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# COLONY

OF

# Western Australia

Year ending 31st December

1845.

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*This Book and the Duplicate of it must be returned to the Colonial Office;*
*One Copy to be retained for the Governor's use;*
*One for the Council, and the other for the Assembly.*

# SCHEDULE

OF

# TAXES, DUTIES, FEES,

AND ALL OTHER

## SOURCES OF REVENUE,

SPECIFIED UNDER THE RESPECTIVE LAWS OR AUTHORITIES UNDER WHICH THEY ARE DERIVED.

*1845.*

Insert a detailed Account of all the Taxes and Duties collected within your Government; specifying the several Authorities under which the same have been levied, whether by Act of Parliament, by Order of the Queen in Council, by Act of the Colonial Legislature, or by other Authority of whatever description.

To this Statement should be annexed such explanations as may be necessary or useful.

The following Duties are Chargeable on the undermentioned Imports



Duties on the following ~~Arts~~ Imports

**On Spirits** Imported being the production and Manufacture of any part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland or of any of the Colonies a Duty of six Shillings for each and every Imperial Gallon. Act of Council 5 Victoria No. 1. & 9 Victoria No. 7

**— " —** Imported of Foreign production and Manufacture from any part of the United Kingdom or from Bonded Warehouses in any part of the British Colonies a Duty of Eight Shillings for every imperial Gallon. Act of Council 7th Victoria No. 1. 9 Vic 7

**— " —** Imported of Foreign production from any Foreign place a Duty of ten Shillings for every imperial Gallon. Act of Council 7 Victoria No. 1 9 Vic 7

**On Wines** Imported the produce of any part of the British Empire a Duty of Sixpence the Gallon and a Duty of one Shilling and Sixpence on Wine the produce of any other place. Act of Council 8th Victoria No. 5. 9 Vic 7

**On Ale or Beer** Imported of every sort a Duty of six pence a Gallon. Act of Council 8th Victoria No. 5

**On Pickles and Preserved Fruits** Imported a Duty of one shilling the Gallon Act of Council 8th Victoria No. 5.

**On Vinegar** Imported a Duty of six pence the Gallon. Act of Council 8th Victoria No. 5.

**On Salted or Cured Provisions** Imported one penny the lb. Weight Act of Council 8th Victoria No. 5.

**On Butter** Imported a Duty of one penny the pound Weight Act of Council 8th Victoria No. 5

**On Tobacco** Imported to be used solely for Sheep washing a Duty of three pence the pound weight: and one Shilling and six pence for all other Tobacco. Act of Council 8th Victoria No. 5.



**On Cigars** Imported a Duty of five Shillings for every pound Weight by Act of Council 8th Victoria No. 5. & subsequent reduced to 2/6 by 9 Vic 7

**On Snuff** Imported a Duty of five Shillings for every pound Weight by Act of Council 8th Victoria No. 5 & subsequent reduced to 2/6 by 9 Vic 7

**On Oats and other Grain** Imported not being food for Man a Duty of Six pence a Bushel. Act of Council 8 Victoria No. 5.

**On Livestock** from any other place ~~not being directly imported from the United Kingdom~~ grown and part of the Brit Empire 5 per Cent accdg to Value Ten per Cent according to value - Act of Council 8th Victoria No. 5 & 9 Vic 7

**On Goods Wares and Merchandize** Imported, and not already subject to a Specific Duty - A Duty of Five per Cent according to Value Act of Council 8th Victoria No. 5. ~~and on all Goods Imported from a Foreign State been and Class~~ ~~ent 9 Vic 7 Specific duty 10 per Cent~~

**On Goods sold by Auction** A Duty of Five and a half per Cent. Act of Council 3rd Victoria No. 1.

In addition to which there are following sources of Revenue —

**On Transfer of Landed Property** A Duty of one per cent paid on the Registration of the same. Act of Council 4 & 5 Victoria No. 13.

**On Licenses to Retail Spirits and Fermented Liquors** the Annual Sum of Ten Pounds. Act of Council 4 & 5 Victoria No. 3.

**On Licenses to Publicans** to retail at Perth Fremantle or Albany the Annual Sum of Twenty five Pounds and at any other place a Sum of not less than Ten Pounds nor more than Twelve. Act of Council 4 & 5 Victoria No. 3.

**On Licenses to sell by Public Auction** The Annual Sum of Ten Pounds for Perth and Fremantle and Five Pounds in any other part of the Colony Act of Council 3 Victoria No. 1

**On Licenses to practise in the Civil Court**
For every Person who has been duly admitted as a Solicitor or Attorney of any of the Superior Courts of Great Britain or Ireland - Annually the sum of Five Pounds; - who has practised for the space of three years or upwards in any Local provincial, or Colonial Court, the sum of Four Pounds; and without such previous qualifications the sum of Six Pounds. Act of Council 6 Will 4 No 1

**On Licenses to keep Dogs** Annually the sum of five Shillings. License transferable on the payment of a Fee of two Shillings and six pence. " "
Act of Council 4 & 5 Victoria No. 14.

**On Licenses to cut Timber** Annually the sum of Twenty Pounds for any Quantity of Land not exceeding 640 acres and Forty Pounds for more than 640 acres and not exceeding 1280 acres. Or Ten Shillings a month for each Pair of Sawyers. Act of Imperial Parliament 5 & 6 Victoria C 36 and a Public Notice dated 17 October 1844.

**On Licenses to Occupy Land**, under the same authority, Annually. For any Quantity not exceeding 4.000 acres the sum of 10 £
— " — 6.000 — " — " — 12 £
— " — 8.000 — " — " — 14 £
— " — 12.000 — " — " — 16 £

**On Licenses for Boats and Boatmen**
For every Boat under two Tons — 5/ Annually
— " — Above 2 tons and under 5 - £1 — " —
— " — — " - 5 - " - and under 15 - £1 " 10 - " —
— " — 15 Tons and upwards - £2 " — " —
Act of Council 7 Victoria No 2.
Where there are Town Trusts the License dues are paid to the Trustees to assist them in improving the Towns.



**On Licenses to keep Private Warehouses** for the Securing of Goods subject to Duty. Annually the sum of Ten Pounds. Act of Council 8 Victoria No 7.

**On Goods Warehoused** until payment of Duty in the Public Warehouse or Warehouses
For every Pipe, Butt Tierce or Puncheon per Week - " 6 d
For every half Pipe, Hogshead, Barrel, Quarter Cask Case or Box — per Week " 3
— " — Smaller Package — " — " 1
Act of Council 4 & 5 Victoria No 2.

**On Letters or Packages** conveyed by Post
For every letter not exceeding half an ounce in weight on its delivery from a Post Office within the Colony without any regard to distance the sum of — " 4 d
— " — Exceeding half an ounce and not exceeding one ounce the sum of — " 8
— " — exceeding one ounce in weight a charge for every additional ounce of — " 6
— " — Foreign Letter not exceeding one ounce - " 6
Every additional Ounce — " 3
Act of Council 5 Will. 4 No 5.

**On Salt** prepared at the Public Institution Rottnest a sum per Ton of — £3 - - " -
The Island constituted a Legal Prison by Act of Council 4 Victoria No 1.

**On Crown Lands**, not being a special Lot for every acre - £1 - -
Special Lots from £5. the acre to

**On Town Allotments.**
In Perth Fremantle and Albany each Lot £30 - "
In Bunbury — " — 25 - "
In every other Town — " — 20 - "
The Imperial Act 5 & 6 Vict. C. 36 fixes the minimum price of Country Lands at twenty Shillings, - and empowers the Governor to fix an upset price higher than the said minimum price for any Special Country, Town and Suburban Lots.

On Goods &c Landed or Shipped at the Jetty Perth as follows

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| For every ton of Goods not otherwise enumerated — | 2 | 0 |
| — " — Pipe Puncheon or Cask equal in size — | 1 | " |
| — " — Half ——— Do ——— | " | 6 |
| — " — Quarter ——— Do or Barrel ——— | " | 3 |
| — " — Bag of Flour or other of similar size ——— | " | 3 |
| — " — Horse or Head of Horned Cattle ——— | " | 6 |
| — " — Pig Sheep or Goat 1s or by the Score — | 1 | 2 |
| — " — Bale of Wool ——— | " | 3 |
| — " — Ton of Hay ——— | 2 | " |
| — " — Parcel ——— | | 2 |
| — " — Person Landing or Embarking ——— | | 2 |
| — " — Carriage or Cart with four Wheels — | 2 | " |
| ——— Do ——— with two Wheels — | 1 | " |
| — " — yard of Stone ——— | " | 3 |
| — " — 1000 Bricks ——— | 2 | " |
| — " — Cord of Fire Wood ——— | " | 6 |

Act of Council 4 & 5 Victoria No 18

A small Revenue is derived from Fines and Forfeitures imposed under the Authority of several Acts of Colonial Legislatures.

An Act of Council 2 Victoria No 5 empowers the Trustees of Towns to levy Assessments on the Inhabitants for the repair &c of Streets. And the Trustees especially of Perth derive a small Revenue from the Wood cut for Fuel, clay &c on the Lands belonging to the Town

Goods free of Duty

All Stores & Provisions (Military & Naval) required for Her Majesty's Service —

All Wines ~~consumed by Ex~~ imported or purchased in bond for the use of any Regimental Messes

All Bottles of common glass imported for Ale

Staves & Hoops for Casks

Bullion & Coin

Trees & rooted Plants



# SCHEDULES

OF THE

# FEES

RECEIVED BY THE SEVERAL OFFICERS IN THE RESPECTIVE DEPARTMENTS;

Specifying the Authority under which they were originally established, and by which the present Rates were fixed, and at what Period.

1845.

Insert Tables of all the Established Fees received by the respective Officers, together with the Authorities under which the same are demanded.

## Office for the Registration of Deeds Wills, Judgments and Conveyances affecting Real Property.

| | s | d |
|---|---|---|
| For receiving each Memorial | 2 | 6 |
| For giving a Receipt for, and afterwards entering the same; or for enrolling any Instrument or for giving a copy or other particular of any of the same, for any number of Folios not exceeding ten of seventy two words each | 7 | 6 |
| For every folio after the first ten | 1 | |
| For receiving any Will or other Document deposited and recording the same | 10 | |
| For giving out the same | 10 | |
| For every Search | 2 | 6 |
| For every examination of any Memorial | 1 | |

Act of Council 7 Victoria No 10

## Office of the Registrar Clerk of the Civil Court.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Recording Plaint | Value sued for under £5 | 1 | 6 |
| — Do. — | When more than one folio Additional per Folio | | 6 |
| — Do. — | Value above £5 | 2 | |
| | For each folio above one additional | | 8 |
| For Selecting Form of Plaint from Plaint Book when requested | | 1 | |
| For Summons to appear and plead when | Value sued for under £5 | 1 | 6 |
| | Extra folio above one additional | | 8 |
| For Summons for Witness | Value under £5 | 1 | |
| | Each Ticket | | 3 |
| For Summons for Witness | Value above £5 | 2 | 6 |
| | Each Ticket | | 6 |
| For "Duces Tecum" to bring with him any Document | Value under £5 | 1 | 3 |
| | Each Ticket | | 6 |



| | | s | d |
|---|---|---|---|
| For Summons | Value above £5 | 3 | |
| | Each Ticket | | 9 |
| Swearing a Witness | Value under £5 | | 3 |
| | Above £5 | | 9 |
| — Do. — | Affidavit in course of any Action Value less than £5 | | 6 |
| | Above £5 | 1 | |
| Recording appearance of Parties in Court | Value under £5 | | 6 |
| | Above £5 | | 9 |
| Filing Agents Authority to sue Defendant | Below £5 | | 6 |
| | Above £5 | 1 | |
| Entering Plea | Below £5 | | 6 |
| | Above £5 | 1 | |
| Recording Judgment | Below £5 | | 6 |
| | Above £5 | 1 | |
| Notice of Judgment by Default | Below £5 | 1 | |
| | Copy | | 6 |
| | Above £5 | 2 | |
| | Copy | | 9 |
| Writ of Execution | Under £5 | 2 | 6 |
| | Above £5 | 4 | |
| Order of Court | Under £5 | 1 | 6 |
| | Each folio above two | | 6 |
| | Copy | | 9 |
| | Each folio above two | | 4 |
| Notice of Order for Conditional Examination of a Witness about to leave the Colony or by Commission | | 1 | 6 |
| | Copy | | 6 |
| Taking Depositions of Witness about to leave the Colony | For each folio not exceeding six | 1 | |
| | Each folio above six | | 8 |
| Drawing up Interrogatories for Examination of a Witness by Commission same as for Depositions for the first six folios being to be charged only once i.e. not on Interrogatories on both sides | | | |
| | For Copy to accompany Commission | | 4 |

| | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|
| Taking down Depositions of Witness - not to be charged except in cases of Appeal | " | " |
| Commission for the Examination of a Witness — | 5 | " |
| Producing any Document or record for perusal or Inspection — | 1 | " |
| Producing any Document in Court — | " | 6 |
| If any other Record or Document — | 2 | " |
| Taxing bills not exceeding two foolscap pages, each — | 2 | " |
| Above two pages — | " | 6 |
| Precept for a Jury — | 4 | " |
| Copy — | 1 | " |
| Appointment to strike Jury — | " | 6 |
| Copy — | " | 6 |
| Appointment to Tax — | " | 6 |
| Copy — | " | 3 |
| Notice on judgment recovered by private creditors of Debtors to the Crown to the Debtor or Creditor. Each copy — | " | 6 |
| Enrolment of any Commission to practise in the Civil Court — | 5 | " |
| Office copy of any Record | | |
| Not exceeding one folio — | 1 | " |
| Above and not exceeding ten — | " | 8 |
| Above ten folios — | " | 6 |
| Warrant of Attorney entering up Judgment on — | 4 | " |
| Entering Appeal — | 1 | " |
| Notice thereof — | 1 | " |
| Each Copy — | " | 6 |
| Taking Recognizance — | 1 | " |
| Copy and Summary of Evidence, Entries and Proceedings in cases of Appeals, Same as for Office Copies above | | |
| Commissioners Certificate subjoined thereto — | 2 | " |
| Office Copy of Will Not exceeding ten folios each — | " | 8 |
| Above ten folios — | " | 6 |
| Commissioners Certificate thereto and affixing Seal of Office — | 2 | 6 |
| Form of Oath to be subjoined in proving Will — | 1 | 6 |
| Swearing the same Each folio — | 1 | " |



| | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|
| Poundage for the Receipt and Custody of any money paid into Court. | | |
| Not exceeding £100. for each £ — | " | 4 |
| Above £100 — | " | 2 |

Act of Council 2nd Will. 4th No 1.

## Sheriffs Office.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| For every Warrant or any Writ of Process — | " | 4 | " |
| For an Arrest in Town where Bailiff resides Not exceeding twenty miles — | 1 | 1 | " |
| Exceeding — | 1 | 10 | " |
| For Conveying Defendant to Jail per mile — | " | 1 | " |
| For Bailiff to conduct Prisoner to Jail — | " | 10 | " |
| For discharge from Custody — | " | 2 | " |
| For Bail Bond where debt does not exceed £50. — | " | 10 | " |
| Above £50 and under £100. — | 1 | 1 | " |
| — £100 — " — £200 — | 1 | 11 | " |
| £200 — " — £300 — | 2 | 2 | " |
| £300 — " — £400 — | 3 | 3 | " |
| £400 — " — £500 — | 4 | 4 | " |
| £500 — | 5 | 5 | " |
| For receiving money as a Deposit and paying the same into Court — | " | " | " |
| Under £100. 2 per Cent — | " | " | " |
| Above £100. 1 per Cent — | " | " | " |
| For receipt on handing over Bond — | " | 1 | " |
| For filing Bail Bond — | " | 2 | " |
| For every Affidavit and Bail of Justification and filing — | " | 2 | " |
| For return to Habeas Corpus — | " | 10 | " |
| For Bailiff to conduct Prisoner, a day, — | " | 10 | " |
| For the Bailiff for Executing Warrants or Extents, Fieri Facias, Attachments, Writs of Possession for each — | 1 | 1 | " |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| For Every levy under Fieri Facias if no sale takes place for risk of Service 2½ pct. | | | |
| For Every sale by Private Contract or Public Auction | | | |
| If Under £300 — 5 per Cent | | | |
| If Under £400 — 4 — " — | | | |
| If Under £500 — 3 — " — | | | |
| If More — 2½ — " — | | | |
| For Certificate to serve Auction Duty | | 1 | " |
| To Man in possession &c. according to Actual Costs | | " | " |
| For Bond of Indemnity | 1 | " | " |
| For Bill of Sale of Goods not exceeding six folios | | 10 | 6 |
| Above each folio | | 1 | " |
| For Summons for each Witness | | 2 | 6 |
| Each Ticket | | " | 6 |
| For Summoning | | 1 | 6 |
| For Bond (Replevin) | 1 | 1 | " |
| For Precept to Bailiff | | 2 | 6 |
| For Appraisement (if paid) | | | |
| Under £50 | | 5 | " |
| Above | | 7 | 6 |
| To Bailiff attending Appraisers | | 2 | 6 |
| To Bailiff delivering Goods | | 5 | " |
| For every copy of Serviceable process | | 2 | 6 |
| For Notice of Action for Publication in the Gazette. Taking Instructions for the same and attending to procure Insertion | | 7 | 6 |
| For Notice of Action affixed to Court House and Defendants last residence each | | 7 | 6 |
| To Bailiff for Service of any Serviceable process Notice Order &c. | | 1 | 6 |
| To Bailiff for release of Goods seized in Supersedeas Order liberate or discharge to any writ | | 4 | 6 |
| For Return to any Writ | | 1 | " |
| For Notice of Sale and Service of real property | | 5 | " |
| For drawing Advertisement of Sale and attendance to procure Insertion | | 7 | 6 |



| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| For Advertisement (as paid) | | | |
| For Certificate and particulars of Sale | " | 2 | 6 |
| For Return in Jury Process to a Common Venire | " | 3 | " |
| Do. Special | " | 5 | " |
| For Attendance on a Vicia | " | 10 | " |
| For Summons for each Juror | " | 1 | " |
| For Summoning each Juror Special or Common | " | 1 | 6 |

Extra allowance to Bailiff to cover Travelling Expenses 1/s per Mile

The Sheriff is allowed to charge for all unavoidable expences in issuing Writs of Execution: Also for Horse hire

Under Authority of Act of Council 2 Will: 4 No. 1.

## Colonial Secretarys Office

Under authority of the Royal Instructions A Fee of Forty five Shillings is charged on each Deed of Grant

All the Fees contained in the foregoing Schedules form a portion of the Colonial Revenue. There are besides other Fees which form the only allowance made to the Officer for discharging the Duties of the Office to which they are respectively attached

For Example

The Registrar of Births Deaths and Marriages Office established under authority of Act of Council 4 & 5 Victoria No. 9

| | | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Receives | For every Search | " 5 | " |
| | For every certified copy | " 5 | " |

| The Sub Registrars Receive | s | d |
|---|---|---|
| For every Birth registered | 1 | " |
| — " — Marriage | 2 | 6 |
| — " — Search | 1 | " |
| — " — Correction of an Entry | 2 | 6 |
| — " — Certified Copy | 2 | 6 |

And under Authority of Act of Council 4 & 5 Victoria No. 10

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| For every Notice of Declaration | 1 | " |
| — " — Certificate | 5 | " |
| — " — License | 10 | " |
| — " — Marriage at Sub Registrars House | 1 | 0 0 |
| — " — Attendance at a Marriage | 5 | " |
| — " — And for Expenses going and returning 9d a mile | | |
| The Minister receives for Publication of Notice of Marriage | 2 | 6 |

The Colonial Chaplains are allowed to charge

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| For every Marriage | £1 | 0 0 |
| The Clerk | " | 7 " |

If the Marriage is by Banns

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| For each Marriage | 7 | " |
| The Clerk | 2 | 6 |
| publishing the same | 2 | 6 |
| Baptism | 2 | " |
| the Clerk | 1 | 0 |
| Churching | 2 | 0 |
| the Clerk | 1 | " |
| Churching and Baptism at the same time | 4 | " |
| the Clerk | 1 | " |
| Burials | 5 | " |
| the Clerk | 2 | 6 |



By the Act of Council 8 William 4th No 1 The Colonial Secretary is required to file and keep in his Office certain Returns which each Banking Company is required to make under the said Act.

A Fee of One Shilling is to be paid for every search made or reference to such Returns, And where certified Copies are required a further Fee of ten Shillings is payable.

As yet no fees have been received no case having occurred which required such reference or such copies necessary

# ABSTRACT

OF THE

# NET REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

OF

## Western Australia

FOR THE YEAR

ending 31st December

1845.

Insert under general heads the Receipts and Disbursements, so as to exhibit distinctly and separately the Sources from which the Receipts have been derived, on the one hand, whether from the Resources of the Colony, from Parliamentary Grants, or from Her Majesty's Treasury, and, on the other, the Total Expense incurred by each Department of the Government; distinguishing the Ordinary Established Charge of the several Offices from their Contingent and Accidental Expenses.

Such Observations as may be sufficient to explain the causes, and point to the remedy or any deficiency in the Revenue, or excess of the Expenditure, must form the subject of a Special Report to accompany the Blue Book when transmitted to the Secretary of State.

# NET REVENUE and EXPENDITURE.



## REVENUE.

| Sterling. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Arrears of Revenue last year . . . . . | | | | | | |
| **FIXED.** | | | | | | |
| Duty on Imported Spirits | 3679 | 19 | " | | | |
| Do on Wines | 191 | 17 | 6 | | | |
| Do on Tobacco | 518 | 15 | 6 | | | |
| Do on Goods sold by Auction | 86 | 2 | 8 | | | |
| Do on Goods imported ad valorem | 731 | 3 | 3 | | | |
| Do on Transfer of Land | 75 | 6 | 10 | | | |
| Do on Beer | 136 | " | " | | | |
| Do on Cured provisions | 127 | 5 | 10 | | | |
| Do on Grain not being food for man | 34 | 4 | 6 | | | |
| Do on Fruits and Pickles | 3 | 12 | " | | | |
| Do on Vinegar | 3 | 16 | " | | | |
| Licenses to sell Spirits | 537 | 1 | 8 | | | |
| Do to sell by Auction | 20 | " | " | | | |
| Do to practise in Civil Court | 2 | " | " | | | |
| Do to keep Dogs | 51 | 10 | " | | | |
| Do to cut Timber | 8 | 9 | 2 | | | |
| Do for Boats | | 10 | | | | |
| Do to keep Bonding Warehouses | 40 | | | | | |
| Warehouse Rent on Spirits in Bond | 58 | 6 | 5 | | | |
| Fees of Public Officers | 224 | 14 | " | | | |
| Post Office Department | 345 | 15 | 4 | | | |
| Fixed Revenue Carried forward | £ 6876 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| Carried forward . . . | | | | | | |

## EXPENDITURE.

| Sterling. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Arrears of Expenditure of last year . . . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ordinary and Fixed Expense of the Departments of Government. | | | Contingent and Accidental Expense. | | | Total Expenditure. | | | | | |
| | From the Parliamentary Grant | | | From the Colonial Fund | | | Total | | | | | |
| Audit Office | " | " | " | 275 | " | " | 275 | " | " | | | |
| Colonial Secr. Office | 663 | 6 | 11 | 64 | 13 | 4 | 728 | 0 | 3 | | | |
| Colonial Surgeons Dept. | 199 | 6 | 9 | 96 | 13 | 4 | 296 | 0 | 1 | | | |
| Council Office | " | " | " | 100 | " | " | 100 | " | " | | | |
| + Clock Keeper | " | " | " | 10 | " | " | 10 | " | " | | | |
| Extra Clerk | " | " | " | 32 | 8 | 4 | 32 | 8 | 4 | | | |
| Ecclesiastical Dept. | 292 | 14 | " | 400 | " | " | 692 | 14 | " | | | |
| Governors Office | 776 | 13 | 10 | 100 | " | " | 876 | 13 | 10 | | | |
| Harbor Masters Office | " | " | " | 241 | 13 | 4 | 241 | 13 | 4 | | | |
| Housekeeper P. Offices | " | " | " | 35 | " | " | 35 | " | " | | | |
| Interpreter to Natives | " | " | " | 60 | " | " | 60 | " | " | | | |
| Judicial Depart. | 1345 | 19 | 5 | 762 | 18 | 4 | 2108 | 17 | 9 | | | |
| Post Office " | " | " | " | 313 | " | " | 313 | " | " | | | |
| Protector of Natives | 485 | 8 | " | " | " | " | 485 | 8 | " | | | |
| Registrar of Deeds Office | " | " | " | 133 | 6 | 8 | 133 | 6 | 8 | | | |
| Revenue Depart. | " | " | " | 798 | 10 | " | 798 | 10 | " | | | |
| Survey Department | 1166 | 9 | " | 508 | 6 | 8 | 1674 | 15 | 8 | | | |
| Supr. of Public Works | " | " | " | 52 | " | " | 52 | " | " | | | |
| Treasurers Depart. | " | " | " | 45 | 12 | 6 | 45 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| + Commandant | 177 | 3 | 9 | " | " | " | 177 | 3 | 9 | | | |
| Civil Establishment Carried forward | £ 5107 | 1 | 8 | 4029 | 2 | 6 | 9136 | 4 | 2 | | | |
| Carried forward . . . | | | | | | | | | | £ 9136 | 4 | 2 |

## NET REVENUE and

### REVENUE.

| Sterling. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| FIXED—*continued.* | | | | | | |
| Brought forward | | | | | | |
| Amount carried to page 24 | | | | | | |
| Total Fixed Revenue . . . . | | | | | | |
| Carried forward . . . | | | | | | |



## EXPENDITURE—*continued.*

### EXPENDITURE.

| Ordinary and Fixed Expense of the Departments of Government. | | | | Contingent and Accidental Expense. | | | Total Expenditure. | | | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sterling. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | | | |
| Brought forward | | | | | | | | | | 9136 | 4 | 2 |
| Total Expense of Civil Establishment | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Carried forward | | | | | | | | | | £ 9136 | 4 | 2 |

NET REVENUE and

| Sterling. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought forward | | | | 6076 | 9 | 0 |
| **INCIDENTAL.** | | | | | | |
| Repayment on account of Expenses incurred for Invalids in Public Hospital | 73 | 3 | 7 | | | |
| Receipts for produce sold from the Public Establishment at Rottnest | 41 | " | " | | | |
| Dues received at Perth Jetty | 14 | 16 | 9 | | | |
| Judicial Fines and forfeitures | 61 | 16 | 3 | | | |
| Repayment on account of advances made to Individuals | 154 | 11 | 3 | | | |
| Sale of Old Stores | 16 | " | " | | | |
| Sale of Crown Lands | 110 | " | " | | | |
| Receipts for Licenses of Occupation of Crown Lands | 114 | 3 | 4 | | | |
| Miscellaneous | 17 | 6 | " | | | |
| Total Amount of Incidental Revenue | | | | £ 602 | 17 | 2 |
| Total Incidental Revenue | | | | | | |
| Carried forward | | | | £7479 | 6 | 10 |



EXPENDITURE—*continued.*

| Sterling. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought forward | | | | | | |
| **DISBURSEMENTS on ACCOUNT of MISCELLANEOUS CIVIL SERVICES.** | | | | | | |
| | From the Parliamentary Grant | | | From the Colonial Funds | | | Total | | |
| | £ | s | d | £ | s | d | £ | s | d |
| Administration of Justice | " | " | " | 438 | 18 | 11 | 438 | 18 | 11 |
| Collection of Revenue | " | " | " | 79 | 10 | " | 79 | 10 | " |
| Conveyance of Mails | " | " | " | 443 | 19 | 10 | 443 | 9 | 10 |
| Colonial Hospital | " | " | " | 240 | " | 8 | 240 | " | 8 |
| Forage Allowance to Protectors | 110 | 12 | 6 | " | " | " | 110 | 12 | 6 |
| Issues to Natives | " | " | " | 89 | 11 | 7 | 89 | 11 | 7 |
| Maintenance of Col. Vessel | 1316 | 1 | 6 | " | " | " | 1316 | 1 | 6 |
| Police Establishment | " | " | " | 545 | 10 | 7 | 545 | 10 | 7 |
| Public Buildings | " | " | " | 167 | " | 5 | 167 | " | 5 |
| Roads and Bridges | " | " | " | 68 | 11 | 6 | 68 | 11 | 6 |
| Rottnest Establishment | " | " | " | 240 | 8 | 7 | 240 | 8 | 7 |
| Schools | " | " | " | 233 | 7 | " | 233 | 7 | " |
| Surveys and Explorations | 601 | 7 | 8 | 240 | " | " | 841 | 7 | 8 |
| Stationery | 173 | 2 | 11 | 39 | 14 | " | 212 | 16 | 11 |
| Miscellaneous | " | " | " | 650 | 9 | " | 650 | 9 | " |
| | £2209 | 4 | 7 | 3485 | 0 | 1 | 5694 | 12 | 8 |
| Fixed expense of Department (brought forward from page 21) | 5107 | 1 | 8 | 4029 | 2 | 6 | 9136 | 4 | 2 |
| | £7316 | 6 | 3 | 7514 | 10 | 7 | | | |
| ~~Miscellaneous Disbursements Carried forward~~ | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Amount of Expenditure | | | | | | | | | |
| Carried forward | | | | | | | £14.830 | 16 | 10 |

NET REVENUE and

| Sterling. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought forward | | | | 7479 | 6 | 10 |
| RECEIPTS IN AID OF REVENUE. | | | | | | |
| By Drafts on the Commissariat Chest for the payment of Salaries and Contingencies chargeable on the Parliamentary Grant | | | | 7316 | 6 | 3 |
| | | | £ | 14795 | 13 | 1 |
| In addition to Drafts in aid above enumerated the sum of | £ 407 | s. 19 | d. 11 | | | |
| Total Incidental Receipts | | | | | | |
| Carried forward | | | | | | |



EXPENDITURE—*continued*.

| Sterling. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| DISBURSEMENTS on ACCOUNT of MISCELLANEOUS CIVIL SERVICES—*continued*. | | | | | | |
| Brought forward | | | | 14,830 | 6 | 10 |
| Total Miscellaneous Disbursements | | | | | | |
| Carried forward | | | | | | |

NET REVENUE and

| Sterling. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought forward | | | | | | |
| Total Revenue . Sterling. | | | | | | |



EXPENDITURE—*continued.*

| Sterling. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Brought forward | | | | | | |
| MILITARY DISBURSEMENTS DEFRAYED by the COLONY. | | | | | | |
| ORDINARY. | | | | | | |
| CONTINGENT. | | | | | | |
| In all Military Disbursements . . | | | | | | |
| Total Expenditure . Sterling. | | | | | | |

# COMPARATIVE YEARLY STATEMENT OF THE REVENUE.

| Specify each separate Tax or Duty. | Amount collected in the Year 1844 in Pounds Sterling. | | | Amount collected in the Year 1845 in Pounds Sterling. | | | Increase in Pounds Sterling. | | | Decrease in Pounds Sterling. | | | Cause of Increase or Decrease. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
| Duty on Imported Spirits | 3317 | 2 | 4 | 3679 | 19 | " | 362 | 16 | 0 | " | " | " | |
| Do on Wines | 281 | 1 | " | 191 | 17 | 6 | " | " | " | 89 | 3 | 6 | |
| Do on Tobacco | 535 | 19 | 10 | 510 | 15 | 6 | " | " | " | 17 | 4 | 4 | |
| Do on Goods sold by Auction | 90 | 4 | 11 | 86 | 2 | 0 | " | " | " | 4 | 2 | 3 | |
| Do on Goods imported (ad valorem) | 1163 | 0 | 5 | 731 | 3 | 3 | " | " | " | 372 | 5 | 2 | |
| Do on Transfer of Landed Property | 39 | 13 | 11 | 75 | 6 | 10 | 35 | 12 | 11 | " | " | " | |
| Do on Beer | 99 | " | " | 136 | " | " | 37 | " | " | " | " | " | |
| Do on Cured Provisions | 32 | 12 | 11 | 127 | 5 | 10 | 94 | 12 | 11 | " | " | " | |
| Do on Grain | 10 | 14 | " | 34 | 4 | 6 | 23 | 10 | 6 | " | " | " | |
| Do on Fruit and Pickles | " | 13 | 6 | 3 | 12 | " | 2 | 10 | 6 | " | " | " | |
| Do on Vinegar | " | 10 | " | 3 | 16 | " | 3 | 6 | " | " | " | " | |
| Licenses to sell Spirits | 790 | " | " | 537 | 1 | 0 | " | " | " | 252 | 18 | 4 | |
| Do to sell by Auction | 25 | " | " | 20 | " | " | " | " | " | 5 | " | " | |
| Do to practise in Civil Court | 6 | " | " | 2 | " | " | " | " | " | 4 | " | " | |
| Do to keep Dogs | 53 | 2 | 6 | 51 | 10 | " | " | " | " | 1 | 12 | 6 | |
| Do to cut Timber | 40 | 17 | 10 | 0 | 9 | 2 | " | " | " | 32 | 8 | 0 | |
| Do for Boats | 20 | 12 | 6 | " | 10 | " | " | " | " | 20 | 2 | 6 | |
| Do for Bonding Warehouses | 40 | " | " | 40 | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | |
| Warehouse Rent for Spirits in Bond | 151 | " | 6 | 58 | 6 | 5 | " | " | " | 92 | 14 | 1 | |
| Fees of Public Offices | 204 | 5 | 9 | 224 | 14 | " | " | " | " | 59 | 11 | 9 | |
| Post Office Department | 351 | 12 | 8 | 345 | 15 | 4 | " | " | " | 5 | 17 | 4 | |
| Repayments on a/c of Colo Hospital | 19 | 14 | 2 | 73 | 3 | 7 | 53 | 9 | 5 | " | " | " | |
| Rottnest Establishment | 70 | 11 | " | 41 | " | " | " | " | " | 29 | 11 | 9 | |
| Perth Jetty dues | 26 | 16 | 0 | 14 | 16 | 9 | " | " | " | 11 | 19 | 11 | |
| Judicial Fines and Forfeitures | 42 | 4 | 6 | 61 | 16 | 3 | 19 | 11 | 9 | " | " | " | |
| Repayment of Advances made to private Individuals | 177 | 14 | " | 154 | 11 | 3 | " | " | " | 23 | 2 | 9 | |
| | " | " | " | " | " | " | 15 | 2 | " | " | " | " | |
| Sale of Old Stores | " | 10 | " | 16 | " | " | 15 | " | " | " | " | " | |
| Sale of Crown Lands | 95 | " | " | 110 | " | " | 07 | 13 | 4 | " | " | " | |
| Licenses for occupation of Crown lands | 26 | 10 | " | 114 | 3 | 4 | 9 | 7 | 6 | " | " | " | |
| Miscellaneous | 7 | 18 | 6 | 17 | 6 | " | | | | | | | |
| **Receipts in Aid** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Drafts on Commissariat Chest on acct of Parliamentary Grant | 6611 | 8 | 10 | 7316 | 4 | 3 | 704 | 17 | 5 | | | | |
| Total | £14.352 | 0 | 3 | 14.795 | 13 | 1 | £1464 | 15 | 11 | 1021 | 14 | 1 | |

# COMPARATIVE YEARLY STATEMENT OF THE COLONIAL EXPENDITURE.

| Specify each separate Head of Expenditure. | Expenditure 1844 in Pounds Sterling. | | | Expenditure 1845 in Pounds Sterling. | | | Increase in Pounds Sterling. | | | Decrease in Pounds Sterling. | | | Cause of Increase or Decrease. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
| Administration of Justice | 464 | 16 | 6 | 430 | 18 | 11 | — " — | " | " | — 25 — | 17 | 7 | |
| Collection of Revenue | 172 | 13 | 11 | 79 | 10 | " | — " — | " | " | — 92 — | 15 | 11 | |
| Conveyance of Mails | 540 | 17 | 3 | 443 | 9 | 10 | — " — | " | " | — 105 — | 7 | 5 | |
| Colonial Hospital | 131 | 16 | 0 | 240 | " | 0 | — 108 — | 4 | " | — " — | " | " | |
| Forage Allowance to Protectors of Natives | 110 | 19 | " | 110 | 12 | 6 | — " — | " | " | — " — | 6 | 6 | |
| Spirits to Natives | 151 | 15 | " | 89 | 11 | 7 | — " — | " | " | — 62 — | 3 | 5 | |
| Maintenance of Colonial Gaol | 890 | 5 | 7 | 1316 | 1 | 6 | — 417 — | 15 | 11 | — " — | " | " | |
| Police Establishment | 476 | 17 | 1 | 545 | 10 | 7 | — 69 — | 1 | 6 | — " — | " | " | |
| Public Buildings | 304 | 12 | 10 | 167 | " | 5 | — " — | " | " | 137 | 12 | 5 | |
| Roads and Bridges | 250 | " | " | 100 | 11 | 6 | — " — | " | " | 181 | 0 | 6 | |
| Rottnest Establishment | 104 | 7 | 0 | 240 | 8 | 7 | — 56 — | " | 11 | — " — | " | " | |
| Salaries | 9074 | 7 | 11 | 9136 | 4 | 2 | — 61 — | 16 | 3 | — " — | " | " | |
| Schools | 180 | 19 | " | 233 | 7 | " | — 52 — | 0 | " | — " — | " | " | |
| Surveys and Explorations | 892 | 3 | 10 | 841 | 7 | 0 | — " — | " | " | — 50 — | 16 | 2 | |
| Stationery | 163 | 3 | " | 212 | 16 | 11 | — 49 — | 13 | 11 | — " — | " | " | |
| Miscellaneous Contingencies | 549 | 1 | " | 650 | 9 | " | — 109 — | 0 | " | — " — | " | " | |
| Total . . . | 14.562 | 16 | 3 | 14.030 | 16 | 10 | 924 | 0 | 6 | 456 | 7 | 11 | |

# LOCAL REVENUES.

RETURN of all LOCAL REVENUES raised and appropriated under the Authority of any Municipal or other Body, not accounted for in the General Revenue of the Colony.

| REVENUE. | Amount collected in Pounds Sterling. £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| No assessment has been levied during the year, but a small Revenue has been raised by Dues on Firewood and Clay, Boat Licenses and Fines, amounting in the whole to | 30 | " | " |
| | 45 | 13 | |
| | 12 | 6 | |
| | 56 | 19 | |
| | 36 | 17 | 6 |
| £ | 30 | " | " |



| EXPENDITURE. | Amount expended in Pounds Sterling. £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| No expenditure has been made for the general repair of the Footpaths in the Town to the amount of | 17 | 14 | " |
| Leaving a Balance of | 12 | 6 | " |
| £ | 30 | " | " |

RETURN of all LOCAL REVENUES raised and appropriated under the Authority

| REVENUE. | Amount collected in Pounds Sterling. | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| | | | |



of any Municipal or other Body, not accounted for in the General Revenue of the Colony.

| EXPENDITURE. | Amount expended in Pounds Sterling. | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| | | | |

RETURN of all LOCAL REVENUES raised and appropriated under the Authority

| REVENUE. | Amount collected in Pounds Sterling. | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| | | | |



of any Municipal or other Body, not accounted for in the General Revenue of the Colony.

| EXPENDITURE. | Amount expended in Pounds Sterling. | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| | | | |

# MILITARY EXPENDITURE.

Enumerate the Military Posts and Works; specifying whether the same are under the control of the Ordnance Department, and whether any expense is incurred on account thereof by the Colony;

A General Return of the Militia, and of any other Local Corps, with the Charge attending the same;

The pecuniary Allowances (if any) granted to the Queen's Troops; and the value of Rations, Quarters, or other Advantages received by them, and forming a Charge on the Colony.

Ascertain and state the Amount of Bills drawn by the Commissariat for the Pay and Allowances of the Troops; the Amount of Bills drawn by the Ordnance Department for Pay and Allowances of the Detachments of Royal Artillery and Engineers; and the Amount of Expenses incurred by the Ordnance Department for the construction and repair of Military Works.

DETAILS OF THE EXPENDITURE INCURRED BY THE COLONY
ON ACCOUNT OF ITS MILITARY DEFENCE.

In Pounds Sterling.

£ s. d.

Nil.

The Colony is not at any expense for the support of the Military. All items on this Account are from the Military Chest and Store in charge of the Commissariat Department.

In Perth the Capital of the Colony, Barracks are situated capable of containing sixty men which are under the control of the Ordnance Department.

At the undermentioned Stations Small Buildings exist for the accommodation of the men

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Albany | King George Sound | |
| Kojunup | Toodyay District | |
| Bunbury | Wellington | do. |
| Williams Bridge | Wicklow | do. |
| York | Yorkshire | do. |
| Pingarra | Murray | do. |

Two Companies of the 57th Regt Foot Light Infantry are stationed in the Colony

## RETURN OF MILITIA.

State the Number of Regiments composing the Militia and the Establishment of each Regiment, with its precise Name or Designation.

State the Period or Number of Days during which the Force is liable to be called out to be drilled.

State the actual Amount of the Expense which is incurred for the support of the Force, whether for the purchase of Arms, Equipments, Clothing, Ammunition, or for Pay.

State the Title and Date of the Act in force for Regulating the Militia.

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No Militia has been as yet raised in this Colony.

## ACCOUNT of EXPENDITURE incurred by GREAT BRITAIN for the Military Protection, and in Aid of the Civil Establishment.

### COMMISSARIAT.

Pay of the Troops, Provisions, &c.

| Specify each separate Head of Expenditure. | | Amount in Pounds Sterling. £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| The System of Commissariat Accounts was revised in 1843. Since which time a Return of the Military Expenditure classified under different heads of Service has not been required by the Treasury Board consequently no such Return exists in the Commissariat Office. | | | | |
| The Total Amount expended for the Service of the Army during the year 1845 – for Pay, Allowances, Pensions, Repairs to Military Buildings, Supplies (Exclusive of Salt Provisions and Candles furnished from England) and Transport. | £10746.3.11 | | | |
| Advanced from Military Chest on account of the Parliamentary Grant | 7341.1.8 | | | |
| Advanced from Military Chest by special Warrants of His Excellency Governor Hutt on account of Juvenile Immigrants from the Parkhurst Prison. Isle of Wight | 204.16.11 | | | |
| | 10951.0.10 | 18292 | 2 | 6 |
| Total paid from Military Chest during 1845 | | 18292 | 2 | 6 |

### ORDNANCE.

Military Works, Stores, Barracks, &c.

| Specify each separate Head of Expenditure. | Amount in Pounds Sterling. £ | s. | d. | Total Expenditure incurred by Great Britain in Pounds Sterling. £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| The Expenditure incurred for Military Works. Barracks Stores &c is included in the Return on the preceeding page. | | | | | | |

# PUBLIC WORKS.

RETURN of all PUBLIC WORKS, CIVIL ROADS, CANALS, BRIDGES, BUILDINGS, &c. &c., not of a Military Nature, which have been undertaken during the Year.

| Describe the Work, and where situated. | Whether constructing or under Repair. | Estimated Expense in Pounds Sterling. | Authority under which it is executed. | Fund from which the Expense is defrayed. | When commenced. | Whether finished or unfinished. | If finished, actual Amount of Expenditure in Pounds Sterling. | If unfinished, Amount of Expenditure up to present Date in Pounds Sterling. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Government House, Perth | Repair | 200.0.0 | Local Gov. | C. F. | | Finished | 248.0.0 | ✓ — | |
| Public Offices — " | Do. | 8 150 | Do. | C. F. | | Do | 8.15.0 | ✓ | |
| Jail " | Do. | 18.0.0 | Do. | C. F. | | Do | 16.5.0 | ✓ | |
| Jetty " | Do. | 40.0.0 | Do. | C. F. | | Do | 87.10.0 | ✓ | |
| Boat House Rotunda | Constructing | 7.0.0 | Do. | C. F. | | Do | 7.0.0 | ✓ | |

No Public Works of any Note have been undertaken during the Year. About £100 has been expended in repairing, refitting and painting the old Buildings

# LEGISLATION.

## SCHEDULE

OF ALL THE

## LAWS, PROCLAMATIONS, ORDERS IN COUNCIL, &c.

WHICH HAVE BEEN PROMULGATED IN THE COLONY

DURING THE YEAR

1845.

| Date of the Law, &c. | SUBSTANCE OF THE LAW, &c. | Transmitted to England. |
|---|---|---|
| 1845 | **8th Victoria No. 11** | |
| 5th June | An Ordinance for avoiding unnecessary repetitions in the Ordinances of the Governor and Legislative Council of the Colony. | |
| | **No 12** | |
| 5th June | An Ordinance to remove doubts as to the power of Justices of the Peace of the Colony to inflict penalties under certain Acts of Parliament | |
| | **9th Victoria No 1** | |
| 25th June | An Ordinance for applying certain Sums arising from the Revenue receivable in the Colony to the Service thereof for the Financial Year commencing 1st April 1846 | |
| | **No 2** | |
| 23rd July | An Ordinance to provide for the maintenance and relief of Deserted Wife and children and other destitute persons and to make the property of Husbands and near relatives, to whose existence they have a natural claim in certain cases available for their support | |



| Date of the Law, &c. | SUBSTANCE OF THE LAW, &c. | Transmitted to England. |
|---|---|---|
| 1845 | **9th Victoria No. 3** | |
| 7 August | An Ordinance to authorize the Governor of the Colony to raise the Sum of £2000 on Loan for the erection of a Jail or for other Public Services in the Colony | |
| | **No 4** | |
| 18th August | An Ordinance to make provision for the trial of Criminal Offences at Albany and other remote Districts of the Colony | |
| | **No 5** | |
| 18th August | An Ordinance to regulate the constitution of Juries for the trial of Criminal Offences in Albany and other remote Districts of the Colony and to remit the right of challenge to some extent in certain cases | |
| | **No 6** | |
| 18 September | An Ordinance to provide for the conveyance and postage of Letters. | |

Commence No 7 —

## LEGISLATION.

| Date of the Law, &c. | SUBSTANCE OF THE LAW, &c. | Transmitted to England. |
|---|---|---|
| | | |



## COUNCILS AND ASSEMBLIES.

## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

RETURN of Members composing the Executive Council.

| Names. | Date of Appointment. | Date of Confirmation. | Whether holding any and what other Civil or Military Office. |
|---|---|---|---|
| J. C. Irwin | August 1837 | | Major Commandant |
| P. Brown | February 1832 | | Colonial Secretary |
| J. S. Roe | " | | Surveyor General |
| G. F. Moore | July 1834 | | Advocate General |
| These Gentlemen are Members of Executive Council ex Officio under authority of the Royal Instructions and Commission. | | | |



## EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

RETURN of Members composing the Executive Council.

| Names. | Date of Appointment. | Date of Confirmation. | Whether holding any and what other Civil or Military Office. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | | |

## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

RETURN of Members composing the Legislative Council.

| Names. | Date of Appointment. | Date of Confirmation. | Whether holding any and what other Civil or Military Office. |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Official Members* | | | |
| John Hutt | January 1839 | | Governor |
| J. C. Irwin | August 1837 | | Commandant |
| J. Brown | February 1832 | | Colonial Secretary |
| J. S. Roe | " | | Surveyor General |
| Geo. F. Moore | July 1834 | | Advocate General |
| *Unofficial Members* | | | |
| George Leake | July 1839 | | None |
| W. H. Mackie | July 1841 | | Commissioner of Civil Court and Chairman Quarter Sessions |
| J. C. Singleton | March 1844 | | Resident Magistrate Murray District |
| F. H. Gale | | | |

These Gentlemen are appointed by an Order of Her Majesty in Council and the first five are Members ex Officio.



# CIVIL ESTABLISHMENT

OF

## Western Australia

FOR THE YEAR

## 1845.

Insert the several Establishments of Government, arranged according to Departments, including every Individual employed therein, with all the particulars specified in the several columns of the Return relative to the nature of their Duties, their Emoluments, Length of Service, &c.

Insert 1st, all the Officers of the Civil Department.

2ndly, The Officers of the Judicial Departments.

3rdly, The Clergy.

Insert on the next Leaf an Alphabetical List of all the Officers, and the Page in which their Office is described.

Under "Remarks" should be explained the nature of the Duties performed by those Officers, the designation of whose Offices does not sufficiently explain the functions attached to them.

At the end of the Establishment insert a Special List of all those Officers who have given security for the due discharge of their duties.

## LIST OF OFFICERS.

| Names of Officers. | OFFICE. | Page in the Book in which his Office is described. |
|---|---|---|
| Andrews W. B. T. | Clerk Colonial Secy. Office | 70 |
| Bateman John | Postmaster | 74 |
| ~~Belches Peter~~ | ~~Harbor Master~~ | 72 |
| Bland R. H. | Protector of Natives | 74 |
| Bridges John | Warehouse Keeper & Clerk and Tidewaiter | 72 |
| Brockman W. L. | Resid. Mag. Mills Swan | |
| Brown Peter | Col. Secy. Regr. of Deeds and Colt. Auditor | 76 |
| Brown R. McB. | Resident and Sub Coll. of Revenue | 72 |
| Camfield N. | Postmaster General | 74 |
| Chauncey P. L. S. | Assistant Surveyor | 70 |
| Chipper John | Bailiff of the Civil Court | 76 |
| Cooke J. T. | Postmaster | 74 |
| Cowan W. | Clerk of the Councils | 70 |
| Davies Alfred | Tidewaiter Fremantle | |
| Dinely W. P. | Surgeon | 72 |
| Drake W. H. | Acting Treasurer | 74 |
| Drummond J. | Inspector of Police | 74 |
| Dunn James | Gaoler | 76 |
| Eliot George | Resident & Sub Collector | 72 |
| Ferguson John | Acting Colonial Surgeon | |
| Goulston John | Messenger | 70 |
| Goulston Mary | Housekeeper | 70 |
| Gregory A. C. | Assistant Surveyor | 70 |
| Gregory Henry | Hospital Storekeeper | 72 |
| Harris J. | Colonial Surgeon | 72 |
| Helmich A. | Clerk | 72 |
| Helpman F. | Commander of Govt. Schooner | 74 |
| Henning John | Postmaster | 74 |
| Hillman A. | Assistant Surveyor | 70 |
| Hutt John | Governor | 70 |
| Irwin F. C. | Commandant | 70 |
| Jones A. | Postmaster | 74 |

Gibson John — Schoolmaster Perth



## LIST OF OFFICERS.

| Names of Officers. | OFFICE. | Page in the Book in which his Office is described. |
|---|---|---|
| Knight W. | ~~Assistant~~ Colonial Auditor | 72 |
| Knight M. A. | Postmistress | 74 |
| Knight S. | Tide Waiter | 72 |
| Landor E. W. | Commissioner Court of Requests | 76 |
| Lawrence W. J. | Crown Solicitor | 76 |
| Mackie W. H. | Commr. Civil Court & Chairn. Dr. Sessions | 76 |
| Macfarlle C. | Government Printer | 74 |
| McKail J. | Post Master | 74 |
| Meares R. G. | Resident Magistrate | 78 |
| Meares W. | Chaplain | 78 |
| Mitchell W. | Dr. | 78 |
| Molloy J. | Resident Magistrate & Sub Collr. | 72 |
| Moore G. F. | Advocate General | 76 |
| Murray D. P. | Colonial Secretary | |
| Ommaney H. M. | Asst. Surveyor | 70 |
| Phillips J. R. | Schoolmaster Fremantle | |
| Postlethwaite R. | Resr. Magistrate & Sub. Coll. of Revenue | 72 |
| Ridley J. | Chairman of Dr. Sessions | 78 |
| Roe J. S. | Acting Supermt. of Police | |
| Samson H. | Surveyor General | 70 |
| Scott D. | Draftsman | 70 |
| Scully J. | Harbor Master Fremantle | 72 |
| Searle Alfred | Resident Magistrate Tory | 78 |
| Sholl C. J. | Assistant Surveyor | 70 |
| Sholl R. | ~~Clerk~~ Register of Deeds | 74 |
| Singleton F. C. | Tidewaiter | 72 |
| Smith N. M. | Resident Magistrate | 78 |
| Souper E. C. | Gaoler | 76 |
| Stone A. H. | Clerk | 70 |
| | Clerk of the Peace and Registrar Clerk of the Civil Court | 76 |

Acting Commr. of Court of Requests 76

## LIST OF OFFICERS.

| Names of Officers. | OFFICE. | Page in the Book in which his Office is described. |
|---|---|---|
| Stone G. F. | Sheriff & Registrar of Births Marriages and Deaths | 76 |
| Sutherland A. C. | Collector of Revenue | 72 |
| Symmons C. | Protector of Natives | 74 |
| Thorpe George | Tidewaiter | 72 |
| Trigg Henry | Superintendent of Works | 74 |
| Vincent H. | Superintendent of Rottnest | 76 |
| Wall Thos B. | Postmaster | 74 |
| Welch Lawrence | Gaoler | |
| Wittenoom J. B. | Colonial Chaplain | 78 |
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| The Governor | John Hutt | August 1838 | H.M.s Commission | 800 | " | " | Parliament | " | " | " | Govt. House | None | — | — | Augt. 1838 |
| Private Secretary | Andrew Clarke | | " | 800 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | W. Cowan | | | 100 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Council Office | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Clerk | W. Cowan | April 1839 | Secy of State | 100 | " | " | Colonial | " | " | " | None | Private Secy Confidential Clerk | — | £100 a year as Confidential Clerk | Jany 1839 |
| Commandant | F. C. Irwin | August 1837 | H.M.s Commission | 182 | 10 | " | Parliaty | " | " | " | — " — | — | — | Staff pay &c — | Augt. 1837 |
| Colonial Secretarys Office | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Colonial Secy. | P. Brown | December 1828 | Secy of State | 400 | " | " | — Do — | | | | — " — | Registrar of Deeds and Colonial Auditor | — | £100 a year from Colonial Fund in lieu of Fees | Decr. 1828 |
| Succeeded by First Clerk | E. C. Souper | February 1841 | — Do — | 125 | " | " | — Do — | " | " | " | — " — | — None — | — | — | Febs. 1841 |
| Second — Do — | W. B. T. Andrews | April 1841 | — Do — | 100 | " | " | — Do — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | — | — | May 1840. |
| Messenger | J. Goulston | January 1838 | Governor | 50 | " | " | — Do — | " | " | " | Public Office | — " — | — | Pensioner of Greenwich Hospital | Jany 1838 |
| Housekeeper | Mary Goulston | January 1838 | — Do — | 35 | " | " | Colonial | " | " | " | — Do — | — " — | — | — | — Do — |
| Acting Treasurer | W. H. Drake | October 1839 | Secy of State | 45 | 12 | 6 | — Do — | " | " | " | None | Dy. Asst. Comd. Genl. | — | Pay as Commissary | Oct. 1839 |
| Surveyor Generals Office | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Surveyor Genl. | J. S. Roe | Decr. 1828 | — Do — | 400 | " | " | Parliaty | " | " | " | — " — | Lieut. Royal Navy H.P. | — | — | Decr. 1828 |
| Clerk | F. D. Wittenoom | April 1840 | — Do — | 125 | " | " | P.T. & Colo. | " | " | " | — " — | — None — | — | — | April 1840. |
| Draftsman | Horace Samson | — " — 1842 | — Do — | 150 | " | " | Parly. | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | — | — | April 1842 |
| Asst. Surveyor | A. Hillman | August 1838 | — Do — | 250 | " | " | Colonial | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | — | — | Decr. 1830 |
| — Do — | H. M. Ommaney | — " — | — Do — | 250 | " | " | — Do — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | — | — | Augt. 1838 |
| — Do — | P. L. S. Chauncey | — " — 1841 | — Do — | 200 | " | " | Parliaty | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | — | — | Augt. 1841 |
| — Do — | A. C. Gregory | — " — 1842 | — Do — | 200 | " | " | — Do — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | — | — | Augt. 1842 |
| — Do — | A. Searle | — " — " — | — Do — | 200 | " | " | — Do — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | — | — | Augt. 1842 |
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| **Colonial Surgeons Office.** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Colt Surgeon | J. Harris | July 1845 | Secy of State | 273 | 15 | " | Penly | " | " | " | None | None | | Private practice | |
| Surgeon Fremantle | W. P. Dineley | April 1843 | Governor | 75 | " | " | Colonial | " | " | " | " | " | | Do | April 1843 |
| Hospital Asst | A. Gregory | Feby 1844 | Do | 25 | " | " | Do | " | " | " | Col: Hospital | " | | None | Feby 1844 |
| **Revenue Deptt.** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Collector of Revenue | A. C. Sutherland | Sept 1834 | Secy of State | 200 | " | " | Do | " | " | " | None | " | | None | Decr 1828 |
| Sub Do Fremantle | R. W. B. Brown | July 1835 | Do | 100 | " | " | Do | " | " | " | " | Resident Magistrate | | Pay as Resident | May 1831 |
| Do Albany | J. R. Phillips | Oct 1840 | Do | 100 | " | " | Do | " | " | " | " | Do | | Do | Sept 1835 |
| Do Bunbury | G. Eliot | Decr 1840 | Do | Nil | | | " | per Centage | | | " | Do | | Do | Decr 1840 |
| Do Vasse | J. Molloy | Augt 1830 | Do | Nil | | | " | per Centage | | | " | Do | | Do | Augt 1830 |
| Sidewaiter Fremantle | J. Bridges | Feby 1841 | Governor | 100 | " | " | Do | " | " | " | " | None | | | Feby 1841 |
| Do Bunbury | R. J. Sholl | June 1844 | Do | 52 | " | " | Do | " | " | " | " | " | | | Sept 1841 |
| Do Albany | J. Knight | Sept 1842 | Do | 52 | " | " | Do | " | " | " | " | " | | | April 1844 |
| Do Perth | Geo. Thorpe | Augt 1843 | Do | 50 | " | " | Do | " | " | " | " | Jetty Keeper | | Pay as Jetty Keeper | Sept 1842 |
| Storekeeper Do | Geo. Nash | Augt 1844 | Do | 30 | " | " | Do | " | " | " | " | Commtss Storekeeper | | | Augt 1844 |
| **Audit Office.** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Asst Auditor | W. Knight | April 1843 | Secy of State | 175 | " | " | Do | " | " | " | " | None | | None | June 1831 |
| Clerk | A. Helmich | " " | Do | 100 | " | " | Do | " | " | " | " | " | | " | Sept 1840 |
| **Harbor Masters Office** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Harbor Master Fremantle | D. Scott | Augt 1839 | Do | 100 | " | " | Do | " | " | " | " | " | | Mercantile pursuits and Lloyds Agent | Augt 1829 |
| Do Albany | P. Belches | July 1834 | Do | 50 | " | " | Do | " | " | " | " | " | | Half pay Lieut R.N. | July 1834 |
| | | | Carried forward | | | | | | | | | | | | |

REMARKS.

Mr Harris had been previously acting during the absence on leave of Dr Crichton, and on half Salary.- He was appointed when intelligence of Dr Crichtons death was received in the Colony

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| | | | Brought forward | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. | | | | | |
| **Post Office Depart.** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Post Master Genl. | H. Camfield | July 1842 | Secy. of State | 150 | " | " | Colonial | " | " | " | None | None | | None | July 1842 |
| — Do. — Albany | J. McKail | January 1843 | Governor | 25 | " | " | — " — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | — " — | March 1843 |
| — Do. — Fremantle | J. Bateman | March 1833 | — Do. — | 50 | " | " | — " — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | Agency | Jany. 1833 |
| — Do. — Guildford | A. Jours | April 1840 | — Do. — | 30 | " | " | — " — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | Schoolmaster | April 1840 |
| — Do. — York | J. B. Wall | June 1840 | — Do. — | 15 | " | " | — " — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | Carpenter | June 1840 |
| Postmistress Bunbury | M. A. Knight | July 1841 | — Do. — | 15 | " | " | — " — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | — | July 1841 |
| Postmaster Toodyay | J. J. Cook | April 1842 | — Do. — | 12 | " | " | — " — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | Farmer | April 1842 |
| — Do. — Canning | J. Hester | May 1843 | — Do. — | 12 | " | " | — " — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | — " — | — " — |
| — Do. — Vasse | J. Herring | Decr. 1842 | — Do. — | 15 | " | " | — " — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | — " — | May 1843 |
| — Do. — Vinjarra | M. A. McLartz | July 1844 | — Do. — | 12 | " | " | — " — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | — " — | Decr. 1842 |
| Supt. of P. Works | Hy. Trigg | October 1838 | Secy. of State | 52 | " | " | — " — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | Private practise | July 1844 |
| Govt. Printer | C. Macfarlane | February 1836 | — Do. — | 100 | " | " | — " — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | Editor of a Paper | Octr. 1838 |
| Clerk to Registrar of Deeds | C. J. Sholl | April 1843 | — Do. — | 100 | " | " | — " — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | — None — | Feby 1836 |
| Conv. of Colt. Vessel | F. Helpman | January 1842 | — Do. — | 150 | " | " | Parliaty. | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | Rations and Half pay Lieutenant R.N. | Jany. 1842 |
| Protector of Natives | C. Symmons | Decr. 1839 | — Do. — | 250 | " | " | — " | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | Forage allowance | Decr. 1839 |
| — Do. — | R. H. Bland | Octr. 1841 | — Do. — | 250 | " | " | — " — | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | — Ditto — | Octr. 1841 |
| Inspector of Police | J. Drummond | June 1840 | — Do. — | 100 | " | " | Colonial | " | " | " | — " — | — " — | | — Ditto — | June 1840 |
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| **Judicial Departments** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Commr. of Civil Court and Chairman of Dr. Sessions | W. A. Mackie | July 1834 | Sec. of State | 300 | " | " | Parly. | " | " | " | None | None | — | None | Dec. 1829 |
| Commr. of Court of Requests | E. W. Landor | April 1843 | Governor | Fees in lieu | | | — | | | | — " — | — Do. — | — | Private practise | April 1843 |
| Advocate General | G. F. Mone | July 1834 | Sec. of State | 300 | " | " | — Do. — | " | " | " | — " — | — Do. — | — | — Do. — | Feb. 1832 |
| Crown Solicitor | W. S. Laurence | Nov. 1835 | — Do. — | 100 | " | " | Colonial | " | " | " | — " — | — Do. — | — | — Do. — | Nov. 1838 |
| Registrar of Civil Ct. and Clerk of the Peace | A. H. Stone | March 1832 | — Do. — | 200 | " | " | Parly & Col. | " | " | " | — " — | — Do. — | — | — | March 1830 |
| Sheriff | G. Stone | July 1834 | — Do. — | 245 | " | " | — Do. — | " | " | " | — " — | Registrar of Births &c. | — | Fees as Registrar | July 1834 |
| Bailiff of Civil Ct. | J. Clipper | April 1842 | Governor | 20 | " | " | Colonial | " | " | " | — " — | — Constable — | — | Storekeeper | April 1842 |
| Superintendent of Rottnest | A. Vincent | Aug. 1839 | — Do. — | 100 | " | " | — Do. — | " | " | " | Residence in the Establishment | — None — | — | Rations | May 1831 |
| Gaoler Fremantle | N. M. Smith | April 1840 | — Do. — | 75 | " | " | — Do. — | " | " | " | Do. in Gaol | — Do. — | — | — Do. — | April 1840 |
| — Do. — Albany | J. Dunn | April 1840 | — Do. — | 50 | " | " | — Do. — | " | " | " | — Ditto. — | — Do. — | — | — Do. — | " " |
| Eight Constables | — " — | — " — | — Do. — | 135 | " | " | — Do. — | " | " | " | — None — | — Do. — | — | Their Fees | — |
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| **Resident Magistrates** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Resident Fremantle | Rt. McB. Broom | July 1835 | Secy of State | 100 | " | " | Parliament | " | " | " | None | Sub Collector of Revenue | — | Pay as Sub Collector | May 1831 |
| — Do — Albany | J. R. Phillips | Oct 1840 | — Do — | 100 | " | " | — Do — | " | " | " | — Do — | — Do — | — | — Ditto — | Sept 1835 |
| — Do — Vasse | J. Molloy | Augt 1830 | — Do — | 100 | " | " | — Do — | " | " | " | — Do — | — Do — | — | Per Centage on Collection | August 1830 |
| — Do — Bunbury | G. Eliot | Decr 1840 | — Do — | 50 | " | " | Colonial | " | " | " | — Do — | — Do — | — | — Ditto — | Decr 1840 |
| — Do — York | R. G. Meares | Sept 1842 | — Do — | 100 | " | " | Parliament | " | " | " | — Do — | — None — | — | — Ditto — | Sept 1842 |
| — Do — Toodyay | J. Scully | Sept 1840 | — Do — | 100 | " | " | — Do — | " | " | " | — Do — | — Do — | — | — None — | Sept 1840 |
| — Do — Murray | F. C. Singleton | May 1841 | — Do — | 150 | " | " | — Do — | " | " | " | — Do — | — Do — | — | — None — | May 1841 |
| **Clergy.** | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Colonial Chaplain at Perth | Revd. J. B. Wittenoom | Decr 1830 | Secy of State | 250 | " | " | Parliament | " | " | " | £50 per annum Lodging allowance | — None — | — | — Fees — | Decr 1830 |
| Chaplain, at York | — " — W. Meares | July 1842 | The Governor | 100 | " | " | Colonial | " | " | " | None | — Do — | — | — None — | July 1842 |
| — Do — Bunbury | — " — J. R. Wollaston | Sept 1842 | — Do — | 100 | " | " | — Do — | " | " | " | — Do — | — Do — | — | — None — | Sept 1842 |
| — Do — Guildford | — " W. Mitchell | — Do — | — Do — | 100 | " | " | — Do — | " | " | " | — Do — | — Do — | — | £100 Colr. Church St | — Do — |
| — Do — Upper Swan | — " R. Postlethwaite | July 1843 | — Do — | 100 | " | " | — Do — | " | " | " | — Do — | — Do — | — | — Ditto — | July 1843 |
| | | | Carried forward | | | | | | | | | | | | |

REMARKS.

The Revd. W. King officiates at Fremantle, but he draws no Income from the Public. He draws on the Society for the propagation of the Gospel in Foreign parts.

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REMARKS.



# RETURN OF OFFICERS

WHO HAVE GIVEN SECURITY FOR THE DUE DISCHARGE OF THEIR DUTIES.

RETURN of OFFICERS who have given Security for the due Discharge of their Duties.

| Names. | Offices. | State Nature and Amount of Security, Names of the Sureties, and Sums for which they are answerable. |
|---|---|---|
| Nil. | | |

The Accountants are required to render monthly or quarterly returns of their receipts and payments. And the Sub Accountants are required to pay their Receipts over to the Collector of Revenue once a month. Consequently they never have any large Sums in their charge.



RETURN of OFFICERS who have given Security for the due Discharge of their Duties.

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# PENSIONS

PAYABLE OUT OF THE REVENUES OF THE COLONY.

## PENSIONS.

| NAME OF THE PARTY. | Amount of the Pension in Sterling. | | | Authority under which the Pension was granted. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | £ | s. | d. | |

None.



## PENSIONS.

| Date from which the Pension has been paid. | Service for which the Pension was granted. | Amount of Emolument when last employed in Public Service. | | | Present Age of Pensioner. | Cause of Retirement. |
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| | | £ | s. | d. | | |

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| | | £ | s. | d. | | |

## RECAPITULATION OF THE ESTABLISHMENT.

| | Paid by Great Britain in Sterling Money. | | | Paid by the Colony in Sterling Money. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Civil Establishment | 3468 | 8 | 3 | 2866 | 4 | 2 |
| Contingent Expenditure | 2209 | 4 | 7 | 2388 | 0 | 2 |
| Judicial Establishment | 1345 | 19 | 5 | 762 | 18 | 4 |
| Contingent Expenditure | | | | 438 | 18 | 11 |
| Ecclesiastical Establishment | 292 | 14 | " | 400 | " | " |
| Contingent Expenditure | | | | | | |
| Miscellaneous Expenditure | | | | 658 | 9 | - |
| Pensions | | | | | | |
| Grand Total | £ 7316 | 6 | 3 | 7514 | 10 | 7 |



## FOREIGN CONSULS.

RETURN of CONSULS of Foreign Countries residing in

| Names of Consuls. | Name of the Country which he represents. | If confirmed, state the Date of his Exequatur. | If not confirmed, state the reason why. |
|---|---|---|---|
| None. | | | |



# POPULATION.

Insert Population according to last Census, and, if none has ever been taken, according to the last means of Information that may be accessible.

# RETURN of the POPULATION, and of the MARRIAGES, BIRTHS, and DEATHS.

| County, District, or Parish. | Area in Square Miles. | WHITES. | | COLOURED POPULATION. | | TOTAL. | | Aliens and Resident Strangers, not included in preceding Columns. | Population to the Square Mile. | Persons employed in | | | Births. | Marriages. | Deaths. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Males. | Females. | Males. | Females. | Males. | Females. | | | Agriculture. | Manufactures. | Commerce. | | | |
| Murray | | 100 | 40 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Perthshire | | 1413 | 1156 | | | | | | | | | Males | 99 | | |
| Plantagenet | | 172 | 97 | | | | | | | | | Females | 85 | | |
| Rothurst Glano | | 3 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | 184 | | |
| Sussex | | 100 | 76 | | | | | | | | | | | 36 | |
| Sookzas | | 116 | 66 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wellington | | 240 | 129 | | | | | | | | | | | Males | 32 |
| Wicklow | | 5 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | Females | 23 |
| Yorkshire | | 286 | 106 | | | | | | | | | | | | 55 |
| | | 2435 | 1673 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | 2435 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Population exclusive of the Military | 5 | | 4108 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Military as follows — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Men — 159 (160) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Women — 28 (27) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Children — 55 (5) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | 243 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | | | 4351 | | | | | | | | | | 184 | 36 | 55 |

This Return is made up from the Census for the preceding year. The arrivals and departures from the Colony during the year are about equal

## ECCLESIASTICAL RETURN.

# RETURN of the NUMBER of CHURCHES, LIVINGS, &c.

| Names of the Parishes, in what County or District, and Extent in Square Miles. | Population of each Parish. | Name of the Rector, and Value of the Living. | Parsonage House. | Glebe. | Church, where situated, and the Number of Persons it will contain. | Number of Persons generally attending. | Chapel, where situated, and the Number of Persons it will contain. | Number of Persons generally attending. | Whether Protestant or Roman Catholic. | Parsonage House. | Dissenting Places of Worship. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Perth<br>Perthshire | 1.500 | Rev. J. B. Wittenoom Colonial Chaplain Salary of 250£ per ann: | None but an allowance of £50 per annum in lieu | None | St Georges Church opened during the Year - will contain about 800 | 300 | A Chapel at Perth capable of containing 350 persons.<br>Ditto at Perth capable of containing 120 persons | 200<br>30 | Protestant<br>Roman Catholic | one | Wesleyan | |
| Fremantle<br>Perthshire | 300 | Rev. G. King - £300 pr. an: as a Missionary attached to the Society for the propagation of the Gospel | None | None | A church in the Town of Fremantle capable of containing about 300 persons | 100 | A Chapel at Fremantle capable of containing 200 persons | | Protestant | | Wesleyan | |
| Middle Swan and Guildford<br>Perthshire | 200 | Rev. W. Mitchell - £100 pr. annum from the Local Government - £100 from the Committee of Colonial Church Society, and subscriptions by Congregation. | " | " | Middle Swan will contain about 100. Guildford will contain about 150 persons | 50<br>50 | | | | | | |
| York<br>Yorkshire | 300 | Rev. W. Meares £100 pr annum from Local Government and Subscriptions by Congregation. | " | " | York and will contain about 50 persons | 30 | | | | | | |
| Busselton Bunbury and Picton<br>Wellington | 400 | Rev. J. R. Wollaston £100 pr annum from Local Government and subscriptions in aid by Congregation. | " | " | Busselton contains 100 Bunbury will contain about 50 persons Picton will contain about 80 persons | 50<br>40<br>50 | | | | | | |
| Ellens Brook Upper Swan<br>Perthshire | 100. | Rev. R. Jostlethwaite £100 from Local Government | " | " | Upper Swan and will contain 80 persons | 40 | | | | | | |
| Murray | A small chapel has been erected at Panzana and a chapel on Mr Peel's estate at Mandurah where occasional service is performed by the Rev. G. King now residing at Fremantle and at other times the service is performed by the Resident Magistrate of the District | | | | | | | | | | | |

NB. This Return does not include the District of Toodyay and Plantagenet there being no Churches in these Districts nor officiating Clergyman.

# EDUCATION.

RETURN of the NUMBER of SCHOOLS, &c.

| Name of the Parish, and in what County or District. | Public or Free School, and where situated. | Name of the Schoolmaster or Schoolmistress, and Salary. | Number of Scholars. Male. | Female | Total. | Mode of Instruction. | If Supported by Government or Voluntary Contributions, and Amount of each. Government. | Voluntary Contributions. | Expenses of each School. | Number of Private Schools. | REMARKS. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Common School Perth<br>or<br>Roman Catholic School<br>Missionary Establishment | Perth<br>Fremantle<br>Schools<br>Allowance £ | Native School<br>Teachers in different District | | | | | | | | |
| Wellington<br>Perthshire<br>— do —<br>Plantagenet | There are no Public or Free Schools in the Colony but there are six or seven private Schools to some of which the Government send the children of Persons unable to pay for their education the expense of which during the past year amounted to the sum of — £ 113 7 0<br>In addition to which the sum of — 120 " " has been expended in aid of Native Schools and Institutions in various Districts of the Colony. This Branch of Expenditure having been in former years included under the head of "Issues to Natives." | | | | | | To the Extent of<br>113.. 7. 0<br>— 9 —<br>120.. .. .. | | | | |
| | There is a Free School in the Roman Catholic Chapel and a Military School for Soldiers Children at which from 15 to 20 Boys and Girls attend | | | | | | | | | | |
| | One or two of the Clergymen instruct a few Pupils in the Classics and there are a few Schools for young ladies | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| |

RETURN of the NUMBER

| Name of the Parish, and in what County or District. | Public or Free School, and where situated. | Name of the Schoolmaster or Schoolmistress, and Salary. | Number of Scholars. | | | Mode of Instruction. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Male. | Female | Total. | |
| | | | | | | |



# EXCHANGES, MONEYS, WEIGHTS,

AND

# MEASURES.

Insert under separate Heads the Course of Exchange; a List of the Gold, Silver, and Copper Coins current in the Colony, and their relative Value to each other; the Amount of Bullion and of Paper Currency in circulation; in what Money Accounts are kept; and the Weights and Measures in common use.

## COURSE OF EXCHANGE.

Bills Drawn on Her Majesty's Treasury at Premiums varying according to Tender. At present at a discount

Bills of the Bank of Australasia drawn at 30 days sight one and a half per Cent premium to three and four per Cent

Bills drawn on the Australasian Colonies by the Bank of Australasia in Lond. at 30 days sight at from one and a half to three per Cent premium

Bills drawn by the Western Australian Bank at Lond. on their Agents in London at one and a half per Cent premium

Private Bills on London at 30 days sight three per Cent discount



## COINS.

British Gold, Silver and Copper

## AMOUNT OF COIN IN CIRCULATION.

Estimated amount —— £6.000 — 0. 0.

This amount cannot be depended upon. It has always been found very difficult to ascertain precisely the amount of Coin in Circulation.



## AMOUNT OF PAPER CURRENCY IN CIRCULATION.

Estimated Amount —— £2.500. 0. 0.

The Paper in circulation is, the Notes of the Colonial Bank and the Branch of the Bank of Australasia

## ACCOUNTS KEPT IN.

British Sterling



## WEIGHTS.

British Imperial

## MEASURES.

British Imperial



# IMPORTS AND EXPORTS,

FOR THE YEAR.

1845.

# IMPORTS.



# IMPORTS.

| ARTICLES IMPORTED. | ESTIMATED VALUE IN STERLING. | | | | | | | SHIPS INWARDS. | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| DESCRIPTION AND QUANTITY. | From Great Britain. | British Colonies. West Indies. | British Colonies. North America. | British Colonies. Elsewhere. | United States of America. | Foreign States. | TOTAL. | Great Britain. No. | Great Britain. Tons. | British Colonies. No. | British Colonies. Tons. | United States. No. | United States. Tons. | Foreign States. No. | Foreign States. Tons. | TOTAL. No. | TOTAL. Tons. | TOTAL. Men. |
| At Fremantle | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 3 | 1022 | 10 | 989 | 4 | 1194 | 2 | 1148 | 19 | 4353 | |
| " Albany | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | " | " | 10 | 1081 | 3 | 841 | " | " | 13 | 1922 | |
| " Bunbury | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | " | " | " | " | 3 | 1260 | " | " | 3 | 1260 | |
| " Vasse | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | " | " | 1 | 320 | " | " | " | " | 1 | 320 | |
| General Imports Estimated at £20.350. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| There being no Custom House in the Colony it is at present impossible to give a correct account in detail of the value and description of the Goods imported or specify the places they are brought from. The principal portion are however from England and the British Colonies | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 3 | 1022 | 21 | 2390 | 10 | 3295 | 2 | 1148 | 36 | 7855 | — |

# IMPORTS.

| ARTICLES IMPORTED. | ESTIMATED VALUE | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| DESCRIPTION AND QUANTITY. | From Great Britain. | British Colonies. | | |
| | | West Indies. | North America. | Elsewhere. |
| At Freemantle | | | | |



# IMPORTS.

| IN STERLING. | | | SHIPS INWARDS. | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| United States of America. | Foreign States. | TOTAL. | Great Britain. | | British Colonies. | | United States. | | Foreign States. | | TOTAL. | | |
| | | | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | Men. |

# IMPORTS.

| ARTICLES IMPORTED. | ESTIMATED VALUE | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| DESCRIPTION AND QUANTITY. | From Great Britain. | British Colonies. | | |
| | | West Indies. | North America. | Elsewhere. |
| Ah Albany | | | | |
| Apparel & Clothes | | | | |
| Total Imports in 18 . . . . | | | | |
| Total Imports in previous year . . | | | | |



# IMPORTS.

| IN STERLING. | | | SHIPS INWARDS. | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| United States of America. | Foreign States. | TOTAL. | Great Britain. | | British Colonies. | | United States. | | Foreign States. | | TOTAL. | | |
| | | | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | Men. |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

# EXPORTS.

| ARTICLES EXPORTED. | | ESTIMATED VALUE | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| DESCRIPTION AND QUANTITY. | | To Great Britain. | British Colonies. West Indies. | British Colonies. North America. | British Colonies. Elsewhere. |
| The Exports are estimated as follows. | | £ | | | £ s. d. |
| Wool | 144.390 lbs. | 7219 | | | |
| Do. | 864 " | | | | 37. 19. " |
| Oil Sperm | 85 Tuns | 1750 5130 | | | |
| Do. | 182 Gallons | | | | 145. 10. |
| Oil Black | 74 Tuns | 1500 | | | |
| Do. | 6 " | | | | 120. " |
| Whalebone | 6 " | 780 | | | |
| Do. | 500 lbs | | | | 33. " |
| Bark | 10 Tons | 100 | | | |
| Natural Curiosities | 3 Boxes | | | | |
| Sundries | | 65 | | | |
| Sandal Wood | 4 Tons | | | | 40 |
| Salt Fish | 27¼ " | | | | 273 |
| Potatoes | 39¼ " | | | | 392 |
| Onions | 5 " | | | | 40 |
| Oats | 491 Bushs | | | | 123 |
| Tallow | 6 Casks | | | | 12 |
| Hides and Skins | | | | | 86. 3 |
| Fruit and Herbs | | | | | 5 |
| Horses | 17 in No. | | | | 340. |
| Ponies | 7 " | | | | 56. |
| Cows | 17 " | | | | 136. |
| Sheep | 341 | | | | 155. |
| Goats | 8 | | | | 25. |
| Sundries | | | | | |
| | | £ 11.434 | | | £ 1919. 12 |



# EXPORTS.

| IN STERLING. | | | SHIPS OUTWARDS. | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| United States of America. | Foreign States. | Total. | Great Britain. | | British Colonies. | | United States. | | Foreign States. | | Total. | | |
| | | | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | Men. |

# EXPORTS.

| ARTICLES EXPORTED. | ESTIMATED VALUE IN STERLING. | | | | | | SHIPS OUTWARDS. | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| DESCRIPTION AND QUANTITY. | To Great Britain. | British Colonies. | | | United States of America. | Foreign States. | TOTAL. | Great Britain. | | British Colonies. | | United States. | | Foreign States. | | TOTAL. | | |
| | | West Indies. | North America. | Elsewhere. | | | | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | Men. |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Exports in 18 . . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Exports in previous year . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |



EXPORTS.

# AGRICULTURE.

# RETURN of the PRODUCE, STOCK, &c.

| Name of the County, District, or Parish. | CROPS. State the Nature of the Crop, and the Number of Acres of Land in each Crop. Wheat. | Barley | Oats | Rye | Potatoes | Turnips | Beans, other pulse | Maize | Vineyards, Gardens | Pasture, artificial | Total Number of Acres in Crop. | Number of Acres of Uncultivated Land. | STOCK. Number of Horses. | Horned Cattle. | Sheep. | Goats. | Pigs. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Murray | 334½ | 20½ | " | " | 6 | ¾ | " | ¾ | 15 | 711 | 447 | " | 57 | 675 | 202 | 39 | 292 |
| Perth Shire | 1164 | 100 | 47 | 1 | 33 | " | 3 | 15 | 230 | 469 | 2062 | | 450 | 1900 | 9069 | 2108 | |
| Plantagenet | 48 | 34 | 5 | 2 | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | 127 | 513 | 6980 | – | 69 |
| | 238 | 19 | " | 12 | 22 | 1½ | " | " | 3 | 8 | 303 | | 102 | 760 | 900 | 30 | 68 |
| Super | 290 | 23 | " | " | 18 | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | 74 | 826 | 500 | 29 | 173 |
| Toodgay | 422 | 81 | " | 9 | " | " | " | " | " | 12¼ | 524¼ | | 273 | 905 | 22540 | 40 | |
| Wellington | 360 | 26¼ | ¼ | " | 19 | " | " | 4 | 24 | " | " | " | 89 | 889 | 4654 | 204 | 167 |
| Wicklow | 10 | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | 10 | | 2 | " | 200 | " | " |
| Yorkshire | 685 | 238 | 11 | 3 | " | " | " | " | " | " | 937 | | 358 | 800 | 48628 | 212 | |
| | 3313½ | 522¾ | 63¼ | 15 | 76 | ¾ | 3 | 19¾ | 269 | 551¼ | 4834¼ | | 1430 | 6508 | 95.681 | 2632 | |

| Name of the County, District, or Parish. | PRODUCE. State the Nature of the Produce, and the Quality of each. Wheat, Bushels. Pace | Oats | Rye | Barley | Turnips | Beans, other pulse | Maize | | | | PRICE OF PRODUCE. State the Nature of the Produce, and the Price of each in Sterling. Wheat, per Bushel. | Barley | Oats | Rye | Hay per Ton | Potatoes Do | Horses | Horned Cattle | Sheep | Goats |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Murray | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Perth Shire | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Plantagenet | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Super | 15 | 30 | 23 | 30 | " | " | " | " | " | " | 6/6 | 7/ | 4/6 | 6/ | £5 | £9 | £20 | £10 | 8/ | 3/ |
| Toodgay | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wellington | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wicklow | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Yorkshire | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 49703 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

## AVERAGE PRICES of various PRODUCE and MERCHANDISE, &c.

| | Sterling Prices. £ | s. | d. | Prices in January. | April. | July. | October. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheaten Flour . . . per Barrel of 196 lbs. | 2 | " | " | | | | |
| Wheat . . . . . per Imperial Bushel | " | 4 | 4 | | | | |
| Wheaten Bread . . . . . per lb. | " | " | 2½ | | | | |
| Horned Cattle . . . . . | 7 | " | " | | | | |
| Horses . . . . . | 20 | " | " | | | | |
| Sheep . . . . . | " | 8 | 6 | | | | |
| Goats . . . . . | " | 13 | " | | | | |
| Swine . . . . . | 1 | " | " | | | | |
| Milk . . . . . | " | " | 4 | per quart. | | | |
| Butter, Fresh . . . . . | " | 1 | 6 | per lb | | | |
| —— Salt . . . . . | " | 1 | 2 | — " | | | |
| Cheese . . . . . | " | 1 | 3 | — " | | | |
| Beef . . . . . | " | " | 4½ | — " | | | |
| Mutton . . . . . | " | " | 4½ | — " | | | |
| Pork . . . . . | — | " | 6 | — " | | | |
| Rice . . . . . | — | " | 2½ | — " | | | |
| Coffee . . . . . | — | " | 10 | — " | | | |
| Tea . . . . . | — | 3 | " | — " | | | |
| Sugar . . . . . | — | " | 4 | — " | | | |
| Salt . . . . . | — | " | 1 | — " | | | |
| Wine . . . . . | — | 10 | " | per gallon | | | |
| Brandy . . . . . | — | 10 | " | — " | | | |
| Beer . . . . . | — | 3 | " | — " | | | |
| Tobacco . . . . . | — | 3 | 6 | per lb. | | | |
| **WAGES FOR LABOUR.** | | | | | | | |
| Domestic . . . . . | From £15 to 25 | | | per annum | | | |
| Predial . . . . . | From £20 to £40 | | | — Do. — | | | |
| Trades . . . . . | From 6 to 0 | | | per diem | | | |



# MANUFACTURES, MINES,

AND

# FISHERIES.

# RETURN of the MANUFACTURES, MINES, and FISHERIES.

| MANUFACTURES. | SHIPS. | | | MINES and QUARRIES. | | | FISHERIES. | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Number, Name, Situation, and Description of Manufactories, Mills, Works, &c. &c. | Number of Ships built in the Colony. | Tons Burthen. | Registered according to Law. | Number, Name, Situation, and Description of the Mines and Quarries. | Name of the Mineral Substance. | Quantity produced, and Value in Sterling. | Number of Ships and Boats employed. Ships. | Number of Ships and Boats employed. Boats. | Description of Fish, and Quantity of each. | Value in Sterling. | General Remarks. |
| Boat Builders | | | | Limestone Quarries | | | | | | £ | |
| Mews & Co. Perth | | | | At Perth | Ore | | 1 | 20 | Whales | 2025 | 100 Tuns of Oil |
| J. W. Mews — " — | None. | | | — Fremantle | Salt work at Rottnest | | | | | 910 | 7 Tuns of Bone |
| W. Edwards Fremantle | | | | — Lakes | | | | | Snapper Jew Fish - Mullets and Bream 27¼ Tuns | 273 | Exported |
| Mesrs Bell — " — | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bricklayers | | | | | | | | | | | |
| William Ware Perth | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Henry Cole — " — | | | | | | | | | | | |
| W. Dudley — " — | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lime Kilns | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Two at Perth — | | | | | | | | | | | |
| One at the Lakes — | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Two at Fremantle — | | | | | | | | | | | |
| — Flour Mills — (by Water) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Two at Perth — | | | | | | | | | | | |
| One at Upper Swan — | | | | | | | | | | | |
| — Flour Mills — (by Wind) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| One at Perth — | | | | | | | | | | | |
| One at Peninsula — | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Flour Mills by Steam | | | | | | | | | | | |
| One at Guildford — | | | | | | | | | | | |
| — Flour Mills — by Horse power. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Three or four in various Districts — | | | | | | | | | | | |

# GRANTS OF LAND.

# RETURN OF LANDS GRANTED AND SOLD DURING THE YEAR 1845

| County or District. | Number of Grants under 100 Acres. | | Number of Grant above 100, not exceeding 500 Acres. | | Grants exceeding 500 Acres. | | Total Number of Grants, 1845 | Total Number of Acres granted, 1845 | Whether by Grant or Purchase. | Where sold, state the Average Price per Acre. | State the Total Number of Acres granted in the Colony. | State the Total Number of Acres sold. | State the Total Number of Acres that remain ungranted. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Number of Grants. | Number of Acres. | Number of Grants. | Number of Acres. | Name of Grantee. | Extent of Grant. | | | | £. s. d | | | |
| Avon | | | | | H. Carey | 640 | | | Purchase | 1 0 0 | | | |
| Do | | | | | Do | 690 | | | Do | 1 | | | |
| Swan | | | 1 | 160 | G. T. Moore | | | | Do | 1 | | | |
| Do | | | 1 | 160 | Do | | | | Do | 1 | | | |
| Do | | | 1 | 160 | Do | | | | Do | 1 | | | |
| Do | | | 1 | 160 | Do | | | | Do | 1 | | | |
| Do | | | 1 | 320 | W. L. Brockman | | | | Do | 1 | | | |
| Leschenault | | | 1 | 380 | J. Little | | | | Do | 1 | | | |
| Plantagenet | | | | | P. Belches | 1,200 | | | Do | 1 | | | |
| Do | 1 | 25 | | | [illegible] | | | | Do | 1 | | | |
| Sussex | 1 | 25 | | | K. Doolan | | | | Do | 1 | | | |
| Avon | 1 | 4 | | | Church Trustees | | | | Grant | | | | |
| Canning | 1 | 16 3/4 | | | J. Haggerty | | | | Do | | | | |
| Do | | | | | J. W. Ferres | 691 | | | Do | | | | |
| Lakes | 1 | 56 | | | M. Hutton | | | | Do | | | | |
| Leschenault | 1 | 16 3/4 | | | J. Herman | | | | Do | | | | |
| Plantagenet | | | | | G. Cheyne | 596 | | | Do | | | | |
| Swan | 1 | 33 1/2 | | | J. Smith | | | | Do | | | | |
| Totals | 7 | 177 | 6 | 1340 | | 3,817 | Grants 7<br>Purchas. 11<br>Total 18 | 1414<br>3920<br>5334 | Average | £. per acre | acres 1,315,085 | 109,318 1/4 | |

Including all lands in fee and in occupation

# GAOLS AND PRISONERS.

RETURN of the GOALS and HOUSES of CORRECTION, and of the Number of PRISONERS confined therein for the Year ending 31 December 1845.

| Name of the Prison, and where situated. | 1. Number of Prisoners the Prison is capable of containing in separate Cells. | 2. Number of Prisoners the Prison is capable of containing where more than one Prisoner sleeps in one Cell. | 3. Number of Prisoners Confined at ~~Michaelmas, 18~~ on 31st December 1845. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4. Total Number of Prisoners in Confinement ~~at Michaelmas, 18~~ on 31 Dec. 1845 | | | | 5. Greatest Number of Prisoners in Confinement at any one time in the Year. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Felons. | | | | | | | | Misdemeanors. | | | | | | | | Debtors. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Tried. | | | | Untried. | | | | Tried. | | | | Untried. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Whites. | | Blacks or Coloured Persons. | | Whites. | | Blacks or Coloured Persons. | | Whites. | | Blacks or Coloured Persons. | | Whites. | | Blacks or Coloured Persons. | | Whites. | | Blacks or Coloured Persons. | | Whites. | | Blacks or Coloured Persons. | | Whites. | | Blacks or Coloured Persons. | |
| | | | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. | M. | F. |
| Fremantle Gaol | — 0 — | — 16 — 2 in a cell for permanent Custody — 32 — 4 in a cell for temporary Custody in emergency | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | 5 | 5 | 1 | " | 2 | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | 7 | 1 | " | " | 11 | 1 | 6 | |
| Totals . . . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

# RETURN of the GAOLS and HOUSE of CORRECTION, &c.—*continued.*

| Name of the Prison, and where situated. | 6. Total Number of Prisoners committed in the course of the Year. | | | | | | | | 7. Number of Prisoners who have been committed before. | | | | | | 8. Number of Prisoners employed in the course of the Year. | | | | | | 9. Punishments for Offences within the Prison during the Year. | | | | | | | | 10. Cases of Sickness. | | | | | | | | 11. Deaths during the Year. | | | |
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| | Whites. | | | | Blacks or Coloured Persons | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Greatest Number of Sick at one time. | | | | Total Cases of Sickness during the Year. | | | | | | | |
| | Number under 18 Years of Age. | | Number who cannot Read. | | Number under 18 Years of Age. | | Number who cannot Read. | | Once. | | Twice. | | Three Times or more. | | At Hard Labour in the Prison. | | At Hard Labour out of the Prison. | | At Employments not Hard Labour. | | Not Employed | | Whipping. | | Irons. | | Solitary Confinement. | | Other Punishments. | | Whites. | | Blacks or Coloured Persons. | | Whites. | | Blacks or Coloured Persons. | | Whites. | | Blacks or Coloured Persons. | |
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RETURN of the GAOLS, &c.—*continued.*

| QUESTIONS. | ANSWERS. |
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| 1. General description of the Prison; whether Common Gaol, House of Correction, or otherwise? (To be accompanied by a Ground Plan of the Buildings, &c.) | Fremantle Gaol, is a Dodecagon including an inner area of thirty seven feet in Diameter used as a place of exercise for the Prisoners committed for trial or not sentenced to hard labor and as a washing yard. In the centre is a well. This Building is used both as a Common Gaol and House of Correction. Albany Gaol, is a small building consisting of two small ~~rooms~~ cells and an outer Court the size of which is 17×4 by 11×5. The cells are 8×9 by 6×7. |
| 2. Under whose jurisdiction and superintendence; and what measures are adopted for securing the Visitation of the Prison by the Local Magistrates or other authorities? (A Copy of the Rules and Regulations to be forwarded with the Return.) | These Gaols are under the immediate Jurisdiction of the Justices of the Peace for the Colony as far as relates to all points of discipline but under the Superintendence of the Local Government in all matters relative to expenditure. Two visiting Magistrates are by the rules and regulations of the Gaols to be appointed annually at the January Sessions of whom one is always the Resident Magistrate of the District who daily inspects the Gaol and resides in its immediate neighborhood. |
| 3. Number of Officers, and how appointed? Do all the Officers reside in the Prison? Are Female Prisoners attended by Female Officers exclusively? | In each Gaol there is one Gaoler with an occasional Assistant to superintend the Prisoners sentenced to hard labor when employed outside of the Gaol. The Gaoler resides within the prison. When females have been committed which hitherto has been of rare occurrence they are set to cooking washing and other domestic offices in the hard used as the Gaol Kitchen under the personal superintendence of the Gaolers wife and at night they are locked up in a separate cell. The Gaoler is a married man who family resside with him. |
| 4. Number of Classes, Divisions, or Wards, Day-rooms, Work-rooms, and Airing-yards (with reference to Plan); and whether the same can be extended or increased? | No other classification or division than that of locking up in separate cells can at present be attended to, but so far as such means admit every possible discrimination of age sex and character has been observed. There is no other place for exercise than the inner yard or Court already alluded to. It is but very seldom that the Gaol contains any one who is not sentenced to hard labor or who not being judicially subject thereto is not willing to submit to it in order to obtain increased rations an option which the Gaol Regulations allow; consequently it is very seldom that any Prisoner can require the yard as a place of exercise. There is abundance of Crown Lands adjoining the Gaols for an extension of the Buildings and appendant yards. |
| 5. Number of Sleeping-cells, Solitary or Dark-cells, &c.; and if any are below-ground? | The total number of ~~Gaols~~ cells in Fremantle Gaol is 12 of which one is occupied as the Gaolers residence one as a Kitchen (2) ~~two~~ as Dries and the remaining 8 as sleeping cells each of which are quite adequate to the accommodation of two Females. One cell has been lined with solid planking for the confinement of refractory or dangerous characters, but none of them have any distinctive character as to Solitary or Dark. None are underground. In the Albany Gaol there are only two cells which can be so appropriated. |



RETURN of the GAOLS, &c.—*continued.*

| QUESTIONS. | ANSWERS. |
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| 6. Dietary or Weekly Allowance, and Weekly Cost per head for the different descriptions of Prisoners? and under what system and control the Food, Medicine, and Clothing for the Prisoners is contracted for, or otherwise provided? | 1½ lb of Bread and ½ lb of Salt Meat to Prisoners at work daily. 1½ lb Bread alone to those not at work with ½ lb of meat on Sundays or good behaviour 1 lb of Fish has been occasionally substituted for ½ lb of Meat. A weekly allowance of Vinegar is also made. Contracted for. |
| 7. Allowance of Clothing and Bedding, and Cost per head? | Two Shirts, two pair of Trowsers one Jacket, one Pair of Shoes, One Paliasse, one Blanket, one Coverlet. |
| 8. Hours of Labour and Exercise? | Hours of Labor nine hours a day, when not at work permission is given to walk about the inner yard or Court. |
| 9. Description of Employment and Hard Labour? | Works of Public Improvement in the neighborhood of the Gaol |
| 10. Amount of Earnings, and how applied; in what proportion to the Prisoners, to the Officers, or to the fund for the maintenance of the Prison? | The labor of the Prisoners is entirely on account of the Government and there is nothing in the nature or produce of their labors to which the term earnings is applicable |
| 11. Whether the Classification directed by the Colonial Act has been observed: if not, for what reasons; and what measures have been taken to remedy this defect? | See answer to Question No. 4. |
| 12. Are Convicted Prisoners prohibited from receiving Visits, or Letters, or any articles of Food or Clothing from their Relatives or Friends: if not, under what restrictions? | Convicted Prisoners are allowed to see their Friends and to receive comforts or necessaries not supplied in the Ordinary Gaol (with the exception of wine and spirits) by order of the Resident Visiting Magistrates. Their letters are subject to the inspection of the Gaoler |

RETURN of the GAOLS, &c.—*continued.*

| QUESTIONS. | ANSWERS. |
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| 13. Is there a Chapel in the Prison, or suitable Apartment for the performance of Religious Services? How are the Prisoners separated therein? | No but divine service is performed by a Resident Clergyman every Sunday within the walls of the Prison Freemantle. And the Resident in Albany reads divine service every Sunday |
| 14. What Duties are performed by the Chaplain? What Provision is made for the Instruction of the Prisoners; and are they supplied with Bibles and other suitable Books? | There is no Chaplain (see answer above) The Prisoners are supplied with Bibles and Prayer Books and some religious tracts have been furnished to the Gaolers for their use and benefit |
| 15. Are Dissenting Ministers allowed to have access to the Prisoners; and, if so, at what times, and under what restrictions? | There is but one dissenting Minister (a Wesleyan) in the Colony whose time is fully occupied by his ordinary Duty at Perth. He would unquestionably be admitted to the Gaols by order of a Resident Visiting Magistrate if he desired it at any reasonable time. |
| 16. What Duties are performed by the Surgeon? Are separate Buildings or Apartments provided for the Sick? | A resident Surgeon attends when required. A separate cell is given up to the Patient but illness of a serious nature has been very rare |
| 17. What Diseases have been most prevalent during the Year (in reference to Columns 10 and 11, Return No. 1)? | There has been very little disease of any kind in the Gaols. Now and then a trifling case of Sickness. |
| 18. Reasons for Non-employment of Prisoners (in reference to Column 8)? | Except when Prisoners are under sentence of transportation they are invariably employed on some Public Work |



RETURN of the GAOLS, &c.—*continued.*

| QUESTIONS. | ANSWERS. |
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| 19. Reasons for Punishments, by Whipping, Irons, Solitary Confinement, or otherwise? | Whipping has generally been confined to Boys and for trifling offences. |
| 20. Is there any Insane person in confinement? State his or her Name and Age, and for what Offence committed? How long has he or she been in confinement; and is such Person separated from the other Prisoners? | There has been no person of this description in the Gaols during the last twelve months. |
| 21. Are any, and what Fees demanded of Debtor, or of any other Prisoners, either at their admission to, or Discharge from, the Gaol? | The Laws of the Colony does not admit of arrest for debt either on mesne process or in execution with the exception of the simple case in which a Debtor is about to abscond from the Colony in which latter case the Debtor has either been released on giving Bail Bond to the Sheriff or as the writ is made returnable immediately and the Civil Court sits specially on such occasions he is brought into court at once and discharged as soon as Judgment is given Execution being allowed to follow instantly against his property so that his confinement never exceeds a few hours. |
| 22. General Observations | On the Island of Rottnest there is a Government Establishment under the charge of a Superintendent to which Native Prisoners are sent previous to trial and to which they are committed, when sentence is passed against them for the term specified in the Commitment. These Natives are invariably employed on Public Works and they have nearly completed the erection of a Light House under the direction of the Superintendent |

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