

COMET VALE PUBLIC CEMETERY.
(Reserve 11107.)

Department of Lands and Surveys,
Perth, 29th January, 1915.

1498/08.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Executive Council has been pleased to approve of the following By-laws under the provisions of "The Cemeteries Act, 1897," and amending Acts; and of the appointment of Edward McGarrigal to be a Trustee of the above-mentioned Cemetery, *vice* Mr. Chas. Murray, resigned.

R. CECIL CLIFTON,
Under Secretary for Lands.

By-laws of the Comet Vale Public Cemetery.

1. That all fees and charges payable to the Trustees, in accordance with Schedule "A," shall be paid when applications are made or orders given.

2. That any person desiring ground in the Cemetery for a private grave, vault, tomb, cenotaph, tombstone and railing, wall, or for any other purpose, shall apply to the Trustees therefor. If approved, the Trustees, on payment of the required fees, shall issue to such persons so applying a certificate of right of burial in the form specified in Schedule "B."

3. Any person desiring to place or erect any monument, tombstone, or enclosure in any part of the Cemetery shall, before obtaining permission to do so, submit a plan of such monument, tombstone, or enclosure, and specify the materials of which it is to be composed, to the Trustees, and shall obtain such permission, in writing, in the form of Schedule "D," before proceeding with the work.

4. If any person shall erect or place any monument or tombstone or enclosure upon any grave, the exclusive right of which has not been obtained, and shall fail to keep the same in repair after receiving one month's notice in writing from the Trustees so to do, then the Trustees may remove such monument, etc.

5. Every person who has the exclusive right of burial in any grave shall keep such grave, and any erection thereon, in proper repair, and if, after receiving notice in writing from the Trustees requiring such repairs to be executed, shall fail so to do, then after the expiration of twenty-eight days the Trustees may cause such repairs to be executed, and may recover the cost thereof from such person before any two Justices in Petty Sessions.

6. (a.) That all applications for interment shall be made to the Secretary of the Trustees, and six working hours' notice shall be given to the Sexton prior to the time fixed for the burial, otherwise an extra charge will be made.

(b.) The name, age, and other particulars of the deceased shall be furnished when giving the order, as in Schedule "C."

7. The Trustees shall cause all ordinary graves to be dug, but any person desiring to construct a brick grave or vault shall be permitted to construct the same under the directions of the Surveyor, on payment of the required fees, and every coffin placed therein shall be bricked in and made and kept air-tight.

8. That every coffin shall have upon the lid a lead or copper plate with the name of the deceased and date of burial thereon.

9. Every grave shall be at least six feet deep, except those used for the burial of infants, which the Trustees may allow to be of a lesser depth, but no interment shall be allowed in any grave with a lesser depth than three feet from the top of the coffin to the original surface of the ground.

10. That in case of application for interment in any private grave or vault to which during life the deceased person had no claim, the written consent of the owner shall be given with the application, or other satisfactory evidence that the person desiring to bury therein is entitled to do so.

11. That no burial shall be permitted to take place in the Cemetery without an order for burial being obtained from the Secretary of the Cemetery in the form of Schedule "C," and delivered to the Sexton of the Cemetery.

12. The hours for burials shall be as follows:—

On Week-days.—Throughout the year, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

On Sundays.—Throughout the year, from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m., and from 12 noon to 5 p.m.

13. That no burial shall be allowed to take place before or after the hours above mentioned, except by special permission and upon payment of the fee for burials "not in the usual hours."

14. That the time stated in Schedule "C" for any burial shall be the time for the funeral to be at the Cemetery, and the same shall be punctually observed.

15. That every funeral shall enter by the principal entrance and thence follow the Sexton to the grave. No bicycle, velocipede, carriage or vehicle, except hearses and mourning coaches, shall be permitted to pass the said entrance. Horses shall not be driven faster than at a walking pace, and no horses or other animals shall be ridden through the cemetery.

16. That every erection shall be placed upon proper foundations, and, if required by the Trustees, shall extend to the bottom of the grave. All refuse and rubbish and material remaining after any work is completed shall be removed from the Cemetery at once, and at the expense of the person causing the same.

17. All materials required in the making, repairing, or completion of any work shall be fully prepared before being taken into the Cemetery.

18. That no catacombs shall be allowed.

19. That the Trustees shall not (except in very exceptional circumstances, and when an order to exhume any corpse has been obtained under Section 41 of "The Cemeteries Act, 1897") permit the removal of any corpse from any grave for re-interment in this or any other Cemetery, and before any such exceptional case can be dealt with by the Trustees, a written application setting forth the reasons for the proposed removal of such corpse, and verified by a statutory declaration, shall be produced by the nearest available representative of the deceased, and, in the event of such application being granted, the permission of the Colonial Secretary, in addition to the permission of the Trustees, shall be obtained. If found necessary, the coffin shall be enclosed in a second and air-tight wooden or leaden coffin prior to removal.

20. That any workman or other employee employed by the Trustees, or by any other person, shall at all times while in the Cemetery be subject to the supervision, direction, and control of the Surveyor, and shall obey all such directions, and shall be removable from the Cemetery upon any breach of the By-laws or any refusal or neglect to comply with or obey any such directions.

21. Any person taking part in the dressing or attending to any graves shall comply with the following rules, namely:—

(a.) That no rubbish or any material removed in dressing a grave shall be placed on any other grave or pathway, and if placed on any adjoining ground shall be removed immediately after completion of work.

22. No child under the age of 14 years shall be admitted into the Cemetery except in charge of a responsible person.

23. That no smoking shall be allowed within the Cemetery, nor shall any explosives or fireworks be discharged therein, except by special permission and in case of a military funeral.

24. That every driver of a hearse, mourning coach, or other vehicle, and every pedestrian, shall keep strictly to the roadways and paths as laid out respectively, and vehicles shall only be turned at points where provision for doing so is made.

25. That no animals other than horses drawing hearses or mourning coaches shall be permitted to enter the Cemetery except by permission. No dogs shall be admitted into the Cemetery; any found therein shall be liable to be destroyed.

26. That no person in the Cemetery or in its approaches shall commit any nuisance or trespass or be guilty of any breach of decorum, or cut, pluck, gather, or take out of the Cemetery any flower, plant, shrub, or tree, or any part thereof, or do any injury whatsoever thereto, or to any pot, border, railing, fence, or an erection or road, or remove or interfere with anything laid, built, or placed on any grave or plot or place; and any person so doing shall be guilty of a breach of this By-law, and on conviction be liable to a penalty as hereinafter provided for.

27. That no person shall promote or advertise or carry on within the Cemetery or its precincts or approaches any trade or business or calling, either by solicitation, distribution of cards or circulars, or otherwise, or any other system of advertisement whatever.

28. The Secretary or Surveyor, as referred to in these By-laws, means the person for the time being employed by the Trustees as such for the Cemetery, and such person or persons shall, subject to the Trustees, exercise a general supervision and control over all matters pertaining to the Cemetery, and to carrying out the enforcement of these By-laws, and the direction of such person or persons shall, in all cases, and for the purposes, be presumed to be and to have been the direction of the Trustees.

29. That all fees not paid may be recovered, and all proceedings under these By-laws taken before any two Justices in Petty Sessions, except where otherwise provided for.

30. That any person committing a breach of any of these By-laws shall be proceeded against, and shall be liable, on conviction, to such penalties as are hereinafter provided for.

31. That a plan of the Cemetery, showing the distribution sections, blocks, graves, numbered, a register of burials, certificates of rights of burials, shall be kept at the office of the Trustees.

32. That the officiating minister at any burial shall be given at least six hours' notice prior to the time stated for such burial.

33. Any person committing a breach of any of the foregoing By-laws shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds, and in case of a continuing breach, not exceeding One pound for every day during which such breach continues.

The foregoing By-laws, with the accompanying Schedules, were duly framed and presented to a meeting of the Board of Trustees held at their office on Wednesday, 11th November, 1914, and adopted.

T. MURPHY, Chairman.
J. M. STEPHENS, Secretary.

Comet Vale Public Cemetery.

SCHEDULE "A."

Schedules and Licenses.

	£	s.	d.
Interment in ordinary grave	1	0	0
Interment of a child under 14 years	0	10	0
Interment of a child under 7 years	0	7	6
Interment of a still-born child	0	7	6
Extras—			
Sinking grave, 5s. per foot extra over 6f. and under 10ft.			
Re-opening vault	2	0	0
Interment without due notice	0	10	6
Interment not in usual hours	0	10	6
Labels for graves			
Land for graves—			
4ft. x 8ft., or one lot	1	0	0
8ft. x 8ft., or two lots	1	15	0
12ft. x 8ft., or three lots	2	10	0
Larger lots on same scale.			

Comet Vale Public Cemetery.

SCHEDULE "B."

Certificate of Right of Burial.

No. Number of Grave.....
Section.....

On application of.....the Trustees of the Comet Vale Public Cemetery have agreed to grant, for the term of ninety-nine (99) years, unto the said applicant the use, for burial purposes, of that piece of ground,.....feet long.....feet wide, lying within that portion of the Cemetery marked Section...., Block....., Allotment No....., on the plan of the said Cemetery kept by the Trustees, with permission to erect thereon a monument, tombstone, railing, etc., providing that the approval of the said Trustees has first been obtained, and shall be entitled to have, maintain, and keep such monument, tombstone, railing, etc., subject to such charges as may from time to time be established, and to all existing and future Rules, Regulations, and By-laws of the said Trustees, and any Legislative enactment.

The said piece of ground shall be kept and used by the said.....and his representatives solely as a burial place, and no other use shall be made thereof.

Date.....
Fees £.....
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Trustees.
.....
Secretary.

Comet Vale Public Cemetery.

SCHEDULE "C."

Order of burial.....
No.....
Age.....
Name.....
Denomination.....
Date of burial..... Time.....
No. of grave.....
Officiating Minister.....
Fee: £ : :
Date.....

Undertaker.

To the Sexton.

Please supply one grave for the above.

Secretary.

I, Major General Sir Harry Barron, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, hereby confirm the above By-laws of the Comet Vale Public Cemetery.

HARRY BARRON,
Governor.

27th January, 1915.

PASTORAL LANDS AVAILABLE FOR LEASING.

Department of Lands and Surveys,
Perth, 5th February, 1915.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the lands comprised in the following forfeited Pastoral Leases will be again available for leasing under Part X. of "The Land Act, 1898," on the 24th February, 1915; applications to be lodged at the Local Land Office for the District in which the land is situated:—

Bridgetown District.

Corres. No.	Lease No.	Area, acres.	Approx. Plan.	District.
10983/11	2290/93	3,000	441/80, D1	Sussex.

R. CECIL CLIFTON,
Under Secretary for Lands.

LAND OPEN FOR PASTORAL LEASING.

Cancellation of Reserve 8818.

Yulgarn Goldfield—Parker's Road.

Department of Lands and Surveys,
Perth, 5th February, 1915.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council has been pleased to approve of the cancellation of Reserve 8818 and of the area therein comprised being made available for leasing under Part X. of "The Land Act, 1898," and its amendments, on and after Wednesday, the 24th February, 1915. Applications must be lodged at the Local Land Office, Southern Cross. (Plan 24/300.)

R. CECIL CLIFTON,
Under Secretary for Lands.

PASTORAL LAND AVAILABLE
OPEN WEDNESDAY, 17th FEBRUARY, 1915.

under Part X. of "The Land Act, 1898."

PERTH LOCAL LAND DISTRICT.

Pewah District.

Corres. 5170/06.

That portion of unsurveyed land starting from the South-East corner of Pastoral Lease 1504/96; thence 150 chains North; thence 641 chains East; thence 50 chains South; thence 641 chains West back to starting point; containing about 9,615 acres; being portion of late 1657/102.

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