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His Excellency the Right Honorable Henry William, Baron Forster, a Member of His Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of the Commonwealth of Australia.

To: Colonel (Honorary Brigadier-General) Evan Alexander Wisdom, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., V.D., A.D.C. to His Excellency the Governor-General, Administrator (temporarily) of the Territory of New Guinea and Officer Commanding (temporarily) the Australian Naval and Military Expeditionary Force.

UNDER the powers conferred upon me by Sections 86 and 87 of the *Defence Act 1903-1918*, I, the Governor-General aforesaid, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, do hereby delegate to you or the Officer on whom your command may devolve during your absence not under the rank of Field Officer full power and authority, from time to time as occasion may require, to convene General Courts Martial and District Courts Martial, and to appoint officers to constitute such Courts Martial, and to confirm the finding or finding and sentence thereof, or send back the finding and sentence or either of them for revision, and to mitigate or remit the punishment or any part of the punishment awarded by any sentence or commute the punishment for any less punishment to which the offender might have been sentenced by the Court Martial and to suspend the execution or currency of any sentence:

Provided always that if by the sentence of any General Court Martial any person subject to Military Law has been sentenced to suffer death or penal servitude, or if a commissioner officer has been sentenced to be cashiered or dismissed from the Service, you shall in such cases, as also in the case of any other Court Martial in which you shall think fit so to do, withhold confirmation and transmit the proceedings to me.

And for so doing, this shall be, as well to you as to all others whom it may concern, a sufficient warrant.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of the Commonwealth of Australia at Melbourne, this twelfth day of March, (L.S.) in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and in the eleventh year of His Majesty's reign.

FORSTER, Governor-General.

By His Excellency's Command,

G. F. PEARCE, Minister of State for Defence.

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Rabbit Destruction Ordinance 1919.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 33 OF THE ABOVE-MENTIONED ORDINANCE TO OWNERS OR OCCUPIERS WITHIN THE TERRITORY FOR THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 33 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1919, notice is hereby given by the Minister that the owners or occupiers of all or any lands within the above-mentioned Territory shall, on or before the second day of May, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, respectively commence the work of suppressing and destroying rabbits and noxious animals, upon such lands and upon any roads bounding or intersecting the same. The period during which the said work shall be continued and systematically carried out shall be from the 2nd May, 1921, to 31st December, 1921. The means which shall be adopted for carrying out the said work shall be poison, digging out, or trapping, being means which have been previously sanctioned under the said Act. This cancels the notice which appeared in the *Commonwealth Gazette* of 10th March, 1921.

Dated the 21st March, 1921.

A. POYNTON, Minister for Home and Territories.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the *Customs Tariff Ordinance 1920* has been passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Papua with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, and has not been disallowed by His Excellency the Governor-General.

A. POYNTON, Minister for Home and Territories.

CONSUL.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs the recognition of Mr. CHARLES FREELEAGUS as Acting Vice-Consul for Greece in Queensland, during the absence of Mr. Christos Freeleagus.

W. M. HUGHES, Prime Minister.

ORDERS MADE BY THE MINISTER UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACTS HEREUNDER CITED.

THE statutory conditions precedent to determination by the Minister of the contraventions enumerated in the following Schedule having been fulfilled, the several matters have been so determined, and the Orders made by me are published hereunder in accordance with the law.

W. MASSY GREENE, Minister for Trade and Customs.

SCHEDULE.

Act under which Order made.	Name of Person Charged.	Place of Alleged Contravention.	Date of Alleged Contravention.	Nature of Alleged Contravention.	Penalty.
<i>Excise Act 1901-1918</i>	D. Bishop	Melbourne, Vic.	11.1.21	Failure to cut beer duty stamp at the time and in the manner required by section 37 of the <i>Beer Excise Act 1901-1918</i>	£ s. d. 0 10 0
"	S. E. MacNamara	Brisbane, Qld.	2.12.20	" " " " "	0 10 0
"	Mrs. M. Mezger	Mackay, Qld. ..	18.11.20	" " " " "	0 10 0
"	S. White	Brisbane, Qld.	2.12.20	" " " " "	1 0 0
"	Mrs. M. C. Hill	Stannary Hills, Qld.	On a date between 28.8.20 and 27.9.20	" " " " "	0 10 0
"	K. S. Bellamy	Gordonvale ..	On a date between 9.8.20 and 21.9.20	" " " " "	0 10 0
<i>Customs Act 1901-1920</i>	Oversea Sales Agency Australia Ltd.	Sydney, N.S.W.	22.9.20	Omission to enter goods for export within three days after shipment	1 0 0
"	E. D. Paton and Co. Ltd. ..	" "	21.1.21	Unshipping goods in connexion with which a collector's permit had not been issued nor an entry passed	10 0 0
"	Suzuki and Co.	" "	13.1.21	" " " " "	5 0 0
"	Bennet and Barkell Ltd. ..	" "	30.11.20	Making an entry which is false in a particular (misdescription of goods)	2 10 0
"	Gilbert Lodge and Co. Ltd.	" "	31.12.20	" " " " "	2 10 0
"	Nook and Kirby Ltd. ..	" "	14.12.20	Making an entry which is false in a particular (under-valuation of goods)	2 10 0
"	Gleniffer Co-operative Dairy Co. Ltd.	" "	2.11.20	Producing to an officer a document containing a statement which is untrue in a particular (butter short weight)	3 0 0
"	Argyle Co-op. Central Dairy Co. Ltd.	" "	22.11.20	" " " " "	2 10 0
"	Alstonville Co-op. Refrigerating and Carrying Co. Ltd.	" "	30.11.20	" " " " "	2 10 0
"	Crookwell Butter Factory Co. Ltd.	" "	15.11.20	" " " " "	3 0 0
"	Wilde's Meadow and Yarrunga Dairy Co. Ltd.	" "	24.11.20	Producing to an officer a document containing a statement which is untrue in a particular (excessive moisture in butter)	4 0 0
"	Ulladulla Refrigerating Butter Co. Ltd.	" "	"	" " " " "	1 10 0
"	Coff's Harbour Co-op. Dairying and Refrigerating Co. Ltd.	" "	22.11.20	" " " " "	3 0 0
"	Coff's Harbour Co-op. Dairying and Refrigerating Co. Ltd.	" "	30.11.20	" " " " "	2 10 0
"	Ballina Co-op. Refrigerating and Produce Co. Ltd.	" "	30.10.20	" " " " "	2 10 0
"	Mirboo and Morwell Valley Farmers' Co-op. Co. Ltd.	Melbourne, Vic.	22.9.20	Making in a document produced to an officer a statement which is untrue in a particular (butter deficient in butter fat)	1 0 0
"	G. J. Grice Ltd.	Brisbane, Qld.	1.12.20	Making an entry which is false in a particular (incorrect statement as to weight of goods)	2 10 0
"	Chas. O'Reilly	" "	20.12.20	Making an entry which is false in a particular (misdescription of goods)	2 10 0
"	Chas. O'Reilly	" "	10.1.21	Making in a document produced to an officer a statement which is untrue in a particular (omission of goods)	2 10 0
"	Warwick Butter and Dairying Co. Ltd.	" "	18.11.20	Making in a document produced to an officer a statement which is untrue in a particular (butter deficient in butter fat and containing excessive moisture)	2 10 0
"	Warwick Butter and Dairying Co. Ltd.	" "	1.12.20	" " " " "	3 10 0
"	Frank Worth, Master, s.s. <i>Chepadou</i>	" "	8.1.21	Making in a document produced to an officer a statement which is untrue in particular (omission of goods from Form 9)	5 0 0
"	Graves, Hill and Co. Ltd. ..	Port Adelaide, S.A.	28.10.20	Producing to an officer a document containing a statement which is untrue in a particular (under-valuation of goods)	2 10 0 2 10 0
"	Geo. Willis and Co. Ltd. ..	" "	22.11.20	Making an entry which is false in a particular (misdescription of goods)	2 10 0
"	Felton, Grimwade and Bickford Ltd.	Fremantle, W.A.	6.12.20	" " " " "	2 10 0

SCHEDULE—continued.

Act under which Order made.	Name of Person Charged.	Place of Alleged Contravention.	Date of Alleged Contravention.	Nature of Alleged Contravention.	Penalty.
<i>Customs Act 1901-1920.</i>	Bruce Alexander Hordern, passenger per s.s. <i>Morea</i>	Fremantle, W.A.	14.1.21	Bring unlawfully in possession of a prohibited export (gold coin)	£ s. d. 8 0 0
"	John R. Wolfenden, passenger per s.s. <i>Orsova</i>	" "	1.2.21	" " " " "	" 1 5 0
In regard to the above contraventions the Department does not allege intention to defraud.					
<i>Customs Act 1901-1920</i>	Joseph Chilvers, master, s.s. <i>Chinese Prince</i>	Albany, W.A.	11.1.21	Being unlawfully in possession of smuggled goods	5 0 0 and for- feiture of goods
"	Olf Persson, fireman, s.s. <i>Australpool</i>	Fremantle, W.A.	24.1.21	" " " " "	1 0 0 " "
"	Jakob Hooland, 3rd engineer, s.s. <i>Hanna Neilsen</i>	Melbourne, Vic.	23.11.20	" " " " "	1 10 0 " "
"	Brant Johannsen, fireman, s.s. <i>Hanna Neilsen</i>	" "	"	" " " " "	1 0 0 " "
"	Anders Jorgensen, engineer's apprentice, s.s. <i>Hanna Neilsen</i>	" "	"	" " " " "	1 0 0 " "
"	Sverre Simonsen, fireman, s.s. <i>Hanna Neilsen</i>	" "	"	" " " " "	1 0 0 " "
"	Hugo Sars Floor, wireless operator, s.s. <i>Hanna Neilsen</i>	" "	"	" " " " "	2 0 0 " "
"	Nils Jager, 3rd officer, s.s. <i>Hanna Neilsen</i>	" "	"	" " " " "	2 0 0 " "
"	Hans Godo, carpenter, s.s. <i>Hanna Neilsen</i>	" "	"	" " " " "	1 0 0 " "
"	Frederick Bjoonberg, deck engineer, s.s. <i>Hanna Neilsen</i>	" "	"	" " " " "	1 10 0 " "
"	Sven Pettersson, greaser, s.s. <i>Hanna Neilsen</i>	" "	"	" " " " "	1 0 0 " "
"	Erling Tonnessen, seaman, s.s. <i>Hanna Neilsen</i>	" "	"	" " " " "	1 0 0 " "
"	Kisogi Arima, 2nd officer, s.s. <i>Atsuta Maru</i>	Fremantle, W.A.	1.2.21	Smuggling goods	2 0 0 " "

AUSTRALIAN NOTES.

COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA—NOTE ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Issued in pursuance of Section 60L of the Commonwealth Bank Act 1911-1920.

Statement of Position as at close of Business on Monday, the 28th day of February, 1921.

Denomina- tion.	No.	Value.	Total.	Held by Banks.	Active Circulation in hands of Public.	Gold Held.	Per cent. of Total Circulation.	Per cent. of Active Circulation.
		£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.		
10s. ..	4,734,005	2,367,002 10	58,787,698 10	33,314,792 0	25,472,906 10	23,852,197 0	40.57	93.63
£1 ..	15,192,476	15,192,476 0						
£5 ..	1,994,684	9,973,420 0						
£10 ..	441,554	4,415,540 0						
£20 ..	32,603	652,060 0						
£50 ..	32,590	1,629,500 0						
£100 ..	16,657	1,665,700 0						
£1,000 ..	22,892	22,892,000 0						

DENISON MILLER, Governor,
Commonwealth Bank of Australia.HENRY ARMITAGE, Secretary.
Sydney, 10th March, 1921.

Post and Telegraph Act 1901-1916.—Section 57.

I N pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by the *Post and Telegraph Act 1901-1916*, I hereby order and direct that on and after this date any postal article received at a Post Office in the Commonwealth addressed to—

"Gunner E. ANDERSSON,

"41, Kobmagergade,

"Copenhagen K., Denmark."

by his own or any other name, fictitious or assumed, or to any agent or representative of his, shall not be registered or transmitted or delivered.

Dated this 24th day of March, 1921.

GEO. H. WISE, Postmaster-General.

The Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1904-1920.

Principal Registry, Melbourne, 17th March, 1921.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE CHANGE OF THE CONSTITUTION OF AN ORGANIZATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that application has been made to me under the *Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1904-1920*, for the change of constitution of the Australasian Institute of Marine Engineers from the following:—

Rule 3. "The Institute shall consist of Engineers Honorary Associates and Honorary Members, the qualifications for each as hereinafter defined. For the purpose of facilitating communications between and for the mutual benefit of its members it is divided into Districts where necessary," and Rule 45, "Members shall be Engineers holding certificates recognised by the Board of Trade, or who have served an apprenticeship. The term apprenticeship shall be understood to mean having worked for a period of not less than five years at the engineering trade, except apprentices who in the last year of their time shall be eligible for membership. Candidates holding the B.E. degree (Mech.) of any Australasian University shall be exempted from two out of the five years' apprenticeship necessary to qualify them for membership. Auxiliary members shall be those admitted in accordance with our agreement with the A.S.E."

to the following:—

"Rule 3. The Institute shall consist of Engineers Marine Power Plant (Mechanical Hydraulic and Electrical) Honorary Associates and Honorary Members the qualifications for each as hereinafter defined. For the purpose of facilitating communication between and for the mutual benefit of its members it is divided into Districts where necessary.

And Rule 35. Members shall be engineers holding certificates recognised by the Board of Trade or who have served an apprenticeship. The term of apprenticeship shall be understood to mean having worked for a period of not less than five years at the engineering trade except apprentices who in the last year of their time shall be eligible for membership. That Mechanical Hydraulic and Electrical Engineers shall have served such time as is required for full qualifications obtainable in their respective engineering calling. Candidates holding the B.E. Degree (Mech.) of any Australasian University shall be exempted from two out of the five years' apprenticeship necessary to qualify them for membership. Auxiliary Members shall be those admitted in accordance with any agreement with kindred societies."

Any person who desires to object to the proposed change may do so by lodging with me a notice of the objection in the prescribed form and a statutory declaration in support thereof within twenty-one days after the publication of this advertisement, and by serving on the organization copies of the notice of objection and statutory declaration so lodged.

A. M. STEWART, Industrial Registrar.

Principal Registry, Melbourne, 17th March, 1921.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE CHANGE OF THE NAME OF AN ORGANIZATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that application has been made to me under the *Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1904-1920*, for the change of the name of the "Australasian Institute of Marine Engineers" to "Australasian Institute of Marine and Power Engineers."

Any person who desires to object to the proposed change may do so by lodging with me a notice of the objection in the prescribed form and a statutory declaration in support thereof within twenty-one days after the publication of this advertisement, and by serving on the organization copies of the notice of objection and statutory declaration so lodged.

A. M. STEWART, Industrial Registrar.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the following appointments under the Treasury Regulations:—

ARCHIBALD BROAD, to be Certifying and Authorizing Officer for the War Service Homes Commission, State of Tasmania, vice H. C. Orbell.

HAROLD BENEDET EDWARDS, to be Acting Certifying and Authorizing Officer for the Commonwealth Audit Office, State of South Australia, during the temporary absence of the local auditor.

GEORGE ALEXANDER LIVINGSTONE, to be Acting Certifying and Authorizing Officer for the Commonwealth Railways, Port Augusta, during the temporary absence of W. Truss.

I. W. CADLE, to be Certifying Officer for the Repatriation Commission, State of Tasmania, vice L. M. Newton.

JOHN THOMAS MURRAY, to be Authorizing Officer for the Department of Defence, State of New South Wales, vice H. S. Norris.

ARTHUR S. RODGERS, for the Treasurer.

EXPENDITURE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF No. 67 OF TREASURY REGULATIONS UNDER SECTION 71 OF THE AUDIT ACT 1901-1920.

DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.

- £9,061 13s. 4d.—Government of Victoria—Purchase of *Lady Loch* for Lighthouse Service.
- £526 16s. 5d.—H. B. Selby & Co., Melbourne—Purchase of ampoules for Quarantine Service.
- £136 8s.—C. Coulson, Melbourne—Cartage to King's Warehouse.
- £167 8s. 6d.—A. V. Leggo & Co., Melbourne—Sulphur for Quarantine Service.
- £300.—E. A. Jack, Melbourne—Motor boat for Lighthouse Service, Launceston.
- £120 0s. 5d.—Steel Company of Australasia, Melbourne—Castings for Lighthouse Service.
- £241 2s. 3d.—Melbourne S.S. Co. Ltd.—Coal for Lighthouse Service.
- £159 19s.—Phoenix Press, Sydney—Printing.
- £175 6s.—Howard Smith Ltd., Sydney—Coal supplied.
- £435 7s. 6d.—Stott & Hoare Ltd., Sydney—Typewriters supplied.
- £184 11s. 6d.—Dath, Henderson, & Co., Brisbane—Timber supplied.
- £115 1s. 8d.—H. & J. Friend, Gladstone—Iron nails supplied.
- £121 11s. 6d.—Gardner, Waern, & Co., Sydney—Re-charging cylinders.
- £141 7s.—Jas. Lyons Ltd., Cairns—Timber supplied.
- £100 3s. 3d.—V. Leggo & Co., Brisbane—Sulphur supplied.
- £227 7s. 9d.—McIlwraith Ltd., Sydney—Goods supplied to s.s. *Karuah*.
- £144 4s. 8d.—Adelaide S.S. Co. Ltd., Brisbane—Coal supplied to s.s. *Karuah*.
- £127 9s. 6d.—Armstrong, Ledlie, & Stillman, Cairns—Goods supplied.
- £139 1s. 8d.—Commissioner of Railways, Brisbane—Coal supplied to s.s. *Karuah*.
- £116 14s. 8d.—Gardner, Waern, & Co., Adelaide—Re-charging cylinders.
- £114 2s.—Adelaide S.S. Co. Ltd., Adelaide—Coal for s.s. *Lady Loch*.
- £128 18s. 4d.—Union Stores Ltd., Fremantle—Supply of stores to Quarantine Service.
- £112 16s. 4d.—Walker & Holmes, Fremantle—Supply of Meat to Quarantine Service.
- £125 13s. 9d.—Frank Cadd Co. Ltd., Fremantle—Supply of vans, &c., cartage and delivery of furniture to Melbourne.
- £347 15s. 8d.—Vacuum Oil Co. Ltd., Hobart—Oil supplied.
- £267.—Holyman Bros. Ltd., Hobart—Conveyance of stores to Lighthouse.—(Ex. Min. No. 49.)

POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

Ex. Mins. Nos. 160, 161, 162, 165, 167, 168.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

£620.—F. C. Tracy and Co. Ltd., 17 Castlereagh-street, Sydney, purchase of 20 tons G.I. wire, approximately 250 lbs. per mile.

£436.—Henry Broadbent Ltd., Sowerby Bridge, Yorkshire, England, purchase of 1 Broadbent standard all gear lathe, complete with accessories.

VICTORIA.

£198 15s.—J. Bartram and Sons Pty. Ltd., Melbourne, purchase of 9 miles 1,560 yards of twin jumper flame resisting wire.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

£130 18s.—P. R. Graetz, Keyneton, purchase of 106 poles required in connexion with the erection of the Dutton-Truro line.

£139 15s. per annum.—John O'Shea, payment for performance of the letter delivery and clearance of letter receivers at Wallaroo Mines, as from 1st March, 1921.

£270.—Western Electric Company, purchase of 7,200 number plates, similar and equal to sealed pattern 541, required in connexion with the Central Exchange, Adelaide, the purchase price being based on exchange at the rate of 45 francs to the pound, and is subject to adjustment to the rate of exchange ruling at the date of delivery.

W. M. HUGHES, Prime Minister.

EXPENDITURE UNDER CLAUSE 110 OF THE NAVAL ACCOUNT REGULATIONS UNDER SECTION 63A OF THE AUDIT ACT 1901-1920.

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY.

£1,690 10s. Messrs. Huddart Parker, Ltd.—805 tons coal to H.M.A.S. *Sydney*, at Hobart, on 22nd November, 1920.
 £1,096 9s. 2d.—Bellambi Coal Co.—804 tons coal to H.M.A.S. *Sydney*, at Sydney, on 28th October, 1920.
 £5,110.—Messrs. Gollin & Co.—40 tons manganese bronze supplied to Cockatoo Island Dockyard.
 £2,295.—Colonial Rubber Co.—10,200 lbs. asbestos sheet supplied to Naval Store Officer, Sydney.
 (Ex. Min. No. 23.)

W. H. LAIRD SMITH, Minister for Navy.

THE Governor-General in Council has been pleased to approve of the appointment, under the provisions of the *Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918-1919*, of WILLIAM THOMPSON to be Commonwealth Electoral Officer for the State of Victoria (without additional remuneration), during the absence on leave of the permanent officer, Robert Hazlewood Lawson.

A. POYNTON, Minister for Home and Territories.

APPOINTMENT AND RETIREMENT OF ELECTORAL REGISTRARS.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned persons, whose names are printed in capital letters, have been appointed to be Electoral Registrars under the *Commonwealth Electoral Act*, and that the appointment of the undermentioned persons, whose names are printed in italic letters, has been terminated. Each appointment is to take effect on and from the date upon which the person appointed takes over the duties of the office, and to continue during the pleasure of the Minister:—

STATE OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

Division of Werriwa.—ERNEST OLIVER ALLEN, Forest Guard, Grenfell, to keep the Roll for the Subdivision of Grenfell, in the place of *John Goldrick*, whose appointment is terminated.

STATE OF VICTORIA.

Division of Flinders.—THOMAS WILLIAM CHARLES DEELEY, Mounted Constable, Healesville, to keep the Roll for the Subdivision of Healesville, in the place of *Osmond Alfred Evans*, whose appointment is terminated.

STATE OF QUEENSLAND.

Division of Darling Downs.—THOMAS KINGSMILL SMITH, Postmaster, Oakey, to keep the Roll for the Subdivision of Oakey, in the place of *Joseph Henry Bradshaw*, whose appointment is terminated.

Division of Lilley.—AMBROSE JESSE GEORGE, State School Teacher, North Pine, to keep the Roll for the Subdivision of North Pine, in the place of *Robert Douglas Hunter*, whose appointment is terminated.

Division of Maranoa.—WALTER LESLIE MYCOCK, Postmaster, Barcardine, to keep the Roll for the Subdivisions of Barcardine and Barcardine North, in the place of *James Thompson*, whose appointment is terminated.

Division of Moreton.—JOSEPH HENRY BRADSHAW, Postmaster, Gatton, to keep the Roll for the Subdivision of Gatton, in the place of *Thomas Kingsmill Smith*, whose appointment is terminated.

A. POYNTON, Minister of State for Home and Territories.

Northern Territory Land Act 1899 of South Australia, and Northern Territory Acceptance Act 1910 of the Commonwealth of Australia

PURSUANT to the powers conferred upon me by the *Northern Territory Land Act 1899* of the State of South Australia and the *Northern Territory Acceptance Act 1910* of the Commonwealth of Australia, I hereby appoint WILLIAM BANKS HICKS, of the Northern Territory Lands Branch, Home and Territories Department, Melbourne, as an Arbitrator to make and fix a valuation, in accordance with the said Acts, of the annual rent payable by the lessees of the pastoral leases included in the schedule hereto for the remainder of the term of such leases after the expiration of the twenty-first year of the said term.

Dated this fourteenth day of March, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

A. POYNTON,

Minister of State for Home and Territories of the Commonwealth of Australia.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Pastoral leases numbered 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2113A, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2125, 2127, 2129, 2130, 2133, 2135, 2136, 2137, 2139, 2140, 2141, 2142, 2153, 2155, 2156, 2157, 2158, 2159, 2161, 2162, 2164, 2169, 2169A, 2170, 2172, 2173, 2174, 2175, 2179, 2180, 2181, 2182, 2183, 2188, 2196, 2197, 2199, 2200, 2202, 2204, 2205, 2206, 2209, 2219, 2221, 2222, 2226.

The Lands Acquisition Act 1906.

NOTIFICATION OF 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, together with all buildings, structures, improvements, apparatus, machinery, and tanks (if any) thereon, (saving and excepting thereout all mines and minerals lying and being in and under the said land), has been acquired by the Commonwealth under the *Lands Acquisition Act 1906* for the following public purpose, namely, for Repatriation purposes at Newcastle, New South Wales.

Dated the 16th day of March, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

FORSTER,
Governor-General.

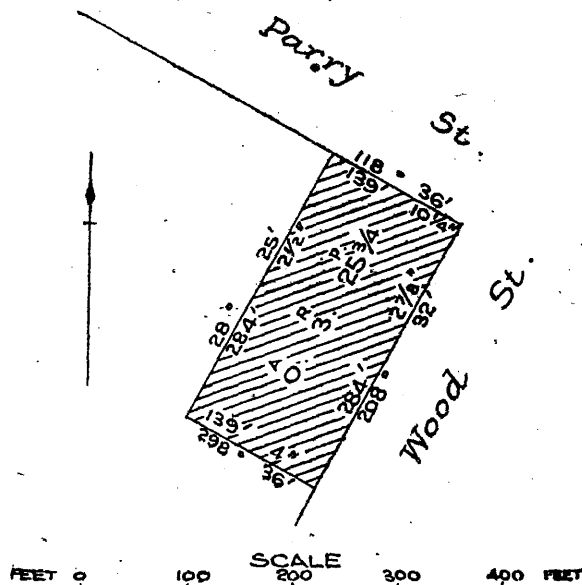
By His Excellency's Command,

A. POYNTON, Minister for Home and Territories.

N.L. 21/396.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND REFERRED TO.

All that piece or parcel of land at Newcastle containing an area of 3 roods 25½ perches, more or less, being lots 7, 8, 9, and 10, and parts of lots 16, 17, and 6 of section X of a subdivision of 2,000 acres granted to the Australian Agricultural Company, parish of Newcastle, county of Northumberland, State of New South Wales, Commonwealth of Australia, as shown hachured on plan hereunder: Commencing at the intersection of the south-western side of Parry-street with the north-western side of Wood-street; thence by part of the north-western side of Wood-street bearing 208 degs. 32 mins. 284 ft. 2½ ins.; thence by lines bearing 298 degs. 36 mins. 139 ft. 4 ins. and 28 degs. 25 mins. 284 ft. 2½ ins. to a point in the south-western side of Parry-street before mentioned; and thence by part of that side of that street bearing 118 degs. 36 mins. 139 ft. 10½ ins. to the point of commencement.



The War Service Homes Act 1918-1920.

NOTIFICATION OF THE ACQUISITION OF LAND BY THE WAR SERVICE HOMES COMMISSIONER.

PURSUANT to the *War Service Homes Act 1918-1920* and the Regulations made thereunder, it is hereby notified and declared by the War Service Homes Commissioner, a body corporate by the said Act, that the land at Campbelltown, in the State of New South Wales, hereunder described (excepting thereout all rights, interests, and things reserved to His Majesty the King by or under the Crown grant or Crown grants of the said land) has been acquired by compulsory process for the purposes of the *War Service Homes Act 1918-1920*.

Dated the 22nd day of March, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

(L.S.)

J. M. SEMMENS,

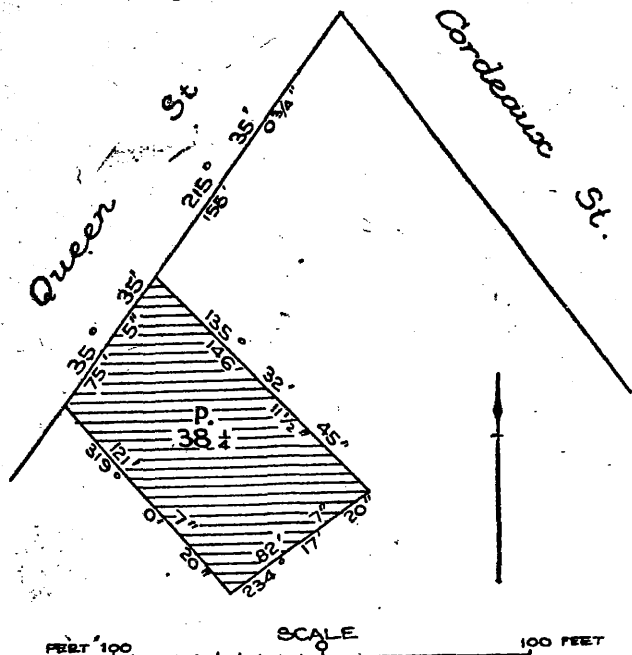
N.L. 21/443.

Acting War Service Homes Commissioner.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND REFERRED TO.

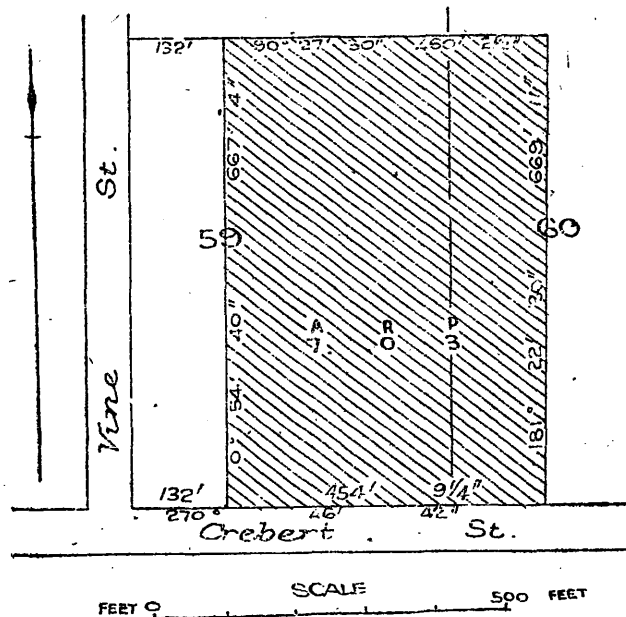
All that piece or parcel of land containing an area of 38½ perches, more or less, being part of allotment 96, originally granted to John Farley by Crown grant dated 11th August, 1841, town of Campbelltown, parish of St. Peter, county of Cumberland, State of New South Wales, Commonwealth of Australia, as shown hachured on plan hereunder: Commencing at a point in the south-eastern side of Queen-street which bears 215 degs. 35 mins. 155 ft. 0½ in. from the intersection of that side of that street with the south-western side of Cordaux-street; thence by lines bearing 135 degs. 32 mins. 45

secs. 146 ft. 11½ in., 234 degs. 17 mins. 20 secs. 82 ft. 7 in., and 319 degs. 0 mins. 20 secs. 121 ft. 7 in. to a point in the south-eastern side of Queen-street beforementioned; and thence by part of that side of that street bearing 35 degs. 35 mins. 75 ft. 5 in. to the point of commencement.



DESCRIPTION OF LAND REFERRED TO.

All that piece or parcel of land in the municipality of Waratah, containing an area of 7 acres and 3 perches, more or less, comprising part of allotment 59, originally granted to Charles Simpson by Crown grant dated 12th October, 1852, and part of allotment 60, originally granted to Charles Bolton by Crown grant dated 12th October, 1852, parish of Newcastle, county of Northumberland, State of New South Wales, Commonwealth of Australia, as shown hachured on plan hereunder: Commencing at a point in the northern side of Crebert-street which bears 90 degs. 46 mins. 42 secs. 132 feet from the intersection of that side of that street with the eastern side of Vine-street; thence northerly, easterly, and southerly by lines bearing 0 degs. 54 mins. 40 secs. 667 ft. 4 in., 90 degs. 27 mins. 30 secs. 460 ft. 2½ in., and 181 degs. 22 mins. 30 secs. 669 ft. 11 in. to a point in the northern side of Crebert-street beforementioned; and thence by part of that side of that street bearing 270 degs. 46 mins. 42 secs. 454 ft. 9½ in. to the point of commencement.



The War Service Homes Act 1918-1920.

NOTIFICATION OF THE ACQUISITION OF LAND BY THE WAR SERVICE HOMES COMMISSIONER.

PURSUANT to the War Service Homes Act 1918-1920 and the Regulations made thereunder, it is hereby notified and declared by the War Service Homes Commissioner, a body corporate by the said Act, that the land at Waratah, in the State of New South Wales, hereunder described (excepting thereout all rights, interests, and things reserved to His Majesty the King by or under the Crown grant or Crown grants of the said land) has been acquired by compulsory process for the purposes of the War Service Homes Act 1918-1920.

Dated the 17th day of March, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

(L.S.)

J. M. SEMMENS,
Acting War Service Homes Commissioner.

(N.L.21/428.)

TENDERS.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

TENDERS INVITED.

TENDERS are invited for the undermentioned supplies and/or services. Tenders must be indorsed "Tender for..... (as the case may be)", and be addressed to the Deputy Postmaster-General in the State named. They may be deposited in the Tender-box at the General Post Office in that State; if sent by post they must be prepaid and registered.

Description of Material or Service required.	Schedule No.	Tender Forms, Specifications, &c., obtainable from—	Tenders Close—
GENERAL§			
Switchboards—all States	1670	* †	3 p.m., 31.5.21 **
Manual Telegraph Transmitting Devices—all States..	1680	* †	3 p.m., 31.5.21
Aminonium Chloride—all States	1683	*	3 p.m., 31.5.21
Sulphate of Copper—various States	1684	*	3 p.m., 12.4.21
Porous Pots and Outer Jars—all States	1685	*	3 p.m., 31.5.21
Dry Cells—all States	1686	*	3 p.m., 19.4.21
Waterproof Overcoats—all States	1688	*	3 p.m., 29.3.21
Wheatstone Tape—Transmitting and Receiving—all States ..	1700	*	3 p.m., 19.4.21
NEW SOUTH WALES.			
Telephone and Telegraph Apparatus, Testing Instruments and Switch-board Parts, Sydney	814	* †	2.30 p.m., 21.4.21***
1 Motor Van, Sydney	870	*	2.30 p.m., 14.4.21
Motor Cycles, Sydney	778	*	2.30 p.m., 21.4.21
VICTORIA.			
Artificial Standard Telephone Cable Boxes, Melbourne	1679	*	3 p.m., 29.3.21
Conveyance of Parcels from post office, Bendigo	1702	G.P.O., Melbourne, and P.O., Bendigo	3 p.m., 10.5.21

TENDERS.—POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—continued.

Description of Material or Service required.	Schedule No.	Tender Forms, Specifications, &c., obtainable from—	Tenders Close—
QUEENSLAND.			
Switchboard Apparatus and Parts, Brisbane	515	*	Noon, 30.3.21
Letter-box Fronts, Locks, and Keys, Brisbane	524	*	Noon, 6.4.21
SOUTH AUSTRALIA.			
Cartage of Stores—Overland Telegraph Line—Northwards from Oodnadatta	597A, B, C, D	(See <i>Commonwealth Gazette</i> of 3.3.21)	Noon, 25.3.21
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.			
Supply, delivery, and erection of 234 Accumulators and Power Board, Geraldton	333	* †	3 p.m., 26.4.21†
Supply and Erection Telegraph Accumulators, Eucla	647	* † ††	3 p.m., 3.5.21****
Ironwork Generally, Perth	704	* †	Noon, 25.5.21
TASMANIA.			
Switchboard Material, Generally, Hobart	T317	* †	Noon, 11.7.21

- * Departmental Stores Branches, Sydney (64 Harbour-street); Brisbane; Adelaide (West-terrace); and Perth; G.P.O.s, Melbourne and Hobart.
† Tender Forms, &c., also obtainable at the office of the High Commissioner, London, and may be seen at the office of the Commissioner for Australia in America, Room 3012, 61 Broadway, New York.
‡ Tender Forms, &c., also obtainable at the office of the High Commissioner, London.
§ Tenders returnable at the office of the Deputy Postmaster-General, Melbourne.
¶ Date extended from 29.3.21.
‡‡ A fee of £1 1s. per set is payable for the forms in this case, which amount will be refunded on receipt of a *bond fide* tender.
*** Date extended from 19.4.21.
**** Date extended from 21.3.21.
***** Date extended from 5.4.21.

TENDERS ACCEPTED.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

O. H. O'Brien & Nicholl (Sydney), 37-39 Pitt-street, Sydney.—Schedule 856, item 27, supply and delivery of 50 lbs. wire, copper, enamel insulated, 43 s.w.g., at 18s. 11d. per lb., £47 5s. 10d.; item 28, supply and delivery 50 lbs. wire, copper, enamel insulated, 44 s.w.g., at 19s. 9d. per lb., £49 7s. 6d.

The British General Electric Co. Ltd., 257 Clarence-street, Sydney.—Schedule 856, item 1, supply and delivery of wire, gold-silver, composed of pure gold and pure silver in proportions of 10 per cent. gold and 90 per cent. silver (a) 2 ozs. 14 grs., at 27s. per oz., £2 14s.; (b) 2 ozs. 16 grs., at 27s. per oz., £2 14s.; (c) 2 ozs. 18 grs., at 27s. per oz., £2 14s.; (d) 5 lbs. 20 grs., at 27s. per oz., £81, total amount, £89 2s.; item 30, 50 lbs. wire copper, enamel insulated, 46 s.w.g., at 74s. 9d. per lb., £186 17s. 6d.; item 31, 20 lbs. wire, copper, enamel insulated, 47 s.w.g., at 102s. per lb., £102.

Dunlop Rubber Co. of Australasia, Ltd., 27-33 Wentworth-avenue, Sydney.—Schedule 857, item 4, ebonite rod, 14 feet to lb. (a) 50 lbs. $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch diameter, at 6s. 6d. per lb., £16 5s.; 13 feet to lb. (b) 20 lbs. 7-16 inch, at 6s. 6d. per lb., £6 10s.; total amount, £22 15s.

Noyes Bros. (Sydney) Ltd., 115 Clarence-street, Sydney.—Schedule 857, item 2, supply and delivery of brass rod, straight, hard drawn (a) 200 lbs. 3-16-inch dia. dextrudo, at 2s. 3d. per lb., £22 10s.; (b) 100 lbs. 5-16 inch dia. dextrudo, at 2s. 2d. per lb., £10 16s. 8d.; (c) 100 lbs. dia. $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch extruded, at 2s. 1d. per lb., £10 8s. 4d.; (d) 100 lbs. 7-16-inch dia. propeller, at 1s. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per lb., £9 7s. 6d.; (e) 100 lb. $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch dia. propeller, at 1s. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per lb., £9 7s. 6d.; (f) 100 lbs. $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch dia. propeller, at 1s. 10d. per lb., £9 7s. 6d.; (g) 200 lbs. $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch dia. propeller, at 1s. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per lb., £18 15s.; (h) 100 lbs. 1-inch dia. propeller, at 1s. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per lb., £9 7s. 6d.; total amount, £100.

Bryden Brown & Co., 18 Bridge-street, Sydney.—Schedule 858, item 2, supply and delivery of erinoid rod (a) 25 lbs. $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch dia., white, at 8s. per lb., £10; (b) 25 lbs. $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch dia., red, at 8s. per lb., £10; (c) 50 lbs. $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch dia., black, at 8s. per lb., £20; (d) 25 lbs. 7-16-inch dia., white, at 8s. per lb., £10; (e) 25 lbs. 7-16-inch dia., red, at 8s. per lb., £10; (f) 50 lbs. 7-16-inch dia., black, at 8s. per lb., £20; (g) 25 lbs. $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch dia., white, at 8s. per lb., £10; (h) 25 lbs. $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch dia., red, at 8s. per lb., £10; (i) 50 lbs. $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch dia., black, at 8s. per lb., £20; total amount, £120.

British General Electric Co. Ltd., 257 Clarence-street, Sydney.—Schedule 858, item 3, fibre sheet, red in colour (a) 1-16-inch thickness, 200 lbs. at 2s. 10d. per lb., £28 6s. 8d.; (b) $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch thickness, 200 lbs., at 2s. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per lb., £25 8s. 4d., total amount, £53 15s. based on exchange at 4 dollars to the pound sterling.

P. W. Johnson, Clybucca.—Supply and delivery of wooden telegraph poles, where required, between Kempsey and Gladstone—Schedule N.S.W. No. 6 M.O., 1920—About 4 30-ft. lengths, about 58 26-ft. lengths, about 148 24-ft. lengths, at 19s. 6d. per pole, approximate total amount £204 15s. Edwin Davey, Kundibakh, *via* Wingham—supply and delivery of wooden telegraph poles and struts, where required, between Gloucester and Taree—Schedule N.S.W., N.C., No. 16/20—about 52 28-ft. lengths (heavy), at 22s. 6d. per pole; about 109 28-ft. lengths (light), at 20s. per pole; about 10 24-ft. lengths (heavy), at 18s. per pole; about 60 18-ft. struts, at 15s. 6d. per strut; approximate total amount, £223.

VICTORIA.

Messrs. J. G. Wilkinson & Son, 6 Yuille-street, Ballarat.—Schedule No. 1681, item 1, 40,000 spindles, wooden (blackwood), at 15s. 11d. per 100, £318 6s. 8d.; item 2, 70,000 spindles, wooden (blackwood), at 16s. 5d. per 100, £574 11s. 8d.

W. T. Henley's Telegraph Works Co. Ltd., 205-207 William-street, Melbourne.—Schedule No. 1662, item 4, 50 cable boxes, terminal, at 77s. each, £192 10s.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Finlay Bros., 322 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne.—Schedule No. 697, item 1, supply and delivery of 1 two-stroke, 2-speed, Villiers 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -H.P. motor cycle, complete, as per specification submitted. Accessories, tools, and spare parts as set out in special conditions to be supplied. Dunlop tires required; total, £101 10s.

Charles E. Kennett, Esq., 263 City-road, South Melbourne.—Schedule No. 703, item 10, supply and delivery of 22,000 spindles, wooden (turned in bluegum), in accordance with specification No. 346 to drawing C.19A for use with insulator pattern A, sealed pattern 410 (see special condition No. 7), at 25s. per 100; total, £275.

Lamson Taragon Ltd., 105 Murray-street, Perth.—Schedule No. 717, item 5, supply and delivery of 25,000 forms, telegram, reply-paid, to sample (No. 39), at Stores Branch (G.P.O.), East Perth, at 12s. 3d. per 1,000; total, £15 6s. 3d.

E. S. Wigg and Son Ltd., Hay-street, Perth.—Schedule No. 717, item 1, supply and delivery of 475,000 envelopes, telegram, ordinary, size $\frac{3}{8}$ inches by $\frac{5}{8}$ inches, banker shape, gummed flap, printed in red at top "Telegram" and bottom left-hand corner, "Charges to pay, &c.", to sample (No. 5) at Stores Branch (G.P.O.), East Perth, at 6s. 9d. per 1,000; total, £160 6s. 3d. Item 2, 50,000 envelopes, cerise colour, for urgent telegrams, to sample (No. 10) at Stores Branch (G.P.O.), East Perth, at 7s. 3d. per 1,000; total, £18 2s. 6d. Item 3, 450,000 forms, telegram, ordinary, to sample (No. 20)

at Stores Branch (G.P.O.), East Perth, at 6s. 6d. per 1,000; total, £148 5s. Schedule 719, item 1, printing, supply and delivery of *The Main Telephone Directory*, four issues of approximately 12,000 copies per issue, first issue in May, 1921, second issue, November, 1921, third issue, May, 1922, fourth issue, November, 1922, at £275 per issue; total, £1,100. Item 2, *The W.A. Country Telephone Directory*, four issues of approximately 950 copies per issue, first issue in May, 1921, second issue, November, 1921, third issue, May, 1922, fourth issue, November, 1922, at £15 per issue; total, £60. Item 3, *The W.A. Goldfields Telephone Directory*, four issues of approximately 1,350 copies per issue, first issue in May, 1921, second issue, November, 1921, third issue, May, 1922, fourth issue, November, 1922, at £30 2s. 6d. per issue; total, £120 10s. Item 4, *The W.A. Supplementary Lists to Main Telephone Directory*, four issues of approximately 12,000 copies per issue, first issue in February, 1921, second issue, August, 1921, third issue, February, 1922, fourth issue, August, 1922, at £38 per issue; total, £152. Item 5, *The W.A. Supplementary Lists to Country Telephone Directory*, four issues of approximately 950 copies per issue, first issue in February, 1921, second issue, August, 1921, third issue, February, 1922, fourth issue, August, 1922, at £2 10s. per issue; total, £10. Item 6, *The W.A. Supplementary Lists to Goldfields Telephone Directory*, four issues of approximately 1,350 copies per issue, first issue in February, 1921, second issue, August, 1921, third issue, February, 1922, fourth issue, August, 1922, at £2 10s. per issue; total, £10. Item 7, additional copies of *W.A. Main Directory*, same price *pro rata* as item 1. Item 8, additional copies of *W.A. Country Directory*, same price *pro rata* as item 2. Item 9, additional copies of *W.A. Goldfields Directory*, same price *pro rata* as item 3. Item 10, additional copies of *Supplementary List to the W.A. Main Directory*, same price *pro rata* as item 4. Item 11, additional copies of *Supplementary List to the Country Directory*, same price *pro rata* as item 5. Item 12, additional copies of *Supplementary Lists to the Goldfields Directory*, same price *pro rata* as item 6.

William Detmold Ltd., William-street, Fremantle.—Schedule No. 717, item 4, supply and delivery of 50,000 forms, telegram, urgent, to sample (No. 47), at Stores Branch (G.P.O.), East Perth, at 6s. 9d. per 1,000; total, £17.

Mills and Co. Pty. Ltd., corner Murray and Pier streets, Perth.—Schedule No. 709, item 1, supply and delivery of 2,610 pipes, glazed, earthenware, No. 2, 4 inches internal diameter, 2 feet long, to specification No. 588, spigot and socket ends, glazed and tested, at 1s. 10d. each; total, £239 5s.

Stewarts and Lloyds (Aust.) Ltd., 886 Hay-street, Perth.—Schedule No. 709, item 5, supply and delivery of 9 sockets, reducing, galvanized-iron, solid, 4 inches to 1½ inches, at 15s. 0.9d. each; total, £6 15s. 8d.

The Stoneware, Pipe and Pottery Co. of W.A. Ltd., 21 Have-lock-street, Perth.—Schedule No. 709, item 4, supply and delivery of 8 couplings, split, earthenware, straight, 4 inches internal diameter, at 2s. each; total, 16s.

Anderson and Adams Ltd., 1056 Hay-street, Perth.—Schedule No. 714, item 1, supply and delivery of 1 motor car (1920) Overland, light four, 15-H.P. (petrol), complete and fitted with electric lights, self starter, electric horn, Stewart magnetic speedometer, khaki hood and side curtains, upholstered in leather, tools and extras to be supplied; total, £500.

Chas. Atkins & Co. (W.A.) Ltd. (British Insulated and Helsby Cables Ltd.), 894 Hay-street, Perth.—Schedule No. 715, item 1, supply and delivery of 1 ton copper wire, 50 lbs. per mile, in accordance with Western Australian Government Railways specification No. 17M, excepting that the diameter of the eye of coil shall be 14 inches, at 1s. 8d. per lb.; total, £186 13s. 4d.

TENDERS ACCEPTED FOR CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

464. Hall's Creek-Fitzroy Crossing, via Moola Bulla, Taylor's Camp, Lambroo, 18-mile Yard, Margaret Station, Louisa Downs, Fossil Downs, monthly, by spring vehicle.—State Government, Perth, £250 per annum, one year, terminating 14th May, 1922.

143. Kookynie-Edjudina, via Yerilla and Yarri, fortnightly, by spring vehicle.—John Jackson Smith, Kookynie, £110 per annum, one year, terminating 31st January, 1922.

505. Meekatharra-Peak Hill, via Munarra, Holden's Find, and Bilyuin, to alternate with the existing service, fortnightly, by motor car.—William Burrows, Peak Hill, £150 per annum, one year, terminating 25th February, 1922.

504. Norseman-Balladonia, monthly, by spring vehicle.—Richard Benjamin Johns, Norseman, £200 per annum, three years, terminating 2nd March, 1924.

507. Wyndham-Ord River Station, via Ivanhoe, Argyle, Lisadell, Spring Creek, Texas, returning via Hazleleigh, Williams, Turkey Creek Post Office, and Clifton and Junction to Wyndham, once monthly, by pack-horse.—Louis Degenhardt, Wyndham, £350 per annum, three years, terminating 29th February, 1924.

GEO. H. WISE, Postmaster-General.

CONTRACTS (MILITARY) ACCEPTED.—(Series 1920-21).

1ST MILITARY DISTRICT.

MEAT TO LYTTON FORT.

Period—Month of February, 1921.

291, beef, at 58s. 4d. per 100 lbs.; 292, mutton, at 58s. 4d. per 100 lbs.; less 1½ per cent. discount 7 days.—F. J. Uhlmann.

CORRIGENDA.

PROVISIONS, FUEL, ETC.

Period—1st January, 1921, to 30th June, 1921.

Victoria Barracks.—Serial No. 94, 293, bread, at 21s. per 100 lbs., with 9d. per 100 lbs. rise or fall for each 20s. per ton rise or fall in price of flour, less 2½ per cent. discount for 7 days, and 1½ per cent. for 30 days.—F. E. A. Wuerschling.

Period—1st January, 1921, to 30th April, 1921.

27th A.A.H., Rosemont.—Serial No. 139, 294, bread, at 21s. per 100 lbs., with 9d. per 100 lbs. rise or fall for each 20s. per ton rise or fall in price of flour, less 2½ per cent. for 7 days, and 1½ per cent. for 30 days.—F. E. A. Wuerschling.

PURCHASE AND REMOVAL OF GARBAGE, FAT, AND STABLE MANURE FROM HOSPITAL.

Period—1st November, 1920, to 30th April, 1921.

27th A.G.H., Rosemont.—Serial No. 145, 295, garbage, at 50s. per 100 men per month.—V. J. Thompson.

PROVISIONS, ETC.

Period—1st January to 30th April, 1921.

Australian General Hospital, Rosemont.—Serial No. 134, Gazette, No. 15, of 17th February, 1921, 296, fresh milk, at 1s. 9d. per gallon, net.—Contractor, W. H. Murray, transferred to A. E. Maddox from 1st February, 1921.

1ST MILITARY DISTRICT.

MEAT AND BREAD.

Period—Three weeks commencing 9th November, 1920.

Lytton Fort.—297, beef and mutton, at 7d. per lb., discount, 14 per cent. in 7 days.—F. J. Uhlmann. 298, bread, at 22s. 11d. per 100 lbs., net, with 1s. per 100 lbs. rise or fall for every 20s. per ton rise or fall in price of flour.—D. Webster.

COAL.

Period—1st November, 1920, to 30th June, 1921.

Military Laundry, Kelvin-grove.—299, coal, steam, screened, at 28s. 8d. per ton, net.—H. G. Noble Ltd.

MEAT.

Period—Month of October, 1920.

Chargeable to Loan Funds Accounts, Expeditionary Forces. Approved 23rd December, 1920.

Lytton, 300, beef and mutton, at 66s. 8d. per 100 lbs., less 1½ per cent. discount in 7 days.—F. J. Uhlmann.

Sanatorium, Stanthorpe.—301, buttock, at 8d. per lb.; 302, rump or loin, at 8d. per lb.; 303, sets of ribs, at 8d. per lb.; 304, leg or shin, at 4d. per lb.; 305, chuck, at 8d. per lb.; 306, bladebone, at 8d. per lb.; 307, mutton, per side, at 10d. per lb.; 308, mutton, per carcass, at 9d. per lb. net.—A. M. Brunckhorst.

4TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

BUTTER, BACON, EGGS.

Period—Month of February, 1921.

Chargeable to Expeditionary Forces. Approved 3rd March, 1921.

No. 7 A.G. Hospital, Keswick, 309, bacon flitches, at 1s. 7d. per lb.—Adelaide Meat Stores (Wilcox, Moffin Ltd., proprietors), Adelaide. 310, butter, best factory, "Niagara," at 2s. 7d. per lb.—G. Wood, Son, & Co. Limited, North-terrace, Adelaide. 311, eggs, hen, fresh, at 1s. 2d. per dozen.—D. & J. Fowler Limited, King William-street, Adelaide.

ICE.

Period—Month of February, 1921.

Chargeable to Expeditionary Forces. Approved 3rd March, 1921.

No. 7 A.G. Hospital, Keswick.—312, ice, at £3 5s. per ton.—Mile End Cold Stores Limited, Mile End.

COAL AND COKE.

Period—Month of February, 1921.

Chargeable to Expeditionary Forces.

Approved 3rd March, 1921.

No. 7 A.G. Hospital, Keswick.—313, coal, best household, delivered, at 52s. per ton.—Adelaide Steamship Company Limited, Currie-street, Adelaide. 314, coke, screened, bagged, delivered, at 44s. 2d. per ton.—South Australian Gas Company, Waymouth-street, Adelaide.

FRESH FISH.

Period—1st February to 30th April, 1921.

Chargeable to Expeditionary Forces.

Approved 3rd March, 1921.

No. 7 A.G. Hospital, Keswick.—315, fresh fish, at 1s. per lb.—J. M. Cocking, Adelaide.

PURCHASE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF KITCHEN REFUSE AND BONES.

Period—1st April to 30th September, 1919.

Garrison Military Police, North Terrace.—316, kitchen refuse, at 7s. 6d. per 100 men per week; Military Convalescent Hospital, North Adelaide, 317, kitchen refuse, at 7s. 6d. per 100 men per week.—A. Oliver, Enfield.

Garrison Military Police, Mitchan.—318, kitchen refuse, at 7s. per 100 men per week; 319, bones, at 0½d. per lb. No. 7 A.G. Hospital, Keswick.—320, kitchen refuse, at 17s. 6d. per 100 men per week; 321, bones, at 0½d. per lb. No. 15 A.G. Hospital, Torrens Park.—322, kitchen refuse, at 7s. per 100 men per week; 323, bones, at 0½d. per lb. Garrison Military Police, Adelaide.—324, bones, at 0½d. per lb. Angas Convalescent Hospital, North Adelaide.—325, bones, at 0½d. per lb.—George Streeter, Plympton, South Australia.

5TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

PURCHASE AND REMOVAL OF REFUSE.

Period—1st January to 30th June, 1921.

Paid into Revenue. Approved 12th January, 1921.

326, at 22s. 6d. per 100 men per month.—E. Saul, Fremantle.

6TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

RATIONS, ETC.

Period—Month of March, 1921.

No. 12 Australian General Hospital.—327, butter, at 2s. 6d. per lb.; cheese, at 1s. 3d. per lb.; custard powder, at 1s. 4d. per lb.; eggs, at 1s. 10d. per dozen; flour, at 3d. per lb.; pickles (mixed), at 1s. 1d. per bottle; preserved fruit, at 11s. 6d. per dozen.—James Beck Ltd. 328, potatoes, at 10s. 6d. per cwt.; carrots, parsnips, and turnips (white), at 3s. per dozen; marrows, pumpkins, and turks caps, at 18s. 8d. per cwt.; cabbage, at 7s. 6d. per dozen; beetroot, at 3s. per dozen. A. Tyson. 329, coke, at 23s. per load of 20 bags each.—Launceston Gas Company. 330, beef, at 54s. 2d. per 100 lbs.; mutton, at 54s. 2d. per 100 lbs.; sheep tongues, at 2½d. each; sausages, at 6d. per lb.; brains, at 3d. per set.—G. King & Son.

2ND MILITARY DISTRICT.

Period—Month of February, 1921.

Chargeable to Contingencies. Approved 27th January, 1921.

HOSPITAL NECESSITIES FOR NO. 4 GENERAL HOSPITAL, RANDWICK.

331, fowls (boilers), at 1s. 5d. per lb.—David Hyland & Sons Pty. Ltd. 332, cream, fresh, at 3s. per pint; rabbits, at 1s. 4d. per pair; ice, at 2s. 9d. per cwt.—N.S.W. Fresh Food & Ice Coy. Ltd.

MIXED VEGETABLES FOR BASE DEPOT, VICTORIA BARRACKS, PADDINGTON, AND NO. 4 GENERAL HOSPITAL, RANDWICK.

333, cabbage, at 16s. per cwt.; carrots, turnips, and parsnips (without tops or root stems), at 15s. per cwt.; pumpkins, at 15s. per cwt.; swedes, at 12s. per cwt.; cauliflowers (minimum size, 6 in. diameter), at 5s. per dozen; lettuce, at 2s. 6d. per dozen; peas, at 20s. per 100 lbs.; French beans, at 20s. per 100 lbs.; leeks, at 1s. 6d. per dozen bunches; spinach, at 1s. per dozen bunches; celery, at 4s. per dozen bunches; eschalots, at 2s. per dozen bunches; rhubarb, at 2s. 6d. per dozen bunches; watercress, at 1s. per dozen bunches; beetroot, at 1s. 6d. per dozen bunches; tomatoes, at 8s. per half-bushel case, 14s. per bushel case; mint, at 1s. per dozen bunches; herbs, at 2s. per dozen bunches; radishes, at 2s. per dozen bunches; parsley, at 3s. per dozen bunches.—W. Glazebrook.

GROCERIES FOR BASE DEPOT, VICTORIA BARRACKS, PADDINGTON, AND NO. 4 GENERAL HOSPITAL, RANDWICK.

334, coffee (as per sample), at 1s. 4d. per lb.; pepper, at 1s. 6d. per lb.; mustard, at 2s. 6d. per lb.; split peas, at 3½d. per lb.; arrowroot, at 10½d. per lb.; tapioca, at 3d. per lb.; sago, at 2½d. per lb.; rice, at 41s. per cwt.; barley, at 3½d. per lb.; oatmeal, at 22s. per cwt.; vermicelli, at 7d. per lb.; rolled oats, at 3d. per lb.; macaroni, at 6½d. per lb.; jelly crystals, at 3s. 4½d. per dozen packets (pints); baking powder, at 1s. 6d. per lb.; salt, at 8s. 3d. per cwt.; cornflour, at 7½d. per lb.; asparagus, at 2s. 4d. per 2-lb. tin; vinegar, at 6½d. per bottle; mixed herbs, at 5d. per bottle; golden syrup, at 9½d. per 2-lb. tin; tea (as per sample), at 1s. 1d. per lb.; cocoa, at 1s. 8d. per lb., less 3 per cent. in 7 days, 2½ per cent. in 30 days.—A. Huxtable.

CATERING FOR STAFF COURSE AT LIVERPOOL.

Period—From 3rd to 22nd February, 1921.

335, for officers for three meals per diem, without rations, at 5s. 9d. per officer; for warrant and non-commissioned officers, for three meals per diem, without rations, at 4s. per N.C.O.; for batmen (same menu as N.C.O.'s), for three meals per diem, without rations, at 4s. per batman.—A. E. Reynolds.

3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

Period—15th February to 30th April, 1921.

Chargeable to Div. 73/1, Item 1. Approved 12th February, 1921.

BEEF AND MUTTON.

336, req. No. 14370, 30,780 lbs. of beef, at 49s. 6d. per 100 lbs.; 30,780 lbs. mutton, at 49s. 6d. per 100 lbs.—W. S. Dunstan, 1 Crimea-street, St. Kilda.

GROCERIES.

337, req. No. 14372, 82 lbs. baking powder, at 1s. 5d. per lb.; 28 lbs. custard powder, at 8d. per lb.; 188 packets herbs, at 1s. per dozen packets; 188 packets spice, at 1s. per dozen packets.—J. D. Howie, 299 Smith-street, Fitzroy.

BACON JACKETS AND CHEESE.

338, req. No. 14371, 2,995 lbs. bacon jackets, at 1s. 7d. per lb.; 709 lbs. cheese, at 1s. 1½d. per lb.—Gippsland and Northern Co-op. Selling and Insurance Co. Ltd., Flinders-lane, Melbourne.

CANDLES.

339, req. No. 14373, 8,850 lbs. Electric candles, at 11½d. per lb., less 5 per cent. for 7 days, 3½ per cent. for 14 days, and 2½ per cent. for 30 days.—J. Kitchen & Sons Pty. Ltd., 110 Queen-street, Melbourne.

SANITARY SERVICES AT MARIBYRNONG CAMP.

Period—15th February, 1921, to 18th March, 1921.

Chargeable to Div. 73/1, Item 1. Approved 22nd February, 1921.

340, req. No. 14393, 27 pans daily, at 6d. per pan per service.—J. A. Collins.

BISCUITS.

Period—15th February, 1921, to 30th April, 1921.

Chargeable to Div. 73/1, Item 1.

341, req. No. 14379, 6,872 lbs. biscuits, cabin, wholemeal, at 39s. 6d. per 100 lbs., less 10 per cent.—Swallow & Ariell Ltd., Port Melbourne.

"SHELL" BENZINE.

Period—Commencing 1st April, 1921.

Chargeable to War Loan Appropriations. Approved 8th February, 1921.

342, req. No. 14365, 1,440 cases, at wholesale selling price ruling at date of delivery, less 2½ per cent. for payment within 30 days.—British Imperial Oil Co., William-street, Melbourne.

4TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

FRESH MILK AND CREAM.

Period—Month of March, 1921.

Chargeable to Expeditionary Forces. Approved 11th March, 1921.

No. 7 A.G. Hospital, Keswick.—343, fresh milk, at 1s. 9d. per gallon; 344, cream, at 1s. 6d. per lb.—Beauchamp Bros., Carrington-street, Adelaide.

T. TRUMBLE, Secretary.

THE Governor-General in Council has been pleased to appoint ROBERT HAROLD FYFE, Esquire, of the Department of the Treasury, Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, to be a Special Magistrate of the Commonwealth of Australia for the purposes of the *Invalid and Old-age Pensions Act 1908-1920*, to have, hold, exercise, and enjoy the said office during the pleasure of the Governor-General.

W. M. HUGHES, Attorney-General.

COMMONWEALTH MEDICAL INSPECTORS OF SHIPPING.

THE undermentioned officers of the Department of Health, legally qualified medical practitioners, have been appointed Commonwealth Medical Inspectors of Shipping for the purposes of the *Navigation Act 1912-1920*:—

BLUMER, GEORGE ALBERT.
COX, FRANK ELTON.
ELKINGTON, JOHN SIMEON COLEBROOK.
HOLMES, MERVYN JOHN.
MCALLUM, FRANK.
METCALFE, ARTHUR JOHN.
MIDDLETON, CLARENCE JAMES.
MITCHELL, PAUL WANOSTROCHT.
MURRAY, GERALD AUBREY.
PARK, CHARLES LESLIE.
PONSFORD, FRANK WILLIAM AUGUSTUS.
REID, CHARLES WILLIAM.
SAWERS, WILLIAM CAMPBELL.
TOOTH, FREDERICK.

Notification dated 17th February, 1921, appearing in *Gazette*, No. 16, of 24th February, 1921, and all prior notifications on this subject appearing in the *Gazette*, are hereby cancelled.

Dated at Melbourne this fifteenth day of March, 1921.

W. MASSY GREENE, Minister for Trade and Customs.

THE Governor-General in Council has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Mr. L. W. BARNETT as Private Secretary to the Administrator, Norfolk Island, at a salary of £250 per annum, from the 13th September, 1920.

A. POYNTON, Minister for Home and Territories.

Statutory Declarations Act 1911.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that as ARCHIBALD DOUGLAS, Esquire, of Hobart, in the State of Tasmania, has ceased to hold the position of Chief Clerk, Tasmanian Branch, War Service Homes Commission, held by him at the date of his appointment as a Commissioner for Declarations under the *Statutory Declarations Act 1911*, his appointment as a Commissioner under the above Act has this day been determined by me.

R. R. GARRAN, Solicitor-General.

21st March, 1921.

NAVAL FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the following changes being made in connexion with the Naval Forces of the Commonwealth:—

PERMANENT NAVAL FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH (SEA-GOING FORCES).

Appointments.—JOHN ELLIS PEARCE, THOMAS JOSEPH HEERY, and JOHN HUMPHRIES are appointed Schoolmasters (on probation.) Dated 14th February, 1921.

Confirmations in Rank.—FREDERICK GEORGE LOWRIE, Gunner (Acting), (on probation) is confirmed in the rank of Gunner, with seniority in rank of 10th February, 1920; BERNARD EDWARD FLOOD and WILLIAM ARTHUR GEORGE SINCLAIR, Schoolmasters (on probation), are confirmed in the rank of Schoolmasters, with seniority in rank of 1st April, 1920.

Extension of Appointments.—The appointment of Lieutenant-Commander ARTHUR MILLINGTON ROBERTS, D.S.O., on loan from the Royal Navy, is extended for a period of one year from 1st April, 1921; the appointment of Lieutenant CLAUD BARRINGTON BARRY, D.S.O., on loan from the Royal Navy, is extended for the period from 26th March, 1921, to 31st March, 1922, inclusive.

Resignations.—The resignations of the following officers of their appointments are accepted as from the dates shown opposite to their respective names:—Lieutenant JOHN HENRY MALLEY, 19th December, 1920; Lieutenant CHARLES DOUGLAS

PENMAN, 31st December, 1920; Acting Sub-Lieutenant JOHN ATHELSTAN VICTOR NISBET, 23rd February, 1921; Gunner FREDERICK ROBERT SANDYS, 29th October, 1920.

Transfer of Officers to the Royal Navy for Service and Training.—The following officers are loaned to the Royal Navy for service and training, under section 35 of the Naval Defence Act:—Midshipmen JACK DONOVAN, JOHN ALLEN AMHERST STOCKS, DAVID ROSS, EMILE FRANK VERLAINE DECHATNEUX, LIONEL SYDNEY DALTON (E), GLEN LOFTUS CANT, ARTHUR TRAVERS TAGG ARUNDEL, JOHN PERKINS LAWSON, JAMES MONTEITH LUKE, ROBERT GRAY (E), MAURICE WALTER FLY, DAVID HUGH HARRIES, JOHN ANDREW HUTCHINSON, RAYMUND GORDON PATERSON, THOMAS ANTHONY GODSELL, WILLIAM HAROLD MARTIN, CLAUDE HENRY BROOKS (K.M.), NEVEN ROBINSON READ, PHILIP WADSWORTH BINET, ALAN CLIVE MATHER, JAMES BENJAMIN SPENCER BARWOOD, JOHN MOORE NICHOLLS. Dated 15th January, 1921.

Furlough.—Chief Shipwright JOHN CHARLES RICHARDSON, Official Number 4017, is granted five (5) months' leave of absence on full pay, under Regulation 109 of the Naval Financial Regulations, on retirement.

AUXILIARY SERVICES.

Leave of Absence on Account of Illness.—Captain ALFRED CUTHBERT DUNN is granted three months' leave of absence on half pay on account of illness, under Regulation 102 of the Naval Financial Regulations, to date from 15th December, 1920.

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVAL RESERVE STAFF.

Confirmation in Rank.—JOHN FOX and OSCAR HARMON, Warrant Instructors (Acting) (on probation), are confirmed in the rank of Warrant Instructor, with seniority in rank of 1st October, 1919, and 8th January, 1920, respectively.

Furlough.—HARRY WILLIAMSON COOPER, General Workman, Official Number 82, is granted six (6) months' leave of absence on full pay, under Regulation 108 of the Naval Financial Regulations, to date from 1st April, 1921. (Ex. Min. No. 22.)

NAVAL ADMINISTRATION.

Resignations.—The resignation of RICHARD WILLIAM MOORE of his appointment as Naval Staff Clerk, Class IV., is accepted as from 8th February, 1921; the resignation of JOHN LEO GOGGIN of his appointment as Naval Staff Clerk, Class V., is accepted as from 26th January, 1921.

Filing Classification and Salary of an Officer.—The salary of FREDERICK JAMES BORLEY HAYES, Industrial Officer, to be at the rate of Four hundred and eighty pounds (£480) per annum as from 22nd September, 1920, and at the rate of Five hundred pounds (£500) per annum as from 22nd December, 1920; the position of Industrial Officer to be classified in Class II., Clerical Division. (Ex. Min. No. 24.)

W. H. LAIRD SMITH, Minister for the Navy.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the following appointments, promotions, &c., made in the Australian Imperial Force, being confirmed:—

2ND MILITARY DISTRICT.

HAMILTON, Captain G. R., Australian Army Medical Corps, having resigned, his appointment in the Australian Imperial Force is terminated in England on 30th June, 1920, but to take effect from 3rd October, 1920.

SPECKMAN, Major C., 1st Pioneer Battalion, relinquished his appointment as Staff Officer, 4.D. Australian Imperial Force Headquarters, on 4th December, 1920.

5TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

WITHALL, Captain (temporary Major) L. A., O.B.E., Australian Engineers, is appointed O.C. Troops, *Bahia Castillo*, and retains the rank of Temporary Major until disembarkation from the vessel in Australia, 4th December, 1920.

AMENDMENT.

3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

Referring to Executive Minute No. 714, promulgated on page 1449 of *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 112, dated 2nd October, 1919, for CHARLES FRANCIS O'HALLORAN WRIGHT, Australian Y.M.C.A., read CECIL FREDERICK O'HALLORAN WRIGHT, Australian Y.M.C.A. (Ex. Min. No. 115.)

G. F. PEARCE, Minister of State for Defence.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the following termination of appointments in the Australian Imperial Force being made from the dates stated:—

1ST MILITARY DISTRICT.

Major C. F. CORSER, 28th March, 1921.

Captains W. J. COOPER, R. B. MCINTOSH, M.C., and P. F. CALOW, 31st March, 1921.

Lieutenants L. H. ROGERS, 31st March, 1921; F. E. PERROUX, 5th March, 1921; O. J. LAWSON, M.C., 9th April, 1921; A. C. COX and A. STANLEY, 28th March, 1921.

2nd Lieutenant J. A. JAMES-WALLACE, M.M., 31st March, 1921.

2ND MILITARY DISTRICT.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. J. MACKENZIE, 15th April, 1919.

Captains H. N. RUSSELL, M.C., 20th October, 1920; N. M. MORRIS, 21st May, 1919; E. W. CORNISH, M.C., 6th February, 1921; F. V. SAUNDERS, O.B.E., 16th September, 1920; J. E. AGNEW, 18th February, 1921; J. O. JONES, 27th February, 1921; B. S. MORSE, 17th June, 1919; H. L. DILL, M.C., 12th March, 1921.

2nd Lieutenant B. ELYSTAN-PRICE, 4th January, 1919.

Chaplain, 4th Class (temporary 3rd Class) the Reverend W. J. HICKS, Th.L. (Anglican Denomination), 23rd March, 1921.

3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

Lieutenant H. J. GRIGSBY, 1st May, 1921.

AMENDMENT.

2ND MILITARY DISTRICT.

The notification of the date of the termination of the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel W. K. FETHERS, D.S.O., which appeared in Executive Minute No. 212/1917, promulgated on page 564 of *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 49, dated 29th March, 1917, is amended to read 3rd April, 1917. (Ex. Min. No. 116.)

G. F. PEARCE, Minister of State for Defence.

CONSTITUTION OF AIR COUNCIL.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved, in accordance with the provisions of the Air Council Regulations, of Commodore CHARLES TALBOT HARDY, C.B.E., R.N., being appointed to act as Naval Member of the Air Council as from 15th February, 1921, during the absence on duty of Rear-Admiral Sir E. Percy F. G. Grant, K.C.V.O., C.B. (Ex. Min. No. 114.)

G. F. PEARCE, Minister of State for Defence.

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

APPOINTMENT TO SUBSTANTIVE COMMISSIONS ON RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

THE undermentioned are appointed to the Reserve of Officers, with substantive rank equivalent to that held by them in the Australian Imperial Force, as follows, dated 1st October, 1920:—

1ST MILITARY DISTRICT.

To be Lieutenant.—MALCOLM MCLEOD WYLIE.

2ND MILITARY DISTRICT.

To be Captains.—CHARLES HENRY HARRISON, O.B.E., M.C., THOMAS EDWARD MARSHALL, OSWALD JACOB ELLIS, LEON DUDLEY FERGUSON, M.C., CHARLES ERNEST GRACE, ROBERT MANDEVILLE ALCOCK, WILLIAM FRANCIS DIGGES LA TOUCHE, OLIVER LATHAM, and GERALD LLOYD O'BYRNE.

To be Lieutenants.—CHARLES BRASSEY THORNE, M.C., FRANK REGINALD BEASLEY, ALAN GARDNER MANN, JAMES HOUSTON STANGER, HENRY JOSEPH WATSON, JACK KELVIN LANCASTER, THOMAS WILLIAMS, HENRY JOHN REMINGTON, GEORGE VICTOR LUDVIGSEN, HENRY CHESTER FITZGERALD, and ERNEST ALFRED SOUTHERWOOD.

To be 2nd Lieutenants.—JOHN MACDONALD SMITH, LESLIE HERBERT IRWIN, ROBERT PRICE ARGUE, VERNON CARDEW WILSON, JOHN HARTLEY MEADS, ROBERT EDWARD STUCKEY, CLAIR SINCLAIR, EDWIN GEORGE McMAUGH, LEWY NORMAN PATTINSON, and ROY OSCAR BLACKETT.

3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

To be Captains.—NEIL MCCOLL, HAROLD MORTON STUCHBERRY, FORBES CAMPBELL DAWSON, D.S.O., M.C., RALEIGH CLARK, PERCIVAL TOOMEY HURREY, FRANK MCCALLUM, SAMUEL ALAN MORTIMER, FRANCIS PALMER SELICK, M.C., JOHN RALPH DONALDSON, JOHN FERGUSON CHAMBERS, ALOYSIUS BARBETA, JOHN McDONALD, FRANK VERNON COLLINS, and THOMAS MUIR HENDRY.

To be Lieutenants.—JOHN EDMUND HARRIS, LESLIE GEORGE WALLACE PAINTER, M.M., CECIL DAVID CHAPMAN, M.M., CLAUDE RUPERT LEWIS, JAMES THOMAS WISEMAN, ALBERT

JAMES PINKERTON, M.C., NORMAN JAMES McCAY, IVAN ALEXANDER DOBBINGTON, WILLIAM HENRY JACKSON, THOMAS ALLEN REUBEN ROOKE, WILLIAM DONALD NORMAN HOOPER, JAMES ESMOND SMITH, CHARLES FREDERICK ARTHUR HENDERSON, ARTHUR GEORGE SWIFT, ERIC HAMILTON MALCOLM, LEONARD HARBORD, M.M., FRANK SWANN GUNN, JOSEPH HARRY WRIGHT, GEORGE DOMINIC THOMPSON, M.M., and PHILIP JAMES SMITH, D.S.O.

To be 2nd Lieutenants.—PATRICK LOUIS JOHN FOLEY, GORDON ROBINSON, HAROLD ECCLES, D.C.M., WILLIAM EDWARD COOPER, FRANK PATRICK QUIRK, FREDERICK NORRIS CONRAD, EDGAR RAYMOND DRAPER, ERIC BRUCE MORGAN, ALFRED LENNY, JOSEPH STEPHENSON ARMSTRONG, ERNEST BERTRAM BEVERLEY, JOSEPH PATRICK HOGAN, JAMES WELLS, NAHUM MYER, WILLIAM DIXON, ARNOLD RICH, PHILIP FREDERICK VICTOR ALLAN, DONALD PERCY OLIVER, D.C.M., M.M., SYDNEY RUPERT BELL, CHARLES JOSEPH KERR, GARNET THOMAS TRAINOR, NOEL ROMAINE WALKER, HAROLD ARTHUR WHITE.

AMENDMENT.

3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

The notification respecting the notation of the name of Corporal J. T. MOODIE, 19th (Yarrowee) Light Horse, for the rank of Honorary Captain, which appeared in Executive Minute No. 437/1919, promulgated on page 1030 of *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 76, dated 19th June, 1919, be amended to read "For Honorary Lieutenant."

CANCELLATION.

3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

The notification respecting the appointment of W. SHELDON to be Major, Reserve of Officers, which appeared in Executive Minute No. 191/1920, promulgated on page 614 of *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 36, dated 22nd April, 1920, be cancelled. (Ex. Min. No. 118.)

G. F. PEARCE, Minister of State for Defence.

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the following changes being made in connexion with the Australian Military Forces:—

Instructional Staff.—Warrant Officer, Class II. (Honorary Lieutenant) E. W. LACY is transferred to the Reserve of Officers and to be Captain, 14th February, 1921. The resignation of Warrant Officer, Class II. J. R. HAIGH of the honorary rank of Lieutenant is accepted, 15th February, 1921.

Royal Australian Garrison Artillery.—Warrant Officer, Class I., JOHN MURRAY is placed on the Retired List, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, and with permission to retain such rank and wear the prescribed uniform, 21st January, 1921.

AWARD OF THE MEDAL FOR LONG SERVICE AND GOOD CONDUCT.

Royal Australian Garrison Artillery.—No. 25 Sergeant J. W. KROLL, 1st Military District.

1ST MILITARY DISTRICT.

Australian Engineers.—The resignation of Lieutenant J. R. W. HYDE of his provisional appointment is accepted, 16th February, 1921.

15th Light Horse.—Lieutenant J. G. HIBBARD is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 16th February, 1921.

15th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion.—The resignation of Lieutenant E. T. HART of his provisional appointment is accepted, 16th February, 1921.

26th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion.—Lieutenant W. T. BARNES, from the Reserve of Officers, to be appointed Lieutenant, temporarily, 16th February, 1921. Lieutenant (provisional) J. W. SHAW is transferred to the Reserve of Officers and to be 2nd Lieutenant, 16th February, 1921.

31st Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion.—The appointment of Lieutenant J. J. K. MAGUIRE, Senior Cadets, to be Lieutenant, temporarily, is terminated, 16th February, 1921. Lieutenant E. T. MOYLE is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 1st February, 1921 (this amends the notification respecting this officer which appeared in Executive Minute No. 75, promulgated in *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 16, dated 24th February, 1921).

42nd Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion.—The notification respecting the termination of the appointment of temporary Lieutenant H. BAXTER, which appeared in Executive Minute No. 550, promulgated in *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 103, dated 25th November, 1920, is cancelled.

Unattached List.—Major J. A. GOLDSMID relinquishes his commission on ceasing to be an officer of the Senior Cadets, 31st October, 1920.

Reserve of Officers.—To be Captain.—JOSEPH ALBERT GOLDSMID, 1st November, 1920. Captain D. A. A. DAVIS is transferred from the Reserve of Officers, 2nd Military District, 16th February, 1921.

AWARD OF THE COLONIAL AUXILIARY FORCES OFFICERS' DECORATION.

Reserve of Officers.—Captain C. G. FOXTON.
Rifle Clubs.—Formation—Name of Club, Kooroongarra; Place, Kooroongarra.

2ND MILITARY DISTRICT.

1st Light Horse.—The resignation of Lieutenant O. C. MILLING of his provisional appointment is accepted, 16th February, 1921.

8th Light Horse.—The notification respecting the extension of age for retirement of Captain (Honorary Major) A. L. MACLEAN, which appeared in *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 85, dated 14th October, 1920, is cancelled.

Australian Engineers.—To be Captain—Lieutenant W. J. McCALLION, M.C., 16th February, 1921.

1st Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—Lieutenant (provisional) E. L. NETTHEIM is transferred to the Reserve of Officers and to be 2nd Lieutenant, 16th February, 1921.

3rd Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—The provisional appointment of Lieutenant H. R. AYRES is terminated under the provisions of section 15 of the Defence Act, 8th February, 1921.

18th Infantry Regiment.—5th Battalion—Lieutenant (provisional) C. E. LEAKE is transferred to the 2nd Battalion, 3rd Infantry Regiment, with regimental seniority next after Lieutenant T. BURNS, 16th February, 1921. Lieutenant (provisional) A. C. MACNAB is placed on the Retired List with the honorary rank of Lieutenant and with permission to retain such rank and wear the prescribed uniform, 16th February, 1921.

19th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—Lieutenant F. J. GRAF is transferred to the Unattached List, 16th February, 1921.

20th Infantry Regiment.—5th Battalion—The resignation of Lieutenant W. T. S. GIBSON of his provisional appointment is accepted, 16th February, 1921.

30th Infantry Regiment.—5th Battalion—Major E. W. STUTCHBURY, M.C., and Lieutenant A. H. PETTIFER are transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 16th February, 1921.

34th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—The resignation of Lieutenant R. B. DUNREATH-COOPER of his provisional appointment is accepted, 16th February, 1921.

36th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—The temporary rank of Captain granted to Lieutenant L. E. S. HUNTER is terminated, 12th January, 1920; the resignation of Lieutenant G. T. UTHUR of his commission is accepted, 16th February, 1921; the resignation of Lieutenant R. C. LANGKER of his provisional appointment is accepted, 31st January, 1921.

45th Infantry Regiment.—5th Battalion—The provisional appointments of Lieutenants W. G. HUNTER and J. P. AUSTIN are terminated under the provisions of section 15 of the Defence Act, 8th February, 1921.

54th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—Captain R. J. STEWART, M.C., is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 16th February, 1921.

55th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—Lieutenant (Honorary Captain) A. S. EVANS is transferred to the Unattached List, 16th February, 1921; the resignation of Lieutenants H. S. STEPHENS and N. E. FENNER of their provisional appointments are accepted, 16th February, 1921.

Australian Army Service Corps.—Lieutenant (Honorary Captain) R. G. BOSANQUET is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, and to be Captain, 16th February, 1921; Provisional Lieutenant (Honorary Captain) J. A. McGRATH is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, and to be 2nd Lieutenant (Honorary Captain), 16th February, 1921; Captain J. KELLNER is appointed from the Reserve of Officers, 3rd Military District, 16th February, 1921.

Australian Army Medical Corps.—Major A. J. COLLINS, D.S.O., M.C., from the Reserve of Officers, to be appointed Captain, 16th February, 1921; Captain J. J. WOODBURN is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 16th February, 1921.

Reserve of Officers.—Captain D. A. A. DAVIS is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 1st Military District, 16th February, 1921; 2nd Lieutenant R. HOLTHAM is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 4th Military District, 16th February, 1921.

Lieutenant L. DYSON is transferred to the Australian Engineers, 6th Military District, 16th February, 1921; Lieutenants T. H. POTTER and W. T. HANLON, M.C., are transferred to the Unattached List, 3rd January, 1921; the temporary rank of Honorary Captain granted to Honorary Lieutenant W. MACDONNELL is terminated, 22nd March, 1921.

To be Lieutenant.—Honorary Lieutenant W. MACDONNELL, 23rd March, 1921; the resignation of Lieutenant E. A. CHRISTENSEN of his commission is accepted, 16th February, 1921.

AWARD OF THE COLONIAL AUXILIARY FORCES OFFICERS' DECORATION.

1st Light Horse.—Major F. E. STOWE.

AWARDS OF THE COLONIAL AUXILIARY FORCES LONG SERVICE MEDAL.

16th Light Horse.—No. 317 Squadron Quartermaster-Sergeant W. E. JAEGER.

Australian Engineers.—No. 1702 Warrant Officer, Class II, J. A. RYAN.

3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

8th Light Horse.—Lieutenant H. WALKER, from the Reserve of Officers, to be appointed Lieutenant (provisionally), 16th February, 1921.

To be Lieutenant (provisionally).—FRANCIS BERNARD CONWAY, M.M., 16th February, 1921.

20th Light Horse.—Lieutenant H. C. FERGUSON is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 16th February, 1921.

To be Lieutenant (provisionally).—2nd Lieutenant F. GREENWAY, M.M., Reserve of Officers, 16th February, 1921.

Australian Field Artillery.—The temporary appointment of Lieutenant C. H. GAUNSON is terminated, 16th February, 1921.

Australian Garrison Artillery.—Lieutenant (Honorary Captain) D. E. ATKINS is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 16th February, 1921.

Australian Engineers.—To be Lieutenant (temporarily).—CLARENCE HENRY OSBORNE, 16th February, 1921. To be Captain (temporarily).—Lieutenant E. H. JAMES, D.S.O., M.V.O., M.C., 16th February 1921; Captain C. S. BARBER, M.C., is transferred to the Unattached List, 16th February, 1921.

5th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—Major A. P. CAUGHEY is appointed from the Reserve of Officers, with regimental seniority, as from date of transfer, 16th February, 1921; Major R. M. C. AITCHISON is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 16th February, 1921; the resignation of Lieutenant D. F. G. BOYD of his commission is accepted, 16th February, 1921.

21st Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—Captain and Brevet Major W. MITCHELL, D.S.O., is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, and to be Lieutenant-Colonel, 16th February, 1921. Lieutenant (Honorary Captain) L. J. TROUNSON, M.C., is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, and to be Captain, 16th February, 1921.

22nd Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—Captain H. CONWAY is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 13th May, 1921; Lieutenant J. JOSKE is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 16th February, 1921; Lieutenant A. ISAACSON is retired under the provisions of Australian Military Regulation 152; the resignations of Captain E. J. P. WEBBE and Lieutenant E. W. WALKER of their commissions are accepted, 31st January, 1921. *5th Battalion.*—The provisional appointment of Lieutenant E. C. THOMPSON is terminated, under the provisions of section 15 of the Defence Act, 8th February, 1921.

24th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—Lieutenant S. G. GARRETT is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 16th February, 1921.

29th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—The resignation of Lieutenant S. E. FRANCIS of his provisional appointment is accepted, 16th February, 1921; the provisional appointments of Lieutenants A. B. SHAW, N. ST. J. MITCHELL, M. J. PARKER, and C. A. B. JOSKE are terminated, under the provisions of section 15 of the Defence Act, 8th February, 1921. *5th Battalion.*—The resignation of W. S. BURT of his commission is accepted, 16th February, 1921; the resignations of Lieutenants E. M. T. LANE and G. M. GABOIA of their provisional appointments are accepted, 16th February, 1921.

37th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—Major E. V. NIXON is transferred to the Unattached List, 16th February, 1921.

38th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—Lieutenant J. RIDE, M.C., to be appointed from the Reserve of Officers, with regimental seniority as from date of transfer, 15th February, 1921; the resignation of Lieutenant J. K. KNOWLTON of his provisional appointment is accepted, 16th February, 1921.

58th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion—The resignations of Lieutenants A. H. WARDROP and J. V. MARTYN are accepted, 16th February, 1921.

3rd Pioneer Regiment.—2nd Battalion—The resignation of Lieutenant G. F. BOYLE of his provisional appointment is accepted, 16th February, 1921.

Melbourne University Rifles.—The resignation of Lieutenant R. G. MENZIES of his commission is accepted, 16th February, 1921.

Australian Army Service Corps.—The resignation of Lieutenant R. MITCHELL of his provisional appointment is accepted, 16th February, 1921.

Australian Army Medical Corps.—Captain A. A. MCKAY to be granted the temporary rank and pay of Major whilst employed at No. 11 Australian General Hospital, 1st January, 1921; Captain (temporary Major) A. A. MCKAY is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 4th February, 1921; the resignation of Major A. B. CAMPBELL of his commission is accepted, 16th February, 1921.

Australian Army Veterinary Corps.—The provisional appointments of Captains (Honorary Majors) G. G. HESLOP, D.S.O., and R. J. DE C. TALBOT are confirmed.

Reserve of Officers.—Captains J. R. PORTER, D. C. WORCH, and Honorary Captain R. D. LEMON to be granted the temporary rank and pay of Major whilst employed at No. 11 Australian General Hospital, 1st January, 1921; 2nd Lieutenant C. FALKNER, M.M., relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain, 24th June, 1920; Captain J. E. JENKINS to be placed on the Retired List with permission to retain his rank

and wear the prescribed uniform, 1st January, 1921; Captain J. S. KELEHER to be appointed to the Australian Army Service Corps, 2nd Military District, with corps seniority as from date of transfer, 16th February, 1921.

4TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

10th Infantry Regiment.—5th Battalion.—Lieutenant S. C. MARSHALL is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 1st February, 1921; the resignation of Lieutenant P. J. CHRISTIE of his provisional appointment is accepted, 31st January, 1921; the provisional appointments of Lieutenants C. L. HAINS, W. R. SWANN, and C. H. EDMONDS are terminated under the provisions of section 16 of the Defence Act, 8th February, 1921.

32nd Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion.—Captain H. W. BROWN, D.C.M., is transferred to the Unattached List, 1st January, 1921.

43rd Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. W. HURCOMBE, V.D., is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 15th February, 1921.

Australian Army Medical Corps.—The date of termination of temporary rank of Major granted to Lieutenant (provisional) H. K. PAVY, which appeared in *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 85, dated 14th October, 1920, is amended to read 30th November, 1920.

Reserve of Officers.—Lieutenant W. J. DICKENS, M.C., is transferred to the Unattached List, 3rd January, 1921; 2nd Lieutenant R. HOLTHAM is transferred from the Reserve of Officers, 2nd Military District, 16th February, 1921; the resignations of Honorary Captains J. R. TOBIN and T. B. ASHTON of their commissions are accepted, 15th February, 1921.

Chaplains' Department.—The Reverend KENNETH JULIAN FAITHFUL BICKERSTETH, M.A., M.C., to be Chaplain, 4th Class, 1st February, 1921; the resignation of Chaplain, 4th Class, the Reverend G. H. JOSE, M.A., of his appointment is accepted, 31st January, 1921.

AWARD OF THE COLONIAL AUXILIARY FORCES LONG SERVICE MEDAL.

48th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion.—No. 71 Warrant Officer, Class II., W. T. TURNER.

5TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

28th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion.—Captain F. W. ROBERTS relinquishes the temporary command and is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 1st January, 1921.

51st Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion.—Lieutenant-Colonel T. FLINTOFF is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, 1st January, 1921.

Reserve of Officers.—The temporary rank of Major granted to Honorary Captain H. J. GRAY is terminated, 9th February, 1920; the temporary rank of Captain granted to 2nd Lieutenant W. E. COLLINS and Lieutenants L. J. H. HAMMOND and M. J. QUEALY is terminated from 3rd December, 1919, 24th April, 1920, and 24th July, 1920, respectively; the temporary rank of Lieutenant granted to CHARLES TAYLOR is terminated, 31st December, 1920.

6TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

Australian Garrison Artillery.—Major E. HARBOTTLE, D.S.O., is transferred to the Unattached List, 16th February, 1921.

Australian Engineers.—Lieutenant L. DYSON to be appointed from the Reserve of Officers, 2nd Military District, with corps seniority as from date of transfer, 16th February, 1921; Captain G. C. PAYNE to be appointed from the Reserve of Officers, with corps seniority as from date of transfer, 16th February, 1921.

12th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion.—Lieutenant F. M. WILLIAMS to be re-appointed from the Reserve of Officers, with regimental seniority next after Lieutenant (provisionally) A. E. W. PEARCE, 16th February, 1921; Lieutenant (provisional) J. C. CRAIGIE is transferred to the Reserve of Officers and to be 2nd Lieutenant, 16th February, 1921. 5th Battalion.—The temporary appointment of Lieutenant A. R. PARK is terminated, 15th December, 1920.

40th Infantry Regiment.—2nd Battalion.—Captain F. C. GREEN, M.C., to be appointed from the Reserve of Officers, 16th February, 1921; the resignation of Lieutenant J. ROSS of his commission is accepted, 16th February, 1921.

Australian Army Medical Corps.—Major (Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel) J. A. NEWELL is transferred to the Reserve of Officers with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, 16th February, 1921. (Ex. Min. No. 117.)

G. F. PEARCE, Minister of State for Defence.

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY CADET CORPS.

SENIOR CADETS.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the following:—

1ST MILITARY DISTRICT.

Transfer.—Lieutenant (provisional) R. C. STREDWICK is transferred from 1st Military District to Senior Cadets, 2nd Military District, 1st March, 1921.

Resignation.—The resignation of 2nd Lieutenant A. W. VIERTTEL of his commission is accepted, 28th February, 1921.

2ND MILITARY DISTRICT.

Appointments.—Lieutenant JOSEPH CHARLES MOUNTFORD, Reserve of Officers, Australian Military Forces, to be Lieutenant, 8th July, 1920; WILLIAM HUMPHRIES, to be Lieutenant (provisionally), 1st March, 1921.

Transfers.—2nd Lieutenant M. H. SMITH is transferred from 5th Military District to Senior Cadets, 2nd Military District, 1st February, 1921; Lieutenant (provisional) R. C. STREDWICK is transferred from 1st Military District to Senior Cadets, 2nd Military District, 1st March, 1921.

Retirements.—Majors G. A. BLUMER and F. W. C. CRANE, Unattached List, are retired upon transfer to the Reserve of Officers, Australian Military Forces, 31st October, 1919; Majors G. O. NOBLE and T. REDMOND, Captains A. BROOK, H. G. CAMPBELL, E. R. DAVIES, D. P. FOLEY, J. FORTUNE, J. HEDBERG, D. HOWELL, G. H. JOHNSTON, H. J. LEROY, A. J. LONGMUIR, N. MCLEOD, P. NELSON, E. O'RYAN, G. PAINE, J. REYNOLDS, B. C. ROBERTSON, W. A. RUSSELL, R. SHIELDS, F. J. SYMONS, J. T. WILSON, R. H. WILSON, Lieutenants F. W. W. GREAVES, and A. MATTHEWS, Unattached List, are retired under the provisions of Australian Military Regulation 1232 (2), with permission to retain their ranks and wear the prescribed uniform under the provisions of Australian Military Regulation 1229, 31st January, 1921. Majors R. C. BRAY and A. J. MCCOY, Captains D. J. BARRETT, C. BLUMER, W. E. COOK, S. W. COOMBE, C. F. A. CROKER, W. J. CUNNINGHAM, W. C. EWING, A. W. FITZ-GERALD, A. H. FORD, J. W. GREAVES, W. G. HARVEY, F. J. HASTIE, J. H. HOAD, A. HOWARTH, J. T. LEEMON, J. MACHIN, D. J. MARSHALL, H. W. R. MEYER, S. MITCHELL, G. MCGOOGAN, J. MCGRATH, W. J. NEELD, D. A. PIKE, E. W. SMITH, J. MCN. SMYTH, J. G. SNELLING, W. M. STEINBECK, J. W. WALKER, and H. W. M. YARSLY, Lieutenants C. E. ADSHEAD, R. M. ALEXANDER, T. L. E. ABBOTT, J. B. ADAMS, F. BACON, C. J. W. EERINGER, S. G. BIDWELL, N. BREWER, R. M. BRIERLEY, R. E. S. BRIDGE, W. O. BROWN, R. J. BUCKLAND, R. BUCKRIDGE, F. BUSSMAN, J. C. CHAMPION, C. M. CHATEAU, G. A. CLOTHIER, T. R. B. CLARK, S. G. COLE, N. G. F. COOKE, A. J. COYLE, W. CRAIG, B. C. CROOKE, C. A. CUMMING, A. R. DAVEY, F. C. DERHAM, T. B. G. DIBBS, C. F. DIMENT, A. J. DOYLE, G. W. O'D. EAGAR, H. R. EAGLES, R. B. EMANUEL, R. W. EVANS, J. A. FAULKES, W. E. FINNEY, F. FORDHAM, J. I. FORSYTH, R. FARLEY, J. GIBSON, F. E. J. GILLOULEY, I. W. GIOVANELLI, A. G. GRACE, B. C. HARKNESS, G. J. HAWK, J. HICKEY, R. C. R. HILL, C. R. HUGHES, W. T. HYDER, H. J. D. JONES, H. C. KIDDLIE, J. S. LEARMONTH, G. A. LEWIS, D. F. LILIER, G. E. LONNON, D. MACDONALD, W. MACDONALD, J. H. MARTIN, F. R. E. MAULDON, S. H. MELVIN, H. F. MILNE, L. W. MOLLOY, C. N. McDONALD, L. R. McDONALD, A. MCNUTT, A. T. NIXON, E. S. N. OLSSON, N. PECK, A. POOLE, E. E. PROWSE, W. J. ROBERTS, P. M. ROBINSON, W. C. ROUSE, W. RUMPH, F. C. SCHWARTZ, H. G. SETCHELL, W. J. SMITH, T. E. STRANG, D. J. SULLIVAN, O. S. M. TAYLOR, E. MCD. THOMPSON, H. W. TOOTH, C. M. TOVELL, C. F. M. TRAVERS, H. F. VALE, J. C. WALKER, G. A. WALPOLE, J. B. WATSON, R. K. WHITE, P. V. WILLIAMSON, C. W. WHITFORD, H. WILSHIRE, 2nd Lieutenants J. R. AITON, N. H. CULL, H. J. FOX, F. H. GREAR, R. H. HUDSON, H. R. W. HUMBLEY, C. W. LAY, E. J. O'BRIEN, O. M. PHILLIPS, J. B. PICKETT, H. C. PUDDIPHATT, C. A. L. RICHARDSON, H. C. ROPER, and A. L. WYBORN, Unattached List, are retired under the provisions of Australian Military Regulation 1232 (2), 31st January, 1921.

Resignations.—The resignations of Captains J. BOA and A. C. ROSS of their commissions are accepted, 28th February, 1921. The resignations of 2nd Lieutenants A. J. BROWN, W. W. S. LLOYD, and R. J. SHEPHERD of their commissions are accepted, 28th February, 1921. The resignation of Lieutenant J. J. DENNENY of his provisional appointment is accepted, 28th February, 1921.

Miscellaneous.—The commission of Captain H. R. WALTON is cancelled, 28th February, 1921. The commission of Lieutenant A. E. PASSMORE is cancelled, 28th February, 1921. The commissions of 2nd Lieutenants E. T. M. WALLACE and R. L. SHELTON are cancelled, 28th February, 1921. The provisional appointments of Lieutenants A. G. WARREN and E. M. J. PARKER are terminated, 28th February, 1921.

3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

Resignations.—The resignations of 2nd Lieutenants A. W. MARTIN, J. H. WHEELER, and J. ROUTLEDGE of their commissions are accepted, 28th February, 1921.

Miscellaneous.—The commission of 2nd Lieutenant H. A. GREGORY is cancelled, 28th February, 1921.

Corrigendum.—The notification respecting the resignation of 2nd Lieutenant A. R. EVA, which appeared on page 324, *Commonwealth of Australia Gazette*, No. 15, dated 17th February, 1921, is cancelled.

4TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

Resignations.—The resignation of 2nd Lieutenant C. M. DELAND of his commission is accepted, 31st December, 1920. The resignation of 2nd Lieutenant A. K. BARR of his commission is accepted, 22nd February, 1921. The resignation of Lieutenant A. P. DANIEL of his provisional appointment is accepted, 3rd February, 1921.

Miscellaneous.—The provisional appointment of Lieutenant R. T. DEVINE is terminated, 28th February, 1921.

5TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

Transfer.—2nd Lieutenant M. H. SMITH is transferred from 5th Military District to Senior Cadets, 2nd Military District, 1st February, 1921.

Resignations.—The resignations of 2nd Lieutenants R. M. LANDER, J. B. KERR, and A. B. P. AMIES of their commissions are accepted, 28th February, 1921.

6TH MILITARY DISTRICT.

Transfer.—Captain C. G. MILLER is transferred to the Un-attached List, 1st March, 1921.

Resignation.—The resignation of Lieutenant H. V. BIGGINS of his provisional and temporary appointment is accepted, 20th December, 1920.

Miscellaneous.—The commission of 2nd Lieutenant H. W. JORDAN is cancelled, 28th February, 1921. The provisional and temporary appointment of Lieutenant H. N. MATTHEWS is terminated, 28th February, 1921. (Ex. Min. No. 119.)

G. F. PEARCE, Minister of State for Defence.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.

Defence Act 1903-18, Section 63, and Defence (Civil Employment) Act, Section 10.

Promotion.—ALFRED GEORGE PATRICK GARRETT, Clerk, 5th Class, District Accounts Office, Tasmania, salary £168 per annum, is promoted to Clerk, 4th Class, Clerical Division, District Accounts Office, South Australia, with salary of £220 per annum, with effect from 1st September, 1920. (Ex. Min. No. 124.)

GRANVILLE RYRIE, for Minister for Defence.

COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC SERVICE.

Melbourne, 24th March, 1921.

THE undermentioned notifications of Staff changes, &c., are made in accordance with the Commonwealth Public Service Act and Regulations:—

PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT.

Allowance.—REGINALD ERNEST CHARLES BAKER, Clerk, 5th Class, Auditor-General's Office, Tasmania, to be paid an allowance equal to the difference between his total remuneration and £196 per annum, as from 1st July, 1920, such allowance to be reduced by the amount of any increment granted.

Payment of Cost of Living Allowance to Officers of the High Commissioner's Staff, London.—Approval has been given for officers classified under the Commonwealth Public Service Act, who are attached, either temporarily or permanently, to the High Commissioner's Staff, London, to be paid cost of living bonus, for a period of twelve months from the 1st July, 1920, on such portion of their salary as does not exceed £1,000 per annum, on the same basis as such bonus is paid to permanent officers of the British Civil Service stationed in London. The notice appearing on page 2203 of *Commonwealth Gazette*, No. 103, of 25th November, 1920, is cancelled.

Allowances.—Approval has been given to the payment of allowances, as shown hereunder, to the following officers whilst engaged in connexion with the audit of the accounts of the Expropriation Board in the New Guinea Territory:—HENRY HILL LING, Local Auditor, South Australia, an allowance equal to the difference between his present salary and allowances and £900 per annum, and outfit allowance of £30; EDWIN MCCARTHY, Clerk, 4th Class, Central Staff, an allowance equal to the difference between his present salary and allowances and £500 per annum, and outfit allowance of £30; NORMAN NORRIS WILLOUGHBY, Clerk, 5th Class, South Australia, an allowance equal to the difference between his present salary and allowances and £500 per annum, and outfit allowance of £30.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

Retirement from Public Service.—JOHN WOODS, Clerk, 5th Class, Clerical Division, Patents and Trade Marks Branch, Victoria, who is absent from duty by reason of illness, he having exhausted all leave of absence allowable under section 69 of the Public Service Act.

Creation of Offices.—Senior Clerk, 3rd Class, Clerical Division, Public Service Arbitrator's Office; Senior Assistant, Public Service Arbitrator's Office; Typist, Public Service Arbitrator's Office.

Grant of Sick Leave.—ADAIR, A. A., Clerk, 4th Class, Crown Solicitor's Office, New South Wales Branch, from 8th February, 1921, to noon, 23rd February, 1921, on half pay, and from noon 23rd February, 1921, to 9th August, 1921, on one-third pay.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

Promotions.—GEORGE ALBERT WATSON, Clerk, Class D, Professional Division, Crown Solicitor's Office (New South Wales branch), salary £480 per annum, to be Senior Clerk, Class C, Professional Division, Crown Solicitor's Office (New South Wales branch), with salary at the rate of £516 per annum, *vice* H. F. E. Whitlam, promoted, to take effect from the 3rd March, 1921; KEITH CAMERON WAUGH, Clerk, Class E, Professional Division, Crown Solicitor's Office (New South Wales branch), salary £318 per annum, to be Clerk, Class D, Professional Division, Crown Solicitor's Office (New South Wales branch), with increase of salary of £408 per annum, *vice* G. A. WATSON, promoted, to take effect from the 3rd March, 1921.

VICTORIA.

Creation of New Positions.—Examiner of Patents, Class E, Professional Division (7 positions); Examiner of Patents, Class D, Professional Division; Supervising Examiner of Patents, Class C, Professional Division (2 positions).

Abolition of Positions.—Six positions of Assistant Examiner of Patents, Class F, Professional Division, last occupied by H. R. WILMOT, O. F. CARTWRIGHT, D. J. WILKIE, A. C. BROWN, W. LONG, and V. C. BAGOT, respectively.

Promotions.—The undermentioned officers, as shown, to take effect from the 15th January, 1921:—ROBERT GIVEN FERGUSON, Deputy Commissioner of Patents and Trade Marks, Class A, Professional Division, £700, to be Commissioner of Patents and Registrar of Trade Marks and Designs, Class A, Professional Division, £900, *decease* of G. Townsend; CHARLES VINCENT WATSON, Examiner of Patents, Class D, Professional Division, £462, to be Deputy Commissioner of Patents and Trade Marks, £650, promotion of R. G. Ferguson; ALEXANDER JAMES MACDONALD, Examiner of Patents, Class D, Professional Division, £498, to be Supervising Examiner of Patents, Class C, Professional Division, £516, creation of new position; HEBER DAVIS EVANS, Examiner of Patents, Class E, Professional Division, £390, to be Examiner of Patents, Class D, Professional Division, £408, promotion of A. J. Macdonald; BERTRAM JONES, Examiner of Patents, Class E, Professional Division, £390, to be Examiner of Patents, Class D, Professional Division, £408, promotion of C. V. Watson; EDWARD JOHN HOWELLS, Examiner of Patents, Class E, Professional Division, £390, to be Examiner of Patents, Class D, Professional Division, £408, resignation of L. B. Davies; CECIL AUBURN SELWYN TEECE, Examiner of Patents, Class E, Professional Division, £390, to be Examiner of Patents, Class D, Professional Division, £408, creation of new position.

Appointments.—The undermentioned persons, on probation, without examination, as Examiners of Patents, Class E, Professional Division, with salary in each case at the rate of £300 per annum, to take effect from the 1st January, 1921:—SIDNEY GLADSTONE ADAMSON, through promotion of H. D. Evans; JAMES ALFRED BOLTON, through promotion of B. Jones; AUSCHAR PHILLIP LA MOTHE, through promotion of E. J. Howells; CHARLES WILLIAM CHIVERS, through promotion of C. A. S. Teece; CORNELIUS ALOYSIUS DEANE, through resignation of L. N. Thom; EDWIN HALIBURTON JAMES, through *decease* of W. Brunton; RALPH HAYNES LEWIS, THOMAS ALFRED RADCLIFFE LEWIS, WILLIAM EDWARD BRUCE NEILSON, LOUIS RADCLIFFE, LYNN BREAKSPEAR RULE, WILLIAM BLANCHARD TOPP, and CHARLES HUMPHREY TRAFFORD, new positions.

Reclassification of Position and Promotion of Officer.—Position of Registrar of Copyrights, occupied by GEORGE STANLEY BROWN, raised from the 3rd Class, Clerical Division, to the 2nd Class, Clerical Division, and GEORGE STANLEY BROWN promoted in the position mentioned in accordance with such higher classification, with increase in salary from £400 per annum to £460 per annum, to take effect from the 1st January, 1921.

Limits of Salary.—Limits of salary attached to position of Registrar of Copyrights to be £460 per annum and £500 per annum.

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.

Forfeiture of Office on Account of Marriage.—GLADYS LAVINA MATILDA PAMMENT, Typist, General Division, Taxation Branch, Western Australia, as from 27th January, 1921.

Exemption from the Provisions of the Act.—G. M. COOK, Sorter (Female), Taxation Branch, South Australia, not exceeding three months from 6th February, 1921; M. WORSLEDINE, Typist, Pensions Branch, Victoria, not exceeding three months from 4th January, 1921. (191.)

Promotions.—HELENA ALPHONIS KELLY, Sorter (Female), Grade I, General Division, Taxation Branch, Central Staff, promoted as Sorter (Female), Grade II, General Division, Taxation Branch, Central Staff, with increase in salary from £120 to £132 per annum, to take effect from the 15th February, 1921; MARGARET MARY CUSHEN, Sorter (Female), General Division, Note Issue Branch, promoted as Sorter (Female), Senior, General Division, Note Issue Branch, with increase in salary from £126 to £138 per annum, to take effect from the 17th February, 1921; WINSTON MCKINLY CHRISTOPHER, Telegraph Messenger, General Division, Goulburn, Postmaster-General's Department, New South Wales, promoted as Messenger, General Division, Taxation Branch, New South Wales, with increase in salary from £78 to £90, to take effect from the 25th February, 1921; WALTER NOWLAN, Telegraph Messenger, General Division, Goulburn, Postmaster-General's Department, New South Wales, promoted as Messenger, General Division, Taxation Branch, New South Wales, with increase in salary from £66 to £78, to take effect from the 25th February, 1921 (192); JAMES HILL CLENDINNING, Telegraph Messenger, General Division, Uralla, Postmaster-General's Department, New South Wales, promoted as Messenger, General Division, Taxation Branch, New South Wales, with increase in salary from £78 to £90 per annum, to take effect from the 22nd February, 1921 (193).

Reclassification of Position and Promotion.—The classification of the position of Senior Clerk and Assessor, Taxation Branch, Tasmania, occupied by John Norman O'Connor, to be raised from the 3rd Class, Clerical Division, to the 2nd Class, Clerical Division, with designation of Senior Clerk and Chief Assessor, and that the said John Norman O'Connor be promoted in the position mentioned in accordance with such higher classification, with increase in salary from £360 per annum to £420 per annum, as from the 3rd March, 1921; the range of salary attached to the position of Senior Clerk and Chief Assessor, Tasmania, to be £420 per annum minimum, and £460 per annum maximum (194).

Extension of Probation.—WILLIAM LINTON ROSS JAMIESON, Clerk, 5th Class, Clerical Division, Taxation Branch, New South Wales, six months, from 16th April, 1921 (195).

Sick Leave.—CATHERINE ALLICEOUS BRIDGES, Sorter (Female), General Division, Taxation Branch, Victoria, from 19th October, 1920, to 18th December, 1920 (1½ hours), on half pay, and 18th December, 1920 (5½ hours), on one-third pay; JEAN STUART CASKIE, Sorter (Female), General Division, Taxation Branch, Victoria, 25th November, 1920, without pay; WILLIAM LEO COLLINS, Assistant, General Division, Taxation Branch, Victoria, from 15th November, 1920, to 6th December, 1920, on half pay; FLORENCE RUTH LEVY, Sorter (Female), Note Issue Branch, from 20th October, 1920, to 1st December, 1920, on half pay; DORIS MARTHA PAYNE, Sorter (Female), General Division, Note Issue Branch, 2nd November, 1920, without pay; CHARLES MICHAEL WILL, Clerk, 5th Class, Clerical Division, Taxation Branch, Victoria, from 27th September, 1920 (5½ hours), to 27th December, 1920 (1½ hours), on half pay, from 27th December, 1920 (5½ hours), to 27th June, 1921 (1½ hours), on one-third pay, from 27th June, 1921 (5½ hours), to 4th July, 1921, without pay (in lieu of from 27th September, 1920, to 27th December, 1920), on half pay, and from 27th December, 1920, to 4th January, 1921, on one-third pay; NELLIE FORSTER, Typist, General Division, Taxation Branch, Victoria, from 2nd August, 1920, to 31st October, 1920 (half-day), on half pay, and from 31st October, 1920 (half-day), to 1st November, 1920, on one-third pay (in lieu of from 2nd August, 1920, to 16th October, 1920, on one-third pay). (196.)

Grant of Furlough.—LIONEL COLIN KEMP, Clerk, 3rd Class, Clerical Division, Taxation Branch, Queensland, six months' furlough, on full pay. (197.)

Resignations.—WILLIAM STEPHEN MATTHEWS, Clerk, 5th Class, Clerical Division, Taxation Branch, New South Wales, as from the 12th February, 1921; JOHN BASIL ARMSTRONG, Clerk, 5th Class, Clerical Division, Taxation Branch, New South Wales, as from the 7th February, 1921.

Variation of Approval to Grant of Leave.—HAROLD ARTHUR MAUNDER, Clerk, 5th Class, Clerical Division, Taxation Branch, Queensland, granted leave of absence, without pay, to be varied to the extent that the period of leave of absence be seven months, five and a half days, as from the 17th February, 1921, to 31st December, 1921, without pay, such period of leave not to be included for any purpose as part of such officer's period of service. (199.)

Leave of Absence, and Permission to engage in Outside Business.—LAWRENCE OWEN SMITH, Clerk, 5th Class, Clerical Division, Taxation Branch, Victoria, twelve months' leave of absence, without pay, such period of leave not to be included

for any purpose as part of the officer's period of service. Permission is granted to the said Lawrence Owen Smith to engage in business as a grazier during the period mentioned. (200).

DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.

Resignations.—J. M. NOONE, Customs Assistant, Landing Branch, New South Wales, as from 5th February, 1921; C. E. NAS, Assistant Lightkeeper, Maatsuyker Island, Tasmania, as from 22nd March, 1921.

Retirements.—F. L. LELEU, Cashier, Long Room, South Australia, as from 15th December, 1920; G. RAMAGE, Head Lightkeeper, Unattached, Western Australia, as from 20th December, 1920. (Ex. Min. No. 55.)

HOME AND TERRITORIES DEPARTMENT.

Appointment.—J. G. McLAREN, Assistant Secretary, Prime Minister's Department, appointed Secretary, Home and Territories Department, with salary at the rate of £1,100 per annum as from 18th March, 1921.

Promotions.—HERBERT JOHN BATES, Assistant, Electoral Branch, New South Wales, promoted as Senior Assistant, Electoral Branch, New South Wales, at his present salary, vice E. Barlow, transferred, to take effect from 24th February, 1921; JACK CLYDE, Messenger, Electoral Branch, New South Wales, promoted as Assistant, Electoral Branch, New South Wales, at his present salary, vice H. J. Bates, promoted, to take effect from 24th February, 1921; EDGAR LESLIE BEATTY, Messenger, Meteorological Branch, New South Wales, promoted as Assistant, Meteorological Branch, New South Wales, at his present salary, vice S. H. Stack, transferred, to take effect from 24th February, 1921.

Resignation.—GEORGE HERBERT SPRAGUE, Clerk, 5th Class, Lands and Survey Branch, resigned as from 19th February, 1921.

Creation of New Office.—New position created of Messenger, General Division, Meteorological Branch, Sydney.

Payment of Bonus.—The Governor-General has approved of the payment of a bonus of £30 each to H. W. HARDIE, Sub-Collector of Customs, Thursday Island, and F. W. E. GABRIEL, Inspector, Home and Territories Department, for special work performed in connexion with alleged illicit landing of aliens in North Queensland.

DEPARTMENT OF WORKS AND RAILWAYS.

Creation of New Position.—Clerk, 5th Class, Clerical Division, Public Works Branch, New South Wales.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

Ex. Mins. Nos. 159, 163, 164, 166, 169, 171.

CENTRAL STAFF.

Services Terminated.—Resignation—F. C. JACKSON, Clerk, 4th Class, Chief Electrical Engineer's Branch, from 31st December, 1920.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

Promotion.—PERCY SELWYN JAMES SLOCOMBE, Clerk, 5th Class, Accounts Branch (Money Order), to be Clerk, 4th Class, Accounts Branch (Money Order), with salary of £220, from 3rd March, 1921.

Reclassification of Offices.—The classification of the position of Clerk, 5th Class, Accounts Branch (Expenditure), occupied by J. COMBE, has been raised to the 4th Class, Clerical Division; the classification of the position of Clerical Assistant, 5th Class, Moss Vale, occupied by CHRISTINA MARIE DOYLE has been raised to Grade I, 4th Class, Clerical Division, and the officer named has been promoted therein in accordance with such higher classification, with salary of £220, from 3rd March, 1921; the classification of the position of Clerical Assistant, 5th Class, Gundagai, occupied by JOHN KEMP PICARD has been raised to Grade I, 4th Class, Clerical Division, and the officer named has been promoted therein in accordance with such higher classification, with salary of £220, from 3rd March, 1921.

Appointments Confirmed.—VINCENT LANCELOT BYE and WALLACE ALEXANDER BREYLEY, Telegraph Messengers, Bankstown and St. Mary's, each from 19th February, 1920.

Probations Extended.—Telegraph Messengers—VAL CLARENCE BESTON, JAMES JOSEPH FITZPATRICK, FREDERICK ALLERTON HARLER, CHARLES FREDERICK MCGREGOR, NORMAN VICTOR TALON, Telegraph Branch; ROBERT FRANCIS ALOYSIUS BARTLETT, George-street West; ANTHONY JOHN HARRIS, Glebe; STANLEY ROBERT HILL, Strawberry Hills, three months each from 29th, 17th, 29th, 13th, 30th, 22nd, and 13th January, 1921, respectively. *Telephonists*—JOHANNA SDELOUS NOONAN and HILDA SEATON, Telephone Branch; ANNIE MERCEDES RAWSON, Cooma, three months each from 26th, 7th, and 7th January, 1921, respectively; VICTOR WILLIAM KIDNEY, Locksmith, Electrical Engineer's Branch, three months from 31st January, 1921.

Services Terminated.—Annulment of Appointment.—ALFRED EDWARD CAVES, Telegraph Messenger (on probation), Telegraph Branch. *Resignations*—NORA BOYD, Telephonist, Telephone Branch, from 26th February, 1921; MARY COULTON,

Telephonist, Newcastle, from 24th February, 1921; JAMES HAROLD JOHNSTONE, Mail Boy, Mail Branch, from 21st February, 1921; CHARLES THOMAS BENNETT, Telegraph Messenger, Peak Hill, from 19th February, 1921; MAURICE WALKER WALSH, Telegraph Messenger, Ballina, from 18th February, 1921; JAMES FRANCIS GARDNER, Mechanic, Electrical Engineer's Branch (Telephone Workshops), from 16th February, 1921; JOSEPH SYDNEY LARKIN, Monitor, Redfern, from 22nd February, 1921; EDWARD ERNEST SIMPSON, Clerk, Electrical Engineer's Branch, Goulburn, from 14th February, 1921; WALTER ERNEST ADDISON, Telegraph Messenger, Inverell, from 26th February, 1921; ROBERT GEORGE SMITH, Telegraph Messenger, Wollongong, from 26th February, 1921; DANIEL McMILLAN, Senior Lineman, Orange, from 2nd March, 1921; JOHN McCANN, Telegraph Messenger, Muswellbrook, from 27th February, 1921; JAMES McDERMOTT, Telegraph Messenger, Liverpool, from 26th February, 1921; J. A. HARRISON, Telephonist, Newcastle, from 23rd February, 1921. *Retirement*—GEORGE AMOS PEARSE, Postman, Lawson; NOEL ANDERSON, Senior Clerk, Correspondence, Records, and Staff Branch, from 3rd March, 1921.

New Offices Created.—Telephonist, Wahroonga, Kogarah, Bega, South Grafton, and Grafton; Postal Assistant, Grafton; Senior Postal Assistant, Camperdown; Clerk, 5th Class, Accounts Branch (Expenditure); Assistant, Accounts Branch (Money Order); Sorter (female), Accounts Branch (Money Order) (three positions), Assistant, Accounts Branch (Telegraph Accounts); Assistant, Accounts Branch (Relieving), (two positions).

Office Abolished.—Telegraph Messenger, Bega.

VICTORIA.

Promotion and Transfers.—WILLIAM JOSEPH ROCHE, Telegraph Messenger, Ascot Vale, salary £108, to be Telephonist, Telephone Branch, with salary of £120, from 3rd February, 1921; LAWRENCE GALE CROFT, Postal Assistant (Acting Telegraphist), Unattached, to be Clerical Assistant, 5th Class, Wedonga, with salary of £192, from 17th February, 1921; OSMOND ALFRED EVANS, Postal Assistant (Acting Telegraphist), Unattached; ARTHUR EDWIN COOPER, Senior Postal Assistant, Hawthorn; PETER LEAHY, Postal Assistant, Telegraph Branch; and ERNEST BULL, Postal Assistant, Telegraph Branch, to be Telegraphists, 5th Class, Telegraph Branch, with salary of £202, £200, £138, and £138, respectively, from 17th February, 1921.

Appointments Confirmed.—VALERIE ENID DUGAN, Typist, Stores Branch, from 13th May, 1920. *Telephonists*—TERESA MONICA BRADY, Telephone Branch; ELSIE MAY BUCHANAN, Warracknabeal; ALICE DOROTHY MAPPIN, Minyip; CATHERINE AGNES WALLER, Telephone Branch, each from 24th June, 1920; WILLIAM KINNEAR STOCKS, Telegraph Messenger, Coburg, from 15th April, 1920.

Probation Extended.—ANNIE MARGARETA YOUNG, Telephonist, Telephone Branch, three months, from 27th February, 1921.

Leave of Absence Without Pay.—LAWRENCE GEORGE ELLINGSEN, Lineman, Electrical Engineer's Branch (Construction and Maintenance (Metropolitan South), from 11th to 16th January, 1921, inclusive; ERNEST SAMUEL HAZELDINE, Senior Mechanic, Electrical Engineer's Branch (Telephone Workshop), six months; JOSEPH WOOD, Mechanic, Electrical Engineer's Branch, Telephone Workshop, from 26th January to 28th February, 1921, inclusive, the period of leave in each case not to be included for any purpose as part of the officer's period of service.

Services Terminated.—*Resignations*—V. C. PEARCE, Assistant (Mail Branch), Unattached, from 15th February, 1921; T. B. ELLIOTT, Postal Assistant, Tungamah, from 1st March, 1921; A. R. W. GREGSON, Telegraph Messenger, Minyip, from 23rd February, 1921. *Dismissal*—GEORGE HOWITT ALLAN, Telegraph Messenger, Sea Lake. *Retirements*—ROBERT SYDNEY LAMONT, Supervisor, Mail Branch (Postmen), from 26th February, 1921; C. H. WEAVER, Mail Officer, Mail Branch, from 24th December, 1920.

New Offices Created.—Assistant, Stock Exchange; Inspector, 3rd Class, Inspection and Inland Mail Branch; Clerk, 4th Class, Inspection and Inland Mail Branch (head-quarters, Horsham); Postal Assistant, Geelong; Clerk, 5th Class; Accounts Branch (Expenditure) (two positions); Telephonist, Sunshine (two positions).

Offices Abolished.—Telegraph Messenger, Sunshine (two positions).

QUEENSLAND.

Transfer.—ARTHUR HARVEY QUICK, Postal Assistant, Texas, to be Telegraphist, 5th Class, Roma, with salary of £138, from 17th February, 1921.

Services Terminated.—*Resignations*—JOHN DOUGLAS MUNRO LINES, Telegraph Messenger, Roma, from 28th February, 1921; ALBERT MAITLAND MARKWELL, Assistant, Winton, from 23rd February, 1921. *Retirement*—COLEMAN JAMES PHILLIP SOLOMON, Engineer, Class E, Electrical Engineer's Branch.

New Offices Created.—Telegraph Messenger, Goondiwindi and Goomeri; Junior Mechanic, Longreach; Carpenter, Electrical Engineer's Branch (Construction and Maintenance) (two positions); Mechanic, Atherton.

Offices Abolished.—Telephonist, Richmond; Junior Mechanic, Cairns.

Allowances.—An allowance, as shown hereunder, to be paid to each of the undermentioned officers, to take effect from 1st January, 1921, and to continue for such time, not exceeding twelve months, as the officer remains at the office shown against his name and does not receive an increase in salary:—THOMAS LOOSEMORE, Cooroy, £8; HENRY WILLIAM JAMES BRISTOW, Goomeri, £8; HAROLD VICTOR CLARK, Mundubbera, £20.

Rent Deduction.—A deduction at the rate of £12 per annum to be made from the salary of MICHAEL JAMES WALSH as rent for quarters occupied by him at Mount Garnet for the purpose of residence, such deduction to take effect from the date of occupancy. A deduction at the rate of 10 per centum, excluding portions of a pound, to be made from the salary of STUART RONDA BELL, as rent for quarters occupied by him at Thursday Island for the purpose of residence, to take effect from date of occupancy of quarters.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Furlough—Six Months on Full Pay.—FRANCIS ALEXANDER HIDER, Senior Sorter, Mail Branch (Relieving); JOHN BREENAN, Senior Lineman, Electrical Engineer's Branch (Construction and Maintenance).

New Offices Created.—Clerk, 5th Class, Inspection Branch; Assistant, Electrical Engineer's Branch; Messenger, Telegraph Branch (twelve positions); Senior Assistant (in charge), Grade VIII. of the classification of Post Offices, Brighton.

Offices Abolished.—Postal Assistant (in training), Telegraph Branch (7 positions); Messenger (in training), Telegraph Branch (11 positions); Postmistress, Brighton.

Payment to an Officer.—E. WIGLEY, Telephone Inspector, Electrical Engineer's Branch (Inspection), to be paid an amount of £5, in consideration of a suggestion made by him for improvement of coin attachments.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Furlough.—JAMES HENRY WILLIAMSON, Telegraphist, Telegraph Branch, six months, on full pay.

TASMANIA.

Furlough.—WILLIAM LAWTON REIZ, Senior Postal Assistant, New Norfolk, three months, on full pay.

New Offices Created.—Telegraphist, 5th Class, Telegraph Branch; Postal Assistant, Ringarooma.

Offices Abolished.—Telegraph Messenger, Ringarooma; Postal Assistant, Ulverstone.

RADIO TELEGRAPH BRANCH.

Variation of Approval for Allowance.—The approval given for a Radio Telegraphist (Relieving), 5th Class, Clerical Division, after four years' service as Radio Telegraphist, or after one year's service at the maximum of the Class, to be paid, subject to good conduct, diligence, and efficiency, an allowance to increase his total annual remuneration to £240 if single, and £255 if married, and after twelve months' receipt of such remuneration, and subject to the same conditions, an allowance to increase his total remuneration to £265 if single, and £280 if married, has been varied to the extent that the total amounts payable to such officer be £250, £270, £265, and £285 per annum, respectively.

COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC SERVICE.

Examination No. 980.

FOR APPOINTMENT AS TELEGRAPHIST OR CLERICAL ASSISTANT, CLERICAL DIVISION, POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT, QUEENSLAND.

A COMPETITIVE Examination for appointment as above will be held on the dates shown hereunder.

PERSONS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER.—The examination will be confined to officers (males) of the General Division in Victoria—

(a) who on 12th December, 1917, the date of closing of applications for Examination No. 728, held on 12th January and 4th March, 1918, were on active service with an Expeditionary Force; or

(b) who on 20th June, 1918, the date of closing of applications for Examination No. 760, held on 20th July, and 4th September, 1918, were on active service with an Expeditionary Force.

TELEGRAPHY TESTS.—Candidates will be required to submit themselves to tests in Practical Telegraphy, which will comprise Receiving, by sound, for 10 minutes, and Sending for 10 minutes, at the rate of 25 words a minute (5 letters to count as one word), special attention being given, in Receiving, to neat and accurate transcription and legible penmanship, and, in Sending, to the firmness, regularity, proper formation, and spacing of signals, as well as immunity from "breaks." Type-writers (to be provided by candidates) may be used in the Receiving test.

EDUCATIONAL EXAMINATION.—Candidates who pass the practical tests will also be required to undergo an Educational Examination in the subjects of Handwriting, Dictation, English, Arithmetic, and Geography, particulars of which are specified in Public Service Regulation 192, and, in order to pass the examination, they must obtain at least 1,140 of the 1,900 marks allotted for those subjects, and at least 25 per cent. in each subject.

DATES OF EXAMINATION.—The Telegraphy tests will commence on Saturday, the 11th June, 1921, and the Educational Examination will take place on the 30th July, 1921.

APPLICATIONS CLOSE.—Applications, in the form shown hereunder, must be lodged at Melbourne not later than 30th April, 1921. *Officers who are unable to lodge their applications by this date should notify their candidature by telegram, at the same time forwarding their written applications.*

EXAMINATION FEE.—All candidates who are to be examined in the educational subjects will be required to pay an examination fee of 5s., in accordance with the Regulations; but such fee will not be payable until the results of the telegraphy examination are made known.

FORM OF APPLICATION.—Applications to be examined must not be sent through the Department, but *direct* to the Secretary to the Commonwealth Public Service Commissioner, Melbourne, and must contain the following particulars, including a certificate in the form shown below indorsed on the application by the local Postmaster (or, in the case of officers attached to the Head Office, by the Telegraph Manager):—

The Secretary,
Commonwealth Public Service Commissioner,
Melbourne.

I hereby give notice of intention to present myself at Examination No. 980 for appointment as Telegraphist or Clerical Assistant in the State of Queensland.

- (a) Name in full.....
(b) Designation of classified office*.....
(c) Name of Post Office where employed†.....
(d) Reference page and No. in Permanent Staff list for 1920.....

NOTIFICATION OF VACANCIES.

APPPLICATIONS will be received 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 are at present permanent officers in the service of a State, or have retired from the service of the Commonwealth or of a State.

Applications must be in the applicant's handwriting, should show fully qualifications for the position sought, and must, to insure consideration, be forwarded to the Public Service Inspector in the State in which the vacancy exists in time to reach the office of the Public Service Inspector not later than the date shown in each case.

In the case of officers of the Commonwealth Public Service applications should be forwarded through the Department to which the officer is attached.

In the case of applicants who are officers of the Public Service of the Commonwealth or of a State the following particulars should be set out at the foot of the application:—

Designation
Office or Branch
Age last birthday (in years)
Length of service (in years)
Salary, (per annum)
Date of receipt of present salary

Applicants from outside the Service should state full name and date and year of birth. Copies only of diplomas, references, testimonials, or certificates should be forwarded. If the originals are required they will be asked for.

Minimum and maximum salaries where shown indicate the limits of the class or grade in which the position is classified. Subject to the provisions of the Public Service Act appoint-

- (e) Date of enlistment†.....
(f) Date of discharge†.....

Signature
Date

I hereby certify, from my personal knowledge of the above-named officer's telegraphic ability, that there is a reasonable expectation of his passing the practical tests prescribed for this Examination.

(Signature of Postmaster.)

* Here specify the position you fill, such as Postal Assistant, Telegraph Messenger, &c.

† If the candidate is on the permanent relieving staff, or is temporarily stationed away from his classified office, he should intimate that fact in his application, and also state, if possible, where he will be located on the dates fixed for the telegraphy tests and educational examination. ‡ Here a candidate shall have been transferred to another office between the day of sending in his application to be examined and the date of the examination, immediate notification thereof must be sent to this office so that arrangements may be made for his examination.

‡ Australian Naval or Military Expeditionary Force.

EXAMINATION CENTRES.—Unless informed to the contrary, candidates stationed at country offices will be examined at the local Post Office; while those attached to the Central and Suburban offices will, as regards the practical tests, be examined at the Central Telegraph Office, and will be subsequently informed of the place where the Educational Examination will be held.

TEXT BOOKS.—No text books are prescribed; but a book containing the papers set at Commonwealth Public Service Examination No. 881, held in June, 1920, for appointment as Clerk, may be obtained from the Government Printer, Melbourne, for 6d. (by post 7d., for which a postal note must be remitted, as stamps alone will not be accepted).

It should be noted by intending candidates that the transfer of successful candidates to Queensland will be of a permanent nature, also that the examination is to provide qualified candidates for Queensland, and not for any other State.

W. B. EDWARDS, Acting Commissioner.

H. A. EARL, Acting Secretary.

ments may be made at any salary within those limits. Cost of living allowances are subject to review by the Arbitration Court from time to time. Successful appointees must comply with the life assurance provisions of the Public Service Act and Regulations.

Officers of the Public Service should note that in any case where the minimum salary of a position in the Clerical Division is not the minimum salary of a Class, and the successful applicant is not eligible for the former by reason of not having received the salary of the next lower subdivision for twelve months, he will be granted an allowance equal to the difference between the salary for which he is eligible and the minimum salary of the position until he can be advanced by annual subdivisional increments to the latter salary.

Where vacancies are notified in positions which have been the subject of award, the minimum and maximum salaries shown are those prescribed by the award. If the officer appointed to any such position is eligible to become, but is not, a member of the organization which obtained the award, he can only be paid the rates of salary prescribed in the Public Service Act or Regulations for the position to which he has been appointed, unless and until he becomes a member of the organization, when the award rates shall apply.

Officers promoted to positions in the Fourth Class, which come within the scope of the award of the Australian Commonwealth Public Service Clerical Association, may be retained at the salary of £245 where, in the opinion of the Acting Commissioner, the fixing of that salary as a maximum is justified.

Officers who may be transferred without promotion or increase of salary, as the result of an application for an advertised vacancy, will be required to pay their own expenses of removal unless the transfer comes within the conditions prescribed in Public Service Regulation No. 54.

Particulars of existing quarters are furnished merely for the information of officers. It is not incumbent on Departments to provide quarters, which, if provided, may be wholly or partially withdrawn at any time.

Position and Division.	Locality.	Salary and Allowance per Annum.			Closing Date for Receipt of Applications.
		Salary.	Cost of Living Allowance.	Basic Wage Allowance.	

DEPARTMENT OF WORKS AND RAILWAYS.

CENTRAL STAFF.

*Watchman, General Division | Melbourne | £132 to £156 | £30 if unmarried, £50 if married | £12 | 31st March

The position is open to officers of the Public Service and to returned sailors and soldiers only from without the Public Service.

* In lieu of notification which appeared in *Gazette* dated 17th March, 1921.

NOTIFICATION OF VACANCIES—continued.

Position and Division.	Locality.	Salary and Allowance per Annum.			Closing Date for Receipt of Applications.
		Salary.	Cost of Living Allowance.	Basic Wage Allowance.	

DEPARTMENT OF WORKS AND RAILWAYS—continued.

PUBLIC WORKS BRANCH.

CENTRAL STAFF.

†Draftsman (in training), Professional Division, Class F	Melbourne	£96 to £294	...	If over 21 years of age and (a) unmarried, £30; (b) married, £50; if under 21, according to age	\$ If 21 years of age or over, £12; if under 21, £6	7th April
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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.

TAXATION BRANCH.

Western Australia.

*†Junior Valuer (Country), Professional Division, Class D	Perth	£336 to £408, plus an allowance of five per cent. on salary	£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	\$£12 (with maximum remuneration of £400)	31st March
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Applicants should be qualified surveyors, either licensed or have completed training preparatory to obtaining licence, and must have had experience in country survey work.

Particulars of experience and qualifications must be furnished.

* Previously advertised. Closing date for receipt of applications has been extended to 31st March.

† The position is open to persons from both within and without the Public Service, and preference will be given, as amongst the suitable applicants not in the Public Service, to returned soldiers and sailors.

PENSIONS AND MATERNITY ALLOWANCES BRANCH.

Western Australia.

Deputy Commissioner of Invalid and Old-age Pensions and Maternity Allowances, 2nd Class, Clerical Division	Perth	£420 to £440, plus a special allowance of 5 per cent. of salary	\$£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	...	31st March
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SUB-TREASURY, NEW SOUTH WALES.

Clerk, 4th Class, Clerical Division	Sydney	£220 to £310	£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	\$£12	7th April
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

CENTRAL STAFF.

† Medical Officer, Professional Division, Class C (six positions)	Melbourne...	£516 to £678	31st March
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Applicants must be medical graduates between 25 and 35 years of age, should produce evidence of sound professional knowledge, and should be prepared, after period of training at the Commonwealth Serum Laboratories, to proceed to any part of Australia to take charge of Branch Laboratory located at such part, and also for any subsequent transfer that may be necessary.

If satisfactory, successful applicants will be advanced to salary of £606 per annum at the expiration of twelve months, and by £24 increments, as may be approved by the Public Service Commissioner from time to time, until salary reaches £678 per annum.

Any further particulars can be obtained on application to the Director of Quarantine, Melbourne.

*† Junior Technical Assistants, Professional Division, Class F (six positions)	Melbourne	£204 to £294	£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	\$£12	31st March
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Applicants should be between 22 and 35 years of age, should produce evidence of secondary school education up to at least Junior Public or Intermediate standard, should state nature of previous laboratory experience, if any, should be prepared after period of training at Commonwealth Serum Laboratories, Melbourne, to proceed to any part of Australia where branch laboratory is located to assist in the laboratories the Medical Officer in charge, and also for any subsequent transfer to another laboratory if necessary.

* In lieu of notification which appeared in *Gazette* dated 17th March, 1921.

Clerk, 4th Class, Clerical Division	Melbourne	£220 to £310	£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	\$£12	7th April
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Applicants should be experienced in accounts work.

Serum Laboratory.

† Junior Technical Assistant, Professional Division, Class F	Melbourne	£96 to £204	If over 21 years of age and (a) unmarried, £30; (b) married, £50; if under 21, according to age	\$ If 21 years of age or over, £12; if under 21, £6	31st March
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Applicants should have had a secondary school education to at least the intermediate standard and should furnish in their applications particulars of their qualifications.

DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.

COMMERCE BRANCH.

Queensland.

† Butter Grader, Professional Division, Class D	Brisbane	£354 to £408	£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	\$£12 (with maximum remuneration of £400)	7th April
† Cheese and Butter Grader, Professional Division, Class D	Brisbane	£354 to £408	£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	\$£12 (with total remuneration of £400)	7th April

Except in the case of those applicants already employed in similar positions, applicants should submit evidence by testimonial or diploma showing their training and experience in the practice and science of dairying.

NOTIFICATION OF VACANCIES—continued.

Position and Division.	Locality.	Salary and Allowance per Annum.			Closing Date for Receipt of Applications.
		Salary.	Cost of Living Allowance.	Basic Wage Allowance.	
POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.					
New South Wales.					
Senior Lineman, General Division	Orange ...	£192 to £210, plus forage allowance	£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	££12 ...	31st March
The successful applicant will be required to provide horse, equipment, and a sulky.					
Mail Officer, General Division	Newcastle ...	£216 to £252 ...	£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	££12 ...	7th April
Victoria.					
†Sailmaker, Mail Branch (inland mail) General Division	Melbourne	Rate of pay, 90s. per week of 48 hours	31st March
Queensland.					
Senior Lineman, General Division	Gladstone ...	£192 to £210 ...	£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	££12 ...	31st March
Senior Postal Assistant, General Division	Herberton ...	£156 to £204, plus District allowance, Scale II.	£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	££12 ...	31st March
Postmaster, Clerical Division ...	Kuridala ...	£232 to £318, less 10 per cent. for rent of quarters. District allowance, Scale V.	£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	££12 ...	7th April
Quarters : Four rooms.					
Senior Postal Assistant (in charge), General Division	Urundangie	£156 to £204, less 10 per cent. deduction for rent ; District allowance, Scale VI.	£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	££12 ...	7th April
Quarters : Six rooms.					
Lineman (in charge of office), General Division	Tangorin ...	£192 to £210, less 10 per cent. for rent of quarters. District allowance, Scale IV.; forage allowance, £24; allowance for office assistant, £26.	£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	££12 ...	7th April
Quarters : Six rooms.					
South Australia.					
Postmaster, Clerical Division ...	Whyalla ...	£200 to £230 ...	£30 if unmarried, £50 if married	££12 ...	7th April
No quarters.					
Western Australia.					
†Deputy State Engineer, Professional Division, Class D, Electrical Engineer's Branch	Perth ...	£408 to £498, plus special allowance of 5 per cent. on salary	££30 if unmarried, £50 if married	7th April

§ Exclusive of child endowment.

† The position is open to persons from both within and without the Public Service, and preference will be given, as amongst the suitable applicants not in the Public Service, to returned soldiers and sailors.

H. A. EARL, Acting Secretary.

W. B. EDWARDS, Acting Commissioner.

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