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### CONSULS.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs the provisional recognition of Mr. EDOUARD ANTOINE as Honorary Consul for Belgium at Perth, in the State of Western Australia, pending the receipt of His Majesty's Exequatur.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs the recognition of Mr. HAMILTON SLEIGH as Acting Vice-Consul for Finland at Melbourne, in the State of Victoria.

The Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1904-1921.

Principal Registry, Melbourne, 29th April, 1925.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF THE CONSTITUTION OF AN ORGANIZATION (INCLUDING THE DESCRIPTION OF THE INDUSTRY IN CONNEXION WITH WHICH IT IS REGISTERED).

NOTICE is hereby given that application has been made to me under the *Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Act 1904-1921* for the change of the constitution of the Federated Moulders (Metals) Union of Australasia, and the description of the industry in connexion with which the organization is registered, from the following:—

“And shall consist of all classes of moulders, as herein provided for, and attached to associated branches,”

registered in connexion with the metal moulding (iron trade) industry, to the following:—

“The Union shall be composed of an unlimited number of persons employed or usually employed as moulders and/or coremakers, or apprentices, and engaged in any class of moulding and/or coremaking, for the production of castings from molten metal of any kind (other than bank or vertical pipe moulding or coremaking) in any industry or branch of any industry, together with such persons who have been appointed officers of the Union and admitted as members thereof,”

registered in connexion with the metal moulding industry.

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, 2nd May, 1925.

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR 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 the Constitution of the Federated Engine Drivers and Firemen's Association of Australasia from the following:—

“The Association shall consist of an unlimited number of all classes of engine-drivers, firemen, crane-drivers, dynamo attendants, motor attendants, greasers, cleaners, trimmers, and any other workers assisting in and about the work incidental to any engine, boiler, or machinery connected with the production of power on land or any harbour or river,”

to the following:—

“The Association shall consist of an unlimited number of all classes of engine-drivers, firemen, crane drivers, dynamo attendants, motor drivers or attendants, greasers, cleaners, trimmers, and any other workers assisting in and about the work incidental to any engine, boiler, or machinery connected with the production of power on land or any harbour or river.”

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.

**Regulations may be purchased at the Government Printing Office, at the price indicated.**

S. M. BRUCE, Prime Minister.

Home and Territories Department, Melbourne.  
**PURCHASE OF LAND FOR POSTAL PURPOSES AT  
 TOORONGA, IN THE STATE OF VICTORIA.**

HIS Excellency the Governor-General in Council has approved that authority be granted for the purchase, for postal purposes, from the owner, for the sum of £640, of certain land at Tooronga, in the State of Victoria, as described in the schedule hereunder.

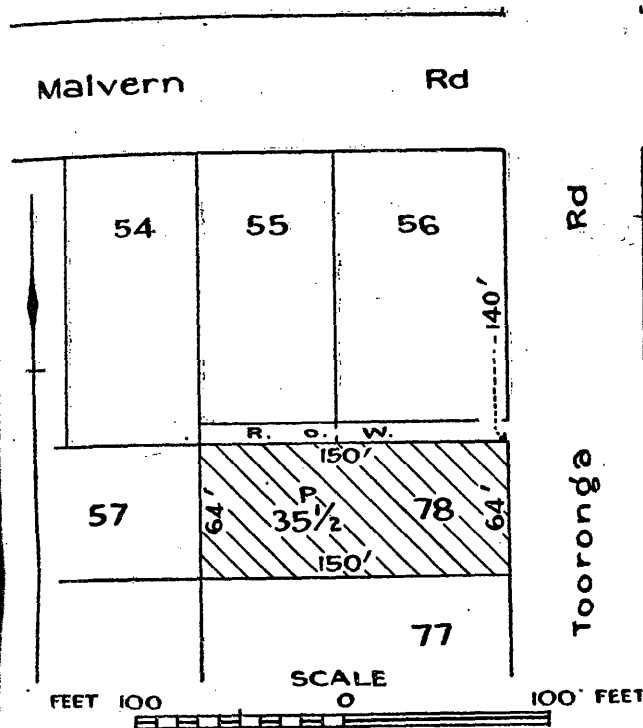
G. F. PEARCE,

Minister of State for Home and Territories.

B.25/1214.

**DESCRIPTION OF LAND REFERRED TO.**

All that piece or parcel of land containing an area of 35½ perches, more or less, being lot 78 on lodged plan 553, and being part of Crown portion 12, Parish of Prahran, at Garfield, County of Bourke, State of Victoria, Commonwealth of Australia, as shown hachured on plan hereunder:—



THE Governor-General in Council has approved that authority be granted for the following leases:—

For the acquisition by agreement of a lease of premises situated at the corner of Yarra and Malop streets, Geelong, Victoria, for postal purposes, for a period of three (3) years, from the 6th April, 1925, and thereafter, subject to determination by 28 days' notice, at a rental of £1 12s. 6d. per week. (Executive Council Minute No. 8 of 13th March, 1924, is hereby cancelled as from 6th April, 1925, when other premises leased at a rental of £125 per annum were vacated.)—B.25/1354.

For the Commonwealth to acquire by agreement with the owner, namely, James Rogers, of Brim, the right and privilege of entering upon and using for the purposes of a Rifle Range, certain land at Brim, Victoria, for a period of five (5) years, from 1st March, 1925, and thereafter until the expiration of one month's notice in writing by either party to the other of intention to determine the agreement, at a rental of £2 10s. per annum.—B.25/1448.

For the Commonwealth to acquire by agreement with the owner, namely, C. R. McKinnon, "Mountford," Longford, the right and privilege of entering upon and using for the purposes of a Rifle Range, certain land at Longford, Tasmania, for a period of ten (10) years, from the 1st July, 1925, and thereafter until the expiration of one month's notice in writing by either party to the other of intention to determine the agreement, at a rental of £12 per annum.—A.25/1359.

For the Commonwealth to acquire by agreement with the owners, namely, the Victorian Railways Commissioners, Melbourne, the right and privilege of entering upon and using for the purposes of a Miniature Rifle Range, certain land at Northcote, Victoria, for a period of twenty-one (21) years, from 1st January, 1925, and thereafter until the expiration of one month's notice in writing by either party to the other of intention to determine the agreement, at a rental of One peppercorn per annum.—B.25/1446.

For the Commonwealth to acquire by agreement with the owner, namely, R. E. Smith, farmer, Westwood, Ulverstone, the right and privilege of entering upon and using for the purposes of a Rifle Range, certain land at Ulverstone, Tasmania, for a period of ten (10) years certain, from the 1st

April, 1925, and thereafter until the expiration of one month's notice in writing by either party to the other of intention to determine the agreement, at a rental of £5 per annum.—A.25/1361.

For the Commonwealth to acquire by agreement with the owners, namely, the Caledonian Collieries Limited, of Cessnock, and Watt-street, Newcastle, the right and privilege of entering upon and using for the purposes of a Rifle Range, certain land situated at Cessnock, New South Wales, for the further period from the 17th May, 1925, to the 31st August, 1939, and thereafter until the expiration of one month's notice in writing by either party to the other of intention to determine the agreement, at a rental of 1s. per annum.—A.25/1500.

For the surrender of the lease from the State Government of an area of about 50 acres situated at Winton, Queensland, being portion 65, lease No. 3576, in consideration of the issue by the State Government of a fresh lease to contain an area of about 70 acres under the same terms and conditions, namely, for a period of ten (10) years, at a rental of £5 per annum.—B.25/1411.

For the acquisition by agreement of a lease of an area 125 feet by 18 feet situated in Point Nepean-road, forming portion of the lands comprised within the limits of the Victorian Railways Commissioners' Caulfield and Frankston railway, required for a Miniature Rifle Range, Chelsea, Victoria, for a period of twenty-one (21) years, from the 1st November, 1924, at a rental of One peppercorn per annum.—B.25/1386.

For the Commonwealth to acquire by agreement with the owners, namely, No. 49 Star of the West Masonic Lodge, Hughenden, the right and privilege of entering upon and using for the purposes of a Rifle Range, certain land at Hughenden, Queensland, for a period of two (2) years certain, from the 1st January, 1925, and thereafter until the expiration of one month's notice in writing by either party to the other of intention to determine the agreement, at a rental of One shilling (1s.) per annum if demanded.—B.25/928.

For the acquisition by agreement of a lease of premises situated at No. 225 William-street, Sydney, for the accommodation of Postmen, for a period of one (1) year, from date of possession, at a rental of £3 per week, and thereafter on a monthly tenancy, at a rental of £4 per week.—A.25/1457.

For the Commonwealth to acquire by agreement with the owners, namely, the District Council of Ororoo, the right and privilege of entering upon and using for the purposes of a Rifle Range, certain land at Ororoo, South Australia, for a period of ten (10) years certain, from 1st December, 1924, and thereafter until the expiration of one month's notice in writing by either party to the other of intention to determine the agreement, at a rental of One shilling (1s.) per annum.—B.25/264.

For the acquisition by agreement of a lease from the State Government of premises situated at Cossack, Western Australia, being the Court House and Quarters, for the purposes of the Department of Trade and Customs, on a monthly tenancy, as from date of possession, at a rental of £4 15s. per week.—A.25/1440.

For the lease from the State Government of the following areas in Queensland, for Aviation purposes:—

*Area, Place, Portion, Parish, County.*

- About 200 acres, Charleville, 53, Charleville, Orrery;
- About 66 acres, Mackinlay, 9, Murkabarra, Allison;
- About 100 acres, Longreach, 59, Longreach, Portland;
- About 157 acres, Blackall, 97, Blackall, Tambo;
- About 130 acres, Tambo, 17, Tambo, Tambo;
- About 122 acres, Cloncurry, 36, Cloncurry, Beaconsfield,

for a period of ten (10) years, from the 1st July, 1922, and thereafter from month to month, at a rental of £5 per annum in each case.—Q.L.23/715.

G. F. PEARCE, Minister for Home and Territories.

**The Northern Territory of Australia.**

**AGRICULTURAL LANDS AVAILABLE FOR LEASING IN  
 TERMS OF THE CROWN LANDS ORDINANCE 1924.**

**A**PPPLICATIONS for leases of lands as set out in Schedule Nos. 1 and 2, as cultivation farms, will be received at the Lands Department, Darwin, or the Department of Home and Territories, Melbourne, on or before the 25th July, 1925.

The lands available are situated in the Darwin and Gulf District.

Cultivation farms are granted as leases in perpetuity.

Any lands not allotted shall remain open to application at the rentals and conditions set out in the schedule of conditions under which the land will be leased until such time as notification of their withdrawal shall be made both in the *Commonwealth* and *Northern Territory Gazettes*.

All applications shall be accompanied by a lease and registration fee of Thirty shillings.

# SCHEDULE OF CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH THE LANDS WILL BE LEASED.

1. *Rent*.—No rent will be payable for the first period of the lease, which continues for the applicant's life, or for a period of 21 years from the commencement of the lease, whichever period is the longer. After the first period an annual rent will be payable as fixed on appraisalment by the Land Board, and thereafter at an annual rent fixed by re-appraisalment every 21 years, in pursuance of the said Ordinance. A provision will be inserted in the lease that if the rent is not paid on or before the expiry of three months from the date on which it becomes due, an addition of 6 per cent. per annum may be made in respect of the rent overdue, and that the lease shall be liable to forfeiture if the rent is unpaid for six months or more.

2. *Reservations*.—The lease will contain the reservations provided for in the said Ordinance, being—

- (a) a right of entry and inspection;
- (b) all minerals; and
- (c) a power of resumption to resume the whole or any portion of the leased land required for naval or military purposes, and without compensation for any improvements erected by the lessee without permission of the Board.

If the land is required for public purposes, such as railways, tramways, roads, water conservation works, sites for towns, recreation grounds, cemeteries, commons, reserves, public buildings, or other like purposes, the power of resumption can be exercised on six months' notice, and on two years' notice where the land is required for any other purpose.

3. *Covenants and conditions* will be inserted in the lease as follows:—

- (a) To pay the rent (when it becomes payable) annually in advance.
- (b) To use the land only for the purposes for which it is leased.
- (c) That the lessee will enter into occupation of the land within eight months from the notification that the lease has been allotted, and will establish a home within two years after the commencement of the lease, and, subject to any exemption granted by the Land Board for cause shown, will thereafter reside on the land for a period of six months in each year.
- (d) That the lessee shall enclose the land with a substantial fence within the first four years of the lease.
- (e) That the lessee will observe and comply with the regulations under the said Ordinance for the time being in force.

4. *Other provisions*—

- (a) That the lessee may, subject to the consent of the Minister, assign, transfer, mortgage, or sub-let the land included in the lease, or any portion of it; but may sub-let the land, or any portion of it, for any

period not exceeding two years, without first obtaining the consent of the Minister, provided that the sub-lease is made without the right of renewal. Every lessee who sub-lets the leased land, or any portion of it, for any period exceeding six months and not exceeding two years, shall give notice of the sub-lease to the Land Board.

## SCHEDULE NO. 1.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Northern Territory of Australia, commencing at a point on Large Creek, in the Hundred of Glyde, three chains above high-water mark; thence northerly parallel along beach for two miles; thence east for twenty chains; thence southerly two miles; thence west twenty chains to point of commencement, comprising an area of 320 acres, and excluding an area of 1 acre already held under occupation.

### *Cultivation Conditions.*

A covenant will be inserted in the lease that the lessee will, during the first two years of the lease, clear and cultivate at least 10 acres of the land, and will, during the succeeding three years, clear and cultivate an additional 20 acres, and during the next two years clear and cultivate a further 20 acres. Provided that the Land Board may, for sufficient reasons, extend the time for making such improvements.

## SCHEDULE NO. 2.

All that piece or parcel of land in the Northern Territory of Australia, commencing at the north-east corner of section No. 10, in the Hundred of Bray; thence west along said boundary for five chains; thence north for eleven chains; thence east to traverse line; thence south along traverse line to point of commencement, comprising an area of about five and a half acres.

### *Cultivation Conditions.*

A covenant will be inserted in the lease that the lessee will, during the first two years of the lease, clear and cultivate at least one acre of the land, and will, during the succeeding five years, clear and cultivate an additional two acres. Provided that the Land Board may, for sufficient reasons, extend the time for making such improvements.

W. R. EASTON, Chairman,  
W. WYNNE WILLIAMS, Deputy Chairman, } Land  
W. B. HICKS, Member. } Board.

NOTE.—The boundaries and areas of blocks are liable to slight alteration on completion of surveys.

Forms of application and plans of the blocks can be obtained at the Lands Department, Darwin, and the Department of Home and Territories, Melbourne.

## 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—
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#### GENERAL.\*\*

Telegraph Paper Tape—All States .. ..	0.7	*††	3 p.m., 19.5.25
Metal Jointing Sleeves—All States .. ..	0.12	*††	3 p.m., 26.5.25
Telephonists' Telephones—All States .. ..	0.17	*††	3 p.m., 2.6.25
Transformers—All States .. ..	0.21	*††	3 p.m., 16.6.25
Iron Work—All States .. ..	0.23	*	3 p.m., 19.5.25
Plugs and Sleeves (Switchboard)—All States .. ..	0.26	*††	3 p.m., 11.8.25
Switchboard Cords—All States .. ..	0.25	*††	3 p.m., 11.8.25



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

Description of Material or Service required.	Schedule No.	Tender Forms, Specifications, &c., obtainable from—	Tenders Close—
<b>NEW SOUTH WALES.</b>			
Motor Generator Sets—Randwick, Waverley, Gordon, and City East Exchanges .. .. .	N.S.W. 106	*††	2.30 p.m., 11.6.25
Accumulator and Counter E.M.F. Cell Batteries—Randwick, Waverley, Gordon, and Canberra Exchanges .. .. .	N.S.W. 107	*††	2.30 p.m., 4.6.25
Supply, delivery, and installation of Automatic Common Battery Telephone Equipment, Canberra Exchange .. .. .	N.S.W. 113	Stores Branches, Sydney and Melbourne .. †††	2.30 p.m., 6.11.25
Cement .. .. .	N.S.W. 117	Stores Branch, Sydney .. .. .	2.30 p.m., 21.5.25
Lead, Sheet .. .. .	N.S.W. 118	Stores Branches, Sydney and Melbourne ..	2.30 p.m., 25.5.25
Coal Tar Composition .. .. .	N.S.W. 119	Stores Branch, Sydney .. .. .	2.30 p.m., 28.5.25
White Ant Exterminator .. .. .	N.S.W. 120	Stores Branch, Sydney .. .. .	2.30 p.m., 28.5.25
Steel Date Stamps and Brass Seals .. .. .	N.S.W. 123	Stores Branches, Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane and Adelaide .. .. .	2.30 p.m., 28.5.25
<b>VICTORIA.</b>			
Machinery .. .. .	V.437	*†	3 p.m., 16.6.25
Pneumatic Tubes—Telegraph Office, Elizabeth-street, and P.O., Russell-street .. .. .	V.442	Stores Branch, Melbourne .. .. .	3 p.m., 2.6.25
Pneumatic Tubes—Telegraph Office, Elizabeth-street, and G.P.O., Spencer-street .. .. .	V.443	Stores Branch, Melbourne .. .. .	3 p.m., 2.6.25
Stamps and Seals .. .. .	V.446	*	3 p.m., 26.5.25

\* Departmental Stores Branches, Sydney (64 Harbour-street); Brisbane; Adelaide (West-terrace); and Perth; G.P.O.s, Melbourne and Hobart.  
† Tender forms, &c., may also be inspected at the office of the Official Secretary to the Commissioner for Australia in America, Room 1013, South Ferry Buildings, 44 Whitehall-street, 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.  
† A charge of £1 1s. per copy of schedule will be made, which will be refunded on receipt and after consideration of a bona fide tender.

## TENDERS ACCEPTED—MAIL SERVICES, VICTORIA.

Number of Service and Contractor's Name and Address.	Particulars of Service.	Approximate Distance.	Frequency of Service.	Mode of Conveyance.	Annual Subsidy.	Date of Termination of Contract.	Inspectorial District in which Service Located.
60. Henry Mitchell Stevens, Kardella South	Kardella and Kardella South	Miles. 2	Times per Week. Three ..	Saddle ..	£ s. d. 30 0 0	30.6.26	Warragul
401. Milton Roy Hotton, Corowa, N.S.W.	Springhurst Railway Station, and Wahgunyah, via Rutherglen, with extension to and from Wahgunyah and Corowa (N.S.W.)	16	Four ..	Motor ..	52 0 0	30.6.25	Benalla
745. James John Creek, Sunset	Panitya and Sunset ..	6	Twice ..	Vehicle ..	48 0 0	31.12.25	Maryborough
753. George Steege, Birdwoodton	Merbein and Birdwoodton	2	Six ..	" ..	52 0 0	30.6.26	"
1150. Ethel Ruth White (Mrs.), Main Ridge	Red Hill and Main Ridge, via Red Hill South	8½	Three ..	" ..	104 0 0	"	Metro. No. 3
1151. Ernest Whitehead, Upper Towong	Junction Corryong - Khandocoban mail route and Biggara, via Upper Towong	10	Twice ..	" ..	90 0 0	"	Benalla
1153. Alfred Ernest Higgins, Mena Park	Lake Goldsmith-Mena Park	8	Three ..	" ..	68 5 0	"	Ballarat
1154. Emily Robertson (Mrs.), Maldon	Maldon and North Walmer	5	" ..	" ..	57 0 0	"	"
1156. Edmund Thomas Reilly, Carwarp	Carwarp and Ginquam South	7½	Twice ..	" ..	56 0 0	"	Maryborough
1196. Robert Marks, Milawa	Milawa and Markwood ..	3½	Six ..	" ..	52 0 0	31.12.25	Benalla
1197. Arthur Graham, Werrimull	Werrimull and Cullulleraine	7½	Twice ..	Motor lorry ..	52 0 0	"	Maryborough
1199. Charles Gordon McInnes, Coleraine	Coleraine and Hilgay ..	5	Three ..	Vehicle ..	36 0 0	"	Ararat
1201. Thomas Lakey, Brewster	Trawalla and Brewster ..	5	Three ..	Saddle or vehicle ..	52 0 0	"	Ballarat
1204. George Austin	Yatpool and Ginquam ..	6	Three ..	Vehicle ..	54 0 0	"	Maryborough
1207. George Martin	Post Office and Railway Station, Harcourt	1	Twelve ..	Motor ..	52 0 0	30.6.25	Ballarat
1208. Thomas James Putt, Lima South	Benalla and Swanpool ..	14½	Three ..	" ..	98 0 0	31.12.25	Benalla
1210. Richard Ernest Warren, Harcourt North	Harcourt-Post Office and Harcourt North Receiving Office	3	Six ..	Bicycle ..	65 0 0	30.6.26	Ballarat
1212. James Alexander Soutter, Benambra	Benambra and The Brothers	6	Three ..	Vehicle ..	67 10 0	"	Warragul
1213. Frederick Simon, Harrierville	Harrierville and St. Bernard Hospice	13	Once ..	Saddle or vehicle ..	52 0 0	"	Benalla

## TENDERS ACCEPTED.

## VICTORIA.

Contract 404.—Western Electric Co. (Aust.) Ltd., 192-194 Castlereagh-street, Sydney—Schedule V404, switchboards, New South Wales and South Australia, £4,213 12s.

Contract 134.—Reliance Electrical Wire Co. (through High Commissioner, London)—Schedule V429, cords, all States, £3,305 1s. 1d.

Contract 177.—Phoenix Telephone & Electric Works Ltd. (J. B. Wallis Ltd., agents), Martin-place, Sydney—Schedule V424, switches, extension, all States, £3,052 3s. 4d.

Contract 178.—Ericsson Telephone Mfg. Co., 509 Collins-street, Melbourne—Schedule V424, generators, Victoria, Queensland, South Australia, Western Australia, and Tasmania, £4,282 1s. 8d.

Contract 179.—Ericsson Telephone Mfg. Co., 509 Collins-street, Melbourne—Schedule V418, pedestal sets and hand sets, all States, £4,916 13s. 4d.

Contract 864.—W. T. Henley's Telegraph Works Co. Ltd., 205-207 William-street, Melbourne—Lead-covered cable (in lieu of item 45, Schedule V325, South Australia), £6,432 11s. 6d.

## WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Carriage by sea and landing of telegraph material from Broome to Anna Plains.—Landing and transportation beyond the first line of sandhills from high water, including all charges at Broome, to Schedule S.E.W.A., No. 30, £870.—Frank Ridley, Broome.

## HOME AND TERRITORIES DEPARTMENT.

OFFERS will be received by the Assistant Surveyor-General, Melbourne, until Noon on the 25th May, 1925, from persons desirous of leasing portion of the old Post Office property, situated in the Esplanade, Burnie, Tasmania. Area of land included in the lease about 51 ft. 7½-in. along the Esplanade, by a depth of about 78 ft. 4 in.

Lessee to pay all rates and taxes legally levied. Period of lease, ten years from date of possession, and thereafter from month to month.

Full particulars of conditions of tenancy may be seen at the Post Office, Burnie, where keys may be obtained, or at the office of the Commonwealth Works Registrar, Hobart. Offers may be left with the latter for transmission to Melbourne.

The envelope containing the offer must be endorsed "Offer for Leasing Postal Premises, Burnie."

The highest or any offer not necessarily accepted.

## COMMONWEALTH STORES SUPPLY AND TENDER BOARD.

## TENDERS INVITED.

Schedule No.	Material.	Supplies required in.	Closing Date.
123	Sealing wax and obliterating ink	All States	2.6.25
124	Ropes and cordage	"	"
125	Carbon paper and type ribbons	"	"

Tender Forms and full particulars are obtainable at the Board's Office, G.P.O., Melbourne, at the office of the Commonwealth Local Stores Board, 64 Harbor-street, Sydney, and at the office of the Controller of Stores, Postmaster-General's Department, Brisbane, Adelaide, Perth, and Hobart.

## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.

TENDERS, addressed to the Secretary, Contract Board, Victoria Barracks, St. Kilda-road, Melbourne, will be received at the Contracts Office—

Victoria Barracks, St. Kilda-road, Melbourne;  
Department of Defence, Circular Quay West, Sydney;  
Kewick Barracks, Adelaide (shaving brushes only);  
Victoria Barracks, Petrie-terrace, Brisbane (shaving brushes only);  
Military Head-quarters, Perth (shaving brushes only);  
Anglesea Barracks, Hobart (shaving brushes only);

not later than Two p.m. on the undermentioned dates for the following items, viz. :—

Shaving brushes, 8th May.  
Tinned peas, 12th May.  
Shirts, soft, white, 12th May.  
Painted kit-bags, 15th May.  
Steel, 22nd May.

Forms and full particulars at above-mentioned offices.

## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.

## CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.

## VICTORIA.

MEAT AND FISH TO FLINDERS NAVAL DEPOT, WESTERNPORT, AND H.M.A. SHIPS IN HOBSON'S BAY AND AT WESTERNPORT.

Period—1st April to 30th September, 1925.

Approved 17th April, 1925.

## Meat.

(257) Beef, forequarters, 2½d. per lb.; beef, hindquarters, 4½d. per lb.; beef, ribs, boned and rolled, 4d. per lb.; beef, topsides, 3½d. per lb.; beef, thick flanks, 3½d. per lb.; beef, thick flanks, 3½d. per lb.; beef, corned, briskets, 2d. per lb.; rounds, 5d.; beef, minced steak, 3½d. per lb.; veal, 3½d. per lb.; mutton, carcasses, 4½d. per lb.; mutton chops, 5½d. per lb.; lamb, carcasses, 5d. per lb.; pork, sides, 9½d. per lb.; pork, corned, 8½d. per lb.; pork chops, 9½d. per lb.; sausages, pork, 5½d. per lb.; sausages, mixed meat, 4d. per lb.; sausages, belgian, 6d. per lb.; fresh suet, beef kidney, 5d. per lb.; brawn, 7d. per lb.; hearts, ox, to average 4 lb. each, 3d. per lb.; kidneys, ox, 8d. per lb.; kidneys, sheep's, 1s. per dozen; sheep's fry, 4s. per dozen; soup meat, 1d. per lb.; tripe, ox, cooked, 5d. per lb.; rabbits, 1s. 3d. per pair; ice, 2s. per cwt.; dripping, 5½d. per lb.—F. Watkins Pty. Ltd.

## Fresh Fish.

(258) Bream (sea), 5d. per lb.; flathead, 5d. per lb.; mullet, 5d. per lb.; trout, 5d. per lb.; schnapper, 8d. per lb.; salmon, 5d. per lb.; Murray cod, 9d. per lb.; Murray perch, 7d. per lb.; smoked blue cod, 1s. per lb.; smoked Murray cod, 1s. 1d. per lb.; smoked Murray perch, 10d. per lb.—Watt and Sinclair.

## NEW SOUTH WALES.

*Corrigendum.*—With reference to Serial No. 726, appearing in *Gazette*, No. 80, of 30th October, 1924, contract of the Double Bay and Rose Bay Dairies Ltd. was transferred to the New South Wales Fresh Food and Ice Co., as from 6th March, 1925.

FRESH MILK TO H.M.A. SHIPS (INCLUDING H.M.A.S. "TINGIRA") AND NAVAL ESTABLISHMENTS AT SYDNEY.

Period—1st April to 30th September, 1925.

Approved 10th March, 1925.

(259) Milk, 1s. 4½d. per gallon, less 3 per cent for payment within 14 days or 2½ per cent. for payment within 30 days.—The Farmers and Dairymen's Milk Co. Ltd.

## VEGETABLES FOR H.M.A. SHIPS, ETC.

Period—1st April to 30th June, 1925.

Approved 26th March, 1925.

(260) Potatoes, Brownells (bags), 8s. per cwt. (crates), 9s. 6d. per cwt.; potatoes, Carmens (bags), 6s. 6d. per cwt. (crates), 8s. per cwt.; onions (bags), 12s. per cwt. (crates), 13s. 6d. per cwt.; turnips, white (bags), 14s. per cwt. (crates), 15s. 6d. per cwt.; turnips, svede (bags), 6s. per cwt. (crates), 7s. 6d. per cwt.; parsnips (bags), 18s. 8d. per cwt. (crates), 20s. 2d. per cwt.; marrows (bags), 6s. per cwt. (crates), 7s. 6d. per cwt.; pumpkins (bags), 6s. per cwt. (crates), 7s. 6d. per cwt.; cabbages, 1½d. per lb.; cauliflowers, 1½d. per lb.; carrots, 18s. 8d. per cwt.; radishes, 1s. 6d. per dozen bunches; spring onions, 2s. 6d. per dozen bunches; lettuce, 2s. per dozen; extra for bags supplied with vegetables other than potatoes and onions, 3d. each—all prices net.—J. T. Collis, 42 City Fruit Markets, Sydney.

## MEAT TO H.M.A.S. "TINGIRA."

Period—1st April to 30th September, 1925.

Approved 12th March, 1925.

(261) Beef—forequarters, 1½d. per lb.; hindquarters, 4½d. per lb.; ribs, boned and rolled, 4½d. per lb.; topsides, 4½d. per lb.; thick flanks, 4½d. per lb.; beef, corned—briskets, 1½d. per lb.; rounds, 4½d. per lb.; minced steak, 3d. per lb.; veal, 3½d. per lb.; mutton—carcasses, 5½d. per lb.; chops, 6d. per lb.; lamb, carcasses, 7½d. per lb.; pork, sides, 10½d. per lb.; pork, corned, 10d. per lb.; sausages, pork, 6½d. per lb.; sausages, mixed meat, 4d. per lb.; sausages, belgian, 5½d. per lb.; fresh suet, beef kidney, 5½d. per lb.; brawn, 7d. per lb.; hearts, ox, to average 4 lb. each, 6d. each; kidneys, ox, 9d. per lb.; kidneys, sheep's, 2s. 5d. per dozen; sheep's fry, 3s. per dozen; soup meat, 2d. per lb.; tripe, ox, cooked, 3½d. per lb.; rabbits, 1s. 1d. per pair; ice, 2s. 3d. per cwt.; dripping, 5d. per lb.—less 2½ per cent., 14 days. (Tender is for supply of meat delivered at Lyne Park Wharf for H.M.A.S. *Tingira*.)—H. D. Walker, 370 New South Head-road, Rose Bay.

MEAT TO H.M.A. SHIPS AND NAVAL ESTABLISHMENTS, EXCEPT  
H.M.A.S. "TINGIRA."

Period—1st April to 30th September, 1925.

Approved 12th March, 1925.

(262) Beef, forequarters, at 1½d. per lb.; beef, hind-quarters, 4d. per lb.; beef, ribs, boned and rolled, 4½d. per lb.; beef, topsides, 4½d. per lb.; beef, thick flanks, 4½d. per lb.; beef, corned—briskets, 1½d. per lb.; rounds, 4½d. per lb.; beef, minced steak, 3d. per lb.; veal, 3½d. per lb.; mutton, carcasses, 5½d. per lb.; mutton, chops, 6d. per lb.; lamb, carcasses, 7½d. per lb.; pork, sides, 10½d. per lb.; pork, corned, 10d. per lb.; sausages, pork, 6½d. per lb.; sausages, mixed meat, 4d. per lb.; sausages, belgian, 4½d. per lb.; fresh suet, beef kidney, 5½d. per lb.; prawn, 7d. per lb.; hearts, ox, to average 4 lb. each, 2d. each; kidneys, ox, 9d. per lb.; kidneys, sheep's, 6d. per dozen; sheep's fry, 3s. per dozen; soup meat, 2d. per lb.; tripe, ox, cooked, 4½d. per lb.; rabbits, 1s. 2d. per pair; ice, 2s. 6d. per cwt.; dripping, 5d. per lb.—all prices net.—Thomas Playfair Ltd., Argyle-street, Sydney.

## FISH TO H.M.A. SHIPS AND NAVAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

Period—1st April to 30th September, 1925.

Approved 5th March, 1925.

(263) Bream (sea), cleaned (fresh), 10d. per lb. (frozen), 10d. per lb.; flathead, cleaned (fresh), 7d. per lb. (frozen), 7d. per lb.; mullet, cleaned (fresh), 6d. per lb. (frozen), 6d. per lb.; trout, cleaned (fresh), 4d. per lb. (frozen), 4d. per lb.; schnapper, cleaned (fresh), 10d. per lb. (frozen), 10d. per lb.; salmon, cleaned (fresh), 4d. per lb. (frozen), 4d. per lb.; Murray cod, cleaned (fresh), 10d. per lb. (frozen), 10d. per lb.; Murray perch, cleaned (fresh), 9d. per lb. (frozen), 9d. per lb.; smoked blue cod, 1s. per lb.; smoked Murray cod, 1s. per lb.; smoked Murray perch, 9d. per lb.—less 2½ per cent, 14 or 30 days; uncleaned fish, less 10 per cent.—A. and N. Faroe, 4 Rawson Chambers, Sydney.

## SUPPLIES AND SERVICES TO GOULBURN CAMP.

Period—29th March to 9th April, 1925.

Approved 12th and 19th March, 1925.

(264) Bread, 18s. 2½d. per 100 lb., net.—John Neville, City Bakery, Goulburn.

(265) Potatoes, local, 7s. 6d. per cwt.; onions, brown Spanish, 13s. per cwt.; mixed vegetables—carrots, culinary, 20s. per cwt.; parsnips, 20s. per cwt.; turnips, swede, 11s. per cwt.; marrow, vegetable, 6s. per cwt.; pumpkins, 12s. per cwt.; cabbages, 12s. per dozen; peas, 9d. per lb.; beans, 7d. per lb.; beetroot, 2s. 9d. per dozen; celery, 2s. 6d. per dozen; tomatoes, 6d. per lb.—less 2½ per cent. 7 days; 1½ per cent. 14 days, or 1 per cent. 30 days. (Bags credited if returned in good order and condition as follows:—Potato bags, 3s. per dozen; onion bags, 3s. per dozen; vegetable bags, 2s. 6d. per dozen; fruit cases, 4d. each).—H. Coughlan, 56 Grafton-street, Goulburn, N.S.W.

(266) Firewood, in 2-ft. lengths, sawn, mixed woods, 22s. 6d. per ton of 2,240 lb.; or firewood, 3 to 4 foot billets, mixed woods, 17s. per ton, nett.—Thomas Williams Limited, 229 Auburn-street, Goulburn.

(267) Service of sanitation will be carried out at the Goulburn Camp, during the period from 29th March to 9th April, at 1s. per pan per service. Sunday services, double rates, net.—Town Council, Goulburn, N.S.W.

(268) Chaff, oats, £5 7s. 6d. per ton; hay, oats, £5 per ton; straw, £4 per ton; oats, 2s. 9d. per bushel; bran, 1s. 2½d. per bushel, net. (Department credited with bags as follows, if returned in good order and condition:—Chaff, 3s. 6d. per dozen; oats and bran, 4s. per dozen).—Thomas Williams Limited, Goulburn, N.S.W.

(269) Service of transport.—Two-horse conveyance, with horses, driver, and harness, as may be required during the period from 29th March till 9th April, 1925, at Goulburn Camp, 45s. per diem of 8 hours; 5s. 6d. per hour; one-horse conveyance, with driver, horse, and harness, as may be required at Goulburn Camp during the period from 29th March till 9th April, 1925, 27s. 6d. per diem of 8 hours; 3s. 6d. per hour; 2s. 3d. per hour overtime—less 5 per cent, 7 to 14 days. Motor transport—one motor lorry, with driver, 3-ton lorry, 96s. per diem of 8 hours; 12s. per hour—less 5 per cent. 7 to 14 days.—J. D. Pollard, 19 Mundy-street, Goulburn, N.S.W.

(270) Beef, fresh—thick flank, 7d. per lb.; topside, 8d. per lb.; silverside, 9d. per lb.; rump, 10d. per lb.; loin, 9d. per lb.; fillet of steak, 1s. 2d. per lb.; wing ribs, 7d. per lb.; middle loin, 9d. per lb.; set of ribs, comprising 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, and 11th ribs, but does not include the brisket end of the ribs of the brisket, 7d. per lb.—less 2½ per cent. Mutton, fresh—forequarters, 5d. per lb.; hindquarters, 8d. per lb.; sides, 7d. per lb.—less 2½ per cent. Equivalents—Corned roll, 7d. per lb.; ox tongues, 3s. each; ox kidneys, 9d. each; pork, loin, 1s. per lb.; legs, 1s. per lb.; dripping, 8d. per lb.; tripe, 7d. per lb.; livers, 5d. per lb.; suet, 5d. per lb.; sausages, 6d. per lb.; mince meat, 4d. per lb.—less 2½ per cent.—W. T. Richardson, 257 Auburn-road, Goulburn.

(271) Groceries.—Bacon, middles, 1s. per lb.; bacon, rashers, 1s. per lb.; baking powder, 2s. per lb.; biscuits, 11d. per lb.; butter, 1s. 6d. per lb.; cheese, 10d. per lb.; coffee and chicory, 1s. 6d. per lb.; fish—cod blocks of 2 lb. each, 1s. 6d. per lb.; ling, salted, 1s. 4d. per lb.; salmon, pink, in 1-lb. tins, 18s. per dozen; smoked, 1s. 6d. per lb.; flour, plain, 2½d. per lb.; dried fruits—apricots, 1s. 6d. per lb.; currants, 7½d. per lb.; apples, 1s. 4d. per lb.; fruits, tinned—apricots, 1s. 1d. per tin; pineapples, 1s. 4d. per tin; peaches, 11d. per tin; jam, 5-lb. tins, 6d. per lb.; milk, sweetened, condensed, 14-oz. tins, 10s. 6d. per dozen; milk, unsweetened, condensed, 10s. 6d. per dozen; mustard, 2s. 6d. per lb.; pepper, black, 2s. per lb.; rice, 3½d. per lb.; sago, 4½d. per lb.; salt, 1d. per lb.; curry powder, ½-lb. tin, 1s. 3d. per tin; sugar, 4½d. per lb.; tea, Kinkara, 2s. 1d. per lb.; tapioca, 4½d. per lb.; nutmegs, 3s. per lb.; essence lemon, 1s. per bottle; custard powder, 1-lb. tin, 1s. 4d. per tin; jelly crystals, ½-lb. packets, 4s. per dozen; sauce—tomato, 10s. per dozen; worcester, large bottle, 1s. 3d. each; beans, haricot, 5d. per lb.; peas, split, 3½d. per lb.; vinegar, in bulk, 2s. 9d. per gallon; ordinary twine, 6d. per ball; sewing twine, 1s. per hank; disinfectant, 4s. 6d. per gallon; formalin, 17s. 6d. per gallon; kerosene, 2s. per gallon; common soap, 7d. per lb.; washing soda, 1½d. per lb.; caustic soda, 1s. per lb.; hessian, 50s. per 50 yards; 12 cloths, sponge, 4s.; cotton waste, 1s. per lb.; cheese cloth, 1s. 3d. per yard; toilet paper, 4s. 6d. per dozen rolls; wood skewers (50), 1s. 6d.; 4-lb. paper bags, 4s. 6d. per 400—less 2½ per cent. 7 to 14 days.—J. Knowles, Clifford-street, Goulburn, N.S.W.

## NEW SOUTH WALES.

SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF PROVISIONS TO PERMANENT MILITARY  
FORTS IN NEWCASTLE, OR TO ANY DETENTION CAMP OR OTHER  
CAMP BY THE DEPARTMENT IN NEWCASTLE.

Period—1st April till 30th June, 1925.

Approved 19th March, 1925.

(272) Beef, fresh, 6d. per lb.; mutton, fresh, 6d. per lb.; sausages, 6d. per lb., net.—A. Black, Newcastle, N.S.W.

(273) Potatoes, 10s. per cwt.; onions, 14s. per cwt.; mixed vegetables, 3d. per lb. net.—M. S. Lovett, 30 Robertson-street, Carrington, N.S.W.

(274) Tea, loose, 1s. 8d. per lb.; sugar, 4½d. per lb.; coffee and chicory, 1s. 8d. per lb.; pepper, 1s. 6d. per lb.; salt, 1d. per lb.; mustard, loose, 2s. 9d. per lb.; flour, 2½d. per lb.; raisins, 9d. per lb.; butter, 1s. 10d. per lb.; jam, 5-lb. tins, 6d. per lb.; 1½-lb. tins, 11s. 9d. per dozen; milk, condensed, unsweetened, 7½d. per tin; dried fruits—currants, 7½d. per lb.; apricots, 1s. 6d. per lb.; apples, 1s. 3d. per lb.; peaches, 1s. per lb.; pears, 1s. 3d. per lb.; prunes, 11d. per lb.; rice, 3½d. per lb.; custard powder, 1s. 9d. per lb.; salmon, pink, 1-lb. tins, 11d. per tin; nutmegs, 3s. per lb.—less 2½ per cent. 30 days.—James Bros., 303 Hunter-street, Newcastle.

## SUPPLIES AND SERVICES TO RUTHERFORD CAMP.

Period—20th to 31st March, 1925.

Approved 5th and 19th March, 1925.

(275) Bread, 20s. 10d. per 100 lb.—less 7½ per cent. 7 days, 5 per cent. 14 days, 2½ per cent. 30 days.—Charles Cracknell, 34 Elgin-street, West Maitland.

(276) Firewood, in 2-ft. billets, ironbark, gum, and box, 28s. per ton of 2,240 lb., net.—Thomas Robinson & Sons, 54 Church-street, West Maitland.

(277) Beef, in quarters, 4½d. per lb.; mutton, in carcasses, 7½d. per lb.; sausages 5d. per lb.; mince meat, 4d. per lb.; dripping, 4½d. per lb.; livers, 2d. per lb., net.—Green, Nichols, & Company, Huonville, via West Maitland.

(278) Service of transport—Two-horse conveyance, with driver and harness, as may be required at Rutherford Camp from 20th to 31st March, 1925, 32s. 6d. per diem of 8 hours; 4s. 6d. per hour overtime; mechanical transport—3-ton motor and driver, as may be required at Rutherford Camp, from 20th to 31st March, 1925, 65s. per diem of 8 hours; 8s. 6d. per hour overtime—less 2½ per cent. 7 days.—J. P. O'Hearn, Bonar-street, West Maitland.

(279) Potatoes, Satisfaction, 7s. per cwt.; onions, Victorian, brown Spanish, 14s. per cwt.; net. (Department will be credited with potato bags at 2s. 6d. per dozen, and onion bags at 4s. per dozen, if returned in good order and condition).—O. K. Young, Box 35, Post Office, West Maitland.

(280) Chaff, oats, £7 5s. per ton; hay, lucerne, £4 10s. per ton; straw, £6 10s. per ton; oats, algerian, 3s. 3d. per bushel; bran, 1s. 3d. per bushel, net; delivered on rail, West Maitland.—J. Ireland Limited, Newcastle, N.S.W.

(281) Groceries.—Bacon, middles or rashers, 1s. 6d. per lb.; baking powder, 12-oz. tins, 1s. 7d. per tin; butter, 1s. 7d. per lb.; coffee and chicory, 2s. 2d. per lb.; salmon, pink, in 1-lb. tins, 15s. per dozen; flour, plain or self raising, 2½d. per lb.; raisins, 7d. per lb.; jam, 24-oz. tins, 12s. per dozen tins; milk, sweetened, 14-oz. tins, Nursey brand, 11s. per dozen; milk, sweetened, 14-oz. tins, Gold Medal brand, 12s. per dozen; rolled oats, 5d. per lb.; black pepper, 1s. 4½d. per lb.; salt, 1½d. per lb.; sugar, 4½d. per lb.; tea, sample No. 2 submitted, 2s. 4d.

per lb.; mixed herbs, 9d. per bottle; essences—vanilla, 1-oz. bottles, 10d. per bottle; lemon, 1-oz. bottles, 10d. per bottle; curry powder, best Indian, ½-lb. tins, 1s. 6d. per tin; custard powder, 1-lb. packets, 11d. per packet; eggs, fresh, 2s. 3d. per dozen; lemon peel, 1s. 2d. per lb.; macaroni, 10d. per lb.; mixed peel, 1s. 6d. per lb.; nutmegs, 2s. 9d. per lb.; tomato sauce, 1X1, 10d. per bottle; Worcestershire sauce, 20-oz. bottles, 10½d. per bottle; tapioca, 4½d. per lb.; haricot beans, 3½d. per lb.; split peas, 4d. per lb.; vermicelli, 10d. per lb.; kerosene, laurel, 2s. per gallon; phenol, 4-gallon tins, 3s. 9d. per gallon; common soap, 2-lb. bars, 10d. per bar; soda, 2d. per lb.; caustic soda, 16-oz. tins, 1s. 2d. per tin, net.—J. F. O'Brien Limited, general merchants, West Maitland.

(282) Service of sanitation to be carried out at Rutherford Camp during the period from 20th to 31st March, 1925, 1s. 3d. per pan per day, net.—R. Hunter, South Cessnock, N.S.W.

**SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF FORAGE TO ADAMSTOWN RIFLE BANGE.**  
Period—1st April to 30th June, 1925.

*Approved 10th March, 1925.*

(283) Chaff, oaten, £6 15s. per ton; hay, lucerne, £5 per ton; oats, 3s. 9d. per bushel; bran, £8 10s. per ton; rock salt, 6s. 6d. per cwt., net. (Bags credited if returned in good order and condition as follows:—Chaff, 3s. per dozen; oats and bran, 5s. per dozen.)—Lord & Fry, Hunter-street west, Newcastle, N.S.W.

**SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF SUGAR AND GOLDEN SYRUP TO ROYAL EDWARD VICTUALLING YARD, PYRMONT.**

*Approved 19th March, 1925.*

(284) 44,800 lb. sugar, 1A, 70's, 751s. 4d. per ton; 448 lb. golden syrup, 7's, 32s. 9d. per cwt., net—total £757 17s. 8d.—Colonial Sugar Refining Company Limited, O'Connell-street, Sydney.

**SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF MEAT TO PERMANENT MILITARY FORCES.**

Period—1st April to 30th June, 1925.

*Approved 19th March, 1925.*

(285) Delivery R.A.F.A., Victoria Barracks—Beef, fresh, 4d. per lb.; mutton, fresh, 4½d. per lb.; sausages, 4d. per lb.; mince meat, 3d. per lb.—less 2½ per cent. 7 days.—H. D. Walker, 370 New South Head-road, Rose Bay.

(286) Delivery R.A.G. Artillery, Middle Head—Beef, fresh, 3½d. per lb.; mutton, fresh, 4½d. per lb. net.—Noakes Proprietary Ltd., Spit Junction, Mosman.

(287) Delivery R.A.G. Artillery Schools of Instruction, and Detention Camp, South Head—Beef, fresh, 3½d. per lb.; mutton, fresh, 3½d. per lb.; sausages, 4d. per lb.; mince meat, 2d. per lb.; cuts—beef, silverside, 5½d. per lb.; topside steak, 6d. per lb.; rump steak, 9d. per lb.; sirloin, 7d. per lb.; suet, 3d. per lb.; blade steak, 4d. per lb.; best ribs, with bone, 5d. per lb.; back ribs, with bone, 3d. per lb.; fillet steak, 9½d. per lb.; mutton—legs, 6d. per lb.; loin, 6d. per lb.; loin (best chops), 6d. per lb.; leg chops, 6d. per lb.; tripe, 4d. per lb.; sheep's kidneys, 1s. 6d. per dozen—less 1½ per cent. 14 days.—J. Hannan, Military-road, Watson's Bay.

**SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF GROCERIES TO ROYAL EDWARD VICTUALLING YARD, PYRMONT.**

*Approved 19th March, 1925.*

(288) 2,000 lb. cornflour, in 5-lb. net weight square tins, sealed with solder, 6d. per lb.; 2,000 lb. custard powder, in 5-lb. net weight square tins, sealed with solder, 7d. per lb.; 600 lb. black pepper, in 1-lb. net weight tins, sealed with solder, in bond, 10d. per lb.; 500 lb. curry powder, in 1-lb. net weight tins, sealed with solder, 10d. per lb.—less 3 per cent. 7 days, 2½ per cent. 14 to 30 days. (£149 10s. 10d.)—Parsons Bros. & Co. Limited, 321 Kent-street, Sydney.

**SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF BOMB CRATES, FREE ON RAIL, SYDNEY, CONSIGNED TO THE OFFICER-IN-CHARGE, MOBILIZATION STORES DEPOT, MOOREBANK, VIA LIVERPOOL.**

*Chargeable Div. 73/1/1. Approved 19th March, 1925.*

(289) 1,313 bomb crates, in accordance with departmental sample, 6s. 10d. each, net.—Union Box & Timber Co. Ltd., Johnston-street, Annandale.

**VICTORIA.**

*Req. No. 16562. Chargeable—Division 5/1. Approved 7th April, 1925.*

(290.) Contract No. 702 for supply of 24 covers (in fuselage) Aileron pulley in accordance with drawing No. 7000 at 8s. 6d. each; 12 pipes air intake carburettors in accordance with drawing No. 17815 at 21s. each piece; 6 tanks Main petrol, complete in accordance with drawing No. 2900 at 100s. each; 6 tanks water complete in accordance with drawing No. 13805U at 45s. each; 6 tanks oil complete in accordance with drawing No. 13604 at 75s. each; 6 tanks oil supplementary in accordance with drawing No. 13937 at 70s. each. Less 5 per cent. for payment of account within fourteen days or 2½ per cent. for payment in 30 days.—Globe Sheet and Art Metal Co., 25-27 Little Collins-street, Melbourne.

**BOOTS AND SHOES TO THE ROYAL EDWARD VICTUALLING YARD, SYDNEY.**

*Req. No. 16560. Chargeable, Trust Fund, Uniform Clothing and Necessaries (Naval) Account. Approved 7th April, 1925.*

(291.) Contract No. 704, for 3,750 pairs boots, half, heavy, in accordance with departmental sealed pattern and specification "A," at 13s. 5d. per pair; 850 pairs shoes, white, canvas, in accordance with departmental specification "D," and sealed pattern with the exception of the back lining, which is to be of split hide, the quality and colour of same to be in accordance with sample submitted with tender, but lighter in substance, at 12s. 2d. per pair.—Chas. Trescowthick, 324 Hoddle-street, Abbotsford.

*Req. No. 16561. Chargeable, Trust Fund, Uniform Clothing and Necessaries (Naval) Account. Approved 7th April, 1925.*

(292.) Contract No. 705, for 1,400 pairs boots, half, light, in accordance with departmental specification "B" and sealed pattern with the exception of the linings, which are to be of chrome colt as per sample submitted with tender (sealed sample "A"), with the exception that the colour shall approximate sealed sample "B," at 15s. 11d. per pair; 650 pairs shoes, black leather, in accordance with departmental specification "C" and sealed pattern, with the exception that the front linings are to be of canvas and the backs lined with chrome, tanned, as in the boots, light, at 14s. 3d. per pair.—J. C. Hanson, 346 Hoddle-street, Abbotsford.

*Req. No. 16568. Chargeable, Trust Fund, Uniform Clothing and Necessaries (Naval) Account. Approved 17th April, 1925.*

(293.) Supply of 228 pairs shoes, white canvas, in accordance with departmental specification "D" and sealed pattern at 12s. 5d. per pair, less 2½ per cent. for payment of account within 30 days.—Chas. Trescowthick, 324 Hoddle-street, Abbotsford.

**NEW SOUTH WALES.**

**TIMBER TO H.M.A. NAVAL YARD, GARDEN ISLAND, SYDNEY.**

Period—1st March to 31st August, 1925.

(294.) Supply of colonial and hoop pine, ½ inch thick up to 12 inches wide, in lengths as ordered, at 36s. per 100 feet super. face; ½ inch thick, over 12 inches to 16 inches wide at 38s. per 100 feet sup. face; ½ inch thick, over 16 inches to 18 inches wide, at 40s. per 100 feet sup. face; ¾ inch thick, up to 12 inches wide, at 52s. per 100 feet sup. face; ¾ inch thick, over 12 inches to 16 inches wide, at 54s. per 100 feet sup. face; 1 inch and over thick, up to 12 inches wide, at 52s. per 100 sup. feet; ditto over 12 inches up to 16 inches wide, at 58s. per 100 super. feet; ditto, over 16 inches to 18 inches wide, at 62s. per 100 sup. feet. If ordered to be dressed, 4s. 6d. net per 100 feet (super. or super. face) to be added to above rates. If required to be supplied in widths of over 18 inches to 20 inches, 1s. net per inch per 100 ft. sup. to be added to above rates. If ordered to be supplied in specific lengths, 2s. 6d. net per 100 feet (super. face or super.) to be added. Beech timber ¾ inch thick, up to 12 inches wide, in lengths or ordered, at 55s. per 100 feet sup. face; ¾ inch thick, ditto, at 55s. per 100 feet sup. face; 1 inch 1½ inches, 1½ inches, 2 inches, 3 inches, and 4 inches thick up to 12 inches wide, in lengths as ordered, at 90s. per 100 sup. feet. If ordered to be supplied over 12 inches wide, 1s. net per inch per 100 feet super. to be added. If ordered to be dressed, 4s. 6d. per 100 feet super. net to be added. If ordered to be supplied in specific lengths, 4s. 6d. net per 100 feet super. to be added to above rates.—Unwin, Wright & Co., George-street north, Circular Quay, Sydney.

(295.) Supply of tallow wood, hardwood flooring boards (dressed T. & G.), 1 inch, 1½ inches, or 1½ inch thick (as ordered), 4 inches or 6 inches wide as ordered, in lengths as ordered, at 53s. per 100 feet sup.; tallow wood, red mahogany, white mahogany, grey box, blackbutt, turpentine, spotted gum, bluegum, or redgum, up to 8 inches thick, from 3 inches to 12 inches wide, not exceeding 24 inches sectional area, in lengths up to 20 feet, at 43s. 6d. per 100 sup. feet\*; ditto, in lengths over 20 feet to 30 feet, at 47s. 6d. per 100 sup. feet\*; not over 12 inches thick, not over 12 inches wide, but exceeding 24 inches sectional area, in lengths up to 30 feet, at 47s. 6d. per 100 sup. feet\*; ditto, in lengths from 31 feet to 35 feet, at 55s. per 100 sup. feet\*; ditto, in lengths from 36 feet to 40 feet, at 60s. per 100 sup. feet\*; ditto, in lengths from 41 feet to 45 feet, at 70s. per 100 sup. feet\*; ditto, in lengths from 46 feet to 50 feet, at 80s. per 100 sup. feet\*; any thickness as ordered, over 12 inches to 13 inches wide, in lengths as ordered, at 1s. per inch extra on above prices\*; hardwood flooring boards (dressed T. & G.), other than tallow wood, 1 inch, 1½ inch, or 1½ inch thick (as ordered); 4 inches or 6 inches wide (as ordered); in lengths as ordered, at 43s. per 100 sup. ft. Items marked \* if ordered to be dressed, 10s. net per 100 feet sup. to be added to the above rates. If required to be supplied in widths of from 14 inches to 18 inches, 2s. net per inch to be added to above rates. Less 2½ per cent. for payment within 30 days.—A. & E. Ellis Limited, Retail Yards, Ellis' Wharf, Pyrmont.



(296.) Supply of ironbark, up to 8 inches thick, from 3 inches to 12 inches wide, not exceeding 24 inches sectional area, in lengths up to 20 feet, at 65s. per 100 sup. feet; ditto, in lengths over 20 feet up to 30 feet, at 60s. per 100 sup. feet; not over 12 inches thick, not over 12 inches wide, but exceeding 24 inches sectional area, in lengths up to 30 feet, at 65s. per 100 sup. feet; ditto, in lengths from 31 feet to 35 feet at 70s. per 100 sup. feet. If ordered to be dressed, 3s. net per 100 feet sup. to be added. If ordered seasoned, 3s. per 100 feet sup. extra to be added to above rates. American oregon,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick up to 12 inches wide, in 24 feet lengths, at 17s. 6d. per 100 feet super face;  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, ditto, at 26s. per 100 feet sup. face; 1 inch,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inch, or  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick (as ordered), up to 12 inches wide, in lengths up to 24 feet, at 28s. per 100 sup. feet; from 2 inches to 12 inches thick, from 2 inches to 12 inches wide, in lengths up to 30 feet, at 26s. per 100 sup. feet; ditto, in lengths from 31 feet to 40 feet, at 32s. per 100 sup. feet; ditto, in lengths from 41 feet to 50 feet, at 46s. per 100 sup. feet; ditto, in lengths from 51 feet to 60 feet, at 54s. per 100 sup. feet; ditto, in lengths from 61 feet to 70 feet, at 64s. per 100 sup. feet; ditto, in lengths from 71 feet to 80 feet, at 100s. per 100 sup. feet. If required over 12 inches to 18 inches wide, 2s. per inch net to be added. If ordered to be dressed, 5s. net per 100 sup. feet to be added to above rates. Timber, cut edge, grain clear of knots for decking purposes to sizes as specified, but within the limits of sizes from 2 inches to 12 inches thick, 2 inches to 12 inches wide, in lengths up to 30 feet and from 71 feet to 80 feet, at 50s. per 100 sup. feet; oregon, 3 ply, 6 feet x 3 feet, at 27s. 6d. per 100 square feet; oregon, thick stuff, 12 inches x 8 inches x 12 ft. 6 in., at 26s. per 100 sup. feet; ditto, 14 inches x 6 inches x 26 feet, at 28s. per 100 sup. feet; ditto, 13 $\frac{1}{2}$  inches x 6 inches x 33 feet, at 35s. per 100 sup. feet. Items marked \* if selected quality, 8s. to be added, and if clear quality, free from knots, &c., 19s. to be added to above rates. Yellow pine,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, up to 12 inches wide, in lengths as ordered, at 47s. 6d. per 100 feet sup. face;  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, ditto, at 65s. 6d. per 100 feet sup. face; from 1 inch to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, ditto, at 75s. per 100 sup. feet; 2 inches thick, ditto, at 82s. per 100 sup. feet; from 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  inch to 4 inches ditto, at 100s. per 100 sup. feet. If ordered to be supplied over 12 inches to 18 inches wide, 6d. per inch to be added to above rates. If ordered to be dressed, 5s. net per 100 feet sup. to be added. If ordered to be supplied in specific lengths, 3s. per 100 feet super. to be added. White pine,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, up to 12 inches wide, in lengths as ordered, at 28s. per 100 feet sup. face;  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, over 12 inches to 14 inches wide, at 28s. per 100 feet sup. face; 1 inch thick, over 12 inches to 14 inches wide, at 61s. per 100 feet sup. feet; ditto, over 14 inches to 16 inches wide, at 64s. per 100 feet sup. feet; ditto, over 16 inches to 18 inches wide, at 65s. per 100 feet sup. feet; white pine flooring (T. & G.), 1 inch thick, 6 inches wide, in lengths as ordered, at 47s. 6d. per 100 feet sup. feet; white pine flooring (T. & G., C.V.),  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, 6 inches wide, in lengths as ordered, at 36s. per 100 feet sup. face;  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, ditto, at 30s. per 100 feet sup. face; white pine (D.D. and D.V., T. & G.), for partitions, 1 inch thick, 6 inches wide, in lengths as ordered, at 50s. 6d. per 100 feet sup. feet; white pine (S.D. & V.), jointed,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, 4 inches wide, in lengths as ordered, at 37s. per 100 feet sup. face. If ordered to be supplied in specific lengths, 3s. net per 100 feet (super. or super. face) to be added to above rates. Queensland maple (plain and figured), 1 inch to 6 inches thick, from 9 inches to 18 inches wide, in lengths from 10 feet and upwards, at 1s. 2d. per sup. foot (plain), and 1s. 5d. per sup. foot (figured). If ordered to be dressed, 6s. per 100 feet net to be added to above rates. If required to be supplied in widths of over 18 inches to 24 inches, 1d. per inch to be added. If ordered to be supplied in specific lengths, 3s. per 100 sup. feet to be added. Queensland kauri pine, 1 inch thick and over, up to 14 inches wide, in lengths up to 20 feet, at 70s. per 100 sup. feet; 1 inch thick and over, over 14 inches to 18 inches wide, at 72s. per 100 sup. feet; scantling, 16 inches x 9 inches x 3 inches, at 72s. 6d. per 100 sup. feet. If required to be supplied in lengths over 20 feet, 2s. 6d. per 100 sup. feet net to be added to above rates. If required to be supplied in widths over 18 inches to 24 inches, 1s. per inch to be added. If ordered to be dressed, 5s. net per 100 sup. feet to be added. If ordered to be supplied in specific lengths, 3s. net per 100 sup. feet to be added. Less 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. for payment of account within 30 days.—A. C. Saxton & Sons Ltd., Bridge-road, Pyrmont.

(297.) Supply of colonial and hoop pine,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, over 16 inches to 18 inches wide, in lengths as ordered, at 57s. per 100 feet sup. face. If ordered to be dressed, 5s. net per 100 feet sup. face to be added. If required to be supplied in widths of over 18 inches to 24 inches, 1s. net. per inch to be added to the above rate. If ordered to be supplied in specific lengths, 4s. net per 100 feet super. face to be added. Queensland maple (plain and figured),  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, from 9 inches to 18 inches wide, in lengths from 10 feet and upwards, at 9d. per foot sup. face (plain); 1s. per foot sup. face (figured);  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, ditto, at 10d. per foot sup. face (plain); 1s. per foot sup. face (figured);  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, ditto, at 10d. per foot sup. face (plain); 1s. 2d. per sup. face (figured);  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, ditto, at 1s. per foot sup. face (plain); 1s. 3d. per foot sup. face (figured). If ordered to be dressed, 6s. net per 100 feet

(super. or super. face) to be added to above rates. If required to be supplied in widths over 18 inches to 24 inches, 1d. per inch to be added. If ordered to be supplied in specific lengths, 4s. per 100 feet (super. face or super.) to be added. Queensland kauri pine,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, up to 14 inches wide, in 20 feet lengths, at 68s. per 100 feet sup. face;  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, over 14 inches to 18 inches wide, 20 feet lengths, at 64s. per 100 feet sup. face;  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, up to 14 inches wide, 20 feet lengths, at 45s. per 100 feet sup. face;  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, over 14 inches to 18 inches wide, 20 feet lengths, at 46s. per 100 feet sup. face; all sizes under  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, in widths and lengths as ordered, at 40s. per 100 feet sup. face. If required to be supplied in lengths over 20 feet, 10s. net per 100 feet super. face to be added to above rates. If required to be supplied in width of over 18 inches to 24 inches, 2s. per inch to be added. If ordered to be dressed, 5s. net per 100 feet super. face to be added. If ordered to be supplied in specific lengths, 4s. net per 100 feet superface to be added. Cedar, 4 inches thick up to 12 inches wide, in lengths as ordered, at 1s. per sup. foot; ditto, over 12 inches to 16 inches wide, at 1s. 3d. per sup. foot; ditto, over 16 inches to 18 inches, at 1s. 6d. per sup. foot; 3 inches thick, up to 12 inches wide, at 1s. per sup. foot; ditto, over 12 inches to 16 inches, at 1s. 3d. per sup. foot; ditto, over 16 inches to 18 inches wide, at 1s. 6d. per sup. foot; 2 inches thick, up to 12 inches wide, at 1s. per sup. foot; ditto, over 12 inches to 16 inches wide, at 1s. 3d. per sup. foot; ditto, over 16 inches to 18 inches, at 1s. 6d. per sup. foot; 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick up to 12 inches wide, at 1s. per sup. foot; ditto, over 12 inches to 16 inches wide, at 1s. 3d. per sup. foot; ditto, over 16 inches to 18 inches wide, at 1s. 6d. per sup. foot; 1 inch thick, up to 12 inches wide, at 1s. per sup. foot; ditto, over 12 inches to 16 inches wide, at 1s. 3d. per sup. foot; ditto, over 16 inches to 18 inches wide, at 1s. 6d. per sup. foot;  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, up to 12 inches wide, at 11d. per foot sup. face; ditto, over 12 inches to 16 inches wide, at 1s. per foot sup. face; ditto, over 16 inches to 18 inches wide, at 1s. 3d. per foot sup. face;  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, up to 12 inches wide, at 10d. per foot super. face; ditto, over 12 inches to 16 inches wide, at 10d. per foot super. face; ditto, over 16 inches to 18 inches wide, at 10d. per foot super. face;  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, up to 12 inches wide, at 9d. per foot sup. face; ditto, over 12 inches to 16 inches wide, at 9d. per foot sup. face; ditto, over 16 inches to 18 inches wide, at 9d. per foot sup. face. If ordered to be dressed, 5s. per 100 feet super. face or super. net to be added to above rates. If ordered to be supplied in specific lengths, 8s. net per 100 sup. or super. face feet to be added. Less 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. for payment of account within 30 days.—Wallis Bros. Limited, Abattoirs-road, Pyrmont.

SUPPLY OF AMERICAN OREGON SPARS AND LATHS DURING PERIOD 1ST MARCH TO 31ST AUGUST, 1925, AND AMERICAN OREGON, THICK STUFF, AND WHITE PINE TIMBER.

Period—1st March to 31st May, 1925.

(298.) Supply of American oregon.—Oregon spars, 7 inches x 7 inches x 36 feet, at 47s. 9d. each; 7 inches x 7 inches x 38 feet, at 50s. 4d. each; 7 inches x 7 inches x 30 feet, at 32s. 8d. each; 7 inches x 7 inches x 28 feet, at 30s. 2d. each; 7 inches x 7 inches x 24 feet, at 26s. each; 6 inches x 6 inches x 32 feet, at 31s. 2d. each; 6 inches x 6 inches x 28 feet, at 22s. 3d. each; 6 inches x 6 inches x 30 feet, at 23s. 10d. each; 10 inches x 10 inches x 40 feet, at 108s. 7d. each; 5 inches x 5 inches x 26 feet, at 14s. 4d. each; 10 inches x 10 inches x 34 feet, at 92s. each; 10 inches x 10 inches x 42 feet, at £8 2s. 9d. each; 10 inches x 10 inches x 37 feet, at £5 0s. 1d. each; 4 inches x 4 inches x 16 feet, at 5s. 7d. each; 4 inches x 4 inches x 17 feet, at 6s. 1d. each; 4 inches x 4 inches x 18 feet, at 6s. 4d. each; laths, sawn, 4 ft. 6 in. x 1 inch,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inch, or  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inch, at £4 per 10 bundles; oregon, thick stuff, 16 inches x 9 inches x 23 feet, at 30s. 6d. per 100 sup. feet; ditto, 16 inches x 8 inches x 27 feet, at 30s. 6d. per 100 sup. feet. White pine— $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, over 14 inches to 16 inches wide, in lengths as ordered, at 34s. per 100 feet sup. face; ditto, over 16 inches to 18 inches wide, at 34s. 6d. per 100 feet sup. face;  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, up to 12 inches wide, at 39s. 6d. per 10 sup. face; ditto, over 12 inches to 14 inches wide, at 41s. per 100 ft. sup. face; ditto, over 14 inches to 16 inches wide, at 41s. 6d. per 100 feet sup. face; ditto, over 16 inches to 18 inches wide, at 44s. per 100 feet sup. face;  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, up to 12 inches wide, at 54s. per 100 feet sup. face; ditto, over 12 inches to 14 inches, at 55s. 6d. per 100 feet sup. face; ditto, over 14 inches to 16 inches wide, at 56s. per 100 feet sup. face;  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick, over 16 inches to 18 inches wide, at 58s. per 100 feet sup. face. If ordered to be supplied in specific lengths, 3s. net per 100 feet superface to be added to above rates. Less 3 per cent. for payment of account within 7 days, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. 14 days, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. 30 days.—Vanderfield & Reid Ltd., Leichhardt-street, Glebe.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

SUPPLIES TO PLATOON AND SECTION LEADERS COURSE AND SCHOOL OF COOKERY, KARRAKATTA.

Period—5th March to 18th March, 1925.

Chargeable 72/1/1d. Approved 27th February, 1925.

(299.) Tons firewood, 12-inch dry jarrah, at 30s. per ton weight.—Mr. A. Summers, Claremont-crescent, Claremont.

(300.) Potatoes, at 7s. per cwt.; onions, at 10s. 6d. per cwt.; carrots, at 11s. per cwt.; parsnips, at 16s. per cwt.; turnips, white, at 12s. per cwt.; pumpkins, at 10s. per cwt.; cabbage, at 14s. per cwt.; french beans, at 4½d. per lb.; beetroot, at 2d. per bunch; lettuce, at 1s. per dozen; tomatoes, at 5s. 9d. per case; eating apples, at 8s. per case; grapes, at 2d. per lb.—Mr. R. Walker, 82 High-street, Fremantle.

(301.) Fresh milk, at 2s. per gallon.—Mr. W. T. Brunt, 91 Davies-road, Claremont.

(302.) Bread, at 22s. 11d. per 100 lbs.—Mr. H. F. McSorley, Fitzgerald-street, Perth.

(303.) Beef—topside, at 10d. per lb.; rump steak, at 1s. per lb.; middle loin, at 10d. per lb.; mutton, sides, at 9½d. per lb.; miscellaneous—corned roll (silverside), at 9d. per lb.; dripping, at 7d. per lb.—Messrs. H. A. W. Jones Ltd., 43 Market-street, Fremantle.

FRESH MEAT AND BUTTER FOR R.A.G.A., FREMANTLE.

Period—March, 1925.

Chargeable 64/2/1. Approved 8th March, 1925.

(304.) Butter, at 1s. 5½d. per lb.—Messrs. John Wills & Co. Ltd., 407 Wellington-street, Perth.

(305.) Beef—thick flank, at 10d. per lb.; topside, at 11d. per lb.; silverside, at 10d. per lb.; fillet steak, at 1s. 3d. per lb.; rump steak, at 1s. 1d. per lb.; wing ribs, at 9d. per lb.; middle loin, at 10d. per lb.; mutton—forequarter, at 9d. per lb.; hindquarter, at 1s. 1d. per lb.; sides, at 10d. per lb.; miscellaneous—corned roll, at 7d. per lb.; ox tongues, at 10d. per lb.; ox kidneys, at 1s. per lb.; pork loins, at 1s. 4d. per lb.; dripping, at 8d. per lb.; tripe, at 8d. per lb.; sausages, at 8d. per lb.; mince meat, 8d. per lb.; sheep's fry, at 3d. per lb.; suet, 8d. per lb.—Messrs. H. A. W. Jones Ltd., 43 Market-street, Fremantle.

FORAGE TO REMOUNT DEPOT, GUILDFORD.

Period—February, 1925.

Chargeable 74/1/5B. Approved 25th February, 1925.

(306.) Chaff, prime wheaten, to submitted sample, at £6 15s. per ton. Less ½ per cent. 7 days.—Messrs. F. W. Wright & Co., Wellington-street, Perth.

FORAGE FOR 10TH LIGHT HORSE CAMP OF TRAINING AND REMOUNT DEPOT, GUILDFORD.

Period—March, 1925.

Chargeable 74/1/5B. Approved 12th March, 1925.

(307.) Chaff, wheaten, to sample, £6 15s. per ton. Less ½ per cent. 7 days.—Messrs. F. W. Wright & Co., Wellington-street, Perth.

FIREWOOD, FRESH MEAT, BREAD, MILK, VEGETABLES, AND GROCERIES TO 10TH LIGHT HORSE CAMP OF TRAINING AND 13TH FIELD AMBULANCE, GUILDFORD.

Period—17th March to 28th March, 1925.

Chargeable 72/1/1B. Approved 3rd March, 1925.

(308.) Firewood, dry jarrah, 2 feet, at £2 per cord of 128 cubic feet.—Mr. J. E. Cloughton, Railway-avenue, Bassendean.

(309.) Beef—topside, at 11d. per lb.; thick flank, at 10d. per lb.; set of ribs, at 9d. per lb.; middle loin, at 11d. per lb.; mutton, sides, at 10d. per lb.; miscellaneous—corned roll (silverside), at 10d. per lb.; dripping, at 7d. per lb.—Mr. W. G. Gipson, 107 Terrace-road, Guildford.

(310.) Bread, at 19s. 9½d. per 100 lb.—Mr. D. Durell, 105 James-street, Guildford.

(311.) Fresh milk, at 2s. 8d. per gallon.—Mr. G. Beetson, Caversham.

(312.) Potatoes, at 9s. per cwt.; onions, at 11s. 6d. per cwt.; carrots, at 14s. per cwt.; pumpkins, at 10s. per cwt.; cabbages, at 17s. per cwt.; grapes, at 3d. per lb.—Messrs. H. J. & F. Simper Ltd., Markets, Fremantle.

(313.) Bacon, at 1s. 6d. per lb.; biscuits, at 9d. per lb.; butter, at 1s. 6d. per lb.; cheese, at 11d. per lb.; coffee and chicory, at 1s. 6d. per lb.; salmon, 1 lb. tins, "Tip Top," per dozen tins, 12s.; flour, plain, at 9s. per 50-lb. bag; flour, self-raising, at £1 11s. 6d. (bag, 150 lb.); dried apples, at 1s. per lb.; currants, at 5d. per lb.; prunes, at 10d. per lb.; raisins, at 3½d. per lb.; jams, assorted, 24-oz. tins, I.X.L., at 10s. 6d. per dozen tins; meat, preserved, 1-lb. tins, "Globe," at 10s. 6d. per dozen tins; milk, condensed, 14-oz. tins, "Golden West," at 8s. 9d. per dozen; mustard, at 2s. 8d. per lb.; oats, flaked, at 3½d. per lb.; pepper, at 1s. 4d. per lb.; rice, at 2½d. per lb.; salt, at ¾d. per lb.; spice, at 1s. 4d. per lb.; tea, at 1s. 5½d. per lb.; mixed herbs, 4-oz. bottles, at 6d. each; curry powder, at 1s. per lb.; custard powder, at 8d. per lb.; nutmegs, at 3s. per lb.; mustard pickles, pint bottles, at 10s. 6d. per dozen bottles; lentils, at 4½d. per lb.; split peas, at 3d. per lb.; matches, safety, at 6d. per dozen; soap, common, at 3½d. per lb.; soda, washing, at 1½d. per lb.; phenyle, disinfectant, at 2s. 4d. per gallon.—Messrs. John Wills & Co. Ltd., Wellington-street, Perth.

#### FEDERAL CAPITAL COMMISSION.

##### CONTRACT ACCEPTED.

Locality and Description of Work.	Amount.	Contractor.	Date of Acceptance.	Date for Completion.
	£ s. d. per ton.			
Canberra—Supply of 1,000 tons of Firewood, 12 inches, 18 inches, and 30 inches long	{ 0 17 6 0 17 0 0 16 6 }	Allen Crisp, Molonglo Settlement	15.4.25	30.6.25

#### DEPARTMENT OF WORKS AND RAILWAYS.

##### TENDERS INVITED.

TENDERS, accompanied by the necessary deposits, are invited for the undermentioned services:—  
Tenders must be endorsed "Tender for....." (as the case may be), and addressed as indicated.  
No tender necessarily accepted.

Locality and Description of Work.	Tenders Returnable.	Plans, Specifications, and Tender Forms Available.	Tenders to be Addressed to—
Adamstown (N.S.W.)—Alterations and painting Post Office	Noon, 18th May, 1925	Works Director, Customs House, Sydney, and Commonwealth Works Inspector, Newcastle, and Adamstown Post Office	Works Director, Customs House, Sydney
Muswellbrook (N.S.W.)—Alterations and additions to Post Office	" "	Works Director, Customs House, Sydney, Commonwealth Works Inspector, Newcastle, and Muswellbrook Post Office	" " " "
Woodstock (N.S.W.)—Alterations and additions to Post Office, also painting and repairs	" "	Works Director, Customs House, Sydney, Commonwealth Works Inspector, Orange, Cowra and Woodstock Post Offices	" " " "
Gladstone (N.S.W.)—Erection of Post Office, &c.	" "	Works Director, Customs House, Sydney, Commonwealth Works Inspector, Newcastle, and Kempsey Post Office	" " " "
Narracoorte (S.A.)—Erection of Linesman's Shed at Post Office	" "	Works Director, Pirie-street, Adelaide, and Narracoorte Post Office	Works Director, Pirie-street, Adelaide
Nuriootpa (S.A.)—Alterations and additions to Post Office	Noon, 25th May, 1925	Works Director, Pirie-street, Adelaide, and Nuriootpa Post Office	" " " "
Salisbury (S.A.)—Erection of Telephone Exchange Room, Grading Yard, &c., at Post Office	Noon, 18th May, 1925	Works Director, Pirie-street, Adelaide, and Salisbury Post Office	" " " "
Goodwood (S.A.)—Repairs and painting Post Office	" "	Works Director, Pirie-street, Adelaide	" " " "

## CONTRACTS ACCEPTED.

Locality and Description of Work.	Amount.	Contractor.	Date of Acceptance.	Date for Completion.
Liverpool (N.S.W.)—Erection of Verandah to Laboratory at Ammunition Stores	£ s. d. 180 0 0	Street and Nightingale, Auburn ..	21.4.25	16.6.25
Albion Park (N.S.W.)—Alterations, &c., to Post Office, and erection of Linesmen's Shed, &c.	872 10 0	Fred. Jones, Hurstville ..	22.4.25	9.9.25
Newcastle (N.S.W.)—Repairs and painting Customs House	672 0 0	Biddlecombe and Pritchard, Wickham ..	21.4.25	30.6.25
Proserpine (Q.)—Erection of Linesmen's Shed at Post Office	113 0 0	J. P. Muller, Proserpine ..	31.3.25	12.5.25
Normanton (Q.)—Alterations and repairs to Post Office ..	816 0 0	J. C. Clements, Townsville ..	20.4.25	13.7.25
Adelaide (S.A.)—Supply of Petrol Storage Tank and Pump at Postal Garage, West Terrace	328 0 0	Hammond Petrol Systems, Adelaide ..	16.4.25	7.5.25

## EXTENSIONS OF CONTRACT TIME.

Locality and Description of Work.	Contractor and Address.	Date Extended to—
Moruya (N.S.W.)—Alterations and additions to Post Office ..	J. J. Piggott, Goulburn ..	20th December, 1924
Nebo (Q.)—Erection of Post Office and Quarters ..	F. Barford, Mackay ..	12th March, 1925
Adelaide (S.A.)—Erection of Commonwealth Offices ..	H. S. C. Jarvis, Croydon ..	30th June, 1925

## COMMONWEALTH BOARD OF TRADE.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the following additional appointments to the Commonwealth Board of Trade, the persons mentioned to be attached to the State section of the Board under which their names are shown:—

## QUEENSLAND.

W. B. DARKER, representing commercial interests.  
A. WATSON, representing manufacturing interests.  
ERNEST BAYNES, representing the primary producers.

## SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

W. J. HILL, representing commercial interests.  
S. PERRY, representing manufacturing interests.  
G. F. JENKINS, representing the primary producers.

## WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

H. A. STEPHENSON, representing commercial interests.  
W. M. GRAY, representing manufacturing interests.  
C. W. HARPER, representing the primary producers.

## TASMANIA.

H. W. GEPP, representing manufacturing interests.

S. M. BRUCE, Prime Minister.

## COMMONWEALTH STORES SUPPLY AND TENDER BOARD.

IT is notified, for general information, that CHARLES JOHN CERUTTY, Esq., the Acting Secretary to the Treasury, has been appointed, as from 30th April, 1925, a member of the Commonwealth Stores Supply and Tender Board, Central Board, during the temporary absence, on leave, of James Richard Collins, Esq., Secretary to the Treasury.

EARLE PAGE, Treasurer.

## Land Tax Assessment Act 1910-1924, Section 5.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the appointment of ROBERT EWING as Commissioner of Land Tax, with salary at the rate of One thousand two hundred and fifty pounds (£1,250) per annum, for a period of seven years.

EARLE PAGE, Treasurer.

## TREATY OF PEACE REGULATIONS, PART II.—PAPUA AND NEW GUINEA—CLAUSE 32.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the appointment of CHARLES JOHN CERUTTY to act as Custodian of Expropriated Property in relation to property, rights, and interests within the Territories of Papua and New Guinea, belonging at the date of the coming into force of the Treaty to German nationals; such appointment to take effect as from the thirtieth day of April, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, during the temporary absence on leave of James Richard Collins. (83.)

EARLE PAGE, Treasurer.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the appointment of CHARLES JOHN CERUTTY as Acting Secretary to the Department of the Treasury and Acting Commissioner of Pensions and Maternity Allowances, as from the thirtieth day of April, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, during the temporary absence on leave of James Richard Collins. (82.)

EARLE PAGE, Treasurer.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the appointment of JAMES THOMAS HEATHERSHAW as Acting Assistant Secretary to the Department of the Treasury, during the temporary absence on other duties, as from the thirtieth day of April, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, of Charles John Cerutti. (84.)

EARLE PAGE, Treasurer.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the appointment of AUGUST BOLLE as Acting Accountant to the Department of the Treasury, during the temporary absence on other duties of James Thomas Heathershaw. (85.)

EARLE PAGE, Treasurer.

## Navigation Act 1912-1920.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the appointment of B. C. GOUDIE, Chief Engineer, North Australian Meat Co. Ltd., Parap, Port Darwin, to act as Engineer and Ship Surveyor under the Navigation Act 1912-1920.—Ex. Min. No. 76.

H. E. PRATTEN, Minister for Trade and Customs.

## Navigation Act 1912-1920.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the appointment of A. H. D. GRANSBURY to act as Superintendent, Mercantile Marine Office, Melbourne, from and including 30th April, 1925.—Ex. Min. No. 75.

H. E. PRATTEN, Minister for Trade and Customs.

THE Governor-General in Council has, in pursuance of the provisions of the Meat Industry Encouragement Act of 1923, Queensland, appointed HENRY O'BOYLE, Veterinary Officer, Commerce Branch (stationed at Brisbane), Central Staff, as the Commonwealth Government Executive Officer on the State Meat Advisory Board during the period 2nd April, 1925, to 1st April, 1926.—Ex. Min. No. 74.

H. E. PRATTEN, Minister for Trade and Customs.

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

- Detectives G. H. FINDLAY and H. JACKSON, to act as Officers of Customs, Western Australia;
- J. CONWAY, as Acting Officer of Customs at Wollongong, New South Wales, from 21st April, 1925, during the absence of H. G. Nash, on leave;
- B. C. PALING, as Acting Officer of Customs at Macleay River, New South Wales, from 17th April, 1925, during the absence of J. Conway on other duties.—Ex. Mins. Nos. 71-73.

H. E. PRATTEN, Minister for Trade and Customs.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the appointment of G. C. FRY, an officer of the Department of Navigation, New South Wales, to carry out the duties of an Acting Officer of Customs in New South Wales, as from the 29th April, 1925. (Ex. Min. No. 82.)

H. E. PRATTEN, Minister for Trade and Customs.

## Navigation Act 1912-1920.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the appointment of H. C. EDWARDS, Darwin, to act as Nautical and Ship Surveyor under the Navigation Act 1912-1920. (Ex. Min. No. 83.)

H. E. PRATTEN, Minister for Trade and Customs.

## Navigation Act 1912-1920.

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the appointment of J. R. BROADFOOT, Engineer, Fremantle Harbour Trust, to act as Engineer and Ship Surveyor under the Navigation Act 1912-1920.—(Ex. Min. No. 80.)

H. E. PRATTEN, Minister for Trade and Customs.



**Statutory Declarations Act 1911-22.**

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that the appointments of the persons named in the Schedule hereto as Commissioners for Declarations under the *Statutory Declarations Act 1911-1922* have this day been determined by me, the said persons having ceased to hold the positions held by them at the dates of their appointments as aforesaid.

Dated the 30th day of April, 1925.

R. R. GARRAN, Solicitor-General.

**SCHEDULE.****Name, Position held at date of appointment.**

CRAUFORD, Captain ARTHUR GOODENOUGH, Captain Superintendent and Senior Naval Officer, H.M.A. Naval Establishments, Garden Island, Sydney, New South Wales.  
BOYES, Captain HECTOR, C.M.G., R.N., Captain Superintendent, Flinders Naval Depot, Westernport, Victoria.

**Statutory Declarations Act 1911-1922.**

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that the persons mentioned in the attached schedule have this day been appointed by me to be Commissioners for Declarations under the above Act.

R. R. GARRAN, Solicitor-General.

28th April, 1925.

**SCHEDULE.**

Captain HENRY JAMES FEAKES, A.D.C., R.A.N., of Crib Point, in the State of Victoria, Captain Superintendent of Training, Flinders Naval Depot.  
Captain JOHN FRANCIS ROBINS, A.D.C., R.A.N., of Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Captain in Charge, H.M.A. Naval Establishments, &c., Garden Island.

**ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVAL COLLEGE.****APPLICATIONS FOR ENTRY AS CADET MIDSHIPMEN.**

APPLICATIONS for entry as Cadet Midshipmen to the Royal Australian Naval College, Jervis Bay, New South Wales, will be received by the Secretary to the Naval Board, Victoria Barracks, Melbourne, not later than 30th June, 1925, from boys born during the calendar year of 1912.

Forms of application and full particulars may be obtained on application to the Secretary to the Naval Board, Victoria Barracks, Melbourne; the Commanding Officer, Royal Australian Naval College, Jervis Bay, New South Wales; or to the District Naval Officers, Brisbane; Edgecliff, Sydney; Port Melbourne; Port Adelaide, South Australia; Fremantle, Western Australia; Hobart, Tasmania.

T. TRUMBLE, Secretary, Department of Defence.

**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.**—The undermentioned Officers are appointed on loan from the Royal Navy:—

	Seniority in Rank.	Date of Appointment.
Captain JOHN AUGUSTINE EDGELL, O.B.E.	30.6.1923	1.4.1925
Lieutenant NORMAN ARTHUR CYRIL HARDY	15.6.1918	16.2.1925
Paymaster Lieutenant HUBERT WILLIAM ERNEST BENNETT	15.10.1923	12.3.1925
Commissioned Gunner WILLIAM JOHN GALE	1.8.1924	7.3.1925

**Confirmation in Rank.**—BERNARD ARTHUR ALGER HAMILL, Gunner (Acting), is confirmed in the rank of Gunner, with seniority in rank of 21st February, 1924.

**AUXILIARY SERVICES.**

**Fixing Rates of Pay of an Officer.**—Lieutenant HENRY CHARLES HARRIS to be paid rates of pay and allowances prescribed for Lieutenant-Commander (on promotion), for the period 20th February, 1925, to 29th March, 1925, inclusive.

**CITIZEN NAVAL FORCES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.****ROYAL AUSTRALIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE.**

**Promotion.**—Sub-Lieutenant WILLIAM SMITH is promoted to the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1925.—(Ex. Min. No. 101.)

NEVILLE HOWSE, Minister of State for Defence.

**AUSTRALIAN MILITARY CADET CORPS.****SENIOR CADETS.**

THE Governor-General in Council has approved of the following changes, &c., being made in connexion with the Australian Military Cadet Corps:—

**1ST MILITARY DISTRICT.****1ST DIVISION.**

**Resignations.**—The resignation of Lieutenant W. S. GILLIS of his commission is accepted, 20th April, 1925; the resignation of Cadet Lieutenant G. W. MORRIS of his commission is

accepted, 14th April, 1925; the resignation of Cadet Lieutenant A. E. N. HENRY of his commission is accepted, 16th April, 1925.

**2ND MILITARY DISTRICT.****1ST DIVISION.**

**Promotions.**—Cadet Lieutenants I. MCINTOSH, R. A. SIMES, H. S. SNOLD, J. D. HULL, E. M. SINCLAIR, C. H. G. SPENCER, J. A. REID, E. M. VOLLMER, A. Q. SCHUBERT, A. E. ROBERTSON, and N. M. JOHNSTON to be Lieutenants, 1st April, 1925.

**Resignation.**—The resignation of Cadet Lieutenant J. C. MINETT of his commission is accepted, 9th April, 1925.

**2ND DIVISION.**

**Promotions.**—Cadet 2nd Lieutenants M. CHAPMAN, O. M. CAMPBELL, and L. G. W. PEMBERTON to be Cadet Lieutenants, 16th December, 1924; Cadet 2nd Lieutenant A. G. TORR to be Cadet Lieutenant, 16th March, 1925.

**Transfer.**—Lieutenant F. L. DAVIS is transferred to the Unattached List, 22nd April, 1925.

**Retirement.**—Captain J. R. HINDMARSH, Unattached List, is placed on the Retired List, 2nd Military District, under the provisions of Australian Military Regulation 1232 (2), and is granted permission to retain his rank under the provisions of Australian Military Regulation 1229, 1st May, 1925.

**Miscellaneous.**—The provisional appointment of Lieutenant J. INGER is terminated under the provisions of Section 15 of the Defence Act, 31st March, 1925.

**3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.****3RD DIVISION.**

**Promotions.**—Cadet 2nd Lieutenants B. E. WATSON, J. E. SEWELL, R. C. TERRY, N. A. CORRIGAN, and J. W. ANDERSON to be Cadet Lieutenants, 31st December, 1924.

**Retirement.**—Lieutenant F. F. HARDY, Unattached List, is placed on the Retired List, 3rd Military District, under the provisions of Australian Military Regulation 1232 (2), and is granted permission to retain his rank under the provisions of Australian Military Regulation 1229, 14th April, 1925.

**4TH DIVISION.**

**Resignations.**—The resignations of Cadet Lieutenants K. R. BROWN, R. J. TERRILL, and S. JACKSON of their commissions are accepted, 23rd April, 1925.

**5TH MILITARY DISTRICT.****13TH MIXED BRIGADE.**

**Promotions.**—Cadet Lieutenants C. N. B. OWENS and G. L. S. WILLIAMS to be Lieutenants, 1st April, 1925.

**Resignation.**—The resignation of Cadet Lieutenant J. R. BERRY of his commission is accepted, 17th April, 1925.—(Ex. Min. No. 97.)

THOS. W. CRAWFORD, for Minister for Defence.

**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.****Defence Act 1903-18, SECTION 63, AND CIVILIAN STAFF REGULATIONS.****Reclassification of Position and Promotion.**

THE office of Assistant Superintendent of Aerodromes, Civil Aviation Branch, Class "E," Professional Division, occupied by RUPERT URIAH HODDINOTT, is reclassified as Assistant Superintendent of Aerodromes, with minimum salary of £467 per annum and maximum salary of £503 per annum, and the said Rupert Uriah Hoddinott is promoted thereto, with salary at the rate of £467 per annum, with effect from 1st May, 1925.—(Ex. Min. No. 100.)

T. TRUMBLE, Secretary, Department of Defence.

**AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.**

**AUTHORITY TO ENTER UPON AND USE LANDS FOR TRAINING IN THE VICINITY OF TOWNSVILLE, QUEENSLAND, BETWEEN THE 20TH AND 27TH MAY, 1925.**

THE Governor-General in Council has approved, under the powers conferred by Section 69 of the *Defence Act 1903-1918*, of the Commonwealth Military Forces being authorized to enter upon and use for training, manœuvres, or other military purposes, between the 20th and 27th May, 1925, all those lands in the State of Queensland enclosed within the boundaries of the Parish of Coonambelah, and that the owners or occupiers of any such land who claim that they have sustained any damage or loss by reason of such entry or use be required to submit their claims for such damage or loss to the Base Commandant, Victoria Barracks, Brisbane, within seventy-two hours of such entry or use. Such claims will be submitted to a Board of three officers, and compensation, as approved by the Minister for Defence, may be paid to the said owners or occupiers.—(Ex. Min. No. 98.)

THOS. W. CRAWFORD, for Minister for Defence.

**Commonwealth Public Service Act 1922-1924.**

IN accordance with Public Service Regulations 105 (6) and 106 (5), I hereby notify that the index-number ascertained in respect of food, groceries, and housing (rent of all houses) for the six capital cities of the Commonwealth for the twelve months preceding the 1st day of April, 1925, is 1681.

CHAS. H. WICKENS, Commonwealth Statistician.



## COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC SERVICE.

## APPROVAL OF CLASSIFICATION UNDER SECTION 27, "PUBLIC SERVICE ACT 1922-1924."

THE Public Service Board of Commissioners hereby notifies for the information of officers concerned the following amendments of the Classification as published in *Gazette* No. 38 of 18th Jun, 1925, in respect of officers and positions in the Mail Branches, Postmaster-General's Department, such amendments having been made by the Board following upon determination of appeals.

The Classification so published, and the amendments of Classification as set forth hereunder, have received the approval of the Governor-General in pursuance of the provisions of Section 27 of the *Public Service Act 1922-1924*.

Melbourne, 6th May, 1925.

C. B. B. WHITE, Chairman,  
W. J. SKEWES,  
J. P. McGLINN, } Board of Commissioners.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.  
AMENDMENTS OF CLASSIFICATION OF MAIL BRANCHES.  
NEW SOUTH WALES.

Number in Classification.	Officer.		Classification as amended.		Next Increment Payable.
	Name.	Office.	Scale.	Salary.	
2	Mitchell, J. A.	Assistant Superintendent	£ £ 612-660	£ 660	..
3	Robinson, G. F. G.	Clerk .. ..	360-420	420	..
4	Morton, A. G. J.	" .. ..	336-396	396	..
5	Rapp, W. F.	" .. ..	336-396	396	..
6	Craft, E. G.	" .. ..	312-372	372	..
7	Dawson, A. E.	" .. ..	312-372	372	..
13	Croft, E. G. L.	Supervisor (City) ..	504-576	576	..
14	Warren, T.	" (Inland) ..	504-576	504	1.7.25
18	Abreu, A. da F.	" (Ship) ..	420-468	456	"
20	Thorley, F. B.	" (Inland) ..	360-408	396	"
21	Woollett, O. H.	" (Parcels) ..	396-444	396	"
22	Rush, F. W. S.	" (Night) ..	348-396	396	..
23	Scott, J. W.	" (Ship) ..	360-408	396	1.7.25
24	Taaffe, R. J.	" (City) ..	348-396	396	..
25	Stafford, J. M.	" (Relieving) ..	348-396	396	..
26	Ralph, A. W.	" (Inland) ..	348-396	360	28.4.25
48	Belshaw, W. A.	Overseer, Grade 2 (City) ..	290-338	326	1.7.25
52	Bradshaw, T.	Overseer, Grade 2 (Inland) ..	290-338	302	14.3.25
64	Vacant	Overseer, Grade 2 (City) ..	290-338	..	..
294	Lees, S. M.	Overseer, Grade 1 (Parcels) ..	290-314	290	1.7.25
362	Gunness, T. C. A.	Overseer, Grade 1 (Ship) ..	290-314	290	"
384	Slinning, P. M. H.	Mail Officer, Grade 2	244-252	252	28.10.24
385	Delaney, W. N.	" ..	244-252	252	"
386	Newling, W. H.	" ..	244-252	252	"
387	Irwin, E. J. J.	" ..	244-252	252	11.11.24
388	Pooley, R. H.	" ..	244-252	252	24.3.25
389	Mitchell, E. V.	" ..	244-252	252	"
390	Wilkins, V. A.	" ..	244-252	252	"
391	McLennan, J. H.	" ..	244-252	252	"
392	Auld, J.	" ..	244-252	252	"
393	Thomas, W. Henry	" ..	244-252	252	28.10.24
394	Gillespie, F.	" ..	244-252	252	24.3.25
395	Brown, Wm. Augustus	" ..	244-252	252	1.5.25
396	Brown, M. L.	" ..	244-252	252	28.10.24
397	Mills, H. W. C.	" ..	244-252	252	"
398	Loneragan, J. J.	" ..	244-252	252	"
399	Shurmer, J. W.	" ..	244-252	252	24.3.25
400	Neich, J. E.	" ..	244-252	252	"
401	Dryburgh, W.	" ..	244-252	252	"
402	Maher, W.	" ..	244-252	252	28.10.24
403	Lohan, P. J.	" ..	244-252	252	"
404	O'Connor, M. V.	" ..	244-252	252	11.11.24
405	Mullholland, P.	" ..	244-252	252	1.7.25
406	Dennis, H. M.	" ..	244-252	252	"
407	Gibson, J.	" ..	244-252	252	"
408	Gillen, A. T. H.	" ..	244-252	252	"
409	Ryding, H. S.	" ..	244-252	252	"
410	McHugh, P.	" ..	244-252	252	"
411	Adams, H. F.	" ..	244-252	252	"
412	Bennett, C. B.	" ..	244-252	252	"
413	Child, W. N. S.	" ..	244-252	252	"
414	Lane, J. J.	" ..	244-252	252	"
415	Megarrity, S. G.	" ..	244-252	252	"
416	O'Brien, J.	" ..	244-252	252	"
417	Thorsen, J. V.	" ..	244-252	252	"
418	Lemon, J. T.	" ..	244-252	252	"

## AMENDMENTS OF CLASSIFICATION—NEW SOUTH WALES—continued.

Number in Classification.	Officer.		Classification as amended.		Next Increment Payable.
	Name.	Office.	Scale.	Salary.	
419	Rough, J. T. .. ..	Mail Officer, Grade 2	£ £ 244-252	£ 252	1.7.25
420	Broadhurst, W. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
421	Lawrie, R. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
422	Crawford, J. E. R. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
423	Galvin, V. .. ..	Grade 3	258-276	258	"
424	Lloyd, O. R. .. ..	Grade 2	244-252	252	"
425	Cussen, A. G. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
426	Hoare, J. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
427	Curtis, E. L. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
428	Davis, A. J. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
429	Egan, P. J. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
430	Stokes, F. J. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
431	Payne, W. E. S. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
432	Daniels, H. L. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
433	Davoren, J. E. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
434	Smith, J. H. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
435	Thompson, V. S. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
436	Crow, J. H. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
437	Jenkins, W. H. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
438	Downer, E. A. .. ..	" "	244-252	252	"
439	Butler, Frank S. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	19.12.24
440	Barnwell, W. H. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	30.1.25
441	Brown, H. N. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	19.12.24
442	Birrell, T. M. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	16.10.24
443	Cunynghame, R. W. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	26.9.24
444	Gallagher, A. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
445	Gilchrist, W. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
446	Lacey, J. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
447	Mills, O. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
448	McCrae, R. J. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
449	Neasmith, W. T. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	16.10.24
450	Hallihan, P. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	26.9.24
451	Ryall, W. P. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	16.10.24
452	Curley, J. A. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	26.9.24
453	Fensom, W. G. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
454	Hall, T. S. S. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
455	Kearns, B. M. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
456	Lamond, P. R. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
457	Mason, F. E. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	24.10.24
458	Lonsdale, E. A. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	26.9.24
459	Penny, E. C. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
460	Scott, A. L. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
461	Smith, J. T. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	16.10.24
462	Saunders, J. R. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	19.12.24
463	Campbell, E. J. C. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	26.9.24
464	D'Arcy, Joseph .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
465	Denehy, J. F. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
466	Hill, L. G. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
467	Bushell, A. H. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
468	Perry, R. M. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
469	Reichel, P. A. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
470	Williams, E. G. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
487	Kelly, Alfred Wm. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	1.7.25
489	Christison, A. B. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
491	Swain, L. E. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
499	Green, H. H. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
501	Colefax, F. G. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
502	Woodward, R. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
505	Mitchell, N. E. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
515	Wade, D. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
522	Knight, H. D. .. ..	Grade 1	72-234	234	29.12.24*
528	Parker, H. R. .. ..	Grade 2	244-252	244	1.7.25
538	O'Brien, F. J. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
540	Dodd, E. L. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
541	Riley, F. E. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
546	Watts, E. E. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
552	McCaskill, D. McI. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
553	McRae, N. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
555	Stewart, W. T. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
556	Kennedy, P. F. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
565	Timbrell, E. V. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
567	Thomas, E. W. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
571	Mogan, S. S. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
582	Eggleton, W. R. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
583	Tollis, H. C. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
586	Brown, C. H. O. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
591	Charlton, F. O. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
592	Stratton, T. J. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
602	Townsend, E. H. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
614	Tasker, W. S. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
708	Swain, H. .. ..	Grade 1	72-234	202	1.12.24

\* To Grade 2.

## AMENDMENTS OF CLASSIFICATION—continued.

## VICTORIA.

Number in Classification.	Officer.		Classification as amended.		Next Increment Payable.
	Name.	Office.	Scale.	Salary.	
1	Ramsay, E. P.	Superintendent	£ 732-828	£ 780	1.7.25
5	Smith, W.	Supervisor (City)	456-504	468	"
6	Tyler, A. G.	" (Parcels)	456-504	456	"
7	Kealy, R.	" (Ship)	396-444	444	"
9	Hill, F. R.	" (Inland, Night)	360-408	396	1.7.25
10	Ryan, W. Q.	" (Inland, Day)	360-408	396	"
11	Rosier, J. G. W.	" (Relieving)	348-396	396	"
13	Turnbull, E. W.	Clerk	336-396	396	"
14	Dooley, W. J.	"	312-372	360	28.4.25
15	Seedsman, A. E.	"	252-300	300	"
91	Makin, H.	Overseer, Grade 1 (Inland)	290-314	290	1.7.25
228	Shaw, N. McN.	Overseer, Grade 1 (Inland)	290-314	290	"
232	Burke, W. J.	Mail Officer, Grade 2	244-252	252	25.5.25
233	Thomas, A.	"	244-252	252	"
234	Costelloe, T. H.	"	244-252	252	"
235	Richmond, J. L.	"	244-252	252	"
236	Sparks, W. G.	"	244-252	252	"
237	Greene, W. F.	"	244-252	252	"
238	Burgess, T. J. H.	"	244-252	252	"
239	Rogan, F. N.	"	244-252	252	8.6.25
240	Gleeson, F. L.	"	244-252	252	"
241	Hazeldine, V. J.	"	244-252	252	"
242	Tobin, M. P.	"	244-252	252	"
243	Doyle, V. J.	"	244-252	252	"
244	Hassed, M. J.	"	244-252	252	"
245	Forrest, F. G.	"	244-252	252	1.7.25
246	Strachan, A.	"	244-252	252	"
247	Breen, Jeremiah	"	244-252	252	"
248	Marks, H.	"	244-252	252	"
249	Preston, H. G.	"	244-252	252	"
250	Hickey, P. R.	"	244-252	252	"
251	Fanning, W. F.	"	244-252	252	"
252	Hayes, J. Howard	"	244-252	252	"
253	Fish, R. T.	"	244-252	252	"
254	Hughes, H.	"	244-252	252	"
255	Virtue, P. W.	"	244-252	252	"
256	Bettenelli, B.	"	244-252	252	"
257	Daynes, A. C.	"	244-252	252	"
258	Lancashire, C. T.	"	244-252	252	"
259	O'Connor, J. L.	"	244-252	252	"
260	Hatton, C. H.	"	244-252	252	"
261	Treeby, C. H.	"	244-252	252	"
262	Williams, F. J.	"	244-252	244	5.7.24
263	O'Halloran, H.	"	244-252	244	"
264	Brown, E. R.	"	244-252	244	15.9.24
265	Smith, G. I.	"	244-252	244	"
266	Davies, L. A.	"	244-252	244	"
267	Fletcher, J. M.	"	244-252	244	"
268	Smith, G. L.	"	244-252	244	"
269	Brown, W. H.	"	244-252	244	16.10.24
270	Keane, M. B.	"	244-252	244	"
271	O'Rourke, B. F.	"	244-252	244	19.11.24
272	O'Neill, F. A.	"	244-252	244	31.1.25
273	Pearlman, A. J.	"	244-252	244	"
295	Nicholls, H.	"	244-252	244	1.7.25
306	Gillman, F. H.	"	244-252	244	"
315	McMahon, F. A. S.	"	244-252	244	"
316	Crawford, H. G.	"	244-252	244	"
322	Quinn, L. P.	"	244-252	244	"
329	Hatswell, U.	"	244-252	244	"
335	Welsh, F. P.	Grade 1	72-234	234	15.12.24*
337	Noseda, J. A.	"	72-234	234	28.10.24*
339	Gonsalves, E. A.	"	72-234	234	2.6.25*
344	Jeffs, T. A.	Grade 2	244-252	244	1.7.25
349	Murray, A. H.	"	244-252	244	"
353	Byron, J. N. L.	Grade 1	72-234	234	10.11.24*
362	McIntyre, A. A.	Grade 2	244-252	244	1.7.25
363	Stapleton, J. M.	"	244-252	244	"
364	Kennedy, D. B. I.	"	244-252	244	"
365	Bignell, J. J.	"	244-252	244	"
366	Robertson, E.	"	244-252	244	"
602	Baird, A. L.	Grade 1	72-234	226	4.10.24
697	Vacant (Baird)	Postman	72-234	"	"

\* To Grade 2.

## AMENDMENTS OF CLASSIFICATION—continued.

## QUEENSLAND.

Number in Classification.	Officer.		Classification as amended.		Next Increment Payable.
	Name.	Office.	Scale.	Salary.	
1	Macklin, H. .. ..	Superintendent ..	£ £ 636-708	£ 672	1.7.25
2	Fuller, H. D. .. ..	Assistant Superin- tendent	468-504	492	"
3	Duesbury, F. .. ..	Supervisor (Parcels)	432-480	480	..
6	Shattock, J. L. .. ..	" (Mail Room)	348-396	396	..
7	McNaught, A. R. .. ..	" .. ..	348-396	396	..
9	Hunter, J. .. ..	Clerk .. ..	276-324	288	1.7.25
84	Fletcher, E. J. .. ..	Mail Officer, Grade 2	244-252	252	23.8.24
85	Lloyd, A. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	252	11.1.25
86	James, A. E. W. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	252	30.3.25
87	Sloane, A. A. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	252	4.5.25
88	Dunne, L. L. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	252	"
89	Dale, A. H. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	8.8.24
90	Oliver, G. W. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
91	Brennan, J. P. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	6.9.24
92	Sheehan, W. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	5.12.24
93	Fitzgerald, P. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	18.12.24
94	Farr, E. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
95	Hall, R. A. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
96	Cregan, O. J. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	27.12.24
97	Murphy, E. H. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	3.3.25
98	Jeffrey, H. M. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	1.7.25
99	Jobst, V. T. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
100	Hanks, G. R. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
101	McQueen, A. E. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
124	Weatherill, W. E. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
198	Butler, Mary G. .. ..	Female Assistant (Relief)	162-180	180	..

## SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Number in Classification.	Officer.		Classification as amended.		Next Increment Payable.
	Name.	Office.	Scale.	Salary.	
1	Pitt, C. A. .. ..	Superintendent ..	£ £ 600-672	£ 612	1.7.25
2	Potter, H. .. ..	Assistant Superin- tendent	444-492	492	..
3	McKechie, H. H. .. ..	Supervisor (Parcels Post)	360-408	396	1.7.25
4	Renner, J. D. .. ..	" (Inland)	348-396	396	..
5	White, F. W. J. .. ..	" .. ..	348-396	360	30.8.24
8	Stacey, C. H. .. ..	Clerk .. ..	312-384	336	12.10.24
9	Smith, S. .. ..	" .. ..	216-288	288	..
82	Donnelly, P. P. .. ..	Mail Officer, Grade 2	244-252	244	8.11.24
83	Germein, H. D. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
84	Haren, J. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
85	O'Halloran, John .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	252	..
86	Brooks, C. E. H. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	1.7.25
89	Sando, W. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
92	Haussen, H. J. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
95	Doolittle, R. F. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
97	Duryea, L. D. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
99	Williams, W. J. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
100	Thomas, H. V. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
107	Baird, C. W. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"
108	Meyer, F. .. ..	" Grade 1	72-234	234	2.7.24*
110	Adams, A. M. .. ..	" Grade 2	244-252	244	1.7.25
111	Cheek, R. H. .. ..	" .. ..	244-252	244	"

\* To Grade 2.



## AMENDMENTS OF CLASSIFICATION—continued.

## WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Number in Classification.	Officer.		Classification as amended.		Next Increment Payable.
	Name.	Office.	Scale.	Salary.	
1	Vacant (Roberts) .. ..	Superintendent ..	£ 576-624	£ ..	..
2	Hart, T. J. .. ..	Assistant Superin- tendent	432-480	444	1.7.25
3	Coppin, E. J. .. ..	Supervisor (Parcels)	360-408	396	"
4	Hardy, D. .. ..	" (General)	360-408	396	"
5	Willis, E.-W. .. ..	" "	348-396	396	"
8	McDonald, H. .. ..	Clerk .. ..	276-324	288	1.7.25
29	Willis, T. J. .. ..	Overseer, Grade 1 (Ship)	290-314	290	"
78	Rose, G. F. .. ..	Mail Officer, Grade 2	244-252	244	"
82	Dineen, J. J. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
83	White, A. J. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
85	Farrell, W. E. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
87	Dinsdale, G. L. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
89	Ward, F. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
92	Williams, W. E. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
94	Smith, G. D. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
98	Redford, C. C. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
99	Kristiansen, O. L. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
105	Smetheram, W. T. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"

## TASMANIA.

Number in Classification.	Officer.		Classification as amended.		Next Increment Payable.
	Name.	Office.	Scale.	Salary.	
1	Clinch, J. W. .. ..	Superintendent ..	£ 492-528	£ 528	..
2	Dean, F. .. ..	Assistant Superin- tendent	348-396	396	..
3	Edwards, J. .. ..	Clerk .. ..	252-300	288	1.7.25
18	County, R. .. ..	Mail Officer, Grade 2	244-252	244	8.1.25
19	Timothy, H. J. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	30.8.24
20	Taylor, H. S. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	1.7.25
21	Nelson, F. W. L. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
22	Ohlson, A. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
23	Ferguson, D. V. .. ..	" "	244-252	244	"
29	Alexander, L. E. .. ..	" Grade 1	72-234	234	18.4.25*
30	Quinn, C. T. .. ..	" "	72-234	234	17.6.25*

\* To Grade 2.

## NOTES.

(1) The Classification in the Mail Branch Section of Canvas Workers and Canvas Workers (in charge) has been cancelled, vide notification in *Gazette* No. 5 of 27th January, 1925.

(2) In any case where a Mail Officer, Grade 2, is employed on duties in respect of which the Board considers the prescribed sectional tests for advancement to Grade 3 are not applicable, the Board may approve of the advancement of the officer subject to his passing such test, based upon the duties of his position as may be specified by the Board.

(3) Any Mail Officer, Grade 1, employed as Stamp Seller shall be granted an allowance to bring his remuneration to the minimum payment prescribed for Grade 2 (£244), with further advancement at the rate of £8 per annum after completion of twelve months' service on remuneration of £244. Provided, however, that no such officer shall be eligible for advancement from Grade 1 to Grade 2 in his classified position unless he has qualified by passing the prescribed sorting test.

(4) The designation of officers classified as Senior Mail Officer, Grade 1 and Grade 2 respectively, has been amended by the Board to Overseer, Grade 1 or Grade 2, as the case may be.

## COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC SERVICE.

## PROMOTIONS—SECTION 50 AND REGULATION 109.

THE following promotions are provisional and subject to appeal by officers to the Public Service Board of Commissioners, and, where consequent upon another provisional promotion, shall be subject to the latter being confirmed:—

Name.	Present Designation and Station.	Position to which Promoted.	Salary on Promotion. £	Date of Promotion.
TRADE AND CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.				
Woodhouse, Miss Daisy Eva ..	Telephonist, Telephone Branch, Postmaster-General's Department	Machinist, Female, Division IV., Statistical Branch, <i>vice</i> M. C. M. Hawkins, resigned	190	11.5.25
Thomson, Miss Linda Maisie ..	" " "	Machinist, Female, Division IV., Statistical Branch (new office created)	178	"
Bromfield, George James ..	Clerk .. .. .	Clerk, Division III., Excise Branch (vacant office under classification, <i>vice</i> Britton)	289	7.5.25
Wiffler, David Owen ..	Telegraph Messenger, Telegraph Branch, Postmaster-General's Department	Messenger, Division IV., Correspondence and Records Branch	144	"
Brain, Jack Reginald Norman ..	Telegraph Messenger, Hay-market	Messenger, Miscellaneous Branch, <i>vice</i> W. J. Morris, resigned	90	"
Mason, Ray Nathaniel ..	Telegraph Messenger, Telegraph Branch	Messenger, Miscellaneous Branch, <i>vice</i> A. L. Elliott, resigned	102	"
Seymour, Milton Roy ..	Telegraph Messenger, Hay-market	Messenger, Miscellaneous Branch, <i>vice</i> E. W. Johns, resigned	102	"
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.				
Logan, D. F. P. ..	Clerk, 5th Class, District Naval Office, Brisbane	Clerk, 4th Class (Accounts Officer), District Naval Office, Port Melbourne, <i>vice</i> W. J. Cameron, transferred	309	"
HOME AND TERRITORIES DEPARTMENT.				
Barkley, Henry ..	Meteorologist, Grade I., Meteorological Branch, Melbourne	Meteorologist, Grade III., Meteorological Branch, Melbourne, <i>vice</i> E. T. Quayle, resigned	492	"
POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.				
<i>New South Wales.</i>				
Colless, Oliver Arthur ..	Telegraph, Messenger, Leura ..	Telephonist, Katoomba, <i>vice</i> S. F. Toms, transferred	101	7.5.25
Anseline, Julius ..	Telegraph Messenger, Broken Hill	Telephonist, Broken Hill, <i>vice</i> A. J. Rawling, promoted	113	"
Burrell, Jack Lawrence ..	Telegraph Messenger, Coolamon	Messenger, Correspondence, Records and Staff Branch (Staff), <i>vice</i> J. E. Handley, promoted	107	"
<i>Victoria.</i>				
Ryan, Catherine ..	Postal Assistant, Hamilton ..	Senior Postal Assistant, Hamilton, <i>vice</i> J. J. Crossley, transferred	261	7.5.25
<i>Queensland.</i>				
Tweddell, Joseph ..	Senior Mechanic, Electrical Engineer's Branch (Telephone Workshop)	Exchange Foreman Mechanic, Toowoomba, <i>vice</i> W. W. Hinds, resigned	347	7.5.25
<i>South Australia.</i>				
Schunke, Ernest Gottfried ..	Clerical Assistant, Class 4, North Adelaide	Postmaster, Grade 2, St. Peters, <i>vice</i> R. J. Besley, promoted	331	7.5.25
Copas, Lancelot Lincoln ..	Telegraph Messenger, Port Augusta	Assistant, Port Augusta, <i>vice</i> V. E. Fuss, transferred	95	"
Rogers, Addison Howard ..	Telegraph Messenger, Darwin ..	Postman, Goodwood, <i>vice</i> J. P. Pugh, transferred	95	"
Rehn, Walter Morris ..	Senior Lineman, Electrical Engineer's Branch (Construction and Maintenance)	Line Foreman, No. 19 Party, Electrical Engineer's Branch, new office created (P.S.B. Certificate No. 389)	281	"
<i>Tasmania.</i>				
Ainsworth, Hugh Roy ..	Senior Postal Assistant, Deloraine	Postmaster, Grade 1, Bothwell, <i>vice</i> F. J. Gillis, dismissed	279	7.5.25
Sharp, Archibald George ..	Postal Assistant, Launceston ..	Senior Postal Assistant, Deloraine, <i>vice</i> H. R. Ainsworth, promoted	263	"
Smith, Athol Ira ..	Senior Assistant, Electrical Engineer's Branch	Senior Postal Assistant, New Norfolk, <i>vice</i> W. L. Reisz, promoted	279	"
Hensby, George Augustus ..	Postal Assistant, Waratah ..	Postmaster, Grade I., Gormanston, <i>vice</i> V. C. C. Midwood, transferred	252	21.2.25

The rate of salary on promotion in the case of J. W. Dobson, *vide Gazette* of 23rd April, 1925, is £113 per annum, in lieu of £101 as shown therein.

The rate of salary on promotion in the case of W. A. Urquhart, *vide Gazette* of 23rd April, 1925, is £419 per annum, in lieu of £408 as shown therein.

The rate of salary on promotion in the cases of G. R. Frankling and F. W. Simpson, *vide Gazette* of 30th April, 1925, is £409 per annum, in lieu of £408 as shown therein.

The following provisional promotions have been confirmed:—

## POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

F. W. Dunemann, appearing in *Gazette* of 26th March, 1925.

E. H. Watson, appearing in *Gazette* of 9th April, 1925.

S. A. Taplin, M. N. Fitzgerald, J. Mullins, W. F. Phillips, G. Ashton, T. V. Meaney, R. N. Wishart, S. A. Chalklen, and H. Perkins, appearing in *Gazette* of 16th April, 1925.

**OFFICES ABOLISHED, CREATED, ETC.**

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

**PRIME MINISTER'S DEPARTMENT AND DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS.**

*Exemption.*—J. S. HALLIDAY, Private Secretary to the Prime Minister, 23rd February, 1925, to 30th June, 1925.

**DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.**

*Creation of New Position.*—Clerk, Navigation Branch, Central Staff, with limits of salary of minimum £224 and maximum £396 per annum.—(Ex. Min. No. 81.)

**HOME AND TERRITORIES DEPARTMENT.**

*Transfer.*—J. A. DAVOREN, Clerk, Northern Territory Branch, transferred to the Public Service of the Northern Territory, under section 43 of the Commonwealth Public Service Act.

**DEPARTMENT OF WORKS AND RAILWAYS.**

*Office Abolished.*—Clerk, 5th Class, Public Works Branch, New South Wales, last occupied by B. P. Foster.

*Offices Created.*—Machinist (Female), Public Works Branch, Central Staff; Machinist (Female), Public Works Branch, New South Wales.

*Exemption.*—ERIC WILLIAM STODDART, exempted from the provisions of the Commonwealth Public Service Act 1922-1924, in the position of Works Inspector, Northern Territory, for a period not exceeding twelve months from the date of commencing duty.

**POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.**

Ex. Mins. Nos. 84, 86, and 87.

**NEW SOUTH WALES.**

*Office Created.*—Assistant, Leeton.

*Services Terminated—Retirement.*—FRANCIS WALTER WILLIAMSON, Postmaster, Murrumburrah, has been permitted to retire as from 3rd May, 1925 (Infirmary).

*Suspension of System of Examination.*—The system of examination not to apply in relation to the following appointments, which have been made on probation, namely:—*Telegraph Messenger*—LEONARD JAMES COPE, GEORGE RONALD BROWN, OLIVER CHRISTOPHER GERSBACH, EDWARD CHARLES ROUND, CLIVE ULRIC ROBERT LAMERTON, LEONARD ARTHUR BATES, and JOHN IGNATIUS CHARLES CAREY, Telegraph Branch; ALBERT

EDWARD ROUT, Five Dock; PHILIP FREDERICK WATERS WIMPEY, Edgecliff; KINNERLEY LEWIS STRATHMORE, Mosman's Bay; OSWALD JOHN SIMMONS, Strawberry Hills. *Mail Officer, Grade I.*—WALTER ARTHUR LOUIS JORDAN, Mail Branch. *Labourer*—CLAUDE FREDERICK HEIL, Electrical Engineer's Branch (Construction and Maintenance). *Motor Car Driver*—JOHN LEITCH, Transport Branch.

**VICTORIA.**

*Offices Created.*—Senior Mechanic, Ascot Vale; Engineer, Electrical Engineer's Branch (stationed at Ararat); Engineer, Electrical Engineer's Branch (stationed at Bendigo), with limits of salary of minimum £468, and maximum £540, in each case; such offices to be included in the Third Division.

*Reclassification of Office.*—The classification of the office of Senior Mechanic, Sandringham, last occupied by E. A. Long, has been raised to Exchange Foreman Mechanic.

**QUEENSLAND.**

*Offices Created.*—Clerk, Accounts Branch (Expenditure), with limits of salary of minimum £90 and maximum £276 (4 positions), such offices to be included in the Third Division; Assistant, Accounts Branch (Telephone Accounts); Machinist (Female), Accounts Branch (Telephone Accounts); Assistant, Accounts Branch (Telephone Accounts).

*Office Abolished.*—Clerk, 5th Class, Stores Branch, last occupied by E. W. Wood.

*Suspension of System of Examination.*—The system of examination not to apply in relation to the appointment of EDWARD HENRY SMITH as Labourer, Stores Branch, which appointment has been made on probation.

**SOUTH AUSTRALIA.**

*Offices Created.*—Telegraph Messenger, Auburn, Booleroo Centre, Laura, and Freeling; Senior Lineman (Relieving), Electrical Engineer's Branch (Construction and Maintenance), Orroroo, Melrose, Port Pirie, Balaklava, Cowell, Ceduna, Maitland, and Kooringa.

**WESTERN AUSTRALIA.**

*Offices Created.*—Machinist (Female), Electrical Engineer's Branch; Senior Lineman, Bruce Rock; Senior Lineman, Donnybrook; Mechanic, Electrical Engineer's Branch, Telegraph Workshop; Mechanic, Electrical Engineer's Branch, Telephone Workshop; Junior Mechanic, Electrical Engineer's Branch, Telegraph Workshop (2 positions); Junior Mechanic, Electrical Engineer's Branch, Central Exchange.

**PROMOTIONS.**

Public Service Act 1924.

The Public Service Board of Commissioners has confirmed the following provisional promotions:—

Herbert Anton Peterson, as notified in *Gazette* of 5th February, 1925.  
Frederick George Simmons, as notified in *Gazette* of 12th March, 1925.  
Roy Stanley Smith, as notified in *Gazette* of 19th March, 1925.

**APPOINTMENTS, RETIREMENTS, AND DISMISSALS.**

The following appointments, retirements, and dismissals are notified by the Public Service Board of Commissioners:—

**APPOINTMENTS.****FOURTH DIVISION.****POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.****Queensland.**

*Mechanic.*—Charles Frederick Lawrence.

*Lineman.*—Norman David Joseph Duncan.

*Telephonist.*—Eliza Gladys Richardson.

*Telegraph Messenger.*—Joseph Klemm, George Richards Vowles, Geoffrey Beatson Kidd, James Sidney Milham, James William Bateman, Harry John Gilmore Blackford.

**South Australia.**

*Lineman.*—Henry Francis Bunbury, John Edward Lundstrom.

**RETIREMENTS.****DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.**

*Section 49.*—Emma Marie Ernestine Taylor, Typist, as from 18th March, 1925.

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.**

*Section 67.*—Paul Edmond Getting, Superintendent of Quarantine, as from 22nd May, 1925.

**DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.****Lighthouse Branch, Western Australia.**

*Section 86.*—Hugh Watson Christie, Head Lightkeeper, as from 2nd May, 1925.

APPOINTMENTS—continued.  
POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.  
Victoria.

Section 85.—Peter Schaefer, Assistant, as from 26th April, 1925.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Section 86.—David Philip James, Postman, as from 30th June, 1925.

DISMISSALS.  
DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.  
Victoria.

Section 62.—Thomas Browne, Wharf Examining Officer, as from 5th April, 1925.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.  
New South Wales.

Section 55.—John Walter Hathaway, Telegraph Messenger, as from 2nd May, 1925.

Victoria.

Section 62.—William James Sleeth, Telephonist, as from 30th April, 1925.

Section 55.—James Cyril Walker, Telegraph Messenger, as from 29th April, 1925.

Queensland.

Section 55.—George Edward Boody, Postal Assistant, as from 29th April, 1925.

C. B. B. WHITE, Chairman, Public Service Board of Commissioners.

EXAMINATIONS.

Examination No. 1326.

FOR APPOINTMENT AS TELEGRAPH MESSENGER, HOBART AND  
SUBURBAN POST OFFICES.

Held 4th April, 1925.

THE candidates named hereunder were successful at the above examination, and have thereby qualified for appointment to the position of Telegraph Messenger.

Attention is directed to the conditions published in the Commonwealth Gazette of 19th February, 1925.

The following should be noted :—

- (1) The names will remain on the Register of Persons Qualified for Appointment for eighteen months, that is, until and including 6th November, 1926.
- (2) Where two or more candidates secure the same number of marks, their order of merit is determined by the number of marks obtained for (a) Arithmetic and (b) Handwriting, and where these numbers are also equal, then by ballot.
- (3) If a successful candidate changes his address, he should immediately notify the Deputy Commonwealth Public Service Inspector, Customs House, Hobart.

Name.	Handwriting.	Spelling.	Arithmetic.	Total.
Maximum Marks .. .. .	100	150	200	450.
Pass Marks .. .. .	50	75	—	—
Broadby, Robert Clinton .. .. .	80	150	153	383
Richman, Ronald Harry .. .. .	80	143	157	380
Morris, Harold Richard .. .. .	75	150	153	378
Thurley, Geoffrey William .. .. .	70	136	170	376
Beltz, Harry William .. .. .	80	136	144	360
Mazengarb, Albert Joseph .. .. .	75	143	130	348
Alderton, William James .. .. .	80	140	123	343
Geard, Mervyn Hedley Eustace .. .. .	75	109	150	334
Grimmond, Alexander John .. .. .	70	129	123	322
Mellor, Thomas Oscar .. .. .	75	127	120	322
Hart, John Patrick .. .. .	80	127	106	313
Wood, Alan Maxwell .. .. .	75	120	116	311
Street, David William .. .. .	75	106	121	302
Davie, Donald Arthur .. .. .	75	116	108	299
Watson, Frederick John .. .. .	80	118	100	298
Knowles, Clarence Benjamin .. .. .	80	136	75	291
Pattison, Robert Arthur .. .. .	80	141	66	287
Reid, Colin Lewis .. .. .	75	141	70	286
Harwood, Jack Albert .. .. .	85	132	67	284
Haigh, William John Pasha .. .. .	75	144	62	281
Wicks, Milton Roy .. .. .	80	113	84	277
Price, Maxwell Mervyn .. .. .	80	122	74	276
Cross, Norman John .. .. .	75	113	87	275
Swann, Edward Allan .. .. .	75	136	64	275
Joyce, Douglas Charles .. .. .	85	129	51	265
Hollis, Herbert Frederick .. .. .	75	136	53	264
Cairnduff, Leo James .. .. .	80	120	54	254
Lawson, Robert Athole .. .. .	70	120	53	243
Wicks, Abel Vincent .. .. .	70	109	63	242
Forrest, Haughton Wm. Lowther .. .. .	75	113	45	233
Stephenson, Jack Albert .. .. .	85	109	28	222
Murray, Leonard Stanley .. .. .	75	79	55	209
Hoggett, Clement Leslie .. .. .	70	106	31	207
Brockington, John Francis .. .. .	70	90	25	185
Matthews, Arthur John .. .. .	80	78	13	171
Drake, St. Clair Mackawell .. .. .	75	80	0	155

C. B. B. WHITE, Chairman,  
Public Service Board of Commissioners.

Examination No. 1327.

(Additional Results.)

FOR APPOINTMENT AS TELEGRAPH MESSENGER.

Held 4th April, 1925.

IN addition to the names published in the Commonwealth Gazette, No. 36, dated 30th April, 1925, the candidates named hereunder were successful at the above examination, and have thereby qualified for appointment to the position of Telegraph Messenger.

Attention is directed to the conditions published in the Commonwealth Gazette of 19th March, 1925.

The following should be noted :—

- (1) The names will remain on the Register of Persons Qualified for Appointment for eighteen months, that is, until and including 6th November, 1926.
- (2) Where two or more candidates secure the same number of marks, their order of merit is determined by the number of marks obtained for (a) Arithmetic and (b) Handwriting, and where these numbers are also equal, then by ballot.
- (3) If a successful candidate changes his address, he should immediately notify the Commonwealth Public Service Inspector, Commonwealth Bank Buildings, Martin-place, Sydney.

Name.	Handwriting.	Spelling.	Arithmetic.	Total.
Maximum Marks .. .. .	100	150	200	450
Pass Marks .. .. .	50	75	—	—

NEW SOUTH WALES.

BROKEN HILL.

Land, William .. .. .	95	129	101	325
Jonas, Allan Bertram .. .. .	80	143	73	296
Cahill, Lawrence .. .. .	80	119	60	259
Fuller, Norman Charles .. .. .	70	105	81	256
Mudie, Edward Glover .. .. .	80	109	65	254
O'Brien, James Daniel .. .. .	80	113	57	250
Byers, Hugh John .. .. .	80	104	65	249
Hupfeld, Sydney Alfred .. .. .	80	99	68	247
Robinson, George Michael .. .. .	85	114	48	247
Jenkins, Frederick Herbert .. .. .	85	93	65	243
Baillie, James Francis .. .. .	75	133	29	237
Patty, Charles Stuart .. .. .	80	97	55	232
Mackay, Arthur Joseph Leslie .. .. .	80	107	45	232
Gully, Harry Woodhouse .. .. .	80	86	55	221
King, Albert Charles .. .. .	80	83	55	218
McMahon, John .. .. .	80	82	35	197
Rosewall, Herbert George .. .. .	75	103	12	190

C. B. B. WHITE, Chairman,  
Public Service Board of Commissioners.



**Examination No. 1337.**

FOR PROMOTION AS ENGINEER, THIRD DIVISION, ELECTRICAL ENGINEER'S BRANCH, POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT, ALL STATES.

**A**N Examination for promotion as above will be held in the capital city, and at such other centres in each State as may be necessary, on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd October, 1925.

**Officers Eligible to Enter.**—Officers of the Permanent Staff of the Commonwealth Public Service who, at the date of examination, will have attained the age of 21 years.

**SUBJECTS OF EXAMINATION.****(1) Natural Science—**

- (a) Mathematics: Algebra, geometry and trigonometry, vector algebra, expression of quantities in polar co-ordinates and in complex notation, differential and integral calculus up to the determination of maxima and minima and integrations of the simpler derivatives; introduction to the development of series; use of hyperbolic functions.
- (b) Physics: Heat, light, sound, electricity and magnetism, theoretical mechanics, general properties of matter, general knowledge of the modern theories of atomic structure.
- (c) Chemistry: Elementary knowledge of the more common inorganic elements and their important compounds.
- (d) Properties and strength of materials used in telephone and telegraph plant.
- (e) Electrical Measurement: Principles of instruments and methods of their use in making measurements of circuits and apparatus with—
  - (i) direct current;
  - (ii) alternating current of commercial frequencies, 15 to 150 cycles per second;
  - (iii) alternating current of audio-frequencies 200 to 3,000 cycles per second.

Use of instruments for the electrical determination of the location of faults and irregularities.

**(2) Transmission (Telephone and Telegraph)—**

- (a) Properties of the infinite line; equivalent networks.
- (b) Properties of finite lines; combinations of finite lines of differing characteristic impedance; power relationships; transient conditions; reflection; effects of terminal loads.
- (c) Modifying the properties of lines by loading; types of loading; spacing of loading coils; best forms of loading for given conditions; terminal effects due to loading.
- (d) Interference with transmission due to foreign currents; inductive interference and general methods of its reduction.
- (e) Telephone repeaters of the electron tube type; general principles of the electron tube; manner in which it is used to form various types of telephone repeater; transmission characteristics of repeaters; line balancing networks; spacing of telephone repeater stations along a line.
- (f) Methods of making transmission measurements; power and impedance measurements; standard cable comparison methods.
- (g) Principles and methods of simultaneous transmission of telephony and telegraphy over one line; superimposition of phantom circuits.

**(3) Line Construction—**

- (a) Development studies, telephone surveys, and the principles of the design of telephone exchange and trunk line networks to a given standard of transmission.
- (b) Practice in connexion with aerial and underground line construction, including block distribution.
- (c) Preparation of estimates for the construction of telegraph and telephone lines.
- (d) Protection of telegraph and telephone lines against—
  - (i) Excessive energy (such as contact with electric light and power circuits);
  - (ii) Inductive interference from power circuits and other telegraph and telephone circuits;
  - (iii) Electrolytic corrosion.
- (e) Economics of line plant.
- (f) Principles and methods of balancing trunk line and junction cables (telegraph and telephone), and the determination of transmission equivalents of circuits.
- (g) Practice in connexion with submarine cable laying and maintenance.

**(4) Telephone Equipment—**

- (a) Manual switching systems—
  - (i) Magneto (lamp and indicator signalling) switchboards.
  - (ii) Common battery switchboards.
  - (iii) Trunk line switchboards.
- (b) Automatic or machine switching systems—
  - (i) Automatic Electric Company or "Strowger" type.
  - (ii) Siemens' type.
  - (iii) Relay Automatic Company's type.
- (c) Automatic traffic distributing systems.
- (d) Subscribers' equipment—
  - (i) Telephone sets—straight or individual line, and extension services.
  - (ii) P.B.X. switchboards and power supply thereto.
  - (iii) Wiring of buildings.
- (e) Principles and methods of simultaneous telephony and telegraphy.
- (f) Power plant for telephones—
  - Batteries—primary and secondary, generators, rectifiers, motors, and internal combustion engines.
- (g) Protective apparatus and appliances used in telegraph and telephone practice.

**(5) Telegraph Equipment—**

- (a) Systems—Morse, simplex, duplex, diplex, quadruplex, central battery systems, Wheatstone automatic, keyboard perforators, multiplex and printing telegraph systems, repeaters.
- (b) Principles and methods of the simultaneous transmission of telegraphy and telephony over one line.
- (c) Power plant for telegraphs—batteries, primary and secondary; generators, rectifiers, motors, and internal combustion engines.
- (d) Economic lay-out and management of telegraph and telephone manufacturing and repair workshops.

**Note.**—Questions set under the above headings will relate to Australian practice as far as practicable.

Only those officers who have qualified in section (5) and furnish evidence of ability to send and receive by sound Morse signals at the rate of not less than twenty words per minute will be considered for positions of Engineer, Telegraph Equipment.

All candidates will undergo examination in sections (1) to (5) inclusive.

In order to pass, a candidate must obtain at least 60 per cent. of marks in each of sections (1) and (2), at least 50 per cent. of marks in each of two other sections, and at least 40 per cent. of marks in the remaining section.

**Exemptions.**—A candidate who passed in General Engineering at Examination No. 1129, held on the 23rd and 24th January, 1923, or Examination No. 1265, held on the 21st, 22nd, and 23rd August, 1924, will not be required to undergo examination in Natural Science, and Transmission (Telephone and Telegraph), and a candidate who passed in Line Construction or Telephone Equipment or Telegraph Equipment at either of the examinations mentioned will be exempted from examination in the subjects in which he passed.

**Applications Close.**—Applications, which should be forwarded direct, and not through Departments, must reach the Secretary to the Commonwealth Public Service Board, Melbourne, not later than Saturday, the 1st August, 1925.

**Form of Application.**—Applications should be written on foolscap in the following form:—

The Secretary,

Commonwealth Public Service Board,  
Melbourne.

I desire to enter for Examination No. 1337, for promotion as Engineer, Third Division, and in connexion therewith furnish the following information:—

- (1) Full name (as shown in Permanent Staff List).
- (2) Position.
- (3) Page and No. on page of Permanent Staff List, 1924, at which applicant's name appears.
- (4) I passed in the following subject or subjects, as the case may be, at Examination No 1129 or 1265, and claim exemption therefrom at this examination.

Signature.....  
Date.....

Successful candidates may be promoted to vacancies in any State. Promotions will be made from the list of successful candidates according to relative fitness for the duties to be performed. Fitness will be determined upon examination results and the qualifications disclosed by the candidates in the previous performance of their duties.

**Salary.**—The minimum and maximum salaries of the position of Engineer are £360 and £456 per annum respectively, the latter being attained, subject to satisfactory conduct, diligence, and efficiency, by annual increments.

Upon promotion, a successful candidate will be paid not less than the minimum salary above-mentioned, but the rate of salary of an officer in receipt of a salary exceeding the minimum will be determined when his turn for promotion arrives.

**Previous Papers.**—A booklet containing the papers applying to the previous examination, No. 1265, may be obtained from the Government Printer, Melbourne, the Officer-in-Charge, Commonwealth Inquiry Office, Commonwealth Bank Building, Martin-place, Sydney, the Collector of Customs, Brisbane, and the Commonwealth Public Service Inspectors, Adelaide, Perth, and Hobart, for 6d., 7d. by post, for which a postal note should be remitted.

C. B. B. WHITE, Chairman,  
Public Service Board of Commissioners.

#### TESTS FOR ADVANCEMENT OF MAIL OFFICERS FROM GRADE 1 TO GRADE 2.—1924-1925.

It is hereby notified that the undermentioned officers were successful in the above tests:—

##### NEW SOUTH WALES.

Swain, L. E.; Parker, H. R.; Kelly, A. W.; Colefax, F. G.; Wade, D.; Green, H. H.; Mitchell, N. E.; Woodward, R.; McCaskill, D. McI.; Knight, H. D.; Riley, F. E.; Mogan, S. S.; Timbrell, F. V.; Dodd, E. L.; Liddle, B.; O'Brien, F. J.; McRae, N.; Stewart, W. T.; Kennedy, P. F.; Thomas, E. W.; Watts, E. E.; Stratton, T. J.; Tollis, H. C.; Charlton, F. O.; Tasker, W. S.; Townsend, E. H.; Eggleton, W. R.; Brown, C. H. O.

##### VICTORIA.

Donovan, J. W. C.; Gillman, F. H.; Jeffs, T. A.; Murray, A. H.; Nosedá, J. A.; Quinn, L. P.; Baird, A. L.; Byron, J. N. L.; Bignell, J. J.; Barker, R. M.; Gonsalves, E. A.; Kennedy, D. B. I.; McIntyre, A. A.; McMahon, J.; Robertson, E.; Stapleton, J. M.; Crawford, H. G.; Dowd, G. W.; Hatswell, U.; McMahon, F. A. S.; Nicholls, H.; O'Connor, K. W.; Storey, T. L.; Welsh, F. P.

##### QUEENSLAND.

Weatherill, W. E.

##### SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Baird, C. W.; Brooks, C. E. H.; Duryea, L. D.; Haussen, H. J.; Sando, W.; Thomas, H. V.; Adams, A. M.; Meyer, F.; Williams, W. J.

##### WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Dinsdale, G. L.; Strutt, A. W. J.; Redford, C. C.; Kristiansen, O. L.; Dineen, J. J.; Farrell, W. E.; Ward, F.; Smetheram, W. T.; White, A. J.; Rose, G. F.; Smith, G. D.; Ferguson, D.; Williams, W. E.

##### TASMANIA.

Chandler, D. C.; Rennie, L.; Quinn, G. T.; Alexander, L. E.; Roberts, W. G. H.

C. B. B. WHITE, Chairman,  
Public Service Board of Commissioners.

#### TESTS FOR ADVANCEMENT OF MAIL OFFICERS FROM GRADE 1 TO GRADE 2.

FOR the information of officers concerned it is hereby notified that tests for advancement of Mail Officers from Grade 1 to Grade 2 will be held in all States as soon as practicable after 30th June, 1925.

Officers desirous of attending for test should notify the Deputy Postmaster-General of their intention not later than 6th June, 1925, stating the section in which they desire to be tested.

The tests will be confined to officers classified as Mail Officers, Grade 1, and officers designated Postman or Assistant, who have reached the maximum salary of their present positions or are on 1st July, 1925, within 18 months of reaching such maximum.

The tests will be carried out in accordance with the following conditions, which are substituted for those appearing on pages 1357 to 1360 of *Commonwealth Gazette*, No. 38, dated 18th June, 1924:—

##### INLAND SECTION.

##### Grade 1 to Grade 2.

Test to comprise—

**Primary Sorting.**—A series of addressed envelopes, each containing a stout card, shall be prepared, representing the total number of Post Offices (including official, semi-official, allowance, and receiving offices, but excluding Metropolitan and Suburban offices) in the State in which the officer is employed.

(The list of such offices will be that appearing in the latest issue of the *Commonwealth Postal Guide*.)

Five hundred of these envelopes shall be drawn by the examining officers to be sorted by the candidates in the maximum time of 14 minutes.

The Divisions into which these envelopes must be sorted shall be the actual sorting Divisions used in the Mail Branch of the State. If, when the 500 envelopes have been sorted, the candidate has a balance of time available, he shall not be permitted to utilize such time to re-sort any envelopes which may have been wrongly sorted.

A candidate with not more than the following number of errors shall be recorded at once as having passed:—

New South Wales ..	10
Victoria ..	10
Queensland ..	5
South Australia ..	3
Western Australia ..	3
Tasmania ..	1

Where the errors exceed the number mentioned in the preceding paragraph, the Examining Officer may call over the missorted articles to the candidate, who shall be credited with 75 per cent. of the correct answers. If after deduction of such credit from the total number of errors the number of errors is reduced to or below the number mentioned in the preceding paragraph, the candidate shall be recorded as having passed.

##### Grade 2 to Grade 3.

(1) **Final Sorting.**—To be eligible for advancement to Grade 3, an officer should be capable of maintaining without error a sorting speed of at least 35 letters to the minute in final sorting on a set not exceeding 36 bags. When the number of bags is in excess, the examining officers may permit a reduced speed, but not lower than 30 letters to a minute. Officer will be tested by sorting 500 addressed envelopes prepared as above (Grade 1 to Grade 2) at the rate prescribed upon a set in which, in the opinion of the examining officers, the candidate has had an opportunity of becoming efficient.

Test should be completed without error, but in any case of errors, not exceeding three, the examining officers shall take into consideration the nature of the errors and the general efficiency of the officer and may, in their discretion, record a pass. Any such case shall be made the subject of special report in the examining officers' return of passed candidates.

(2) Test will also comprise an examination in—

(a) **Geographical Knowledge.**—Names of towns (50 in number) to be selected from official offices in the States other than that in which the officer is employed. Candidates will be required to name the State in which each of the 50 towns is situated. Maximum errors allowable—5.

(b) **Knowledge of the Regulations and Instructions relating to—**

- (i) classification of mail matter;
- (ii) rates of postage (parcels excluded); and
- (iii) to the handling of mail matter and mails in the Mail Branch.

Ten questions. Marks to be allotted; 75 per cent. to constitute a pass. Time allowed for written examination—1½ hours.

##### SHIP SECTION.

##### Grade 1 to Grade 2.

Test as prescribed for advancement in the Inland Section from Grade 1 to Grade 2.

##### Grade 2 to Grade 3.

Officers should be capable of maintaining an average sorting speed of 35 letters to the minute.

Test to comprise—

(a) **Final Sorting.**—To sort 500 prepared envelopes containing cards and addressed as under—

- 100 leading towns in the United Kingdom;
- 100 leading towns in British Dominions and foreign countries; and
- 300 to places where official post offices are established in States in the Commonwealth other than that in which the officer is engaged.

The officer will be required to primarily sort the prepared envelopes, and then to sort in 14 minutes (actual sorting time) the articles into the actual sorting divisions in use.

Test should be completed without error, but in any case of errors, not exceeding three, the examining officers shall take into consideration the nature of the errors and the general efficiency of the officer and may, in their discretion, record a pass. Any such case shall be made the subject of special report in the examining officers' return of passed candidates.

The officer will also be required to pass tests, paragraph (2) (a) and (b), as prescribed for advancement in the Inland Section from Grade 2 to Grade 3.

## CITY SECTION.

## Grade 1 to Grade 2.

## Test to comprise—

- (i) At Sydney, Brisbane, Hobart, and Perth, while present system of primary sorting obtains, series of addressed envelopes each containing a card to be prepared, representing 300 addresses on Postmen's delivery and 200 addresses of box-holders. Candidates will be required to sort these 500 envelopes as follows:—Matter for delivery by Postmen to be sorted into Postmen's groups or rounds—which ever system is in operation; box-matter to be set aside for subsequent sorting into divisions: time allowed, seventeen minutes. The box-matter is then to be sorted into divisions: time allowed, seven minutes. Total time allowed, twenty-four minutes.

- (ii) At Melbourne and Adelaide, series of addressed envelopes each containing a card to be prepared, representing 300 addresses on Postmen's delivery and 200 addresses of box-holders.

Candidates will be required to sort these envelopes in seventeen minutes (actual sorting time) in accordance with the system of primary sorting in the State in which they are employed.

- (iii) A candidate with not more than the following number of errors shall be recorded at once as having passed:—

Sydney .. .. .	25
Melbourne .. .. .	20
Brisbane .. .. .	8
Adelaide .. .. .	6
Perth .. .. .	6
Hobart .. .. .	3

- (iv) Where the errors exceed the number mentioned in paragraph (iii) the Examining Officer may call over the missorted articles to the candidate who shall be credited with 75 per cent. of the correct answers. If, after deduction of such credit from the total number of errors, the number of errors is reduced to or below the number mentioned in paragraph (iii), the candidate shall be recorded as having passed.

## Grade 2 to Grade 3.

- (1) Final Sorting.—Officer to be capable of maintaining a sorting speed into private boxes at the rate of at least 30 per minute.

Test.—To sort 500 addressed envelopes (each containing card) in 16½ minutes into divisions—not exceeding five in any State.

The officer will be required to primarily sort the envelopes. Then to finally sort the articles as above in 16½ minutes (actual sorting time).

- (2) The test will also comprise an examination as to knowledge of the Regulations and Instructions relating to—

Classification of Mail Matter;

Rates of Postage (other than parcels);

Private Boxes; and

The handling and delivery of mail matter in the following City sub-sections, viz., Postmen's Private Boxes.

Ten questions. Marks to be allotted; 75 per cent. to constitute a pass. Time allowed—1 hour.

## REGISTRATION SECTION.

## Grade 1 to Grade 2.

## Test to comprise—

Primary Sorting.—Test prescribed for advancement from Grade 1 to Grade 2 in Inland Section.

## Grade 2 to Grade 3.

## Test to comprise—

- (a) knowledge of the Regulations and Instructions relating to the handling of registered matter;
- (b) knowledge of the Regulations and Instructions relating to classification of mail matter and rates of postage (parcels excluded);
- (c) geographical test as prescribed for advancement in Inland Section from Grade 2 to Grade 3.

Five questions will be set in each of (a) and (b). Marks to be allotted; 75 per cent. in each section to constitute a pass. Time allowed for (a), (b), and (c)—1½ hours.

(d) Test in handwriting for speed and legibility, by making a copy in duplicate of 30 completed entries on a typed copy of Form 3A in 5 minutes (maximum time). Marks will be allotted for speed, legibility, and accuracy; 75 per cent. to constitute a pass.

## DEAD LETTER OFFICE OR POSTE RESTANTE.

## Grade 1 to Grade 2.

A Mail Officer employed in the Dead Letter Office or as a Poste Restante Officer shall be advanced from Grade 1 to Grade 2 upon passing the test prescribed for such advancement in any of the other Sections of the Mail Branch. Upon passing the test he shall be transferred to the Section for which he has qualified and his place filled by a junior officer. Except in the case of the Officer in Charge of the Dead Letter Office, no officer of higher grade than Grade 1 shall be employed in the Dead Letter Office, or as a Poste Restante Officer, except with the special approval of the Board.

## PARCELS SECTION.

## Grade 1 to Grade 2.

Candidates will be supplied with a list of 100 Post Offices, including official, semi-official, allowance, and receiving offices, but excluding the Metropolitan and Suburban offices within the State. He will show opposite each office the parcel route, i.e., the number or name of the final sorting rack. Time allowed—ten minutes.

The maximum number of errors allowable shall be—New South Wales, 5; Victoria, 5; Queensland, 3; South Australia and Western Australia, 2; Tasmania, 1.

## Grade 2 to Grade 3.

## Test to comprise—

- (a) Geographical knowledge as prescribed for advancement in Inland Section from Grade 2 to Grade 3.
- (b) Knowledge of the Regulations and Instructions relating to all classes of parcels, as regards receipt, checking, numbering, listing, delivery, dispatch, and return; also to the way-billing of parcel post mails, and of the charges and fees levied on parcels.

Ten questions. Marks to be allotted; 75 per cent. to constitute a pass. Time allowed—1½ hours.

- (c) A test in handwriting as to speed and legibility by copying in quadruplicate 29 completed entries from a typed copy of United Kingdom Outward Parcel Bill (P.P. 4). Time allowed—Twenty minutes. Candidates must complete not less than three-fourths of the Bill; marks to be allotted for speed, legibility, and accuracy; 75 per cent. to constitute a pass.

C. B. B. WHITE, Chairman,  
Public Service Board of Commissioners.

## NOTIFICATION OF VACANCIES.

**A** PPLICATIONS will be received from persons qualified for appointment to the positions specified below, but applications will not be accepted from persons outside the Commonwealth Public Service, unless so indicated.

Applications should indicate fully qualifications for the position sought, and must, to ensure consideration, be forwarded to the officer indicated in the last column in time to reach him not later than the appointed date.

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, also place of birth and whether they are natural-born or naturalized British subjects. Copies only of diplomas, references, testimonials, or certificates should be forwarded. If the originals are required they will be asked for.

The range of salary indicates the classified value of a position, but appointments may be made at any salary within such range.

Successful applicants must comply with the provisions of the *Superannuation Act, 1922-24*.

At offices where quarters are shown, a deduction at the rate of 10 per cent. of the minimum salary of the position will be made, unless otherwise stated. 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.

Officers who may be transferred without promotion, 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. 119.

Fares to locality of appointment of persons appointed from outside the Service will not be paid by the Commonwealth unless such fares (including, if the applicant is married, those of his wife and family) exceed £3, when such allowance as the circumstances justify may be granted.

Position and Division.	Locality.	Salary (Exclusive of Child Endowment).	Closing Date for Receipt of Applications.	To whom Applications must be forwarded.
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## HOME AND TERRITORIES DEPARTMENT.

## Central Staff.

Recorder (Female), Fourth Division, Meteorological Branch	Melbourne ..	£90 to £180 ..	21st May, 1925	Secretary, Home and Territories Department, Melbourne
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## Western Australia.

Divisional Returning Officer, Third Division, Electoral Branch	Kalgoorlie ..	£408 to £480 ..	21st May, 1925	Secretary, Home and Territories Department, Melbourne
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Applicants should have electoral experience, and be thoroughly acquainted with the provisions of the Electoral and Referendum Acts and Regulations.

## DEPARTMENT OF WORKS AND RAILWAYS

## PUBLIC WORKS BRANCH.

## Queensland.

* Architect (2 positions), Third Division	Brisbane .. Rockhampton	£480 to £552 ..	14th May, 1925	Secretary, Department of Works and Railways, Melbourne
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District Allowance—Rockhampton, Grade I.

Applicants must have served satisfactory articles with recognized firm of practising architects, or afford evidence of other adequate training; have had extensive professional and practical building experience; be capable of taking levels, preparing reports on sites, sketch and working plans of buildings, and specifications, measuring up buildings, &c., and estimating; and be competent to prepare detailed drawings and supervise the erection of buildings either by contract or departmental labour, and, if necessary, control and direct the operations of assistants.

## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.

## Taxation Branch—Central Staff.

Clerk, Third Division, Administrative	Melbourne ..	£492 to £540 ..	21st May, 1925	Commissioner of Taxation, Melbourne
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## DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.

## New South Wales.

Assistant, Fourth Division, Correspondence and Records Branch (2 positions)	Sydney ..	£90 to £234 ..	21st May, 1925	Collector of Customs, Sydney
Clerk, Third Division, Jerquer's Branch (2 positions)	Sydney ..	£300 to £360 ..		
Wharf Examining Officer, Third Division, Landing Branch (2 positions)	Sydney ..	£216 to £396 ..		
Invoice Examining Officer, Third Division, Parcels Post	Sydney ..	£408 to £480 ..		
Clerk, Third Division, Parcels Post (2 positions)	Sydney ..	£300 to £360 ..		
Clerk, Third Division, Drawback Section	Sydney ..	£276 to £336 ..		
Repack Officer, Third Division, Drawback Section	Sydney ..	£300 to £360 ..		
Invoice Examining Officer, Third Division, Invoice Room (3 positions)	Sydney ..	£312 to £480 ..		
Investigation Officer, Third Division, Investigation Section (2 positions)	Sydney ..	£372 to £492 ..		
Locker, Grade II., Third Division, Warehouse Branch	Sydney ..	£252 to £312 ..		
Boarding Officer, Third Division, Shipping Branch	Sydney ..	£324 to £384 ..		
Detective Inspector, Third Division, Shipping Branch	Sydney ..	£384 to £444 ..		
Excise Officer, Fourth Division, Excise Branch	Griffith ..	£312 to £396 ..		
Excise Officer, Fourth Division, Excise Branch (2 positions)	Sydney ..	£312 to £396 ..		
Excise Locker, Fourth Division, Excise Branch	Sydney ..	£252 to £324 ..		
Clerk-in-charge, Third Division, Statistical Branch	Sydney ..	£396 to £468 ..		

## Tasmania.

Collector, Second Division	Hobart ..	£650 to £700	21st May, 1925	Comptroller-General, Department of Trade and Customs, Melbourne
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## NOTIFICATION OF VACANCIES—continued.

Position and Division.	Locality.	Salary (Exclusive of Child Endowment).	Closing Date for Receipt of Applications.	To whom Applications must be forwarded.
<b>POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.</b>				
<i>Victoria.</i>				
Clerk, Third Division, Accounts Branch (Expenditure)	Melbourne ..	£300 to £360	21st May, 1925	D.P.M.G., Melbourne
Postmaster (3 positions), Grade 3, Third Division	Camperdown, Horsham, Swan Hill	£408 to £480	21st May, 1925	D.P.M.G., Melbourne
Quarters : Camperdown, six rooms.				
<i>Queensland.</i>				
Draftsman, Third Division, Electrical Engineers' Branch	Brisbane ..	£360 to £456	21st May, 1925	D.P.M.G., Brisbane
<i>Western Australia</i>				
Postmaster, Grade 1, Fourth Division	Fitzroy ..	£240 to £300. District Allowance, Grade VII.	14th May, 1925	D.P.M.G., Perth
Quarters : Four rooms.				

\* This position is open to officers of the Public Service and to applicants from outside the Service. As amongst the latter, preference will be given to returned sailors and soldiers with the necessary qualifications.

## PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENT.

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You're Just a Flower from an Old Bouquet.—Denni-Denni.

Life's Railway to Heaven.—Abby-Tillman.

At Midnight on my Pillow Lying ("Erminie").—Jakobowski-Bellamy-Paulton.

'Tis the Harp in the Air ("Maritana").—Wallace-Fitzball.

Sei Bella Sei Splendida.—C. Chiericoni.

'O Marenariello.—Ottavino-Gambardella.

I' M' arricordo e Napule.—P. L. Esposito.

Napule e Maria.—Bovio-Lama.

Lady of the Nile.—Kahn-Jones.

I'll Take Her Back if She Wants to Come Back.—Leslie-Monaco.

Balmoniather-Nocturne.—Albert Himan.

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W. W. WYPER,  
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