

MUNICIPALITIES—continued.
 £7,000; amount of gen. rates, £500; gen. rate, 1s. 4d.; pop. 500; council meets alternate Fridays; proclaimed Oct. 1900

Mount Morgans—Mount Margaret Goldfields & Electoral district—Town clerk, H. G. Elrington; mayor, Jno. Smith; councillors, Alexander Waugh, Richard Cardilini, Geo. Alford, D. Chisholm, P. Zala, W. H. Harris, P. McMahon, C. M. Regan & F. H. Murray; annual value rate, prop. £15,319 5s.; amount gen. rates, £1,083 13s. 6d.; gen. rate, 1s. 6d.; pop. 1,200; council meets alternate Tuesdays; proclaimed October, 1900

Nannine, Murchison—Town clerk, J. L. F. Masterton; council meets 3rd Tuesday in month; proclaimed August, 1896

Newcastle Municipality—Division, South-West; electorate, Toodyay. Town clerk, Jos. A. Wroth; mayor, H. Davey; annual value rate, prop. £2,820 10s.; amount of gen. rates, £141 0s. 6d.; pop. about 750; council meets 1st Monday in month; proclaimed 28 Sept. 1877

Norseman—Electorate, Dundas Electoral District, proclaimed 1896. Town clerk, W. S. Matkinson; mayor, W. H. Crane; annual value of rate, prop. £4,456; gen. rate, 1s. 5d.; health rate, 1d.; council meets 7.30 p.m. 2nd & 4th Wed. in month

North Fremantle Municipality—Mayor, P. J. Hevron; town clerk & engineer, W. P. Evans, J.P.; health officer, Dr. Owen Pagot; councillors, J. Currie, S. Cookson, R. Ives, J. Key, H. Passmore, J. Price, C. Sinclair, W. White & J. Wood; annual value of rate, prop. £25,800; general rate per £, 1s. 6d.; special loan rate, 9d.; health rate, 3d.; sanitary rate, 6d.; council

meets alternate Thurs.; proclaimed 13 Sept. 1895

North Perth Municipality—Mayor, Jno. Geo. Milner; town clerk, Thos. H. Blake; councillors—West ward, A. Hansford, G. T. Kirkby & H. P. Gartrell; Central ward, A.P. Amies, J. Turner & R. Cooke; East ward, J. D. Sanders, R. L. Leane, Parker; annual rateable value, £35,000; proclaimed 25th Oct. 1901

Northam Municipality—Division, East; electorate, Northam. Area, 1,700 acres. Town clerk, B. J. Smith; mayor, O. L. Bernard, J.P.; councillors, Alex. Brenner, A. J. Iyimey, J. T. Rielly, J.P., S. Solomon, J.P., J. Byfield, J.P., A. W. Byfield, R. J. McCorkill, E. A. Lockyer, C. C. Molyneux, A. Brommer & W. Nind; annual value rate, prop. £30,000; amount of rates, £3,250; gen. rate per £, 1s. 6d.; loan rate, 6d.; health rate, 2d.; population, 4,500; council meets every alternate Thurs

Perth Municipality—Wards: Central, North, South, East & West. Mayor, Sydney Stubbs, J.P., M.L.A.; town clerk, W. E. Bold; city treasurer, James Corbett, F.F.I.A.; city engineer, H. T. Haynes, M.L.A.M.E.; health officer, Dr. O'Connor; health insp. W. E. Sheldon; councillors, T. G. Molloy, E. F. Edgecombe, T. W. Hardwick, J. T. Franklin, J. C. Foster, T. Statham, Dr. E. J. A. Haynes, J. Brobber, J. George, E. F. Brady, E. Allen, A. G. Russell, T. A. Shafto, W. Simpson & J. C. Brickhill; proclaimed 2 Jan. 1871

Roebourne Municipality—Division, North; electorate, Roebourne. Council meets 1st Monday in month; proclaimed 30 Nov. 1887

Southern Cross Municipality—Electorate, Yilgarn. Town clerk, G. A. Wilson. Council meets 1st & 3rd Monday in each month; proclaimed 7 June, 1892

South Perth Municipality—Town clerk, John St. E. D'Alton; mayor, Sydney Wm. Curtis; councillors, H. H. Henning, E. J. Pennington, Ernest C. Shen-ton, Arthur Douglas, Herb. W. Knight & Henry J. Pether; auditors, W. Burnet & Walter E. Gillett; annual value rate, prop. £21,000; gen. rate, 1s. 6d.; health rate, 3d.

Subiaco Municipality—Electorate, Subiaco. Town clerk, Alex. Rankin; bookkeeper, C. Luth; elect. engr. W. R. Groom; health inspector, J. Kevan; mayor, Austin Bastow; councillors, Alf. Darbon, Jas. Tighe, Alan Price, S. T. Upham, S. Brown, C. H. Tanguo, F. G. Atkinson, E. L. Vickers & J. C. Royd house; annual value rate, prop. £51,000; gen. rate, 1s. 6d.; loan rate, 8d.; health rate, 1d.; sanitary rate, 4d.; pop. 7,500; council meets alternate Wednesday

Vasse Municipality, see Busselton

Victoria Park Municipality—Division, Canning; electorate, Canning. Mayor, Jus. Cropper Milligan; town clerk, Walter J. Cohn, C.E.; councillors, East Ward, Robt. Dudgeon, Isaac Platell & J. H. Ruckley; Central Ward, Geo. Fairbrother, Jno. Tyler & S. S. Dougall; West Ward, C. J. Leopold, Jas. Hawdon & S. E. Smith; annual value of rate, prop. £20,500; gen. rate, 1s. 6d.; loan rate, 2d.; health rate, 3d.; pop. about 1,700; council meets every 1st & 3rd Tuesday

York Municipality—Division, Eastern; electorate, East. Town clerk, G. A. Stevens; mayor, Wm. Dimsdale; councillors, E. H. Noville, J. B. Harris & W. Cole Elliott; annual value rateable prop. £13,000; rate per £, 1s. 6d.; pop. 1,500; council meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday each month; proclaimed 4 March, 1871

DISTRICT ROADS BOARDS.

ROADS.—The roads of the State, outside of Municipalities, are principally under the charge of District Roads Boards, who have powers under the "Roads Act" similar to those given to Local Government Bodies in the other States. A good number of roads, however, on Goldfields where water supply is a principal factor, are constructed and maintained by Mines Water Supply Dept. The main stock routes, of which the water supply is principal and ruling factor—passing through centre of State—are constructed and maintained at considerable cost, owing to their great length and remoteness, by the Public Works Dept. Roads Boards are authorised to levy a general rate on property within their district not exceeding 1s. 6d. in the £ in any one year when annual value basis is adopted, or 2d. in the £ on the unimproved capital value, with option to adopt a minimum value of 2s. 6d. on every one allotment.

The Road Boards are also charged with the collection of Carriage-licences, and Dog tax, and Executive Duties of the "Cart and Carriage Act," "Dog Act," "Width of Tyres Act" and "Parks and Reserves Act," so far as it deals with Reserves under their control. Also control of water supplies along roads which are principally constructed by Works Dept. and handed over to Local control.

The whole of the Administration of the funds voted by Parliament for roads and bridges, as well as the "Roads Act" and "Width of Tyres Act" and other matters in connection with the Roads Boards, is under the control of the Public Works Dept. (F. L. Stronach, Under Secretary). Roads Board Clerk: A. E. Sanders; Auditors: H. J. Ash and G. D. E. Plunkett.

The names of the various Roads Boards throughout the State, as existing in November, together with names and addresses of Secretaries, are given hereunder.

Albany—C. M. Playne, Albany; last Sat

Arthur West—C. F. Brown, Arthur River; fourth Friday

Ashburton—R. F. Hope, Onslow; second Mon. in June & Sep. & at New Year

Augusta—J. M. Daniel, Karridale

Balingup—F. W. F. Lukis, Balingup; last Sat

Bayswater—W. F. T. E. Buchan, Bayswater; first Tuesday

Belmont—J. P. Northey, Guildford rd. Belmont; last Thur

Beverley—W. Mayer, Beverley

Beverley East—H. Morgan, East Beverley; first Sat

Blackwood Lower—E. Brockman, The Warren, Lower Blackwood; no fixed date

Blackwood Upper—W. R. Scott, Lauderdale, via Jayes, Upper Blackwood; last Sat

Broad Arrow—John Rafon, Broad Arrow; first Tues

Broome—F. Gibbons, Broome

Broome Hill—R. N. Jones, Broome Hill; second Sat

Brunswick—Jas. H. Dixon, Brunswick; first Sat

Buckland Hill—Chas. Andrews, Leake st. Peppermint Grove; first Thur

Bulong—Geo. McNaboe, Bulong; second Monday

Bunbury—J. Murnane, Statham, via Chapel; last Sat

Bunbury Suburban—W. S. Hales, Bunbury; last Sat

Canning—Wm. Mason, Canning; second Mon

Chapman Upper—L. C. Burgess, "Oaklands," via Geraldton; last Sat. every alternate month

Chittering—A. Morley, Chittering; last Sat

Claremont—J. W. Smythe, cr. Loch st. & Perth-Fremantle rd. Claremont; third Wednesday

Collie—C. A. Jones, Collie; second Sat

Coolgardie—J. F. Wymond, Wymond Bldgs. Coolgardie; fortnightly

Coolgardie North—J. McGowan, Monzie; second Mon

Coolgardie N. E.—C. Bartlett, Knowona; second Th

Cottesloe—B. McKay, Cottesloe; second Fri

Cuballing—H. H. Ross, Cuballing Cue—A. Mitchell, Cue

Dandaragan—W. N. Roberts, Yatheroo; first Sat. in Jan. Apl. July & Oct

Dardanup—Jus. H. Dixon, Bunbury; last Sat

Darling Range—R. E. Brady, Commercial road, Midland Junction; first Wed

Drakesbrook—C. C. Thatcher, Post Office, Waroona; first Sat

Dundas—J. E. Dixon, Norseman; first Wed

Esperance—W. E. Hughes, Esperance

Fremantle—F. G. Easton, Fremantle; fortnightly

Gaseoyne Lower—W. Newman, Curramvon; first of April, last week in May & first week in Nov

Gaseoyne Upper—H. W. Parker, Manfred Station, Murchison

Geraldton—C. Jas. Kidd, Geraldton; first Thur. in Jan. Apl. July & Oct

Gingin—W. R. Philby, Gingin; first Sat

Goomalling—E. L. Edwards, Wengamine, via Northam; first Sat

Greenbushes—L. L'E. Disney, Greenbushes

Greenhills—J. E. Sparke, Greenhills; second Wed

Greenmount—E. H. Elliott, Midland Junct

Greenough—A. Meadowcroft, Greenough; first Monday

Guildford West—F. C. Cumberland, W. Guildford

Irwin—J. W. Johnson, Dongara; first Mon

Irwin Upper—W. H. Linthorne, Mingenow

Jandakot—J. C. Anderson, Post Office, Jandakot; first Mon

Jarrahdale—W. T. Rudall, Jarrahdale

Kalgoorlie—M. J. Richardson, Kalgoorlie; fortnightly

Katanning—H. J. Lindsay, Katanning; third Sat

Kelmscott—T. W. Ottaway (actg.), Kelmscott; first Mon

Kimberley—P. J. Kenney, Halls Creek, Kimberley Goldfields

Kimberley West—E. G. Thurkilo, Derby; second Wed

Kojonup—J. M. Flanagan, Kojonup; second Sat

Lawlers—P. J. Lawlers, Lawlers

Marble Bar—H. B. Grant, Marble Bar; first Wed

Marrudong—F. S. Morgan, Marrudong; first Sat

Meckering—R. G. Hughes, Meckering; each Sat. before full moon

Melville—L. C. Lawford, P.O. East Fremantle

Minilya—E. Carson Curramvon; first of Apl. Aug. & Dec

Moorumbine—Jno. R. Parks, Pin-gally; first Sat

Mount Magnet—A. G. Simpson, Mount Magnet

Murchison—E. Carter, Murgoo; first Tues. in Mar. May, July, Sep. & Nov

Murray—J. Smart, Pinjarrah; first Sat

Nannine—J. G. F. Masterton, Nannine; second Fri

Narrogin—P. J. Turvey, Narrogin, G. S. R.; first Sat

Nelson—Thos. Rossiter, Bridgetown; last Sat

Northam—A. Scott, Northam; first Sat

Northampton—Thomas Scott, Northampton

Nullagine—F. Thompson, Nullagine; as required

Peak Hill—A. R. Drake, Peak Hill

Peppermint Grove—G. S. Morris, Cottesloe; first Monday

Perth—H. Brown, South British chambers, Perth

Phillips River—T. Griffiths, Ravensthorpe

Plantagenet—W. W. Brunton, Mount Barker

Port Hedland—W. J. Taylor (chm.), Port Hedland

Preston—H. Mead, Doonnybrook; last Sat

Rockingham—H. H. Verry, Rockingham; second Sat

Roebourne—T. Pratt, Roebourne; 19 Mar. 18 June, 17 Sep. & Dec

Serpentine—J. Adamson, Serpentine; first Sat

Sharks Bay—W. R. Thomas, Sharks Bay

Sussex—G. B. Milne, Busselton; second Sat

Swan—W. R. Crosbie, Mid. Junct.; first Thur

Tableland—W. Frankecom, Tambray, Roebourne

Toodyay—J. A. Wroth, Newcastle; first Sat

Victoria Plains—R. P. Lanigan, New Noreia; second Sat. in Mech. June, Sep. & Dec

Wagin—Chas. L. Gell, Wagin Lake; second Sat

Wandering—H. C. Dunnall, Wandering; last Sat

Wanneroo—F. J. Duffy, Wanneroo

Williams—J. H. Bailey, Williams; last Sat

Wyndham—H. M. Skinner, Wyndham; first Sat

Yalgoo—John Warr, Yalgoo; first & third Fridays

Yilgarn—J. H. Stubbs, Southern Cross

York—G. A. Stevens, York; first Thur

Roads Boards consist of seven persons, inclusive of the Chairman, whom the members choose from amongst themselves, and are elected by ballot by the ratepayers in the district whose names are on the Roads Board electoral list. Each elector has a proportionate number of votes to the rateable value of the property owned or occupied by him in the district. Districts may be divided into wards, in which cases the Minister may increase number of members to nine.