND.

Postmaster	Albion	Clerical	£180 per annum, less £18 for rent of quarters.
Postmaster	Toowong	Clerical	£160 per annum, less £16 for rent of quarters.

By order,
FRANCIS REDDIN,
Secretary.

Office of the Commonwealth Public Service Commissioner,
Melbourne, 30th July, 1903.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 22nd July, 1903.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General in and over the Commonwealth of Australia, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has approved of the following:—

TRANSFER.

HARRY PASSMORE, Secretary, Central Staff, Department of Trade and Customs, Melbourne, to be transferred to the position of Warehouse-keeper, Department of Trade and Customs, at Sydney, in the State of New South Wales.

PROMOTION.

WILLIAM HENRY FOX BAYLY, First Assistant Landing Surveyor, Department of Trade and Customs, at Port Adelaide, in the State of South Australia, to be promoted to the position of Sub-collector of Customs, Department of Trade and Customs, at Adelaide, in the State of South Australia; such promotion to take effect on and from 15th July, 1903.

GEORGE TURNER,
For Minister for Trade and Customs.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 22nd July, 1903.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General in and over the Commonwealth of Australia, by and with the advice of the Executive Council thereof, has approved of the following:—

APPOINTMENTS.

ERNEST HUXTABLE, Police Constable, State of Western Australia, to execute the duties of the office of Customs Officer in the Public Service of the Commonwealth, at Rockingham, in the State of Western Australia, without salary; to date from the 17th February, 1903.

FREDERICK ALEXANDER BEAUMONT, Pilot and Harbor Master, at Portland, in the State of Victoria, to execute the duties of the office of Customs Officer in the Public Service of the Commonwealth, at Portland, in the State of Victoria, without salary.

RESIGNATION.

THOMAS JOSEPH STACKPOLE, Clerk, Department of Trade and Customs, at Melbourne, in the State of Victoria.

GEORGE TURNER,
For Minister for Trade and Customs.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1903.

IT is hereby notified that the Customs Station at Nelson, in the State of Victoria, is closed.

GEORGE TURNER,
For Minister for Trade and Customs.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 20th July, 1903.

CUSTOMS STATION CLOSED.

IT is hereby notified that the Customs Station at Jingellic, in the State of Victoria, is closed.

GEORGE TURNER,
For Minister for Trade and Customs.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Melbourne, 22nd July, 1903.

MANUFACTURES FOR EXPORT.

DRESSED Rice is hereby added to the list of articles which may be manufactured for Export in a manufacturing warehouse.

GEORGE TURNER,
For Minister for Trade and Customs.

No. 927.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of Defence,
Melbourne, 8th August, 1903.

COMMONWEALTH MILITARY FORCES.

RETIRED LIST.

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 undermentioned officer being placed on the Retired List, with permission to retain his rank, and wear the prescribed uniform, viz.:—

Major FRANK LYNDON KNOWLES, District Head-Quarters Staff, South Australia.

JOHN FORREST,
Minister of State for Defence.

Nos. 928, 929, and 930.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of Defence,
Melbourne, 8th August, 1903.

COMMONWEALTH MILITARY FORCES.

AWARD OF MEDALS AND OF THE COLONIAL AUXILIARY FORCES OFFICERS' DECORATION.

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 following awards, viz.:—

Long Service and Good Conduct Medal.—Permanent Forces.

(Awarded in accordance with the Regulations published in the *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 11, of the 13th March, 1903).

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

2nd Class Master Gunner, ARTHUR KILPACK MARSHALL,
Royal Australian Artillery.

Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.

(Awarded in accordance with the Regulations published in the *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 5, of the 31st January, 1902).

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Major RICHARD LOVELOCK, Australian Light Horse.

Major ALFRED HILLARY NEALE, Australian Infantry.

Captain FREDERICK BASSE, Supernumerary List.

Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long Service Medal.

(Awarded in accordance with the Regulations published in the *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 5, of the 31st January, 1902.)

QUEENSLAND.

Major JOHN WILLIAM GREEN, Unattached List.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Major HENRY PALMERSTON TOMKINSON, Australian Light Horse.

No. 85, Bombardier GEORGE STUART FORBES, Australian Field Artillery.

JOHN FORREST,
Minister of State for Defence.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of Defence,
Melbourne, 25th July, 1903.

COMMONWEALTH MILITARY FORCES,
VICTORIA.

NOTICE OF TARGET PRACTICE.

TARGET Practice will be carried on by the Royal Australian Artillery, Victoria, from the undermentioned Forts, from the 1st to the 31st of August, 1903, between the hours of Nine a.m. and Five p.m.:—

Fort	Direction of Target.
Queenscliff ...	S.S.W. and S.E. by E.
Crow's Nest ...	S. by E.
Swan Island ...	N.E. and S.W.
Nepean ...	N. and N.E.
Eagle's Nest ...	N.E.
Franklin ...	N.
South Channel ...	W.

All Forts from which practice is carried on will fly a red flag from the masthead of flagstaff. All ships and boats should be kept at a distance of at least 800 yards to the left and 1 mile to the right of the line of fire from a distance of 6,000 yards from the Battery, in accordance with Orders in Council dated 10th March, 1887.

R. WALLACE, Lt.-Col.,
O.C., R.A.A., Victoria.

Victoria Barracks,
Brisbane, 7th August, 1903.

COMMONWEALTH
MILITARY FORCES OF QUEENSLAND.

TENDERS FOR FORAGE.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Victoria Barracks, Brisbane, until Noon of the (24th) twenty-fourth of August, 1903, for the supply of Forage for (15) fifteen months, for Brisbane District.

Full particulars obtainable at the above Office.

By Order,

V. C. M. SELLHEIM, Major,
Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Queensland.

Ex. Min. 336.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Postmaster-General's Department,
31st July, 1903.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

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 that HUGH McBARON, Assistant, Postmaster-General's Department, at Grafton, State of New South Wales, be promoted to the position of Post and Telegraph Master at Alstonville.

JAMES G. DRAKE,
Postmaster-General.

Ex. Min. 337. Commonwealth of Australia.

Postmaster-General's Department,
31st July, 1903.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

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 that JOSEPH BELL, Mail Boy, Postmaster-General's Department, at Bathurst, State of New South Wales, be promoted to the position of Letter Carrier, Nyngan.

JAMES G. DRAKE,
Postmaster-General.

Ex. Min. 348. Commonwealth of Australia.

Postmaster-General's Department,
31st July, 1903.

VICTORIA.

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 that GABRIEL WILLIAM ANDERSON be appointed to the position of Carpenter in the Postmaster-General's Department, General Post Office, Melbourne; to date from 1st July, 1903.

JAMES G. DRAKE,
Postmaster-General.

Ex. Min. 342. Commonwealth of Australia.

Postmaster-General's Department,
31st July, 1903.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

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 that the undermentioned officers of the Postmaster-General's Department, State of Western Australia, be promoted as shown opposite their respective names:—

ALEXANDER CAMERON, Letter Carrier, General Post Office, Perth, to be Stamper, General Post Office, Perth; to date as from 1st July, 1903.

ALBERT PAGE, Telegraph Messenger, Perth, to be Junior Letter Carrier, Perth; to date as from 1st July, 1903.

JAMES G. DRAKE,
Postmaster-General.

Ex. Min. 344. Commonwealth of Australia.

Postmaster-General's Department,
31st July, 1903.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

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 that authority be given to pay the Howard Smith Company Limited the sum of Five hundred pounds for the conveyance of mails between Albany or Fremantle, Esperance, and Eucla, calling at intermediate ports, during the month of December, 1902.

JAMES G. DRAKE,
Postmaster-General.

Ex. Min. 341. Commonwealth of Australia.

Postmaster-General's Department,
31st July, 1903.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

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 that the undermentioned officers of the Postmaster-General's Department, State of Western Australia, be promoted as shown opposite their respective names:—

CHRISTOPHER CUTHBERTSON, Senior Letter Carrier, General Post Office, Perth, to be Sorter, General Post Office, Perth; to date as from 1st June, 1903.

ARTHUR CAPORN, Telegraph Messenger, General Post Office, Perth, to be Junior Letter Carrier, Perth; to date as from 1st June, 1903.

JAMES G. DRAKE,
Postmaster-General.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Postmaster-General's Department,
31st July, 1903.

QUEENSLAND.

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 following promotion in the Postmaster-General's Department in the State of Queensland, viz.:—

ALEXANDER JEFFERS, Telegraph Messenger, Post and Telegraph Office, Thargomindah, to be Junior Assistant (General Division), Post and Telegraph Office, Ipswich, vice Shine, transferred.

JAMES G. DRAKE,
Postmaster-General.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Postmaster-General's Department,
5th August, 1903.

THE following transfers and appointments have been approved and resignations accepted in accordance with the provisions of the *Commonwealth Public Service Act 1902*, and regulations thereunder, viz.:—

NEW SOUTH WALES.

J. W. FOSTER, Switch Attendant, Central Telephone Exchange, Sydney, to be Switch Attendant, Epping, vice Meally, transferred; to date from 1st September, 1903.

W. J. MEALLY, Switch Attendant, Epping, to be Switch Attendant, Central Telephone Exchange, Sydney, vice Foster, transferred; to date from 1st September, 1903.

A. E. J. CROKER, Operator, Condobolin, to be Assistant, Wentworth Falls, vice Wilkins, resigned.

L. AINSWORTH, Post and Telegraph Assistant, Wee Waa, to be Assistant, Grafton, vice McBaron, promoted.

J. J. NORRIS, Telegraph Messenger, Wallendbeen, to be Telegraph Messenger, Portland.

S. BERTLES, Jun., Letter Carrier, Goulburn, to be Letter Carrier, Sydney, vice Ryan, resigned.

F. J. MAHER, Letter Carrier, Warren, to be Letter Carrier, Goulburn, vice Bertles, transferred.

VICTORIA.

FREDERICK POTTER, Telegraph Operator, Yea, to be Telegraph Operator, Nhill, vice Sheehan, retired.

J. GOLDSWORTHY, Railway Sorter, Traralgon to Sale section, to be transferred to the Mail Branch, Melbourne, vice W. H. Channon, deceased.

JOHN LAWLOR, Telegraph Messenger, Geelong North, to be Telegraph Messenger, Geelong, vice Smith, promoted.

ALEXANDER REGINALD JONES, Telegraph Messenger, Camberwell, to be Telegraph Messenger, St. Kilda, vice Storer, dismissed.

W. WHALEBONE, Letter Carrier, General Post Office, Melbourne, to be Letter Carrier, Bendigo, vice Chester, transferred.

A. A. ANDERSON, Junior Postal Assistant, Shepparton, to be Junior Postal Assistant, Bendigo, vice Edwards, promoted.

EDWARD BARNES, Junior Postal Assistant, Euroa, to be Junior Postal Assistant, Shepparton, vice Anderson, transferred.

MARGARET McHALE, Telephone Switch Operator, Windsor, to be Telephone Switch Operator, Central Exchange, Melbourne.

HARRIET A. HOYING, Telephone Switch Operator, Windsor, to be Telephone Switch Operator, Central Exchange, Melbourne.

E. HUBBARD, Probationary Switch Operator, Central Exchange, Melbourne, to be Probationary Switch Operator, Windsor.

A. E. BARKER, Probationary Switch Operator, Central Exchange, Melbourne, to be Probationary Switch Operator, Windsor.

JOSHUA G. R. BENNETT, Telegraph Messenger, Sale, resignation accepted.

J. E. WALL, Telegraph Operator, Numurkah, resignation accepted from 22nd June, 1903.

D. J. RICHARDS, Telegraph Messenger, Electric Telegraph Office, Melbourne, resignation accepted from 30th July, 1903.

ARTHUR A. STONEMAN, Postal Assistant, Terang, resignation accepted from 1st August, 1903.

L. G. BURMAN, Telegraph Messenger, St. Kilda, resignation accepted from 3rd August, 1903.

The following persons have been appointed to positions of Telegraph Messenger in Victoria, on probation for six months, viz.:—

JAMES W. ROACH,
WALTER CANNINGTON,
CECIL J. FLETCHER,
BERNARD J. BROPHY,
A. P. O'SHANNASY,
SAMUEL H. WHITEAWAY,
F. W. GERAGHTY,
THOMAS McDUGALL,
JAMES L. FINN,
CLAUDE BLATCHFORD,
RICHARD J. TOVEY,
WILLIAM C. THOMAS,
MAURICE G. PRICE,
C. J. J. CHRISTENSEN,
THOMAS M. THICK,
H. J. V. GOOLEY,
EDWARD A. JAMES,
D. G. MCGROUTHER.

QUEENSLAND.

GEORGE REYNELL ROEBUCK, Line Repairer in Charge, Banana, to be Line Repairer in Charge, Urandangie, vice Godsell, transferred.

GEORGE GODSELL, Line Repairer in Charge, Urandangie, to be Line Repairer in Charge, Banana, vice Roebuck, transferred.

WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM SMALES, Assistant, Post and Telegraph Office, Dalby, to be Post and Telegraph Assistant, Roma, vice Campbell, transferred.

GEORGE WOODBURY FRANKLIN CAMPBELL, Clerk, Post Office, Roma, to be Clerk, Post Office, Rockhampton, vice Good-year, transferred.

ARTHUR GOODYEAR, Clerk, Post Office, Rockhampton, to be Clerk, Post Office, Dalby. *vice* Smales, transferred.
 HENRY POTTINGER, Engineering Inspector, Townsville, to be Engineering Inspector, Rockhampton.
 FRANCIS BUTLER SHINE, Junior Assistant, Post and Telegraph Office, Ipswich, to be Junior Assistant in Charge, Crossbrook Post and Telegraph Office.
 TERENCE HENRY CALLINAN, Assistant in Charge, Mackinlay, to be Assistant in Charge, Gayndah, *vice* Hobbs, deceased.
 NORMAN OSWALD SMITH, Assistant Mechanician, Brisbane, resignation accepted from 28th July, 1903.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

JONATHAN LANCASTER WHISSON, Postmaster, Caltowie, to be Post and Telegraph Master, St. Peter's.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

ROBERT ALPHONSE WILLIAMS, Postmaster, Fortescue, to be Postmaster, Yarloop, *vice* Martin, transferred.
 WILLIAM HENRY SNELL MARTIN, Postmaster, Yarloop, to be Postmaster, Fortescue, *vice* Williams, transferred.
 CATHERINE O'LOUGHLIN, Stamp Seller, Boulder, resignation accepted from 18th May, 1903.
 MARGARET MURTHA, Postmistress, Strawberry, resignation accepted from 12th July, 1903.
 H. J. DONEGAN, Line Repairer in Charge of Line Party, Norseman District, resignation accepted from 6th May, 1903.
 THOMAS ROSS BENNETT, to be Telegraph Messenger, Fremantle, from 23rd July, 1903, on probation for six months, *vice* Bridge, resigned.
 ALBERT HENRY GILBERT, to be Telegraph Messenger, Perth, from 23rd July, 1903, on probation for six months, *vice* Albert, resigned.
 GEORGE MAYNARD PARKINSON, to be Telegraph Messenger, Fremantle, from 23rd July, 1903, on probation for six months, *vice* Walker, resigned.

TASMANIA.

EWART O'BRIEN, Telegraph Messenger, Gormanston, to be Telegraph Messenger, Burnie.
 JEFFREY CROMARTY NORQUAY, to be Telegraph Messenger, Strahan, on probation for six months.

JAMES G. DRAKE,
Postmaster-General.

Ex. Min. 347. Commonwealth of Australia.
 Postmaster-General's Department,
 31st July, 1903.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

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 confirmation of the appointments of the following officers of the Postmaster-General's Department, State of New South Wales:—

CARROLL, MICHAEL WILLIAM, Mail Boy, General Post Office.
 DEMPSEY, JOHN JAMES, Supernumerary Assistant, Head Office.
 HANNAN, JOHN JOSEPH, Mail Boy, General Post Office.
 THOMSON, ARTHUR LESLIE, Mail Boy, General Post Office.
 FORBES, WILLIAM ALEXANDER, Mail Boy, General Post Office.
 ORTON, PERCY BASIL, Junior Letter Carrier, Waverley.
 CASEY, JAMES, Junior Letter Carrier, Waratah.
 EVERINGHAM, HORACE GREELY, Junior Letter Carrier, Narrabri.
 CRUIKSHANK, WM. PATRICK, Junior Letter Carrier, Moruya.
 BOOTH, ALBERT EDWARD, Junior Letter Carrier, Condobolin.
 BAILEY, SAMUEL EDWARD, Junior Letter Carrier, Milton.
 JACOBS, FREDERICK JOHN, Mail Boy, Waverley.
 MORRIS, PERCY, Mail Boy, General Post Office.
 DRUMMOND, JOHN GILICK, Mail Boy, Mosman.
 HAND, STEPHEN, Junior Letter Carrier, Wagga Wagga.
 SUGDEN, HERBERT HARTLEY, Junior Letter Carrier, Goulburn.
 JARMAN, BERTRAM STUART, Mail Boy, Balmain.
 POLLARD, THOMAS, Mail Boy, Deniliquin.
 BEARD, CONRAD ALFRED, Mail Boy, General Post Office.
 HODGE, FREDK. WM. COOPER, Junior Letter Carrier, Wagga Wagga.
 CRAPP, ARTHUR FRANK, Junior Letter Carrier, Stroud.
 CONNAH, JOHN THOMAS, Junior Letter Carrier, Raymond Terrace.
 DROSTEN, HENRY JOHN, Switch Attendant, Albury.
 NODEN, ALFRED RAYMOND, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 MONTGOMERY, GEORGE, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 TUNKS, PERCY EDGAR, Switch Attendant, Burwood.
 GRAHAM, ARCHIBALD NELSON, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 JONES, WILLIAM JAMES, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 VOYSEY, WILLIAM DAVID, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 GRAY, PERCY EASON, Assistant Farrier, General Post Office.
 GORMAN, SYDNEY FITZGERALD, Switch Attendant, West Wyalong.
 WALKER, JOHN WM. HENRY, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 JOHNSON, JOHN, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 LEES, HERBERT JOHN, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 STEEL, ARCHIBALD NORMAN, Switch Attendant, Waverley.
 HUDSON, ROBERT, Switch Attendant, Katoomba.
 VASY, WILLIAM SCOTT, Switch Attendant, Broken Hill.
 HARPER, SARAH ANN, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 FERRIER, MARION ISABEL, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 HAINING, ISABEL, Switch Attendant, Sydney.

NELSON, EVELYN ROSE, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 KENNY, ELLEN KEZIA, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 WILDMAN, GEORGE ANDREW, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 DONALD, FLORENCE MAY, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 SAUNDERSON, RICHARD, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 THOMAS, NOEL OSCAR, Switch Attendant, Mudgee.
 CHESTNUT, THOMAS, Switch Attendant, Ryde.
 ATKINSON, ALEXANDER JAMES, Messenger, Mail Division.
 TURNER, CECIL CARRINGTON, Switch Attendant, Forbes.
 WALKER, WILLIAM, Switch Attendant, Katoomba.
 ROBINSON, JAMES ROBERT, Switch Attendant, Petersham.
 MILLARD, NORMAN HAROLD, Junior Letter Carrier, Rylstone.
 McBEAN, GEORGE GILLANDERS, Switch Attendant, Armidale.
 ORLOVICH, GRACE GIROLAMA A., Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 COOPER, EDITH MAUD, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 WATSON, ISABEL JANE, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 TERRY, ROSE MARION, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 WHEELER, JOHN NINIAN, Switch Attendant, Narramine.
 FORAN, CATHERINE, Switch Attendant, Sydney.
 PARSONS, ADIN ERNEST, Post and Telegraph Assistant, Bega.
 LEAFE, CECIL GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, Switch Attendant, Chatswood.

JAMES G. DRAKE,
Postmaster-General.

No. C. 03.5122.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Postmaster-General's Department,
 27th July, 1903.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

MR. G. F. J. REID,
Letter-Carrier, G.P.O., Sydney.

ON the 14th March last a communication from the Chief Officer of this Department in New South Wales was posted to you at your last known address, Post Office Dining Rooms, Mount-street, North Sydney, informing you of your suspension from duty on a charge of having been guilty of a breach of No. 13 of the regulations under the provisions of the *Commonwealth Public Service Act 1902*, in that you had absented yourself from duty without leave or explanation, and calling upon you to state whether you admitted or denied the truth of the charge, and to offer any explanation in regard thereto, and a notification dated 25th March last of the fact of such posting was published in the *Commonwealth Gazette*. No reply having been received from you, a further communication from the said Chief Officer further suspending you from duty on the charge mentioned, and intimating that Messrs. I. B. Bossley (Chairman), R. L. DeC. Russell, and R. H. Wynne have been constituted a Board of Inquiry, under section 46 of the said Act, to investigate the charge, has been posted to your above-mentioned last known address. A communication signed by the Chairman of the said Board of Inquiry, intimating that they will hold an inquiry into the matter at Ten o'clock in the forenoon of Monday, the 17th August next, at the General Post Office, Sydney, and summoning you to attend such inquiry, as well as a copy of the documents to be used thereat, has been similarly posted to you.

JAMES G. DRAKE,
Postmaster-General.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Postmaster-General's Department,
 1st August, 1903.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

TENDERS FOR CARTAGE OF TELEGRAPH MATERIAL.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Deputy Postmaster-General, Adelaide, up to Noon of Monday, 31st August, 1903, for the cartage and distribution of Forty-five (45) tons (more or less) of telegraph material along the telegraph line between Nonning and Flagstaff Landing.

Specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the General Post Office, Adelaide, and at the telegraph stations, Port Augusta, Yardea, and Streaky Bay.

Tenders should be indorsed "Tender for the Cartage of Telegraph Line Material."

Tenders must be on the proper forms, and accompanied by a deposit of Five (5) per cent., in accordance with specification and general conditions.

Neither the lowest nor any tender will necessarily be accepted.

JAMES G. DRAKE,
Postmaster-General.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Postmaster-General's Department,
 22nd July, 1903.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

TENDERS FOR CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.

SEALD Tenders, indorsed "Tender for Mails," are invited, and will be received at the office of the Deputy Postmaster-General, Perth, until noon on Saturday, the 10th October, 1903, for the conveyance of mails, for a term of one, two, or three years (at the option of the Postmaster-General), commencing from first January, 1904, as hereinafter specified:—

Where mails are conveyed by vehicle the contractor will be required to convey, without extra cost to the Department, parcels post parcels up to eleven (11) pounds each in weight, and where carried on horseback or by camel parcels post parcels up to three (3) pounds each in weight.

The arrival and departure of mails will be subject to instructions from the Deputy Postmaster-General, Perth, and liable to alteration at any time during the year.

Every tender must bear the *bona fide* signatures, duly witnessed, of the tenderer, and of two responsible persons willing to become bound for the due fulfilment of the contract in a sum not exceeding the gross amount of the contract, for the whole period over which it extends.

Every tender must be accompanied by the written consent, duly witnessed, of persons proposed as bondsmen, as hereinbefore provided, to execute the bonds as aforesaid for the due performance of the contract in the event of such tender being accepted.

White labour only must be employed in the conveyance of mails.

The rate of wages paid by the contractor and the working conditions shall be those recognised in the locality in which the work is performed.

The Postmaster-General reserves the right of terminating the contract at any time by giving three months' notice to the contractor.

Special forms of tender, with conditions attached, may be obtained gratuitously on application to the Deputy Postmaster-General, Perth, or to any post office in the State, and no tender will be entertained unless rendered on the prescribed form.

The Postmaster-General does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

JAMES G. DRAKE,
Postmaster-General.

SERVICES REQUIRED.

NORTHERN DISTRICTS.

Geraldton—Narra Tarra.—From the Post Office, Geraldton, to Narra Tarra, and *vice versa*, calling at Narra Tarra Station (Burgess), West's, Norris', Easthough's, Kearney's Hill, and Mount Erin, once a week, on horseback.

Derby—Balmaingarra Station.—From Derby to Balmaingarra Station, *via* Meda River Station to Balmaingarra Station, returning by same route to the Meda River Station, thence *via* Rarawell Station, Robinson Police Camp, to Obagoona Station, and thence to Derby *via* Robinson Police Camp, Rarawell, and Meda River Station, once a month, on horseback.

Newmarricarra—Glengarry.—From Newmarricarra Railway Siding to Newmarricarra, thence to Koojerina, Tibbadden, Sand Springs, Ellendale, Minnanooka, and Glengarry, returning to Newmarricarra Railway Siding by direct road from Glengarry, twice a week, on horseback.

Dongarra P.O.—Railway Station.—From the Post Office, Dongarra, to the Railway Station, and *vice versa*, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Roebourne—Tramway Sheds.—From the Post Office, Roebourne, to the Tramway Sheds, and *vice versa*, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Carnarvon—Hamelin Pool.—For the conveyance of mails, post office stores, and private stores of officials, from the Post Office, Carnarvon, to the Post Office, Hamelin Pool, and *vice versa*, *via* Wooramel, once a month, in a cutter licensed to carry perishable goods. The private stores of officials not to exceed three (3) tons per month for Hamelin Pool, and one and a half (1½) tons for Wooramel.

Geraldton P.O.—Railway Station and Jetty.—From the Post Office, Geraldton, to the Railway Station, and *vice versa*, as often as required, also from the Post Office, Geraldton, to the Jetty, and *vice versa*, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Port Hedland P.O.—Jetty.—From the Post Office, Port Hedland, to the Jetty, and *vice versa*, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Nullagine—Mosquito Creek.—From the Post Office, Nullagine, to Mosquito Creek, and *vice versa*, *via* Sandy Creek, once a week, in a spring vehicle.

MURCHISON DISTRICT.

Murgoo—New Forrest.—Between Murgoo and New Forrest, *via* Woolleen, Mount Aubrey, Billibilong, and Meelyia, fortnightly, by pack-horse.

Star of the East—Burnagoora.—Between the Post Office, Star of the East, and Burnagoora, *via* Quinn's, once a week, by spring vehicle.

Nannine—Gabanintha.—Between the Post Office, Nannine, and Gabanintha, *via* Star of the East, once a week, in a spring vehicle.

Cue Post Office—Railway Station.—Between the Post Office, Cue, and the Railway Station, daily, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Nannine—Horseshoe Bend.—Between the Post Office, Nannine, and Horseshoe Bend, *via* Peak Hill, Meekatharra, Garden Gully, Abbots, Moorarie Cattle Station, and Mt. Fraser, twice a week, in a spring vehicle.

Yalgoo—Fields Find.—Between the Post Office, Yalgoo, and Fields Find, once a week, in a spring vehicle.

Day Dawn Post Office—Railway Station.—From the Post Office, Day Dawn, to the Railway Station, and *vice versa*, daily, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Nannine Post Office—Railway Station.—From the Post Office, Nannine, to the Railway Station, and *vice versa*, daily, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Cue—Cuddingwarra.—From the Post Office, Cue, to the Post Office, Cuddingwarra, and *vice versa*, twice a week, in a spring vehicle.

Austin—Mainland.—From the Post Office, Austin, to the Mainland, and *vice versa*, twice a week, on horseback.

Gullewa—Warraga.—From the Post Office, Gullewa, to Warraga, and *vice versa*, once a week, by spring vehicle.

Mount Magnet—Jones' Well.—From the Post Office, Mount Magnet, to Jones' Well, and *vice versa*, daily, by spring vehicle.

Cue—Day Dawn.—From the Post Office, Cue, to the Post Office, Day Dawn, and *vice versa*, twice a day, in a spring vehicle.

Mount Magnet—Black Range.—From the Post Office, Mount Magnet, to Black Range, and *vice versa*, *via* the homesteads of Messrs. Dowden and Waldeck, once a week, in a spring vehicle.

CENTRAL AND EASTERN DISTRICT.

Beverley—Ballybally.—From the Post-office, Beverley, to Ballybally, and *vice versa*, calling at all homesteads *en route*, on both outward and return trips, for the delivery and receipt of correspondence, once a week, in a spring vehicle.

Rockingham—Fremantle.—Between the Post Office, Rockingham, and the Post Office, Fremantle, twice a week, in a covered spring vehicle.

York—Boyadine.—From the Post Office, York, to the Post Office, Boyadine, *via* Qualen, Alcock's, Talbot, and Annandale, returning *via* Andrew Strange's, and Talbot, once a week, on horseback.

Mundaring Post Office—Mundaring Weir.—Between the Post Office, Mundaring, and the Weir, once daily, on horseback.

Guildford—Upper Swan.—Between the Post Office, Guildford, and the Post Office, Upper Swan, returning to Guildford, *via* the western bank of the Swan River, once a week, on horseback.

Northam—Southern Brook.—Between the Post Office, Northam, and Southern Brook, receiving and delivering correspondence at the various homestead *en route*, including the following:—W. Forward's, Dudley Bros., R. Carter's, J. Beard's, T. Enright's, C. Hansen's, Jas. Morrell's, C. Christmas's, E. and F. Hitchcock's, Jno. Beard's, W. Carter's, and F. Morrell's, jun., once a week, on horseback.

Northam—Badbating.—From the Post Office, Northam, to Badbating, and *vice versa*, *via* Slater's, Goomalling, F. T. Rose's, the Quellington Road, calling at Mongalin, and the homesteads of Messrs. Carroll, Enright, Martin, D. T. Morrell, J. Watson, H. Watson, jun., J. Norriss, H. J. Leeder, J. Eaton, W. Eaton, and Jas. Forward, once a week, in a spring vehicle.

Gin Gin—Hatch's Homestead.—From the Post Office, Gin Gin, to the homestead of Mr. Hatch, calling at the various homesteads *en route*, for the delivery and collection of correspondence, returning again to the Gin Gin Post Office, *via* F. Jones', T. Bandy's, W. Andrews', W. Rock's, H. Jones', J. P. Fraser's, W. S. Dewar's, W. A. Dewar's, H. Turner's, J. Harris', F. Dewar's, and W. R. Williams', once a week, on horseback.

Newcastle—Jumperdine.—From the Post Office, Newcastle, to Jumperdine, *via* Avondale, Old Town (including the homesteads of Messrs. C. Markey, Thomas, Ferguson, and W. C. Pember), and Deepdale, returning *via* Blinkbonnie, 9-Mile Hill, and the homestead of Mr. C. Lloyd, once a week, on horseback.

Lannigan's—Mogumber.—Between Lannigan's and Mogumber, *via* Glentromie, and New Norcia, twice a week, in a spring vehicle.

Kellerberrin—Mangowine.—Between the Post Office, Kellerberrin and Mangowine, once a fortnight, on horseback.

Midland Junction P.O.—Railway Station.—Between the Post Office, Midland Junction, and the Railway Station, daily, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Dandarragan—P. Fraser's Homestead.—Between the Post Office, Dandarragan, and the homestead of P. Fraser, *via* the homesteads of Jas. Burnett, John Burnett, and Lyndhurst, once a week, on horseback.

Moora—J. A. Keene's Homestead.—From the Post Office, Moora, southward along the Main Road, as far as the 50-Mile Post on the Midland Railway Line, returning again to Moora *via* the homesteads of J. A. Keene, P. D. Fergusson, G. H. Holmes, L. C. McNamara, W. H. McNamara, A. H. Cook, H. Kalhawk, T. Tollhurst, W. R. King, and J. T. Clinch, calling at all homesteads *en route*, for the receipt and delivery of correspondence, twice a week, on horseback.

Northam P.O.—Railway Station.—From the Post Office, Northam, to the East and West Northam Railway Stations, as required, and *vice versa*, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Moora—Yatheroo.—From the Post Office, Moora, to Yatheroo, and *vice versa*, *via* the Post Office, Dandarragan, twice a week, in a spring vehicle.

Northam—Newcastle.—From the Post Office, Northam, to the Post Office, Newcastle, and *vice versa*, calling at the various homesteads *en route*, along the Telegraph Line route, once a week, by spring vehicle.

York—Quellington.—From the Post Office, York, to Quellington, and *vice versa*, returning *via* Tipperary, once a week, on horseback.

EASTERN GOLD-FIELDS DISTRICT.

Kanowna P.O.—Railway Station.—Between the Post Office, Kanowna, and the Railway Station, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Black Flag—Broad Arrow.—Between the Post Office, Black Flag, and the Post Office, Broad Arrow, *via* Liberty and Bountiful, three times a week, in a spring vehicle.

Coolgardie P.O.—Railway Station.—Between the Post Office, Coolgardie, and the Railway Station, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Menzies—Mount Ida.—Between the Post Office, Menzies, and Mount Ida, *via* 27-Mile Condenser and Copperfield, once a week, in a spring vehicle.

Esperance—Norseman.—Between the Post Office, Esperance, and the Post Office, Norseman, *via* Dundas, once a week, in a spring vehicle.

Bulong—Kalgoorlie.—Between the Post Office, Bulong, and the Post Office, Kalgoorlie, *via* Ballagundi and South Ballagundi, daily, in a spring vehicle.

Malcolm—Laverton.—Between the Post Office, Malcolm, and the Post Office, Laverton, *via* Anaconda, Murrin Murrin, Mount Morgan's, and Hawke's Nest, six times a week, in a spring vehicle.

Laverton—Duketon.—Between the Post Office, Laverton, and the Post Office, Duketon, and *vice versa*, *via* Cork Trec, Gum Creek, King of Creation, Little Doris, Little Battery, Earlistoun, and Bareijgo Mine, once a week, in a spring vehicle.

Coolgardie—Norseman.—From the Post Office, Coolgardie, to the Post Office, Norseman, and *vice versa*, twice a week, in a spring vehicle (four wheel).

Murrin Murrin—Yundamindera.—Between the Post Office, Murrin Murrin, and the Post Office, Yundamindera, *via* Anaconda, twice a week, in a spring vehicle.

Coolgardie—Kunanalling.—Between the Post Office, Coolgardie, and the Post Office, Kunanalling, daily, in a spring vehicle.

Kanowna—Edjudina.—From the Post Office, Kanowna, to Edjudina, and *vice versa*, *via* Kurnalpi and Mulgabbie, once a week, in a spring vehicle.

Menzies—Davyhurst.—From and to the Post Office, Menzies, and the Post Office, Davyhurst, *via* Riverina, Mulline, Ularring, and Mulwarrie, twice a week, in a spring vehicle.

Menzies—Speakmans.—From and to the Post Office, Menzies, and Speakmans, *via* Riverina, Mulline, Ularring, Mulwarrie, and Davyhurst, once a week, in a spring vehicle.

Mount Leonora P.O.—Railway Station.—From and to the Post Office, Mount Leonora, and the Railway Station, daily, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Malcolm P.O.—Railway Station.—From and to the Post Office, Malcolm, and the Railway Station, daily, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Waverley—Canegrass.—From and to the Post Office, Waverley, and Canegrass, once a week, in a spring vehicle.

Menzies P.O.—Railway Station.—From the Post Office, Menzies, to the Railway Station, and *vice versa*, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Coolgardie—Burbanks.—From the Post Office, Coolgardie, to the Post Office, Burbanks, and *vice versa*, daily, in a spring vehicle.

Malcolm—Mertondale.—From the Post Office, Malcolm, to Mertondale, and *vice versa*, *via* East Lynne, three times a week, in a spring vehicle.

Kookynie—Edjudina.—From the Post Office, Kookynie, to the Nita Gold Mine (Edjudina), and *vice versa*, twice a week, in a spring vehicle.

Broad Arrow P.O.—Railway Station.—From the Post Office, Broad Arrow, to the Railway Station, and *vice versa*, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

SOUTHERN AND SOUTH-WESTERN DISTRICT.

Busselton—Karridale.—Between the Post Office, Busselton, and the Post Office, Karridale, *via* Newtown, Upper Margaret Bridge, and Boranup, three times a week, in a spring vehicle.

Upper Margaret Bridge—Ellensbrook.—From the Upper Margaret Bridge to Ellensbrook, and *vice versa*, *via* the homesteads Burnside, Wallcliffe, and Keenans, twice a week, on horseback.

Narrogin—Gillimanning Homestead.—From the Post Office, Narrogin, to Gillimanning Homestead (Waldeck and Trotter), and *vice versa*, *via* the homesteads of Messrs. Holdaway, Smith, Potts, and R. Snow, once a week, in a spring vehicle.

Albany P.O.—Railway Station and Jetty.—Between the Post Office, Albany, and the Railway Station; also between the Post Office and steamers lying at the Railway Station Jetty or Town Jetty, as often as required, in a spring vehicle.

Bridgetown P.O.—Upper Blackwood.—Twice a week, in a spring vehicle, *via* the following route:—Once a week *via* Kloppe's, A. Doust, Clarke, H. T. Doust, Pollard's, Dwalganup (connecting here with the Lauderdale service), F. A. Nix, Jay's, Blechyuden's, G. Draper's, J. Draper's, Condinup, Alpin's, Dixon's, Kaufman's, Able's, Bonfield's, Man's, &c., to Bridgetown. Once a week *via* Trelor's, Location 711, Government School, Vincent's, Able's, thence *via* Kaufman's, Dixon's, Alpin's, Taylor's, G. and J. Draper's, Blechyuden's, Jay's, thence to Bridgetown by main road.

Dardanup—Gibbs' Homestead.—Between the Post Office, Dardanup, and the homestead of Mr. Gibbs, calling at the various homesteads *en route*, twice a week, on horseback.

Williams—Daylerking.—From the Post Office, Williams, to Daylerking, and *vice versa*, twice a week, with an extension from Daylerking to Marradong, and *vice versa*, once a week, both in a spring vehicle.

Williams—Narrogin.—From the Post Office, Williams, to the Post Office, Narrogin, and *vice versa*, twice a week, in a spring vehicle.

Dwalganup—Lauderdale.—From Dwalganup to Lauderdale (Scott's), *via* Moulton's, Sinnot's, Wallbank's, Maslin's, and Treasure's, returning to Dwalganup, *via* Treasure's, Maslin's, Cross', and A. Forrest's, once a week, on horseback.

Balbarrup—Mordallup.—From the Post Office, Balbarrup, to Mordallup homestead, *via* T. Giblett's, W. Blechyuden's, Deeside, and Cowerup letterbox, returning to Balbarrup *via* Peerup, Deeside, W. Blechyuden's, and T. Giblett's, once a week, on horseback.

Katanning—Gidgelbarrup.—From the Post Office, Katanning, along Moir Road to Mean Mahn, thence along the Warren Road to Gidgelbarrup, returning again to Katanning, from the southward, along Douglas Road, collecting and delivering correspondence *en route*, once a week, on horseback.

Pingelly—Mourambine.—From the Post Office, Pingelly, to Mourambine, and *vice versa*, daily, calling at the various homesteads on prescribed mail route to deliver and receive letters and newspapers, on horseback.

Pinjarrah—Marradong.—Between the Post Office, Pinjarrah, and the Post Office, Marradong, calling at the various homesteads *en route* for the receipt and delivery of correspondence, once a week, by spring vehicle.

Wagin—Norin Lake.—From the Post Office, Wagin, to the homesteads of Messrs. McInnes, Cummings, and thence to Pearse's, *via* Quartermaine's thence to Hammersley's, G. E. Taylor's, W. Brown's, Ed. Smith's, Mrs. Smith's (Widgegarrup), Walter McKenna's, Norman's, Geo. Harris', Boddington's, Andrews' (Norin Lake), and *via* Hansen's, to Wagin, once a week, on horseback.

Balingup—Warren.—From the Post Office, Balingup, to Warren (Brockman's), and *vice versa*, *via* Brookland's, Ferndale, the Junction, Dudenalup, Tanganerup, and Lower Blackwood Bridge, once a week, by spring vehicle.

Mount Barker—Forrest Hill.—From the Post Office, Mount Barker, to Forrest Hill, *via* the homesteads of H. E. Warburton, Mrs. M. Spencer, J. Mildwater, G. Green, and R. E. Spencer, returning to Mount Barker, *via* the homesteads of Drage Bros., A. Muir, jun., G. E. Mullins, G. Arber, W. Mitchell, and W. Sounness, once a week, on horseback.

Mandurah—Pinjarrah.—Between the Post Office, Mandurah, and the Post Office, Pinjarrah, four times a week, in a spring vehicle.

Cranbrook—Homesteads.—From the Post Office, Cranbrook, to Climies', M. Mason's, O. Schwaintz's, Currie's, Stevenson's, Baker's, Boyacup, Hough's and Godden's, Yerriminup, Wingeallup, Sunny Hill, Glen Valley, Frankland Government School, Higgins', T. Parson's, Gardiner's, Haynes', Noonigup, Mortigallup, Tenderden, and the Cranbrook Post Office, on horseback, or by spring vehicle, once a week.

Hopetoun—Ravensthorpe.—From the Post Office, Hopetoun, to the Post Office, Ravensthorpe, and *vice versa*, *via* Harbor View, twice a week, in a spring vehicle.

Harvey—Mornington Mills.—From the Post Office, Harvey, to Mornington Mills, and *vice versa*, daily, in a spring vehicle.

Katanning—Quartermaine's.—From and to the Post Office, Katanning, *via* Yowanup, Garstone's, Terlich's, Marracoondy, Severin's, Bell's, and Wilhelm's, to Elijah Quartermaine's, Prosser's, New School House, Turner's, and Yowanup, once a week, on horseback.

Katanning—Bullock Hills.—From the Post Office, Katanning to Bullock Hills, and *vice versa*, *via* the homesteads of Messrs. Andrews, Haynes, Maley, Haddleton, G. Carson, and Cronin, returning *via* Harvey's, Patterson's, Crain's, and Bradbury's to Haddleton's, thence *via* Higgins', Stewart's, Smith's, Day's, and Andrews', to Katanning, once a week, on horseback.

Esperance—Fanny's Cove.—From the Post Office, Esperance, to Fanny's Cove, and *vice versa*, *via* Dallyup, calling at all homesteads *en route*, both ways, once a fortnight, on horseback.

Busselton—Quindalup—Yallingup Cave.—From the Post Office, Busselton, to the Yallingup Cave, and *vice versa*, *via* the Post Offices at Newtown and Quindalup, twice a week, on horseback, or in a spring vehicle.

Donnybrook—Upper Capel.—From the Post Office, Donnybrook, to Upper Capel (A. Heppingstone's homestead, "Cundenu"), and *vice versa*, *via* the homesteads of R. Trigwell, T. Little, J. L. Bentley, A. Trigwell, C. Trigwell, Cryke, The Settlers' School, J. Moore, junr., J. Moore, senr., Ryal N. Brazier, Goddard, Castle, E. Wright, W. Wringe, and J. Rose, twice a week, on horseback.

Donnybrook—Thompson's Brook.—From the Post Office, Donnybrook, to Thompson's Brook, and *vice versa*, calling at the various homesteads *en route*, including T. A. Rudd's and J. K. Kirkpatrick's, twice a week, on horseback.

Donnybrook—Upper Preston.—From the Post Office, Donnybrook, to Upper Preston (Mrs. Nunn's), and *vice versa*, *via* Mr. Fisher's residence, calling at the various homesteads *en route*, twice a week, on horseback.

Albany—Broomehill.—From the Post Office, Albany, to the Post Office, Broomehill, and *vice versa*, *via* Woodlands, Woodburn, Warrenup, Wollyganup, Mongup, Glanvale, Glengarry, Pallingup, Martinup, Woodiarrup, and Mianelup (Ball Bros.), once a fortnight, on horseback.

Albany—Affleck's.—From and to the Post Office, Albany, *via* Perth Road to Brookman's, Balston's, Vincent's, Drew's, Bennett's, Greenwood's, Blaxland's, Government School, Bailey's, Townsley's, Newman's, R. H. Playne's, *Ah Sam's, *Horner's, *Brown's, *Patterson's, *J. Bradley's, *Stone's, *Sharpe's, *Granahan's, Gibbs', Kelly's, King River Crossing, Colliss', Candyup Crossing, and Affleck's, returning *via* the same places, twice a week, in a spring vehicle.

* On outward journey only.

Capel—Goodwood.—From the Post Office, Capel, to Goodwood, and *vice versa*, calling at the homesteads of L. Payne, C. Harris, F. G. Hutton, R. Thomas, W. Witford, P. Olsen, T. Lanegan, N. A. Higgins, A. W. Payne, and A. C. Payne, once a week, on horseback.

Balingup—Blackett's.—From the Post Office, Balingup, to the homestead of Mr. Blackett, and *vice versa*, *via* Wadding, the homesteads of Messrs. Sam, Teede, Kramer, Stallard, Dobbs, Allnutt, McIntosh, Uphill, and Strempel, once a week, on horseback.

Serpentine—Homesteads.—From and to the Post Office, Serpentine, calling at the following homesteads, twice a week, on horseback, for the receipt and delivery of correspondence, viz.:—Cummings, H. Butcher, C. Thomas, Armstrong, Richardson, W. Butcher, Serpentine Railway Station, J. Alum, M. Tonkin, E. Hall, Lamplough, Firus, W. Baldwin, R. G. Till, R. Tonkin.

