

## Introduction

Between the years of 1850 and 1868, almost Ten Thousand Convicts were transported to Western Australia, aboard Forty-three Vessels.

By order of the Home Government, the Surgeon Superintendent on board each vessel was required to keep an accurate account of all events that took place during the voyage.

This, the Journal of William Crawford M.D. R.N., Surgeon Superintendent, records the events which took place each day on board the Convict Ship "Corona", which, with its most valuable cargo of 305 Male Convicts, made passage from England to Western Australia in the year of 1866.

### **When reading this transcript, it is important to note that:-**

- (a) Convict Numbers recorded herein, are numbers issued for use in the English Prison System - They should not be confused with that number issued to Convicts upon their arrival in Western Australia.
- (b) Page numbers provided herein, bear no relationship to the original Journal - They have been put in place purely to allow indexing. A prepared index showing the names of all persons mentioned in the text can be found in the following pages.
- (c) The List of Convicts contained in pages 35 - 41 inc., does not form a part of the original Journal - It has been compiled from Shipping Lists found on Microfilm (Reel 128 Batty Library).
- (d) The List of Pensioner Guards contained on page 42 does not form a part of the original Journal - This has been compiled from Pensioner Pay Lists found on Microfilm (A.J.C.P. Reel 3918 - Batty Library).
- (e) The List of Warders contained on page 42 does not form a part of the original Journal - This has been compiled from various sources.
- (f) When undertaking Transcription from Microfilm, some words proved extremely difficult to read and as a result appear thus ...?...

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Read and enjoy.

*John Kelly*

Lighthouse and General Historian.

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## RULES AND REGULATIONS

1st. The Prisoners must conduct themselves in a respectful and becoming manner to all the Officers on board and they are strictly to obey such orders as I may issue through the Captains of Divisions and Heads of Messes.

2nd. The Prisoners must behave themselves in a decent and becoming manner at all times, but more especially when Prayers are read to them or Divine Service performed. Prayers morning and evening (weather permitting).

3rd. Cursing and foul language, shouting, quarreling, fighting, selling, exchanging or giving away clothes are strictly prohibited.

4th. Any person stealing or secreting any of the Mess Stores or any article belonging to the Mess or the Ship will be severely punished.

5th. The Prisoners are on no account to hold conversation with the Guard or Ships Company or talk through the bars below.

6th. Each Mess shall have a Captain and it will be the business of one man in his turn to clean the Mess Utensils. The latter after each meal are to be taken on Deck & thoroughly cleansed and dried, before being passed below. The members of each Mess are to sit together.

7th The Captains of Messes are warned that they will be held responsible for the cleanliness of their Mess. They are to see that the men wash themselves every morning and that they attend to their hair and that there are no stragglers at night and no one sleeping with his clothes on.

8th Smoking or striking lights below in the Prison, washing clothes or attempting to dry them, will not be allowed on any pretence whatsoever.

9th The Captains of Messes will receive their provisions in the order of their Messes, they are to tally their pieces of meat and deliver them to the Cooks, they are also to receive Water for their Messes.

10th A Captain of Division in rotation will be appointed, who will superintend the issue of provisions. A printed copy of the established rations will be hung up and should they appear of bad quality or deficient in weight they are to submit them for examination to me before they leave the Quarter Deck; after which it will be too late to complain.

11th The bedding to be taken on deck every morning, weather permitting. The Captains of Divisions are to see the beds neatly rolled up by 6 A.M. after which they are to be handed through the Prison gate to the Upper Deck Crew to be stowed by them and when they are ordered down, they are to be received by the same party.

12th If at any time a Prisoner has reason to complain of provoking language or treatment from the Ship's Company or Guard, he is hereby strictly enjoined not to retaliate, but to make the same known to me, that the complaint may be investigated.

13th Each Captain of Divisions will have charge of the of the Messes of his own Division, he is to see that the men muster clean and orderly. The Captains are to attend to the cleansing of their Divisions, to check any impropriety they may witness and to report to me everything that may affect the discipline of the Ship.

14th Any Prisoner found with any cutting, sawing or boring instrument whatever will be severely punished.

15th The Surgeon Superintendent has to impress upon the minds of the Prisoners that their future prosperity and happiness will depend upon their good conduct on board and the report he shall have to make to the Governor of the Colony on arrival.

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## DAILY AND WEEKLY ROUTINE

MONDAY

- 4.30 Prisoner Cooks, (3 in number), admitted on Deck.
- 6.0 Captains of Divisions and Upper Deck men admitted on Deck for the purpose of filling washing tubs &c. Prisoners at the same time to commence lashing up their beds & hammocks.
- 6.30 One half the Prisoners admitted for the purpose of washing their persons under the Superintendence of their respective Captains, half an hour being allowed for this purpose.
- 7.30 All below except the upper deck Crew who are to wash the upper deck and Water Closets.
- 8.0 Breakfast.
- 8.30 One man from each Mess admitted on deck for the purpose of washing up the mess utensils.
- 9.0 All the Prisoners on deck with the exception of two men from each Mess who in rotation will clean and scrape dry the Prison Deck and their berths, the bottom boards of the latter being removed, during which time I will attend in the Surgery to see the Sick.
- 9.30 Prison inspected after which all the Prisoners will be assembled for Prayers.
- 10.0 One half of the Prisoners sent on deck for exercise, the other half being arranged in Schools under the Superintendence of the Religious Instructor assisted by Monitors.
- 11.30 Schools to break up. Captains of Messes and Inspectors of Provisions to be present at the Issue of Lime Juice.
- 12.0 Dinner.
- 12.30 From each Mess one man to be admitted on deck for the purpose of washing the Mess utensils.
- 1.20 Deck to be swept clean.
- 1.30 Half the Prisoners admitted on deck, those remaining below being arranged in Schools as in the forenoon.
- 4.0 Down all beds and Hammocks.
- 4.30 Supper.
- 5.0 One man from each Mess admitted on Deck to wash Utensils.
- 6.0 Prayers.
- 8.30 Rounds.

**TUESDAY** The same as Monday and all Prisoners to be shaved. Captains of Divisions to see this order carried out.

**WEDNESDAY** The same as Monday and those Prisoners whose turn it is to be on deck in the forenoon to wash their clothes one man from each Mess delivering the same to the Captains of the upper deck crew.

**THURSDAY** The same as Wednesday. The remaining half of Prisoners to wash their clothes.

**FRIDAY** The same as Monday.

**SATURDAY** Schools suspended. Bottom boards to be scrubbed and dried on Deck. All men to be shaved.

**SUNDAY** A.M. Divine Service. 10.30 Prisoners professing the Roman Catholic Faith will have one of their members appointed to read Prayers to them. It is expected that all will assemble together in a clean and orderly manner for the Worship of Almighty God.

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Inspection of Convict Ship "Corona" at Deptford.

5th September 1866.

Religious Instructor joined the Ship at Noon.

Troops embarked at 1 P.M.

Surgeon Superintendent at 1.30 P.M.

Weighed anchor at 3 P.M.

Anchored off Sheerness about 6 P.M.

6th September 1866.

Surgeon Superintendent went on shore to inspect the Prisoners. During his absence 98 Convicts arrived from Chatham.

1 P.M. One of the Crew seized with Cholera sent on shore about 3 P.M. Boat did not return till next morning.

7th September 1866.

Weighed Anchor at 4 P.M.

Cast Anchor at the Nore 4 P.M.

8th September 1866.

Ther: 38 Degrees. Bar: 29.90

No: Sick 1

Weighed Anchor 5.30 A.M.

Anchored off Girder Light.

Head Winds.

The wife of Private Rubery of a male.

9th September 1866.

Ther: 59 1/2 Degrees. Bar: 29.75

No: Sick 1

Sunday. Light Winds.

Weighed Anchor at 5.30 A.M.

Cast Anchor 10 A.M. off Margate.

Weighed Anchor at Noon.

Cast Anchor at 8 P.M. off Ramsgate.

Strong Head Winds.

10th September 1866.

Ther: 59 Degrees. Bar: 29.66.

No: Sick 1

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In the Downs, Strong Gales.

Ship rolling very much. Many Sea Sick and some suffering from Diarrhoea.

11th September 1866.

Ther: 51 Degrees. Bar: 29.66

No: Sick 1

In the Downs.

Gale continues with heavy rain during the day.

12th September 1866.

Ther: 58 Degrees. Bar: 29.76

Barracks and Prison to be whitewashed twice a week with Chloride of Lime.

Chloride of Zinc to be frequently applied to all parts of the Ship.

All secretions from Stomach and Bowels to be disinfected.

Stoves to be kept burning about Deck all day.

Winds abated. Weighed Anchor at 7 A.M.

Head winds increased to a Gale. Very rough during the night with much rain.

13th September 1866.

Ther: 61 Degrees. Bar: 29.79.

St. Albans Head in sight.

Strong Head winds. Ship makes but little progress.

3.30 Nearly run down a Barque.

14th September 1866.

Ther: 59 Degrees. Bar: 29.60

Very rough all last night.

3 A.M. Strong Squalls.

6 A.M. Wind & rain abated.

Many Sea Sick.

Wine issued for the first time.

Routine carried out.

15th September 1866.

Ther: 62 Degrees. Bar: 29.87

No: Sick 2.

Fine bright morning, Head winds.

Prisoner 7604, William Sharp very sick, his bedding & clothing thrown overboard.

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Pilot from Portsmouth came on board 12.30 P.M.

Anchored off Spithead 3.30 P.M.

Usual Routine carried out.

16th September 1866.

Ther: 58 Degrees. Bar: 29.50.

No: Sick 3.

Sunday. Rough course & cold day.

Divine Service in the Prison at 10.30 A.M.

Divine Service in the Cuddy at 2 P.M.

Prisoners No: 7811 Enoch Gibson and No: 7937 Alexander Mc Culloch suffering from Diarrhoea with Cramp and symptoms of Cholera.

Towed to Motherbank.

17th September 1866.

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 29.90

No: Sick 5.

Off Motherbank.

10.15 A.M. William Sharp No: 7604 departed this life.

Surgeon Superintendent and Captain went on shore. Coroners Inquest at 5 P.M.

Body of William Sharp taken on shore.

Usual Routine observed.

18th September 1866.

Ther: 59 Degrees. Bar: 30.00

No: Sick 4.

Prison whitewashed.

Noon. Rather windy with cold damp atmosphere.

Routine as usual.

19th September 1866.

Ther: 61 Degrees. Bar: 29.97

No: Sick 4.

Fine bright day.

Sick men improving.

Routine carried out.

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20th September 1866.

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 29.90

No: Sick 7.

Prisoner No: 7564 Owen King suffering from Choleric Diarrhoea.

Routine carried out.

21st September 1866.

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 29.64

No: Sick 6.

Owen King much the same.

Wine issued.

2 P.M. King no better.

Routine carried out.

22nd September 1866.

Ther: 58 Degrees. Bar: 29.34

No: Sick 5

Off Motherbank.

Very wet all last night.

King no better, Gibson much the same.

11.30 A.M. Medical Inspector came on board.

Usual Routine carried out.

23rd September 1866.

Ther: 62 Degrees. Bar: 29.50

No: Sick 7.

Sunday. Divine Service 10.30 A.M. in the Prison.

11.15 A.M. Enoch Gibson departed this life.

Divine Service on the Poop at 2 P.M.

Wine issued to all hands and usual routine observed.

24th September 1866.

Ther: 62 Degrees. Bar: 29.90

No: Sick 6

Fine clear morning.

King a little better.

12.30 P.M. Coroners Inquest on the body of Enoch Gibson.

Usual Routine carried out.



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25th September 1866.

Ther: 61 Degrees. Bar: 29.98

No: Sick 7.

10.30 A.M. Wife and child of Guard Ludlam sent on shore by order of Director of Transports.

Prisoner No: 7818 Thomas Jones suffering from Debilitating Diarrhoea.

Usual Routine carried out.

26th September 1866.

Ther: 61 Degrees. Bar: 29.95

No: Sick 8

Sick men improving.

Usual Routine carried out.

27th September 1866.

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 29.95

No: Sick 6.

Wine issued to all hands.

Sick men improving.

Usual Routine carried out.

28th September 1866.

Ther: 62 Degrees. Bar: 20.75

No: Sick 3.

Early morning wet but at 7 A.M. bright and warm.

Jones and King about the same.

Wine issued to all hands and the Usual routine observed.

29th September 1866.

Ther: 62 Degrees. Bar: 29.90

No: Sick 3

Off Motherbank.

Daily Routine carried out.

30th September 1866.

Ther: 62 Degrees. Bar: 30.10

No: Sick 3.

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Sunday: Off Motherbank.

Fine warm day.

Divine Service in the Prison at 10.30 A.M.

Divine Service on Poop at 2 P.M. attended by Guards, their families &c.

Usual Routine carried out.

1st October 1866.

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 30.04

No: Sick 2.

Off Motherbank.

Sick no better.

Usual routine carried out.

2nd October 1866.

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 30.00

No: Sick 2

Off Motherbank.

Damp close day.

Daily Routine carried out.

3rd October 1866.

Ther: 62 Degrees. Bar: 30.10

No: Sick 2.

Off Motherbank.

Fine warm day.

Routine carried out.

4th October 1866.

Ther: 59 Degrees. Bar: 30.11

No: Sick 2.

Off Motherbank.

Dull damp day.

Routine carried out.

5th October 1866.

Ther: 59 1/2 Degrees. Bar: 30.32

No: Sick 2

Off Motherbank.

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Damp unpleasant day.  
Usual Routine observed.

6th October 1866.

Ther: 59 Degrees. Bar: 30.44

No: Sick 2.

Dull Weather.

Off Motherbank.

Usual routine observed.

7th October 1866.

Ther: 61 Degrees. Bar: 30.41

No: Sick 2.

Sunday: Off Motherbank.

Fine bright & warm day.

Divine Service in the Prison at 10.30 A.M.

8th October 1866.

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 30.31

No: Sick 2

Prisoner No: 7561, Owen King and No: 7818 Thomas Jones sent on shore by order of the Secretary of State at 9 A.M.

79 Convicts embarked at 3 P.M.

Portsmouth & Portland Pilots on board.

Weighed Anchor at 3.30 P.M.

Anchored off Cowes at 6.20 P.M.

9th October 1866.

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 30.14

Weighed Anchor 6 A.M., Sailed for Portland.

Portsmouth Pilot left at 8.45 A.M.

Anchored off Portland at 1.30 P.M.

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Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 30.00

Off Portland.

Usual Routine carried out.

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Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 30.02

Off Portland.

Fresh provisions issued to Guards & Convicts.

Usual Routine observed.

12th October 1866.

Ther: 59 1/2 Degrees. Bar: 29.88

Off Portland.

133 Convicts embarked

13th October 1866.

Ther: 59 Degrees. Bar: 29.92

Off Portland.

Compressed Vegetables issued.

Convicts writing to their friends.

14th October 1866.

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 29.92

No: Sick. 1.

Off Portland.

Divine Service in the Prison at 10.30 A.M.

Remainder of the day very wet.

15th October 1866.

Ther: 61 Degrees. Bar: 30.18

Off Portland.

Prisoners writing to their friends,

Compressed Vegetables issued.

16th October 1866.

Ther: 59 Degrees. Bar: 29.90

Off Portland.

Mr. Smith Pilot came on board at 10 A.M.

Weighed Anchor at 1.30 P.M.

Pilot left the Ship at 3.30 P.M.

Preserved Potatoes issued.

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Lat: 49.16 Long: 7.35

Ther: 61 Degrees. Bar: 29.60

No: Sick. 1.

Very rough during the night.

Most of the Prisoners Sea Sick.

Wine issued to all at 1.20 P.M.

Much rain today.

Compressed vegetables issued.

18th October 1866.

Lat: 47.50 Long: 10.8

Ther: 65 Degrees. Bar: 29.40

No: Sick 1.

Fine day but Head Winds and Heavy Sea.

Compressed Vegetables issued and usual Routine observed.

19th October 1866.

Lat: 46.53 Long: 10.52

Ther: 64 Degrees. Bar: 29.97

No: Sick. 1.

Fine bright day. Head Wind.

Ship rolling heavily.

Preserved Potatoes issued and Wine.

Routine Carried out.

20th October 1866.

Lat: 46.57 Long: 13.8

Ther: 63 Degrees. Bar: 29.70

No: Sick 1.

Strong head wind. Much rain.

Wine & vegetables issued as usual.

12 Noon. Gale of wind with heavy rain.

8 P.M. Gale moderating but rain still falling.

Usual Routine observed.

21st October 1866.

Lat: 45.10 Long: 13.37

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 29.84

No: Sick. 1.

Sunday: Fine bright morning with fair wind.

Divine Service suspended, a squall wind at 10 A.M.

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Wine and Vegetables as usual and Routine carried out.

22nd October 1866.

Lat: 42.5 Long: 13.59

Ther: 63 Degrees. Bar: 30.25

No: Sick 1.

Light winds.

Religious Instructor commenced duties of School assisted by Monitors.

Noon. Calm with head sea.

Wine & Compressed Vegetables.

Routine carried out as usual.

23rd October 1866.

Lat: 42.08 Long: 14.45

Ther: 64 Degrees. Bar: 30.14

No: Sick. 2.

Fine and warm with light breeze.

Wine issued.

School and Daily Routine as usual.

24th October 1866.

Lat: 40.54 Long: 16.46

Ther: 67 Degrees. Bar: 30.13

No: Sick 2.

Light breeze, fine and warm.

At Noon breeze increasing.

3 P.M. Fine fresh breeze.

3.15 P.M. The wife of Private Casey safely of a daughter.

Wine and Vegetables issued.

School and Daily routine as usual.

25th October 1866.

Lat: 38.18 Long: 16.53

Ther: 68 Degrees. Bar: 30.30

No: Sick. 2.

Fine Warm day.

6.30 A.M. The wife of Sergeant Hughes safely delivered of a son.

Lime Juice issued. Wine and Vegetables as usual.

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School and Daily Routine carried out,  
First signs of Trade Winds.

26th October 1866.

Lat: 35.41 Long: 17.13

Ther: 70 Degrees. Bar: 30.30

No: Sick 2.

Fine fair breeze & warm weather.

Vegetables & Wine issued as usual.

School and Daily routine carried out.

27th October 1866.

Lat: 33.2 Long: 20.2

Ther: 72 Degrees. Bar: 30.30

No: Sick. 2.

Fine day, favourable wind.

Lime Juice. Wine and Vegetables issued.

Routine carried out.

28th October 1866.

Lat: 28.45 Long: 21.58

Ther: 75 Degrees. Bar: 30.28

No: Sick 2.

Very fine and warm.

Divine Service in Prison 10.30 A.M.

Wine and Vegetables as usual.

2 P.M. Divine Service to Guards.

29th October 1866.

Lat: 24.42 Long: 23.59

Ther: 76 Degrees. Bar: 30.24

No: Sick 2.

Fine and warm.

Lime Juice. Wine and Vegetables issued.

Schools and daily Routine carried out.

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Lat: 20.31 Long: 25.14  
Ther: 77 Degrees. Bar: 30.09  
No: Sick 2.  
Fine and much warmer.  
Wine as usual.  
Schools and Daily routine carried out.  
Bathing on Deck in the afternoon.

31st October 1866.  
Lat: 16.34 Long: 26.5  
Ther: 80 Degrees. Bar: 29.97  
No: Sick. 4.  
Very hot.  
Lime Juice, Wine and Vegetables as usual.  
Daily routine carried out.

1st November 1866.  
Lat: 15.17 Long: 26.45  
Ther: 81 Degrees. Bar: 29.93  
No: Sick 2.  
Very hot.  
Wind moderating.  
Wine & Compressed Vegetables.  
Daily routine carried out.

2nd November 1866.  
Lat: 10.24 Long: 25.35  
Ther: 81 Degrees. Bar: 29.02  
No: Sick. 2.  
Hot close oppressive weather. Light breeze.  
Wine, Lime Juice and Vegetables as usual.  
12.30 P.M. Squall. Shorten sail.  
1.30 P.M. Squall abated. Full sail.  
Daily routine carried out.

3rd November 1866.  
Lat: 8.29 Long: 25.31



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Ther: 82 Degrees. Bar: 29.96

No: Sick 3.

Thunder & lightning accompanied by heavy rains at early morning.

Hot close oppressive day with light breeze from S.E.

Wine & Vegetables as usual.

Daily routine carried out.

Evening Calm.

4th November 1866.

Lat: 7.7 Long: 25.26

Ther: 83 Degrees. Bar: 29.94

No: Sick. 2.

Sunday: Light breeze, weather hot & clear.

Divine Service in the Prison at 10.30 A.M. Roman Catholic Service on deck.

10.50 A.M. One of the Ship's Company overboard. Lifebuoy thrown out to him immediately by which he was supported until recovered by the Ship's boat which was lowered and manned without delay.

Lime Juice, Wine & Vegetables.

2 P.M. Divine Service on the Poop.

The usual routine carried out.

5th November 1866.

Lat: 6.1 Long: 26.6

Ther: 82 Degrees. Bar: 29.98

No: Sick 2.

Cloudy squally day with heavy swell from the S.E.

Wine & Vegetables issued.

Daily Routine observed.

Prisoner No: 7718 Thomas Hinson suffering from Diarrhoea, admitted to Infirmary.

6th November 1866.

Lat: 3.27 Long: 25.55

Ther: 82 Degrees. Bar: 30.00

No: Sick. 2.

Fine hot day. First sign of the N.E. Trade Winds.

Wine, Lime Juice & Vegetables issued as usual.

Hinson still dangerously ill.

Daily routine observed.

7th November 1866.

Lat: 0.43 N. Long: 29.96

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Ther: 81 Degrees. Bar: 30.00

No: Sick 3.

Fine day & good breeze but strong head sea.

10.30 A.M. Passed St. Paul's Rock.

Wine and Vegetables as usual.

Routine carried out.

Hinson very ill, signs of sinking.

8th November 1866.

Lat: 2.34 S. Long: 30.35

Ther: 81 Degrees. Bar: 30.00

No: Sick. 3.

Strong winds with head sea.

7.50 A.M. 7718 Thomas Hinson of the Chatham Division departed this life.

Wine, Lime Juice & Vegetables as usual.

3.30 P.M. Thomas Hinson buried, carried by his Mess mates.

9th November 1866.

Lat: 5.26 S. Long: 32.5

Ther: 80 Degrees. Bar: 30.01

No: Sick 6.

Very strong Trade Winds. Hot fine day.

Wine & compressed Vegetables issued as usual.

Daily routine carried out.

10th November 1866.

Lat: 8.35 S. Long: 33.9

Ther: 80 Degrees. Bar: 30.03

No: Sick. 6.

Fine & hot.

Wine, Lime Juice & Vegetables issued as usual.

Daily routine carried out.

11th November 1866.

Lat: 11.59 Long: 33.3

Ther: 80 Degrees. Bar: 30.10

No: Sick 6.

Fine and hot.

10.30 A.M. Divine Service in the Prison. Roman Catholics on deck at same time.

Wine & Vegetables as usual.

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2 P.M. Divine Service on the Poop.

12th November 1866.

Lat: 14.40 Long: 33.29

Ther: 80 Degrees. Bar: 30.10

No: Sick. 6.

Fine & hot.

Wine, Lime Juice & Vegetables issued as usual.

Light breeze in afternoon.

Daily routine carried out.

13th November 1866.

Lat: 17.37 Long: 33.14

Ther: 79 Degrees. Bar: 30.10

No: Sick 5.

Strong squalls during the middle watch, Ship rolling uneasily.

In the morning, fine, strong breeze.

Wine & Vegetables issued as usual.

Daily routine carried out.

14th November 1866.

Lat: 21.19 Long: 32.31

Ther: 79 Degrees. Bar: 30.11

No: Sick. 5.

Fine & Warm with strong favourable breeze.

Wine, Lime Juice & Vegetables issued as usual.

Daily routine carried out.

In the evening strong winds which continued all night.

15th November 1866.

Lat: 25.40 Long: 32.7

Ther: 73 Degrees. Bar: 30.16

No: Sick 6.

Strong winds with rain at early morning.

10 A.M. Bright and fine.

Wine & Vegetables as usual.

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Daily routine carried out.

16th November 1866.

Lat: 29.46 Long: 31.5

Ther: 70 Degrees. Bar: 30.14

No: Sick. 6.

Steady breeze, fine not too warm.

Wine, Vegetables & Lime Juice as usual.

Daily routine carried out.

17th November 1866.

Lat: 32.44 Long: 29.14.

Ther: 66 Degrees. Bar: 30.5

No: Sick 6.

Dull morning but fair breeze.

Afternoon, High winds.

Evening, strong gale with heavy rains continuing during the night.

Wine & Vegetables as usual.

Daily routine carried out.

18th November 1866.

Lat/Long: No observation.

Ther: 65 Degrees. Bar: 29.73

No: Sick. 7.

Sunday: Strong wind with heavy rain. All Prisoners remaining below.

Wind abated in the afternoon, but rain still falling.

Wine, Lime Juice & Vegetables issued as usual.

8.30 P.M. Calm with rain.

Last of the S.E. Trade winds.

19th November 1866.

Lat: 36.10 Long: 29.23.

Ther: 64 Degrees. Bar: 29.34

No: Sick 7.

Fine bright morning with very light winds.

Wine & Vegetables issued as usual.

Afternoon quite calm.

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Daily routine carried out.

10 P.M. Slight breeze springing up.

20th November 1866.

Lat: 37.5 Long: 25.27

Ther: 62 Degrees. Bar: 29.50

No: Sick. 6.

Fair Westerly wind with light squalls.

Lime Juice, Wine & Vegetables as usual.

Afternoon, squally & heavy cross sea causing the Ship to roll heavily.

Daily routine carried out.

21st November 1866.

Lat: 39.11 Long: 20.15.

Ther: 61 Degrees. Bar: 29.74

No: Sick 6.

Fine breeze. Cold and dry.

10.30 A.M. Studding sails set.

Wine & Vegetables issued as usual.

Daily routine carried out.

22nd November 1866.

Lat: 40.23 Long: 16.34

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 29.95

No: Sick. 7.

Fine bright morning. Light winds.

Noon. Light winds

Lime Juice, Wine & Vegetables as usual.

Afternoon. Almost Calm.

23rd November 1866.

Lat/Long: No observation.

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 29.95

No: Sick 7.

North East breeze. Cold and wet.

Schools suspended in consequence of the weather. In other respects fine.

Daily routine carried out.

Wine & Vegetables issued as usual.

Afternoon. Light breeze, wet & foggy.

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24th November 1866.

Lat: 42.2 Long: 9.0

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 29.56

No: Sick. 7.

Fine breeze, but foggy all day.

Lime Juice, Wine & Vegetables as usual.

Daily routine carried out.

25th November 1866.

Lat: 42.3 Long: 3.52 W.

Ther: 58 Degrees. Bar: 29.62

No: Sick 7.

Sunday.

Morning damp & foggy.

10.30 A.M. Divine service in the Prison. The Roman Catholic service on deck.

Wine & Vegetables as usual.

2 P.M. Divine service in the Cuddy for Guards & others.

3.30 P.M. Fog cleared off.

Evening bright and warm.

The usual routine observed.

26th November 1866.

Lat: 41.58 Long: 1.40 E.

Ther: 56 Degrees. Bar: 29.76

No: Sick 7.

Fine breeze, clear bright morning.

Lime Juice, Wine & Vegetables issued as usual.

Routine carried out.

This morning (on going his usual rounds), the Carpenter discovered about two inches of the between deck plank on the Portside forward, sawn through and several small holes bored through the adjacent planks, forming in shape a square, evidently intended to form a hatch sufficiently large for the passage of a mans body.

On examining the upper surface of the deck in the Convicts Quarters, not the least trace of a cut or abrasion of the plank could be seen, so ingeniously had the same been filled with waste paper and soap; and only by pushing up a wire from below could the place be found. It was situated under the bottom boards of one of the Convicts beds & no doubt another day or two would have completed it & admitted the Convicts into the hold.

On questioning the men forming the Mess, in and over the place, they denied all knowledge of it, but the deed being of such a serious nature (involving probably the safety of the Ship) the two men occupying the berths immediately over the place and the Captain of the Mess were selected by the Surgeon Superintendent for Corporal Punishment, and at noon this was carried into execution as follows:-

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No: 456 Hugh Mc Griskin 18 lashes.  
9311 George Eagan 24 lashes.  
275 John Barker 24 lashes.

The two latter were afterwards put into hand and leg irons.

The Surgeon Superintendent has my approval to inflict the above punishment.

(Signed) Wm. T. Crowdace Master.

Since these men were punished I learned that George Eagan & John Barker were the men who cut the planking with the view of getting aft as they were under the impression that (hearing ?) arms & ammunition was there secreted.

27th November 1866.

Lat: 41.47 Long: 7.2 E.

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 29.82

No: Sick 7.

Fine breeze & clear weather.

Wine issued as usual.

Daily routine carried out.

Afternoon. Fine steady breeze.

28th November 1866.

Lat: 46.44 Long: 11.26

Ther: 57 Degrees. Bar: 29.66

No: Sick. 8.

Light wind. Clear bright morning.

Lime Juice, Wine & Vegetables.

Afternoon. Very light winds.

Daily routine carried out.

29th November 1866.

Lat: 40.58 Long: 14.53

Ther: 57 Degrees. Bar: 30.5.

No: Sick 8.

Fine morning. Cold E. Wind.

Wine & Vegetables issued.

Afternoon. Dull and rainy.

Daily routine carried out.

30th November 1866.

Lat: 38.57 Long: 17.51

Ther: 63 Degrees. Bar: 29.58

No: Sick. 10.

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Cloudy morning. Strong head winds.

Noon. Fine and clear.

Lime Juice, Wine & Vegetables as usual.

Daily routine carried out.

8 P.M. Ship about. Heavy rain.

1st December 1866.

Lat: 38.54 Long: 18.26

Ther: 63 Degrees. Bar: 29.97

No: Sick 8.

Dull cloudy morning. Head winds continue.

Wine & Vegetables issued as usual.

6 o'clock. Light winds with rain.

Daily routine carried out.

2nd December 1866.

Lat: 38.28 Long: 18.4

Ther: 64 Degrees. Bar: 29.94

No: Sick. 6.

Sunday. Light unsteady winds.

10.30 A.M. Divine Service in the Prison.

Roman Catholics on fore-castle.

Wine, Lime Juice & Vegetables as usual.

2 P.M. Divine Service on the Poop for Guard & families.

4 P.M. Fair, strong breeze.

3rd December 1866.

Lat: 39.53 Long: 22.23

Ther: 64 Degrees. Bar: 29.44

No: Sick 5.

Strong Wind & Squalls with Heavy Rain.

Thunder and Lightning during the middle watch.

Noon. Unsteady Winds. Heavy Showers.

Wine & Vegetables issued.

Daily routine observed.

4th December 1866.

Lat: 39.53 Long: 27.23

Ther: 59 Degrees. Bar: 29.64



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No: Sick. 5.

Strong breeze with heavy sea.

9 A.M. Strong Gale with occasional drizzling rain.

Noon. Strong gale but the squalls less violent.

Ship lurching heavily.

Wine, Lime Juice issued.

Wind moderated during the afternoon.

Daily routine observed.

5th December 1866.

Lat: 39.50 Long: 32.50

Ther: 61 Degrees. Bar: 29.70

No: Sick 6.

Light Breeze. Drizzling rain.

Noon. Fine and clear.

Wine & Vegetables as usual.

Afternoon. Light variable wind.

Daily routine observed.

8.30 P.M. Strong N.E. Wind which increased to a Gale.

6th December 1866.

Lat: 40.55 Long: 37.9

Ther: 59 Degrees. Bar: 29.5

No: Sick. 6.

A.M. Middle watch, Strong Wind with heavy rain.

2.45 A.M. The wife of Private Devitt safely delivered of a son.

Noon. Fine & clear, Good Breeze.

Wine, Lime Juice and Vegetables issued.

Daily routine observed.

8 P.M. Very strong squall and unusually heavy rain.

7th December 1866.

Lat: 41.9 Long: 41.43

Ther: 57 Degrees. Bar: 29.52

No: Sick 6.

Heavy rain all the night till 5 A.M. when it abated.

Cold clear morning with light breezes from the N.W.

Noon. Strong Breeze, cold and cloudy.

Wine & Vegetables as usual.

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Afternoon and evening, the strong breeze continues.

Daily routine observed.

8th December 1866.

Lat: 40.11 Long: 47.2

Ther: 53 Degrees. Bar: 29.60

No: Sick. 5.

A.M. Early morning squally, Strong breeze.

Fore and main topsails double reefed.

Noon. Gale continues with fierce heavy squalls.

Ship lurches heavily.

Lime Juice, Wine and Vegetables as usual.

Afternoon. Gale continues.

Daily routine carried out.

9 P.M. Less Wind.

9th December 1866.

Lat: 39.44 Long: 55.53

Ther: 52 Degrees. Bar: 30.00

No: Sick 7.

Sunday. Fresh Breeze with heavy beam sea.

Too rough for Divine Service.

Wine & Vegetables as usual.

At noon breeze decreasing and clear sky.

Evening. Very light winds.

10th December 1866.

Lat: 39.66 Long: 57.23

Ther: 56 Degrees. Bar: 29.90

No: Sick. 10.

Early morning, Fresh Breeze and cloudy.

Noon. Fresh breeze with drizzling rain.

Lime Juice, Wine and Vegetables as usual.

Daily routine carried out.

11th December 1866.

Lat: 40.00 Long: 61.51

Ther: 60 Degrees. Bar: 30.12

No: Sick 7.

Morning. Fine, Bright & Mild.

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Light Breeze and smooth water.  
Wine issued as usual.  
Light Breeze & clear sky during the day.  
Daily routine carried out.

12th December 1866.  
Lat: 39.49 Long: 65.59  
Ther: 61 Degrees. Bar: 30.25  
No: Sick. 12.  
Light Breeze, Bright and clear.  
Noon. Cloudy, Strong Easterly swell.  
Lime Juice, Wine and Vegetables issued.  
Evening. Clear with moderate breeze.  
Daily routine carried out.

13th December 1866.  
Lat: 39.11 Long: 70.40  
Ther: 64 Degrees. Bar: 30.11  
No: Sick 5.  
Moderate Breeze. Clear weather.  
Noon. Fine Breeze.  
Wine and Vegetables issued.  
Afternoon. Slight Showers.  
Daily routine carried out.

14th December 1866.  
Lat: 38.45 Long: 76.08  
Ther: 64 Degrees. Bar: 29.91  
No: Sick. 5.  
Moderate Breeze. Clear Weather.  
Noon. Fresh Breeze. Clear.  
Lime Juice, Wine and Vegetables issued.  
Afternoon. Fresh Breeze, but cloudy with occasional showers.  
5 P.M. Sighted St. Paul's Island.  
7 P.M. Abreast St. Paul's.  
Daily routine carried out.

15th December 1866.  
Lat: 38.11 Long: 81.37

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Ther: 62 Degrees. Bar: 29.99

No: Sick 6.

Fresh Breeze and clear.

Noon. Fresh Breeze and fine.

Wine and Vegetables as usual.

Daily routine carried out.

8 P.M. Fresh Breeze with heavy S.W. sea.

Ship rolling heavily.

16th December 1866.

Lat: 37.38 Long: 86.26

Ther: 61 Degrees. Bar: 30.25

No: Sick. 6.

A.M. Light breeze with heavy S.W. sea.

Ship rolling heavily.

Noon. Light air from West.

10.30 A.M. Divine Service in the Prison. Roman Catholics on the forecastle.

2 P.M. Divine Service on the Poop.

Lime Juice, Wine and Vegetables as usual.

Usual Routine observed.

17th December 1866.

Lat: 37.19 Long: 89.30

Ther: 64 Degrees. Bar: 30.23

No: Sick 6.

A.M. Fresh Breeze and cloudy.

Wine and Vegetables issued.

Noon. Fresh Breeze. Clear weather.

Usual routine observed.

18th December 1866.

Lat: 37.3 Long: 94.45

Ther: 63 Degrees. Bar: 30.11

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No: Sick. 6.

A.M. Fresh Breeze. Cloudy.

Wine & Lime Juice issued.

Noon. Fresh Breeze. Cloudy.

Usual Routine carried out.

19th December 1866.

Lat: 36.20 Long: 100.24

Ther: 64 Degrees. Bar: 30.10

No: Sick 6.

Strong Breeze with small gusts.

Lime Juice, Wine and Vegetables issued.

Noon & P.M. Fresh Breeze and clear.

Usual routine carried out.

20th December 1866.

Lat: 35.00 Long: 105.29

Ther: 66 Degrees. Bar: 29.97

No: Sick. 6.

A.M. Fresh Breeze and clear weather.

Wine, Vegetables & Lime Juice issued.

Noon. Fresh Breeze. Clear.

Usual Routine observed.

21st December 1866.

Lat: 33.29 Long: 110.14

Ther: 65 Degrees. Bar: 30.03

No: Sick 6.

Fresh Breeze and cloudy.

8 A.M. Increasing Breeze.

Wine and Vegetables issued.

Noon. Strong Gale with passing squalls.

Daily Routine carried out.

Evening. Cloudy. Strong winds.

22nd December 1866.

Lat: 32.02 Long: 115.40

Ther: 66 Degrees. Bar: 30.12

No: Sick. 6.

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A.M. Strong Winds and cloudy.

Noon. Rottnest island in sight.

Lime Juice, Wine & Vegetables issued.

12.30 P.M. Mr. Jackson, Pilot came on board.

3 P.M. Cast anchor at Fremantle.

3.30 P.M. Police Boat arrived from shore.

Routine as usual.

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At Fremantle.

9.30 A.M. The Hon. the Comptroller General and the Hon. the Commandant arrived on board and inspected the Ship and made arrangements for the disembarkation of the Prisoners and Guard tomorrow the 24th Inst. commencing at 6 A.M.

24th December 1866.

Ther: 72 Degrees. Bar: 38.10

Fresh Beef & Vegetables.

At 1/2 past 5 o'clock A.M. Convicts commenced to disembark and left the Ship at 1/2 past 7 A.M.

Guard also disembarked.

2 P.M. Mr. Sullivan Asst. Warder & Wife sent ashore.

25th December 1866.

Fremantle.

Ther: 70 Degrees. Bar: 30.11

10 A.M. Mr. Upton & Mr. Bowring, Asst. Warders, discharged.

26th December 1866.

Fremantle.

Ther: 71 Degrees. Bar: 30.12

Surgeon Superintendent & Master of the Ship examining Stores to commence discharging the same to Commissariat.

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## PUNISHMENT LIST

REGISTER	NAME	CRIME	PUNISHMENT AWARDED	DATE	
7621	Roberts John	Stealing fat from a barrel of Ship's Beef.	1 day Sol. Conf. with Bread & Water.	Sept. 8th 1866.	
7660	Walker Henry	Using foul language.	4 days " "	Sept. 8th 1866.	
7819	Hall Edward	Attempt to steal from Ship.	3 days " "	Sept. 10th 1866.	
7791	Brocklesby Henry	Smoking between Deck.	3 dyas " " and Irons.	Sept 19th 1866.	
8286	Pitchforth William	Stealing bread from Ship.	2 days Sol. Conf. with Bread & Water.	Sept. 28th 1866.	
7792	Baker Thomas	Stealing bread from a Prisoner	1 day Sol. Conf.	Sept. 29th 1866.	
7691	Barnes Samuel	Stealing from a chest belonging to one of the Crew.	Caned on hand. 1 day Sol. Conf. and Irons.	Oct 2nd 1866.	
7853	Galpin James	Drying clothes on rigging.	One night Sol. Conf.	Oct 3rd 1866.	
7782	Coulson George	Attempting to forward a letter through one of the Crew.	One day Sol. Conf.	Oct 7th 1866.	
8492	Lowther Joseph	Improper conduct and lying.	One night Sol. Conf.	Oct 8th 1866.	
7769	Garsher William	Answering to his name improperly.	One night Sol. Conf.	Oct 8th 1866.	
7810	Tilling Thomas	Trafficking with Sailors.	Two days Sol. Conf.	Oct 9th 1866.	
306	Raynor Thomas	Destroying his towel.	One day Sol. Conf.	Oct 14th 1866.	
432	Verner Carl	Using bad language to Assistant Warder Bowring.	One day Sol. Conf. and Irons	Oct 17th 1866.	
109	Phillipps G.	Disobedience of orders.	One day Sol. Conf.	Oct 19th 1866.	
1153	Black T.	Bad language.	Caned on hand	Oct 20th 1866.	
3256	Dawe Samuel	Stealing bread from Ship.	2 days Sol. Conf. Hand and Leg Irons.	Oct 20th 1866.	
7549	Holmes Thomas	Bad Conduct during Schools hours.	Two days Sol. Conf.	Oct 23rd 1866.	
5075	Hall Edward	Striking fellow Prisoner.	One day Sol. Conf.	Nov 2nd 1866.	
5639	Giorgetti S.	Towing his clothes over side of vessel.	Two days Sol. Conf.	Nov 3rd 1866.	
369	Cowley John	Gambling under Forecastle.	Two days Sol. Conf.	Nov 3rd 1866.	
272	Telford William	Disobedience of orders.	One day Sol. Conf.	Nov 9th 1866.	
7621	Roberts John	Improper language to Sentry.	3 days Sol. Conf. Hand and Leg Irons.	Nov 15th 1866.	
7790	Dingsdale William	Gambling between Decks at 12.45 A.M.	3 days " "	Nov 15th 1866.	
126	Collins John	Improper language.	3 days Sol. Conf.	Nov 17th 1866.	
455	Walsh William	Threatening language to a Prisoner	3 days Sol. Conf. Hand and Leg Irons.	Nov 17th 1866.	
9311	Eagan George	Cutting through the Prison Deck beneath their Mess	24 Lashes } To be placed in Hand	Nov 26th 1866	
275	Barker John		24 Lashes } and Leg Irons		
456	Mc Griskin Hugh		18 Lashes }	Nov 26th 1866	
432	Verner Carl		18 Lashes } To be placed		
431	Barnett Mark		18 Lashes }	Nov 26th 1866	
470	Hughes Henry		18 Lashes }		
390	Giblin Michael		18 Lashes }	Nov 26th 1866	
411	Laing Thomas		Washing clothes between decks.	One day Sol. Conf.	Nov 27th 1866.

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REGISTER	NAME	CRIME	PUNISHMENT AWARDED	DATE
5090	Flack Charles	Being on deck against rules.	One day Sol. Conf.	Nov 28th 1866.
7409	Cunningham John	Using foul & threatening languageto Captain of Chatham Division	2 days Sol. Conf. Hand and Leg Irons.	Dec 5th 1866.
3068	Pitts Richard	Having a file in his possession.	Two days Sol. Conf.	Dec 7th 1866.
292	Brown William	Having Shoemaker's Tools in his possession.	One day Sol. Conf.	Dec 11th 1866.
452	Mc Donald M.	Abusive language to Assistant Warder Bowering.	One day Sol. Conf.	Dec 16th 1866.
442	Thomas John	Towing his clothes out of Porthole contrary to orders.	One day Sol. Conf.	Dec 19th 1866.
7790	Dinsdale William	Hanging his clothes on the rigging	One day Sol. Conf.	Dec 19th 1866.



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EMBARKATION REPORT

Date when commenced fitting at Deptford	August 17th 1866
Date of leaving Deptford	September 5th 1866.

PORTS AT WHICH THE CONVICTS WERE EMBARKED &c.

Port	Date of Arrival	Number Embarked	When	Date of Sailing
Sheerness		98	Sept. 6th 1866	
Portsmouth		79	Oct. 8th 1866	Oct. 16th
Portland		133	Oct. 12th 1866	

PORTS PUT INTO AFTER SAILING ORDERS &C.

Port	Cause	When	When Left
Port of Destination		Fremantle W.A.	
Date of Arrival		Dec. 22nd 1866	
Number of Convicts Landed		305 *	
Number of Convicts who have died during the Voyage.		3	

\* Two Convicts sent on shore at Portsmouth by order of Director of Transport Services

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A LIST of 305 Convicts transported to Western Australia aboard the Convict Ship "CORONA" 1866.

Name	Date of Conviction	Sentence Years
Abraham Abbotts	26th June 1865	10 yrs P.S.
George Allen	7th August 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Thomas Allen	26th July 1864	7 yrs P.S.
John Allsop	8th July 1865	8 yrs P.S.
George Andrews	21st August 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Henry Armstrong	26th August 1865	7 yrs P.S.
William Atkins	20th April 1863	7 yrs P.S.
George Baker	14th March 1864	12 yrs P.S.
George Baker	8th May 1865	15 yrs P.S.
James Baker	25th March 1865	15 yrs P.S.
Thomas Baker	18th October 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Edward Baldock	1st December 1863	7 yrs P.S.
James Baldwin	27th March 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Barker	3rd April 1865	14 yrs P.S.
Mark Barnett	5th Junes 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Samuel Barnes	4th July 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Timothy Beard	5th January 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Charles Beckett	20th July 1865	8 yrs P.S.
Richard Bennett	17th October 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Betteridge	30th March 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Bevins	10th July 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Jonathon Binch	11th April 1865	14 yrs P.S.
Thomas Black	14th August 1865	7 yrs P.S.
John Booker	24th October 1864	7 yrs P.S.
James Boorman	3rd January 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Booth	13th April 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Samuel Bradford	14th March 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Thomas Brewerton	10th April 1865	14 yrs P.S.
Timothy Brien	4th July 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas R. Britton	17th October 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Henry Brocklesby	18th October 1864	7 yrs P.S.
William Bromley	23rd March 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Brooks	12th August 1865	8 yrs P.S.
Henry Brown	6th April 1863	7 yrs P.S.
James Brown	11th April 1865	12 yrs P.S.
James Brown	26th June 1865	10 yrs P.S.
John Brown	4th May 1863	7 yrs P.S.
William Brown	4th January 1864	7 yrs P.S.
William Brown	1st April 1865	10 yrs P.S.
George Brough	26th June 1865	10 yrs P.S.
George Bruton	9th August 1865	8 yrs P.S.
Joseph Buckley	9th July 1864	7 yrs P.S.

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William Butcher	14th March 1864	10 yrs P.S.
William Butler	30th June 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Joseph Byron	8th July 1864	10 yrs P.S.
John S. Caldwell	21st September 1864	7 yrs P.S.
John Campbell	6th January 1865	10 yrs P.S.
John Campbell	8th April 1865	10 yrs P.S.
John Campbell	10th April 1865	10 yrs P.S.
John Cannon	17th May 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Thomas Carbury	21st August 1865	7 yrs P.S.
George Carney	10th March 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Dennis Carr	25th March 1865	Life.
Peter Carrighan	11th July 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Federick Carter	11th April 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Theophilus Carter	23rd March 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Caseley	10th April 1865	14 yrs P.S.
John Chapman	6th April 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Phillip Chapman	30th June 1860	7 yrs P.S.
William Chubb	20th March 1865	10 yrs P.S.
William Clark	11th April 1865	21 yrs P.S.
Enoch A. Clarke	15th July 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Benjamin Clift	14th August 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Daniel Clooney	4th April 1864	7 yrs P.S.
William Cole	3rd July 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Charles Collins	3rd July 1865	10 yrs P.S.
George Collins	3rd January 1865	10 yrs P.S.
John Collins	6th June 1864	10 yrs P.S.
Bernard Connolly	26th June 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Conway	21st April 1865	8 yrs P.S.
George Coulson	17th October 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Henry Coveny	20th February 1865	10 yrs P.S.
John Cowley	26th June 1865	7 yrs P.S.
John Crawley	9th January 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Edward Critchley	6th April 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Cornelius Crosby	31st March 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Cunningham	23rd December 1863	10 yrs P.S.
Edward Morgan Davies	10th March 1865	15 yrs P.S.
John Davies	31st October 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Samuel Dawes	20th March 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Charles Deacon	15th July 1864	7 yrs P.S.
John Desmond	6th July 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Joseph Dewhirst	21st August 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Alexander Diey	18th April 1865	8 yrs P.S.
William Dimsdale	18th October 1864	7 yrs P.S.
William Ditchfield	29th July 1865	15 yrs P.S.

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Peter Donnolly	3rd January 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Cornelius Donovan	10th April 1865	10 yrs P.S.
George Donovan	5th January 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Edwin Dreach	12th June 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Patrick Driscoll	8th May 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Robert Dunbar	11th April 1865	9 yrs P.S.
George Eagan	11th May 1863	20 yrs P.S.
John Elkington	26th March 1864	7 yrs P.S.
William Evans	6th January 1863	24 yrs P.S.
James Fitton	27th February 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Charles Flack	22nd March 1865	8 yrs P.S.
Richard Galloway	26th June 1865	10 yrs P.S.
James Galpin	28th June 1864	7 yrs P.S.
William Garsher	29th July 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Michael Giblin	29th July 1865	20 yrs P.S.
Samuel Giorgetti	5th August 1865	10 yrs P.S.
John Thomas Glass	9th August 1865	15 yrs P.S.
John Gleeson	21st August 1865	7 yrs P.S.
George Goner	10th April 1865	10 yrs P.S.
James Grace	22nd January 1864	10 yrs P.S.
James Gregory	29th June 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Gregory	3rd January 1865	10 yrs P.S.
John Green	8th May 1865	10 yrs P.S.
John Griffiths	21st March 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Joseph Grimes	30th March 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Thomas Griss	7th August 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Edward Hague	29th July 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Job Hainsworth	25th March 1865	8 yrs P.S.
Michael Haley	29th July 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Edwin Hall	26th August 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Edward Hall	25th March 1865	20 yrs P.S.
Henry Hall	25th October 1864	7 yrs P.S.
John Hall	1st May 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Joseph Hamilton	8th April 1865	10 yrs P.S.
William Hanson	23rd May 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Henry Harding	2nd May 1865	8 yrs P.S.
James Harding	19th July 1865	15 yrs P.S.
William Harper	29th July 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Henry Harris	10th April 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Joseph Harris	26th July 1864	7 yrs P.S.
John Harrison	4th August 1865	10 yrs P.S.
William Harrison	14th July 1864	7 yrs P.S.
William Hartley	22nd December 1863	7 yrs P.S.
William Havlin	8th May 1865	20 yrs P.S.

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Thomas Haywood	17th October 1864	7 yrs P.S.
John Heap	22nd July 1865	15 yrs P.S.
James Hennessy	12th July 1865	10 yrs P.S.
David Hillam	4th August 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Thomas Hinson	DIED ON VOYAGE.	
John Hodgkiss	29th March 1865	10 yrs P.S.
George Hodgman	5th April 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Edward Hoffey	29th October 1864	10 yrs P.S.
Joseph Hollingworth	20th October 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Holmes	15th March 1864	7 yrs P.S.
John Howarth	13th April 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Henry Hughes	29th July 1865	Life.
Robert Hughes	12th August 1865	10 yrs P.S.
James Hurley	10th April 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Alfred T. Jackson	12th December 1864	Life.
John Jackson	17th July 1865	10 yrs P.S.
William Jackson	15th July 1865	8 yrs P.S.
Samuel James	1st March 1864	7 yrs P.S.
William H. Jeffery	10th April 1865	20 yrs P.S.
John Thomas	10th August 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Jones	15th July 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Richard F. Jones	19th December 1864	10 yrs P.S.
Thomas Jones	5th March 1863	7 yrs P.S.
David Joseph	26th August 1865	14 yrs P.S.
Richard Kelly	15th August 1864	10 yrs P.S.
Peter Kelly	19th April 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Kirk	19th May 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Matthew Kitson	19th May 1864	7 yrs P.S.
John King	17th July 1865	8 yrs P.S.
George King	9th May 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Kneller	2nd March 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Joseph Knight	4th March 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Robert H. Knowles	26th July 1865	15 yrs P.S.
Thomas Laing	19th April 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Edward Lalley	7th December 1863	20 yrs P.S.
Robert Lawson	12th April 1865	10 yrs P.S.
John Leach	6th January 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Benjamin Lewis	30th June 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Joseph Lovatt	17th October 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Ralph Lovatt	27th June 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Joseph Lowther	4th August 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Thomas Lund	25th July 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Patrick Luney	21st October 1865	12 yrs P.S.
William Mac Cormick	18th March 1863	7 yrs P.S.

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Edward Mac Givern	17th March 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Henry Mac Clen	27th June 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Alex. Mc Culloch	9th September 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Michael Mc Donald	15th December 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Michael Mc Donald	20th July 1865	8 yrs P.S.
Edward Mc Dougall	11th July 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Daniel Mc Gilvray	3rd May 1865	8 yrs P.S.
John Mc Gough	28th November 1864	9 yrs P.S.
Hugh Mc Griskin	29th July 1865	Life.
Edward Mc Inalty	20th September 1864	7 yrs P.S.
John Mc Kay	17th April 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Mason	23rd February 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Mather	23rd March 1865	10 yrs P.S.
William Miller	23rd August 1864	7 yrs P.S.
William Miller	3rd May 1865	7 yrs P.S.
John Moore	27th December 1864	8 yrs P.S.
Benjamin Moreton	26th November 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Morgan	29th March 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Joseph Morris	25th March 1865	20 yrs P.S.
Robert Morrison	19th September 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Edward Murdock	6th April 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Morris Newhouse	24th July 1865	8 yrs P.S.
Denis Noon	5th July 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Samuel Norman	26th June 1865	10 yrs P.S.
James Nunn	26th October 1863	7 yrs P.S.
James Parsons	3rd July 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Robert Peck	12th June 1865	8 yrs P.S.
George Penton	5th June 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Donald Petrie	27th April 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Daniel Phillips	2nd March 1864	7 yrs P.S.
George Phillips	9th January 1865	10 yrs P.S.
George Picton	23rd February 1863	7 yrs P.S.
James Piper	2nd March 1865	15 yrs P.S.
William Pitchforth	25th May 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Richard Pitts	8th April 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Moses Preen	20th October 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Joseph Pridmore	21st August 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Raynor	10th March 1865	12 yrs P.S.
Job Roberts	21st October 1864	7 yrs P.S.
John Roberts	21st December 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Rodgers	4th August 1865	12 yrs P.S.
John Rogers	2nd March 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Rogers	20th December 1864	10 yrs P.S.
Alexander Ross	21st April 1865	15 yrs P.S.

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Albert J. Rudolff	20th March 1865	15 yrs P.S.
Thomas Russell	9th May 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Ryan	5th January 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Ryan	17th April 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Frederick Sallis	18th March 1865	10 yrs P.S.
James Scott	3rd March 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Edmond Sedgewick	6th April 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Benjamin Shakespeare	7th March 1864	20 yrs P.S.
Patrick Shannon	23rd January 1863	14 yrs P.S.
William Shaw	22nd May 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Charles Sherman	27th February 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Dennis Shea	8th May 1865	10 yrs P.S.
George Short	7th August 1865	10 yrs P.S.
James Smith	8th June 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Smith	6th April 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Smith	29th December 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Smith	29th November 1864	7 yrs P.S.
John Smith	10th March 1865	14 yrs P.S.
John Smith	1st April 1865	10 yrs P.S.
John Smith	3rd April 1865	10 yrs P.S.
John Smith	4th January 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Patrick Smith	28th December 1864	10 yrs P.S.
William Smith	10th July 1865	10 yrs P.S.
William Smith	24th February 1865	7 yrs P.S.
William Spencer	24th July 1865	8 yrs P.S.
George Spires	20th April 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Samuel Statham	9th March 1865	20 yrs P.S.
Solomon Stenton	25th March 1865	20 yrs P.S.
David Stone	23rd March 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Thomas Storey	25th May 1865	10 yrs P.S.
William Storey	26th October 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Elijah Strange	6th January 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Strange	24th March 1863	7 yrs P.S.
George J. Streeton	9th January 1865	8 yrs P.S.
William Stuart	23rd February 1863	7 yrs P.S.
William Suter	20th October 1864	7 yrs P.S.
George Sydney	7th March 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Edward Taylor	11th April 1865	8 yrs P.S.
William Telford	21st February 1865	10 yrs P.S.
William Templeton	26th October 1863	7 yrs P.S.
George Thomas	13th July 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Thomas	29th July 1865	7 yrs P.S.
James Thompson	13th December 1864	Life.
William Thompson	8th December 1864	12 yrs P.S.



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Thomas Tilling	17th October 1864	7 yrs P.S.
William Tipper	6th July 1864	7 yrs P.S.
James Totterdell	30th June 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Cyrus Travis	26th July 1864	20 yrs P.S.
John Tucker	7th August 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Alfred Turnbull	1st May 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Robert Turner	18th March 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Thomas Underwood	9th March 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Carl Verner	14th August 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Henry Vickery	6th January 1863	7 yrs P.S.
William Vince	7th August 1865	10 yrs P.S.
John Vincent	3rd May 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Daniel Walker	5th January 1864	7 yrs P.S.
Henry Walker	4th January 1864	7 yrs P.S.
John Walker	12th July 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Frederick Wallace	21st March 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Michael Walsworth	23rd February 1865	14 yrs P.S.
John Walters	10th April 1865	14 yrs P.S.
Robert Warburton	26th February 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Charles Ward	DIED ON VOYAGE	
Thomas Ward	15th March 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Daniel Warington	6th April 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Webley	17th July 1865	10 yrs P.S.
William Welch	22nd July 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Francis Wheeler	6th January 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John White	4th July 1864	7 yrs P.S.
William White	23rd May 1864	10 yrs P.S.
William White	6th July 1865	7 yrs P.S.
Frederick Watkinson	10th April 1865	10 yrs P.S.
Joseph Willets	20th July 1865	10 yrs P.S.
George Wilmore	21st August 1865	7 yrs P.S.
John Wilmott	1st December 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Williamson	23rd August 1864	7 yrs P.S.
John Williamson	9th March 1865	15 yrs P.S.
George Wilson	5th February 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Wilson	30th June 1864	7 yrs P.S.
John Wilson	3rd May 1865	7 yrs P.S.
John Wilson	20th July 1865	8 yrs P.S.
William Winter	13th March 1865	15 yrs P.S.
William Ward	5th January 1863	7 yrs P.S.
John Yates	5th January 1863	7 yrs P.S.
Alexander Young	29th September 1864	7 yrs P.S.
William Young	24th October 1864	7 yrs P.S.

PENSIONER GUARD

NAME	RANK
John Alex. Bradley	Sergeant Major
John Taylor	Sergeant
Dennis Connor	Sergeant
Denis Hagan	Corporal
John Woods	Corporal
William Golding	Private
James Crawford	Private
Thomas Butler	Private
Hugh Devitt	Private
James Finnegan	Private
Patrick Kelly	Private
James Scott	Private
Michael Mack	Private
John Farrell	Private
Thomas Ludlam	Private
Patrick Nowlan	Private
James Farrell	Private
Patrick Ryan	Private
Patrick Casey	Private
John Mc Call	Private
Henry Chambers	Private
John Calvert	Private
Thomas Kelly	Private
Peter Farmer	Private
Michael Rubery	Private
Hugh Hanlon	Private
Thomas Clarke	Private
James Gill	Private
Thomas Hughes	Private
James Mc Namara	Private
Thomas Moffatt	Private
Patrick Murphy	Private

WARDERS

Alfred Bowring
John Sullivan
Frederick Upton

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## William Crawford M.D. R.N.

### A BRIEF HISTORY

- 19th May 1846 Qualified as Assistant Surgeon, then aged 20 years.
- 16th Nov 1846 Appointed Assistant Surgeon, Royal Navy, and served on board various Naval vessels, including "Alligator", and "Devastation".
- 10th May 1856 Promoted to rank of Surgeon.
- 14th Aug 1861 Appointed Surgeon Superintendent on board Vessel "LINCELLES" for the transportation of Male Convicts to Western Australia.
- 14th Feb 1863 Appointed Surgeon Superintendent on board Vessel "CLYDE" for the transportation of Male Convicts to Western Australia.
- 30th Dec 1863 Appointed Surgeon Superintendent on board Vessel "CLARA" for the transportation of Male Convicts to Western Australia.
- 21st Sep 1864 Appointed Surgeon Superintendent on board Vessel "PORCHESTER" for the transportation of Male Convicts to Gibraltar.
- 23rd Aug 1865 Appointed Surgeon Superintendent on board Vessel "VIMEIRA" for the transportation of Male Convicts to Western Australia.
- 26th Aug 1866 Appointed Surgeon Superintendent on board Vessel "CORONA" for the transportation of Male Convicts to Western Australia.
- 1866 - 1873 Surgeon on board various Naval Vessels.
- 14th Jan 1872 Promoted to rank of Staff Surgeon.
- 25th Jul 1873 Placed on Retirement List.
- 10th Apr 1876 Died - Aged 50 years.

These Surgeon's Daily Journals record a most important part of West Australian History, and should not be overlooked by researchers, particularly those who descend from a Convict, Pensioner Guard, or Warder, carried on one of these vessels.

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Norwood 1862

Clyde 1863

Merchantman 1863

Merchantman 1864

Clara 1864

Vimeira 1865

Racehorse 1865

Corona 1866

Norwood 1867

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