The fencing laws of the colony.

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COMMISSION

By His Excellency Sir Alexander Cuningham, Governor, Administrator of the Government in and over the Colony of Western Australia and its Dependencies, &c., &c., &c.


Whereas I have been requested by the Legislative Assembly to appoint a Commission to sit during the next session for the purpose of considering into the Fencing Laws with the view of formulating a measure to meet the changed circumstances of the Colony, as the basis of the Fencing Bill lately withdrawn from the Legislative Assembly.

Now whereas I, Sir Alexander Cuningham, Governor, Administrator of the Colony, have thought fit to appoint and do hereby appoint you, GeorgeWebber, Esq., J.P., M.L.A., Wrenn's Secretaries, Frederick H. Proctor, Alexander Robert Roberton, and Walter B. Jones, to be Commissioners for the purpose of considering into the Fencing Laws with the view aforesaid.

And I do hereby desire that you, so soon as you receive this order, proceed to emit the same as your direction so far as your power may extend.

Dated at Perth this 5th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1866.

By Command of His Excellency the Administrator,

J. F.

COMMENDATION

James Forrest.

No. 203 - 1866.

Report of the Commission appointed to inquire into the Fencing Laws of the Colony.

by direction of His Excellency the Governor, endorsed communication from the Committee appointed to inquire into the Fencing Laws is forwarded for the consideration of Ministers.

By order,

D. B. W. ORR,

Secretary's Office.

To His Excellency Sir George Smythe, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the territory of Western Australia and its Dependencies, &c., &c.

May it please Your Excellency

We have to submit that the Commission appointed by Your Excellency to examine into the Fencing Laws, with the view of formulating a measure to meet the present circumstances of the Colony, have examined into the Legislation of the Eastern Colonies dealing with the question, and, after carefully considering the varied interests involved, now beg, as the result of their deliberations, to present the enclose Draft of a Measure which, is considered, should meet the present needs of this Colony.

The Commission further desires that, publicly having being previously given to its provisions, the proposed Measure be submitted to Parliament for its consideration and approval.

R. B. LEFROY, Chairman.

A. F. HARRISON

CHARLES HARRIS.

WALTER JAMES.

Dated this 13th day of June, 1866.

No. 731.

J. F.

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th inst. to His Excellency the Governor, reporting that the Commission appointed to examine into the Fencing Laws, and to formulate a measure to meet the present circumstances of the Colony, had considered the questions, and submitting a Draft Bill embodying the result of its deliberations, and I am directed by His Excellency to thank you and the other Members of the Commission for the services which you and they have rendered in this respect.

I am, &c.,

JOHN FORREST.

Chairman of Fencing Commission, Wellington.

No. 732.

J. F.

(Handwritten note: signed by John Forrest, Wellington.)
COMMISSION

By His Excellency Sir Alexander Caan, Governor, and Admiral of the Colony, in and over the Colony of Western Australia and its Dependencies, &c, &c.

To the Hon. Mr. Burrell, Esq., P.M.A.; and Mr. Stothard, Esq., P.M.A.; and Mr. G. M. Lord, Esq., P.M.A.; and Mr. F. R. Proctor, Esq., P.M.A.; and Mr. W. H. James, Esq., P.M.A.

WHEREAS I have been informed by the Legislative Assembly to appoint a Commission to sit during the session for the purpose of enquiring into the Fencing Laws with the view of forwarding a measure to meet the altered circumstances of the Colony, on the basis of the fencing Bill lately withdrawn from the Legislative Assembly.

Now therefore I, Sir Alexander Caan, Governor, and Admiral of the Colony, do hereby appoint the above-named gentlemen to be the Commissioners for the purpose of enquiring into the Fencing Laws with the view aforesaid.

And I do hereby order and require that you do, so soon as the same can conveniently be done (using all diligence), report to me in writing your proceedings in virtue of this Commission.

And I do hereby direct and order the said Hon. Mr. Burrell to be Chairman of the said Commissioners.

Hereat at Perth this 27th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1891.

By Command of His Excellency the Governor.

JOHN FOREST

No, 50.

Report of the Commission appointed to inquire into the Fencing Laws of the Colony.

Colonial Secretary's Office.

By direction of His Excellency the Governor, enclosed herewith a report from the Commission appointed to inquire into the Fencing Laws in force for the consideration of the Council.

By order,

D. R. ORR,

Clerk, Governor's Office.

To His Excellency Sir George William, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Crown Colony of Western Australia and its Dependencies, &c, &c.

May it Please Your Excellency.

We have this day submitted the report from the Commission appointed by Your Excellency to examine into the Fencing Laws, with the view of enquiring into the present circumstances of the Colony, and, after carefully considering the several interests involved, now beg, as the result of their deliberations, to present the framed Draft of a measure which, it is considered, should meet the present needs of the Colony.

The Commission further states that, having been able to examine the proposals previously given to the Council, the proposed Measure is submitted to Parliament for its consideration and approval.

H. R. LEFROY, Chairman.
F. H. PITTISE.
A. R. RICHARDSON.
CHARLES HARPER.
WALTER JAMES.

Date this 12th day of June, 1894.

No, 51.

At the St. John's, 17th June, 1894.

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th instant to His Excellency the Governor, reporting that the Commission appointed to examine into the Fencing Laws in force, is unable to report a measure to meet the present circumstances of the Colony, and I have the authority to report to you that the subject has been referred to the Commission for the reasons which you and they have referred to in your report.

I have, &c,

JOHN FOREST.

Chairman of Fencing Commission, Western Australia.