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Department of External Affairs,
Melbourne, 5th December, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified that the King's Exequatur empowering R. S. Haynes, Esquire, to act as Consul of Norway at Perth, in the State of Western Australia, has received His Majesty's signature.

ALFRED DEAKIN,
Minister of State for External Affairs.

Department of External Affairs,
Melbourne, 5th December, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified that Mr. G. B. Barnett has resigned his appointment as Italian Consular Agent at Brisbane, in the State of Queensland, and that Mr. L. H. Spence will attend to the duties of the Agency pending the appointment of a successor to Mr. Barnett.

ALFRED DEAKIN,
Minister of State for External Affairs.

Department of External Affairs,
Melbourne, 5th December, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified that E. M. Resch, Esquire, Consul for the Netherlands in Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, will be absent from his post for a period of about 12 months, and that during his absence the duties of the Consulate will be performed by Mr. Edmund Resch, junior.

ALFRED DEAKIN,
Minister of State for External Affairs.

Postmaster-General's Department,
4th December, 1906.

Ex. Mins. 479, 481, 482, 486, T.143, T.144, T.147.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General, by and with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, has approved that the following staff changes, &c., be made in the Postmaster-General's Department, namely:—

NEW SOUTH WALES.

ALFRED JONATHAN CRAM, Assistant, Deniliquin, to be Lineman, Pooncarie; as from 10th December, 1906.
WALTER BUCKINGHAM, Telegraph Messenger, Balmain, to be Assistant (Mail Boy), Sydney, *vice* Neels, transferred; as from 15th December, 1906.
ARTHUR JOHN WOODHAMS, Telephone Attendant, Metropolitan District, to be Assistant, Moama; as from 17th December, 1906.

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JAMES HERBERT MCKAY, Telegraph Messenger, Rozelle, to be Telephone Attendant, Metropolitan District, *vice* Woodhams, promoted; as from 17th December, 1906.

DEDUCTIONS FROM SALARIES OF RENT FOR QUARTERS.

The sum of £16 per annum, fixed as fair and reasonable rent for quarters to be occupied by ERNEST GEORGE BRIGHTWELL MCCOLOUGH, Postmaster, Byrock, such amount to be deducted from that officer's salary as from the date upon which he takes up the duties of that position.

The sum of £11 per annum, fixed as fair and reasonable rent for quarters to be occupied by ALFRED JONATHAN CRAM, Lineman, Pooncarie, such amount to be deducted from that officer's salary as from the date upon which he takes up the duties of that position.

RETIREMENT OF OFFICERS.

FREDERICK GRIFFITHS DAVIES, Receiver, Sydney, who is over the age of sixty years, called upon to retire from the Public Service; as from 30th September, 1906.

JOHN SMITH, Sorter, Sydney, who has attained the age of sixty years, and who desires to retire from the Public Service, to be retired accordingly; as from 17th February, 1907.

NEW OFFICES CREATED.

Assistant, General Division, Moama.
Lineman, Pooncarie.

OFFICES ABOLISHED.

Clerical Assistant, Moama.
Postmaster, Pooncarie.

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MAURICE GARDINER PRICE, Telephone Attendant, Brighton, to be Assistant, Cobden; as from 21st December, 1906.

AMY LOAG EVANS, Telephone Attendant, to be Monitor, Electrical Branch, *vice* Kirk, retired; as from 23rd December, 1906.

RESIGNATION ACCEPTED.

G. M. FLETCHER, Telegraph Messenger, Sale; as from 16th October, 1906. (This takes the place of the notification respecting this officer which appeared on page 1338 of *Commonwealth Gazette* No. 62, of 3rd November, 1906, under the heading, "Resignations Accepted.")

DEDUCTION FROM SALARY OF RENT FOR QUARTERS.

The sum of £44 per annum, fixed as fair and reasonable rent for quarters to be occupied by FREDERICK ST. LEGER, Postmaster, Bendigo, such amount to be deducted from that officer's salary as from the 1st August, 1906.

NEW OFFICE CREATED.

Assistant, General Division, Cobden.

QUEENSLAND.

ALFRED GEORGE CHENERY, Telegraphist, 5th Class, Clerical Division, Charters Towers, to be Clerk, 4th Class, *vice* Precious, deceased; as from 19th December, 1906.
FREDERICK OHYE, Telephone Attendant, Electrical Branch, to be Assistant, Mail Branch, *vice* Jamieson, transferred; as from 23rd December, 1906.
HUGH FITZGERALD, Telegraph Messenger, Paddington, to be Telephone Attendant, Electrical Branch, *vice* Ohye, promoted; as from 23rd December, 1906.

CANCELLATION OF APPROVAL FOR ACCEPTANCE OF RESIGNATION OF AN OFFICER.

The approval, notification of which appeared on page 712 of *Commonwealth Gazette* No. 25, of 5th May, 1906, for the acceptance of the resignation of ANNIE BRIDGET MURRAY, Telephone Attendant, Brisbane, as from 4th April, 1906, has been cancelled.

CORRIGENDUM.

HUGH JOSEPH KENNEDY, Telephone Attendant, Too-woomba, to be Assistant, No. 10 Party; as from 22nd November, 1906. (This is in lieu of the notification respecting the promotion of this officer which appeared on page 1359 of *Commonwealth Gazette* No. 64, of 10th November, 1906.)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

EXTENSION OF PROBATION.

The term of probation of JAMES THURGOOD MILLER, who was appointed Line Repairer, No. 7 Party, on probation, has been extended for the period from 9th March, 1906, to 11th August, 1906.

PAYMENT OF SPECIAL DISTRICT ALLOWANCE.

R. J. BECKWITH, Postmaster, Pine Creek, to be granted a special District Allowance at the rate of £95 per annum.

OFFICE ABOLISHED.

Telegraph Messenger, Lobethal.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

FREDERICK WALTER PARKER HOWES, Telegraph Messenger, Coolgardie, to be Assistant (Letter Carrier), Albany, *vice* Lott, retired; as from 21st December, 1906.

RESIGNATIONS ACCEPTED.

A. G. E. NAGEL, Telegraph Messenger, Perth; as from 31st October, 1906.
N. E. HOWARD, Telegraph Messenger, Perth; as from 31st October, 1906.

RETIREMENT OF AN OFFICER.

JAMES HENRY LOTT, Assistant, Albany, who is incapable, through infirmity, of discharging the duties of his office efficiently, called upon to retire from the Public Service; as from 15th May, 1906.

NEW OFFICES CREATED.

Letter Carrier, Grade I., Fremantle.
Assistant (Letter Carrier), Fremantle.

OFFICES ABOLISHED.

Senior Assistant, North Fremantle.
Letter Carrier, Grade I., North Fremantle.
Assistant (Letter Carrier), North Fremantle.
Assistant, General Division, Bulong.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
Ex. Mins. 479 and 480. 4th December, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General, by and with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, has approved that extensions of sick leave of absence, and furlough, as shown hereunder, be granted to the under-mentioned officers of the Postmaster-General's Department, namely:—

NEW SOUTH WALES.

EXTENSIONS OF SICK LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

C. MURRAY, Senior Line Repairer, Albury—two months, from 9th October, 1906, on half pay.
J. T. GLOVER, Telegraphist, Sydney—from 17th September to 13th October, 1906, on half pay.

FURLOUGH.

WALTER JAMES GALLOTT, Clerk, Sydney—three months, on full pay, from 4th November, 1906.

VICTORIA.

EXTENSIONS OF SICK LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

W. H. SCOTT, Letter Carrier, General Post Office, Melbourne—one week, from 6th to 12th November, 1906, inclusive, on half pay.
P. C. JOHNSTON, Senior Assistant, Coleraine—three months, from 14th November, 1906, to 13th February, 1907, one week and three days on half pay, and two months, two weeks, and six days on one-third pay.

FURLOUGH.

CHARLES LOUIS GREEN, Postmaster, Heathcote—six months, on full pay.

QUEENSLAND.

EXTENSIONS OF SICK LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

J. E. LACEY, Letter Carrier, Brisbane—one day (26th June, 1906), on one-third pay.
R. E. MCKEAN, Assistant Letter Carrier, Brisbane—one day (13th July, 1906), on half pay.
W. T. CANNING, Senior Line Repairer, Springsure—two days (24th and 25th August, 1906), on half pay.

FURLOUGH.

EDWARD BRADY, Senior Lineman, Taroom—six months, on full pay.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

EXTENSIONS OF SICK LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

P. J. GORMAN, Line Repairer, Southern Cross—from 17th September to 5th November, 1906, inclusive, on half pay.
P. J. KEARNEY, Telegraphist, Hall's Creek—six months, from 4th October, 1906, to 3rd April, 1907, inclusive, without pay.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
5th December, 1906.

THE following staff changes, &c., in the Postmaster-General's Department have been approved, in accordance with the provisions of the *Commonwealth Public Service Act* 1902 and Regulations thereunder, namely:—

NEW SOUTH WALES.

P. J. WILLIAMS, Clerk, Receiver's Branch, to be Clerk, Pay Branch.
T. CAHILL, Clerk, Accounts Branch, to be Clerk, Pay Branch.
J. F. STORM, Messenger, Indoor Messengers' Staff, to be Messenger, Pay Branch.
S. W. VANDERFIELD, Telegraph Messenger, Dulwich Hill, to be Telegraph Messenger, Summer Hill, *vice* Magee, retired.
G. N. T. WHITE, Sorter, Grade I., Mail Branch, to be Sorter, Grade II., Mail Branch, *vice* McBurney, promoted.
J. J. DALTON, Telegraph Messenger, North Sydney, to be Telegraph Messenger, Rookwood, *vice* O'Neill, promoted.

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J. W. SAWYER, Saddler and Harness-maker, Mail Branch, to be Saddler and Harness-maker, Stores Branch.
A. RUNGE, Saddler and Harness-maker, Mail Branch, to be Saddler and Harness-maker, Stores Branch.
W. HACKETT, Saddler and Harness-maker, Mail Branch, to be Saddler and Harness-maker, Stores Branch.
J. KERR, Sailmaker, Mail Branch, to be Sailmaker, Stores Branch.
D. H. ABRAHAM, Sailmaker, Mail Branch, to the Sailmaker, Stores Branch.
J. CAMPBELL, Sailmaker, Mail Branch, to be Sailmaker, Stores Branch.
J. O'BRIEN, Sailmaker, Mail Branch, to be Sailmaker, Stores Branch.
R. L. EDWARDS, Telegraph Messenger, Brunswick, to be Telegraph Messenger, Ascot Vale, *vice* Williams, promoted.
J. I. DEWAN, Telegraph Messenger, Moe, to be Telegraph Messenger, Brunswick, *vice* Edwards, transferred.
C. T. MARSHALL, Telegraph Messenger, Traralgon, to be Telegraph Messenger, Moe, *vice* Dewan, transferred.
A. J. NORCUTT, Assistant (B), Telegraph Branch, to be Batteryman, *vice* McLachlan, dismissed.

QUEENSLAND.

JOHN THOMAS MOORE, Telegraphist, Hughenden, to be Telegraphist, Bundaberg, *vice* O'Callaghan, transferred.
JAMES JOSEPH O'CALLAGHAN, Telegraphist, Bundaberg, to be Telegraphist, Hughenden, *vice* Moore, transferred.

J. CHRISTENSEN, Letter Carrier, Grade II., Mail Branch, to be Letter Carrier, Grade II., Toowong, *vice* Bryans, promoted.
A. C. JENNINGS, Assistant, No. 2 Line Party, to be Assistant, Cairns.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

F. J. PENGELLY, Assistant, Kadina, to be Assistant, Wailaroo, *vice* Watt, resigned.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

A. HIGGINS, Telephone Attendant, Fremantle, forfeited office on her marriage—under Regulation 140.
A. W. THREADGOLD, Postmaster, Donnybrook, to be Postmaster, Leederville, *vice* Counsel, transferred.
R. COUNSEL, Postmaster, Leederville, to be Postmaster, Donnybrook, *vice* Threadgold, transferred.
W. B. DUNN, Assistant (Letter Carrier), Albany, to be Assistant, Albany, *vice* Broomhall, retired.
H. D. DAWSON, an officer with clerical qualifications, at present occupying the position of Senior Assistant, Guildford, to be Clerk, Class 5, Records and Correspondence Branch, Perth, *vice* Campbell, retired.
W. J. PEARSON, Assistant, Northam, to be Assistant, Brunswick, *vice* Hall, promoted.
L. A. HYNES, Telegraph Messenger, Subiaco, to be Telegraph Messenger, Brisbane, Queensland.

TASMANIA.

D. SINCLAIR, Telegraphist, Class 5, Zeehan, to be Telegraphist, Class 5, Telegraph Branch.
C. BLANTON, Assistant, Ulverstone (an officer with clerical qualifications), to be Telegraphist, Class 5, Zeehan; as from 24th December, 1906.
G. V. BROWN, Assistant, Zeehan, to be Assistant, Ulverstone, *vice* Blanton, transferred.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
Ex. Min. 479. 4th December, 1906.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General, by and with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, has approved that the provisions of the *Commonwealth Public Service Act* 1902 shall not apply for a period of three months, from the 7th October, 1906, to

T. A. CUDDIHY,

in the position of Assistant, Mail Branch, Sydney.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
Ex. Min. 487. 4th December, 1906.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General, by and with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, has approved that

H. C. BATT,

Assistant Letter Carrier, Alberton, be permitted to assist in a city choir and quartet party, and to retain any emoluments paid for such assistance.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
Ex. Min. 488. 4th December, 1906.

FIXING THE RATE OF POSTAGE ON UNINSURED POSTAL PARCELS DESPATCHED FROM THE STATE OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA TO THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General, by and with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, has approved that the rate of postage on uninsured parcels despatched from the State of Western Australia to the Straits Settlements be fixed at 1s. per lb., up to 11 lbs.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
Ex. Min. 489. 4th December, 1906.

WHEREAS by Article V. of an agreement dated the 14th day of March, 1889, between the Government of Tasmania and the Eastern Extension Australasia and China Telegraph Company Limited, it is provided that the Government of Tasmania shall have full power at any time to reduce the scale of charges

for the transmission of all or any telegrams to be transmitted by the cable (referred to in the said agreement) between Tasmania and the Colony of Victoria, and *vice versa*;

And whereas by the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Australia the Department of Posts, Telegraphs, and Telephones of Tasmania has become transferred to the Commonwealth, and all powers and functions of the Government of Tasmania in relation to the Department of Posts, Telegraphs, and Telephones have become vested in the Executive Government of the Commonwealth;

And whereas it is desirable to reduce to nothing and abolish all charges for the transmission by the said cable of telegrams to and from any part of the Commonwealth, New Zealand, Norfolk Island, Fiji, and New Caledonia,

His Excellency the Governor-General, by and with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, has approved that the scale of charges for the transmission of all or any telegrams to and from any part of the Commonwealth, New Zealand, Norfolk Island, Fiji, and New Caledonia to be transmitted by the aforesaid cable between Tasmania and Victoria, and *vice versa*, be reduced to nothing and abolished as from the 6th day of December, 1906.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
Ex. Min. 490. 4th December, 1906.

NOTIFICATION OF PROVISIONAL REGULATIONS AND OF THE INTENTION TO MAKE REGULATIONS UNDER THE POST AND TELEGRAPH ACT 1901—GENERAL POSTAL REGULATIONS: LICENCES TO SELL POSTAGE STAMPS.

PURSUANT to the *Rules Publication Act* 1903, notice is hereby given—

- (1) That His Excellency the Governor-General, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, was, on the 4th day of December, 1906, pleased to make Provisional Regulations (General Postal Regulations: Licences to Sell Postage Stamps) under the *Post and Telegraph Act* 1901, to come into operation forthwith, which Provisional Regulations may be cited as Statutory Rules 1906, No. 105.
- (2) That it is proposed, after 60 days from the date of this notice, to make Regulations (General Postal Regulations: Licences to Sell Postage Stamps) under the *Post and Telegraph Act* 1901, and that the Provisional Regulations above-mentioned are the draft of the proposed Regulations.
- (3) That copies of the Provisional Regulations may be purchased at the Government Printing Office, Melbourne, at the price of Threepence.
- (4) That any representations or suggestions made in writing by any person interested will be taken into consideration before finally settling the proposed Regulations.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
Ex. Min. 484. 4th December, 1906.

NOTIFICATION OF THE MAKING OF REGULATIONS UNDER THE POST AND TELEGRAPH ACT 1901.

(Issued provisionally as Statutory Rule No. 41 of 1906.)

PURSUANT to the *Rules Publication Act* 1903, notice is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor-General, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, was, on the 4th day of December, 1906, pleased to make amended Regulations under the *Post and Telegraph Act* 1901, as follow:—

POSTAL REGULATIONS,
Letter Cards.

GENERAL POSTAL REGULATIONS,
Redirection; Impressing Stamps on Envelopes, Wrappers, &c., for the Public.

PARCELS POST,
Refused and Undelivered Parcels,

to come into operation on the twenty-second day of December, 1906.

These Regulations may be cited as Statutory Rules 1906, No. 106, and copies of them may be purchased at the Government Printing Office, Melbourne, at the price of Threepence.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
Ex. Min. 485. 4th December, 1906.
NOTIFICATION OF THE MAKING OF REGULATIONS UNDER THE POST AND TELEGRAPH ACT 1901.

(Issued provisionally as Statutory Rule No. 65 of 1906.)
PURSUANT to the *Rules Publication Act* 1903, notice is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor-General, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, was, on the 4th day of December, 1906, pleased to make an amended Regulation under the *Post and Telegraph Act* 1901, as follows:—

COMMONWEALTH ELECTORAL PAPERS,
to come into operation on the twenty-second day of December, 1906.

The Regulation may be cited as Statutory Rules 1906, No. 107, and copies of it may be purchased at the Government Printing Office, Melbourne, at the price of Threepence.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
Ex. Min. 483. 4th December, 1906.
NOTIFICATION OF PROVISIONAL REGULATIONS AND OF THE INTENTION TO MAKE REGULATIONS UNDER THE POST AND TELEGRAPH ACT 1901 — POSTAL REGULATIONS: POST CARDS.

PURSUANT to the *Rules Publication Act* 1903, notice is hereby given—

- (1) That His Excellency the Governor-General, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, was, on the 4th day of December, 1906, pleased to make Provisional Regulations (Postal Regulations: Post Cards) under the *Post and Telegraph Act* 1901, to come into operation forthwith, which Provisional Regulations may be cited as Statutory Rules 1906, No. 108.
- (2) That it is proposed, after 60 days from the date of this notice, to make Regulations (Postal Regulations: Post Cards) under the *Post and Telegraph Act* 1901, and that the Provisional Regulations above-mentioned are the draft of the proposed Regulations.
- (3) That copies of the Provisional Regulations may be purchased at the Government Printing Office, Melbourne, at the price of Threepence.
- (4) That any representations or suggestions made in writing by any person interested will be taken into consideration before finally settling the proposed Regulations.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
Ex. Min. 491. 4th December, 1906.
NOTIFICATION OF PROVISIONAL REGULATIONS AND OF THE INTENTION TO MAKE REGULATIONS UNDER THE POST AND TELEGRAPH ACT 1901—REGULATIONS FOR SECURING THE TELEGRAPH LINES OF THE POSTMASTER-GENERAL FROM INTERFERENCE OR INJURIOUS AFFECTION BY ELECTRIC LINES OR OTHER WORKS.

PURSUANT to the *Rules Publication Act* 1903, notice is hereby given—

- (1) That His Excellency the Governor-General, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, was, on the 4th day of December, 1906, pleased to make Provisional Regulations (Regulations for Securing the Telegraph Lines of the Postmaster-General from Interference or Injurious Affection by Electric Lines or other Works) under the *Post and Telegraph Act* 1901, to come into operation forthwith, which Provisional Regulations may be cited as Statutory Rules 1906, No. 109.
- (2) That it is proposed, after 60 days from the date of this notice, to make Regulations (Regulations for Securing the Telegraph Lines of the Postmaster-General from Interference or Injurious Affection by Electric Lines or other Works) under the *Post and Telegraph Act* 1901, and that the Provisional Regulations above-mentioned are the draft of the proposed Regulations.
- (3) That copies of the Provisional Regulations may be purchased at the Government Printing Office, Melbourne, at the price of Fivepence.
- (4) That any representations or suggestions made in writing by any person interested will be taken into consideration before finally settling the proposed Regulations.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
6th December, 1906.

VICTORIA.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the Deputy Postmaster-General, Melbourne, until Noon on Thursday, 3rd January, 1907, for the supply and delivery of One hundred and twenty (120) Round Wooden Telegraph Poles, in the Hamilton District, as under:—

60 poles at Hamilton.
12 „ Dunkeld.
12 „ Caramut.
12 „ Hexham.
12 „ Glenthompson.
12 „ Harrow.

General conditions of contract and specifications may be seen, and tender forms obtained, at the General Post Office, Melbourne, and at the Post Offices at Hamilton, Winchelsea, Cobden, and Castlemaine.

Tenders to be indorsed "Tender for Telegraph Poles, Hamilton District," and addressed to the Deputy Postmaster-General, Melbourne. They may be deposited in the Tender-box at the General Post Office, Melbourne; if sent by post they must be prepaid and registered.

The deposit to be enclosed with the tender is 5 per cent. on the total amount; minimum deposit, £2.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
5th December, 1906.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

ACCEPTANCE OF TENDER FOR RE-POLING THE TELEGRAPH LINE BETWEEN TABLE TOP AND ALBURY.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that the tender of Mr. A. R. Coleman, Smithfield, has been accepted for the following work in connexion with repoling the Telegraph line between Table Top and Albury, at the prices named, viz.:—

Supply and erection of about 275 30-ft. new wooden poles, fitting cross-arms, and transferring wires to same—£1 9s. per pole.

Supply and erection of 1 36-ft. new wooden pole, fitting cross-arms, and transferring wires to same—£2.

Dismantling and delivering at Albury Railway Yard, of about 214 existing iron poles and fittings—3s. 6d. per pole.

Dismantling and delivering at Albury Railway Yard, of about 8 existing wooden poles and fittings—5s. per pole.

Replacing existing cross-arms or brackets on wooden poles not removed, with about 50 3ft. 8in. cross-arms—2s. per cross-arm.

Digging out and re-erecting about 3 existing 30-ft. wooden poles—15s. per pole.

Erecting wire stays (if required)—8s. per stay.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
6th December, 1906.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.

TENDERS for the following Mail Service, for the period from the 1st January, 1907, to the 31st December, 1907, 1908, or 1909, will be received at the office of the Deputy Postmaster-General, Sydney, up to half-past Two p.m. on Wednesday, the 19th instant:—

To and from Shuttleton, Gilgunnia, and Double Peak, once a week. (Tenderers to specify a price for a twice a week service, if required.)

Every tender must be signed by the tenderer and sureties, and attested by a magistrate or postmaster.

Tenders must be addressed to the Deputy Postmaster-General, Sydney, and indorsed "Tender for Conveyance of Mails." They may be deposited in the Tender-box at the Appointment Branch, General Post Office, Sydney; if sent by post they must be prepaid and registered.

On every tender there must be indorsed a certificate by a magistrate that the tenderer and his sureties are respectable and responsible persons.

All tenders which do not comply with the foregoing conditions, or are not received before the time specified, will be liable to be rejected as informal.

For other conditions and particulars, tenderers are referred to the advertisement dated the 22nd August, 1906, and published in the *Commonwealth Gazette* of 25th idem, and tenders will not be considered unless in accordance therewith.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
30th November, 1906.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.

TENDERS for the following Mail Service, for the period from the 14th January, 1907, to the 31st December, 1907, 1908, or 1909, will be received at the Office of the Deputy Postmaster-General, Sydney, up to half-past Two p.m. on Wednesday, the 19th proximo :—

To and from Braidwood, Marlow, Hush's, Tomboy, Corang, and Nerriga, three times a week; and Nerriga, Sassafras, and Nowra, once a week. *Tenderers to specify separate prices for sulky or coach service.*

Every tender must be signed by the tenderer and sureties, and attested by a magistrate or postmaster.

Tenders must be addressed to the Deputy Postmaster-General, Sydney, and indorsed "*Tender for Conveyance of Mails.*" They may be deposited in the tender-box at the Appointment Branch, General Post Office, Sydney; if sent by post they must be prepaid and registered.

On every tender there must be indorsed a certificate by a magistrate that the tenderer and his sureties are respectable and responsible persons.

All tenders which do not comply with the foregoing conditions, or are not received before the time specified, will be liable to be rejected as informal.

For other conditions and particulars, tenderers are referred to the advertisement dated the 22nd August, 1906, and published in the *Commonwealth Gazette* of 25th idem, and tenders will not be considered unless in accordance therewith.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
5th December, 1906.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

ACCEPTANCE OF TENDER FOR FIVE SECTIONS OF A COMMON BATTERY SWITCHBOARD, AND 500 TELEPHONES, SYDNEY.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that the tender of Mr. R. B. Hungerford, Hoffnung's Chambers, 163 Pitt-street, Sydney, has been accepted for the supply, delivery, and erection of five sections of a Common Battery Switchboard, and 500 Subscribers' Telephones, at Sydney, including extras, at a total cost of £5,726 2s. 6d.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
5th December, 1906.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

TENDERS FOR TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE MATERIAL.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Deputy Postmaster-General, Adelaide, until Noon on Wednesday, 6th March, 1907, for the supply of the undermentioned Telegraph and Telephone Material :—

Item.	Quantity.	Material required.
TELEPHONE.		
1	25	Bells, Magneto Extension, as per Queensland sealed pattern No. 1
2	50	Bells, Trembling, with 3" gongs, 10 ohms resistance, with substantial Platinum contacts. Must be similar or equal to Fig. 7062, W. E. Co.'s Catalogue, 1900
3	12	Cords, 5 Conductor, with 5-way plug and jack for Breast transmitter. Must be similar or equal to No. 2065, Ericsson and Co.'s Catalogue, 5th edition
4	100	Cords, Single Conductor, 9 feet long, for Standard Multiple Switchboards. Must be similar or equal to No. 12120, W. E. Co.'s Catalogue, 1902, but of 9 feet lengths
5	60	Condensers, ½ M.F., as per Specification No. 140
6	60	Condensers, 1 M.F., as per Specification No. 140
7	60	Condensers, 2 M.F., as per Specification No. 140
8	24	Mouthpieces, Composition, for Micro-Transmitters (Combination Transmitters), as per sealed pattern No. 34
9	24	Switches, Extension, Metallic Circuit, Capstan pattern. Must be similar or equal to No. 7112, page 100, W. E. Co.'s Catalogue, 1902
10	4	Switchboards, as per Specification No. 141
11	30	Transformers for Duplexing Telephone Lines. Resistance of Primary to be 150, that of Secondary to be 300 ohms, divided at 150. The ends of the copper wires must be protected by fibre tubing or other suitable means where passing through the iron sheathing. Must be similar or equal to No. 620, page 114, of Ericsson and Co.'s Catalogue, 5th edition
12	500	Transmitters, Delville, Large Model. Lacquered brass case, nickel-plated cover and mouthpiece, with fittings complete, as per sealed pattern No. 35
13	2 miles	Cable, 208 pair, Paper insulated, Lead Covered, as per Specification No. 14
14	1 mile	Cable, 104 pair, Paper Insulated, Lead Covered, as per Specification No. 14
15	5 miles	Wire, Copper, No. 20, S.W.G. tinned, insulated with one lap of pure indiarubber, double cotton covered and paraffined, as per sealed pattern No. 37.
16	15 miles	Wire, Copper, No. 18, insulated with Vulcanized indiarubber, as per Specification No. 134
17	100	Registers, Mechanical, for Telephone Services, as per Specification No. 131
TELEGRAPH.		
18	12	Relays, Polarised, Differential, armature B.P.O. pattern. Resistance of each wire 350 ohms. The tongue must be hinged; the armature must remain perfectly neutral when a current of 100 milli-amperes is passed through the two coils whilst connected in opposition. The Relays must give reliable signals with current from one Daniell cell through an external resistance of 1,000 ohms. The wire must be not less than No. 36, S.W.G. The Relays are to be similar or equal to illustrations No. 124 and No. 125, pp. 193 and 199, in Preece and Sivewright's Telegraphy, 1905 edition.
19	50	Relays, Non-polar, as per Specification No.

Note :—The Cables are not to be served.

The weight of Conductors in the Cables shall be 12½ lbs. to the mi'e, and the lengths shall be as follows :—

208 PAIR CABLE.—Reels No. 1 to 6, each 220 yards = 1,320 yards.

"	7 to 9,	"	194	"	=	582	"
"	10,	"	230	"	=	230	"
"	11,	"	278	"	=	278	"
"	12,	"	207	"	=	207	"
"	13,	"	221	"	=	221	"
"	14,	"	225	"	=	225	"
"	15,	"	234	"	=	234	"
"	16,	"	223	"	=	223	"

Total ... 3,520 yards

104 PAIR CABLE.—To be supplied in lengths of 220 yards each.

Tenderers must state the country in which the articles tendered for have been made or produced, and, in the case of manufactured articles, where the material has been made or produced.

Tenders must include Customs duty, if any.

Tenders must be sent in on the proper forms and accompanied by a deposit, or receipt for deposit, of five per cent., in accordance with Clause 5 in the General Conditions. If sent by post they must be prepaid and registered.

Tenderers must state the earliest date by which they will deliver the items tendered for. Preference will be given to quotations for early delivery.

Specifications and samples can be seen, and forms of tender obtained, at the General Post Offices, Adelaide, Melbourne, Sydney, and Brisbane.

Deposits on Tenders may be lodged with the Deputy Postmaster-General at any of the Offices named, but a receipt for the amount must be obtained and forwarded with the Tender to the Deputy Postmaster-General, Adelaide.

Within the Commonwealth the rate of wages paid and the working conditions shall be those recognised in the locality in which the work is performed.

Neither the lowest nor any tender will necessarily be accepted.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General's Department,
5th December, 1906.

TENDERS.

ATENTION is directed to the undermentioned notices which have appeared in the *Commonwealth Gazette* regarding the invitation of tenders for services and supplies for the Postmaster-General's Department throughout the Commonwealth:—

Supplies and Services Required.	Where Required.	Date of Gazette in which notice appears.	Page.	Date Tenders Returnable at G.P.O.
NEW SOUTH WALES.				
Waterproof Cloth and Tapeing	Sydney	6.10.06	1220	23.1.07
Conveyance of Mails	Lismore to Blakebrook, &c.	10.11.06	1362	12.12.06
Conveyance of Mails... ..	Rankin's Springs and Yalgogrin North	17.11.06	1450	12.12.06
Conveyance of Mails	Kempsey, Atakoon, and Trial Bay	24.11.06	1463	19.12.06
Copper Binding Tape and Copper Binders	Sydney and Melbourne	24.11.06	1465	12.12.06
Wooden Telegraph Poles	Any railway station within metropolitan or suburban area (including Darling Harbor)	1.12.06	1479	19.12.06
Conduct of Contract Post and Telephone Office	Gordon	1.12.06	1480	19.12.06
200 lb. Hand-drawn Copper Wire	Sydney	1.12.06	1480	6.3.07
Material for Ninth Operator's position	Edgecliff Telephone Exchange	1.12.06	1481	6.2.07
VICTORIA.				
Telephones—Magneto Wall Sets	Melbourne	6.10.06	1219	14.1.07
Private Letter-box Fronts, &c.	Various States	27.10.06	1327	4.3.07*
Lead-covered, Paper insulated, Telephone Cable	Melbourne	27.10.06	1324	29.1.07
Telephone Cable—Lead-covered, Paper-insulated; and Paper sleeves	Melbourne	3.11.06	1342	8.1.07
Round Wooden Telegraph Poles	Melbourne	24.11.06	1465	18.12.06
QUEENSLAND.				
Telegraph Poles and Saplings	On roadway between Laidley, Plainland, and Hatton Vale, or on railway trucks at any railway siding or station within 100 miles of Laidley	1.12.06	1480	2.1.07
Conduct of Contract Post and Telegraph Office	Kilkivan	1.12.06	1481	31.12.06
"Paid" Date Stamps	Brisbane	1.12.06	1480	7.1.07
SOUTH AUSTRALIA.				
Wheatstone and Morse paper; and ink	Adelaide	11.8.06	1037	24.12.06†
Cable Terminals and Combined Terminal and Junction Boxes	Adelaide	15.9.06	1177	19.12.06
Telegraph and Telephone Material	Adelaide	6.10.06	1221	9.1.07
Meidinger Cells, Cups, and Inverts	Adelaide	24.11.06	1463	20.2.07
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.				
Wheatstone Paper and Morse Paper	Perth	22.9.06	1190	24.12.06
Conveyance of Mails	Black Range and Bergrin, &c.	10.11.06	1362	18.12.06
Clearance of Letter and Newspaper Receivers and Conveyance of Mails	Perth and North Perth, &c.	17.11.06	1450	18.12.06
Conveyance of Mails	Mount Magnet Post Office and Railway Station	17.11.06	1450	18.12.06
Blue Serge	Perth	24.11.06	1463	27.12.06
Conveyance of Mails	Beverley and Bally Bally	24.11.06	1464	18.12.06
Conveyance of Mails	Carnarvon and Hamelin Pool, or Sharks Bay and Hamelin Pool	24.11.06	1464	18.12.06
Conveyance of Mails	Pingelly and Mourambine	24.11.06	1464-5	18.12.06
Conveyance of Mails	Goomalling and Bat-batting; Cossack P.O., Wharf Landing, and Tram Sheds; Sharks Bay and Dirk Hartog Island Anchorage	1.12.06	1480-1	18.12.06
TASMANIA.				
Telegraph and Telephone Material	Hobart	15.9.06	1177	17.12.06
Telegraph Poles and Struts	Between Burnie, Waratah, and Zeehan	24.11.06	1463	17.12.06
Management of Post and Telegraph Office	Bradshaw's Creek	1.12.06	1481	18.12.06

* Date extended from 30th January, 1907.

† Date extended from 24th October, 1906.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS IN QUEENSLAND.

Commonwealth of Australia,
Postmaster-General's Department,
7th December, 1906.

THE following List of Accepted Tenders for the Conveyance of Mails (including Parcels) in the State of Queensland during the years 1907, 1908, and 1909, is published for general information.
Other tenderers for the same lines will please accept this as a notification that their tenders are declined.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN,
Postmaster-General.

CONTRACTS FOR THE CONVEYANCE OF MAILS IN THE STATE OF QUEENSLAND.

No. of Service.	CONTRACTORS.		Service—From and To, and To and From.	Miles.	Frequency—No. of Times per Week.	Mode of Conveyance.	Rate per annum.	Term of Years.	Contract terminates—
	Names.	Addresses.					£ s. d.		31st Dec.
9	William B. Jones	Cardwell ..	Cardwell and Cashmere, <i>via</i> Elleslie's, Ardros, Garners, Fernleigh, Wingfield, Cherryvale, Bellenden, Curtis, Fitzsimmons, Fringford, Kaurivale, and Kirrama Station, serving all affected <i>en route</i> . Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	77	One ..	Horse ..	95 0 0	3	1909
11	Alfred Ashby	Childers ..	(a) Childers and Childers, <i>via</i> Apple-tree Creek and North Isis, Central Mill (b) Childers and the Culvert (Isis Scrub) <i>via</i> King's, Epps', Rankins', &c.	18 6	Three ..	Horse ..	60 0 0	3	1909
12	Thomas F. Luter	Degillo ..	Biggenden Railway Station and Biggenden Railway Station, <i>via</i> The Mines School, Mount Biggenden, Todd's, Sylvester's, and Hablutzel's. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	12 round	One ..	Horse ..	20 0 0	3	1909
13	Henry Gliddon	Port Douglas	Port Douglas Post Office and Wharf, and Post Office and Tram Terminus, to and from all present and future trams and vessels carrying mails, as required	..	As required	Vehicle	60 0 0	1	1907
14	John Emslie ..	Ilfracombe ..	Ilfracombe and Rodney Downs, <i>via</i> Beaconsfield, The Rand, Marchmont, and Summer Hill	57	Two ..	Buggy ..	100 0 0	3	1909
24B	William Morrow	Mutdapilly ..	Harrisville and Mutdapilly ..	6	Three ..	Horse ..	16 0 0	3	1909
24D	William Morrow	Mutdapilly ..	Harrisville and Coleville, by direct road	8	Three ..	Horse ..	20 0 0	3	1909
27	John L. Horn	Middle Ridge, Tcowoomba	Tcowoomba and Drayton, <i>via</i> Hospital and Cemetery, returning direct, <i>via</i> Hospital	4½ out, 4 in	Six ..	Horse ..	30 0 0	3	1909
28	Friedrich Brauer	Gramzow, Beenleigh	Beenleigh and Gramzow, <i>via</i> Loganholme	8	Six ..	Horse ..	52 0 0	3	1909
30	Arthur E. O'Toole	Milmerran ..	Milmerran and Inglewood, <i>via</i> Stonehenge, South Kooroongarra, Bringallily Cheese Factory, Bringallily, and Listohan	75	One ..	Sulky ..	48 0 0	3	1909
32	James Summer-ville	Shelley, Ipswich	Ipswich and Shelley, <i>via</i> Kholo (Bell's), and to keep receiving office at Shelley	12	One ..	Waggonette	12 0 0	3	1909
34	Mrs. A. Martin	Dalby ..	Dalby Post Office and Railway Station, and to convey loose letters to and from all present and future trains	½	As required	Buggy	50 0 0	1	1907
35B	Gilbert Dowling	Milmerran ..	Dalby and Turallin, <i>via</i> Coonieah, St. Ruth's, Tipton, Cecil Plains, Kurrawah, and Condamine Plains	59	One to Turallin, two to Cecil Plains	Buggy	90 0 0	3	1909
35E	William Baldwin	Gcondiwindi ..	Gcondiwindi and Turallin, <i>via</i> Umcollic, Saltbush Park, Gibson's, Newman's, Moogoon, Yagaburn, Wyaga, Woondool, and Western Creek	144	One ..	Horse ..	115 0 0	3	1909
35G	Gilbert Dowling	Milmerran ..	Milmerran and Bora Creek Saw Mills, <i>via</i> Peardons, Cheese Factory, Leonard, Flyan, Perrys, Thompsons, and Masters	16	One ..	Horse ..	14 0 0	3	1909
40	John C. r nody	Mungindi ..	St. George and Mungindi (N.S.W.), <i>via</i> Minimi, Nindigully, Bullamon, Dareel, Dareel Town, and Mungindi (Queensland)	91	Two; to be run in one day each way	Vehicle	176 0 0	3	1909

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	Names.	Addressees.					£	s.	d.		
41	Thomas Hogan	Mitchell	Mitchell and Warrenville, via Donnybrook, Forest Vale, and Redford	94	One	Horse	80	0	0	2	31st Dec. 1908
42	Richard Foster	Tambo	Augathella and Tambo, via Biddendam, Oakwood, Byrgenna, Bayrick, Toliness', Highfields, and Landsdowne	98	One	Buggy	90	0	0	3	1909
45	Cobb and Co. Ltd.	Brisbane	Cunnamulla and Thargomindah, via Kahmoo, Moonjarrie, Eulo, Towah Crossing, Bingara, and Dynevor Downs	137	Two	Coach	580	0	0	3	1909
48	James B. Cornford	Condamine	Miles and Surat, via Tieryboo, Condamine, Blythland (outward trip only), Undulla, Yulabilla, Coalbar (Haas), Ladas Downs, Murillo, Warkon, Retreat, Noorindoo, and Dr. Fitzgerald's letter-box	157 out, 144 in	Two to Condamine, one Surat	Buggy to Condamine, thence horse	120	0	0	3	1909
49	Cobb and Co. Ltd.	Brisbane	St. George and Hebel, via New and Old Boombah, Pine Grove, Doondi, Boah (Wyenbah), Dirranbandi, Currawildi, Bonebroket, The Trap, Boolijar, and Nee Nee. (In times of high flood, mails, excepting parcels, to be packed, and deviation made in route to get outside flood waters)	107	Two to Dirranbandi, one Hebel	Coach	200	0	0	3	1909
52A	Cobb and Co. Ltd.	Brisbane	Mitchell and St. George, via Amby Junction, Duke's Sawmill, Dunkeld, Foyleview, Albany Downs, Woodlands, Drysdale Ponds Letter-box, Hillsborough, Rookwood, Old and New Cashmere; thence via Waggo, Sunnyside Anchorage, Towlers, Willow Park, Watsonville, Hibernia, and Outlands	146	One	Coach	70	0	0	3	1909
54	Cobb and Co. Ltd.	Brisbane	Jericho and Blackall, via Walhalla, Lancevale, Yalleroi, West Hill, Vine Tree, and Paradise Downs	76	Two	Coach	250	0	0	3	1909
55	Florence O'Sullivan	Taroom	Roma and Taroom, via Euthella, Gubberamunda, Myall Downs, Mount Hutton, Pony Hills, Barroondah, Hornet Bank (Goongarry), Euroombah, Llandillo, and Bauhinia Vale	170	One	Horse	89	0	0	2	1908
58	Matilda Gray	Nanango	Nanango and Kingarry, via Nanango Station, Coolabunna, and Taalinga Village	18	Three	Coach	40	0	0	3	1909
59	Benjamin Robinson	Maryborough	Maryborough Post Office and Wharf, and Post Office and Railway Station; to and from all vessels carrying mails, and all present and future trains, as required; to transfer mails from one train to another, and carry loose letters, if required	$\frac{1}{2}$	As required	Van	120	0	0	2	1908
62A	Charles C. Dickson	Blackall	Charleville and Tambo, via Gowrie, Nive Junction Letter-box, Augathella, and Nive Downs (Royal Hotel)	126	Two	Coach	300	0	0	3	1909
62B	Cobb and Co. Ltd.	Brisbane	Tambo and Blackall, via Greendale, Enniskillen, and Northampton	75	Two	Coach	200	0	0	3	1909
65	Cobb and Co. Ltd.	Brisbane	Alpha and Tambo, via Sedgford, Alpha Station, Cheshire, and Birkhead	106	Two	Coach	300	0	0	3	1909
66	John H. Barron	St. Lawrence	St. Lawrence and Clermont, via Waverley, Glenlivet Farm, Beaconsfield Farm, Killarney, Croydon, Station, Lotus Creek, Bombandy, Leichardt Downs, Cotherstone, and Huntly Downs; Rookwood to be served by horse from Bombandy	172	One	Coach	165	0	0	1	1907
67	John Fitzgerald	St. Lawrence	St. Lawrence and Eton, via Waverley, Glenlee, Marylands, Collaroy, Cardowan, Saltbush, Tierawoomba, Wandoo, Bolingbroke, Hazelwood, and Hazeldean. (Deviations to be made in flood time to serve Cardowan and Saltbush)	165	One	Horse	110	0	0	3	1909
63	David Williams	Rockhampton	(a) Westwood and Taroom, via Dundee, Calliungal, Rannes, Greycliffe, Banana, Kyanga, Walloon, Walton, Camboon, Cracow, and Cockatoo, to be run in one day each way between Westwood and Banana (b) Cracow and Walloon, via Gy-randa, Neuestella, Mostowie, Beaume Creek, and Woolthorpe	210 52	One One	Coach Horse	167 0 0			3	1909

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	Names.	Addresses.							
69	Sarah M. Bain	Calliope ..	Mount Larcom and Calliope, <i>via</i> Davis', Murphy's, Mount Larcom Station, Fairview, Castlehope, Carrara, and Vallis' Hotel	24	One ..	Horse ..	£ 45 0 0	1	31st Dec. 1907
70	Francis Boyle	Nebo ..	Eton and Nebo, <i>via</i> Mount Spencer and Ranges Hotel	46	Two ..	Coach ..	49 0 0	3	1909
79	Thomas Hogan	Mitchell ..	Mitchell and Glen Tulloch, <i>via</i> Warroonga, Claravale, Kilmorey, Toolumbilla, Womblebank, Merivale, Westgrove, Rockvale, and Hatton Vale	136	One ..	Coach ..	95 0 0	2	1908
82	David Muir ..	Moombra ..	Coominya and Moombra, <i>via</i> Bellevue Station	12	Three ..	Horse ..	40 0 0	3	1909
83	Lewis Sherlock	Logan Village	Beaudesert and Ladybrook, <i>via</i> Bruff Hill, Kerry, and Darlington	22	Three; to be run to and fro in one day	Horse ..	45 0 0	3	1909
93	Henry Taylor	Hopetoun ..	Hopetoun and Taylorsvale ..	13	Three ..	Cream van	20 0 0	1	1907
98	Herbert Bowden and Henry A. C. Douglas	Thursday Island	Thursday Island and all vessels lying off Black Rock, Scott's Rock, and outside Inner Harbor, to and from all vessels: also to all vessels arriving from the South. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	..	As required	Oil launch	48 0 0	3	1909
100	Edward A. Reilly	Normanton ..	Cloncurry and Normanton, <i>via</i> Quamby, Granada, Donaldson, Boomarra, Cowan Downs Hotel, Donor's Hill, Paddy's Lagoon, and Walker's Bend. Subject to amendment of route on opening of new road by Divisional Board to avoid flooded country	256	One ..	Buggy	400 0 0	3	1909
103	John J. Williams	Rockhampton	Gladstone and Banana, <i>via</i> Bend of River and Selections, Clyde Creek, Calliope, Stowe, main road to Catfish Hotel, Calliope Station Box, Hazeldean, Mount Alma, Dumgree, Kilburnie, Prairie, Torsdale, Kooinga, Drumburle Letter-box, and Barfield	136	One ..	Coach ..	84 0 0	3	1909
106	Patrick Connolly	Cunnamulla ..	Bierbank and Eulo, <i>via</i> Bechal, Mt. Alfred, Humeburn, Tilbooroo, and Farnham Plains	130	One ..	Buggy	130 0 0	3	1909
107	Cobb and Co. Ltd.	Brisbane ..	Winton and Cloncurry, <i>via</i> Ayrshire Downs, Dagworth, Kynuna, Giliat, Mackinlay, and Strathfield	238	Two; to be run in 3 days each way	Coach ..	1,000 0 0	3	1909
108	Wm. Parker ..	Croydon ..	Croydon and Rockyvale, <i>via</i> Cud-dungelah, Witarra, Goldstone, Tabletop, Golden Valley, and Gilded Rose. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	42	One ..	Vehicle	65 0 0	2	1908
110B	Florence O'Sullivan	Taroom ..	Taroom and Banana, <i>via</i> Bottle-tree View, Five Mile, Palm-tree Creek, Gwambegwyne, Ghinghinda, Coorada, Stonecroft, Glenmoral, Thornby, Roundstone, and Moura	179	One ..	Coach ..	75 0 0	2	1908
111	George J. Arnold	Nankin Junction	Nankin Junction and Thompson's Point. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	11	Three ..	Buggy	35 0 0	3	1909
112A	Louis Volk ..	Tambo ..	Tambo and Shirburn, <i>via</i> Mintlyn Selection, Nerada Station, and Minnie Downs. Subject to rearrangement of route	55	One ..	Horse ..	59 0 0	3	1909
112B	Wm. Atkinson	Blackall ..	Blackall and Listowel Downs, <i>via</i> Malyern Hills, Terrick Terrick, and Lorne. Subject to rearrangement of route	88	One ..	Coach ..	75 0 0	3	1909
113	Robert Stokes	Bundall, Southport	Southport and Ashmore, <i>via</i> Cable Station (outwards only), High School, Elston, and Benowa	7	Once a day	Vehicle	33 0 0	3	1909
126	George Hearn..	Geraldton ..	Geraldton Post Office and Wharves, to and from all vessels carrying mails	..	As required	Vehicle	28 0 0	2	1908
128	George Laidlaw	Brisbane ..	(a) Brisbane General Post Office and Fortitude Valley Post Office (b) Fortitude Valley and Bulimba Post Office. (All mails to be taken from and delivered at the offices as required)	3 2	Six .. Twelve, one way only	Omnibus	33 18 0	1	1907

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	Names.	Addresses.					£	s.	d.		
132	Wm. Woods ..	Thargomindah	Thargomindah and Kyabra, <i>via</i> Norley, Womerah Hut, Tobermerry House, Mount Margaret, Eromanga, and Eronghoola Township	145	One ..	Buggy or shanghai	138	0	0	1	31st Dec. 1907
133	Michael J. Power	Thargomindah	Adavale and Thargomindah, <i>via</i> Gunadorah, North Comongin, South Comongin, Toompine, Ardoch, and Norley. (<i>In flood time or wet season, the east side of the Bulloo River from Ardoch to Thargomindah may be followed if so instructed by the Department</i>)	179	One ..	Buggy	195	0	0	3	1909
135	Anthony Hosking	Wilson's Downfall, Stanthorpe	Stanthorpe and Wilson's Downfall (N.S.W.), <i>via</i> Kyoomba and Sugar Loaf	14	Two ..	Buggy	43	0	0	3	1909
138	A. W. Home-wood and Sons	Tilpat, Rockhampton	Rockhampton and Stanage, <i>via</i> Parkhurst, The Caves, Yaamba, Junction Hotel, Canoona Hotel, Balmoral, Tilpal, Banksia Plains, Wandorah, Waratah, and Cooti Uti	120	One ..	Coach ..	42	10	0	3	1909
139	Wm. H. Clancy, junior	Byzantium Mitchell	St. George and Bollen, <i>via</i> 20 and 40-Mile Hotels and 65-Mile Bore	80	One ..	Coach ..	90	0	0	3	1909
140	George Hoskings	Thargomindah	Thargomindah and Hungerford, <i>via</i> Urumbin, Carracunya, Boorara, and Carrawinya	98	Two ..	Coach or shanghai	225	0	0	3	1909
142	John A. Cowan	Yeppoon ..	Yeppoon and Coonyan (Flower's), <i>via</i> Adelaide Park, Bungandarra, Waltondale, Maryvale, Byfield, The Peninsular, and Raspberry Creek	108	One ..	Horse ..	74	0	0	3	1909
144	Wm. Cameron	Aramac ..	Barcaldine and Aramac ..	41	Two ..	Coach ..	65	0	0	3	1909
145	George Kirk ..	Gilliatt, Mackinlay	Mackinlay and Gilliatt's Crossing, <i>via</i> Legavin, Huelva, and Kamarooka	54	One ..	Horse ..	35	0	0	1	1907
146	John H. Ahlers	Nelson, Cairns	Laura and Maytown, <i>via</i> Shepherd's Creek and Holders	44	One ..	Horse ..	110	0	0	3	1909
147A	John J. Gilbert	Boulia ..	Mackinlay and Boulia, <i>via</i> Beaudesert, Tooleybuck, Mount Merlin, Chatsworth, Noranside, and Buckingham Downs	259	Once a fortnight	Horse ..	170	0	0	3	1909
149	Lawrence Ryan	Mt. Sylvia, Gatton	Gatton and East Haldon, <i>via</i> Tent Hill, Upper Tent Hill, Caffey, Mount Sylvia, and Viewland	23	Three ..	Coach ..	95	0	0	3	1909
151A	Michael Cannon	Grandchester	Grandchester and Gehrkevale, <i>via</i> Franklinvale	14	Three ..	Horse ..	20	0	0	2	1908
152	Francis J. Rankin	Thargomindah	Thargomindah and Nocandra, <i>via</i> Pinninderry and Nocatunga	100	One ; to be run in 2 days each way	Buggy	96	0	0	3	1909
153	Alexander McCallum	Kannangur ..	Esk and Glenmaurie, <i>via</i> Gullinani, Biarra, Eskdale, Nukininda, and Milford Rocks	38	Two ..	Horse ..	70	0	0	3	1909
154	Andrew Lyall..	Cooktown ..	Cooktown and Harvest Home, <i>via</i> Middle and Big Oakey, Deep Creek, and King's Plains	52	One ..	Horse ..	52	0	0	3	1909
162	John Smith ..	Warwick ..	Warwick and Elbow Valley, <i>via</i> Lord John's Swamp ; returning <i>via</i> main border road, Brosnan's, Glenreagh, Jones', and Veremont	16 out, 15 in	Three ..	Horse ..	52	0	0	3	1909
163	Thomas Murphy	Monteagle, Clermont	Clermont and Bulli Creek, <i>via</i> Bathampton School, Venus Store, Mount Eagle, Lanark Downs, Twin Hills, Tween Hills, and Mount Douglas Receiving Office	146	One ..	Coach ..	164	0	0	3	1909
164	Ellis Sutton ..	Isisford ..	Ifracombe and Isisford, <i>via</i> Combe-martin, Royal Mail Hotel, Wellshot, and Portland Downs	66	Two ..	Coach ..	139	0	0	2	1908
166	Edward Brougham	Childers ..	Childers and Childers, <i>via</i> Selections of Ridgway, Lucas, Frederickson round Young Bros. Estate to Apple-tree road ; thence <i>via</i> Hapsburg, Knockroe (Isis Mill), Barnes School, Maslin's, Kelly's Camp, Horton ; thence to Childers, serving Selections <i>en route</i> , and picking up all inward mail matter, &c. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	22	Three ..	Horse ..	50	0	0	2	1908
167	Frank Stretton	Laravale, Beaudesert	Laravale and Rockbrook, <i>via</i> Knapp's Creek Receiving Office (Hodgson's), Clunc, and Kooralbyn	18	Three to Kooralbyn, one to Rockbrook	Horse ..	52	0	0	1	1907

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168A	Richard Hargreaves	Coomera ..	Coomera Railway Station and Fern Hill, <i>via</i> Upper Coomera and Wonga Wallen. (<i>Portion of route between Coomera and Upper Coomera to be varied in flood time so as to avoid delays.</i>)	12	Six ..	Horse ..	£ s. d. 60 0 0	3	31st Dec. 1909
175	Mrs. Jane S. Walker	Cawder, Toowoomba	Gowrie Junction and Gowrie Little Plain, <i>via</i> Glencoe	7	Three ..	Horse ..	45 0 0	1	1907
177	Cobb and Co. Ltd.	Brisbane ..	Yuelba and St. George, <i>via</i> Beranga, Surat, and Bindle Creek (Warroo)	129	Twice ..	Coach	700 0 0	3	1909
179	George Huddy	Burketown ..	Burketown and Wollgorang, <i>via</i> Egilabria, Escott, and Westmoreland. (And to keep Receiving Office at Wollgorang)	160	Once a fortnight	Horse ..	106 0 0	3	1909
182	Michael Cannon	Grandchester ..	Laidley and Townson, <i>via</i> Laidley Creek West, McGrath's Crossing, and Thornton	21	Three ..	Sulky ..	69 0 0	3	1909
185	Silas J. Everdell	Woodhill ..	Macklin and Woodhill, <i>via</i> Kilmoylar, Undulla Farm, Undulla, and Brooklands. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	10	Three ..	Horse ..	30 0 0	3	1909
186	Henry Clanchy	Byzantium, Mitchell	Mitchell and Woolerina, <i>via</i> Womallilla, Annie Vale, Salamis (Copley's), Citherea (Holland's), Byzantium, Aberglassie, Tongy, Grassmere, Homeboin, Bindebango, Bollon, and Mona. Route may be varied by the Postmaster-General. (C. Roberts' 10 Mile to be served separately by horse in wet weather.)	190	One ..	Coach ..	219 0 0	3	1909
187	Mary Callaghan	Gympie ..	(a) Gympie and Imbil, <i>via</i> Jones' Hill, Lagoon Pocket, Bunya Creek, Yabba Vale, Bollya Plains, Bollier School, Hordern's, and Rodwell's; returning <i>via</i> Kandanga, Bunya Creek, Lagoon Pocket, along New Dawn-road, <i>via</i> Eichmann's, New Dawn Gold Mine, Imbil-road, and Jones' Hill	..	Two ..	Horse ..	55 0 0	3	1909
			(b) Gympie and Lagoon Pocket Posting-box, <i>via</i> Jones' Hill and Lagoon Pocket School, returning along New Dawn-road, <i>via</i> Eichmann's, New Dawn Gold Mine, Imbil-road, and Jones' Hill	..	One				
190	Wm. Cuff ..	Sandhills, Rockhampton	Tungamul and Fishergate (Chaston's), <i>via</i> Hitchcock's, Elgalla, and Fernhill	9	Two ..	Buggy	30 0 0	3	1909
192	Wm. J. Smith	Dalby ..	Dalby and Jumma, <i>via</i> Jubilee Sanatorium, Wentworth, Cahill's, Cassidy's, McKeon's, Bell Office and Schoolhouse, Saunder's, Ensor's, Spring Flat (Mulqueeny), Campbell's, Cedarvale, Glenroy, Mount View, Rosevale, Bilboa, Selections of Webster's, Wylarah, Porter's, McLean's, Just's, and Jules; returning <i>via</i> Greystanlea, McLoughlin's, Ross', &c., to Webster's. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	90 out 86 in	Two	Vehicle	120 0 0	3	1909
194	Thomas J. O'Brien	Hessenberg, Gatton	Gatton and Hessenberg, <i>via</i> Woodlea, Ropeley, and Rockside	25	Three ..	Horse ..	40 0 0	3	1909
195	William E. Thomas	Pittsworth ..	Pittsworth and Cambooya, <i>via</i> Spring Valley School, Kincora, North Branch, Gentleman's Seat, Balgownie, Felton, Wynn's, Handy's, Hanlon's, &c.	38	Three ..	Horse ..	70 0 0	1	1907
199	David R. Roberts	St. George ..	St. George and Goodooga (N.S.W.), <i>via</i> Whyenbah, Narleen, Dirranbandi, Cubbie, Woolerina, Woolabilla, Kinglebilla, and Brenda Station (N.S.W.), serving all places <i>en route</i> . (<i>In flood times, Dirranbandi to be omitted; and between Whyenbah and Brenda deviation in route to be made to get outside flood waters</i>)	141	One ..	Horse ..	104 0 0	3	1909
201	Harry Chatfield	Herberton ..	Atherton and Herberton, <i>via</i> Carrington (Scrubby Creek)	12	Three ..	Coach ..	47 0 0	3	1909
203	Ellis Sutton ..	Isisford ..	Isisford and Welford Downs, <i>via</i> Ruthven, Wakefield, Abilbah, and Mt. Marlow	112	One ..	Buggy	130 0 0	3	1909

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206	Charles Murphey	Coochin, Boonah	Boonah and Bieriggan, <i>via</i> Dugandan, Dugandan Station, Milford, Cannon Creek, Kuapp's Creek, Maroon Station, Maroon Receiving Office, and Cotswold	25	Three ..	Horse ..	£ s. d. 70 0 0	3	31st Dec. 1909
209	Percy J. Parsons	Maytown ..	Maytown and Maytown, <i>via</i> Palmerville, Frome, Mount Mulgrave, Gamboola, Bulimba Station, Highbury, Gamboola, Walsh E.T.O., Wrotham Park, Bellevue, and Limestone. Subject to deduction of portion of subsidy when the whole of the round trip is not performed, and to three months' notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	295	One ..	Horse	220 0 0	3	1909
210	James S. Love	Townsville ..	Almaden and Croydon, <i>via</i> Fossilbrook, Truxillo, Quartz Hill, Georgetown, Durham, Cumberland, Forest Home, Lower Gilbert, The Springs, Belmore (Cork Tree), King of Croydon, and Gorge Creek	252	Two ..	Coach ..	2,340 0 0	3	1909
212	Patrick Reen	Happy Valley, Oakey	Oakey and Biddeston, <i>via</i> Crosshill, Happy Valley, Aubigny, Plainview School, and The Springs; returning <i>via</i> Crosshill only	20 out 12 in	Three ..	Vehicle	58 0 0	3	1909
214	Frank Senescall	Hunchy, Palmwoods	Palmwoods and Flaxton (Wyer's, portion 106v), <i>via</i> Remington, Hunchy Receiving Office, and Montville. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	7	Three ..	Horse ..	39 0 0	2	1908
215	William Jones	Boulia ..	Boulia and Urundangie, <i>via</i> Herbert Downs, Glenormiston, Roxborough Downs, Carandotta, and Walgra	205	One ..	Buggy	350 0 0	3	1909
216	Cobb and Co. Ltd.	Brisbane ..	Winton and Boulia, <i>via</i> 20-Mile Hotel, Western Hotel, Elderslie, Bretches Creek Hotel, Woodstock, Llanrheidol, Middleton, Macunda Hotel, Lucknow, Minmin Hotel, and Hamilton Hotel	236	One; to be run in 4 days each way	Coach ..	1,186 0 0	3	1909
220	George W. Mallett	Upper Caboolture	Caboolture and Upper Caboolture, and to act as Postmaster at Upper Caboolture	6	Three ..	Horse ..	36 0 0	3	1909
223	Heinrich Mengel	Mount Kent	Nobby and Mount Kent (Back Plains), <i>via</i> Coleman's Box and Moran's Well	7	Three ..	Horse ..	20 0 0	3	1909
224	James Tysoe ..	Helidon ..	Helidon and Helidon, <i>via</i> Postman's Ridge Receiving Office, Withecott, Derrymore, and Iredale	23 round	Two ..	Horse ..	35 0 0	3	1909
225	James L. Crawford	Nocundra ..	Nocundra and Durham Downs, <i>via</i> Nocatunga, Kihee, and Woomonoka	100	One ..	Horse ..	66 13 4	3	1909
226A	Ernest Geitz ..	Top Camp, Toowoomba	Middle Ridge and Edwardston, <i>via</i> Leipkes and Hodgson Vale School	11	Two ..	Horse ..	18 0 0	2	1908
227	Fredk. E. Hill	The Leap ..	The Leap and St. Helens, <i>via</i> Hampden, Jolimont, Royston, and St. Helens Station	29	One ..	Horse ..	28 0 0	3	1909
230	Thomas Symonds	Ortona, Lyndhurst	Lyndhurst and Ortona, <i>via</i> Oak Park, Christmas Hill, Percy River, Mount Hogan, and Gilberton. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	114	One ..	Horse ..	130 0 0	3	1909
231	Wm. Dempsey	Blenheim, Laidley	Laidley and Summer Hill, <i>via</i> Plainland and Hatton Vale	11	Three ..	Horse ..	35 0 0	3	1909
241	Herbert J. Kingsford	Dalveen ..	(a) Dalveen and Mountside, <i>via</i> North Maryland-road, Schoolhouse Geaney's, Patterson's, and Braeside (b) Dalveen and Dalveen, <i>via</i> Turnbull's, Clune's, Mount Janet, McDonald's, Mulgowan, Neera, Cannon Creek, and Broadwater	16½ 45 round	Five .. Two	Horse ..	130 0 0	3	1909
242	Andrew Nicholls	Goondiwindi ..	Wyndham Arms and Morville (Killen's), <i>via</i> Seleations of Mobandilla, Bourke, Teys, Lambeths, Littlewoods, Bailey, Kywanna, and Glengower. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	44	One ..	Horse ..	50 0 0	1	1907
243	Wm. A. P. Kepavan	The Cliffs, Adavale	Adavale and Windorah, <i>via</i> Bulgroo Receiving Office, Bulgroo Station, The Cliffs, Munro, Hammond Downs, and McPhellamy's Crossing	140	One ..	Covered van	500 0 0	3	1909

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245B	Wm. J. Plummer	Hodgson ..	Hodgson Post Office and Cormack's (Selection No. 198), <i>via</i> Speechley's, Stevenson's, and Shirrel's	12	Two ..	Horse ..	£ s. d. 26 0 0	3	31st Dec. 1909
246	James Young..	Richmond ..	Richmond and Woolgar (New Camp), <i>via</i> Burleigh, Merton Ponds, and Lower Woolgar. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	86	One ..	Horse ..	150 0 0	3	1909
247	City and Sub-urban Parcel Delivery, Bryce Ltd.	Brisbane ..	Parcel Post Office, Brisbane, and Parcel Post Offices and all addresses within (1) North Brisbane, Booroodabin, and parts of Ithaca and Toowong; (2) South Brisbane and Kangaroo Point; (3) Windsor and part of Hamilton	..	Six ..	Van ..	0 0 1½ (per parcel)	3	1909
248	Cobb and Co. Ltd.	Brisbane ..	Richmond and Cloncurry, <i>via</i> Chatfield Creek, Junction Hotel, Hulbert's Camp, Jump Up, Coobiaby, Eddington, Gilliatt Crossing, and Leilaville	200	Two ..	Coach ..	950 0 0	3	1909
250	Cobb and Co. Ltd.	Brisbane ..	Longreach and Winton, <i>via</i> Dinnoowah, Euroburrie, Evesham Mail Stage, Evesham Hotel, and Vindex	128	Two ..	Coach ..	340 0 0	3	1909
252	Cobb and Co. Ltd.	Brisbane ..	Charleville and Adavale, <i>via</i> Glangarry, Maxvale Selection, Langlo Crossing, and Ambathulla. (<i>In flood time, deviation to be made in route to get outside flood waters</i>)	116	Two ..	Coach ..	645 0 0	3	1909
253	Margaret E. Turner	Stonehenge ..	Stonehenge and Warbreccan, <i>via</i> Evengy	35	One ..	Horse ..	52 0 0	3	1909
255	Edward Murray	Eromanga ..	The Cliffs and Eromanga, <i>via</i> Tenham, Thewin, Springfield, Keerongooloo, Fishponds, Friday Mine, Stoney Creek, Mascotte Flat, and Monkey Coola	159	One ..	Buggy	150 0 0	3	1909
256	James Field ..	Diamantina Lakes, Winton	Diamantina Lakes and Monkira, <i>via</i> Davenport Downs	98	One ..	Horse ..	95 0 0	2	1908
257	James Regan	Croydon ..	Croydon, and Esmeralda, <i>via</i> Croydon, King, Moonstone, Stanhills (Goat Hill Tin Mines), Rocky Creek Tin Mill, and Nundah Creek Station. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	61	Once a fortnight	Horse ..	49 0 0	3	1909
258	John L. Horn	Middle Ridge, Toowoomba	Toowoomba Post Office and Middle Ridge, <i>via</i> Earlsdon	3	Six ..	Horse ..	20 0 0	3	1909
260	Ernest J. Mills	Lytton ..	Wynnum and Lytton. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	2	Six ..	Horse or bicycle	25 0 0	1	1907
261	Morten Jensen	Birthingbamb, Bundaberg	Birthingbamb and Kolan South ..	1	Twelve	Horse ..	29 10 0	3	1909
264	Charles E. Camplin	Bundaberg ..	Bundaberg and Dunigal (Maynards), Delivery and Collecting all mail matter along south side of Burnett River, calling at all farms, stations, and selections, as per map and specification at the Post Office, Bundaberg. Subject to re-arrangement	48 out, 38 in	Two ..	Horse ..	100 0 0	3	1909
266	Wm. G. Emerick	Bundaberg ..	Bundaberg Post Office and Railway Station, and Post Office, and Wharves, to and from all present and future trains and all vessels carrying mails; to transfer mails from one train to another, carry loose letters, and clear the letter-box at the Railway Station as required; also to convey Post and Telegraph Office stores, furniture, &c., as required	..	As required	Spring cart	90 0 0	3	1909
267	Francis Boyle	Nebo ..	Nebo and Mount Britten (Goldfield), <i>via</i> Thorndon, Burrenbring, and Homevale. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	26	One ..	Buggy	39 0 0	3	1909
269	Anton Anderson	Nikenbah, Maryborough	Nikenbah and Urangan, <i>via</i> Chapel-road, Madsen's, Chapel-road as far as Herrenberg, thence by the main Urangan-road; returning <i>via</i> Urangan-road and Gataker's-road	8 round	Three ..	Horse ..	15 0 0	3	1909
270	Forrester Bate	Swanfels, Yangan	Yangan and Swanfels ..	4	Two ..	Horse ..	18 0 0	2	1908

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271	Thomas Bollard	Augathella ..	Augathella and Gundare, <i>via</i> Rock- vale, Wilkinson's, Ivor Downs Letter-box, and Erinvale	16	One ..	Vehicle	33	10	0	3	1909
274	Richard H. Hed- don	Diddillibah, Woombye	Woombye and Diddillibah. Subject to one month's notice of discontinu- ance by the Postmaster-General	4	Two ..	Horse ..	*14	0	0	3	1909
276	Edward J. K. Lennon	Boulia ..	Boulia and Birdsville, <i>via</i> Marion Downs, Breadalbane, Moorabulla, Bedourie, Cluny, Glengyle, Carcory, and Roseheath	255	One ..	Horse ..	290	0	0	3	1909
277	Florence O'Sul- hivan	Taroom ..	Taroom and Reedy Creek, <i>via</i> Kin- noul, Broadmere, and Glenhough- ton	82	One ..	Horse ..	39	0	0	3	1909
279	Richard Park..	Barcaldine ..	Barcaldine Post Office and Railway Station; also to convey loose letters, as required, to and from all present and future trains, as required	$\frac{1}{4}$	As re- quired	Dray ..	48	0	0	3	1909
281	James V. Suter	Hughenden ..	Muttaburra and Hughenden, <i>via</i> Tablederry, Culloden, Rockwood, Tangorin, Borenya, and Cameron Downs	150	One; to be run in two days each way	Coach ..	349	0	0	3	1909
283	Frederick Cul- verhouse	Mackay ..	Mackay and Hawkins Farm, <i>via</i> Sandy Creek, Chilona, Sandring- ham, Campbell's, Willisford, Acacia Vale, Pratuliano, Alligator Creek, and Cliftonville	40	Two and one extra Chilona to Ro- sella on Thurs- days	Horse ..	70	0	0	1	1907
284	William Cole- born	Gympie ..	Gympie Post Office and Railway Station; also to clear pillar-boxes on the route and the letter-box at the Railway Station, transfer mails from one train to another, and carry loose letters, as required, to and from all present and future trains	1	As re- quired	Hackney Carriage	75	0	0	3	1909
285A	Samuel J. Gor- don	Tiaro ..	(a) Tiaro and Neardie, <i>via</i> Beau- mont, Baupal, Smith's, and other Selections, to Sheehan's, Keliher's, Deacon's, Allen's, Patterson's, Deveron, Neardie Station; return- ing <i>via</i> Neardie Station, Deveron, Baupal, and Beaumont (b) Tiaro and Patterson, <i>via</i> places named; returning <i>via</i> Baupal and Beaumont, and Baupal and Talle- galla (Missing's) (c) Tiaro and Tiaro, <i>via</i> Baupal Post Office, Baupal Mill, and Tallegalla (Missing's)	..	One .. Two One	Horse ..	80	0	0	3	1909
286	Wm. Johnson	Dimbulah ..	Dimbulah and Kingsborough, <i>via</i> Thornborough	21	Three ..	Coach ..	120	0	0	3	1909
292	Harry Harms..	Walloon ..	(a) Walloon and Smith's Mills, <i>via</i> Kirchheim and Marburg (b) Marburg and Glamorgan Vale	8 4	Six .. Six ..	Coach } Horse }	75	0	0	3	1909
293	Lewis Sherlock	Logan Village	Beaudesert and Wyaralong, <i>via</i> Bro- melton R.O., Bromelton Station, and Allandale	19	Three ..	Horse ..	45	0	0	3	1909
295	Thomas McI. Taylor	Jimbour ..	Macalister and Jimbour ..	12	Three ..	Horse ..	35	0	0	1	1907
296	Matthew A. Carroll	Cooktown ..	Laura and Coen, <i>via</i> Police Camp, O'Beirne's Station, Lakefield, Breeza Plains, Musgrave Tele- graph Station, Yarraden, Violet- ville, and Ebagoolah; returning from Musgrave Telegraph Station to Laura, <i>via</i> Koolburra and Fair- view Telegraph Station. (During wet season, mailman to travel along line and omit Police Camp, O'Beirne's Station, Lakefield, and Breeza Plains)	183 out, 150 in	One ..	Horse ..	279	0	0	3	1909
304	Francis J. Ran- kin	Thargomindah	Thargomindah and Yalpunga, <i>via</i> Thuringowa, Bulloo Downs, Tick- alara, and Woodburn	165	One ..	Buggy	180	0	0	3	1909

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308	James Boles ..	Gladstone ..	Gladstone Post Office and the Railway Station, <i>via</i> South Gladstone Receiving Office; also Gladstone Post Offices and Wharves, and to carry Post and Telegraph Office stores, furniture, &c., as required, to and from all present and future trains and vessels carrying mails. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	..	As required	Spring van	29	0	0	3	31st Dec. 1909
309	William J. Plummer	Hodgson ..	Hodgson Railway Station and Hodgson Receiving Office. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	1½	Twice a day	Horse ..	24	0	0	3	1909
313	Charles C. Clayton	Cunnamulla ..	Cunnamulla and Camden Park, <i>via</i> Widgee Hotel, Charlotte Plains, Weelamurra, Avondale, Widgeegoara, Bundalcer, and Noorama; returning direct to Widgeegoara	149 out, 92 in	Two ..	Waggonette	249	0	0	3	1909
315	George Haughton	Adavale ..	Adavale and Listowel Downs, <i>via</i> Boondoon, Cannon's Boundary Gate, Kenny's, and Caranna. <i>Boondoon to be called at one way only should Blackwater River not be crossable</i>	84	One ..	Buggy	68	10	0	3	1909
317A	William Cadwallader	Mt. Hedlow, Rockhampton	Rockhampton and Bondoola, <i>via</i> Mount Hedlow; to proceed to Yeppoon, if necessary	26	Twice ..	Vehicle	32	0	0	3	1909
321	Felix McKeown	Barrington ..	Cunnamulla and Barrington (N.S.W.), <i>via</i> Buranbilla, Trunkay, Tuen Hotel, Thurulgoonia, and Wooroorooka	86	Two; to be run in one day each way	Shanghai coach	235	0	0	3	1909
322	Frederick E. Hill	The Leap ..	The Leap and The Leap, <i>via</i> Bosses and Mr. Juke's Coffee Plantations	..	One ..	Horse	28	0	0	3	1909
327	Wm. J. McKay	Coorparoo	Woolloongabba and Belmont, <i>via</i> Coorparoo and Carina	6	Twice a day to Coorparoo, once a day to Belmont	Omnibus	34	0	0	1	1907
330	Patrick H. Cash	Delaney's Creek, Caboolture	Delaney's Creek and Mount Mee, <i>via</i> McDonald's Selection	6	Two ..	Horse ..	21	0	0	3	1909
336	Theodor D. Schneider	Waterford ..	Bethania Railway Station and Waterford Post Office	1½	Twelve	Horse ..	25	0	0	1	1907
338	John F. Smith	Cloncurry ..	Cloncurry and Canobie, <i>via</i> Fort Constantine, Clonagh, Yadhon, Byromine, Carr's Camp, and Fort Bowen	118	One ..	Horse ..	130	0	0	3	1909
341A	Thomas J. Gleeson	Jericho ..	Jericho and Annie Vale, <i>via</i> Desmond's, Garfield, Rosedale Letter-box, Granville, Texas, Boongoondoo, Clare, Lake Dunn, Eastmere, and Fleetwood; returning <i>via</i> Fleetwood and Eastmere, Widgeemen, Wee Dunrobin, Strasburg, Blair Gowrie Letter-box, Rosedale, Garfield, and Desmond's	..	One ..	Buggy to Eastmere; thence horse	172	10	0	3	1909
341B	Frederick H. Cole	Pentland ..	Pentland and Bowie, <i>via</i> Milray Station, Nevena, Longton, Blair Athol, and Yarramere	134	One ..	Horse ..	85	0	0	3	1909
342	James Carroll	Byerwin, Clermont	Twin Hills and Byerwin, <i>via</i> Tween Hills, Avon Downs, Glenavon, Gleneva, Eaglefield, Mount Lookout, and Cerito	138	One ..	Horse ..	69	0	0	3	1909
343	Thomas J. Neill	Helidon, Surat	Surat and Surat, <i>via</i> Dr. Fitzgerald's Letter-box, Cambridge Downs, Wehl's, Dehnertvale, Sydenham, Oaklands, Russel Park New Station, and Cambridge Downs	62 round	One; to be run to and fro in one day	Horse ..	37	0	0	3	1909
344	Thomas Murray	Mt. Cotton ..	Cleveland and Mount Cotton ..	10	Six ..	Horse ..	40	0	0	3	1909
348	Wm. J. Clancey	Winton ..	Winton and Boulia, <i>via</i> The Grove, Cork, Brighton Downs, Mayne Hotel, Diamantina Lakes, Springvale, and Coorabulka; returning <i>via</i> Coorabulka, Springvale, Diamantina Lakes, Mayne Hotel, Brighton Downs, Cork, and Elderslie	318 out 328 in	One	Horse ..	297	0	0	3	1909

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350	Cobb and Co. Ltd.	Brisbane ..	Longreach and Muttaborra, <i>via</i> Binalbah, Goodberry Hills, Camoola Hotel, Camoola Box, and Ambo; to run on western side of river, if required, as follows:— <i>via</i> Cramsie, Bexley, Dalmore, Yanburra, Camoola, and Ambo	78	Two ..	Coach ..	100 0 0	3	31st Dec. 1909
353	James Ingleby	Cooktown ..	Cooktown Post Office and Wharves and Railway Station to and from all present and future trains and all vessels carrying mails; and to convey loose letters as required	..	As required	van ..	65 0 0	2	1908
358A	Thomas Murphy	Monteagle, Clermont	Twin Hills and Moray Downs, <i>via</i> Elgin Downs	30	One ..	Horse ..	30 0 0	3	1909
360	Peter Bannah	Eidsvold ..	Mount Perry and Eidsvold, <i>via</i> 'Possum Creek Mail Stage (near Mungai Head Station)	55	One ..	Horse ..	50 0 0	3	1909
363	John N. Siganto	Upper Coomera	Coomera Upper and Tambourine Mountain, <i>via</i> the Selections on Guanaba Creek; returning <i>via</i> Capodi Monti, Curtis, and Selections on Wonga Wallen Creek, including delivery to Cameron's, &c. (And to keep Receiving Office at Tambourine Mountain.) Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	25 round	Two ..	Horse ..	35 0 0	3	1909
366	Benjamin Armstrong	Logan Village	(a) Logan Village and Logan Village, <i>via</i> Thompson's, South Maclean, North Maclean, Ratha (Scott's), Nash's, Greenbank, Park Ridge, reversing route alternate trips (b) Logan Village and Chamber's Flat. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	..	Three ..	Horse ..	45 0 0	3	1909
367	Thomas Ramsay	Argentine ..	Argentine and Kangaroo Hills Station, <i>via</i> Argentine Extended, McAuley's Creek, Ewan, and Kallanda. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	67	One ..	Horse ..	115 0 0	3	1909
368	Wm. T. Walsh	Redcliffe ..	(a) Redcliffe.—Delivery of all letters, newspapers, packets, and telegrams, along the main coast road from Klinger (Mrs. Bell's) to Reef Point, Scarborough, and to all houses between the main coast road and the beach (b) The clearing of the letter-boxes at Grant's Store and Wayman's, and the conveyance of its contents to the Redcliffe Post and Telegraph Office daily, at such hours as the Postmaster-General may direct	..	Six ..	Horse ..	60 0 0	2	1908
376	Henry Clanchy	Byzantium, Mitchell	Bollon and Cunnamulla, <i>via</i> Moorindoorra, Fernlee, Murra Murra, Bendee Downs, Bonna Vonna, Rollo Letter-box, Shamrock, Well's Hotel, Lander's Letter-box, and Widgee Hotel	143	One ..	Coach ..	179 0 0	3	1909
381	Henry W. Milard	Bungeranna, Bogantungan	Bogantungan and Bungeranna, <i>via</i> Medway Park, Rosedale, Mount Pleasant, Bianchis, Medway Station, and Duckabrook; returning <i>via</i> Mowbray	42 out, 52 in	One ..	Buggy	50 0 0	3	1909
384	George Croton	Ingham ..	Ingham and Mount Benham, <i>via</i> Stoneleigh, Kallanda, Red Hill Letter-box, and Old Kangaroo Hills Tin Mines. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	95	One ..	Horse ..	100 0 0	2	1908
385	Wm. Huey ..	Kynuna ..	Kynuna and New Quambetook, <i>via</i> Waniola, Glenbervie, and Rosevale	51	One ..	Horse ..	76 0 0	1	1907
386	Gerald M. Hartigan	Stanthorpe ..	Stanthorpe Post Office and Railway Station to and from all present and future trains, as required	..	As required	Van ..	32 0 0	3	1909
387A	Chs. Woodhouse	Cloncurry ..	Cloncurry and Selwyn (Mount Elliott Copper Mine), <i>via</i> Roxmere, Florence Vale, Top Camp, and Friesland. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	76	One ..	Horse ..	120 0 0	2	1908

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388	James Brennan	Donor's Hill ..	Donor's Hill and Wombool, <i>via</i> Old Talawanta and Neumeyer Valley	65	One ..	Horse ..	46 0 0	2	1908
390	Henry Hardy..	Toorak, Mac- kinlay	Chatfield Creek and Mackinlay, <i>via</i> Maxwellton, Tarbrax, Toorak, and Eulolo	124	One ..	Buggy	150 0 0	3	1909
393	Robt. D. Soden	Mt. Beppo ..	Toogoolawah and Mount Beppo, <i>via</i> Cressbrook, Caboonbah, and Mount Beppo School. (And to keep Receiving Office at Mount Beppo)	17	Three ..	Buggy	60 0 0	3	1909
395	Henry C. Foster	Mayneside, Longreach	Evesham Receiving Office and Mayneside, <i>via</i> Corona, Silsoe, and Vergemont	106	One ..	Vehicle	145 0 0	3	1909
396	John Geary and Sons	Miles ..	Miles Post Office and Railway Station, to and from all present and future trains as required. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	..	As required	Spring cart	30 0 0	3	1909
398	John M. Murphy	Chillagoe ..	Chillagoe Post Office and Railway Station, to and from all present and future trains, as required. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	..	As required	Spring van	52 0 0	2	1908
400	Denis Ryan ..	Yuleba ..	Yuleba and Moraby, <i>via</i> Moongool, Millers, Rostock, Rockdale and Barossa, and Warkon; returning <i>via</i> Callitris, Wellsbourne, Marra-Marra, and Moongool	64 out, 48 in	One ..	Horse ..	60 0 0	3	1909
406	Edward Brougham, junior	Childers ..	Childers and Booyal, <i>via</i> Eureka; returning <i>via</i> Selections of Mollen, Turner, Sims, &c., and Eureka. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	20 out, 25 in	One ..	Horse ..	30 0 0	2	1908
407A	Thomas Gaven	Nerang ..	Nerang and Carrara. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	3	Three ..	Horse ..	20 0 0	3	1909
409	Wm. Atkinson	Blackall ..	Blackall and Isisford, <i>via</i> Boree, Malvern, Moorlands, Thornleigh, Springfield, and Isis Downs	80	One; to be run in one day each way	Coach ..	90 0 0	3	1909
410A	Sydney G. Kettle	Capella ..	Capella and Capella, <i>via</i> Gordon Downs, Humberstone, Malvern, Balcong, Peak Downs, Bylong, Bellvue, Huntley, Retro, and Prairie. The Department to have the right to extend to Lilyvale once a week for £15 per annum extra, and twice a week £25 per annum extra	99	Two ..	Horse ..	85 0 0	3	1909
412	Joseph Hagan	Yalpunga, Thargomindah	Nocundra and Yalpunga, <i>via</i> Bransby, Big Dingera, Little Dingera, Yanko, Naryilco, and Wompah. Subject to rearrangement of route; to be run in two days each way if required	122	One ..	Buggy	107 0 0	3	1909
413	Ernest W. Harris	Burpengary ..	Burpengary Creek Railway Station Receiving Office and Burpengary School	..	Six	..	20 0 0	1	1907
415A	William McDonald	Herberton ..	Herberton and Innot Hot Springs, Lancelot, and Dry River	31	One ..	Buggy	84 0 0	3	1909
420	Wm. Henry Lane	Springsure ..	Springsure and Mount Playfair, <i>via</i> Rainworth, Vandyke, Mantuan Downs, and Goodliffe's	110	One ..	Buggy	70 0 0	3	1909
421	Alfred Heath	Granville ..	Maryborough and Bidwell ..	13	One ..	Horse ..	18 0 0	3	1909
422	Margaret Twomey	Sandy Camp, Clifton	Clifton and Talgai Station, <i>via</i> Woody Camp (Elphinstone School), Sandy Camp, and Selections <i>en route</i>	15	Two ..	Horse ..	40 0 0	3	1909
426	Charles H. Ross	Yeppoon ..	Tanby Railway Station and Yeppoon	8	Six ..	Coach ..	50 0 0	3	1909
430	James C. Hassall	Mt. Ubi, Eumundi	Eumundi and Mount Ubi, <i>via</i> Mount Eerwah, Murray's, Belli Park (Bonney's), Oakey, Yahoo Creek, and Kenilworth. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	20	Three ..	Coach ..	78 0 0	3	1909
434	Bernard Grogan	Mount Molloy	Molloy and Molloy, <i>via</i> Southedge, Anderson's, Fonthill, Mount Carbine, Brooklyn, and Mitchellvale. To special time-table	47 round	One ..	Horse ..	85 0 0	1	1907

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439	Benjamin Eyre	Longreach ..	Longreach and Windorah, <i>via</i> Arrilalah, Westland, Tocal, Bimera, Stonehenge, Caralla, Jundah Post Office, Galway Downs, and McPhellamy's crossing, except in flood time	224	One ..	Coach ; buggy in wet weather	300 0 0	3	1909
440	James McCaw	Urundangie ..	Urundangie and Camooweal, <i>via</i> Headingly, Lake Nash, and Austral Downs. Subject to three months' notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	164	Once a fortnight	Horse ..	142 10 0	3	1909
441	Peter Rannah	Eidsvold ..	Eidsvold and Ulambi, <i>via</i> Trelinga, Dalgangal, and Mulgeldi	55	One ..	Buggy	60 0 0	3	1909
443	Alfred H. Hope	Tiaro ..	Tiaro and Tiaro, <i>via</i> Glengarloom, Byrenne, Goora, Greenwood (Knust's), Munna (Orphant's), Deborah, and Farms and Selections on east bank of Mary River	40 round	Three ..	Horse ..	43 0 0	3	1909
445	Walter R. Poole	Longreach ..	Longreach Post Office and Railway Station; also to transfer mails from one train to another, and carry loose letters if required to and from all present and future trains as required	$\frac{1}{4}$	As required	Lorry ..	59 10 0	3	1909
447	Franz W. A. Drewes	Bunker's Hill, Westbrook	Westbrook Crossing and Athol, <i>via</i> Bunker's Hill; returning <i>via</i> State Farm if required	9	Three ..	Horse ..	24 0 0	1	1907
448	James A. MacDonald	Croydon ..	Croydon Post Office and Railway Station, and to convey loose letters as required to and from all present and future trains as required	$\frac{1}{4}$	As required	Dray ..	30 0 0	3	1909
450	Frederick Culverhouse	Mackay ..	Mackay and Homebush, <i>via</i> Rosella and Palmtree	16	One ..	Coach ..	29 0 0	3	1909
452	Raleigh C. Campbell	Woombye ..	Woombye and Buderim Mountain. (<i>Mails to be conveyed from Eudlo, via Ilkley, in flood time</i>)	8	Three ..	Horse ..	44 0 0	3	1909
454	Wm. Geo. Gorklick	Goondoon, Bundaberg	Goondoon and Goondoon, along the Burnett River road, <i>via</i> Albionville School, Albionville, and Melville's, delivering and collecting correspondence along the route as required. (<i>The Nobby Hill-road, via Wynter's, to be used when the river road is impracticable in flood time.</i>) Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	18 round	Two ..	Horse ..	30 0 0	3	1909
456	Charles E. Camplin	Bundaberg ..	Bundaberg and Gooburrum.—Delivery and collecting all mail matter within the Gooburrum District, as per map and specification at Post Office, Bundaberg Subject to alteration or discontinuance by the Postmaster-General upon giving one month's notice	22 round	Three ..	Horse ..	55 0 0	3	1909
457	Thomas S. White	Daisy Hill, Loganlea	Loganlea and Daisy Hill; and to keep Receiving Office at Daisy Hill	4	Two ..	Spring cart	20 0 0	3	1909
458	Caroline Ma-whinney	Beerwah ..	Beerwah and Crobhamhurst, <i>via</i> Coochin Creek and Peacheater	9	Three ..	Horse ..	30 0 0	3	1909
461	Edward Kehoe	Munbilla ..	Engelsburg and Clumber, <i>via</i> Charlwood and Kiloys (one way only). Subject to rearrangement at mileage rate if route through private property closed	24	One ..	Horse ..	26 0 0	3	1909
463	Albert N. Bimrose	Herberton ..	Girofla (Mungana), and O.K. Mines <i>via</i> Rookwood, Tatana, Nolan's, Creek, and Elizabeth Creek. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	50	One ..	Coach ..	94 0 0	2	1908
473	Archibald Connolly	Macalister ..	Macalister and Ranges Bridge, <i>via</i> Daandine	14	Two ..	Horse ..	34 0 0	1	1908
474	Richard Bowles	Rockhampton	Rockhampton Parcels Delivery between Post Office and addresses within a radius of 3 miles, under special conditions	..	Six ..	Vehicle	0 0 13 (per parcel)	3	1909
478	Theresa Beetham	Labrador ..	Labrador and Currigee; returning <i>via</i> Pine Ridge to Labrador. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	4 out, 7 in	Two ..	Boat and foot	29 0 0	3	1909
481	Walter R. Poole	Longreach ..	Longreach and Muttaborra, <i>via</i> Strathdarr Woolshed, Talleyrand, Darr River Downs, Green Hills, Kensington, and Brookwood	115	One ..	Coach ..	80 0 0	3	1909

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82	Wm. J. Hampson	Gayndah ..	Gayndah and Mungy Station, <i>via</i> Cadell's, Clausen, Trusz, Harris, Watson, Agristock (Barber's), Otto Miller, Trott, Leggett, Aherns, Burchardt, Bandon, O'Regan, Elystan (Kent's), and Balnaduthy. (<i>Contractor to travel via Lower Crossing and Ferry at Gayndah when river not crossable.</i>) Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	..	Two ..	Horse ..	70 0 0	3	1909
484	Samuel Wright	Richmond ..	Richmond Post Office and Railway Station, to and from all present and future trains as required	$\frac{1}{2}$	As required	Lorry ..	65 0 0	1	1907
490A	William Winfield	Allora ..	Allora and Wonga, <i>via</i> Forest Plain and Goomburra, subject to special time-table	25	Three ..	Buggy	45 0 0	3	1909
494	Henry E. Spice	Thargomindah	Charleville and Eromanga, <i>via</i> Gowrie Hotel, Yarronvale, Bierbank, Cowley, Wynburn Creek, Teevan Crossing, and Pinkilla	211	One ..	Coach ..	365 0 0	3	1909
495	Charles Reiss	Wilsonton, Toowoomba	Toowoomba and Glenvale, <i>via</i> Gowrie-road R.O. and Wilsonton	5	Six ..	Horse ..	50 0 0	3	1909
499	Norah Nolan ..	Biggenden ..	Biggenden and Biggenden, <i>via</i> Selections of Nichol, Page, Fanning, McGaritz, McVicker, Robson, Stevenson, Cichowski, Mitchell, Brown, Stark, Kummerfeld, McMurin, Laurie; returning <i>via</i> Selections of O'Doherty, Gilmour, Jones, Matheson, Griffiths, Duncan, Prince, Vance, S. Thorne, Hards, Hyde, Bradley, Vance, McDade, Chambers, Murray, Sharpe, H. Thorne, and C. Hall. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	20 round	One ..	Horse ..	25 0 0	3	1909
500	Alexander Fortune	Yingerbay, Roma	Roma and Fair Creek, <i>via</i> Wangary and Yingerbay	40	One ..	Horse ..	55 0 0	2	1908
502	William H. Mallyon	SpringSURE ..	SpringSURE and Castlevale, <i>via</i> Cardbeign School, Whitefield Park, Cardbeign, Nalcombe Letter-box, Wealwandangie Selections, Glentana, Wariena, Yandaburra, Wharton Creek, and Cungelella	147	One ..	Horse ..	78 0 0	3	1908
503	William Alton	Charleville ..	Charleville and Coongoola Receiving Office, <i>via</i> Acker's Selection, Authoringa, Boatman Springs, Elverston, Elmina, through Cobbrum Blocks, Yarmouth, Charlottevale, and Victor	156	One ..	Vehicle	125 0 0	1	1907
513	Peter Bannah	Eidsvold ..	Eidsvold and St. John's Creek (Mooroongi), <i>via</i> Craventown, Eidsvold Station, Johnston's, and St. John's Gold-field. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	20	One ..	Horse ..	22 0 0	3	1909
516	Hodels Limited	Thursday Island	Thursday Island and Cape York, calling at Possession Island on return trip. Subject to special time-table	22	Once a fortnight	Sailing vessel	48 0 0	1	1907
517	Frank Kearney	Nelson ..	Nelson and Coopa, <i>via</i> Riverstone and Goldsborough. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	46	One to Coopa; two to Riverstone	Horse ..	75 0 0	2	1908
518	William A. Reaney	North Rockhampton	North Rockhampton. — Delivery within the following boundaries:—By Moore's Creek, the Fitzroy River, Limestone (or 4-Mile) Creek (including Blanchard's) to Olive's, a direct line from the latter to the 2-Mile Peg on Yaamba-road; thence by that road to Moore's Creek; also to clear letter-receivers if required	..	Six ..	Horse ..	40 0 0	3	1909
521	Thomas Anderson	Bowen ..	Bowen and Merinda. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	One ..	Coach ..	15 0 0	3	1909
522	Jeremiah McCarthy	Redcliffe ..	North Pine and Woody Point, <i>via</i> Redcliffe	15	Six ..	Coach ..	80 0 0	2	1908
523	Michael Long	Bony Mountain, Warwick	Cunningham and Bony Mountain. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	Three ..	Horse ..	15 0 0	3	1909

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524	Jens P. Berthelsen	Nikenbah, Maryborough	Nikenbah and Nikenbah, <i>via</i> Upper Mountain road, calling at Selections of Hansen, Carlsen, Peterson, Yates, Sorensen, Curtis, and Dundowran School; Selections of Munroe, Smids, Overlack, Nielsen, Bagnell, Bellevue (Bromily's), McLiver, F. Smith, J. Gallagher, W. Gallagher, and Barnett's Selection, No. 1496; returning along Lower Mountain road, <i>via</i> Selections of Tooth Bros., Stephensen, Christensen, Emil Jensen, Mrs. Harders, G. Andersen, M. Petersen, and Linholdt. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	21 round	Three ..	Horse ..	27	0	0	3	31st Dec. 1909
529	William Molony	Goombungee ..	Goombungee and Douglas ..	6	Three ..	Buggy	26	0	0	3	1909
530	Benjamin Meisner	Redland Bay	Redland Bay and Russell Island, <i>via</i> Karragarra	9	One ..	Sailing boat	20	0	0	3	1909
534	Cobb and Co. Ltd.	Brisbane ..	Barcaldine and Blackall ..	68	One ..	Coach ..	80	0	0	1	1907
541	Hugh T. Hanlon	Pittsworth ..	Broxburn and Linthorpe ..	8	One ..	Horse ..	14	0	0	3	1909
548	John H. Peters	Esk ..	Esk Post Office and Railway Station, to and from all present and future trains, as required	..	As required	Hand-cart	39	0	0	3	1909
551	John Uniacke..	Cunnamulla ..	Cunnamulla and Cocklerina, <i>via</i> Selections of Moorabinda, Nulla; thence along western side of Warrego River, <i>via</i> Selections of Springgrove, Fraser, and Davis to rabbit-proof fence; thence to Glendilla and Nelly Vale. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	53	One ..	Horse ..	75	0	0	3	1909
555	Walter Baker..	West Haldon	Greenmount Railway Station and West Haldon. The Department to have the right to increase the frequency to three times a week for £10 per annum extra	10	Two ..	Horse ..	28	0	0	2	1908
557	Benjamin Robinson	Maryborough	Maryborough Parcels. — Delivery within the boundary of letter-carriers' delivery	..	One ..	Vehicle	0	0	1½ (per parcel)	2	1908
560	Thomas H. Kelly	South Childers Isis,	Goodwood and Westgate. (And to keep Receiving Office at Westgate.) Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	14	Two ..	Coach ..	24	0	0	1	1907
561	James Cameron	Anakie ..	Anakie and Anakie, <i>via</i> Sapphire, Newsome's, Hunt's, Lidstone's, Igua Flat, Stewart's freehold, Sapphire, and Mount Clifford. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	36 round	One ..	Buggy	52	0	0	3	1909
562	Peter Hansen	Winton ..	Winton Post Office and Railway Station, to and from all present and future trains, as required	½	As required	Lorry ..	55	0	0	3	1909
564	Horace L. Barber	Eulo ..	Eulo and Hungerford (N.S.W.), <i>via</i> Killaloo, Turn Turn Letter-box, Caiwarro, and Curawinya	80	One ..	Buggy	120	0	0	3	1909
568	James Lynch	Arrilalah ..	Arrilalah and Matiamo, <i>via</i> Darr River Crossing, Woodlands, Lovatt Receiving Office, Lovatt Park, Culparoo Park, and Markeena. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	23	One ..	Horse ..	23	0	0	1	1907
570	Frederick Ward	Bundaberg ..	Bundaberg Parcels Delivery between Post Office and addresses within the boundary of letter-carrier's delivery in East, South, and West Bundaberg, under special conditions.	..	Six ..	Cart ..	30	0	0	3	1909
571	Hugh Sheppard	Mareeba ..	Mareeba Post Office and Railway Station, to and from all present and future trains, as required. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	..	As required	Cart ..	56	0	0	1	1907
573	Adam Ferguson	Corinda ..	Sherwood delivery, within a radius of 1½ miles of Sherwood Post Office	..	Six ..	Horse ..	52	0	0	1	1907
574	Watkin E. Reason	Hopetoun ..	(a) Esk and Hopetoun, <i>via</i> Coal Creek, Crossdale, Mount Brisbane, and Hazeldean (b) Mount Brisbane and Mount Byron	33 6	Three .. Three ..	Coach Horse	52	0	0	3	1909

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578	Matthew W. Hennessey	Tate Tin Mines	Almaden and Tate Telegraph Station, <i>via</i> Tate Tin Mines	40	One ..	Coach to Tin mines thence vehicle	110 0 0	3	1909
580	Burns, Philp, and Co. Ltd.	Bowen ..	Bowen and Linderman Island, <i>via</i> Molle Whitsunday, Hanning, and Hamilton Islands, and Dent Island Lighthouse	68	Once a month	Steamer or sailing vessels	40 0 0	1	1907 30 June
581	Alexander McDonald	Killarney, Normanton	Delta and Rutland Plains, <i>via</i> Richards Gunhole, Montana, and Lochnagar	122	Once a fortnight	Horse ..	50 0 0	1	1907
584	Charles J. Canty	Ingham ..	Mount Garnet and Glendhu, <i>via</i> Innot Hot Springs, Tirrabella, Gunnawarra, Mero, Selections of Rose, Cranie, Harding, and Young's; returning <i>via</i> Cashmere Station, Gunnawarra, Tirrabella, and Innot Hot Springs. (<i>Tirrabella to be omitted in flood time.</i>) Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	112 out, 96 in	One ..	Horse ..	130 0 0	3	1909
586	Jane Ebbage ..	Ravenswood ..	Ravenswood Post Office and Railway Station, to and from all present and future trains, as required	1	As required	Coach ..	50 0 0	3	1909
588	Walter Lever	Albion ..	Hillview and Pinelands Mill. (And to keep Receiving Office at Pinelands Mill.) Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	4	Three ..	Horse ..	13 0 0	1	1907
591	Jane Ebbage ..	Ravenswood ..	Ravenswood and Brookville. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	7	One ..	Coach ..	20 0 0	3	1909
593	Mary Maltman	Tivoli, Ipswich	Tivoli.—Delivery along Tivoli Hill, Tantivy-road, Waterworks road to Simpson's Hill, Workshop Estate; thence to Eastwood's and Raymond Estate, delivering correspondence <i>en route</i>	..	Six ..	Horse ..	40 0 0	3	1909
594	Patrick Winfield	Northcote, Mareeba	Mareeba and Northcote. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	18	One ..	Horse ..	35 0 0	2	1908
605	Edward Ryan	Redcap, Chillingoe	Giroflé and Redcap. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	3	Two ..	Horse ..	30 0 0	1	1907
607	Michael Dowd	Mt. Garnet ..	Mount Garnet Post Office and Western Railway Station, to and from all present and future trains, as required, Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	..	As required	Vehicle	24 0 0	1	1907
608	Thomas Tincknell	Byrnestown ..	Byrnestown and Byrnestown, <i>via</i> Byrnestown School, Hickey's, Marshall's, Fredericksen's, Ryan's, Cleary's, Jackson's, Harman's, Yappa, Guymer R.O., Girroondan School, and Kirby's	20 round	Two ..	Horse ..	20 0 0	3	1909
609	Archibald McCoist	Junabec, Swan creek	Swan Creek and Junabec, <i>via</i> Murphy's and Cutmore	5	Three ..	Horse ..	20 0 0	1	1907
610	James H. Roberts	Burton, Wellcamp	Wellcamp and Burton's. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	7½	Three ..	Horse ..	44 0 0	1	1907
617A	John E. Williams	Irvinbank ..	Irvinbank and Garrumbah, <i>via</i> Montalbion and Emuford	24	One	Horse ..	70 0 0	2	1908
617B	Esmond A. I. T. Shadforth	Ord ..	Ord and Garrumbah ..	4	Two ..	Coach ..	15 0 0	2	1908
619	James Douglas	Tiaro ..	Tiaro Post Office and Railway Stations, to and from all present and future trains	½	As required	On foot	26 0 0	2	1908
620	Maurice Leonard	Rodgers Creek, Warwick	Cunningham and Rodgers Creek ..	4	Two ..	Horse ..	7 0 0	3	1909
622	William E. Sammells	Chermide, Brisbane	Chermide.—Delivery within specified boundaries	..	Six ..	On foot or horse	15 0 0	..	At notice
624	Patrick Noonan	Clermont ..	Clermont and Black Ridge, <i>via</i> All Nations. Subject to one month's notice of discontinuance by the Postmaster-General	15	Two ..	Wagonette	40 0 0	1	1907
627	Sarah Bell ..	Pine Mountain, Ipswich	Pine Mountain Railway Station and Pine Mountain Township; and to keep Receiving Office at latter	..	Three ..	Horse ..	12 0 0	1	1907

Department of Defence,
Nos. 284-317. Melbourne, 8th December, 1906.

MILITARY FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the following changes, &c., in connexion with the Military Forces of the Commonwealth, viz. :—

INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF THE MILITARY FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

Brigadier-General JOHN CHARLES HOAD, C.M.G., from Deputy Adjutant-General on the Military Board, to be Major-General and Inspector-General of the Military Forces of the Commonwealth. Dated 1st January, 1907.

MILITARY BOARD.

Colonel ERNEST TOWNSHEND WALLACK, C.B., from Commandant, South Australia, to be Deputy Adjutant-General, *vice* Brigadier-General J. C. Hoad, C.M.G., appointed Inspector-General. Dated 1st January, 1907.

Colonel JOHN STANLEY, from Officer Commanding Royal Australian Artillery, New South Wales, to be Chief of Ordnance, *vice* Major and Honorary Lieut.-Colonel H. Le Mesurier, appointed Commandant, Western Australia. Dated 1st January, 1907.

PROMOTION BOARD.

Colonel ERNEST TOWNSHEND WALLACK, C.B., is appointed a member of the Promotion Board, detailed in the *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 49, of the 15th September, 1906, whilst holding the appointment of Deputy Adjutant-General on the Military Board. Dated 1st January, 1907.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN ARTILLERY.

Major (Honorary and Temporary Lieut.-Colonel) ROBERT WALLACE, from Commandant, Western Australia, to command the Royal Australian Artillery in New South Wales, *vice* Colonel J. Stanley, transferred. Dated 1st January, 1907.

Lieutenant HENRY ST. JOHN SWEETLAND, from New South Wales, to be Company Officer and Officer Commanding Royal Australian Artillery in Western Australia. Dated 1st February, 1907.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

APPOINTMENTS.

Colonel GEORGE WALKER WADDELL, V.D., from Officer Commanding 1st Infantry Brigade, to be Officer Commanding Field Forces, New South Wales. Dated 1st January, 1907.

1st Infantry Brigade.—Colonel CHARLES MARK RANCLAUD, V.D., from the 4th Australian Infantry Regiment, to command, *vice* Colonel G. W. Waddell, V.D., appointed to command the Field Force in New South Wales. Dated 1st January, 1907.

4th Australian Infantry Regiment.—Major GRANVILLE JOHN BURNAGE, V.D., to command, *vice* Colonel C. M. Ranclaud, V.D., appointed to command the 1st Infantry Brigade. Dated 1st January, 1907.

PROMOTIONS.

1st Light Horse Brigade.—Captain JOHN SPENCER BRUNTON, to have the temporary rank of Major whilst holding the appointment of Brigade Major. Dated 1st October, 1906.

1st Infantry Brigade.—Captain JOHN PATRICK MCGLINN, to be Major. Dated 1st October, 1906.

VICTORIA.

APPOINTMENTS.

Colonel ROBERT ROBERTSON, V.D., from Officer Commanding 2nd Infantry Brigade, to be Officer Commanding Field Force, Victoria. Dated 1st January, 1907.

Colonel WILLIAM HENRY HALL, V.D., from Officer Commanding Australian Garrison Artillery, Victoria, to be Officer Commanding Garrison Troops, Victoria. Dated 1st January, 1907.

2nd Infantry Brigade.—Colonel ROBERT ERNEST WILLIAMS, V.D., from the 7th Australian Infantry Regiment, to command, *vice* Colonel R. Robertson, appointed Officer Commanding the Field Force, Victoria. Dated 1st January, 1907.

7th Australian Infantry Regiment.—Major ALFRED WILTON BENNETT, V.D., to command, *vice* Colonel R. E. Williams, V.D., appointed to command the 2nd Infantry Brigade. Dated 1st January, 1907.

TRANSFERS.

Unattached List.—The following officers of the Victorian Mounted Rifles are transferred to the Unattached List :—

Lieut.-Colonel WILLIAM BRAITHWAITE.

Lieut.-Colonel WILLIAM THOMAS REAY.

Dated 6th June, 1903.

This cancels the notification relating to these officers published in the *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 25, of the 6th June, 1903.

QUEENSLAND.

APPOINTMENTS.

Colonel The Hon. JUSTIN FOX GREENLAW FOXTON, C.M.G., V.D., from Officer Commanding Australian Field Artillery, Queensland, to be Officer Commanding Field Force, Queensland. Dated 1st January, 1907.

Lieut.-Colonel JOHN FRANCIS FLEWELL-SMITH, V.D., from Officer Commanding 9th Australian Infantry Regiment (Moreton Regiment), to be Officer Commanding Garrison Troops, Queensland. Dated 1st January, 1907.

PROMOTION.

15th Australian Light Horse Regiment (Queensland Mounted Infantry).—Major WILLIAM GEORGE THOMPSON, to be Lieut.-Colonel.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

APPOINTMENTS.

Lieut.-Colonel JOHN HENRY ALEXANDER LEE, from the Corps of Australian Engineers (New South Wales), to be Commandant, South Australia, *vice* Colonel E. T. Wallack, C.B., appointed Deputy Adjutant-General. Dated 1st January, 1907. Lieut.-Colonel J. H. A. Lee is seconded from the Corps of Australian Engineers (Permanent Sections), whilst holding the foregoing appointment.

Lieut.-Colonel J. H. G. LEE is seconded from the Corps of Australian Engineers (Permanent Sections), whilst holding the foregoing appointment.

Colonel JAMES ROWELL, C.B., Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Governor-General, from Officer Commanding 10th Australian Infantry Regiment, to be Officer Commanding Field Force, South Australia. Dated 1st January, 1907.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

APPOINTMENT.

Major and Honorary Lieut.-Colonel HAVILLAND LE MESURIER, from Chief of Ordnance on the Military Board, to be Commandant, Western Australia, *vice* Major (Temporary and Honorary Lieut.-Colonel) R. WALLACE, transferred. Dated 1st January, 1907.

PROMOTION.

Australian Garrison Artillery (Western Australia).—Captain PHILIP HENRY MEEKS, to be Major.

TASMANIA.

Colonel WILLIAM MARTIN, V.D., from Officer Commanding 12th Australian Infantry Regiment (Launceston Regiment), to be Officer Commanding Field Force, Tasmania. Dated 1st January, 1907.

T. PLAYFORD,

Minister of State for Defence.

Department of Defence,
No. 310. Melbourne, 5th December, 1906.

NAVAL FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the promotion of Chief Carpenter's Mate JAMES HOEY, Permanent Naval Forces, Queensland, to the rank of Carpenter (Warrant Officer). Dated 5th July, 1906.

T. PLAYFORD,

Minister of State for Defence.

Department of Defence,
No. 304. Melbourne, 5th December, 1906.

EXEMPTION OF OFFICER FROM PROVISIONS OF COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC SERVICE ACT.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, has been pleased to approve, on the recommendation of the Public Service Commissioner, of the exemption of DAVID ANDERSON, Clerk, in the office of the Central Administration, Department of Defence, from the provisions of the *Commonwealth Public Service Act* 1902, for the period from the 18th November, 1906, to the 31st December, 1906.

T. PLAYFORD,

Minister of State for Defence.

Department of Defence,
Melbourne, 8th December, 1906.

**NOTIFICATION OF PROVISIONAL REGULATIONS
AND OF THE INTENTION TO MAKE REGULA-
TIONS UNDER THE DEFENCE ACTS 1903-1904.**

PURSUANT to the *Rules Publication Act 1903*, notice is hereby given—

- (1) That His Excellency the Governor-General, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, was, on the 28th day of November, 1906, pleased to make Provisional Regulations under the Defence Acts 1903-1904 (amending paras. 20 and 146 of the Commonwealth Military Regulations), to come into operation forthwith, which Provisional Regulations may be cited as Statutory Rules 1906, No. 102.
- (2) That it is proposed to make Regulations under the Defence Acts 1903-1904, and that the Provisional Regulations above mentioned are the draft of the proposed Regulations.
- (3) That copies of the Provisional Regulations may be purchased at the Government Printing Office, Melbourne, at the price of Threepence.
- (4) That any representations or suggestions made in writing by any person interested will be taken into consideration before finally settling the proposed Regulations.

T. PLAYFORD,
Minister of State for Defence.

Department of Defence,
Melbourne, 8th December, 1906.

**NOTIFICATION OF PROVISIONAL REGULATIONS
AND OF THE INTENTION TO MAKE REGULA-
TIONS UNDER THE DEFENCE ACTS 1903-1904.**

PURSUANT to the *Rules Publication Act 1903*, notice is hereby given—

- (1) That His Excellency the Governor-General, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, was, on the 4th day of December, 1906, pleased to make Provisional Regulations under the Defence Acts 1903-1904 (amending the Commonwealth Military Regulations relating to Rifle Clubs), to come into operation forthwith, which Provisional Regulations may be cited as Statutory Rules 1906, No. 103.
- (2) That it is proposed to make Regulations under the Defence Acts 1903-1904, and that the Provisional Regulations above mentioned are the draft of the proposed Regulations.
- (3) That copies of the Provisional Regulations may be purchased at the Government Printing Office, Melbourne, at the price of Threepence.
- (4) That any representations or suggestions made in writing by any person interested will be taken into consideration before finally settling the proposed Regulations.

T. PLAYFORD,
Minister of State for Defence.

Department of Defence,
Melbourne, 8th December, 1906.

**NOTIFICATION OF A PROVISIONAL REGULA-
TION AND OF THE INTENTION TO MAKE A
REGULATION UNDER THE DEFENCE ACTS
1903-1904.**

PURSUANT to the *Rules Publication Act 1903*, notice is hereby given—

- (1) That His Excellency the Governor-General, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, was, on the 28th day of November, 1906, pleased to make a Provisional Regulation under the Defence Acts 1903-1904 (amending para. 77 of the Financial and Allowance Regulations for the Military Forces), to come into operation forthwith, which Provisional Regulation may be cited as Statutory Rules 1906, No. 104.
- (2) That it is proposed to make a Regulation under the Defence Acts 1903-1904, and that the Provisional Regulation above mentioned is the draft of the proposed Regulation.
- (3) That copies of the Provisional Regulation may be purchased at the Government Printing Office, Melbourne, at the price of Threepence.
- (4) That any representations or suggestions made in writing by any person interested will be taken into consideration before finally settling the proposed Regulation.

T. PLAYFORD,
Minister of State for Defence.

Department of Defence,
Melbourne, 20th November, 1906.

NOTICE OF TARGET PRACTICE.

TARGET Practice will be carried on by the Royal Australian Artillery, Victoria, from the under-mentioned Forts, from the 1st to the 31st of December, 1906, between the hours of 7 a.m. and 6 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.
Swan Island Land Range	
Nepean	N. and N.E.
Eagle's Nest	N.E.
Franklin	N.
South Channel	W.
Gellibrand	N.E. and S. 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 Part VI. *Defence Act* No 20, 1903. The occupants of buildings in the vicinity of the guns should open all doors and windows, and take necessary precautions to make their property secure from concussion.

W. J. CLARK, Major, R.A.A.,
O.C., R.A.A., Victoria.

Department of Defence,
Melbourne, 5th December, 1906.

**COMMONWEALTH CADET CORPS.—WESTERN
AUSTRALIA.**

TENDERS for the Supply of Khaki Cloth of Commonwealth manufacture for the use of the Commonwealth Cadet Corps of Western Australia, will be received up to Twelve noon on 15th January, 1907.

Forms of tender and full particulars may be obtained on application to the Senior Ordnance Officer:—

New South Wales.—George-street, Circular Quay, Sydney.

Victoria.—St. Kilda-road, Melbourne.

Queensland.—Petrie-terrace, Brisbane.

South Australia.—District Staff Offices, Adelaide.

Western Australia.—District Staff Offices, Perth.

Tasmania.—District Staff Offices, Hobart.

S. A. PETHEBRIDGE,
Acting Secretary, Department of Defence.

Department of Defence,
Melbourne, 22nd November, 1906.

MILITARY FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

**TENDERS FOR SADDLE BLANKETS OF COMMONWEALTH
MANUFACTURE.**

TENDERS for the manufacture and supply of Saddle Blankets will be received by the Secretary, Department of Defence, Victoria Barracks, Melbourne, up to Noon on 21st December, 1906.

Forms of tender may be obtained, and sealed patterns seen, as under:—

New South Wales—Ordnance Department, George-street Circular Quay, Sydney.

Victoria—Ordnance Department, Victoria Barracks, Melbourne.

Queensland—Ordnance Department, Petrie-terrace, Brisbane.

South Australia—Ordnance Department, Adelaide.

Western Australia—Ordnance Department, Perth.

Tasmania—Ordnance Department, Hobart.

S. A. PETHEBRIDGE,
Acting Secretary, Department of Defence.

Department of Defence,
Melbourne, 1st November, 1906.

MILITARY FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

**TENDERS FOR ACCOUTREMENTS OF COMMONWEALTH
MANUFACTURE.**

TENDERS for the manufacture and supply of Accoutrements (Bandoliers, Haversacks, &c.), will be received by the Secretary, Department of Defence, Victoria Barracks, Melbourne, up to noon on 11th December, 1906.

Forms of tender may be obtained, and sealed patterns seen, as under:—

New South Wales.—Ordnance Department, George-street, Circular Quay, Sydney.

Victoria.—Ordnance Department, Victoria Barracks, Melbourne.

Queensland.—Ordnance Department, Petrie Terrace, Brisbane.

South Australia.—Ordnance Department, Adelaide.

Western Australia.—Ordnance Department, Perth.

Tasmania.—Ordnance Department, Hobart.

S. A. PETHEBRIDGE,
Acting Secretary, Department of Defence.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of Defence,
8th December, 1906.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED (Series 1906-7).

Serial No.	Particulars.	Rate.	Contractor.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authority.
MILITARY FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH— NEW SOUTH WALES.		£ s. d.			
<i>Period—1st October, 1906, to 30th June, 1909.</i>					
SUPPLY OF MILITARY BUTTONS (COMMONWEALTH PATTERN) FOR THE COMMONWEALTH MILITARY FORCES OF NEW SOUTH WALES.		Per gross.			
579	Line 39, Gilt	0 15 0	G. A. Miller, Bond- street, Sydney		
580	" Silver	0 14 0			
581	Line 32, Gilt	0 13 6			
582	" Silver	0 13 6			
583	Line 26 (Screw) Gilt	1 3 6			
584	" " Silver	1 2 6			
585	" " White Metal	0 19 0	Stokes and Sons, Melbourne		
586	" " Brass	0 18 6			
587	Line 39, White Metal	0 5 0			
588	" Brass	0 4 6			
589	Line 32, White Metal	0 4 6			
590	" Brass	0 3 6			
591	Line 26, Gilt	0 13 0			
592	" Silver	0 13 0			
593	" White Metal	0 3 9			
594	" Brass	0 2 6			
595	Line 18, Gilt	0 9 6			
596	" Silver	0 9 6			
597	" White Metal	0 2 9			
598	" Brass	0 2 3			
MILITARY FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH— VICTORIA.					
SUPPLY OF MILITARY BUTTONS (COMMONWEALTH PATTERN) FOR THE COMMONWEALTH MILITARY FORCES OF VIC- TORIA, FROM 1ST OCTOBER, 1906, TO 30TH JUNE, 1909.					
599	Line 39, Gilt	1 5 0	Stokes and Sons, Melbourne		
600	" Silver	1 5 0			
601	" White Metal	0 5 0			
602	" Brass	0 4 6			
603	Line 32, Gilt	1 2 0			
604	" Silver	1 2 0			
605	" White Metal	0 4 6			
606	" Brass	0 3 6			
607	Line 26, Gilt	0 13 0			
608	" Silver	0 13 0			
609	" White Metal	0 3 9			
610	" Brass	0 2 6			
611	Line 18, Gilt	0 9 6			
612	" Silver	0 9 6			
613	" White Metal	0 2 9			
614	" Brass	0 2 3			
615	Line 26 (Screw), Gilt	1 9 0			
616	" " Silver	1 9 0			
617	" " White Metal	1 0 9			
618	" " Brass	0 19 6			
MILITARY FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH— SOUTH AUSTRALIA.					
SUPPLY OF MILITARY BUTTONS (COMMONWEALTH PATTERN) FOR THE COMMONWEALTH MILITARY FORCES OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA, FROM 1ST OCTOBER, 1906, TO THE 30TH JUNE, 1909.					
619	Line 39, White Metal	0 5 0	Messrs. Stokes and Sons, Melbourne, Victoria		
620	" Brass	0 4 6			
621	Line 32, White Metal	0 4 6			
622	" Brass	0 3 6			
623	Line 26, White Metal	0 3 9			
624	" Brass	0 2 6			
625	Line 18, White Metal	0 2 9			
626	" Brass	0 2 3			

Trust Fund—Defence Clothing Material Account.

Approved by
the Minister
of State for
Defence, 31st
October, 1906.

CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.—(Series 1906-7)—continued.

Serial No.	Particulars.	Rate.	Contractor.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authority.
	MILITARY FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH—TASMANIA.	£ s. d.			
	SUPPLY OF MILITARY BUTTONS (COMMONWEALTH PATTERN) FOR THE COMMONWEALTH MILITARY FORCES OF TASMANIA, FROM 1ST OCTOBER, 1906, TO 30TH JUNE, 1909.	per gross			
627	Line 39, Gilt	1 5 0	Messrs. Stokes and Sons, Post Office-place, Melbourne, Victoria	Trust Fund—Defence Clothing Material Account.	Approved by the Minister of State for Defence, 31st October, 1906.
628	„ Silver	1 5 0			
629	Line 32, Gilt	1 2 0			
630	„ Silver	1 2 0			
631	„ White Metal	0 4 6			
632	„ Brass	0 3 6			
633	Line 26, Gilt	0 13 0			
634	„ White Metal	0 3 9			
635	„ Brass	0 2 6			
636	Line 18, Gilt	0 9 6			
637	„ Silver	0 9 6			
638	„ Brass	0 2 3			

S. A. PETHEBRIDGE,
Acting Secretary, Department of Defence.

Department of Defence,
Melbourne, 8th December, 1906.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.—(Series 1906-7).

Serial No.	Particulars.	Rate.	Name of Firm.	Charged against Vote or Fund.	Authority.
		£ s. d.			
578	Supply of One million rounds of '310" ball cartridges, at per 1,000 rounds	2 0 0	Colonial Ammunition Company Limited	Ammunition Fund	Approved by the Governor-General in Council on 4th December, 1906

S. A. PETHEBRIDGE,
Acting Secretary, Department of Defence.

Commonwealth of Australia.

The Property for Public Purposes Acquisition Act 1901 (Section 6).

NOTIFICATION OF THE ACQUISITION OF LAND BY THE COMMONWEALTH.

IT is hereby notified and declared by His Excellency the Governor-General, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, that the land hereunder described, which land is required for a public purpose, namely, as a road of access to the Battery Site at Mount Nelson, Hobart, Tasmania, has been acquired by the Commonwealth under the *Property for Public Purposes Acquisition Act 1901*.

Dated the 23rd day of November, One thousand nine hundred and six.

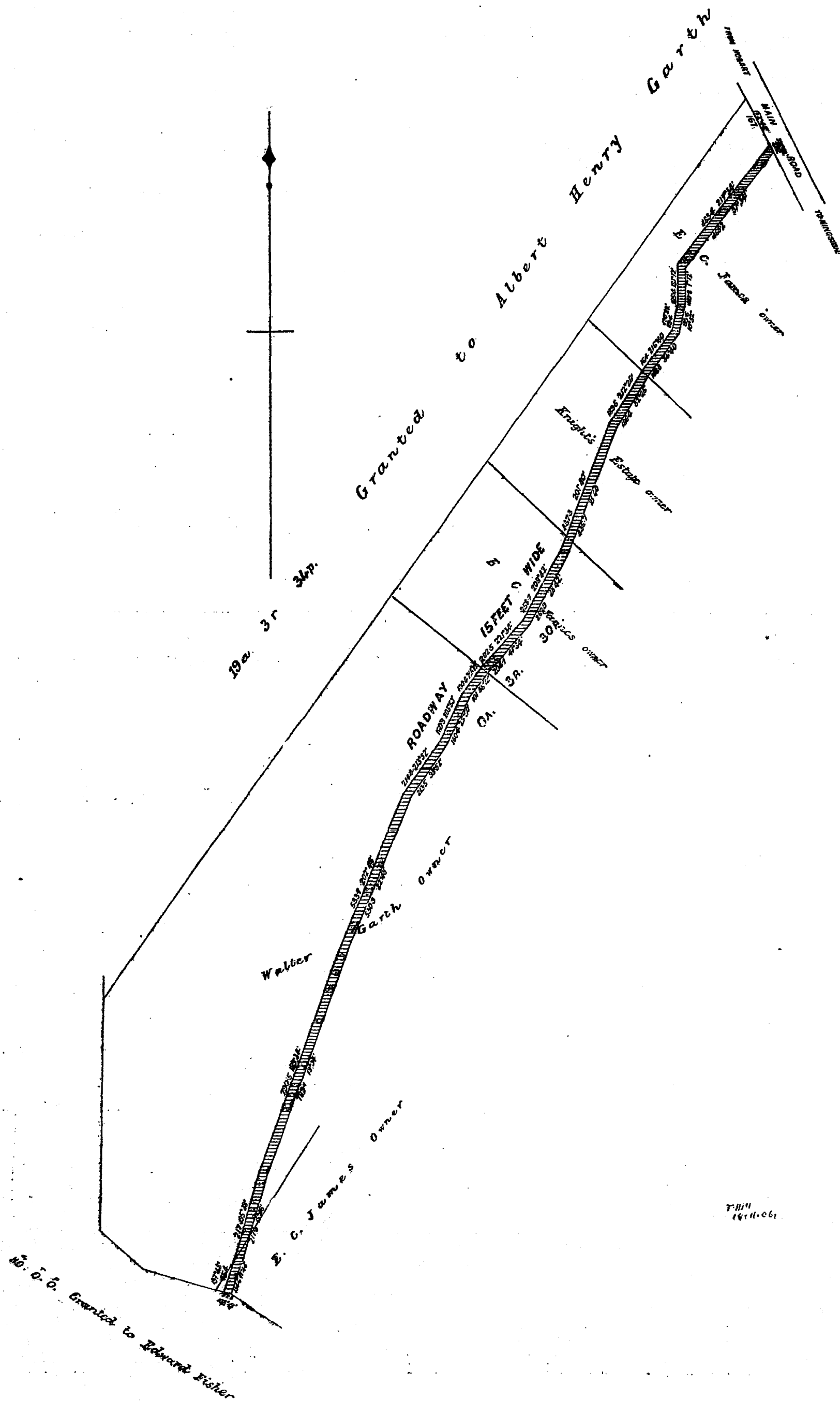
NORTHCOTE,
Governor-General.

By His Excellency's Command,
SAMUEL MAUGER,
Acting Minister of State for Home Affairs.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND REFERRED TO.

All that piece of land in the parish of Queenborough, county of Buckingham, State of Tasmania, being portion of land owned by E. C. James, Knight's Estate, and Walter Garth, and commencing at a point on the Main-road from Hobart to Kingston, bearing 152 degrees 48 minutes distance 167 links from the south-east boundary of 19 acres 3 roods 34 perches granted to Albert H. Garth; thence by lines bearing 217 degrees 34 minutes distance 483.4 links, 181 degrees 12 minutes distance 125.4 links, 190 degrees 52 minutes distance 88.4 links, 216 degrees 40 minutes distance 164 links, 212 degrees 26 minutes distance 189.5 links, 201 degrees 40 minutes distance 437.3 links, 208 degrees 42 minutes distance 258.7 links, 221 degrees 34 minutes distance 202.5 links, 216 degrees 12 minutes distance 104.4 links, 205 degrees 50 minutes distance 160.8 links, 213 degrees 52 minutes distance 214.4 links, 202 degrees 48 minutes distance 533.7 links, 199 degrees 34 minutes distance 790.5 links, 195 degrees 38 minutes distance 217 links, 197 degrees 48 minutes distance 154 links to the north-east boundary of 110 acres granted to Edward Fisher; thence bearing 108 degrees 18 minutes distance 22.8 links along the said boundary; thence by lines bearing 17 degrees 48 minutes distance 154.6 links, 15 degrees 38 minutes distance 217.3 links, 19 degrees 34 minutes distance 789.1 links, 22 degrees 48 minutes distance 530.9 links, 33 degrees 52 minutes distance 213.5 links, 25 degrees 50 minutes distance 160.4 links, 36 degrees 12 minutes distance 101 links, 41 degrees 34 minutes distance 204.1 links, 28 degrees 42 minutes distance 262.9 links, 21 degrees

49 minutes distance 436.7 links, 32 degrees 26 minutes distance 185.4 links, 36 degrees 40 minutes distance 168.3 links, 10 degrees 52 minutes distance 95.6 links, 1 degree 12 minutes distance 119.8 links, 37 degrees 34 minutes distance 465.2 links to the afore said Main-road from Hobart to Kingston; and thence along that road to the point of commencement, bearing 332 degrees 48 minutes distance 25.2 links being a roadway 15 feet wide, and containing an area of 3 roods 30 perches, more or less, and as shown by portion hatched on plan attached.



Department of Home Affairs,
Melbourne, 4th December, 1906.

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT RETURNING OFFICERS UNDER THE COMMONWEALTH ELECTORAL ACTS 1902-1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General in Council, in accordance with the provisions of the Commonwealth Electoral Acts 1902-1905, has been pleased to approve of the appointment during the pleasure of the Governor-General of the persons specified in the second column of the following Schedule as Assistant Returning Officers for the Polling Place or Polling Places set opposite their respective names in place of the persons also specified therein, whose appointments are hereby cancelled

T. T. EWING,
Minister of State for Home Affairs.

Schedule.

STATE OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

Divisional Returning Officer.	Assistant Returning Officer.	Polling Place at which Assistant Returning Officer will preside.	Polling Place or Polling Places where powers are to be exercised.
DIVISION OF BARRIER.			
Frederick Henry Griffiths, Broken Hill	Arthur Henry Allen, Clerk, Newton-street, Broken Hill Railway Town; in place of William Berry	Broken Hill Railway Town	Acacia Dam Broken Hill Railway Town Sintering Works
DIVISION OF COOK.			
James Charles Lees, Clerk, Post Office, Newtown	Ernest Donald Albert Livermore, Telegraphist, Post Office, Newtown; in place of Ernest Alfred Donald Livermore	Enmore	Enmore
DIVISION OF DARLING.			
Percy Elfe Row, Postmaster, Bourke	Alfred Stanley Read, Poundkeeper, New Angledool; in place of Sydney Thomas Magner	Angledool	Angledool Borah Tank Comborah Springs Coocoran Lake Lightning Ridge
DIVISION OF EAST SYDNEY.			
Charles Lovely, 272 Pitt-street, Sydney	Andrew Carroll, Postmaster, Oxford-street, Sydney; in place of Andrew Carroll, Postmaster, Hay-market, Sydney Walter Ernest Clapham, Agent, 90 Pitt-street, Sydney; in place of John James Hyndes	Bligh King	Bligh King
DIVISION OF EDEN-MONARO.			
Henry John Burton, Postmaster, Cooma	Alfred Thomas Rodd, Acting Postmaster, Cobargo; in place of John Horsley Thomas McLean, Acting Postmaster, Moruya; in place of Peter Augustus Dunng William Charles F. Fell, State School Teacher, Wyndham; in place of Daniel Grant	Cobargo Moruya Wyndham	Bermagui Cobargo Quaama Wandella Deua River Kiora Moruya Burrigato Rooky Hall Wyndham
DIVISION OF NEWCASTLE.			
Richard Connolly Willans, Postmaster, Newcastle	George Lewis, Clerk, Metcalf-street, Wallsend; in place of Thomas Henry Ryan	Wallsend	Plattsburg Wallsend Young Wallsend
DIVISION OF NEW ENGLAND.			
Lancelot William Quick, Postmaster, Tamworth	George Thomas Palmer, Postmaster, Bundarra, in place of Arthur Little Edward William Conolly, Postmaster, Manilla, in place of Henry Pearson Charles Mortimora Apted, Acting Postmaster, Uralla, in place of Edward William Conolly	Bundarra Manilla Uralla	Abington Bundarra Yarrowyck Borah Creek Hall's Creek Manilla Upper Manilla Wongo Creek Arding Balala Castle Doyle Enmore Downs Green Valley Kelly's Plains Kentucky Kingstown Rockwood Salisbury Plains Uralla
DIVISION OF PARRAMATTA.			
Thomas Quirk, Postmaster, Parramatta	John Henry Cragg, Wool-squarer, Riverstone, in place of Henry Argyle Kirwan	Riverstone	Forrester Riverstone Rouse Hill Vineyard

STATE OF NEW SOUTH WALES—continued.

Divisional Returning Officer.	Assistant Returning Officer.	Polling Place at which Assistant Returning Officer will preside.	Polling Place or Polling Places where powers are to be exercised.
DIVISION OF RICHMOND.			
James Barrie, Lismore ...	John Eldeit Glasgow, Mill Proprietor, Byron Bay, in place of John Alfred Glasgow	Byron Bay ...	Byron Bay Coorabell Creek Tyagarah
	James Allan Barrie, Insurance Agent, Lismore	Lismore ...	Blakebrook Chilcott's Grass Goolmangar Gundarimba Jiggi Johnston's Ridges Keerong Lismore Nimbin Tunstall Wyrallah
	Joseph Cox, Postmaster, Deepwater	Deepwater ...	Bolivia Deepwater Nine Mile The Gulf Torrington
DIVISION OF ROBERTSON.			
Allan Fitzgerald Cameron, Mudgee	Henry Patrick Farrell, Acting-Postmaster, Branxton, in place of James Alexander Tulloch	Branxton ...	Belford Branxton Elderslie Rothbury
DIVISION OF WERRIWA.			
John Walter Daniel, Telegraphist, Goulburn	Arthur Gilbert Howard Parsons, Storekeeper, Tuena, in place of David Bremner	Tuena ...	Bigga Junction Abercrombie River Junction Point Markdale Peelwood Tuena
DIVISION OF MACQUARIE.			
William Gilbert Thompson, Postmaster, Bathurst	Montgomery Jennings Sheppard, Postmaster, Carcoar, in place of Montgomery Jennings Shepherd	Carcoar ...	Burnt Yards Carcoar Gallymont Junction Reefs Lyndhurst Mandurama Mount McDonald Neville
DIVISION OF RIVERINA.			
Robert Henry Allars, Telegraphist, Deniliquin	Walter Stevens, State School Teacher, Ganmain, in place of William Stevens	Ganmain ...	Cottee Ganmain Kockibitoo Mangain Matong
DIVISION OF HUME.			
Michael John D'Arcy, Sub-Collector of Customs, Albury	Thomas Henry Noake, Postmaster, Lockhart	Lockhart ...	Jackson's Waterhole Lockhart Milbrulong
	Charles Leonard Phillips, Station Manager, The Rock	The Rock ...	The Rock Yerong Creek
STATE OF VICTORIA.			
DIVISION OF GIPPSLAND.			
Arthur Davies, Postmaster, Sale	Albert Keaston Trenavin Sambell, Shire Secretary and Engineer, Traralgon; in place of Hermann Ernest F. Lampe	Traralgon ...	Callignee Cowwarr Flynn's Creek Glengarry Loy Yang Toongabbie Traralgon Tyers Upper Flynn's Creek
	Denis James Mahony, School Teacher, Bendoc; in place of John Nichol	Bendoc ...	Bendoc Bonang Delegate River
DIVISION OF FLINDERS.			
Joshua Dyson Farrar, Clerk of Courts, Warragul	Henry Bonwick, Shire Secretary, San Remo; in place of Henry Bomrick	San Remo ...	Bass Bridge Creek San Remo Wonthaggi
DIVISION OF INDI.			
Ahasuerus Thorold Tulloch, Postmaster, Beechworth	Thomas James Mountjoy, Relieving Postmaster, Rutherglen; in place of Arthur John Taylor	Rutherglen ...	Black Dog Creek Brimin Chiltern-road Cornishtown Gooramadda Great Northern Great Southern Lilliput Norong North Boorhaman North Prentice Rutherglen Wahgunyah

STATE OF VICTORIA—continued.

Divisional Returning Officer.	Assistant Returning Officer.	Polling Place at which Assistant Returning Officer will preside.	Polling Place or Polling Places where powers are to be exercised.
DIVISION OF LAANECORIE.			
Henry Charles Dod, Postmaster, Maryborough	William Jackson, Storekeeper, Taradale; in place of Stephen Dorman	Taradale	Drummond Metcalf North Drummond Taradale

STATE OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

DIVISION OF COOLGARDIE.			
William Henry McGregor, Postmaster, Coolgardie	Edward George Tomkinson, Postal Assistant, Derby; in place of Herbert Henry Trigwell	Derby	Derby Fitzroy
	Thomas Markey, Postmaster, Kunanalling; in place of Jabez Allen Mark Williams	Kunanalling	Jourdie Hills Kunanalling
	George Ernest Willey, Postmaster, Malcolm; in place of John Robert Oliver	Malcolm	Malcolm Mertondale Websters
	Clarence Cleland Cooper, Acting-Postmaster, Mount Sir Samuel; in place of Thomas Donohoe	Mount Sir Samuel	Mount Sir Samuel
	Horace Louis Armstrong, Postal Assistant, Onslow; in place of Wilhelm August W. Fettbach	Onslow	Fortescue Hardy River Junction Onslow
	John Gerrans, Postmaster, Kookynie; in place of Albert Oscar Patchett	Kookynie	Edjudina Kookynie Niagara Pingin Yarri Yerilla
	Maitland Glen Pope, Postal Assistant, Nannine; in place of William Henry Meleng	Nannine	Abbots Barrambie Ranges Gabanintha Meekatharra Nannine

E. 06/8790.

Department of Home Affairs,
Melbourne, 8th December, 1906.

APPOINTMENT OF ELECTORAL REGISTRARS UNDER THE COMMONWEALTH ELECTORAL ACTS 1902-1905.

THE Minister for Home Affairs has appointed the persons specified in the following Schedule to be, during the pleasure of the Minister, Electoral Registrars under the said Acts to keep the Rolls for the Polling Places set opposite their names in the Schedule; such appointments to take effect in each case from the date of entry on duty.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Electoral Registrars.	Polling Places.	Division.	Postal Address.
STATE OF VICTORIA.			
Violet May Smith	Tallandoon	Indi	Tallandoon
John Crotty	Taminick	Indi	Glenrowan
Clement Arthur Baker	Genoa	Gippsland	Genoa River, via Orbost
Philip Lennon	Howqua West	Indi	Howe's Creek
James Thomas Colwell	Woodfield	Indi	Ancona
James Fair	Boweya	Indi	Boweya, via Glenrowan
William Foster Dorman	Airey's Inlet	Corangamite	Airey's Inlet
Francis L. Syer	Fernbank	Gippsland	Fernbank
Charles Stuart Alexander	Bul-a-Bul	Grampians	Inglewood
STATE OF QUEENSLAND.			
Donald Macneill	Bulgroo	Maranoa	Adavale
Nelson Inkerman Norris	Kensington	Maranoa	Muttaburra
STATE OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA.			
I. Andrew J. T. Daddow	Yundamindera	Coolgardie	Yundamindera
Carrington Frederick Cooper	Osborne Park	Perth	Osborne Park
Ada Anne Giblett	Dardanup	Swan	Dardanup
Robert Alphonse Williams	Worsley	Swan	Worsley
William Alexander Urquhart	Pingelly	Swan	Pingelly
Sara Angela Howe	Williams	Swan	Williams
STATE OF TASMANIA.			
Henry Edward Geeves	White Hills	Wilmot	Evandale

E.06/8727.

T. T. EWING,
Minister of State for Home Affairs.

Department of Home Affairs,
Melbourne, 8th December, 1906.

NOTIFICATION OF NAMES OF ELECTORAL REGISTRARS UNDER THE COMMONWEALTH ELECTORAL ACTS 1902-1905 WHO HAVE CEASED TO HOLD OFFICE.

THE persons specified in the following Schedule have ceased to be Electoral Registrars under the said Acts to keep the Rolls for the Polling Places set opposite their names in the Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Electoral Registrars who have ceased to hold Office.	Polling Places.	Division.
STATE OF VICTORIA.		
Edith Smith ...	Tallandoon ...	Indi
John R. C. Sadler ...	Taminick ...	"
Herbert C. Buckland ...	Genoa ...	Gippsland
John H. Melano ...	Howqua West ...	Indi
Arthur Mesley ...	Woodfield ...	"
Cecilia A. Robertson ...	Boweya ...	"
George S. Warner ...	Airey's Inlet ...	Corangamite
Selina Wilson ...	Fernbank ...	Gippsland
John Richards ...	Bul-a-Bul ...	Grampians
STATE OF QUEENSLAND.		
Iver I. McIver ...	Bulgroo ...	Maranoa
Arthur J. Ewen ...	Kensington ...	"
STATE OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA.		
Clarence C. Cooper ...	Yundamindera ...	Coolgardie
William G. Arnup ...	Osborne Park ...	Perth
Mary G. Johnson ...	Dardanup ...	Swan
Rachel I. Pollard ...	Worsley ...	"
Ernest H. Wood ...	Pingelly ...	"
Auber B. Robinson ...	Williams ...	"
STATE OF TASMANIA.		
William Johnstone ...	White Hills ...	Wilmot

T. T. EWING,

E.06/8727.

Minister of State for Home Affairs.

Home Affairs. Department of Home Affairs,
B. 06/8401. Melbourne, 27th November, 1906.

EXEMPTION OF AN OFFICER.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General in Council has been pleased to declare that the provisions of the *Commonwealth Public Service Act 1902*, shall not apply to

ARTHUR WILTON FERRES,

who is temporarily employed assisting the Divisional Returning Officer for Wimmera, in the State of Victoria, during the period from 9th December, 1906, to 1st February, 1907.

T. T. EWING,

Minister of State for Home Affairs.

Commonwealth of Australia.

Department of Home Affairs,
Melbourne, 30th November, 1906.

TENDERS will be received, subject to the conditions of tendering, for Erection of New Blanket Store, Harness-room, and Cart Sheds at Victoria Barracks, Paddington, New South Wales, until Twelve o'clock on Monday, 17th December, 1906.

Drawings and specifications may be seen at office of the Works Director, Commonwealth Offices, Sydney. Tenders to be indorsed as above, and addressed (if by post, prepaid) to the Works Director, Sydney.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Tenders are to be in all cases on the printed forms, which can be obtained at the Works Director's office.

DAVID MILLER,

Secretary, Department of Home Affairs.

Home Affairs. Department of Home Affairs,
B. 06/8895. Melbourne, 29th November, 1906.

TENDERS FOR THE SALE OF A SITE FOR A DRILL HALL AT MOSMAN, NEW SOUTH WALES.

TENDERS will be received until noon on Monday, 17th December, 1906, from persons willing to sell to the Commonwealth Government, land suitable for a site for a Drill Hall at Mosman, New South Wales, in the vicinity of the tram line.

The approximate area required is 66 feet x 150 feet.

Tenders should be indorsed as above, and addressed (if by post, prepaid) to the Works Director for New South Wales, Commonwealth Offices, Sydney.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

DAVID MILLER,

Secretary, Department of Home Affairs.

Commonwealth of Australia.

PUBLIC SERVICE EXAMINATION, No. 55.

FOR APPOINTMENT AS TELEGRAPH MESSENGER.

IT is hereby notified that of the 162 candidates who presented themselves for the above-named Examination, held on Saturday, the 10th November, 1906, the following succeeded in passing, and have thereby qualified for appointment to the position of Telegraph Messenger at the places under which their names respectively appear, until 7th June, 1908 (when the names of all unappointed candidates must, in accordance with the Act, be removed from the Register), provided they do not, in the meantime, attain the age of 16 years (whereupon they will become too old for appointment). Attention is directed to Regulation No. 202 which provides that a candidate for appointment as Telegraph Messenger shall, subject to the production of satisfactory proof of age and physical fitness, be held to be eligible for appointment if he obtains half the maximum number of marks in Handwriting and Spelling only, but shall not be eligible for transfer or promotion to any other position in the General Division until he passes in all the prescribed subjects at one and the same examination. Where two or more candidates secure the same number of marks, their order of merit is determined by the number of marks obtained for (a) Arithmetic, and (b) Handwriting, and, where these numbers are also equal, then by ballot.

Name.	Handwriting.	Spelling.	Arithmetic.	Total.
Maximum Marks ..	250	150	200	600
Minimum Marks ..	125	75	—	200

NEW SOUTH WALES.

BEGA.

Godfrey, Harry Peter ..	183	115	112	410
Brown, Kenneth Geo. Adam ..	162	100	100	362

BALLINA.

Reale, John Patrick ..	178	110	76	364
Richardson, Harold James ..	166	115	60	341

BELLINGEN.

Nehaus, Ernest Theodore ..	198	140	180	518
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BUNDARRA.

Sullivan, Thomas Joseph ..	195	135	80	410
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COORANBONG.

Hession, James ..	204	115	176	495
Casimir, Thomas Alfred ..	185	110	172	467
Humphreys, Alban ..	183	90	32	305

CARRINGTON.

Preston, Hubert Thomas ..	194	115	168	477
Amour, Harold Joseph ..	180	110	134	424
Penman, Wilfred Charles ..	142	100	100	342
McDonnell, Leo ..	147	100	68	315

COWRA.

Marks, Chas. Frederick ..	153	140	140	433
Hyams, Leslie George ..	168	130	102	400

COOLAMON.

Harrold, Cecil ..	180	125	100	405
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CONDOBOLIN.

MacGregor, Archie Stuart ..	170	130	146	446
Byrnes, Cecil Ernest Sampson ..	189	145	108	442

CAMPBELLTOWN.

Afflick, George Harold ..	193	135	174	502
Joseph, James Edward ..	174	105	164	443

DUBBO.

Allan, Hugh ..	200	135	162	497
Carr, George Alfred ..	192	125	132	449
Mitchell, Robert Charles ..	148	130	70	348

GUNNEDAH.

Stones, Frank ..	176	135	184	495
Bussell, Rupert Duffham ..	185	145	160	490

PUBLIC SERVICE EXAMINATION—continued.

Name.	Handwriting.	Spelling.	Arithmetic.	Total.
NEW SOUTH WALES—continued.				
HENTY.				
Duffy, Francis John	200	125	80	405
KEMPSEY.				
Lewis, Harold Macleay	184	145	194	523
Anlezark, Wesley William Jas. ..	163	145	112	420
Lobban, Donald Roy	154	135	32	321
Keneally, Francis Burke	125	140	52	317
LAWSON.				
Buttsworth, John Edmond	195	145	200	540
Thomas, Chas. Tailby	200	145	136	481
MOREE.				
Wilson, Arthur Frederick	205	145	188	538
MURRURUNDI.				
Harvey, Jas. Frederick	187	135	190	512
Teys, Oscar Hedley	140	130	92	362
MACLEAN.				
Brugg, Bertie Lancelot	190	145	114	449
PORTLAND.				
Burns, Allan G. M.	190	145	146	481
Sheppard, Alfred Edward	166	95	160	421
Fitzgerald, Michael Joseph	196	80	74	350
PAMBULA.				
McPherson, Ronald	202	130	66	398
Charlton, Norman Henry	181	125	78	384
Young, Alex. Stuart	184	115	62	361
Davis, Herbert John	147	80	52	279
RAYMOND TERRACE.				
Elliott, Gavan Charles	190	120	112	422
SOUTH WOODBURN.				
Grant, Ernest Victor	137	130	74	341
Olive, Archibald Geo. Watt	170	115	52	337
Scroope, Harry Leo	158	95	72	325
Hopkins, Frederick Lisbon	143	75	78	296
THE ROCK.				
Mills, Walter Arthur	190	125	88	403
WARATAH.				
Richards, Richard Thomas	198	140	174	512
Marchant, Sidney Dent	125	150	200	475
Whyte, Thos. Percival	147	140	154	441
Eslick, Herbert Glazebrook	165	130	126	421
Hopkins, Arthur	154	140	114	408
Gleeson, James Thomas	179	115	110	404
Way, Charles	191	140	56	387
Shields, Herbert	126	145	20	291
WILCANNIA.				
Creswell, Albert	230	75	140	445
VICTORIA.				
BIRCHIP.				
Rodgers, Jas. Arnold	205	145	188	538
Lilburne, Jno. Cunningham	158	90	122	370
Donnellon, Michael John	179	95	12	286
TALBOT.				
Wright, Wm. George	205	150	200	555
Jenkin, Albert	197	145	200	542
Tyers, Charles Blake	208	145	180	533
Powell, George Leonard	179	145	200	524
Allison, George Alva	198	120	178	496
Downing, Frederick	161	135	170	469
Calnan, Chas. Whitfield	191	125	76	392
Davis, Ernest Matthews	187	100	70	357
WARRENAMBOOL.				
Fisher, David Walter	170	115	38	323
WYCHEPROOF.				
Gillard, Robert Clarence	200	135	168	503

PUBLIC SERVICE EXAMINATION—continued.

Name.	Handwriting.	Spelling.	Arithmetic.	Total.
QUEENSLAND.				
ALLORA.				
Masters, Charles Thos.	171	150	134	455
Rynne, Francis	208	130	56	394
Bailey, Alex. Horace	155	135	100	390
Cranitch, Richard	128	140	70	338
BARCALDINE.				
Cooke, William Allan	218	145	200	563
Cook, Maurice Alfred	228	140	152	520
James, Charles John	190	120	200	510
Leyland, Arthur Douglas	223	115	152	490
Thompson, William George	221	110	158	489
O'Brien, Cornelius Andrew	142	100	82	324
Burns, Geo. Bertram	135	95	26	256
GOONDIWINDI.				
Hensler, Leslie Chas. Jos.	175	95	126	396
HUGHENDEN.				
Gibson, Clement Harold	138	135	118	391
Bender, William Francis	125	110	36	271
LAIDLEY.				
Sheppard, Arthur Raymond	210	135	100	445
Miles, Alfred Charles	211	110	114	435
NAMBOUR.				
Russell, William Osborn	168	125	148	441
Brookes, Harold Weston	146	125	72	343
SOUTH AUSTRALIA.				
BOOLEROO CENTRE.				
Carey, Jeremiah Modesta	167	125	168	460
Burley, Henry Robert	169	105	20	294
KOOLUNGA.				
Lindsay, Charlie Stuart	200	145	160	505
MELROSE.				
Andrews, Edward Bertram	190	145	180	515
Ey, Wm. Ferdinand	208	110	114	432
MILLICENT.				
Elton, Arthur William	205	90	110	405
PORT WAKEFIELD.				
Donnelly, Clement Augustine	183	115	180	478
RED HILL.				
Haskell, Alfred John	158	120	136	414
Haskell, Alfred Roy	199	120	84	403
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.				
BROADARROW.				
Warnes, Walter Leslie	235	150	200	585
COLLIE.				
Gillies, Daniel	132	85	78	295
Beange, Alexander	143	75	26	249
CUE.				
Robertson, Leslie Alex.	190	85	6	281
DAY DAWN.				
Thompson, Thomas W. H.	209	75	106	390
FREMANTLE.				
Charleson, Fred.	126	75	32	233
KALGOORLIE.				
Gibson, Sidney Heslop	211	115	180	506
Hughes, Thomas John	145	120	200	465
Jackson, Charles Alex.	232	140	70	442
Leahy, Horace Walford	210	95	76	381
Brown, William Harold	151	140	52	343

PUBLIC SERVICE EXAMINATION—continued.

Name.	Handwriting.	Spelling.	Arithmetic.	Total.
WESTERN AUSTRALIA—continued.				
MIDLAND JUNCTION.				
McDonald, Hugh John ..	177	125	160	462
Moses, Leslie Tauton Burnet ..	168	125	160	453
Watts, Stanislaus ..	230	115	70	415
Morrison, Leslie Alfred ..	156	120	80	356
Vernon, Chas. Molesworth ..	190	110	36	336
NANNINE.				
Trenaman, Wilfred Roy ..	210	110	160	480
PERTH.				
Andrews, Francis ..	211	120	128	459
Gunn, Alexander ..	243	120	88	451
Johnsen, Albert Johannas ..	200	75	170	445
Smith, Neil Alex. ..	129	130	170	429
Strudwick, Roy Augustine ..	173	130	126	429
Wilson, Alton James ..	214	100	58	372
Ambler, Sydney Chas. ..	170	80	100	350
Chapman, Arthur Fitzgerald ..	183	75	90	348
Sweetapple, Arthur Henry ..	195	90	54	339
Smith, John Wilson ..	176	75	68	319
Rees, Cyril Loveluck ..	141	100	76	317
Brown, Herbert Chas. Coomber ..	126	105	74	305
SUBIACO.				
Gunning, Arthur Leslie ..	167	135	194	496
Winton, Newton Oswald ..	220	135	110	465
TASMANIA.				
BURNIE.				
Seaton, William Alex. ..	192	105	38	335
Atkinson, Thomas ..	177	75	78	330
Ryan, Lionel ..	175	75	18	268
QUEENSTOWN.				
Rule, James Campbell ..	210	140	186	536
Cairns, Alan James ..	195	140	160	495
Wolfe, Chas. Bradlaugh ..	176	140	150	466
Timothy, Herbert James ..	188	105	126	419
Watson, Wallace Fredk. ..	194	135	86	415
Cleland, Percy Glen Wood ..	187	125	84	396
Curtain, John Henry ..	183	75	100	358
STRAHAN.				
Foley, James Charles ..	200	145	180	525
Hamill, James Reid ..	195	120	62	377
Norquay, Herbert Macpherson ..	189	120	36	344

D. C. McLACHLAN,
Commissioner.FRANCIS REDDIN,
Secretary.Office of the Commonwealth Public Service Commissioner,
Melbourne, 8th December, 1906.Department of Home Affairs,
Melbourne, 29th November, 1906.

TENDER ACCEPTED.

Place and Description of Work.	Amount of Contract.	Contractor's Name.	Date for Completion.
	£ s. d.		
SOUTH HEAD, PORT JACKSON, NEW SOUTH WALES— General Repairs at Military Barracks and Quarters ...	111 0 0	John Bromley	14.1.07

DAVID MILLER,
Secretary, Department of Home Affairs.

Commonwealth Public Service Act 1902.

NOTIFICATION OF VACANCIES.

APPPLICATIONS are invited by the Public Service Commissioner from persons qualified for appointment to the positions specified below.

Applicants outside the Public Service are eligible for appointment to the Administrative and Professional Divisions, but are not eligible for appointment to Clerical or General Division vacancies, unless they were in the service of a State on 1st January, 1901, or have retired from the service of the Commonwealth or of a State.

Officers in the Commonwealth Service must apply through the Chief Officer or Permanent Head, in accordance with Regulation No. 38.

Applicants who are officers of the Public Service of a State should state the date of their appointment to the Service, present position and salary.

Applicants from outside the Service should state their qualifications for the office they seek. Copies only of diplomas, references, testimonials, or certificates should be forwarded. If the originals are required, they will be asked for.

All applications must be in the applicants' own handwriting, and their date of birth should be stated.

Position.	Locality.	Division and Salary.	Applications Returnable.
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DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.

PATENTS AND TRADE MARKS BRANCH.

State of New South Wales.

Clerk, 4th Class	Sydney ...	Clerical, £185 to £285 per annum	15th December
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Duties.—Charge of Trade Marks sub-office, search State Trade Marks classification indexes, attend to public, deal with correspondence and records, &c., &c.

State of Queensland.

Clerk, 4th Class	Long Room, Brisbane	Clerical, £185 to £285 per annum	22nd December
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State of South Australia.

Clerk, 5th Class	Long Room, Port Adelaide	Clerical, £40 to £160 per annum	15th December
Clerk, 5th Class (two positions)	Landing Branch, Port Adelaide	Clerical, £40 to £160 per annum	15th December
Customs Assistant (three positions)	Landing Branch, Port Adelaide	Clerical, £40 to £160 per annum	15th December

POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

State of Queensland.

Telegraphist, 5th Class	Townsville ...	Clerical, £40 to £160 per annum	15th December
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D. C. McLACHLAN,
Commissioner.
FRANCIS REDDIN,
Secretary.Office of the Commonwealth Public Service Commissioner,
Melbourne, 6th December, 1906.

Commonwealth of Australia.

PUBLIC SERVICE EXAMINATION, No. 59.

FOR APPOINTMENT AS TELEGRAPH MESSENGER.

IT is hereby notified that a Special Competitive Examination for boys between the ages of 13 and 15 years at the date of examination will be held on Saturday, 19th January, 1907, for appointment to the position of Telegraph Messenger at the following places:—

New South Wales.—Bingara, Coraki, Cobar, Ganmain, Gulgong, Inverell, Jerry's Plains, Lockhart, Moree, Sydney and Suburbs, Trundle, Walgett.

Victoria.—Tarnagulla.

Queensland.—Cairns, Ingham.

South Australia.—Caltowie, Greenock, Port Augusta, Port Pirie, Port Victoria, Riverton, Wallaroo.

Western Australia.—Albany, Bulong, Carnarvon, Davyhurst, Fremantle, Geraldton, Kalgoorlie, Kanowna, Lawlers, Northam, Northampton, Narrogin, Perth, Ravenshorpe, Roebourne, Williams, West Northam, York.

Tasmania.—Beaconsfield, Derby.

Application to attend the examination must be lodged with the local Postmaster at the place at which the candidate wishes to be appointed not later than Saturday, the 12th January, 1907, together with a postal note for 5s., crossed, and made payable to "The Secretary to the Commonwealth Public Service Commissioner, Melbourne."

Printed forms, upon which all applications must be written, may be obtained at the Post-office at each of the places above named; but the application forms of candidates desiring appointment at Sydney and Suburbs must be obtained from, and lodged at, the office of the Commonwealth Public Service Inspector, No. 123 Macquarie-street, Sydney.

Successful candidates in Western Australia will not be eligible to receive appointment until they reach the age of 14 years; and a boy is not eligible for appointment in New South Wales or Victoria under the age of 14, unless he has obtained a certificate entitling him to leave school under that age.

The salary attached to the position is—Minimum, £26 per annum; maximum, £52 per annum, together with a District Allowance at such places as the same is provided for by Regulation.

Attention is directed to section 10 of the *Post and Telegraph Act 1901*, which provides that candidates appointed to the position of Telegraph Messenger must retire from the service immediately on attaining the age of 18 years, unless previously appointed to some other position in the service.

The subjects of examination will be—

- (a) Handwriting—To be tested by copying out at least 200 words from a passage of simple English.
- (b) Spelling—To be tested by writing, from dictation, not less than 100 words.
- (c) Arithmetic—first four rules, simple and money.

If candidates be not informed to the contrary, the examination will take place at the Post-office at each of the places above mentioned, under the supervision of the local Postmaster; but candidates for appointment at Sydney and Suburbs will be examined at the Blackfriars Practice School, Sydney.

The Time Table of the Examination is—Handwriting, 2 p.m. to 2.30 p.m.; spelling, 2.30 p.m. to 3 p.m.; arithmetic, 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.

D. C. McLACHLAN,
Commissioner.

FRANCIS REDDIN,
Secretary.

Office of the Commonwealth Public Service Commissioner,
Melbourne, 5th December, 1906.

Commonwealth of Australia.

PUBLIC SERVICE EXAMINATION, No. 60.

FOR APPOINTMENT AS TELEPHONE ATTENDANT (FEMALE) AND
TELEGRAPH MESSENGER, AT ADELAIDE AND SUBURBS.

IT is hereby notified that a Competitive Examination for appointment as above specified will be held on Saturday, 16th March, 1907. Applications to be examined *must reach* the office of the Commonwealth Public Service Com-

missioner, Melbourne, not later than Saturday, 26th January, 1907, otherwise they will not be accepted.

All applications must be made on printed forms, which may be obtained personally at, or on written application to, the office of the Commonwealth Public Service Inspector, General Post Office Buildings, Adelaide.

It is estimated that three vacancies for Telephone Attendants, and twenty-five for Telegraph Messengers, will occur during the eighteen months for which the names of successful candidates will remain on the Register.

The examination for Telephone Attendants will be held at Adelaide, Kadina, Narracoorte, Petersburg, Port Pirie, and such other places as may be found necessary. Candidates for Telegraph Messengerships will be examined in Adelaide only.

The subjects of examination will be :—

- (a) *Handwriting*.—To be tested by copying out Full
at least 200 words from a passage of marks.
simple English 250
- (b) *Spelling*.—To be tested by writing from
dictation not less than 100 words ... 150
- (c) *Arithmetic*.—First four rules, simple and
money 200

A candidate will not be eligible for appointment as a Telephone Attendant unless her age was, at the last birthday preceding appointment, not less than 16 nor more than 25 years. A candidate for the position of Telegraph Messenger must be between the ages of 13 and 15 years at the date of examination, and, to be eligible for nomination, be not more than 15 years at his last birthday preceding appointment, and must cease to be employed on attaining the age of 18 years, unless in the meantime he has been promoted to some other position in the Service.

Appointments as Telephone Attendant will be made on probation only, during which each appointee will be tested as regards her hearing, speech, and general management of, and deportment over, a telephone. Only those who satisfy such tests will be eligible for permanent appointment.

A postal note for 7s. 6d., crossed and made payable to the Secretary, Commonwealth Public Service Commissioner, Melbourne, must accompany each application for appointment as Telephone Attendant; and one for 5s. for appointment as Telegraph Messenger.

The salaries attaching to the positions are :—

Telephone Attendant—Minimum, £30; maximum, £84; to be increased to £110 per annum on attaining the age of 21 years and completing 3 years' service.

Telegraph Messenger—Minimum, £26; maximum, £52 per annum.

D. C. McLACHLAN,
Commissioner.

FRANCIS REDDIN, Secretary.
Melbourne, 6th December, 1906.

