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OF

Western Australia

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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.

1853

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.

Insert new Tariff according to last Ordinance

Imports

Duties leviable under authority of Colonial Ordinance 12th Victoria No. VIII.

On Spirits being the produce and manufacture of any part of the British Dominions a duty of **Eight Shillings** for each and every Imperial Gallon, not exceeding the strength of Hydrometer Proof

" of Foreign Manufacture from any part of the British Dominions a duty of **Ten Shillings** for each and every Imperial Gallon not exceeding the strength of Hydrometer proof

" of Foreign Manufacture from any Foreign place a duty of **Twelve Shillings** for each and every Imperial Gallon not exceeding the strength of Hydrometer Proof.

On Wine In each and every Imperial Gallon the produce of any part of the British Empire a duty of **Six pence**

" In each and every Imperial Gallon the produce of any other place a duty of **One Shilling and six pence**

On Cigars and Snuff } a duty of **Five Shillings** for every pound weight

On Tobacco On each and every pound weight of Leaf Tobacco **Three pence**

" On every pound weight of other Tobacco **One Shilling**

" On every pound weight boiled down in bond to be used as Sheep wash **One penny**.

Live Stock Imported from any part of the British Empire are subject to a duty of **Five per Cent** according to value.

" Imported from any other place a duty of **Ten per cent**

On Goods and Merchandize } Imported and not otherwise charged with a specific duty the growth produce or manufacture of any part of the British Empire a duty of **Five per cent** according to value.

Ditto Imported and not otherwise charged with a specific duty the growth produce or manufacture of any Foreign State a duty of **Ten per cent** according to value.

Goods exempt from Duty

All Military or Naval Stores or Provisions, or Stores required for Her Majesty's service

All Bottles Imported full

All Bullion and Coin

All Staves and Hoops for casks

All Trees and rooted Plants

All personal baggage of Immigrants

All Articles of Naval or Military Uniform and appointments imported by Officers stationed in the Colony for their own use

All Goods specially exempted by the Governor

Exports

Duties leviable under authority of Colonial Ordinance 16th Victoria No. 14

On every **Kangaroo Skin** exported after the 1st August 1853 a Duty of **One Shilling** is leviable.

Internal Revenue

On Goods sold by auction, a duty of Two and a half per cent is charged under authority of Ordinance 10th Victoria No 2.

Transfer of Landed property a duty of One per cent is payable on registration – Ordinance 4 & 5 Victoria No 13

Licenses to sell Spirits by retail in quantities not less than One Gallon – Ten pounds per annum each – Ordinance 4 & 5 Victoria No 2.

——"—— to Publicans to retail Spirits at Perth, Fremantle and Albany the annual sum of Twenty five pounds each; and at any other place a sum not less than Ten pounds nor more than Twenty five pounds each. Ordinance 4 & 5 Vict. No 8.

——"—— 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: A licensed Auctioneer may sell by Deputy for one day on payment of One Guinea – Ordinance 10th Victoria No 2.

——"—— to practice in the Civil Court – For any person who has been admitted as a Solicitor or Attorney of any of the Superior Courts of Great Britain or Ireland £2 per annum – Who has practiced for the space of Three years or upwards in any Local, Provincial or other Court £4 per annum – Without any such previous qualification £6 per annum – Ordinance 6th William 4th No 1.

——"—— to keep Dogs. Every Dog within a Township 7/6 – Every Bitch 10/- Every Dog without a Township 5/- Every Bitch 7/6 – Every Sheep or Cattle Dog 2/6 – Every Bitch 5/- Every Pack of Hounds kept bonâ fide in Kennel exclusively for Hunting £1.0.0 – Under authority of Ordinance 10th Victoria No 5.

——"—— to cut Sandal Wood – For one pair of Sawyers for one month £2.10.– and £1.5. for every additional man employed – Under authority of Government Notice 8th June 1848.

——"—— to cut Timber £20 per ann: for any quantity of land not exceeding 640 acres and £40 per annum exceeding 640 and not

exceeding 1280 acres; or 10/- a month for each pair of Sawyers.

Licenses to occupy Crown Lands for Depasturing Stock thereon are issued in accordance with Order in Council 22d March 1850.

——"—— for Boats and Boatmen – Ordinance 16th Victoria No 20.

For every Boat under two Tons	10
——"—— Two Tons and under Five	1
——"—— Five ——"—— Fifteen	1. 10
——"—— Fifteen Tons & upwards	2
Fee for each License to be paid to Magistrates Clerk	2. 6

——"—— to keep Cattle in Towns – Ordinance 14th Victoria No 8

For every Head of Horned Cattle of, or above, 12 months old annually	5
——— Do ——— above 3 & under 12 months	2. 6
For every score of Sheep, Lambs, Goats or Kids	5

——"—— to ply Carts for Conveyance of Goods or Passengers for Hire – Ordinance 14 Vict: No 14

For every Cart drawn by Horses or Bullocks	£1.– per annum
——"—— by Pony, Ass, or Mule	5/- "

Note.– The fees arising from the issue of the three fregoing Licenses are paid over to the respective Town Trusts for improvement and repairs of the Towns.

Warehousing Gunpowder – Ordinance 14th Victoria No 9.

For every Barrel containing 50lbs and not exceeding 100lbs for any period not exceeding 6 weeks	1
——— Do ——— above 6 weeks – per week	2
——— Do ——— containing less than 50lbs for any period not exceeding 6 weeks	6
——— Do ——— above 6 weeks per week	2

——"—— Goods until payment of Duty in any Public Warehouse. –

For every Pipe, Butt, Tierce, or Puncheon – per week	6
——"—— Half Pipe or Hogshead ——"——	3
——"—— 2d Cask, Barrel or Package of smaller size	2
——"—— smaller Package	1

Under authority of Government Notice 7th September 1849.

Crown Lands are sold under authority of Act of Parliament 5 & 6 Vict c 36 at minimum price of £1 per acre – A fee of 5/6 is charged on application to purchase –

Postage Rates of.

Inland

Not exceeding half an ounce	" 2
Exceeding half and not exceeding one ounce	" 4
And for every ounce extra	" 3

Ship Letters

Not exceeding half an ounce	" 4
Above and not exceeding one ounce	" 6
For every additional half ounce	" 2

Governor's Proclamation 7th June 1852.

Rottnest Island was leased during 1858 for £60

Judicial Fines. A small Revenue is derivable from this source the amount of which will be found under "Revenue" at page 22.

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.

1853.

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.

Ordinance 7th Victoria No 10.

	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 particulars of any of the same; or for any number of folios not exceeding ten of seventy two words each	7 6
For every folio above the first ten	1 0
For receiving any Will or other Document deposited and recording the same	10 0
For giving out the same	10 0
For every search	2 6
For every examination of any Memorial	1 0

Office of the Registrar Clerk of the Civil Court

Ordinance 2nd William 4th No 1

Recording Plaint value sued for under £5	1 6
When more than one folio additional per folio	0 6
Recording Plaint when value sued for more than £5	2 0
When more than one folio additional per folio	0 8
For selecting form of Plaint from Plaint Book if required	1 0
For summons to appear and plead when value sued for under £5	1 6
Extra folio above one, additional	0 8
For summons for Witness value under £5	1 0
Extra Ticket	0 3
For Summons for Witness value above £5	2 6
Extra Ticket	0 6
For "Duces Tecum" value under £5	1 3
Each Ticket	0 6
For Summons value above £5	3 0
Each Ticket	0 9
Swearing a Witness value under £5	0 3
Above £5	0 9
Swearing affidavit in course of any action value under £5	0 6
Above £5	1 0
Recording appearance of parties in Court value under £5	0 6
Above £5	0 9
Filing Agents authority to sue Defendant value under £5	0 6
Above £5	1 0

Entering Plea - Below £5	0 0 6
Above £5	0 1 0
Recording Judgment - Below £5	0 0 6
Above £5	0 1 0
Notice of Judgment by default - Below £5	0 1 0
Copy	0 0 6
Notice of Judgment by default - Above £5	0 2 0
Copy	0 0 9
Writ of Execution - under £5	0 2 6
Above £5	0 4 0
Order of Court - under £5	0 1 6
Each folio above 2	0 0 6
Copy	0 0 9
Each folio above two	0 0 4
Notice of Order for Conditional Examination of a Witness about to leave the Colony or by Commission	0 1 6
Copy	0 0 6
Taking Depositions of a Witness about to leave the Colony - For each folio not exceeding six	0 1 0
Each folio above 6	0 0 8
Drawing up Interrogatories for examination of a Witness by Commission - same as for Depositions for the first 6 folios being to be charged only once i.e. not on Interrogatories on both sides	0 0 0
Fair Copy to accompany Commission	0 0 4
Taking down Depositions of a Witness - not to be charged except in cases of Appeal	0 0 0
Commission for the examination of a Witness	0 5 0
Producing any Document for record for perusal or inspection	0 1 0
Do in Court	0 0 6
If any other Document or Record	0 2 0
Taxing Costs not exceeding two folio pages each	0 2 0
Above two pages	0 0 6
Precept for a Jury	0 4 0
Copy	0 1 0
Appointment to strike a Jury	0 0 6
Copy	0 0 6
Appointment to tax	0 0 6
Copy	0 0 3
Notice of Judgment recovered by private Creditors of Debtors to the Crown - to the Debtor & Creditor each copy	0 0 6
Enrolment of any commission to practice in Civil Court	0 5 0

Office Copy of any Record not exceeding One folio	"	1	"
Above and not exceeding ten folios	"	"	8
Above ten folios	"	"	6
Entering up Judgment on Warrant of Attorney	"	4	"
Entering Appeal	"	1	"
Notice thereof	"	1	"
Each copy	"	"	6
Taking recognizance	"	1	"
Copy and Summary of Evidence, Entries and proceedings in cases of Appeal, same as for Office copies	"	"	"
Commissioners Certificate subjoined thereto	"	2	"
Office Copy of Will not exceeding 10 folios – each	"	"	8
Above ten folios	"	"	6
Commissioners Certificate and affixing seal of Office	"	2	6
Form of Oath to be subjoined on proving Will	"	1	6
Swearing the same – each folio	"	1	"
Poundage for the receipt and custody of any money paid into Court – not exceeding £100 – each £	"	"	4
Above £100 "	"	"	2

Sheriff's Office

Established by Governor in Executive Council
1st August 1843.

For every Warrant on any Writ of Process	"	4	"

Arrest

For every Arrest where Bailiff resides – not exceeding twenty miles	1	1	"
Exceeding twenty miles	1	10	"
For conveying Defendant to Jail: per mile	"	1	"
Bailiff to conduct Prisoner to Jail	"	10	"
Discharge from custody	"	2	"

Bail Bond

For Bail Bond where it 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 "	"	"	"
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 – per day	"	10	"

Execution

For Bailiff for executing Warrants or Extents, Fieri Facias, Attachments, Writs of Possession; each	1	1	"
For every levy under Fieri Facias if no sale takes place, for risk of seizure 2½ per cent			
For every sale by Public Auction or Private Contract:–			
If under £300 – 5 per Cent			
" £400 – 4 "			
" £500 – 3 "			
Any amount in excess of £500 – 2½ per Cent			
For Certificate to save Auction Duty	"	1	"
For man in possession: according to Cost			
For Bond of Indemnity	1	"	"
For Bill of Sale of Goods not exceeding 6 folios	"	10	6
Above 6 folios each folio	"	1	"
For Summons for each Witness	"	2	6
Each Ticket	"	"	6
For Summoning	"	1	6

Replevin

For Bond	1	1	"
Receipt to Bailiff	"	2	6
Appraisement (if paid) under £50	"	5	"
Above £50	"	7	6
To Bailiff attending Appraisers	"	2	6
Do. delivering Goods according to Inventory	"	5	"

Serviceable Process

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 to affix 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 "

Sale of Real Property

For Notice of Sale and service	" 5 "
For drawing Advertisement of Sale and attendance to procure insertion	" 7. 6
For Advertisement: as paid	" " "
For Certificate and particulars of sale	" 2. 6

Jury Process

For return to a common Venire	" 3. 6
" Special Venire	" 5 "
For attendance on a view	" 10. 6
For summons for each Juror	" 1 "
For summoning each Juror, Special or Common	" 1. 6
Extra allowance to Bailiff, to cover travelling expenses - P. mile	" 1 "

Note. - The Sheriff is allowed to charge all unavoidable expenses in issuing Writs of Execution - also for Hire.

Colonial Secretary's Office

Under authority of the Royal Instructions a fee of Forty five shillings is charged on each Deed of Grant

Copies of Official Documents may be obtained on payment of the following fees, established by Government Notice of 10th February 1849: —

Any document not exceeding 10 folios of 72 words, each	" 7. 6
Each folio above ten	" 1 "
Certified Copies of Enrolled Deeds of Grant	" 10. 6

Under authority of Act of Council 8th William 4th No 1 a fee of one shilling is charged for inspecting Bank Returns which, under the same authority are required to be rendered quarterly to this office - When certified copies of such Returns are required a fee of 10/6 is chargeable.

All the preceding fees are paid to the Colonial Treasurer and form a portion of the General Revenue of the Colony.

The following Fees are chargeable, under authority of Act of Council 13th Victoria No 6, by the Commissioners of Courts of Requests; but are paid to the credit of the General Revenue of the Colony.

	Under 40/-		From 40/- to £5		From £5 to £10	
	s	d	s	d	s	d
Fees to Commissioners						
For issuing every Summons to appear and plead	1	"	1	6	2	"
Each copy	"	6	"	6	"	6
For issuing every Summons for a Witness & Copy (same as for Summons to appear and plead)	"	"	"	"	"	"
For every Original hearing	2	6	4	"	5	"
For every adjourned hearing	2	6	3	"	3	6
For every Rule Order or Notice	1	"	1	6	2	"
Each copy	"	6	"	6	"	6
Every process of Execution	1	"	2	"	3	"
All the necessary entries in a cause	1	"	2	"	3	"
Every search in the Register	"	2	"	4	"	6
Inspecting and filing particulars of Plaintiff's demand or set off	"	6	"	9	1	"
Swearing each Affidavit	"	3	"	6	"	9
Filing any other Document	"	3	"	6	"	9
Fees to Bailiffs						
For serving a Summons to appear and plead within a Township or one mile from Court	1	"	1	6	1	6
For every mile beyond	"	6	"	9	1	"
For swearing a Witness (same as for serving Summons)						
For swearing any Order Rule or Notice (" Do ")						
Attendance in Court at hearing	"	6	1	"	2	"
Each Witness sworn, including Pltiff & Defendant	"	3	"	6	"	9
For receiving money out of Court (otherwise than under execution) and paying over same	"	6	1	"	2	"
For every execution	5	"	7	6	10	"

The Registrar General of Births, Deaths and Marriages is authorised to charge as under:- ~~the fees forming part of the General Revenue of the Colony~~

	£	s	d
For every Birth registered	"	" 5	"
— " — Certified Copy	"	" 5	"

The Sub Registrars receive

For every Birth registered	"	" 1	"
— " — Marriage — "	"	" 2	6
— " — Search	"	" 1	"
— " — correction of an Entry	"	" 2	6
— " — Certified Copy	"	" 2	6

Under authority of Acts of Council 4 & 5 Victoria Nos 9 and 10 — and — under authority of Act of Council 10th Victoria No 18 are authorised to charge as follows:—

For every declaration of Marriage and entry thereof	"	" 2	"
— " — Notice and Entry thereof	"	" 2	"
— " — Certificate	"	" 2	6
— " — License	2	"	"
— " — Marriage by Registrar at his office	1	"	"
Attendance at Marriage; if by license	"	" 10	"
— Do — ; if by Certificate or Banns	"	" 5	"
Travelling expenses 1/6 per mile for not more than six miles and 1/- per mile beyond that distance - reckoned only one way			
For receiving a Caveat	"	" 5	"
Surrogate's License	2	"	"

The Colonial Chaplains charge as under:-

	£	s	d
For every Marriage by Licence	1	" 1	"
Clerk	"	" 7	"
For every Marriage by Banns	"	" 5	"
Clerk	"	" 2	6
Publishing the Banns	"	" 2	6
For every Baptism	"	" 2	"
Clerk	"	" 1	"
Churching	"	" 2	"
Clerk	"	" 1	"
Churching and Baptism at same time	"	" 5	"
Clerk	"	" 1	"
Burial	"	" 5	"
Clerk	"	" 1	"

ABSTRACT

OF THE

NET REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

OF

Western Australia

FOR THE YEAR

1853.

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 of 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.

From Auditor

NET REVENUE and

REVENUE.

Sterling.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Arrears of Revenue last Year - - - - - - -						
FIXED.						
Customs						
Spirits	10012	"	6			
Wines	1020	9	3			
Tobacco	1829	16	7			
Goods (ad valorem)	6379	19	10			
Warehouse Rent	238	18	1			
				19481	4	3
Harbor Dues				434	"	"
Land Sales				2225	3	11
Land Revenue						
Rents	"	"	"			
Depasturing & Tillage Leases	2299	5	9			
Timber licenses	74	10	"			
				2373	15	9
Rents (exclusive of Land)						
Slaughter Houses	123	10	6			
Arrears of Tolls	77	3	6			
				200	14	"
Transfer Duties (on Landed Property)				109	15	5
Auction Duties				408	16	3
Licenses						
To retail Spirits	897	13	4			
To sell by Auction	49	12	"			
To keep Dogs	112	7	6			
To practice in Civil Court	4	"	"			
				1063	12	10
Fixed Revenue Carried forward						
Carried forward - - -				26297	2	5

EXPENDITURE.

EXPENDITURE.

Sterling.	Ordinary and Fixed Expense of the Departments of Government. £	s.	d.	Contingent and Accidental Expenses. £	s.	d.	Total Expenditure. £	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Arrears of Expenditure of last Year - - - - - - - - -												
The Governor	1568	6	8	168	18	8	1737	5	4			
Colonial Secretary	1097	"	"	455	2	3	1552	2	3			
Clerk of the Council	200	"	"	144	7	6	344	7	6			
Treasurer	574	8	4	10	"	"	584	8	4			
Auditor General	495	"	"	4	"	"	499	"	"			
Registrar of Deeds	50	"	"	"	"	"	50	"	"			
Registrar of Births &c	49	3	4	"	"	"	49	3	4			
Surveyor General	2144	7	4	340	18	2	2485	5	6			
Supt. of Public Works	407	10	"	76	16	1	484	6	1			
Collector of Revenue	920	9	"	"	"	"	920	9	"			
Post office	515	9	10	110	"	11	625	10	9			
Harbor Master	747	19	"	"	"	"	747	19	"			
Judicial Establishment	2300	12	10	"	"	"	2300	12	10			
Ecclesiastical — Do	1212	3	1	86	"	"	1298	3	1			
Medical — Do	623	2	3	44	14	8	667	16	11			
Police and Gaols	1204	1	9	911	4	3	2115	6	"			
Abrigines	625	"	"	177	18	9	802	18	9			
Commandant	182	10	"	"	"	"	182	10	"			
Education	464	12	3	20	12	6	485	4	9			
Civil Establishment Carried forward	15381	15	8	2550	13	9	17932	9	5			
Carried forward - - £										17932	9	5

NET REVENUE and

REVENUE.

Sterling.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
FIXED—*continued.*						
Brought forward				26297	2	5
Postages				916	13	4
Fines, Forfeitures and Fees of Court						
Judicial Fines and Forfeitures	318	8	-			
Fees of Civil Court	103	-	5			
Fees of Sheriffs — "	66	3	-			
Fees of Courts of Requests	36	14	3			
				524	5	8
Fees of Office						
Colonial Secretary	315	15	-			
Surveyor General	43	14	9			
Registrar of Deeds	69	5	6			
				428	15	3
Sale of Government Property						
Unserviceable Stores	106	8	-			
Horses	85	9	-			
				191	17	-
Reimbursements in aid of expenses incurred						
Treatment of Patients in Hospital	21	11	-			
Provisions supplied to prisoners	78	5	3			
Miscellaneous expenses	10	15	2			
				110	11	5
Miscellaneous Services				23	7	9
Special Receipts						
Repayment of Loans	280	16	7			
Interest on Ditto	38	14	4			
				319	10	11
Total Fixed Revenue - - -						
Carried forward - -				28812	3	9

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										17932	9	5
Total Expense of Civil Establishment												
Carried forward										17932	9	5

NET REVENUE and

Sterling.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				28812	3	9
INCIDENTAL.						
Refunds	21	13	4			
Sale of Guano	250	1	6			
Total Incidental Revenue	271	14	10	271	14	10
Carried forward				29,083	18	7

EXPENDITURE—*continued.*

Sterling.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				17932	9	5
DISBURSEMENTS on ACCOUNT of MISCELLANEOUS CIVIL SERVICES.						
Services exclusive of Establishments						
Gratuities	70	"	"			
Revenue Services	105	14	7			
Administration of Justice	200	1	10			
Ecclesiastical	321	2	"			
Charitable Allowances	182	2	2			
Education	274	14	5			
Hospitals	816	19	10			
Police	421	5	4			
Gaols	2488	16	8			
Rent	130	13	4			
Transport	103	16	"			
Conveyance of Mails	977	"	4			
Works and Buildings	6748	15	7			
Roads Bridges &c	2123	18	9			
Miscellaneous	895	10	7			
Surveyor General	196	19	"			
Aborigines	279	18	10			
Harbor Master	1153	12	11			
Repayment of Debts and Debentures	2050	"	"			
Immigration Services	338	12	"			
Interest on Debentures	5	5	"			
Refunds	136	1	10			
— Do — of Customs duty on exportation	99	5	4			
Miscellaneous Disbursements Carried forward	20,120	6	4			
Carried forward				17,932	9	5

NET REVENUE and

Sterling.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				29,083	18	7
RECEIPTS IN AID OF REVENUE.						
From Commissariat Chest on account of the Parliamentary Grant	5485	0	5			
Parliamentary Grant in aid of Immigration to Convict Colonies	2784	7	0			
Total Incidental Receipts	8269	7	5	8269	7	5
Carried forward				37,353	6	0

EXPENDITURE—*continued.*

Sterling.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
DISBURSEMENTS on ACCOUNT of MISCELLANEOUS CIVIL SERVICES—*continued.*						
Brought forward	20,120	6	4	17,932	9	5
Total Miscellaneous Disbursements	20,120	6	4	20,120	6	4
Carried forward				38,052	15	9

NET REVENUE and

Sterling.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				37,353	6	-
Total Revenue - Sterling.				37353	6	-

EXPENDITURE—*continued.*

Sterling.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				38,052	15	9
MILITARY DISBURSEMENTS DEFRAYED by the COLONY.						
ORDINARY.						
CONTINGENT.						
In all Military Disbursements - -						
Total Expenditure - Sterling.				38.052	15	9

COMPARATIVE YEARLY STATEMENT of the REVENUE.

Specify each separate Tax or Duty.	Amount collected in the Year 1852 in Pounds Sterling.			Amount collected in the Year 1853 in Pounds Sterling.			Increase in Pounds Sterling.			Decrease in Pounds Sterling.			Cause of Increase or Decrease.
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Fixed.													
Customs	16,637	17	1	19,481	4	3	2843	7	2	"	"	"	Increased importations.
Harbr Dues	384	8	2	434	"	"	49	11	10	"	"	"	Harbr dues exacted at K. Geo Sound
Land Sales	2,502	19	8	2,225	3	11	"	"	"	277	15	9	In consequence of a rumour that Convicts were not to be sent any longer to the Colony Land transactions ceased in a great measure.
Land Revenue	2,111	14	6	2,373	15	9	262	1	3	"	"	"	More Depasturing Licenses issued
Rents exclusive of Land	329	5	7	200	14	"	"	"	"	128	11	7	Abolition of Tolls.
Transfer Duties	80	12	3	109	15	5	29	3	2	"	"	"	
Auction Duties	275	17	11	408	16	3	132	18	4	"	"	"	All these increases are attributable
Licenses	959	2	7	1063	12	10	104	10	3	"	"	"	to the greater amount of business now
Postages	893	11	8	916	13	4	23	1	8	"	"	"	transacted over that of 1852.
Fines, Forfeitures & fees of Court	449	5	8	524	5	8	75	"	"	"	"	"	
Fees of Office	548	12	6	428	15	3	"	"	"	119	17	3	Same as for decrease in land revenue. a lesser amount being realized for fees on Deeds of Grant.
Sale of Government Property	134	5	2	191	17	"	57	11	10	"	"	"	
Reimbursement of expenses incurred	139	18	1	110	11	5	"	"	"	29	6	8	
Miscellaneous Services	2	4	7	23	7	9	21	3	2	"	"	"	
Special Receipts	238	15	4	319	10	11	80	15	7	"	"	"	
£	25,688	10	9	28,812	3	9	3679	4	3	555	11	3	
Incidental													
Refunds	76	19	1	21	13	4	"	"	"	55	5	9	
Parliamentary Grant in aid	6,842	5	8	5485	"	5	"	"	"	1357	5	3	Grant reduced for last 3 quarters of the year in conformity with Secretary of State's instructions
Sale of Guano	1,902	10	6	250	1	6	"	"	"	1652	9	"	Transactions nearly closed.
Parliamentary Grant for Immigration to Convict Colonies	396	7	2	2784	7	"	2387	19	10	"	"	"	Increased Immigration.
Total	34,906	13	2	37,353	6	"	6067	4	1	3620	11	3	

COMPARATIVE YEARLY STATEMENT OF THE COLONIAL EXPENDITURE.

Specify each separate Head of Expenditure.	Expenditure 1852 in Pounds Sterling.			Expenditure 1863. in Pounds Sterling.			Increase in Pounds Sterling.			Decrease in Pounds Sterling.			Cause of Increase or Decrease.
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Establishments	15447	9	3	17932	9	5	2485	"	2	"	"	"	Addition to pay & allowances of Government Officers to enable them partially to meet the increase of price in all necessaries of life.
Gratuities	50	"	"	70	"	"	20	"	"	"	"	"	
Revenue Services	123	11	6	105	14	7	"	"	"	17	16	11	
Administration of Justice	295	9	7	200	1	10	"	"	"	95	7	9	Lighter Sessions than have been known for some time.
Ecclesiastical	65	"	"	321	2	"	256	2	"	"	"	"	Aid to Churches in Rural Districts
Charitable Allowances	267	6	6	182	2	2	"	"	"	85	4	4	Abundance of employment for all classes.
Education	117	8	"	274	14	5	157	6	5	"	"	"	Aid for erection of Schools in Rural Districts
Hospitals	397	1	11	816	19	10	419	17	11	"	"	"	Fittings for new Hospital
Police and Gaols	1598	18	5	2910	2	"	1311	3	7	"	"	"	Number of runaway seamen
Rent	43	6	8	130	13	4	87	6	8	"	"	"	Buildings hired for Post Offices, and use in rent.
Transport	124	5	1	103	16	"	"	"	"	20	9	1	
Conveyance of Mails	564	8	6	977	"	4	412	11	10	"	"	"	Increased Postal accommodation
Works and Buildings	7152	10	2	6748	15	7	"	"	"	403	14	7	Fewer works undertaken. for particulars see "Public Works"
Roads and Bridges	1884	3	8	2123	18	9	239	15	1	"	"	"	Construction of road to Kingsley's Pound & Bridge across the Swan such as had applied
Miscellaneous	2161	16	9	895	10	7	"	"	"	1266	6	2	Amounts formerly charged to this Item were distributed under different Heads
Surveyor General	338	4	6	196	19	"	"	"	"	141	5	6	No explorations undertaken.
Aborigines	273	15	"	279	18	10	6	3	10	"	"	"	
Harbor Master	549	17	6	1153	12	11	603	15	5	"	"	"	Erection of Beacons in the Anchorages.
Repayment of Debts & Debentures	1602	10	9	2050	"	"	447	9	3	"	"	"	£2000 repaid Imp.l Govt. & £50 Church Debenture
Immigration Services	49	12	"	338	12	"	289	"	"	"	"	"	Increased Immigration
Interest on Debentures	3	10	"	5	5	"	1	15	"	"	"	"	Interest on final Church Debenture
Refunds	"	"	"	136	1	10	136	1	10	"	"	"	£100 refunded in purchase of land but transaction subsequently completed
Do of Customs Duty on exportation	"	"	"	99	5	4	99	5	4	"	"	"	Drawback on exports.
Total	33110	5	9	38052	15	9	6972	14	4	2030	4	4	

LOCAL REVENUES.

RETURN of all LOCAL REVENUES raised and appropriated under the Authority

REVENUE.	Amount collected in Pounds Sterling.		
	£	s.	d.
There are Town Trusts established in several of the Towns of the Colony under whose authority assessments for the improvements of the Towns are levied on the Holders of Allotments – in addition to the amount thus realized small sums are obtained from Cart and Boat licences which are appropriated to the same purpose; and generally the whole of the receipts are expended before the termination of the year.			

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

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

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	£	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 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.

Commissariat

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

In Pounds Sterling.

	£	s.	d.
Nil			

Station	Military Post or otherwise	Fortifications	Buildings	
			Ordnance	Convict
Perth	Military Post	None	Ordnance. Barracks. Detachment 99th Regt	Convict
Fremantle	Do	"	Ordnance - Barracks R.E. & Miners & Pensioners	Convict
Albany	Do	"	Ordnance - Barracks & Commt Store - Pensioners	Do
Bunbury	Convict Station	"	Ordnance - Barracks Pensioners	Do
Guildford	Do	"	None	Do Pensioners
Toodyay	Do	"	Do	Do Pensioners
York	Do	"	Ordnance - Barracks Pensioners	Do
Champion Bay	Military Post	"	Do Do	None
Port Gregory	Convict Station	"	None	Convict. Pensioners
Kojonup	Military Post	"	Ordnance - Barracks Pensioners.	None.

No expense incurred on the above account so far as the Local Government is concerned.

Neither Militia or any other Local Corps attached:—
No charge to the Colony

No pecuniary allowance is drawn by the Troops, nor is there any charge against the Colony for their maintenance.

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.

None

ACCOUNT of EXPENDITURE incurred by GREAT BRITAIN

COMMISSARIAT.

Pay of the Troops, Provisions, &c.

Specify each separate Head of Expenditure.	Amount in Pounds Sterling. £	s.	d.
Army Expenditure for the year 1853, including Troops, Pensioner Force, Staff &c. Departments - Pay and Allowances, pecuniary and in kind	35,574	1	2
Ordnance Expenditure for the year 1853, Royal Artillery, Royal Engineers, Royal Sappers and Miners - Pay and Allowances, pecuniary & in kind	5,951	2	6
Convict Expenditure for the year 1853 including Pay and Allowances, pecuniary and in kind, exclusive of Buildings and all services in connection with the Convict Department	52,625	0	2
Advance on account of Parliamentary Grant	5,485	0	5
Grant in aid of Immigration to Convict Colonies	2,784	7	0
Carried forward £	102,419	11	3

for the Military Protection, and in aid of the Civil Establishment.

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.
Brought Forward				102,419	11	3
Works and Buildings	582	6	7			
				582	6	7
Total £				103,001	17	10

PUBLIC WORKS.

Clerk of Works

RETURN of all PUBLIC WORKS, CIVIL ROADS, CANALS, BRIDGES,

Describe the Work, and where situated.	Whether constructing or under Repair.	Estimated Expense in Pounds Sterling.	Authority under which it is executed.
Government House, Perth	Repair		H.E. the Gov.r in Executive Council
Public offices, Perth	"		"
Sundry Buildings, Perth	"		"
Slaughter House — Do.	Constructing		"
Stables, Government Domain	"		"
Colonial Hospital Perth	"	4674 . 9 . 11	"
Government School — Do.	"	962 . 7 . 4	"
Enclosure Wall Govt Domain	"		"
Wing to Public Offices Perth	"		"
Lock-up, Perth	"		"
Enclosure Wall, Servants Home	"		"
— Do. — Infant School	"		"
Additions to Government House	"	70	"
Porch to Court House, Perth	"	50	"
Bonded Warehouse Fremantle	"		"
Court House — Do.	"		"
Custom House do — Do.	Repairs		"
Light House — Do.	"		"
Government House Rottnest	"		"
Lock-up Guildford	Constructing		"
School House Fremantle	"	896 . 5 . 6	"
Miscellaneous Services			"
Office Furniture			"
Roads and Bridges generally throughout the Colony	Construction and repairs		"

BUILDINGS, &c. &c., not of a Military Nature, which have been undertaken during the Year.

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.
Colonial				442 . 19 . 3	Amt expended in 1853 - £71 . 10 . 9
"				485 . 13 . 9	— Do — £176 . 14 . 9 £298 . 11 . 1 1852
"				258 . 8 . 10	
"	1851	Finished	2119 . 4 . 3		£157 . 18 . 1 in 1852
"	1852	Unfinished		948 . 15 . 5	£60 . 6 . 2 in 1852
"	"	"		2876 . 5 . 4	£739 . 18 . 4 in 1852
"	1853	"		404 . 14 . 7	
"	1852	"		874	
"	"	Finished	535 . 4 . .		
"	"	Finished	500 . 8 . 5		
"	"	"	734 . 1 . 8		
"	"	"	80 . 13 . 4		
"	"	"	190 . . . 2		
"	"	"	46 . 17 . 11		
"	"	"	833 . 2 . 4		
"	"	"	557 . 1 . 2		
"	"	Unfinished		317	
"	"	Finished	166 . . . 3		
"	"	"	80 . 11 . 9		
"	"	Unfinished		492 . 11 . .	
"				448 . 3 . 6	
"			290 . 5 . 10		
"				25 . 6 . 9	
"				1925 . 8 . 2	
			6133 . 11 . 1	9499 . 6 . 7	

LEGISLATION.

SCHEDULE

OF ALL THE

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

WHICH HAVE BEEN PROMULGATED IN THE COLONY

DURING THE YEAR

1853

Date of the Law, &c.	SUBSTANCE OF THE LAW, &c.	Transmitted to England.
	16th Victoria	
	No 11	
13 April 1853	An Ordinance to interpret and shorten the Language of Ordinances of the Governor and Legislative Council, and to render unnecessary repetitions therein	6 August 1853
	No 12	
— " —	An Ordinance to amend the "Public Slaughter House Ordinance 1852"	— " —
	No 13	
14 — " —	An Ordinance to prohibit Sales by Auction carried on at night	— " —
	No 14	
13 — " —	An Ordinance to provide for the issue of Licenses to Hill Hawkers	— " —
	No 15	
14 — " —	An Ordinance to amend an Ordinance to provide for the Establishment of a scale of Pilotage Fees and Light dues passed in 1850, No 2.	— " —
	No 16	
15 — " —	An Ordinance to provide for the removal of Boundary posts in Towns and for the substitution under certain circumstances of Boundary marks	— " —

Date of the Law, &c.	SUBSTANCE OF THE LAW, &c.	Transmitted to England.
	No 17	
15 April 1853.	An Ordinance to enable Trustees to surrender and exchange certain Lands vested in them for Public purposes	6 August 1853
	No 18	
19 — " —	An Ordinance to make further provision for the safe custody and discipline of Offenders transported to Western Australia and of Offenders sentenced therein to transportation	— " —
	No 19	
— " —	An Ordinance to authorise Justices of the Peace to issue Search Warrants without Information on Oath and to enact additional Police Regulations	— " —
	No 20	
20 — " —	An Ordinance to make further provision for the Licensing of Boats and Boatmen and for the Preservation of Settlers &c.	— " —
	No 21	
29 — " —	An Ordinance to provide for certain unforeseen expences during 1853 and also for the appropriation of the Revenue for 1854	— " —
	No 22	
— " —	An Ordinance to regulate the temporal affairs of Churches and Chapels of the United Church of England & Ireland in W. Australia	— " —

LEGISLATION.

Date of the Law, &c.	SUBSTANCE OF THE LAW, &c.	Transmitted to England.
	No. 23	
5 May 1853	An Ordinance to provide for the payment of certain unforeseen expenses during the year 1853.	6 August 1853.
	Proclamations	
Gazette		
3 Jany 1853	Establishing scale of Pilotage fees at King George's Sound.	
4 — " —	Establishing Public Slaughter House Perth	
30 April — "	Resuming portions of Garden Island	
23 July — "	Putting "Passengers Act 1852" in force	
3 — " — "	That certain Ordinances have been approved by the Crown	
13 August —	Establishing certain Setty Regulations under authority of 16 Victoria No. 20.	
20 — " —	Resuming portion of "Perth Suburban Lot b"	
23 — " —	Resuming portions of "Perth Lots Q 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8"	
17 September "	Ordinances 16 Victoria No. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 & 10. have been approved by Her Majesty	
23 November —	Further resumption of part of "Perth Suburban Lot b"	
17 December "	Putting in force the Queen's Proclamation relative to tender of Silver Coin.	

LEGISLATION.

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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.
C. FitzGerald	August 1848		Governor &c
G. M. Reeves			
F. C. Irwin	August 1837		Commandant
W. A. Sanford	January 1852		Colonial Secretary
E. Y. W. Henderson	June 1852		Comptroller General
J. S. Roe	February 1832		Surveyor General
R. Burne			
G. F. Moore	July 1832		Advocate General
B. Urban Vigors	February 1852		Acting Do
A. C. Sutherland	July 1847		Collector of Revenue

W. Burnie was appointed in August 1853 Advocate General but did not arrive in the Colony until January 1854.

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.
C. FitzGerald	August 1848		Governor &c.
G. W. Rees F. C. Irwin	August 1837		Commandant
W. A. Sanford	January 1832		Colonial Secretary
J. S. Roe	February 1832		Surveyor General
R. Burne G. F. Burne	July 1832		Advocate General
B. U. Vegas	February 1832		Acting Do.
N. C. Sutherland	July 1847		Collector of Revenue
W. H. Mackie	July 1841		Comm. of Civil Court
Lionel Samson	December 1849		None
M. W. Clifton	May 1831		None
W. P. Clifton	May 1832		None

The first six are members ex officio

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

RETURN of Members composing the Legislative Council.

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

ASSEMBLY.

RETURN of Members of the Assembly.

Names.	When Elected.	For what Place.	Whether holding any and what Office, Civil or Military.

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CIVIL ESTABLISHMENT

OF

Western Australia

FOR THE YEAR

1853.

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 Departments.

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 Office 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.
Armstrong A.	Sailer Guildford	100
Armstrong F. F.	Native Interpreter	94
Austin J. G.	Superintendent of Public Works	90
Do	Supervisor of Towns	"
Austin Robert	Assistant Surveyor	88
Back C.	Pilot Rottnest Island	92
Barry Rev. Z.	Chaplain, Fremantle	102
Bateman John	Postmaster, Fremantle	92
Brown R. McClyde	Government Resident Fremantle	98
Do	Collector of Customs	90
Brown Rev. H. W.	Chaplain Bunbury	102
Brown Thomas	Police Magistrate Fremantle	"
Do	Commissioner Court of Requests	98
Brown Kenneth	Clerk to Police Magistrate Fremantle	102
Bruce Capt. John	Immigration Agent	104
Burges William	Resident Magistrate Champion Bay	98
Burnell W.	Gaoler Albany	100
Campbell Henry	Resident Magistrate Albany	98
Do	Sub Collector "	90
Do	Deputy Treasurer "	86
Campbell George	Messenger Public offices	"
Campbell R.	Clerk to Police Magistrate Perth	102
Chipper John	Head Constable Perth	100
Do	Bailiff of Civil Court	98
Do	Bailiff of Court of Requests Perth	"
Clifton W. J.	2d Clerk Col. Secretary's Office	86
Clifton C.	Postmistress Australind	92
Clifton C. H.	Tidewaiter Bunbury	90
Courthope C. L.	Clerk, Audit Office	88
Corvan Walkinshaw	Guardian of Natives Gaol	94
Do	Assistant Police Magistrate Do	102
Davis Alfred	Cooper, Custom House Fremantle	90
Durlacher Alfred	Clerk, Governor's Office	86
Drummond John	Deputy Supt of Police Champion Bay	102
Dansham D.	Gaoler & Constable Vasse	100
Eliot George	Resident Magistrate Bunbury	98

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Names of Officers.	OFFICE.	Page in the Book in which his Office is described.
Eliot George	Sub Collector of Customs Bunbury	90
Farmer Lydia	Teacher Perth Girls School	96
Farrelly J.	Ass't Gaoler Perth Gaol	100
Ferguson John	Colonial Surgeon	94
Fitzgerald Charles	Governor & Commander in Chief	86
Fold Capt. C. V.	Deputy Immigration Agent	104
Gale W.	1st Clerk Custom House Fremantle	90
Gill John	Gaoler & Constable Bunbury	100
Goulston John	Attendant Public Offices	86
Goulston Mary	Housekeeper Do	"
Gregory A. C.	Assistant Surveyor	88
Gregory F. T.	Do	"
Grivee Rev. W.	R.C. Chaplain Perth	102
Harder Joseph	Clock Keeper Perth	90
Harding James	Harbr Master Fremantle	92
Harris J. S.	Resident Magistrate Toodyay	98
Hester Thomas	Do Canning	"
Do	Postmaster Do	92
Helmich A.	Postmaster General	"
Herring J.	Postmaster Vasse	"
Hillas H. D.	Letter Carrier Perth	"
Hillman Alfred	Assistant Surveyor	88
Irwin F. C.	Commandant	94
Jewell Richard	Clerk of Works	90
Johnson M.	Teacher Perth Boys' School	96
Johnson	Assistant Teacher Do	"
Knight William	Auditor General	88
Knight Stephen	Tidewaiter Albany	90
Do	Supervisor of Towns	"
Do	Postmaster Albany	92
Lawrence M.	Housekeeper Public Offices Fremantle	90
Lefroy A. O'Grady	Private Secretary	86
Do	Clerk of Councils	"
Lee Frederick	Postmaster Toodyay	92
Mackie W. H.	Chairman of Quarter Sessions &c	96

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Names of Officers.	OFFICE.	Page in the Book in which his Office is described.
Marshall W.	Hospital Assistant	94
Marelli Revd T.	Rc Chaplain Fremantle	102
Meares Rly	Resident Magistrate York	98
Mitchell Revd W.	Chaplain Swan District	102
Molloy John	Resident Magistrate Toodyay	98
Mune G. F.	Advocate General	96
Moore W. A.	2d Clerk Survey Office	88
Murray D. S.	Resident Magistrate Murray	98
——— Do.	Postmaster ——— Do.	92
Pengilly Mr. A.	Teacher Fremantle Girls' School	96
Phillips G. B.	3d Clerk Colonial Secretary's Office	86
Pownall Revd G. P.	Chaplain York	102
Roe John Septimus	Surveyor General	88
Roe James B.	1st Clerk Survey Office	"
Sanford W. A.	Colonial Secretary	86
Samson Grace	Draftsman Survey Office	88
——— Do.	Lithographer ——— Do.	"
Sholl Charles	Chief Clerk	86
Sillifant J. W.	Chairman of Sessions Albany	96
Smith Bernard	Colonial Storekeeper	90
Smithies Revd J.	Wesleyan Chaplain York	102
Stone A. H.	Clerk of the Peace	86
——— Do.	Registrar Clerk of Civil Court	96
——— Do.	Commissioner Ct. of Requests Perth	98
——— Do.	Registrar of Deeds	"
Stone Geo Frederick	Crown Solicitor	88
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——— Do.	Inspector of Weights & Measures	88
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——— Do.	Colonial Treasurer	86
Symmons Charles	Guardian of Natives Perth	"
——— Do.	Assistant Police Magistrate Do.	94
Teede G. R.	Postmaster York	102
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Governor's Office															
Governor	C. Fitzgerald	July 1848	H.M. Commission	1300	"	"	Parly Hol.				Govt House	H.P. Pay Com. Royal Navy	— " —	Forage for 2 Horses	July 1848
Private Secretary	A. Ogl. Lefroy	— " — 1849	Governor	150	"	"	Colonial					Clerk of Councils	— " —	— Home —	July 1849
Clerk	A. Durlacher	— " — 1851	— " —	125	"	"	— " —					Clerk to Finance Bd.	— " —	— " —	April 1838
Colonial Secretary's Office															
Colonial Secretary	W. A. Sanford	March 1851	H. M. Warrant	600	"	"	Parly Hol.						— " —		March 1851
Chief Clerk	Charles Sholl	July 1831	Governor	275	"	"	— " —						— " —		April 1843
Secnd Do	W. J. Cliffin	March 1852	— " —	130	"	"	Convict Hol.						— " —		Septr. 1850
Third Do	G. B. Phillips	— " —	— " —	70	"	"	Colonial						— " —		March 1852
Attendant	John Goulston	Jany 1838	— " —	50	"	"	— " —				Govt Offices		— " —	Out Pens. Greenwich H.	Jany 1838
Messenger	George Campbell	Feby 1851	— " —	35 20	"	"	— " —						— " —		Feby 1851
Housekeeper	Mary Goulston	Jany 1838	— " —	35	"	"	— " —				Govt Offices		— " —		Jany 1838
Council Office															
Clerk of Councils	A. Ogl. Lefroy	October 1851	— " —	200	"	"	— " —					Private Secretary	—		July 1849
Treasury															
Colonial Treasurer	H. C. Sutherland	Jany 1833	— " —	450	"	"	— " —					Collector of Revenue	—		Decr. 1828
Clerk	H. Spencer	— " —	— " —	175	"	"	— " —						—		Jany 1833
Deputy Treasurer	H. Canfield	July 1851	— " —	30	"	"	— " —					Rest Mag Albany	—		October 1840
			Carried forward												

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The salary of £450 per ann: drawn by Mr Sutherland is for discharging the joint duties of Treasurer and Collector of Revenue which are carried on in the same office.

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Audit Office															
Auditor General	W. Knight	Nov. 1846	Governor	350	"	"	Colonial								June 1831
Clerk	C. L. Counsliope	July 1847	"	140	"	"	"								July 1847
Registry Office															
Registrar General	G. F. Stone	Aug 1841	"	50	"	"	"					Crown Solicitor Do			July 1834
Registrar of Deeds	A. H. Stone	April 1833.	"	50	"	"	"					Clerk of Peace Do			March 1830
Survey Department															
Surveyor General	J. S. Roe	Decr 1828	Secy of State	500	"	"	"					Half Pay Lieut. Royl Navy		Forage for 1 Horse	Decr 1828
1st Assistant Surveyor	A. Hillman	Augt 1830	Do	275	"	"	"							Forage and Bush allowances when employed in the field	Augt 1830
2d Do	A. C. Gregory	Augt 1842	Governor	250	"	"	"								" 1842
3d Do	F. T. Gregory	May 1849	"	225	"	"	"								Jany 1842
Temporary Do	Robt Austin	Septr 1852	"	200	"	"	"								Augt 1846
Draftsman	A. Lawson	April 1842	"	225	"	"	"					Lithographer			April 1842
1st Clerk	J. B. Roe	March 1852	"	130	"	"	"						1 Month		March 1852
2d Do	W. Hume	"	"	70	"	"	"								"
Lithographic Press															
Lithographer	A. Lawson	Augt 1852	"	25	"	"	"					Draftsman			April 1842
Pressman	M. Hogan	"	"	63	17	6	"								Augt 1852
			Carried forward												

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Sub Registrars of Births &c are appointed for the different Districts of the Colony - they receive no Salary, but are entitled to all the Fees of Office -

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Office of Works															
Supt of Works	James G. Austin	April 1831	Governor	200	"	"	Colonial					Supervisor of Turns			April 1831
Clerk of Works	Richard Sewell	Jany 1853	"	150	"	"	"								Jany 1853
Clerk	Saml Mitchell	Jany 1852	"	60	"	"	"								Jany 1852
Supervisor, Perth	J. G. Austin	June 1831	"	50	"	"	"					Supt of Pub Works			April 1831
Do Albany	J. Knight	"	"	10	"	"	"					Postmaster Albany			Sept. 1842
Clock Keeper	J. Hardey		"	10	"	"	"								
Customs															
Coll. of Customs	R. McB. Brown	Jan. 1853	"	250	"	"	"					Govt Rest Fremantle			May 1831
1st Clerk	W. Gale	March 1853	"	150	"	"	"								March 1853
2d Do	Pease	Jany	"	100	"	"	"								Jany 1853
Cooper	Alfred Davies	May 1846	"	92	"	"	"								May 1846
Housekeeper	Mary Lawrence	Feby 1851	"	10	"	"	"								Feby 1851
Shedkeeper Perth	B. Smith	Octr 1851	"	30	"	"	"								Octr 1851
Subcoll. Albany	H. Campfield	July 1847	"	100	"	"	"					Rest Mag Albany			Octr 1840
Clerk Do	J. Knight	Sept. 1842	"	75	"	"	"								Sept. 1842
Subcoll. Bunbury	G. Eliot	Decr 1840	"	25	"	"	"					Rest Mag Bunbury			Decr 1840
Clerk Do	C. H. Clifton	July 1851	"	50	"	"	"					Postmaster Do			July 1851
Subcoll. Vasse	J. Molloy	Augt 1830	"	50	"	"	"					Rest Mag Vasse			Augt 1830
			Carried forward												

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Mr Austin resigned Office in July 1853 and was succeeded by Mr Sewell who however retains his title of Clerk of Works and draws from that date a salary of £175 and £25 as Supervisor of Turns.

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Harbor Master's Office			Brought forward												
Harbr Master	J. Harding	Feby 1831	Governor	200	"	"	Colonial								Feby 1831
Light Hse Keep. Fremantle	John Perril	Septr 1852	"	40	"	"	"				Light House			Rations	Septr 1852
Pilot, Rottnest Id	C. Back	Septr 1846	"	72	"	"	"				Yes, at Rottnest			Rations	Septr 1846
Light Hse Keeper Do	T. C. Carter (Dufield)	Jany 1833	"	40	"	"	"				Lighthouse			Rations	Jany 1833
Pilot Albany	W. Pretious	Octr 1852	"	100	"	"	"				Yes				Octr 1852
Post Office															
Postmaster General	A. Helmich	July 1847	"	200	"	"	"								Septr 1840
Letter Carrier	H. P. Hellas	July 1849	"	60	"	"	"								July 1849
Postmaster Albany	J. Knight	Septr 1842	"	40	"	"	"					Tidewaiter Albany			Septr 1842
" Australind	C. Clifton	Aug 1849	"	10	"	"	"								Augt 1849
" Bunbury	C. Clifton (Spence Sole)	July 1851	"	10	"	"	"								July 1851
" Canning	T. Hester	May 1843	"	5	"	"	"					Rest Mag Canning			May 1843
" Champion B.	Serjt of Detachmt		"	5	"	"	"							Military Pay	
" Fremantle	J. Bateman	March 1833	"	100	"	"	"								March 1833
" Guildford	A. Armstrong	Octr 1833	"	20	"	"	"					Sailer Guildford			Octr 1833
" Northam	J. Woodward	July 1833	"	10	"	"	"								July 1833
" Toodyay	A. Lee	July 1832	"	10	"	"	"					Commt Streetkeeper		Commt Pay	July 1832
" Mandurah	D. J. Murray	Decr 1846	"	7	10	"	"					Resident, Murray			Decr 1846
" York	G. R. Teede	Octr 1849	"	20	"	"	"								Octr 1849
" Upperhuan	J. Spence	Jany 1833	"	6	"	"	"								Jany 1833
" Vasse	J. Herring	Decr 1842	"	10	"	"	"								Decr 1842
Pathfeyg	Glascott			5											
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Aborigines															
Guardian Perth	C. Symmons	Decr 1839	Secy of State	250	–	–	Parliamt					Asst Police Magistrate		Forage allowance	Decr 1839
— Do — York	W. Corvan	Septr 1848	Governor	250	–	–	— " —					— Do —		— Do —	Jany 1839
Sub Do — Albany	A. Trimmer	Feby 1853	— " —	100	–	–	— " —							— Do —	Feby 1853
Interpreter	F. F. Armstrong	April 1834	— " —	25	–	–	Colonial								April 1834
Medical Department															
Colonial Surgeon	J. Ferguson	June 1846	— " —	320	–	–	— " —					visiting Med Off. Convict Depot		Forage allowance	June 1846
Hospital Asst	J. Marshall	Octr 1853	— " —	60	–	–	— " —								Octr 1850
Nurse	L. McLaughlan (Mrs Gilbert)	— " — " —	— " —	25	–	–	— " —								— " —
Servant	W. Jameson	March 1852	— " —	25	–	–	— " —								March 1852
Malim Lunatic Asylm	M. Rawlings (F. Brown)	Octr 1853	— " —	30	–	–	— " —								October 1853
Surgeon Fremantle	J. Shipton	Jany 1849	— " —	100	–	–	— " —								Jany 1849
Health Offr Do	— Do — (H. Jenvis)	— " —	— " —	50	–	–	— " —								— " —
Surgeon, Albany	H. N. Wollaston	Decr 1849	— " —	30	–	–	— " —								Decr 1849
Health Offr Do	— Do —	— " —	— " —	40	–	–	— " —								— " —
Surgeon Bunbury	P. Bridges	Octr 1853	— " —	30	–	–	— " —								Octr 1853
— Do — York	R. Viveash	March 1853	— " —	30	–	–	— " —								March 1853
— Do — Pilgrim	~~J. Hancock~~ Edwards	July 1853	— " —	20	–	–	— " —								July 1853
Military															
Commandant	F. C. Irwin (J. McLeod)	Augt 1837	H. M's Commn	182	10	–	Parliamt				Foo. Lodgs all^ce	Half pay Bt Lieut Col		Half Pay	Augt 1837
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Education			Brought forward												
Secy Educat^n Board	~~E. Elderton~~ E. Lyttleton	Feby 1853	Governor	30	"	"	Colonial								Feby 1853
Master Perth Boys Schl	W. Johnson	April 1853	"	100	"	"	"								April 1853
Assist^t Do	M. Johnson	May 1853	"	40	"	"	"								May 1853
Master, Guildford Schl	Rev W. D. Williams	April 1853	"	80	"	"	"				£ 30 a year in lieu				Sept. 1847
Teacher Perth Girls Schl	S. Newman	July 1833	"	40	"	"	"								July 1833
Do	" Bunnell	"	"	30	"	"	"								"
Teacher Fremantle B. Schl	~~S. S. Wright~~	Augt 1852	"	60	"	"	"								Augt 1852
Asst Do	S. Davis	Augt 1853	"	40	"	"	"				£20 a year in lieu				Augt 1833
Teacher Fremantle G. Schl	M. A. Pengilly	Jany 1851	"	40	"	"	"								Jany 1851
Do Albany Boys Schl	L. P. Knight	" 1840	"	40	"	"	"								" 1840
Do R. C. Boys & G. Schl Perth	M. O'Callaghan	" 1853	"	30	"	"	"								" 1833
Do Do Fremantle			"	15	"	"	"								
Judicial															
Comm^rs Civil Court & Chairman Qr Sessions	W. H. Mackie	July 1834	Secy of State	600	"	"	Parly & Col.								Dec. 1829
Do Albany	J. W. Lillifant	Feby 1853	Governor	100	"	"	Colonial								Feby 1833
Advocate General	~~G. F. Moore~~ R. Birnie	~~July 1834~~ Apr. 1853	Secy of State	400	"	"	Parly & Col.								Feby 1832
Acting Do	~~B. U. Vigors~~	~~" 1852~~	~~Governor~~	~~Half Pay~~			~~" "								July 1832
Crown Solicitor	G. F. Stone	Jany 1832	"	150	"	"	Colonial								July 1834
Clerk of the Peace	A. H. Stone	March 1832	Secy of State	150	"	"	"					Registrar General			March 1830
												Regr Crk Civil Court Comm^r Ct of Requests Perth Registrar of Deeds.			
			Carried forward												

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Mr Birnie was appointed Advocate General during 1853 but did not arrive in the Colony during the year.

Mr G. Stone, the Crown Solicitor carries on private practice as a Solicitor

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Judicial (continued)			Brought forward	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.					
Regr. Clerk C. Court	A. H. Stone	March 1832	Secy of State	100	"	"	Colonial					Registrar of Deeds &c			March 1830
Comr. Ct. of Requests Perth	"	Apl 1848	Governor	25	"	"	"					"			"
Sheriff	F. D. Wittenoom	Jany 1852	"	200	"	"	"								Apl 1840
Inspector of Weights	G. F. Stone	June 1837	"	30	"	"	"								July 1834
Bailiff Circt Court	John Clipper	Apl 1840	"	50	"	"	"					Comm Solicitor			Apl 1840
— Do — Ct. of Requests	Do	Apl 1848	"	10	"	"	"								"
Comr. Ct. Regr. Fremantle	Thos Brown	" 1852	"	10	"	"	"								Jany 1852
Resd Mag. Albany	H. Campbell	July 1847	"	100	"	"	Parliamy					Police Magistrate			Octr 1840
" Bunbury	G. Eliot	Decr 1840	"	150	"	"	"					Sub Collector of Customs			Decr 1840
" Champion Bay	W. Burges	June 1851	"	100	"	"	Convict					Do		£50 a year & Forage as V. M.	June 1851
" Canning	T. Hester	" 1852	"	50	"	"	Colonial					Resdg Mag. Convict Depot		Do	" 1852
" Fremantle	R. McB. Brown	July 1835	"	100	"	"	Parliamy					Postmaster			May 1831
" Murray	D. S. Murray	Decr 1846	"	150	"	"	"					Collector of Customs			Decr 1846
" Swan	S. W. Vincash	Feby 1847	"	150	"	"	"					Resdg Mag Convict Depot		£50 a yr. & Forage as V. M.	Feby 1847
" Irwin	J. S. Harris	Augt 1850	"	150	"	"	"					Do		Do	Augt 1850
" Vasse	John Molloy	Augt 1830	"	100	"	"	"					Do		Do	Augt 1830
" York	R. G. Meares	Septr 1842	"	100	"	"	"					Sub Coll. of Customs		Forage from Convict Funds	Septr 1842
Police Magr. Perth	T. R. Gale	Jany 1852		150								Visiting Magistrate		£50 a year & do as V. M.	
& Clerk do	R. Campbell	July 1853		75											
P. M. Fremantle	T. Brown	Jany 1852		150											
Clerk do	K. Brown	Sept 1853		70											
A. P. M. Bunbury	C. Symmons	Jany 1852		50											
A. P. M. York	W. Cowan	—		—											
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Gaols			Brought forward	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.					
Perth															
Head Constable	John Clipper	April 1840	Governor	30	"	—	Colonial								April 1840
Gaoler	A. Vincent	Octr 1849	"	115	"	—	"				£30 p. an in lieu	Supt of Roads		Forage & Rations	May 1831
Asst Do	T. Farrelly	Jany 1832	"	100	"	—	"				Gaol				Jany 1832
Turnkey	C. McLaughlin	" 1853	"	18	5	—	"				"	Private Soldier		Military pay	" 1833
Albany															
Gaoler	W. Burrell	Octr 1849	"	60	"	—	"				Gaol			Rations	Octr 1849
Matron	— Burrell	"	"	5	"		"				"			Do	"
Fremantle															
Gaoler	L. Welch	Feby 1846	"	75	"	—	"				Gaol			Rations	Feby 1846
Guildford															
Gaoler & Constable	A. Armstrong	Octr 1853	"	30	"	—	"				Gaol	Postmaster		Rations	Octr 1853
Bunbury															
Gaoler Constable &	J. Gill	Jany 1843	"	45	"	—	"				Gaol				Jany 1843
Vasse															
Gaoler & Constable	D. Cornshaw	June 1848	"	30	"	—	"				Gaol				June 1848
Jordan															
Gaoler & Constable	J. Jones	Decr 1852	"	30	"	—	"				Gaol	Pensioner		Pension of private Sr	Decr 1852
York															
Gaoler	J. Bannon	Septr 1852	"	20	"	—	"				Gaol	Pensioner		Pension of private Sr	Septr 1852
Constable	G. Wall	"	"	15	"	—	"								"
			Carried forward												

REMARKS.

REMARKS—*continued.*

OFFICE.	NAME.	Date of Appointment.	By whom appointed, and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary in British or Army Sterling. £	s.	d.	From what Fund the Salary is paid.	Amount of Fees during the Year 18 in Sterling Value. £	s.	d.	Whether the Principal be allowed a House for his personal Residence; or what Allowance, if any, for House Rent or Quarters.	Whether the Office be held by Principal in conjunction with any, and what other Civil, Military, or Naval Office, or Appointment, or Place of Profit, in any Colony, or on the Establishment of the United Kingdom. If the Office be held by a Military or Naval Officer, whether upon Full or Half Military or Naval Pay, the Total Amount of Pay and Allowances of every kind actually received by him in addition to the Profits of his Office.	Period during which the Officer has been Absent from the Colony during the Year 18	Whether the Principal enjoy any, and what other Advantage or Profit, not required to be stated in the preceding Columns.	Date of First Appointment under the Colonial Government.
			Brought forward												
Police															
	Comm. to														
Police Mag. Perth	T. H. Yule	Jany 1832	Governor	360	—	—	Comt. & Col								
Clerk to Do	R. Campbell	July 1833	"	100	—	—	"								May 1838
Police Mag Fremantle	Thos Brown	Jany 1832	"	360	—	—	"								July 1833
Clerk to Do	R. Brown	Septr 1833	"	70	—	—	"				Comm. Ct of Requests				Jany 1832
Asst Pol Mag. Perth	C. Symmons	Jany 1832	"	50	—	—	Colonial								Septr 1833
Do Yorke	W. Cowan	"	"	50	—	—	"				Guardian of Natives				Decr 1839
Dy Supt of Police	J. Drummond	"	"	80	—	—	"				Do				Jany 1839
Clergy														Forage & Rations	June 1840
Archdeacon	Revd J. R. Wollaston	Decr 1848	Bishop of Adelaide	100	—	—	"								
Senior Chaplain	" J. B. Wittenoom	Decr 1830	Secretary of State	300	—	—	"								Decr 1848
Chaplain Fremantle	" F. Barry	July 1843	Governor	200	—	—	" & Convict				£50 p.an in lieu				Decr 1830
" York	" G. Pownall	Septr 1832	"	200	—	—	"								July 1843
" Toodyay	" C. Harper	Septr 1849	"	100	—	—	"				Glebe				Septr 1832
" Swan	" W. Mitchell	Septr 1842	"	100	—	—	"								Septr 1849
" Bunbury	" R. Brown	Septr 1832	"	200	—	—	" & Convict				Magistrate House			£100 p.an. from Prop. Society	Septr 1842
" Albany	" J. R. Wollaston	Decr 1848	"	100	—	—	"				Glebe				Septr 1832
" Vasse	" None		"	100	—	—	"					Archdeacon			Decr 1848
Curate Guildford	" W. D. Williams	July 1832	"	25	—	—	"								
Wesleyan Chaplain	" W. Lowe		"	50	—	—	"					Schoolmaster		Travelling exps	Septr 1847
Do	" J. Smithies		"	50	—	—	"								
			Carried forward												

REMARKS.

£100 a year is voted for Roman Catholic Ecclesiastical purposes.

REMARKS—*continued.*

OFFICE.	NAME.	Date of Appointment.	By whom appointed, and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary in British or Army Sterling. £	s.	d.	From what Fund the Salary is paid.
			Brought forward				
Immigration							
Agent	John Bruce	July 1853	Governor	100	"	"	Imperial
~~Deputy Do~~ Succeeded by C. Symmons	~~C. V. Foss~~	~~"~~	~~"~~	~~80~~	~~"~~	~~"~~	~~"~~
			Carried forward				

REMARKS.

Amount of Fees during the Year 18 in Sterling Value. £	s.	d.	Whether the Principal be allowed a House for his personal Residence; or what Allowance, if any, for House Rent or Quarters.	Whether the Office be held by Principal in conjunction with any, and what other Civil, Military, or Naval Office, or Appointment, or Place of Profit, in any Colony, or on the Establishment of the United Kingdom. If the Office be held by a Military or Naval Officer, whether upon Full or Half Military or Naval Pay, the Total Amount of Pay and Allowances of every kind actually received by him in addition to the Profits of his Office.	Period during which the Officer has been Absent from the Colony during the Year 18	Whether the Principal enjoy any, and what other Advantage or Profit, not required to be stated in the preceding Columns.	Date of First Appointment under the Colonial Government.
				Captain, Staff Off. Pens.ⁿ			July 1853
				Do			"

REMARKS—*continued.*

OFFICE.	NAME.	Date of Appointment.	By whom appointed, and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary in British or Army Sterling.			From what Fund the Salary is paid.
			Brought forward	£	s.	d.	
			Carried forward				

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.
H. C. Sutherland	Colonial Treasurer	Bond for £1000 from himself and John Ferguson and John Garrett Bussell, each in a like amount.
R. McB. Brown	Collector of Customs	Similar security from himself and George Walpole Leake and Luke Samuel Leake.

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.

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

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.
		£	s.	d.		

Auditor

RECAPITULATION OF THE ESTABLISHMENT.

	Paid by Great Britain in Sterling Money.			Paid by the Colony in Sterling Money.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Civil Establishment - - -	3607	1	8	6146	12	1
Contingent Expenditure - -	527	18	9	1025	10	3
Judicial Establishment - - -	1250	"	"	3165	18	10
Contingent Expenditure - -	"	"	"	3110	3	10
Ecclesiastical Establishment - - -	83	6	8	1128	16	5
Contingent Expenditure - -	16	13	4	390	8	8
Miscellaneous Expenditure - -	"	"	"	17364	18	1
Pensions - - - - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Grand Total - £	5485	"	5	32332	8	2

6146 12 1
3607 1 8
1250
3165 18 10
83 6 8
1128 16 5
15381 12 8

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

County, District, or Parish.	Area in Square Miles.	WHITES.		COLOURED POPULATION.		TOTAL.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Perth						1065	875
Fremantle						957	908
Guildford						405	315
Canning						58	41
Yorkshire						503	365
Toodyay						326	230
Plantagenet						308	195
Sussex						140	102
Wellington						296	242
Murray						129	82
Champion Bay						59	27
						4240	3382
Add the Military							
Pensioners on duty						150	138
Sappers and Miners						98	76
Detachment 99th Regt						88	11
						4576	3607
Convicts and Ticket of Leave Holders on the hands of Government						1151	"
						5727	3607

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MARRIAGES, BIRTHS, and DEATHS.

Aliens and Resident Strangers, not included in preceding Columns.	Population to the Square Mile.	Persons employed in			Births.	Marriages.	Deaths.
		Agriculture.	Manufactures.	Commerce.			
		Registered number			257	122	72
		Estimated number			333	"	90

Disease

Influenza	8
Dysentery	6
Accidents	6
Phthisis	6
Teething	4
Convulsions	3
Consumption	2
Still Born	2
Debility	2
Nephritis	1
Phrenitis	1
Marasmus	1
Fits	1
Cold	1
Congestion of Lungs	1
Congestion of Brain	1
Epilepsy	1
Pleurisy	1
Dropsy	1
Paralysis	1
Croup	1
Visitation of God	1
Fire	1
Aneurism of the Aorta	1
Diseased Heart	1
Atrophy	1
Delirium Tremens	1
Natural Decay	2
Unknown	13

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 Perthshire		Revd J. B. Wittenoom £300 p. ann:	£50 p. ann: in lieu		St George's Church Perth contains abt 500 persons	300	a chapel at Perth: will hold abt 250 persons	150	Protestt	One	Wesley-an.	Supported by Govt and voluntary contributions
Fremantle Perthshire		Revd J. Barry £200 p. ann:	None	None	St John's Church Fremantle contains abt 300 persons	150	a chapel at Perth: will hold abt 200 persons	100	Do	None	Indepen-dent	Supported by voluntary contributions.
Guildford Perthshire		Revd W. D. Williams £25 p. ann.	None	None	Guildford Church holds abt 100 persons	50	a chapel at Perth; will hold about 100 persons	60	Roman Catholic	Episcopal College		Government aid voluntary contributions & funds from Propaganda.
Middle Swan Perthshire		Revd W. Mitchell £200 p. ann:	Mission House	None	Middle Swan holds abt 100 persons	60	a chapel at Fremantle will hold abt 150 persons	100	Protestant	None	Wesley-an	Voluntary contributions paid from England.
York Ann Dist.		Revd G. P. Pownall £200 p. ann.	Yes	Yes	York holds abt 50 persons	40						
Toodyay Ann		Revd C. Harper £100 paid from Engl. Soc.	None	None	Toodyay holds abt 75 persons	30						
Bunbury Wellington		Revd W. St Brown £200 p. ann:	Yes	Yes	Bunbury holds abt 75 persons	40						
Albany Plantagenet		Archdeacon Wollaston £200 p. ann.	Yes	Yes	Albany holds abt 75 persons	100.						

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.	Expense of each School.	Number of Private Schools.	REMARKS.
Gov^t Colonial Schools.											
Perth, Perthshire	Free to Pupils of all Denominations whose Parents may be unable to pay: those whose circumstances admit of their so doing pay a small sum for the education of their Children 6. 4. 2 per week.	Boys School, Mr. W. Johnston £100 p. ann.	119	"	119	Varies according to ext. age, &c. but generally speaking such portions of the most approved modern systems have been adopted as were deemed applicable. The books & system generally adopted & in use there are those in use in Public Schools in Britain.	All salaries are paid by Government: the supply of school requisites is also furnished from Colonial Funds – the amount expended under the "Education" in 1853 was £159. 19. 2. Contributions are raised from private individuals in that Town, but the amount is unknown.	In Perth & Fremantle there are 4 Private Schools – 2 Boys 2 Girls.			The General Board of Education, appointed by the Government, have the management of all the Colonial Government Schools subject to the control of the Local Authorities. – The design has been to confine the Schools to secular instruction only, the Bible being read, as far as possible, without note or comment, and all purely doctrinal teaching carefully avoided – Spiritual instruction being left to the Ministers, Sunday Schools, or to the Parents of the Children themselves – The Plan seems to be approved by all classes with the exception of the Romanists, who have a separate grant of £
		Girls School, Mrs Warman £40 p. ann.	"	33	33						
		Infants School, Mrs Brittell £30 p. ann.	44	21	65						
Fremantle, Perthshire	Free: as above –	Boys School, Mr. J. S. Wright £60 p. ann. and lodging allowance	80	"	80						
		Girls School, Mrs Pengilly £40 p. ann.	"	25	25						
Guildford, Perthshire	Free: as above	Boys School, Rev. W. D. Williams £80 p. ann. and lodging allowance	14	"	14				– Unknown –		
York, Avon Dist.	Free: as above	Boys School, Mr. G. J. Blackiston	40	"	40						
		Girls School, Mrs Blackiston	"	26	26						
			297	105	402						

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			297	105	402						
Bunbury Wellington	Free.	Boys School Mr. Hislop.	40	-	40						the Public money for the education of children of their own persuasion.
Albany Plantagenet	Free.	Boys School Mr. Knight £40 p. ann:	No return								In the Rural Districts such as York and Bunbury the School masters receive ~~until~~ no stated salary, but are allowed a certain sum according to the number of Scholars attending their respective Schools.
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			337	105	442						

RETURN of the NUMBER of SCHOOLS, &c. in connection with Romanbatholics

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.	If supported by Government or voluntary Contributions, and Amount of each.		Expense of each School.	Number of Private Schools.	REMARKS.
			Male.	Female.	Total.		Government.	Voluntary Contributions.			
At Perth there are three Female Schools and one Infant School under the superintendence of the Sisters of Mercy, one for the education of young ladies, and one middle, the other is open to girls of all denominations; boys and girls under 7 years are admitted to the Infants' School - An Institution for native girls is also attached to the Convent of the Sisters of Mercy.-							the amount contributed by Government during 1853 was £149 - and £45 is distributed by the Roman Catholic Bishop under Sanction from His Exy.				
At Fremantle there are two Schools one Boys and one Girls.—											
There are also small Schools at the Vasse and Dandamup -											
The number attending during the year are returned as follows:-											
	Perth		54	127	181						
	Fremantle		56	42	98						
	Dandamup & Vasse		12	12	24						
			122	181	303						

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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.	If supported by Government or voluntary Contributions, and Amount of each.		Expense of each School.	Number of Private Schools.	REMARKS.
			Male.	Female.	Total.		Government.	Voluntary Contributions.			

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.			Mode of Instruction.	If supported by Government or voluntary Contributions, and Amount of each.		Expense of each School.	Number of Private Schools.	REMARKS.
			Male.	Female.	Total.		Government.	Voluntary Contributions.			

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.

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COURSE OF EXCHANGE.

Treasury Bills at ½ per cent premium.

Private Bills on London are purchased by the Western Australian Bank at 5 per cent discount — the same rate of exchange obtains for Bills on Calcutta and Madras. — On South Australia at 3 per cent discount.

Bills drawn by the Bank on their London Agent are procurable at from par to one per cent premium.

COINS.

British Gold, Silver, and Copper.

In the Northern Districts Dollars and Rupees are current.

AMOUNT OF COIN IN CIRCULATION.

Estimated at £45,000 . . . .

Independent of a considerable amount of British silver coin (about £6000) recently withdrawn from circulation in consequence of the promulgation of a Government notification restricting silver coin to certain limits as a legal tender.

AMOUNT OF PAPER CURRENCY IN CIRCULATION.

Average amount £6600. . . .

This refers only to Notes of the Western Australian Bank, payable on demand in Perth.

ACCOUNTS KEPT IN.

British Sterling

WEIGHTS.

British Imperial

MEASURES.

British Imperial

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS,

FOR THE YEAR

1853

Collr. of Customs

IMPORTS.

ARTICLES IMPORTED.	ESTIMATED VALUE			
DESCRIPTION AND QUANTITY.	From Great Britain.	British Colonies. West Indies.	British Colonies. North America.	British Colonies. Elsewhere.
Apparel and Slops	11236.. 4.. 6			393.. 18..
Apothecary Wares	830.. 10..			26.. 8..
Bran and Pollard	.. .. ..			.. .. ..
Bags and Sacks	456.. 12..			73.. 4..
Bricks	6..			.. .. ..
Brooms and Brushes	141.. 12..			83.. 14..
Butter and Cheese	2122.. 16.. 7			523.. 14..
Beer, Ale & Cider in Cask 51686 Gs	4045.. 4..			189.. 3..
— do — do — do — in Bottle 2405 Gs	3758.. 10..			29.. 17.. 7
Boots and Shoes	4968.. 4.. 8			978.. 10..
Books and Stationery	933.. 6.. 9			8.. 8..
Beef, Pork, Bacon and Hams	4740.. 11.. 9			2938.. 16..
Canvass and Twine	280.. 16..			171.. ..
Carts, Carriages & Wheelwrights work	36..			.. .. ..
Cordage	81.. 12..			111.. .. ..
Coffee	55.. 4..			300.. 2..
Cabinet & Upholstery Wares	801.. 10.. 6			328.. 3..
Deals, Boards, Timber, Spars	171..			138.. 14..
Drapery, Haberdashery & Millinery	18342.. 3.. 10			1164.. 1.. 6
Earthenware & Glass	791.. 14.. 10			200.. 12.. 9
Fruits — dried	766.. 18.. 11			226.. 8.. 2
Flour and Biscuit	2593.. 6..			9575.. 10..
Grain, Wheat	69.. 8..			281.. 2..
— do — Barley, Oats &c	3..			637.. 8.. 9
Carried forward £	57,232.. 6.. 4	..	..	18,374.. 9.. 9

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.
175.. 4..	..	11805.. 1.. 6	— Port of Fremantle —										
..	..	856.. 18..											
..	..	..	14	6810	25	5113	2	610	2	682	43	13215	805
..	..	529.. 16..											
..	..	6.. ..											
..	..	225.. 6..	— Port of Albany —										
90.. ..	87.. 12..	2824.. 2.. 7											
..	..	4234.. 7..	28	17329	34	13172	2	826	1	508	65	31535	2866
..	..	3788.. 7.. 7											
97.. 12..	..	6044.. 6.. 8											
9.. 12..	..	951.. 6.. 9											
118.. 16..	12.. 12..	7805.. 15.. 9											
..	..	451.. 16..											
..	..	36.. ..											
..	100.. 16..	293.. 8..											
..	83.. 15..	439.. 1..											
85.. 4..	..	1214.. 17.. 6											
133.. 4..	..	442.. 18..											
418.. 4..	5.. 8.. 6	19929.. 17.. 10											
9.. 18..	..	1002.. 5.. 7											
188.. ..	..	1101.. 7.. 1											
34.. 4..	..	12203..											
..	..	350.. 10..											
..	87.. 4..	727.. 12.. 9											
1279.. 18..	377.. 7.. 6	77264.. 1.. 7	42	24139	59	18285	4	1136	3	1190	108	44750	3371

IMPORTS.

ARTICLES IMPORTED.	ESTIMATED VALUE			
DESCRIPTION AND QUANTITY.	From Great Britain.	British Colonies.		
		West Indies.	North America.	Elsewhere.
Brought Forward £	57,232 .. 6 .. 4	"	"	18374 .. 9 .. 9
Hardware & Cutlery	754 .. 5 .. "			145 .. 5 .. 6
Hats & Bonnets	1077 .. 8 .. 9			70 .. 11 .. "
Hay	"			"
Hops	322 .. 18 .. "			21 .. 12 .. "
Horses	"			"
Iron in bar and Hoping	1014 .. 14 .. "			4 .. 16 .. "
Ironmongery	4810 .. 5 .. 4			203 .. " .. 2
Leather unmanufactured	375 .. 5 .. 9			478 .. 16 .. 7
Lead	225 .. 1 .. "			78 .. " .. "
Mats & Baskets	32 .. 8 .. "			70 .. 1 .. 7
Oilman's Stores	2798 .. 5 .. 4			1065 .. 2 .. 1
Oils, Colors, & Painter's Wares	74 .. 13 .. 7			"
Potatoes	" .. " .. "			"
Powder and Shot	561 .. 16 .. 1			10 .. 16 .. "
Rice	293 .. 2 .. "			892 .. 6 .. "
Sugar - moist - 743,727 lbs	6 .. " .. "			4139 .. 2 .. 6
- Do - refined	431 .. 19 .. 9			"
Soap and Candles	2204 .. 15 .. 6			1388 .. 2 .. "
Saddlery & Harness	893 .. 1 .. 6			129 .. 15 .. 7
Tea - 47,803 lbs	456 .. 14 .. "			1331 .. 18 .. "
Tools and Implements	584 .. 3 .. 6			21 .. " .. "
Wood Goods	191 .. 14 .. "			78 .. 18 .. 6
All other articles	1877 .. 5 .. "			219 .. 18 .. 7
Spirits				
Brandy - 19443 Galls	6425 .. 13 .. "			419 .. 14 .. "
Arrack - 160 — "	"			16 .. " .. "
Geneva - 1232 — "	122 .. 17 .. "			58 .. 4 .. "
Carried forward £	82796.12.5	"	"	29217 .. 9 .. 10

IMPORTS.

IN STERLING.			SHIPS INWARDS.										
United States of America.	Foreign State.	TOTAL.	Great Britain.		British Colonies.		United States.		Foreign States.		TOTAL.		
			No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	Men.
1279 .. 18 .. "	377 .. 7 .. 6	77264 .. 1 .. 7											
332 .. 14 .. "	"	1232 .. 4 .. 6											
"	"	1147 .. 19 .. 9											
"	"	"											
"	"	344 .. 10 .. "											
"	"	"											
"	"	1079 .. 10 .. "											
174 .. " .. "	"	5187 .. 5 .. 6											
"	"	854 .. 2 .. 4											
"	"	303 .. 1 .. "											
"	"	102 . 9 . 7											
69 .. " .. "	104 .. 2 .. "	4036 . 9 . 5											
"	"	74 . 13 . 7											
"	"	"											
"	"	572 . 12 . 1											
"	906 . 7 .. "	2091 .. 15 .. "											
"	1190 . 8 .. "	5335 .. 10 .. 6											
"	20 .. 1 .. "	452 .. " .. 9											
8 .. 8 .. "	1 .. 10 .. "	3602 .. 15 .. 6											
"	"	1022 .. 17 .. 1											
"	"	1818 . 12 .. "											
"	"	605 .. 3 . 6											
96 .. 16 .. "	"	347 .. 8 . 6											
74 .. 8 .. "	20 .. 8 .. "	2191 .. 19 .. 7											
"	" .. 16 .. "	6846 .. 3 .. "											
"	"	16 .. " .. "											
"	65 .. 16 .. "	246 .. 17 .. "											
2015 .. 4 .. "	2686 . 15 . 6	116,716 .. 1 . 9											

IMPORTS.

ARTICLES IMPORTED.	ESTIMATED VALUE			
DESCRIPTION AND QUANTITY.	From Great Britain.	British Colonies. West Indies.	British Colonies. North America.	British Colonies. Elsewhere.
Brought forward £	82796.12.5	"	"	29217.9.10
Spirits (continued)				
Gin - 983 Gallons	169.4.-	"	"	61.1.6
Rum " 16587 "	1047.16.-	"	"	1478..6
Whiskey - 1057 "	23.12.-	"	"	198.1.-
Tobacco				
Manufactured - 45178 lbs	1263...6	"	"	102.19.-
Unmanufactured - 11877 "	140.1.8	"	"	57.17.4
Cigars 1432 "	"	"	"	286.12.-
Snuff 302 "	75.14.-	"	"	"
Wine				
British " 6411 Gallons	"	"	"	539.18.-
Foreign " 15376 "	3254.4.-	"	"	337.8.-
Carried forward £	88770.4.7	"	"	32279.7.2

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IMPORTS.

IN STERLING.			SHIPS INWARDS.										
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.
2015.4.-	2686.15.6	116,716.1.9											
"	1.-.-	231.5.6											
"	"	2525.16.6											
"	"	221.13.-											
981.13.-	" 10.-	2348.2.6											
"	"	197.19.-											
"	"	286.12.-											
"	"	75.14.-											
"	"	539.18.-											
"	" 14.-	3592.6.-											
2996.17.-	2688.19.6	126735.8.3											

IMPORTS.

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

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.
Total Imports in 1853 - -	88770 .. 4 .. 7	"	"	32279 .. 7 .. 2
Total Imports in previous Year -	65477 .. 2 .. 1	"	"	27208 .. 19 .. 5

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.
2996 .. 17 ..	2688 .. 19 .. 6	126735 .. 8 .. 3	42	24139	59	18285	4	1136	3	1190	108	44750	3371
153 .. 18 ..	4463 .. 17 .. 1	97303 .. 16 .. 7	18	12883	46	8701	5	1610	5	2132	74	25326	1771

Customs

EXPORTS.

ARTICLES EXPORTED.	ESTIMATED VALUE			
DESCRIPTION AND QUANTITY.	To Great Britain.	British Colonies.		
		West Indies.	North America.	Elsewhere.
Animals (4 Horses - 50 Sheep)	"	—	—	150 " "
Carts, Carriages &c	"	—	—	50 " "
Hides & Skins { 293 Hides, 12629 Skins }	42 " 10 "	—	—	677 . 10 . 10
Ore, Lead *	4 " " "	—	—	"
Do Copper	7 " 10 "	—	—	"
Lead, 55 Tons *	"	—	—	1200 " "
Potatoes, 10 Tons	"	—	—	140 " "
Specimens of Natural History	14 " "	—	—	4 " "
Timber	"	—	—	5520 " "
Tree nails	3 " " "	—	—	"
Whale Bone - 5952 lbs	350 " " "	—	—	7 " 10 "
Whale Oil - 49 Tuns	"	—	—	1470 " "
Wool. 397,428 lbs	19780 " 9 "	—	—	90 " 6 . 6
Carried forward £	20,201 " 9 "	"	"	9309 " 7 . 4

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.
—	—	150 " " "	—	Port of Fremantle									
—	—	50 " " "											
—	—	720 " " . 10	1	247	31	9037	2	610	7	2525	41	12419	747
—	—	4 " " "											
—	—	7 " 10 "	—	Port of Albany									
—	—	1200 " " "											
—	—	140 " " "	6	6613	39	15083	2	526	10	4180	57	26402	2375
—	—	18 " " "											
—	—	5520 " " "											
—	—	3 " " "											
—	—	357 " 10 "											
—	—	1470 " " "											
—	—	19870 " 15 . 6											
"	"	29,570 " 16 " 4	7	6860	70	24120	4	1136	17	6705	98	38821	3122

EXPORTS.

ARTICLES EXPORTED.	ESTIMATED VALUE			
DESCRIPTION AND QUANTITY.	To Great Britain.	British Colonies.		
		West Indies.	North America.	Elsewhere.
Brought forward £	20201.. 9..	"	"	9309.. 7.. 4
Imported articles reëxported				
Boots and Shoes				35..
Carts and Carriages				50..
Coffee				219..
Ironmongery				40.. 10..
Oilman's Stores				68..
Soap				30..
Tea 21,550 lbs				560..
Timber				40..
Wood Goods				80..
All other Articles				10..
Spirits				
Brandy - 450 Gallons	9.. 2..			148.. 8..
Geneva — 8 — "	2.. 16..			"
Gin — 333 — "	"			98.. 14..
Rum — 1023 — "	"			102.. 6..
Whiskey 804 — "	"			80.. 8..
Tobacco				
Manufactured 589 lbs	"			442.. 7..
Cigars — 210 —	4.. 5..			85..
Snuff — 28 —	"			7..
Wine				
British - 200 Gallons	"			20..
Carried forward £	20217.. 12..	"	"	11426.. 4

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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.
"	"	29510.. 16.. 4											
		35..											
		50..											
		219..											
		40.. 10..											
		68..											
		30..											
		560..											
		40..											
		80..											
		10..											
		157.. 10..											
		2.. 16..											
	1.. 16..	100.. 10..											
		102.. 6..											
		80.. 8..											
		442.. 7..											
		89.. 5..											
		7..											
		20..											
"	1.. 16..	31,645.. 8.. 4											

EXPORTS.

ARTICLES EXPORTED.	ESTIMATED VALUE			
DESCRIPTION AND QUANTITY.	To Great Britain.	British Colonies.		
		West Indies.	North America.	Elsewhere.

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			
DESCRIPTION AND QUANTITY.	To Great Britain.	British Colonies.		
		West Indies.	North America.	Elsewhere.
Total Exports in 1853 - -	20,217 „ 12 „ -	„	„	11,426 „ „ 4
Total Exports in previous Year -	16,751 „ 4 „ 8	„	„	7430 „ „ 4

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.
„	1 „ 16 „ „	31,645 „ 8 „ 4	7	6860	70	24120	4	1136	17	6705	98	38821	3122
„	„ „	24,181 „ 5 „ „	5	5019	57	14766	6	1901	8	2340	76	24036	1744

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.												STOCK. Number of				
	Wheat.	Barley	Oats	Rye	Potatoes	Maize	Vineyard	Kitchen Garden	Beans Vetches Pulse	Pasture. Hay Clover Crops.	Total Number of Acres in Crop.	Number of Acres of Uncultivated Land.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Goats.	Pigs.
							90½	150¾	[illegible]	1085½			938	12582	5264	793	1111
Champion Bay	42	20	"	"	¾	¾	½	2¼	¼	93	159½		169	1812	14492	7	10
Murray	348	17½	23	"	9¼	½	7	17	"	99	521¼		195	2049	2682	9	283
Perthshire	1388	133	99½	59½	57½	17¾	193	73½	¾	979½	3001¾		783	5688	14447	851	1205
Plantagenet	114½	60½	4½	"	16	2	2	31½	5	31	267		433	748	21017	5	339
Sussex	200	77	"	44	36	1	3	8	"	40	409		501	2264	425	"	173
Irwin	1085½	236¾	7	2	1¾	"	6¾	17	"	314½	1671¼		775	2995	43371	4	640
Wellington	610¾	202	2	5	37¼	"	13	24¼	¾	142¼	1037¼		287	3698	4244	88	260
Yorkshire	1264	1247	64	40¼	¾	¼	21¼	22¾	¼	571½	3232		843	1011	57290	49	1238
Total	5062¾	1993¾	200	150¾	159¼	22¼	246½	196¼	7	2270½	10299		3986	20265	157968	1013	4151

Name of the County, District, or Parish.	PRODUCE. State the Nature of the Produce, and the Quantity of each.										PRICE OF PRODUCE. State the Nature of the Produce, and the Price of each in Sterling.									
	Wheat, Bushels.	Barley "	Oats "	Rye "	Maize "	Potatoes, tons	Hay "				Wheat, per Bushel.	Barley "	Oats "	Rye "	Maize "	Potatoes per Ton	Hay "			
											1409½	182	158½	808	28 Beans 97¼	75¾				
Champion Bay	20	25	"	"	40	7½	1½				"	"	"	"	"	£ 20				
Murray	10	20	15	"	"	3	1¾				9/-	8/-	7/-	"	"	12	£ 9			
Perthshire	12	15	18	10	1½	1¾	2				9/6	7/6	8/-	10/-	10/-	15	8			
Plantagenet	16	25	15	"	"	4	3				15/-	7/6	7/-	"	"	16	13			
Sussex	10	15	"	15	"	5	"				10/-	7/-	"	7/-	7/-	10	6			
Irwin	18	29	20	25	"	"	1¾				7/-	6/6	7/-	7/-	"	"	6..16/-			
Wellington	12	20	"	20	"	2	1				10/-	8/-	"	"	"	10	6			
Yorkshire	15	25	28	15	"	"	1				7/6	7/6	7/-	"	"	"	"			
Total																				

AVERAGE PRICES of various PRODUCE and MERCHANDISE, &c.

		Sterling Prices.			Prices in			
		£	s.	d.	January.	April.	July.	October.
Wheaten Flour (fine)	per ~~Barrel of 196 lbs.~~ Ton of 2000 lbs.	33	"	"				
— do — (seconds)	— " —	32	"	"				
Wheat - -	per Imperial Bushel	"	9	"				
Wheaten Bread - - -	per lb.	"	"	4				
Horned Cattle - - - -		according to weight						
Horses - - - -	each	20 to 40	"	"				
Sheep - - - - -	"	1	"	"				
Goats - - - - -	"	"	12	"				
Swine - - - - -		according to weight						
Milk - - - - -	per Quart	"	"	6				
Butter, Fresh - -	per lb.	"	3	"				
—— Salt - - - -	"	"	2	6				
Cheese - - - - -	"	"	1	6				
Beef - - - - -	"	"	"	8				
Mutton - - - - -	"	"	"	7				
Pork - - - - -	"	"	1	"				
Rice - - - - -	"	"	"	2				
Coffee - - - - -	"	"	"	8				
Tea - - - - -	"	"	2	"				
Sugar - (moist) -	"	"	"	4				
Salt - - - - -	"	"	"	1				
Wine - (Colonial)	per Gall.	"	4	"				
Brandy - Imported -	"	1	2	"				
Beer - Colonial	"	"	2	6				
Tobacco - Imported	per lb.	"	3	"				
WAGES FOR LABOUR.								
Domestic - - - - -		£12 to £20	—		per annum			
Predial - - - - -		£20 to £40			" including Shepherds			
Trades - - - - -								
Carpenters ——		"	8	"	per diem			
Masons & Bricklayers		"	7	"	— " —			
Painters ——		"	8	"	—			
Boatbuilders ——		"	8	"	—			
Sawyers ——		"	10	"	—			

Tailors, Shoemakers &c are paid by piece work

Blacksmiths earn on an average 10/ a day

Agricultural labourers, and Mechanics are much wanted

MANUFACTURES, MINES,

AND

FISHERIES.

RETURN of the MANUFACTURES, MINES, and FISHERIES.

MANUFACTURES.

Number, Name, Situation, and Description of Manufactures, Mills, Works, &c. &c.	Number of Ships built in the Colony.	Tons Burthen.	Registered according to Law.
Perthshire			
8 Lime Kilns	4	83	Yes
2 Steam Mills			
3 Water Mills	One	20	Yes
2 Wind Mills	One	19	
3 Horse Mills			
1 Soap Manufactory			
Yorkshire			
1 Wind Mill			
2 Steam Mills			
5 Horse Mills			
Toodyay			
1 Steam Mill			
4 Horse Mills			
Murray			
1 Wind Mill			
Bunbury			
2 Water Mills			
1 Wind Mills			
Vasse			
1 Wind Mill			
Albany			
3 Horse Mills			
2 Water Mills			
Champion Bay			
1 Pig lead Manufactory			

MINES and QUARRIES.

Number, Name, Situation, and Description of the Mines and Quarries.

Limestone abounds in the vicinity of Perth & Fremantle and several Quarries are opened in the District -

At York and Toodyay Quarries of Building Stone have been opened.

At Champion Bay there are the following mines -

1. The Geraldine Lead Mine in full working with Smelting Works attached.
2. Lead mine belonging to Capt Sanford - not worked.
3. Copper mine belonging to Mr Drummond - working.
4. Lead mine belonging to Mr Shenton - not worked.
5. Copper mine belonging to Mr Burges - just opened.

Indications of Lead and Copper exist in all parts of this District which is essentially mineral in its character.

There is a large Salt lake at Port Gregory from which some Tons of Salt have been exported to Java where it was highly esteemed.

QUARRIES.

Name of the Mineral Substances.	Quantity produced, and Value in Sterling.
Limestone	
Lead	Owing to some defect in the smelting works only 53 Tons of Pig lead have been exported from the Geraldine mine - the estimated value is £1200 -
Copper	
Salt	a small quantity of Lead & Copper Ore has been exported

FISHERIES.

Name of the Mineral Substances.	Number of Ships and Boats employed. Ships.	Boats.	Description of Fish, and Quantity of each.	Value in Sterling.	General Remarks.
			Fremantle	£ s. d.	
Limestone		4	3 Right Whales 24 Tuns of Oil	1440.. - -	
			Whale Bone 24 Cwt	180.. - -	
			Bunbury		
		2	1 Right Whale 5½ Tuns Oil	668.. 4.. -	
			1 Humpback 4 Tuns Oil		
Lead			Whalebone ¼ Ton	35.. - -	
			Vasse		
Copper		2	1 Right Whale	180.. - -	
			Albany		
		2	25 Tuns Whale Oil	750.. - -	
			2600 lbs Whalebone	130.. - -	
			Port Gregory		
Salt		4	1 Humpback of 1½ Tun	120 -	
	6	11		£ 3383.. 4.. -	

GRANTS OF LAND.

Sworn Grants

RETURN OF LANDS GRANTED AND SOLD DURING THE YEAR 1853

County or District.	Number of Grants under 100 Acres.		Number of Grants above 100, not exceeding 500 Acres.		Grants exceeding 500 Acres.		Total Number of Grants, 1853	Total Number of Acres granted, 1853	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.							
Avon	13	142	—	—	—	—	Grants none — Purchases 78	1617	Purchase	£1. 0. 0	including all lands in reserves, and in fee by purchase or otherwise		Within limits open to selection of the Public
Wellington	6	214	—	—	—	—							
Swan	19	346	—	—	—	—							
Cockburn Sound	7	80	—	—	—	—							
Plantagenet	3	50	—	—	—	—							
Murray	16	166	—	—	—	—							
Sussex	1	40	—	—	—	—							
Victoria	5	217	—	—	—	—							
Melbourne	2	20	—	—	—	—							
Canning	2	12	—	—	—	—							
Lakes	1	60	—	—	—	—							
Murchison	3	270	—	—	—	—							
Total	78	1617	—	—	—	—	78	1617	Purchase	£1. 0. 0	1333·919½	126·684	19·196·700

GAOLS AND PRISONERS.

RETURN of the GAOLS and HOUSES of CORRECTION, and of the Number of PRISONERS confined therein for the Year ending 31 December 1853.

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 in Confinement at ~~Michaelmas, 18~~ 31 December 1854 — Felons — Tried — Whites		Felons — Tried — Blacks or Coloured Persons		Felons — Untried — Whites		Felons — Untried — Blacks or Coloured Persons		Misdemeanors — Tried — Whites		Misdemeanors — Tried — Blacks or Coloured Persons		Misdemeanors — Untried — Whites		Misdemeanors — Untried — Blacks or Coloured Persons		Debtors — Whites		Debtors — Blacks or Coloured Persons		4. Total Number of Prisoners in Confinement ~~at Michaelmas, 18~~ on 31 December 1854 — Whites		Total — Blacks or Coloured Persons		5. Greatest Number of Prisoners in Confinement at any one time in the Year — Whites		Greatest — 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.
Perth Gaol	4	30	"	"	11	"	1	"	"	"	35	"	11	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	37	"	22	"	40	"	25	"
Albany Gaol	2	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	15	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	16	"	"	"	21	"	"	"
Fremantle Gaol	8	16	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	8	"	"	"	32	"	3	"
Totals	14	54	"	"	11	"	1	"	"	"	50	"	11	"	10	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	61	"	22	"	93	"	28	"

RETURN of the GAOLS and HOUSES 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 of the employed in the course Year.								9. Punishments for Offences within the Prison during the Year.								10. Cases of Sickness.								11. Deaths during the Year.			
	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.	
	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.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Perth Gaol	89	"	12	"	4	"	30	"	7	"	1	"	"	"	2	"	117	"	"	"	4	"	3	"	1	"	1	"	"	"	4	"	6	"	30	"	40	"	"	"	4	"
Albany Gaol	169	"	4	"	28	"	8	"	"	"	23	"	2	"	"	"	68	"	"	"	129	"	"	"	5	"	2	"	"	"	2	"	1	"	10	"	2	"	"	"	1	"
Fremantle Gaol	491	"	"	"	"	"	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	25	"	"	"	469	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	4	"	1	"	29	"	2	"	1	"	"	"
Totals	"	"	602	"	3	"	6	"	3	"	"	"	10	"	8	"	69	"	44	"	1	"	5	"																		

RETURN of the GAOLS, &c.—*continued.*

QUESTIONS.	ANSWERS.
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.)	There is a small building at Perth used as a Gaol; but ill adapted for the purpose to which it is applied only prisoners under short sentence are kept in it as its insecurity would render it impolitic to confine within its walls those who are committed for any length of time. — At Albany and Fremantle there are tolerable Gaols — At York, Toodyay and Bunbury Lockups have been erected. —
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.)	Under the immediate superintendence of the Sheriff and Visiting Magistrates. —
3. Number of Officers, and how appointed? Do all the Officers reside in the Prison? Are Female Prisoners attended by Female Officers exclusively?	A Gaoler is appointed by the Governor to each prison and Quarters are furnished within the walls — A Matron is appointed to Albany Gaol but there is none at any other place. — Overseers guard working parties of prisoners.
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 classification observed. Boys and Females are kept separate from the men.
5. Number of Sleeping-cells, Solitary or Dark-cells, &c.; and if any are below ground?	At Perth Gaol there are two large sleeping rooms 1 smaller room and 2 Solitary Cells — none underground.

RETURN of the GAOLS, &c.—*continued.*

QUESTIONS.	ANSWERS.
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?	All prisoners, European & Native receive a daily allowance of 1 lb Flour, 3/4 lb Meat 1 oz Sugar & 1/4 oz of Tea. In solitary confinement 1/2 lb bread per diem. Tobacco in small quantities occasionally issued as a reward for good behaviour. Estimated cost per head 9/.
7. Allowance of Clothing and Bedding, and Cost per head?	Issued as required
8. Hours of Labour and Exercise?	8 Hours hard labor daily.
9. Description of Employment and Hard Labour?	Construction and repair of Roads.
10. Amount of Earnings, and how applied; in what proportion to the Prisoners, to the Officers, or the fund for the maintenance of the Prison?	None.
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?	None. — See 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?	Prisoners are allowed to see their friends in presence of the Gaoler — permission being first given by the Sheriff or Visiting Magistrate — All letters are opened by the Gaoler & if there is nothing objectionable in their contents the prisoners are allowed to receive them.

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QUESTIONS.	ANSWERS.
13. Is there a Chapel in the Prison, or suitable Apartment for the performance of Religious Services? How are the Prisoners separated therein?	None – the Prisoners attend Divine Service in St George's Church.
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?	The Colonial Chaplains visit the Gaols occasionally & impart religious instruction to the Prisoners – Bibles and other suitable books are provided.
15. Are Dissenting Ministers allowed to have access to the Prisoners; and, if so, at what times, and under what restrictions?	Ministers of all denominations are allowed access at reasonable hours and in the presence of the Jailer.
16. What Duties are performed by the Surgeon? Are separate Buildings or Apartments provided for the Sick?	Attendance when required – In severe cases the patient is taken to the Colonial Hospital.
17. What Diseases have been most prevalent during the Year (in reference to Columns 10 and 11, Return No. 1.)?	Influenza and Venereal
18. Reasons for Non-employment of Prisoners (in reference to Column 8)?	Some are required to cook – others to mend the clothing of prisoners, make shoes &c.

With reference to the number not employed at Albany it arises from want of proper officers to superintend them while at work –

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QUESTIONS.	ANSWERS.
19. Reasons for Punishments, by Whipping, Irons, Solitary Confinement, or otherwise?	The only whippings have been on Aboriginal prisoners for absconding from working parties.
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?	None.
21. Are any, and what Fees demanded of Debtors, or of any other Prisoners, either at their Admission to, or Discharge from, the Gaol?	There is no imprisonment for debt in the Colony.
22. General Observations.	There are good Cellular lockups at Perth & cells Bunbury. cells with common room. Toodyay. cells & Guard room. Yorkrakine. cells & Guard rooms with yards & jailers quarters. These are used for persons being short periods of confinement & cases. They are under the police arrangements & the police are consequently not included in the foregoing return. These arrangements are temporary & are in contemplation to build a proper gaol.

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