

Sessional Papers

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

THURSDAY, 15 NOVEMBER, 1888.

No. 1.

PARLIAMENTARY REPRESENTATIVES ALLOWANCE BILL:—

(Resolution.)

Mr. William Clarke moved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to authorize the payment to Members of the Legislative Assembly of an annual allowance as reimbursement for expenses incurred in the discharge of their Parliamentary duties.

Question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 32.

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| Mr. Abigail, | Mr. Buchanan, |
| Mr. Gale, | Mr. Nobbs, |
| Mr. Fletcher, | Mr. O'Sullivan, |
| Mr. William Clarke, | Mr. Walker, |
| Mr. O'Mara, | Mr. Gormly, |
| Mr. Lyne, | Mr. Barbour, |
| Mr. Wali, | Mr. Copeland, |
| Mr. Chanter, | Mr. Moore, |
| Mr. Garvan, | Mr. Jones, |
| Dr. Ross, | Mr. W. J. Allen, |
| Mr. Sehey, | Mr. Turner, |
| Mr. Teece, | Mr. Dalton, |
| Mr. Tonkin, | Mr. Stokes. |
| Mr. Penzer, | |
| Mr. Dibbs, | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. Wise, | Mr. Garland, |
| Mr. Lakeman, | Mr. Thompson. |

Noes, 20.

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| Mr. Inglis, | Mr. Sec. |
| Sir Henry Parkes, | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. Brunker, | |
| Mr. Roberts, | Mr. Frank Smith, |
| Mr. Burns, | Mr. Carruthers. |
| Mr. Chapman, | |
| Mr. Wilson, | |
| Mr. F. Jago Smith, | |
| Mr. Crouch, | |
| Mr. Joseph Abbott, | |
| Mr. McMillan, | |
| Mr. Lees, | |
| Mr. Street, | |
| Mr. Ball, | |
| Mr. Stevenson, | |
| Mr. Henson, | |
| Mr. Hutchison, | |

Resolution agreed to.

On motion of Mr. William Clarke, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Resolution to the House.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
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No. 2.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 5 DECEMBER, 1888.

No. 1.

SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1888.

*(Parliamentary Reporting Staff.)*Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £5,460 for the Parliamentary Reporting Staff. *(Sir Henry Parkes.)*Motion made *(Mr. O'Sullivan)* and question put,—That the Estimate be reduced by £5,000. Committee divided.

| Ayes, 3. | Noes, 39.* |
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| Mr. Walker. | Mr. Inglis, |
| <i>Tellers,</i> | Mr. Roberts, |
| Mr. O'Mara, | Mr. Abigail, |
| Mr. O'Sullivan. | Mr. Burns, |
| | Mr. Brunner, |
| | Mr. Gould, |
| | Mr. Penzer, |
| | Sir Henry Parkes, |
| | Mr. Hawken, |
| | Mr. Hawthorne, |
| | Mr. Burdekin, |
| | Mr. Carruthers, |
| | Mr. Seaver, |
| | Mr. Teece, |
| | Mr. Turner, |
| | Mr. Henson, |
| | Mr. Garland, |
| | Mr. Haynes, |
| | Mr. Frank Smith, |
| | Mr. McCourt, |
| | Mr. Gormly, |
| | Mr. Crouch, |
| | Mr. Colls, |
| | Mr. Stephen, |
| | Mr. Martin, |
| | Mr. Ives, |
| | Mr. Hurley, |
| | Mr. J. P. Abbott, |
| | Mr. Dawson, |
| | Mr. Cooke, |
| | Mr. Kelly, |
| | Mr. Woodward, |
| | Mr. Stevenson, |
| | Mr. Ball, |
| | Mr. Hutchison, |
| | Mr. Holborow, |
| | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| | Mr. Fitzgerald, |
| | Mr. Tonkin. |

* So in Tellers' Lists.

*Proposed reduction negatived.**Original Estimate agreed to.*

No. 2.

*(Vice-President of the Executive Council and Representative of the Government in the Legislative Council.)*Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £415 for the Vice-President of the Executive Council and Representative of the Government in the Legislative Council. *(Sir Henry Parkes.)*

Motion

Motion made (*Mr. J. P. Abbott*) that the Estimate be omitted,—and question put.
Committee divided.

| Ayes, 21. | | Noes, 28. | |
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| Mr. Walker, | Mr. Stevenson, | Mr. Brunner, | Mr. Burdekin, |
| Mr. Fitzgerald, | Mr. Gormly, | Mr. William Clarke, | Mr. Teece, |
| Mr. Dawson, | Mr. Frank Smith, | Mr. Roberts, | Mr. Seaver, |
| Mr. J. P. Abbott, | Mr. Penzer, | Mr. Inglis, | Mr. Henson, |
| Mr. Barbour, | <i>Tellers,</i> | Mr. Burns, | Mr. Cooke, |
| Mr. Crouch, | | Mr. Sutherland, | Mr. Woodward, |
| Mr. Kelly, | Mr. Carruthers, | Mr. Abigail, | Mr. Hawken, |
| Mr. Martin, | Mr. Moore. | Sir Henry Parkes, | Mr. R. B. Wilkinson, |
| Mr. Colls, | | Mr. Garrett, | Mr. Ball, |
| Mr. Garland, | | Mr. Black, | Mr. Holborow, |
| Mr. Withers, | | Mr. Haynes, | Mr. Wilson, |
| Mr. McCourt, | | Mr. Stephen, | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. O'Sullivan, | | Mr. Ives, | Mr. Gould, |
| Mr. Turrer, | | Mr. Slattery, | Mr. Riley. |
| Mr. Tonkin, | | Mr. Want, | |

Proposed omission negatived.

Original Estimate agreed to.

And the Committee continuing to sit after Midnight,—

THURSDAY, 6 DECEMBER, 1888, A.M.

On motion of Mr. Burns, the Chairman left the Chair to report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

THURSDAY, 6 DECEMBER, 1888.

No. 3.

SYDNEY CENTRAL POLICE COURT BILL.

(*Resolution.*)

Mr. Burns moved,—That the Committee agree to the following Resolution, viz.:—

Resolved,—That it is expedient to bring in a Bill to sanction the construction of a new Central Police Court in the City of Sydney.

Motion made (*Mr. Garvan*) and question put,—to add to the end of the Resolution the words, “and this Committee is of opinion that the cost of erecting the new Central Police Court should be paid for out of the Consolidated Revenue of the Colony.”

Committee divided.

| Ayes, 8. | | Noes, 42. | |
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| Mr. O'Mara, | | Sir Henry Parkes, | Mr. Dawson, |
| Mr. Garvan, | | Mr. Abigail, | Mr. Wall, |
| Mr. Copeland, | | Mr. Roberts, | Mr. Joseph Abbott, |
| Mr. Gormly, | | Mr. Burns, | Mr. Davis, |
| Mr. Crouch, | | Mr. Brunner, | Mr. Nobbs, |
| Mr. Day, | | Mr. Sutherland, | Mr. Haynes, |
| <i>Tellers,</i> | | Mr. William Clarke, | Mr. Ives, |
| Mr. Kelly, | | Mr. Inglis, | Mr. Merriman, |
| Mr. Moore. | | Mr. Tonkin, | Mr. Martin, |
| | | Mr. Stephen, | Mr. Withers, |
| | | Mr. Seaver, | Mr. Teece, |
| | | Mr. Garrett, | Mr. Mackinnon, |
| | | Mr. Lee, | Mr. Ball, |
| | | Mr. Burdekin, | Mr. Kethel, |
| | | Mr. H. H. Brown, | Mr. Chapman, |
| | | Mr. Turner, | Mr. Woodward, |
| | | Dr. Wilkinson, | Mr. Want, |
| | | Mr. Henson, | Mr. Holborow, |
| | | Mr. Cooke, | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| | | Mr. Alfred Allen, | Mr. McMillan, |
| | | Mr. Garland, | Mr. Fitzgerald. |
| | | Mr. J. P. Abbott, | |

Proposed amendment negatived.

Resolution agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Burns, the Chairman left the Chair to report the Resolution to the House.

FRIDAY, 7 DECEMBER, 1888, A.M.

No. 4.

SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1888.

(*Board of Health.*)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £6,767, for Board of Health (*Mr. Burns*).

Motion made (*Mr. Vaughn*) and question put,—That the item “Health and Immigration Officer £630” be reduced by £200.

Committee divided.

Ayes,

Ayes, 6.

Mr. Vaughn,
Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Dawson,
Tellers,
Mr. Stephen,
Mr. Carruthers.

Noes, 36.

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| Mr. W. J. Allen, | Mr. Woodward, |
| Mr. Dibbs, | Mr. Hutchison, |
| Mr. Sutherland, | Mr. Stevenson, |
| Mr. Burns, | Mr. Kethel, |
| Mr. O'Connor, | Mr. Ball, |
| Mr. Copeland, | Mr. Cooke, |
| Mr. Slattery, | Mr. Wilson, |
| Mr. Roberts, | Mr. Inglis, |
| Mr. Turner, | Mr. Brucker, |
| Mr. William Clarke, | Mr. Jones, |
| Mr. Davis, | Mr. Lync, |
| Mr. Penzer, | Mr. Garrett, |
| Mr. McMillan, | Mr. Ives, |
| Mr. Gormly, | Mr. Wall, |
| Dr. Wilkinson, | Mr. O'Mara, |
| Mr. Haynes, | <i>Tellers,</i> |
| Mr. Seaver, | Mr. Street, |
| Mr. Teece, | Mr. McIvile. |
| Mr. Lee, | |

Proposed reduction negatived.

Original Estimate agreed to.

And the remaining Estimates in the Department of the Treasury having been agreed to,—
On motion of Mr. Burns the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again.

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No. 3.

WEEKLY REPORT OF DIVISIONS

IN

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

(EXTRACTED FROM THE MINUTES.)

WEDNESDAY, 19 DECEMBER, 1888.

No. 1.

SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1889.

(Sheriff.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £22,113 for the Sheriff.

Motion made (*Mr. Walker*) and question put,—That the Estimate be reduced by the sum of £156. Committee divided.

Ayes, 4.
Mr. Chanter,
Mr. Turner,
Tellers.
Mr. Walker,
Mr. Melville.

Noes, 29.

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| Mr. Fletcher, | Mr. R. B. Wilkinson, |
| Mr. Roberts, | Mr. Cooke, |
| Mr. Brunker, | Mr. Davis, |
| Mr. Sutherland, | Mr. Teece, |
| Mr. Inglis, | Mr. Dibbs, |
| Mr. William Clarke, | Mr. Ball, |
| Mr. Abigail, | Mr. Alfred Allen, |
| Mr. Wall, | Mr. De Courcy Browne, |
| Mr. Thompson, | Mr. Howe, |
| Mr. Penzer, | Mr. Dawson, |
| Mr. Sydney Smith, | Dr. Ross. |
| Mr. Gormly, | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Haynes, | Mr. Hawthorne, |
| Mr. W. J. Allen, | Mr. Woodward. |
| Mr. Henson, | |
| Mr. Hawken, | |

Proposed reduction negatived.
Original Estimate agreed to.

No. 2.

(Petty Sessions, Police Magistrates, Clerks of Petty Sessions, &c.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £84,583 for Petty Sessions.

Motion made (*Mr. Dawson*),—That the item Clerk of Petty Sessions, Ccoma, £200, be omitted,—and question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 14.
Dr. Ross,
Mr. Fletcher,
Mr. W. J. Allen,
Mr. Walker,
Mr. Melville,
Mr. De Courcy Browne,
Mr. Wall,
Mr. Chanter,
Mr. O'Sullivan,
Mr. Cooke,
Mr. Woodward,
Mr. Davis,
Tellers.
Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Dawson.

Noes, 20.

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| Mr. Burns, | Mr. Gormly, |
| Mr. Inglis, | Mr. Alfred Allen, |
| Mr. Roberts, | Mr. R. B. Wilkinson, |
| Mr. O'Mara, | Mr. Hawken, |
| Mr. Brunker, | Mr. Ball, |
| Mr. William Clarke, | Mr. Henson, |
| Mr. Abigail, | Mr. Teece, |
| Mr. Sutherland, | <i>Tellers.</i> |
| Mr. Turner, | Mr. Haynes, |
| Mr. Hawthorne, | Mr. Sydney Smith. |
| Mr. Penzer, | |

Proposed omission negatived.
Original Estimate agreed to.

And the remaining Estimates of the Department of Administration of Justice having been agreed to,—

On motion of Mr. William Clarke the Chairman left the Chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again.

THURSDAY, 20 DECEMBER, 1888.

No. 3.

SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1889.

(The Attorney-General.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £4,839 for the Attorney-General.

Motion made (Mr. J. P. Abbott).—That the item, Fees to Prosecuting Barristers, £2,500, be reduced by the sum of £1,000, and question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 43.

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| Mr. Chanter, | Mr. Henry Clarke, |
| Mr. Vaughn, | Mr. Lees, |
| Mr. Copeland, | Mr. Hawken, |
| Mr. Moore, | Mr. Dangar, |
| Mr. Dawson, | Mr. Cooke, |
| Mr. J. P. Abbott, | Mr. W. J. Allen, |
| Mr. Wise, | Mr. Stevenson, |
| Mr. Garland, | Mr. Henson, |
| Mr. Mitchell, | Mr. Jones, |
| Mr. Thompson, | Mr. Davis, |
| Mr. Neild, | Mr. Ball, |
| Mr. R. B. Wilkinson, | Mr. Frank Smith, |
| Mr. Joseph Abbott, | Mr. Hutchison, |
| Mr. Wall, | Mr. De Courcy Browne, |
| Mr. Chapman, | Mr. Hayes, |
| Mr. Slattery, | Mr. Dalton, |
| Mr. Gormly, | Mr. Walker, |
| Mr. Kelly, | Mr. Kethol. |
| Mr. Barbour, | |
| Mr. M'Court, | Tellers. |
| Mr. O'Sullivan, | Mr. Haynes, |
| Mr. Stokes, | Mr. Lakeman. |
| Mr. Waddell, | |

Noes, 18.

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| Sir Henry Parkes, |
| Mr. Abigail, |
| Mr. Roberts, |
| Mr. Want, |
| Mr. Inglis, |
| Mr. Brunker, |
| Mr. William Clarke, |
| Mr. Sutherland, |
| Mr. Burns, |
| Mr. Garrett, |
| Mr. Lee, |
| Mr. Dibbs, |
| Mr. Martin, |
| Mr. Teece, |
| Mr. Colls, |
| Mr. McMillan. |

Tellers.

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| Mr. O'Mara, |
| Mr. Turner. |

Proposed reduction agreed to.

Estimate as reduced (£3,839) agreed to.

And the remaining Estimates of the Departments of the Attorney-General and Secretary for Lands having been agreed to,—

On motion of Mr. Sutherland, the Chairman left the chair to report progress and ask leave to sit again.

SATURDAY, 22 DECEMBER, 1888, A.M.

No. 4.

SUPPLY—GENERAL ESTIMATES FOR 1889.

(Water Supply and Sewerage Board.)

Question proposed,—That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding £31,800 for the Water Supply and Sewerage Board.

Motion made (Mr. O'Mara) that the item, Secretary, £500, be reduced by the sum of £100, and question put.

Committee divided.

Ayes, 20.

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| Mr. Fletcher, | Mr. Dangar, |
| Mr. Melville, | Mr. Vaughn, |
| Mr. Walker, | Mr. Schey, |
| Mr. O'Mara, | Mr. Moore, |
| Mr. Kelly, | Mr. Carruthers, |
| Mr. Howe, | Mr. Stevenson, |
| Mr. Jones, | Mr. W. J. Allen. |
| Mr. Davis, | |
| Mr. Bowes, | Tellers. |
| Mr. Gormly, | Mr. O'Sullivan, |
| Mr. Neild, | Mr. De Courcy Browne. |

Noes, 20.

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| Sir Henry Parkes, | Mr. M'Farlane, |
| Mr. Abigail, | Mr. Hawken, |
| Mr. Burns, | Mr. Cooke, |
| Mr. Ewing, | Mr. Wilson, |
| Mr. Brunker, | Mr. Ball, |
| Mr. Roberts, | Mr. Henson, |
| Mr. William Clarke, | Mr. Want. |
| Mr. Sutherland, | |
| Mr. Inglis, | Tellers. |
| Mr. Ives, | Mr. Haynes, |
| Mr. Teece, | Mr. Sydney Smith. |

The numbers being equal the Chairman gave his casting vote with the Ayes.

Proposed reduction agreed to.

Estimate, as reduced (£31,700), agreed to.

And the remaining Estimates of the Department of Secretary for Public Works, and the Postmaster-General, as well as the Supplementary Estimates for 1888, and previous years, having been agreed to,—

On motion of Mr. Burns the Chairman left the Chair to report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

WEEKLY ABSTRACT

OF

PETITIONS RECEIVED

BY THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

| WHEN RECEIVED. | FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED. | NUMBER OF SIGNATURES. | BY WHOM PRESENTED. | ABSTRACT OF PRAYER. |
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| 1888. Oct. 23 ... | William Thomas Poole, James Angus, and John William Cliff, of Sydney. | Three..... | Mr. Garrard..... | Praying for leave to introduce the "Sydney Hydraulic Power Company's Bill." |
| " 23 ... | Charles Frederick Stokes, of Sydney. | One | Mr. Garrett | Praying for leave to introduce the "Sydney and Suburban Hydraulic Power Company's Bill." |
| " 24 ... | Mayor and Aldermen of the Borough of West Maitland. | Eleven | Mr. Gould | Praying for leave to introduce the "West Maitland Cattle Sale-yards Bill." |
| " 24 ... | Clement Alban Benbow and Leslie Johnston, of Manly. | Two | Mr. Day | Praying for leave to introduce the "North Shore, Manly, and Pittwater Tramway and Railway Bill." |
| " 25 ... | Edmund Henry Taylor and George Kerry Kirkland, of Sydney. | Two | Mr. H. H. Brown ... | Praying for leave to introduce the "Sydney and Suburban Electric Lighting Bill." |

Legislative Assembly Offices,
Sydney, 25th October, 1888.F. W. WEBB,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

1888.

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| 1888. | | | | |
| Oct. 30..... | Church of England Property Trust, Diocese of Sydney. | Two | Mr. Nobbs | Praying for leave to introduce the "Liverpool Church of England Grammar School Land Sale Bill." |
| „ 30..... | W. Gray and Phillip H. Sullivan. | Two | Mr. Frank Farrell. | Praying for leave to introduce the "Oakley Park Coal-mining Company's Railway Bill." |
| „ 30..... | William Macquarie Cooper, M.A., of Sydney. | One | Mr. Street | Praying the House to refuse its assent to the "Divorce Extension Bill." |
| „ 30..... | Certain Electrical Engineers in the Colony. | Seven | Mr. Haynes..... | In opposition to the "Sydney and Suburban Electric Lighting Bill." |
| Oct. 31..... | Certain Members of the Municipal Councils of the Colony. | Seven hundred and thirty-three. | Mr. Colls | Praying that the "Local Government Bill" may be passed into law. |
| „ 31..... | T. Quirk | One | Mr. See..... | Praying for leave to introduce the "Grafton School of Arts Trustees Enabling Bill." |
| „ 31..... | South Burwood Coal-mining Company (Limited). | Three | Mr. Melville | Praying for leave to introduce the "South Burwood Coal-mine Railway Bill." |
| „ 31..... | John George Griffin | One | Mr. Stevenson... | Praying for leave to introduce the "Goulburn and Tuena Tramway Bill." |
| „ 31..... | Mayor and Aldermen of Newcastle. | Eight..... | Mr. Creer..... | Praying for leave to introduce the "Hunter-street, Newcastle, Extension Bill." |
| „ 31..... | Young Wallsend Coal Company (Limited). | Five | Mr. Creer | Praying for leave to introduce the "Young Wallsend Coal Company's Railway Bill." |

Legislative Assembly Offices,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

F. W. WEBB,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

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| 1888. Nov. 6 ... | Frank J. Smith, Chairman of Public Meeting, Balmain. | One | Mr. Garrard..... | Praying the House to pass "Liquor Traffic (Local Veto) Bill." |
| " 7 ... | W. McMillan, Chairman of Meeting, Forbes-street, Woolloomooloo. | One | Mr. Street..... | Praying the House to pass "Liquor Traffic (Local Veto) Bill." |
| " 8 ... | Hugh Taylor, Chairman of Meeting, Parramatta. | One | Mr. Melville..... | Praying the House to pass "Liquor Traffic (Local Veto) Bill." |
| " 8 ... | Women's Christian Temperance Union. | Four hundred and ninety-three. | Mr. Abigail | Praying that a separate day be set apart for Recording the Local Option Vote, and that it may be taken at the Town Hall or other voting place in each Municipality. |

Legislative Assembly Offices,
Sydney, 8th November, 1888.

F. W. WEBB,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
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No. 4.

WEEKLY ABSTRACT

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| WHEN RECEIVED. | FROM WHOM AND WHEN PRESENTED. | NUMBER OF SIGNATURES. | BY WHOM PRESENTED. | ABSTRACT OF PRAYER. |
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| 1888. | | | | |
| Nov. 14 ... | John Nobbs, Chairman of Meeting held at Granville. | One | Mr. Hugh Taylor | Praying the House to pass the Liquor Traffic (Local Veto) Bill. |
| „ 15 ... | Lifeboat Lodge of Independent Order of Good Templars, George-street North, Sydney. | Two | Mr. Abigail | Do do |
| „ 15 ... | Certain Selectors | Fifty-six | Mr. Lync | Representing that they were induced, by the advertisement declaring the reserves on the Teremiah Reserve open for selection, to travel long distances to select, but that the land was cut up into special area reserves, and a minimum price placed thereon of from £2 to £4 per acre, which, Petitioners allege, is inimical to <i>bona fide</i> settlement; and praying the House to cause inquiry to be made into the matter, with a view to relief. |

Legislative Assembly Offices,
Sydney, 15th November, 1888.

F. W. WEBB,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
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No. 5.

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| 1888. 20 Nov. ... | Certain residents of Inverell | Two thousand one hundred and sixty-six. | Mr. Moore | Representing that the Line of Railway from Inverell to Glen Innes, already adopted on two different occasions by this House, is the only line that can serve the interests of the district of Inverell; and praying the House to take their statements into favourable consideration. |
| 20 „ ... | James Ross, Mayor of Ryde, as Chairman of Public Meeting. | One | Mr. Nobbs | Praying the House to pass the Liquor Traffic (Local Veto) Bill with as little delay as possible. |
| 20 „ ... | Certain Ministers of Religion. | One hundred and seventy-four. | Mr. Street..... | Praying the House to withhold its assent to the Divorce Extension Bill. |
| 20 „ ... | John S. Macpherson, Moderator of the Synod of the Presbyterian Church. | Two | Mr. Martin | do do |
| 22 „ ... | Ivanhoe Lodge, No. 118, of the Independent Order of Good Templars, Coonamble. | Two | Mr. Penzer | Praying the House to pass the Liquor Traffic (Local Veto) Bill with as little delay as possible. |

Legislative Assembly Offices,
Sydney, 22nd November, 1888.

F. W. WEBB,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

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| 1888. Nov. 27... | Alban Joseph Riley, Chairman of the "Bulli Colliery Disaster Fund" Executive Committee. | One | Mr. M'Millan ... | Praying for leave to appear in person or by Counsel or Solicitor before the Select Committee now sitting on the "Bulli Colliery Disaster Fund Bill." |
| „ 28... | Certain residents of the City of Sydney and Suburban Towns and Boroughs. | Sixty-four thousand and twenty-nine. | Mr. Reid | Praying that the main line of Railway may be extended to the deep waters of Port Jackson at Circular Quay. |

Legislative Assembly Offices,
Sydney, 30th November, 1888.

F. W. WEBB,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
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No. 7.

WEEKLY ABSTRACT

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

| WHEN RECEIVED. | FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED. | NUMBER OF SIGNATURES. | BY WHOM PRESENTED. | ABSTRACT OF PRAYER. |
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| 1888. Dec. 4 ... | "Good Intent" Division of the Sons of Temperance, Pitt-street. | Two..... | Mr. M'Millan... | Praying the House to pass the Liquor Traffic (Local Veto) Bill. |
| " 4 ... | "Florence Nightingale" Division, Daughters of Temperance, Temperance Hall, Pitt-street. | Two..... | Mr. M'Millan... | Similar prayer. |
| " 4 ... | "Star of the South" Division, Daughters of Temperance, Temperance Hall, Pitt-street. | Two..... | Mr. M'Millan... | Similar prayer. |
| " 4 ... | "We Strive to Save" Lodge 164, Presbyterian School-room, Hay-st., Sydney. | Two..... | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| " 4 ... | Thomas Dean, Mayor of Ashfield, Chairman of Meeting assembled at Ashfield. | One..... | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| " 4 ... | Charles Moyes, Chairman of Meeting assembled at Marrickville. | One..... | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| " 4 ... | Independent Order of Good Templars, Hinton | Two..... | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| " 4 ... | Independent Order of Good Templars, Bathurst. | Two..... | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| " 4 ... | Independent Order of Good Templars, Dungowan. | Thirty-six..... | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| " 4 ... | Independent Order of Good Templars, Borambil. | Two..... | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| " 4 ... | Independent Order of Good Templars, Kiama. | Two..... | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| " 4 ... | Independent Order of Good Templars, North Willoughby. | Two..... | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| " 4 ... | Independent Order of Good Templars, Numba | Two..... | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| " 4 ... | Independent Order of Good Templars, Mittagong. | Two..... | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| " 4 ... | Independent Order of Good Templars, Enfield. | Two..... | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |

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| 1888. Dec. 4 ... | Independent Order of Good Templars, Mudjee | Three | Mr. Hutchison... | Praying the House to pass the Liquor Traffic (Local Veto) Bill. |
| , 4 ... | Independent Order of Good Templars, Parading Ground. | Two | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| „ 4 ... | Independent Order of Good Templars, Lambton. | Eighteen | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| „ 4 ... | Independent Order of Good Templars, Jesmond. | Twenty-six | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| „ 4 ... | President of St. Paul's Redfern Branch of the Church of England Temperance Society. | One | Mr. Hutchison... | Similar prayer. |
| „ 4 ... | Sydney Smith, Chairman of Public Meeting assembled in Town Hall, Leichhardt. | One | Mr. Hawthorne.. | Similar prayer. |
| „ 4 ... | Board of Directors of the Windsor Gas-light Company (Limited). | One | Mr. Bowman ... | Praying for leave to introduce the Windsor Gas-light Company (Limited) Act Amendment Bill. |
| „ 4 ... | Barrier Ranges and Broken Hill Water Supply Company (Limited). | Four | Mr. Day | Praying for leave to introduce the Broken Hill Water Supply Bill. |
| „ 6 ... | Broken Hill District Water Supply Company (Limited), of Sydney. | Three | Mr. Wilson | In opposition to the Broken Hill Water Supply Bill now before the House, and asking leave to be represented by Counsel or Solicitor before any Select Committee. |

Legislative Assembly Offices,
Sydney, 7th December, 1888.

F. W. WEBB,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

1888-9.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 8.

WEEKLY ABSTRACT
OF
PETITIONS RECEIVED
BY THE
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

| WHEN RECEIVED. | FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED. | NUMBER OF SIGNATURES. | BY WHOM PRESENTED. | ABSTRACT OF PRAYER. |
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| 1888. Dec. 11 ... | Richard Telden Smith, of Sydney, and John Thomas Mance, of Parramatta. | Two | Mr. Bowes | For leave to introduce the "Silkstone Coal Mine Railway Bill." |
| „ 12 ... | Charles Edward Hogg, of Broken Hill. | One | Mr. Cortis | Representing that the "Broken Hill Water Supply Bill" now before the House should not become law, and praying for leave to appear before the Select Committee in person or by counsel. |
| „ 12 ... | Sydney Smith, Chairman of Meeting assembled at Leichhardt. | One | Mr. Hawthorne | In opposition to the leasing of the tramways. |

Legislative Assembly Offices,
Sydney, 13th December, 1888.

F. W. WEBB,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 9.

WEEKLY ABSTRACT

OF

PETITIONS RECEIVED

BY THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

| WHEN RECEIVED. | FROM WHOM AND WHENCE PRESENTED. | NUMBER OF SIGNATURES. | BY WHOM PRESENTED. | ABSTRACT OF PRAYER. |
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| 1888. 19 Dec. ... | Certain Conditional Purchasers of the Town and District of Temora. | Three hundred and thirteen. | Mr. Gordon | Praying the House to pass such legislation as will empower the Minister for Lands to defer payment of the instalments due on their conditional purchases. |
| 19 „ ... | Municipal Council of Manly. | Two | Mr. Ives | Praying the House to amend the North Shore, Manly, and Pittwater Tramway and Railway Bill. |
| 19 „ ... | Municipal Council of Manly. | Two | Mr. Ives | Praying the House to amend the Manly Drainage Works Bill. |
| 20 „ ... | Certain Residents of St. Leonards. | Four hundred and seventy-two. | Frank Farnell | Praying that the proposed North Shore Sewerage Scheme may not be adopted. |
| 20 „ ... | Independent Order of Rechabites. | Two | Mr. Hawthorne ... | Praying the House to pass the Liquor Traffic (Local Veto) Bill. |
| 21 „ ... | Certain Inhabitants of Broken Hill and District. | Two thousand and eighty-five. | Mr. Wilson | Praying the House to pass a Bill to enable the Broken Hill Water Supply Company to carry out their proposed scheme. |

Legislative Assembly Offices,
Sydney, 21st December, 1888.

F. W. WEBB,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 10.

WEEKLY ABSTRACT

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| 1889. 8 Jan. ... | The Honorable John Fitzgerald Burns, a Member of the Legislative Assembly. | One | Mr. Roberts | Praying for leave to appear either personally or by counsel or attorney before the Select Committee sitting on "Work of unemployed on roads at Hornaby and Holt-Sutherland Estate." |

Legislative Assembly Offices,
Sydney, 11 January, 1889.

F. W. WEBB,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

1888-9.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

No. 1.

REGISTER OF PUBLIC BILLS ORIGINATED IN THE ASSEMBLY DURING THE SESSION OF 1888-9.

| Short Titles. | By whom Initiated. | Originated in Committee of the Whole. | Message from Governor recommending provision for. | Ordered. | Presented and read 1 ^o . | Negated on motion for 2 ^o . | Read 2 ^o and Committed. | Reported. | Report adopted. | Read 3 ^o . | Passed, and sent to Council for concurrence. | Remarks. |
|---|--------------------|---------------------------------------|---|----------------------|-------------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
| Bills of Sale Act Amending | Mr. Day | | | 1888. 21 Nov.... | 1888. 21 Nov.... | | | | | | | Stopped by pro- rogation. |
| Bills of Sale Law Amendment | Mr. Wall | | | 8 Nov.... | 27 Nov.... | | | | | | | Do |
| Capital Punishment Abolition | Mr. Walker..... | | | 1889. 9 Jan. | | | | | | | | Bill not brought in. |
| Circular Quay Improvements | Mr. Burns | 1888. 6 Dec.... | 1888. 6 Dec.... | 1888. 6 Dec.... | 6 Dec.... | | | | | | | Stopped by pro- rogation. |
| City of Sydney Mayoral Election | Mr. O'Connor | | | 8 Nov.... | 14 Nov.... | | 1888. 5 Dec., A.M. | 1888. 5 Dec., A.M. | 1888. 5 Dec., A.M. | 1888. 11 Dec.... | 1888. 11 Dec.... | Not returned by Legislative Council |
| Consolidated Revenue Fund | Mr. Burns | | 1889. 15 Jan.... | | | | | | | | | Bill not brought in. |
| Definition of Water Rights | Mr. Abigail | | | 5 Dec.... | 5 Dec.... | | | | | | | Stopped by pro- rogation. |
| Distress for Rent Abolition | Mr. Walker..... | | | 1 Nov.... | 1 Nov.... | 1888. 4 Dec.... | | | | | | |
| District Courts Act Amendment..... | Mr. Gould | | | 1 Nov.... | 13 Nov.... | | | | | | | Stopped by pro- rogation. |
| Divorce Extension | Mr. Neild..... | | | 24 Oct. | 24 Oct. | | 25 Oct. | | | | | Do |
| Electorates of The Gwydir and Inverell Boundaries Amendment | Mr. Moore | | | 24 Oct. | 25 Oct. | | | | | | | Do |
| Employers Liability Act Amendment | Mr. Garrard | | | 24 Oct. | | | | | | | | Bill not brought in. |
| Essex-street Alignment | Mr. Garrett..... | | | 7 Dec.... | 7 Dec.... | | | | | | | Stopped by pro- rogation. |
| Factories and Workshops Regulation | Mr. Street | 5 Dec., A.M. | | 5 Dec., A.M. | 5 Dec., A.M. | | | | | | | Do |

No. 1.—REGISTER OF PUBLIC BILLS—continued.

| Short Titles. | By whom initiated. | Originated in Committee of the Whole. | Message from Governor recommending provision for. | Ordered. | Presented and read 1 ^o . | Negatived on motion for 2 ^o . | Read 2 ^o and Committed. | Reported. | Report adopted. | Read 3 ^o . | Passed, and sent to Council for concurrence. | Remarks. |
|--|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|--|--------------------------------------|
| Fire Brigades Act Amendment..... | Sir Henry Parkes.. | 1888. 22 Dec., A.M. | 1889. 8 Jan. | 1888. 22 Dec., A.M. | 1888. 22 Dec., A.M. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Stopped by pro-rogation. |
| Hospitals Elections | Mr. Lee ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 Nov. | 14 Nov. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Do |
| Inland Waters Conservation | Mr. Lakeman ..... | ..... | ..... | 15 Nov. | 15 Nov. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Do |
| Inland Waters Fisheries Further Protection..... | Mr. Gale ..... | ..... | ..... | 5 Dec. | 12 Dec. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Do |
| Legal Practitioners..... | Mr. Walker..... | ..... | ..... | 25 Oct. | 25 Oct. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Do |
| Liquor Traffic (Local Veto) | Mr. Hutchison | 6 Dec., A.M. | ..... | 6 Dec., A.M. | 5 Dec., A.M. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Do |
| Manly Drainage Works | Mr. Burns | 6 Dec. | 1888. 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Do |
| Masters and Servants Act Amendment | Mr. Thompson ..... | ..... | ..... | 1 Nov. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Bill not brought in. |
| Newcastle Harbour Improvements | Mr. Burns | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Stopped by pro-rogation. |
| Newcastle Pasturage Reserve | Mr. Brunker | 7 Dec. .... | ..... | 7 Dec. | 7 Dec. .... | ..... | 1888. 22 Dec., A.M. | 1888. 22 Dec., A.M. | 1888. 22 Dec., A.M. | 1889. 8 Jan. | 1889. 8 Jan. | Not returned by Legislative Council. |
| North Shore Drainage Works | Mr. Burns | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Stopped by pro-rogation. |
| Offenders Probation | Mr. J. P. Abbott.. | ..... | ..... | 8 Nov. | 13 Nov. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Do |
| Ordnance Lands Transfer | Sir Henry Parkes.. | ..... | ..... | ..... | 23 Oct. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | <i>Pro forma</i> Bill. |
| Parliamentary Representatives Allowance..... | Mr. Wm. Clarke.. | 15 Nov. | 15 Nov. | 15 Nov. | 15 Nov. .... | ..... | 22 Nov. | 22 Nov. | 22 Nov. | 1888. 27 Nov. | 1888. 27 Nov. | Not returned by Legislative Council. |
| Potts Hill Storage Reservoir..... | Mr. Burns | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Stopped by pro-rogation. |
| Prosecutions for Perjury Amendment | Mr. Lee ..... | ..... | ..... | 31 Oct. | 31 Oct. | 1888. 20 Nov. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Public Gambling on Racecourses Prohibition | Mr. Frank Farnell ..... | ..... | ..... | 11 Dec. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Bill not brought in. |
| Public Works Committees Remuneration | Sir Henry Parkes.. | 14 Nov. | 8 Nov. | 14 Nov. | 15 Nov. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Stopped by pro-rogation. |
| Sydney Central Police Court | Mr. Burns | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. | 22 Dec., A.M. | 22 Dec., A.M. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Do |
| Sydney Water Supply (Partial Duplication)..... | Mr. Burns | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Do |
| Trade Marks Amendment..... | Mr. Carruthers | 6 Nov. .... | ..... | 6 Nov. | 7 Nov. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Withdrawn, 4th December, 1888. |
| Working of Coal-mines during Strikes | Mr. Walker..... | ..... | ..... | 25 Oct. .... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Bill not brought in. |

No. 2.

REGISTER OF PRIVATE BILLS INTRODUCED UPON PETITION TO THE ASSEMBLY DURING THE SESSION OF 1888-9.

| Short Titles. | By whom and when Petition presented. | Ordered. | Presented and read 1 ^o . | Referred to Select Committee. | Reported by Select Committee. | Read 2 ^o and Committed. | Reported. | Report adopted. | Read 3 ^o . | Passed, and sent to Council for concurrence. | Agreed to by Council without Amendment. | Agreed to by Council with Amendment. | Council's Amendments agreed to. | Bill dropped or laid aside. | Assent. | Remarks. | |
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| Broken Hill and Suburban Gas Company. | Mr. Day | 1888. 1 Nov. | 1888. 1 Nov. | 1888. 1 Nov. | | | 1888. 1 Nov. | | | 1888. 1 Nov. | | 1888. 28 Nov. | 1888. 5 Dec., A.M. | | 1888. 18 Dec. | Proceeded with under 65th Standing Order. | |
| Broken Hill Tramway | Mr. Cameron | 1 Nov. | 1 Nov. | 1 Nov. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Proceeded with under 65th Standing Order. Stopped by prorogation. | |
| Broken Hill Water Supply | Mr. Day | 5 Dec. | 6 Dec. | 6 Dec. | 1888. 7 Dec. | 1889. 11 Jan. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Stopped by prorogation. | |
| Goulburn and Tuena Tramway ... | Mr. Stevenson... | 31 Oct. | 31 Oct. | 31 Oct. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Proceeded with under 65th Standing Order. Stopped by prorogation. | |
| Grafton School of Arts Trustees Enabling. | Mr. See | 31 Oct. | 31 Oct. | 31 Oct. | ..... | ..... | 31 Oct. | ..... | 4 Dec. | 4 Dec. | ..... | 19 Dec. | 22 Dec., A.M. | ..... | 1889. 10 Jan. | Proceeded with under 65th Standing Order. | |
| Hunter-street, Newcastle, Extension | Mr. Creer..... | 31 Oct. | 31 Oct. | 31 Oct. | | | 22 Nov. | 1888. 22 Nov. | 1888. 22 Nov. | 29 Nov. | 29 Nov. | | 19 Dec. | 22 Dec., A.M. | | 10 Jan. | Do do |
| Liverpool Church of England Grammar School Land Sale. | Mr. Nobbs | 30 Oct. | 30 Oct. | 30 Oct. | ..... | ..... | 20 Nov. | 20 Nov. | 20 Nov. | 21 Nov. | 21 Nov. | ..... | 12 Dec. | ..... | ..... | Do do Stopped by prorogation. | |
| North Shore, Manly, and Pittwater Tramway and Railway. | Mr. Day | 24 Oct. | 24 Oct. | 24 Oct. | ..... | ..... | 24 Oct. | ..... | 24 Oct. | 24 Oct. | ..... | 12 Dec. | 22 Dec., A.M. | ..... | 10 Jan. | Proceeded with under 65th Standing Order. | |
| Oakey Park Coal-mining Company's Railway. | Mr. Frank Farnell. | 30 Oct. | 30 Oct. | 30 Oct. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Proceeded with under 65th Standing Order. Stopped by prorogation. | |
| Parramatta Municipal Quarries ... | Mr. Hugh Taylor | 1 Nov. | 1 Nov. | 1 Nov. | ..... | ..... | 1 Nov. | ..... | ..... | 1 Nov. | 1 Nov. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Proceeded with under 65th Standing Order. Not returned by Legislative Council. Stopped by prorogation. | |
| Silkstone Coal-mine Railway | Mr. Bowes | 11 Dec. | 13 Dec. | 13 Dec. | 19 Dec. | 15 Jan. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Do do | |
| South Burwood Coal-mine Railway | Mr. Melville ... | 31 Oct. | 1 Nov. | 1 Nov. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Proceeded with under 65th Standing Order. Stopped by prorogation. | |
| Sydney and Suburban Electric Lighting. | Mr. H. H. Brown | 25 Oct. | 25 Oct. | 25 Oct. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1889. 6 Nov. | ..... | Proceeded with under 65th Standing Order. | |
| Sydney and Suburban Hydraulic Power Company's. | Mr. Garrett | 23 Oct. | 23 Oct. | 23 Oct. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Proceeded with under 65th Standing Order. | |
| Sydney Hydraulic Power Coy's.... | Mr. Garrard | 23 Oct. | 23 Oct. | 23 Oct. | | | 23 Oct. | 6 Nov. | 6 Nov. | 7 Nov. | 7 Nov. | | 29 Nov. | 5 Dec., A.M. | | 1888. 18 Dec. | Do do |
| West Maitland Cattle Sale Yards | Mr. Gould | 24 Oct. | 24 Oct. | 24 Oct. | | | 6 Nov. | 6 Nov. | 6 Nov. | 7 Nov. | 7 Nov. | | 21 Nov. | 6 Dec., A.M. | | 18 Dec. | Do do |
| Windsor Gaslight Company (Limited) Act Amendment. | Mr. Bowman ... | 4 Dec. | 5 Dec. | 5 Dec. | 6 Dec. | 1888. 7 Dec. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | Stopped by prorogation. | |
| Young Wallsend Coal Company's Railway. | Mr. Creer..... | 31 Oct. | 31 Oct. | 31 Oct. | 1 Nov. | 8 Nov. | 4 Dec. | 4 Dec. | 4 Dec. | 5 Dec. | 5 Dec. | 1888. 13 Dec. | ..... | ..... | 1889. 10 Jan. | Proceeded with under 65th Standing Order. | |

No. 3.

REGISTER OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE BILLS BROUGHT FROM THE COUNCIL DURING THE SESSION OF 1888-9.

| Short Titles of | | Brought up and read 1 ^o . | Referred to Select Committee. | Remarks. | |
|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|----|
| Public Bills. | Private Bills. | | | | |
| Birds Protection Act Amendment ..... | ..... | 1888. 29 November ..... | ..... | Stopped by prorogation. | |
| ..... | Broken Hill and District Water Supply | 20 December ..... | ..... | Do | do |
| ..... | Bulli Colliery Disaster Fund | 7 November | 1888. 20 November | Do | do |
| ..... | Church of England Property | 7 November ..... | ..... | Do | do |
| ..... | Commercial Building and Investment Company Sales ... | 13 December ..... | ..... | Do | do |
| | Wesleyan Methodist Church Property Trust | 29 November | | Do | do |

RECAPITULATION.

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| Number of Public Bills originated in the LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, shown on Register No. 1..... | 36 | | |
| Number of Private Bills do do shown on Register No. 2..... | 18 | | |
| Number of Public Bills brought from the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, as shown on Register No. 3 | 1 | | |
| Number of Private Bills do do do | 5 | | |
| | | | 60 |
| | | Public. | Private. |
| Passed and assented to ..... | ..... | 7 | 7 |
| Negatived on motion for 2 ^o | 2 | ..... | 2 |
| <i>Pro forma</i> Bill..... | 1 | ..... | 1 |
| Not brought in | 6 | ..... | 6 |
| Withdrawn or laid aside | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Not returned by Legislative Council | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| Stopped by Prorogation..... | 24 | 14 | 38 |
| | | | 60 |

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Sydney, 17th January, 1889.

F. W. WEBB,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

ALPHABETICAL REGISTERS

OF

ADDRESSES AND ORDERS FOR PAPERS,

AND OF

ADDRESSES

(NOT BEING FOR PAPERS).

SESSION 1888-9.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

REGISTER OF ADDRESSES AND ORDERS FOR PAPERS DURING THE SESSION 1888-9.

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| | No. | Date. | Entry. | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 3 | 1888. 25 October | 8 | Mr. Leo | Case of Michael Kelly against Thomas Ryan Charges against Ezra Paul Margoschis | | 1888. 8 Nov. | 88/1,030 | 1888. 8 Nov. | 1888. 12 Nov. |
| 4 | 9 | 8 November | 10 | Mr. Walker | | | | | | |
| 4 | 3 | 25 October | 11 | Mr. Dibbs | Conviction under the Vagrant Act | Commission of Inquiry into the Civil Service | 7 Nov. | 88/1,021 | 7 Nov. | 8 Nov. |
| 5 | 10 | 13 November | 6 | Mr. J. P. Abbott | | | | | | |
| 16 | 23 | 7 December | 4 | Mr. Walker | | Crown Lands at Hornsby | | | | |
| 23 | 31 | 1889. 8 January | 11 | Mr. Gormly | | Crown Lands—Reserves on Resumed Areas (Resolution) | | | | |
| 21 | 29 | 1888. 20 December | 4 | Mr. Bowman | | Currugundi Run, District of Gwydir | | | | |
| 9 | 9 | 8 November | 9 | Mr. Dangar | | Customs Duties at Brewarrina—Dismissal of late Customs Officer. | 13 Nov. | 88/1,046 | 13 Nov. | 14 Nov. |
| 13 | 12 | 15 November | 7 | Mr. Chanter | | Disposal of Crown Lands (Resolution) | | | | |
| 17 | 24 | 11 December | 9 | Mr. McMillan | | Government Wharfage—Harbour Boards (Resolution) | | | | |
| 7 | 7 | 6 November | 7 | Mr. Wall | | Hargraves and Avisford Commons | | | | |
| 20 | 28 | 19 December | 10 | Mr. Hassall | | Hicks' Bay Road, Longueville | | | | |
| 6 | 5 | 31 October | 10 | Mr. Wall | | Industrial School, Parramatta | 28 Nov. | 88/1,099 | | |
| 8 | 3 | 25 October | 9 | Mr. Lee | | Land known as Lamb's Farm, Lane Cove | | | | |
| 10 | 10 | 13 November | 5 | Mr. See | | Manufactories | 28 Nov. | 88/1,094 | 28 Nov. | 29 Nov. |
| 1 | 2 | 24 October | 29 | Mr. Dibbs | | Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works | 7 Nov. | 88/1,020 | 7 Nov. | 8 Nov. |
| 12 | 11 | 14 November | 6 | Mr. Copeland | | Pastoral Rents and Occupation License Fees | | | | |
| 7 | 26 | 13 December | 6 | Dr. Ross | Police Magistrate, Nowra. Clerk of Petty Sessions, Molong. | | | | | |
| 8 | 8 | 7 November | 5 | Mr. Walker | | Policemen in plain clothes at Burwood | 20 Nov. | 88/1,070 | 20 Nov. | 21 Nov. |
| 3 | 6 | 1 November | 10 | Mr. Garvan | Prisoner Holt | | 22 Nov. | 88/1,085 | 22 Nov. | 23 Nov. |
| 18 | 25 | 12 December | 6 | Mr. Neild | | Purchase of Land adjoining Hospital for Insane, Gladesville | 20 Dec. | 88/1,213 | 20 Dec. | 21 Dec. |
| 22 | 31 | 1889. 8 January | 5 | Mr. Bowman | | Railway Surveys—Richmond to Wallerawang, and Richmond to Eskbank. | | | | |
| 19 | 28 | 19 December | 8 | Mr. O'Sullivan | | Reporting Proceedings of the Public Works Committee | | | | |
| 16 | 16 | 27 November | 5 | Mr. O'Sullivan | | Senior-Constable Berry | | | | |
| 14 | 15 | 22 November | 4 | Mr. Walker | | Senior-Sergeant Powell | | | | |
| 11 | 10 | 13 November | 8 | Mr. O'Sullivan | | Telegraph Line to Milparinka | | | | |
| 5 | 4 | 30 October | 6 | Mr. Slattery | | Unoccupied Houses in Suburban Municipalities | | | | |
| 2 | 3 | 25 October | 7 | Mr. Lee | | Visiting Magistrate and Warden at Emmaville | 19 Dec. | 88/1,205 | 19 Dec. | 20 Dec. |

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| | | 1887. | | | | | 1888. | | 1888. | 1888. |
| 70 | 48 | 22 June..... | 10 | Mr. Kelly..... | | Appraisements on Conditional Leases at Moree | 12 Dec. | 88/1,173 | 12 Dec. | 13 Dec. |
| 47 | 33 | 17 May | 6 | Mr. Waddell | | Booramugga, Wilga, and Sussex Runs..... | 12 Dec. | 88/1,174 | 12 Dec. | 13 Dec. |
| 131 | 103 | 14 June..... | 7 | Mr. J. P. Abbott | | Bridges on Duplicated Line between Parramatta and Penrith | 1 Nov..... | 88/996 | 1 Nov..... | 2 Nov. |
| 132 | 103 | 14 June..... | 8 | Mr. J. P. Abbott..... | | Bridges on Duplicated Line between Parramatta and Penrith | 1 Nov..... | 88/997 | 1 Nov..... | 2 Nov. |
| 73 | 44 | 16 December... 1887. | 5 | Mr. Dalton | | Claims of William Tom, junr., and J. H. A. Lister, as the first discoverers of gold in this Colony (<i>In part</i>). Common for Muswellbrook | 28 Nov..... | 88 1,093 | 28 Nov..... | 29 Nov. |
| 127 | 100 | 7 June..... | 11 | Mr. J. P. Abbott..... | | | 25 Oct. | 88/961 | 25 Oct. | 26 Oct. |
| 137 | 108 | 27 June..... | 5 | Mr. Vaughn..... | | Conditional Purchase made by Mary Maloney at Burrowa | 12 Dec. | 88/1,175 | 12 Dec. | 13 Dec. |
| 80 | 51 | 10 February... 1887. | 3 | Mr. Wall | | Electric-light Apparatus purchased by Government | 21 Nov..... | 88/1,077 | 21 Nov..... | 22 Nov. |
| 39 | 18 | 27 October ... 1888. | 6 | Mr. Thompson..... | | Lighting Parliamentary Buildings with Electric-light | 6 Nov..... | 88/1,017 | 6 Nov..... | 7 Nov. |
| 142 | 117 | 16 July | 2 | Mr. Chanter..... | | Mineral Conditional Purchase of James Kennedy Broughm, parish of Picton. | 28 Nov..... | 88/1,101 | 28 Nov..... | 29 Nov. |
| 143 | 121 | 23 July | 7 | Mr. Chanter..... | | Mineral License taken up by M. C. Ronham, parish of Picton | 28 Nov..... | 88/1,100 | 28 Nov..... | 29 Nov. |
| 135 | 103 | 14 June..... | 11 | Mr. Fitzgerald..... | | Muswellbrook-Cassilis Railway Line..... | 25 Oct. | 88/955 | 25 Oct. | 26 Oct. |
| 9 | 9 | 22 March | 5 | Mr. McElhone..... | | Premises rented by the Government | 9 Jan. | 89/13 | 9 Jan. | 10 Jan. |
| 26 | 8 | 5 October ... | 9 | Mr. McElhone..... | | Railway Accident at Petersham Bridge | 1 Nov..... | 88/995 | 1 Nov..... | 2 Nov. |
| 38 | 18 | 27 October ... 1888. | 5 | Mr. Lyne | | Railway Differential Rates..... | 1 Nov..... | 88/998 | 1 Nov..... | 2 Nov. |
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| (1.) The Governor's Opening Speech | 1 | 1888. 23 Oct. | 8 | Mr. Turner | 1 | 1888. 23 Oct. | 10 | 2 | 24 Oct. | 1 | Mr. Speaker, accompanied by House. | 2 | 24 Oct. | 1 | His Excellency the Governor. | |

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Sydney, 17th January, 1889.

F. W. WEBB,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES APPOINTED DURING THE SESSION OF 1888-9.

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|-------------------|--|--|---|--------------------|------------------|-------|----------------------------|-------------------|
| | | | | | Called. | Held. | | |
| 1 | The Governor's Opening Speech | 23 October, 1888. Votes No. 1, Entry 8 (On motion of Mr. Turner.) | { Mr. Turner, Mr. Joseph Abbott, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Holborow, Mr. Black, Mr. Burdekin, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Nobbs. | Mr. Turner | 1 | 1 | None | 23 October, 1888. |
| 2 | Standing Orders | 24 October, 1888. Votes No. 2, Entry 19 (On motion of Sir Henry Parkes.) | { Mr. Speaker, Mr. McMillan, Mr. Garrett, Mr. Slattery, Mr. Want, Mr. Cameron, Mr. Gould, Mr. J. P. Abbott, Mr. Street, Sir Henry Parkes. | Mr. Speaker | 1 | 1 | None ..... | ..... |
| 3 | Library* | 24 October, 1888. Votes No. 2, Entry 20 (On motion of Sir Henry Parkes.) | { Mr. Speaker, Mr. Burns, Mr. Garvan, Mr. Read, Dr. Wilkinson, Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Dibbs, Mr. McMillan, Mr. R. Burdett Smith, Mr. Wise. | ..... | ..... | 1 | ..... | ..... |
| 4 | Refreshment* | 24 October, 1888. Votes No. 2, Entry 21 (On motion of Sir Henry Parkes.) | { Sir Henry Parkes, Mr. Burdekin, Mr. Day, Mr. Garrard, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Bowman, Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Holborow, Mr. R. Burdett Smith. | Mr. Burdekin | 1 | 1 | None ..... | ..... |
| 5 | Elections and Qualifications | 25 October, 1888. Votes No. 3, Entry 1 (By Speaker's warrant taking effect, 6 November, 1888.) | { Mr. Ewing, Mr. Holborow, Mr. Riley, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Fitzgerald, Mr. Kethel, Mr. Rylie. | ..... | ..... | ..... | None ..... | ..... |
| 6 | Young Wallsend Coal Company's Railway Bill. | 1 November, 1888. Votes No. 6, Entry 7 (On motion of Mr. Creer.) | { Mr. Creer, Mr. Fletcher, Mr. Garrard, Mr. Martin, Mr. Gould, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Brunker, Mr. Day. | Mr. Creer | 1 | 1 | 2 | 8 November, 1888. |

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| | | | | | Called. | Held. | | |
| 7 | Work of Unemployed on Roads at Hornsby and Holt-Sutherland Estate. | 15 November, 1888, a.m. Votes No. 11, Entry 12 (On motion of Mr. Walker.) Revived with leave to report from time to time, 8 January, 1889. Votes No. 31, Entry 2. (On motion of Mr. Walker.) | Mr. Walker, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Copeland, Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. McMillan, Mr. Melville, Mr. Street, Mr. Bruncker, Mr. Carruthers, | Mr. Walker | 26 | 23 | 25 | Progress Report 21 December, 1888. 2nd Progress Report 16 January, 1889. |
| 8 | Bull's Colliery Disaster Fund Bill..... | 20 November, 1888. Votes No. 13, Entry 13 (On motion of Mr. Melville.) | Mr. Melville, Mr. Creer, Mr. Gould, Mr. Haynes, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Bruncker, Mr. Chanter, Mr. Hugh Taylor, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. Woodward. | Mr. Melville | 7 | 6 | 4 | ..... |
| 9 | Selections by John Harrison, of Lismore | 27 November, 1888. Votes No. 16, Entry 7 (On motion of Mr. Ewing.) | Mr. Ewing, Mr. Bruncker, Mr. Henry Clarke, Mr. Crouch, Mr. Day, Mr. Henson, Mr. Kethel, Mr. M'Farlane, Mr. Stevenson, | Mr. Ewing | 2 | 2 | 2 | 16 January, 1889. |
| 10 | Conditional Purchase of Evan M'Intosh, Currabubula. | 29 November, 1888. Votes No. 18, Entry 11 (On motion of Mr. Levien.) | Mr. Levien, Mr. Bruncker, Mr. Howe, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Dowel, Mr. Day, Mr. Sydney Smith, Mr. Hassall, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. J. P. Abbott. | Mr. Levien | 1 | 1 | ..... | ..... |
| 11 | Conditional Purchase of James Connelly, Tamworth. | 29 November, 1888. Votes No. 18, Entry 12 (On motion of Mr. Levien.) | Mr. Levien, Mr. Bruncker, Mr. Dowel, Mr. Hassall, Mr. Wall, Mr. Bowman, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Day, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Burdekin. | Mr. Levien | 1 | 1 | ..... | ..... |
| 12 | Windsor Gas-light Company (Limited) Act Amendment Bill. | 6 December, 1888. Votes No. 22, Entry 5 (On motion of Mr. Bowman.) | Mr. Bowman, Mr. Day, Mr. Teece, Mr. Levien, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Gormly, Mr. Holborow, | Mr. Bowman | 1 | 1 | 3 | 7 December, 1888. |
| 13 | Broken Hill Water Supply Bill | 7 December, 1888. Votes No. 23, Entry 5 (On motion of Mr. Day.) | Mr. Day, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Tonkin, Mr. Abigail, Mr. Stokes, Mr. Neild, Mr. Garrard, Mr. Gormly, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Waddell. | Mr. Day | 8 | 7 | 8 | 11 January, 1889. |
| 14 | Silkstone Coal-mine Railway Bill | 19 December, 1888. Votes No. 28, Entry 9 (On motion of Mr. Melville for Mr. Bowes.) | Mr. Bowes, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Davis, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Melville, Mr. Wall, Mr. Dowel, Mr. Moore. | Mr. Bowes | 2 | 2 | 3 | 15 January, 1889. |

Legislative Assembly Office,
Sydney, 17 January, 1889.

F. W. WEBB,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

ADDRESS OF CONDOLENCE TO HER IMPERIAL
MAJESTY THE EMPRESS VICTORIA.

(LETTER FROM THE CONSUL-GENERAL FOR GERMANY RESPECTING.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 19 December, 1888.

The Consul-General for Germany to His Excellency the Governor.

My Lord,

Sydney, 6 November, 1888.

I have the honor to inform your Lordship, with reference to my letter of 22nd August last, that the tastefully executed address of the Honorable Members of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, on the occasion of the demise of His Majesty the late German Emperor, has been conveyed to Her Majesty the Empress and Queen Frederick.

I have now received instructions to express again Her Majesty's heartfelt and grateful appreciation of this message of warm condolence, in the deeply lamented bereavement fallen upon Her Majesty and the German Empire.

In obedience to Her Majesty's commands I beg to request that your Excellency will be good enough and inform the Honorable Members of the Legislative bodies accordingly.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to you, my Lord, the assurance of my high consideration.

A. PELLDRAM,
His German Majesty's Consul-General.

The Colonial Secretary.—CARRINGTON, 29/11/88.

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING PARLIAMENTARY BUILDINGS.

(CORRESPONDENCE IN CONNECTION WITH.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 6 November, 1888.

RETURN to an *Order* of the Honorable the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, dated 27 October, 1887, That there be laid upon the Table of this House,—

“Copies of all recommendations, tenders, offers, minutes, correspondence, and all other documents in connection with the lighting of the Parliamentary buildings with the electric light.”

[To which has been added further correspondence, &c., up to September, 1888.]

(Mr. Thompson.)

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ELECTRIC LIGHTING PARLIAMENTARY BUILDINGS.

No. 1.

The Speaker, Legislative Assembly, to The Colonial Secretary.

Sir,

Sydney, 12 April, 1883.

Complaints having been frequently made of the inconvenience and discomfort of the Legislative Assembly Chamber, caused to a large extent through the present mode of lighting with gas, and it having been suggested to me that the electric light would be a great improvement on the gas, I should feel obliged if you would kindly obtain for me, through the officers of the Electric Telegraph Department, information on the following points:—

1. What system of electric lighting is being used in other deliberative chambers.
2. Its candle-power and its cost, as compared with gas light.
3. Whether gas is still kept in reserve.
4. Whether the electric light in use is steady and satisfactory.
5. The difference (if any) between it and gas light, as to the effect upon the eyes.
6. Its effect (if any) in avoiding undue increase of temperature.

I have, &c.,

EDMUND BARTON.

No. 2.

The Colonial Secretary to The Speaker, Legislative Assembly.

Sir,

30 April, 1883.

In reply to your letter of the 12th instant, I have the honor to transmit herewith a copy of a minute that has been obtained from the Superintendent of Electric Telegraphs, furnishing the information asked for by you in reference to electric lighting.

I have, &c.,

ALEX. STUART.

No. 3.

Minute by The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

In reply to the questions raised by the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly in reference to electric lighting, I beg to submit the following:—

- 1st. What system of electric lighting is being used in other deliberative chambers? The Edison system has been adopted in the lobbies and passages of the House of Commons, London, Parliament Houses at the Cape of Good Hope, Legislative Assembly, Melbourne, Brisbane, and it is proposed to use it in South Australia.
- 2nd. Its candle-power and its cost as compared with gas-light? Sixteen candle-power lamps are found the best for Parliamentary Chambers, and are in use at the above mentioned places; these can be grouped in clusters as required; and at the present price of gas in this Colony should be cheaper, considering the light developed in each case.
- 3rd. Whether gas is still kept in reserve? With this system properly arranged and carried out gas is not required in reserve.
- 4th. Whether the electric light in use is steady and satisfactory? The incandescent electric light is absolutely steady; and the *Sydney Morning Herald* has been for some time past set in type by means of this light.
- 5th. The difference (if any) between it and gas-light as to the effect upon the eyes? The incandescent light has no deleterious effect upon the eyes, but it enables many who are in the habit of using spectacles to dispense with them.
- 6th. Its effect (if any) in avoiding undue increase of temperature? The percentage of heat rays is remarkably small from the incandescent lamps in comparison with gas, and is scarcely appreciable, nor does it consume the oxygen in the atmosphere to support combustion as gas does, nor does it destroy books, papers, or pictures, which is complained of in rooms illuminated by gas. I may add that where the incandescent electric light has been used it has been most successful.

E. C. CRACKNELL, 18/4/83.

No. 4.

The Speaker, Legislative Assembly, to The President, Legislative Council.

WHEN Mr. Trickett moved for the introduction of the electric light into this Chamber, it was stated on the part of the Ministry that I had been conferred with upon the subject, and that the steps to be taken would depend upon the result of inquiries then being made. Thereupon Mr. Trickett withdrew his motion. The enclosed report of Mr. Cracknell appears to be almost conclusive as to the expediency of substituting the electric light for gas-light in the Assembly. I should like the papers to go to the Hon. the President, as it may be, that he would like to consider upon the perusal of them, whether the system under which the Legislative Council is lighted should be in any way altered.

E. BARTON, 1/5/83.

No. 5.

No. 5.

The President, Legislative Council, to The Speaker, Legislative Assembly.

I do not consider that any alteration in the system of lighting the Legislative Council Chamber is imperatively required at present, but will be glad to see the electric system adopted if the light produced is better for the eyesight, and the heat less. I think it should be first tried in the Assembly Chambers, and if found to be a decided improvement, then extend it, during the next recess, to the Council Chamber, and the whole of the Parliamentary buildings.

JOHN HAY, 14/5/83.

No. 6.

The Speaker, Legislative Assembly, to The Colonial Secretary

I concur in the suggestion that the light be first tried in the Assembly Chamber, and think it should be done in the first instance without disconnecting the gas. The experiment might perhaps be made at the commencement of the next Session if Mr. Stuart approves.

EDMUND BARTON, 16/5/83.

No. 7.

The Clerk, Legislative Assembly, to The Principal Under Secretary.

Sir, I am directed by Mr. Speaker to return to you the papers respecting electric lighting, and to request that you will be good enough to lay them as soon as possible before the Colonial Secretary.

17 May, 1883.

STEPHEN W. JONES.

Submitted.—21/5/83.

No. 8.

Minute by The Colonial Secretary.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs will please see me on this subject.

A.S., 22/5/83.

The Secretary to the Post Office.—C.W., 22/5/83.

Superintendent of Telegraphs.—S.H.L.,

23/5/83.

No. 9.

The Colonial Secretary to The Postmaster-General.

FROM conversations with Mr. Cracknell it seems that the Edison incandescent lamp would be the best to adopt, and I will be glad, therefore, to receive from him a detailed report and estimate of what would be required to light the Assembly and passages, and adjoining rooms, library, and refreshment rooms, reserving power to extend it to the Legislative Council when desired.

A.S., 25/5/83.

Submitted.—S.H.L., 28/5/83.

No. 10.

The Postmaster-General to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

MR. CRACKNELL will please prepare the report as asked for by the Colonial Secretary.

F.A.W., 28/5/83.

B.C., 29/5/83.

No. 11.

Mr. W. J. Weston to The Secretary for Public Works.

Sir, In the course of a recent interview I had with the Colonial Treasurer I suggested the advisability of lighting up the Houses of Parliament with electricity, but I have been informed by him that the matter is one for your consideration. I have the honor to inform you that I have a shipment of very extensive incandescent plant, embodying all the latest improvements, close at hand, which will be very suitable for the purpose, and should you favourably entertain the idea of adopting this means of lighting the House, I shall have much pleasure in affording you further information with a view to effecting the installation.

5 Spring-street, Sydney, 2 March, 1883.

I have, &c.,

W. J. WESTON.

Colonial Architect for report.—B.C., 5/3/83.

No. 12.

Report by The Colonial Architect.

IN reference to the within suggestion as to the advisability of lighting the interior of the Houses of Parliament by means of electricity, I would state that as the Parliament is in Session only about six months in the year there would be much waste of motive-power if applied to these buildings only. There is no suitable place for the machinery in the vicinity of the buildings referred to, but it might be erected at the Government Printing Office; and the composing-room of that establishment, together with the

Free

Free Public Library adjoining, as well as the Parliament Houses could then be lighted in the manner proposed. The cost would be,—for the engine, 30-horse power, £1,029; and for the machinery, £1,307; making a total of £2,336, appropriated as follows:—

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| Legislative Assembly | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | £1,314 |
| Government Printing Office | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 730 |
| Free Library | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 292 |
| Total | | | | | | | | | | £2,336 |

I may state that the annual cost of maintaining the electric light would be, as near as can be ascertained, about £425, without allowing for interest upon the above £2,336 for engine, machinery, &c.; which the annual cost of lighting the same buildings with gas, as at present, may be stated at about £800.

18 June, 1883.

J.B.

I also forward herewith tenders for lighting the buildings referred to from Mr. Weston, agent for the Australasian Electric Light, Power, and Storage Company, and from Mr. Kingsbury, agent for the Edison Light, as follows:—

| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|-----------------|---|-------|----|----|-------|----|----|
| W. J. Weston | ... | 1,307 | 11 | 2 | | | |
| Do | additional for laying wires underground | 162 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| | | <hr/> | | | 1,470 | 1 | 2 |
| H. H. Kingsbury | ... | 2,029 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Do | additional for laying wires underground | 340 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | <hr/> | | | 2,369 | 0 | 0 |

The Company for which Mr. Weston is agent, whose tender is the lower, furnished the electric light to the Houses of Parliament in Melbourne; and the Edison Company—represented by Mr. Kingsbury—I understand furnished the light to the Queensland Houses of Parliament. I may state the above tenders do not provide for the steam-engine required, before estimated at £1,029.

J.B., 18/6/83.

Submitted.—22/6/83.

No. 13.

Minute by The Secretary for Public Works.

THE matter of lighting the Council and Assembly should, I think, be placed in the hands of the Superintendent of Telegraphs, and such was the intention of the Hon. the Colonial Secretary, to whom these papers must be sent.

F.A.W., 23/6/83.

Principal Under Secretary.—B.C., 23/6/83. Submitted.—26/6/83.

No. 14.

Minute by The Colonial Secretary.

ENTIRELY approving of the electric lighting being under the charge of an electrical staff, I request to have Mr. Cracknell's views on the respective plans herein proposed.

A.S., 4/7/83.

The Secretary to the Post Office.—B.C., C.W., 5/7/83.

No. 15.

Minute by The Postmaster-General.

MR. CRACKNELL, being now in Melbourne (where he went for the purpose of seeing the electric lighting at the Houses of Parliament there), will be able to report directly he returns, as to the best system, cost, &c.

W.J.T., 7/7/83.

No. 16.

Report by The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Lighting the Houses of Parliament with the Electric Light.

I HAVE carefully considered the question of lighting the Legislative Chambers by means of electricity, and as there is no doubt that the incandescent system is more suitable than the arc light for internal illumination, I recommend that it be adopted here.

When in Melbourne I had an opportunity of viewing the several installations in that city, but had no opportunity of judging the merits of the Ferranti system, as it had to be abandoned for lighting the Assembly in consequence of the noise created by the dynamo machine, although placed some distance outside the building, a converted brush machine having been substituted, which worked ninety Lane Fox incandescent lamps, tastefully arranged round the cornice inside the chamber. The Edison system was in operation in the Council Chamber with seventy lamps, arranged with temporary fittings; the light was particularly soft, steady, and satisfactory; the motive-power, a 10-horse-power portable steam engine, driving a 2-Edison dynamo. Since my return I have visited our Houses of Parliament, and recommend that the incandescent system be adopted for the whole of the buildings, for which 250 lamps will be required, at an estimated cost, without motive-power or temporary shed, of £871 5s. The engine, 30-horse-power, I understand, can be borrowed from the Railway Department, and placed in a temporary galvanised iron shed, which could be erected near the machinery annex in the Domain, until two 16-horse-power gas engines can be imported. The gas-engines would be preferable to a steam-engine, as they create no smoke, which

which would be an intolerable inconvenience when the Houses are in Session during the summer months, as the north-easterly winds would carry the smoke into the windows when open for ventilation. The gas-engines could be placed in a suitable shed, in the small garden adjoining the Domain wall, in the north-east corner at the rear of the buildings.

The actual cost for the 250 Edison lamps, a K dynamo, and gas-engines, including engine-shed, fixing engines, &c., will be about £2,000, but to start with the borrowed engine, I do not think more than £980 will be required. Calculating Mr. Weston's offer, if extended to 250 lamps for the Legislative buildings, and using two incandescent brush machines instead of one Ferranti, it brings his estimate to £885 3s., slightly over the price given for the Edison system, or including motive-power, two gas-engines, shed, fixing, &c., £2,048 3s. The working expenses, say for eight months in the year, for wages, coal or gas, cotton waste, oil and tallow, replacing lamps, &c., would not exceed £300, exclusive of interest on the outlay, or about half the price of gas. I would however prefer that the Edison system be adopted, as it is a complete one, and has been tried most successfully in so many parts of the world; the Houses of Parliament at the Cape, Canada, Queensland, Victoria, the House of Commons, and at the Albury Banquet, and perhaps its greatest success was achieved at Moscow, during the coronation of the Czar, when some thousands of Edison lamps were used. The Ferranti and the incandescent brush machines at present are comparatively untried, while on the other hand the Edison requires no further experimenting with. I also inspected the Swan incandescent lamps at the Free Public Library, which were not very satisfactory, the light being not very much better than gas, owing, I have no doubt, to the want of sufficient engine power. The brush lamps, seventeen in number, in Elizabeth-street, were steady but badly regulated as regards distance and height; the same may be said of the Spencer-street Railway Station, which is capable of very great improvement, and an additional brush machine is to be connected for sixteen extra lamps for this purpose.

As regards the Government Printing Office and Public Library in Sydney, I will supply a separate report without delay.
E. C. CRACKNELL, 23/7/83.

Submitted.—S.H.L., 24/7/83.

No. 17.

Minute of The Postmaster-General.

THESE papers can now be forwarded to my Hon. Colleague the Colonial Secretary, who will perhaps lay the matter before the Cabinet, and get final decision as to the lighting the Legislative buildings with the electric light, a work that I have always advocated, and would like to see carried out. The Edison system seems to be the most perfect here, and to be procurable at once, and it would be a good advantage to have it completed before next Session, and this could be done if the Superintendent of Telegraphs were authorized to get it done *now* with the aid of a temporary steam-engine, but we must have gas-engines as soon as possible. I think the Honourable the President and the Speaker have already expressed assent.—

W.J.T., 24/7/83.

The Principal Under Secretary.—S.H.L., 25/7/83.

No. 18.

Minute by The Colonial Secretary.

I WILL be glad if my Honourable Colleague the Colonial Treasurer examine these papers and confer with me therein.—A.S., 28/7/83.

The Under Secretary for Finance and Trade.—C.W., 30/7/83.

No. 19.

Minute by The Colonial Treasurer.

I HAVE carefully perused these papers, and think Mr. Cracknell's explanation suggested might with safety be adopted. The Edison incandescent lights appear to be the best both for the Legislative Council and Assembly.—G.R.D., 10/8/83.

The Under Secretary, Colonial Secretary's Department.—G.E., 11/8/83.

No. 20.

Minute by The Colonial Secretary.

THE Cabinet approves of the work being carried out under the Superintendence of Mr. Cracknell (the lighting to be Edison incandescent), the work to be completed within six weeks from this date, earlier if possible.—A.S., 14/8/83.

The Secretary to the Post Office.—C.W., B.C., 14/8/83.

No. 21.

Minute by The Postmaster-General.

THE Superintendent of Telegraphs to see that the work is carried out within six weeks at latest.—W.J.T., 15/8/83.

Superintendent of Telegraphs.—S.H.L., 16/8/83.

No. 22.

No. 22.

Mr. W. J. Weston to The Colonial Architect.

Sir,

5 Spring-street, Sydney, 10 April.

In accordance with your request I now have the honor to hand you an estimate, prepared by our engineer, of the cost of lighting up portion of the Houses of Assembly, Free Public Library, and the Government Printing Office, with 320 Lane Fox incandescent lamps, on the Ferranti system of electric lighting.

The total cost will be £1,307 11s. 2d., your Department supplying the motive-power, and the foundation for the dynamo machine.

The Ferranti dynamo I propose selling you is capable of running 500 lights; and therefore at a very trifling cost extra, the installation can be increased at your pleasure.

As you are aware, this machine is the most perfect and economical that has as yet been invented.

If this offer is accepted I can immediately commence operations, and as the dynamo is close at hand the installation could be completed within a short time.

I have, &c.,

W. J. WESTON.

[Enclosure.]

ESTIMATE for lighting the Houses of Assembly, Free Public Library, and Government Printing Office, 320 Lane Fox incandescent lamps on the Ferranti system of electric lighting:—

| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|--|-----|-----|----|--------|----|----|
| Ferranti dynamo, No. E., capable of producing 500 20-c.p. lamps | 350 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Bed plate for same | 35 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Packing and packing-cases | 7 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Freight, insurance, and dock charges | 8 | 16 | 0 | | | |
| Landing charges and customs | 8 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Erecting dynamo | 30 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 438 | 16 | 0 |
| <i>Government Printing Office—</i> | | | | | | |
| 100 Lane Fox lamps, at 5s. | 25 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| 100 brackets and shades for lamps, say 7s. 6d. each, according to approval ... | 37 | 16 | 0 | | | |
| 100 sockets and switches, 3s. 6d. | 7 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| 50 safety fuses, 2s. | 5 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| 1,320 yards small wire, at 2d. per yard | 11 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Fixing lamps | 30 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 116 | 0 | 0 |
| <i>Free Public Library—</i> | | | | | | |
| 40 Lane Fox lamps, 20-c.p., 5s. each | 10 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| 40 brackets for lamps, say 30s., according to approval | 60 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| 40 sockets and switches, 3s. 6d. | 7 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| 20 safety fuses, 2s. | 2 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| 250 yards of small wire, 2d. per yard | 2 | 1 | 8 | | | |
| Fixing lamps | 12 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 93 | 1 | 8 |
| <i>The Houses of Assembly—</i> | | | | | | |
| 180 Lane Fox lamps, 20-c.p., at 5s. | 45 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| 80 brackets, say at 30s. each, according to approval | 120 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| 180 sockets and switches, at 3s. 6d. | 31 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| 100 safety fuses, at 2s. | 10 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| 1,800 yards small wire, at 2s. | 15 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Fixing lamps | 25 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 246 | 10 | 0 |
| 3,777 yards of main cable, at 1s. 2½d. | 228 | 3 | 6 | | | |
| Poles—erecting same leading main wire | 35 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Insulators | 5 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 268 | 3 | 6 |
| Speed indicator or dial plate, and fixing | | 25 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Erecting, starting, and instructing in use of machine | | 120 | 0 | 0 | | |
| | | | | £1,307 | 11 | 2 |

The Australian Electric Light P. & S. Co. (Limited), Sydney, 9th April, 1883.

No. 23.

Mr. W. J. Weston to The Colonial Architect.

Sir,

5, Spring-street, 19 May, 1883.

Reverting to this Company's tender for lighting up the Houses of Assembly, Free Public Library, and Government Printing Office with the incandescent lamps on the Ferranti system of electric lighting, I have now the honor to supplement the estimate with an estimate for the additional cost of laying the electric light wires underground (say), £162 10s.

Having a stock of very powerful dynamos and the necessary plant and fittings, I shall be prepared, upon acceptance of my offer, to commence operations without much delay.

I have, &c.,

W. J. WESTON.

[Enclosure.]

ESTIMATE for laying electric light wires underground for the Free Public Library and the Houses of Assembly:—

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|-----|----|----|
| Opening roads, iron pipes, and extra wire, &c..... | 162 | 10 | 0 |

The Australasian Electric Light, Power, and S. Company (Limited), Sydney, 18 May, 1883.

No. 24.

Mr. H. H. Kingsbury to The Colonial Architect.

Sir,

Sydney, 6 April, 1883.

In accordance with your instructions, I have the honor to append herewith estimates of the cost of establishing the Edison incandescent light in the Parliament Houses, the Free Public Library, and Government Printing Office.

The amount, £ (details in Table A), covers the whole of the plant and apparatus fixed and in working order, exclusive of driving power.

The item of fixtures has necessarily been difficult to estimate, since so much depends on the amount you care to spend in this direction.

After careful consideration as to the best method of adapting the light to the various places mentioned, I have kept in view the necessity of having all our fixtures in keeping with the existing decorations, and, at the same time, as inexpensive as possible. Table D, with the accompanying sketches, fully details this particular portion of the estimate, and will enable you to point any modifications you may desire.

I presume that you will arrange with the Municipal Council should any question be raised by them respecting the laying of the underground conductor across Macquarie-street.

I have, &c.,

H. H. KINGSBURY.

[Enclosure.]

The Exchange, Sydney, 6 April, 1883.

Remarks.

In the estimate (Table A) it is understood that the Government provide steam-power, shafting, and belting. It would require 40 horse-power to run the whole circuit of 368 lamps, but it will be of rare occurrence that the whole number are simultaneously used.

Of the 120 lamps in the composing-room, probably not more than half will be burning at any one time, since each operator should turn out his lamp on quitting the frame. Again, the Legislative Council seldom sits at night, and the Assembly not every night, so that if current be averaged for 200 lamps, which appears a fair estimate, the power absorbed would amount to from 20 to 25 horse-power.

The possibility of the maximum demand arising should, however, be provided against; and foreseeing the inevitable extension of the system, I would desire permission to suggest that a 50 horse-power engine be set up at the Government Printing Office for this particular purpose; more especially since the running of electric generators from shafting, to which machinery of an intermittent character is coupled, should be avoided, when practicable, since on the perfect regularity of driving power depends the steadiness of the light.

The engine should have two cylinders capable of being disconnected, and driven with one cylinder in case of accident; and provision should be made for two driving belts, since, in electric lighting, the belt has been the general cause of the breakdowns that have occurred.

The intermediate shafting should be furnished with loose pulleys, both for the driving and for the generator belts.

To still further provide against any chance of accidental stoppage of the light, the current will be generated by two dynamo-machines, either one of which is capable, by slightly increasing the normal speed, of furnishing current for the circuit in the event of any accident to the other.

The rooms specified (Table B) require about 370 lamps, and the fitting up of this number only is included in the estimate, though the plant to be furnished under the estimate comprises generators of a maximum capacity of over 600 lamps, and material (sockets, shades, holders, &c.) for 400 lamps. This appears advisable,—first, because the cost is only slightly in excess of plant for three lamps; and, second, because the lighting is sure to be extended to other portions of the buildings specified, and probably to other Government buildings in the neighbourhood. Edison's being a complete system of lighting enables such extension without in any way interfering with existing arrangements. By the simple addition of power and dynamos the Government Printing Office might become the central station, supplying current to the whole of the Government offices in its neighbourhood, when the incandescent lamps would be found a really economical, as it is a superior, illuminant in comparison with gas.

Respecting the advantages of Edison compared with other inventors there is this wide difference, that, where one possesses a lamp and another a dynamo-machine, Edison alone has a complete system of incandescent lighting, with every detail carefully perfected, essential to the economical, reliable, and safe production of the current.

With all the installations throughout the world, including the vast undertakings in New York and London, not one single failure has occurred with any Edison Company, which must be the best proof that it is a really practical illuminant.

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TABLE A.

| The Exchange— | £ s. d. |
|---|---------|
| 2 Edison K. Dynamos, nominal capacity 250, 16 C.P., with regulating apparatus complete; 200 sockets with keys; 200 sockets without keys; 200 porcelain shades; 200 tin shades; 400 shade holders | 1,480 0 |
| Safety devices, extra safety plugs, cleats, staples, switches, and patent non-combustible wire; also details required in fixing throughout rooms specified in Table B; 500 incandescent lamps, assorted 8, 16, and 32 candle, including a few coloured for Assembly verandah; Edison's patent underground main conductor, to be laid between Government Printing Office and Houses of Assembly; electroliers, brackets, and lamps fixtures (detailed in Table D) | 349 0 0 |
| Cost of fitting up the plant, as detailed in Table B | 200 0 0 |

The price comprises the whole of the apparatus delivered and fixed in working order to the rooms specified in Table B. The work to be executed to the satisfaction of the Colonial Architect and carried out in accordance with the recommendations of the committee (May 11, 1882) appointed by the Council of the Society of Telegraph Engineers and of Electricians to consider rules and regulations for the prevention of fire risks from electric lighting.

TABLE B.

| Houses of Parliament— | Sydney, 6 April, 1883. | |
|--|------------------------|--------------------|
| | A lamps. | Lamps and sockets. |
| Assembly | 39 | 43 |
| Council | 37 | 37 |
| Refreshment-rooms | 30 | 30 |
| Entrance, six 32-c. lamps | 12 | 6 |
| Members' ante-room | 3 | 3 |
| Libraries, 15 A and 10 B | 20 | 25 |
| Lobbies | 4 | 4 |
| Lavatories, 18 B | 9 | 18 |
| Verandah | 4 | 4 |
| Smoking-room, 1 A and 6 B | 4 | 7 |
| Vestibule, stairs, &c., 2 A and 12 B | 8 | 14 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | 170 | 191 |
| Free Public Library | 56 | 56 |
| Government Printing Office— | | |
| Composing-room, as per plan | 116 | 116 |
| Engine and dynamo-room | 5 | 5 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | 121 | 121 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Total | 347 | 368 |

Engine power absorbed, from 35 to 40 H.P. actual.

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TABLE C.

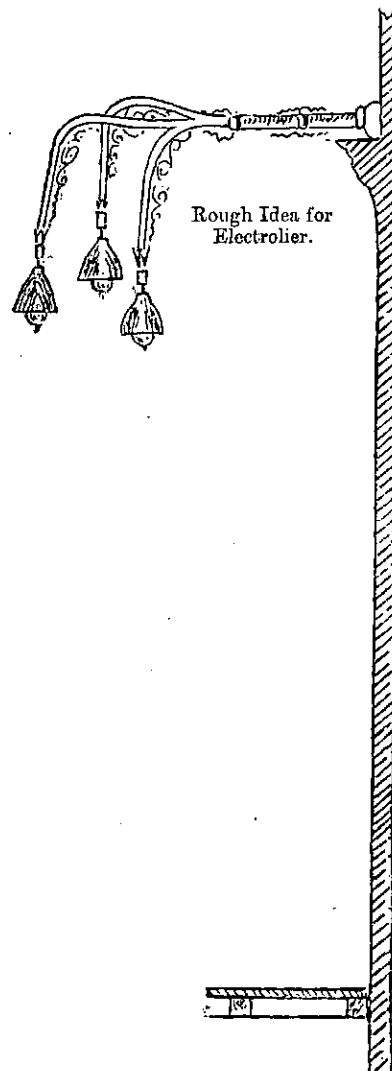
| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|--------|-------|-------|
| Free Public Library fixtures:— | | | |
| Fitting up tables, £25; 8 electroliers, £40; 12 brackets, £6; stand lamps, £1; end shelf, £2 | 74 | 0 | 0 |
| 60 lamps, sockets, shades, holders, &c., wire and material, safety catches, switches, and proportion of dynamos | 223 | 0 | 0 |
| Labour, wiring, and fixing complete | 32 | 0 | 0 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | 328 | 0 | 0 |
| Government Printing Office fixtures:— | | | |
| Fittings for compositors' desks, &c. | 88 | 0 | 0 |
| 130 lamps, sockets, shades, holders, &c., and proportion of dynamos | 481 | 0 | 0 |
| Labour, wiring and fixing complete | 68 | 0 | 0 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | 637 | 0 | 0 |
| Parliament Houses fixtures:— | | | |
| Council—8 electroliers, £40; 4 stand lamps, £7; sundries, £2 5s. | 49 | 5 | 0 |
| Assembly—8 electroliers, £40; 3 stand lamps; £5 5s.; 2 two-arm brackets, £2; 10 reporter's lamps, £5; 2 one-arm brackets, £1 | 53 | 5 | 0 |
| Refreshment-rooms—10 electroliers | 50 | 0 | 0 |
| Entrance—3 hanging lamps @ £3 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Smoking-room—6 brackets, £3; 1 sundry, 5s. | 3 | 5 | 0 |
| Libraries—6 table-lamps, £4 10s.; 20 sundries, £5 | 9 | 10 | 0 |
| Ministers' ante-room—1 sundry | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Members' do 2 table-lamps, £1 10s.; 6 sundries, £1 10s. | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Verandah | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Lavatories | 4 | 10 | 0 |
| Lobbies | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Vestibule and stairs | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | 187 | 0 | 0 |
| 210 lamps, sockets, &c., including proportion of dynamos | 777 | 0 | 0 |
| Labour, wiring, and fixing complete | 100 | 0 | 0 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | 1,064 | 0 | 0 |
| Free Library | 328 | 0 | 0 |
| Government Printing Office | 637 | 0 | 0 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Total, exclusive of underground conductor | £2,029 | 0 | 0 |

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TABLE D.

| Fixtures. | Hanging Lamps. | 3-arm Electroliers. | Special Fitting. | 2-arm Brackets. | 1-arm Brackets. | Stand Lamps. | Adap existing fixtures. |
|-------------------------------|----------------|---------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|-------------------------|
| Free Public Library— | | | | | | | |
| 5 tables, as per sketch | | | 17 | | | 1 | |
| 8 electroliers | | 8 | | | | | |
| 12 single brackets | | | | | 12 | | |
| 1 bracket end shelf | | | 2 | | | | |
| Government Printing Office— | | | | | | | |
| 112 desks | | | 112 | | | | |
| 4 stand lamps | | | | | | 4 | |
| Houses of Parliament— | | | | | | | |
| Entrance | 3 | | | | | | |
| Assembly | | 8 | | 2 | 2 | 13 | |
| Council | | 8 | | | | 4 | 9 |
| Refreshment-room | | 10 | | | | | |
| Smoking-room | | | | | 6 | | 1 |
| Verandah | | | | | | | 4 |
| Libraries | | | | | | 6 | 20 |
| Ministers' ante-room | | | | | | | 1 |
| Members' do | | | | | | 2 | 6 |
| Lobbies | | | | | | | 4 |
| Vestibule | | | | | 6 | | 6 |
| Lavatories | | | | | | | 18 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | 3 | 34 | 131 | 2 | 26 | 30 | 69 |

| | £ | s. | d. |
|----------------------------|------|----|----|
| 3 entrance lamps | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| 34 electroliers, £5 | 170 | 0 | 0 |
| 131 special fittings | 112 | 5 | 0 |
| 2 2-arm brackets | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| 26 single brackets | 13 | 0 | 0 |
| 30 stand-lamps | 28 | 5 | 0 |
| 70 sundries | 14 | 10 | 0 |
| | £349 | 0 | 0 |



Houses of Parliament—

The fixtures for the 190 lamps throughout the Parliament Houses, to be arranged to suit each individual position. In the Council, Assembly, and refreshment-room, brackets will be required, to be light, artistic, and in each case in keeping with the surrounding decorations. For the Assembly and the Council Chamber in addition, some one and two arm brackets under the galleries, movable stand-lamps for the Speaker, and on the table, and a fixed desk-lamp for each reporter; in several places, such as the lavatories, some portions of the lobbies and the libraries, the existing gas fixtures might to save expense be utilized without interfering with the gas. Hanging lamps will be required at the entrance and brackets in the smoking-room and libraries, with table stand-lamps scattered about.

H. H. KINGSBURY.

No. 25.

Mr. H. H. Kingsbury to The Colonial Architect.

Sir, I have the honor to inform you that the cost of the underground main from the Printing Office to the Free Public Library and on to the Houses of Parliament, complete with junctions, is three hundred and forty pounds (£340).

Sydney, 4 May, 1883.

I have, &c.,

H. H. KINGSBURY.

No. 26.

Mr. W. J. Weston to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

My dear sir,

5, Spring-street, 21 June, 1883.

Herewith I enclose for your perusal duplicate estimate of cost for lighting up Houses of Parliament, Public Library, &c., as furnished previously to the Colonial Architect.

If the whole of the buildings are to be lit another engine than that now at the Printing Office, would, Mr. Hamilton informs me, be required, and suggests the Agricultural Hall in the Domain as a convenient place to erect the motive-power.

You will observe that the cost for underground wires will be £162 10s. extra. We have, however, made the cost as low as possible, and we guarantee to make a perfect installation before receiving payment. Should you desire it we are prepared to commence the work at once. I shall be glad to receive particulars of Evelcigh workshops when convenient to you.

Yours, &c.,

W. J. WESTON.

No. 27.

No. 27.

Mr. H. H. Kingsbury to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Lighting Parliament Houses, Government Printing Office, and Free Public Library on Edison's Electric System.

Sir,

The Exchange, Sydney, 13 July, 1883.

To supplement the detailed estimates and plans furnished by me to the Colonial Architect with reference to this matter, I have the honor to enclose an estimate of the cost of the electric plant, exclusive of fixtures, assuming that the Parliament Houses, instead of being run from the Government Printing Office, will be made a separate installation.

I have estimated for a K dynamo in each case. These will require to be ordered from home; but in the meantime I would furnish three Z dynamos to be used until the arrival of the larger ones, as a temporary arrangement.

I have, &c.,

H. H. KINGSBURY.

[Enclosure.]

| | | The Exchange, Sydney, 13 July, 1883. | | |
|---|--|--------------------------------------|----|------------|
| | | £ | s. | d. |
| Parliament Houses— | | | | |
| 1 K dynamo electric machine | | 450 | 0 | 0 |
| 250 lamps at 5s. | | 62 | 10 | 0 |
| 250 sockets and keys at 6s. | | 75 | 0 | 0 |
| Edison's safety devices, switches, cleats, leads, fixtures, cable and labour fixing, &c. | | 283 | 15 | 0 |
| | | | | 871 5 0 |
| Government Printing Office— | | | | |
| 120 lamps at 5s. each | | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| 120 sockets and keys at 6s. | | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| 120 shades and holders at 3s. 6d. | | 21 | 0 | 0 |
| Fixtures same as in <i>Herald</i> office | | 88 | 0 | 0 |
| Edison's safety devices, switches, cleats, leads, cable and labour fixing, &c. | | 163 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | 338 0 0 |
| Free Public Library— | | | | |
| 60 lamps at 5s. each | | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| 60 sockets and keys at 6s. | | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| 60 shades and holders at 3s. 6d. | | 10 | 10 | 0 |
| Fixtures as per sketch | | 65 | 0 | 0 |
| Edison's safety devices, switches, cleats, leads, cable, labour, fixing, &c. ... | | 52 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | 160 10 0 |
| 1 K dynamo electric machine | | | | 450 0 0 |
| | | | | 1,819 15 0 |

No. 28.

The General Manager the Australasian Electric Light, Power, and Storage Co. (Limited) to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Dear Sir,

29, Queen's Place, Melbourne, 26 July, 1883.

A rumour has reached me that you went away from Melbourne in some misapprehension as regards our Ferranti dynamo. I know that it is not always wise to trust to rumours, but under the existing circumstances I feel it better to be on the safe side, and to state distinctly what our experience of the Ferranti dynamo is, and what our reasons were for substituting the Brush C incandescent dynamo at the Parliament House installation here. When we first contracted to put the light into the House of Parliament we intended using one of two Hopkinson dynamos which were on the way out. These on arrival, however, proved to be seriously injured through rough usage, and we preferred to return them to England and risk the inconvenience of delay, sooner than use machines which were in any way imperfect.

This compelled us to ask the Committee of the House to grant a delay, which they did, giving us a definite limit of time in which to commence the work. When that limit arrived the only machines of a sufficient size available that I had were Ferranti dynamos, and of these nothing less than the 250 light size. Now, I only wanted to run about 70 lamps from it, and we thought it wiser to go on fixing it and preparing to use it if necessary in case the smaller dynamos did not arrive in time.

After we had the Ferranti dynamo properly fixed, and counter-shaftings, &c. all arranged, our first Brush, 100 light dynamo, came safely to hand. Having the Ferranti fixed, however, we thought we would try how it worked. We found that it worked admirably so far as the power of our engine would enable us to test it. Unfortunately, however, our engine, which is a 10-horse power semi-portable Robey, was not equal to running the full number of lights which the Ferranti machine is capable of running, even with the best stoking we could supply. With the belts running as they were, *i.e.* nearly horizontally, and at the high speed required, we found that from the inevitable tendency of a new belt to stretch, stretching of the belt took place faster than we could counteract it without stopping and replacing the belt. The consequence was there was a great deal of flapping, which as you may imagine, in a small corrugated iron shed, made a very loud noise.

Now it must be self evident that this stretching of the belt, which invariably occurs in all new belts, would have ceased after a few nights running. We should then have got rid of the flapping entirely, and it must be self evident also that there could be no reason why a belt should make more noise when running a Ferranti machine than when running any other piece of mechanical workmanship—the machine itself does not make a noise—or, if we had still found the belts noisy, nothing would have been easier than to have put the counter-shafting more overhead—in fact almost vertically over the dynamo, in which case the flapping of the belt would of course cease altogether.

In practice, both with this object and for the economising of horizontal space, it is nearly always found advisable to place counter-shafting well up. As, however, it was manifestly extravagant to go on running a machine, capable of working 250 lights for the sake of seventy or eighty wanted, when I had a 100-light machine suitable for running the new Lane Fox lamps which we found were preferable to the Swan lamps, I instructed our engineer to get the new Brush machine into position without moving the Ferranti machine, and to let us try them both.

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The trials with the Brush machine were so entirely satisfactory, and we liked the new Lane Fox lamps so much, that as we had plenty of work for our hands elsewhere, we decided to postpone further trials of the Ferranti machine until I found a more suitable opportunity, and had more horse-power available.

This is the simple explanation of our reason for running the Brush incandescent machine in preference to the Ferranti at Parliament House; and whilst it is perfectly true that on the two nights of our running the Ferranti, the noise made by the flapping of the belting was very great and very objectionable, it was, as I have pointed out, a matter which could be easily overcome, and which, as a matter of fact, has been found no bar to the good results obtained at home from the Ferranti dynamo.

You will excuse my taking so much trouble to explain this matter, but you are fully aware of the competition existing with regard to electric lighting in your Colony, and I feel sure that your love of fair play will prompt you to give due weight to all evidence bearing upon the question.

I feel sure that your whole aim is to obtain for your Government the best and the cheapest systems. Now I maintain that the systems of incandescence lighting at the disposal of this Company are as complete and well organised as anything that can be desired, while I have no hesitation in saying that our prices are such as to place the plant which we have to offer in the first rank as regards economy.

You yourself stated, when I had the pleasure of meeting you here some days ago, that you were fully alive to the advantages of being able to deal with one Company who would have uniformity of types and full command of all the latest and best improvements, both in arc and incandescent systems.

I pointed out to you that, whilst we were the exclusive holders of various patents we were absolutely tied to none, but that as new lamps or new machines get into the market our engineers at home are continually on the look out with full powers and instructions to secure the best of everything.

It was in this way that we secured the Ferranti dynamos; it is in this way that we have secured the Pilsen and Fyfe Main Arc lamps, of which we shall shortly have some available; and it is in this way that we shall acquire and use whatever comes at home or elsewhere that is worth acquiring and adopting.

We are quite alive to the virtues of our opponents, as we are not blind to their defects, and all that we ask is, as in any other business, fair competition. We have no cause to be alarmed as to the results if both sides get a fair field and no favour; and it pleased me to think that, in New South Wales at all events, we are likely to have the matter referred to so capable an umpire as yourself.

I am forwarding a copy of this letter to Mr. Weston, who, as you know, represents this Company in New South Wales, and I am requesting Mr. Weston to call upon you and show you a comparative list of prices, which will, I think, go far to convince you that, other things being equal—and we claim that other things are at least equal—our prices are such as to make it desirable to use our plant if possible, while the advantage of being able to secure all classes of plant and all classes of electrical apparatus through one source, with the certainty that everything will be inspected and tested by competent men at home before shipment, cannot, I think, be overrated.

I am, &c.,
F. C. ROWAN.

No. 29.

Mr. W. J. Weston to The Honorable The Minister for Works.

Sir,

5, Spring-street, 31 August, 1883.

On behalf of the Australasian Electric Light, Power, and Storage Company, of which I am the representative in New South Wales, I have the honor to bring before you certain facts in reference to the competition attending the proposed introduction of the electric light into the Houses of Parliament, and to which I beg your earnest consideration, as I am anxious for the Government to see that my Company be treated with justice.

Briefly the facts are these: This Company was invited by the Colonial Architect to tender for the lighting up of the Houses of Parliament, the Free Public Library, and the Government Printing Office with the incandescent system of electric lighting. Our electrical engineer, after much deliberation, prepared estimates, as per copies herewith, and they were duly forwarded to the Colonial Architect. Subsequently our engineer had several personal interviews with certain of your officials, and much valuable information, in connection with the details of the installation, was elicited from him.

The papers in connection therewith, the Colonial Architect informed me, were then forwarded to your Department in June last, and later on I learned they were handed to Mr. Cracknell, who was to take the whole matter in hand. Mr. Cracknell afterwards paid a visit to Melbourne, and while there Captain Rowan, our general manager for the Colonies, gave him much valuable information, and showed him our machines, and Mr. Cracknell expressed his satisfaction with what he saw and heard. Afterwards other explanations were made by letter to Mr. Cracknell by Captain Rowan. (Copy of letter herewith.)

Upon his return to Sydney the writer had Mr. Cracknell's personal assurance, on several occasions, that each Company's tender would be considered as regards the efficiency of the system and cost, and a decision arrived at accordingly.

I at once concluded that even if Edison's system be considered equal to ours my Company's tender would still be accepted, as our prices for plant are known to be less than Edison's. (See comparative price list herewith.) To my surprise, however, I saw by the newspapers a few days ago that the installation at the Houses was about to be commenced, under the superintendence of Mr. Cracknell. I had received no intimation that my tender had been rejected; and although I wrote that gentleman for information on that point on the 25th instant, I have been accorded no reply.

Unofficially, I hear it is the Edison Company who are actually undertaking the installation.

I have the honor to request you to kindly inform me upon what grounds Mr. Cracknell supports the Edison Company? Is it on the ground of economy? If so, I have the honor to ask why was I not notified in the very first instance that my tender was not the lowest, and why your officials tacitly led me to suppose that my Company was the lowest tenderer, by, subsequent to the closing of tenders, eliciting all possible technical information from my Company's engineer, and at the same time giving me to understand that the reason of delay in actually coming to a decision rested with the Government, who could not quite determine whether electricity would be adopted as a means of lighting the Houses.

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Upon these grounds I submit I am fairly entitled to be informed as to which Company's tender was the lowest, and by how much.

And I have the honor to request that you will cause a thorough investigation of the whole matter to be made, and, in the meantime, order a postponement of the installation.

If doubt exists as to the efficiency or non-efficiency of my Company's system, I beg respectfully to urge that two or three impartial and competent gentlemen be requested to report upon the systems in vogue, and to that end I would suggest that Messrs. Ellery & Murray, of Melbourne (the former the Government Astronomer, and the latter the Engineer of the Victorian Railways), be communicated with, as these gentlemen have recently made an exhaustive inquiry on behalf of the Victorian Government as to the relative merits of the several systems of incandescent lighting.

Should your Government prefer a practical demonstration of our system, I am empowered to put in our installation in part or even the whole of the Houses, and run the lights during the Session, at the cost of gas, on the distinct understanding that if the lighting is regular and satisfactory the Government will purchase the plant at a price to be previously agreed upon—the Government to supply engine and building in which to fix dynamo.

For the sake of brevity I have omitted many facts bearing on the case, but my object in writing you will be successful if I have said sufficient to convince you that my requests on behalf of my Company are not inordinate, and that your usual impartial consideration will be given to the matter.

I have, &c.,

W. J. WESTON.

The Supt. of Telegraphs.—A.S., 10/9/83.
The Supt. of Telegraphs.—W.J.T., 12/9/83.

The Secretary to the Post Office.—C.W., B.C., 10/9/83.

No. 30.

Mr. W. J. Weston to The Secretary for Public Works.

Sir,

5, Spring-street, Sydney, 13 September, 1883.

On the 31st ultimo I had the honor to address you with reference to the lighting up of Parliament Houses with electricity, and further to propose to put in an installation of this Company's system, under certain conditions mentioned therein.

I have the honor to inquire if my letter has been considered, and if so what has been determined upon thereto.

I have, &c.,

W. J. WESTON.

Inform the papers are under consideration of Colonial Secretary.—F.A.W., 15/9/83. Mr. W. J. Weston informed, 17/9/83. The Principal Under Secretary.—J.R., 17/9/83. The Secretary, General Post Office with reference to former papers.—C.W., B.C., 8/10/83. Inform Mr. Weston, 8/10/83. The Supt. of Telegraphs.—W.J.T., 12/10/83. Report and papers herewith.—E.C.C., 15/10/83. The Secretary, General Post Office, B.C.

No. 31.

The Under Secretary for Public Works to Mr. W. J. Weston.

Sir,

Department of Works, Sydney, 17 September, 1883.

In reply to your letter of the 13th instant, on the subject of lighting the Parliament Houses by Electricity, I am directed to inform you that the papers forwarded by you are being considered by the Colonial Secretary.

I have, &c.,

JOHN RAE.

No. 32.

The Principal Under Secretary to Mr. W. J. Weston.

Sir,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney, 8 October, 1883.

I am directed by the Colonial Secretary to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th ultimo, addressed to the Secretary for Public Works, respecting the lighting up of Parliament Houses by Electricity, and to inform you that your communication has been brought under the notice of the Postmaster-General.

I have, &c.,

C. WALKER.

No. 33.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs to The Postmaster-General.

In reference to Mr. Weston's letter, dated 31st August, my reason for recommending that the Parliament Houses be lighted by the Edison Incandescent Lamps is clearly explained in my minute of 23rd July, 1883, viz., that the system is a tried one, and complete in itself, and that I preferred it to the Ferranti or Converted Brush, which have not yet passed through the experimental stage.

I have had various opportunities of seeing and studying the Edison system in practical operation in this Colony, at the Exchange, the *Herald* Office, the Albury Banquet, and several places in Melbourne, and the opinion formed by me on these occasions, is supported by the accounts of Electric Lighting elsewhere. I am satisfied that the system is reliable and more complete in its various details than any other. From some of the late periodicals I find that the temporary installation of the Edison Light in the House of Commons has worked so well that it has been decided to adopt it as a permanency.

Opportunities of demonstrating the efficiency of the system advocated by Mr. Weston have not been afforded in this Colony, although Ferranti machines have been here for some considerable time.

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The special committee appointed by the Society of Telegraph Engineers and Electricians in London, to draw up rules for the safe application of electricity to lighting, decided that it was dangerous to use an alternating current, whose electro-motive force was more than 60 volts.

The Ferranti is an alternating machine, and supplies a current whose electro-motive force is 125 volts. In addition to this machine being dangerous to life, which the Edison is not, there is another drawback, it would require that the lamps be connected in series of threes, which method is obviously inapplicable to large installations, since unless a very complicated system of wiring be resorted to, the extinction of one lamp involves the extinction of two others.

The Edison system requires the minimum amount of wire for leads, which point is not unimportant when the disfigurement of a building is in question. I deny that I gave Mr. Weston in any way to understand that his Company's tender would be accepted, as my visit to Melbourne, alluded to by him, only confirmed my opinion that I was doing the right thing by adopting the Edison, even if it cost more than the Ferranti, which in reality is not the case. It would be seen by my minute before alluded to, No. B 8,838, of 23rd July, 1883, that for 250 lamps the Edison price is £871 5s., and by bringing the Ferranti or the Converted Brush Machine up to 250 lamps, it would come to £885 3s.; this is taking their own schedule of prices. I do not consider it by any means necessary to apply to Melbourne for competent authority to report on the two systems of electric lighting referred to, as that can be done here quite as well, and by gentlemen fully as competent as those alluded to by Mr. Weston. Mr. Weston's constant reference to the valuable information supplied by his engineer somewhat surprises me, and I am at a loss to know what particular information he refers to. I do not remember on any occasion having troubled Mr. Hamilton, the gentleman in question, for particulars as regards incandescent lighting. In conclusion I desire to point out that I could not well recommend for such an important installation as that of the Houses of Parliament that the Ferranti system should be adopted, when I could only discover that it has been tried for the same purpose in Melbourne, and abandoned in favour of another system.

E. C. CRACKNELL, 15/10/83.

Submitted.—S.H.L. Forward to the Hon. the Minister for Works.—W.J.T., 16/10/83.
Under Secretary for Works.—S.H.L., 17/10/83.

No. 34.

The General Manager, Australasian Electric Light, Power, and Storage Company
(Limited) to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Dear Sir,

City Office, Melbourne, 20 Queen's Place, 6 October, 1883.

I visited Sydney last week for the express purpose of seeing you, and of having some conversation upon the subject matter of my letter of July 26th last.

Not having had any answer to that letter, I was rather at a loss how to interpret your silence, and thought that a personal interview would be the readiest means of arriving at an understanding. I therefore regretted the more that your absence prevented my having the pleasure of the personal interview.

I had wished to have seen you and discussed the position before seeing any of the Ministers, but the time for which I could be spared from Melbourne being limited, I was obliged to push forward my endeavour to produce some practical result.

You will readily understand, of course, that it would not do for me to sit still and see my Company quietly pushed to one side without some very strong reason. I, therefore, took the opportunity of being in Sydney to represent to the Honorable Messrs. Stuart and Wright, that both the inherent merits of our apparatus and the enterprise which this Company had shown in electric lighting business fairly entitled us to such an amount of consideration as would be contained in giving us a fair opportunity of competing.

Mr. Stuart and Mr. Wright were good enough to concede the justice of this proposition, and I trust that we shall find you disposed to give us such facilities as lie in your power for the prosecution of any work that we may undertake.

I hope to be able to see you personally before long, and in the meantime,

I remain, &c.,

F. C. ROWAN.

No. 35.

Mr. H. H. Kingsbury to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

The Exchange, 19 October, 1883.

With respect to the installation at the Parliament Houses, I shall be obliged by your kindly permitting me to draw £500 on account.

I would mention that though my contract is not completed, yet the value—as you are aware—of the plant in your possession, and of the work already performed, considerably exceeds the amount I now ask for.

I have, &c.,

H. H. KINGSBURY.

No. 36.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs to The Under Secretary for Finance and Trade.

I beg to forward herewith voucher for £500 in favour of Mr. H. H. Kingsbury, for an advance on account of the installation of the electric light at Parliament Houses.

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The contract is not yet completed, but the apparatus supplied, and work performed, considerably exceeds in value the amount asked for, and I therefore recommend for the approval of the Colonial Treasurer that the account be passed for payment. E. C. CRACKNELL, 29/10/83.

[Enclosure.]

Claimant—H. H. Kingsbury, Exchange.

| Date. | | Amount. |
|--------------------------|--|--------------------|
| 1883. October 27..... | For the undermentioned services— Advance on account of installation of Electric Light at the Houses of Parliament | £ s. d. 500 0 0 |
| | Total | £ 500 0 0 |

I hereby authorize the amount of the above certificate in my favour to be made on my behalf to the City Bank.

Received on the 19th day of November, 1883, the sum of £500.

JOHN CURTIS
(For H. H. KINGSBURY).

No. 37.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs to Mr. F. C. Rowan, Melbourne.

Sir, 29 October, 1883.

In acknowledging the receipt of your communication of the 6th instant, I beg to state that in your letter of the 26th July last there was really nothing specially to reply to, except, perhaps, that portion on page 7, that my aim is to get the best system, which I quite endorse, and have every reason to believe that I have made the best selection by recommending the installation of the light now in operation at the Parliament Houses of this Colony.

I have &c.,
E. C. CRACKNELL.

No. 38.

The Minister of Public Instruction to The Postmaster-General.

My Dear Norton, Legislative Assembly, 12 June, 1884.

Will you kindly ask Mr. Cracknell to inspect and report upon the electric lighting arrangements at the Council and Assembly, and also the driving engine in the Domain. In the early part of the evening the light is generally dull in the Assembly, the reason assigned being that the engine-power is insufficient for both Chambers.

When the Land Bill gets through Committee here, and if it goes on to the Legislative Council, we may look forward to late nightly sittings in both Chambers, and the Speaker and members are desirous that the capital light we have enjoyed during our lengthy sitting should continue. Your early attention will oblige.

Yours, &c.,
W. J. TRICKETT.

No. 39.

Minute of The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

THE lights are working satisfactorily now, and there are several spare lamps not yet in use which can be turned on when required.

E.C.C., 20/6/84.

I have informed Mr. Trickett.—J.N., 25/6/84.

No. 40.

The Minister of Public Instruction to The Postmaster-General.

My Dear Norton, 9 July, 1884.

While the Legislative Council were sitting this evening the electric light in the Assembly was very dull. Immediately the Council adjourned the light in the Assembly brightened up 50 per cent.

I am asked by the members to bring this under notice, and the Speaker recently asked me to see you about it.

May I ask your early attention, as it ought to be seen to at once, before the two Houses continue to sit nightly.

Yours, &c.,
W. J. TRICKETT.

Mr. Cracknell,—Please inquire into this matter.—J.N., 10/7/84.

No. 41.

Minute of the Postmaster-General.

GREAT complaints were made again last night in the Legislative Assembly Chamber as to the lighting of the room, which certainly seems to me to be rather dull. When the lights of the Legislative Council Chamber were turned off the lights of the Assembly at once improved. I shall be glad if Mr. Cracknell will attend there on the first occasion of both Houses meeting simultaneously in order to satisfy himself on this question, and to determine whether anything can be done to remove the cause of complaint. Both Houses rise for tea at 7 o'clock, the Council adjourning for half an hour and the Assembly one hour, and experiments might perhaps be made during the interval. The first day on which both Houses will sit simultaneously will be Wednesday, 16th instant.

J.N., 11/7/84.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs.—S.H.L., 11/7/84. Attended to.—E.C.C., 19/7/84.

No. 42.

The Assistant Manager to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

17 July, 1884.

IN reference to this complaint Mr. Fitzmaurice reports that he took all precautions possible to prevent any fluctuation in the light on the night in question, and so far as he was aware at the time no fluctuation was noticeable. It appears to me that any variation in the Assembly lights when the Council lights are turned out is due to the fact of the engine governor not acting promptly. A certain amount of load being taken off suddenly the speed increases at once, and as a consequence the remaining lights go up. The only effectual remedy is the employment of a more sensitive governor or automatic electrical regulator. To mitigate the evil the following methods may be considered and compared,—

1. To attach a speed indicator to the engine while Fitzmaurice is in the Council Chamber turning out the lights, the engine driver could, by watching the dial and regulating the steam accordingly, maintain the revolutions at the normal rate.
2. To lay another cable so as to give each dynamo its own circuit. In this case, as the Assembly circuit has eighty-one lights, of which seventy-one are in constant use, the dynamo would have too much work to do for a long run, and it would be necessary to permanently turn out ten or eleven lights, this course would hardly be advisable.
3. To disconnect the Council from the Assembly circuit* and run the Council by itself, at the same time connecting the refreshment room with the Assembly. This would allow of the Council lights being toned down with the regulator before final extinction, also it is possible to turn out a great many lights singly and the remainder in small batches.

With ordinary care, by this method, the Assembly lights should not be disturbed. The objection to it is that all the refreshment-room lights would be burning up to full power all the time. I am informed that Mr. Cassidy has some objection to this, however; if not it seems to be the easiest temporary measure and could be done at once.

D. J. M'GAURAN.

NOTE.—At the health Exhibition in London ten Edison L dynamos are being used in parallel circuit, so that there should be no difficulty whatever experienced in running two together at the Parliament Houses.

* This arrangement has been carried out.—E.C.C., 17/7/84. Put away.—E.C.C., 30/7/84.

No. 43.

Mr. H. H. Kingsbury to The Acting Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

16 May, 1885.

I have the honor to solicit your allowing me to draw £500 off the Parliament Houses Electric Lighting work, as I am very pushed for money, and this account has been outstanding for a very long time.

Herewith is annexed a copy of my letter to J. J. Calvert, Esq., 11 January, 1885, which explains the details of this matter.

All the new brackets for the Chamber, ordered by Mr. Speaker, are now ready to put in place, and will be fixed next week. I trust you will kindly consider the question of having more dynamo-power, to meet the increasing number of lamps required throughout the buildings.

I have, &c.,

H. H. KINGSBURY.

No. 44.

Minute by The Acting Superintendent of Telegraphs.

MR. KINGSBURY has carried out this work in a satisfactory manner, and if the President and Speaker see no objection, I think the £500 asked for might be paid, the £219 9s. balance being held to cover anything further that may be necessary.—P.B.W., 5/6/85.

No. 45.

Minute by The President, Legislative Council

THE lighting of the Legislative Council Room, by the electric light has been generally satisfactory, although some additional lamps and a more regular power would improve it.

JOHN HAY.

No. 46.

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No. 46.

Minute by The Speaker, Legislative Assembly.

THE lighting of the Legislative Assembly Chamber by electricity is a great improvement upon the lighting by gas, and the alteration in the mode of distribution of the light, now being made at my suggestion is expected to remove the few existing defects. I see no objections to the proposed payment on account.

E. BARTON.

No. 47.

Minute by The Acting Superintendent of Telegraphs.

WHEN the arrangements are completed by the Colonial Architect, the necessary steps will be taken for completing all the arrangements for lighting the Parliamentary buildings. Voucher herewith for £500 duly certified.

P. B. WALKER.

B.C., 20/6/85.

[Enclosure.]

Claimant—H. H. Kingsbury.

| Date. | | Amount. |
|--------------|---|-----------|
| 1885. | | £ s. d. |
| May 16 | For the undermentioned services— On account of electric installation, Parliament House. Pay from advances account pending vote.—G.R.D., 27/6/85. | 500 0 0 |
| | Total..... | £ 500 0 0 |

H. H. KINGSBURY.

I certify that the amount charged in this voucher as to computations, castings, and rates is correct; that the Service has been faithfully performed, and that the expenditure is duly authorized in terms of the Audit Act.

P. B. WALKER.

Received on the 29th June, 1885, the sum of £500.

H. H. KINGSBURY.

No. 48.

Mr. H. H. Kingsbury to The Acting Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

54, Margaret-street, Sydney, 24 June, 1885.

I have the honor to submit for your inspection the annexed list of electroliers that are considered necessary for the completion of the electric lighting arrangement at the Parliament Houses.

The total cost, including switches, globes, fixing, and other details, amounts to £369 10s.

Additional dynamo-power will be necessary. This could be supplied immediately by an Edison 70-light machine, for £187 10s.

The electroliers would be specially manufactured to suit the various positions they would occupy; the design to be unique, and the finish perfect, similar to the samples you have inspected; in any case their artistic manufacture to be regulated as the President and Speaker might desire.

I have, &c.,

H. H. KINGSBURY.

[Enclosure.]

Council—
2 double brackets
4 pillar lights
President's Apartments—
4 brackets
1 table pillar light
1 double bracket
1 three-light chandelier
Mr. Calvert's room—
1 table pillar light
Assistants' room—
1 pillar light
Ministers' room—
3-light chandelier
Council Board-room—
4 double brackets
1 pillar light
Chairman of Committees—
3-light chandelier

Reading-room—
5 double brackets
3 pillar lights
Reading-rooms—
6-light chandelier
2 pillar lights
Dining-room—
12 double brackets
Dining-room lobby—
6-light chandelier
Dining-room bar—
2 brackets
1 pillar light
Smoking-room—
4 two-light brackets
Staircase—
2 single brackets
Assembly Side, Speaker's room—
4 single brackets
1 pillar light

Ante-room—
2 single brackets
Minister's room, off Assembly—
4-light chandelier
Library—Reading-room—
4 double brackets
2 pillar lights
Library—Main reading-room—
2 three-light chandeliers
2 three-light brackets
2 pillar lights
Electrical—
Switches and safety blocks for each room; sockets, and globes of different forms, as required, to the number of 130.
Running the necessary lines, and properly fixing.

No. 49.

The Acting Superintendent of Telegraphs to The Clerk of the Parliaments.

I FORWARD the estimate for the electric light alterations at the Parliament Houses, and beg to recommend that they be carried out.

If these alterations are required for the opening of the next Session it will be necessary to commence the work without delay, in order that everything may be ready in time.

Urgent.

P. B. WALKER, 25/6/85.

Approved—JOHN HAY; EDMUND BARTON, 25/6/85.

No. 50.

Mr. Metcalfe, Engineer, Electric Lights, to The Acting Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

Sydney, 9 September, 1885.

I beg to call your attention to certain work done by the electric light contractor at Parliament House; I refer to certain of the leads, which are made up of wire that is quite unsafe and liable to fire at any time, so endangering the buildings.

Yours, &c.,

J. METCALFE.

Insufficient insulation.

No. 51.

Minute by The Speaker, Legislative Assembly.

MR. METCALFE does not appear to complain so much of the quality of the wire itself as of the defective quality and application of insulating covering.—E.B.

No. 52.

The Acting Superintendent of Telegraphs to Mr. H. H. Kingsbury.

I SHALL be glad to have an explanation from Mr. Kingsbury in reference to this matter at once.

Urgent.

P.B.W., B.C., 1/10/85.

No. 53.

Mr. J. Metcalfe, Engineer, Electric Lights, to the Acting Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Alterations to electric lighting Parliament Houses.

Sir,

I should not feel justified in certifying to the attached until the following is attended to by Mr. Kingsbury. There is a quantity of cotton covered wire used which is not safe for carrying such high currents, and should be replaced with properly insulated wire. There are also switches required in three rooms as per specification. The following material to return, which has been taken away:—

1 main circuit switch; four 25 lights; four cedar safety plug covers belonging to the dining-room switch board; twelve sockets taken from engine-house; also two temporary brackets fixed upon the main stairs want replacing by something more substantial and in accord with the building.

J. METCALFE.

[Enclosure.]

Contingent expenses—Department of Electric Telegraphs.
Claimant—H. H. Kingsbury.

| Date. | | Amount. |
|--------------------------|--|--------------------|
| 1885. September 20... | For the undermentioned services— Parliament Houses electric lighting. Fixtures &c., as per specification, 24 June, 1885 | £ s. d. 557 0 0 |
| | Total | £ 557 0 0 |

H. H. KINGSBURY.

Contingent expenses—Department of Electric Telegraphs.
Claimant—H. H. Kingsbury.

| Date. | | Amount. |
|-------------------------|--|------------------------------|
| 1885. November 21... | For the supply of the undermentioned articles and services— Parliament Houses electric lighting.—Fixtures as per specification, 24 June, 1885 Extras.—Four brackets complete; four 25-light switches; 150 yards cable; 120 Edison 16-candle power incandescent lamps..... | £ s. d. 557 0 0 65 5 0 |
| | Total | £ 622 5 0 |

H. H. KINGSBURY.

I certify

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I certify that the amount charged in this voucher as to computations, castings, and rates is correct, that the service has been faithfully performed, and that the expenditure is duly authorized in terms of the Audit Act.

P. B. WALKER.
JOHN J. CALVERT.

I hereby authorize the amount of the above certificate in my favour to be paid on my behalf to City Bank.
Received on the 28th day of January, 1886, the sum of £622 5s.

J. MARKS
(For H. H. Kingsbury).

Approved.—D.O.C., 23/1/86.

No. 54.

Mr. H. H. Kingsbury to The Acting Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

54, Margaret-street, Sydney, 2 October, 1885.

I am in receipt of your memo. requesting an explanation of a statement made by your subordinate, informing you that the Parliament Houses are in danger of fire, owing to the careless manner in which the leads supplying the electric current have been run by me.

There are no grounds for such a statement, and I deny its truth. Every branch lead has a separate safety fuse, and the wires are of liberal proportions, being not merely far larger than the dimensions laid down by the Board of Trade under the Electric Lighting Act, but considerably exceeding the sizes considered absolutely safe by the highest electrical authorities. While on this topic I might mention that serious complaints have recently reached me regarding the light in the Council Chamber, which is considered by the Members exceedingly poor compared to what they had become accustomed to previous Sessions.

I have no desire to touch upon points that you might perhaps consider outside my province, but since the reputation of the installation cannot but be of importance to me, I would desire to mention that a great deal of the difficulty would be overcome did your workmen display a little more electrical knowledge. They, however, since having ruined a dynamo from want of the necessary regulation in the generation of its current, thereby permitting its armature wires to become overheated to a state of fusion, now go to the opposite extreme, and fear, apparently, to allow of the machines yielding the sufficient and safe amount of current to produce the required and proper light.

I herewith return the report in question, and note that it is dated Sept. 9th, though only reaching you yesterday, and bearing your endorsement, "urgent" (Oct. 1, 1885). As matter of such importance as the risk to the Parliament Houses of destruction by fire should surely have demanded an earlier explanation and inquiry.

I have, &c.,
H. H. KINGSBURY.

Mr. Metcalfe, for further report.—P.B.W., 2/10/85.

No. 55.

Mr. J. Metcalfe, Engineer, Electric Lights, to The Acting Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

6 October, 1885.

In further reply, I may state that Mr. Kingsbury evades the question I raise of danger by fire altogether; I do not say anything in my report as to the capacity of the leads, although I might do even that, in certain parts of the House; but where I report, and can prove to be highly dangerous, is the use of ordinary cotton-covered wire for leads which was never made or intended for conveying currents of such high tension as those required for this light; in fact, if a short circuit takes place, it will burst into a flame, and if this was to happen between the floor and the ceiling, in which places many of the leads run, you may judge what would be the result.

In reference to the fusing of the armature, I was going to say new machine, but that would be a misnomer, as it was faulty when put down, and to which I called our engineer's attention, after it had run a trial before the House met; but it might have run for some time had he not overloaded it by inserting sixty-eight lights when the specified load by the maker is sixty, and we may be sure they will go to their full extent for safety. Whilst upon this subject I may state that the other three machines are overloaded to the extent of five lamps each, and I should not be surprised at some of them fusing during the long sittings, when they are run ten or twelve hours consecutively.

Since the alterations they have only had one long run, that was on the night of the 1st and morning of the 2nd instant, and when they were stopped the men could not bear their hands upon them for heat. The system has never had a fair trial until now, as previously they have only been running with about two-thirds of their given load.

In respect to the Council light; I can only say the same in regard to it, overloaded by five lamps. The full light can and shall be given, but I will not be answerable for the effect upon the machine.

The fact of the matter is, that the whole of this electric light plant is a mistake, as the machines are now obsolete, and are taking one-third more motive power for a given quantity of lights than the more modern plants, even of the same makers.

J. METCALFE.

No. 56.

Minute by The Acting Superintendent of Telegraphs.

MR. METCALFE had better see about having everything in readiness for a complete trial of the whole affair on Monday night next, when I will be present and see how it works. Mr. Kingsbury may be informed.
P.B.W., B.C., 7/10/85.

No. 57.

No. 57.

Mr. H. H. Kingsbury to The Acting Superintendent of Telegraphs.

TOTAL cost, including switches, globes, fixing, and other details amounts to £369 10s.; additional dynamo power, 70-light machine, £187 10s.; £557 (see voucher of 20 September, 1885).

Refer these papers now to Mr. Metcalfe to say whether this work has been done.—P.B.W., 9/12/85.

No. 58.

Mr. J. Metcalfe, Engineer, Electric Lights, to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

THE following required for extension of electric lighting at Parliament House:—

The shed, extending 43 feet.—1 do. 30-h.p. Robey's semi-portable engine; 1 do. 200-light machine, or 2 do. 60-light machines; 20 feet 3 inch shafting; 1 main driving pulley; 3 machine-driving pulleys; 4 sets of bearings; stone bed for engine; timber bed for machines; 8 revolving ventilators. The whole of the shed to line with $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch lining-boards, and painted.

J. METCALFE.

What will this cost?—E.C.C., 5/1/86. The cost will be about £1,500.—J.M., 8/1/86.

No. 59.

Mr. H. H. Kingsbury to The Clerk of The Parliaments.

Sir,

54, Margaret-street, Sydney, 11 January, 1886.

I have been requested by the Hon. the Speaker to submit to you an explanatory statement of my account for the electric-lighting work at the Parliament Houses.

I undertook to provide one 250-light dynamo-machine, to run the necessary cables and wires to furnish 250 lamps and sockets, and to fix same in position and working order, for the sum of £871 5s.

This low price was arranged with the understanding that the existing gas fixtures were to be employed; but this was not approved of by the Government, and therefore a further expenditure had to be incurred for electroliers.

Not having the 250-light dynamo ready, I supplied 3 of 70-light power, and it is at your option to accept these three in place of the one I undertook to supply, or have the other before you consider my contract complete.

On the 19th November, 1883, I drew £500 on account, and in addition to the remaining £371 5s. there are the following items to add:—

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-----|----|----|
| Remaining from contract | 371 | 5 | 0 |
| 2 25-light electroliers for Assembly | 117 | 19 | 0 |
| 2 12-light electroliers for Council | | | |
| 2 7-light for dining-room | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 3-light for dining-room | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| 1 Speaker's lamp | 33 | 0 | 0 |
| 3 Table lamps | | | |
| 8 Gallery lamps | | | |
| 4 Hansard room | | | |
| 4 Herald room | | | |
| 2 Telegraph room | | | |
| 150 Bell-shaped glasses, 1s. 6d. | 11 | 5 | 0 |
| 125 Opal globes | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| | 584 | 9 | 0 |
| Alteration in Council | 75 | 0 | 0 |
| 200 Lamps, supplied up to July, 1884 (in addition to the 250 in contract) | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| | 719 | 9 | 0 |

There are some fifty more lamps to be fixed, for which electroliers are desired. These I estimated at 30s. per lamp. The alterations in the Assembly, as arranged by the Speaker, should cost 40s. per lamp, exclusive of shades. I am very desirous of completing the work to your entire satisfaction without further delay, and would point out that as Mr. Cracknell leaves for Europe next week it would be an advantage that any question requiring his attention might be settled before his departure.

I have, &c.

H. H. KINGSBURY.

No. 60.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs to The Secretary, General Post Office.

I BEG to request the authority of the Postmaster-General for the purchase of one belt for the electric light engine at Parliament Houses at a cost of £16. The one now in use is almost worn, and it is absolutely necessary that another should be on hand in the event of break down.

E. C. CRACKNELL, 17/5/86.

Submitted.—S.H.L., 18/5/86. Approved.—F.B.S., 18/5/86. The Supt. Telegraphs, B.C., 19/5/86.—S.H.L. Mr. Metcalfe. Urgent.—E.C.C., 21/5/86. Noted.—J.M., 23/5/86.

Main driving belt double 9 inches wide.

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No. 61.

The Acting Clerk, Legislative Assembly, to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

Sydney, 3 June, 1886.

Mr. H. H. Kingsbury having submitted to Mr. Speaker the enclosed account, with a request that he would certify to the work having been carried out in accordance with his instructions, I am directed by Mr. Speaker to request that you will be good enough to instruct an officer of your Department to inspect the work done and check the account to enable Mr. Speaker to either comply with Mr. Kingsbury's request or remit the matter to your Department.

I have, &c.,
F. W. WEBB.

Mr. Metcalfe for report.—E.C.C., 4/6/86.

[Enclosure.]

Claimant—H. H. Kingsbury, Sydney, for the supply of the undermentioned articles and services.

| Date. | | Amount. |
|-------------------|---|------------|
| 1885. | Electric lighting in Legislative Assembly. | £ s. d. |
| 15 September..... | To manufacturing and fixing— | |
| | 93 brackets, at 40s. | 186 0 0 |
| | 93 lamp shades, at 6s. | 27 18 0 |
| | 11 opal reflectors, at 1s. 6d. | 0 16 6 |
| | 25 lamp sockets, at 6s. 6d. | 8 2 6 |
| | 2 extra large side Edison switches, at £4 | 8 0 0 |
| | 2 extra safety blocks and plugs | 1 15 0 |
| | Total | £ 232 12 0 |

No. 62.

Mr. J. Metcalfe to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

This work has been wired up with such wire that is not fit to carry an electric light current; in fact the building is in danger from it firing if anything was to short circuit. Please see former correspondence upon the same defective insulation.

J. METCALFE, 7/6/86.

No. 63.

Extract from *Daily Telegraph* newspaper of 25 June, 1886.

Legislative Assembly—Motion for Adjournment.

Mr. GARRARD said there was one important matter to which he wished to direct the attention of the Postmaster-General. Honorable members who were turning the Chamber into a sleeping-room would not perhaps be so content to stay there continuously for 48 hours, if they were aware how defective was the electric light apparatus in that building. The fact was that the contractor for the electric lighting of the building had been allowed to use very defective material and do very inferior work, and the consequence was that there was great risk of fire. Indeed, there had been two fires there already. With valuable records stored in that venerable building it was only right that it and its contents should be properly protected. This matter should be thoroughly inquired into—the Minister ought to have a searching investigation made into it. He understood that at the present moment an officer of the Government was under suspension who had been called upon to vouch for certain payments in connection with the lighting of that building, and refused to vouch for them because of the inferiority of the material used, and the way in which the work was done. He (Mr. Garrard) was not going to say that that officer was under suspension because of his refusal to vouch for certain payments, but that the sooner the whole matter was inquired into the better. The name of the officer who had been suspended was Metcalfe. Mr. Suttor said this was the first time he had heard of the defective electric wires in the House. Mr. Garrard said that it would be found on inquiry that what he had stated was perfectly correct.

-No. 64.

The Postmaster-General to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

[Urgent.]

I HAVE already spoken to Mr. Cracknell upon this subject. I shall be glad if a report can be furnished to me before the House meets on Tuesday.

F.B.S., 25/6/86.

No. 65.

Minute by The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Electric Lighting of Parliamentary Buildings.

I DIRECTED Messrs. Dalgarno and Hammand, two scientific officers of this Department, to test and report on the electric lighting at the Parliament Buildings, and it will be seen from the reports attached that there is not the slightest cause for uneasiness as regards the chances of fire from the leads, or apparatus in use.

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The conductors, cables, and leads more than comply with the rules laid down in the Board of Trade Regulations, and are perfectly safe and reliable. The lights during last week have been running sometimes as much as fourteen hours out of the twenty-four, without the slightest hitch, and they have now been in use for nearly three years without any serious mishap, which should be quite sufficient to satisfy Hon. Members of the satisfactory nature of the work, and its perfect safety from danger of any kind.

Metcalf was suspended for his refusal to carry out certain instructions given him by the Superintendent of Telegraphs, and not for his refusal to certify vouchers, as stated.

E. C. CRACKNELL.

REPORT upon the electric light installation at the Houses of Parliament, Sydney.
The Superintendent of Telegraphs, Sydney,—

Sir,

We have the honor to report that, in accordance with your directions, we this day completed an examination of the electric light installation at the Houses of Parliament.

We first directed our attention to the manner in which the leads and branches had been laid down, and found that there are three of these running, respectively, to the Council, the dining-room, and the Assembly. We traced all of these leads and branches from the dynamo at the engine-house to their terminations, and found them to be well and carefully laid down, the current and return wires being well separated, the safety plugs at the various junctions in good order, the joints, with one exception, properly covered, and the switches perfect.

Having assured ourselves upon each of these points, we proceeded to test the electrical condition of the wires, and found the resistance (by bridge) of the Council lead, including its sixty-six lamps, to be 5·7 ohms—that of the dining-room with sixty-five lamps 3·5, whilst the resistance of the Assembly lead, with 134 lamps, was shown to be 2·1, and the insulation upon each of the leads practically perfect. These results speak well for the quality of wire employed in this installation and show that all the joints are electrically good.

We found that the greatest current necessary on any of the leads is 19·6 amperes. To carry this current with safety it is laid down on the scale handed to us for our guidance, and framed in compliance with the Board of Trade regulations on this subject, that no smaller diameter than a No. 11 wire, Birmingham wire gauge, should be used. The wire used in this case is No. 10; and as this is larger than No. 11 in the proportion of 134 to 120 of an inch, it may be regarded as fully capable of doing with safety all that is required of it. In view of the results of our examination, and bearing in mind the fact that the installation has worked most satisfactorily for many months, we are of opinion that it has been carried out, both as regards its mechanical and electrical conditions, in such a manner as to secure the greatest possible safety from fire or other serious accident.

JNO. V. DALGARNO.
THOS. HAMMAND.

Chief Telegraph Office, Sydney, 28 June, 1886.

No. 66.

Minute of The Postmaster-General.

THE reports furnished upon this subject I laid upon the table of the House, and moved that they be printed. Mr. Speaker stated that in September last, there was a fire in his room caused by the wires, and Mr. Garrard repeated his statements respecting Metcalfe, to the effect that he had refused to pass work at the Legislative Assembly, on account of its being of very inferior quality. Mr. Garrard stated the insulation of the wires was very defective. I shall be obliged if the Superintendent of Telegraphs will furnish me with an early report upon the abovementioned subject.—F.B.S., 30/6/86.

No. 67.

G. D. Hamilton, Esq., to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

7 September, 1886.

I was asked by Mr. Walker to inspect the electric light at Parliament Houses.

I was first to see if the engine was powerful enough to drive the dynamos. I reported to Mr. Walker that the engine was capable of doing more than half as much again. Secondly, I was to inspect the wiring, and see if the wires were sufficient to conduct the amount of current required for the number of lamps used. I reported that the wires were more than sufficient to conduct the current, in fact, there was half as much again required by the English Board of Trade Regulations. I was also to see to the insulation and safety of the lighting.

I found that all the wires were perfectly insulated, and each lamp protected by a safety fuse.

I also informed Mr. Walker that Metcalfe, the man in charge, could not be an engineer or an electrician, or he would not have made such charges against the electric light installation at Parliament Houses.

I am, &c.,

G. D. HAMILTON.

No. 68.

Mr. H. H. Kingsbury to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

20 October, 1886.

Will you permit my bringing to under your notice the fact that my accounts for the Parliamentary electric lighting work remain still unpaid—£219 9s., an old account, and £232 12s., alterations in Assembly.

These have been outstanding now considerably over a year, and the want of this money occasions me a good deal of inconvenience and loss.

Trusting you may give this matter your early attention.

I have, &c.,

H. H. KINGSBURY.

No. 69.

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No. 69.

Minute of The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

LET me have separate vouchers for these items.

E.C.C., 20/10/86.

Accountant.

No. 70.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs to The Engineer in charge, Electric Lights.

20 October, 1886.

MR. FITZMAURICE to state whether the articles charged in these vouchers have been supplied, and request Mr. Kingsbury to point out what has been ordered by the Honorable the Speaker if necessary.

E.C.C.

No. 71.

The Engineer in charge, Electric Lights, to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

16 November, 1886.

IN *re* vouchers for Parliament House electric light. I have carefully examined the fixtures and items enumerated therein, and can vouch for their correctness.

J.S.F.

No. 72.

The Accountant to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

24 February, 1887.

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|--|--------|---|---|
| MR. KINGSBURY'S contract of 1883, was for | £371 | 5 | 0 |
| Extras and deviations from contract | 348 | 4 | 0 |
| Total | £1,219 | 9 | 0 |
| Amount paid, 19th November, 1883 | £500 | 0 | 0 |
| " 29th June, 1885 | £500 | 0 | 0 |
| | £1,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Balance claimed | £219 | 9 | 0 |

The extras and deviations from contract appear to have been authorized by the President of the Council and the Speaker of the Assembly, but there does not appear to be any authority from the Postmaster-General to charge the excess over contract to the vote for electric lights. There are still funds available on the vote electric lights, 1885.

C.S.G.

No. 73.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs to The Secretary, General Post Office.

28 February, 1887.

As this account should now be paid I have to request authority to charge the amount to the Electric Light Vote for 1885, which has not been written off.

E.C.C.

Submitted.—S.H.L., 5/3/87. Approved.—C.J.R., 8/3/87. Superintendent of Telegraphs.—B.C., S.H.L., 8/3/87. Accountant.—E.C.C., 9/3/87. Noted—C.S.G., 15/3/87.

No. 74.

The Clerk of The Parliaments to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

23 August, 1887.

I am directed by the President and Speaker to invite your attention to the urgent necessity for some better motive-power for supplying electric light to the two Chambers and the Parliamentary premises generally.

The present engine has, I understand, to be kept constantly at full pressure; and to afford the proper supply of light to either Chamber, it is at present found necessary to resort to the expedient of directly extinguishing the lights in the House and offices which may first adjourn.

This at times causes very great inconvenience, and could I conclude, be remedied by the use of another engine and the disconnection of the lights in the Chamber and offices.

I have, &c.,

J. J. CALVERT.

No. 75.

Mr. J. S. Fitzmaurice, Engineer, Electric Lights, to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

25 August, 1887.

IN *re* Mr. Calvert's minute on Parliament House electric lights. When both Houses are sitting the engine is kept at full working pressure, but as soon as the Council adjourns and everyone is finished, there is no necessity of keeping their lights burning, as it means about 9 or 10 h.p. wasted. There is no necessity to put out the lights till everyone is finished; but it has been the custom to insert so much resistance in the shunt of machine, as to be able to turn the Chamber lights out, and allow the

offices

offices to be lighted. The object in doing this, is to save the lamps, fuel, and labour, &c.; of course if this is objected to, the lights could be kept on. There is one thing I would suggest for the better lighting of the Council Chamber, that is to do away with the present unsightly lemonade bottle shaped opal globes, and substitute a light ground glass globe. I may mention that opal glass absorbs from 50 to 60 per cent., heavy ground glass 45 to 60 per cent., light ground glass 30 per cent., and plain glass 10 per cent. of the light, so that to light the Chamber properly, the lamps have to be worked at a higher E. M. F. than is good for them. It is nothing strange to see one or two lamps go out each night. The Chamber requires about 24 more lights to light it properly; they could be placed around the wall, underneath the present ones, or place them in the sunlight; but these could not be worked, as we have not the dynamo-power. It would be much better to have three 150 light dynamos (new type), then we could have all lights (for which fittings are up in the building) burning, and would have a machine to spare in case of accident or for additional lights. At present the machines are working at their fullest capacity, and when the House sits all night, it is necessary to turn off some of the lights that are not urgently required, otherwise the machine gets so warm that it offers a greater resistance to the current, which necessitates driving at a greater speed.

Another suggestion I beg to offer is that a set of 55 accumulators be provided, so that when the House adjourns they could be utilized for lighting the tables, as the clerks very often are obliged to remain for two or three hours after the House has adjourned to finish up the proceedings for the Government Printer, &c., that would do away with the necessity of keeping all the lights burning, and would effect a great saving in the working of the lights. During the recess I have had engine overhauled, increased the size of leads from dynamo to switch-board, and received and arranged switch-board, which will secure better results.

The engine will supply all the lights at present required, but it requires the dynamos I mentioned, as there are about 40 or 50 fittings in the House which cannot be used through insufficient dynamo-power. If it is intended to extend the electric lighting, then it will be necessary to obtain another engine, but at present there is no necessity for it.

J. S. FITZMAURICE.

No. 76.

Minute of The Assistant Superintendent of Telegraphs.

WRITE to Mr. Calvert, and send a copy of Mr. Fitzmaurice's report, in which I concur.—P.B.W., 26/8/87.

No. 77.

The Clerk of The Parliaments to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

9 September, 1887.

I have the honor, by direction of Mr. Speaker, to request that the various suggestions made in Mr. Fitzmaurice's report of the 25th August last, in reference to the electric lighting of the Parliamentary premises, may be at once carried out.

In the Legislative Council Chamber, however, it would be better if the additional lights were placed near the present one's instead of in the sunlight; and some arrangement should be made, either by accumulators or otherwise, by which the lights in the refreshment room and offices may be used after those in the Chamber have been extinguished.

Mr. Speaker also desires me to point out that, although the recommendations of the Engineer in charge apply only to the Council Chamber, some improvement is also very much required in the Assembly, complaints being frequent during last Session as to the insufficiency of lights.

I have, &c.,

JOHN J. CALVERT.

Mr. Fitzmaurice informed.—P.B.W., 9/9/87.

No. 78.

The Postmaster-General to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

I DESIRE to call the special attention of the Superintendent of Telegraphs to the fact that the electric light in the Legislative Assembly Chamber last night was most unsatisfactory, and interrupted the business of the House for the best part of half an hour, as the light was extremely dull, and ultimately went out completely. Let immediate steps be taken to prevent such inconveniences again taking place; and it must be remembered that during the early part of last Session the light in the Chamber was the cause of frequent complaints.

C.J.R., 21/9/87.

Mr. Fitzmaurice for report.—E.C.C., 21/9/87.

No. 79.

Mr. J. S. Fitzmaurice, Engineer, Electric Lights, to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

In *re* Postmaster General's report. The cause of the trouble was through the armature of dynamo on Assembly lead bursting. The bursting was caused by the overheating of the coils, causing the tie bands to burst and allow the coils in armature to short circuit against the pole pieces. The wires are completely twisted and jammed between the pole pieces of dynamo. Previous to the armature going altogether it would make the lights very unsatisfactory, as the defect in dynamo would throw the work on the other dynamo, which in itself is incapable of performing. As the Council was over, Gallic switched their machine on to the Assembly; the engine was stopped to free the belt, that was the cause of the lights going out altogether.

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It is very painful to me to be constantly answering these reports, as it is no fault of the men in charge. If the machines are kept at their proper power there is sure to be a report of not sufficient light, and to give the necessary light is to damage the machines, and hence their follows another report. The lighting will never be satisfactory until we get additional dynamo-power. It would be far more economical to place a few more additional lamps around the Chambers and not to drive them so high, and it is absolutely necessary to have reserve in the dynamo to work with security. As it is we are running all the dynamos beyond their power. It is like extra pressure in a boiler being applied, which tends to strain the stays, rivets, &c., and after a time, the boiler, not being able to stand the pressure, collapses! So it is with the dynamo. The speed which is required to maintain the efficiency of the light is by far too high, viz., 12 to 1,300 per minute, for if a machine or a circuit is switched off by means of safety plugs, switches, &c., the centrifugal force is so great that it cannot be governed quick enough, which is very detrimental to the other dynamos and also the lamps. The new Hopkinson-Edison machines are made to go as low as 400 revolutions per minute, but I think 6 or 700 quite fast enough. I mentioned in my report to Mr. Calvert's letter about three 150 light dynamos, but the list that I have of the Hopkinson-Edison dynamos does not mention that particular size. Three 200 light dynamos would perhaps be better still, as it would give us better scope to fix additional lights with safety, and we would always have a spare machine to fall back on. In conclusion I may state that I have sent an armature belonging to another Edison dynamo, so that the light will be on as usual.

J. S. FITZMAURICE,
21/9/87.

No. 80.

Minute of The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

WHAT did the volt-meter and ammeter record before the accident?—E.C.C., 22/9/87.
117 volts in Assembly.—J.S.F., 22/9/87.

No. 81.

Minute of The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

I WISH to have a report from Gallie as to number of revolutions of engine and dynamos, and why he overran the machines.—E.C.C., 5/10/87.

No. 82.

The Engineer, Parliament House Lights, to The Engineer in charge, Electric Lights.

6 October, 1887.

IN reply to questions, I wish to state that the speed of engine was 90 revolutions per minute, the speed of dynamos 1,300. The reason I ran at such a speed was to give sufficient light, as on the night of trial, September 19th, I started at 31* in engine-room. Both Mr. Speaker and Mr. Walker complained of dullness of light, so I increased it to 33 volts, and was told to keep at that.

If I run the dynamos at their proper speed I receive complaints continually about the light, so I am compelled to increase the speed. In fact, the dynamos are over-weighted with lamps, and it is not safe to keep the machines at such a high rate. There is one of the dynamos now gets very warm, and I am only running at 31 volts; I would not be surprised to see it go at any time. The light will never be satisfactory till we have more dynamo power, as everything now is run at its utmost, and no machinery will stand that long.

I ran the same dynamos at G.P.O. for eighteen months, and gave every satisfaction with the light.

In conclusion, I may state that I always pay the utmost attention to the dynamos, and try to discharge my duties in a thorough workmanlike manner, and it is very hard for me to be blamed when it was through no negligence on my part.

W. W. GALLIE.

No. 83.

The Clerk of The Legislative Assembly to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

Sydney, 23 September, 1887.

I am directed by Mr. Speaker to bring under your notice, that on Tuesday night, during the sitting of the Legislative Assembly, there was a sudden and complete failure of the electric light, which lasted for a considerable time.

It is believed that this occurred in consequence of some breakage brought about by the running of some portion of the machinery at a greater rate or pressure than it was able to bear; and as Mr. Speaker has already pointed out in previous papers that the light cannot be considered at all times sufficient, he trusts that no time will be lost in carrying such improvements as may be suggested by the electricians, in order to provide for the efficient lighting of the Assembly without risk of accident.

I have, &c.,

STEPHEN W. JONES.

No. 84.

* Gallic means 31 on volt-meter, which by 3-7 gives E.M.F. = 114, 7 volts.—J.S.F.

No. 84.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs to The Secretary, General Post Office.

18 October, 1887.

I HAVE carefully considered the question of a more perfect lighting of the Parliamentary buildings, and have to recommend that three Mather and Platt's dynamo machines, capable of running 220 Edison Swan Lamps, each be ordered through the Agent-General, to be purchased from the manufacturers at an estimated price of about £225 each; I further recommend that an engine and boiler be purchased in the Colony by tender for working arc lamps, for the outside lighting of the buildings, at an estimated cost of £275.

The estimated cost for extending the shed in the Domain would be £50.

Leads for arc lamps, brackets, &c., estimated cost £150.

If these recommendations were carried out, the lighting of the buildings both internally and externally would be much more satisfactory. The present machines have been running for four years, and have given very little trouble, but they are now getting out of date, and if increased lighting power is required they must be replaced with more modern apparatus. A few accumulators could be used after the deliberations are over, for the Clerks of the House to complete their business, which would relieve the machinery, and not keep the men longer on duty than is absolutely necessary.

E. C. CRACKNELL.

Submitted.—S.H.L., 19/10/87. Approved.—C.J.R., 31/10/87. Forwarded by special request to Superintendent of Telegraphs.—S.H.L., 2/11/87.

No. 85.

The Assistant Superintendent of Telegraphs to The Secretary, General Post Office.

28 November, 1887.

I FORWARD herewith specification of the dynamo machines required for Parliament Houses, the purchase of which has been authorized by the Postmaster-General, *vide* attached papers.

It will be necessary to forward the usual letter to the Treasury, with specification for the information of the Agent-General, through whom the machines are to be ordered.

When the necessary action has been taken, the papers should be returned to this Department for preparation of notice inviting tenders in the Colony for the supply of the engine and boiler required in connection with the new arrangements for lighting the Parliamentary buildings. In absence of Superintendent.

P. B. WALKER.

[Enclosure.]

SPECIFICATION for the supply of three dynamos for the lighting of the Parliament House.

Class of dynamo.—Dynamo to be three in number, and of the Manchester type; to be wound to give out a current of two hundred and twenty-two (222) amperes, with an electro-motive force of one hundred and ten volts (110), at a speed not exceeding nine hundred and fifty revolutions per minute.

Carrying rails and stretchers.—Each dynamo to be mounted on carrying rails with stretchers attached.

Spare brushes.—Twelve sets of spare brushes to be supplied.

Lubricators.—Sight drop lubricators fitted to each dynamo.

J. S. FITZMAURICE,

Engineer in charge.

Take necessary steps.—S.H.L., 30/11/87. To be charged against vote for Electric Light Contingencies.—P.B.W., 9/12/87.

No. 86.

Minute by The Postmaster General.

As the electric light in the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly has been very satisfactory during the last month or six weeks, I feel less inclined to sanction increased expenditure, and therefore direct that the matter stand over for the present.

C.J.R., 17/12/87.

Superintendent of Telegraphs to see.—B.C., S.H.L., 19/12/87. Read.—E.C.C., 20/12/87.

No. 87.

The Engineer in charge of Electric Lights to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

Sydney, 12 January, 1888.

While you were away from the Colonies there was another Edison armature fused, and it was sent back to H. H. Kingsbury & Co.'s workshop to see if anything could be done with it; but not having the appliances at hand, Mr. Kingsbury sent it to America, where they rewound and put a new commutator on it. This was done without any official authority. We have the field magnets up at the Parliament House, which are utterly useless without the armature.

In the enclosed memo. of Mr. H. H. Kingsbury's, he is willing to supply same for the sum of £40.

I beg to recommend that this sum be paid, as we are badly in want of a spare Edison machine at present.

JAMES S. FITZMAURICE.

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No. 88.

The Engineer in charge of Electric Lights to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

Sydney, 20 January, 1888.

Owing to one of the coils in armature of Post Office dynamos short circuiting, I was forced to borrow the armature from H. H. Kingsbury & Co., pending the Postmaster-General's authority to purchase same. I may mention that the armature was short circuited about six months before Metcalfe left the Department, and was put aside; I repaired it since as far as was practicable without rewinding, and it has worked about nine months very satisfactorily, but I will unwind it and insulate it as soon as possible. Trusting the Postmaster-General will give his authority.

JAMES S. FITZMAURICE.

No. 89.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs to The Postmaster-General.

AN armature belonging to one of the Edison machines having been fused through the wires of same becoming short circuited, it was absolutely necessary to obtain another in its place; and Messrs. Kingsbury & Co. having one in stock, it was borrowed, and the old one sent to America for repairs.

I now beg to request the authority of the Postmaster-General for the purchase of the new armature, at a cost of £40. The price is reasonable, and funds are available for the expenditure.

E. C. CRACKNELL, 11/2/88.

Submitted.—S.H.L., 14/2/88.

No. 90.

Minute of The Postmaster-General.

LET the armature be returned to Kingsbury & Co.

C.J.R., 16/2/88.

No. 91.

The Engineer in charge of Electric Lights to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

Sydney, 7 March, 1888.

If this armature is returned we will be obliged to stop the lights, as we have not another armature to spare, and I beg to draw your attention to the fact that the armature is the one which was fused at Parliament House during your absence from the Colonies, when Mr. Walker was acting Superintendent. It was sent down to Mr. Kingsbury's workshop for repairs, but as they had not the requisite tools, &c., it was sent to America to be rewound. We have another armature which requires rewinding, and have nothing to fall back on if the armature is sent back. We might as well send the field magnets, as they are utterly useless without it.

I trust the Postmaster-General will reconsider this matter, and allow us to retain the armature.

JAMES S. FITZMAURICE.

Further explanation herewith.—E.C.C., 20/3/88. Upon whose authority was the armature borrowed?—C.J.R., 26/3/88.

No. 92.

The Engineer in charge of Electric Lights to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

THE Superintendent of Telegraphs authorized it, as there was no other course open but to stop the light.—
J.S.F., 27/3/88.

No. 93.

Minute of The Postmaster-General.

UNDER the circumstances I approve the purchase of the armature at a cost of £40, as requested by Superintendent of Telegraphs, on 11th February, 1888.

C.J.R., 9/4/88.

No. 94.

The Clerk of the Parliaments to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

Sir,

Sydney, 20 June, 1888.

With reference to former correspondence as to the necessity for increased power in the electric lights at Parliament House, I am directed by the President and Speaker to again point out that at times the light is very unsatisfactory, and to request that steps may be taken to provide the necessary power to render the lighting equal to the demands made upon it.

JOHN J. CALVERT.

No. 95.

No. 95.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs to The Postmaster-General.

As a result of the accident which happened a few days since in connection with the electric lighting of the Parliament Houses, a great deal of inconvenience was felt which might have been avoided if the Department had held in reserve a spare armature to immediately replace that which had been damaged by the over-running of the machines, which is rendered necessary, owing to the absence of the additional plant recommended by me to be purchased some time ago.

As it appears to me within the bounds of possibility, under existing conditions with regard to this installation, that similar accidents may again occur, I beg to recommend for the approval of the Postmaster-General that two spare armatures for the Edison machines be purchased, at a cost of say £50 each, the amount to be charged to the vote for electric lights. E. C. CRACKNELL, 21/6/88.

Submitted.—S.H.L., 22/6/88.

No. 96.

Minute of The Postmaster-General.

Does Superintendent of Telegraphs propose to call for tenders for these armatures?

C.J.R., 23/6/88.

No. 97.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs to The Postmaster-General.

No; they must be ordered from the makers, Messrs. Mather and Platt, Manchester, through the Agent-General. E.C.C., 27/6/88.

Approved.—C.J.R., 2/7/88. Mr. Fitzmaurice for specification.—E.C.C., 3/7/88.

No. 98.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs to The Postmaster-General.

SPECIFICATION for armatures herewith, which should be ordered without delay.

E.C.C., 7/7/88.

Approved.—C.J.R., 12/7/88.

No. 99.

The Engineer, Parliament House, to The Engineer in charge of Electric Lights.

Sir,

I have to report that last night I received instructions from Mr. Speaker to supply more light. I was then registering 32° on volt-meter in engine-room; I increased it to 33°; that gave 30° on Assembly Table. After that I received signals for more light, which I did not give, as I did not consider it was safe for dynamos. In fact, if Council had been sitting I could not have supplied what I did.

If you will kindly instruct me what I am to do I shall feel deeply obliged, as it is very hard for me to be blamed for insufficient light when I am doing all in my power to give every satisfaction.

WILLIAM W. GALLIE, 27/6/88.

No. 100.

The Engineer in charge of Electric Lights to The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

I HAVE told Gallie not to exceed 30° on his volt-meter in engine-shed, for the reason I have mentioned in my reports of September 21st, 1887, and June 7th, 1888, 33° = 122 volts in engine-shed, and 30° = 111 volts in the Chamber,—so you can see they are getting more voltage than is good for the lamps or dynamos.

Kindly explain this to Mr. Speaker, if it is referred to you.

J.S.F., 27/6/88.

No. 101.

Specification for the supply of two spare Edison armatures for the Parliament House electric lights.

THE armatures to be two in number, and wound to carry a safe working current of not less than 55 amperes, at a speed not exceeding 1,200 revolutions per minute.

The spindles of each to be 3 ft. 9 in. in length × 1½ in. in diameter, with a journal at each end 6½ in. long × 1⅝ in. diameter.

A pulley 10 in. in diameter × 6 in. wide to be fitted to each spindle, as shown in sketch.

The armature cores to be laminated.

The armature coils to be connected to a 76 part commutator, and to be securely fastened with straps.

The armature when finished to measure ten and a quarter inches diameter (10¼), and to revolve perfectly true.

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The Secretary, General Post Office, to The Principal Under Secretary.

Sir, General Post Office, Sydney, 14 July, 1888.

It having been brought under notice by the Superintendent of Telegraphs that certain spare apparatus is necessary in order to avert inconvenience in the event of an accident (such as occurred recently) to the electric lighting machinery at the Houses of Parliament, I am directed to inform you that the Postmaster-General has approved of the purchase of two spare Edison armatures, and to enclose herewith a letter authorising the Agent-General in London to purchase the same. Perhaps you will be so good as to move the Colonial Secretary to cause the letter to be forwarded to Sir Saul Samuel in due course.

I have, &c.,

S. H. LAMBTON.

No. 103.

The Postmaster-General to The Agent-General, London.

Sir, General Post Office, Sydney, 14 July, 1888.

I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to order from the makers, Messrs. Mather and Platt, of Manchester, and have forwarded as early as possible, two spare Edison armatures for the Parliament House electric lights, according to the specification herewith furnished by the Telegraph Department. It is estimated that the cost of the armatures will be about £50 each, and the Colonial Treasurer has been requested to place the amount of £100 at your disposal.

I have, &c.,

CHARLES J. ROBERTS,
Postmaster-General.

No. 104.

The Secretary, General Post Office, to The Under Secretary for Finance and Trade.

Sir, General Post Office, Sydney, 14 July, 1888.

It having been brought under notice by the Superintendent of Telegraphs that certain spare apparatus is necessary in order to avert inconvenience in the event of an accident (such as occurred recently) to the electric lighting machinery at the Houses of Parliament, the Colonial Secretary has been requested to instruct the Agent-General to purchase two spare Edison armatures at an estimated cost of £50 each, and I am directed to request that you will be so good as to move the Colonial Treasurer to cause the sum of £100 (to be charged to the vote for "Electric Lights") to be placed to the credit of the Agent-General in London for the purpose, and also inform him when this is done.

I have, &c.,

S. H. LAMBTON.

No. 105.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs to The Postmaster-General.

I SUBMIT herewith a letter from the Clerk of the Parliament having reference to the occasional unsatisfactory character of the light at the Parliament Houses.

With a view to remedy the defects complained of I beg to recommend for the approval of the Postmaster-General that the arrangements suggested in my minute (18/10/87) herewith should now be carried out.

The recess about to take place will afford a favourable opportunity for doing the work.

E. C. CRACKNELL, 20/7/88.

Submitted.—J.D., 23/7/88.

No. 106.

The Superintendent of Telegraphs to The Postmaster-General.

HAVING carefully considered the question of a more perfect system of lighting the Parliamentary buildings, I beg to recommend that three Mather and Platt's dynamo machines, capable of running 220 Edison-Swan lamps each, be ordered through the Agent-General, to be purchased from the manufacturers at an estimated cost of, say, £225 each.

I further recommend that an engine and boiler be purchased in the Colony by tender at an estimated cost of, say, £275, as extra power will be required. In order to provide room for these machines, engine, boiler, &c., it will be necessary to extend the shed in the Domain. I estimate the probable cost of this extension at £50.

Extra leads, brackets, &c., will probably cost £150.

The present machines have been running for four years and have given very little trouble; but they are now becoming somewhat out of date, and if increased lighting power is required they must be replaced by more modern apparatus.

A few accumulators can be used after the deliberations are over for the clerks of the House to complete their business, which would relieve the machinery and prevent the men from being detained on duty longer than absolutely necessary.

E. C. CRACKNELL,
26/7/88.

Submitted.—J.D., 26/7/88.

Approved.—C.J.R., 26/7/88.

No. 107.

Specification.

For the supply of three (3) dynamos for the lighting of Parliament Houses.

Class of dynamo.—Dynamos to be three in number, and of the Manchester type; to be wound to give out a current of two hundred and twenty-two (222) amperes, with an electro-motive force of one hundred and ten (110) volts, at a speed not exceeding nine hundred and fifty (950) revolutions per minute.

Carrying-rails and stretchers.—Each dynamo to be mounted on carrying-rails, with stretchers attached.

Spare brushes.—Twelve (12) sets of spare brushes to be supplied.

Lubricators.—Light-drop lubricators fitted to each dynamo.

No. 108.

Minute of The Superintendent of Telegraphs.

THESE should be ordered through the Agent-General.

E.C.C., 8/9/88.

No. 109.

The Secretary, General Post Office, to The Principal Under Secretary.

Sir,

General Post Office, Sydney, 14 September, 1888.

In June last it was brought under notice by the Clerk of Parliaments, at the instance of the President and Speaker, that the electric light was sometimes very unsatisfactory. The Superintendent of Telegraphs reports that the machines now in use have been running for years, but are now becoming somewhat out of date, and that in order to meet the demands for better lighting more modern apparatus must be supplied. The Postmaster-General has therefore approved of the purchase of three dynamos, together with the necessary appurtenances thereto, and I am directed to enclose herewith a letter authorising the Agent-General in London to purchase the same. Perhaps you will be so good as to move the Colonial Secretary to cause the letter to be forwarded in due course.

I have, &c.,

S. H. LAMBTON.

No. 110.

The Postmaster-General to The Agent-General for New South Wales, London.

Sir,

General Post Office, Sydney, 14 September, 1888.

I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to order from the makers, Messrs. Mather's and Platt, of Manchester, and have forwarded as early as practicable, for use in connection with the Parliament House electric lights, three (3) dynamo machines, capable of running 220 Edison-Swan lamps each, together with the appurtenances mentioned in the attached specification. It is estimated that the cost of these dynamos will be about £225 each, and the Colonial Treasurer has been requested to place the amount of £675 at your disposal.

I have, &c.,

CHARLES J. ROBERTS,

Postmaster-General.

No. 111.

The Secretary, General Post Office, to The Under Secretary for Finance and Trade.

Sir,

General Post Office, Sydney, 14 September, 1888.

In consequence of complaint made respecting the unsatisfactory nature of the electric lights at Parliament House, the Postmaster-General has approved of a recommendation of the Superintendent of Telegraphs that more modern and superior apparatus be obtained, and the Colonial Secretary has been requested to instruct the Agent-General to purchase three (3) of Mather and Platt's dynamo machines, together with the appurtenances thereto, at an estimated cost of £225 each, and I am directed to request that you will be so good as to move the Colonial Treasurer to cause the sum of £675 (to be charged to the vote "for electric lights") to be placed to the credit of the Agent-General in London, for the purpose, and also inform him when this is done.

I have, &c.,

S. H. LAMBTON.

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

(CORRESPONDENCE RESPECTING ADDITIONAL NOMINATIONS TO.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 25 October, 1888.

His Excellency the Governor to The Secretary of State for the Colonies.

[Confidential.]

Government House, Sydney, 25 April, 1888.

My Lord,

I have the honor to forward to your Lordship the enclosed petition, from certain Members of the Legislative Council, with respect to additional nominations to that body, which I have agreed to on the recommendation of the Executive Council.

On 2nd December, 1887, my attention was invited to the then existing state of the Legislative Council with respect to the discharge of its legislative duties.

Within that year three Members had died, nine for various reasons were unable to attend, whilst some were absent from the Colony.

The Executive were of opinion that the Legislative Council should consist of at least half the number of the Members of the Assembly, but as the body was, at that time, three short of the complement, and considering the large number unable to give much attention to the conduct of legislative business, they recommended the appointment of ten or twelve additional Members.

The selection of these new Members was such as to represent all shades of opinion. They were men in the vigour of life, of good education, and good standing.

Under these circumstances—having great confidence in the selecting judgment of Sir Henry Parkes—I accepted the advice tendered to me.

I have the honor to enclose a memorandum from Sir Henry Parkes on the subject of these appointments.

I have, &c.,
CARRINGTON.

[Enclosure.]

The Honorable G. H. Cox and other Members of the Legislative Council to The Secretary of State for the Colonies.

Sir,

Legislative Council, New South Wales, 24 February, 1888.

We, the undersigned Members of the Legislative Council of New South Wales, have the honor to invite your attention to the extraordinary increase which has lately taken place in the numerical strength of the Council, through the appointment, by His Excellency Lord Carrington, of no less than twenty-two Members, on the recommendation of the present Government, within a period of less than ten months.

We trust that, in view of the important bearing which the question of nomination of Members of Council has on the proper working of the Constitution of this Colony, you will permit us to give a short summary of the views of many of your predecessors, and of former Governors of the Colony.

In a despatch, dated 27th August, 1872, addressed by Sir Hercules Robinson, then Governor of the Colony, to the Right Honorable the Earl of Kimberley, then Secretary of State for the Colonies, after stating that it would perhaps be convenient to give a brief narrative of facts in connection with the Constitution of the Upper House, pointed out that the Constitution Act (No. 41, of 1853) prescribed that the minimum number of the Upper House should be twenty-one, that the quorum should be one-third of the whole number, and that the Members first appointed should retain their seats for five years.

That in May, 1856, the first Legislative Council was established under this Act. The number of Members then appointed was thirty-two, but before the close of that year (three changes of Ministry having taken place in the interval) the number had been increased to forty-five.

And that in May, 1861, two days before the Legislative Council expired by effluxion of time, Sir John Young, then Governor, by the advice of his Ministers, and for the purpose of passing a Land Bill, which, it was feared, the Upper House would negative, "swamped" the House by the nomination of twenty-one new Members, who, however, through the action of the then Members of the House, were unable to take their seats.

Sir H. Robinson,
27 August, 1872.

Duke of Newcastle, 4 February, 1861.

Previous to the nomination of the new Legislative Council the Duke of Newcastle, Secretary of State for the Colonies, in a despatch, dated 4th February, thus wrote to Sir John Young:—

"A Government representing, not the entire community, but that political party which is in the ascendant, is in an evidently false position when called upon to reconstruct a branch of the Legislature. If they adopt the task it cannot be expected that they will place their own party in a minority in the Council; but it is equally clear that if they give themselves a majority in that body, it will be liable to be viewed as the mere creature of the party which appointed it, and that their opponents would probably conceive themselves justified on succeeding to office in adjusting the inequality by the creation of fresh Councillors. On every change of Ministry the same argument will be equally good, and the consequence may be that the first act of each Administration may be to swamp the Council, which has been previously swamped by their predecessors. It is possible that some of those who are dissatisfied with the existing Constitution may be desirous of using this opportunity to bring the Legislature into a position of such embarrassment as shall force an alteration of its construction."

Sir J. Young, 21 May, 1861.
Duke of Newcastle, 26 July, 1861.

Sir John Young having written on 21st May, 1861, to the Secretary of State for the Colonies, with reference to his action, His Grace replied on 26th July, 1861:—"I am fully sensible of the very difficult position in which you found yourself when pressed to take such a course under a threat of resignation by Ministers, who, you say, you could not have replaced. I regret, however, that they should have offered you that advice, and that you, even under these circumstances, which you describe, should have accepted it. A measure so violent, and in its nature so unconstitutional, could only be justified by circumstances of the gravest danger and the greatest urgency, which did not, as it appears to me, exist on the present occasion."

Duke of Newcastle, 21st October, 1861.

In a despatch of 21st October, 1861, replying to a letter from Sir John Young covering a communication from Sir William Burton, late President of the Legislative Council, explaining the circumstances which led to his resignation, His Grace wrote:—"You will already have learnt from my despatch of 26th July, I was unable to approve the creation of twenty-one Legislative Councillors. It does not appear to me necessary or desirable to say more than that I see no reason to doubt that the President and Members of the late Legislative Council were actuated by a sense of duty in the proceedings which they adopted during the last session of the Parliament of New South Wales."

Sir John Young, 20th July, 1861.

Sir John Young, in a despatch of 20th July, 1861, to the Secretary of State for the Colonies, informed him of the reconstruction of the Upper House, and stated that an arrangement had been made for the appointment of twenty-seven Councillors, half the number of the Assembly, which at that time consisted of fifty-four Members.

Sir John Young, 16th February, 1865.

Sir John Young having in 1865 declined to accede to the advice of his Ministers to appoint two additional Legislative Councillors (which resulted in the resignation of Mr. W. Forster), on the ground that the Upper House then consisted of thirty-two, of whom nine had been nominated by Mr. (afterwards Sir) James Martin, wrote on 16th February, 1865:—"That the creation of nine new Members in so short a period (2½ years) was a large addition to the Legislative Council, and would have been so considered, even with reference to so large a body as the House of Lords in England. How much greater then in so limited a Chamber as the Legislative Council of this Colony. But was there any imperative reason assigned or existing for the proposed addition or for these appointments? No attempt was made to justify the addition on the ground of public policy or public exigency.

"It was not alleged that the due representation of political parties or of any great interest required it. No special or public reason was adduced in its favour. The construction and actual state of the Council afforded no such reason. By the Constitution Act the number of Councillors is unlimited, subject only to a minimum of twenty-one. But it needs no argument to prove that if every Minister determines to push his advice to the same issue as Mr. Forster the dignity and usefulness of the Council would be destroyed. On Mr. Forster's principle every Ministry in turn might insist on any number of fresh appointments to gratify their friends, or to secure a majority. If the Governor refused they would resign, and he would in the end be left without the means of forming an Administration, while, if he yielded, there would soon be an end of the Upper House, or at least of its independence, or of any effect or utility which it might have as a deliberative body. Theoretically in the written Constitution there must be a limit.

"It seems to me that by the Constitution Act Her Majesty's Government and the people of this Colony are entitled to hold the Governor responsible, in the exercise of the powers conferred on him, for the preservation of the Legislative Council as an efficient branch of the Legislature."

His Excellency then went on to state that after much deliberation and consultation with Mr. Wentworth and other gentlemen of social standing and leading political position, it was the general opinion "that twenty-seven Members might with advantage be considered a convenient usual limit of the Council."

F. Cardwell, 26 May, 1865.

Mr. Cardwell, then Secretary of State for the Colonies, in his reply of 26th May, 1865, stated "the reasons which you give for the refusal appear to me sound and convincing."

Earl of Belmore, 20 September, 1868.

Lord Belmore, Governor (at the instance of Mr. Martin's Ministry, who requested that some appointments should be made to the Legislative Council, owing to the difficulty of forming a quorum), consented to appoint three additional Members, besides filling up two death vacancies; and in a despatch to the Secretary of State for the Colonies, dated 29th September, 1868, wrote:—"As I have not been able to find any instructions on record making it necessary for me to refer to your Grace before taking this step, as it is an understood thing that, as a rule, no nomination to the Legislative Council is to be made *during the session of Parliament*; and, as Parliament is appointed to meet on the 13th proximo, I appointed on the 28th instant, with the advice of the Executive Council, the following gentlemen." (Here follow the names.)

Earl Granville, 13th December, 1868.

Lord Granville, in acknowledging the above despatch, writes on 18th December, 1868:—"Any increase of the number of the Legislative Council is likely to be used as a precedent for further additions, and is therefore to be regretted; but I see no cause for doubting that the reasons for the increase adduced on the present occasion are *bona fide* and sufficient. At the same time I should have been glad to have been assured the addition was not in fact politically material as altering the balance in any important degree in favour of the Ministry by whom it was suggested to you."

Lord Belmore having in 1869 submitted a paper written by Mr. (now Sir) John Robertson deprecating the action of the Governor and assent thereto of the Secretary of State for the Colonies in limiting the number of appointments to the Upper House,—

Lord

Lord Granville, on 2nd October, 1869, in acknowledging the receipt of the same, writes:—"When writing that despatch I was fully aware that the number of the Upper House in New South Wales was unlimited. I am also fully aware that on certain critical occasions it may become not only expedient, but indispensable, to bring the two Houses into harmony by creating or threatening to create a number of Legislative Councillors sufficient for that purpose. But it is not the less clear that the whole value and character of the Upper Chamber will be destroyed if every successive Ministry is at liberty, without any sufficient occasion, to obtain a majority in the Council by the creation of Councillors. To prevent this some constitutional understanding, having in the public eye the form of a valuable though not absolutely inflexible precedent and limiting the circumstances under which such creations can properly take place, is desirable. Such an understanding did in fact exist between Sir John Young and his successive Ministries, and the object of my despatch of the 18th December was to enforce on you the inconvenience of any course which was calculated without necessity to impair the authority of that understanding, and to the expediency of making it clear, in the interest of the Colonial Constitution, that any necessary violation of its letter was not really a violation of its spirit, that is to say, that it was resorted to not to strengthen a party, but in reality for the convenience of legislation."

Earl Granville,
2nd October,
1869.

In a minute by Mr. (now Sir) Henry Parkes, dated 8th August, 1872, after stating that in consequence of a Bill being defeated in the Council after having passed the Assembly by a considerable majority, he had determined to bring in a Bill to alter the Constitution of the Upper Chamber from a nominated to an elected body, he proceeded:—"Your Excellency's advisers could not recognize the wisdom and sound policy of a low maximum, but if any arbitrary rule was to be kept in view they are of opinion that a maximum equal at least to one-half of the Assembly would be safe for the public interest, and more likely to secure a true representation of those elements of political experience, mature judgment, and the distinction and authority arising from public service which ought to prevail in the Legislative Council, and would afford better guarantees against small personal organizations and clique influences."

H. Parkes,
8th August, 1872.

In a despatch of 27th August, 1872, Sir Hercules Robinson thus commented on this paper:—"If Members were selected solely with regard to fitness and their ability and disposition to attend regularly, twenty-seven or thirty would be found amply sufficient to meet all requirements of an Upper House, whilst if their selection be influenced by other considerations, a mere increase in the number will not effect any permanent improvement."

Sir H. Robinson,
27th August,
1872.

Having stated that when the number was confined to thirty the attendance was quite equal to that of the larger number of forty-four Members, and that the leading men of all political parties were agreed the Council was too large and ought to be reduced.

He continued:—"I do not pretend to say that the present number is precisely the best that can be fixed, and I am not aware of any special reason why the limit should be thirty instead of thirty-six. I believe that Mr. Parkes is so impressed with the necessity of exercising great care in making appointments for life in the Upper House that if he had to nominate five or six new Members he would, I feel assured, make selections which would prove an acquisition to the Chamber, but the difficulty I see is that if any addition were now made without special cause it would furnish a second precedent for further additions, which it would then be extremely difficult to resist."

As regards the constitutional objections urged to the recognition of any understanding as to a limit in the ordinary number of the Council, he pointed out that they had been conclusively met by various despatches, and added:—"Mr. Wentworth, in advocating a nominated instead of an elected Upper House, showed the advantage of its expansiveness, and had in view not the constant exercise of an unlimited power of making appointments to meet the ordinary exigencies of party Government, but the power which the nominee system would, as a last resort, place in the hands of the responsible Ministers of the day to bring the two Houses of the Legislature into harmony with each other by the creation of new Members of it, should it ever be found indispensable to the public safety to adopt such an extreme measure after every other means of reconciling conflicting opinions had failed; and Mr. Wentworth, after five years experience of the Council without any recognized limit, concurred in the reconstruction of that body in 1861 in the advisability of fixing an ordinary maximum, which should not be exceeded except under very special and exceptional circumstances."

In his reply of 29th November, 1872, Lord Kimberley wrote:—"The facts detailed in Mr. Parkes' minute show clearly the practical inconvenience, not to use a stronger term, that would result from commencing the practice of making unlimited additions to the Council whenever the exigencies of the moment may lead Ministers to recommend them, and I am glad to be assured of your belief that he is impressed with the necessity of exercising great care in making appointments for life to that House. But even if the number of gentlemen having the requisite qualifications were larger than I understand it to be, and it were possible by the exercise of care to select at the present time a number of persons suitable to be appointed to the Council that could not always be the case. When one Minister has succeeded in procuring the creation of a number of Members sufficient in his opinion either to reduce the political balance which he alleges to be adverse to him in consequence of appointments made on the recommendation of predecessors from whose policy he differs or to enable a measure of present importance to be passed in opposition to the views of the Council, a similar concession could not fairly be refused to his successors, and it is far from being impossible that in a few years the Members of the Legislative Council might thus be extravagantly increased and its quality seriously deteriorated. I shall be glad to learn that your Ministers have thought it better to abstain from inviting you to depart from the understanding which has hitherto prevailed."

Earl Kimberley,
29 November,
1872.

Being fully aware from the perusal of the despatches before referred to, and otherwise of the jealous care with which your predecessors in office have always guarded against any attempts to interfere with the Constitution of the Parliament of this Colony, we consider it our duty to enter our respectful protest against the late action of His Excellency Lord Carrington in making the appointments before mentioned.

The facts of the case are as follows:—

Several vacancies having occurred previously to March, 1887; His Excellency during that month, with the advice of his responsible Ministers, appointed ten new Members to the Upper House, making in all fifty-nine, since which time two deaths having taken place.

The present Session of Parliament commenced on the 20th September, 1887, and during the Session, namely, in January, 1888, twelve more appointments were made, bringing up the number of Members to sixty-nine, a very much larger House than had ever been in existence before.

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As the Legislative Assembly consists of 123 Members, the Legislative Council is now considerably in excess of the one-half of that body.

We also desire to draw your attention to the fact that with the increase in the number of Members of Council the quorum, being fixed by the Constitution at one-third of the entire number, is also proportionately increased, and now amounts to 23, although in the Legislative Assembly, consisting of 123 Members, the quorum is invariably 20.

We respectfully submit that there was no necessity for the last creation of twelve Members, as no exigency had arisen to justify so unprecedented an increase.

The attendance of Members was quite equal to the due performance of public business, in proof of which we may point out that during the present Session, extending over twenty-two weeks, the House had previously to the last appointments been counted out once only, and even then only on an occasion when the conduct of the business of Parliament was not prejudiced through the short consequential delay.

In conclusion we desire most respectfully but emphatically to protest against a proceeding which, being without the justification of either danger or necessity, amounted to a swamping of the House, and as such was both violent, uncalled for, and fraught with grave danger to the Constitution.

We have, &c.,

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| GEO. H. COX, | SAMUEL CHARLES, |
| FRAS. LORD, | JNO. M. CREED, |
| L. FANE DE SALIS, | A. DODDS, |
| JAMES NORTON, | JNO. SMITH |
| WM. HALLIDAY, | (per F. JAGO SMITH), |
| H. C. DANGAR, | J. B. RUNDLE, |
| A. H. JACOB, | HENRY MOORE. |

[Enclosure.]

Cabinet Minute.

THE paper signed by thirteen Members of the Legislative Council, and addressed to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, in reference to the late appointments to the Council, seems to call for some observations from me.

It cannot be contended that these thirteen gentlemen in any sense represent the Legislative Council. Mr. Cox submitted a motion in reference to the appointments, which appear to have awakened in him some feeling of disapproval, and only five of his fellow Members, out of sixty-eight, voted with him in support of it. His real ground of objection is not easily understood. If it be that the appointments were made during a session of Parliament, it may be fairly answered that making the appointments in the face of Parliament is as little open to special criticism as making them behind the back of Parliament during a recess. The personal character and qualifications of the new Members have not been questioned.

The more important question is whether the late appointments were necessary and expedient in the public interest. The principle of nomination is attended by one inconvenience which in the course of time comes inevitably upon the Council. The Members grow old, and therefore incapable of attendance as in former years, and in some cases too infirm to give attendance at all. They do not resign, nor is it desirable that men, who, in their strength of life, have tendered good service should resign in their honored age. Others again absent themselves from the proceedings of the Council on long visits to England, and other parts of the world. I believe there are two Members absent at the present time who have no intention of returning to the Colony.

From these causes it was found last year that the Council was becoming very unequal to the performance of its legislative duties, while large and important measures were about to be sent up from the Assembly for its consideration. It was in view of this condition of the Council that the fresh appointments were advised, and not to serve any party purpose whatever. The gentlemen appointed were selected as representing all shades of political opinion, and several of them belong to parties directly opposed to the present Administration. They are all men of property, of education, and of good standing.

The present Advisers of the Crown cannot admit the dictum expressed in the despatches of the Duke of Newcastle and others, many years ago, as to an advisable maximum for the Legislative Council, and they feel that it is their duty to maintain, with a due regard to the public welfare, all the powers conferred upon them by the Constitution. But, in point of fact, the Legislative Council at this moment is not larger, either in comparison with the population or with the number of the Legislative Assembly, than it was in the time of Governor Sir John Young.

It cannot be doubted by any well-informed person that the new appointments have much strengthened the Council, both in capacity for legislative work and in political character.

For the Cabinet,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney, May 4th, 1888.

HENRY PARKES.

The Secretary of State for the Colonies to His Excellency the Governor.

[Confidential.]

My Lord,

Downing-street, 27 June, 1888.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your confidential despatch of the 25th April, enclosing a petition addressed to me by certain Members of the Legislative Council of New South Wales, who protest against an increase, to which you have recently assented, of the numbers of the Members of that Council.

I agree with former Secretaries of State in deprecating large increases to the Legislative Council at any time, as well as increases for political objects. Having regard, however, to the circumstances stated by Sir Henry Parkes, and to your opinion, that in the present case the appointments are made from men of all shades of opinion, and having in view also the fact that a practical difficulty is caused by the inability of certain Members of the Council to attend and take their share of the work, and that the object of the increase is to remedy this state of things, and secure the more efficient transaction of business, I do not feel called upon to take exception to the advice tendered by your Lordship's government in respect of the appointments in question, or to the discretion which you exercised in accepting that advice.

You will be so good as to inform the Members of Council by whom the petition was signed of the purport of this despatch.

I have, &c.,

KNUTSFORD.

Col. Sec.—C., 15/8/88.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

PROPOSED STANDING ORDERS.

REPORT

FROM THE

STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE

WITH THE

PROPOSED STANDING ORDERS.

ORDERED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY TO BE PRINTED,
6 November, 1888.

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EXTRACTS FROM THE VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

VOTES NO. 2. WEDNESDAY, 24 OCTOBER, 1888.

19. **STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE** (*Sessional Order*):—Sir Henry Parkes moved, pursuant to Notice (*as amended by consent*), That the Standing Orders Committee for the present Session shall consist of Mr. Speaker, Mr. Cameron, Mr. McMillan, Mr. Gould, Mr. Garrett, Mr. J. P. Abbott, Mr. Slattery, Mr. Street, Mr. Want, and the Mover, with leave to sit during any adjournment, and authority and power to send for persons, papers, and records, and to examine witnesses, and to report in any matter or thing referred to or pending before the said Committee, and to confer upon subjects of mutual concernment with any Committee appointed for similar purposes by the Legislative Council.

Debate ensued.

Question put and passed.

VOTES NO. 3. THURSDAY, 25 OCTOBER, 1888.

15. **STANDING ORDERS**:—Mr. J. P. Abbott moved, pursuant to Notice,—
- (1.) That the whole of the Standing Orders of this Honorable House be referred to the Standing Orders Committee for the consideration and revision or amendment of the same.
 - (2.) That the Standing Orders Committee shall make their report to this House at as early a date as possible, either during the present or the next Session of Parliament.
- Question put and passed.
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VOTES NO. 7. TUESDAY, 6 NOVEMBER, 1888.

4. **PROPOSED STANDING ORDERS**:—Mr. J. P. Abbott, on behalf of the Chairman, brought up from the Standing Orders Committee a Report, with the Standing Orders prepared by that Committee, pursuant to the reference of the 25th October last.
- Ordered to be printed.
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 NEW SOUTH WALES.

 STANDING RULES AND ORDERS.

REPORT FROM THE STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,

WITH THE

PROPOSED STANDING ORDERS.

THE STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE, to whom was referred "the whole of the
"Standing Orders of this Honorable House for the consideration and revision
"or amendment of the same" (see Votes and Proceedings, No. 3, Thursday,
25 October, 1888),—have agreed to the following Report:—

Your Committee, in accordance with the above reference, having had under consideration the whole of the Standing Orders, have adopted the Standing Orders prepared by the Committee appointed last Session and reported to your Honorable House on Tuesday, 25 May, 1888, and have now the honor to present to your Honorable House such Standing Rules and Orders as, in their opinion, ought to be adopted for the orderly conduct of the business of your Honorable House.

JAMES HENRY YOUNG,
Chairman.

*Legislative Assembly Chamber,
Sydney, 2nd November, 1888.*

PROPOSED STANDING RULES AND ORDERS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, NEW SOUTH WALES.

REPEAL OF PREVIOUS STANDING RULES AND ORDERS.

1. All previous Standing Rules and Orders are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER I.

GENERAL CONDUCT OF BUSINESS.

2. In all cases not specially provided for hereinafter, or by Sessional or other Orders, resort shall be had to the rules, forms, and usages of the Imperial Parliament, which shall be followed so far as the same can be applied to the proceedings of this House: Provided that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to render applicable any new Standing Order of the Imperial Parliament made since the 1st January, 1880, save so far as the same shall have been or shall be expressly adopted by this House.

General Rule
of Practice.

CHAPTER II.

PROCEEDINGS ON THE OPENING OF A NEW PARLIAMENT.

3. On the first day of the meeting of a new Parliament for the despatch of business, pursuant to the Governor's Proclamation, Members of the Assembly having met at the time and place appointed, the Clerk of the Assembly shall read the Proclamation and announce the receipt of the Writs of Election and the List of Members elected.

Clerk reads
Proclamation,
&c.

4. The House shall await a Message from the Commissioners appointed by the Governor for opening the Parliament.

Message from
the Commis-
sioners.

5. On receiving the message from the Governor's Commissioners for opening the Parliament, the Members of the Assembly will attend at the place named in the Message to hear the Commission read.

House hears
Commission
read.

6. The Assembly having heard the Commission for opening the Parliament read, and being in their own Chamber, a Commissioner or the Commissioners appointed by the Governor for swearing Members shall be announced, and the Commission read by the Clerk.

Members
sworn.

7. Members shall then be sworn or make affirmation as prescribed by law, and shall sign the roll; and the writ of election of each Member, with the return endorsed thereon, shall be produced by the Clerk on the oath or affirmation being administered to such Member.

Writs of elec-
tion produced,
and Members
sworn.

- Before Speaker is elected, Clerk acts as Chairman.
A Member proposed as Speaker.
8. Prior to the election of the Speaker, the Clerk of the Assembly shall act as Chairman of the House, and in any debate prior to the Speaker assuming the Chair, shall decide which Member is entitled to address the House.
9. After the Members present have been sworn, a Member, addressing himself to the Clerk, shall propose some other member, then present, to the House, for their Speaker, and move that "Mr. — do take the Chair of this House as Speaker."
- If unopposed, such Member called to the Chair.
He submits himself to the House.
10. If only one Member be proposed and seconded as Speaker, he shall be called to the Chair of the House without a question being put.
11. Such Member on being called to the Chair, shall stand up in his place, and express his sense of the honor proposed to be conferred upon him, and submit himself to the House.
- Again called and conducted to the Chair.
12. Being again called to the Chair, he shall be conducted from his seat to the Chair by the Members who proposed and seconded him.
- When two or more Members proposed as Speaker.
13. If two or more Members be proposed as Speaker, a motion shall be made and seconded regarding each such Member, "That Mr. — do take the Chair of this House as Speaker"; and each Member so proposed shall address himself to the House.
- Mode of decision between candidates.
14. If more than one Member be proposed as Speaker, the Clerk shall, in the order in which the Members have been proposed, put the question "That Mr. — do take the Chair of this House as Speaker," which shall be resolved in the affirmative or negative.
- The Speaker takes the Chair.
15. Having been conducted to the Chair, the Member so elected, standing on the upper step, shall return his acknowledgments to the House for the honor conferred upon him, and assume the Chair.
- Appointment for presentation of the Speaker to the Governor.
16. A Member having then congratulated the Speaker, a Member of the Government shall inform the House at what hour the Governor will be pleased to receive the House for the purpose of presenting to His Excellency their Speaker, and the House shall then adjourn to that hour, unless the Governor is prepared to receive the House at once.
- The Speaker presents himself to the Governor.
Lays claim to privileges.
17. The Speaker having resumed the Chair at that hour (in the event of the House having adjourned) shall proceed, with any Members then present, to the Government House, for the purpose of presenting himself to the Governor; and at such presentation he shall, in the name and on behalf of the House, lay claim to their undoubted rights and privileges, and pray that the most favourable construction may be put upon all their proceedings; and, on returning, shall pass through the Assembly Chamber, and having resumed the Chair, shall report his presentation to the Governor, as well as the circumstance that he had laid claim, on behalf of the House, to their undoubted rights and privileges.
- Time announced for the Governor addressing the Parliament.
18. A Member of the Government shall then inform the House at what hour the Governor will be pleased to summon the House for the purpose of hearing the reasons of His Excellency's calling the Parliament together; and the House may then adjourn to that hour.
- Introduction of new Members.
19. A Member, returned at other than a general election, shall be introduced to the House by a Member.
- When seated on petition.
20. Members seated on Petition need not be introduced.
- Absence of Speaker.
21. Whenever the House shall be informed by the Clerk of the unavoidable absence of Mr. Speaker, the Chairman of Committees shall perform the duties and exercise the authority of the Speaker in relation to all proceedings of the House as Deputy-Speaker until the next meeting of the House, and so on from day to day, on the like information being given to the House, until the House shall otherwise order. Provided that if the House shall adjourn for more than twenty-four hours, the Deputy-Speaker shall continue to perform the duties and exercise the authority of Speaker for twenty-four hours only after such adjournment.

22. If the Clerk intimate that the Speaker and Chairman of Committees both be absent, the House, if a quorum of Members be present, may at once proceed to elect one of their number to act as Deputy Speaker for that day only, the question being put by the Clerk without debate; and the Member so elected shall be, for the time being, in the same position in every respect as provided for the Chairman of Committees in Rule 21; otherwise the House will stand adjourned to the next sitting day, and such adjournment shall be declared by the Clerk.

Absence of the Speaker and Chairman of Committees.

23. In case of unavoidable absence or illness of the Clerk of the Assembly, the duties imposed upon him shall be performed by the Clerk-Assistant, or, in his absence, by the officer next in seniority.

Unavoidable absence of the Clerk.

24. When a vacancy has occurred in the office of Speaker during a Session, the Clerk of the Assembly shall report the same to the House at its first sitting afterwards, and the House shall forthwith proceed to the election of a new Speaker.

Vacancy in Speakership during Session

25. When a vacancy has occurred in the office of Speaker during recess, except by dissolution of the Parliament, the Clerk of the Assembly shall report the same to the House on its return from hearing the Governor's Speech on opening the next Session, and it shall forthwith proceed to the election of a new Speaker.

Vacancy in Speakership during recess.

26. When a vacancy has occurred in the office of Speaker, during the currency of a Parliament, the new Speaker, on being presented to the Governor, does not lay claim to the privileges of the House.

Privileges not claimed during currency of Parliament.

CHAPTER III.

OPENING OF A SESSION OF PARLIAMENT.

27. On the first day of the meeting of Parliament for the despatch of business, pursuant to the Governor's Proclamation, Members of the Assembly having met at the time and place appointed, the Clerk of the Assembly shall read the Proclamation.

Clerk reads Proclamation.

28. The House shall await a Message from the Governor.

Message from Governor.

29. When the reasons for calling Parliament together are announced by Commissioners appointed by the Governor, the same forms shall be observed by the Assembly as when the Governor opens Parliament in person.

When Parliament opened by Commissioners.

30. On the receipt of the Message to attend the Governor to hear his Speech, the Speaker with the House shall attend at the place appointed by the Governor.

House hears the Governor's speech.

31. The Speaker and the House having heard the Governor's Speech, and being in their own Chamber, the House may then adjourn during pleasure.

House returns to its own Chamber.

32. Before the Governor's Speech is reported to the House by the Speaker, some formal motion shall be made, or formal business transacted.

Some formal business first transacted.

33. The Speaker shall then report that the House had that day attended the Governor, and that His Excellency had been pleased to make a Speech to both Houses of Parliament, of which Speech the Speaker had, for greater accuracy, obtained a copy, which he will then read to the House.

The Speaker reports the Governor's Speech.

34. The Speech having been read, a Select Committee shall be appointed to draw up an Address to be presented to the Governor in reply, and His Excellency's Speech shall be referred to such Committee.

Committee appointed to prepare a reply.

35. The Address being reported by the Committee, may be at once taken into consideration, or be ordered to be printed, and a future day fixed for its consideration; and having been adopted by the House, with or without an amendment, shall be presented to the Governor by the Speaker, accompanied by the Mover and Seconder and such Members of the House as shall think fit to attend, at such time as the Governor shall inform the Speaker it will be His Excellency's pleasure to receive the House.

Address in reply agreed to and presented to the Governor.

36. No business beyond what is of a formal character shall be entered upon before the Address in reply to the Governor's Opening Speech has been adopted.

Only formal business before adoption of Address.

CHAPTER IV.

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SITTING AND ADJOURNMENT OF THE HOUSE.

Meeting of
the House.

37. The Bell shall be rung two minutes prior to Mr. Speaker taking the Chair.

Time of
meeting.

38. The Speaker shall take the Chair at the time appointed for the meeting of the House, and if there be not a Quorum of Members present, shall adjourn the House to the next sitting day, the names of the Members present being entered on the Journals.

House pro-
ceeds to
business on
return from
attending the
Governor.

39. When the attendance of the House has been desired by the Governor, the House, on its return, will proceed with business, although less than a Quorum be present, until notice be taken thereof.

Want of
Quorum.

40. If, at any time after the commencement of the Business of the Day, notice be taken by any Member, or the Chairman of a Committee of the Whole report (whether upon Division or otherwise) that there is not a Quorum of Members present, the Sergeant-at-Arms, by direction of the Speaker, shall ring the Division Bell, and one of the Clerks Assistant at the Table shall simultaneously turn a Minute-glass; and, at the expiration of one minute by the glass, the Speaker shall count the House, and if there be not a Quorum present (exclusive of the Speaker), shall adjourn the House to the next day of meeting: Provided that if, on any Division in the House, it appear by the Lists handed in by the Tellers that there is not a Quorum present, the Speaker shall adjourn the House at once, without the Bell being rung or the Minute-glass turned.

Attention
called to no
Quorum, all
Members to
remain.

41. When the attention of the Speaker, or of the Chairman of Committees, has been called to the fact that there is not a Quorum present, no Member shall leave the Chamber until the House has been counted by the Speaker.

Attention
called when
Quorum
actually pre-
sent.

42. Any Member calling attention to the absence of a Quorum when a Quorum is actually present shall be deemed guilty of disorder.

Names of
Members
present at
count out.

43. Upon every occasion when the House is counted out, the names of Members present shall be taken down by one of the Clerks Assistant, and be entered in the Journals.

House only
adjourns by
its own resolu-
tion, with
exceptions.

44. Except in the cases mentioned in Rules 22, 38, and 40, when the Speaker adjourns the House without putting a Question, the House can only be adjourned by its own resolution.

Motions for
adjournment.

45. No motion for the adjournment of the House shall be entertained until the formal business shall have been disposed of, and then only for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of urgent public importance, the subject of which shall be first stated to the Speaker in writing.

Speaker to
decide if
subject is of
urgent public
importance.

46. When the motion is proposed "That this House do now adjourn," such motion shall be openly proposed without any words from the mover in support, and the Speaker shall thereupon declare whether the matter so stated is one of urgent public importance, and if he decides that the matter so stated is not one of urgent public importance, then the question shall not be proposed, unless the House shall otherwise decide without debate.

Limitation of
time of
speaking.

47. On the question being proposed "That this House do now adjourn," the mover shall not exceed one hour in speaking in support of such motion, and any other Member speaking to such motion, or the mover in reply, shall not exceed twenty minutes, and every Member making or speaking to any such motion shall confine himself to the one subject in respect to which the motion has been made.

No second
motion on
same day.

48. No second motion for the adjournment of the House shall be made on the same day, except by the consent of the House obtained by question from the Chair, without debate.

Motion for
adjournment
to terminate
sitting.

49. Nothing contained in Rules 45, 46, 47, and 48 shall apply to the usual motion of adjournment by a member of the Government to terminate the sitting of the House.

CHAPTER V.

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RECORDS OF THE HOUSE.

50. Every Vote and Proceeding of the House shall be recorded by the Clerk of the Assembly, and the Votes and Proceedings of the House shall, being first perused by the Speaker, be printed by the Government Printer; and the Votes and Proceedings, so printed from day to day, signed by the Speaker and countersigned by the Clerk, shall be the Journals of the House.

Votes and Proceedings

51. The custody of the Journals, Records, and all documents whatsoever laid before the House, shall be in the Clerk, who shall neither take, nor permit to be taken, any such Journals, Records, or Documents, from the Chamber or Offices, without the express leave or order of the Speaker.

Custody of Records.

CHAPTER VI.

ATTENDANCE AND PLACES OF MEMBERS.

52. A Record of the Members of the House shall be kept by the Clerk, in which shall be entered the name of each Member, the date of his election, the date of his taking his seat, and, on his ceasing to be a Member, the date and the cause thereof.

Record of Members.

53. Every Member is bound to attend the service of the House, unless leave of absence be given to him by the House.

Members to attend the service of the House.

54. Leave of absence, not exceeding the remainder of the then Session, may be given by the House to any Member, for any sufficient cause, to be stated to the House.

Leave of absence may be given.

55. Notice shall be given of a motion for giving leave of absence to any Member, stating the cause and period of absence.

Notice of Motion for leave of absence.

56. A Member shall be excused from service in the House, or on any Committee, so long as he has leave of absence.

Leave of absence, excuses from service.

57. Any Member, having leave of absence, shall forfeit the same by attending the service of the House, before the expiration of such leave.

Leave of absence forfeited.

58. No Order for a Call of the House shall be made for any day earlier than fourteen days from the day on which such order shall have been made.

Call of the House not earlier than fourteen days.

59. A notice of the order for a Call of the House, signed by the Clerk, shall be forwarded by post to each Member of the Assembly.

Notice of Call forwarded by post.

60. For the purpose of enabling this notice to be given, every Member shall, at the commencement of each session, or as soon as he shall have taken his seat, enter his name and address in a book to be kept by the Clerk of the House.

Members to give their addresses.

61. The order for Calling over the House on a future day shall be set down as the first Order of the Day for the day so appointed.

Call of the House an Order of the Day.

62. When the Order of the Day for Calling over the House is read, unless the same be postponed or discharged, the names of the Members shall be called over by the Clerk alphabetically.

Order of calling the names.

63. The names of all Members, who do not answer when called, shall be taken down by the Clerk, and subsequently called over a second time; when those who answer, or afterwards attend in their places on the same day, are ordinarily excused.

Members not present, but subsequently attending.

64. Members not attending in their places on the same day may be ordered to attend on a future day, when, unless they attend, or a reasonable excuse be offered for their absence, they will be dealt with for their default as the House may think fit.

Members may attend on a future day.

65. The front bench on the right hand of the Chair shall be reserved for Members holding office under the Crown.

Ministerial-Bench.

Member to be uncovered when not seated.

66. Every Member shall be uncovered when he enters or leaves the House, or moves to any other part of the House during the debate; and shall make obeisance to the Chair on entering or leaving the Chamber.

Not to pass between Chair and Table.

67. No Member shall pass between the Chair and the Table.

Not to obstruct passages.

68. Every Member of the House, when he comes into the House, shall take a seat, and shall not stand in any of the passages or gangways.

CHAPTER VII.

STRANGERS.

Admission of.

69. The Speaker only shall have the privilege of admitting Strangers to the space at the back of the Speaker's Chair, or to the Lower Gallery; but every Member shall have the privilege of admitting, by orders, not transferable, two Strangers to the Upper Gallery.

Notice taken of presence of.

70. When the Speaker or the Chairman of Committees, as the case may be, has been notified by a Member that strangers are present, and five other Members rise in their places in token of their support to the objection, the Speaker or Chairman of Committees shall, and he may at any time, order the strangers to withdraw.

Not admitted into body of House.

71. No Member shall presume to bring any Stranger into any part of the Chamber appropriated to the Members of the House, while the House or a Committee of the whole House is sitting.

Or to Secret Committee.

72. No Stranger shall be admitted at any time to a Secret Committee.

CHAPTER VIII.

ROUTINE OF BUSINESS.

Routine of business.

73. The House shall proceed each day with its ordinary business, in the following routine:—1. Questions on notice. 2. Questions without notice, and giving Notices of Motions and Questions. 3. Presentation of Petitions. 4. Formal Business (including the placing of business). 5. Motions and Orders of the Day, or *vice versa*, as set down on the Notice Paper.

Presentation of Papers.

74. Messages between the Legislative Council and Assembly, Papers, and Returns may be presented at any time when other business is not before the House.

CHAPTER IX.

PETITIONS.

Form.

75. Every Petition must be in writing, and no printed or lithographed Petition shall be received.

Prayer.

76. Every Petition must contain the prayer of Petitioners at the end thereof.

To be in English.

77. Every Petition must be written in the English language, and must be free from interlineations or crasures.

To be signed on same sheet.

78. Every Petition shall be signed by at least one person on the skin or sheet on which the Petition is inscribed.

Authenticity of signatures.

79. Every Petition must be signed by the Parties whose names are appended thereto, with their names or marks written or made by themselves, and by no one else, except in cases of incapacity from sickness.

Signatures not to be transferred.

80. Every signature shall be written upon the sheets bearing, or attached to the Petition itself, and not pasted upon or otherwise transferred thereto.

To be received only as from the persons signing. Petitions from Corporations.

81. All Petitions shall be received only as the Petitions of the parties signing the same.

No documents to be attached.

82. Petitions of Corporations aggregate must be made under their common seal.

Exception.

83. No letters, affidavits, or other documents shall be attached to any Petition, except it be a Petition for a Private Bill, when the *Gazettes*, and newspapers containing the necessary advertisements, may be attached, with a copy of the Bill.

84. No reference shall be made in a Petition to any debate in Parliament. No reference to debates.
85. Every Petition shall be respectful, decorous, and temperate in its language. Petitions must be respectful.
86. Petitions can only be presented to the House by a Member. Must be presented by a Member.
87. A Member cannot present a Petition from himself. Petitions from Members.
88. Every Member presenting a Petition to the House shall affix his name at the beginning thereof. Members to affix their names.
89. It shall be incumbent on every Member presenting a Petition to acquaint himself with the contents thereof, and to ascertain that it does not contain language disrespectful to any branch of the Legislature. To peruse Petitions they present.
90. Every Member presenting a Petition shall take care that the same is in conformity with the rules and orders of the House. To take care rules of the House are observed.
91. No Petition shall, either directly or indirectly, pray for a grant of public money. Not to pray for money.
92. Every Member presenting a Petition, not being a Petition for a Private Bill, or relating to a Private Bill before the House, shall confine himself to a statement of the parties from whom it comes—of the number of signatures attached to it—of the material allegations contained in it—and to the reading of the prayer thereof; and the only Question which shall be entertained by the House, on the presentation of any Petition, shall be, "That the Petition be received," which question shall be decided without amendment or debate. Mode of presenting.
93. The Clerk shall cause to be printed, as a matter of course, all Petitions received by this House (excepting Petitions for the introduction of Private Bills), unless it be otherwise ordered by the House: Provided that when several Petitions are presented substantially to the same effect, he shall cause to be printed only the one first presented, to which he shall append a statement of the number of other Petitions, the general designation of the party or parties to each, and the number of signatures attached. Printing of.

CHAPTER X.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS.

94. Every Member on giving Notice of a Motion shall read it aloud, and deliver at the table a copy of such notice, fairly written, signed by himself and showing the day proposed for bringing on such Motion. Notice of Motion given in writing.
95. A Member, on being duly requested, may give notice for any other Member not then present, by putting the name of such Member on the Notice of Motion, in addition to his own. Notice given for an absent Member.
96. A Member desiring to change the day for bringing on a Motion, may give notice of such Motion for any day subsequent to that first named, but not earlier, subject to the same rules as other Notices of Motion. Postponement of Motion.
97. No Notice of Motion shall be received except at the time prescribed by Rule 73. Time for receiving Notices.
98. If any Notice contains unbecoming expressions, the Speaker may order that it shall not be printed, or it may be expunged from the Notice Paper, by order of the House. Unbecoming Notices expunged.
99. A Member may not give two Notices of Motion consecutively, unless no other Member has any notice to give. Giving more than one Notice.
100. Any Notice of Motion for a special adjournment or which relates to the Privileges or Business of the House shall take precedence of all other Notices of Motions or Orders of the Day. Notices taking precedence.

CHAPTER XI.

QUESTIONS SEEKING INFORMATION FROM THE GOVERNMENT.

101. Questions may be put to Ministers of the Crown relating to public affairs; and to other Members, relating to any Bill, Motion, or other public matter connected with the business of the House, in which such Members may be concerned. Questions respecting public business.

Such Questions not to involve argument.
No debate allowed.

102. In putting any such Question, no argument or opinion shall be offered, nor any facts stated, except so far as may be necessary to explain such Question.

103. In answering any such Question, a Member shall not debate the matter to which the same refers.

Questions without notice.

104. When Questions are put without notice, neither the Question nor reply shall be recorded in the Journals.

Time for giving notices.

105. Notices of Questions shall not be openly read, but shall be handed to one of the Clerks at the Table only at the time prescribed by Rule 73.

CHAPTER XII.

PUBLIC MONEY.

Motions involving expenditure of public money, &c.

106. This House will not proceed on a question involving the expenditure of public money or any charge upon the Public Revenue or upon the people, except in a Committee of the Whole on a day fixed by motion at a previous sitting; no debate being allowed on such motion.

Grant of money or release of debt owing to the Crown.

107. That this House will not proceed upon any Petition, Motion, or Bill, for granting any money, or for releasing or compounding any sum of money owing to the Crown, but in a Committee of the Whole House.

CHAPTER XIII.

RULES OF DEBATE.

Members to address the Speaker standing and uncovered.

108. Every Member desiring to speak shall rise in his place uncovered, and address himself to the Speaker, and may, if he thinks fit, advance thence to the table for the purpose of continuing his address.

Indulgence to Members unable to stand.

109. By the special indulgence of the House, a Member unable conveniently to stand, by reason of sickness or infirmity, will be permitted to speak sitting and uncovered.

The Speaker calls upon Members to speak.

110. When two or more Members rise together to speak, the Speaker shall call upon the Member who, in his opinion, first rose in his place.

Personal explanation.

111. By the indulgence of the House, a Member may explain matters of a personal nature although there be no question before the House; but such matters may not be debated.

Member not to speak twice.

112. No Member may speak twice to a Question before the House, except in explanation or reply, or in Committee of the whole House.

Except to explain his words.

113. A Member who has spoken to a Question may again be heard, to explain himself in regard to some material part of his speech, but shall not introduce any new matter, or interrupt any Member in possession of the chair.

Or to reply in certain cases.

114. A reply shall only be allowed to a Member who has made a substantive Motion to the House, or moved the second or third reading of a Bill.

Reply at close of adjourned debate on a Motion.

115. A reply will also be allowed to the Mover of a substantive Motion, although the debate thereon, by being adjourned, becomes an Order of the Day.

The Speaker to prevent a Member speaking twice. Exceptions.

116. The Speaker shall, without waiting for the interposition of the House, call to order any Member, other than those provided for in the four last preceding rules, proceeding to speak a second time on the same Question: Provided that it shall be competent to a Member, when he seconds a Motion or Amendment before the House, without speaking to it, to address the House on the subject of such Motion or Amendment at any subsequent period of the debate.

Motion that a Member be heard.

117. A motion may be made that any Member who has risen "Be now heard," or "Do now speak," and must be decided without debate.

Debates of same session not to be alluded to.

118. No Member shall allude to any debate of the same Session, upon a Question or Bill not being then under discussion, except by the indulgence of the House for personal explanations.

Reports of speeches of same Session not to be read.

119. No Member shall read the report of any speech made in Parliament during the same Session.

120. No Member shall read extracts from newspapers or other documents referring to debates in the House during the same Session. Extracts referring to debates not to be read.
121. No Member shall reflect upon any vote of the House, except for the purpose of moving that such vote be rescinded. Reflections upon votes of the House.
122. No Member shall allude to any debate in the other House of Parliament, or to any measure impending therein. Allusion to debate in the other House.
123. No Member shall use Her Majesty's or the Governor's name irreverently in debate. Irreverent use of the Queen's name.
124. No Member shall use offensive words against either House of Parliament, or against any Statute, unless for the purpose of moving for its repeal. Offensive words against either House.
125. No Member shall refer to any other Member by name, except for the purpose of distinguishing him from other Members returned for the same Electoral District. No Member to be referred to by name.
126. No Member shall use offensive or unbecoming words in reference to any Member of either House of Parliament. Offensive words against a Member.
127. No Member shall digress from the subject matter of any Question under discussion; and all imputations of improper motives, and all personal reflections on Members, shall be deemed disorderly. Personal reflections on Members.
128. Any Member may request that the Question or matter in discussion be stated for his information at any time during the debate, but not so as to interrupt a Member speaking. Question may be requested to be stated.
129. Whenever the Speaker rises during a debate, any Member then speaking or offering to speak shall sit down, and the House shall be silent, so that the Speaker may be heard without interruption. When the Speaker rises.
130. When the Speaker is putting a Question, no Member shall walk out of or across the Chamber; nor, when a Member is speaking, shall any Member hold discourse to interrupt him. Or puts the Question: Interruptions.
131. No Member shall interrupt another Member whilst speaking, unless (1) to request that his words be taken down; (2) to call attention to a point of Order; or (3) to call attention to the want of a Quorum. Interruption not allowed. Exceptions.
132. The Speaker or the Chairman of Committees may call the attention of the House or the Committee to continued irrelevance or tedious repetition on the part of a Member, and may direct such Member to discontinue his speech: Provided that the Member so directed shall have the right to require the Speaker or Chairman to put the Question that he be further heard, and such Question shall be put without debate. Speaker or Chairman may call attention to irrelevancy and order discontinuance of speech.
133. Any Member may rise to speak upon a matter of Privilege suddenly arising, or "to Order," subject to rule 134. Speaking "To Order" or Privilege.
134. All matters of Privilege and questions of Order at any time arising shall, until decided, suspend the consideration and decision of every other Question. Precedence to Question of Order or Privilege.
135. Upon a Question of Order being raised, the Member called to Order shall resume his seat, and after the Question of Order has been stated to the Speaker by the Member rising to Order, the Speaker may give his opinion thereon, or he may first hear further argument thereon, at his discretion. Proceedings on Question of Order.
136. If any objection is taken to a ruling or decision of the Speaker, notice may be given on either of the next three sitting days of a Motion expressing such objection or disagreement, and such Motion shall have precedence of all other business on the day for which it is set down. Objection to Speaker's ruling.
137. If any objection is taken to a ruling or decision of the Chairman of Committees, such objection must be taken at once; and having been stated in writing, and if the Committee so decide, the Chairman shall leave the Chair, and the matter be laid before the Speaker; and having been disposed of, the Speaker shall leave the Chair without question put, and the proceedings in Committee shall be resumed where they were interrupted. Objection to ruling of Chairman of Committees.

Words taken down in the House.

138. When any Member objects to words used in debate, and desires them to be taken down, the Speaker may direct them to be taken down by the Clerk accordingly.

Words taken down in Committee.

139. In a Committee of the whole House, the Chairman shall direct words objected to to be taken down, if so ordered by the Committee without debate, in order that the same may be reported to the House.

Words to be objected to when used.

140. Every such objection must be taken at the time when such words are used, and not after any other Member has spoken.

Member not explaining or retracting.

141. Any Member having used objectionable words, and not explaining or retracting the same, or offering apologies for the use thereof to the satisfaction of the House, shall be named by the Speaker as guilty of a wilful and vexatious breach of the Standing Orders, and any Member called to Order shall sit down, unless permitted to explain.

House will not permit quarrels.

142. The House will interfere to prevent the prosecution of any quarrel between Members, arising out of debates or proceedings of the House, or any Committee thereof.

No noise or interruption allowed in debate.

143. No Member shall converse aloud or make any noise or disturbance whilst any Member is debating, or whilst any Bill, Order, or other matter is being read or opened; and in case of such noise or disturbance being persisted in after the Speaker has called to Order, the Speaker shall name the Member as guilty of a wilful and vexatious breach of the Standing Orders.

Member named to withdraw after explanation.

144. When, in consequence of disorderly conduct, the Speaker shall call upon any Member by name, such Member shall withdraw as soon as he has been heard in explanation; and after such Member's withdrawal the House shall at once take the case into consideration.

When charge made against a Member.

145. In the case of a charge against a Member, for any breach of the Orders of the House, or for any matter that has arisen in debate, the charge shall be stated, and the Question moved, before the Member accused shall withdraw; he shall then be allowed the opportunity of explaining to the House the motives of his conduct in the matter alleged against him; and, after having so done, he shall withdraw, when the House shall at once take the case into consideration.

Rules of debate in Committee.

146. The rules for maintaining order in debate shall be observed in every Committee of the whole House.

Order to be maintained by the Speaker and Chairman of Committees

147. Order shall be maintained in the House by the Speaker, and in a Committee of the whole House by the Chairman of Committees; but disorder in a Committee can only be censured by the House on receiving a report.

Adjournment of debate.

148. A debate may be adjourned on motion, duly seconded, either to a later hour of the same day, or to any other day.

Member moving adjournment entitled to pre-audience.

149. The Member upon whose Motion any debate shall be adjourned by the House shall, if he rises in his place, be entitled to pre-audience on the resumption of the debate.

Mover of adjournment held to have spoken to question.

150. In the event of a Motion for the adjournment of the debate upon any Question being negatived, the Member moving the motion for such adjournment may not address the House at any time during such debate.

Debate on Motion interrupted by count out.

151. If a debate on any Motion, moved and seconded, be interrupted by the House being counted out, such debate may be resumed at the point where it was so interrupted, on Motion with notice, but without debate.

Debate interrupted by count out.

152. If a debate on any Motion or Order of the Day be interrupted by the House being counted out, such Motion or Order may be restored to the paper for a future day, on Motion with notice, but without debate; and then such debate shall be resumed at the point where it was so interrupted.

Debate in Committee similarly interrupted.

153. If the debate on any Question in a Committee of the whole House be similarly interrupted, the House may order, on Motion with notice, but without debate, the resumption of such Committee on a future day, and the debate on such Question shall then be resumed at the point where it was so interrupted.

154. A Motion "That the Question be now put," moved by a Minister, shall be immediately put from the Chair without debate: Provided, that no such Motion can be made so as to interrupt a Member while speaking. Motion "That Question be now put."

155. If the Motion "That the Question be now put" be carried, the House shall vote on the Question before it without further debate or amendment, except that the mover may speak in reply for not longer than twenty minutes; but if the Motion "That the Question be now put" be lost, the discussion on the original Question shall be resumed where it was interrupted; nor shall a new Motion "That the Question be now put" on the same subject be entertained until an hour after the preceding Motion shall have been negatived. If carried, Question put. If lost, debate resumed.

156. No Member may speak to any Question after the same has been put by the Speaker and the voices have been given in the affirmative and negative thereon. No Member to speak after Question put.

157. A Member speaking to a point of Order, when the House is in Division, must remain seated. Speaking to Order during Division.

158. If any difficulty arise on any point of Order during a Division, the Speaker shall decide it; subject, however, after the division, to the ulterior decision of the House. Decision on point of Order during Division.

CHAPTER XIV.

QUESTIONS FROM THE CHAIR.

159. When a Motion has been made and seconded, a Question thereupon shall be proposed to the House by the Speaker. Question proposed by the Speaker.

160. When a Motion consists of more than one resolution, such resolutions shall be put *seriatim* if any Member so require. Resolutions to be put *seriatim*.

161. A Question may be superseded by the Previous Question. Questions superseded.

162. The Previous Question shall be put in the form "That that Question be now put" and if it be resolved in the affirmative, the original Question shall be put forthwith, without amendment or debate, but if it be resolved in the negative, the House shall proceed to the next business on the Notice Paper. Form of previous Question.

163. The Previous Question cannot be moved in Committee. Cannot be moved in Committee.

164. Whenever the Previous Question shall be moved upon any Question consisting of a series of resolutions which have been brought under discussion or debate as one motion, with the understanding that the question be put on such resolutions *seriatim*, the decision of the Previous Question, before putting the Question on the first of such resolutions, shall be taken and held to be conclusive, whether in the affirmative or negative, as regards the whole of such resolutions. Previous Question with regard to series of resolutions.

165. The House may, by motion, without debate, order a complicated Question to be divided. Division of complicated Question.

166. So soon as the debate upon a Question shall be concluded, the Speaker shall put the Question to the House; and if the same should not be heard, shall again state it to the House. Question put.

167. A question being put shall be resolved in the affirmative or negative, by the majority of voices, "Aye" or "No." Question determined by the voices.

168. The Speaker shall state whether, in his opinion, the "Ayes" or the "Noes" "have it"; and unless his opinion be acquiesced in, the Question shall be decided by a Division of the House. Or by a division of the House.

169. No Question shall be proposed which is the same in substance as any Question which, during the same Session, has been resolved in the affirmative or negative. The same Question not to be again proposed.

170. A resolution, or other vote of the House, may be read and rescinded; but no resolution or other vote may be rescinded during the same Session, except after seven days notice. Resolution or vote rescinded.

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AMENDMENTS.

Different forms of Amendments.

171. A Question having been proposed may be amended by leaving out certain words; by leaving out certain words in order to insert or add other words; or by inserting or adding words.

Amendments to be in writing.

172. An Amendment to any Motion before the House must, if required by the Chair, be in writing.

Amendments must be seconded.

173. An Amendment proposed but not seconded shall not be entertained by the House, nor entered in the Votes.

Amendment to leave out words.

174. When the proposed Amendment is to leave out certain words, the Speaker shall put a Question, "That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question."

Amendment to leave out words, and insert or add others.

175. When the proposed Amendment is to leave out certain words in order to insert or add other words, the Speaker shall put a Question "That the words proposed to be left out stand part of the Question," which, if resolved in the affirmative, shall dispose of the Amendment; but, if in the negative, another Question shall be put, "That the words proposed to be inserted" [or "added"] "be so inserted or added."

Amendment to insert or add words.

176. When the proposed Amendment is to insert or add certain words, the Speaker shall put a Question "That the words proposed to be inserted" [or "added"] "be so inserted or added."

When later part of a Question amended.

177. No Amendment shall be proposed in any part of a Question after a later part has been amended, or has been proposed to be amended, unless the proposed Amendment has been, by leave of the House, withdrawn.

No Amendment to words already agreed to.

178. No Amendment shall be proposed to be made to any words which the House has resolved shall stand part of the Question, except it be the addition of other words thereto.

Proposed Amendment withdrawn.

179. A proposed Amendment may be, by leave of the House, withdrawn.

Amendments to proposed Amendments.

180. Amendments may be proposed to a proposed Amendment as if such proposed Amendment were an original Question.

Question as amended put.

181. When Amendments have been made, the main Question, as amended, shall be put.

When Amendments proposed, but not made.

182. When Amendments have been proposed, but not made, the Question shall be put as originally proposed.

CHAPTER XVI.

DIVISIONS.

When no Division.

183. A Division cannot be called for, unless voices have been given both for the Ayes and Noes.

Member calling for Division.

184. A member calling for a Division shall not leave the House, and shall vote with those who, in the opinion of the Speaker, were in the minority.

No Member to vote if personally interested.

185. No Member shall be entitled to vote in any Division upon a Question in which he has a direct pecuniary interest, and the vote of any Member so interested shall be disallowed.

No member to vote unless present when the Question put with doors locked.

186. No Member shall be entitled to vote in any Division, unless he be present in the House when the Question was put with the doors locked, and the vote of any Member not so present shall be disallowed.

Strangers withdraw.

187. Previously to any Division, Strangers shall, if ordered, withdraw from the body of the House.

Division Bell rung, glass turned, and doors locked.

188. So soon as a Division shall have been demanded, the Division Bell shall be rung, and one of the Clerk's assistant shall simultaneously turn a Minute glass, and the doors shall be locked immediately after the lapse of one minute, as indicated by such Minute glass, and then no Member shall enter or leave the House until after the Division.

189. When the doors have been locked, the Speaker shall put the question to the House, and the Members present shall take their seats, the "Ayes" to the right, and the "Noes" to the left of the Chair respectively, and the Speaker shall appoint Tellers—two of each Party; and shall declare which has the majority, from lists of the Members voting on each side to be handed to him by the Tellers; and, in the event of the Tellers not agreeing, the Speaker shall appoint other Tellers, and so from time to time until the Tellers shall have agreed. Question put and division taken. Tellers.
190. Every Member present in the House when the Question is then put, will be required to remain and vote. Members present must vote.
191. In case there should be only one Member on a side on a Division, the Speaker, without completing the Division, shall forthwith declare the resolution arrived at. If only one Member.
192. Members having taken seats, as far as possible, every Member shall then be counted, and his name taken down by the Tellers on either side, who shall sign the list, and present the same to the Speaker, who will declare the result to the House. Members counted, and names taken down.
193. An entry of the lists of Divisions in the House shall be made by the Clerk in the Votes and Proceedings. Division lists recorded.
194. In case of confusion or error concerning the numbers reported, unless the same can be otherwise corrected, the House shall proceed to another Division. In case of error, House again divides.
195. If the numbers have been inaccurately reported to the House, the House, on being afterwards informed thereof, shall order the Votes and Proceedings to be corrected. Mistakes corrected in Journal.
196. In case of an equality of votes, the Speaker shall give a Casting Vote and any reasons stated by him may be entered in the Votes and Proceedings. When votes are equal, Speaker gives Casting Vote.
197. The rule as to voting, and demanding and taking Divisions, shall be the same in Committee as in the House itself. Divisions in Committee.

CHAPTER XVII.

MOTIONS.

198. No Member shall make any Motion, initiating a subject for discussion, but in pursuance of Notice openly given at a previous sitting of the House, and duly entered on the Notice Paper; but it shall always be in order on the presentation of any document, except a Petition, for the Member presenting it to move, without previous notice, that it be printed, and that a day be appointed for its consideration. It shall also be in order at any time to move, without previous Notice, that any resolution of the House be communicated by message to the Legislative Council. No Motion to be made without previous Notice. Exceptions.
199. Motions shall have precedence each day, unless by a special order of the House, according to the order in which the Notices for the same were openly given or postponed. Position of Motions on Notice Paper.
200. Unless otherwise provided by Sessional Order, Notices of Motions shall take precedence of Orders of the Day, and must be moved, withdrawn, or postponed in the order in which they appear on the Notice Paper or lapse. Precedence of Motions.
201. If, at the adjournment of the House, any Motions on the Notice Paper have not been called on, such Motions shall be set down on the Notice Paper for the next sitting day, at the end of the business already fixed for that day. Remnants.
202. A motion, directly concerning the Privileges or Business of the House, or for a special adjournment, shall take precedence of other Motions, as well as Orders of the Day. Precedence to Question of Privilege
203. Precedence will be given by courtesy to a Motion for a Vote of Thanks of the House. Precedence to Vote of Thanks.
204. A Motion not seconded may not be further debated, and no entry thereof shall be made in the Votes and Proceedings. Motion not seconded.

- Restriction on withdrawal of Motions. 205. After a Motion has been proposed by the Speaker, it shall be deemed to be in possession of the House, and cannot be withdrawn except by unanimous consent.
- Motions withdrawn again brought on. 206. A motion which has been, by leave of the House, withdrawn, may be made again during the same Session.

CHAPTER XVIII.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

- Order of the Day defined. 207. An Order of the Day is a Bill or other matter which the House has ordered to be taken into consideration on a particular day.
- Orders of the Day to be read. 208. At the time fixed for the commencement of public business, on days on which Orders have precedence of Motions, and after the Motions have been disposed of or adjourned on all other days, the Speaker shall direct the Clerk at the table to read the Orders of the Day, without any question being put.
- Disposal of Orders of the Day. 209. The Orders of the Day shall be dealt with in the order in which they stand upon the Paper.
- Dropped Orders of the Day. 210. If, at the adjournment of the House, any Orders of the Day on the Notice Paper have not been called on, such Orders of the Day shall be treated as dropped Orders which shall be set down on the Notice Paper for the next sitting day, at the end of the Orders of the Day already fixed for that day.
- An Order discharged. 211. An Order of the Day may be read and discharged on motion without debate.
- Precedence of Government business. 212. On days fixed for the consideration of Government business, matters relating thereto shall take precedence of all other business on the Notice Paper, except Questions, subject to Rule 100 and the right is reserved to the Ministers of placing their business in the order in which they wish it to be taken.

CHAPTER XIX.

ACCOUNTS AND PAPERS.

- Accounts, &c., ordered. 213. Accounts and Papers may be ordered to be laid before the House, and the Clerk shall communicate to the Chief Secretary all orders for Papers made by the House; and such Papers shall be laid on the table by any Member of the House, being also a Member of the Government.
- Addresses for Papers. 214. The production of Accounts or Papers concerning the Royal Prerogative, or of Despatches or other Correspondence addressed to or emanating from His Excellency the Governor, or having reference to the Administration of Justice, shall be asked for only by Address to the Governor.
- Presented by command. 215. Other papers may be presented pursuant to Statute, or by command of His Excellency the Governor.
- Papers presented are public. 216. All Papers and Documents laid upon the table of the House shall be considered public, and may be printed on Motion without debate.
- Distribution of Papers. 217. The Clerk shall distribute to each Member of the Legislative Assembly a copy of each paper printed by Order of this House, and shall transmit to the Clerk of the Legislative Council a sufficient number of copies of all such Papers for distribution to the Members of the Legislative Council.

CHAPTER XX.

ADDRESSES TO THE GOVERNOR.

- Addresses to Her Majesty sent to the Governor by the Speaker. 218. Addresses to Her Majesty shall be presented to the Governor by the Speaker, who shall request His Excellency to cause the same to be forwarded for presentation.
- Addresses to the Governor presented by the Speaker. 219. Addresses to the Governor shall be presented by the Speaker, unless the House orders otherwise.

220. When an Address is ordered to be presented by the whole House, the Speaker; with the House, shall proceed to Government House, and, being admitted to the Governor's presence, the Speaker shall read the Address to the Governor, the Members who moved and seconded such Address being on his left hand. When presented by the whole House..

221. The Governor's answer to any address presented by the whole House shall be reported by the Speaker. Governor's reply to an Address from the whole House.

CHAPTER XXI.

JOINT ADDRESSES TO THE GOVERNOR.

222. Joint Addresses to the Governor, originating in this House, which shall not be ordered to be presented by both Houses, shall be borne by some Member of this House, to be named by the Speaker, who shall also report to this House the answer, if any be given. Presentation of.

CHAPTER XXII.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

223. Whenever the House shall be informed that there is a Message from the Governor, the business under discussion shall forthwith be suspended, and the bearer of the Message, if a Member, shall deliver it to the Speaker, and, if not a Member, shall be admitted and conducted to the Speaker, to whom he shall deliver it, and then withdraw. Mode of reception of.

224. The Speaker shall immediately read the Message to the Assembly; Members being uncovered. How dealt with.

225. The Message may, if necessary, be at once taken into consideration, or ordered, without debate, to be printed, and a future day fixed for taking the same into consideration. Consideration of.

226. So soon as the Message has been read by the Speaker, the bearer of the Message, not being a Member, shall withdraw. Withdrawal of bearer.

CHAPTER XXIII.

COMMUNICATIONS WITH THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

227. The modes of communication with the Legislative Council shall be— Mode of communication with Council.

- (1.) By Message.
- (2.) By Conference.
- (3.) By Joint Committees of the Legislative Council and Assembly.
- (4.) By Select Committees communicating with each other.

228. Every Message from the House of Assembly to the Legislative Council shall be in writing, signed by the Speaker, and may be delivered by one of the Clerks at the Table. Messages to be signed by Speaker.

By Message.

229. A Message to the Legislative Council shall be sent by two or more Members of this House, to be named by the Speaker, ordinarily from among those Members who have taken the most prominent interest in the Bill or subject to be communicated, or by one of the Clerks at the Table. Messages to Council.

230. This House will receive a Message from the Legislative Council by two or more of its Members, or by one of its Clerks at the Table. Messages from Council.

231. Every Message shall be entered upon the Journals, with the answer thereto, if any be given. Messages to be in writing.

232. It shall be in order at any time to move, without previous notice, that any Message be sent to the Legislative Council. Notice of Message not required.

By

By Conference.

Relative number of Members.

233. The Members appointed by this House to represent it as Managers at Conferences with the Legislative Council shall in number never be fewer than five at an ordinary Conference, and ten at a free Conference.

Statement of object.

234. Every demand for a Conference with the Legislative Council shall be by Message and accompanied by a statement of the general objects of the Conference demanded; and no such demand shall be made in reference to any subject matter at that time in possession of the Legislative Council.

Number of Managers to be stated in Message.

235. In every Message communicating to the Legislative Council a demand for a Conference, this House will state the number of Members it will appoint as its Managers at such Conference.

Motion for Conference to name Managers.

236. Every Motion for requesting a Conference shall contain the names of the Members proposed by the Mover to be the Managers for the House of Assembly.

Managers may be appointed by ballot.

237. If, upon such Motion, any one Member shall so require, the Managers for the House of Assembly shall be selected by ballot in the same manner as the Members of a Select Committee.

House agreeing to Conference to appoint meeting.

238. In respect of any Conference requested by the Legislative Council, the time and place for holding the same shall be appointed by the House of Assembly; and when the House of Assembly requests a Conference, they will agree to its being held at such time and place as shall be appointed by the Legislative Council, and such agreement shall be communicated by Message.

Assembly to receive Managers of Council.

239. At all Conferences requested by the Legislative Council, the Managers for the House of Assembly shall assemble at the time and place appointed, and receive the Managers of the Legislative Council.

During Conference business suspended.

240. During any Conference the business of the House of Assembly shall be suspended.

Communications at Ordinary Conferences.

241. At all Ordinary Conferences, the matter to be communicated by the Managers for the House of Assembly shall be in writing; and the Managers for the House of Assembly shall not receive any communication from the Managers for the Legislative Council unless the same be in writing.

Proceedings at Ordinary Conference.

242. At all Ordinary Conferences, the duty of the Managers for the House of Assembly shall be confined to the reading of the reasons or resolutions to be communicated by them, and delivering the same to the Managers for the Legislative Council, or to the hearing read by, and receiving from, the Managers for the Legislative Council, the reasons or resolutions communicated by the latter.

Conduct of Free Conference.

243. If a Motion for a Free Conference be agreed to, the Managers for the House of Assembly shall be at liberty to confer freely by word of mouth with the Managers for the Legislative Council.

Proceedings to be reported.

244. In all cases of Conference, the Managers for the House of Assembly shall, when the Conference has terminated, report their proceedings to the House of Assembly forthwith.

By Joint Committees.

Number of Members to serve.

245. Every proposal to the Legislative Council for the appointment of a Joint Committee shall be by Message, and this House shall state the number of Members it will appoint to serve on such Committee.

Time and place of meeting.

246. Whenever the Legislative Council shall agree to a proposal from this House for the appointment of a Joint Committee, the first meeting of such Committee shall be held at such time and place as shall be named by the Legislative Council; and in every Message agreeing to a proposal by the Legislative Council for the appointment of a Joint Committee, this House will name the time and place for the first meeting of such Committee.

247. The presence of at least three of the Members appointed by this House to serve on a Joint Committee shall be necessary at every meeting of such Committee for the despatch of Business. Quorum

248. The proceedings of every Joint Committee shall be reported to this House by the Members it shall have appointed to serve on such Committee. Report of proceedings.

By Select Committees communicating with each other.

249. No Select Committee of the House of Assembly shall confer with a Select Committee of the Legislative Council, without an order of the House of Assembly made on motion. Select Committee only to confer by order of House of Assembly.

250. Every Select Committee of the House of Assembly directed to confer with any Select Committee of the Legislative Council, may confer freely by word of mouth, unless the House of Assembly shall otherwise order. Select Committees communicate by word of mouth.

251. The proceedings of every Conference between a Select Committee of the House of Assembly and a Select Committee of the Legislative Council, shall be reported in writing to the House of Assembly by its own Committee. Select Committees of House of Assembly to report proceeding at a Conference.

CHAPTER XXIV.

PUBLIC BILLS.

252. On every order for the reading of a Bill the title only shall be read. Title only read.

Initiation.

253. Every Public Bill (unless transmitted by the Governor by Message, or sent from Legislative Council) shall be initiated either by a Motion for leave to bring in the Bill, specifying its intended title, or by a Motion for a Committee of the Whole to consider the expediency of bringing in the Bill. How initiated

254. Every Bill for the paving, lighting, draining, cleansing, or otherwise improving any City, Town, or District, or for supplying the same with water, promoted by the Municipal or District Authorities of such City, Town, or District, shall be deemed and taken to be a Public Bill. Certain Bills deemed public.

255. No Bill relating to trade, or the alteration of the laws concerning trade, shall be brought into the House until the proposition shall have been first passed in a Committee of the whole House, and agreed to by the House. Bills affecting trade.

256. The House will not proceed upon any Bill for granting any money, or for releasing or compounding any sum of money owing to the Crown, until the proposition shall have been first considered in a Committee of the whole House and agreed to by the House. Grant, release or composition of money.

257. The Member having leave to bring in a Bill, shall prepare a draft of such Bill, and shall present a fair copy thereof to the House at an early day. Fair copy to be presented.

258. No clause shall be inserted in any such draft foreign to the title of the Bill, and if any such clause be afterwards introduced, the title shall be altered accordingly. Clauses to come within the title.

259. Every Bill not prepared pursuant to the Order of leave, or according to the Rules and Orders of the House, shall be ordered to be withdrawn. If irregular, to be withdrawn.

260. A Bill shall be presented by or on behalf of the Member having leave to bring it in unless received by message. To be presented by Member.

First Reading.

261. When any Bill shall be presented by a Member, in pursuance of leave granted, or shall be brought from the Governor or Legislative Council, the Question, "That this Bill be now read a first time," shall be immediately put and decided without amendment or debate. First reading without debate.

Day fixed
for second
reading.

262. After the first reading, a Question shall be put, without notice, "That the Bill be printed, and the second reading stand an Order of Day for [a future day,]" on which Question the merits of the Bill shall not be debated.

Second Reading.

Question for
second read-
ing.

263. On the Order of the Day being read for the second reading of a Bill, a Motion may be made, "That this Bill be now read a second time" or the Order postponed.

Amendments
to such
Question.

264. Amendments may be moved to such Question, by leaving out "now" and adding "this day three months," "six months," or any other time, or the Question may be negatived, or the Previous Question moved.

Amendments
to be relevant.

265. No other Amendment may be moved to such Question, unless the same be strictly relevant to the Bill.

Committal and Consideration in Committee.

Committal.

266. After the second reading, unless it be moved "That this Bill be referred to a Select Committee," the Speaker shall put the Question, "That I do now leave the Chair, and the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill in detail," which Question shall admit of no debate or amendment.

Bill
committed.

267. When a Bill has been referred to a Select Committee and reported on after the second reading, notice may be given for the committal of the Bill; and when it is moved, the Speaker shall put the Question, without debate, "That I do now leave the Chair, and the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill in detail."

Committee of
whole House
on the Bill.
Speaker leaves
Chair for
further con-
sideration
without
question.

268. When the House has decided to resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole on a Bill, the Speaker shall leave the Chair, and when the Committee has reported progress and ordered the further consideration of the Bill in Committee for a future day, the Speaker shall leave the Chair upon the Order of the Day for such further consideration being read, without question or debate.

Instructions,
when moved.

269. An Instruction may be moved to the Committee on the Bill, but not by way of Amendment.

Preamble
postponed.
Clauses read
and put.

270. The Chairman shall put a Question, "That the preamble be postponed," which being agreed to, without debate, each clause shall be read separately, beginning with the first enacting clause; and the Question shall be proposed by the Chairman, "That the clause as read stand part of the Bill."

In what
manner.

271. In reading the clauses of a Bill it shall be sufficient to read the numbers and marginal notes only.

Amendments
to clauses, &c.

272. Any Amendment may be made to a clause, provided the same be relevant to the subject matter of the Bill, or pursuant to any instruction, and be otherwise in conformity with the Rules and Orders of the House; but if any Amendment shall not be within the title of the Bill, the Committee shall extend the title accordingly, and report the same specially to the House.

All Amend-
ments to be in
Committee.

273. No clause, schedule, or amendment in substance shall be offered to be added to, or made, in any Bill in possession of the House, except in Committee of the whole House.

Clauses put as
amended.

274. If a clause is amended, a further Question shall be proposed, "That the clause as amended stand part of the Bill."

Clauses
cannot be
taken twice in
one day.

275. A clause that has been passed, with or without amendment, cannot, except by recommittal, be again considered and amended; but whenever it is moved that the report be adopted, the reconsideration of any clause in Committee may be moved as an amendment.

276. Any clause may be postponed, unless the same has already been considered and amended. Clauses postponed.

277. In going through a Bill, no Questions shall be put for the filling up of words already printed in italics, and commonly called "blanks," unless exception be taken thereto, and if no alterations have been made in the words as printed in italics, the Bill is to be reported without amendment, unless other amendments have been made therein. Proceedings on blanks.

278. In going through a Bill, the clauses, and schedules if any, shall be taken in the order in which they stand, and be passed or postponed; and when the Bill has thus been gone through once, any postponed clauses and Schedules shall be similarly taken into consideration and disposed of; and, in reconsidering the Bill, the same order shall be observed, further amendments being moved, according to the order in which the clauses and Schedules to be amended are placed. Order in which clauses shall be taken.

279. Amendments merely of a verbal or formal nature may be made, on Motion, in any part of the Bill, at any time during its progress through the House, or in Committee of the whole House. Verbal or formal Amendments.

280. The precise duration of every Temporary Bill shall be expressed in a distinct clause at the end of the Bill. Temporary laws.

281. After every clause and schedule has been agreed to, and any new-clauses added which are within the title of the Bill, or pursuant to any instructions, the Preamble shall be considered, and, if necessary, amended, and a Question put "That the Preamble as read or as amended be the Preamble of the Bill." Preamble agreed to.

282. After the Preamble has been agreed to, if any amendment shall have been made in the Bill, not coming within the original title, such title shall be amended, and a Question put "That the Title as amended be the Title of the Bill," and the amendment thereof shall be specially reported to the House. Title agreed to.

283. No notice may be taken of any proceedings of a Committee of the whole House, or a Select Committee on a Bill, until such proceedings have been reported. Proceedings in Committee not to be noticed till reported.

First Report to Adoption of Final Report.

284. When the Bill shall have been thus considered or amended, clause by clause, the Question shall be put, "That the Chairman do now leave the Chair and report the Bill with, or without, amendment to the House;" and the Chairman shall report the Bill accordingly to the House. Bill ordered to be reported. Bill reported.

285. At the close of the proceedings of a Committee of the whole House on a Bill, the Chairman shall report the Bill forthwith to the House, and when amendments shall have been made thereto, the report shall be received without debate, and a future day appointed for moving its adoption. Reported with amendment.

286. When a Bill is reported, with Amendment, the Adoption of the Report may be immediately moved, unless at least five Members shall rise in their places and object. Adoption of Report.

287. When a Bill is reported without Amendment, the adoption of the report may be immediately moved. Reported without amendment.

288. No Motion for referring the Bill to a Select Committee shall be considered after the Chairman of the Committee of the whole House shall have reported the Bill. Restriction on reference to a Select Committee.

289. On the Motion for the adoption of the report, the Bill may be recommended for the reconsideration of the Bill as a whole, or of any specified clauses, schedules, or other portions thereof, or for the insertion of new clauses or schedules. Recommittal on motion for adoption of report.

Third

Third Reading and Passing.

- Day fixed for third reading. 290. When the report is adopted, a future day shall be fixed, without notice or debate, for the third reading.
- Question for third reading. 291. On the Order of the Day being read for the third reading of a Bill, a Motion shall be moved and Question proposed "That this Bill be now read a third time."
- Recommittal on motion for third reading. 292. On the motion for the third reading being made, the Bill may be recommitted; and in the event of the Bill being amended on such recommittal, a subsequent day shall be appointed for the third reading.
- Amendments to such Question. 293. Amendments may be moved to such Question by leaving out "now," and adding "this day three months," "six months," or any other time, or the Question may be negatived, or the Previous Question moved.
- Bill passed. 294. After the third reading, a Question shall be put, without debate, "That this Bill do now pass, and that the title be——."
- Certificate of Chairman of Committees. 295. Before this question shall be put, the Chairman of Committees shall certify in writing that the fair print is in accordance with the Bill as agreed to in Committee and reported; and the Speaker shall announce that the Chairman has so certified.
- Certificate of Bill having passed. 296. When a Bill originated in this House shall have been passed, the Clerk shall certify, at the top of the first page, "That this Public [or Private] Bill originated in the House of Assembly, and, having this day passed, is now ready for presentation to the Legislative Council for its concurrence."
- Clerical errors. 297. Clerical, typographical, and other obvious errors may be corrected in any part of the Bill by the Chairman of Committees, before it is sent to the Legislative Council for its concurrence.

Transmission to Council.

- Bill sent to Legislative Council. 298. After a passed Bill shall have been certified by the Clerk, it shall be sent with a message, signed by the Speaker, desiring the concurrence of the Legislative Council.

Council's Amendments on Bills originated in the Assembly.

- Amendments by Legislative Council. 299. When a Bill shall be returned from the Legislative Council with amendments, the Message with such amendments shall be ordered to be printed, and a day fixed for taking the same into consideration, no notice being required and no debate allowed.
- Nature of certain Amendments. 300. With respect to any Bill brought to the House from the Legislative Council, or returned by the Legislative Council to the House, with Amendments, whereby any pecuniary penalty, forfeiture, or fee shall be authorized, imposed, appropriated, regulated, varied, or extinguished, the House will not insist on its privileges in the following cases:—
- I. When the object of such pecuniary penalty or forfeiture is to secure the execution of the Act, or the punishment or prevention of offences.
 - II. Where such fees are imposed in respect of benefit taken, or service rendered under the Act, and in order to the execution of the Act, and are not made payable into the Treasury, or in aid of the Public Revenue, and do not form the ground of public accounting by the parties receiving the same, either in respect of deficit or surplus.
 - III. When such Bill shall be a Private Bill for a local or personal Act.
- How disposed of. 301. Amendments made by the Legislative Council shall be agreed to either with or without Amendments; or disagreed to; or the consideration thereof postponed; or the Bill ordered to be laid aside.
- Must be considered in Committee. 302. The consideration of all Amendments made by the Legislative Council in Bills which shall have first passed the Assembly, shall, subject to the provisions of Rule 279, be in a Committee of the whole House.

303. When Amendments made by the Legislative Council, in Bills which shall have first passed the Assembly, shall have been agreed to by the Assembly, without Amendment, a Message shall be sent informing the Council thereof; and if they shall have been agreed to with Amendment, a Message shall be sent with a Schedule of such further Amendment, desiring the concurrence of the Council therein; and if they shall have been disagreed to, a Message giving reasons for such disagreement may be sent to the Council, or the Bill may be laid aside.

Further proceeding after consideration of Amendments.

304. In any case, when any of the Amendments made by the Council are disagreed to, the Message intimating such disagreement shall also contain written reasons for the Assembly not agreeing to the Amendments proposed by the Legislative Council; and such reasons shall be drawn up by the Member in charge of the Bill.

When Amendments disagreed to, reasons to accompany message.

305. When any Amendment shall have been made by the Assembly on the Council's Amendments, a schedule of such further Amendments shall be prepared, containing reference to each Amendment of the Council which has been amended by the Assembly, and describing the further Amendment proposed: and this Schedule shall be written or printed on paper, certified by the Clerk of the Assembly, and shall accompany the Message intimating such amendments and desiring the concurrence of the Legislative Council.

Schedule of Amendments on Council's Amendments.

306. If the Legislative Council shall disagree to any of the Assembly's Amendments on the Council's original Amendment, and shall insist on its original Amendments, stating the reasons for so doing, or shall agree to the Assembly's Amendments thereon, with further Amendments, the Message shall be ordered to be printed, and a day fixed for taking the same into consideration, which shall be in a Committee of the whole Assembly; and the Bill shall then be finally passed, or laid aside, unless the Assembly determines to request a Conference.

When Council disagrees to Amendments on its Amendments.

307. If the Council's Amendments shall be agreed to, or a Conference is desired or when the Bill is finally passed by the Assembly a Message shall be sent informing the Council thereof.

When Assembly finally agrees to Council's Amendments.

Interruption and Renewal of Proceedings on Bills.

308. Within ten clear sitting days after the commencement of any Session, Bills which originated in this House during the preceding Session of the same Parliament and with respect to which proceedings have been interrupted in either House by the close of the Session, may be revived upon motion, and if so revived, the Bill, with such alterations as may have been made in the Assembly during the previous Session, shall forthwith, upon motion without notice or debate, be passed through the several stages in this House through which it shall have passed in the preceding Session and shall be proceeded with in all its subsequent stages, if any, in the usual manner. Provided that it shall not be necessary to consider in Committee of the Whole such portions of a Bill so revived as shall have been already considered in a Committee of the Whole during the previous Session.

Revival of Bills interrupted in a previous Session.

Bills Received First Time from the Council.

309. Public Bills coming to the Assembly the first time from the Legislative Council shall be proceeded with in all respects as similar Bills presented in the Assembly.

Bills coming the first time from the Council.

310. When any such Bill shall have been passed by the Assembly, it shall be returned to the Council by Message, with the Clerk's certificate on the Bill "That the Assembly has this day agreed to this Bill with [or without] Amendment"; and if the Bill be amended the message requesting the concurrence of the Council shall be accompanied by a Schedule indicating the Amendments.

Certificate, when returned to the Council.

311. If the Council shall disagree to any of the Amendments made by the Assembly or propose further Amendments thereon, the Message, together with written reasons for disagreeing to any such Amendments proposed by the Assembly, or showing the Amendments proposed upon the Assembly's Amendments, shall be ordered to be printed, and a day fixed for taking the same into consideration in a Committee of the whole Assembly.

When Council returns the Bill with Amendments on Assembly's Amendments.

How such Amendments are disposed of.

312. The Amendments made by the Council shall be then either agreed to with or without further Amendments, or disagreed to, and the original Amendments made by the Assembly insisted on.

Further proceedings after they are considered.

313. If the Amendments made by the Council on the Assembly's Amendments are agreed to without further Amendment, or disagreed to, and the original Amendments made by the Assembly insisted on, a Message shall be returned to the Council to that effect; or, if the Amendments made by the Council are agreed to with further Amendments, a Message shall be sent desiring the concurrence of the Council therein.

When Council's further Amendments disagreed to, reasons to be stated.

314. In any case, when any of the Amendments made by the Council on the Assembly's Amendments are disagreed to, the Message shall contain written reasons for the Assembly not agreeing to the Amendments proposed by the Council; and such reasons shall be drawn up by the member in charge of the Bill.

Schedule of Assembly's Amendments on a Bill.

315. When any Amendments shall have been made by the Assembly on a Bill which shall have been first passed by the Council, a Schedule of such Amendments shall be prepared, containing reference to the page and line of the Bill where the words are to be inserted or omitted, and describing the Amendments proposed; and this Schedule shall accompany the message returning the Bill, and be certified by the Clerk of the Assembly.

Form of Schedule of Assembly's Amendments on Council's Amendments.

316. When any further Amendments have been made by the Assembly on the Council's Amendments on the Assembly's original Amendments in a Bill which shall have been first passed by the Council, a Schedule of such further Amendments shall be prepared, containing reference to each Amendment of the Council which has been amended by the Assembly, and describing the further Amendment proposed; and this Schedule shall accompany the Message, and be certified by the Clerk of the Assembly.

Assent.

Reprint on parchment.

317. Every Bill originated in this House which shall finally pass shall be fair printed on vellum or parchment, and be by the Speaker presented to the Governor for Her Majesty's Assent, provided the Chairman of Committees shall have certified, in writing, on the Bill, that he has examined such fair print and found it to correspond in all respects with the Bill as finally passed by both Houses, and that at the top of the first page of such fair print the Clerk of the Assembly shall have certified to its having finally passed both Houses.

Assent by the Governor.

318. Every public Bill which shall have passed both Houses, and received Her Majesty's assent, or been reserved for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure thereon, shall be numbered at the top by the proper officer in the order in which it shall have received such assent, or been so reserved, and shall have the date of such assent or reservation, following the words "Assented to" or "Reserved," as the case may be, within parentheses, immediately after the title.

CHAPTER XXV.

SELECT COMMITTEES.

Number of Members.

319. A Select Committee shall consist of not less than five nor more than ten Members.

Exemption of Speaker and Chairman.

320. It shall not be compulsory on the Speaker or Chairman of Committees to serve on any Select Committee.

Speaker Member of certain Committees only. Mover to be a Member.

321. The Speaker shall be *ex officio* a Member of Standing Orders Committee and Library Committee.

322. Every Member proposing a Select Committee shall be one of the Committee named by the House.

323. The Notice of Motion for the appointment of every Select Committee shall contain the names of the Members the Mover intends to serve with himself on such Committee. Names of Members proposed.

324. (1.) If, upon any Motion for a Select Committee, any Member shall require it, such Committee shall be chosen by Ballot, in the manner following, viz. :—Each Member shall give in to the Clerk a list of the Members who he intends shall serve on the Committee, not exceeding the number proposed in such Motion ; and if any such list contain a larger number of names, it shall be void and rejected ; and the Members who shall be reported by the Clerk to have the greatest number of votes shall be declared by the Speaker to be, with the Mover, the Members of such Committee ; and in any case of doubt, arising from two or more Members having an equality of Votes, the Speaker shall decide which shall serve on such Committee. Ballot—how conducted.

(2.) Members balloting for a Select Committee shall place the Balloting Papers, after completion, in the hands of the Clerk of the Assembly, giving time for him to note one paper (as hereinafter mentioned) before another is presented.

(3.) The Clerk shall have before him a complete printed list of the Members of the House, and on the presentation of any Balloting Paper shall place his initials against the entry in such list of the name of the Member presenting such Balloting Paper, and the Clerk shall place such list so initialled on record, with the other proceedings of the Ballot.

325. Before the House proceeds to ballot for a Select Committee, the bells shall be rung as in a Division. Bells rung prior to ballot.

326. No Member shall sit on a Select Committee who shall be personally interested in the inquiry before such Committee. No interested Member to be on a Committee.

327. Members may at any time, by Motion, be discharged by the House from attending a Select Committee, and other Members appointed. Members discharged and added.

328. The Mover for the Select Committee shall fix the time for the first meeting of the Committee. First meeting.

329. In all Select Committees three shall form a Quorum. Quorum.

330. Every Select Committee, as its first business, shall elect one of its Members to be Chairman, who shall only have a casting vote, except as provided in Rule 419. Chairman to have only a casting vote.

331. An entry shall be made in the proceedings of the names of the Members attending each Select Committee meeting, and of every Motion or Amendment proposed in the Committee, together with the name of the Mover thereof ; and if any Division take place in the Committee, the Clerk in attendance shall take down the names of the Members voting in any such Division, distinguishing on which side of the question they respectively vote. Record of proceedings and Divisions.

332. If, after the lapse of a quarter of an hour from the time appointed for the meeting of a Select Committee, there shall not be a Quorum, the meeting shall lapse, and the mover for, or Chairman of such Select Committee, shall convene the next meeting. When no meeting takes place.

333. If at any time during the sitting of a Select Committee of the House the Quorum of Members fixed by the House be not present, the Clerk of the Committee shall call the attention of the Chairman to the fact, who shall thereupon suspend the proceedings of the Committee until a quorum be present, or adjourn the Committee to some future day. When quorum not present.

334. A Select Committee may adjourn from time to time ; and, by leave of the House, from place to place, and sit on those days over which the House is adjourned. Adjournment of Committee.

335. Except by leave of the House, no Select Committee may sit after the hour appointed for the sitting of the House. Not to sit when House is sitting.

Report from
time to time.

336. By leave of the House, a Select Committee may report its opinions or observations from time to time, or report the Minutes of Evidence only, or Proceedings from time to time.

Power to send
for persons
and records.

337. All Select Committees shall have power to send for persons, papers, and records.

Clerk of the
House to
summon
Witnesses.

338. The Chairman of a Select Committee shall direct the Clerk of the House to summon the Witnesses to be examined before such Committee.

Examination
of Witnesses.

339. The examination of Witnesses before every Select Committee shall be on oath, and conducted as follows, viz. :—The Chairman shall first put to the Witness, in an uninterrupted series, all such questions as he may deem essential, with reference either to the subject referred to therein, or to any branch of that subject, according to the mode of procedure agreed on by the Committee. The Chairman shall then call on the other members severally by name to put any other questions which may have occurred to them during his conduct of the examination; and the name of every member so interrogating a Witness shall be noted and prefixed to the questions asked. All replies to questions put shall be in writing; but, if the Committee be attended by a short-hand writer, the notes of such short-hand writer shall be sufficient.

Admission of
Strangers.

340. When a Select Committee is examining Witnesses, Strangers may be admitted, but shall be excluded at the request of any Member, or at the discretion of the Chairman of the Committee, and shall always be excluded when the Committee is deliberating.

Admission
of other
Members.

341. Members of the House may be present when a Select Committee is examining Witnesses; but withdraw by courtesy when the Committee is deliberating.

Secret
Committees.

342. No Strangers, or Members not being of the Select Committee, shall be admitted at any time to a Secret Committee.

Evidence
not to be
disclosed.

343. The evidence taken by any Select Committee of the House, and documents presented to such Committee which have not been reported to the House, shall not be disclosed or published by any Member of such Committee, or by any other person.

Chairman
to prepare
Report.

344. It shall be the duty of the Chairman of every Select Committee to prepare the Report.

Consideration
of Draft
Report.

345. The Chairman shall read to the Select Committee convened for the purpose of considering the Report the whole of his Draft Report, which, if desired by any Member, shall be printed and circulated amongst the Committee, and a subsequent day fixed for its consideration; and when the Committee are desirous of taking the Report into consideration, the Chairman shall read the Draft Report, paragraph by paragraph, putting the Question to the Committee at the end of each paragraph—“That the paragraph as read stand part of the Report.” A Member objecting to any portion of the Report shall propose his Amendment at the time the paragraph he wishes to amend shall be under consideration.

Chairman to
sign Report.

346. Every Report of a Select Committee should be signed by the Chairman, but in the event of his refusing, the Committee may appoint any other Member of the Committee to sign the Report.

Report
brought up.

347. The Report of a Select Committee, with the documents accompanying it, shall be brought up by the Member signing the Report, and may be ordered to lie upon the Table, or be printed, as the House, without debate, may direct.

Motion for
subsequent
proceedings.

348. If any measure or proceeding be necessary upon a Report of a Select Committee, such measure or proceeding shall be brought under the consideration of the House by a specific Motion, of which notice must be given in the usual manner.

Payment of
certain Wit-
nesses before
Committees.

349. Every Select Committee shall have power to award payment to any professional or other Witnesses they may deem it necessary to employ in furtherance of the inquiry with which the Committee is charged; and the Chairman's certificate on the face of an account, countersigned by the Clerk of Select Committees, shall be sufficient authority for its payment by the Colonial Treasurer out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, through the Clerk of the Assembly, or at the Public Treasury; and every

every such award, with the sum awarded, the particulars of the services rendered, and the name of the party in whose favour made, shall be entered in the Minutes of the Proceedings of the Committee.

350. Lists of all Select Committees shall be affixed in some conspicuous place in the Lobbies and Clerk's Office. List of Members serving.

CHAPTER XXVI.

COMMITTEES OF THE WHOLE HOUSE.

351. Except in cases specially provided for, the same rules shall guide the proceedings in Committee of the Whole as in the House itself; the Chairman of a Committee of the whole House being invested with the same authority as the Speaker for the preservation of Order. Proceedings guided by rules of the House.

352. At the commencement of every Session a Member shall be appointed Chairman of Committees of the Whole House, and when so appointed shall continue to act as such Chairman during the whole Session, and until his successor be appointed in the following Session of the same Parliament or until the dissolution of the then existing Parliament, unless the House shall otherwise direct. Chairman of Committees.

353. At the commencement of every Session, four Members shall be appointed by the House as Deputy Chairmen of Committees; and whenever the House shall be informed of the unavoidable absence of the Chairman of Committees, one of such Deputy Chairmen, to be named by the Speaker, shall take the Chair for that day only, who, while so acting as Chairman, shall have the same power as the Chairman of Committees. Honorary Chairmen of Committees.

354. When the House is in Committee of the Whole, if the Chairman of Committees shall desire to leave the Chair he may appoint any Deputy Chairman, or if none be present then any other Member, to take his place, and such Member, whilst so sitting, shall have the same power as the Chairman of Committees. Power to appoint Acting Chairman.

355. The Quorum in Committee of the whole House shall consist of the same number of Members, exclusive of the Chairman, as shall be requisite to form a Quorum of the House. Quorum in Committee.

356. A Committee of the whole House shall be appointed by resolution, "That this House will [immediately or on a future day] resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole, &c." Committee of Whole appointed.

357. When such a resolution has been agreed to, or an Order of the Day read for the House to resolve itself into Committee, the Speaker shall put a Question, without debate, "That I do now leave the Chair, &c.," which being agreed to, he shall leave the Chair accordingly. Speaker leaves the Chair.

358. When a Bill or other matter (not being connected with Supply or Ways and Means) has been partly considered in Committee, and the Chairman has been directed to report progress, and ask leave to sit again, and the House has ordered that the Committee shall sit again on a particular day, the Speaker, when the Order of the Day for the further consideration in Committee has been read, shall forthwith leave the Chair without putting any Question, and the House thereupon resolve itself into such Committee. When Committee has reported progress.

359. As soon as the Speaker has left the Chair, the Chairman shall take the Chair of the Committee at the Table. The Chairman takes the Chair.

360. A Committee shall consider such matters only as shall have been referred to it by the House. Considers only matters referred.

361. Every Question in Committee shall be decided in the same manner as in the House itself, the Chairman having only a Casting Vote, and any reasons stated by him when giving such vote may be entered in the proceedings of the Committee. Questions decided by majority. Chairman has Casting Vote.

362. A Motion made in Committee need not be seconded.

No seconder required.

- Previous Question cannot be moved.
Greater or lesser sum, longer or shorter term.
Members may speak more than once.
When disorder arises.
When Message comes from Governor.
When a Quorum is not present.
Want of Quorum only to be reported by the Chairman.
House counted by the Speaker.
Weekly Report of Divisions.
Report.
Report of progress.
Motion to report progress.
Motion that the Chairman leave the chair.
No motion of an obstructive character that Chairman leave Chair allowed.
Report brought up without Question.
Resolutions of Committee.
Committees of Supply and Ways and Means.
No debate on going into Committee of Supply or Ways and Means, and no amendment without leave of House.
363. No motion for the Previous Question can be made in Committee.
364. When there comes a Question between the greater and lesser sum, or the longer or shorter time, the least sum and the longest time shall be first put to the Question.
365. In Committee Members may speak more than once to the same Question.
366. If any sudden disorder shall arise in Committee, the Speaker may resume the Chair without any Question being put, and may leave the Chair in like manner, whereupon such Committee shall resume its proceedings.
367. The Speaker may also resume the Chair without any Question being put whenever a Message is brought from the Governor, and, after the Message has been dealt with, may leave the Chair in like manner, whereupon such Committee shall resume its proceedings.
368. If notice be taken, or it appears upon a Division in Committee, that a Quorum of Members be not present, the Chairman shall leave the Chair of the Committee without a Question being put, and the Speaker shall resume the Chair.
369. When the Speaker shall have resumed the Chair on the breaking up of a Committee, owing to the want of a Quorum, the Chairman shall inform the Speaker thereof, but make no further report.
370. If a Quorum of Members be present when the House is counted by the Speaker, the House shall again resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole without a Question being put.
371. Lists of Divisions in Committees of the Whole House shall be printed weekly.
372. When all matters referred to a Committee have been considered, the Chairman shall be directed to report the same to the House; and when all such matters have not been considered, the Chairman shall report progress, and ask leave to sit again.
373. A Motion may be made during the proceedings of a Committee "That the Chairman leave the Chair, report progress and ask leave to sit again."
374. A Motion "That the Chairman do now leave the chair" will, if carried, supersede the proceedings of a Committee.
375. In Committee of Supply or Ways and Means, or in Committee of the Whole on any Bill or Resolution, no Member shall make any motion for the Chairman to leave the Chair which, by the ruling of the Chairman without debate, shall be held to be of an obstructive character or not consistent with the regular and orderly conduct of the business of the Committee.
376. Every Report from a Committee of the whole House shall be brought up without any Question being put.
377. The Resolutions reported from a Committee of the Whole House may be agreed to or disagreed to by the House, or agreed to with amendments, recommitted to the Committee, or the further consideration thereof postponed.
378. The Committees of Supply and Ways and Means shall be appointed upon Motion at the commencement of every Session, so soon as an Address in reply to the Governor's opening speech has been agreed to, and unless otherwise ordered, the Resumption of such Committees shall stand Orders of the Day, as of course, on each day on which Government Business shall have precedence.
379. No debate shall be allowed on the Order of the Day for the House to resolve itself into Committee of Supply or Ways and Means, and no Amendment or contingent Motion shall be entertained on any such Order without the leave of the House, no debate being allowed upon the Motion for such leave, except a statement of the subject matter of the intended Motion, limited to ten minutes.

380. Unless otherwise ordered by Sessional Order, the following Rules shall be observed in Committee of Supply:—

- (1.) When a Motion is made, in Committee of Supply, to omit or reduce any item of a Vote, a Question shall be proposed from the Chair for omitting or reducing such item accordingly; and Members shall speak to such Question only until it has been disposed of Mode of procedure.
- (2.) When several Motions are offered, they shall be taken in the order in which the items to which they relate appear in the printed Estimates.
- (3.) After a Question for omitting or reducing any item has been disposed of, no Motion shall be made, or Debate allowed, upon any preceding item.
- (4.) Where it has been proposed to omit or reduce items in a Vote, the Question shall be afterwards put upon the original Vote, or upon the reduced Vote, as the case may be, without amendment.
- (5.) After a Question has been put for a reduction of the whole Vote, no Motion shall be made for omitting or reducing any item of such Vote.
- (6.) When a general reduction of the amount of the Vote comprising many items, is proposed, the Question shall be first put upon the smaller sum, and, if that be negatived, then upon the next smaller sum, and so on, until the Question is put upon the original Vote, after the failure of the several Motions for a general reduction thereof.
- (7.) It shall be held to be in order, at any time during the discussion of a Vote or item in a Vote which has not been previously amended, to move the postponement of such Vote or Item, provided such postponement be until the whole of the Estimates or Supplementary Estimates shall have been disposed of, or, on the motion of the Minister in charge, such Vote or Item may be withdrawn.

CHAPTER XXVII.

INSTRUCTIONS TO COMMITTEES.

381. An Instruction empowers a Committee of the whole House to consider matters not otherwise referred. Effects of an Instruction.

382. No Instructions may be moved ordering a Committee to make provision in a Bill, nor to empower a Committee to make such provision if they already have that power. What Instructions may be moved.

383. An Instruction shall be moved after the Order of the Day for going into Committee has been read, and not as an Amendment to the Question "That the Speaker do now leave the Chair"; and when the committal of a Bill be moved on the same day that the second reading is carried, an instruction shall be moved prior to the motion being proposed from the Chair that the Speaker do leave the Chair and the House resolve itself into a Committee of the whole on the Bill. When Instructions should be moved.

384. An Instruction to a Select Committee extends or restricts the order of reference. Instruction to Select Committee.

CHAPTER XXVIII.

WITNESSES.

385. Witnesses shall be ordered to attend before the House, or before a Committee of the whole House, by summons under the hand of the Speaker. Witnesses summoned by the Speaker.

386. When the attendance of a Member is desired, to be examined by the House, he shall be ordered by the Speaker to attend in his place. Attendance of Members to be examined.

387. If a Select Committee desire the attendance of a Member as a Witness, the Chairman shall, in writing, request him to attend; but should he refuse or neglect, the Select Committee shall take no further action, except to report the matter to the House. By a Select Committee.

388. If any information come before any Committee that chargeth any Member of the House, the Committee ought only to direct that the House be acquainted with the matter of such information, without proceeding further thereupon. Committee not to entertain charges against Members.

389.

When attendance of Member or Officer of Legislative Council is desired.

389. When the attendance of a Member of the Legislative Council, or any officer of that House, is desired, to be examined by the House or any Committee thereof (not being a Committee on a Private Bill), a message shall be sent to the Legislative Council to request that the Council give leave to such Member or Officer to attend, in order to his being examined accordingly upon the matters stated in such message.

Attendance of Members or Officers of Assembly before Committee of Council.

390. Should the Legislative Council request by Message the attendance of a Member of the House before a Select Committee of the Council, the House may authorize such Member to attend, if he think fit. The House, if similarly requested by the Council, may also instruct its own Officers to attend such Committees, if the House thinks fit.

When intended Witness is in prison.

391. When a Witness shall be in the custody of the keeper of any prison, such keeper may be ordered to bring the Witness, in safe custody, in order to his being examined; and from time to time, as often as his attendance shall be thought necessary; and the Speaker may be ordered to issue his warrant accordingly.

Witnesses entitled to protection.

392. All Witnesses examined before the House, or any Committee thereof, are entitled to the protection of the House in respect of anything that may be said in their evidence.

Witnesses before the whole House examined by the Speaker.

393. When the Witness appears before the House, the Speaker shall examine the Witness, and no other Member shall put any question otherwise than through the Speaker.

Before Committee by any Member.

394. In Committee of the whole House, any Member may put questions to the Witness.

Witness withdraws if question objected to.

395. If any question be objected to, or other matter arise, the Witness shall withdraw while the same is under discussion.

Member examined in his place.

396. A Member of the House shall be examined in his place.

Judges, how introduced.

397. Judges, when present as witnesses, are introduced by the Sergeant-at-Arms, and have chairs placed for them at the Bar.

Officers not to give evidence without leave.

398. No Clerk or Officer of the House, or short-hand writer employed to take minutes of evidence before the House, or any Committee thereof, may give evidence elsewhere in respect of any proceedings or examination had at the Bar, or before any Committee of the House, without the special leave of the House.

CHAPTER XXIX.

SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS.

Standing Orders suspended in urgent cases without notice.

399. Any Standing Order or Orders of the House may be suspended on Motion duly made and seconded in accordance with notice given, and in cases of urgent necessity such Standing Order or Orders may be suspended on Motion duly made and seconded without notice. The question of urgency is to be decided by the Speaker.

CHAPTER XXX.

CONTEMPT AND PUNISHMENT.

Member incurring censure guilty of contempt.

400. Any Member incurring the censure of the House, by a breach of any of the foregoing rules, shall be held guilty of contempt.

Member called to order not to leave the Chamber.

401. Any Member having been called to order for any breach of the foregoing rules, or for disorderly conduct, shall be guilty of contempt if he attempts to leave the Chamber before his conduct has been dealt with, except in cases where a Member has been called upon to withdraw, pending consideration of his conduct.

Wilful disobedience, obstruction or interruption held to be contempt.

402. Any Member who shall wilfully disobey any order of the House, and any Member or other person who shall wilfully or vexatiously obstruct or interrupt the orderly conduct of the business of the House, shall be guilty of contempt.

403.

403. Any Member named by the Speaker as guilty of the wilful or vexatious breach of any of the Standing Orders, or as interrupting the orderly conduct of the business of the House, may be adjudged by the House on Motion, without notice, guilty of contempt, no debate being allowed on such Motion except an explanation by the Member named. Member named by Speaker.

404. Every Member adjudged by the House, for any of the causes herein-before mentioned, guilty of contempt, shall be committed, by the Warrant of the Speaker, to the custody of the Sergeant-at-Arms, and shall, by the Sergeant-at-Arms, be detained in custody until the payment of the fees imposed in Rules number 410 and 411, when he may be released by an Order of the House. Punishment of Members for contempt.

405. Any Member who shall so conduct himself as to make it impracticable for the Speaker or Chairman of Committees, as the case may be, to carry out the Standing Orders of the House, may be, by the order of the Speaker or Chairman of Committees, removed by the Sergeant-at-Arms from the Chamber until the termination of the then sitting. Removal of Member during sitting.

406. When any Member or other person shall have been taken into the custody of the Sergeant-at-Arms, by order of the Speaker, such arrest shall be reported to the House by the Speaker without delay; and the House shall fix the time for such Member or other person being brought to the Bar, to receive orders for commitment or discharge, after payment of certain fees. Arrest of Member or Stranger to be reported.

407. The Sergeant-at-Arms attending the House shall, from time to time, on being directed by the Speaker, take or deliver into custody any Stranger whom he may see, or who may be reported to him to be, in any part of the Chamber appropriated to the Members of the House; and also any Stranger who, having been admitted into any other part of the House or gallery, shall misconduct himself, or shall not withdraw when Strangers are directed to withdraw, while the House or any Committee of the whole House is sitting; and no person so taken into custody shall be discharged out of custody without the special order of the House, and payment of certain fees as hereinafter provided. Arrest of Stranger to be reported.

408. Any person not being a Member who interrupts the orderly conduct of the business of the House, or obstructs the approaches to the House, or occasions a disturbance within the precincts of the House, shall be, by the Warrant of the Speaker, committed to the custody of the Sergeant-at-Arms, and shall, by the Sergeant-at-Arms, be detained in custody until payment of the fees imposed in Rules 410 and 411, when he may be discharged by an Order of the House. Punishment of strangers for contempt.

409. Any Member who shall so conduct himself as to make it necessary for the Speaker or Chairman of Committees to call him to order more than three times in the course of any one sitting for any gross breach of the Rules, may, by the order of the Speaker or Chairman of Committees, be removed by the Sergeant-at-Arms from the Chamber until the termination of such sitting. Member repeatedly called to order.

410. The following scale of fees shall be payable to the Sergeant-at-Arms, on the arrest or commitment of any person, by order of the House or the Speaker; and no person shall, without the express direction of the House, be discharged out of custody until such fees be paid:— Fees for arrest or commitment.

For arrest £5
For commitment £10

411. The following fee shall be payable to the Sergeant-at-Arms, as remuneration for his personal expenses incurred in the custody of the person arrested; and no person ordered by the House to be detained by him, shall be discharged out of custody until such fee be paid:— Personal fee to Sergeant-at-Arms.

For each day's detention, including sustenance £2

CHAPTER XXXI.

PRIVATE BILLS.

Notice of
intention to
apply for
Bill.

412. Notice of the intention to apply for every Private Bill shall, within three months of the presentation of the Petition, be published once a week, for four consecutive weeks, in the *Government Gazette*, in one or more public newspapers published in Sydney, and in one or more public newspapers in or nearest to the District affected by the Bill, which notice shall contain a true statement of the general objects of the Bill.

Initiated on
Petition.

413. No Private Bill shall be initiated in this House but upon a Petition first presented and received, with a printed copy of the proposed Bill annexed; and such Petition shall be signed by one or more of the parties applying for the Bill.

Form of
Petition.

414. Every Petition for a Private Bill shall commence by setting forth, that within the three months previous to its presentation to the House, the public notice required by Rule 412 has been duly given of the general objects of, and the intention to apply for, such Bill, and shall conclude with a true statement of the general objects of the Bill, and a prayer for leave to introduce it; and the production of the numbers of the *Gazette* and newspaper or newspapers containing such notice shall be required and shall be sufficient proof of such notice.

Introduction
of Bill.

415. When the Petition shall have been received, Notice of Motion for leave to bring in the Bill shall be given, and such Bill shall be brought in within thirty days from the receipt of such Petition.

Printing of.

416. When leave to bring in a Private Bill shall have been obtained, and before it shall be read a first time, it shall be printed, at the expense of the parties applying for it, in the same form as Public Bills, and a sufficient number of copies of it shall be delivered to the Clerk, for the use of the House.

Deposit in
Treasury.

417. Before a Private Bill shall be read a first time, the sum of twenty-five pounds, towards meeting the expenses attendant on such Bill, shall be paid to the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Colony, and a Certificate of such payment shall be produced by the Member moving the first reading of the Bill; and whenever the expenses attendant upon such Bill shall be found to exceed the sum of twenty-five pounds so paid, a further sum of twenty-five pounds shall, from time to time, as may be demanded by the Clerk of the Assembly, be paid by the parties applying for the Bill, to the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Colony; and a like Certificate of such additional payments shall be produced before proceeding further with the Bill; but on the passing, rejection, or withdrawal of such Bill, the Promoters shall pay into the said Consolidated Revenue Fund any additional sum which may be required to fully pay the expenses attendant upon such Bill and in the event of a balance remaining in favour of the Promoters they may obtain from the said Clerk a Certificate of the actual expenses incurred, with a view to the refund of any amount found to be unexpended.

Reference to
Select Com-
mittee.

418. When a Private Bill shall have been read a first time, it shall be referred to a Select Committee, to be appointed on Motion upon Notice, and such Committee shall require proof of the allegations contained in the Preamble.

Vote of Chair-
man of Select
Committee on
Private Bills.

419. The Chairman of a Select Committee on a Private Bill shall be entitled to vote on all questions in the same way as other Members of such Committee; and, in case of an equality of votes, exercise a second or casting vote.

Petitions
respecting.

420. Every Petition in reference to a Private Bill shall, if received, be deemed, without motion, to be referred to the Select Committee on the Bill.

Select Com-
mittee may
hear Counsel.

421. Every Select Committee on a Private Bill may, in its discretion, hear Counsel if it be desired; and may also take such oral or other evidence as it may think requisite; and may decide on matters in issue between the persons conducting and opposing the Bill; after which, the Question shall be put from the Chair, "That this Preamble stand part of the Bill": And if the Question pass in the negative, it shall be fatal to the Bill, and the Committee shall report accordingly; but if the Question pass in the affirmative, the several Clauses of the Bill shall next be proceeded with, and the Amendments, if any, carefully noted for report to the House, care being taken that no Clause be inserted or Amendment made in the Bill which shall be foreign to the import of the notice required under Rule 412 to be given by the party or parties applying for it.

Proof of
Preamble.

422. When a Select Committee shall have reported in favour of a Private Bill, such Bill shall be proceeded with as in the case of Public Bills, and a future day, subsequent to the distribution of the printed Report and Evidence, shall be appointed for the second reading. Report of Select Committee on.

423. Private Bills coming to this House the first time from the Legislative Council, if accompanied by printed copies of the Reports and Proceedings of the Select Committees to which they may have been referred, shall be proceeded with in all respects as Public Bills "presented" in pursuance of Orders of this House, unless the House shall otherwise order; and every such Bill as shall finally pass this House shall be returned by Message to the Legislative Council with the Clerk's Certificate at the top, that "the Legislative Assembly has this day agreed to this Bill, with [or without] Amendment," as the case may require. Private Bills initiated in Council.

424. Upon the final passing of any Private Bill originated in the Assembly the Clerk of the Assembly shall certify that all expenses incurred during the passage of the Bill through both Houses have been met, before the Speaker shall present the same for Her Majesty's assent. Expenses to be met before presented for assent.

425. No Number shall be given to any Private Bill which shall have passed both Houses and received Her Majesty's Assent. Not to be numbered.

426. If the Promoters of any Private Bill originated in the Assembly, with respect to which Bill, proceedings have been interrupted in either House by the close of the Session before their completion, shall petition the Assembly within ten clear sitting days after the commencement of the next Session for leave to proceed with the same Bill, and the Petition be received, then such Bill shall be brought in again, but with such alterations as may have been made in the Assembly, and read a first time without notice or debate; and it may also, on a motion then put without notice and agreed to, be, without further notice or debate, passed through all the subsequent stages through which it had passed in the previous Session; but should such motion be negatived, then the Bill shall be proceeded with in the ordinary way. Provided that it shall not be necessary to refer such Bill to a Select Committee, or to a Committee of the Whole, if it shall previously have been reported on by a similar Committee. Proceedings on Private Bills interrupted in one Session may be renewed, upon Petition in the next.

427. If any such Private Bill sought to be proceeded with shall only have been read a first time, and referred to a Select Committee, and shall not have been reported by such Committee before the close of the Session, it shall, after the reception of such Petition and Order thereon, upon Motion without Notice, be read a first time and referred to a Select Committee, comprising, as nearly as may be, all the Members composing the Select Committee to which it shall have been referred in the previous Session, together with the Minutes of Evidence taken before, and all Papers and Petitions which may have been referred, and all instructions which may have been given, to such last-mentioned Committee; and upon the Report of the Bill by the Select Committee, it shall be proceeded with in all its subsequent stages, in the ordinary manner of proceeding with Private Bills. When Bill had not been reported on by Select Committee.

428. In the case of every such interrupted Private Bill revived as provided in Rule 426, the Standing Orders shall be held to be satisfied in all respects, so far as they shall have been complied with in the previous Session. Standing Orders held to be complied with.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

PARLIAMENTARY REPRESENTATIVES ALLOWANCE
BILL.

(MESSAGE No. 3.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 15 November, 1888.

CARRINGTON,

Governor.

Message No. 3.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 54th section of the Constitution Act, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly the expediency of making provision to meet the requisite expenses in connection with a Bill to authorise the payment to Members of the Legislative Assembly of an annual allowance, as reimbursement for expenses incurred in the discharge of their Parliamentary duties.

Government House,

Sydney, 14th November, 1888.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS.

(INFORMATION RESPECTING MEETINGS HELD AND ATTENDANCE OF MEMBERS.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 7 November, 1888.

RETURN to an *Order* made by the Honorable the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, dated 24th October, 1888, That there be laid upon the Table of this House a Return showing,—

- “ (1.) The names of the Honorable Members of both Houses forming the Parliamentary Committee on Public Works.
 “ (2.) The number of meetings held by such Committee.
 “ (3.) The attendance of each Member at such meetings.
 “ (4.) The subjects discussed and reported on by such Committee.”

(*Mr. Dibbs.*)

- (1.) THE following are the names of the Members of the late Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works:—

Legislative Council.

The Honorable John Lackey, Chairman.
 „ George Campbell.
 „ William Henry Suttor.
 „ James Watson.
 „ Frederick Thomas Humphery.

Legislative Assembly.

Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esquire, Vice-chairman.
 James Nixon Bruncker, Esquire.
 Henry Copeland, Esquire.
 Alexander Kethel, Esquire.
 John Rendell Street, Esquire.
 Thomas Michael Slattery, Esquire.
 Jacob Garrard, Esquire.
 Sydney Smith, Esquire.

[James Nixon Bruncker, Esquire, by reason of his accepting the office of Minister for Lands, did not take his seat as a member of the Committee.]

- (2.) Twenty meetings were held by the Committee; three others lapsed through want of a quorum. In each of these three instances six members were present. The number of members necessary to form a quorum is seven.
 (3.) The attendance of each member of the Committee at these meetings was as follows:—

Legislative Council.

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| The Honorable John Lackey, | 17 meetings, and twice when no quorum was present. |
| „ George Campbell, | 11 „ twice „ |
| „ William Henry Suttor, | 17 „ once „ |
| „ James Watson, | 9 „ once „ |
| „ Frederick Thomas Humphery, | 19 „ once „ |

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Legislative Assembly.

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| Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esquire, | 10 meetings, and twice when no quorum was present. |
| James Nixon Brunker, Esquire. | |
| Henry Copeland, Esquire, | 10 " |
| Alexander Kethel, Esquire, | 18 " twice " |
| John Rendell Street, Esquire, | 16 " three times " |
| Thomas Michael Slattery, Esquire, | 6 " " |
| Jacob Garrard, Esquire, | 19 " three times, " |
| Sydney Smith, Esquire, | 20 " once " |

(4.) The subjects inquired into and reported upon by the Committee were:—

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| Improvements to the Circular Quay | £125,000 |
| Storage reservoir at Pott's Hill | 120,000 |
| Second pipe between Pott's Hill and Crown-street | 165,000 |
| New Central Police Court | 48,000 |
| Drainage works, Manly... .. | 22,000 |
| Drainage works, North Shore | 107,000 |
| Harbour improvements at Newcastle | 112,000 |

The Committee also took a considerable quantity of evidence on the subject of proposed wharfage improvements at Woolloomooloo Bay.

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PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE ON
PUBLIC WORKS.

GENERAL REPORT

TOGETHER WITH

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS.

Presented to Parliament in accordance with the provisions of the Public Works Act,
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NAMES OF THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

The Honorable JOHN LACKEY, Chairman.
The Honorable GEORGE CAMPBELL.
The Honorable WILLIAM HENRY SUTTON.
The Honorable JAMES WATSON.
The Honorable FREDERICK THOMAS HUMPHREY.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

JOSEPH PALMER ABBOTT, Esquire, Vice-Chairman.
JAMES NIXON BRUNKER, Esquire.
HENRY COPELAND, Esquire.
ALEXANDER KETHEL, Esquire.
JOHN RENDELL STREET, Esquire.
THOMAS MICHAEL SLATTERY, Esquire.
JACOB GARRARD, Esquire.
SYDNEY SMITH, Esquire.

[James Nixon Brunker, Esquire, by reason of his accepting the office of Minister for Lands, did not take his seat as a member of the Committee.]

PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS.

GENERAL REPORT.

To His Excellency the Right Honorable CHARLES ROBERT, BARON CARRINGTON, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,—

The Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works, appointed by Parliament, during the last Parliamentary Session, under the Public Works Act of 1888, 51 Vic. No. 37, and to whom were referred for consideration a number of proposed public works, have the honour to submit the following General Report of their proceedings:—

The Committee were appointed on 12th and 13th June; their names were published in the *Gazette* on 13th July; the Secretary was appointed on 13th August; and the Committee commenced their sittings on Monday, August 27th, and terminated them on 22nd October. Previous to their first meeting all the members of the Committee, with the exception of James Nixon Bruncker, Esq., who by reason of his accepting the office of Minister for Lands did not take his seat as a member of the Committee, made the declaration prescribed in the Act, and at the first meeting the Honorable John Lackey, M.L.C., was elected Chairman, and Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esq., Vice-Chairman.

Being thus duly constituted, according to the requirements of the Act, the Committee proceeded to deal with the business before them. The list of works referred to them by the Legislative Assembly, together with the estimated cost of each, was as follows:—

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| Wharfage Accommodation, Woolloomooloo Bay | ... | ... | £42,000 |
| Improvements to the Circular Quay | ... | ... | 120,000 |
| Storage Reservoir at Potts' Hill | ... | ... | 120,000 |
| Dredge and Plant for Sydney Harbour | ... | ... | 30,000 |
| Second Pipe between Potts' Hill and Crown-street | ... | ... | 165,000 |
| Improvements to the entrance of the Richmond River | ... | ... | 326,000 |
| Bridge at the Spit, Middle Harbour | ... | ... | 62,000 |
| New Central Police Court | ... | ... | 60,000 |
| Improvements to the entrance of the Clarence River | ... | ... | 580,900 |
| Drainage Works, Manly | ... | ... | 34,000 |
| Drainage Works, North Shore | ... | ... | 77,062 |
| Drainage Works, for the Western Suburbs | ... | ... | 830,304 |
| Harbour Improvements at Newcastle | ... | ... | 112,000 |

Of this list of thirteen proposals the Committee have inquired into eight, and seven of these they intend to report upon to the Legislative Assembly. The one not to be reported upon it has been decided shall be allowed to stand over in consequence of the evidence not being complete, and because the time at the disposal of the Committee before the commencement of the approaching Session of Parliament, when according to the Act the Committee must bring its labours to a close, was too short to permit of further evidence being obtained. For the information of Parliament, however, the evidence that has been taken with regard to this work will be laid upon the Table of the Assembly.

The proposed works inquired into, and to be reported upon to the Legislative Assembly, together with the estimated cost of each, are—

Improvements to the Circular Quay £120,000

[*The Committee recommend an alteration in the plan of these improvements by which the total estimated cost will be increased to £125,000.*]

Storage Reservoir at Potts' Hill 120,000

Second Pipe between Potts' Hill and Crown-street ... 165,000

New Central Police Court 60,000

[*The Committee recommend in this case an expenditure of £48,000, that being the estimated cost of the proposed work stated in the evidence. The difference between £60,000, the amount mentioned in the document referring the proposed work to the Committee, and £48,000, the sum stated in the evidence, arises from the circumstance that when the estimate was put before the Assembly, it was thought the cost would amount to this sum, but it was afterwards found that the reduced estimate of £48,000 would be sufficient.*]

Drainage Works, Manly 34,000

[*The Committee recommend the adoption of a modified plan of these drainage works by which the total estimated cost will not exceed £22,000.*]

Drainage Works, North Shore 77,062

[*The Committee recommend the adoption of the complete scheme proposed in relation to this work, and the estimated cost of that, as shown by the evidence, is £107,000.*]

Harbour Improvements at Newcastle 112,000

The proposed work partly inquired into, and allowed to stand over, is—

Wharfage Accommodation, Woolloomooloo Bay ... £42,000

The Committee had less than two months in which to perform their duties, and this limited period made it necessary for them to meet frequently, and, consistently with due carefulness, to carry on their labours with energy. Those works in the list referred to them, the inquiries relating to which must, in order that they may be dealt with satisfactorily, occupy considerable time, and perhaps make visits to distant parts of the Colony necessary, were not touched. The desire of the Committee was to use the time at their disposal to the best advantage, and with that intention to deal as far as possible with those works which, without undue haste, could be fully inquired into and reported upon before the meeting of Parliament.

They venture to think the result will be found satisfactory. Parliament, when asked to approve of the public works inquired into by the Committee, will have before it for its guidance a collection of evidence in regard to each as full and complete as it is desirable to obtain it, a report in which the evidence will be found analysed and its principal points stated, together with the conclusion at which the Committee have arrived respecting the work, and a plan representing the work as it was submitted to and dealt with by the Committee. In this way Parliament, when considering any one of these works, will have at its command everything which came before the Committee, and, in addition, a report which will enable it without trouble to ascertain the general character of the evidence for and against the proposal, and the grounds upon which the Committee have arrived at their decision.

In each of the inquiries carried out by the Committee they have endeavoured to elicit information upon all the points respecting which it appeared essential that evidence should be obtained. These may be generally stated as—

- (1) The nature of the proposed work.
- (2) The grounds upon which the work is proposed.

- (3) The revenue it is probable will be derived from the work.
- (4) The present and prospective value of the work as one beneficial to the public interest.
- (5) The opinions of competent persons outside the Department of Public Works, and not connected with the Government, as to whether the work is necessary and should be carried out.

Evidence has been taken from all sides. In the case of each work witnesses have been brought forward by the Department of Public Works in support of the proposal, and when these have been examined others have been sought by the Committee, and others have come forward voluntarily and requested to be heard. The Committee have sat with open doors, and reports of their meetings have appeared in the metropolitan press. The proposed works they have from time to time inquired into, the witnesses examined, the nature of the evidence given,—in fact, the whole of their proceedings, have been before the public, and thus every opportunity has been afforded to anyone interested in the matters under consideration to proffer any testimony at his disposal which might be calculated to assist the Committee in coming to a right conclusion.

Except in one instance, no proffered evidence has been refused; and in that case a majority of the Committee decided not to examine a witness, who the Committee were informed was desirous of being heard, because it was considered his evidence would only reopen a question with which the Committee had nothing whatever to do.

Early in the course of the Committee's labours attention was drawn to the requirements under the 13th section of the Public Works Act respecting the production of plans and specifications of proposed works at the time of their being explained to the Assembly by the Minister, and it was thought by some members of the Committee that it might be well to obtain the opinion of the Attorney-General on the subject. It was contended that inasmuch as the Minister, when submitting the proposed works to the Assembly for reference to the Committee, did not lay upon the Table the complete plans and specifications relating to the works, the Committee were debarred from proceeding to consider them, and in the absence of this formality in the Assembly the sittings of the Committee were illegal. The Committee were of opinion that there was nothing in the point to prevent them from proceeding with their duties; but, at the same time the Chairman took a note of the matter with a view to have it inquired into. Later on the point was submitted to the Attorney General for his opinion, and that opinion, which agrees with the view taken by the Committee, is as follows:—

“I am of opinion that the functions of the Committee are entirely independent of the formality or otherwise of the proceedings in the Assembly antecedent to the motion and reference mentioned in subsection (II), section 13, even assuming it to be obligatory upon the Minister, in every case submitted to the House, to produce plans and specifications of the proposed work. But this is not so; the Minister is only required to supplement his verbal explanation with such plans and specifications as he may deem proper,—an unqualified discretion. The Committee derives both the power and the obligation to deal with any particular matter entirely from the fact of reference by the Assembly.”

In three instances the Committee deemed it well to inspect the sites of proposed works, and accordingly visited the localities where it was intended the works should be carried out. One of these visits was to Woolloomooloo Bay, another to the Circular Quay, and the third to Potts' Hill. The visits enabled the Committee to understand the nature of the proposed works more clearly than they otherwise might have understood it; and in the case of Potts' Hill they were able not only to examine the site of the proposed storage reservoir, but to inspect the whole of the route along which it is proposed to lay a second line of water-pipes between Potts' Hill and Crown-street.

It will have been noticed from the list of works inquired into that the Committee, in four instances, recommend the adoption of an alteration in the
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plan of the works as submitted to them. The first of these alterations is in connection with the Circular Quay. In that instance the alteration is recommended because the evidence indicates that, unless it be made, the proposed improvements will be detrimental instead of advantageous to the steamers of one of the large steamship companies who lease wharves at the Quay. The second case is the proposed New Central Police Court. The estimate of cost mentioned in the reference of the work to the Committee was £60,000, but the evidence shows that the work can be carried out for £48,000. In the third case, which is in relation to the proposed drainage works at Manly, the Committee find by the evidence that a modification of the original plan is quite sufficient for the requirements of the municipality for some time to come, and is both preferred by the people of Manly, and sanctioned by the Government engineers. The fourth instance is in connection with the drainage works for North Shore. In that case the amount referred to the Committee as the estimated cost of the work was £77,062, those figures being based on a modification of the entire plan, which, it was thought, would be sufficient to meet the requirements for some years. The Committee, however, consider it advisable to carry out the scheme in its entirety.

During the course of the inquiries relating to the proposed drainage works for Manly and those for North Shore, it became apparent from the evidence that there was a strong desire on the part of the people more immediately concerned in these works that the time for the repayment of the sum expended on the works, and the interest upon that sum, should be, as far as possible, extended, so as to decrease the burden on the present population, and place some portion of it on the people of the future; and in this the engineers of the Government responsible for the plans connected with the works entirely concurred. The time for repayment provided for in the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Act is twenty-eight years, and the witnesses examined by the Committee are in favour of the term being extended to the period provided for in England under the recently passed Local Government Act, viz., sixty years. It is contended that as works of this description will be of great benefit to future generations, posterity should be called upon to contribute something towards their cost, and that if this were done works of the kind would be more widely spread, and the benefits arising from them more generally experienced. The Committee are of the same opinion, and they desire to recommend that the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Act be amended accordingly, or that the necessary provision be made in the Bills which will have to be passed to enable the Government to carry out the works.

Generally speaking, the Committee have found the Public Works Act, under which they have conducted their inquiries, to work very well, but there are some points in connection with it to which their experience leads them to think attention should be drawn with a view to the introduction of some amendments. It has been found, for instance, somewhat inconvenient that no meeting of the Committee can be held in the absence of the Chairman or Vice-Chairman, and the Committee think that, while it is well to have a recognized Chairman and Vice-Chairman, it should be competent for a quorum of members assembled at a meeting duly convened to elect, in the absence of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman, a Chairman from among themselves, who shall preside until either the Chairman or the Vice-Chairman attends, or the meeting terminates. It is also considered advisable that there should be a provision in the Act to enable the Committee to appoint from among themselves sub-Committees, whose duty it might be to visit some of the localities where it is proposed to construct public works, and after taking evidence there to report to the Committee. At present no smaller number than seven members of the Committee—that being the quorum stated in the Act—can do anything, and it would probably be difficult to find seven members able to spare the necessary time for visits to distant parts of the Colony. One other amendment of the Act appears desirable, and that is the necessity for some provision which will enable a newly-appointed Committee to take up an unfinished inquiry at the point the retiring Committee leaves it. Unless the new Committee can do this the labour spent on the uncompleted inquiry is lost, and a Committee is thereby induced not to commence any inquiry, however important the proposed work may be, unless there be a certainty of its being concluded before the existence of the Committee comes to an end.

Attached

Attached to this Report is a copy of the Minutes of Proceedings at the various meetings of the Committee, which, with the reports, minutes of evidence, and plans to be laid before the Legislative Assembly, will more fully explain what the Committee have done in the course of their inquiries.

JOHN LACKEY,
Chairman.

Office of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works,
Sydney, 22 October, 1888.

PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS.

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS.

MONDAY, 27 AUGUST, 1888.

The Committee met in the Tender Board Room of the Public Works Department, at 3 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

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| The Hon. George Campbell, | Henry Copeland, Esq., |
| The Hon. John Lackey, | Alexander Kethel, Esq., |
| The Hon. William Henry Suttor, | Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esq., |
| The Hon. James Watson, | John Rendell Street, Esq., |
| The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery, | Thomas Michael Slattery, Esq., |
| Sydney Smith, Esq. | |

Mr. Copeland and Mr. Slattery handed in their declarations, as required by the Public Works Act. On the motion of Mr. Suttor, it was resolved that Mr. Copeland should preside over the meeting until a chairman had been appointed, and Mr. Copeland thereupon took the chair.

Mr. Street moved,—“That the Honorable John Lackey be Chairman of the Committee.”

Mr. Watson seconded the motion.

Mr. Kethel, who explained that he thought, as the Legislative Assembly was more numerously represented on the Committee than the Legislative Council, a member of the Assembly should be chosen as Chairman, moved,—“That Mr. Joseph Palmer Abbott be appointed Chairman of the Committee.”

Mr. Copeland expressed the opinion that Mr. Lackey should be the Chairman of the Committee, if only because of his long experience as Minister for Works, and suggested that the motion for the appointment of Mr. Abbott should be withdrawn.

Mr. Abbott said he would not enter into a contest with Mr. Lackey for the position. The members of the Legislative Council on the Committee had equal rights with the members of the Legislative Assembly, all having been appointed under the one Act of Parliament, and considering Mr. Lackey's past services it would be wrong if he were not elected Chairman of the Committee.

Mr. Kethel said that after Mr. Abbott's statement he would, with the concurrence of the Committee, withdraw his motion.

The motion for the appointment of Mr. Abbott was then withdrawn, and Mr. Street's motion, for the appointment of the Honorable John Lackey, was put to the Committee, and passed.

Mr. Lackey then took the chair, and thanked the Committee for the honour conferred upon him.

Mr. Sydney Smith moved,—“That Mr. Joseph Palmer Abbott be Vice-Chairman of the Committee.”

Mr. Street seconded the motion, and it was agreed to.

The Secretary read the notification of the appointment of the Committee under the Public Works Act of 1888, dated 12th July, 1888, and published in the *Government Gazette*.

The Secretary reported that on the 15th instant he wrote to each member of the Committee informing him that His Honor the Chief Justice would be in attendance in his room, at the Supreme Court, on Wednesday the 22nd instant at 4 o'clock p.m., in order that the members of the Committee might make before him the declaration prescribed in the Act, and that the following members of the Committee had accordingly made the declaration before the Chief Justice:—The Honorable George Campbell, The Honorable William Henry Suttor, The Honorable James Watson, The Honorable Frederick Thomas Humphery, Mr. Alexander Kethel, Mr. John Rendell Street, Mr. Jacob Garrard, and Mr. Sydney Smith.

The Secretary also reported that at the conclusion of the proceedings in the room of the Chief Justice, when eight members of the Committee made the declaration required by the Act, it was arranged that a full meeting of the Committee be called for Monday, the 27th instant, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the election of a Chairman and a Vice-Chairman, and that a letter was written to those members of the Committee who were not present when the declarations were made before the Chief Justice, informing them of the arrangement for Monday's meeting, and enclosing a copy of the form of declaration with a request that the declaration be made prior to the meeting on Monday.

The Secretary further reported that he had received the required declaration from The Honorable John Lackey and from Mr. Joseph Palmer Abbott, and that the only member of the Committee who, up to the present, had not made the declaration was Mr. James Nixon Brunker.

The Secretary read the official notification he had received of the approval of His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, of his appointment as Secretary to the Committee, and a letter from the Under-Secretary for Public Works forwarding papers and plans in connection with the proposals for public works referred to the Committee by Parliament, together with a Schedule on which the papers and plans and the estimated cost of each work were enumerated.

The Committee then proceeded to consider the order of their future proceedings.

The Vice-Chairman moved, “That the Committee meet on Friday in each week at 2 o'clock p.m.”

Mr. Sydney Smith seconded the motion.

Mr. Suttor moved as an amendment, “That the hour of meeting be half-past 10 a.m., instead of 2 p.m.”

Mr. Copeland seconded the amendment.

The amendment was put to the Committee and negatived, and the motion was then agreed to.

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The Chairman informed the Committee that a suggestion had been made by the Minister for Works that the Committee should, in dealing with the list of works referred to them by Parliament, take into consideration first the following:—Wharfage accommodation, Woolloomooloo Bay, Improvements to the Circular Quay, Dredge and Plant for Sydney Harbour, New Central Police Court, and Harbour improvements at Newcastle, as all information with regard to these works was ready, and it was thought the Committee would be able to dispose of them without the consumption of much time.

The Committee decided to call in Mr. J. Barling, Under-Secretary for Public Works, and examine him with reference to the suggestion of the Minister for Works, and with regard to the whole of the works in the list referred to the Committee.

Mr. J. Barling was then called in, and examined.

Mr. Suttor moved, and Mr. Kethel seconded the motion, "That the Committee proceed at once to consider the subject of the dredge and plant for Sydney Harbour."

Mr. Barling informed the Committee that the officers of the Works Department, not anticipating that the Committee would proceed to take evidence at its first meeting, were not quite ready, and would prefer the examination to be deferred until the next meeting of the Committee.

On the motion of Mr. Suttor, seconded by Mr. Watson, the consideration of the subject of the dredge and plant for Sydney Harbour was postponed until the next meeting of the Committee.

The Committee proceeded to examine the plan for the proposed new Central Police Court, and it was decided to consider this matter at the next meeting.

It was then arranged that all information in relation to the works in the list suggested by the Minister for Works as those which might be first considered should be ready to be placed before the Committee at its next meeting, and the Committee adjourned.

FRIDAY, 31 AUGUST, 1888.

The Committee met at 2 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman.

The Hon. William Henry Suttor,
The Hon. James Watson,
The Hon. Frederick Thos. Humphery,
Alexander Kethel, Esq.,

Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esq.,
John Rendell Street, Esq.,
Thomas Michael Slattery, Esq.,
Jacob Garrard, Esq.,

Sydney Smith, Esq.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Secretary read the following correspondence:—

Letter from the Council Clerk at Manly, intimating that the Mayor and other members of the Manly Borough Council desired to be heard before the Committee on the subject of the proposed bridge over Middle Harbour at the Spit.

Letter from Messrs. Hassall and Woodhouse, bringing under the notice of the Committee "Robertson's Patent Hydraulic Dredge."

The Secretary was instructed to acknowledge the receipt of the letters, and with reference to that from the Council Clerk at Manly to reply that when the subject of the proposed bridge over Middle Harbour was before the Committee the desire expressed in the letter would be considered.

On the motion of Mr. Abbott the Committee proceeded to consider the subject of the proposed Harbour Improvements at Newcastle.

Joseph Barling, Esq., Under Secretary for Public Works; Robert Hickson, Esq., Acting Engineer-in-Chief for Harbours and Rivers; Captain Newton, Harbour Master at Newcastle; Frederick Roscoe Neild, Esq., Acting Railway Traffic Manager at Newcastle; and Captain John Jackson, Manager of the Public Wharves at Sydney, were sworn and examined.

On the motion of Mr. Suttor, it was resolved that the Examiner of Coal Fields or some other competent officer of the Mines Department should be called before the Committee at its next meeting to give evidence on the subject of the coal trade at Newcastle.

The Committee then adjourned until Tuesday, 4th September, at 2 o'clock p.m.

TUESDAY, 4 SEPTEMBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 2 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman.

The Hon. William Henry Suttor,
The Hon. James Watson,
The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery,

Alexander Kethel, Esq.,
John Rendell Street, Esq.,
Jacob Garrard, Esq.,

Sydney Smith, Esq.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Secretary read the following correspondence:—

Letter from Mr. J. P. Abbott to the Chairman, with reference to the days upon which the Committee should meet and to the order of their proceedings.

Letter from Captain John Jackson, Manager of the Public Wharves at Sydney, enclosing a statement of approximate wharfage dues, if collected, on all imports and exports other than coal at the Port of Newcastle, for 1886.

The Committee considered the letter received by the Chairman from Mr. Abbott, and authority was given to the Chairman to reply to it in accordance with an expression of opinion upon it by the Committee.

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Mr. Garrard brought under the notice of the Committee a newspaper criticism with regard to the proceedings of the Committee and the requirements under the 13th section of the Public Works Act respecting the production of plans and specifications of proposed works at the time of their being explained to the Assembly by the Minister, and submitted that there was sufficient ground to justify the Committee in taking the opinion of the Crown Law officers on the subject.

The Committee having deliberated, it was decided that there was nothing in the point to prevent the Committee proceeding with their duties, but that the Chairman should make a note of the matter and have it inquired into.

The Committee then proceeded to further consider the proposed Harbour Improvements at Newcastle.

Mr. John Dixon, Inspector of Collieries in the Northern District; George Alfred Tillett, Esq., Assistant Engineer for Harbours and Rivers; and Charles Augustus Goodchap, Esq., Commissioner for Railways, were sworn and examined.

On the motion of Mr. Sydney Smith, seconded by Mr. Garrard, it was resolved that any further consideration of the proposed improvements at Newcastle should be deferred until the next meeting of the Committee, and that in the meantime the evidence be printed and circulated.

On the motion of Mr. Kethel, the Committee then proceeded to consider the proposed Improvements to the Circular Quay.

Joseph Barling, Esq., Under Secretary for Public Works; George Alfred Tillett, Esq., Assistant Engineer for Harbours and Rivers; Captain Francis Hixson, President of the Marine Board; Captain Henry Pettit, Harbour Master at Sydney; and Captain John Jackson, Manager of the Public Wharves at Sydney, were sworn and examined.

Mr. G. A. Tillett produced the plans and specifications of the P. & O. Co.'s wharf now in course of construction at the Circular Quay, and laid them before the Committee.

The Committee then adjourned until Friday, 7 September, at 2 o'clock p.m.

FRIDAY, 7 SEPTEMBER, 1888.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

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| The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman. | |
| The Hon. George Campbell, The Hon. James Watson, | Alexander Kethel, Esq., John Rendell Street, Esq., Jacob Garrard, Esq. |

There not being a quorum of members present the meeting stood adjourned until Tuesday, 11 September, at 2 p.m.

TUESDAY, 11 SEPTEMBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 2 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

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| The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman. | |
| The Hon. William Henry Suttor, The Hon. James Watson, The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery, | Alexander Kethel, Esq., John Rendell Street, Esq., Jacob Garrard, Esq., Sydney Smith, Esq. |

The minutes of the previous meeting, and of the attendance of members of the Committee on Friday, 7th September, when, in consequence of the want of a quorum, the meeting stood adjourned, were read and confirmed.

The Secretary read the following correspondence:—

Letter from the Chairman to Mr. J. P. Abbott in reply to that from Mr. Abbott with reference to the days upon which the Committee should meet and to the order of their proceedings.

Letter from Mr. C. A. Goodchap on the subject of the proposed Harbour Improvements at Newcastle.

Letter from Mr. H. T. Sanderson, L. S., relative to Parliamentary Standing Committees in England and the manner of their proceedings.

On the motion of Mr. Suttor, seconded by Mr. Sydney Smith, it was resolved that Mr. Goodchap's letter be printed as an appendix to the evidence given by him before the Committee.

Mr. Garrard moved and Mr. Sydney Smith seconded the motion—"That Mr. Sanderson's letter be received."

The motion was agreed to.

The Committee then proceeded to further consider the proposed Improvements to the Circular Quay.

Mr. Angus Moir, Clerk of Works at the Circular Quay; Captain Thomas Summerbell, Traffic Manager of the North Shore Steam Ferry Company; George Skelton Yuill, Esq., Manager in Australia for the Orient Steamship Company; Alfred Lamb, Esq., merchant and wharfowner; Mr. William Leslie, Manager of the Watson's Bay and South Shore Steam Ferry Company; James Weir, Esq., Agent in Sydney for the P. & O. Steamship Company; and Robert Hickson, Esq., Acting Engineer-in-Chief for Harbours and Rivers, were sworn and examined.

Captain John Jackson, Manager of the Public Wharves, at Sydney, was sworn and further examined.

Mr. Sydney Smith, gave notice that he would at the next meeting of the Committee, move:—"That the Committee meet in future on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, at 2 o'clock, on Thursday evenings, and on Friday afternoons, at 2 o'clock."

On the motion of Mr. Garrard, it was resolved that at the next meeting of the Committee evidence be taken from the Government Geologist and the Examiner of Coal-fields, relative to the Newcastle coal supply, and that the Committee then take into consideration the whole of the evidence received on the subject of the proposed Harbour Improvements at Newcastle.

The Committee then adjourned until Thursday, 13 September, at 2 o'clock p.m.

THURSDAY,

THURSDAY, 13 SEPTEMBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 2 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esq., Vice-Chairman.

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| The Hon. William Henry Suttor, | Alexander Kethel, Esq., |
| The Hon. James Watson, | John Rendell Street, Esq., |
| The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery, | Jacob Garrard, Esq., |
| Sydney Smith, Esq. | |

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Secretary read the following correspondence:—

Letter from Messrs. Batt, Rodd, & Purves, Agents for the owners of the site of the late A.S.N. Company's Works, on the Western side of Darling Harbour, asking for an opportunity to show the Committee the work now being proceeded with there of providing new wharfage accommodation.

Letter from the Sub-Collector of Customs at Newcastle, enclosing in response to a request from Mr. John Dixon, Inspector of Collieries, a return showing the export of coal from Newcastle to foreign and intercolonial ports, during the period from 1 January to 31 August, 1888.

On the motion of Mr. Garrard, the letter from Messrs. Batt, Rodd, & Purves, was received.

The letter from the Sub-Collector of Customs, at Newcastle, it was resolved should be appended to Mr. Dixon's evidence on the subject of the proposed Harbour Improvements at Newcastle.

Mr. Sydney Smith moved the motion of which he had given notice at the previous meeting of the Committee:—“That the Committee meet in future on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, at 2 o'clock; on Thursday evenings, and on Friday afternoons at 2 o'clock.”

Mr. Suttor seconded the motion, but desired to amend it by adding the words “unless otherwise ordered.”

Mr. Sydney Smith consented to the proposed addition to the motion.

Mr. Street moved as an amendment,—“That the meetings of the Committee be held on Wednesday evenings, Thursday afternoons and evenings, and on Friday afternoons.”

Mr. Kethel seconded the amendment.

Mr. Sydney Smith consented to alter his motion in accordance with Mr. Street's amendment, and it was resolved, “That for the future the Committee meet on Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m., Thursday afternoons at 2 p.m., Thursday evenings at 7 p.m., and Friday afternoons at 2 p.m., unless otherwise ordered.”

Mr. Watson moved,—“That unless a quorum be formed a quarter of a hour after the time appointed for any meeting the meeting shall be considered to have lapsed.”

Mr. Suttor seconded the motion, and it was agreed to.

The Committee proceeded to further consider the proposed Harbour Improvements at Newcastle. T. W. E. David, Esq., Geological Surveyor, and John Mackenzie, Esq., Examiner of Coal-Fields, were sworn and examined.

The Committee having deliberated,

Mr. Watson moved,—“That the Committee consider it expedient that the Harbour Improvements at Newcastle as proposed in the plan and explained in the evidence before the Committee be carried out.”

Mr. Kethel seconded the motion, and it was agreed to.

The Committee proceeded to consider the proposed New Central Police Court.

Joseph Barling, Esq., Under Secretary for Public Works; Archibald C. Fraser, Esq., Under Secretary of Justice; James Barnet, Esq., Colonial Architect; George Read, Esq., Acting Inspector-General of Police; and Cornelius Delohery, Esq., Clerk of Petty Sessions and Acting Stipendiary Magistrate, were sworn and examined.

The Committee deliberated as to whether it was necessary that any further evidence on the subject of the New Central Police Court should be obtained, and it being decided that it was not—

Mr. Humphery moved,—“That the Committee consider it expedient that the New Central Police Court should be erected as proposed on the plans and explained in the evidence before the Committee.”

Mr. Watson seconded the motion, and it was agreed to.

The Committee deliberated as to the order of proceedings at their next meeting.

Mr. Suttor moved,—“That the Committee adjourn until Wednesday evening, the 19th instant, and that they then proceed to consider the proposed Improvements and Additions to the Wharfage accommodation, Woolloomooloo Bay.”

Mr. Garrard seconded the motion, and it was agreed to.

Mr. Suttor moved,—“That the following witnesses be summoned to attend and give evidence on the subject of the proposed improvements to the Circular Quay on Thursday afternoon, the 20th inst.:—The Hon. S. A. Joseph, M.L.C., Chairman of the Sydney Chamber of Commerce; Mr. Littlejohn, of Scott, Henderson & Co.; Mr. R. G. Vallack, of Gardiner & Co.; and M. Conil, Principal Agent of the Messageries Maritimes Co.”

Mr. Watson seconded the motion, and it was agreed to.

The Committee then adjourned until Wednesday evening, the 19th instant, at 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY,

WEDNESDAY, 19 SEPTEMBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 7 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman.

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| The Hon. George Campbell, | Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esq. |
| The Hon. William Henry Suttor, | John Rendell Street, Esq. |
| The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery, | Thomas Michael Slattery, Esq. |
| Alexander Kethel, Esq. | Jacob Garrard, Esq. |

Sydney Smith, Esq.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Committee proceeded to consider the proposed Improvements and Additions to the Wharfage Accommodation, Woolloomooloo Bay.

Joseph Barling, Esq., Under Secretary for Public Works; Robert Hickson, Esq., Acting Engineer-in-Chief for Harbours and Rivers; Captain John Jackson, Manager of the Public Wharves at Sydney; Captain Henry Pettit, Harbour Master, at Sydney; Mr. John William Hilliard, Wharfinger, at Woolloomooloo Bay; Mr. Alexander B. Portus, Superintendent of Dredges; and Mr. John Joseph Earl, Timber Merchant, were sworn and examined.

Mr. Suttor moved,—“That the principal Under Secretary be summoned to produce all papers relating to any arrangement for wharfage accommodation or stores between the Government of New South Wales and the British Admiralty.”

Mr. Campbell seconded the motion and it was agreed to.

On the motion of Mr. Garrard, it was also resolved,—“That application be made to the Colonial Treasurer for all papers and correspondence between the Manager of the Public Wharves and the Treasurer, with reference to wharfage accommodation at Woolloomooloo Bay.”

The Committee then adjourned at five minutes to 10, until 2 p.m., the following day, Thursday, 20th September.

THURSDAY, 20 SEPTEMBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 2 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman.

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| The Hon. George Campbell, | Alexander Kethel, Esq. |
| The Hon. William Henry Suttor, | Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esq. |
| The Hon. James Watson, | John Rendell Street, Esq. |
| The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery, | Jacob Garrard, Esq. |
| Henry Copeland, Esq. | Sydney Smith, Esq. |

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Chairman reported that several members of the Committee—Mr. Campbell, Mr. Suttor, Mr. Kethel, Mr. Abbott, and himself—had that morning visited Woolloomooloo Bay, and by personal observation and inquiry from persons engaged at the wharves there, had made themselves better acquainted with the works to be carried out in accordance with the proposals before the Committee.

The Chairman also reported that Mr. Campbell, Mr. Suttor, and Mr. Abbott, had that morning visited the Circular Quay, and examined those parts of the Quay proposed to be altered or improved according to the plan and evidence before the Committee.

The Committee proceeded to further consider the proposed Improvements to the Circular Quay.

Thomas Littlejohn, Esq., Merchant, the Hon. S. A. Joseph, M.L.C., President of the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney; Richard G. Vallack, Esq., Merchant; and André Conil, Esq., Principal Agent of the Messageries Maritimes Co., were sworn and examined.

George Alfred Tillott, Esq., Assistant Engineer for Harbours and Rivers, was sworn and further examined.

The Committee adjourned at twenty minutes to 5 until 7 p.m. the same evening.

THURSDAY, 20 SEPTEMBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 7 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman.

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| The Hon. George Campbell, | Alexander Kethel, Esq., |
| The Hon. William Henry Suttor, | John Rendell Street, Esq., |
| Henry Copeland, Esq., | Jacob Garrard, Esq., |

Sydney Smith, Esq.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Committee proceeded to further consider the proposed Improvements to the Circular Quay.

Captain Henry Pettit, Harbour Master at Sydney, was sworn and further examined.

The Committee decided to defer any further consideration of the proposed improvements to the Circular Quay, until a plan was prepared showing how the wharfage accommodation on the eastern side could provide for the berthing of the steamers of the Messageries Maritimes Co. close alongside the wharf for their whole length, together with an estimate of the cost of such provision, and information concerning the necessity or otherwise for dredging operations in order to obtain the required depth of water.

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The Committee then resumed consideration of the proposed improvements and additions to the wharfage accommodation, Woolloomooloo Bay.

The papers and correspondence relating to the arrangements between the Government of New South Wales and the British Admiralty regarding the construction of works in connection with the establishment of a Naval Station at Sydney, including the construction of a wharf and the erection of stores at Woolloomooloo Bay, were laid before the Committee and read.

Mr. Suttor raised the objection that in dealing with these papers and correspondence the Committee were going beyond their functions, inasmuch as by the 12th clause of the Public Works Act they were precluded from considering works connected with the military or naval defence of the Colony.

The Committee having deliberated,

The Chairman ruled that, as the object of the Committee in having the papers and correspondence read was simply to elicit the information which would enable them to understand that portion of the proposals with reference to Woolloomooloo Bay, relating to the construction of a new wharf for the Admiralty, the provision of the 12th clause quoted by Mr. Suttor was not in any way infringed.

James Barnet, Esq., Colonial Architect, was sworn and examined.

The Committee deliberated upon the order of proceedings for their next meeting, and it was resolved that the business for the meeting on the following day, should be the consideration of the evidence received with reference to the proposed improvements at the Circular Quay with a view to coming to a decision on the subject.

On the motion of Mr. Kethel it was resolved,—“That the Committee meet at the Redfern Railway Station at 12 o'clock noon, on Thursday next, and proceed by train to Potts' Hill to make inquiry with reference to the proposal for constructing a storage reservoir at Potts' Hill in connection with the Sydney Water Supply, and laying a second line of water pipes between Potts' Hill and Crown-street.”

The Committee adjourned at ten minutes past 9, until 2 o'clock p.m., on Friday, the following day

FRIDAY, 21 SEPTEMBER, 1888.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman,

The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery,
Alexander Kethel, Esq.,

Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esq.,
John Rendell Street, Esq.,

Jacob Garrard, Esq.

There not being a quorum of members present the meeting stood adjourned until Wednesday 26 September, at 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, 26 SEPTEMBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 7 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman,

The Hon. William Henry Suttor,
The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery,
Henry Copeland, Esq.,

Alexander Kethel, Esq.,
Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esq.,
Jacob Garrard, Esq.,

Sydney Smith, Esq.

The minutes of the previous meeting, and of the attendance of members of the Committee on Friday, 21 September, when in consequence of the want of a quorum the meeting stood adjourned, were read and confirmed.

The Secretary read the following correspondence:—

Letter from Mr. George Campbell stating his inability to attend the meetings of the Committee during the present week in consequence of indisposition.

Letter from Mr. G. Withers requesting that Mr. F. B. Gipps, C.E., be examined before the Committee with reference to the Potts Hill scheme in connection with the Sydney Water Supply.

Letter from Mr. J. B. Griffin, Mayor of Manly, drawing attention to the urgency of the need existing for the construction of a bridge over Middle Harbour at the Spit.

Letter from Mr. Will. Swinney forwarding for the information of the Committee a rough sketch to show how the up and down harbour steam ferry traffic might be separated so as to render the chances of collision between ferry boats running from the Circular Quay almost impossible, and requesting an opportunity to further explain the proposal before the Committee.

Letter from Mr. W. R. Benson, Manager of the Wharf Association, Sydney, with reference to the proposed improvements to the Circular Quay, now under the consideration of the Committee.

On the motion of Mr. Abbott it was resolved that the letters be received and acknowledged.

The Secretary also read the following:—

Letter from Mr. Alfred Lamb, forwarding for the information of the Committee a report from Captain Jackson, Manager of the Public Wharves, laid on the table of the Legislative Assembly on the 19th June last and referred to in Mr. Lamb's evidence before the Committee on the 11th instant.

Letter from M. A. Conil, Principal Agent of the Messageries Maritimes Co., enclosing a letter received by him on the 20th February last from the Colonial Treasurer, with reference to extending the wharf on the eastern side of the Circular Quay leased to the Messageries Maritimes Co.

Letter from Mr. T. W. E. David, Geological Surveyor, supplementing the evidence given by him before the Committee with regard to the probable duration of the coal supply in the Newcastle district.

On the motion of Mr. Abbott, it was resolved that these letters be printed and added as appendices to the evidence given by the writers before the Committee.

The Committee proceeded to further consider the proposed improvements to the Circular Quay.

Robert Hickson, Esq., Acting Engineer-in-Chief for Harbours and Rivers, was sworn and further examined.

James Powell, Esq., Collector of Customs; Edmund Compton Batt, Esq. (of Batt, Rodd, & Purves); Arthur L. McCredie, Esq., Architect; and Mr. William Henry Shortland (of Shortland & Sons, Carriers), were sworn and examined.

It was resolved that, before coming to a decision with reference to the improvements to the Circular Quay, the whole of the evidence on the subject be printed and placed in the hands of each member of the Committee.

The Committee proceeded to consider the proposed construction of a storage reservoir at Potts' Hill and the laying of a second line of pipes between Potts' Hill and Crown-street in connection with the Sydney Water Supply.

Joseph Barling, Esq., Under Secretary for Public Works, and Robert Hickson, Esq., Acting Engineer-in-Chief for Harbours and Rivers, were sworn and examined.

The Committee adjourned at 10 o'clock, to meet at the Redfern Railway Station at 12 o'clock noon the following day in order to proceed to Potts' Hill.

THURSDAY, 27 SEPTEMBER, 1888.

The Committee met at noon at the Redfern Railway Station.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

The Honorable John Lackey, Chairman.

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| The Honorable William Henry Suttor, The Honorable Frederick Thomas Humphery, Henry Copeland, Esq., | | Alexander Kethel, Esq., Jacob Garrard, Esq., Sydney Smith, Esq. |
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The Committee proceeded by train to Rookwood and thence by vehicle to Potts' Hill, where, with the assistance of Mr. Hickson, Acting Engineer-in-Chief for Harbours and Rivers, and Mr. Houson, resident engineer, they carefully examined the plans of the proposed storage reservoir and the second line of pipes from Potts' Hill to Crown-street, and also the site of the reservoir and the work at present in progress there. At the termination of the inspection at Potts' Hill, the Committee, accompanied by the Acting Engineer-in-Chief for Harbours and Rivers, drove along the proposed route for the second line of pipes from Potts' Hill to Crown-street reservoir, examining it the whole of the way.

THURSDAY, 27 SEPTEMBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 7 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

The Honorable John Lackey, Chairman.

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| The Honorable William Henry Suttor, The Honorable Frederick Thomas Humphery, Henry Copeland, Esq., | | Alexander Kethel, Esq., Jacob Garrard, Esq., Sydney Smith, Esq. |
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The minutes of the two previous meetings were read and confirmed.

The Committee further considered the proposed construction of a storage reservoir at Potts' Hill and the laying of a second line of pipes between Potts' Hill and Crown-street, in connection with the Sydney Water Supply.

Robert Hickson, Esq., Acting Engineer-in-Chief for Harbours and Rivers, was sworn and further examined.

Thomas Rowe, Esq., President of the Water and Sewerage Board, and John Trevor Jones, Esq., Engineer of the Water and Sewerage Board, were sworn and examined.

The Committee adjourned at twenty minutes to 10 until 2 o'clock the following day.

FRIDAY, 28 SEPTEMBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 2 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman.

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| The Hon. William Henry Suttor, The Hon. James Watson, The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery, Henry Copeland, Esq., | | Alexander Kethel, Esq., Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esq., Jacob Garrard, Esq., Sydney Smith, Esq. |
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The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Mr. Abbott drew attention to a criticism in the *Sydney Morning Herald* of some evidence given before the Committee with reference to certain proposed works, the inquiry concerning which was not yet completed, and pointed out that if such a course were continued by the Press it might become necessary to exclude the Press from the meetings of the Committee while the inquiries made by them were proceeding.

The Committee further considered the proposed construction of a storage reservoir at Potts' Hill and the laying of a second line of pipes between Potts' Hill and Crown-street.

John Trevor Jones, Esq., Engineer of the Water and Sewerage Board, was sworn and further examined.

The Committee deliberated upon the order of proceedings for their next meeting, and it was resolved that the business for the next meeting should be to consider the evidence and to decide with reference to the proposed improvements to the Circular Quay and the proposed storage reservoir at Potts' Hill and the laying of the second line of pipes from Potts' Hill to Crown-street.

The Committee adjourned at ten minutes past 4 until 7 p.m. on Wednesday, 3rd October.

WEDNESDAY, 3 OCTOBER, 1888.

MEMBERS PRESENT :—

Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esq., Vice-Chairman.

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| <p>The Hon. George Campbell, The Hon. William Henry Suttor,</p> | | <p>John Rendell Street, Esq., Jacob Garrard, Esq., Sydney Smith, Esq.</p> |
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There not being a quorum of Members present, the meeting stood adjourned until 2 p.m. on Thursday, the following day.

THURSDAY, 4 OCTOBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 2 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT :—

Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esq., Vice-Chairman.

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| <p>The Hon. George Campbell, The Hon. William Henry Suttor, The Hon. James Watson, The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery,</p> | | <p>Alexander Kethel, Esq., John Rendell Street, Esq., Jacob Garrard, Esq., Sydney Smith, Esq.</p> |
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The minutes of the previous meeting, and of the attendance of members of the Committee on Wednesday, 3rd October, when in consequence of the want of a quorum the meeting stood adjourned, were read and confirmed.

The Secretary read the following correspondence :—

Letter from the Chairman, regretting that an important engagement prevented him from attending the meeting of the Committee that afternoon, and informing the Committee that he would be present at the meeting in the evening.

Letter from Mr. Kethel, stating that in consequence of his visiting Kiama on Wednesday, the 3rd inst., he would be unable to attend the meeting of the Committee called for that day.

Letter from Mr. Joseph Barling, Under Secretary for Public Works, enclosing a communication from the Water Supply Department of Melbourne with reference to the water supply of that city.

On the motion of Mr. Suttor, it was resolved, that Mr. Barling's letter with the enclosures be printed, as an appendix to his evidence with reference to the laying of a second line of pipes between Potts' Hill and Crown-street.

The Committee proceeded to further consider the proposed Storage Reservoir at Potts' Hill, and the laying of a second line of pipes from Potts' Hill to Crown-street.

Mr. Suttor desired to move :—“That the Committee do not further consider the question of the construction of the proposed Potts' Hill reservoir, on the ground that the Government have already entered into a contract for the carrying out of the work.”

The Committee having deliberated, Mr. Barling was called in, sworn, and examined as to the date and nature of the contract entered into for the construction of the reservoir.

The Committee further deliberated, and Mr. Suttor, in order to have the matter discussed, moved :—“That as the Government have already, and before the appointment of the Committee, taken a contract for £49,763 14s., for the purpose of constructing a reservoir at Potts' Hill, this Committee declines to assert the expediency or otherwise of constructing such work.”

Mr. Campbell formally seconded the motion.

The motion, after discussion, was withdrawn.

Reginald Bloxome, Esq., Secretary of the Water and Sewerage Board, was sworn and examined.

Robert Hickson, Esq., Acting Engineer-in-Chief for Harbours and Rivers, was sworn, and further examined.

The Committee deliberated as to whether any further evidence was required on the subject of the Potts' Hill reservoir, and the Second Line of Pipes.

Mr. Garrard moved, and Mr. Sydney Smith seconded the motion, “That Mr. F. B. Gipps be examined before the Committee.”

The motion was negatived by six votes to three on the following division :—

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| <p style="text-align: center;">Ayes.</p> <p>Mr. Garrard, Mr. Sydney Smith, Mr. Humphery.</p> | | <p style="text-align: center;">Noes.</p> <p>Mr. Abbott, Mr. Suttor, Mr. Watson, Mr. Kethel, Mr. Street, Mr. Campbell.</p> |
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Mr. Garrard moved, and Mr. Sydney Smith seconded the motion :—“That Mr. W. C. Bennett, Commissioner for Roads, be examined before the Committee, with reference to the Potts' Hill reservoir, and the laying of the second line of pipes.”

The motion was agreed to.

It was resolved that the further consideration of the Potts' Hill reservoir, and the Laying of the Second Line of Pipes, be postponed until next Wednesday, the Secretary to be informed in the meantime of the names of any witness in addition to Mr. W. C. Bennett, whom the members of the Committee might consider it desirable to have examined.

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The Committee proceeded to consider the evidence on the proposed improvements to the Circular Quay.

Mr. Garrard moved, and Mr. Suttor seconded the motion:—"That the Committee consider it expedient the proposed improvements to the Circular Quay be carried out, but recommend the alteration of the design of the wharf for the Messageries Maritimes Company, on the eastern side, at a cost not exceeding £5000, as shown on the amended plan."

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. Suttor moved:—"That the Committee proceed to consider at their meeting this evening, the proposed drainage works at Manly."

Mr. Campbell seconded the motion, and it was agreed to.

The Committee adjourned at a quarter past 4 until 7 o'clock in the evening.

THURSDAY, 4 OCTOBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 7 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman.

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| The Hon. George Campbell, | Alexander Kethel, Esq., |
| The Hon. William Henry Suttor, | John Rendell Street, Esq., |
| The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery, | Jacob Garrard, Esq., |
| Sydney Smith, Esq. | |

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Committee proceeded to consider the proposed drainage works at Manly.

Joseph Barling, Esq., Under Secretary for Public Works; William Christopher Bennett, Esq., Commissioner and Engineer for Roads; and George Henry Stayton, Esq., Engineer, Roads and Bridges Department, were sworn and examined.

The Committee adjourned at 9 o'clock until 2 o'clock p.m. the following day, Friday.

FRIDAY, 5 OCTOBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 2 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman.

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| The Hon. George Campbell, | Alexander Kethel, Esq., |
| The Hon. William Henry Suttor, | John Rendell Street, Esq., |
| The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery, | Jacob Garrard, Esq., |
| Henry Copeland, Esq., | Sydney Smith, Esq. |

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Secretary read the following correspondence:—Letter from Mr. James Powell.

It was resolved that the letter should be published as an appendix to the evidence given by Mr. Powell before the Committee.

The Committee further considered the proposed drainage works at Manly.

J. G. Griffin, Esq., Mayor of Manly; Alexander Dean, Esq., Builder, and a resident of Manly; and J. A. Scarr, Esq., Alderman of Manly, were sworn and examined.

George Henry Stayton, Esq., Engineer, Roads and Bridges Department, was sworn, and further examined.

The Committee adjourned at 4 o'clock until 7 p.m. on Wednesday, 10th October.

WEDNESDAY, 10 OCTOBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 7 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman.

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| The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery, | John Rendell Street, Esq., |
| Henry Copeland, Esq., | Jacob Garrard, Esq., |
| Alexander Kethel, Esq., | Sydney Smith, Esq. |

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Secretary read the following correspondence:—

Letter from Mr. Alfred Lamb, correcting some portions of his evidence.

Letter from Mr. Thomas Ewing, M.P., for the electorate of the Richmond, bringing under the notice of the Committee the present unsatisfactory state of the bar at the Richmond River, and urging the consideration of the scheme for the improvement of the entrance to the river referred to the Committee by Parliament.

The letters were received.

The Committee further considered the proposed Storage Reservoir at Potts' Hill, and the Laying of a Second Line of Pipes between Potts' Hill and Crown-street.

William Christopher Bennett, Esq., Commissioner and Engineer for Roads, and F. A. Bishop, Esq., Civil Engineer, were sworn and examined.

Mr. Garrard gave notice that he would move at the next meeting of the Committee—"That the resolution of the Committee on the 4th October, not to examine Mr. F. B. Gipps, be rescinded."

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The Committee proceeded to consider the proposed Drainage Works at North Shore. Joseph Barling, Esq., Under Secretary for Public Works; W. C. Bennett, Esq., Commissioner and Engineer for Roads; George Henry Stayton, Esq., Engineer, Roads and Bridges Department; Dr. John Ashburton Thompson; Mr. P. W. Glacken, Mayor of East St. Leonards; Mr. Frederick Smith, Mayor of Victoria; and Captain Benjamin Jenkins, Mayor of St. Leonards, were sworn and examined. George Henry Stayton, Esq., was recalled and further examined. The Committee adjourned at ten minutes past 10 until 2 o'clock p.m. the following day.

THURSDAY, 11 OCTOBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 2 o'clock p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esq., Vice-Chairman.

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| The Hon. George Campbell, | | John Rendell Street, Esq., |
| The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery, | | Jacob Garrard, Esq., |
| Henry Copeland, Esq., | | Alexander Kethel, Esq., |
| | | Sydney Smith, Esq. |

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Secretary read the following correspondence:—

Letter from the Chairman informing the Committee of his inability to be present at that day's meeting, and suggesting that in view of the early meeting of Parliament, it would be desirable to call a special meeting of the Committee for Wednesday, the 17th instant, in order that the business before the Committee, in regard to which evidence had been taken, might be finally dealt with, and such works concluded as were practicable before the commencement of the Parliamentary Session.

Letter from Mr. Robert J. King, informing the Committee that important evidence could be given with respect to the advantages from the proposed improvements at Woolloomooloo Bay, and requesting that the Committee would allow time for the production of that evidence.

The letters were received.

Mr. Garrard, in accordance with the notice given by him at the previous meeting of the Committee, moved,—“That the resolution of the Committee on the 4th October not to examine Mr. F. B. Gipps be rescinded.”

Mr. Sydney Smith seconded the motion.

The motion was negatived on the following division:—

Ayes.

Mr. Garrard,
Mr. Sydney Smith,
Mr. Humphery.

Noes.

Mr. Street,
Mr. Kethel,
Mr. Copeland,
Mr. Campbell,
Mr. Abbott.

The Committee further considered the proposed Drainage Works at North Shore.

Mr. Walter L. Vernon, Alderman of East St. Leonards; Mr. John Trevor Jones, Engineer to the Water and Sewerage Board; and Mr. Charles Chatfield, were sworn and examined.

George Henry Stayton, Esq., Engineer, Roads and Bridges Department, was sworn and further examined.

The Committee deliberated as to whether it were necessary that any further evidence should be taken in regard to the proposed Drainage Works at North Shore, and it being decided that it was not, the evidence was closed.

The Committee also deliberated as to whether any further evidence were necessary in relation to the proposed Drainage Works at Manly, and it was decided that the evidence respecting that matter should be closed.

Mr. Street moved,—“That the Committee consider it expedient that the drainage works at Manly should be carried out as proposed on the plan and explained in the evidence before the Committee.”

Mr. Sydney Smith seconded the motion, and it was agreed to.

Mr. Sydney Smith moved,—“That the Committee consider it expedient that the drainage works for North Shore should be carried out as proposed on the plan and explained in the evidence before the Committee, at an expense of £77,062, and recommend the adoption of the enlarged scheme at an additional cost of £29,938.”

Mr. Copeland seconded the motion, and it was agreed to.

Mr. Humphery moved,—“That the Committee consider it expedient that the Storage Reservoir at Potts Hill should be completed in accordance with the plan and as explained in the evidence before the Committee.”

Mr. Copeland seconded the motion, which, after some discussion, was allowed to stand over until the next meeting of the Committee.

The Committee adjourned at five minutes past 4 until Wednesday evening, the 17th instant, at 7 o'clock.

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WEDNESDAY, 17 OCTOBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 7 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

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| The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman, | |
| The Hon. George Campbell, | John Rendell Street, Esq., |
| The Hon. William Henry Suttor, | Thomas Michael Slattery, Esq., |
| The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery, | Jacob Garrard, Esq., |
| Sydney Smith, Esq. | |

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Secretary read the following correspondence:—

Letter from Mr. Alexander Kethel, informing the Committee of his inability to attend the meeting of that evening.

Letter from Mr. Samuel Nathan, drawing the attention of the Committee to the state of the thoroughfare from the Pottery Hotel through to Wilton-street, Strawberry Hills.

Letter from Mr. James Dowling, secretary of the Combined Committee of the Iron Trades, requesting the Committee to receive a deputation with reference to the manufacture of iron work.

Letter from Captain Jackson, Manager of Public Wharves, to the Under Secretary for Works, forwarding a statement of revenue obtained from Cowper Wharf from the date of its construction to the 30th June, 1888.

Letter from the Principal Under Secretary, forwarding the opinion of the Attorney-General with reference to a point raised at a meeting of the Committee on 4th September, regarding the requirements of the 13th section of the Public Works Act.

The letters were received.

Report from Mr. A. B. Portus, Superintendent of Dredges, with reference to dredging in Woolloomooloo Bay.

It was resolved that the Report be published as an appendix to the evidence given by Mr. Portus, relative to the proposed improvements in Woolloomooloo Bay.

The Committee proceeded to consider the evidence taken with regard to the proposed Storage Reservoir at Potts' Hill, and the laying of the Second Line of Pipes between Potts' Hill and Crown-street.

Mr. Suttor moved,—“That the Committee consider it expedient that the storage reservoir at Potts' Hill be completed as proposed in the plans and explained in the evidence before the Committee.”

Mr. Campbell seconded the motion, and it was agreed to.

Mr. Street moved,—“That the Committee consider it expedient that the laying of the second line of pipes between Potts' Hill and Crown-street, as proposed on the plan and explained in the evidence before the Committee, be carried out.”

Mr. Suttor seconded the motion, and it was agreed to.

On the motion of Mr. Garrard it was resolved,—“That the inquiry relating to the proposed Improvements and Additions to Woolloomooloo Bay be allowed to stand over until the appointment of another Committee, the time at the disposal of the present Committee not being sufficient to permit of its completion.”

The Committee then proceeded to consider their Reports to the Legislative Assembly upon the various works inquired into, and their General Report to His Excellency the Governor; and reports upon the Proposed Harbour Improvements at Newcastle, New Central Police Court, and Improvements to the Circular Quay, were read and adopted.

The question of Estimates of probable expenditure in connection with the Committee for 1888 and 1889 was brought before the meeting, and Estimates forwarded to the Minister for Works, were read.

The Committee adjourned at fifteen minutes to 10, until half-past 7 o'clock the following evening.

THURSDAY, 18 OCTOBER, 1888.

The Committee met at 7:30 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

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| The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman. | |
| The Hon. George Campbell, | John Rendell Street, Esq., |
| The Hon. William Henry Suttor, | Thomas Michael Slattery, Esq., |
| The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery, | Jacob Garrard, Esq., |
| Sydney Smith, Esq. | |

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Committee proceeded to consider their report to the Legislative Assembly, upon the proposed Drainage Works at Manly, and the report was adopted.

The Committee also further considered their General Report to His Excellency the Governor.

The meeting adjourned at 10 o'clock until half-past 11 o'clock on Monday, 22nd October.

MONDAY, 22 OCTOBER, 1888.

The Committee met at half-past 11 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

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| The Hon. John Lackey, Chairman. | | |
| The Hon. George Campbell, The Hon. James Watson, The Hon. Frederick Thomas Humphery, Alexander Kethel, Esq., | | Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esq., John Rendell Street, Esq., Thomas Michael Slattery, Esq., Jacob Garrard, Esq., Sydney Smith, Esq. |

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Secretary read the following correspondence:—

Letter from Mr. Benjamin Backhouse, requesting to be allowed to give evidence before the Committee on the question of sewerage.

The letter was received.

The Committee proceeded to consider their reports to the Legislative Assembly on the Proposed Drainage Works, at North Shore; and the Storage Reservoir, at Potts' Hill, and the laying of a Second Line of Pipes between Potts' Hill and Crown-street; and the Reports were adopted.

The Committee then further considered their General Report to His Excellency the Governor, and the Report was adopted.

Mr. Garrard moved, and Mr. Sydney Smith seconded the motion,—

“That a hearty vote of thanks be accorded to the Honorable John Lackey for his services as Chairman of the Committee.”

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. Sydney Smith moved, and Mr. Campbell seconded the motion,—

“That the thanks of the Committee be accorded to Joseph Palmer Abbott, Esq., for his services as Vice-Chairman.”

The motion was agreed to.

The Committee then adjourned *sine die*.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

PUBLIC WORKS (COMMITTEE REMUNERATION) BILL.
(MESSAGE No. 2, RECOMMENDING.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 8 November, 1888.

CARRINGTON,
Governor.

Message No. 2.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 54th section of the Constitution Act, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly the expediency of making provision to meet the requisite expenses in connection with a Bill to provide for the remuneration of the Members of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works.

*Government House,
Sydney, 1st November, 1888.*

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

PRIVILEGE—CHARGES AGAINST MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT.
(MINUTE RECOMMENDING APPOINTMENT OF ROYAL COMMISSION TO INQUIRE INTO.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 19 December, 1888.

Royal Commission to inquire into Charges against Members of Parliament and
others regarding disposal of the Tramways.

I RECOMMEND the appointment of the undermentioned gentlemen to be a Royal Commission to make a strict and immediate inquiry into all charges or accusations against Members of Parliament, or other persons, as contained in the official reports of the debates of the Legislative Assembly on December 12th, 13th, 14th, and 18th, so far as they tend to implicate any Member or Members, or other persons whatever, in corrupt or improper conduct in connection with the proposal of the Government to dispose of the Tramways in the City of Sydney and the Suburbs, and to take any steps which they may deem to be necessary (including visits to Melbourne, or other places, if so deemed necessary), to arrive at the truth in the premises and to see that justice to all parties is done, viz. :—

CHARLES EDWARD PILCHER, ESQUIRE, Q.C. (President),
EDWARD WILLIAM KNOX, ESQUIRE, and
ALFRED LAMB, ESQUIRE.

HENRY PARKES.

Approved.—CARRINGTON, 19/12/88.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

ELECTORAL ROLLS.

(YEARS 1880, 1881-82, 1882-83, 1883-84, 1884-85, 1885-86, 1886-87, 1887-88, AND 1888-89.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 11 January, 1889.

RETURN showing the past operation of the Expansive Clauses (6, 7, 8, and 9) of the "Electoral Act of 1880" (44 Vic. No. 13)—the Names of the Electorates which were proclaimed capable of returning an Additional Member to the Legislative Assembly, at the General Election, February, 1887, under the same clauses—and the Number of Electors in each Electorate in New South Wales, upon the Roll thereof for the Years 1880, 1881-82, 1882-83, 1883-84, 1884-85, 1885-86, 1886-87, 1887-88, and 1888-89, respectively.

| Electoral Districts. | Number of Members. | | | | | | | | | | | Grand Total. | Rolls for 1880. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1881-82. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1882-83. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1883-84. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1884-85. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1885-86. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1886-87. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1887-88. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1888-89. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | | | | |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|----|----------------|---------------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|--------|---------------------|--------|--------------|--|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|
| | General Election, Nov.-Dec., 1882. | | General Election, October, 1885. | | | | | General Election, February, 1887. | | Under Proclamation. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Under section 5 of Act. | | 24 October, 1882. | | 4 March, 1884. | 17 September, 1884. | 4 July, 1885. | 9 July, 1885. | Total. | 24 November, 1886. | Total. | | | | | | | | | | | 5 July, 1887. | 14 March, 1888. | 6 July, 1888. | By Act of Parliament, 51 Vic. No. 24. |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Albury | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,365 | 1,234 | 1,136 | 1,322 | 1,288 | 1,322 | 1,447 | 1,444 | 1,432 | | |
| Argyle | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2,770 | 2,819 | 2,759 | 2,897 | 2,912 | 2,692 | 2,759 | 2,883 | 2,887 | | |
| Balmain | 4 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 3,221 | 3,859 | 4,354 | 5,119 | 5,757 | 6,759 | 7,900 | 8,686 | 9,128 | | |
| Balranald | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2,949 | 3,404 | 3,387 | 3,615 | 3,765 | 3,777 | 4,036 | 4,064 | 4,469 | | |
| Bathurst | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,426 | 1,445 | 1,463 | 1,637 | 1,720 | 1,773 | 1,863 | 1,962 | 1,957 | | |
| The Bogan | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3,280 | 3,250 | 3,577 | 4,628 | 4,722 | 4,386 | 4,876 | 4,923 | 5,298 | | |
| Boorowa | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,387 | 1,353 | 1,291 | 1,202 | 1,104 | 1,107 | 1,103 | 1,081 | 1,142 | | |
| Bourke | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 3,748 | 3,494 | 3,972 | 5,768 | 5,714 | 3,889 | 4,431 | 5,289 | 5,483 | | |
| Braidwood | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,564 | 1,619 | 1,601 | 1,609 | 1,403 | 1,427 | 1,501 | 1,571 | 1,609 | | |
| Camden | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 3,438 | 3,637 | 3,931 | 4,271 | 4,448 | 4,448* | 4,977 | 5,347 | 5,542 | | |
| Canterbury | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 4 | .. | 4 | .. | .. | .. | 4 | 5,421 | 5,761 | 6,737 | 8,959 | 9,470 | 10,520 | 12,645 | 15,221 | 16,514 | | |
| Carcoar | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2,667 | 2,689 | 2,858 | 3,006 | 3,105 | 3,095 | 3,514 | 3,814 | 3,730 | | |
| The Clarence | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,956 | 1,721 | 1,638 | 1,728 | 1,772 | 1,832 | 1,951 | 1,934 | 1,944 | | |
| Central Cumberland | 3 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 3,523 | 3,597 | 3,860 | 4,761 | 5,841 | 6,011 | 7,882 | 9,005 | 9,689 | | |
| Durham | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,472 | 1,481 | 1,489 | 1,438 | 1,429 | 1,433 | 1,491 | 1,543 | 1,576 | | |
| Eden | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2,582 | 2,605 | 2,740 | 2,808 | 3,008 | 3,140 | 3,289 | 3,425 | 3,521 | | |
| Forbes | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2,794 | 2,617 | 2,674 | 3,054 | 2,548 | 2,461 | 2,409 | 2,354 | 2,499 | | |
| The Glebe | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,967 | 2,147 | 2,359 | 2,755 | 3,129 | 3,256 | 3,653 | 4,042 | 4,269 | | |
| Glen Innes | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,575 | 1,577 | 1,860 | 2,257 | 2,218 | 2,426 | 2,832 | 3,040 | 2,301 | | |
| Gloucester | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,527 | 1,678 | 1,426 | 1,696 | 1,548 | 1,655 | 1,638 | 1,725 | 1,771 | | |
| Goulburn | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,546 | 1,596 | 1,657 | 1,822 | 1,949 | 2,079 | 2,187 | 2,200 | 2,319 | | |
| Grafton | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,897 | 1,918 | 1,965 | 1,981 | 2,008 | 2,124 | 2,068 | 2,128 | 2,287 | | |
| Grenfell | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,614 | 1,646 | 1,650 | 1,692 | 1,524 | 1,456 | 1,597 | 1,647 | 1,767 | | |
| Gundagai | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,749 | 1,806 | 1,744 | 1,817 | 1,896 | 2,375 | 2,614 | 2,224 | 2,221 | | |
| Gunnedah | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,916 | 1,956 | 2,085 | 1,876 | 1,872 | 1,953 | 2,047 | 1,982 | 1,983 | | |
| The Gwydir | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,684 | 1,791 | 1,684 | 1,817 | 1,799 | 1,961 | 1,974 | 2,390 | 2,466 | | |
| Hartley | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,677 | 1,719 | 2,012 | 1,965 | 2,047 | 2,003 | 2,220 | 2,325 | 2,401 | | |
| The Hastings and Manning | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2,328 | 2,356 | 2,379 | 2,515 | 2,556 | 2,590 | 2,933 | 3,012 | 3,117 | | |
| The Hawkesbury | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,971 | 2,021 | 2,025 | 2,075 | 2,031 | 2,103 | 2,283 | 2,328 | 2,474 | | |
| The Humo | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2,949 | 3,016 | 2,777 | 2,654 | 2,665 | 2,713 | 2,606 | 2,640 | 2,641 | | |
| The Hunter | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,366 | 1,356 | 1,274 | 1,253 | 1,288 | 1,364 | 1,403 | 1,530 | 1,627 | | |
| The Upper Hunter | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2,790 | 2,773 | 2,668 | 2,715 | 2,743 | 2,822 | 2,871 | 2,947 | 3,045 | | |
| Illawarra | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,831 | 1,743 | 1,711 | 1,692 | 1,792 | 2,365 | 2,873 | 3,111 | 3,172 | | |
| Inverell | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,783 | 1,882 | 1,779 | 1,908 | 1,883 | 1,839 | 2,049 | 2,177 | 2,336 | | |
| Kiama | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,288 | 1,335 | 1,379 | 1,484 | 1,491 | 1,565 | 1,621 | 1,774 | 1,649 | | |
| The Macleay | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,738 | 1,808 | 1,894 | 2,089 | 2,216 | 2,577 | 3,032 | 3,307 | 3,587 | | |
| East Macquarie | 2 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2,055 | 2,070 | 2,062 | 2,008 | 2,077 | 2,239 | 2,805 | 2,842 | 2,605 | | |
| West Macquarie | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1,112 | 1,122 | 1,080 | 1,037 | 1,050 | 1,083 | 1,109 | 1,133 | 1,187 | | |
| East Maitland | 1 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 966 | 966 | 984 | 982 | 1,018 | 1,075 | 1,161 | 1,227 | 1,265 | | |

* The Roll for 1885-86 not having been perfected, the Roll for 1884-85 was partially used in substitution for it.

| Electoral Districts | Number of Members. | | | | | | | | | | | | | Grand Total | Rolls for 1830. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1831-32. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1832-33. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1833-34. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1834-35. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1835-36. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1836-37. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1837-38. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | Rolls for 1838-39. No. of Names on Roll for each Electorate. | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------|------------------------------------|----------------|----------------------------------|---------------|---------------------|--------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------|---------------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------|--|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|--------|--|---------------|--|-----------------|--|---------------|--|---------------------------------------|--|--|
| | General Election, Nov.-Dec., 1832. | | General Election, October, 1835. | | | | | General Election, February, 1837. | | Under Proclamation. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Under section 5 of Act. | | 4 March, 1834. | | 17 September, 1834. | | 4 July, 1835. | | 9 July, 1835. | | Total. | | 24 November, 1836. | | | | | | | | | | | Total. | | 5 July, 1837. | | 14 March, 1838. | | 6 July, 1838. | | By Act of Parliament, 51 Vic. No. 24. | | |
| | 24 October, 1832. | 4 March, 1834. | 17 September, 1834. | 4 July, 1835. | 9 July, 1835. | Total. | 24 November, 1836. | Total. | 5 July, 1837. | 14 March, 1838. | 6 July, 1838. | By Act of Parliament, 51 Vic. No. 24. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| West Maitland | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1,223 | 1,233 | 1,214 | 1,349 | 1,468 | 1,647 | 1,633 | 1,773 | 1,864 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Molong | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1,855 | 1,937 | 1,859 | 1,754 | 1,722 | 1,866 | 1,867 | 1,887 | 2,017 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Monaro | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2,590 | 2,653 | 2,736 | 2,843 | 2,773 | 2,846 | 3,109 | 3,553 | 3,639 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Morpeth | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1,169 | 1,178 | 1,162 | 1,191 | 1,187 | 1,189 | 1,250 | 1,281 | 1,313 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mudgee | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | ... | 3 | ... | ... | ... | 3 | ... | 4,443 | 4,491 | 4,982 | 5,120 | 4,638 | 4,026 | 3,933 | 3,808 | 3,975 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| The Murray | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 3,191 | 3,316 | 2,942 | 3,010 | 2,768 | 2,721 | 2,879 | 2,846 | 2,929 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| The Murrumbidgee | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 3,191 | 3,316 | 2,942 | 3,010 | 2,768 | 2,721 | 2,879 | 2,846 | 2,929 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| The Namoi | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 5,258 | 5,143 | 4,876 | 5,979 | 6,805 | 6,961 | 7,936 | 7,750 | 7,577 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| The Nepean | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1,744 | 1,758 | 1,987 | 2,173 | 2,148 | 2,163 | 2,517 | 2,707 | 2,968 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Newcastle | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1,338 | 1,336 | 1,474 | 1,568 | 1,676 | 1,717 | 1,862 | 2,148 | 2,516 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| New England | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 3,383 | 3,338 | 3,312 | 3,532 | 3,875 | 4,362 | 5,160 | 6,153 | 6,345 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Newtown | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 3,430 | 3,582 | 3,923 | 4,061 | 3,625 | 3,635 | 3,908 | 3,910 | 4,161 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Northumberland | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 3,430 | 3,582 | 3,923 | 4,061 | 3,625 | 3,635 | 3,908 | 3,910 | 4,161 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Orange | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 3,376 | 3,524 | 3,812 | 4,358 | 4,929 | 5,406 | 6,123 | 6,766 | 7,112 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Paddington | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 3,765 | 3,567 | 3,563 | 3,754 | 4,066 | 4,940 | 5,482 | 6,206 | 6,559 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Parramatta | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2,463 | 2,626 | 2,702 | 2,426 | 2,444 | 2,689 | 2,684 | 2,682 | 2,736 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Patrick's Plains | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 4,044 | 4,273 | 4,546 | 5,358 | 6,034 | 6,728 | 7,742 | 8,381 | 9,295 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Queanbeyan | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1,429 | 1,473 | 1,538 | 1,707 | 1,829 | 1,875 | 2,046 | 2,170 | 2,269 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Redfern | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1,522 | 1,538 | 1,561 | 1,475 | 1,524 | 1,573 | 1,737 | 1,785 | 1,794 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| The Richmond | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 1,712 | 1,681 | 1,679 | 1,601 | 1,597 | 1,936 | 2,608 | 1,920 | 1,708 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Shoalhaven | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 5,409 | 5,358 | 5,947 | 6,630 | 7,385 | 7,675 | 8,592 | 9,159 | 9,324 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| St. Leonards | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 2,632 | 2,673 | 2,924 | 3,686 | 3,939 | 4,668 | 5,170 | 5,439 | 5,930 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sturt | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1,938 | 1,941 | 1,942 | 1,959 | 1,990 | 2,022 | 2,166 | 2,335 | 2,500 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| East Sydney | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | 4 | ... | 2,717 | 2,810 | 3,082 | 3,523 | 3,831 | 4,264 | 5,283 | 5,807 | 6,349 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Sydney | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | 4 | ... | 8,992 | 8,504 | 8,045 | 8,923 | 8,799 | 10,240 | 10,888 | 10,889 | 10,889 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| West Sydney | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 4 | ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | 4 | ... | 8,127 | 7,997 | 7,905 | 8,562 | 8,978 | 8,724 | 9,620 | 9,730 | 9,548 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tamworth | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 8,882 | 9,451 | 9,330 | 10,061 | 10,036 | 10,439 | 11,523 | 11,442 | 11,409 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tenterfield | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 3,638 | 3,442 | 3,015 | 2,884 | 2,882 | 2,871 | 3,067 | 3,208 | 3,470 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tumut | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1,411 | 1,353 | 1,385 | 1,412 | 1,910 | 2,312 | 2,326 | 2,320 | 2,498 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wellington | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1,931 | 1,898 | 1,854 | 1,907 | 1,840 | 1,844 | 1,744 | 1,737 | 1,769 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *Wentworth | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1,639 | 1,527 | 1,268 | 1,341 | 1,269 | 1,316 | 1,342 | 1,441 | 1,553 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wilcannia | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1,901 | 1,900 | 2,997 | 3,828 | 3,835 | 4,882 | 5,444 | 5,617† | 1,447 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wollombi | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,224 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Yass Plains | 1 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1 | ... | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 1,288 | 1,299 | 1,347 | 1,409 | 1,435 | 1,672 | 1,912 | 1,934 | 2,257 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Young | 2 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 2 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | ... | 1,858 | 1,891 | 2,002 | 1,990 | 1,923 | 1,838 | 1,953 | 1,972 | 2,077 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| GRAND TOTAL | 108 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 122 | 2 | 124 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 134 | 188,414 | 192,214 | 196,250 | 214,016 | 221,483 | 232,244 | 256,781 | 270,394 | 280,153 | | | | | | | | | | | |

* This Electorate was subdivided by Act of Parliament (51 Vic. No. 24) into three Electoral Districts, viz. :—Wentworth, Wilcannia, and Sturt, each to return one Member. The Act to commence and take effect from date of next dissolution of the Legislative Assembly. † The Roll for 1887-88 not having been perfected, the Roll for 1886-87 was partially used in substitution for it.

EFFECT of Expansive Clauses on Electoral Rolls for 1888-89.

| Electoral Districts. | Roll. 1886-87. | Roll. 1887-88. | Roll. 1888-89. | Remarks. |
|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---|
| The Bogan..... | 4,876 | 4,923 | 5,298 | May be proclaimed capable of returning <i>Three</i> Members to Parliament at next General Election. |
| Bourke..... | 4,431 | 5,289 | 5,483 | May be proclaimed capable of returning <i>Three</i> Members to Parliament at next General Election. |
| Central Cumberland.. | 7,882 | 9,005 | 9,689 | May be proclaimed capable of returning <i>Four</i> Members to Parliament at next General Election. |
| Illawarra | 2,873 | 3,111 | 3,172 | Proclaimed capable of returning <i>Two</i> Members to Parliament, 6th July, 1888. |
| The Murrumbidgee.. | 7,936 | 7,750 | 7,577 | Cannot be proclaimed, because number on Roll for 1888-89 only 7,577 instead of 8,000. |
| The Namoi | 2,517 | 2,707 | 2,968 | Cannot be proclaimed, because number on Roll for 1888-89 only 2,968 instead of 3,000. |

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1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

COMMISSION OF INQUIRY INTO THE CIVIL SERVICE.
(INFORMATION RESPECTING MEETINGS HELD AND ATTENDANCE OF MEMBERS.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 7 November, 1888.

RETURN to an *Order* made by the Honorable the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, dated 25th October, 1888, That there be laid upon the Table of this House, a Return showing,—

- “ (1.) The names of the gentlemen who have been appointed from time to time on the Civil Service Inquiry Board. .
“ (2.) The names of the gentlemen who have resigned.
“ (3.) The names of the existing Board.
“ (4.) The number of sittings of such Board and the attendance of each of the members.
“ (5.) The remuneration paid or payable to such Board for each sitting.”

(Mr. Dibbs.)

QUESTION No. 1.

THE names of the gentlemen who have been appointed from time to time on the Public Service Inquiry Commission :—

| | |
|-----------|--|
| 16/12/87. | The Honorable James Watson, M.L.C. |
| ” | Thomas Allright Dibbs, Esq. |
| ” | Robert David Fitzgerald, Esq. |
| ” | Jacob Garrard, Esq., M.P. |
| ” | William M'Millan, Esq., M.P. |
| ” | Christopher Rolleston, Esq., C.M.G. |
| ” | John See, Esq., M.P. |
| 17/4/88. | James Thomson, Esq. |
| 17/8/88. | The Honorable Samuel Aron Joseph, M.L.C. |
| ” | Bernhard Ringrose Wise, Esq., M.P. |

QUESTION No. 2.

THE names of the gentlemen who have resigned :—

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| John See, Esq., M.P. | Attended once only. |
| Christopher Rolleston, Esq., C.M.G. | Deceased, 9th April, 1888. |
| The Honorable James Watson, M.L.C. | |
| William M'Millan, Esq., M.P. | |

QUESTION No. 3.

THE names of the existing Board :—

Jacob Garrard, Esq., President.
 Thomas Allwright Dibbs, Esq.
 Robert David Fitzgerald, Esq.
 James Thomson, Esq.
 The Honorable Samuel Aron Joseph, M.L.C.
 Bernhard Ringrose Wise, Esq., M.P.

QUESTION No. 4.

THE number of sittings of such Board, and the attendance of each of the Members :—

Ninety-five sittings—

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QUESTION No. 5.

THE remuneration paid or payable to such Board for each sitting :—

The Parliamentary Members receive no remuneration. The three gentlemen who are not Members of Parliament receive £3 3s. for each sitting.

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E. W. PALMER,
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

CUSTOMS DUTIES AT BREWARRINA—DISMISSAL OF
LATE CUSTOMS OFFICER.

(CORRESPONDENCE IN CONNECTION WITH.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 13 November, 1888.

RETURN to an *Order* made by the Honorable the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, dated 8th November, 1888, That there be laid upon the Table of this House,—

“Copies of all papers referring to alleged evasion of the payment of Customs Duties at Brewarrina, and the dismissal of the late Custom-house Officer, Mr. Swift.”

(*Mr. Dangar.*)

The Collector of Customs to The Under Secretary for Finance and Trade.

Sir,

Custom House, Sydney, 14 May, 1888.

I have to report, for the information of the Honorable the Treasurer, that a close examination of the Customs' accounts under the charge of Mr. Swift, late Sub-Collector of Customs at Brewarrina, discloses irregularities and an appearance of fraud in connection with the business of Messrs. Willis and Co., merchants.

The Customs' bond at Brewarrina is licensed to Messrs. Willis and Co., and I send a copy of the bond given by that firm under the provisions of section 11 of the Customs Regulation Act, 42 Victoria No. 19.

It appears to have become known at Brewarrina in November that Mr. Treasury Inspector Pinhey was about to pay a visit of official inspection to that place.

I have little doubt that at that time a quantity of bonded goods had been removed from the bond without entry and without payment of duty. In anticipation, therefore, of Mr. Pinhey's examination of the bonded stock, most of the missing goods were written off as removed “under bond” to (Hebel) Queensland.

There are no entries in the Customs' office for the exportation of the goods, as required by section 106 of the Act, and no bond appears to have been given except as I will explain in due course.

Mr. Pinhey reported to the Treasury on the 17th December, and of course treated the stock as duly accounted for, *i.e.*, by entries in the books.

On the 18th December, when Mr. Pinhey's check was satisfied, the Sub-Collector (Swift) marked against the goods supposed to have been exported, “returned to bond.”

In this way by carrying on the stock in the Register from quarter to quarter the Treasury Inspector has been deceived.

Immediately upon receipt of Mr. Pinhey's report calling attention to other irregularities on the part of the Sub-Collector Swift, I sent the recently appointed Inspector of Customs (Mr. Gordon) to make a searching investigation into the manner in which the Customs business at Brewarrina had been conducted for some time previous.

Mr. Gordon called for the Permits for the exportation of bonded goods *via* the Border, required by section 106 of the Customs Regulation Act, and the Queensland Officer's Certificates.

These were not produced, and no Customs' entries were found in the office answering to the entries in the Register.

The entry made by the Sub-Collector on December 18th (after Mr. Pinhey's examination) at once suggested to Mr. Gordon that the goods would be found in the bond.

The goods were not in the bond on the 9th January, when Mr. Gordon examined the stock. The Sub-Collector Swift then stated that all the goods were really removed to Queensland on the 3rd and 4th January, 1888, but no entries were in the office, and no Export Bond was produced.

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Believing

Believing that Mr. Swift was in a muddled condition and unfit for his duties, Mr. Gordon, relying on the representations made to him by Willis & Co.'s manager, proposed to set matters right by taking a bond for the due delivery of the goods, and having formal entries, and documents made, in order to obtain a proper discharge from the Queensland Officers.

A bond dated January 3rd (copy herewith) was executed by "Thos. A. Parsons," as manager for Willis & Co., on the 21st January, but the necessary sureties were not forthcoming, and the whole of the goods described in the schedule herewith remain unaccounted for.

After a careful review of all the surroundings of this case, I am forced to the following conclusions, viz:—

- 1st. That the revenue is deficient to the extent of £1,616, by the consumption in New South Wales of the goods described in the schedule, without payment of duty.
- 2nd. That the goods so described were not forwarded for consumption in Queensland.

The next question is as to the possibility of recovering the duties due, and this may be considered from the following points of view:—

- 1st. Recovery under the Warehouse Keeper's Bond given under section 11 of the Customs Regulation Act.
- 2nd. Recovery under section 85—"If any goods shall be taken out of any warehouse without due entry, the warehouse-keeper shall forthwith pay the duties due."

There are other and important points to be referred to later on relating to this matter, and to which it will be my duty to call attention. The first is the differences of Customs duties on spirits and tobacco in New South Wales and Queensland. The second is the failure of the Audit Office and Treasury checks on the Out Port Customs work, and the necessity for a more complete Customs check.

In addition to the direct claims herein disclosed against Messrs. Willis, & Co., I am also now seeking the recovery of a large amount of duty due on goods consigned to that firm which I believe have been consumed in the Colony. In all these instances I have the bonds of Sydney firms for safe delivery of the goods destined for Brewarrina.

Having failed to obtain any satisfactory explanation from Messrs. Willis, & Co., I now beg to recommend that steps be taken to enforce the duties due, with whatever legal penalties may be recoverable.

I have, &c.,

JAMES POWELL,

Collector of Customs.

Forward to the Crown Solicitor for such proceedings being taken as may, under the circumstances, most speedily ensure the recovery of the duties of which the Government have been defrauded.—J.T.B., 15/5/88.

The Crown Solicitor.—G.E., B.C., 15/5/88.

WAREHOUSEKEEPER'S BOND.

(42 Victoria No. 19, sections 10 and 11).

KNOW all men by these presents that we, William Nicholas Willis, of and for the firm of Willis & Co., of Brewarrina, in the Colony of New South Wales, and Bernard Hoskins, East Bogga River, in the Colony aforesaid, freeholder, are held and firmly bound unto our Sovereign Lady Queen Victoria, in the penal sum of £1,000 sterling, to be paid to her said Majesty, her heirs and successors, for which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, and each of us, our and each and every of our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our seals, dated the 14th day of October, 1885.

WHEREAS William Nicholas Willis, of and for the firm of Willis & Co., of Brewarrina, in the said Colony, has applied to the Colonial Treasurer of the said Colony to appoint the building and premises, described in the schedule at the foot hereof, to be a warehouse, in which goods, liable to the payment of duties of Customs, may be stored and kept until the duties, payable in respect thereof, have been paid, or the said goods duly removed therefrom, under the provisions of "The Customs Regulation Act, 1879" (being a warehouse of the class or description commonly called or known as "bonding warehouses or bonded warehouses"), and referred to in section 13 of the said Act as a "bonded warehouse," and to grant to the said William Nicholas Willis, for the firm of Willis & Co., a license to keep the said warehouse as a bonding warehouse, under the provisions of the said Act, which the Colonial Treasurer has consented to do upon his giving security by bond with one security, as hereinafter mentioned, for the safe custody of all goods which at any time shall be deposited or be warehoused therein, until duly cleared therefrom. Now the condition of this obligation is such that if the said William Nicholas Willis, for the firm of Willis & Co., do and shall from time to time, and at all times hereafter, keep and detain in his custody in the said warehouse all the goods which shall from time to time, and at all times hereafter, be deposited and warehoused therein until the same be duly cleared for home use or for exportation, or shall be removed from the said warehouse under the provisions of "The Customs Regulation Act, 1879," and shall not allow the said goods, or any portion of same, to be altered or tampered with, or in any way altered from the state and condition in which said goods shall be at the time they are deposited in the said warehouse, and shall not permit or suffer any goods so deposited as aforesaid to be used or dealt with in any manner contrary to the provisions of the said Act, then this obligation to be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue.

WILLIAM NICHOLAS WILLIS.
BERNARD HOSKINS.

Signed, sealed, and delivered in the presence of,—

JOHN SWIFT, Sub-Collector of Customs.

Schedule referred to in the foregoing bond:—Brick cellar, capable of holding 260 cubic tons of goods.

[Verbatim

[Verbatim copy of document handed to me by Mr. Swift on the 17th January, in answer to my request to produce the bond given by Willis & Co., for the goods stated to have been exported to Hebel, Queensland, on the 3rd and 4th January.—C.E.G., Inspector.]

EXPORT OF WAREHOUSED GOODS BY LAND.

(42 VICTORIA No. 19, sec. 106.)

KNOW all men by these presents, that we, Willis & Co., of Brewarrina, in the Colony of New South Wales, and Michael O'Neill, of Brewarrina, in the aforesaid Colony, and Frederick Bradford, of Brewarrina, in the aforesaid Colony, are held and firmly bound unto our Sovereign Lady Queen Victoria, in the penal sum of £ sterling, to be paid to her said Majesty, her heirs and successors, for which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, and each of us, our and each and every of our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our seals, dated this day of , in the year of our Lord 188 .

WHEREAS the following goods, that is to say the duties payable in respect whereof have not yet been paid, are now deposited in warehouse, at under the Laws and Regulations relating to the Customs or Inland Revenue. And whereas the above-bounded intends to remove the said goods above described from the said warehouse, by land to the Colony of under the provisions and regulations of an Act of the Governor and Council of New South Wales, made and passed in the forty-second year of the reign of her said Majesty, number nineteen, and intituled "An Act to amend and Consolidate the Laws for the Regulation of the Customs." Now the condition of this obligation is such, that if no part of the said goods shall be used in the said Colony of New South Wales, and if the contents of the packages in which the said goods are contained shall be delivered to the proper Officer of Customs in the same condition as the same shall be when delivered from the said warehouse in which the same now are, without the same having been in any way tampered with or altered, and without the admixture or substitution of any other goods. And if the above-bounded do, and shall on demand, pay the duty on any deficiency in weight, measure, or strength, on any such goods which may appear between the account taken at the said warehouse from which they shall be taken and exported as aforesaid and that taken by the proper Officer of Customs upon their arrival in the Colony of . Or if the above-bounded shall account for the said goods, wares, or merchandise to the satisfaction of the Collector of the port of then this obligation to be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue.

THOS. N. PARSONS,
(Pro WILLIS & Co.),
MICHAEL O'NEILL,
FREDERICK BRADFORD.

Signed, sealed, and delivered in the presence of,—

JNO. SWIFT, Sub-Collector of Customs.

[Copy of Bond signed by Mr. Parsons only, before me, on the 21st January, 1888.—C.E.G.]

EXPORT OF WAREHOUSED GOODS BY LAND.

(42 Victoria No. 19, sec. 106.)

KNOW all men by these presents, that we, Thomas N. Parsons, as manager for Willis & Co., of Brewarrina, in the Colony of New South Wales, merchants and general storekeepers, and Michael O'Neill, of Brewarrina, in the aforesaid Colony, clerk, and Frederick Bradford, of Brewarrina, in the aforesaid Colony, clerk, are held and firmly bound unto our Sovereign Lady Queen Victoria, in the penal sum of £3,216 sterling, to be paid to Her said Majesty, Her Heirs, and Successors, for which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves, and each of us, our and each and every of our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our seals, dated this 3rd day of January, in the year of our Lord 1888.

WHEREAS the following goods, that is to say (as per endorsement on the back hereof) the duties payable in respect whereof have not yet been paid, are now deposited in Willis and Co.'s warehouse, at Brewarrina, under the laws and regulations relating to the Customs or Inland Revenue. And whereas the above-bounded Willis & Co. intends to remove the said goods from the said warehouse by land to Hebel, a bonding warehouse at Hebel, in the Colony of Queensland, subject to the rules, regulations, and restrictions in that behalf provided.

Now the condition of this obligation is such, that if no part of the said goods shall be used in the said Colony of New South Wales, and if the contents of the packages in which the said goods are contained shall be delivered at the last-mentioned warehouse in the same order as the same shall be delivered from the said warehouse in which the same are, without the same having been in any way tampered with or altered, and without the admixture or substitution of any other goods. And if the said Willis & Co., by their agent T. N. Parsons, do and shall on demand pay the duty on any deficiency in weight, measure, or strength on any such goods which may appear between the account taken at the said warehouse from which they shall be taken and exported as aforesaid and that taken by the Officer of Customs upon their arrival at Hebel, then this obligation to be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue.

THOS. N. PARSONS,
(Pro WILLIS & Co.),

Signed, sealed, and delivered, by the said }
Thos. N. Parsons, in the presence of,— }

C.E.G., Inspector of Customs.

[Endorsement.]

[Endorsement.]

G over 52 \$ ½ } 1 package cigars } 116 ½ lb.
 R over 53—27 packages whisky, each 2, @ 13·5 u.p.
 W over 53—5 packages tobacco, 214 lb.
 G over 54—7 cases whisky, each 2 @ 13·0 u.p.
 M over 54 \$ ½—2 quarter-casks sherry, 26 and 25 gallons.
 X over 54—10 cases whisky, each 2 @ 14·6 u.p.
 Y over 54—12 cases whisky, each 2 @ 10·6 u.p.
 E over 55 \$ 1—1 quarter-cask whisky, 33 @ 3·5 o.p.
 K over 55 \$ 2—1 quarter-cask brandy, 29 @ 0·3 u.p.
 L over 55—50 cases whisky, each 2 @ 16·5 u.p.
 O over 55 \$ 2—1 quarter-cask brandy, 27 @ 0·4 o.p.
 T over 55 \$ 2—1 quarter-cask rum, 28 @ 30·9 o.p.
 W over 55—8 cases whisky, each 2 @ 16·5 u.p.
 X over 55 2—1 quarter-cask brandy, 29 @ 0·7 u.p.
 B over 56—11 cases brandy, each 2 @ 11·8 u.p.
 D over 56 \$ 2—1 quarter-cask brandy, 29 @ 1·5 u.p.
 G over 56—14 cases brandy, each 2 @ 13·4 u.p.
 K over 56—20 cases whisky, each 2 @ 13·4 u.p.
 M over 56—8 cases whisky, each 2 @ 16·5 u.p.
 N over 56—15 cases stout, each 8 gallons.
 Q over 56—11 packages tobacco, 464 lb.
 S over 56 \$ ½—2 quarter-casks rum, 28 @ 31·0 o.p., 27 @ 33·2 o.p.
 T over 56 \$ ½—2 quarter-casks brandy, each 29 @ 0·7 u.p.
 X over 56—7 cases whisky, each 2 @ 16·5 u.p.
 Z over 56—12 cases brandy, each 2 @ 12·9 u.p.
 A over 57—20 cases whisky, each 2 @ 13·4 u.p.
 B over 57 \$ ½—2 quarter-casks brandy, 29 @ 0·6 u.p., and 28 @ 0·3 u.p.
 K over 57 ½—2 quarter-casks brandy, 27 and 25 @ proof.
 L over 57 \$ ½—4 quarter-casks rum, 28 @ 31·3 o.p., 28 @ 31·5 o.p., 28 @ 32·3 o.p., and 28 @ 32·0 o.p.
 M over 57—4 cases geneva, each 4 at 16·5 u.p.
 N over 57—3 boxes tobacco, each 22 lb.
 O over 57 ½—2 quarter-casks whisky, 32 @ 7·6 o.p., and 31 at 8·8 o.p.
 R over 57—1 box tobacco, 78 lb.
 W over 57 \$ 1—1 quarter-cask whisky, 32 @ 3·3 o.p.
 C over 58 \$ 1 2 4—3 quarter-casks brandy, 29 @ 1·6 u.p., 29 @ 1·6 u.p., and 30 @ 3·3 u.p.
 K over 58 \$ 2—1 quarter-cask port, 28 gallons.
 O over 58 2—1 quarter-cask whisky, 34 @ 5·8 o.p.
 P over 58 \$ 1—1 quarter-cask whisky, 31 @ 5·2 o.p.
 Q over 58 \$ 1—1 quarter-cask brandy, 27 @ 2·0 o.p.
 S over 58—10 cases whisky, each 2 @ 16·5 u.p.
 A over 59—23 cases brandy, each 2 @ 16·5 u.p.
 C over 59 \$ ½—2 quarter-casks rum, 28 @ 30·2 o.p., and 28 @ 32·5 o.p.
 D over 59—10 cases geneva, each 4 @ 16·5 u.p.
 E over 59 \$ ½—2 quarter-casks sherry, 25 and 26 gallons.
 I over 59—13 cases whisky, each 2 at 13·9 u.p.
 B over 59—2 packages tobacco, 141 lb.
 S over 59—4 packages tobacco, 110 lb.
 Z over 59 \$ ½—2 quarter-casks rum, 27 @ 30·9 o.p., and 28 @ 30·9 o.p.
 A over 60 ½—2 quarter-casks brandy, 27 @ 0·9 u.p., and 26 @ 0·3 u.p.
 B over 60—10 cases whisky, each 2 @ 15·4 u.p.
 G over 60—6 cases geneva, each 4 @ 16·5 u.p.
 D over 60 ½—2 quarter-casks port, 25 and 26 gallons.
 E over 60—5 packages tobacco, 208 lb.
 C over 60—25 cases brandy, each 2 @ 12·9 u.p.
 Z over 60 1—1 quarter-cask port, 26 gallons.
 A over 61—15 cases whisky, each 2 @ 15·7 u.p.
 G over 61—25 cases whisky, each 2 @ 12·8 u.p.
 D over 61 \$ 1—1 quarter cask brandy, 28 @ 0·1 u.p.
 G over 61 ½—2 quarter-casks rum, 29 and 28 @ 34·6 o.p.
 H over 61 \$ 1—1 quarter-cask whisky, 32 @ 5·0 o.p.
 I over 61—25 cases whisky, each 2 @ 15·7 u.p.
 N over 61—4 cases schnapps, each 2 @ 14·5 u.p.
 S over 61—6 cases brandy, each 2 @ 13·8 u.p.
 Z over 55—1 package cigars, 66 ¼ lb.

C. E. G., Inspector of Customs.
 T. N. P.

List of Goods exported to Hebel, Queensland, with amount of duty thereon, on 4th January, 1888.

| Bond Marks. | Description of Goods. | Quantity for Duty. | Amount. |
|-------------|--|---|------------|
| G. 52 \$ ½ | 2 packages cigars | = 116 ½ lb. | £ 34 17 11 |
| R. 53 | 27 cases of whisky each, 2 = 54 gallons, 13·5 u.p. | = 46 ² / ₅ gallons. | 32 15 5 |
| W. 53 | 5 packages tobacco | = 214 lbs. | 32 2 0 |
| G. 54 | 7 cases whisky, each 2 = 14 gallons, 13·0 u.p. | = 12 ² / ₅ gallons. | 8 10 8 |
| M. 54 \$ ½ | 2 quarter casks sherry, 25 & 26 = 51 gallons | = 51 gallons. | 12 15 0 |
| X. 54 | 10 cases whisky, each 2 = 20 gallons, 14·6 u.p. | = 17 ² / ₅ gallons | 11 19 4 |
| Y. 54 | 12 cases whisky, each 2 = 24 gallons, 10·6 u.p. | = 21 ¹ / ₅ " | 15 1 0 |
| E. 55 \$ 1 | 1 quarter-cask whisky, = 33 gallons, 3·5 o.p. | = 34 ² / ₅ " | 23 17 4 |
| K. 55 \$ 2 | 1 quarter-cask brandy, = 29 gallons, 0·3 u.p. | = 28 ² / ₅ " | 20 4 8 |
| L. 55 | 50 cases whisky, each, 2 = 100 gallons, 16·5 u.p. | = 83 ¹ / ₅ " | 58 9 0 |
| O. 55 \$ 2 | 1 quarter-cask brandy, = 27 gallons, 0·4 u.p. | = 27 ² / ₅ " | 18 19 4 |
| T. 55 \$ 2 | 1 quarter-cask rum = 28 gallons, 30·9 o.p. | = 36 ¹ / ₅ " | 25 12 4 |
| W. 55 | 8 cases whisky, each 2 = 16 gallons, 16·5 u.p. | = 13 ¹ / ₅ " | 9 7 8 |
| X. 55 \$ 2 | 1 quarter-cask brandy, = 29 gallons, 0·7 u.p. | = 28 ² / ₅ " | 20 1 8 |
| B. 56 | 11 cases brandy, each 2 = 22 gallons, 11·8 u.p. | = 19 ¹ / ₅ " | 13 13 0 |
| D. 56 \$ 2 | 1 quarter-cask brandy, = 29 gallons, 1·5 u.p. | = 28 ¹ / ₅ " | 19 19 0 |
| G. 56 | 14 cases brandy, each 2 = 28 gallons, 13·4 u.p. | = 24 ¹ / ₅ " | 17 0 5 |
| K. 56 | 20 cases whisky, each 2 = 40 gallons, 13·4 u.p. | = 34 ² / ₅ " | 24 5 8 |
| M. 56 | 8 cases whisky, each 2 = 16 gallons, 16·5 u.p. | = 13 ¹ / ₅ " | 9 7 8 |
| N. 56 | 15 cases stout, each 8 = 120 gallons | = 120 " | 4 10 0 |
| Q. 56 | 11 packages tobacco, = 464 lb. | = 464 lb. | 69 12 0 |
| S. 56 1 | 1 quarter-cask rum, = 28 gallons, 31·0 o.p. | = 26 ¹ / ₅ gallons. | 25 12 4 |
| S. 56 2 | 1 quarter-cask rum, = 27 gallons, 33·2 o.p. | = 35 ² / ₅ " | 25 2 8 |
| T. 56 \$ ½ | 2 quarter-casks brandy, each 29 = 58 gallons, 0·7 u.p. | = 57 ¹ / ₅ " | 40 5 0 |
| X. 56 | 7 cases whisky, each 2 = 14 gallons, 16·5 u.p. | = 11 ² / ₅ " | 8 3 8 |
| Z. 56 | 12 cases brandy, each 2 = 24 gallons, 12·9 u.p. | = 21 " | 14 14 0 |
| A. 57 | 20 cases whisky, each 2 = 40 gallons, 13·4 u.p. | = 34 ² / ₅ " | 24 5 8 |
| B. 57 \$ 1 | 1 quarter cask brandy, = 29 gallons, 0·6 u.p. | = 28 ² / ₅ " | 20 3 5 |
| B. 57 \$ 2 | 1 quarter cask brandy, = 28 gallons, 0·3 u.p. | = 27 ² / ₅ " | 19 10 8 |
| K. 57 ½ | 2 quarter casks brandy, 27 & 25 = 52 gallons, proof. | = 52 " | 36 8 0 |
| L. 57 1 | 1 quarter cask rum, = 28 gallons, 31·5 o.p. | = 36 ² / ₅ " | 25 13 8 |
| L. 57 2 | 1 quarter cask rum, = 28 gallons, 31·5 o.p. | = 36 ² / ₅ " | 25 15 5 |
| L. 57 3 | 1 quarter cask rum, = 28 gallons, 32·3 o.p. | = 37 " | 25 18 0 |
| L. 57 4 | 1 quarter cask rum, = 28 gallons, 32·0 o.p. | = 36 ² / ₅ " | 25 16 8 |
| M. 57 | 4 cases geneva, each 4, = 16 gallons, 16·5 u.p. | = 13 ¹ / ₅ " | 9 7 8 |
| N. 57 | 3 boxes tobacco, each 22 = 66 lbs. | = 66 lb. | 9 18 0 |
| O. 57 1 | 1 quarter cask whisky, = 32 gallons, 7·6 o.p. | = 34 ¹ / ₅ gallons. | 24 1 8 |
| O. 57 2 | 1 quarter-cask whisky, = 31 gallons, 8·8 o.p. | = 33 ² / ₅ " | 23 11 8 |
| R. 57 | 1 box tobacco, = 78 lb. | = 78 lb. | 11 14 0 |
| W. 57 \$ 1 | 1 quarter-cask whisky, = 32 gallons, 3·3 o.p. | = 33 gallons | 23 2 0 |
| G. 58 1 | 1 quarter-cask brandy, = 29 gallons, 1·6 u.p. | = 28 ¹ / ₅ " | 19 19 0 |
| G. 58 2 | 1 quarter-cask brandy, = 29 gallons, 1·6 u.p. | = 28 ¹ / ₅ " | 19 19 0 |
| G. 58 4 | 1 quarter-cask brandy, = 30 gallons, 3·8 u.p. | = 28 ² / ₅ " | 20 3 5 |
| K. 58 \$ 2 | 1 quarter-cask port, = 28 gallons | = 28 " | 7 0 0 |
| O. 58 \$ 2 | 1 quarter-cask whisky, = 34 gallons, 5·8 o.p. | = 35 ² / ₅ " | 25 2 8 |
| P. 58 \$ 1 | 1 quarter-cask whisky, = 31 gallons, 5·2 o.p. | = 32 ¹ / ₅ " | 22 16 4 |

| Bond Marks. | Description of Goods. | Quantity for Duty. | Amount. |
|-------------|--|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| Q. 58 § 1 | 1 quarter-cask brandy, = 27 gallons, 2·0 o.p. | = 27 ¹⁰ gallons. | £ s. d. 19 5 0 |
| S. 58 | 10 cases whisky, each 2 = 20 gallons, 16·5 u.p. | = 16 ²² „ | 11 13 8 |
| A. 59 | 23 cases brandy, each 2 = 46 gallons, 16·5 u.p. | = 38 ¹⁰ „ | 26 19 0 |
| G. 59 § 1 | 1 quarter-cask rum, = 28 gallons, 30·2 o.p. | = 36 ¹³ „ | 25 9 8 |
| G. 59 § 2 | 1 quarter-cask rum, = 28 gallons, 32·5 o.p. | = 37 ³ „ | 25 19 4 |
| D. 59 | 10 cases geneva, each 4 = 40 gallons, 16·5 u.p. | = 33 ¹³ „ | 23 7 8 |
| E. 59 § 1 | 2 quarter casks sherry, 25 and 26, = 51 gallons. | = 51 „ | 12 15 0 |
| I. 59 | 13 casks whisky, each 2 = 26 gallons, 13·9 u.p. | = 22 ¹³ „ | 15 13 8 |
| R. 59 | 2 packages tobacco, = 141 lb. | = 141 lb. | 21 3 0 |
| S. 59 | 4 packages tobacco, = 110 lb. | = 110 „ | 16 10 0 |
| Z. 59 § 1 | 1 quarter-cask rum, = 27 gallons, 30·9 o.p. | = 35 ¹⁰ gallons. | 24 14 5 |
| Z. 59 § 2 | 1 quarter-cask rum, = 28 gallons, 30·9 o.p. | = 36 ¹⁹ „ | 25 12 4 |
| A. 60 § 1 | 1 quarter-cask brandy, = 27 gallons, 0·9 u.p. | = 26 ²² „ | 18 13 8 |
| A. 60 § 2 | 1 quarter-cask brandy, = 26 gallons, 0·3 o.p. | = 25 ²⁹ „ | 18 2 8 |
| B. 60 | 10 casks whisky, each 2 = 20 gallons, 15·4 u.p. | = 17 „ | 11 18 0 |
| C. 60 | 6 cases geneva, each 4 = 24 gallons, 16·5 u.p. | = 20 ³ „ | 14 1 4 |
| D. 60½ | 2 quarter-casks port, 25 and 26 = 51 gallons. | = 51 „ | 12 15 0 |
| E. 60 | 5 packages tobacco, = 208 lb. | = 208 lb. | 31 4 0 |
| G. 60 | 25 cases brandy, each 2 = 50 gallons, 12·9 u.p. | = 43 ¹⁰ gallons. | 30 10 4 |
| Z. 60 1 | 1 quarter cask port, = 26 gallons | = 26 „ | 6 10 0 |
| A. 61 | 15 cases whisky, each 2 = 30 gallons, 15·7 u.p. | = 25 ¹⁰ „ | 17 14 5 |
| C. 61 | 25 cases whisky, each 2 = 50 gallons, 12·8 u.p. | = 43 ¹⁹ „ | 30 10 4 |
| D. 61 § 1 | 1 quarter-cask brandy, = 28 gallons, 0·1 u.p. | = 27 ²⁹ „ | 19 10 8 |
| G. 61 § 1 | 2 quarter-casks rum, 29 and 28 = 57 gallons, 34·6 o.p. | = 76 ²² „ | 53 13 8 |
| H. 61 | 1 quarter-cask whisky, = 32 gallons, 5·0 o.p. | = 33 ¹⁹ „ | 23 10 4 |
| I. 61 | 25 cases whisky, each 2 = 50 gallons, 15·7 u.p. | = 42 ⁶ „ | 29 10 8 |
| N. 61 | 4 cases schnapps, each 2 = 8 gallons, 14·5 u.p. | = 6 ⁹ „ | 4 16 8 |
| S. 61 | 6 cases brandy, each 2 = 12 gallons, 13·8 u.p. | = 10 ¹³ „ | 7 5 8 |
| Z. 55 | 1 package cigars, = 66½ lb. | 66½ lb. | 19 17 6 |
| Total..... | | £ | 1,616 13 4 |

Customs, Brewarrina, 10th May, 1888.

G. C. HILL, S.C.C.

Showing Totals of Duty on each Article.

| Goods. | Amount. |
|-----------------------|-------------|
| | £ s. d. |
| Brandy | 441 7 7 |
| Geneva | 46 16 8 |
| Schnapps | 4 16 8 |
| Whisky | 485 8 6 |
| Rum | 335 0 6 |
| Wine Still | 51 15 0 |
| Beer, in bottle | 4 10 0 |
| Tobacco | 192 3 0 |
| Cigars | 54 15 5 |
| Total..... | £1,616 13 4 |

The Crown Solicitor to The Under Secretary for Finance and Trade.

Sir,

Crown Solicitor's Office, Sydney, 16 June, 1888.

I have the honor to return herewith the letter to you of date 14th May last from the Collector of Customs respecting breach of the Customs Act said to have been committed by Messrs. Willis & Co. at Brewarrina, and to state as follows:—

The bond of date 14th October, 1885, appears to be in correct form, and the penalty (£1,000) upon proof of any breach can be recovered by action in the Supreme Court in the name of the Attorney-General.

The bond said to have been handed to the Inspector by Mr. Swift on 17th January last is of no value, as no penal sum is inserted therein.

The bond of date 3rd January in the penal sum of £3,216 does not bind Messrs. Willis & Co., unless it can be shown that Thomas N. Parson, who claims to have executed same on behalf of Messrs. Willis & Co., was authorised so to do by power-of-attorney under seal; and if that can be shown it is doubtful, from its wording, whether it is a bond by Willis & Co. or by Thomas N. Parsons, by which he only is bound. It does not in direct terms profess to be made in the names of Messrs. Willis and signed by them by their agent, Mr. Parsons, although it can be proved that he was duly authorised by power-of-attorney to execute bonds for them, the court might hold that he was acting as their attorney and not on his own behalf.

Messrs. Willis are, however, I think, liable under section 85, as the keepers of the bonding warehouse to be called upon to pay the amount of duty payable in respect of all goods taken out of the warehouse without the duty having been paid thereon, such duties to be recovered in an action in the name of the Attorney-General. I suppose these duties are the sum mentioned in the annexure to one of the bonds—£1,616 13s. 4d.

The Collector's recommendation is that steps be taken to enforce the duties due with whatever legal penalties may be recoverable; that is, I presume, that actions shall be commenced—(1) upon the bond and (2) against Messrs. Willis for the duty which, under the 85th section, they are liable to be called upon to pay. If this is your intention, and the papers are returned to me, I will cause summons to be issued in the name of the Attorney-General.

I would suggest that it is advisable, in cases of this sort, involving necessarily a reference to numerous matters of detail which cannot well be included in a report, that the Collector should communicate, personally, with this Department before forwarding the papers.

Upon the papers being returned I will at once have summons issued.

I have, &c.,

JOHN WILLIAMS,
Crown Solicitor.

The Collector of Customs.—G.E., B.C., 18/6/88. I think steps should be immediately taken under the 85th section, reserving subsequent action if necessary against the warehouse-keeper and his surety.—JAMES POWELL, Collector, 18/6/88. The Under Secretary for Finance and Trade. The Crown Solicitor.—G.E., B.C., 18/6/88.

The Crown Solicitor to The Under Secretary for Finance and Trade.

Sir,

Crown Solicitor's Office, Sydney, 26 June, 1888.

I have the honor, in compliance with your verbal request, to return herewith the papers relating to the claim of the Government against William Nicholas Willis in respect to the duty payable upon bonded goods improperly issued out of his bonding warehouse.

An information has been filed in the Supreme Court to recover the penalties payable under the 85th section of the Customs Act, and Mr. Slattery, the defendant's attorney, has arranged to pay the amount this afternoon.

I have, &c.,

JOHN WILLIAMS,
Crown Solicitor.

The Collector may receive the money tendered on behalf of Mr. Willis.—J.F.B., 26/6/88. The Collector of Customs.—G.E., B.C., 26/6/88. The Under Secretary for Finance and Trade.—JAMES POWELL, Collector of Customs, 9/10/88.

Mr. W. N. Willis to The Collector of Customs.

Sir,

"The Metropolitan Hotel," Sydney, 26 June, 1888.

Shortly after the 25th April last I received from Mr. G. C. Hill, the Sub-collector of Customs at Brewarrina, a letter of that date, stating that he was instructed by you to call upon my firm "to pay all duties due on goods exported on the 4th January last, from the bond in Brewarrina to Hebel, in Queensland, because no receipts had been received duly signed by the proper Queensland Customs Officer."

As I had been absent from Brewarrina from December, 1887, until the early part of February of this year, I had, of course, no personal knowledge of the transactions which took place respecting the goods in question, but immediately I received Mr. Hill's letter I caused strict inquiry to be made, which has necessarily taken up much time, and I now send the amount demanded, £1,632 6s., in accordance with Mr. Hill's request.

I deeply regret the annoyance and trouble which have been caused to your department over the matter.

Yours, &c.,

W. N. WILLIS.

The Crown Solicitor to The Under Secretary for Finance and Trade.

Sir,

Crown Solicitor's Office, Sydney, 26 June, 1888.

I have the honor to state that in the action Attorney-General v. Willis, Mr. Slattery has called upon me and left with me a cheque for £1,616 13s. 4d., the amount of duty claimed from his client.

I forward the cheque herewith, and when you inform me that the cheque has been paid I will forward Mr. Slattery a receipt for the amount.

I have, &c.,

JOHN WILLIAMS,
Crown Solicitor.

The Crown Solicitor. The cheque herein has been paid. Please return this letter.—F.K., for U.S., The Treasury, B.C., 29/6/88. Secn.—JOHN WILLIAMS, B.C., 30 June, 1888. The Under Secretary, Treasury.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

SUPERINTENDENT--FITZROY DOCK.

(CORRESPONDENCE RESPECTING OMISSION OF SALARY OF, FROM ESTIMATES.)

*Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 13 November, 1888.***Minute by The Secretary for Public Works.**

Department of Public Works, Sydney, 13 November, 1888.

Docking Superintendent at Fitzroy Dock.

I HAVE carefully considered this report of Mr. Hickson, and am persuaded that a larger reduction even than he recommends is necessary. It is clear also that a thorough reorganization of the establishment is imperative. I am not, however, in favour of dispensing with the services of Mr. Hayes, senior, he has proved himself a good and reliable officer, but in view of the necessity for the introduction of greater economy in the management of the Dock, I approve of the services of the foreman shipwright being dispensed with. Mr. Hayes, senior, must be his own foreman, and Mr. Hoey must be placed really, as well as nominally, in the position of General Superintendent.

Mr. Hayes must consider himself as being placed under Mr. Hoey's general orders, and that gentleman, viz., Mr. Hoey, will for the future have complete control over every department of the docking establishment. I am satisfied that this will be the best solution of the difficulty referred to by Mr. Hickson.

The sum which has been omitted from the Estimates-in-Chief, as the salary of Mr. Hayes, will be restored.

JOHN SUTHERLAND.

Minute by Mr. Assistant-Engineer Hickson.*Subject:—Supervision, Fitzroy Dock Works.*

Harbours and Rivers Branch, Sydney, 12 November, 1888.

THE question of supervision at Fitzroy Dock is one that has engaged the attention of the Department for some time.

In January, 1887, a Board, consisting of Messrs. Darley, Barling, and myself, were appointed to inquire into the matter, and after a careful investigation we found, owing to having two superintendents and consequent divided authority, a very unsatisfactory state of affairs existed. The following quotation from the report will explain this:—"The key of this unfortunate state of affairs is the want of an acknowledged and unmistakable head over the whole of the establishment. We are persuaded it will be quite useless to attempt any reform until this has been rectified. The evil effects of divided authority is to be seen everywhere, and it is therefore no wonder that complaints have been laid that work has cost more and taken longer time in execution than it should have done. Under the present system of management, when both shipwrights' and engineers' work has to be executed, one part of it is under Mr. Hayes' superintendence, the other under Mr. Hoey. Each officer is independent of the other. Under these circumstances the smallest want of concert must of necessity work prejudicially, as far as the public interests are concerned, in enhancing the cost of the work."

When some few months ago I took temporary charge of this Department, and finding that though considerable improvements had been made at the Dock, still the same dual supervision was in force, I deemed it my duty to look carefully into the matter with a view of proposing an alteration in what I think was shown beyond question to be a great defect in the management of that place, this coupled with the fact that the cost of supervision—viz., a General Superintendent at £400, and a Docking Superintendent at £390, or a total of £790 per annum—was much too great in proportion to the amount of work done, led me to make the recommendation I did:

With regard to that portion of the questions asked by Mr. O'Sullivan relative to a "qualified shipwright," I would point out that there is now a qualified shipwright (Mr. Hayes' own son) under Mr. Hayes, and of whom Mr. Hayes reports as follows:—"He (the son) has been for the last fourteen years

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in the Government employment at Fitzroy Dock, the greater portion of which time he has been foreman under me over all the works connected with the Dock, viz., shipwrighting, repairing, building, docking, &c." And, as a matter of fact, Mr. Hayes' son has been left in charge of the docking during the absence on leave of his father.

I propose leaving him in his present position, and at his present pay, as foreman shipwright, to take charge of the docking of vessels under Mr. Hoey's general supervision. By this arrangement I consider I will reduce the cost of supervision, do away with the dual authority which has proved to be a most undesirable thing, and still retain the services of a duly qualified shipwright.

Mr. Hayes has held his present position for sixteen and a half years; is 59½ years of age; is, I believe, in good health; and as far as I know, no complaint has been laid against him. This, however, does not affect the question, as my recommendation was not made on personal grounds, but rather, as already shown, that the abolition of the office would be to the interest of the service.

With regard to questions 8 and 9, Mr. Hoey was in charge when the boiler explosion took place at the Dock; but as the accident took place early in the morning, before the men began to work, and as Mr. Hoey himself was appointed one of the Commission to inquire into the matter, it is presumed he was not considered in any way responsible for it.

The cost of the explosion to the country was £1,361 1s. 7d.

ROB. HICKSON.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

IMMIGRATION.

(REPORT FOR 1888.)

Presented to Parliament by Command.

The Agent for Immigration to The Principal Under Secretary.

Sir,

Immigration Office, Sydney, 31 December, 1888.

I have the honor to submit, for the information of the Colonial Secretary, my Report on Immigration for the year ending 31st December, 1888.

Operations under the Regulations have been confined to the nominations of wives and families by husbands and fathers, of good moral and industrial qualifications, being residents in the Colony.

Of the total of 528 immigrants who so arrived, all were nominated in the Colony; none were selected by the Agent-General. They consisted of 248 individuals above 12 years of age, and of 280 under 12 years of age. No births and no deaths occurred during the passages.

The appendices herewith annexed give full detailed information relative to Immigration during the past year:—

- A.—General Statistical Information.
- B.—Nationality of Immigrants.
- C.—Religious Persuasions.
- D.—Educational Attainments.
- E.—Distribution into Country Districts.

I have, &c.,

GEORGE F. WISE,

Agent for Immigration.

APPENDIX A.

RETURN of Assisted Immigration to New South Wales, 1888.

| Name of Vessel. | Date of Departure. | Date of arrival. | Number of days on voyage. | Number landed. | | | | Nominated in the Colony. | Selected by the Agent-General. | Total number of individuals landed. | Equal to statute adults. | Contract price per statute adult. | Amount paid for and by Immigrants on account of cost of their passage. | |
|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|-----|-----------------|-----|--------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|---|
| | | | | Above 12 years. | | Under 12 years. | | | | | | | Amount paid in the Colony by depositors. | Amount paid in London to the Agent-General. |
| | | | | M. | F. | M. | F. | | | | | | | |
| | 1887. | 1888. | | | | | | | | | | £ | £ | |
| "Lusitania"..... | 10 December | 21 January | 42 | 6 | 15 | 14 | 14 | 49 | ... | 49 | 34 | £15 per statute adult. | 101 | ..... |
| | 1888. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| "Austral" | 8 January | 20 February..... | 43 | 3 | 17 | 21 | 14 | 55 | ... | 55 | 35½ | | 75 | ..... |
| "Cuzco" | 17 February..... | 3 April | 45 | 11 | 38 | 17 | 17 | 83 | ... | 83 | 65½ | | 186 | 2 |
| "Orizaba" | 31 March | 14 May | 44 | 4 | 25 | 29 | 13 | 71 | ... | 71 | 50 | | 104 | 30 |
| "Austral" | 12 May | 26 June..... | 45 | 8 | 33 | 21 | 30 | 92 | ... | 92 | 65 | | 176 | 18 |
| "Cuzco" | 23 June..... | 6 August | 43 | 3 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 29 | ... | 29 | 21 | | 45 | 2 |
| "Orizaba" | 5 August | 17 September | 43 | 13 | 23 | 24 | 12 | 72 | ... | 72 | 53½ | | 132 | 7 |
| "Ormuz" | 29 September | 12 November | 44 | 5 | 24 | 12 | 12 | 53 | ... | 53 | 41 | | 108 | 14 |
| "Lusitania"..... | 10 November | 27 December | 47 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 11 | 24 | ... | 24 | 17 | 33 | 1 | |
| | | | * | 58 | 190 | 149 | 131 | 528 | ... | 528 | 382½ | | 960 | 74 |

* Average length of passage, 44 days.

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| 1 Married couple..... | 2 |
| Single men..... | 57 |
| Wives and single women..... | 189 |
| Children under 12 | 280 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 528 |

Immigration Office,
Sydney, 31st December, 1888.

GEORGE F. WISE,
Agent for Immigration.

APPENDIX B.

RETURN showing the Native Countries of the Assisted Immigrants who arrived in 1888:—

| | |
|------------------------------|-----|
| From England and Wales | 409 |
| „ Scotland | 88 |
| „ Ireland | 20 |
| „ Other countries | 11 |
| | 528 |

Immigration Office,
Sydney, 31st December, 1888.

GEORGE F. WISE,
Agent for Immigration.

APPENDIX C.
RELIGIOUS PERSUASIONS.

| Nationality. | Classification of Religion. | | | | | | Totals. |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|-------|---------|
| | Church of England. | Church of Scotland. | Wesleyan Methodists. | Other Protestants. | Roman Catholics. | Jews. | |
| English | 216 | 11 | 124 | 26 | 14 | 18 | 409 |
| Scotch | 22 | 63 | 1 | ..... | 1 | 1 | 88 |
| Irish | 11 | 1 | ..... | 6 | 2 | ..... | 20 |
| Other Countries..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 11 | 11 |
| | 249 | 75 | 125 | 32 | 17 | 30 | 528 |

Immigration Office,
Sydney, 31st December, 1888.

GEORGE F. WISE,
Agent for Immigration.

APPENDIX D.
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENTS.

| Nationality. | Classification of Education. | | | | | | Total |
|----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|------------|--------------------|-----------------|------------|-------|
| | Under 12 years. | | | 12 years and over. | | | |
| | Cannot read. | Read and write. | Read only. | Cannot read. | Read and write. | Read only. | |
| English | 115 | 107 | ... | 5 | 181 | 1 | 409 |
| Scotland | 28 | 18 | ... | ... | 42 | ... | 88 |
| Ireland | 6 | 2 | ... | 1 | 11 | ... | 20 |
| Other Countries..... | 4 | ... | ... | 1 | 6 | ... | 11 |
| | 153 | 127 | ... | 7 | 240 | 1 | 528 |

Immigration Office,
Sydney, 31st December, 1888.

GEORGE F. WISE,
Agent for Immigration.

APPENDIX E.

RETURN showing the number of Assisted Immigrants who at their own request were forwarded to Country Districts by steamer and by rail.

| Destination. | Wives. | Families. | Destination. | Wives. | Families. |
|------------------|--------|-----------|---------------------|--------|-----------|
| Newcastle | 56 | 141 | Esk Bank | 1 | 5 |
| Wollongong | 11 | 33 | Lithgow | 1 | 6 |
| Bulli | 3 | 13 | Mittagong | 1 | 1 |
| Gosford | 1 | ..... | Cowra ..... | ..... | 2 |
| Wallsend | 7 | 21 | | | |
| Gunnedah | 1 | 2 | | | |
| Greta | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | | | Totals | 84 | 230 |
| | | | General total | 314 | |

Immigration Office,
Sydney, 31st December, 1888.

GEORGE F. WISE,
Agent for Immigration.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

OUTBREAK OF FEVER AT NEWTOWN.

(PAPERS RELATING TO.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 16 January, 1889.

[Laid upon the Table of the Legislative Assembly by the Secretary for Public Works, on the 16th January, 1889, papers referring to an inquiry which is being held into the causes of the recent outbreak of Typhoid Fever at Newtown.]

INTERIM REPORT upon an outbreak of Typhoid Fever in parts of the Municipalities of Newtown and Macdonaldtown.

In accordance with the verbal instructions of the Honorable the Minister for Public Works, that he should this day be furnished with an account of the progress made in the investigation directed by him to be undertaken by us in his minute of the 3rd inst., we have the honor to submit the following particulars:—

The minute referred to was made upon an extract from the *Sydney Morning Herald* of the 2nd instant, in which an account was given of the attack and death by typhoid of several members of a family residing at 53, Gowrie-street, Newtown. It will be seen that the minute in question orders an examination of the localities referred to in the extract, and a report to be made on their sanitary condition. Accordingly on the following day we visited Gowrie-street together and examined No. 53 and several houses in the vicinity. On the 5th instant we made further inquiries from house to house, in order to get some idea of the extent to which disease had fallen upon the houses adjoining No. 53, and also upon other houses which appeared to be similarly situated. In the absence of any organisation, which would enable the Health Department to get detailed knowledge from time to time of the occurrence of disease in Sydney, this kind of house to house investigation, essential as it is, is exceedingly tedious. On the 6th several letters were written to persons living in the locality, from whom it was thought that valuable information might be procured; much of this, however, has not yet come to hand. On the 7th further action was taken, and on the 8th we further inspected the locality, and gave instructions on the spot for the preparation of the sketch map*, which is appended to this interim report. On the 9th we conferred, and in the course of the day a verbal report on certain points was made to the Under Secretary for Works (see minute 89-66-12/1), in pursuance of which a letter of request to be allowed to make examinations of the ground and drains of the premises at Gowrie-street was written to the agent on the 11th. No reply having been received, on the 14th instant the Minister gave further instructions. On the 11th further investigations were made in the locality, and in consequence, the Medical Adviser desired the Inspector-General of Police to direct an officer, who had for many years been on duty in Newtown, to accompany the Deputy Medical Adviser, and to point out to him the areas on which houses suspected to be built in a specially unsanitary way stood. These areas will be found marked as they were pointed out on the 15th instant by the Police Sergeant, and as confirmed by old residents.

* Appendix.

The case which attracted the Minister's attention has been ascertained to be as follows:—

A family named Jones, which consisted of William (the father), aged 34, Charlotte (the mother), aged 31, and five children aged from 12 years to 9 months, lived for about 18 months in University-street, Camperdown, and there enjoyed good health. At the beginning of April, 1888, William Jones left for Broken Hill; and Mrs. Jones moved into a smaller house, choosing No. 53, Gowrie-street, Newtown. (See Map.*) About November 10, Jones, returning from Broken Hill, stayed a few days in Melbourne, and he is said to have fallen out of health while there. He came on to Sydney, and joined his wife at Gowrie-street, about November 16. Continuing out of health, ten days later he attended Prince Alfred Hospital as an out-patient. At last he applied for admission to the hospital, and was admitted; on December 18 he died of typhoid fever. Mrs. Jones began to be out of health about the 20th of November; she was admitted to the hospital suffering from typhoid the same day as her husband, and is now convalescent. Edward, aged 12, fell ill about November 26; was admitted to hospital December 13, and died of typhoid. Maggie, aged 5, fell ill about December 10; was admitted to hospital December 18, and died December 31 of typhoid. The other three children were taken charge of by various friends on their parents being removed; they are believed to be in good health.

Appendix.

It will be seen from reference to the map that this and the adjacent houses in Gowrie-street, being Nos. 49 to 71, stand over an old clay-pit, which has been partially filled up. We found that

the filling extended only to the front and back walls of the houses, leaving a deep hollow space underneath the floors in which stagnant water, having an offensive smell, was standing, and we were informed that there was always water, more or less, in this space. We also found that the back yards were unpaved, that they were flooded in wet weather as indicated in places by the usual marks to a depth in some parts of 18 inches. The whole row of cottages is provided at the rear with the usual yard gullies, each of which is connected with one drain which runs parallel with the back of the houses and discharges into the open channel in the back lane. In the first place these gullies are most improperly placed in an open brick wash-house, about 8ft. by 6ft., and close to the copper and kitchen grates, no vent pipe having been provided for carrying off the foul air which is drawn upwards by the heat of the fires. In the case of Nos. 51 and 53 there was evidence of subsidence by cracks in the walls of the washhouses, and there is every reason to suppose that the drains are imperfect and unsound. All these houses are furnished with cesspits formed in the loose made ground, which are not watertight, being of the usual half-brick and cement work. The cesspit at No. 53 was specially examined. It had not been emptied since the outbreak, and from the consistence of the contents (about 2' 6" in depth), it was apparent that the greater part of the liquid had drained away from it, the space under the houses affording it an easy outlet in that direction.

A glance at the map will show that the whole neighbourhood is open more or less to criticism on similar grounds. During the past five years disease has been rife there, including typhoid fever, and many general complaints have from time to time been made. For instance, in August, 1884, on a similar occasion to the present, so much alarm and indignation was aroused that the *Sydney Morning Herald* on its own account made an investigation and published a very long report. Nevertheless nothing was then done by way of remedy. And therefore the Minister for Works having shown his determination not to let the matter pass this time, and having given directions that a thorough investigation shall now be made, we are preparing such a detailed report as we hope will effectually support his efforts.

In the present state of the law no such immediate step as is necessary can be taken; but the evidence furnished, even in this interim report, is sufficient to show that the houses 51 to 63 Gowrie-street, are, in our opinion, entirely unfit for human habitation.

J. ASHBURTON THOMPSON, M.D.
GEORGE H. STAYTON, M. Inst., C.E.

16th January, 1889.

Minute by The Secretary for Public Works.

Subject :—Outbreak of Typhoid Fever at Newtown.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, 15 January, 1889.

THE documents in the office will show what action I have taken in this very serious case, which I regret being compelled to believe is only one of a great many others of a similar nature which have been occurring in the city and suburbs, to the disgrace of our civilization. My action during the period I have been Minister for Works will show that since the time my predecessor, Mr. Lyne, gave instructions for the carrying out of the surveys necessary in connection with the works for the improvement of the sanitation of the city and suburbs, I have been able to push the matter forward to a point where it now only requires the approval of the Parliamentary Committee and Parliament in order that the great works which have been designed by this Department may be executed.

Knowing the evils that have resulted from our defective sewerage arrangements, I have strained every nerve, not only to push on the works necessary for the amelioration of the existing state of things, but have endeavoured to arouse the public mind to a sense of the great evils which have already been caused, and the still greater ones which are threatened, if a supine attitude is maintained, which I regret to say has been only too common in matters of this kind.

I now leave the whole subject to the consideration of my successor, promising him that I will give him my most energetic support with a view to carrying to completion the works initiated by Mr. Lyne, pressed forward by me, and which are now left to him to give final effect to.

JOHN SUTHERLAND.

Minute by The Secretary for Public Works.

Outbreak of Typhoid at Newtown.

16 January, 1889.

I HAVE read with deep concern the interim report which has been furnished to me by Dr. Thompson and Mr. Stayton in reference to the recent outbreak of typhoid in Gowrie-street, Newtown. The state of affairs therein revealed is simply appalling, and though attention has been often drawn to the matter before in various ways it has never probably been brought out so prominently in all its repulsive features. I wish these gentlemen to pursue their inquiries and probe the matter to the very bottom; and in leaving the further consideration of the subject to my successor I am sure I need not urge him to take the most energetic steps to cope with the great evil which threatens the community. I am thoroughly convinced that unless decided steps are taken the present encroachments of typhoid fever, which is rapidly though stealthily gaining upon us, will develop into something very near the terrible epidemics of yellow fever which decimate the populations of some countries.

I would strongly recommend that in advance of a comprehensive Health Bill a short measure be passed enabling the officers of the Works Department, in conjunction with those of the Health Board, to visit any suspected locality or house, and if it is found necessary to have the power to compel owners of property to carry out any requisition which may be made for the purpose of abating any dangerous nuisance found to exist. The neglect shown in these matters is little short of criminal.

JOHN SUTHERLAND.

Extract from the *Sydney Morning Herald* of January 2nd, 1889.

THE RAVAGES OF TYPHOID.

A SAD instance of the ravages of typhoid fever has recently come under the notice of the authorities of Prince Alfred Hospital. On the 13th ultimo a lad named Edward Jones was admitted to that institution suffering from typhoid fever, and on the following day his sister Maggie was admitted with the same disease. Four days later the mother, Charlotte Jones, and the father, William Jones, entered the institution for the same cause. The father succumbed to the attack on the 21st, the son died on the following day; on Monday the daughter died too; and the mother alone is left. Mrs. Jones is now recovering from the fever; but does not yet know of the loss of her husband and children. The family lived in Gowrie-street, Newtown. Including their number there have been six cases of typhoid taken to the Prince Alfred Hospital from the same street within the past few weeks, and four of these have proved fatal.

Minute by The Secretary for Public Works.

I SHALL be glad if Mr. Stayton and Dr. Thompson will have the goodness to examine the localities referred to above, and report to me on its sanitary condition. I think by following up cases like this considerable light will be thrown on the causes which lead to the outbreak of this disease. Its prevalence in our community is causing me much concern, more especially as it is preventable by the adoption of a proper system of sewerage, which I trust the Parliamentary Standing Committee will see its way shortly to recommend. I should like to give them the benefit of the report for which I now ask.

JOHN SUTHERLAND, 3/1/89.

Will Dr. MacLaurin kindly invite Dr. Thompson to join Mr. Stayton in this inspection and report. Mr. Sutherland will be particularly obliged if the latter can be presented to him on Monday next.—J.B., 3/1/89. Dr. MacLaurin.

I should like Dr. Thompson to furnish me with a report on this matter as soon as possible, so that it may be with the Minister for Public Works at the time stated.—H.N. MacL., B.C., 4/1/89. The C.M.I.

Report by The Deputy Medical Adviser to the Government.

7 January, 1889.

WITH reference to your direction, attached, and the memorandum of the Under Secretary for Works, in which he says that the Minister will be particularly obliged if a report can be furnished this day, perhaps the latter should be informed that it is not possible to do this. On Friday afternoon Mr. Stayton and I visited Gowrie-street; on Saturday morning I made a house-to-house inquiry in one part of that street, and a general inspection of the neighbourhood (with which, however, I am already well acquainted); in the afternoon I abstracted from returns in this Department and tabulated information concerning Newtown and Macdonaldtown of essential importance, and yesterday I spent several hours in writing letters to elicit farther necessary information, and in defining the topographical limits within which the inquiry must be carried on. I also interviewed on Saturday, at this Department, an informant who volunteered valuable details.

I do not doubt that this inquiry will furnish an important example of the sanitary defects of several parts of Sydney, due to absence of sewerage and of building laws; but if it is to carry weight it must be accurate, and from the above I think it will be perceived that, even with the best endeavour, I am to-day in reality only ready to begin the inquiry systematically.

J. ASHBURTON THOMPSON, M.D.,
Deputy Medical Adviser.

Urgent.—For the information of the Hon. the Secretary for Public Works.—H.N. MacL., B.C., 7/1/89. The Under Secretary for Public Works. Mr. Stayton.—W.B., 8/1/89. Dr. Ashburton Thompson and myself have arranged to inspect the district again this (Tuesday) afternoon.—G.H.S., 8/1/89.

Minute by The Secretary for Public Works.

Subject :—Outbreak of Typhoid at Newtown—Investigation by Dr. Ashburton Thompson and Mr. G. H. Stayton, M.I.C.E.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, 10 January, 1889.

ALTHOUGH I have not yet been furnished with a full report on this serious matter, which by my direction was at once investigated by Dr. Thompson and Mr. Stayton, sufficient has been brought under my notice by verbal report from one of these gentlemen to show that the most grave causes exist for public anxiety in regard thereto. Mr. Stayton, I understand, has informed the Under Secretary that it would be very desirable to sink shafts at the back of the premises occupied by the victims of the outbreak, and at other places, to ascertain the nature of the soil on which the buildings are erected; but Mr. Stayton says he is afraid that in doing so there may be some danger of the collapse of the walls of one of the houses. The matter, however, is of such urgency that I am prepared to take upon myself the entire responsibility of authorising Mr. Stayton and Dr. Thompson to have the necessary investigation made whatever may be the result to the building, and I wish the Under Secretary to write in strong terms to the owners of the house in question, and any others similarly affected, requesting them in the interest of the public health to permit the work to be carried out, at the same time informing them that I will hold them harmless for any injury which may occur to the buildings.

The whole thing is too serious to admit of any hesitancy, and I am simply acting on the maxim, "*Salus populi suprema est lex*," which is peculiarly applicable in the present case.

JOHN SUTHERLAND.

Write at once.—J.B., 11/11/89. Mr. Kitchen, 11/1/89. Mr. Piper.—W.B., 12/1/89. The papers were handed to Mr. Stayton for his report on 8/1/89, and have not yet been returned.

As the permission to sink the trial shafts has not yet been received, anticipate it, and carry out the work at once; it is a matter that admits of no delay; I will not permit if I can help it the lives of the citizens to be trifled with.—JOHN SUTHERLAND, 14/11/89.

Mr. Stayton and Dr. Thompson.—J.B., 14/1/89. Immediate. Perhaps Mr. Stayton will be good enough to inform me when he proposes to do this work, so that I may attend.—J.A.T. G. H. Stayton, Esq., C.E., 14/1/89.

The Under Secretary for Public Works to Mr. A. Kitchen.

[Very urgent.]

Sir,

Department of Public Works, Sydney, 11 January, 1889.

Referring to the recent outbreak of typhoid fever at Newtown, which occurred in some houses, the owner of which, it is understood, you represent, and in regard to which Dr. Ashburton Thompson and Mr. G. H. Stayton, M.I.C.E., have been directed to make an investigation, I am directed by the Secretary for Public Works to inform you that it has been found necessary, for the purposes of this investigation, to sink shafts at the back of the premises, and in view of the urgency and vital importance of the matter as affecting the public health, to request that you will move the owner of the premises to permit the works to be carried out.

I am to add that should any damage occur to the buildings in question, in consequence of the work, the Government will be fully responsible.

I have, &c.,

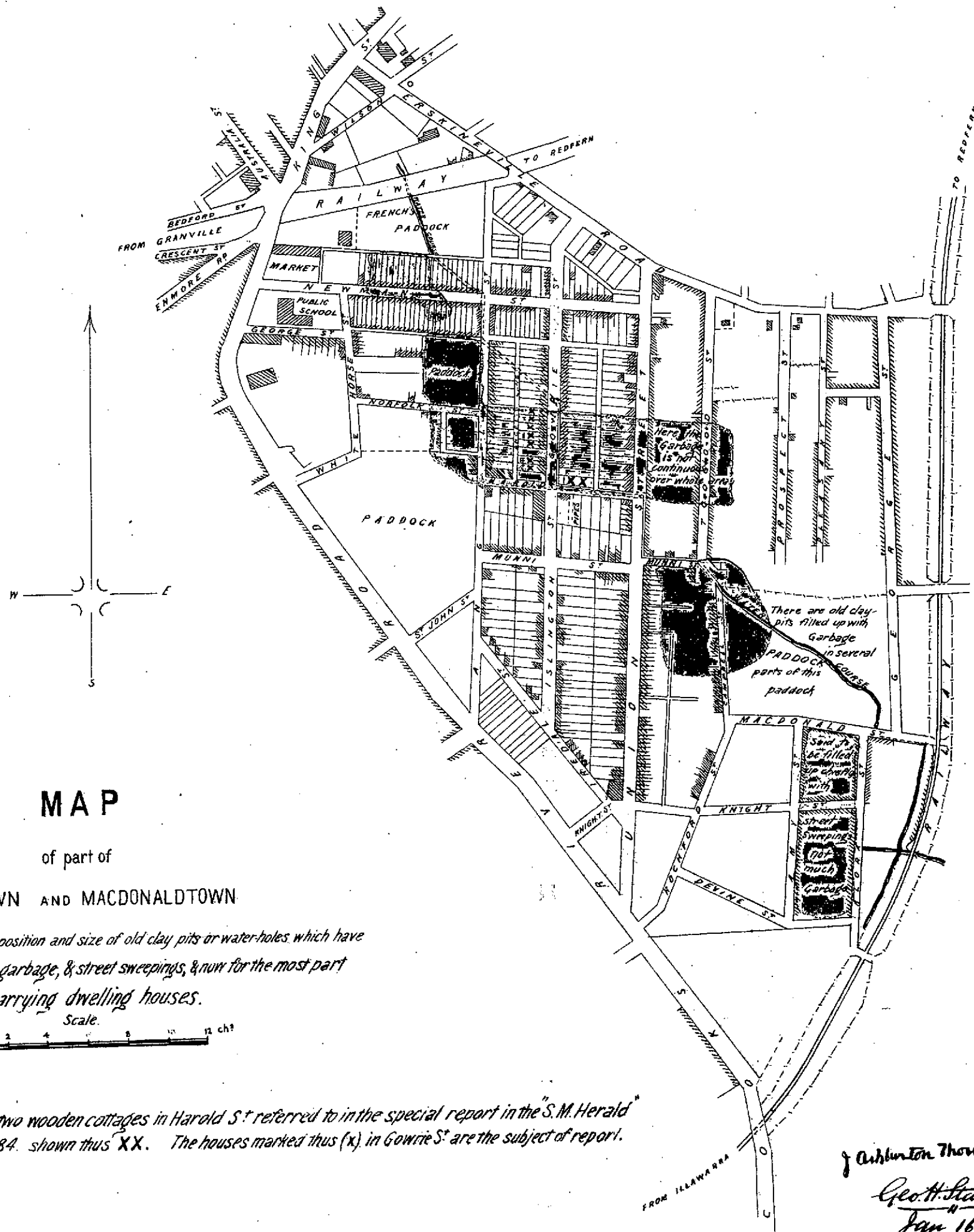
J. BARLING,

Under Secretary.

P.S.—The favor of an immediate reply will oblige.

[One map.]

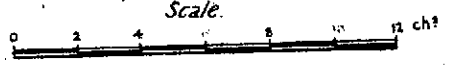
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MAP

of part of
NEWTOWN AND MACDONALDTOWN

Showing approximately the position and size of old clay pits or water-holes which have been filled up with earth, garbage, & street sweepings, & now for the most part carrying dwelling houses.



NOTE: Here stand the two wooden cottages in Harold St referred to in the special report in the "S.M. Herald" of August 2nd, 1884. shown thus XX. The houses marked thus (x) in Gowrie St are the subject of report.

A. Johnston Thompson, M.D.
Geo. H. Stanton, M. Ind. C.B.
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

CITY OF SYDNEY IMPROVEMENT BOARD.
(NINTH ANNUAL REPORT.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 25 October, 1888.

City of Sydney Improvement Board,
Offices, 35, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, 31 August, 1888.

To the Honorable the Colonial Secretary,—
Sir,

The members of the Board regret that in presenting this their Ninth Annual Report they have but little to add to former similar communications, as to any satisfactory progress.

The defects and deficiencies of the City of Sydney Improvement Act, so far as they have impeded and hampered the operations of the Board, and to a large extent nullified the carrying out of the objects for which it was evidently created by the framers of that Act, have been already fully brought under notice; and drafts of proposed amending Bills, to provide the requisite remedies, have been prepared and submitted to the Government. One of these Bills was introduced by you into the Legislative Assembly so far back as the 24th June, 1880, but it lapsed at the close of a Session.

Strong representations have also been made at various times as to the absolute necessity for the amendment of the Act under consideration, so as to provide, at least, for the means of giving due effect to the orders or decisions of the Board, but up to the present time without result.

So long as the present Act remains in force there must be in existence, in conjunction therewith, a Board of reference and appeal, but it has been shown in former annual reports, to which attention is invited, how the powers conferred upon the Board are circumscribed and rendered almost inoperative through there not being complete provisions for giving effect to them, thus to a large extent defeating the objects of the Act, which was expressly passed to more perfectly regulate the law relating to the construction and condition of buildings, with a due regard to the safety and health of the inhabitants within the City of Sydney.

A recent judgment, delivered on 13th August last, by the Primary Judge in Equity, in a suit "Chadwick *versus* the Municipal Council of Sydney," in which decisions of this Board were under review, serves to demonstrate the difficulties the Board labour under, and the manner in which, owing to the defects and ambiguities of the Act, the functions, which manifestly it was intended the Board should exercise, have been abridged or called into question. The pleadings in the case were of such a nature that both the plaintiff and the defendants sought to set aside the Board's decisions. In consequence of this judgment a doubt has arisen as to the rights of persons desirous of appealing to this Board, which will probably tend to still further lessen the practical utility of the Board.

It having recently been ascertained that an important order (about which no doubt whatever existed) made by this Board to the City Building Surveyor, the only executive officer appointed under the Act to carry out such decisions, had been varied, and the intention of the order materially frustrated, a case for submission to the Crown Law Officers has been prepared and forwarded to you, with a request that it might be laid before the Honorable the Attorney-General, with a view to determine the exact relationship of the City Building Surveyor to the Board, and the proper method which should be adopted to enforce orders and directions lawfully made by this Board.

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During the year now concluded only 13 (thirteen) meetings have been held, 7 (seven) references have been disposed of, and 1 (one) appeal heard, embracing in all 25 (twenty-five) buildings. It is almost superfluous to add that the Board have no control over the number of either the appeals made or the references submitted, the latter coming through the City Building Surveyor, who, although he is the executive officer of the Board, is virtually under the control and direction of the City Council. It is not, however, for one moment to be understood that the smallness of the business transacted is any guide to that which is actually awaiting attention, and which would be performed, were the Board not in the unsatisfactory position so frequently referred to.

With the object of again urging attention to the matter, we desire to remind you of a letter directed by us to be written to you on the 17th April last, forwarding a copy of the latest proposed Amending Bill, and various papers and documents in connection therewith; and we beg to attach hereto, as an appendix, a copy of a further communication addressed to you on the 18th August last, which explains and recapitulates the present position of the Board and many of the difficulties which have arisen in our efforts to give some intelligent effect to an Act respecting which it is almost impossible, when one section is brought into consideration with another section, to say what really is the true construction of the Act, and what really are the precise powers and functions of this Board.

Amongst other things it has been shown, it is believed, that for the reasons stated, there is not an adequate return for even the small outlay of public money expended in maintaining the Board in its present condition, and, on the other hand, that there is a large quantity of work, which has hitherto been neglected, for such a body to accomplish, were they placed in a position to enable them to fulfil the duties required of them.

We have, &c.,

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| BENJAMIN BACKHOUSE, CHAIRMAN. | } MEMBERS OF BOARD. |
| WM. BAILEY, J.P., | |
| CRAIG DIXSON, M.D., F.R.C.S., E., | |
| GEORGE EVANS, | |
| FRANK SENIOR, J.P., | |

APPENDIX.

Sir, City of Sydney Improvement Board, 35, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, 18 August, 1888.

Since the despatch of former communications on the subject of the disabilities the City of Sydney Improvement Board labours under in consequence of the numerous defects and deficiencies in the Act under which the members of such Board operate, a judgment (a copy of which is enclosed) has been delivered on the 13th instant by the Chief Judge in Equity, which we desire to bring prominently under your notice, it being of importance, as seriously affecting the standing of this Board, and as proving the existing necessity for amending the City of Sydney Improvement Act.

A case has been argued in the Equity Court—"Chadwick v. the Municipality of Sydney"—in which the pleadings were of such a nature that both the plaintiff and the defendants wished to set aside the Board's decisions. The Board were not represented in any way on the argument, and a decision has been given that there is not any right of appeal from the opinion of the Mayor, Surveyor, Health Officer, and Inspector of Nuisances, expressed under the provision of the 31st section of the "City Improvement Act," with respect to buildings, thereby leaving every property-owner in Sydney entirely at the mercy of the Corporation, notwithstanding that the 6th section of the Act provides that the "Board shall have power to determine any question concerning the execution of this Act which may be brought before them by complaint, report, or otherwise"; and, if this decision of the Equity Court be upheld in law and acted upon, the Board will be still further rendered useless in its present unsatisfactory and hampered condition, and it will make nugatory the evident intention of the Act, which was expressly passed, as its preamble states, to provide for "a due regard to the safety and health of the inhabitants within the City of Sydney."

In connection with previous letters written by the Registrar, with enclosures, on the 17th April last and on the 9th instant, and other communications, and with interviews between yourself and the Chairman and members of the City of Sydney Improvement Board, together with annual reports, &c., we now write with the view of earnestly inviting your attention to the foregoing, as well as to the following facts respecting this Board, and the urgent necessity which exists for some action being taken on the part of the Government.

This Board acts in two capacities, viz., as a Board of Appeal, under the provisions contained in the 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, and other sections of the "City of Sydney Improvement Act," and, as a body, empowered, under the 27th, 29th, and other clauses of the same Act, to take certain proceedings, and to make certain orders with regard to the taking down, altering, repairing, or securing of buildings and other structures; but, as frequently pointed out from time to time, the Board is not in possession of powers of initiation, or even of authority to enforce or carry out the orders they make.

Since 30th November, 1887, until quite recently, when two references dealing with buildings have been received, no matter or report of any description has been referred to the Board by the proper officer, the City Building Surveyor, who is a servant of the City Council, and virtually beyond the control of the Board, but whose duties are very clearly defined by the 21st section of the Act. It is pointed out that (probably owing to instructions received, and in one case it is known that

that this is actually so) this officer does not "perform everything required of him by the Act, and at all times, when needful, take all necessary measures," with regard to ruinous and other buildings and structures within the city, as expressly directed by that and other sections; and it is thought that the executive officer, whose clear and acknowledged duty it is, as expressly laid down by the Act, to initiate such proceedings, would not of his own motion assume the responsibility of neglecting, in such a distinct and marked manner, to do so; for it is well known to members of the Board and to many other persons that there are large numbers of buildings either ruinous or sanitarily or constructively dangerous, concerning which prompt action is required, which are not dealt with, as well as many other matters and things requiring attention connected with various other structures and erections, which attention they do not receive, to the retardation of the progress and the improvement of the city, and to the disgrace of the metropolis.

We deem it to be our duty to point out to you that an almost useless expenditure of public money is now being made for maintaining the Board, comprising office rent, salaries, &c., with little or no result, although there is in reality plenty of useful and urgent work required to be done within the city, with which the Board might be occupied advantageously, were they not prevented by the failure of the City Building Surveyor to set them in motion; and it can only be inferred that this officer's dereliction of duty in this respect apparently arises from some preventive action on the part of the City Council; these opinions, it is believed, are warranted from the fact that so little good is being derived from the powers possessed by the Board, which might with great benefit to the city be utilized, did the Council think fit to insist upon the City Building Surveyor—their own appointed officer—performing his duty in accordance with the provisions of the Act, even to the extent of the business brought forward by him during the period—August 1883 to August 1886, when a comparatively large number of matters were reported to the Board and dealt with, also by the length of time which has elapsed since the exercise of the Board's functions has been invoked by the Council, and by the knowledge that whenever the Board has attempted to confer with the City Council respecting the administration of the Act, such attempts, owing to the attitude of that body, have been almost futile, and their practical results unsatisfactory.

But few appeals are being made to the Board; this arises partly from the comparative inaction of the Mayor and the Corporation Officers, already commented upon, in dealing with buildings, and partly from the uncertainty which seems to exist owing to the defective character of the Act as to the relief the Board is capable of affording to persons desirous of appealing. Some of the difficulties which have arisen in regard to the operation of the City of Sydney Improvement Act might have been obviated or lessened, and its better administration facilitated, had the City Council framed by-laws, and imposed small penalties up to £10 for obstructing action thereunder, as provided for in the 5th and 7th sections of the Act, but it is most remarkable that although the Act has been in force now for over nine years no such by-laws have yet been made. Members of the Board are not aware whether the provision in the 5th section of the Act which necessitates such contemplated by-laws being submitted to the Board has had anything to do with the failure to frame them.

We desire further to point out that the proposed Bill to amend the City of Sydney Improvement Act, which has already been submitted more than once, contains a clause, a copy of which is enclosed, providing for resuming lands for the purpose of reformation or improvement, including the closing, extension, or widening of any streets, and it is suggested that had this been passed into law the difficulties encountered in carrying out many much-needed improvements within the city could have been readily overcome, and such matters as the widening of the Post Office street, which has been in abeyance for so long, and about which numerous public discussions in Parliament and elsewhere have taken place, and the continuation of O'Connell-street into Pitt-street, upon which subject there has lately been considerable negotiation between the City Corporation and the Union Bank, without result, might have long since been settled with but little delay or trouble. It is thought that these considerations afford strong reasons, in addition to many others previously advanced, why the pressing necessity for the amendment of the City of Sydney Improvement Act, *delayed for nearly nine years*, should not be further lost sight of.

We have, &c.,

BENJ. BACKHOUSE, Chairman.
CRAIG DIXSON, M.D., F.R.C.S.E., &c.
GEO. EVANS.
W. BAILEY.
FRANK SENIOR.

The Honorable the Colonial Secretary.

[Enclosures.]

No. 1.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales—In Equity.
Chadwick, Plaintiff—Municipality of Sydney, Defendants.

JUDGMENT delivered 13th August, 1888.

HIS HONOR: In this case the plaintiff, Robert Chadwick, being the owner of fifteen tenements in Liverpool-street, was served with notices under the 31st section of the City of Sydney Improvement Act of 1879, dated the 31st March, 1886, and signed by the Mayor, Building Surveyor, Health Officer, and Inspector of Nuisances, that the said tenements were wholly unfit for human habitation and for the accommodation of the occupants thereof, and warning him that if after the expiration of seven days after the service of this notice the said buildings were let for hire, or occupied, &c., immediate action would be taken in accordance with law. Upon the receipt of these notices the plaintiff preferred a complaint to the Sydney Improvement Board, and on the 31st August, 1886, the Board made an order allowing the appeal on condition of certain alterations and improvements being effected according to a specification annexed. This specification enumerated in detail various alterations and improvements, to some of which the plaintiff now objects, viz., to the direction to build a brick wall between each tenement; to provide drains in the back yards; and generally that the Board, while upholding an appeal, had no power to direct alterations in the structure of the buildings. The plaintiff wholly neglected this order, and took no steps to effect any of these repairs and alterations. On the 19th December, 1887, he was again served with notices in the same terms as the notices of the 31st March, 1886, and he again preferred his complaint to the Improvement Board, who examined witnesses and visited the premises, and finding that the work directed to be done had not been carried out, made an order on the 28th March, 1888, dismissing the appeal. The plaintiff thereupon filed his claim praying for a declaration that the notices of the 31st March, 1886, had lapsed or been abandoned, and that the decision of the Board thereon had thereby become void, or that the said decision was void as being illegal and *ultra vires*—and that the decision of the Board of the 28th March, 1888, was *ultra vires* and illegal, and for an injunction to restrain the defendants from taking proceedings under the said notices until the complaint of the plaintiff in respect of such notices should have been legally dealt with on its merits, or until such other time as the Court might direct. To this claim the defendants demurred on several grounds.

1. That the statement of claim does not contain any matter of equity whereon this Honorable Court can ground any decree, or give to the plaintiff any relief against the defendants or any of them.
2. That the City of Sydney Improvement Board has not, by virtue of the said City of Sydney Improvement Act, or otherwise, any jurisdiction to hear, entertain, or allow any complaint or appeal against or from any notice given in pursuance of the 31st section of the said Act by the Mayor, Surveyor, Health Officer, and Inspector of Nuisances. And that, therefore, the notices of the 31st day of March, 1886, and 19th day of December, 1887, in the statement of claim mentioned, remained, and still remain, in full force and effect as if no complaint or appeal had ever been preferred or made by the plaintiff to the said Board in respect of the same.
3. That the reasons for which the plaintiff alleges the orders of the 31st day of August, 1886, and the 28th day of March, 1888, to be illegal, *ultra vires*, or of no effect, are insufficient at law.
4. That the facts alleged in the 16th paragraph of the statement of claim are irrelevant to the issues raised.
5. That it is not competent for this Honorable Court to inquire into the grounds which the defendants, acting officially, or the said Board may have decided that the plaintiff's or any building is unfit for human habitation, or for the accommodation of the occupants thereof, nor to review their findings or orders, nor to restrain the defendants, or any of them, from taking such proceedings as may be necessary for the recovery of any penalties to which the plaintiff may have become liable by virtue of the said Act and of proceedings thereunder.
7. That the facts alleged by the plaintiff (if and so far as they are of legal importance) might and should have been raised by him by way of defence to proceedings instituted against him to recover penalties, and that there is no reason why the aid of this Honorable Court should be invoked to oust the jurisdiction of the Justices.

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The first question I have to consider is whether an appeal lies from the body constituted by the 31st section to the Improvement Board. The material part of that section is as follows:—"If the Mayor, Surveyor, Health Officer, and Inspector of Nuisances shall be of opinion that any room or building is unfit for human habitation, or for the accommodation of the occupants thereof, either wholly or in part, they shall cause a notice under their hands to such effect to be served on the owner of such premises, and if, in their opinion, such premises can be rendered fit for human habitation or accommodation as aforesaid, they shall in such notice state the alterations and improvements required by them for that purpose." The body so created exists only for the exercise of the powers conferred by this section, and for the purposes of inspection under the 36th section; it has no other function under the Act. All the other powers and duties under the Act are exercised by the Improvement Board, the City Council, and the administrative officers. The fact that the Mayor is joined with the three principal administrative officers shows that the body was not intended to be a merely subordinate body. No right of appeal is given by this section, as is given by section 14, from the decision of the City Council, but it was contended that under the 7th section the plaintiff could prefer a complaint against the notices served on him under the 31st section. Under that section "Any person dissatisfied with the conduct proceedings or decision of any officer empowered by this Act to carry out its provision, may prefer a complaint to the board * * * and the board shall examine such witnesses as may be called, and shall have full power to adjudicate upon the question or questions submitted for settlement." Under the 6th section the board has power "to determine any question concerning the execution of this Act which may be brought before them by complaint, report, or otherwise;" but the right to bring questions before the board by complaint must depend on the construction of the 7th section set out above. I am by no means clear that a notice under the 31st section is a "decision" within the meaning of the 7th section. In the case of the Queen v. the Local Government Board, 9 Queen's Bench Division, 600, affirmed 10 Queen's Bench Division 309, the Court considered that a notice requiring the owners of premises to pave a street and a notice of the apportionment of the cost of paving was not a "decision" within the meaning of a somewhat analogous section of the English Act. But there is a much more serious difficulty in this case. The power under the 31st section is discretionary, and is made to depend on the "opinion" of the four officers named in it. They have power to condemn any building if "in their opinion" it is unfit for human habitation; and if "in their opinion" it can be rendered fit, they can direct the necessary alterations and improvements to be effected. The Legislature having made the exercise of these powers discretionary and dependent upon the opinion of certain officers, how can the opinion of the board be substituted for it? An appeal to the board can only mean the determining of the fitness or unfitness of the building by the opinion of the board, instead of the opinion of the body in whom the power is vested under the 31st section. But if I am wrong on this point, still, on the assumption that an appeal does lie, I think the plaintiff has failed to make out his case. It is contended that the order of the board of the 31st August, 1886, allowing the appeal on condition of certain repairs, alterations, and improvements being effected, was illegal, and *ultra vires*—first, on the ground that the board, in upholding the appeal, could not direct that alterations be made in the structure of the buildings, by which I understand the plaintiff to contend that the board could only allow or dismiss an appeal, but could not itself make any order directing alterations to be made; and, secondly, that if the board could make any such order it had no power to direct that a brick wall should be erected between each tenement, or drains made in the backyards. It is not necessary for me to consider whether the board could in respect of buildings not condemned under the 31st section, and when not sitting as an appellate tribunal, make an order directing the erection of a brick wall or of drains on the plaintiff's premises, because if the board can entertain an appeal against the condemnation of a building under section 31, they must have the power to make the order which, in their opinion, ought to have been made in the first instance. The 31st section enables the four officers named in it, if in their opinion the premises can be rendered fit for human habitation, to state the alterations and improvements required by them for that purpose. If, therefore, the board were of opinion that the buildings ought not to have been condemned because they could be rendered fit for human habitation by certain alterations and improvements, they would not be limited to merely allowing the appeal, but must, in my opinion, be empowered to direct the alterations and improvements required by them for the purpose of rendering the buildings fit—as fully as the body under the 31st section. The question of the necessary alterations cannot be remitted back to the body under the 31st section, because, having condemned the buildings wholly, it must be assumed that, in their opinion, no alterations or improvements could possibly render the buildings fit for human habitation. If the power of the board to direct the necessary alterations is not of the widest character, their value as an appellate tribunal would be much limited, because if they saw that certain alterations were necessary, but had no power to direct them, they would be obliged to condemn buildings which otherwise they would have spared. On the assumption, therefore, that the board can entertain such an appeal, I see nothing illegal or *ultra vires* in the orders made. Although I have dealt with the objections to the legality of the order of the board, I do not wish it to be supposed that I consider that this Court has jurisdiction in all cases to review the decisions of bodies created by Act of Parliament, or to interfere with their action so long as they act within their powers and in good faith. The extent and limits of the Court's right of interference are clearly stated by Lord Justice Brett, and by Lord Justice Turner. In the Queen v. Local Government Board, 10, Queen's Bench Division, 321, Lord Justice Brett says:—"Wherever the Legislature entrusts to any body of persons, other than the superior Courts, the power of imposing an obligation upon individuals, the Courts ought to exercise, as widely as they can, the power of controlling those bodies of persons if those persons admittedly attempt to exercise powers beyond the powers given to them by Act of Parliament." The limits of this right of interference are stated by Lord Justice Turner, in *Bateman v. Boynton*, L.R., 1 Chancery appeals 359:—"I am by no means prepared to say that this Court can be made subsidiary to a tribunal created by Parliament for settling the rights of parties upon the mere ground that that tribunal has miscarried in the settlement of those rights." For these reasons I allow the demurrer with costs.

No. 2.

47^o VICTORIA, 1883.

(Extract from.)

A BILL to amend the "City of Sydney Improvement Act."

Minister for Works may resume Lands for certain purposes.

10. It shall be lawful for the Minister for Public Works, upon the recommendation of the Board, to resume any lands in the City of Sydney for the purpose of reformation or improvement thereof, including the closing, extension, or widening of any streets at present in existence, and the opening of new streets, and to sell or lease the residue of the land so resumed in one lot or in parcels, and upon such terms and conditions and in such manner as to the said Minister for Works shall seem fit, and all the powers and provisions contained in the Lands for Public Purposes Acquisition Act, and every amendment thereof so far as they are applicable shall be available for effecting the said resummptions.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(BOROUGH OF ALEXANDRIA—BY-LAWS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 153.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 6th September, 1888.

ALEXANDRIA MUNICIPALITY.—BY-LAWS.

The following By-laws, made by the Council of the Borough of Alexandria, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

BY-LAWS.

WHEREAS it has been deemed expedient by the Municipal Council of the Borough of Alexandria to place a Toll-gate in Copeland-street, at the bridge there (east side). They the said Council have agreed to the following By-laws for establishing and regulating the same, for the scale of tolls to be levied, and for collection of said tolls.

That the following scale of tolls be levied on every vehicle or animal passing through the said gate, each time, the said vehicles or animals being allowed to return without such toll being demanded:—

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| For every sheep, goat, or pig | 0 | 0½ |
| For every ox or head of neat cattle | 0 | 1 |
| For every horse, mare, gelding, ass, or mule | 0 | 1 |
| For every cart, dray, or other such vehicle with two wheels, drawn by one horse or other animal | 0 | 2 |
| If drawn by two horses or other animals | 0 | 3 |
| And for every additional horse or other animal | 0 | 1 |
| And for every wain, waggon, or other such carriage with four wheels, drawn by two horses or other animals | 0 | 4 |
| And for every additional horse or other animal drawing such carriage | 0 | 1 |
| For every gig, chaise, or other such carriage with two wheels, drawn by one horse or other animal | 0 | 3 |
| If drawn by two horses or other animals | 0 | 4 |
| For every coach, chariot, or other such carriage with four wheels, and drawn by one horse or other animal | 0 | 5 |
| If drawn by two horses or other animals | 0 | 6 |
| And for every additional horse or other animal | 0 | 1 |

That for every vehicle with four wheels, usually drawn by two or more horses, affixed, tied, or secured to any other vehicle, there shall be paid for such vehicle the same rate of toll as if drawn by two horses.

And for every vehicle with two wheels, the same rate of toll as if drawn by one horse.

Provided always that if any such vehicle so tied or secured to any other vehicle shall contain any goods other than the harness thereto belonging, and such articles of packages as may be necessary for the protection of such carriage or passengers, the same shall be liable to double the toll hereby imposed.

The said toll-bar shall be sold annually or otherwise disposed of as the Council may deem expedient.

Any person with any horse, beast, or carriage going off or passing from the road through or over any land or ground near or adjoining, not being a public highway, with intent to

evade payment of toll, or if any person shall give or receive from any person other than a collector of tolls, or shall forge, counterfeit, or alter any note or ticket with intent to evade the payment of tolls or any part thereof, or if any person shall neglect or refuse to pay toll or shall fraudulently or forcibly pass through such toll-gate with any beast or carriage or shall leave upon the said road any beast or carriage whatsoever by reason whereof the payment of any toll shall be avoided or lessened, or shall take off or cause to be taken off any beast from any carriage either before or after having passed through such toll-gate, or having passed through the gate shall afterwards add or put any beast to any such carriage and draw therewith upon any part of road so as to increase the number of beasts drawing the said carriage after the same shall have passed through the said toll-gate, whereby the payment of toll shall or may be lessened, or if any person shall do any other act whatsoever in order or with intent to evade the payment of toll, and whereby the same shall be evaded,—every such person shall for every such offence forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding five pounds.

Any person or persons who shall wilfully or maliciously pull or cut down, pluck up, throw down, break, level, or otherwise damage, demolish, or destroy the toll-gate or toll-house, or any chain, post, rail, bar, wall, or other fence or fences of or belonging to such toll-gate, or any other chain, post, bar, or fence of any kind whatsoever used therewith, or set up or erected or hereafter to be set up or erected to prevent passengers or travellers or their beasts or carriages from passing without paying toll or any house or houses erected or to be erected for the use of such toll-gate, or shall forcibly rescue any person or persons being lawfully in custody of any officer or other person for any of the offences hereinbefore mentioned, then and in each and every such case every person so offending shall forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding forty shillings over and above the damages occasioned thereby.

Any person or persons who shall wilfully pull down, break, injure, or damage any table of tolls put up at the toll-bar as aforesaid, or shall wilfully or designedly deface or obliterate any of the inscriptions, letters, figures, or marks thereon, or if any person or persons shall wilfully pull up, throw down, cut, break, injure, damage, or destroy any post, rail, or fence placed or to be placed or put up, either by the side or sides of the road, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding three pounds over and above the damages occasioned thereby

(L.S.) J. R. DACEY,
Mayor.

KELSON VAUGHAN,
Council Clerk.
Town Hall, Alexandria,
23rd May, 1888.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(BOROUGH OF ASHFIELD—ADDITIONAL BY-LAW.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 158.Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 20th September, 1888.

ASHFIELD MUNICIPALITY.—ADDITIONAL BY-LAW.

THE following additional By-law, made by the Council of the Borough of Ashfield, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, is published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

OPENING ROAD OR FOOTWAYS.

ANY person desirous of opening any street, roadway, lane, or footpath within this Borough for the purpose of laying service-pipes for water or drain pipes, or for any other purpose whatsoever, shall, before doing so, give notice to the Council Clerk at his office, and receive from him a permit for same, and pay therefor a fee of two shillings and six pence. In every case where the footpath has been laid the full width with asphalt, an extra fee of two shilling and six pence must be paid. Any person failing to comply with any of the provisions of this By-law shall upon conviction forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding forty shillings nor less than five shillings, in addition to the fees herein imposed.

Passed by the Municipal Council of the Borough of Ashfield, this fourth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

(I.S.) THOMAS DEAN,
Mayor.

THOS. GLASSOP, Council Clerk.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(BOROUGH OF EAST MAITLAND—BY-LAWS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 158.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 16th October, 1888.

EAST MAITLAND MUNICIPALITY.—BY-LAW.

THE following By-law made by the Council of the Borough of East Maitland, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," in substitution for No. 104 of the By-laws at present in force in that Municipality, having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, is published in accordance with the requirements of the abovesaid Act.

HENRY PARKES.

Riding on drays, careless driving &c.

No. 104. If the driver of any waggon, train, cart, or dray of any kind shall ride upon any such carriage in any street as aforesaid not having some person on foot to guide the same (such carts as are drawn by one horse and driver or guided with reins only excepted,) or if the driver of any carriage whatsoever shall wilfully be at such a distance from such carriage, or in such a situation, whilst it shall be passing upon such street that he cannot have the direction and government of the horse or horses or cattle drawing the same, or if the driver of any waggon, cart, dray, or coach or other carriage whatsoever meeting any other carriage shall not keep his waggon, cart, dray, or coach or other carriage on the left or near side of the road, street, or thoroughfare, or if the driver of any vehicle, waggon, dray, cart, or coach shall proceed from one street into another at a pace faster than that known as walking, or shall at any time between sunset and sunrise on any occasion, in the case of any vehicle without springs, waggon, dray, or cart, fail to have on the off or right side, and clear of the same a lamp lighted showing a white light in front and white or red to the rear, and in the case of all other vehicles save those above specified a lamp one on each side showing a white light in front, and red at the rear clear of such vehicle or if any person shall in any manner wilfully prevent any other person or persons from passing him or her or any carriage under his or her care upon such street or by negligence or misbehaviour prevent, hinder, or interrupt the free passage of any carriage or person in or upon the same, or shall ride any animal from one street into another at a pace faster than that known as walking, every such rider or driver or person so offending shall upon conviction forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding forty shillings.

(L.S.) GEO. THOS. CHAMBERS,
Mayor.

P. BOWES, Council Clerk.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(BOROUGH OF EAST ORANGE—BY-LAWS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 158.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 23rd November, 1888.

EAST ORANGE MUNICIPALITY.—BY-LAWS.

THE following By-laws, made by the Council of the Borough of East Orange, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

BY-LAWS for regulating the proceedings of the Council of the Municipal District of East Orange, and the duties of officers and servants of the said Council; for preserving order at meetings of the said Council; for determining the times and modes of collecting and enforcing payments of rates; for preventing and extinguishing fires; for suppressing nuisances and houses of ill-fame; for compelling residents to keep their premises free from offensive or unwholesome matters; the killing of cattle and sale of butcher's meat; opening up new public roads, ways, and parks; aligning and cleansing roads and streets; generally controlling and managing public reserves; regulating the bathing or washing the person in any public water near a public thoroughfare; preserving public decency; providing for the health of the Municipality; restraining noisome and offensive trades.

PART I.

Proceedings of the Council and Committees.—Preservation of order at Council Meetings.—Duties of officers, servants, &c.

Ordinary Meeting.

1. The Council shall meet for the transaction of business every alternate Wednesday at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, unless such day happen to be a public holiday. In the latter case the meeting shall be held on such other day as the Mayor may appoint.

Election of Chairman in absence of Mayor:

2. If at any meeting of the Council the Mayor be absent, at the expiration of fifteen minutes after the time appointed for holding such meeting, the Aldermen then present (being a quorum) shall proceed to elect from themselves a Chairman to preside at such meeting during the absence of the Mayor. Whenever there shall be an adjournment of any such meeting for want of a quorum, the names of the Aldermen present shall be taken down and shall be recorded in the minute-book by the Council Clerk or other person who may have been appointed his substitute.

Order of Business at all Meetings of the Council other than Special Meetings.

Business of Ordinary Meetings.

- I. The minutes of the last preceding meeting to be read by the Council Clerk or his substitute, corrected if erroneous, and signed by the Mayor or Chairman. No discussion to be permitted on such minutes except as to whether they are correct.
- II. Correspondence to be read, and orders made thereon if expedient.
- III. Petitions (if any) to be read and dealt with.
- IV. Reports from Committees and minutes from the Mayor (if any) to be presented, and orders made thereon.
- V. Questions as to matters under the jurisdiction, or within the official cognizance of the Council, to be put and replied to, and statements as to any facts, matters, or circumstances requiring attention by the Council or any of the Committees or officers to be made.
- VI. Motions of which notice has been given to be dealt with in the order in which they stand on the business paper.
- VII. Orders of the day to be disposed of as they stand on the business paper.
- VIII. Payment of accounts.

Business may be taken out of regular order.

3. Provided that the Council may, by resolution without notice, entertain any particular motion, or deal with any particular matter of business, out of its regular order on the business paper, without any formal suspension of this section, and may in like manner direct that any particular motion or matter of business shall have precedence at a future meeting.

Business at Special Meetings.

4. At special meetings of the Council the minutes shall be first read and signed, in the same manner as at an ordinary meeting, and the business shall be taken in such order as the Mayor, or other the person presiding as Chairman, or the Alderman at whose instance such special meeting shall have been called, may have directed.

Business Paper for Ordinary Meeting.

5. The business paper for every meeting of the Council, other than a special meeting, shall be made up by the Council Clerk, or other the person acting as his substitute, not less than two nor more than three days before the day appointed for such meeting. He shall enter on such business paper the substance of every notice or motion, and of every requisition or order, as to business to be transacted at such meeting, which he may have received, or shall have been required or directed so to enter, in due course of law and as hereinafter provided. Every such entry shall be made (subject to the provisions of section 3 of this "Part" of those By-laws) in the same order as such notice, requisition, or direction shall have been received.

Business Paper for Special Meeting.

6. The business paper for each special meeting shall contain only such matters as shall have been specially ordered to be entered thereon by the Mayor or Alderman calling such meeting.

Summons to Members.

7. The summons to members of the Council for every meeting thereof shall be prepared from the business paper for such meeting, and shall embody the substance of such business paper.

How Business Paper to be disposed of.

8. The business paper for each meeting of the Council shall at such meeting be laid before the Mayor or Chairman, who shall make a note upon such business paper of the mode in which each matter entered thereon has been dealt with, and such business paper so noted shall be a record of the Council.

Notices, &c., to be the Property of the Council.

9. After the business paper shall have been made up as aforesaid, all notices of motion, requisitions, and directions, as to which entries have been made thereon, shall be the property of the Council, and shall not be withdrawn, altered, or amended, without leave having been first obtained from the Council for such withdrawal, alteration, or amendment.

*Motions and Amendment.**Motions how to be made.*

10. Except by leave of the Council, motions shall be moved in the order in which they stand on the business paper, and if not so moved or postponed, shall be struck from such business paper, and be considered to have lapsed.

Absence of Proposed Mover.

11. No motion of which notice shall have been entered on the business paper shall be proceeded with in the absence of the Alderman by whom such notice shall have been given, unless by some other Alderman producing a written authority for that purpose from such first-mentioned Alderman.

Motion to be seconded.

12. No motion in Council shall be discussed unless and until it be seconded.

Amendment may be moved.

13. When a motion or amendment shall have been made and seconded, any Alderman shall be at liberty to move an amendment thereon, but no amendment shall be discussed unless and until it be seconded.

Motions and amendments to be in writing.

14. No motion or amendment shall be discussed until it shall have been reduced into writing.

Only one amendment at a time.

15. No second or subsequent amendment shall be taken into consideration until the previous amendment or amendments shall have been disposed of.

Amended Question—Further amendment may be moved thereon.

16. If any amendment be carried, the question as amended thereby shall become itself the question before the Council, whereupon any further amendment upon such question may be moved.

How subsequent amendments may be moved.

17. If any amendment either upon an original question or upon any question amended as aforesaid shall be negatived, then a further amendment may be moved to the question to which such first-mentioned amendment was moved, and so on: Provided that not more than one question and one proposed amendment thereof shall be before the Council at any one time.

Motions for adjournment.

18. No motion for adjournment of the Council shall be discussed. If seconded, such motion shall be put at once. If negatived, no similar motion will be permitted to be made until half an hour has elapsed after moving the one that has been negatived, and the subjects on the business paper shall be proceeded with in order.

Requisitions from Aldermen how to be dealt with.

19. Every requisition by an Alderman that any particular matter of business be brought before the Council shall be regarded and treated as a notice of motion by such Alderman that such business be taken into consideration by the Council; and he shall, if present, be called upon in due order to move that such business be so considered, or to make any other motion which he may think fit in reference thereto which shall be consistent with the notice of such business and with good order. And when any such motion shall have been made it shall be dealt with in precisely the same manner as if notice thereof had been given, subject however to any objection which may exist as to its not being in accordance with the notice actually given of such business, or with good order. And if no motion shall be made by such Alderman in reference to such business, the entry relating thereto shall be struck from the business paper.

*Orders of the Day.**Of what orders of the day shall consist.*

20. The orders of the day shall consist of any matters other than motions on notice which the Council shall at a previous meeting thereof have directed to be taken into consideration, or which the Mayor or Chairman or any Committee of the Council shall have directed to be entered on the business paper for consideration.

How they are to be dealt with.

21. The Alderman who has the usual charge of, or who has previously moved in reference to the particular business to which any such order of the day relates shall be the person called upon to move: Provided that the Mayor or the Chairman for the time being may, as to any order of the day entered by his direction, arrange with and call upon any Alderman to move the same. And section 18 of this "Part" of these By-laws shall be considered applicable to order of the day.

*Petitions.**Aldermen's duties with respect to petitions.*

22. Every Alderman presenting a petition shall prior thereto acquaint himself with the contents thereof, and shall ascertain that it does not contain language disrespectful to the Council.

Petitions—how received.

23. All petitions shall be received only as the petitions of the parties signing the same.

How petitions to be dealt with.

24. No motion other than for the reception of a petition shall, unless as hereinafter provided, be permissible on the presentation thereof, except that the same be referred to a Committee, or that its consideration stand an order of the day for some future meeting: Provided, however, that if any Alderman shall have given due notice of a motion in reference to the subject of any petition, or if the consideration of the subject of any petition shall have been made an order of the day and such petition shall have been presented before such motion or order of the day shall have been called on, such order of the day or the said motion if otherwise unobjectionable shall be considered in order.

Correspondence.

25. The Mayor or Chairman for the time being shall have the same duty in reference to letters addressed to the Council before directing the same to be read, as by section 22 of this "Part" of these By-laws is imposed upon Aldermen presenting petitions. If not read to be returned to the writer and reported to the Council. The Mayor or Chairman for the time being shall direct as to the order in which all correspondence shall be read, and no letter addressed to the Council or any of its officers shall be presented or read by any Alderman. If the Mayor be absent and shall not have examined any such letters, or have given any such directions as aforesaid, then the duties imposed by this section shall devolve upon the presiding Alderman.

Section 23 to apply to letters.

26. Section 23 of this "Part" of these By-laws shall be considered as fully applicable to letters addressed to the Council or any of its officers as to petitions.

*Reports from Committees and Minutes from the Mayor.**Form of Report.*

27. Every report from a Committee shall be in writing, and signed by the Chairman of such Committee, or, in his absence, by some member of the same.

Mayor's Minutes.

28. The Mayor shall have the right of directing the attention of the Council to any matter or subject within its jurisdiction or its official cognizance, by a minute signed by him.

How Reports, &c., are to be dealt with.

29. On the presentation of a report from a Committee, or a minute from the Mayor, no motion shall be permissible except that the same be received and that its consideration stand an order of the day for some future meeting: Provided that if any Alderman shall have given due notice in reference to any such report or minute, or if the consideration of such report or minute shall have been entered among the orders of the day, such orders of the day or such motion may be moved and considered in due course. If any such report or minute embodies any matter which cannot legally be carried out without due notice, and it is desirable that such report or minute shall be ordered upon during the meeting of the Council at which such report or minute is presented, it shall be the duty of the Chairman or Member of such Committee signing such report, or of the Mayor as the case may be, to give or transmit to the Council Clerk such a notice of motion, requisition, or direction as aforesaid, as will enable the Council Clerk to make the necessary entry on the business paper, and to give such due notice.

Questions and Statements.

Limitations as to questions and statements.

30. No question or statement shall be allowed to be put or made which is inconsistent with good order, or is not in strict accordance with the requirements of these By-laws relating to the order of the business of the Council.

Notice of Questions to be given and answers optional.

31. Twenty-four hours previous notice in writing of every question shall be given to the person who is expected to reply thereto, and it shall be optional with the person so questioned as aforesaid, whether he will or not answer the question so put to him.

Questions to be put without argument.

32. Every such question must be put categorically without any argument or statement of fact.

Similar provision as to statements.

33. Every such statement must be made without argument.

No discussion on question, &c., right of objection, and of subsequent motion reserved.

34. No discussion shall be permitted as to any question, or as to any reply or neglect or refusal to reply thereto, or as to any such statement, at the time when such question is put, or such reply or refusal to reply is given, or such statement is made: Provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall prevent the taking of any objection as to any such question or statement being out of order, or shall prevent the discussion, after due notice as hereinbefore provided, of any matters properly arising out of or relating to any such question or reply, or neglect, or refusal to reply, or any such statement as aforesaid.

Order of Debate.

Mode of addressing the Council.

35. Every Alderman who shall make or second any motion, or shall take part in any debate or discussion, or shall put or reply to any question, or make any statement, or shall in any other way, or for any other purpose, address observations to the Council, shall while so doing stand up in his customary place (unless he shall be prevented from doing so by reason of illness or some bodily infirmity), and shall address himself solely and exclusively to the Mayor or other Chairman then presiding: Provided that in the case of a question, such a question may by direction of such Mayor or Chairman be put directly to the Alderman or Officer to be questioned, and may be replied to in a like manner, but in every such case the question so put and the answer thereto shall be subject to every legal objection on the ground of disorder or irrelevancy, and all members of the Council shall on all occasions when in such Council address and speak of each other by their official designations as Mayor, Chairman, or Alderman, as the case may be.

Speaker not to be interrupted.

36. No Alderman shall be interrupted while thus speaking unless for the purpose of calling him to order, as hereinafter provided.

Limitation as to number of speakers.

37. Every mover of an original motion shall have a right of general reply to all observations which may have been made in reference to such motion and to any amendments moved thereon, as well as a right to speak upon every such amendment. Every Alderman other than the mover of such original motion shall have a right to speak once upon such motion and on every amendment thereon. No Alderman shall speak longer than fifteen minutes nor oftener than once upon any question other than a question of order, unless when misrepresented or misunderstood, in which case he shall be permitted to explain, without adding any further observations than may be necessary for the purposes of such explanation.

Mover and seconder.

38. An Alderman who has moved any motion or amendment shall be considered to have spoken thereon; but an Alderman who shall have seconded any such motion or amendment without any further observations than that he seconded the same shall be at liberty to speak on such motion or amendment.

Speaker not to digress.

39. No Alderman shall digress from the subject under discussion, or shall make personal reflections on, nor impute improper motives to any other Alderman.

Adjournment of debate.

40. A debate may be adjourned to a later hour of the day or to any other day specified; and the Alderman upon whose motion such debate shall have been so adjourned shall be entitled to pre-audience on the resumption of the same.

Mayor or Chairman to decide as to pre-audience.

41. If two or more Aldermen rise to speak at the same time, the Mayor or Chairman for the time being shall decide which of such Aldermen shall be heard first.

Mayor or Chairman to decide point of order.

42. The Mayor or Chairman for the time being shall preserve order, and his decision on disputed points of order or practice shall be final.

Mayor or Chairman may address the Council.

43. The Mayor or Chairman for the time being shall have the same right as any other Alderman to speak upon every subject or amendment, and shall be subject to the same rules as to rising when speaking.

Alderman may require question to be stated, &c.

44. Any Alderman may request the matter or question under discussion to be stated or read for his information, or may require the production of any records of the Council bearing upon any such question or matter. No such request or requisition shall be made so as to interrupt any Alderman when speaking.

Questions of Order.

Mayor may call members to order.

45. The Mayor or Chairman for the time being may, without the interposition of any other member of the Council, call any Alderman to order whenever in the opinion of such Mayor or Chairman there shall be a necessity for so doing.

Decision of points of order.

46. The Mayor or Chairman for the time being, when called upon to decide points of order or practice, shall state the provision, rule, or practice which he shall deem applicable to the case, without discussing or commenting on the same.

Motions out of order to be rejected.

47. Whenever it shall have been decided as aforesaid that any motion, amendment, or other matter before the Council is out of order, the same shall be rejected.

Mode of Voting.

How questions to be put.

48. The Mayor or Chairman for the time being shall put to the Council all questions on which it shall be necessary that a vote be taken, and shall declare the sense of the Council thereon.

Division—penalty for refusing to vote.

49. Any Alderman may call for a division, and the votes shall be taken by a show of hands. In such case the question shall be put first in the affirmative and then in the negative, and the names and votes of the Aldermen present shall be recorded. Any Alderman present when a division is called for who shall not vote on such division, not being disabled by law from so voting, shall be liable for every such offence to a penalty of not less than five shillings or more than two pounds.

Committees of the whole Council.

Business in Committee.

50. The Business Committees of the whole Council shall be conducted in accordance with the rules hereinbefore provided as near as the same shall apply, except that it shall not be necessary that any motion or amendment in Committee shall be seconded.

Calls of the Council.

How Call of the Council to be made.

51. A call of the Council may be ordered by any resolution of which due notice shall have been given for the consideration of any motion or matter of business before such Council.

Such call to be compulsory in certain cases.

52. No motion, the effect of which, if carried, would be to rescind any resolution, order, or decision of the Council, shall be entered on the business paper unless a call of the Council has been duly made and granted for such purpose.

Mode of procedure.

53. The call shall be made immediately before the motion or business for which such has been ordered shall be moved or considered, and shall be made as follows:—The Council Clerk shall call the names of all the members in alphabetical order. Each member present shall answer to his name as called, and if any members are absent a record shall be made of such absence; but if leave of absence to any such member shall have previously been granted, or if such an excuse in writing shall have been forwarded to the Mayor or Council Clerk, as a majority of the Council then present shall consider satisfactory, such absent member shall stand excused, and a record shall be made of such excuse and of the reasons for the same.

Penalty for absence without legal excuse.—Further call when question adjourned.

54. Any member of the Council who, having had notice of such call of the Council, shall not answer to his name as aforesaid, or who, being absent, shall not be legally excused as aforesaid, or who, if absent and not so excused, shall fail to show that by reason of extreme illness or any other sufficient cause he has been unable to send an excuse in writing as aforesaid, or who, having answered to his name as aforesaid, shall not be present when a vote is taken on the motion or business as to which such call has been made as aforesaid, shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty of not less than ten shillings nor more than five pounds: Provided that if the consideration of every such motion or matter of business be adjourned to a future day, there shall be a further call on the resumption of such consideration; and the provisions herein as to penalties for absence shall have reference to such farther call. And if there shall be more than one adjournment, this proviso shall be taken to extend to the resumption of the consideration of such motion or matter of business after every such adjournment.

Motion for revision of previous orders.

55. Whenever a motion, the effect of which if carried would be to rescind any order, resolution, or vote of the Council, shall have been negatived, no other motion to the same effect shall be permissible until a period of three months shall have elapsed from the time of negativing such first-mentioned motion.

*Standing and Special Committees.**Standing Committee.*

56. Besides any such special Committee as may from time to time be found necessary, there shall be three standing Committees of the Council, each consisting of not less than three members, namely, a By-law Committee, a Finance Committee, and a Works and Improvement Committee. These committees shall be re-appointed every year at the first meeting of the Council which shall be holden after the election of the Mayor.

By-law Committee.

57. The By-law Committee shall prepare for the consideration of the Council drafts of all such By-laws as may be required for the good government of the Municipality. They shall also watch over the administration of the By-laws, and of any Statute of which the operation has been or may be extended to the Municipality, and shall take such steps as may be necessary for the prevention or punishment of offences against such By-laws or Statutes, and for the preservation of public health, order, and decency.

Finance Committee.

58. The Finance Committee shall examine and check all accounts, and shall watch generally over the collection and expenditure of the Municipal revenues. They shall inquire and report from time to time, as to all matters which they may consider to affect the finances of the Municipal District, and as to such matters or subjects of the like nature, as they may be directed by resolution of the Council to inquire and report upon.

Works and Improvement Committee.

59. The Works and Improvement Committee shall have the general direction of all works ordered or sanctioned by the Council, and the general inspection of all streets, roads, ways, public reserves, and other public places, under the care and management of the Council. They shall also inquire and report from time to time, as to such improvements or repairs as they may think necessary, or as they may be directed by resolution of the Council to inquire and report upon.

Mode of re-appointing Standing Committees.

60. The re-appointment of the said three Committees may, on resolution of the Council, be made on vote. In such case a list or lists of the members of each Ward shall be handed to each member present, who shall mark against the name of each such member the title of the Committee to which in his opinion such member ought to belong. And the Mayor or Chairman, for the time being, shall thereupon examine such lists, and shall declare the result. And if there shall be an equal number of votes for the appointment of any two or more members to either of such committees, such Mayor or Chairman shall decide which of such members shall be appointed to such Committee.

Chairman of Committee.

61. Every Committee of which the Mayor shall not be a member, shall elect a permanent Chairman of such Committee before they proceed to any business, and such appointment shall be for the whole Municipal year unless removed by resolution of the Council.

Records of Committee.

62. The Chairman of such Standing Committee shall make, or cause to be made, in a book to be kept for that purpose, memoranda of all the transactions of such Committee, which book shall be the property of the Council.

Expenditure.

Cost of Works to be estimated before undertaken.

63. No works affecting the funds of the Municipality, except as hereinafter is mentioned, shall be undertaken until the probable expense thereof shall have been first ascertained by the Council.

Certificate required with each claim.

64. No payment shall be ordered for any work or other purpose unless there shall be a certificate or memorandum from the Committee, from the Mayor, or from the officer of the Council to whom the direction or guardianship of such expenditure properly belongs, showing that the demand is a legitimate one and has been duly authorized and inquired into.

Cases of emergency and current expenses.

65. For emergent matters, and for necessary current expenses during the intervals which may elapse between the meetings of the Council, outlays to the following extent may be incurred:—

- (i) By order of the Works and Improvement Committee, or of the Mayor and one member of such Committee, for repairs or emergent works, to the extent of five pounds.
- (ii) By order of the Mayor, for necessary current expenses, to the extent of three pounds.

66. Provided that in every such case a detailed report in writing of every such outlay, shall be laid before the Council at its next meeting; such report to be signed by the Chairman of the Works and Improvement Committee, or the Mayor and a member of such Works and Improvement Committee, or the Mayor alone as the case may be, by whom such outlay shall have been authorized. Also, that such outlay shall only be permissible in reference to matters coming strictly within the jurisdiction or functions of the Council, and that no outlay involving a disobedience or evasion of any order or resolution of such Council shall on any pretence be thus authorized.

*Common Seal and Records of the Council.**Common Seal—how secured*

67. The Seal shall be secured by a cover or box, which (except when such seal is in use) shall be kept locked, and such seal shall be kept at the Council Chambers in the custody of the Council Clerk. There shall be duplicate keys to the lock of this cover or box, of which keys one shall be kept by the Mayor and the other by the Council Clerk.

When and how Common Seal to be used.

68. The seal of the Council shall not be affixed to any document without the express authority of the Council; and every impression thereof so authorized, shall be verified by the signature of the Mayor, and in case of illness or absence of the Mayor, by two Aldermen, countersigned by the Council Clerk: Provided, however, that the Council Clerk may at any time with the sanction of the Mayor attach such seal to any deed or document unconnected with the affairs of the Council, and requiring to be noted or authenticated by any public official.

How Books of Account, &c., to be kept.

69. All books, deeds, memorials, letters, documents, and other records of the Council, except as hereinafter mentioned, shall be kept at the Council Chambers in the custody and care of the Council Clerk, who shall be responsible for the safe custody of the same; but the Mayor or Council Clerk may for any special purpose authorize their removal.

Books, &c., not to be shown or exposed to view without leave.

70. No member or officer of the Council shall be at liberty to show, lay open, or expose any of the books, papers, or records of the Council to any person not a member of the Council, without the written permission of the Mayor, save as is provided for and subject to sections 108 and 131 of the Municipalities Act of 1867 in that respect; any member or officer who shall commit a breach of this section shall be liable on conviction to a penalty of not less than ten shillings nor more than two pounds.

Records not to be removed.

71. Any person removing any such book, paper, or record from the Council Chambers, without leave from the Mayor or Council Clerk in writing first had and obtained, shall be subject to a penalty of not less than ten shillings nor more than

ten pounds. And nothing herein contained shall be held to affect the further liability of any person who shall have received such book, paper, or record, and shall not have returned the same, to prosecution for stealing such book, paper, or record, or to an action at law for detention of same, as the circumstances of the case may warrant.

Receipt for documents.

72. Every person removing any document or record with such consent as aforesaid, shall give a receipt under his hand for every such document, which receipt shall be carefully preserved among the records until the document or other record to which it refers shall have been returned, when such receipt shall be destroyed.

Penalty for destroying or defacing records.

73. Any person destroying, defacing, or wilfully or improperly altering any books, papers, or records, shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty of not less than five pounds nor more than twenty pounds.

Officers and Servants.

Notice to Candidates.

74. No appointment to any permanent office at the disposal of the Council shall take place until public notice shall have been given as hereinafter provided, inviting applications from qualified candidates for the same. The salary or allowance attached to the office shall in every case be fixed before such advertisement is published, and shall be stated in such advertisement.

Mode of Appointment.

75. Every such appointment shall be made by vote, in such mode as may at the time be determined upon, whenever there is more than one candidate for such permanent office.

Exceptional cases.

76. Nothing herein contained shall be held to prevent the appointment by the Council, without advertisement, of any salaried officer or servant of the Corporation, to any other permanent office or employment at the disposal of such Council to which no further salary is attached; or to prevent the appointment in like manner of any such officer or servant to any office or employment of which the duties require only occasional attention, and are to be paid for by allowances proportionate to the extent of such duties; or to prevent any similar appointment by the Mayor or by any committee or officer of the Council, of any such officer or servant under the authority of any By-law; or to prevent the employment, as may be from time to time found necessary, and as may be ordered by the Council, of any workmen or labourers on the public works of the Municipal District.

Bonds for good conduct.

77. All bonds given by officers or servants of the Council for the faithful performance of their duties shall be deposited in such custody as the Council may order; and no member, officer, or servant of the Council shall be received as a surety for any officer or servants.

Duties of Council Clerk.

78. The Council Clerk shall perform all the duties which by the Municipalities Act of 1867, or of any Act amending or extending the same, or by the present or any By-laws, thereunder, he may be required to perform. He shall be the Clerk of all Revision Courts held in the Municipal District, under the provisions of the Municipalities Act. He shall also, under the direction of the Mayor, conduct all correspondence which may be necessary on the part of the Council, and shall generally assist the Mayor in carrying out the orders of the Council and the duties of such Mayor.

Duties of other officers and servants.

79. The duties of all officers and servants of the Corporation, in addition to the duties which by the present or any other By-laws thereunder they may be required to perform, shall be defined by such Regulations as may from time to time and in accordance with law be made.

Special powers of Mayor.

80. The Mayor shall exercise a general supervision over all officers and servants of the Council, and may order the preparation of any such return or statement, or the giving of and such explanation or information, by any such officer or servant as he may think necessary, unless such return or statement shall have been already prepared, or such return or statement, explanation or information, already given and on record, or unless the Council shall have expressly forbidden, or dispensed with the preparation of such return or statement, or the giving of such explanation or information. All such returns or statements as aforesaid shall be in writing, and shall be recorded. All such explanations or information may be either rendered *vis à voce* or put into writing, as the Mayor may direct.

Complaints against officers.

81. All complaints against officers or servants of the Council must be in writing, addressed to the Mayor, and must in every case be signed by the person or persons complaining. And no notice whatever shall be taken of any complaint which is not in writing or which is anonymous. Any such complaint as aforesaid shall be laid by the Mayor before the Council at the next meeting thereof which shall be holden after the Mayor shall have received the same, and shall be duly recorded.

Miscellaneous Laws.

Leave of absence.

82. No leave of absence shall be granted to the Mayor or to any Alderman otherwise than by a resolution of the Council adopted after due notice.

Mode of calling for tenders.

83. Whenever it is decided that any work shall be executed or any material supplied by contract, tenders for the execution of such work or the supply of such material shall be called for by advertisement in some newspaper circulating in the Municipal District.

Drafts of intended By-laws.

84. A draft of any intended By-law shall lie in the office of the Council for at least seven days before such draft shall be taken into consideration by the Council, and shall be open to the inspection of any ratepayer who may desire to inspect the same. And public notice shall be given that such draft is so lying for inspection by posting such notice on the outer door of the Council Chambers for the space of seven days, and by advertising such notice in some newspaper circulated in the Municipal District.

Suits and prosecutions for penalties.

85. Suits or informations for the enforcement of penalties for or in respect of the Municipalities Act of 1867, or of any Act amending or extending the same, or of any By-law made thereunder, or of any Statute the operation of which may be extended to the Municipality, shall be commenced or laid as follows:—

When against a member of the Council or any Auditor or officer of the Corporation by such officer as shall be named for that purpose by the Council; when against any other person by the officer to whom the carrying out of the statutory provision or By-law imposing the penalty sought to be enforced has been intrusted; and if there shall be no such officer, then by such officer or person as shall be appointed for that purpose by the Council or the Mayor, as the case may be, on directing such suit or information as aforesaid. And no such suit shall be brought or information laid against any member of the Council or Auditor except on the order of the Council or of the Mayor. And the conduct or prosecution of any suit or information may, on the order of the Council or of the Mayor, be intrusted to an attorney.

Mode of proceeding in cases not provided for.

86. In all cases not herein provided for resort shall be had to the rules, forms, and usages, of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, so far as the same are applicable to the proceedings of the Council.

Power to suspend temporarily certain portions of these By-laws.

87. Any of the foregoing By-laws or any portion thereof which relate to or affect the proceedings at meetings of the Council may be suspended *pro tempore* without notice in cases of emergency, if all the members of the Council then present shall deem such suspension necessary.

PART II.

Collection and Enforcement of Rates.

Rates—when due and payable.

88. All rates levied and imposed by the Council shall be held to be due and payable on and after such day or days as the Council shall by resolution from time to time appoint: Provided that such day or days shall be not less than thirty days after notice of the making or assessing of the said rates has been given under the provisions of the Act.

Time and place of payment.

89. All such rates shall be paid at the Council Chambers during the hours appointed by the Council for that purpose.

Defaulters.

90. Every person not paying his or her rates as aforesaid upon the day or days so appointed for payment thereof shall be deemed a defaulter, and it shall be the duty of the Council Clerk to furnish the Mayor from time to time with a list of the names of all persons so in default.

Mayor to enforce payment.

91. It shall be the duty of the Mayor to take proceedings to enforce payment of all rates in default, either by action at law or by issuing warrants of distraint upon the goods and chattels of the defaulter.

Bailiff—how appointed.

92. The Bailiff of the Municipal District shall be appointed by the Council, and may at any time be removed by it.

Sureties for Bailiff.

93. The Bailiff shall find two sureties, to the satisfaction of the Council, to the extent of twenty-five pounds each, for the faithful performance of his duty, or a fidelity guarantee bond for fifty pounds (£50).

Duties of Bailiff.

94. It shall be the duty of the Bailiff to make levies by distraint for the recovery of rates in the manner hereinafter provided.

Warrant of distress.

95. All levies and distresses shall be made under warrant in the form of Schedule A hereunto appended, under the hand of the Mayor or any Alderman who may for the time being be duly authorized to perform the duties of that office.

Distress and sale, &c.

96. If the sum for which any such distress shall have been made shall not be paid, with costs as hereinafter provided, on or before the expiration of five clear days, the Bailiff shall sell the goods so distrained, or a sufficient portion thereof, by public auction either on the premises or at such other place within the said Municipal District as the said Bailiff may think proper to remove them to for such purpose, and shall pay over the surplus (if any) that may remain after deducting the amount of the sum distrained for and costs, as hereinafter provided, to the owner of the goods so sold on demand of such surplus by such owner.

Inventory.

97. At the time of making a distress the Bailiff shall make out a written inventory in the form of Schedule B hereto annexed, which inventory shall be delivered to the occupant of the land or premises, or the owner of the goods so distrained, or to some person on his or her behalf, resident at the place where the distress shall be made; and in case there shall be no person at such place with whom such inventory can be left as aforesaid, then such inventory shall be posted on some conspicuous part of the land or premises on which the distress is made, and the Bailiff shall deliver a copy of such inventory to the Council Clerk, who shall on demand made at any time within one month after the making of such distress deliver a copy thereof to the ratepayer.

Goods may be impounded.

98. The Bailiff on making a distress as aforesaid may impound or otherwise secure the goods and chattels so distrained of what nature and kind soever in such part of the land or premises chargeable with the rate or in such other place as shall be most fit and convenient for that purpose, and it shall be lawful for any person whomsoever, after the expiration of five clear days hereinbefore mentioned, to come and go to and from such part of the land and premises where such goods or chattels shall be impounded and secured as aforesaid in order to view and buy and in order to carry off and remove the same on account of the purchaser thereof.

Owner to direct order of sale.

99. The owner of any goods or chattels so distrained on may, at his or her option, direct and specify the order in which they shall be successively sold, and the said goods or chattels shall in such case be put up for sale according to such directions.

Proceeds of distress.

100. The Bailiff shall hand over to the Treasurer all proceeds of every such distress within forty-eight hours after having received the same.

Deputy.

101. The Bailiff may, with the sanction of the Mayor, or, in his absence, with the sanction of any two Aldermen of the Municipal District, authorized by writing under his hand, any person to act temporarily as his deputy; and the person so authorized shall have and exercise all powers of the Bailiff himself; but the Bailiff and his sureties shall in every such case be held responsible for the acts of such deputy.

102. The costs and charges for every levy and distress made under the By-laws shall be those specified in the Schedule hereunto annexed marked C.

SCHEDULE A.

I, _____, Mayor of the Municipal District of East Orange, do hereby authorize you, _____, the _____ or Deputy Bailiff of the said Municipal District, to distrain upon the goods and chattels in the dwelling-house or in or upon the land or premises of _____, situate at _____, for _____, being amount of rates due to the said Municipality, to the _____ day of _____, for the said dwelling-house, land, or premises (as the case may be), together with the costs of the distraint, and to proceed thereon for the recovery of the said rates and costs according to law.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 18 _____.

Mayor.

SCHEDULE B.

I have this day, by virtue of the warrant under the hand of the Mayor of the Municipal District of East Orange, dated _____ 18 _____, of which a copy is attached hereto, distrained the following goods and chattels, in the dwelling-house (or in or upon the land or premises) of _____, situate at _____, within the said Municipal District, for _____, being the amount of the rates due to the said Municipality, to the _____ day of _____, and also costs of this levy.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 18 _____.

Bailiff.

SCHEDULE C.

Costs.

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| For every warrant of distress | 2 | 0 |
| For serving every warrant and making levy where the sum is not more than £20 | 2 | 0 |
| Above that sum, for every additional £1..... | 0 | 1 |
| For making and furnishing copy of inventory.. | 2 | 0 |
| For man in possession, each day, or part of a day | 5 | 0 |
| For sale, commission, and delivery of goods, per pound on proceeds of sale | 1 | 0 |

PART III.

Preventing and Extinguishing Fires.

103. Every person who shall place or knowingly permit to be placed in any house, yard, workshop, out-offices, or other premises within the said Municipal District, fire, gunpowder, or combustible or inflammable material of any kind, in such a manner as to endanger any buildings, shall on conviction for every such offence forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than five pounds, and shall forthwith remove such fire, gunpowder, or combustible or inflammable materials; and every such person who shall suffer any such fire, gunpowder, or combustible or inflammable materials to remain as aforesaid for twenty-four hours after any such conviction, shall be deemed guilty of a further offence against this By-law.

Erecting brushwood fences, &c.

104. Every person who shall erect any fence of brushwood, bushes, or other inflammable material, or shall make any stack of hay, corn, straw, or other produce, or place as for the covering of any such stack any inflammable materials, so as to endanger contiguous buildings or properties, or any trees, shrubs, or other produce thereof, or any chattels therein, shall forfeit on conviction for every such offence a penalty of not more than five (5) pounds, and shall remove such fence, stack, or covering within a reasonable time after conviction; and any person failing to remove any such fence, stack, or covering within a reasonable time after such conviction as aforesaid, shall be deemed guilty of a further offence against this By-law.

Setting fire to matter without notice.

105. Every person who shall wilfully set fire to any inflammable matter whatsoever in the open air within five yards of any dwelling-house or other building or boundary or dividing fence within the said Municipal District, without having given notice in writing to the occupiers of the land adjoining to the land upon which such matter shall be, of his intention to do so, or between the hours of six in the afternoon of any day and six in the morning of the following day, shall for every such offence forfeit a sum not exceeding five (5) pounds.

Wilfully setting fire to chimneys.

106. Every person who wilfully sets or causes to be set on fire any chimney flue, smoke-vent, or stove-pipe, herein called in common "chimney," shall forfeit a sum not exceeding five pounds: Provided always that nothing herein contained shall exempt the person so setting or causing to be set on fire any chimney from liability to be informed against or prosecuted before any Criminal Court for such act as for all indictable offences.

Negligently suffering chimneys to be on fire.

107. If any chimney accidentally catch or be on fire, the person occupying or using the premises in which such chimney is situated, shall forfeit a sum not exceeding forty shillings: Provided always that such forfeiture shall not be incurred if such person prove to the satisfaction of the Justices before whom the case is heard that such fire was in nowise owing to the omission, neglect, or carelessness, whether with respect to cleansing such chimney or otherwise, of himself or his servant.

PART IV.

Streets and Public Places—Public Health, Decency, &c.

New streets to be reported on.

108. Any new public road, street, way, or other place proposed to be dedicated to the public, shall be examined by the Works and Improvement Committee or other Committee appointed for this purpose, and reported upon to the Council by such Committee.

109. Whenever any proprietor or proprietors of land within the Municipality shall open any road, street, or way, or lay out any place for public use or recreation through or upon such land, and shall be desirous that the Council shall undertake the care and management thereof, he or they shall furnish the Council with a plan or plans signed by himself or themselves, showing clearly the position and extent of such road, street, or way, or other place as aforesaid.

110. The plan or plans so signed as aforesaid, shall be preserved as a record of the Council, and the proprietor or proprietors shall execute such further instrument, dedicating such road, way, or place to public use or recreation as aforesaid, as may be considered necessary by the Council, which said instrument shall be preserved as a record of the Council.

111. The Works and Improvement Committee, or any officer or person acting under the supervision of such Committee, shall, subject to such orders as shall from time to time be made by the Council in that behalf, fix and lay out the levels of all public roads, streets, and ways within the Municipality, and the carriage-ways and footways thereof. And it shall be the duty of such Committee, officer, or person, to place posts at the corners or intersections of any such public roads and streets, and of the carriage-ways and footways of such roads and streets, wherever the same may be considered necessary or desirable by the Council: Provided that there shall be no change of level in any such public road, street, or way, until the same shall have been submitted to and adopted by the Council as hereinafter directed.

112. Whenever it may be deemed necessary to alter the level of any such public road, street, or way as aforesaid, the Works and Improvement Committee shall cause a plan and section, showing the proposed cuttings and fillings, to be exhibited at the Council Chambers for fourteen days, for the information and inspection of ratepayers, and shall notify by advertisement in some newspaper circulating in the Municipality that such plan is so open for inspection. At a subsequent meeting of the Council, the plan and section shall, if adopted, be signed by the Mayor or Chairman and the proposer and seconder of the motion for such adoption, and countersigned by the Council Clerk; and such plan and section so signed and countersigned shall be a record of the Council.

Persons not to stand or loiter in streets.

113. All persons standing upon any of the streets or footways or other public places in the Municipality to the inconvenience of the passers by, or in any way interrupting the traffic, shall discontinue to do so on being requested by any officer or servant of the Council or by any police officer. Any person offending against the provisions of this By-law shall for such offence upon conviction forfeit and pay a penalty or sum not exceeding two pounds.

Notice to build.

114. Any person intending to take down, re-erect, or build any shop, dwelling, or other structure within the Municipality shall, before doing so, give three days' notice to the Council Clerk in writing, who shall thereupon supply the particulars of levels required to build in conformity with permanent street levels, and for which service the sum of two shillings and sixpence shall be paid to the Council and lodged with the notice given. Any person making default in giving such notice shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds.

Not to prevent the erection of awnings or verandahs.

115. Nothing in these By-laws contained shall be deemed to prevent any person from placing a verandah or movable awning in front of his or her shop or house, subject to By-law 114: Provided that such verandah or awning be at least eight feet in height above the proper level of the footway, and that the posts be kept close up to the curb-stone or outer edge of such footway, and that the said posts and any framework be erected to the satisfaction of the Council and as may from time to time be directed.

Driving round street corners.

116. No person shall drive any horse attached to a vehicle at a pace faster than a walk round street corners or over street crossings that may or shall be proclaimed Walk Over Crossing, and notified in the Government Gazette and local newspaper. Any person offending against this By-law shall be liable to a penalty of twenty shillings for each such offence.

No turf, gravel, &c., to be removed from streets without permission.

117. Any person who shall form, dig, or open any drain or sewer, or remove or cause to be removed any turf, gravel, sand, loam, or other material, in or from any part of the carriage or foot way of any street or road, or any reserve or other public place within the said Municipal District, without leave first had and obtained from the Council or from the Mayor, or who shall wantonly break up or damage any such carriage or foot way, or any gate, turnstile, fence or other enclosure, or any street, reserve, or public place, or any erection lawfully placed thereon, shall on conviction forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding five pounds or less than one pound.

Temporary stopping of traffic for repairs.

118. The Mayor or any officer or person acting under the authority of the Council, may at any time cause the traffic of any street, lane, or thoroughfare, or any portion thereof, to be stopped for the purpose of repairing the same or for any necessary purpose; and any person or persons offending against this By-law, either by travelling on such street, lane, or thoroughfare, or by destroying or removing any obstruction that may be placed thereon for the purpose of suspending the traffic, shall forfeit a penalty not exceeding five pounds for every such offence.

Cellars or openings beneath the surface of footways prohibited.

119. Any person who shall make any cellar, or any opening, door, or window, in or beneath the surface of the footway of any street or public place, unless the plans thereof have been previously submitted to and approved by the Council, and the erections and openings made to the satisfaction of the Council, shall on conviction forfeit and pay the sum of five pounds, and also the expense of filling up, remedying, or removing such cellar, opening, door, or window, so as the same together with the said sum of five pounds shall not exceed fifty pounds.

Holes to be enclosed.

120. Any person who shall dig or make or cause to be dug or made any hole, or leave or cause to be left any hole adjoining or near to any street or public place within the said Municipal District, for the purpose of making any vault or vaults, or foundation or foundations to any house or other building, or for any other purpose whatsoever, or shall erect or pull down any building, and shall not forthwith enclose the same and keep the same enclosed in a good and sufficient manner, to the satisfaction of the Works and Improvement Committee or other officer or person as aforesaid, or shall keep up or cause to be kept up or continued any such enclosure for any time longer than shall be necessary in the opinion of the Committee or other officer or person as aforesaid, and shall not place lights upon each side of the said enclosure, and keep the same constantly burning from sunset to sunrise during the continuance of such enclosure, shall forfeit and pay for every such refusal or neglect the sum of not less than forty shillings nor exceeding five pounds.

Wells to be covered over.

121. Every person who shall have a well situated between his or her dwelling-house or the appurtenances thereof and any road, street, or footway, or at the side thereof, or in any yard or place open or exposed to such road, street, or footway, within the said Municipal District, shall cause such well to be securely and permanently covered over; and if any person having such well as aforesaid shall fail to cover and secure the same within twenty-four hours after notice in writing shall have been given him or her by any officer of the Council, or shall have been left for such person at his or her last known place of abode, or on the said premises, shall on conviction forfeit and pay the sum of ten shillings; and for every day after such notice that such well shall remain open or uncovered contrary to the provisions hereof, such person shall be deemed guilty of a separate offence against this By-law.

Throwing filth on roads, driving carriages and leading horses on the footpaths.

122. Any person who shall throw, cast, or lay, or shall cause, permit, or suffer to be thrown, cast, or laid or remain, any dead animal, offal, dung, soot, ashes, rubbish, or any other filth or annoyance, or any matter or thing in or upon the footway or carriage-way of any street, road, lane, reserve, or other public place within the said Municipality, or shall kill, slaughter, dress, scald, or cut up any beast, swine, calf, sheep, lamb, or other animal in or so near to any such road, street, reserve, or other public place, as that any blood shall run or flow upon or over or be on any such carriage or foot way, or shall run, roll, drive, draw, place, or cause, permit, or suffer, to be run, rolled, driven, drawn, or placed upon the foot way of any street, road, reserve, or public place any waggon, cart, dray, sled, or other carriage, or any wheel-barrow, wheel, or truck, or any hogshead, cask, or barrel, or shall wilfully lead, drive, ride or stand any horse, ass, mule, or other beast upon any such footway, shall upon conviction forfeit and pay for the first offence a sum not exceeding forty shillings nor less than five shillings, and every subsequent offence a sum not less than ten shillings nor more than forty shillings.

Drawing or trailing timber, &c.

123. Any person who shall haul or draw or cause to be hauled or drawn, upon any part of any street, road, footpath, or public place within the said Municipality, any timber, stone, or other thing, otherwise than upon wheeled vehicles or barrows, or shall suffer any timber, stone, or other thing which shall be carried principally or in part upon any wheeled vehicle or barrow, to drag or trail upon any part of such street, road, footpath, or public place, to the injury thereof, or to hang over any part of any such vehicle or barrow, so as to occupy or obstruct the street beyond the breadth of the said vehicle or barrow, shall upon conviction forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not more than forty shillings nor less than five shillings over and above the damage occasioned thereby.

Throwing filth into water-courses.

124. Any person who shall cast any filth, rubbish, or any dead animal, or any animal with intent of drowning such animal, into any public water-course, waterhole, river, creek, or canal, or shall obstruct or divert from its channel any sewer, canal, or water-course within the said Municipal District, shall forfeit a sum not exceeding five pounds nor less than ten shillings, and shall in addition to such penalty pay the cost of removing such filth or obstruction, or of restoring such water-course, sewer, or canal to its proper channel, so as the same, together with such penalty as aforesaid shall not exceed fifty pounds.

Throwing slops on carriage-ways.

125. Any person who shall cast or throw, or shall cause, suffer, or permit to be cast or thrown, upon any carriage-way or footway, any soap-suds, slops, or refuse water, or any refuse vegetable, or any other matter or thing, or shall cause, or suffer or permit the same to run or flow from any premises in his or her occupation, over any such footway or carriage-way within the said Municipal District, shall for every such offence suffer and pay a sum not exceeding two pounds nor less than five shillings.

Rain not to be carried on to footpaths.

126. Any person who shall, by means of pipes, gutters, or other contrivances, or for want of same shall carry, or permit to be carried or flow, any rainwater from the roof of his or her premises or house, upon any of the footways of any street or public place within the said Municipal District, and shall neglect or refuse immediately to remedy the same when required to do so by any officer of the said Council, shall on conviction forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding ten shillings, and a like sum for every day or part of a day that the same shall not be remedied: Provided that the owner or occupier of any house or premises may convey any such rain-water, by means of pipes laid under the surface of any such footways, into the gutters adjoining the same. And provided also, that all such pipes shall be laid down to the satisfaction and under the superintendence of the Works and Improvement Committee or any other person appointed by the Council.

Damage to public buildings, extinguishing lamps, &c.

127. Any person who shall damage any public building, lamp, wall, parapet, sluice, bridge, road, sewer, water-course, or other property of the Council of the said Municipal District, or improperly extinguish any lamp set up for public convenience, shall pay the cost of repairing the same; and if the same be wilfully done, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding twenty pounds nor less than five pounds, in addition to the cost of repairing the same, so as the said costs of repair, in addition to the said sum to be forfeited and paid as aforesaid shall not exceed fifty pounds.

Placing carriages, goods, &c., on footways, &c.

128. Any person who shall set or place, or cause or permit to be set or placed, any stall-board, chopping-block, show-board (on hinges or otherwise), basket, wares, merchandise, casks, or goods of any kind whatsoever; or shall hoop, place, wash, or cleanse, or shall cause to be hooped, placed, washed, or cleansed, any pipe, barrel, cask or vessel, in or upon or over any carriage or foot way in any street or public place within the said Municipality; or shall set out, lay, or place, or shall cause, or procure, permit or suffer, to be set out, laid, or placed, any coach, cart, wain, waggon, dray, wheel-barrow, hand-barrow, sledge, truck, or other carriage upon any such carriage-way, except for the necessary time of loading or unloading such cart, wain, waggon, dray, sledge, truck, or other carriage, or taking up or setting down any fare, or waiting for passengers when actually hired, or harnessing or unharnessing the horses or other animals from such coach, cart, wain, waggon, dray, sledge, truck, or other carriage; or if any person shall set or place, or cause to be set or placed, in or upon or over any such carriage or foot way, any timber, stones, bricks, lime, or other materials or things for building whatsoever (unless the same shall be enclosed as herein directed), or any other matters or things whatsoever, or shall hang out or expose, or shall cause or permit to be hung out or exposed, any meat or offal, or other thing or matter whatsoever, from any house or other building or premises, over any part of any such footway or carriage-way, or over any area of any house or other building or premises, of any matter or thing from and on the outside of the front or any other part of any other house or other building or premises over or next unto such street or public place, and shall not immediately remove all or any such matters or things upon being thereto required by the Inspector of Nuisances or other proper officer of the Council; or if any person who having, in pursuance of any such requisition as aforesaid, remove or caused to be removed any such stall-board, show-board, chopping-block, basket, wares, merchandise, casks, goods, coach, cart, wain, waggon, dray, wheel-barrow, hand-barrow, sledge, truck, carriage, timber, stones, bricks, lime, meat, offal, or other matters or things, shall at any time thereafter again set, lay, or place, expose, or put out, or cause, procure, permit, or suffer to be set, laid, placed, exposed, or put

out, the same or any of them, or any other stall-board, show-board, chopping-block, basket, wares, merchandise, goods, timber, stones, bricks, lime, coach, cart, wain, waggon, dray, truck, wheel-barrow, hand-barrow, sledge, meat, offal, or other things or matters whatsoever (save and except as aforesaid), in, upon, or over any such carriage or foot way of or next unto any such street or public place as aforesaid, shall upon conviction for every such offence forfeit and pay for the first offence a sum not exceeding forty shillings nor less than five shillings, for the second offence a sum not exceeding five pounds nor less than ten shillings, and for the third and every subsequent offence a sum not exceeding ten pounds nor less than one pound.

Riding on drays, careless driving, &c.

129. If the driver of any waggon, cart, or dray of any kind, shall ride upon any such carriage in any street, road, or thoroughfare, within the said Municipality, not having some person on foot to guide the same (such carts as are drawn by one horse and driven or guided with reins only excepted), or if the driver of any carriage whatsoever, shall negligently be at a distance from such carriage, or in such a situation whilst it shall be standing or passing upon such road, street, or thoroughfare, that he cannot have the direction and government of the horse or horses or cattle drawing the same; or if the driver of any waggon, cart, dray, or coach, or other carriage whatsoever, meeting any other carriage, shall not keep his or her waggon, cart, dray, or coach, or other carriage on the left or near side of the road, street, or thoroughfare; or if any person shall in any manner wilfully prevent any other person or persons from passing him or her, or any carriage under his or her care, upon such street, road or thoroughfare, or by negligence or misbehaviour prevent, hinder, or interrupt the free passage of any carriage or person in or upon the same, every such driver or person so offending shall upon conviction forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding forty shillings not less than ten shillings.

Riding or driving furiously.

130. Any person who shall ride or drive through or upon any street, road, or public place within the said Municipal District so negligently, carelessly, or furiously that the safety of any other person shall or may be endangered, shall on conviction forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding five pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Vehicle used in a public street within the Municipality.

131. Every vehicle shall be provided with suitable carriage lamps, to burn candles, one to be fixed to each side of the vehicle, and the same shall be lighted not later than one hour after sundown, and be kept lighted while being so used. Any person offending against the provision of this By-law shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding two pounds.

Breaking-in horses, &c.

132. Any person or persons who shall in any street, road, or public place within the said Municipal District drive any carriage or carriages for the purpose of breaking-in, exercising, or trying horses, or shall ride, drive, or lead any horse, mare, or gelding for the purpose of airing, exercising, trying, breaking, or showing, or exposing for sale any such horse, mare, or gelding, otherwise than by passing quietly through such streets or public places, shall forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding forty shillings; and any person who shall within the said Municipal District furiously or carelessly drive any horse, mare, or gelding, to or from any public watering-place, creek, or river, or pasturage, or elsewhere, shall forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding forty shillings.

Hours for driving cattle.

133. Any person who shall drive or cause to be driven through any street, road, reserve, or public thoroughfare or place of the said Municipal District any live stock between the hours of eight (8) o'clock in the morning and five (5) o'clock in the evening, except calves and foals under the age of one year, quiet milch cows, horses or cattle broken to saddle or draught, and pigs, sheep (not exceeding in number one hundred), and goats, shall forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding five pounds for every such offence.

Swine, &c., not to wander about streets.

134. Any person who shall breed, feed, or keep any kind of swine in any house, yard, or enclosure situate within the Municipality, to the nuisance or annoyance of the public, or who shall suffer any kind of swine, or any horse, ass, cattle, mule, sheep, goat, or any other animal of like nature belonging to him or her or under his or her charge to stray or to go about or to be tethered or depastured in any street, road, reserve, or public place within the said Municipal District shall forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding forty shillings nor less than five shillings.

Inspector may impound.

135. The Inspector of Nuisances, or any other person duly authorized by the Council, shall have the power to impound, in the Orange Public Pound all animals found straying within the said Municipal District of East Orange.

Burning shavings, &c., in streets.

136. Any person who shall burn any shavings, rubbish, or any other matter or thing, in any road, street, lane, or public place within the said Municipal District, or who shall within ten yards from any dwelling-house burn rags, bones, corks, or other offensive substance, shall for every such offence forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding forty shillings nor less than five shillings.

No rock to be blasted without notice to the Council Clerk.

137. Any person who shall be desirous of blasting any rock within fifty yards of any road, street, public place, or private dwelling, within the said Municipal District, shall give notice in writing twenty-four hours previously to the Council Clerk, who shall appoint a time when the same may take place, and give such directions as he may deem necessary for the public safety. And if any person shall blast or cause to be blasted any rock within the limits aforesaid without giving such notice, or shall not conform to the directions given to him by the Council Clerk as aforesaid, he shall on conviction forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not less than one pound nor more than ten pounds.

Cleansing private avenues.

138. Any owner or occupier of any house or place within the said Municipal District who shall neglect to keep clean all private avenues, passages, yards, and ways, within the said premises, so as by such neglect to cause a nuisance by offensive smell or otherwise, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding forty shillings nor less than five shillings for every such offence.

Placing dead animals on premises.

139. Any person who shall cast, or place, or who shall cause or suffer to be cast or placed, or to remain upon any land or premises within the said Municipal District, any dead animal, blood, offal, night-soil, or any other offensive matter, so as to become a nuisance to the inhabitants thereof, shall on conviction suffer and pay a penalty not exceeding five pounds nor less than ten shillings for every such offence.

Allowing dead animals to remain on premises.

140. Any person or occupier of any land or premises within the said Municipal District who shall suffer or permit any dead animal, blood, offal, night-soil, or any other offensive matter to remain upon the said land or premises, after notice shall have been given by the Inspector of Nuisances or other proper officer of the Council to remove the same, shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding two pounds nor less than ten shillings for every day that the same shall so remain.

Hog-sties and nuisances not removed on notice, &c.

141. In case any privy, hog-sty, or any sink, cess-pool, yard, or enclosure, or any matter or thing which shall at any time be in any place within the said Municipal District, shall be or become a nuisance, it shall be lawful for the Council by notice in writing to order the removal of the said nuisance within seven days after such notice shall have been given to the owner or occupier of the premises wherein such nuisance exists or is situated, or shall have been left for such owner or occupier at his or her last or usual place of abode or on the said premises; and every such owner or occupier refusing or neglecting to remove or abate such nuisance pursuant to such notice, and to the satisfaction of the Council, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding ten pounds nor less than forty shillings.

Hours for removing night-soil, &c.

142. Any person within the said Municipal District, who shall without authority of the Council remove any night-soil or ammoniacal liquor, bones, or other offensive matter, or shall come with carts or carriages for that purpose between the hours of six (6) o'clock in the morning and eleven (11) o'clock at night, or shall at any time remove any such night-soil or ammoniacal liquor, otherwise than in properly covered and water-tight carts or vehicles, or in such a manner as to upset, cast, spill, or strew any of the said night-soil, ammoniacal liquor, slop urine or filth, in or upon, or near to any of the streets, roads, or public places, or footways of the Municipality, or shall deposit or throw night-soil, ammoniacal liquor, bones, or other offensive matter, nearer to any street, road, or dwelling-house, than shall from time to time be directed by the Council or by the Inspector of Nuisances, or shall allow vehicles used for this purpose to stand on any premises nearer to any road, street, or dwelling-house than shall from time to time be directed by the Council, or Inspector, or other officer of the Council, shall upon conviction forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding five (5) pounds nor less than one pound; and in case the person or persons so offending cannot be found then the owner or owners of such carts, carriages, or other vehicles employed in and about emptying or removing such night-soil, bones, or other offensive matter, and also the employer of the person or persons so offending, shall be liable to and forfeit and pay such penalty as aforesaid.

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Penalty for not removing offensive matter on notice. Council may abate nuisance. Right of entry for such purpose.

143. Any person who shall suffer any waste or stagnant water, or any muck, filth, soil, or other offensive matter, to remain in any cellar or place within any dwelling-house or premises within the said Municipal District for the space of twenty-four hours after written notice to him or her from an officer of the Council to remove the same, or shall allow the contents of any water-closet, privy, or cess pool to overflow or soak therefrom, shall for every such offence forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding forty (40) shillings, nor less than ten (10) shillings; and a further sum of ten (10) shillings for every day during which the offence shall be continued; and the Council may remove or abate, or cause to be removed or abated, every such nuisance, and do what shall be needful for preventing a continuance or recurrence thereof; and the officers of the said Council shall for such purpose have power from time to time to enter any house or premises; and the expense incurred in carrying out the provisions of this By-law shall be paid to the said Council by the occupier or owner of the premises upon which the same exist, in addition to the penalties aforesaid, so as the same together do not exceed in the whole fifty pounds.

Houses to be purified on certificate of two medical practitioners.

144. If upon certificate of any two qualified medical practitioners, it appears to the Council that any house or part thereof, or the premises occupied in connection therewith, within the limits of said Municipality, is in a filthy or unwholesome condition, that the health of any person is or may be liable to be affected or endangered thereby, and that the whitewashing, cleansing, or purifying of any house or part thereof, or of the premises occupied in connection therewith, would tend to prevent or check infectious or contagious disease, the said Council shall give notice in writing to the owner or occupier of such house or part thereof or the premises occupied in connection therewith to cleanse, or purify the same as the case may require; and if the person to whom such notice is so given shall fail to comply therewith within such time as shall be specified in the said notice, he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten shillings for every day during which he continues to make default: Provided that no such penalties shall collectively amount to any greater sum than twenty pounds.

Cleansing butchers' shambles, &c.

145. For preserving the cleanliness of the said Municipal District and the health of the inhabitants thereof, it shall be lawful for the Inspector of Nuisances, or for any other officer appointed by the Council, from time to time, and when and as often as he or either of them shall see occasion, to visit and inspect the butchers' shop, soap and candle manufactories, &c., fellmongering establishments and tanneries, within the said Municipal District, and to give such directions concerning the cleansing of the same respectively, both within and without, as to him shall seem needful. And any butcher or the owner or occupier of any such butcher's shop, tannery, manufactory, or establishment, who shall refuse or neglect to comply with such directions within a reasonable time, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding five pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Carcass of animal unfit for consumption.

146. Any person who shall expose for sale or sell the carcass of any animal unfit for human consumption or shall feed swine or other animals with such carcasses, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds nor less than ten shillings for every such offence.

Inspection of premises.

147. Upon the reasonable complaint of any householder, that the house, premises, yard, closets, or drains of the adjoining or neighbouring premises are a nuisance or offensive, the Inspector of Nuisances or any other person appointed by the Council, shall make an inspection of the premises complained of; and the officer of the Council shall have full power, without any other authority than this By-law, to go upon such premises for the aforesaid purpose.

Damaging trees, &c.

148. Any person who shall wilfully and without the authority of the Council, cut, break, bark, root up, or otherwise destroy or damage the whole or any part of any tree, sapling, shrub, or underwood, or any other property, growing or situated in or upon any reserve, road, street, thoroughfare, or place under the management of the Council, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding ten pounds nor less than one pound, and may be otherwise proceeded against at law by the Council.

Extirpation of noxious weeds.

149. Any owner or occupier of land within the said Municipal District, who shall permit or suffer to grow or remain on the said lands, the weeds known as the "Bathurst burr" and "Scotch thistle," or other noisome weed or weeds detrimental to good husbandry, and who shall fail to extirpate, remove, or destroy the same within ten days after the receipt of a notice in writing by post or otherwise from the Council so to do, shall for every such offence forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding five pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Newly slaughtered carcass.

150. Every person who within the said Municipal District shall carry or convey, or cause to be carried or conveyed, in any public street, thoroughfare, or place, the carcass or any part of the carcass of any newly slaughtered animal, without a sufficient or proper cloth or other covering to conceal the same from public view, shall be liable on conviction to a penalty of any sum not exceeding forty shillings for every such offence.

Bathing prohibited within prescribed limits.

151. Any person who shall bathe near to or within view from any inhabited house, or from any public bridge, street, road, or other place of public resort within the limits of the said Municipal District, between the hours of 6 o'clock in the morning and 6 o'clock in the evening, shall on conviction forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding twenty (20) shillings.

Indecent exposure of person.

152. Any person who shall offend against decency by the exposure of his or her person in any street or public place within the said Municipal District or in the view thereof, shall on conviction forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding five pounds nor less than one pound.

Houses of ill-fame.

153. Upon representation by any respectable ratepayer that the house or neighbouring or adjoining premises are of ill-fame, it shall be lawful for the Mayor and any Alderman to cause the residents of such house or premises to furnish to the Council a list of the names, ages, sex, birthplace, and occupation of all the inmates of the said house or premises; and upon non-compliance with such request, or if upon consideration the Mayor and any Alderman consider the house to be one of ill-fame they shall, with the sanction of the Council, declare the same to be a nuisance, and the Mayor shall cause a notice in writing to be served upon the holder of such house or premises, or other person residing or being therein and acting as such holder, to discontinue or abate the said nuisance within forty-eight hours after the receipt of such notice, otherwise such holder or other person shall be liable to a penalty of not less than forty (40) shillings nor more than fifty pounds, and on a second conviction shall be liable to a penalty of not more than fifty pounds nor less than five pounds.

Inspector of Nuisances may take legal proceedings.

154. The Inspector of Nuisances or other person appointed by the Council may take legal proceedings against any person or persons committing any offence or offences against any of the By-laws of the said Municipal District.

Penalties to be paid over to Treasurer.

155. All penalties under any of these By-laws shall be paid over to the Treasurer of the said Municipal District, to be appropriated as the Council may direct.

Interpretation of "Mayor" and "Municipality."

156. Whenever in any of these By-laws the word "Mayor" is made use of, it shall, unless the context shall indicate a contrary intention, be construed also to signify and include any Alderman lawfully acting for the time being in the place or stead of the Mayor; and whenever the words "Municipal District" is made use of in the said By-laws, it shall be understood to signify the "Municipal District of East Orange."

As to interference with officer of Council in enforcing By-laws.

157. Any person who shall assault, resist, obstruct, or interfere with any officer of the Council or other person doing or performing any duty or act under any of the By-laws of the said Municipal District, shall forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds nor less than one pound.

The Parks.

Wilful trespass.

158. Every person who shall wilfully let in or knowingly suffer to enter upon the said parks or public recreation grounds any animals without due authority, shall be deemed guilty of wilful trespass, and shall be liable for every such offence to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds nor less than two pounds.

Penalty for destroying boundary marks.

159. Any person pulling down, destroying, defacing, or injuring any mark marking the limits of the said parks or public recreation grounds, or any fence or other erection thereon, without the authority of the Council, shall forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding ten pounds nor less than one pound.

Penalty for destroying herbage, trees, &c.

160. All persons who shall wilfully and without the authority of the Council, cut, break, bark, root-up, burn, or otherwise destroy or damage the whole or any part of any tree, sapling, shrub, or underwood, or the herbage growing in or upon the said parks or public recreation grounds, shall forfeit over the amount of damage any sum not exceeding ten pounds nor less than one pound.

Penalty for persons causing annoyance in the use of Park.

161. Any person who shall unlawfully cause any annoyance or inconvenience to any other person in the free use and enjoyment of the said parks or public recreation grounds, shall forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding ten pounds nor less than one pound.

Persons committing offences in neighbourhood of Park.

162. Any person who shall be found committing any breach of any By-law affecting the said park or public recreation ground not expressly provided for in this "Part" of these By-laws, or who shall, by disorderly or insulting conduct in the immediate neighbourhood of such parks or public recreation grounds, cause annoyance or inconvenience to persons on the said parks or public recreation grounds, or going to or coming from the same, may be removed by force by any ranger or other proper officer appointed by the Council, which officer shall have the power to call in the aid of the police, and such person so offending shall also forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding ten pounds nor less than one pound.

Penalty for trespass.

163. Any person who shall without the authority of the Council be found occupying any portion of the said parks or public recreation grounds, either by residing or by erecting any tent, hut, or building thereon, or by clearing, digging-up, enclosing, or cultivating any part thereof, shall be liable on conviction to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds nor less than one pound.

Made and passed at a meeting of the Borough Council of East Orange, held on Wednesday, 26th day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

(L.S.) JOSIAH PARKER,
Mayor.

W. LAMROCK, Council Clerk.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF HAMILTON—ADDITIONAL BY-LAWS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 158.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 9th August, 1888.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF HAMILTON.—ADDITIONAL BY-LAWS.

THE following additional By-laws, made by the Council of the Municipal District of Hamilton, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the requirements of the abovesaid Act.

HENRY PARKES.

ADDITIONAL By-laws for the Municipal District of Hamilton for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of the "Municipalities Act of 1867."

Damaging trees.

1. Any person who shall without the authority of the Council, cut, break, bark, root up, or otherwise destroy or damage the whole or any part of any tree, sapling, shrub, or underwood, growing in or upon any street or place under the management of the Council, or shall suffer any horse, ass, mule, sheep, goat, or other cattle belonging to him or her or under his or her charge to destroy or damage any tree or part of any tree growing in or upon any street under the management of the Council, shall upon conviction forfeit and pay for such offence a sum not exceeding ten pounds and not less than one pound.

Placing dead animals on premises.

2. Any person who shall place, or cause or suffer to be placed, upon any land or premises within the Municipal District, any dead animal, blood, offal, night-soil, or any other offensive matter, so as to become a nuisance to the inhabitants thereof, shall on conviction suffer and pay a penalty not exceeding five pounds nor less than ten shillings for every such offence.

Allowing dead animals to remain on premises.

3. Any occupier or owner of any land or premises who shall suffer or permit any dead animal, blood, offal, nightsoil, or any other offensive matter to remain upon the said land or premises after notice shall have been given to remove the same, shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding two pounds nor less than ten shillings for every day that the same shall so remain.

Hoardings to be erected.

4. Any person or persons who shall dig or make, or cause to be dug or made, any hole, or leave, or cause to be left, any hole adjoining, near to, or in any street, or public place within the municipal district of Hamilton, for the purpose of making any

vault or vaults, or the foundation or foundations of any house or building, or for any other purpose whatsoever, or shall erect or pull down any building, and shall not forthwith enclose the same and keep the same enclosed in a good and efficient manner, in accordance with the plan and specification adopted by the Council of the aforesaid Municipality, and to the satisfaction of the Inspector of Nuisances, or other officer of the aforesaid Council; and any person or persons who shall keep up or cause to be kept up and continued any such enclosure for any time which shall be longer than shall have been allowed by the said Council in their notice of permission to enclose as aforesaid, shall forfeit and pay for every such refusal or neglect any sum not less than forty shillings nor exceeding five pounds.

Driving animals, &c.

5. No person or persons shall drive, or cause to be driven, any horse or horses, cattle or other animals, through or upon any public street, or place, within the Municipality of Hamilton between the hours of 6 o'clock a.m. and 11 o'clock p.m., except as hereinafter provided; and any person or persons found driving, or who shall cause to be driven, any such animals as aforesaid, shall forfeit and pay a penalty not less than forty shillings nor exceeding five pounds. Provided always that this By-law does not apply to horses or cattle driven in or attached to any vehicle under the control of any owner or driver thereof, or to any animal or animals led or controlled by a halter or halters, bridle or bridles, or other secure fastenings, when under the control of any person or persons then in charge of the same.

Made and passed by the Municipal Council of Hamilton, this thirteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

(L.S.) SAMUEL DONN,
Mayor.

JAMES RAY, Council Clerk.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF HAY BY-LAWS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 158.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 16th October, 1888.

HAY MUNICIPALITY.—BY-LAWS.

The following By-laws, made by the Council of the Municipal District of Hay, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the above cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF HAY.

BY-LAWS for the prevention of certain nuisances.

No person shall deposit, or cause or suffer to be deposited, in or by the side of any street or lane within the Municipal District of Hay, any mud, dust, ashes, bottles, tins, rubbish, filth, offal, manure, soil, or other offensive matter :—

No person shall deposit, or cause or suffer to be deposited, in or on any street, road, right-of-way, lane, passage, water-channel, or in any other public place within the Municipal District of Hay (not being a manure dépôt duly appointed by the Council as a place for the deposit of such manure, rubbish, or other such refuse matter), any dust boxes, mud, ashes, rubbish, bottles, tins, filth, offal, manure, dung, or soil, and for the purposes of this By-law any unsold or reserved public lands, or any unfenced land, shall be deemed and taken to be a public place as before mentioned.

The occupier of any occupied premises or the owner of any unoccupied premises and vacant land whether fenced or not, within the Municipal District of Hay, shall not permit or allow to accumulate any rubbish, bottles, tins, filth, offal, effluvia, or other matter or thing so as to be a nuisance, or injurious to health in or upon any land, yard, or enclosure in his or her occupation or possession.

Every owner or occupier of land in, adjoining to, or near any street in the Municipal District of Hay, if such land shall be so situated that surface or storm water from or upon the same, overflows or tends materially, if not otherwise discharged, to overflow any footway of such street, shall within seven days' next after the service of notice by the Council, construct, lay, and maintain in perfect order and condition a covered drain or drains in such manner and way as will prevent any such surface or storm water overflowing any footway of such street.

Made and passed by the Council of the Municipal District of Hay, this 19th day of July, 1888.

HENRY THOS. HAYNES,
Council Clerk.

(L.S.) JOHN JACKA,
Mayor.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY UNIVERSITY

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1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF KOGARAH—BY-LAW.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 158.Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 15th November, 1888.

KOGARAH MUNICIPALITY.—BY-LAW.

The following By-law, made by the Council of the Municipal District of Kogarah, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," for regulating interments within the Municipality, having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, is published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

BY-LAW made and passed by the Municipal Council of Kogarah, on the 4th June, 1888.

No corpse shall be interred in any existing cemetery now open for burials within 100 yards from any public building, place of worship, schoolroom, dwelling-house, public pathway, street, road, or place whatsoever, within the Municipality. No corpse shall be interred in any new cemetery that may hereafter be opened within the distance of 100 yards from any such public building, place of worship, schoolroom, dwelling-house, public pathway, street, road, or place whatsoever, within the said Municipality; and any person or persons having the charge of any cemetery, or other person or persons who shall knowingly inter, or cause to be interred, any corpse within the Municipality contrary to the provisions of this By-law, or otherwise commit a breach thereof, shall for such offence be liable to any penalty not exceeding fifty pounds nor less than five pounds, and for every subsequent offence to any penalty not exceeding the first-mentioned amount and not less than ten pounds.

(L.S.)

MYLES M'RAE,
Mayor.

Council Chamber, Kogarah, 8th October, 1888.

N. DE BURGH HOCTOR, Council Clerk and Engineer.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(BOROUGH OF NEWCASTLE—AMENDED BY-LAW.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 153.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 28th November, 1888.

NEWCASTLE MUNICIPALITY.—AMENDED BY-LAW.

THE following amended By-law, made by the Council of the Borough of Newcastle, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, is published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

AMENDED BY-LAW for the Borough of Newcastle, for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of the "Municipalities Act of 1867."

THAT By-law 4, of the 5th day of July, 1886, in Supplementary Gazette No. 145 dated 12th day of March, 1887, be repealed, and the following By-law substituted:—

Driving Animals, &c.

1. No person or persons shall drive, or cause to be driven, any horse or horses, cattle, or other animals through or upon any public street or place within the Municipality of Newcastle between the hours of 6 o'clock a.m. and 10 o'clock p.m., except as hereinafter provided, viz., on Saturdays, when the hours shall be from 6 o'clock a.m. to 11 o'clock p.m., save and except milch cows, which shall not be driven between the hours of 9 o'clock a.m. and 5 o'clock p.m.; and any person or persons found driving, or who shall cause to be driven, any such animals as aforesaid shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not less than forty shillings nor exceeding five pounds: Provided always that this By-law does not apply to horses or cattle driven in or attached to any vehicle under the control of any owner or driver thereof, or to any animal or animals led or controlled by a halter or halters, bridle or bridles, or other secure fastenings, when under the control of any person or persons then in charge of the same.

Amended and passed by the Council of the Borough of Newcastle, this twenty-second day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

EDWARD S. HOLLAND,
Town Clerk.(L.S.) HENRY BUCHANAN,
Mayor.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(BOROUGH OF ORANGE—BY-LAWS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 153.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 20th November, 1888.

ORANGE MUNICIPALITY.—BY-LAWS.

The following By-laws, made by the Council of the Borough of Orange, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," having been confirmed by his Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

BOROUGH OF ORANGE.

Regulation of Public Vehicles.

BY-LAWS for the regulation and licensing of public carriers, carts, and public vehicles, omnibuses, cabs, hackney-carriages, cabs, drays, or vans, and the drivers and conductors of passenger-carrying vehicles, and in accordance with section 129 of the "Municipalities Act of 1867."

All vehicles to be licensed.

1. No vehicle shall ply or be used for hire within the Municipality, unless the same be duly licensed in the manner herein described. Any vehicle plying for hire and taking up or putting down passengers within the Municipality, no matter where their destination, must be licensed by the Council, provided that coaches carrying Her Majesty's mails be exempt from such license.

Requisition to be made for such license.

2. Before any license for plying a vehicle, or to drive or conduct the same, shall be granted, the party requiring such license shall obtain from the Council Clerk, free of charge, a requisition in the form of the Schedule A hereto, or to the like effect, and duly fill up and sign the same, and deliver it to the Council Clerk, and in the case of drivers or conductors shall also obtain a certificate from two respectable householders to the effect that the applicant is of good character and competent to act as such driver or conductor, as the case may be.

Conditions under which licenses to be granted.

3. No license will be granted in respect of any vehicle which, in the opinion of the By-law Committee of the said Municipality, is unsafe, or in bad repair, or otherwise unfit for the accommodation and conveyance of passengers therein, nor until the number of such vehicle be painted thereon on a plate or plates affixed thereon outside on the panel of each door of such vehicle, or on such other place or places, and in such manner as the said By-law Committee may direct.

Licenses, and how to be issued.

4. Licenses for proprietors, drivers, and conductors of vehicles shall be in the form contained in the Schedule hereunto annexed marked with the letter B, or the like effect; and any person plying, driving, or conducting any vehicle for hire without such license shall be deemed guilty of a breach of these By-laws.

Licenses to be under Corporate Seal.

5. Every license granted under these By-laws shall be under the common seal of the Council, and signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Council Clerk, upon production of a certificate signed by the By-law Committee aforesaid, and shall be in force from the date of such license until the 31st day of December next ensuing, subject to the conditions in By-law 10; and no such license shall include more than one vehicle: Provided that where the licensed vehicle shall be under repair, if the proprietor shall so desire, he may be permitted to substitute another for a period to be then specified and endorsed on the license, signed by the Mayor and countersigned as aforesaid.

Age of drivers.

6. No license shall be granted to any person to drive any passenger-carrying vehicle who shall be under the age of 18 years.

Licenses to be made out by the Council Clerk.

7. All licenses shall be made out by the Council Clerk, and numbered consecutively, and shall not be transferable.

Owner of vehicle.

8. The person in whose name a license shall appear to have been obtained shall be *prima facie* deemed to be the owner of the vehicle in respect of which the same shall have been taken out.

Inspector of vehicles.

9. The By-law Committee aforesaid shall, as often as they may deem it necessary, cause an inspection to be made of all or any licensed vehicle, and of the harness, horse, or horses; and if any such vehicles, harness, horse, or horses shall at any time be found by said Committee to be unfit for use, the Mayor may cancel the license of such vehicle on the written report of the said Committee.

Number of license to be painted on vehicle.

10. The number of the license granted to every omnibus or car, in figures not less than four inches in height, and for every hackney-carriage or cab, in figures not less than two inches in height, of proportionate breadth, white upon a ground of black, shall be painted outside on the panel of the door or doors of such vehicle, or on such other part or parts thereof as the Committee aforesaid shall direct; and such number shall be kept legible and undefaced during all time such vehicle shall ply or be used for hire.

Tables of fares, &c., to be fixed to vehicle.

11. The number of license of every hackney-carriage or cab on a card or plate 6 inches by 3 inches, painted or printed in clear legible figures, and the table of fares fixed by the Council, shall be affixed at the upper part of the front panel, or in such other place or places inside of such carriage or cab as the By-law Committee aforesaid may direct; and such card or plate shall be kept so affixed and legible and undefaced during all the time the carriage or cab shall ply or be used for hire.

Water and other carts.

12. The Council shall from time to time license to ply within the Municipality such carts for the sale and carrying of water and other commodities, as shall upon inspection be found fit for that purpose. Every water-cart shall be or shall contain or carry a vessel or tank capable of containing not less than 50 gallons, and all other carts so licensed shall have the name of the owner and the words "Licensed Water-cart," or "Licensed Cart," as the case may be, painted on each cart in legible letters.

Licenses how obtained.

13. Every such license shall be issued on the written application of the owner thereof, in which application shall be set forth the name and surname and place of abode of the applicant; and for every such license there shall be paid to the Council the sum set forth in Schedule C hereto appended; and every such license shall be in force until the 31st day of December next ensuing after the granting of the said license.

Hawking water and other commodities.—Penalty.

14. Any person hawking or carrying water or other commodities for sale or hire otherwise than in a licensed water-cart or cart as aforesaid, shall upon conviction be liable to a penalty not exceeding one pound.

Name and place of abode to be painted on licensed cart, &c.

15. The name and place of abode, number of license, and the words "Licensed cart, dray, or van," as the case may be, are to be painted in letters 1 inch long upon the right or off side of such cart, dray, or van.

Vehicles to carry lights.

16. All vehicles licensed to carry passengers or commodities shall be provided with suitable carriage-lamps to burn candles, one to be fixed to each side of the vehicle, and a third one inside of all omnibuses and closed coaches; and the same shall be lighted not later than one hour after sundown, and be kept burning while the vehicles are on the stand or running in the street, either with or without passengers.

Number of passengers to be carried.

17. When any carriage is submitted for inspection by the owner or other applicant, with a view to obtain a license, the By-law Committee shall then determine upon the number of passengers the vehicle shall be permitted to carry, and give a certificate to that effect; such number to be mentioned in the license.

Legal fare, &c., to be painted on the vehicle.

18. The number of passengers the vehicle is licensed to carry, and the legal fare, shall be painted or printed in legible characters and affixed within and without the vehicle in such places as the By-law Committee shall direct.

Vehicle not to be drawn faster than a walk past place of worship on Sunday.

19. No licensed vehicle shall be drawn by any animal or animals past a place of public worship on Sundays, during Divine service, at a faster pace than a walk; and no bugle, horn, or whistle, or other instrument shall be used on that day for the purpose of attracting passengers.

Description of persons not allowed to travel in vehicle.

20. No person suffering from an infectious or contagious disease shall ride in or upon any licensed vehicle, and no driver or conductor shall knowingly carry or permit to be carried any such person, or (except to some police office or watch-house) any corpse, or any person in a state of intoxication, or who is so noisily or violently conducting himself or otherwise so misbehaving as to occasion any annoyance or to disturb the public peace; and no passenger shall carry inside any vehicle, except a dray, any animal or any substance of any offensive character, or that might soil or damage the vehicle or the apparel of other passengers; and no driver or conductor shall sleep in or upon any licensed vehicle, nor use the same for eating his meals therein.

Vehicle not to carry greater number of passengers than licensed for.

21. No driver or conductor shall admit to the inside or allow on the outside of any omnibus at one time a greater number of passengers than the number it shall be licensed to carry inside or outside as the case may be; and no omnibus shall be licensed for more passengers than the same will accommodate upon fit seats, properly cushioned, allowing for each passenger a space of 18 inches, measuring in a straight line lengthwise on the front of each seat, nor shall any vehicle be taken off the line of road for which it shall be licensed: Provided that no child under five years of age, sitting on the lap, shall be deemed a passenger within the meaning of these By-laws; no passenger to carry more than one child.

Fare not to be increased until 10 p.m.—Driver, &c., not to refuse to carry passengers.

22. No owner, driver, or conductor of any omnibus shall demand, receive, or take from any passenger a larger fare than shall be shown, in large immovable figures in some conspicuous place inside and outside the omnibus, as the fare for which such omnibus plies: Provided that no fare shall be increased, except between the hours of 10 o'clock at night and 5 o'clock in the morning; and no driver or conductor of an omnibus shall neglect or refuse to admit and carry any person for whom there is room and to whom no reasonable objection can be made under these By-laws; nor, except in cases of accident or other unavoidable cause, shall any driver or conductor stop such vehicle upon any place where foot-passengers usually cross the carriage-way.

Fare to be paid upon taking seats.—Driver and conductor to be provided.

23. Any person having taken his or her seat in or upon an omnibus, shall pay the fare when demanded after the commencement of the journey. The owner of every omnibus plying for hire shall provide the same with a licensed driver and a licensed conductor.

Property found in vehicles to be delivered at the Council Clerk's office.

24. The driver of any vehicle and conductor of every omnibus shall carefully examine his vehicle immediately after setting down his fare, and in every case where property has been left in any vehicle or omnibus by any person having used or hired the same, such property, if found by another passenger or person, shall be delivered to the conductor or driver, who shall deliver the same, with any other property found by him, within eighteen hours after such finding, to the Council Clerk's office, and shall there deposit it.

License fees to be paid to the Council Clerk.

25. For every license issued under the By-laws in force for the time being in that behalf within the said Municipality, there shall be paid to the Council of the said Municipality, by delivering the same to the Council Clerk or other person authorized to receive the same, the several sums mentioned or set forth in Schedule C to these By-laws for the general purposes of the said Municipality.

Terms to be applied to licensed vehicles.

26. Whenever the word "vehicle" shall be used in these By-laws, the same shall be construed to extend and apply to any omnibus, car, hackney-carriage, or cab. The word "omnibus" shall extend and apply to any vehicle upon four wheels drawn by two or more horses, having seat accommodation for more than ten passengers and a driver. The word "car" shall extend and apply to any vehicle upon two or four wheels drawn by one or more horses, having seat accommodation for not more than ten or less than five passengers and a driver. The word "hackney-carriage" shall extend and apply to any vehicle upon four wheels drawn by two or more horses and having seat accommodation for not more than five passengers and a driver, and in respect of which a hackney-carriage license within the said Municipality shall have been obtained. The word "cab" shall extend and apply to any vehicle upon two wheels having seat accommodation for not more than two passengers and a driver, in respect of which a cab license within the said Municipality shall have been obtained. The word "cart" shall extend and apply to any cart, dray, van, waggon, or delivery van drawn by one or more horses or other animals, and used for hire in the carriage of goods and parcels and other commodities, except as used in Schedule C for lorries and timber carriages. The word "water-cart" shall extend and apply to any cart used for the carriage of water within the said Municipality, in respect of which a water-cart license shall have been obtained.

Fares to be charged.

27. No proprietor or driver of any hackney-carriage or cab in the said Municipality shall demand, receive, or take more than the several fares or sums mentioned or set forth in the Schedule D to these By-laws, or such other sums as the Council of the said Municipality shall from time to time determine, or appoint in substitution thereof as hereinafter provided; and every proprietor, driver, or conductor failing to comply with this By-law shall for every such offence forfeit and pay a penalty or sum not exceeding five pounds nor less than five shillings.

Power of Council to amend Scale of Fares, &c.

28. The Council of the said Municipality may from time to time, by By-law passed in that behalf, alter and vary or amend the said Schedule D and the respective sums chargeable thereunder, or any of them, and such alterations, variations, or amendments shall become of full force and effect so soon as the same shall have been publicly notified by advertisement in the New South Wales Government Gazette and at least one newspaper circulating in the said Municipality; and the Council of the Municipality shall not be responsible for any loss which such alterations or amendments may have, or may be alleged to have, occasioned to the holders of licenses for the time being, or any of them.

Tolls to be paid by hirer.

29. All tolls to be paid by the hirer of any hackney-carriage or cab, in addition to the ordinary fare.

Passengers to be taken up, &c.

30. Subject to By-law 21, no driver of any hackney-carriage or cab shall refuse to take up any passenger or passengers, unless already engaged for hire, nor refuse to convey such passenger or passengers to such place or places within the said Municipality as he, she, or they may reasonably desire; and every person failing to comply with this By-law, shall forfeit and pay a penalty or sum not exceeding five pounds for every such offence.

Cab-stands, &c.

31. The Council may by resolution, to be publicly notified as in Bye-law 28 of this part, from time to time appoint any place or places within the said Municipality as stands for licensed hackney-carriages and cabs within the said Municipality.

32. No vehicle shall be allowed to stand or remain stationary on any street within the said Municipality, except on the duly appointed cab-stand for the time being for a longer period than the time necessary to take up or set down any passenger or passengers for the time being, requiring or using the same, or for loading or unloading, or receiving or delivering the goods or parcels which the driver of such vehicle shall have been employed to carry; and any driver or proprietor of any such vehicle remaining stationary contrary to this By-law shall for every such offence forfeit and pay a penalty or sum not exceeding five pounds nor less than five shillings.

Driver not to leave his horse or horses.

33. No driver of any licensed vehicle or cart shall be or remain at such distance from his horse or horses while attached to his vehicle or cart anywhere within the said Municipality as not to have immediate and full control over the same; and every person so doing shall for every such offence forfeit and pay a penalty or sum not exceeding five pounds nor less than five shillings.

Speed at which to travel.

34. All hackney-carriages and cabs carrying passengers shall (except when turning street corners) proceed at a speed of not less than six miles per hour, unless when attending funerals or otherwise ordered by the hirer; and every driver of any such carriage or cab failing to comply with this By-law shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding forty shillings nor less than five shillings.

Copies of Schedule D to be printed and fixed at cab-stand.

35. Copies of said Schedule D hereto shall be printed or written in legible characters and exhibited on boards placed in conspicuous positions—one at each cab-stand within the Municipality and one at the Railway Station, in such place as the Commissioner for Railways may approve.

Copies of By-laws to be given with license.

36. Copies of these and all other By-laws passed by the Council of the said Municipality for the regulation of licensed vehicles, and still remaining in force, shall be delivered with each license issued unless the person shall have previously received copies thereof.

Penalty to be enforced for breach of By-laws.

37. All proprietors and drivers of licensed vehicles shall at all times be amenable to, and observe and comply with, the By-laws for the time being in force for the care and management of the public roads, public streets, and public thoroughfares within the said Municipality; and for every breach thereof shall incur the same penalties as other persons.

38. Any person offending against any of these By-laws shall, except when otherwise expressly provided, forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding two pounds nor less than five shillings.

SCHEDULE A.

A Requisition for License.

To the Municipal Council of the Municipal District of Orange, I, _____, residing at _____ street, within the Municipality of Orange, do hereby request that a license may be granted to me to _____ within the limits of the said Municipality.

Dated at _____, this _____ day of _____, A.D. 18 _____.

Description of vehicle: _____

SCHEDULE B.

Form of License for Driver or Conductor.

This is to certify that _____, of _____ street, is hereby licensed to drive or conduct _____ from the day of _____, to the 31st day of December, 18 _____, inclusive, within the Municipality of Orange, subject, nevertheless, to all and every the By-laws, Rules, and Regulations in force relating thereto.

SCHEDULE C.

Table of License Fees payable by Proprietors, Drivers, and Conductors of Licensed Vehicles.

| Proprietors of | On and after 1st January. | On and after 1st April. | On and after 1st July. | On and after 1st October. |
|---|---------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Omnibuses and coaches..... | £ s. d. 2 0 0 | £ s. d. 1 10 0 | £ s. d. 1 0 0 | £ s. d. 0 10 0 |
| Hackney-carriages, cabs, cars..... | 2 0 0 | 1 10 0 | 1 0 0 | 0 10 0 |
| Water-carts, drays, carts..... | 0 10 0 | 0 7 6 | 0 5 0 | 0 2 6 |
| Lorries, timber carriages..... | 2 0 0 | 1 10 0 | 1 0 0 | 0 10 0 |
| Delivery vans..... | 1 0 0 | 0 15 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 5 0 |
| For every Driver's License for a vehicle to carry passengers per annum, or any part thereof. | | | | 0 5 0 |
| For every Driver's License for a lorry per annum, or any part thereof. | | | | 0 5 0 |
| For every Conductor's License for a vehicle to carry passengers per annum, or any part thereof. | | | | 0 5 0 |

SCHEDULE D.

Table of Maximum Fares chargeable by Drivers or Proprietors of Licensed Carriages and Cabs, within the Municipal District of Orange.

| | s. d. |
|--|-------|
| Vehicles licensed to carry two passengers, for one only... | 1 0 |
| For two, for not exceeding a quarter of an hour..... | 1 6 |
| For each subsequent quarter of an hour, or part thereof | 1 0 |
| Vehicles licensed to carry more than two passengers, for each passenger, for not exceeding a quarter of an hour..... | 1 0 |
| For each quarter of an hour, or part thereof..... | 1 0 |

Provided in all cases that a fare for a second quarter of an hour shall only be paid where a passenger has been driven over a mile.

N.B.—After 10 o'clock p.m., and before 5 o'clock a.m., half the above fares in addition.

The driver shall not be obliged to take any luggage exceeding fifty pounds in weight, being clean and of such a description as may be placed inside or outside the vehicle without injuring the same; and the driver shall be entitled to claim one shilling for every additional fifty pounds weight or portion thereof so carried; but the person hiring such vehicle shall be allowed eighty-four pounds of luggage where the number of persons is short of the number aforesaid.

Made and passed at a meeting of the Municipal Council of Orange, held at the Council Chamber, Orange, on the seventh day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

(L.S.) P. FLANAGAN, Mayor.
THOMAS W. REEVES, Council Clerk.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(BOROUGH OF QUEANBEYAN—AMENDED AND ADDITIONAL BY-LAWS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 158.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 22nd November, 1888.

QUEANBEYAN MUNICIPALITY.—AMENDED AND ADDITIONAL BY-LAWS.

THE following amended and additional By-laws, made by the Council of the Borough of Queanbeyan, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

Alteration of hour of Meeting.

1. That the hour of meeting for the Council between the first day of September and the first day of March in each year be eight o'clock p.m.

Loitering.

2. No person shall be permitted to loiter on the footpaths within the Borough, or to offer or create obstruction of any kind thereon, but shall, if repeating the offence after being duly cautioned by a police officer, or alderman, officer, or servant of the Council, be liable on conviction to a penalty not exceeding ten shillings for each offence.

For the regulation of public vehicles.

1. No vehicle shall ply or be used for hire within the Municipality unless the same be duly licensed in the manner herein described.

Requisition to be made for license.

2. Before any license for plying a vehicle or to drive or to conduct the same shall be granted, the party requiring such license shall obtain from the Council Clerk, free of charge, a requisition in the form of the Schedule A hereto, or to the like effect, and duly fill up and sign the same and deliver it to the Council Clerk; and in the case of drivers or conductors, shall also obtain a certificate from two respectable householders to the effect that the applicant is of good character and competent to act as driver or conductor, as the case may be.

Condition under which licenses to be granted.

3. No license shall be granted in respect of any vehicle which, in the opinion of three Aldermen, who shall be appointed by a resolution of the Council of the said Municipality, is unsafe or in bad repair or otherwise unfit for the accommodation and conveyance of passengers therein; nor until the number of such vehicle be painted thereon on a plate or plates affixed thereon outside on the panel of each door of such vehicle, or on such other place or places and in such manner as the said three Aldermen may direct.

Licenses and how to be issued.

4. Licenses for proprietors, drivers, and conductors of vehicles shall be in the form contained in the Schedule hereto annexed marked with the letter B, or the like effect; and any person plying, driving, or conducting any vehicle for hire with passengers without such license, shall be deemed guilty of a breach of these By-laws.

Licenses to be under corporate seal.

5. Every license granted under these By-laws shall be under the common seal of the Council, and signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Council Clerk, upon production of a certificate signed by the Aldermen who shall be appointed as aforesaid, and shall be in force from date of such license until the 31st day of December next ensuing, subject to the conditions in By-law 10; and no such license shall include more than one vehicle: Provided that where the licensed vehicle shall be under repair, if the proprietor shall so desire, he may be permitted to substitute another for a period to be then specified and endorsed on the license, signed by the Mayor and countersigned as aforesaid.

Age of drivers.

6. No license shall be granted to any person to drive any passenger-carrying vehicle who shall be under the age of 16 years.

Licenses to be made out by the Council Clerk.

7. All licenses shall be made out by the Council Clerk and numbered consecutively.

Owner of vehicle.

8. The person in whose name a license shall appear to have been obtained, shall be *prima facie* deemed to be the owner of the vehicle in respect of which the same shall have been taken out.

Inspection of vehicles.

9. The three Aldermen aforesaid shall, as often as they deem it necessary, cause an inspection to be made of all or any licensed vehicles, and of the harness, horse, or horses; and if any such vehicles, harness, or horses, shall at any time be found by the said Aldermen to be unfit for use, the Mayor may cancel the license of such vehicle on the written report of the said Aldermen.

Number of license to be painted on vehicle.

10. The number of the license granted to every omnibus or car, in figures not less than 2 inches in height, of proportionate breadth, white upon a ground of black, shall be painted outside on the panel of the door or doors of such vehicle, or on such other part or parts thereof as the Aldermen aforesaid shall direct; and such numbers shall be kept legible and undefaced during all the time such vehicle shall ply or be used for hire.

Table of fares to be fixed to vehicle.

11. The number of the license of every hackney carriage or cab, on a card or plate 6 inches by 3 inches, painted or printed in clear legible figures, and the table of fares fixed by the Council, shall be affixed at the upper part of the front panel, or in such other place or places inside of such carriage or cab as the three Aldermen aforesaid may direct; and such card or plate shall be kept so affixed, and legible, and undefaced during all the time the carriage or cab shall ply or be used for hire.

Form applied to vehicles.

12. So far as concerns fares in these By-laws, any vehicle, of whatever form or construction, for which a hackney carriage license has been taken out, if drawn upon four wheels, shall be deemed to be a hackney carriage, and if drawn upon two wheels a cab.

Vehicle to carry lights.

17. All vehicles licensed to carry passengers shall be provided with suitable carriage lamps, to burn candles, one to be fixed on each side of the driver's box, and a third one inside of all omnibuses and closed coaches; and the same shall be lighted not later than one hour after sundown, and be kept burning while the vehicles are on the stand or running in the streets either with or without passengers.

Number of passengers to be carried.

18. When any carriage is submitted for inspection by the owner or other applicant with a view to obtain a license, the Aldermen appointed by the Council for that duty shall then determine upon the number of passengers the vehicle shall be permitted to carry, and give a certificate to that effect, such number to be mentioned in the license.

Legal fare to be painted on vehicle.

19. The number of passengers the vehicle is licensed to carry, and the legal fare, shall be painted or printed in legible characters, and affixed within and without in such places as the inspecting Aldermen shall direct.

Penalty for breaking By-laws.

20. For every offence against the provisions of these By-laws the offender shall upon conviction forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than twenty pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Vehicle not to be drawn faster than a walk past a place of worship on Sunday.

21. No licensed vehicle shall be drawn by any animal or animals past a place of public worship on Sundays during Divine service at a faster pace than a walk; and no bugle, horn, whistle, or other instrument shall be used on that day for the purpose of attracting the attention of passengers.

Description of persons not allowed to travel in vehicle.

22. No person suffering from an infectious or contagious disease shall ride in or upon any licensed vehicle; and no driver or conductor shall knowingly carry, or permit to be carried, any such person, or (except to some police office or watch-house) any corpse, or any person in a state of intoxication, or who is so noisily or violently conducting himself, or otherwise so misbehaving as to occasion any annoyance or to disturb the public peace; and no passenger shall carry inside any vehicle, except a dray, any animal or any substance of an offensive character, or that might soil or damage the vehicle or the apparel of other passengers; and no driver or conductor shall sleep in or upon any licensed vehicle, nor use the same for eating his meals therein.

Vehicle not to carry greater number of passengers than licensed for.

23. No driver or conductor shall admit to the inside or allow outside of any omnibus, at any one time, a greater number of passengers than the number it shall be licensed to carry inside or outside as the case may be; and no omnibus shall be licensed for more passengers than the same will accommodate upon fit seats, properly cushioned, allowing for each passenger a space of eighteen inches, measuring in a straight line lengthwise on the front of each seat; nor shall any vehicle be taken off the line of road for which it shall be licensed: Provided that no child under five years of age sitting on the lap shall be deemed to be a passenger within the meaning of these By-laws; no passenger to carry more than one child.

Fare not to be increased until 10 o'clock p.m.—Driver not to refuse to carry passengers.

24. No owner, driver, or conductor of any omnibus shall demand, receive, or take from any passenger a larger fare than shall be shown in large immovable figures in some conspicuous place inside and outside the omnibus as the fare for which such omnibus plies: Provided that no fare shall be increased except between the hours of ten o'clock at night and five

o'clock in the morning. And no driver or conductor of an omnibus shall neglect or refuse to admit and carry any person for whom there is room and to whom no reasonable objection can be made under these By-laws, nor in cases of accident or other unavoidable cause shall any driver or conductor stop such vehicle upon any place where foot passengers usually cross the carriage way.

Fare to be paid upon taking seats.—Driver and conductor to be provided

25. Any person having taken his seat in or upon an omnibus shall pay the fare when demanded after the commencement of his journey. The owner of every omnibus plying for hire shall provide the same with a licensed driver and a licensed conductor.

Property found in vehicles to be delivered at Council Clerk's Office.

26. The driver of any carriage and conductor of every omnibus shall carefully examine his vehicle immediately after setting down his fare; and in every case of property having been left in any vehicle by any person having used or hired the same, such property, if found by another passenger or person, shall be delivered to the driver or conductor, who shall deliver the same, with any other property found by him, within eighteen hours after such finding, to the Council Clerk's Office, and there shall deposit it; and no owner shall detain any property delivered to him by any driver or conductor in his employment longer than the time before mentioned, but shall deposit it at the office at the Council Chamber with the Council Clerk or his assistant.

License fees to be paid to Council Clerk.

27. For every license issued under the By-laws in force for the time being in that behalf within the said Municipality, there shall be paid to the Council of the said Municipality, by delivering the same to the Council Clerk or other person authorized to receive the same, the several sums mentioned or set forth in Schedule C to these By-laws, for the general purposes of the said Borough.

Terms to be applied to licensed vehicles.

28. Whenever the word "vehicle" shall be used in these By-laws, the same shall be construed to extend and apply to any omnibus, car, hackney carriage, or cab. The word "omnibus" shall extend and apply to any vehicle upon four wheels drawn by two or more horses, having seat accommodation for more than ten passengers and a driver. The word "car" shall extend and apply to any vehicle upon two or four wheels drawn by one or more horses, having seat accommodation for not more than ten nor less than five passengers and a driver. The word "hackney carriage" shall extend and apply to any vehicle upon four wheels drawn by two or more horses and having seat accommodation for not more than five passengers and a driver, and in respect of which a hackney carriage license within the said Municipality shall have been obtained. The word "cab" shall extend and apply to any vehicle upon two wheels having seat accommodation for not more than two passengers and a driver, in respect of which a cab license within the said Municipality shall have been obtained. The word "cart" shall extend and apply to any cart, dray, van, or waggon drawn by one or more horses or other animals, used wholly and for the carriage of goods and parcels.

Fares to be charged

29. No proprietor or driver of any hackney carriage or cab within the said Municipality shall demand, receive, or take more than the several fares or sums mentioned or set forth in the Schedule D to these By-laws, or such other sums as the Council of the said Municipality shall from time to time determine or appoint in substitution therefor, as hereinafter provided; and every proprietor, driver, or conductor failing to comply with this By-law shall for every such offence forfeit and pay a penalty or sum not exceeding five pounds nor less than five shillings.

Power of Council to amend scale of fares.

30. The Council of the said Municipality may from time to time, by resolution passed in that behalf, alter and vary or amend the said Schedule D and the respective sums chargeable thereunder or any of them; and such alterations, variations, or amendments shall become of full force and effect so soon as the same shall have been publicly notified by advertisement in the New South Wales Government Gazette and at least one newspaper circulating in the said Municipality. And the Council of the Municipality shall not be responsible for any loss which such alterations or amendments may have or may be alleged to have occasioned to the holders of licenses for the time being, or any of them.

Passengers to be taken up.

31. No driver of hackney carriage or cab shall refuse to take up any passenger or passengers to such place or places within the said Municipality, as he, she, or they may reasonably desire; and every person failing to comply with this By-law shall forfeit and pay a penalty or sum not exceeding five pounds for every such offence.

Driver not to leave his horse or horses.

32. No driver of any licensed vehicle shall be or remain at such a distance from his horse or horses while attached to his vehicle, anywhere within the said Municipality, as not to have immediate and full control over the same; and every person so doing shall for every such offence forfeit and pay a penalty or sum not exceeding five pounds nor less than five shillings.

Speed at which to travel.

33. All hackney carriages and cabs carrying passengers shall (except when turning street corners) proceed at a speed of not less than six miles an hour, unless when attending funerals or when otherwise ordered by the hirer; and every driver of any such carriage or cab failing to comply with this By-law shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding forty shilling nor less than five shillings.

Copies of By-laws to be given with license.

34. Copies of these and all other By-laws passed by the Council of the said Municipality for the regulation of licensed vehicles, and still remaining in force, shall be delivered with each license issued, unless the person shall have previously received copies thereof.

Penalty to be enforced for breach of By-laws.

35. All proprietors and drivers of licensed vehicles shall at all times be amenable to and observe and comply with the By-laws for the time being in force for the care and management of the public roads, public streets, and public thoroughfares within the said Municipality, and for every breach thereof shall incur the same penalties as other persons.

SCHEDULE A.

A requisition for License.

To the Municipal Council of the Borough of Queanbeyan.
I, _____, residing at _____, within the Borough of Queanbeyan, do hereby request that a license may be granted to me to _____ within the limits of the said Borough.

Dated at Queanbeyan, this _____ day of _____ A.D. 18 ____.
Description of vehicle:— _____

SCHEDULE B.

Form of License for Driver or Conductor.

This is to certify that _____ of _____ street is hereby licensed to _____ from the _____ day of _____ to the 31st day of December, 18 ____, inclusive, within the Borough of _____, subject nevertheless to all and every the By-laws, Rules, and Regulations in force relating thereto.

SCHEDULE C.

TABLE of License Fees payable by Proprietors, Drivers, and Conductors of Licensed Vehicles.

| Proprietors of | On and after 1st January. | On and after 1st April. | On and after 1st July. | On and after 1st October. |
|--|---------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Omnibuses and coaches..... | 0 10 0 | 0 10 0 | 0 5 0 | 0 5 0 |
| Cars | 1 10 0 | 1 2 6 | 0 15 0 | 0 7 6 |
| Hackney carriages | 2 0 0 | 1 10 0 | 1 0 0 | 0 10 0 |
| Cabs | 1 10 0 | 1 2 6 | 0 15 0 | 0 7 6 |
| Water-carts, drays, carts, &c. | 0 2 6 | 0 2 6 | 0 2 6 | 0 2 6 |
| For every driver's license for a vehicle to carry passengers | | | | 0 5 0 |
| For every conductor's license for a vehicle to carry passengers..... | | | | 0 5 0 |

SCHEDULE D.

TABLE of Maximum Fares chargeable by Drivers or Proprietors of Licensed Hackney Carriages and Cabs within the Borough of Queanbeyan:—

| | s. | d. |
|---|----|----|
| For cab to carry one or two persons..... | | |
| For not exceeding quarter of an hour..... | 1 | 0 |
| For every subsequent quarter of an hour, or part thereof, within the first hour of hiring | 1 | 0 |
| For every quarter of an hour, or part thereof, after the first hour..... | 0 | 9 |
| For a hackney carriage to carry five persons. | | |
| For any time not exceeding half an hour | 2 | 6 |
| For any time exceeding half an hour but not exceeding one hour | 5 | 0 |
| For every quarter of an hour, or part thereof, after the first hour..... | 1 | 0 |

Made and passed by the Borough Council of Queanbeyan, this 26th day of July, 1888.

(L.S.) JOHN BULL,
Mayor.

O. WILLANS, Council Clerk.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(BOROUGH OF REDFERN—SEWERAGE BY-LAWS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 153.Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 15th November, 1888.**BOROUGH OF REDFERN—SEWERAGE BY-LAWS.**

THE following Sewerage By-laws, made by the Council of the Borough of Redfern, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the provisions of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

SEWERAGE BY-LAWS OF THE BOROUGH OF REDFERN,*Made under the Municipalities Act of 1867.*

Drainers' and plumbers' license.

1. Any person intending to undertake any drainage or plumbing work in this Borough must be licensed by this Council every year, such license to commence from 1st February, 1888, obtainable upon application, accompanied by a certificate signed by two competent persons, and upon payment of a fee of ten shillings per annum.

Drains to remain open until after inspection.

2. All drains shall remain uncovered until inspected by the Foreman of Works of the Borough, and approved by him. Any work covered over before inspection shall be re-opened for that purpose, and any drainer refusing to open the trenches will be liable to a penalty not exceeding two pounds, and shall further be liable at the discretion of the Borough of Redfern to be deemed to be ineligible to do any such work in the Borough.

Drainer liable for accidents.

3. The drainer will be liable for all accidents arising from neglect on his part in providing night lights and proper boarding for any trenches he may require to make or for want of proper scaffolding or other timbering.

Street to be properly repaired after drain is laid.

4. The drainer shall take care that the portion of the streets and footpaths opened by him shall be left in the same state of repair as he found them; by the street being properly made up, and the trench being well rammed and filled in, the ballast must be hand-packed, and the metal evenly spread over it; and where kerbing, guttering, or asphaltting may be disturbed, the same must be carefully and substantially relaid to the satisfaction of the said Foreman of Works. And if the same is not done satisfactorily at the request of the said Foreman of Works, the said Borough may carry out the work at the drainer's expense, and the drainer shall also forfeit and pay for the offence a sum not less than two pounds nor more than five pounds.

Fees to be paid in connection with house drainage.

5. All licensed drainers shall pay the following fees in connection with house drainage, viz., for plan of drainage, including survey and inspection, a sum of five shillings (5s.) for each house, and for every subsequent alteration or addition to the drainage of the building, two shillings and sixpence (2s. 6d.) per house, and for every copy of any plan of drainage, two shillings and sixpence (2s. 6d.) per copy.

Stoneware pipes for drainage.

6. House drains may be constructed of cast-iron or glazed stoneware pipes, of best quality. No under-burnt, cracked, distorted, or damaged pipes will be allowed to be used.

Inlet pipes to be fitted with flap-traps.

7. All inlet pipes to junction pits to be fitted with stoneware flap-traps, traps to be of galvanized iron, with two gun-metal or copper shackles.

Jointing of pipes and nature of same.

8. All drain pipes must be laid at least three feet below the surface of the roadway and gutters, and in sand grounds the joints must be made with gasket half depth of socket, and finished with cement mortar. After jointing is done, the pipe is to be wiped clean of surplus mortar, and left perfectly clean before another pipe is laid. In water-charged sand grounds, cast-iron pipes, with gasket and lead joints, must be used, and every precaution taken to prevent the entrance of sand or silt into the sewer pipes.

Size of connecting drains, gradients of drains, traps, and trenches.

9. Connecting drains shall be six inches in internal diameter, and laid at a uniform gradient of not less than one foot in sixty feet, unless otherwise authorized, and, as far as practicable, in straight lines. Where several drains converge, a brick pit must be built and the drains connected therewith by stoneware flap junctions or other stretch traps, as the said Foreman of Works may direct. After completion of pipe-laying, the trenches must be filled in with the best of excavated material, well rammed in six-inch layers, and all surplus material to be removed by the drainer.

Sinks for house and yard slops, &c.

10. Proper sinks, or yard gullies, according to type drawings, shall be constructed to receive the kitchen and house slops, and drained to sewer.

All yards, gullies, sinks, cesspools, or other openings are to be stench trapped.

All connections with brick main sewers shall be provided with approved traps, as authorized, and stoneware pipes, except where otherwise specified, shall be used for all drains.

Existing drains may be made use of, subject to the approval of the said Foreman of Works.

Any violation of the provisions of this By-law shall entail a penalty not exceeding ten pounds nor less than two pounds.

Accidents to pipes.

11. Accidents to water, sewer, or gas pipes, caused by drainer, must be at once reported to the proper authorities, and immediate steps taken to have repairs effected under a penalty of a sum not exceeding two pounds.

Permits for connections.

12. Connections are to be made at such places as will be provided, or as may be permitted, upon application.

No connections allowed direct from water pipes to closet pans.

13. No connections from a water pipe direct to the pan of a closet will be allowed. All water closets shall have cisterns attached with two compartments, ball, cock, and valves, so arranged that not more than two gallons of water can be used for flushing at one time. Any person found with a direct service from main to pan is liable to a penalty of fifty pounds.

No drain pipe to pass under buildings.

14. As far as possible no drain pipe shall pass underneath a building. In the case of new houses, it is advisable to build a relieving arch over pipes to prevent injury in the event of settlement of foundations.

Disconnector traps, &c., must be used.

15. Every house drain must have a disconnector trap of approved pattern at or near the building line, fitted with inspection cap and ventilating junction.

Hoarding licenses.

16. Hoarding licenses must be obtained from the Borough of Redfern before streets or lanes can be opened for drainage.

Permit to connect with drain or sewer on other premises.

17. In all cases where it is intended to connect a pipe to the drain or sewer of any other premises, a written permission from the owner or agent of such premises must be sent to the Council Chambers, before the authority to connect will be granted, and where the same is not done, the drainer shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding three pounds and not less than one pound.

Liability of plumbers or drainers offending against By-Laws.

18. Any plumber or drainer offending against any of these By-laws is liable to a fine of ten pounds (£10), besides being responsible for any drainage or trespass occasioned by his transgression, together with having to show cause why his license should not be suspended or cancelled.

Where connections must be made with sewer.

19. Wherever the sewer passes within 150 feet of any property, any dry earth closet, privy, cesspit, sink, or cesspool attached to that property must be connected with the sewer,

otherwise the owner or agent shall be liable to a fine not exceeding ten pounds (£10) and not less than five pounds (£5) for every month or fraction of a month that expires after notice has been served on the said owner or agent.

Notice to be given before connecting.

20. Before connecting any premises to main or branch sewers, six (6) days' notice in writing (on forms provided on application) must be given to the Council Clerk of the Borough of Redfern.

Cesspits, &c., not to be connected.

21. Cesspools, pits, or privies cannot be connected with the sewers. They are to be emptied, disinfected, and filled up with clean sand, and proper water-closets must be provided.

No branch connection with public drains, &c., allowed without notice.

22. It shall not be lawful for any person, without notice to the Council Clerk of the Borough of Redfern, or otherwise than according to directions as such Council Clerk may make and give, to make or branch any private drain or sewer into any of the public drains, sewers, or channels, or into any drain or sewer communicating therewith.

And in case any person or persons shall make or branch any private drain or sewer into any of the said public drains or sewers, or into any drain or sewer communicating, or to communicate therewith, without such notice, or otherwise than as aforesaid, shall for every such offence forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding five pounds.

Drains and sewers to be repaired and cleansed.

23. Drains or sewers communicating with any public drain or sewer shall from time to time be repaired and cleansed under inspection and by the directions of the said Foreman of Works. And in case any person shall neglect to repair and cleanse, or cause any such private drain or sewer to be repaired and cleansed, according to the direction of the said Foreman of Works, he shall forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not exceeding two pounds.

Water from roofs of houses, &c., to be discharged by separate pipes.

24. The water from roofs of houses, or water falling into yards, must be discharged by separate pipes into the gutter in either street or lane, or as directed by the said Foreman of Works. And any owner or occupier failing to carry out this provision shall be liable to a sum not exceeding two pounds for every day after fourteen days' notice (in writing) shall have been given by the said Council Clerk to remedy the same.

Penalties not herebefore mentioned.

25. Where no penalty is mentioned, every person committing a breach of any of these By-laws shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty of a sum not exceeding ten pounds; and any person obstructing any officer in the discharge of any duty imposed, or in the exercise of any privilege conferred by any of these By-laws, shall be liable to a penalty of a sum not exceeding five pounds.

Made and passed by the Municipal Council of the Borough of Redfern, at a meeting held on the 11th day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

(L.S.) THOS. M. WILLIAMSON,
R. W. GRIERSON, Council Clerk, Mayor.

1888-9.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(BOROUGH OF WAVERLEY—BY-LAW.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 153.Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 9th January, 1889.**WAVERLEY MUNICIPALITY.—BY-LAW.**

THE following By-law, made by the Council of the Borough of Waverley, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," repealing certain By-laws of that Municipality and substituting another By-law in lieu thereof, having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, is published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

BOROUGH OF WAVERLEY.—BY-LAW.

THAT the By-laws for regulation of places of amusement, passed by the Borough Council of Waverley on the sixth day of November, 1883, and published in Government Gazette No. 55 of 4th February, 1884, are hereby repealed, and in lieu thereof the following By-law shall be in force within the said Borough.

No Dancing Saloon to be Established.

No dancing saloon open to the public shall be established or maintained within the Borough of Waverley. Any person or persons offending against this By-law shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty-five pounds nor less than ten pounds.

By virtue of the powers and authority of the "Municipalities Act of 1867," the Council of the Borough of Waverley passed the foregoing By-law on the eighteenth day of December, 1888.

ROBT. THOMAS ORR, Council Clerk.

(L.S.) THOMAS JAMES DICKSON,
Mayor.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(BOROUGH OF WAVERLEY—ADDITIONAL BY-LAW.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 153.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 9th August, 1888.**BOROUGH OF WAVERLEY.—ADDITIONAL BY-LAW.**

THE following additional By-law, made by the Council of the Borough of Waverley, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, is published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

BOROUGH OF WAVERLEY.—BY-LAW.*Erection of Buildings, Fences, Hoardings.—Notice to be given.—Fees for Permission.*

No person shall erect any house, shop, or building, wall, fence, or hoarding, in or adjoining any road, street, or lane within the Borough without previously paying to the office of the Council a fee of five shillings, and obtaining the written authority of the Mayor or Council Clerk to erect such house, shop, or building, and a fee of two shillings and six pence for permission and authority to erect any wall, fence, or hoarding; and any person commencing to erect such house, shop, or building, wall, fence, or hoarding without first paying such fees and obtaining such written authority shall be liable to a penalty of ten shillings for every day he shall commence or carry on any erection or erections as aforesaid, without having first paid such fee and obtained such written authority as aforesaid.

By virtue of the powers and authority of the "Municipalities Act of 1867," the Council of the Borough of Waverley passed the foregoing By-law on the first day of May, 1888.

(I.S.) THOMAS J. DICKSON,
Mayor.

ROB. THOMAS ORB, Council Clerk.

1888-9.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(BOROUGH OF WEST MAITLAND—BY-LAWS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 153.Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 31st December, 1888**WEST MAITLAND MUNICIPALITY.—BY-LAWS.**

THE following By-laws, made by the Council of the Borough of West Maitland, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

BY-LAW for Regulating and Licensing Omnibuses, Waggonettes, Cars, and Hackney-carriages, plying for hire within the Borough of West Maitland.

The Council of the Borough of West Maitland do, by virtue of the power and authority vested in such Council by the "Municipalities Act of 1867," make the following By-law:—

The driver of any licensed vehicle taking up or setting down passengers at any place of worship or amusement, or at any private place of amusement, within the said Borough of West Maitland, or who is waiting for any of those purposes, shall obey the directions of the Inspector as to taking up or setting down, or waiting for passengers, and as to the order and place in which any vehicle shall stand; and every driver shall perform his duty in a careful and quiet manner, and shall not push into or get out of the line or position fixed for the vehicles so as to endeavour to arrive at his place of destination before any other licensed vehicle, the driver whereof from his position would have a prior right to take up or set down passengers. Every person offending against this By-law shall be liable to a fine of not more than five pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Made and passed by the Borough Council of West Maitland this twenty-seventh day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

(L.S.) J. GILLIS,
Mayor.

THOMAS HUGHES, Council Clerk.

BY-LAW for Regulating and Licensing Vehicles plying for hire within the Borough of West Maitland.

The Council of the Borough of West Maitland, by virtue of the power and authority vested in such Council by the "Municipalities Act of 1867," do hereby make the following By-law for regulating and licensing hansom cabs and buggies plying for hire within the said Borough, to be read with the By-laws for regulating and licensing hansom cabs and buggies plying for hire within the said Borough, made and passed by the Borough Council of West Maitland, and published in the Government Gazette 15th day of July, 1886 (No. 391). In lieu and in substitution of By-law No. 18 of the principal By-laws, which is hereby repealed, the following By-law is made, that

is to say:—No driver of any licensed vehicle shall, when standing on a public stand or in any street within the Borough, be at such a distance from the horse or horses attached thereto as to prevent his having control over the same. For every offence against the provision of this By-law the driver shall, upon conviction before any two Justices of the Peace forfeit and pay any sum not more than five pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Made and passed by the Borough Council of West Maitland this 10th day of August, A.D. 1888.

(L.S.) J. GILLIS,
THOMAS HUGHES, Council Clerk. Mayor.*Riding bicycles or tricycles on footpaths.*

1. Any person who shall ride a bicycle or tricycle along or upon any of the footpaths within the Borough of West Maitland shall, upon conviction before two Justices of the Peace, forfeit and pay any sum not more than two pounds nor less than five shillings.

2. Any person who shall ride a bicycle or tricycle upon or along any street within the Borough of West Maitland without having a light attached to the same, between sunset and sunrise, shall, upon conviction before two Justices of the Peace, forfeit and pay any sum not more than two pounds nor less than five shillings.

Made and passed by the Borough Council of West Maitland this 10th day of August, 1888.

(L.S.) J. GILLIS,
THOMAS HUGHES, Council Clerk. Mayor.*Streets and Public Places, &c.*

New roads to be reported upon.

1. No new public road, street, way, park, or other place proposed to be dedicated to the public shall be taken under the charge and management of the Council until after such road, street, way, or park, shall have been examined by a Committee for Works, and reported upon to the Council by such Committee.

Plan of proposed new road, &c., to be deposited.

2. Whenever any proprietor or proprietors of land within the said Borough shall open any road, street, or way, or lay out any park or other place for public use or recreation, through or upon such land, and shall be desirous that the Council shall undertake the care and management of such road, street, way, park, or other place, he or they shall furnish the Council with a plan or plans, signed by himself or themselves, showing clearly the position and extent of such road, street, way, park, or other place as aforesaid. And he or they shall execute any instrument dedicating such road, street, way, park, or other place, as the Council may consider necessary.

Obstructing public foot-ways.

3. If the owner or occupier of any land situated on the side of any street or road in this Borough shall permit any tree, shrub, or plant kept for ornament or otherwise, to overhang any footpath or footway on the side of any such street or road, and on demand made by the Council shall not cut, lop, or cause to be lopped, all such trees, shrubs, or plants, to the height of eight feet at the least, the said Council, by their servants, labourers, and workmen may cut, or cause to be cut or lopped all such overhanging trees, plants, or shrubs, and to remove or burn all branches of such trees, plants, or shrubs, so cut or lopped without being deemed a trespasser or trespassers; and in case any person or persons shall resist or in any manner forcibly oppose the said Council, or their servants, labourers, or workmen in the due execution of the powers given in this behalf by virtue of the Municipalities Act of 1867, every person so offending shall, on conviction of every such offence, forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding ten pounds.

No balcony, &c., to project.

4. With regard to buildings hereafter to be built or rebuilt it shall not be lawful for any awning, verandah, portico, balcony, or window forming part of, or attached to, any external wall, to project beyond the building line of any street or road, except with the consent of the Council first obtained; nor shall any balcony, or any other external projection as aforesaid, which may hereafter be added to any existing building, be allowed to project as aforesaid, under a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds nor less than five pounds, except with the consent of the Council first obtained.

Hoards or fences to be erected.

5. Every person intending to build or take down any building within the limits of the Borough of West Maitland, or to cause the same to be so done, or to alter or repair the outward part of any such building, or to cause the same to be done where any street or footway will be obstructed or rendered inconvenient by means of such work, shall, before beginning the same, cause sufficient hoards or fences to be put up in order to separate the building where such works are being carried on from the street with a convenient platform and handrail, if there be room enough to leave as a footway for passengers outside of such hoard or fence, and shall continue such hoard or fence, with such platform and handrail as aforesaid, standing in good condition, to the satisfaction of the officer of the Council of the said Borough during such time as the public safety or convenience requires, and shall in all cases in which it is necessary, in order to prevent accidents, cause the same to be sufficiently lighted during the night; and every such person who shall fail to put up such fence, or hoard, or platform with such handrail as aforesaid, or to continue the same respectively standing in good condition as aforesaid during the period of such building or taking down, or who shall not, while the said hoard or fence is standing, keep the same sufficiently lighted in the night, or who shall not remove the same when directed by the officer of the Council of the said Borough within a reasonable time afterwards, shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty, not exceeding two pounds for every day such default is continued.

6. The Mayor of the Borough Council of West Maitland may at any time or times with the sanction of the said Council, and by notice thereof in the local papers, cause to be suspended the traffic of any street, road, lane, or thoroughfare within the said Borough, or any portions thereof by persons in vehicles, or upon horseback, on the occasion of the holding of any Agricultural Show, or of any public demonstration within the said Borough, in order to provide for the safety of all persons on foot, who may necessarily require to use such streets, roads, lanes, or thoroughfares, or any portions thereof, during the holding or taking place of such shows or public demonstrations, the period or periods of such suspension to be duly set out in such notice as aforesaid; and any person or persons who shall remove, cut, or destroy any rope or other temporary obstruction, placed upon any such street, road, lane, or thoroughfare, in order to suspend traffic thereon as aforesaid, or pass along such street, road, lane, or thoroughfare, or any portion thereof either with a vehicle or on horseback, or shall lead any animal along any such street, road, lane, or thoroughfare, or who shall stand or loiter with any vehicle or animal at or near any such rope or temporary obstruction as aforesaid, and shall not remove such

vehicle or vehicles, animal or animals, when instructed so to do by the officer of the said Council having control or management of such traffic, shall upon conviction before any Justice of Peace forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not more than five pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Offences, Nuisances.—General good order of the Borough.

Injuring or extinguishing lamps.

7. Any person who shall wantonly or maliciously break or injure any lamp or lamp-post or extinguish any lamp set up for public convenience in the said Borough, shall, over and above the necessary expense of repairing the injury committed, forfeit and pay for such offence a sum not more than two pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Damaging trees.

8. Any person who shall wilfully or without the authority of the Council cut, break, bark, root up, or otherwise destroy or damage the whole or any part of any tree, sapling, shrub, or underwood, growing in or upon any street or place under the management of the Council or in or upon any public reserve or park, shall forfeit a sum not exceeding five pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Placing goods, &c., on roadway, &c.

9. If any person shall set or place, or cause or permit to be set or placed, any stall, show-board, basket, or goods of any kind whatsoever, or shall hoop, place, wash, or cleanse, or cause to be hooped, placed, washed, or cleaned any cask or vessel in or upon or over any road, footway, or public place within the said Borough, or shall set out, lay, or place, or shall cause or procure, permit, or suffer to be set out, laid, or placed any coach, cart, dray, barrow, truck, or other carriage upon any footway, or if any person shall set or place or caused to be set or placed in, upon, or over any of the said carriage or foot ways any timber, stone, bricks, lime, or other materials or things for building whatsoever (unless the same be enclosed as hereinbefore directed in No. 5 of these By-laws), or any other matters or things whatsoever, or shall hang out or expose, or shall cause or permit to be hung out or exposed, any meat or offal or other thing or matter whatsoever from any house or premises over any part of such footways or carriage-ways, or over any area of any house or premises, or any other matter or thing from and on the outside or any part of any house or premises, over or next to any such street or road, and shall not immediately remove all or any such matter or things, being thereto required by the Council or any officer thereof, and shall not continue and keep the same so removed; or if any person having, in pursuance of any such requisition as aforesaid, removed or cause to be removed any such stall, show-board, basket, goods, coach, cart, dray, barrow, truck, carriage, timber, stone, brick, lime, meat offal, or other matter or things, and shall at any time thereafter again set, lay, or place, expose, or cause, procure, permit, or suffer to be set, laid, placed, or exposed the same or any of them, or allow any other article or thing whatsoever (save and except as aforesaid) in, upon, or over any of the carriage or foot ways of or next unto any streets or roads as aforesaid, in every such case every person so offending shall forfeit a sum not exceeding two pounds nor less than five shillings.

Name and place of abode, &c.

10. The owner of every waggon, cart, dray, or lorry who shall allow the same to be driven through the Borough of West Maitland without having his name and place of abode painted on the off side legibly shall upon conviction thereof forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding two pounds nor less than five shillings, to be recovered in a summary manner. The driver or person in charge of any such vehicle as aforesaid who shall refuse to give his name and the owner's name and address when required so to do by the Inspector of the said Borough, or any Police officer, shall upon conviction thereof forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding two pounds nor less than five shillings.

Extirpation of noisome weeds.

11. Any owner or occupier of any allotment of land, yard, garden, cultivated paddock, or grass paddock within the Borough of West Maitland, who shall allow any Bathurst Burr, Scotch Thistle, Black Thistle, a prickly scrub with a number of branches with the flower of the thistle and commonly called Saucy Jack, Cape weed, having a large flat yellow flower with dark centre, and mats on the ground, Cat's Head, a plant which has prickles at every joint, and the Dock, or any other noisome weeds which may be detrimental to good husbandry or to the growth of any grass, after seven days notice in the case of allotments, yard, or small garden, and one month in the case of cultivation paddocks or grass paddocks, to cut up and bury two feet under the ground, or to burn the same, which notice may be sent through the post to the last known place of abode, or to be posted upon some conspicuous place or part of the said places before set forth, which may have any of the before-mentioned weeds,—and any person failing to extirpate same within the before-mentioned periods, shall upon conviction forfeit and pay any sum not more than ten pounds nor less than five shillings.

Notices not to be painted on pavement.

12. Any person who shall stamp, stain, paint, write, or post any advertisement or notice upon any footway or kerb-stone within the Borough of West Maitland shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding two pounds nor less than five shillings.

Offensive or indecent placards.

13. Any person who shall in any street or place within the Borough of West Maitland, post, expose to view, or distribute any placard, handbill, or other document whatever of an offensive or indecent character, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Various obstructions and annoyances.

14. Every person who in any street or other public place or passage within the said Borough, shall commit any of the following offences, shall on conviction for any and for every such offence forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than two pounds nor less than five shillings,—

Every person who shall hoist, or cause to be hoisted, or lower or cause to be lowered, goods of any description from any opening in any house fronting any street or public place, and close to the footway thereof, without sufficient and proper ropes and tackling.

Every person who shall place any line, cord, or pole across any street, lane, or passage, or hang or place flags, or clothes thereon, to the danger or annoyance of any person, without the consent of the Mayor.

Every person who shall place any flower-pot in any upper window, near to any street or public place, without sufficiently guarding the same from being thrown down.

Every person who shall throw or cast from the roof, or any part of any house or other building, any slate, brick, wood, rubbish, or other material or thing (unless within a hoard or enclosure, when any house or building is being erected, pulled down, or repaired).

Every person who shall carry goods, implements, ladders, scaffolding, or any frame, upon any footway to the annoyance of any person.

Public Health.

Houses to be purified on certificate of two medical practitioners.

15. If upon the certificate of any two duly qualified medical practitioners it appears to the Council that any house, or part thereof, or the premises occupied in connection therewith, within the limits of the Borough, is in such a filthy or unwholesome condition that the health of any person is or may be liable to be affected or endangered thereby, and that the whitewashing, cleansing, purifying or fumigating of any house, or part thereof, or the premises occupied in connection therewith, would tend to prevent or check infectious or contagious disease, the said Council shall give notice, in writing, to the owner or occupier of such house or part thereof, or the premises occupied in connection therewith, to whitewash, cleanse, purify, or fumigate the same as the case may require; and if the person to whom notice is so given shall fail to comply therewith within the time specified in the said notice, he or she shall be liable to a penalty of not less than five shillings nor more than ten pounds: Provided that each day during which such house shall, after such notice as aforesaid, remain uncleansed or unfumigated, shall be a separate offence. Provided also that no such penalties shall collectively amount to any greater sum than fifty pounds.

Sale or letting of infected premises or goods.

16. If any person shall knowingly sell, let, or cause to be sold or let, any dwelling-house or part thereof, or premises occupied in connection therewith, in the said Borough, which then is, or shall have been within thirty days prior to the date of such sale or letting, occupied by any person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease, unless thoroughly disinfected, without giving due notice thereof to the person or persons purchasing, renting, or hiring any such house or premises; the person so selling, letting, or causing to be sold or let, in the said Borough, any article of furniture, bedding, household or personal effects, knowing the same to have been within three months prior to the date of such sale or letting used by any person or persons suffering from any infectious or contagious disease, unless thoroughly disinfected, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding ten pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Exposing infected articles.

17. Any person who shall expose or cause to be exposed in any road, street, public place or unclosed land adjacent to any dwelling, road, street, or public place, any article whatsoever, knowing the same to have been in the use or occupation of any person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease, unless thoroughly disinfected within thirty days prior to the date of such exposure as aforesaid, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding ten pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Rubbish or offensive matter.

18. No kind of rubbish or offensive matter shall be thrown upon any public or private property within the Borough without permission first obtained from the Municipal Council and the

owner or owners of such property. Persons found guilty of a breach of this By-law shall forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding two pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Burning shavings, &c., in streets.

19. Any person burning any shavings, or other matters or things, in the streets, road, or public place, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding two pounds nor less than five shillings. No person shall be permitted to have a fire in any shed, out-house, or yard within the Borough, unless such fire shall be used in a properly constructed fire-place, any person so offending shall, upon conviction before any two Justices of the Peace, forfeit and pay any sum not more than five pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Public Amusements.

Places of amusements to be licensed.

20. No dancing saloon, bowling or skittle alley, shooting gallery, or similar places of amusement (other than entertainments requiring to be licensed by law) shall exist or be established within the Borough, unless and until such place of amusement shall have been licensed by the Council as hereinafter provided, and in the event of any such licensed place of amusement being improperly conducted or becoming a nuisance, or an annoyance to any inhabitant, or violating public decency, or endangering the public peace, or which shall not possess proper and suitable means of ingress and egress for the public safety, the Mayor shall, on representation to that effect being made, forthwith suspend the said license, and the Council at its next meeting shall by resolution cause the said license to be cancelled or otherwise, as may appear necessary or desirable; and any person or persons having already established such places of amusement, who shall not within thirty days after these By-laws come into force, apply for such license, or any person or persons who shall open, establish, or maintain any such place of amusement as aforesaid without having obtained such license, shall forfeit and pay a sum of not more than one pound nor less than ten shillings.

Mode of granting licenses.

21. Application for licenses as aforesaid must be in writing, addressed to the Mayor and Aldermen, and must be endorsed by two householders, testifying to the respectability of the applicant. The application must describe clearly the nature of the entertainment for which the license is sought, and the premises in which it is to be held.

Trees in Streets.

22. The Council shall have power to plant trees in the streets and public ways of this Borough, and any person wilfully injuring or destroying any of such trees, or any railing or fence protecting the same, shall on conviction forfeit any pay a penalty of not more than ten pounds nor less than two pounds, in addition to the value of the tree, railing, or fence so injured or destroyed.

Lights to be placed on vehicles.

23. Every person driving or leading any horse, or horse, or any other animals attached to any vehicle, or allowing any vehicle upon springs to stand in any street within the Borough, between sunset and sunrise, shall have two lights, one on each side of the outside of such vehicle, in a conspicuous place, and drays shall have one light upon off shaft; and every person riding on a bicycle or tricycle as aforesaid shall carry a conspicuous light attached thereto. Any one offending against this By-law shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding two pounds nor less than five shillings.

Offensive matter be buried.

24. No person within the Borough of West Maitland, who shall be the occupier of any farm or garden, shall allow, or cause or permit any vegetable matter to remain standing in the ground of any farm or garden after the same shall have commenced to decay and become offensive; but shall cut down and bury the same, together with all leaves thereof which may be upon the surface of such farm or garden ground. Nor shall any person allow, cause, or permit to remain upon the surface of any farm land or garden within the Borough, any vegetable matter that shall have commenced to decay and become offensive by smell or otherwise, but shall forthwith bury all such matter or thing as aforesaid at least one foot under the surface of the ground. And any person offending against this By-law shall, upon conviction before any two Justices, forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding five pounds nor less than ten shillings. And the Inspector of Nuisances shall have full authority, at all reasonable times, to inspect all farms and gardens, out-houses, and sheds thereon, within the Borough of West Maitland, for the purposes aforesaid.

Made and passed by the Borough Council of West Maitland, this twenty-seventh day of July, A.D. 1888.

(I.S.) J. GILLIS,
THOMAS HUGHES, Council Clerk. Mayor.

BY-LAW for Licensing the Drivers and Conductors of Omnibuses, Waggonettes, Cars, and Hackney-carriages, and the Drivers of Hansom Cabs and Buggies plying for hire within the Borough of West Maitland.

The Council of the Borough of West Maitland do, by virtue of the power and authority vested in such Council by the Municipalities Act of 1867, hereby make the following By-law for the granting of quarterly instead of yearly licenses to the drivers and conductors of omnibuses, waggonettes, cars, and hackney-carriages, and the drivers of hansom cabs and buggies plying for hire within the said Borough of West Maitland, and declare that the same shall stand in the place of all By-laws heretofore in force relating to such annual licenses, which By-laws so heretofore made are hereby repealed.

1. The license of every driver or conductor of every omnibus, waggonette, car, and hackney-carriage, plying for hire within the said Borough of West Maitland, and the license of the driver of every hansom cab and buggy, so plying for hire within the said Borough shall be renewed quarterly at a charge of two shillings and sixpence for each such license. Such license shall not be transferable, and shall terminate at the end of the quarter for which it was issued, namely, upon the last day of March, June, September, or December, as the case may be.

Made and passed by the Borough Council of West Maitland, this thirtieth day of December, A.D. 1887.

(L.S.) R. J. PIERCE, Mayor.
THOMAS HUGHES, Council Clerk.

BY-LAWS for Regulating and Licensing Hansom Cabs and Buggies plying for hire within the Borough of West Maitland.

The Council of the Borough of West Maitland do, by virtue of the power and authority vested in such Council by the Municipalities Act of 1867, hereby make the following By-law for the position of a public stand for hansom cabs and buggies plying for hire within the said Borough of West Maitland, and declare that the same shall stand in the place and instead of the stand described as No. 7 in the Schedule of Public Stands, of such By-laws heretofore in force, which said stand is hereby repealed.

No. 7 Stand. On the south side of High-street, extending from the High-street Railway gates to the small street between the Railway premises and Mr. T. Feran's shop and residence.

Made and passed by the Borough Council of West Maitland, this twenty-fourth day of August, A.D. 1888.

(L.S.) J. GILLIS, Mayor.
THOMAS HUGHES, Council Clerk.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

MUNICIPALITIES.

(BOROUGH OF WOLLONGONG.—ADDITIONAL BY-LAWS)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 158.Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 6th September, 1888.**WOLLONGONG MUNICIPALITY.—ADDITIONAL BY-LAWS.**

THE following additional By-laws, made by the Council of the Borough of Wollongong, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

BOROUGH OF WOLLONGONG.

ADDITIONAL BY-LAWS made by the Council of the Borough of Wollongong under the "Municipalities Act of 1867":—

No musical procession shall parade any of the streets of the Borough, except with the written permission of the Mayor. Any person or persons offending herein shall be liable to a fine of not less than twenty shillings, nor more than five pounds.

The Mayor shall have the right, at any meeting of Council, of directing attention to any matter or subject within its jurisdiction or official cognizance, by a minute in writing. Every such minute shall be written upon paper of the same kind and with the same margin as a report from a committee, and shall be signed by such Mayor.

Passed by the Borough Council of Wollongong, this first day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

(l.s.) W. J. POULTER,
Mayor.

The Seal of the Borough Council of Wollongong was affixed this first day of June, A.D. 1888,—

HENRY STUMBLES, Town Clerk.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

NUISANCES PREVENTION ACT, 1875.

(MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF ADAMSTOWN—BY-LAWS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 39 Vic. No. 14, sec. 18.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 31st August, 1888.

ADAMSTOWN MUNICIPALITY—BY LAWS.

THE following By-Laws, made by the Council of the Municipal District of Adamstown, for carrying into effect the provisions of the "Nuisances Prevention Act, 1875," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

UNDER "NUISANCES PREVENTION ACT, 1875." (a)

BY-LAWS of the Municipal District of Adamstown, made under, and for carrying into effect the provisions of the "Nuisances Prevention Act."

1. Every person who shall be about to erect a closet shall, before he shall commence to erect such closet, deliver to the Council Clerk of the Municipal District of Adamstown a notice in writing of the intention of such person to erect such closet, and of the place and position in which it is intended that such closet shall be erected; and if any person shall commence to erect any closet within the said Municipality without having given such notice in writing as aforesaid, and before the expiration of seven days after the delivery of such notice (except by the written authority of the Inspector of Nuisances for the said Municipality) or other officer for the time being appointed by the Council of the said Municipality in that behalf, he shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than five pounds nor less than one pound.

2. No person shall erect or commence to erect any closet, except in such place or position as shall be approved by the Inspector of Nuisances or other officer as aforesaid; and any person who shall erect, or commence to erect, any closet without having obtained the approval of the said Inspector or other officer, or in any place or position other than the place or position approved of by the said Inspector or other officer as aforesaid, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not less than ten shillings nor more than forty shillings. But any person who shall feel aggrieved by the decision of such Inspector or other officer may appeal against the same to the Council.

3. In schools, factories, or other places of business where a number of persons exceeding twelve shall ordinarily reside, or be occupied or employed, one closet shall be provided for every twenty persons, with a cesspit of a capacity of not less than 80 cubic feet, and separate closets shall be provided for each sex; and every owner, occupier, or tenant of such school, factory, or other place of business, and every other person who shall offend against this By-law, or fail to provide the number of closets and of the capacity in this By-law mentioned, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than five pounds nor less than one pound.

4. If any alterations shall be requisite, in the opinion of the Inspector of Nuisances or other officer appointed by the Council in their behalf, for preserving public health or decency in case of any existing cesspit or closet, and the Council shall adjudge such cesspit or closet to be injurious to the health or opposed to decency by exposure or otherwise, and the owner or occupier shall not make the necessary alterations after receiving fourteen days' notice from the Council Clerk, it shall be lawful for the Inspector of Nuisances or other officer appointed by the Council to remove the said nuisance, and any expense incurred thereby may be sued for and recovered in a summary way before any two or more Justices of the Peace.

5. The Inspector of Nuisances or other officer appointed by the Council may visit and inspect any premises, or do any work authorized by the "Nuisances Prevention Act, 1875" therein, on all days except Sundays and holidays, and any person who shall hinder or obstruct any Inspector of Nuisances or other officer as aforesaid upon any such visitation or inspection, or in

the doing or performing of any work, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than two pounds nor less than ten shillings.

6. The Inspector of Nuisances shall furnish the Council with a monthly report showing the number of earth-pans emptied, the amount due and payable for each earth-pan, and the amount of arrears due for emptying earth-pans; he shall collect the amounts so due and payable, and account therefore to the Council at least once in every month, or as may be determined upon by such Council.

Situation of closet to be approved.

7. No closet shall be erected or cesspit formed, except in such position and dimensions as shall be approved of by the Council or by the Inspector of Nuisances or other officer appointed by the Council.

Night-soil—how disposed of.

8. Until and unless otherwise provided by the Council, all night-soil shall be disposed of by burying in and mixing with the earth.

Earth-closets—notice to be given of intention to erect.

9. Any person desirous of erecting an earth-closet shall be at liberty to do so after giving notice of his intention to do so to the Inspector of Nuisances or other officer appointed by the Council; but all night-soil shall be removed therefrom once in fourteen days or oftener, if required by the duly appointed officer of the Council.

Night-soil from earth-closets—how disposed of.

10. Every person shall be at liberty to use on his own premises all night-soil collected therefrom, but if any nuisance shall arise therefrom he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5.

Council may recover costs for emptying.

11. The Council may recover, and the owner or occupier of the premises shall pay, such sums for the emptying of earth-pans as may be decided upon from time to time by resolution of the Council.

Penalties.

12. The owner or occupier of any premises within the Municipality, or any other person who shall have or erect upon his premises any closet otherwise than in accordance with these By-laws, or who shall refuse or neglect to comply with the provisions of any of the preceding By-laws, or who shall commit any breach thereof, shall (in cases where no special penalty is provided) forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding £5.

Interpretations.

13. All words occurring in these By-laws, and which also occur in the "Nuisances Prevention Act, 1875," shall have the like meanings assigned to them as are provided in the fourth section of the same Act.

Made and passed by the Municipal Council of Adamstown,
this fifth day of July, 1888.

(L.S.) THOMAS HETHERINGTON,
WILLIAM LEE, Mayor.
Council Clerk.
Adamstown, 5th July, 1888.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

NUISANCES PREVENTION ACT, 1875.

(BOROUGH OF NARRANDERA—BY-LAWS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 39 Vic. No. 14, sec. 18.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 31st August, 1888.

NARRANDERA MUNICIPALITY.—BY-LAWS.

THE following By-laws, made by the Council of the Borough of Narrandera, under the "Nuisances Prevention Act, 1875," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

BY-LAWS made and passed by the Borough Council of Narrandera at a meeting held on Monday, the 23rd January, 1888, for carrying into effect the provisions of the "Nuisances Prevention Act 1875."

1. From and after the confirmation of the following By-laws in the New South Wales Government Gazette, no cesspits will be allowed to be sunk within the Borough; and all closets to be erected will require to be earth-closets, provided with a galvanized iron pail capable of containing 6 gallons, and having handles attached. Any person guilty of a breach of this By-law shall be liable to a penalty of not less than £2 nor more than £10.

2. From and after the confirmation of these By-laws in the New South Wales Government Gazette, the Council shall have power to compel the occupiers or owners of premises to abolish existing cesspit closets and to substitute earth-closets in lieu thereof, and if any person neglects so to do, within one month after having received notice from the Council Clerk so to do, he shall be liable to a penalty of not less than £2 nor more than £10.

3. The Council shall appoint a person to perform the duties of nightman, who shall, on certain nights to be fixed by the Council, empty the contents of all earth-closets within the Borough, and bury the night-soil so removed. The Council shall also determine a fee to be paid monthly by the occupiers of the premises to the Council, who may sue for and recover such fees as may be due to them by the occupier of the premises in consideration of the work done by them and in accordance with the fee determined upon by resolution of the Council.

4. Any person obstructing the nightman from removing the night-soil from his or her premises on the days and at the time fixed by the Council, or any person neglecting to have his or her closet emptied when necessary, shall be liable to a penalty of not less than £1 nor more than £10.

5. Every person about to erect a closet shall, before commencing, deliver to the Council Clerk of the Borough of Narrandera, a notice in writing of his intention to erect such closet, and of the place or position in which it is intended that such closet shall be erected; and if any person shall commence to erect any closet within the said Borough without having given such notice in writing as aforesaid, and before the expiration of seven days after the delivery of such notice (except

by the written authority of the Inspector of Nuisances for the said Borough or other officer for the time being appointed by the Council of the said Borough in that behalf), he shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not less than £1 nor more than £5.

6. No person shall erect or commence to erect any closet, except in such place or position as shall be approved of by the said Inspector of Nuisances or other officer as aforesaid; and any person who shall erect or commence to erect any closet without having obtained the approval of the said Inspector of Nuisances or other officer, or in any place or position other than the place or position approved of by the said Inspector of Nuisances or other officer, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not less than £1 nor more than £5. But any person who shall feel aggrieved by the decision of such Inspector or other officer may, at any time within fourteen days after such Inspector or other officer shall have made his decision, appeal in writing against the same to the Council.

7. A separate closet shall be provided for each tenement, and any person offending against the provisions of this By-law shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not less than £1 nor more than £5.

8. In dwelling-houses where the number of persons who shall ordinarily sleep there exceeds twelve, a separate closet shall be provided for every twelve persons or fraction of twelve, and any person guilty of a breach of this By-law shall be liable to a penalty of not less than £1 nor more than £5.

9. In schools, factories, or other places of business, where a number of persons exceeding twelve shall ordinarily reside, or be occupied or employed, one closet shall be provided for every twenty persons, and separate closets shall be provided for each sex; and every owner, occupier, or tenant of any such school, factory, or other place of business, and every other person who shall offend against this By-law, or fail to provide the number of closets, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not less than £1 nor more than £5.

10. Every closet shall be built in such a position that the same may be emptied without the contents being carried through any dwelling-house; and any person having or building a closet contrary to this By-law, shall be liable to a penalty of not less than £2 nor more than £10.

11. If any alteration shall be requisite, in the opinion of the Inspector of Nuisances or other officer appointed by the Council in that behalf, for preserving public health or decency in case of any existing closet, and the Council shall adjudge

such closet to be injurious to the health or opposed to decency, by exposure or otherwise; and the owner or occupier shall not make the necessary alterations after receiving fourteen days' notice so to do from the Council Clerk, it shall be lawful for the Inspector of Nuisances or other officer appointed by the Council to make the necessary alterations; and the cost of such alterations shall be paid by the owner or occupier of the premises whereon the same shall be.

12. Until and unless otherwise provided for by the Council, all night-soil shall be disposed of by burying it in the earth in such locality as may from time to time be determined by the Council.

13. All earth-closets shall be emptied once in fourteen days, if required to be emptied oftener, and the contents buried in the earth; and every person infringing the By-law shall be liable to a penalty of not less than £1 nor more than £5.

14. No person shall be at liberty, without the permission of the Council or the Inspector of Nuisances, or other officer appointed by the Council in that behalf, to use on his premises any night-soil; and any person committing a breach of this By-law shall be liable to a penalty of not less than £2 nor more than £10.

15. The Inspector of Nuisances or other officer appointed by the Council may visit and inspect any premises, or do any work authorized by the "Nuisances Prevention Act of 1875,"

therein on all days except Sundays and holidays, and any person who shall hinder or obstruct any Inspector of Nuisances, or other officer as aforesaid upon any such visitation or inspection, or in the doing or performing of any work, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not less than 10s. nor more than £2.

16. The Inspector of Nuisances shall furnish the Council with a monthly return showing the number of closets emptied.

17. Any person requiring their closets emptied at any special time, shall send written notice to the Council or Inspector of Nuisances, and persons emptying or causing to be emptied any closet without the sanction of the Council shall be liable to a penalty of not less than £1 nor more than £5.

18. Every earth-closet, whether already built or hereafter to be built, shall be provided with a box or earth-compartment, to be without lid and provided with a pint scoop for each occupant to throw in a pint of any earth or ashes through the seat into the galvanized iron pail.

19. The Inspector of Nuisances shall not take any legal proceedings under these By-laws without informing the Mayor of his intention so to do.

(L.S.)
Narrandera Borough Council,
23rd January, 1888.

JNO. ARMSTRONG,
Mayor.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

NUISANCES PREVENTION ACT, 1875.

(BOROUGH OF PETERSHAM—BY-LAWS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 39 Vic. No. 14, sec. 13.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 9th August, 1888.

BOROUGH OF PETERSHAM.—BY-LAWS.

THE following By-laws, made by the Council of the Borough of Petersham, under the provisions of the "Nuisances Prevention Act, 1875," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the requirements of the above cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

BY-LAWS OF THE BOROUGH OF PETERSHAM, MADE UNDER AND FOR CARRYING INTO EFFECT THE PROVISIONS OF THE "NUISANCES PREVENTION ACT."

1. Every person who shall be about to erect a closet, or form, excavate, or make a cesspit, shall, before he shall commence to erect such closet or to form, or excavate, or make any such cesspit, deliver to the Council Clerk a notice in writing of the intention of such person to erect such closet, or form, excavate, or make such cesspit, and of the place or position in which it is intended that such closet shall be erected, or such cesspit formed, excavated, or made; and if any person shall commence to erect any closet, or to form, excavate, or make any cesspit within the said borough without having given such notice in writing as aforesaid, and before the expiration of seven days after the delivery of such notice (except by the written authority of the Inspector of Nuisances for the said Borough or other officer for the time being appointed by the Council of the said Borough in that behalf), he shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than five pounds nor less than one pound.

2. No person shall erect or commence to erect any closet, or to form, excavate, or make any cesspit, except in such place or position as shall be approved by the Inspector of Nuisances or other officer aforesaid; and any person who shall erect, or commence to erect, any closet, or to form, excavate, or make any such cesspit without having obtained the approval of the said Inspector, or other officer, or in any place or position other than the place or position approved of by the said Inspector or other officer as aforesaid, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not less than ten shillings nor more than forty shillings. But any person who shall feel aggrieved by the decision of such Inspector or other officer may appeal against the same to the Council.

3. Every cesspit to be constructed within the Borough shall be built of 9-inch brickwork, set in cement; that it be puddled with not less than 6 in. of clay outside all round—floor as well as walls to be set in cement. The top of such cesspit shall be at least 6 inches higher than the highest part of the surface of the ground immediately adjoining such cesspit, and no cesspit shall be formed, excavated, or made under any dwelling-house, nor at a less distance than 20 feet therefrom, area permitting. If any person shall so form, excavate, or make any cesspit which shall not be in accordance with the provision of this By-law, or shall form, excavate, or make any cesspit under any dwelling-house or

at a less distance than 20 feet, area permitting, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than five pounds nor less than two pounds.

4. For houses containing not more than four rooms and out-offices the cesspit shall not be less than 3 feet by 4 feet and 5 feet deep, inside measurement; for houses containing more than four rooms and out-offices, the cesspit shall not be less than 3 feet 6 inches by 4 feet, and 5 feet deep, inside measurement.

5. Every closet shall be built with walls 7 feet high, and shall not be less than 3 feet 6 inches wide and 4 feet 6 inches long; and shall be provided with a door capable of being fastened inside, and with a manhole in the floor not less than 2 feet square, clear internal measurement, to be covered with a trap door; and every person who shall build or erect any closet which shall not be in accordance with this By-law shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than two pounds nor less than ten shillings.

6. Where two or more closets adjoin each other there shall be a sufficient dividing wall not less than 9 inches in thickness between every two closets, and such wall shall extend from the bottom of the cesspit up to the roof of the closet, so as to effect a complete separation; and if any person shall erect any two or more closets adjoining each other, and not in accordance with this By-law, he shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than two pounds nor less than ten shillings.

7. A separate closet shall be provided for each tenement, and any person offending against the provisions of this By-law shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than five pounds nor less than two pounds.

8. In schools, factories, or other places of business where a number of persons exceeding twelve shall ordinarily reside or be occupied or employed one closet shall be provided for every twenty persons with a cesspit of a capacity of not less than 80 cubic feet, and separate closets shall be provided for each sex; and every owner, occupier, or tenant of such school, factory, or other place of business, and every other person who shall offend against this By-law, or fail to provide the number of closets and of the capacity in this By-law mentioned, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than five pounds nor less than one pound.

9. If any alterations shall be requisite in the opinion of the Inspector of Nuisances, or other officer appointed by the Council in their behalf, for preserving public health or decency, in case of any cesspit or closet, and the Council shall adjudge such cesspit or closet to be injurious to the health or opposed to decency by exposure or otherwise, and the owner or occupier

shall not make the necessary alterations after receiving fourteen days' notice from the Council Clerk, it shall be lawful for the Inspector of Nuisances or other officer appointed by the Council to remove the said nuisance, and any expense incurred thereby may be sued for and recovered in a summary way.

10. Owners of existing closets and soilpans may be required to alter or improve them in such manner as may be necessary in order to bring them into conformity with these regulations, on notice being given by the Inspector of Nuisances to that effect; persons failing to make such alterations or improvements within one month after the receipt of such notice shall be liable to a penalty of not less than one pound nor exceeding the sum of three pounds for each and every week or portion of a week during which they shall fail to comply with the terms of the said notice.

11. The night-soil shall be removed by contract in properly constructed water-tight covered vehicles, between the hours of 10 p.m. and 5 a.m., from the 1st day of October to the last day of March, and between the hours of 10 p.m. and 6 a.m., from the 1st day of April to the last day of September.

12. Persons desirous of using earth-closets may be permitted to do so on making written application to the Council, and intimating the arrangements to be made for their construction and management, and providing a pan of an approved shape, not exceeding 16 inches high by 16 inches across the top and 14 inches across the bottom, and with handles to each side. No person shall be at liberty to use on his own premises night-soil collected thereupon; but permission for its use may be granted on application in writing to the Council, should the owner or occupier of the premises have sufficient area of land for its proper and sufficient disposal. Such permission may be granted on the approval of the Inspector of Nuisances. Any person or persons committing a breach of this By-law shall forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding five pounds nor less than two pounds.

13. The Inspector of Nuisances or other officer appointed by the Council may visit and inspect any premises, or do any work authorised by the Nuisances Prevention Act, 1875, therein, on all days except Sundays and holidays; and any person who shall hinder or obstruct any Inspector of Nuisance or other officer as aforesaid upon any such visitation or inspection, or in the doing or performing of any work, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than two pounds nor less than ten shillings.

14. All expenses incurred by the Council in emptying any cesspit shall be repaid to the Council by the owner or occupant of the premises whereon such cesspit is situated within one week after a written demand of the amount made by the Council or Inspector of Nuisances shall have been served upon him, otherwise the same may be recovered in a summary way.

15. The Inspector of Nuisances shall furnish the Council with a monthly return showing the number of cesspits emptied.

16. The Council shall from time to time fix the charges to be made for emptying cesspits and earth-closets, which shall be emptied as often as may be deemed necessary in the opinion of the Inspector of Nuisances. All such charges shall be paid to the Council Clerk or the officer whom the Council may from time to time appoint by the owner or occupant of the premises whereon such closet is situated. All charges for emptying such cesspits and earth-closets shall be paid in advance, and in default thereof the charges, together with any additional charges occasioned by such nonpayment, may be recovered in a summary way.

Passed by the Council of the Borough on the 8th day of
May, 1888.

(I.S.) J. WHEELER,
Mayor.

AUBREY MOWLE,
Council Clerk.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

**MUNICIPALITIES ACT OF 1867, AND NUISANCES
PREVENTION ACT, 1875.**
(BOROUGH OF HUNTER'S HILL.—BY-LAWS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Acts 31 Vic. No. 12, sec. 158, and 39 Vic. No. 14, sec. 18.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 27th September, 1888.

HUNTER'S HILL MUNICIPALITY.—BY-LAWS.

The following By-laws made by the Council of the Borough of Hunter's Hill, under the "Municipalities Act of 1867" and the "Nuisances Prevention Act, 1875" respectively, having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the requirements of the above cited Acts.

HENRY PARKES.

BOROUGH OF HUNTER'S HILL.

BY-LAWS to regulate the proceedings of the Municipal Council of Hunter's Hill, for the general good rule and Government of the Municipality, and for the collection of rates, the prevention and abatement of nuisances and other matters.

That the By-laws made and passed by the Municipal Council under the Municipalities Act of 1867, section 72, so far as the same may now be in force, shall be and the same are hereby repealed and in lieu thereof the following shall be the By-laws of the Municipality of Hunter's Hill:—

Meetings of Municipal Council and duties of Mayor and Aldermen.

1. The Council shall meet at the Council Chambers, or other place that may hereafter be appointed within the Borough, at 8 o'clock p.m. on every alternate Friday, for the transaction of business, unless otherwise adjourned,—subject, however, to the provisions of the "Municipalities Act of 1867."
2. There shall be two half-yearly meetings of the Council in the months of March and September in each Municipal year, for the purpose of making up the accounts of the Municipality for the half-year respectively expiring in the preceding months of February and August in such year.
3. If at any meeting duly held, the Mayor be not present at the expiration of fifteen minutes after the time appointed for holding the meeting, the Aldermen present shall choose for that meeting a Chairman from among themselves.
4. The Mayor or presiding Alderman shall preserve order, and his decision on disputed points of order shall be final.
5. The Mayor or presiding Alderman may take part in all the proceedings of the Council.
6. When the Mayor or presiding Alderman is called upon to decide upon a point of order or practice, he is to state the rules applicable to the case, without argument or comment.
7. The Mayor or presiding Alderman shall put all questions, and declare the sense of the Council thereon.
8. If two or more members rise to speak at the same time, the Mayor or presiding Alderman shall decide which member is entitled to pre-audience.

9. The Mayor or presiding Alderman may, without waiting for the interposition of any member of the Council, call to order any member proceeding to speak a second time on the same subject, except in the way of explanation only, or of reply by the mover of any motion then under consideration.

10. The Mayor or presiding Alderman shall, on every motion made, put the question first in the affirmative and then in the negative, and he may do so as often as may be necessary to enable him to form and declare his opinion, from the show of hands, as to which party has the majority.

Order of business.

11. The business of the Council shall be taken in the following order:—

- Reading and signing Minutes of last meeting.
- Reading of copies of letters sent by authority of Council.
- Reading of letters received, and considering and ordering thereon.
- Reception and reading of petitions and memorials.
- Reception and reading of Reports from Permanent and Select Committees, and ordering thereon.
- Payment of accounts and special payments.
- Orders of the day, and adjourned motions.
- Motions according to notice.

12. The order of the day shall include all business of which due notice has been given, and all matters arising out of former meetings of the Council.

13. Any motion entered on Notice paper, and the Alderman having given notice of the same being absent, and no other Alderman being willing to bring forward such motion when the business is called on, shall be struck out.

14. Any number of amendments may be proposed on a motion before the Council; and when more than one amendment is moved, the question shall first be put on the last amendment, and then on the next, and so on, in the reverse order in which they were moved, except when such motion or amendment shall relate to the acceptance of tenders, the fixing of salaries, or other matters of finance, in which case the lowest sum shall be put first, then the next lowest, and so on to the highest.

15. It shall not be necessary for any motion to be seconded.

16. Motions for adjournment shall be put without discussion, and if negated it shall not be competent for any Alderman to make a similar motion until half-an-hour shall have elapsed.

17. Motions to rescind or vary a former vote of the Council, shall not be moved without notice at a regular meeting, and a call of the Council on a particular day, shall be made for the purpose if such motion be carried.

Notices of motion.

18. The Council Clerk shall enter in a book, to be kept for that purpose, to be called the "Notice Book," all notices of motion in the order in which they are received.

19. Every motion after being read shall be considered the property of the Council, and shall not be withdrawn without leave of the Aldermen present.

Committees and their Reports.

20. No Committee shall consist of less than three members of the Council, which number shall form a quorum.

21. No report of any Committee shall be adopted, unless due notice of motion for that purpose be given after its reception.

22. The rules of the Council shall be observed in a Committee of the Whole Council, except the rule limiting the numbers of times of speaking.

Order of debate.

23. Any Alderman proposing a motion or amendment or discussing any matter shall not be interrupted unless by a call to order, when he shall sit down; the Alderman calling to order shall then be heard, and the question of order decided before the subject is resumed or any other business proceeded with.

24. Any Alderman proposing a motion or any amendment must state the nature of it before addressing the Council.

25. Except in Committee, no Alderman shall speak twice on the same question, unless in explanation when he has been misrepresented or misunderstood: Provided, however, that the mover shall be allowed to reply, and that every Alderman shall have the liberty of speaking once on every amendment as well as on the original motion.

26. No Alderman shall digress from the subject under discussion, nor shall he speak upon any motion or amendment for a longer period than ten minutes, without the consent of the Council.

27. A debate may be adjourned to a later hour of the same evening or to another day to be specified.

28. The Alderman upon whose motion any debate shall be adjourned by the Council, shall be entitled to pre-audience on the resumption of the debate.

29. It shall be competent for any Alderman to divide the Council on any question, both in full Council and Committee, and the Mayor or presiding Alderman shall take the division in the usual way by show of hands, and the names given by the Mayor or presiding Alderman to the Council Clerk shall be taken down by him and recorded.

30. All divisions of the Council shall be entered in the Minute Book.

31. Any Alderman using offensive or abusive language towards any other Alderman, or persisting in speaking when requested by the Mayor or presiding Alderman to desist, or refusing to sit down when called to order by the Mayor or presiding Alderman, shall forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum of money not being less than five shillings nor exceeding five pounds.

Miscellaneous Regulations.

32. In cases where security is required by the Municipalities Act, surties offered shall be approved by the Council; and it shall not be competent for the Council to accept as surety any Alderman or any person holding office under the Council.

33. No work affecting the funds of the Borough shall be undertaken until the probable expense be first ascertained by the Council; and all accounts to be paid by the Council shall be examined by the Finance Committee and reported on by them before any warrant shall be issued for the payment thereof.

34. In cases of emergency arising between meetings of the Council, it shall be lawful for necessary works to be ordered without vote of the Council, viz.:—By the Mayor to the amount of five pounds, and with the consent of three Aldermen of different Wards any sum not exceeding twenty pounds.

35. The Treasurer's accounts shall be laid before the Council at the first meeting of each quarter, or oftener if required by the Council.

36. No officer appointed by the Council shall be at liberty to show, lay open, or expose any of the books, papers, or records of the Council, to any person not an Alderman without leave of the Council, except as otherwise provided by law.

37. Any person defacing or altering any such book, paper, or record shall for every such offence forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than fifty pounds.

38. Any person removing any such book, paper, or record from the Council Chamber, without leave from the Council first had and obtained, shall for every such offence forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than twenty pounds.

39. The common seal, and all charters, deeds, muniments, and records of the Council, shall be kept in the Council Chambers or Office of the Council, in custody of the Council Clerk, unless for any purpose the Council shall otherwise order.

40. Any one or more of the Standing Orders may be suspended *pro tempore* in a case of emergency, if a majority of the Council then present shall deem such suspension necessary.

Collection of rates—Time of collection.

41. The rates shall be levied and collected half-yearly.

42. The taxes thus levied shall be held due and payable on such days as the Council may by resolution from time to time appoint. Notice of the amount of taxes imposed shall be served on the person or premises taxed in the usual mode. Every person not paying his or her taxes at the Office of the Council, or to the Council Clerk, or other proper officer, within thirty days after such notice as aforesaid, shall be deemed a defaulter.

Defaulters.

43. It shall be the duty of the Council Clerk to furnish the Mayor and the Chairman of the Finance Committee, respectively, from time to time, with lists of all persons who are in default within the meaning of these By-laws or of section 176 of the "Municipalities Act of 1867."

44. It shall be the duty of the Mayor by order of the Council to issue distress warrants against all defaulters within one month after such default shall in manner aforesaid have been reported to him, and to cause such warrants to be enforced. With the consent of the Committee or a majority thereof, a further time of not exceeding three months, may, in cases deemed special, be allowed for payment. No further extension of time shall, however, in any case, or upon any pretence, be granted without the sanction of a majority of the Council.

The Bailiff and his duties.

45. The bailiff of the Borough shall be appointed by resolution of the Council, and may at any time be removed from office by a similar resolution moved upon notice in the ordinary way.

46. It shall be the duty of the bailiff to make all levies by distress for the recovery of rates in manner hereinafter provided. He shall give security to the satisfaction of the Mayor to the extent of fifty pounds for the faithful performance of his duty.

47. All levies and distresses shall be made under warrant in the form or to the effect of the schedule hereto annexed and marked with the letter A, under the hand of the Mayor or of any person who may for the time being be duly authorized to perform the duties of that officer.

48. At the time of making a distress, the bailiff shall hand a copy of the warrant to the occupant of the land or premises, or the owner of the goods distrained, or to some person resident at the place where such distress is made; and in case there shall be no person at such place, he shall give a copy to the ratepayer on demand at any time within one month after the making of such distress.

49. On making a distress, the bailiff shall forthwith make out a written inventory in the form or to the effect of the schedule annexed hereto and marked with the letter B, which inventory shall be delivered to the occupant of the land or premises, or the owner of the goods so distrained, or to some person on his or her behalf resident at the place where the distress shall be made; and in case there shall be no person at such place with whom such inventory can be left aforesaid, then such inventory shall be posted on some conspicuous part of the land or premises on which the distress is made, or in any such public place as may be deemed fit, and the bailiff shall give a copy of the inventory to the ratepayer on demand at any time within one month after the making of such distress.

50. When a distress has been made and the rates levied for shall not be paid within five days thereafter, the bailiff may sell the goods distrained upon at public auction, or may cause the same to be thus sold by any duly licensed auctioneer for the best price that can be gotten for the same, towards the satisfaction of the said rates; and the overplus, if any, shall be handed over to the owner of the goods or the occupant of the land or premises where the distraint has been made, and a full and true account in writing shall in every case be given by the bailiff to the said owner or occupant on demand: Provided always, that nothing herein contained as to the time of sale shall apply to any corn, grass, hops, roots, fruits, pulse, or other product whatever, which shall be growing at the time of the same being seized as a distress.

51. The bailiff on making a distress for rates as aforesaid may impound or otherwise secure the distress so made of what nature or kind soever it may be in such places or such part of the land or premises chargeable with the rate as shall be most fit and convenient for this purpose; and it shall be lawful for any person whatsoever after the expiration of the five days

hereinbefore mentioned to come and go to and from such place or part of the said land or premises where any distress shall be impounded and secured as aforesaid, in order to view and buy and in order to carry off and remove the same on account of the purchaser thereof.

52. The owner of any goods so distrained upon may at his or her option direct and specify the order in which they shall be successively sold, and the said goods and chattels shall in such case be put up for sale according to such directions.

53. No distress shall be made upon the goods of any casual visitor in any house, nor on the goods other than furniture of any lodger in any house or apartment ordinarily let or used as a lodging-house or apartment.

54. The bailiff shall hand over to the Council Clerk all proceeds of such distresses, within forth-eight hours after having received the same.

55. The bailiff may, with the sanction of the Mayor or the Chairman of the Finance Committee, authorize any person to act temporarily as his deputy; and the person thus authorized shall have and exercise for the time being all the powers of the bailiff himself, but the bailiff and his sureties shall in every case be held responsible for the acts of such deputy.

Public thoroughfares in charge of the Council.

56. The Surveyor or Acting Surveyor of the Borough, if any such shall be appointed by the Council thereof, or if no such Surveyor be appointed, then the Chairman for the time being of the Improvement Committee shall be the proper officer for marking out when necessary any roads, streets, or lanes, in actual public use as such within the Borough. In marking out such roads, streets, or lanes, recourse shall be had by the Surveyor or Chairman as aforesaid, when practicable, to the plans under which land with frontage to the road, street, or lane in question shall have been sold; he shall also be the proper officer for marking out when deemed necessary by the Council, the carriage and footways in such roads, streets, lanes, or other public places, but it shall be sufficient for him for this purpose to place posts at the corners or intersections of the streets or wherever the same may be necessary or desirable.

57. And with regard to buildings hereafter to be built or rebuilt, it shall not be lawful for any portico, balcony, coping, parapet, overhanging eaves, cornice, windows, string-cornice, string-course, dressing, or other architectural decoration, forming part of any external wall, to project more than eighteen inches beyond the general line of front in any street or road; nor shall any balcony or other external projection as aforesaid, which may hereafter be added to any existing building, be allowed to project more than eighteen inches as aforesaid, unless any such projection shall have been first authorized by the Council.

58. When any footways shall have been marked out in manner hereinbefore directed, the Surveyor or Chairman as aforesaid may cause the same to be levelled and made as nearly as practicable of equal height and breadth, and with an equal slope and inclination, and for this purpose may remove any flagging, steps, or other matter or thing that may injure or obstruct the said footway, or render it unequal or inconvenient, and which now is or may hereafter be erected or placed on the space marked out for any of the said footways.

Obstructing public pathways.

59. If the owner or occupier of any land situate on the side of any street or road in this Municipality, shall permit any tree or shrub, or plant, kept for ornament or otherwise, to overhang any footpath or footway on the side of any such street or road, so as to obstruct the passage thereof, and on demand made by the Council, shall not cut, lop, or cause to be lopped, all such trees, shrubs, or plants, to the height of eight feet at least, the said Council, by their servants, labourers, or workmen, may cut, or cause to be cut or lopped, all such overhanging trees, plants, or shrubs, and to remove or burn any portion of such trees, plants, or shrubs so cut or lopped, without being deemed a trespasser, or trespassers, and in case any person shall resist or forcibly oppose the said Council, or their servants, or workmen, in the due execution of the powers given in this behalf by virtue of the "Municipalities Act of 1867," every person so offending shall, on conviction, for every such offence, forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding ten pounds.

Carts, drays, &c.

60. All carts, drays, and vans, plying for hire within the Borough, shall be registered at the Council Chambers, and receive a license for which each applicant shall pay the sum of two and sixpence.

61. The name, place of abode, number of license, and the word "Licensed cart, dray, or van" (as the case may be) shall be painted in letters one inch long upon the right or off side of such cart, dray, or van.

Slaughter-houses, &c.

62. The Council of the said Borough may appoint houses and places for the slaughtering of cattle and other animals, and grant licenses for such houses or premises, in such place or places as the said Council shall approve. The license-fee for every such house or premises shall be two shillings and sixpence per annum, paid in advance.

63. It shall not be lawful for any person to slaughter or cause to be slaughtered for the purpose of sale, any cattle, sheep, or other animal, in any house or place within the said Borough; other than in such house or premises for slaughtering as may be appointed and licensed as aforesaid; and any person who shall so offend, shall, on conviction, forfeit and pay for every such offence the sum of ten pounds.

64. Any officer of the said Council shall be at liberty at all times during the day to enter such licensed house or premises for the purpose of inspecting the same with reference to its cleanliness, and also all cattle slaughtered or intended to be slaughtered in such house or premises shall; and the owner or occupier of such house or premises who, neglect to keep such house or premises in a clean and wholesome state, or shall refuse to admit the said officer for the purposes aforesaid, shall for every such offence, on conviction thereof, forfeit and pay the sum of two pounds.

65. Any person who shall knowingly slaughter for human food any animal infected with any disease affecting the milk or spleen, or shall offer or expose for sale any such animal or any part thereof, or of any animal which shall, after being slaughtered, be found to be so diseased, shall on conviction thereof, forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not exceeding fifty pounds nor less than ten pounds.

Sewerage, &c.

66. It shall be lawful for the Council of the said Borough at any time and at all times, and they are hereby authorized and empowered, by themselves, their servants, agents, or contractors, to make and construct any sewer or drain as the said Council may think necessary, in, under, or through any part of the said Borough, and to do and perform all excavations and other works connected therewith, and also from time to time to open, cleanse, or repair such sewers or drains, or alter the position thereof to connect or repair other sewers or drains or to cleanse the same: Provided also that the said Council shall repair and make good all damage or loss occasioned by the excavation, &c., required for the making, connecting, altering, cleansing, or repairing as aforesaid.

67. No person shall open or connect with either of the main sewers, drains, or connections, any private sewer or drain without the written consent of the Council, and the work shall then be performed according to the direction and under the control of the said Council, at the expense of the person requiring such connections; and the owner or person who shall require any such work or improvement shall at his own expense make good all roads, streets, kerbing, &c., which shall have been injured by or through any such work, and all such repairs shall be performed to the satisfaction of such officer as the Council shall appoint to superintend such work; and any person who shall do or perform anything contrary to this clause or shall neglect to make good all such damage as aforesaid, shall, on conviction thereof, forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding fifty pounds nor less than one pound.

68. No surface drain shall be made in any footpath nor any pipes laid across the same without the authority of the Council, and no such pipe or drain shall be used for the discharge into any street or roadway of any offensive liquid or matter of any kind whatsoever; and any person who shall so offend shall forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding fifty pounds nor less than one pound.

Slop, night-soil, &c., to be conveyed away only at certain hours, &c.

69. No person or persons shall drive or cause to be driven any cart or other carriage with any night-soil or ammoniacal liquor therein, through or in any of the streets, roads, or public places within the said Borough, between the hours of five o'clock in the morning and eleven o'clock at night, or shall fill any cart or other carriage so as to turn over or cast any night-soil ammoniacal liquor, slop, mire, or channel-dirt, or filth, in, or upon, or near to any of the said streets or other public places, and it shall not be lawful for any person to deposit night-soil, ammoniacal liquor, or other offensive matter nearer to any street, road, or dwelling-house than shall be directed by the said Council; and all night-soil and other offensive matter shall be removed within the hours before described in properly covered and watertight carts or other vehicles, and no vehicle used for this purpose shall be allowed to stand on any premises nearer to any road, street, or dwelling-house than shall be directed by the said Council; and every person offending against any of the provisions of this By-law shall for every such offence forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding five pounds; and in case the person so offending cannot be found, then the owner of such cart or carriage in which such night-soil, ammoniacal liquor, slop, filth, mire, or channel-dirt shall be put or placed, and also the employer of the person so offending, shall be liable to and forfeit and pay such penalty as aforesaid.

Hours for removing night-soil, &c., &c.

70. If any person shall take away night-soil from any house or premises within the streets of the Borough, or shall come with carts or carriages for that purpose, except between the hours of eleven at night and six in the morning, or if any person or persons shall put in or cast out of any cart or tub or otherwise, any night-soil in or near any of the streets or public places, it shall be lawful for any constable (and they are hereby strictly charged so to do) or for any other person whomsoever to apprehend and convey any persons found committing any of the said offences to the nearest watch-house, and from thence to convey them as soon as conveniently may be before some Justices of the Peace to be dealt with according to law; and the owner of any carts, carriages, horses, or beasts employed in and about emptying and removing such night-soil, or coming for that purpose (save and except within the hours hereby allowed), or the employer of any person who shall so put or cast out any such night-soil, shall forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding five pounds for every such offence.

Destroying trees, &c.

71. Any person who shall wilfully destroy or damage any shrub or tree growing on any street, thoroughfare, or other place within this Borough, or shall injure any hedge, fence, gate, or building in such street, thoroughfare, or other public place, or shall set fire to any shrubs or trees, or shall cut or remove any timber from any such street, thoroughfare, or public place as aforesaid, shall on conviction thereof forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not exceeding fifty pounds nor less than one pound.

Trespasses, depredations, and removal of nuisances, damaging public buildings, &c.

72. Any person who shall damage any public building, wall, parapet, sluice, bridge, road, street, sewer, watercourse, or other public property, shall pay the cost of repairing the same, not exceeding fifty pounds; and, if the same be wilfully done, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding twenty pounds in addition to the cost of repairing the same, not exceeding fifty pounds in the whole.

As to obstructing public water-courses.

73. Any persons who shall cast any filth or rubbish into any public watercourse, sewer, or canal, or shall obstruct or divert from its channel any such sewer, canal, or water-course, shall forfeit a sum not exceeding five pounds, and shall pay the cost of removing such filth or obstruction, or of restoring such watercourse or canal to its proper channel, not exceeding fifty pounds in the whole.

Throwing filth on carriage or footways, driving barrows, and carriages on pavement, &c., &c.

74. If any person shall in any street or road, throw, cast, or lay, or shall cause, permit, or suffer to be thrown, cast, or laid, or to remain, any ashes, rubbish, offal, dung, soil, dead animal, blood, or other filth or annoyance, or any matter or thing, in or upon the carriage-way or footway, of any such street or road; or shall kill, slaughter, dress, scald, or cut up, any beast, swine, calf, sheep, lamb, or other cattle, in or so near to any of the said streets or roads as that any blood or filth shall run or flow upon or over, or be, on any such carriage or footway; or shall run, roll, drive, draw, place, or cause, permit, or suffer, to be run, rolled, driven, drawn, or placed, upon any of the footways of any street or road, any waggon, cart, dray, sledge, or other carriage, or any wheelbarrow, or any truck or cask; or shall wilfully lead, drive, or ride any horse, or other beast, upon any of the footways aforesaid,—every person so offending, upon conviction shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding forty shillings nor less than five shillings.

Placing carriages, goods &c., on footways.

75. If any person shall set or place, or cause or permit to be set or placed, any stall-board, chopping-block, show-board, basket-wares, merchandise, casks, or goods of any kind whatsoever; or shall hoop, place, wash or cleanse, or shall cause to be hooped, placed, washed, or cleansed, any pipe, barrel, cask, or vessel, in, or upon, or over any of the carriage or footways in any street or road; or shall set out, lay, or place, or shall cause, permit, or suffer to be set out, laid, or placed, any coach, wain, waggon, dray, barrow, sledge truck or other carriage, upon any of the said carriage ways, except for the necessary time of loading or unloading the same, or taking up or setting down any fare, or waiting for passengers when actually engaged, or harnessing or unharnessing the horses or other animals from any coach, cart, wain, waggon, dray, sledge, truck, or other carriage; or if any person shall set or place, or cause to be set or placed, in, or upon, or over any of the said carriage or footways any timber, stones, bricks, lime, or other materials or things for building whatsoever (unless the same is enclosed as hereinafter directed), or any other matter or things whatsoever; or shall hang out or expose, or shall cause or permit to be hung out or exposed, any meat or offal, or other thing or matter whatsoever, from any house or houses, or other buildings or premises over any part of either or any of such

footways or carriage-ways or over any area or areas of any houses or other buildings or premises, or any other matter or thing, from and on the outside of the front or any other part or any house or houses, or other buildings or premises, over or next unto any such street or road, and shall not immediately remove all or any such matter or things, being thereto required by the said Council or Officer of Council, and shall not continue and keep the same so removed; or if any person having, in pursuance of any such requisition as aforesaid, removed or caused to be removed any such stall-board, show-board, chopping-block, basket-wares, merchandise, cask, goods, coach, cart, wain, waggon, dray, barrow, sledge, truck, carriage, timber, stone, bricks, lime, meat, offal, or other matters or things, shall at any time hereafter again set, lay, or place, expose, or put out, or cause, procure, permit, or suffer to be set, laid, placed, exposed, or put out, the same or any of them, or any other stall-board, show-board, chopping-block, basket-wares, merchandise, goods, timber, stones, bricks, lime, meat, offal, or other things or matters whatsoever (save and except as aforesaid), in, upon, or over any of the carriage or footways of or next unto any streets or roads as aforesaid,—then and in every such case every person so offending shall upon conviction forfeit and pay for the first offence a sum not exceeding forty shillings nor less than five shillings.

As to discharge firearms, &c.

76. Any person who shall discharge any firearms without lawful cause, or let off any fireworks, in or near to any road, street, or public thoroughfare, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding five pounds.

Drawing or trailing timber, &c., &c.

77. If any person shall haul or draw, or cause to be hauled or drawn, upon any parts of the streets, roads, or public places, any timber, stone, or other thing otherwise than upon wheeled carriages, or shall suffer any timber, stone, or other thing which shall be carried principally or in part upon wheeled carriages, to drag or trail upon any part of such street or public place to the injury thereof, or to hang over any part of any such carriage so as to occupy or obstruct the street or road beyond the breadth of the said carriage, every such person so offending shall forfeit and pay for every such offence a sum not exceeding forty shillings over and above the damages occasioned thereby.

No turf, gravel, &c., to be removed from streets without permission, &c.

78. Any person who shall form, dig, or open any drain or sewer, or who from any part of the roads, streets, or thoroughfares shall remove or cause to be removed any turf, clay, sand, soil, gravel, stone, or other material without leave first had and obtained from the officers or persons having lawful charge of such roads, streets, or thoroughfares respectively, or who shall wantonly break up or otherwise damage any part of the said roads, streets, or thoroughfares, shall, on conviction, forfeit and pay for every such offence any sum not exceeding five pounds.

As to riding or driving improperly through the streets, &c.

79. Any person who shall ride or drive through any road, street, or public place, negligently, carelessly, or furiously, or so as to endanger the life or limb of any person, or to the common danger of the passengers, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding ten pounds. And any person driving any vehicle after dark without lights shall be liable to a like penalty.

Affixing placards on walls, and chalking thereon.

80. It shall not be lawful for any person to paste or otherwise affix any placard or other paper upon any wall, fence, house, or building, nor to deface any such wall, fence, house, or building, by chalk or paint, or in any other manner, unless with the consent of the owner thereof; and any person who shall be guilty of any such offence shall forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding ten shillings.

Injuring public fountains, &c.

81. Any person who shall injure any public fountain, pump, cock, water-pipe, or any other thing connected with the preservation or supply of water to the said Borough, or to any portion thereof, shall forfeit and pay the amount of such damage and any further sum not exceeding twenty pounds nor less than one pound; and any person who shall bathe or wash himself, or shall wash any clothes or other article, at or in any reservoir, channel, fountain, or basin provided for public use, or who shall in any other way foul the water preserved or used for the purposes aforesaid, shall forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding one pound nor less than five shillings.

Indecent exposure.

82. It shall not be lawful for any person to bathe in any waters exposed to public view within the said Borough, between the hours of 6 a.m. and 8 p.m.; and any person who shall indecently expose himself by bathing or preparing to bathe as aforesaid, within the prohibited time herein mentioned, shall forfeit and pay any sum not exceeding two pounds and not less than five shillings.

Cattle, &c., not allowed to go about the streets, &c.

83. It shall not be lawful for any person whomsoever to suffer any kind of cattle, horse, ass, mule, sheep, swine, or goats, belonging to him, or under his or her charge, to depasture, stray, or go about, or to be tethered or depastured in any street, road, or public place within the said Borough; and any person who shall so offend shall forfeit and pay, in respect of every such offence, any sum not exceeding five pounds nor less than five shillings.

Slings, &c.

84. Any person who shall throw stones, or other missiles, or use any sling, catapult, or weapon for the discharge of stones or other missiles in or near any road, street, or public place, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding two pounds and not less than five shillings.

Defacing placards, &c.

85. Any person who shall destroy, deface, tear, or otherwise injure any notice, proclamation, or other document, purporting to be under the authority of the Council or of any officer of the Council, which shall be affixed to the notice-board adjoining the Council Chambers, or on any other public place, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding one pound.

Obstructing natural water-courses.

86. Any person who shall close or intercept any natural water-course, by building or otherwise, shall provide another outlet for the surface water with pipes or sewers of a size and in a manner to be approved of by the Council, and any person failing to comply with this By-law, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding fifty pounds, nor less than five pounds. And any person causing sewage to flow into such natural water-course, shall be liable to a like penalty.

A.

Warrant of distress.

I, A.B., Mayor of the Borough of Hunter's Hill, do hereby authorize you, C.D., the Bailiff of the said Borough, or your Deputy, to distrain the goods and chattels in the dwelling-house (or in or upon the land and premises) of E.F., situated at _____, for _____, being the amount of rates due to the Borough to the _____ day of _____ for the said dwelling-house (land or premises as the case may be), and to proceed thereon for the recovery of the said rate according to law.

Dated this _____ day of _____, A.D. 18 ____.

Mayor.

B.

Inventory.

I have this day, in virtue of the warrant, of which a copy is attached hereto, distrained the following goods and chattels in the dwelling-house, or in or upon the land and premises of E.F., situated at _____, within the Borough of Hunter's Hill, for _____, being the amount of rates due to the said Borough to the _____ day of _____.

Dated this _____ day of _____, A.D. 188 ____.

Bailiff.

Passed by the Council of Hunter's Hill, this thirtieth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

(L.S.) N. JOUBERT,
Mayor.

BOROUGH OF HUNTER'S HILL.

BY-LAWS UNDER THE NUISANCES PREVENTION ACT.

1. All cess-pits at present in use in the Borough shall be abolished, filled up, and deodorized under the supervision of the Inspector of Nuisances, or other person or persons appointed by the Council. This to be carried out within one month after notice has been served. Persons failing to comply with the above within the time specified shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding (£3) three pounds nor less than (1) one pound for each and every week or portion of a week, during which they shall fail to comply with the terms of the said notice.

2. The "Dry Earth Closet system" will be the only one permitted within the Borough, and all closets, and disposal of night-soil or other refuse will, at all times, be under the supervision of the Inspector of Nuisances.

3. A separate closet shall be provided for every tenement. In schools, factories, or other places of business where a number of persons exceeding twelve shall ordinarily reside or be occupied or employed one closet shall be provided for every twenty-five persons, and separate closets shall be provided for each sex. And every person who shall offend against this By-law, or fail to provide the number of closets mentioned, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than five pounds nor less than one pound.

4. Every person about to erect a closet or closets shall give notice in writing of such intention to the Council, with rough sketch, showing position; and no person shall erect any closet, except in such place or position as shall be approved by the Council.

5. Every closet shall be not less than seven feet high, three feet six inches wide, and four feet six inches long, and shall be provided with a door, capable of being fastened inside and properly ventilated. The closet pans to be of the size specified by the Council. A box containing dry earth or ashes shall be provided, and the contents of the same regularly applied as required. Any person offending against the provisions of this By-law shall forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding five pounds nor less than two pounds.

6. If any alteration shall be requisite in the opinion of the Inspector of Nuisances, for preserving health or decency in the case of any existing closet, he shall report the same to the Council, and if they consider such closet injurious to the health, or opposed to decency, by exposure or otherwise, the same shall be altered by the occupier or owner of such premises. Should they neglect or refuse to do so, the same shall be done by the Inspector of Nuisances, or other person or persons properly authorized by the Council, and the cost of such alteration shall be paid by the owner or occupier of the premises whereon the same may be, and such expense incurred thereby, may be sued for, and recovered in a summary way before any two Justices of the Peace.

7. Every person wishing to use in his own premises the night soil collected therein must first obtain permission from the Council.

8. No person shall be at liberty without the permission of the Council, to use in his or her premises, any night soil brought from elsewhere.

9. It shall be the duty of the Inspector of Nuisances to report the existence of any gutter, drain, or filthy premises that may be brought under his notice, and take such action for removing or abating the same as may be directed by the Council.

10. Unless otherwise provided by the Council, all night-soil or other refuse shall be removed in water-tight covered vehicles, between the hours of eleven o'clock p.m., and five o'clock a.m.

11. The place of deposit shall be in such locality as may be from time to time determined by the Council.

12. A sewerage rate shall be levied on all occupiers or owners of property within the Borough, such rate not to exceed sixpence in the pound.

13. The Inspector of Nuisances, or other officer appointed by the Council, may visit and inspect, or do any work authorised by the "Nuisances Prevention Act of 1875," on all days except Sundays and Holidays; and any person who shall hinder or obstruct any Inspector of Nuisances or other officer as aforesaid, upon any such visitation or inspection, or in the doing or performing of any work, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of not more than two pounds nor less than ten shillings.

Passed by the Council of Hunter's Hill, this thirtieth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

(L.S.) N. JOUBERT,
Mayor.

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

NEWCASTLE PAVING AND PUBLIC VEHICLES
REGULATION ACT.

(BOROUGH OF NEWCASTLE—BY-LAWS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 39 Vic. No. 36, sec. 9.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 6th September, 1888.

NEWCASTLE MUNICIPALITY.—BY-LAWS.

THE following By-laws, made by the Council of the Borough of Newcastle, under the "Newcastle Paving and Public Vehicles Regulation Act," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

THE BOROUGH OF NEWCASTLE.

Additional Time-table and Stands.

THE Council of the Borough of Newcastle do, by virtue of the authority vested in it by the Newcastle Paving and Public Vehicles Regulation Act, 39 Victoria No. 36 of 1876, hereby make and establish the following Regulations, and declare that the following Time-table and Stands shall be an addition to those at present in force in this City:—

Omnibuses plying to and from the stand in Scott-street to the stand in Kenrick-street shall start from the stands at intervals of ten minutes.

Every alternate omnibus from the stand in Scott-street shall ply for hire by the following route:—By Blane-street, Darby-street, along Laman-street, Corlette-street, Parry-street, and thence along Darby-street to the stand in Kenrick-street.

Every alternate omnibus from the stand in Kenrick-street shall ply for hire by the following route:—By Darby-street, along Parry-street, Corlette-street, Laman-street, and Darby-street to the stand in Scott-street.

Cab Stands.

Scott-street—North side, between Watt-street and the eastern end of Railway Station; and not more than four cabs shall be on the stand at one time, one cab at a time shall stand in Scott-street, at the corner of Bolton-street, north side.

Hunter-street—North side, between Watt and Bolton Streets, in front of the Court-house; and not more than two cabs shall be on the stand at one time.

Perkin-street—East side, between Hunter-street and King-street; and not more than two cabs shall be on the stand at one time except after 6 o'clock.

Darby-street—West side, between Blane-street and Lower Church-street; and not more than two cabs shall be on the stand at one time.

Blane-street—South side, corner of Steel-street; and not more than two cabs shall be on the stand at one time.

Watt-street—East side, between Hunter and Scott Streets; and not more than two cabs shall be on the stand at one time.

Dray Stand.

Scott-street—North side, between Bolton and Newcomen Streets.

For any offence against any of the provisions of these Regulations, the offender shall be liable to and shall pay a penalty not exceeding £10 (ten pounds) nor less than 5s. (five shillings).

Made and passed by the Council of the Borough of Newcastle, this twenty-first day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

(l.s.) HENRY BUCHANAN,
Mayor.EDWARD S. HOLLAND,
Town Clerk.

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT BILL.

(PETITION FROM MUNICIPAL COUNCILS OF THE COLONY IN FAVOUR OF.)

Received by the Legislative Assembly, 31 October, 1888.

To the Honorable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled.

The Petition of the undersigned members of the Municipal Councils of the Colony of New South Wales,—

HUMBLY SHOWETH:—

1. That your Petitioners are very considerably crippled in their power to carry out those necessary improvements which the framers of the form of Municipal Government intended should be accomplished, by reason of the provisions of the present Municipalities Acts being inadequate in their provisions.

2. That this fact has been very generally recognized by different Administrations, as evidenced by repeated promises to introduce a more complete measure of Local Government for the approval of the Legislature, and the actual introduction to your Honorable House of three Bills by successive Governments having that object in view.

3. That such a measure has been in beneficial operation for some years past in the adjoining colonies of Victoria and Queensland, and is found to work well, relieving the Central Government of many minor questions which are much more effectively dealt with by local governing bodies, and allowing the time of the Legislature to be more fully given to the larger questions of State.

4. Your Petitioners therefore respectfully pray that the consideration of a Bill for extending the system of Local Government throughout New South Wales may be proceeded with during the present Session of Parliament and passed into law.

And your Petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray, &c.

(Here follow 733 signatures.)

1888.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

FIRE BRIGADES ACT, 1884.

(TAMWORTH FIRE BRIGADES BOARD—AMENDED REGULATIONS.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 47 Vic. No. 3 sec. 21.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Sydney, 28th November, 1888.

TAMWORTH FIRE BRIGADES BOARD.—AMENDED REGULATIONS.

The following amended Regulations, made by the Fire Brigades Board for the Borough of Tamworth, under the "Fire Brigades Act, 1884," having been confirmed by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, are published in accordance with the requirements of the above-cited Act.

HENRY PARKES.

AMENDED REGULATIONS for establishing and maintaining an efficient Fire Company in the Borough of Tamworth.

1. The Board shall, as they deem necessary, purchase or lease any land, houses, or other buildings for the purpose of providing engine-houses, brigade offices, or alarm stations, and may purchase or hire any engine, machinery, or other appliances, for the purpose of extinguishing fires or saving life or property, and may place such appliances at the disposal of any Volunteer Fire Company that may be from time to time established and registered under the Board; and the Board may by resolution permit any part of these appliances to be used for any purpose, providing the expenses and charges are paid by the party or parties using the same, and that the said party shall have entered into a guarantee with the Board against all loss or damage to such appliances.

2. The Board shall appoint a Captain, foreman, and engine-keeper, who shall be paid such salaries as the Board may determine; the Board may also enrol such number of firemen as it may from time to time deem necessary. The Captain shall be the officer in charge of all Fire Companies under the Board, and shall have control of such Companies when on duty or parade. During his absence the officer next in seniority available shall fulfil all such duties and have charge of such Companies. The Captain shall instruct the Company in their practices, drills, and parades, and direct them when on active duty at fires.

3. The Captain shall have possession of, and be responsible for, all engines, machinery, or other appliances for the purpose of extinguishing fires, saving life or property, belonging to the Board.

4. The Captain shall keep a roll of all members, with a record of their attendance at drills, practices, parades, and fires; he shall report all breaches of rules or disobedience of orders, and pending inquiry shall suspend any member, and report such suspension to the Board, who shall inquire into the cause of complaint, and if sustained such member shall at once be dismissed from the Company and his name removed from the roll, or he shall pay such fine as the Board may impose, and failing so to pay, may be sued for same before any two Justices of the Peace. In no case shall a fine be imposed exceeding £5, in addition to any damage done to any plant, uniform, or other property of the Board.

5. None but physically strong men, free from defect in sight and limb, without organic disease, shall be registered on the staff of the Company, and in all cases a medical certificate will be required.

6. No person under the age of 18 years shall be enrolled unless under special circumstances as to physique or qualifications.

7. No person over the age of 40 years shall be enrolled unless he has been previously engaged as an active fireman, in which case the limit may be extended to 45 years; and no person over the age of 50 years shall remain in the Company, unless by special recommendation of the Captain, reported on and approved by the Board.

8. No person under 5 feet 3 inches in height or less than 32 inches round the chest shall be enrolled.

9. In order to prevent claims on the funds of the Board, all members shall assure against accidents, or shall belong to a benefit society, in which they shall at no time allow themselves to become unfinancial.

10. After the formation of the Company no person shall be appointed as an officer unless he is practically acquainted with the duties of a fireman.

11. No person who has been convicted of any felony shall be enrolled in the Company.

12. The Board shall pay all firemen enrolled, on the certificate of the Captain, the sum of two shillings and sixpence for each attendance at drill, practice, or parade, and ten shillings when on duty at fires, if not detained more than four hours, after that time at the rate of two shillings per hour.

13. Any member of the Company will be liable to dismissal for intoxication, insubordination, disobedience, neglect, or omission of duty, incompetency, disrespect to any person in authority, or to the Board or any member or officer thereof, for insolent or immoral behaviour, or any crime, misdemeanour, or other conduct punishable by law, in addition to such penalty as may be fixed by the Fire Brigades Board.

14. No member of the Company shall, upon any occasion or under any pretence whatever, accept any money, gift, or address from any person for services rendered at a fire, without permission from the Fire Brigades Board.

15. At fires, no member will be allowed to enter any hotel for refreshments without the permission of the Captain or such officer who may be in charge. All refreshments, if possible, will be supplied in the vicinity of the fire, and not in an hotel. At no time at fires will any member be permitted to supply or use his authority towards supplying any persons, civilians or otherwise, with refreshments of any description without the orders of the Captain or such officer as may be in charge. Anyone violating this rule will be immediately suspended.

16. Any member heard to speak slanderously, disparagingly, contemptuously, or insubordinately of any officer, or in any manner uttering words calculated to cause a breach of the rules or disorder in the Company, shall be suspended.

17. Any member guilty of any tampering with the books, or wilful damage to, or destruction of, the buildings, goods, effects, chattels, clothing, apparatus, or plant belonging to the Fire Brigades Board, or in its charge, will be liable to immediate suspension.

18. The Captain shall receive all fines imposed, and pay the same to the Secretary, giving all necessary particulars required by the Board.

19. The Board may supply each fireman with such uniform as they may decide, and such uniform shall remain in the custody of the fireman as long as he continues to be enrolled, and shall be delivered up to the Captain upon his ceasing to be a member of the Company.

20. The members of the Company shall meet at least twice in every month for practice, &c., upon such days and at such time as the Captain may appoint.

21. The Captain shall, once in every three months, report to the Board on the efficiency of the Company, such report to be in writing under his hand.

The foregoing amended Regulations were passed at a meeting of the Fire Brigades Board, Tamworth, held 18th September, 1888.

JAMES PIPER, Chairman.

SEYMOUR C. STEUART,

C. H. VENESS,

Members of the Tamworth Fire Brigades Board.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW-SOUTH WALES.

FIRE BRIGADES ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

(MESSAGE No. 14.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 8 January, 1889.

CARRINGTON,
Governor.

Message No. 14.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 54th section of the Constitution Act, the Governor recommends, for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly, the expediency of making provision to meet the requisite expenses in connection with a Bill to amend the "Fire Brigades Act of 1884" to declare valid the constitution of certain Fire Brigade Boards, and to make other provision in connection with such Boards.

*Government House, Sydney,
13th December, 1888.*

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

(OPINION OF THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL ON ALLEGED ASSAULT ON ROBERT ADAMS AT PARRAMATTA.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 12 December, 1888.

Opinion of The Attorney-General.

The Attorney-General's Department, Sydney, 6 December, 1888.

Subject :—Alleged assault on Robert Adams.

I HAVE read these depositions. The adjudicating Justices, H. Byrnes and Joseph Whitworth, dismissed the information, and I do not see in the order of adjudication any mention of costs.

The Justices have full power and authority in cases of assault to dismiss the complaint if they deem the offence not to have been proved, or if they find the assault so trifling as not to call for punishment (see section 67, "Criminal Law Amendment Act of 1883"), and upon either of these matters the Justices are the sole judges.

I am not aware which of these views the Justices entertained. It is not within my province, nor is it, I think, part of my duty as Attorney-General, to express an opinion as to the exercise by magistrates of that absolute discretion with which they have been invested by the Legislature. No further proceedings can be successfully taken, because a certificate of dismissal, which the Justices are bound to make out and deliver to the defendants, is a bar to all proceedings, civil or criminal, for the same cause. (See section 68.)

G. B. SIMPSON,
Attorney-General.

Submitted with reference to Minister's minute of 29/11/88.—T.E.McN., 6/12/88.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

(MR. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE DOCKER—CORRESPONDENCE IN CONNECTION WITH CERTAIN
REMARKS ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN MADE BY MR. R. H. LEVIEN, M.P., RESPECTING.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 6 November, 1888.

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Mr. District Court Judge Docker to The Under Secretary of Justice.

Sir,

Granville, 18 July, 1888.

I beg to call the attention of the Honorable the Minister of Justice to a report in the *Evening News* of this date of a speech made in Parliament last night by Mr. Levien, in the following words:—
“He had frequently heard Judge Docker make the most improper remarks during the trial of prisoners, especially in cases of indecent assault. He characterised Judge Docker as a cold-blooded Judge, who had never held a brief for a defence in his life, and who had been pitchforked into the position of Crown Prosecutor. The only thing that would make him lean to a prisoner was when there was a good-looking woman in the case.”

I have no means of ascertaining whether this report is correct; but assuming it to be so, I have the honor to inform the Minister that these statements are utterly false, and as Mr. Levien professes to speak from personal experience, that they are false to his knowledge.

But it appears to me that I ought to have an opportunity of vindicating my character from such vile slanders in as public a manner as the accusation was made. I therefore request the Minister to call upon Mr. Levien to formulate his charges, and then to hold an inquiry either before the Executive Council or in any other way he thinks fit. I feel I am entitled to ask the assistance and protection of the Minister in this matter, for if there be the slightest shadow of a foundation for such imputations, I clearly ought not to hold the high office I now occupy.

Or if Mr. Levien will come from behind his coward's hedge of privilege I will undertake to have my character and conduct investigated in the Supreme Court.

I have, &c.,

ERNEST B. DOCKER, D.C.J.

No. 2.

The Under Secretary of Justice to Mr. District Court Judge Docker.

Sir, Department of Justice, Sydney, 19 July, 1888.
 In transmitting to you the enclosed extract from the *Daily Telegraph* of the 18th instant, regarding certain remarks alleged to have been made by you while presiding at the recent Quarter Sessions at Orange, I have the honor, by direction of the Minister of Justice, to invite you to have the goodness to state whether you made use of the expressions attributed to you therein, and to favour him with such report in the matter as you may think proper to make.

I have, &c.,
 ARCH. C. FRASER,
 Under Secretary.

No. 3.

Mr. District Court Judge Docker to The Under Secretary of Justice.

Sir, Granville, 20 July, 1888.
 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th instant (88-8,475), and in reply I have to state that the report referred to, as quoted in small type in the *Daily Telegraph*, presumably from the *Western Advocate* of the 14th instant, is on the whole a fair and accurate condensation of my introductory remarks in summing up to the jury in the case *Regina v. Daniel Sullivan*. The only passage I notice in which the sense of what I said is not quite accurately conveyed is the following: "They were expected not to bring to this new land old agrarian quarrels." My words were—"old methods of settling agrarian quarrels." As the report stands (misquoted in the *Daily Telegraph*), it might possibly be supposed that I was referring to Irish politics, whereas, as a matter of fact, I was alluding to the use of the shillalah. The concluding sentence of the passage (omitted in the *Daily Telegraph*)—"There could be no justification for using personal violence in settling disputes about land in this country"—ought to have made my meaning tolerably clear to ordinary understandings. That the jury whom I was addressing understood me I am quite satisfied; and if anybody in Court felt in the slightest degree aggrieved I think I should have heard of it. That there was one word in my address which could justify the construction put upon it by Mr. J. P. Abbott I most emphatically deny.

I do not know whether the Minister wishes me to reply to the allegations of Mr. J. P. Abbott and the other gentlemen who attacked me, under cover of their Parliamentary privilege, in language which is best described in the words of the former as "an outrage upon public decency"; if he does, I am quite prepared to do so. I have already brought the statements of Mr. Levien under the notice of the Minister. At present it appears to me sufficient to quote a letter I have received from an Irish gentleman who, I believe, was present in Court whilst I was addressing the jury:—

"I cannot see the smallest ground for the unwarrantable attack on you in the Assembly. As a Catholic and an Irishman, I imagine I could not fail to feel hurt if there were anything offensive in your remarks. I fail to do so, and neither does any one to whom I have spoken on the matter."

This opinion, from one who describes himself as a Catholic and an Irishman, and therefore qualified to form an opinion on the point raised, ought to be conclusive of the question. Mr. Abbott's concluding remark—"A Judge had a great power for good or evil in his utterances from the Bench, and they should be of a peaceful character"—is perfectly true; and I claim that my utterances on the occasion referred to precisely fulfilled this requirement. As it happened, only a couple of days before the trial the same parties and the same dispute had come before me in the District Court, and I had then strongly urged them to settle their differences amicably, in a neighbourly "give and take" manner.

I have, &c.,
 ERNEST B. DOCKER, D.C.J.

No. 4.

The Under Secretary of Justice to R. H. Levien, Esq., M.P.

Sir, Department of Justice, Sydney, 23 July, 1888.
 I am directed by the Minister of Justice to call your attention to certain remarks, reported in the *Evening News* of the 18th instant to have been made by you in Parliament, respecting his Honor Mr. District Court Judge Docker, and to ask you if you have any objection to inform the Minister whether the remarks attributed to you have been correctly reported, and, if such is the case, whether you are prepared to substantiate them in such a way as to enable the Minister to bring the matter under the notice of the Government, having regard to the very serious nature of the charges reported to have been made by you against Judge Docker.

I may mention that the course now being taken in this matter will meet the wishes of Judge Docker.

I have, &c.,
 ARCH. C. FRASER,
 Under Secretary.

No. 5.

The Under Secretary of Justice to Mr. District Court Judge Docker.

Sir, Department of Justice, Sydney, 15 August, 1888.
 Adverting to your letters of 18th and 20th July last, with reference to a report which appeared in the *Daily Telegraph* respecting a debate in Parliament upon the subject of certain remarks alleged to have been made by you while presiding at the recent Court of Quarter Sessions held at Orange, I have the honor, by direction of the Minister of Justice, to inform you that, in accordance with the desire expressed

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expressed in your letter of the 18th ultimo, Mr. Levien, M.P., has been asked if he wishes to substantiate the charges he made against you in his place in Parliament, to which inquiry no answer has been yet received from him.

I am further directed to say that the remarks made by you were, in the opinion of the Minister of Justice, indiscreet, and that, in the interests of the administration of justice as well as of yourself, it would be advisable that you should refrain in future from making unnecessary remarks from the Bench, which might be calculated to give umbrage to any particular class of the community.

I have, &c.,

ARCH. C. FRASER,
Under Secretary.

No. 6.

Mr. District Court Judge Docker to The Under Secretary of Justice.

Sir,

Granville, 21 August, 1888.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant (88-8,594), and I beg to express my gratification that the Minister has asked Mr. Levien to substantiate the charges he made against me in his place in Parliament; and I trust that the Minister will not be content with silence for a reply, but will insist, if no attempt is made to substantiate them, on their withdrawal in as public a manner as they were made.

I venture to remind the Minister of the serious nature of the charges. If there is the slightest foundation for them, I am unfit and should not be permitted to continue in the office of Judge for a day longer. If there be such foundation there cannot be the least difficulty in establishing its truth; and if Mr. Levien's memory is at fault I shall be happy to supply him with a list and particulars of every case of indecent assault tried before me at Darlinghurst or elsewhere. The names of the jurors trying such cases, of other jurymen present in Court, of the officers of the Court, and of the newspaper reporters can easily be obtained. If the remarks which he alleges were heard by him were really made, they must have been heard also by some of the persons enumerated; and I am very certain that any remark which would be disgusting to Mr. Levien, would strike the attention of all the decent-minded persons who heard it. If, on the other hand, there is no foundation for the calumny, it is evident that such slanders upon the administrators of justice, unwithdrawn and uncontradicted, especially when uttered by a practitioner of the Courts, and published from his high place in Parliament, are calculated to injure the administration of justice itself.

I would further remind the Minister that, in deference to his wish previously expressed, I have refrained from vindicating myself in the public prints, and, therefore, I must regard my reputation as a Judge as being to that extent in his keeping.

With reference to the latter portion of your letter, I desire to receive the opinion of the Minister with all respect. In reply, I beg to state that it will be my constant endeavour to advance the interests of justice in everything I may do or say as a Judge, ever bearing in mind the duties I am sworn to discharge without fear or favor; that in doing or saying what appears to me right and just, I shall endeavour not to be influenced by any consideration as to what the consequences might be; and especially do I trust that I shall never be influenced by any consideration of my own interests.

I have, &c.,

ERNEST B. DOCKER, D.C.J.

No. 7.

R. H. Levien, Esq., M.P., to The Minister of Justice.

Sir,

Legislative Assembly, Sydney, 19 September, 1888.

Yours *re* Judge Docker to hand. I will, in my place in the House, at the earliest opportunity that affords me, support what I have stated with reference to that gentleman.

I have, &c.,

HENRY LEVIEN.

No. 8.

The Under Secretary of Justice to Mr. District Court Judge Docker.

Sir,

Department of Justice, Sydney, 25 September, 1888.

Referring to your letter of the 21st ultimo, further respecting certain remarks concerning you made in Parliament by Mr. R. H. Levien, M.P., and the request made by you that same might be either substantiated or withdrawn, I am directed by the Minister of Justice to inform you that Mr. Levien, M.P., was reminded on the 25th ultimo that he had not replied to communication from this Department of 23rd July last; and it was intimated to him that, in the Minister's opinion, he should either retract or substantiate the charge preferred by him against you, it not being fair to you that you should remain any longer under the imputation of having used disgusting language on the Bench.

In reply to that reminder, Mr. Levien, by letter dated the 19th instant, has intimated to this Department that he will in his place in the House, at the earliest opportunity which is afforded to him, support what he has stated in reference to you.

I have, &c.,

ARCH. C. FRASER,
Under Secretary.

No. 9.

No. 9.

Mr. District Court Judge Docker to The Under Secretary of Justice.

Sir,

Granville, 1 October, 1888.

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th ultimo (SS-10,746), informing me that Mr. Levien has at last, in reply to the Minister, stated his intention of supporting in his place in Parliament the charges he has made against me.

I have to thank the Minister for the steps he has taken in the matter; and I regret that Mr. Levien has not seen fit to adopt a more manly course, instead of keeping silence till he can speak from the shelter of the House, where he knows I cannot confront him.

However, if he formulates any tangible charge against me, I trust that the Minister will insist upon an inquiry being held, either before a Parliamentary Committee or any other tribunal he thinks fit, where I can meet my accuser face to face. I am prepared to meet him before any tribunal, and on any charge.

I have also to request that the Minister will be good enough to lay on the Table of the House, or otherwise make public, the correspondence between himself and Mr. Levien and myself on this subject. Further, I trust I may have the sanction of the Minister to vindicate myself, if necessary, in the press, should any further attack be made upon me by Mr. Levien.

It appears to me that this request is only reasonable. I can afford to let pass in silence the incoherent and self-refuting abuse of those who scorn even the name of gentleman. I can submit to criticism, fair or unfair, of my words and conduct as Judge; but Mr. Levien is the only one who has dared to attack my moral character. He has made charges against me which, if true, prove that I am morally unfit to be a Judge. He made these charges from his place in Parliament, where he is responsible to the country for his words and actions. Further, he is an Attorney of the Supreme Court, as yet not struck off the Rolls, and therefore entitled by law to the honorable designation of gentleman, and to be credited by those who do not know him with the high qualities that designation implies, such as a strict sense of honor, scrupulous veracity, and a tender regard for the rights and feelings of others, especially of those who by their position are unable to defend themselves.

When, therefore, he makes such accusations professedly from facts within his own observation, they may, if not contradicted as publicly as they are made, be regarded by those who do not know either him or me as having good foundation in fact, to the serious injury of my reputation and of the public faith in the pure administration of justice by those to whom it is committed.

I have, &c.,

ERNEST B. DOCKER, D.C.J.

No. 10.

The Under Secretary of Justice to Mr. District Court Judge Docker.

Sir,

Department of Justice, Sydney, 11 October, 1888.

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 1st instant, in reply to my communication of 25th ultimo, respecting certain remarks concerning you made in Parliament by Mr. R. H. Levien, M.P., and am directed to inform you that the Minister of Justice thinks the requests made by you to him in your letter are fair, and are approved by him.

I have, &c.,

ARCH. C. FRASER,

Under Secretary.

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

(MR. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE DOCKER—FURTHER CORRESPONDENCE IN CONNECTION WITH CERTAIN REMARKS ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN MADE BY MR. R. H. LEVIEN, M.P., RESPECTING.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 6 December, 1888.

Mr. District Court Judge Docker to The Under Secretary of Justice.

Sir,

Dubbo, 24 November, 1888.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th instant, referring to my letter of the 5th instant.

Referring to a previous letter of mine upon the subject of the attack made upon me by Mr. Levien, I observe from the newspaper reports that Mr. Levien in Parliament, on the 14th instant, took exception to the paragraph therein in which he is referred to as "an Attorney as yet not struck off the rolls." I admit that Mr. Levien has fair reason for complaining of this paragraph, and I have to express my extreme regret that I was led to retaliate, even in the slightest degree, by just resentment at his ungenerous action in making charges against my moral character as a Judge, charges which, so far as I can gather, he now admits to be unfounded, asserting that he did not mean to impute to me any moral misconduct.

I therefore desire to withdraw the offensive expression, and to apologise for having used it.

Perhaps the Minister may see fit to make an intimation of this to Mr. Levien.

I have, &c.,

ERNEST B. DOCKER,
D.C.J.

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

CASE OF MICHAEL KELLY *v.* THOMAS RYAN.

(LETTERS, MINUTES, REPORTS, &c., IN.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 8 November, 1888.

RETURN to an *Address* of the Honorable the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, dated 25th October, 1888, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to cause to be laid upon the Table of this House,—

“(1.) Copies of the depositions in the case Michael Kelly against Thomas Ryan for larceny from the person, heard at the Police Court, Tenterfield, on the 15th June, 1888.

“(2.) Copies of all letters, minutes, reports, and affidavits thereon, from the Sergeant of Police, the Acting Inspector-General of Police, the Chief Justice, the Police Magistrate, Tenterfield, and the Department of Justice.”

(Mr. Lee.)

Court-house, Tenterfield, 15 June, 1888.

Before J. B. GRAHAM and R. DONALDSON, Esqs., J.'sP.

Thomas Ryan—Larceny from the person.

MICHAEL KELLY, on oath, saith:—I am a labourer, and living lately at Fairfield; the information read is true; I came in to Tenterfield on Sunday night late; on Monday morning, when I went to “Corcoran’s Hotel,” I had a £5 note wrapped up in a piece of paper; I had £2 which I gave to Mrs. Corcoran to keep for me; I had another pound which Mr. Corcoran changed for me; Mr. Corcoran gave me in change a half-sovereign and 10s. in silver; I came down then to the hotel where I stayed on Sunday night; I went in there with a man and the accused; we had a drink there, and then we went over with Ryan to his hotel; we had dinner there, and I laid down half-a-crown to pay for my dinner; Mrs. Ryan took it up; she told me she had no change for a few minutes; after that I asked Mrs. Ryan for the change, and she said she had given it to me; I said, “No, you did not”; Ryan then came out; I was sitting on the sofa; he caught hold of me behind the back by the neck; he knocked me down and put his knee on my throat; he rushed my trouser’s pockets, put his hand down inside the waist-band of my trousers, and tore my pocket out and took the half-sovereign and some silver; he caught hold of my vest, ripped all the buttons open, and looked inside for a breast-pocket, put his hands into my watch-pocket where the £5 note was, and took it out; it was wrapped up in a bit of a newspaper with a piece of white cotton fastened round it; I saw the paper parcel which contained the note in Ryan’s hand; he then chucked me out of the door; I then ran up to Mr. Corcoran’s; Mr. Corcoran advised me to search for the money; I did not find it; I found out where the Police Barracks were, and asked for the sergeant; I was excited and the constable locked me up; I had dinner some time in the middle of the day; about a quarter of an hour after that Ryan took the money from me; I did not call out when Ryan was robbing me, but resisted as well as I could; I ran up to Corcoran’s, and about an hour and a half after the robbery I went to the Police Barracks; I earned this money in Queensland; I swear Ryan took all I had on me; I am sure it was Sunday night I came into Tenterfield; it was on Tuesday I had dinner at Ryan’s, and that was the day the money was taken from me; I had a few glasses on Monday; I had £3 and a few shillings on Sunday night, besides the £5 note; I had only spent a few shillings up to the time the robbery took place; I had the £5 note in my pocket when I went over with Ryan.

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Cross-examined

Cross-examined by accused : I went to your place on Tuesday; I did not have dinner at your place on Monday, or tea; I was not at your place on Monday night; I did not borrow any money from a man at your place on Monday night.

By the Bench : I don't know who the man with spectacles was; he know me, but I did not know him; I saw him on Tuesday, and he went to Ryan's with me; he offered to lend me money, and I wouldn't take it; he did not have dinner with me.

Cross-examination continued : I don't know what day it was I saw the man with spectacles with you; I did not ask for a change of half-a-crown in order to give 6d. to his youngster to buy apples.

By Bench : I came straight from the hotel where I met Ryan and the man with spectacles to Ryan's place; I do not recollect what money I paid away.

Sworn before us, this 15th June, }
1888, at Tenterfield,— }

ROBERT DONALDSON, J.P.
(For the Bench).

MICHAEL × KELLY.

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Witness—F. BURNE, C.P.S.

Edward Stapylton, on oath, saith:—I am a constable of police, stationed at Tenterfield; on Tuesday last, about 3:30 p.m., I saw Kelly; he was drunk; he said he wanted to make a statement about Ryan robbing him; he was very much excited; I couldn't understand him properly; I took him to the lock-up and locked him up; he was very drunk and greatly excited.

By Bench : When I searched him he had on him 5s. 6d., and the right-hand pocket of his trousers was torn out.

Sworn before us, this 15th June, }
1888, at Tenterfield,— }

ROBERT DONALDSON, J.P.
(For the Bench).

EDWARD STAPYLTON.

Richard Corcoran, on oath, saith:—I am a licensed publican, residing at Tenterfield; I know Michael Kelly; I saw him at my place on Tuesday last; he left my place in the morning; I don't know what time it was; on the night before he changed £1 at my place; I gave him half-a-sovereign, and 9s. 6d. in silver; he was not spending his money freely; he returned to my place again on Tuesday, about 11 o'clock in the morning; he told me he gave Ryan two £5 notes to keep for him, and that he wouldn't give them up when he returned, he would go for the police; he jumped up and said that some cove that went out had robbed him; I told him to search his pockets as there was nobody there to take it; he then pulled out his pocket where he said he had the money and there was a hole in it; I told him then to go to the back room and search his clothes; I afterwards saw him showing the pocket from where he said the money had been taken, and it appeared more torn; after he came up and said he had had a row with Ryan he gave Mrs. Corcoran £2 to keep for him, which I afterwards returned to him; it was on Tuesday he gave Mrs. Corcoran the £2; he left my place before dinner, and I did not see him again till Wednesday; he was not at my place after dinner on Tuesday; when he came to my place he never told me Ryan had robbed him, but he said he had given Ryan two £5 notes to keep for him, and that if he didn't dub it up he would go down for the police; he never told me that Ryan had robbed him till Wednesday.

Accused has no questions to ask.

Sworn before us, this 15th June, }
1888, at Tenterfield,— }

ROBERT DONALDSON, J.P.
(For the Bench).

RICHARD CORCORAN.

Richard Corcoran, recalled, on his former oath, saith: When Kelly came to my place he said to me "I gave two £5 notes to Ryan to take care of for me, and if he does not dub it up I will go to the police;" he also said that somebody through the passage of my place had robbed him.

Sworn before us, this 15th June, }
1888, at Tenterfield,— }

ROBERT DONALDSON, J.P.
(For the Bench).

RICHARD CORCORAN.

James John News, on oath, saith:—I am a licensed publican, residing at Tenterfield; I have seen Kelly before; I saw him at my place on Monday last, about 12 o'clock; he was not at my place on Tuesday; there was a tall gentleman with him who wore spectacles, another man, and Ryan; they left my place about 2 o'clock to go to Buxton's, and then on to Ryan's; this was on Monday.

Accused has no questions to ask.

Sworn before us, this 15th June, }
1888, at Tenterfield,— }

ROBERT DONALDSON, J.P.
(For the Bench).

JAMES JOHN NEWS.

Case dismissed—(See affidavit attached).

J. B. GRAHAM, P.M.
ROBERT DONALDSON, J.P.

Thomas Ryan, on oath, saith:—I saw Kelly for the first time at "New's Hotel" at 10 o'clock on Monday last; I was in company at the time with Wm. Ferguson and Clayton; Clayton wore spectacles; after having a drink or two at "New's Hotel" we went to "Buxton's Hotel"; Ferguson and Clayton stopping at my place; we left Buxton's to go home to dinner; Kelly said to me, "I did not know you kept an hotel in Tenterfield," and said he would go with us; when he got to my place he had dinner with us, which he did not pay for; he remained in company with these men until tea-time and had his tea, which he did not pay for either; sometime after tea he was speaking to Clayton about Corcoran having some money of his; this was on Monday night; Clayton then said, "I'll give you half-a-sovereign," and Kelly said, "No thank you, I don't want it"; some little time after they went into the parlour, and Kelly asked Clayton for the half-sovereign; Clayton said, "It is the only half-sovereign I have got, and I can't give it"; Clayton afterwards went with me to the play that night; on our return we met Kelly leaving my place; this was about 11 o'clock at night; he returned early on Tuesday morning; had some drinks with Ferguson and Clayton, and Clayton left by the train that morning for Pye's Creek; on my return from the Railway Station I found Kelly sitting in my parlour; Mrs. Hawkins and another woman came in at the time; Kelly caught hold of one of the little boys and said, "If I had 6d. I would give it to you to buy apples"; he put his hand in his pocket and brought out some silver, and asked Mrs. Ryan for the change of half-a-crown; he kept the silver in his hand, and Mrs. Ryan put the 2s. and 6d. in his hand, and was going to take the half-crown; he closed his hand and said, "I have the lot now"; Mrs. Ryan asked him to give her the half-crown, and he said, "I'm a horse if I do"; she asked him two or three times to give her this money, and so did Mrs. Hawkins, who was present; he would not give it up, and thinking he was joking, I took no notice of it at the time; Mrs. Hawkins then left, and after some time, Kelly got up to go; I then said, "Kelly, you had better give up that half-crown before you leave"; he, using bad language, said he would not give it; I said to him, "I can give you in charge for keeping this money"; he then called me some names, and I caught hold of him by the collar to take him out; when I did he fell down, being very drunk; the silver which he had in his hand, consisting of a two shilling piece, half-a-crown, and a shilling or two, fell on to the floor; I picked the money up, and returned him all but the half-crown, and took him to the door and told him not to come to my place again; he said to me, "I will give you in charge for robbing me," and at the same time put his hand in his pocket and pulled out two or three notes, and said, "I have got that left yet"; I can't say which pocket he drew the money out of; he then went up towards Cavanagh's corner; this was about half-past 10 o'clock; after that I went up to town; Kelly had no dinner that day at my place; about half-past 12 o'clock I saw Kelly up town, and he was very drunk; I said to him he had better go home, or the police would lock him up; he replied, "I'll have you locked up for robbing me."

By the Bench: It is false what Kelly said about my taking a £5 note out of his pocket.

J. RYAN.

Sworn before us, this 15th June, }
1888, at Tenterfield,— }

ROBERT DONALDSON, J.P.
(For the Bench).

[See affidavit by J. B. Graham and R. Donaldson, dated the 4th September, 1888, attached.]

I CERTIFY the foregoing to be a true copy of the original deposition in the case *Kelly v. Ryan*.

F. BURNE, C.P.S.

Court-house, Tenterfield, 20th June, 1888.

Police Department, Tenterfield, 22 June, 1888.

SERGEANT HICKS reports that, in consequence of the Bench of Magistrates at Tenterfield stating that a man named Michael Kelly, who had given evidence before them on the 15th instant, in *re Kelly v. Ryan*, for larceny from the person, ought to be prosecuted for perjury, Sergeant Hicks has applied for a copy of the depositions in the case, and begs to forward them with a view to have a case initiated against Michael Kelly. This man seems to be a bad character, and there appears to be no doubt but that he trumped up this false charge against Ryan, wilfully knowing it to be false.

WILLIAM HICKS,

Thomas Garvin, Esq., Inspector of Police in charge, Northern District, Armidale.

Sergeant.

Police Department, Armidale, Superintendent's Office, Northern District, 25 June, 1888.

Re Thomas Ryan, charged at Tenterfield with larceny from Michael Kelly.

SERGEANT HICKS, in making application to prosecute Michael Kelly for perjury, should simply make out a *précis* of the case, or, in other words, a statement of the evidence given by Kelly which is presumed to be false; and then a statement of the evidence by which it can be contradicted, or, in other words, by which the evidence for the prosecution can be proved to be perjury; and the names of witnesses proposed to be called, and briefly, what they can prove.

THOMAS GARVIN,

Sergeant Hicks, Tenterfield.

Inspector in charge, Northern District.

Police Department, Tenterfield, 27 June, 1888.

Re Thomas Ryan, charged at Tenterfield with larceny from Michael Kelly.

SERGEANT HICKS reports that it appears to him that Michael Kelly, the prosecutor in above case, has committed wilful and corrupt perjury. He, on oath, stated that Thomas Ryan had robbed him on Tuesday, 12th June, 1888, at his "Ryan's Hotel"; that Ryan knocked him down, put his hand down inside waistband of his trousers, and tore out his pocket, and took out one half-sovereign and some silver, and took a £5 note out of his watch-pocket that was wrapped up in a piece of newspaper and tied with cotton string; also stated that he had dinner at Ryan's that day, and the robbery took place after dinner; said, "I saw the paper parcel containing the money in Ryan's hand; I ran up to Corcoran's, and about an hour and a half afterwards I went to the police; it was on Tuesday I had dinner at Ryan's, and that was the day the money was taken from me."

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To contradict the above, Thomas and Mary Ryan (husband and wife) states: Ryan did not rob Kelly of any money on that day; Kelly had no dinner at their hotel on that day; that he left there before 11 a.m. on that morning; that he did not come back until 2 or 3 p.m. on that day; that, when Kelly came at that hour, Ryan was not at home, and did not see him then; that he got nothing to eat or drink then, and only was there for a minute or so; that Ryan put Kelly out of his hotel about 10 o'clock, or a little after; that, after Kelly was put out, he took some notes out of his trousers pocket, and showed them to both Ryan and wife.

Kate Corcoran, wife of Richard Corcoran, "Royal Hotel," Tenterfield, states: Kelly came to my place between 10 and 11 o'clock on Tuesday, 12th instant (June), and told me Ryan had knocked him down, and taken two five-pound notes from him, and said they did not get this, taking £2 from his pocket and giving them to me to keep for him; and saw him about the place all the forenoon of that day; did not see him after dinner.

Richard Corcoran states: Kelly came to my place about 11 o'clock on Tuesday, the 12th of June; he told me he had given Thomas Ryan two five-pound notes to keep for him, and if he would not dub them up he would go for the police; Kelly laid down on the sofa at my place for a while, and jumped up, and said some cove who had just gone out of the passage had robbed him; he then pulled out the pocket, where he said he had the money, and there was a hole in it; I afterwards saw him show his pocket, where he said he had the money, and there was a greater hole in it then, than when he showed it first; Michael Kelly came to the police station, Tenterfield, on that date at 3:30 p.m., and he was so drunk, Constable Stapylton locked him up.

WILLIAM HICKS,
Sergeant,
Tenterfield, 27/6/88.

Thomas Garvin, Esq., Inspector of Police in charge, Northern District, Armidale.

Forwarded for information of Inspector-General of Police. If he is of opinion a prosecution for perjury should be instituted against the man Michael Kelly, perhaps he will be good enough to obtain the necessary authority, as required by latter part of section 300 of "Criminal Law Amendment Act."—THOS. GARVIN, Inspector, Armidale, 28/6/88.

Was Kelly drunk or sober at the time he states he was robbed by Ryan?—G. READ, Acting Inspector-General, 31/6/88. Mr. Garvin. P.S.—In what condition was he as regards sobriety when he gave his evidence?—G. READ, A.I.G. Forwarded to Sergeant Hicks for prompt full report.—THOMAS GARVIN, Inspector, Armidale, 5/7/88. Sergeant Hicks, Tenterfield.

Police Department, Tenterfield, 7 July, 1888.

Re Michael Kelly—Perjury.

SERGEANT HICKS, No. 1,837, reports in reply to the Acting Inspector-General's queries (88-229) that, at the time Kelly alleged he was robbed by Ryan, he was drunk, so much so that he had to be locked up on a charge of drunkenness, when he went to report the matter to the Police; but he was perfectly sober when he laid the information against Ryan, and when he gave evidence in the Police Court against Ryan he was perfectly sober.

WILLIAM HICKS,
Sergeant.

Thomas Garvin, Esq., Inspector in charge of Northern District, Armidale.

For information of Inspector-General.—THOS. GARVIN, Inspector, Armidale, 9/7/88.

Forwarded to the Minister of Justice with a view to the necessary permission of a Judge to prosecute being obtained should such a course be deemed advisable.—G. READ, Act. I.G.P., 10/7/88. The Under Secretary, Department of Justice.

Department of Justice, Sydney, 17 July, 1888.

Sir,
Law—Perjury Cases.

In returning the enclosed papers forwarded by you on the 10th instant, with a view to obtain the necessary permission of a Judge to prosecute one Michael Kelly on a charge of committing perjury, I am directed by the Minister of Justice to inform you that it is no part of the duty of this Department to obtain the permission of a Judge to prosecute in charges of perjury, as the proper person to do so, would be the aggrieved party, and it is open to Ryan to take such steps as he may be advised should he be disposed to proceed further in the matter.

I have, &c.,
ARCHIBALD FRASER,

The Acting Inspector-General of Police.

Under Secretary.

Forwarded for Mr. Garvin's information. The injured person should be informed.—G. READ, A.I.G.P., 19/7/88. Forwarded for Sergeant Hicks' information, attention, and future guidance.—THOS. GARVIN, Inspector, Armidale, 23/7/88. Sergeant Hicks, Tenterfield.

Thomas Ryan has been informed, and he has this day applied to the Chief Justice for permission to prosecute this offender on a charge of perjury. Sergeant Hicks, on the advice of the Police Magistrate here, has handed the copy of the depositions which was attached to these papers to Thomas Ryan, the party aggrieved.—WILLIAM HICKS, Sergeant, Tenterfield, 31/7/88. Thomas Garvin, Esq., Inspector of Police in charge, Northern District, Armidale.

Attended to. Papers now returned to the Inspector-General.—THOS. GARVIN, Inspector, Armidale, 18/88.

Tenterfield, 31 July, 1888.

His Honor The Chief Justice, Supreme Court, Sydney,—

May it please your Honor,—

I beg to apply for your permission to prosecute one Michael Kelly, for perjury.

The perjury was committed at Tenterfield Police Court on the 15th June last in a case preferred against me for larceny by the said Kelly. The depositions in the case I now enclose.

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So gross was the perjury committed that the Sergeant of Police applied to the Department of Justice to obtain the permission from a Judge to enable him to institute proceedings. The following is the reply to that application:—

Sir,

Department of Justice, 17 July, 1888.

In returning the enclosed papers forwarded by you on the 10th instant, with a view of obtaining the necessary permission of a Judge to prosecute one Michael Kelly on a charge of committing perjury, I am directed by the Minister to inform you that it is no part of the duty of this Department to obtain permission of a Judge to prosecute in charges of perjury, as the proper person to do so would be the aggrieved party, and it is open to Ryan to take such steps as he may be advised should he be disposed to proceed further in the matter.

A. FRASER,
Under Secretary.

To the Acting Inspector-General, Sydney.

Under the circumstances it appears as I am the aggrieved party and do wish to proceed with the case of perjury against Kelly, I respectfully beg that you will be good enough to grant me the necessary permission.

I have, &c.,
THOMAS RYAN.

Witness to the signature of Thomas Ryan,—

CHARLES A. LEE, J.P.

Permission to prosecute refused. See my remarks on the depositions.—F.M.D., C.J., 7/8/88.

Remarks on Depositions :

I AM asked in this case to give permission, under the 300th section of the Criminal Law Amendment Act of 1883, to prosecute one Michael Kelly for perjury committed before the Justices. This permission I decline to give. I am wholly at a loss to understand the course pursued by the Justices before whom this case came. The information was for larceny from the person, and the evidence of the prosecutor showed larceny with violence—an indictable offence. The Justices, however, erroneously assumed they had jurisdiction to deal summarily with the case, and permitted the accused (who is the present applicant) to be examined upon oath, apparently under the 46 Vic. No. 3. They then dismissed the case. Their doing so has brought about what appears to me to be a failure of justice, as, in my opinion, Ryan should have been committed for trial, so that the matter could have been determined by a higher Court. If the Judge trying that case was of opinion that Kelly had committed perjury he could have directed a prosecution. Considering the miscarriage of justice caused by the failure of the Justices to understand the nature of the case before them, and the unsatisfactory state in which the matter had come before me, I decline to give permission to prosecute a man who I am not satisfied was not speaking the truth.—FREDK. M. DARLEY, C.J., 7th August, 1888.

The accompanying minute, received by me this morning direct from his Honor the Chief Justice, is now forwarded for Sergeant Hicks' information and guidance. Inform Ryan permission to prosecute will not be granted. Mr. Graham might like to read papers. What has become of other papers that were attached? Return all these.—THOMAS GARVIN, Inspector, Armidale, 9/8/88. Sergeant Hicks, Tenterfield.

Police Department, Tenterfield, 13 August, 1888.

Kelly v. Ryan—Larceny.

SERGEANT HICKS reports that he has duly received the papers in above case, together with the Chief Justice's comment thereon, and as the Police Magistrate here is now absent on leave and will not return until the beginning of next week, the sergeant has detained these papers until his return, to give him an opportunity of seeing them. The sergeant has shown them to C. A. Lee, Esq., M.P. (who had written and witnessed Ryan's application to prosecute Kelly for perjury), and that gentleman informed the sergeant that he will likely ask for a copy of these papers in the House with a view to have the law amended in such matters as he can see how easily it is under present law (as explained by the Chief Justice) an innocent man may have to suffer the ordeal of having to be committed for trial upon a trumped-up charge. The other papers (Mr. Inspector Garvin mentioned in his memo. on the 9th inst.) in this case have been sent to his (Mr. Garvin's office) on the 1st instant.

WILLIAM HICKS,

Thomas Garvin, Esq., Inspector of Police in charge, Northern District, Armidale.

Sergeant.

Sergeant Hicks will attach this to the papers already in his hands, and return the lot to me in one batch, by first mail after Mr. Graham, P.M., returns. The detached papers referred to by me are in the Inspector-General's Office. Send them on 1st instant, marked "B. 946."—THOS. GARVIN, Inspector, Armidale, 14/8/88. Sergeant Hicks, Tenterfield.

Papers in above case returned herewith, also an explanation by the Police Magistrate, addressed to the Inspector-General of Police.—WILLIAM HICKS, Sergeant, Tenterfield, 20/8/88. The Inspector of Police, Armidale.

For information of Inspector-General of Police. His Honor the Chief Justice sent the papers direct to me, and I posted them on to Tenterfield for information of the Police Magistrate. All previous papers connected with this case are in Inspector-General's Office.—THOMAS GARVIN, Inspector, Armidale, 21/8/88.

Memo. to the Inspector-General of Police.

IN the case Kelly v. Ryan [papers herewith] I may point out that His Honor the Chief Justice has been misled by the way the depositions have been taken into assuming that the Justices heard the case under summary jurisdiction (sec. 150, 46 Vic. No. 14).

The facts are after hearing the case for the prosecution, the Bench entirely disbelieving the prosecutor's evidence (which was not corroborated by the other witnesses for the prosecution, and was evident to them to be untruthful), came to the conclusion that there was no case either for summary jurisdiction or to go to a jury, and discharged the accused. After the case was dismissed, at the most earnest request of the accused, strongly advocated by his solicitor, he was allowed to make a statement. I pointed out at the time that it could not be taken as evidence in the depositions. This statement now appears as if it was part of the depositions, and as if the decision of the Justices was arrived at after it was taken, and this error has apparently misled His Honor the Chief Justice.

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The depositions were signed by Mr. Donaldson, J.P., for the Bench in my absence (I having to leave the Court immediately after the hearing); consequently I did not see the depositions or papers after their completion, or I would not have allowed the error to have appeared.

From the way the prosecutor Kelly gave his evidence, and the actual contradiction of most of it by the other witnesses called for the prosecution, I am clearly of opinion that he committed perjury. Perhaps the case may be again referred to his Honor the Chief Justice with this explanation.

Court-house, Tenterfield, 20th August, 1888.

J. B. GRAHAM, P.M.

I FORWARD this memorandum from the Police Magistrate at Tenterfield to his Honor the Chief Justice with considerable hesitation. If the proceedings have been correctly copied, what is termed a statement from the man Ryan is obviously a deposition, and the decision of the Justices was not recorded until after it was taken and signed.—GEORGE READ, Acting I.G. Police, 24 August, 1888. His Honor the Chief Justice.

I can only deal with the matter as it comes before me upon these depositions, and from them it appears that the accused was charged with an indictable offence, the evidence showing an offence under the 90th section of the Criminal Law Amendment Act of 1883. Nevertheless the Justices, whether in the presence or absence of the Police Magistrate, permitted the accused to enter into a defence, and to be examined upon oath, and then with this evidence before them, which is in no sense a statement, as the Police Magistrate seems to think, dismiss the case and discharge the accused. The case is in a most unsatisfactory position, caused, apparently, by the ignorance of the Justices, who on these depositions should have committed the accused. I again decline to sanction a prosecution for perjury, not being satisfied that the prosecutor was not speaking the truth.—F.M.D., C.J., 27/8/88.

For Inspector Garvin's information.—G. READ, Act. I.G.P., 28/8/88. For Sergeant Hicks' information. Note and return.—GEO. M'KERRROW, Senior Constable, abs. INSPECTOR GARVIN. Superintendent's Office, Armidale, 30/8/88. Sergeant Hicks, Tenterfield.

Memo to the Inspector-General of Police.

A MISAPPREHENSION still appears to exist in this case, which, as it entails a censure by his Honor the Chief Justice on the Presiding Magistrates, I do not feel justified in leaving as it now stands.

The memo. of the Inspector-General is in a wrong assumption; the proceedings were not correctly recorded. I intended, and thought my memo. of the 20th ultimo fully explained, what I now emphatically reiterate, that the case was properly heard and disposed of by the Magistrates, that is at the finish of the case for the prosecution; the Bench being of opinion that a *prima facie* case had not been made out pursued the only legitimate course open to them, viz., dismissed the case, and discharged the accused.

Again I must state that the deposition or statement of Ryan was taken after that dismissal; it can be regarded in no way as part of the depositions although erroneously made to appear so and could only be useful in giving information to the Police, to aid in the prosecution of what appeared not only to the Magistrates, but I think to all present in the Court, a gross case of perjury. I attach statements by Mr. Donaldson, J.P., and Mr. Burne, C.P.S., substantiating, if it is considered necessary to do so, my version of the matter. I may also point out that although the papers do not now appear to show it the first application for leave to prosecute was made by the Police, who I believe were and still are in possession of evidence which would entirely disprove the evidence of Kelly.

His Honor the Chief Justice cannot mean that the Bench should have committed the accused for trial, when they considered that the prosecution had not made out a *prima facie* case. The only evidence, Kelly's, the character of the witness, admittedly on a drunken spree for some days, and drunk when he went, as he says, to give information to the police, the utter want of any corroboration although the alleged robbery with great violence (Kelly being a powerful man) took place in the day-time in an hotel in the main street of the town of Tenterfield, and the entirely different story told by R. Corcoran, who is a reliable witness, was in the opinion of the Bench quite insufficient to send a respectable man to trial on a serious criminal charge. I have made for convenient reference a short synopsis of the evidence given by Kelly and Corcoran. On reading it it must be remembered that Kelly ran to Corcoran's (another hotel about a quarter of a mile away), and all that took place there was after the alleged robbery. In conclusion, I can only express my regret at the error of the deposition clerk, which has led to so much confusion and trouble, and in justice to the Magistrates ask you kindly to again refer this explanation to his Honor the Chief Justice.

Court-house, Tenterfield, 3rd September, 1888.

J. B. GRAHAM, P.M.

Synopsis of Kelly's evidence.

ON Tuesday he had a dispute with Mrs. Ryan with reference to change for half-a-crown, in payment for dinner at "Ryan's Hotel"; Ryan came in, knocked him down, rifled his pockets, tore his trouser's pocket, and with great violence robbed him of a £5 note and other moneys; he got up and ran to Corcoran's and told Corcoran of his loss, who advised him to search for the money, which he did, but did not find it; he then went to the Police Barracks, and the constable locked him up for drunkenness.

Synopsis of Corcoran's evidence.

KELLY came to his place on Tuesday; said he had a row with Ryan, and that he had left two £5 notes with Ryan to take care of for him, and that if he (Ryan) did not dub them up to him on his (Kelly's) return, he would go for the police; after that he (Kelly) jumped up and said that cove that went out (referring to some one going through Corcoran's passage) had robbed him; Corcoran told him to search his pockets, as there was no one there to rob him; he (Kelly) then pulled out his pocket, in which he said he had the money, and there was a hole torn in it; he did not tell Corcoran that day that Ryan had robbed him, he did not tell him until Wednesday.

P.S.—On further consideration I think it is competent for the Magistrate to amend the depositions so as to show a correct record of the proceedings. This we have now done, and have made an affidavit in support of our action. I may also point out to you that these papers only appear to have come to me through the courtesy of Mr. Inspector Garvin. I would beg, as the matter is now beyond the issue as to whether a prosecution for perjury should be sanctioned or not, inasmuch as it implies a severe and unmerited censure on the Magistrates—further reference be made to me direct or through the Under Secretary for Justice.

Court-house, Tenterfield, 3rd September, 1888.

J. B. GRAHAM, P.M.

Court-house,

Court-house, Tenterfield, 3 September, 1888.

Kelly v. Ryan.

MEMO.—I was one of the Justices presiding in the case Kelly v. Ryan, and I distinctly recollect that the case was dismissed after hearing the evidence for the prosecution, and before Ryan gave any evidence or made any statement.

I also recollect that Ryan's evidence or statement was taken at his request after he had been discharged.

I signed the depositions (in the absence of the Police Magistrate, with whom I sat in the case), but the erroneous entry of the decision of the Bench, after the deposition of Ryan, instead of immediately after the prosecutor's evidence, escaped my attention. I am also clearly of opinion that Kelly's evidence was untruthful; it was not corroborated by the other witnesses; in fact Corcoran, who is a reliable witness, told quite a different story.

ROBERT DONALDSON, J.P.

Court-house, Tenterfield, 3 September, 1888.

I took the depositions in the case Kelly v. Ryan. The Police Magistrate and Mr. Donaldson, J.P., were on the Bench. I distinctly recollect that the case was dismissed, and the accused discharged after the hearing of the evidence for the prosecution. Ryan's evidence or statement was taken afterwards at his urgent request, as he said, to clear his character. I inadvertently and in error inserted the decision of the magistrates, dismissing the case after Ryan's deposition; it should have been inserted after the close of the prosecution case. Putting Ryan's deposition as if for the defence is my error; it should not have been part of the deposition.

The Police Magistrate, Tenterfield.

FREDERICK BURNE, C.P.S.

WE, James Brisbane Graham and Robert Donaldson, Justices of the Peace, having been duly sworn, states as follows:—We were the Presiding Magistrates in the case Queen v. Ryan, for larceny, heard in the Police Court, Tenterfield, on the 15th June last; that after hearing the evidence for the prosecution without any evidence being heard or called for the defence we dismissed the case, and our decision to that effect should appear on the depositions as occurring at that stage. We subsequently find that in error our decision has been inserted in the depositions after a statement on oath of the accused Ryan. This statement or deposition was made after the case was dismissed, and we swear that the depositions as now altered are a correct record of the proceeding before us.

Taken and sworn before me, this 4th day of }
September, 1888, at Tenterfield,— }

J. B. GRAHAM,
ROBERT DONALDSON, J.P.

CHARLES A. LEE, J.P.

Noted and returned. Enclosed is an explanation by the Police Magistrate, which he wishes to be sent to His Honor the Chief Justice.—WILLIAM HICKS, sergeant, Tenterfield, 4/9/88. Inspector Garvin, Armidale. I now return all these papers to the Inspector-General of Police, together with a further report from the Adjudicating Magistrate.—THOS. GARVIN, Inspector in charge, Northern District, Armidale, 17/9/88. The Inspector-General of Police, Sydney.

I regret I am unable to submit this matter again for the consideration of his Honor the Chief Justice. Of course Mr. Graham can do so if he thinks proper.—G. READ, Acting Inspector-General of Police. Police Department, Inspector-General's Office, Sydney, 20 September, 1888. Inspector Garvin, Armidale.

Inform Mr. Graham accordingly and return all papers to me without delay.—THOS. GARVIN, Inspector, Armidale, 22/9/88. Sergeant Hicks, Tenterfield.

Police Department, Tenterfield, 24 September, 1888.

Ryan v. Kelly—Perjury.

SERGEANT HICKS reports that J. B. Graham, Esq., Police Magistrate at Tenterfield, wishes to obtain all the papers in above case with a view of sending them to the Minister for Justice, and has requested Sergeant Hicks to ask for permission to hand them to him. These papers are now in Sergeant Hicks' office, and are numbered 88,210 in the Inspector-General's Office of 20th instant, and B. 1,151 in Superintendent's office, Armidale, 22/9/88.

May the sergeant hand these papers to Mr. Graham?

WILLIAM HICKS,
Sergeant.

Thomas Garvin, Esq., Inspector of Police in Charge, Northern District, Armidale.

Has the Inspector-General any objection to these papers being handed over to Mr. Graham, P.M., Tenterfield, as requested?—THOS. GARVIN, Inspector, Armidale, 25/9/88. I have no objection to Mr. Graham having the papers, but I am quite sure he will exercise a wise discretion in permitting the matter to drop.—G. READ, A.I.G., 27/9/88. Mr. Garvin. Attach this to file of papers in your possession, and hand the lot to Mr. Police Magistrate Graham.—THOS. GARVIN, Inspector, Armidale, 29/9/88. Sergeant Hicks, Tenterfield.

On further consideration, as the responsibility of the non-prosecution of Kelly for perjury does rest with the Justices, nor (no matter how satisfied they are that perjury was committed) does it appear their duty to urge such prosecution, and as the censure of his Honor is based on utterly erroneous grounds, as far as the Magistrates are concerned the matter may be allowed to drop.—J. B. GRAHAM, P.M., Tenterfield, 17/10/88. The Acting Inspector-General of Police.

Mr. Graham's further report, dated 17th instant, now forwarded to the Inspector-General of Police, together with all papers connected with the matter.—THOS. GARVIN, Inspector in charge, Northern District. Police Department, Armidale, Superintendent's Office, Northern District, 22 Oct., 1888. The Inspector-General of Police, Sydney.

Put away.—G. READ, A.I.G., 23/10/88.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

PRISONER HOLT.

(CORRESPONDENCE RESPECTING CASE OF.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 22 November, 1888.

RETURN to an *Address* of the Honorable the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, dated 1st November, 1888, praying that His Excellency will be pleased to cause to be laid upon the Table of this House,—

“Copies of all papers having reference to the prisoner Holt.”

(*Mr. Garvan.*)

Extract from Votes and Proceedings.

THURSDAY, 10TH JUNE, 1886.

(6.) Prisoner Edward Brown Holt:—*Mr. Davies*, for *Mr. Garland*, asked the Colonial Secretary,—
Is it a fact that, instead of being sent to Berrima Gaol, in accordance with his sentence, and in accordance with the promise of the Attorney-General to this House, the prisoner Holt has been sent to Parramatta Gaol?

Mr. Garvan answered,—I have obtained the following report from the Comptroller-General of Prisons in this matter, who always, without Ministerial instruction, gives effect to the sentence of the Court:—“Holt has been sent, in the first instance, to Parramatta Gaol. The sentence passed upon prisoner was four years’ hard labour. Such sentences do not specify the prison in which the probationary period of nine months in separate treatment, as provided by the Prisons Regulations, is to be served. Prisoners under such sentences are sent indifferently to Berrima, Parramatta, and Goulburn Prisons. In the two last named a portion of each is set apart for precisely the same treatment as is in operation in Berrima Gaol. Holt was sent to Parramatta in consideration of representations that his attendance would be required in certain equity suits, in view of the greater convenience of bringing him to and from the Court. It is intended, when the occasion for detaining him within convenient reach of Sydney has passed, to transfer him to Berrima.—*HAROLD MACLEAN*, Comptroller-General.” On which report I minuted as follows:—
Notwithstanding the reasons given for sending this prisoner to Parramatta, I think, in accordance with the statement, made by the Attorney-General to the House, that the prisoner should be sent to Berrima Gaol forthwith.—*J. P. GARVAN*.

Memo.

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Memo.

Department of Prisons, 12 June, 1886.

WILL the Visiting Surgeon report as to the state of health of E. B. Holt, Parramatta?

R. A. GOFF.

Report of Visiting Surgeon herewith.—W. WATT (*pro* Gaoler), 14/6/86. The C.-G. P.

Case of E. B. Holt, confinee in Her Majesty's Gaol, Parramatta.

This prisoner was received on the 7th June, 1886, and seen by me on the following day. I found him very depressed and suffering from an attack of rheumatism, from which he has not yet recovered; on this account I sent him into hospital, where he must remain the whole winter. The depression of spirits continues, and he is now on the verge of an attack of acute mania, which nothing but absolute quietude and careful medical treatment will avert.

CHAS. E. ROWLING,
G.M.O.

H.M. Gaol, Parramatta, 14th June, 1886.

The Gaoler, Parramatta Gaol, to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Sir,

H.M. Gaol, Parramatta, 14 June, 1886.

The Comptroller-General of Prisons will see from the attached conviction and history that prisoner Edward B. Holt, now in hospital here, is not in a fit state to be removed to Berrima at present.

I have, &c.,

J. G. HUSSEY,

Gaoler.

P.S.—The Visiting Surgeon is making a special report *re* Holt.

Forwarded with a report attached from the Government Medical Officer—Visiting Surgeon—for the information of the Minister of Justice.—H. MACLEAN, B.C., 15/6/86. The Under Secretary of Justice. Submitted.—W. E. PLUNKETT, 15/6/86. I would be glad if the Government Medical Adviser (Dr. Maclaurin) would personally examine and report upon state of health of this prisoner.—J. P. GARVAN, 18/6/86. The Medical Adviser to the Government.—W. E. PLUNKETT, B.C., 18/6/86. Urgent.

I have examined prisoner E. B. Holt. He is in the Gaol Hospital, suffering from rheumatism in the head and limbs, with very frequent pulse and considerable loss of weight. He is also in a state of extreme mental depression, and his memory seems to be a good deal impaired. In my opinion the state of his health is such that he is unfit to bear removal from the Gaol Hospital.—H. N. MACLAURIN, B.C., 23/6/86. The Under Secretary for Justice. Returned, 25 June. Seen.—J. P. GARVAN, 29/6/86.

[Enclosure.]

PARTICULARS of conviction and history of Edward B. Holt, transferred from the Gaol at Parramatta to Berrima Gaol, under authority of transmission warrant, dated 11th June, 1886.

Name of prisoner, Edward B. Holt; convicted, Sydney, G.D., 28th May, 1886; offence, larceny; sentence, four years' hard labour; Judge Faucett.

Previous convictions:—See papers herewith.

Medical Report.—This prisoner cannot possibly be moved at present; he is confined to his bed, suffering from an attack of rheumatism. In addition to this he is on the verge of an attack of acute mania, which can only be averted by absolute quietude. I have even instructed his solicitor that no business expressing any serious thought must be broached to him.—CHAS. E. ROWLING, G.M.O.

Conduct in Parramatta Gaol, from 7th June to 14th June, 1886:—Orderly, 7; accounted for in foot-note, 7; total number of days, 7; how employed, and other remarks—In hospital.

Punishments, nil.

Personal description of prisoner, see papers herewith.

Money and other property sent with the prisoner, see property sheet attached.

Entitled to gratuity in above gaol from 7th June, 1886.

Sick, Sundays and holidays, 7.

Parramatta Gaol, 14th June, 1886.

The Gaoler, Parramatta Gaol, to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Sir,

H.M. Gaol, Parramatta, 27 July, 1886.

I beg to forward you herewith an extract from the Visiting Surgeon's journal, from which it will be seen that he has released the prisoner named in the margin from separate treatment.

I have, &c.,

J. G. HUSSEY,

Gaoler.

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As this case has attracted much public notice, I think it right to forward this report for the information of the Minister of Justice. When the surgeon so directs on medical grounds, prisoners have to be exempted from "separate treatment" in the A Division. I will give directions for a further report to be made, if during the currency of the regulation nine months' probation Holt sufficiently recovers to be placed in that treatment.—H. MACLEAN, B.C., 28/7/86.

The Under Secretary of Justice. Seen, 31st July, /86. Re-submit papers, with report from Gaoler and Medical Officer, one month from this date.—J. P. GARVAN, 12/8/86. The Comptroller-General of Prisons.—W. E. PLUNKETT, B.C., 13/8/86.

[Enclosure.]

Extract from Visiting Surgeon's Journal, 27 July, 1886.

MEMO.—Edward B. Holt.—As this prisoner's health is still unsatisfactory he must be exempt from separate treatment, the dread of which is certainly retarding his recovery.
The Gaoler, H.M. Gaol, Parramatta. C. E. ROWLING.

Reports in accordance with Minister's minute, to be furnished on the 12th proximo.—R. A. GOFF, Parramatta, B.C., 18/8/86.

PARTICULARS of conviction and prison history of Edward B. Holt, a prisoner in Parramatta Gaol, petitioning for remission of sentence.

Name of prisoner, Edward B. Holt; born in England in 1840; convicted, Sydney Q.S.; 28th May 1886; offence, larceny; sentence, four years' hard labour; Judge Faucett.
Previous convictions, nil.

Prison history—Marks.

| | Days. | Orderly. | In transit. | Sick. |
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| Parramatta Gaol, from 7 June, 1886, to 27 July, 1886 ... | 51 | 51 | " | 51 |
| Totals | 61 | 61 | | 61 |

Punishments, nil.

General conduct in Sydney and Parramatta Gaols, good.

Sick, Sundays and holidays, 61.

Parramatta Gaol, 27th July, 1886.

J. G. HUSSEY,
Gaoler.

The Acting Gaoler, Parramatta Gaol, to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Medical Report in case of E. B. Holt.

Sir,

H.M. Gaol, Parramatta, 13 September, 1886.

I beg to forward herewith the papers in the case of prisoner E. B. Holt, together with a medical report from the visiting surgeon of the gaol.

I have only to add that the prisoner is in the hospital, and appears to me to be totally unfit to undergo separate treatment.

I have, &c.;

W. WATT,

Acting Gaoler.

Medical report as required herewith.—R. A. GOFF, B.C., 14/9/86. The Under Secretary of Justice.

[Enclosure.]

Report in accordance with the instructions contained in minute of the Minister of Justice, dated 12 August, 1886, on E. B. Holt.

This prisoner, although still in a very weak and delicate state of health, is slowly recovering; it has only been by constant care and attention that serious mental mischief has been averted. He is still mentally and physically unfit for solitary confinement, and from this part of his separate treatment he should be at once exempted; his dread of being alone is so great that it is retarding his recovery, and I strongly recommend that he should be told that he will not be expected to suffer this portion of his sentence.

Notwithstanding his being placed on full hospital diet, &c., he has fallen in weight from 12 stone 8 lb. to 9 stone 13 lb. He still suffers at times from severe headaches, loss of memory, and confusion of ideas. He is still unable to sleep without the occasional administration of strong narcotics.

CHAS. E. ROWLING,
Government Medical Officer.

Re-submit papers after obtaining further report from gaoler and medical officer.—J. P. GARVAN, 13/12/86. The Comptroller-General of Prisons.—W. E. PLUNKETT, B.C., 13/12/86. To Parramatta for required reports.—R. A. GOFF, B.C., 16/12/86.

The

The Acting Gaoler, Parramatta Gaol, to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Sir,

Parramatta Gaol, 20 December, 1886.

Ed B. Holt.

I have the honor to forward herewith report from visiting surgeon as to state of health of the prisoner named in the margin. He is treated in hospital, and I can report only that his conduct is good.

I have, &c.,

THOMAS BARNETT,

Acting Gaoler.

As the question of incipient insanity presents itself, would the visiting surgeon think it desirable that prisoner should be seen by the Inspector-General of Insane. Any relaxation or remission of separate treatment disabilities would have to be carefully considered.—H. MACLEAN, B.C., 21/12/86.

Verbally arranged for with the Compt.-General Prisons.—C. E. ROWLING, 1/1/87.

[Enclosure.]

Case of E. B. Holt, confinee in Her Majesty's Gaol, Parramatta.

Office of Government Medical Officer, Parramatta, 18 December, 1886.

THERE is very little change to report in the state of the prisoner's health. He still suffers much from mental depression, confusion of ideas, loss of memory, with occasional attacks of pain in the head and vertigo. He gets very little sleep beyond that produced by strong narcotics, the use of which I, of course, recommend as sparingly as possible. These symptoms all point to serious brain trouble, which at any moment may take on a more alarming phase. He occasionally also suffers from rheumatism, sometimes of rather a severe character. The loss of flesh has ceased, but there is as yet no gain, his appetite being very bad.

It will be seen that the necessity for careful and watchful treatment is as urgent now as it was at the date of my last report; but I have hopes that, by seizing any opportunity of giving him active employment of a responsible nature, his thoughts and ideas may be turned into other grooves, and his health thus benefited. If such an opportunity arises before his term of "separate treatment" expires, I shall not hesitate to order the remission of this portion of his sentence and its disabilities.

CHAS. E. ROWLING,

Government Medical Officer.

The Comptroller-General of Prisons to The Under Secretary of Justice.

Sir,

Department of Prisons, Comptroller-General's Office, Sydney, 4 January, 1887.

In consequence of a report from the Visiting Surgeon at Parramatta Gaol as to the condition of mind of prisoner E. Holt, and also with reference to an important matter concerning this prisoner, on which I am preparing the needful information for the consideration of the Minister of Justice, I have the honor to recommend that the Inspector-General of Insane be requested without delay to visit the prisoner, and report upon his case.

It is desirable that before visiting Parramatta, Dr. Manning should place himself in communication with myself.

I have, &c.,

HAROLD MACLEAN,

Comptroller-General.

Prepare letter to accompanying copy hereof, for Colonial Secretary.—F. B. SUTTOR, 4/1/87.

The Under Secretary of Justice to the Principal Under Secretary.

Sir,

Department of Justice, Sydney, 5 January, 1887.

In transmitting the enclosed copy of letter, from the Comptroller-General of Prisons, respecting the case of prisoner E. Holt, I have the honor by direction of the Minister of Justice, to ask you to move the Colonial Secretary to have the goodness to cause the Inspector-General of Insane, to take the necessary steps in the case herein referred to.

I have, &c.,

W. E. PLUNKETT,

Under Secretary.

Refer to Dr. Manning, the Inspector-General of the Insane.—CRITCHETT WALKER, P.U.S., B.C., 11/1/87.

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I have, &c.,
HAROLD MACLEAN,
Comptroller-General.

The Comptroller-General of Prisons to The Under Secretary of Justice.

Sir, Department of Prisons, Comptroller-General's Office, Sydney, 11 January, 1887.

Referring to my letter of the 4th instant, in which I alluded to an important matter relating to prisoner E. B. Holt that I was not then prepared to bring under the notice of the Minister of Justice, I have now the honor to forward a report from the gaoler at Parramatta, relating to the subject referred to, dated the 31st ultimo.

This report encloses a copy of proceedings before the Visiting Justice on a charge against the prisoner of having in his possession printed papers and manuscripts in his own handwriting, contrary to prison rule. It will be perceived that Dr. Rowling, Visiting Surgeon, accepted the responsibility of prisoner having these papers, whereupon the prisoner was discharged.

In these circumstances it devolved upon me to call upon Dr. Rowling for an explanation for the consideration of the Minister of Justice.

I enclose a copy of my letter requiring the explanation, and the answer of Dr. Rowling, forwarded through the Medical Adviser to the Government, which has just now reached me.

The gravamen of the question as affecting the action of Dr. Rowling lies in the character of the information furnished to the prisoner, which it will be perceived contains copious extracts of the news of the day up to quite recent dates—inclusive of the Mount Rennie affair—and other Police intelligence (see Scrap-book E), full knowledge of all correspondence and particulars in the prisoner's own case, and further a knowledge of a correspondence passing between the Minister of Justice, the Visiting Surgeons of Prisons, and myself, upon the subject of dealing with life sentences.

To measure the significance of this knowledge being in the possession of the prisoner, it must be understood that it consequently became, in the conditions of hospital intercommunication, more or less extended to the entire prison. Any executive prison officer bringing such information into a prison would be summarily dismissed.

The explanation of Dr. Rowling rests almost entirely upon medical grounds in the sense of treating a mind regarded by him as being in a dangerously critical state, and must be dealt with by weighing the extent to which the rules of prisons can properly be postponed to medical treatment.

Dr. Rowling has entirely misapprehended the motives of my remarks and manner at the time of the inquiry in inferring that I was of opinion that he was in his course of action looking for some benefit to himself.

I have known Dr. Rowling for many years, formerly as Visiting Surgeon of Mudgee Gaol, and I entirely disclaim any such opinion, which would have been contrary to all my previous knowledge of that gentleman.

The misconception probably arose from the extreme gravity with which I regarded the circumstances as being of a seriously compromising character.

But while exonerating Dr. Rowling from having been actuated by motives other than those he avers, and certainly having no desire to regard his action in other than the most favourable light, I am bound to express my own opinion that no condition of a prisoner could justify his being in possession of the information afforded to him.

Dr. Rowling has referred to Holt having being allowed to copy newspaper extracts, by the late Mr. Hussey, Gaoler. It is right for me to state that Mr. Hussey represented to me that the Surgeon had advised that Holt should have some copying to do.

I approved, with the proviso, that great care should be taken as to the matter; and I call to mind that Dr. Rowling once spoke to me on the subject, and I made the same remark, observing that he could not be too careful.

Dr.

Dr. Rowling seems to think that some caution or hint should have been given to him.

Officers in charge of Prisons are necessarily very careful not to interfere with the Visiting Medical Officers, and cautious in offering advice or suggestions.

For myself I may say that it would never occur to me to anticipate a Medical Officer furnishing such information as the prisoner was supplied with.

As regards the prisoner-clerk, it had already been brought under my notice that he was allowed to have official knowledge that he should not have had, but this case superseded my intended action in the matter.

Regarding the complaint of Dr. Rowling, that he was not treated with courtesy, I can only say that the course of seizing from the prisoner what are regarded as contraband articles is in accord with general practice, and bringing up the prisoner on the charge appeared to the Visiting Justice and myself to be the best way to bring it into shape; thus Dr. Rowling, instead of having been taxed with furnishing the papers, was able to come forward and relieve the prisoner.

As Dr. Rowling is an officer primarily of the Medical Department, I would suggest that these papers be referred to the Medical Adviser.

I have, &c.,

HAROLD MACLEAN,

Comptroller-General.

The Medical Adviser to the Government, for favour of report.—W. CLARKE, 22/1/87. The Secretary to the Medical Adviser, B.C., 24/1/87.—W. E. PLUNKETT.

[Enclosures.]

The Acting Gaoler, Parramatta, to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Sir,

H. M. Gaol, Parramatta, 31 December, 1886.

I have the honor to forward evidence taken before the Visiting Justice to-day, and in your presence, in the case of prisoner Edward B. Holt, charged with having in his possession manuscripts, marked "A," of his case, in his own handwriting; copies of minutes of Comptroller-General, Minister for Justice, Visiting Surgeon, and Gaoler, to these I beg particularly to draw your attention; also to what appears to me the copy of letter of a confidential nature from Dr. Brown, late Visiting Surgeon here, to Dr. Rowling, and also in prisoner Holt's handwriting, marked "B."

Also to the following books, taken from the prisoner (5): Sporting record, in Holt's handwriting, of yachting, coursing, boxing, bicycling, pedestrianism, racehorse owners and colours, and time records, aquatics, &c., marked "C."

Newspaper cuttings, consisting principally of sporting events, marked "D."

News cuttings of crime reports, trials, police news, &c., marked "E."

Album containing newspaper cuttings of sporting matters—boxing, prize-fights, rowing, racing, &c., and marked "F."

Also Standard letter and invoice file, containing newspaper cuttings on various subjects, ready for mounting, and marked "G."

I would beg to call your attention to the last entry on paper marked "A," showing how well Holt is posted in his case up to Comptroller-General's (your) minute of 21st instant.

I have, &c.,

THOMAS BARNETT,

Acting Gaoler.

Parramatta Gaol, 31 December, 1886.

Before the Visiting Justice.

PRISONER Edward B. Holt charged with having in his possession printed papers and manuscripts (in his own handwriting) contrary to Prison Regulations, viz:—Standard letter and invoice file, news cuttings (two books), sporting record, news album, and newspaper clippings and precis of correspondence of his own case, copy of letter concerning prisoners' sentences, and other papers.

Prisoner Holt states: Admit having had all the books, papers, &c., produced before the Court, in my possession. They were handed to me by Dr. Rowling, with instructions to collate certain statistics and index which he desired to make when I felt well enough. I did not do so, because they were not long enough in my possession.

Made before me, this 31st day of December, 1886,—

NEIL STEWART, V.J.

EDWARD B. HOLT.

Dr. Rowling states all the evidence given by prisoner Holt is absolutely true.

Made before me this 31st day of December, 1886,—

NEIL STEWART, V.J.

CHAS. E. ROWLING.

"A"

The case of Edward B. Holt, sentenced 27th May, 1886, to four years' hard labour. Received at Parramatta Gaol 7th June, 1886, from Darlinghurst Gaol.

His papers contained the following Medical Report from Dr. O'Connor, the Visiting Surgeon to Darlinghurst Gaol:—"Suffering from a slight attack of rheumatism.—MAURICE J. O'CONNOR, Visiting Surgeon."

The prisoner was brought before the Government Medical Officer at Parramatta Gaol on 8th June, 1886, and sent into hospital on same day. The following is an extract from Government Medical Officer's Journal:—"8th June, 1886. Suffering from slight attack of rheumatism. Treatment—Flannel, *inter*. His 'separate treatment' to be served in hospital till the warm weather."

Consequent upon a question in the House on 10th June, 1886, by Mr. Garland: Why prisoner Holt was not sent to Berrima Gaol? The Comptroller-General of Prisons furnished the following memorandum to the Minister of Justice:—"Holt has been sent in the first instance to Parramatta Gaol. The sentence passed upon prisoner was four years hard labour. Such sentences do not specify the prison in which the probationary period of nine months in separate treatment, as provided by the Prison Regulations, is to be served. Prisoners under such sentences are sent indifferently to Berrima, Parramatta, and Goulburn prisons, in the two last-named a portion in each is set apart for precisely the same treatment as is in operation in Berrima Gaol. Holt was sent to Parramatta, in consideration of representations that his attendance would be required as a witness in certain Equity suits, in view of the greater convenience of bringing him to and from the Court. It is intended when the occasion for detaining him has passed to transfer him to Berrima.—HAROLD MACLEAN, Comptroller-General."

Notwithstanding the reasons given for sending this prisoner to Parramatta, I think, that in accordance with the statement made by the Attorney-General to the House, that the prisoner should be sent to Berrima Gaol forthwith.—J.P.G.

Information to the above effect was subsequently furnished to the House by the Minister of Justice in reply to Mr. Garland, and instructions were sent by the Comptroller-General of Prisons to the Gaoler at Parramatta to forward Holt at once to Berrima.

The Gaoler telegraphed to the Comptroller-General as follows:—"Holt in hospital; too ill to be removed; am forwarding medical report."

Medical Report.

11th June, 1886.—The prisoner cannot possibly be removed at present. He is confined to his bed, suffering from an attack of rheumatism; in addition to this he is on the verge of an attack of acute mania, which can only be averted by absolute quietness. I have even instructed his solicitor that no business requiring any serious thought must be broached to him.

CHAS. E. ROWLING, G.M.O.

Subsequently the Gaoler wrote to the Comptroller-General thus:—

Sir,

H.M. Gaol, Parramatta, 14 June, 1886.

The Comptroller-General of Prisons will see from the attached conviction and history that prisoner Edward B. Holt, now in hospital here, is not in a fit state to be removed to Berrima at present.

J. G. HUSSEY,
Gaoler.

To the Comptroller-General of Prisons, Sydney.

P.S.—The Visiting Surgeon is making a special report *re* Holt.

Will the Visiting Surgeon report as to the state of health of E. B. Holt?—R. A. GORF, 13/6/86.

Special Report by Government Medical Officer.

H.M. Gaol, Parramatta, 14 June, 1886.

E. B. Holt, confinee.

THIS prisoner was received on 7th June, 1886, and seen by me on the following day. I found him very depressed, and suffering from an attack of rheumatism, from which he has not yet recovered. On this account I sent him into hospital, where he must remain the whole winter. The depression of spirits continue, and he is now on the verge of an acute attack of mania, which nothing but absolute quietude and careful medical treatment will avert.

CHAS. E. ROWLING, G.M.O.

Forwarded, with a report attached from the Government Medical Officer, Visiting Surgeon, for the information of the Minister of Justice.—H. MACLEAN, 15/6/86. To the Under Secretary for Justice.

I would be glad if the Government Medical Adviser (Dr. Maclaurin) would personally examine and report upon the state of health of this prisoner.—J. P. GARVAN, 18/6/86.

Forwarded to the Medical Adviser to the Government. Urgent.—W. E. PLUNKETT, 18/6/86.

Report by the Government Medical Adviser.

I HAVE examined prisoner E. B. Holt. He is in the Gaol hospital suffering from rheumatism in the head and limbs, with very frequent pulse, and considerable loss of weight. He is also in a state of extreme mental depression, and his memory seems to be a good deal impaired. In my opinion the state of his health is such that he is unfit to bear removal from the Gaol hospital.

The Under Secretary of Justice.

H. N. MACLAURIN, 23/6/86.

Seen.—J. P. GARVAN, 29/6/86.

Extract from journal of Government Medical Officer, addressed to the Gaoler, Parramatta, *re* E. B. Holt:—"22nd June, 1886. I think some light clerical work would do this man good by occupying his mind—to remain a hospital patient.—C. E. ROWLING, G.M.O."

NOTE.—

NOTE.—In furtherance of the object, Mr. Hussey, the late Gaoler, supplied the prisoner with light clerical labour.

Extract from journal of Government Medical Officer, addressed to the Gaoler, Parramatta, *re* E. B. Holt:—"27th July, 1886. As this prisoner's health is still unsatisfactory, he must be exempt from separate treatment, the dread of which is certainly retarding his recovery.—C. E. ROWLING, G.M.O."

Sir,

H.M. Gaol, Parramatta, 27 July, 1886.

I beg to forward you herewith an extract from the Visiting Surgeon's journal, from which it will be seen that he has released the prisoner named in the margin from separate treatment.

E. B. Holt.

I have, &c.,

J. G. HUSSEY,
Gaoler.

The Comptroller-General of Prisons, Sydney.

As this case has attracted much public notice, I think it right to forward this report for the information of the Minister of Justice.

When the Surgeon so directs, on medical grounds, prisoners have to be exempted from separate treatment in the A division.

I will give directions for a further report to be made if, during the currency of the regulation nine months' probation, Holt sufficiently recovers to be placed in that treatment.

H.M., 28/7/86.

The Under Secretary for Justice. Secn.—W. E. PLUNKETT, 31/7/86. Resubmit papers, with report from gaoler and medical officer, one month from this date.—J. P. GARVAN, 12/8/86. To the Comptroller-General of Prisons.—W. E. PLUNKETT, 13/8/86.

The Comptroller-General to The Gaoler, Parramatta.

Sir,

Sydney, 29 July, 1886.

In reference to the report of the Visiting Surgeon, exempting prisoner Holt from the separate treatment portion of the A division, it must be understood that such exemption does not relieve him from the other disabilities of that division.

It will be necessary, should the prisoner sufficiently recover during the nine months' probation for separate treatment, the fact should be reported for further directions.

I have, &c.,

H. MACLEAN,
Comptroller-General.

The Government Medical Officer to The Gaoler, Parramatta.

H.M. Gaol, Parramatta, 31 July, 1886.

MEMO.—I don't know what the other disabilities are, but I presume they can be dealt with as occasion arises. The prisoner's health is improving, and this of course is the only matter of importance to me, and my only reason for recommending his exemption is to relieve his head, which is almost a monomania.

CHAS. E. ROWLING.

Government Medical Officer.

REPORT of Government Medical Officer, furnished in accordance with the instructions contained in minute of Minister of Justice, of 12 August, on confine, Edward B. Holt.

12 September, 1886.

THIS prisoner, although in a very weak and delicate state of health, is slowly recovering. It has only been by constant care and attention that serious mental mischief has been averted. He is still mentally and physically unfit for solitary confinement, and from this part of his separate treatment he should be at once exempted, his dread of being alone is so great that it is retarding his recovery, and I strongly recommend that he should be told that he will not be expected to suffer this portion of his sentence. Notwithstanding his being placed on full hospital diet, &c., he has fallen in weight from 12 stone 8 lb. to 9 stone 13 lb. He still suffers at times from severe headaches, loss of memory, and confusion of ideas. He is still unable to sleep without the occasional administration of strong narcotics.

CHAS. E. ROWLING,

Government Medical Officer.

The Gaoler, Parramatta, to The Comptroller-General.

Sir,

H.M. Gaol, Parramatta, 13 September, 1886.

I beg to forward herewith the papers in the case of E. B. Holt, together with medical report from the Visiting Surgeon of this gaol. I have only to add that the prisoner is in the hospital, and appears to me to be totally unfit to undergo separate treatment.

I have, &c.,

A. WATT,
Acting Gaoler.

Medical report as required herewith.—R. A. GORR, 14/9/86. To Under Secretary of Justice.
NOTE.—These papers were put by till 7th November.

Telegram

Telegram from The Comptroller-General to The Gaoler, Parramatta.

Sydney, 16 September, 1886, 4:45 p.m.
 HABEAS posted to-night for production of E. B. Holt at Jury Court. Supreme Court at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

R. A. GOFF,
 Deputy Comptroller of Prisons.

Telegram from The Government Medical Officer, Parramatta, to The Comptroller-General.

Parramatta, 16 September, 1886, 8.40 p.m.
 It is out of the question that Holt should attend at the Jury Court to-morrow. The excitement would certainly be followed by serious results. I therefore firmly but respectfully protest against his removal.
 CHAS. E. ROWLING,
 Government Medical Officer.

Telegram from The Comptroller-General to The Gaoler, Parramatta.

Sydney, 17 September, 1886, 10.46 a.m.
 ON report of Visiting Surgeon, Holt's attendance at the Supreme Court to-day may be dispensed with.
 R. A. GOFF,
 Deputy Comptroller of Prisons.

Department of Minister of Justice.

Subject: Medical report in re state of health of prisoner, E. B. Holt, from Comptroller-General of Prisons, date 14th September, 1886.

Immediate.—Will these papers be put by for the present?—T. E. MACNEVIN, 7/11/86. Resubmit papers after obtaining further report from Gaoler and Medical Officer.—J. P. GARYAN, 13/12/86. To Comptroller-General of Prisons.—W. E. PLUNKETT, 13/12/86. To Parramatta, for required reports.—R. A. GOFF, 16/12/86.

Report by The Government Medical Officer.

Case of E. B. Holt, confinee in H.M. Gaol, Parramatta.

Office of Government Medical Officer, Parramatta, 18 December, 1886.

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CHAS. E. ROWLING,
 Government Medical Officer.

The Gaoler, Parramatta, to The Comptroller-General.

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He is treated in hospital, and I can only report that his conduct is good.

I have, &c.,
 THOMAS BARNETT,
 Acting Gaoler.

E. B. Holt,

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APPENDIX.

1886.

Medical Treatment.—Case of E. B. Holt.

- June 8. Ordered from separate treatment; to remain in hospital till warm weather.
 „ 8. Flannels; lin. tereb.
 „ 9. Haust alb., Dover's powder.
 „ 10. Haust chloral.
 „ 11. Hot bath.
 „ 12. Haust alb., Dover's powder.
 „ 13. Mist. alb. cum. strych.
 „ 14. Underclothing recommended.
 „ 16. Hot bath, occasionally.
 „ 20. Mist. bromid., xxx grs.
 „ 21. Menthol.
 „ 22. Light clerical work recommended.
 „ 24. Examined by Government Medical Adviser.
 „ 26. Haust alb., Dover's powder.
 „ 30. Emp. lytt., 4 x 2.
 July 3. Permission to smoke.
 „ 5. Special prescription—Ether. morph. cal.
 „ 6. „ Bychlor. pot. bromid., amy.
 „ 9. „ Alb. c. strych., u., in large quantities.
 „ 16. Pil. podop.
 „ 23. „
 „ 27. Ordered exemption from separate treatment.
 „ 30. Pil. podop.
 Aug. 1. Pil. 219; omit chloral.
 „ 12. Haust chloral.
 „ 13. Haust chloral et Bromid.
 „ 18. Pil. podop.
 „ 22. Pil. phosphor., 1/25.
 „ 23. Pil. phosphor., 1/50.
 „ 28. Sinapism.
 „ 30. Mist. stimulans.
 Sept. 2. Special prescription—chlor., morph., mur., amy.
 „ 10. Exempt from shaving; nervousness.
 „ 14. Pil. podop.
 „ 20. H. cannab.
 „ 23. Special prescription—By. cal. hyd., cannab. syrup, amyl.
 „ 26. Sinapism.
 Oct. 12. Euthrox coca.
 „ 18. Haust, Euthrox coca, &c.
 Nov. 17. Sinapism.
 „ 24. Haust chlor., bromid.

NOTE.—Between the intervals in above dates the various prescriptions were repeated.

APPENDIX.

1886.

DIET.

- June 8. Full Hospital.
 „ 9. Brandy, 3 ounces daily.
 „ 23. Rice, 2 ounces; half pint milk extra.
 July 16. Tea and sugar.
 Aug. 23. Cabbage.

RECORD OF WEIGHT.

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| August 2 | ... | 10 7 |
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| August 23 | ... | 10 2 |
| August 30 | ... | 10 1 |
| September 6 | ... | 10 0 |
| September 13 | ... | 9 13 |
| September 20 | ... | 9 12 |
| October 4 | ... | 9 10 |
| October 25 | ... | 9 9 |
| November 15 | ... | 9 8 |
| December 13 | ... | 9 7½ |

B.

My dear Mr. Rowling,

Burlington, 21 December, 1886.

In reply to your request for my view of life being affected by imprisonment, &c., I should look at the question under three or four aspects.

If in good health when convicted, I think that the plain, wholesome food, good sanitation (if there is such a word), regular exercise, no exposure to inclement weather, and general regularity of hours would enable a man to live his regular term out, notwithstanding a somewhat short allowance of free fresh air.

If suffering from lung disease, or with consumptive antecedents, the absence of the essentials of living to him, as free fresh air in abundance, light nourishment, medical comforts in variety, and comfortable surroundings, would tend to shorten life more or less, according to the man's condition when received into gaol.

If suffering from heart disease, affection of bowels or urinary organs, the regularity of living, regular medical attendance and uniform mode of living, would be all in his favour and tend to some extent to prolong his life.

The social position of a man would also have some claim to consideration.

The termination of the circular, "And if so, to what extent," is one of those ridiculous questions that only Ministers of Justice ask, as though every man was under similar circumstances.

These are jottings which strike me at the time, but on which you can enlarge to the extent of three sheets foolscap, making it rather confusing by "ifs" and "supposes" and "provided," and a few hard professional terms.

Believe me, &c.,

WALTER BROWN.

The Comptroller-General of Prisons to The Visiting Surgeon, Parramatta Gaol.

Sir,

H.M. Gaol, Parramatta, 31 December, 1886.

I have the honor to enclose a copy of proceedings before the Visiting Justice in a charge against prisoner Holt, conducted in your presence, of having had in his possession, contrary to prison rules, printed papers, and manuscripts in his own handwriting.

In explanation the prisoner stated that these papers and writings were placed in his possession by yourself, and this statement you confirmed.

I endeavoured to point out to you in what respects how entirely, in the view of the Visiting Justice and myself, the possession of these papers was subversive of prison rule and discipline in order to facilitate your explanation, which the circumstances require me to ask for the consideration of the Minister of Justice.

I have, &c.,

HAROLD MACLEAN,

Comptroller-General of Prisons.

The Secretary, Board of Health, to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Board of Health Office, Macquarie-street, Sydney, 10 January, 1887.

I HAVE received the enclosed letter from the Government Medical Officer at Parramatta covering a communication for the Comptroller-General of Prisons. As I have not seen the previous papers, I am not in a position to offer any remarks on the matter at present; I therefore forward it for Mr. Maclean's consideration.

H. N. MACLAURIN.

The Visiting Surgeon, Parramatta Gaol, to The Medical Adviser to the Government.

Sir,

Office of Government Medical Officer, Parramatta, 10 January, 1887.

I do myself the honor to forward through you to the Comptroller-General of Prisons an explanation of certain circumstances asked for by him on 31st December last.

I have, &c.,

CHAS. E. ROWLING.

The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

H.M. Gaol, Parramatta, 4 January, 1887.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of 31st December last, covering a copy of proceedings or depositions in the case of prisoner E. B. Holt, charged with having in his possession certain printed papers, manuscripts, &c.

These papers, &c., Holt stated had been placed in his possession by me, and this statement I confirmed. Your letter also states that at the time these proceedings took place, you "endeavoured to point out in what respects how entirely, in the view of the Visiting Justice and myself, the possession of these papers was subversive of prison rule and discipline, in order to facilitate my explanation, which the circumstances require you to ask, for the consideration of the Minister of Justice."

In reply, I must, in the first place, do myself the justice to state that whatever passed between myself and Holt, or between myself and any other prisoner, I was actuated wholly and solely by a desire to be of benefit to my patients; and also, that I had not the faintest idea that I was in any way subverting "prison rule or discipline." I mention this, because, a vivid impression was left on my mind by your remarks and your manner in making them, that you were of opinion that I was looking for some benefit to myself. When any inmate of the gaol comes to me ailing, I at once and altogether lose sight of (or try to do so) the prisoner and see only the patient. Nor would I allow "prison rule or discipline" (of course within certain elastic bounds) to stand between my patient and his restoration to health. I recognize a very high and important duty in, as far as in me lies, assisting the cause of justice; but above and beyond this there is a still higher and more important duty which calls upon me to allow nothing to prevent, or even to retard, the cure of those sick prisoners who are entrusted to my professional care.

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In Holt's case, as soon as his physical condition began to improve, he became so terribly despondent and low spirited, sometimes crying nearly the whole day and night, that I feared that, unless the current of his thoughts could be turned, he would sink into melancholia, or develop an attack of acute mania. Under these circumstances, I asked Mr. Hussey to find him some light clerical work. This he promised to do, and gave Holt some manuscript to copy, and also some printed matter, extracts from books, clippings from newspapers, &c., &c.; in fact, with the exception of official papers, exactly the same character of work as that found now in his possession. The improvement caused by this step was very marked, and I was much pleased at having made such a lucky hit. After Mr. Hussey's death these papers were sent to his widow, and in a few days Holt began to fall back. I then gave him some papers to copy, and soon finding that he was specially interested in sporting matters, I gave him a lot of sporting clippings, and asked him to copy and tabulate the facts in them. After this I gave him some albums containing newspaper clippings, and asked him to page and index them.

At this time my official correspondence was getting so large that it began to occupy too much of my time, and I asked prisoner Wyndham, who was my dispensary clerk, to get Holt to copy letters, memos, &c., into certain books that I gave him, and thus relieve me of the trouble of writing the same thing twice, and at the same time give him some work with some little responsibility attached to it. As all official correspondence of mine in connection with the gaol had from the first passed through the hands of the prisoner who acted as my clerk, and by whom papers were every day brought to me and sent back again open, I had no idea that I was guilty of any official irregularity in the course I adopted. If any proof of this is required it is furnished by the openness with which this was done. I never attempted to conceal anything. My answers were dictated to Wyndham in the presence of any official who happened to be present in the dispensary at the time. The albums, &c., were taken openly into the gaol by me, without even a wrapper round them. The officers on duty at the gate must have seen them—in fact, did see them—for their exact number was known. They were also openly taken from the dispensary up to the hospital, and on several occasions I sent one or other of my prisoner-assistants from the hospital to the dispensary for books or papers that I had forgotten to bring upstairs with me.

In the hospital again there was no attempt at concealment. The books, &c., were always lying on the table or on one of the beds. What appears so extraordinary in all this is that no hint was ever given to me that I was doing wrong. The manner in which the capture of the books was effected shows that it was contemplated at any rate for some days before, and surely the proper course to have adopted would have been to have drawn my attention to the irregularity. This would at once have put an end to it and would not, as far as I can see, have been in any way objectionable. A word would have been sufficient, but that word was not spoken; and I think that I have cause for complaint in the discourteous manner in which I was treated, as your own remarks to me showed that the manner in which Holt got the books was quite well known.

No one can be more desirous of conforming to rule and regulation than I am, and I think I may venture to assume that you will acquit me of any wilful disregard of order. My sole object was the restoration to health of my patient; his case had been throughout a most interesting psychological study. He came an absolute stranger to me;—before his flight I don't remember that I ever even heard his name. I have watched the progress of his case with absorbing interest, and, if in my anxiety and zeal for his welfare, I have strayed beyond the bounds of gaol rule and "discipline," I can only promise to be more careful for the future, and repeat that if I have committed a serious offence I have done so unwittingly, and at the same time in so open a manner, as to make me feel that I have not been quite fairly treated by those who were aware of what I was doing, and yet took no steps to caution or advise me.

I have, &c.,
CHAS. E. ROWLING,
Surgeon.

The Inspector-General of Insane to The Principal Under Secretary.

Lunacy Department, Inspector-General's Office, Callan Park,

Sir,

Balmain, 18 January, 1887.

In accordance with the request contained in the letter of the Under Secretary for Justice, dated the 5th instant, I do myself the honor to report that I visited Parramatta Gaol yesterday and examined prisoner Edward Brown Holt. I found Holt in a very depressed condition of general health; he is continuing to lose weight, and there is a great irritability of the heart, with rapid action. The mental symptoms are great depression of spirits, sleeplessness, loss of memory, and mental confusion. I have no doubt but that the prisoner has been for some time past in a critical mental condition, and I do not feel that all danger of insanity is over. After a full consideration of his case, I beg to recommend:—

1st. That he should be at once relieved from all the disabilities of the separate treatment portion of A division,

2nd. That he should be removed to some other gaol, so as to give him a change, which may probably be of benefit to his health, and I would suggest Goulburn as being a suitable climate.

3rd. That he should be furnished with some light work, so as to give him mental occupation.

I have, &c.,

F. NORTON MANNING,

Inspector-General,

The Medical Adviser with reference to other papers.—CRITCHETT WALKER, B.C., 31/1/87.

Minute of Comptroller-General of Prisons on above letter.

Prisoner Holt will now, under the recommendation in this report, be transferred to Goulburn, and also relieved of all the classification disabilities of the A Division. A warrant for his transmission is attached. This paper will go to the gaoler at Parramatta to be passed on with prisoner to Goulburn. It will first be laid before the visiting surgeon at Parramatta, in order that he may communicate to the visiting surgeon at Goulburn any medical information that he may think desirable upon the case. The special attention of the visiting surgeon at Goulburn to be drawn to this report, with my request for a report from himself on the state of the prisoner within a month.

The gaoler at Goulburn to report what light work can be found for prisoner under the recommendation in the concluding paragraph. I should think that suitable clerical work might be found in one of the overseers' offices.—B.C., H. MACLEAN, 28/2/87. Parramatta.

Will Dr. Rowling please report to-day and return papers for transmission with Holt to Goulburn.—N. STEWART, A.G., 2/3/8. The Visiting Surgeon. Visiting Surgeon's report will follow.—N. STEWART, A.G., 3/3/87. The Gaoler, Goulburn.

The Medical Adviser to The Government to The Under Secretary of Justice.

Board of Health Office, 127 Macquarie-street, Sydney, 7 February, 1887.

Prisoner E. B. Holt.

AFTER consultation with the Comptroller-General of Prisons, I entirely concur in the recommendations of the Inspector-General of Insane in this case.

H. N. MACLAURIN,
Medical Adviser.

Let the recommendation of Inspector-General of Insane (approved of by Comptroller-General of Prisons) be given effect to.—W. CLARKE, 18/2/87.

The Comptroller-General of Prisons, B.C.—W. E. PLUNKETT, 22 February, 1887. Noted and returned, B.C.—H. N. MACLAURIN, 28/2/87. The Under Secretary of Justice.

The Medical Adviser to the Government to The Under Secretary of Justice.

Board of Health Office, 127 Macquarie-street, Sydney, 7 February, 1887.

Visiting Surgeon of Parramatta Gaol,

AFTER a careful perusal of these papers I cannot but come to the conclusion that this officer has committed a serious breach of prison discipline in the case of prisoner E. B. Holt. I believe that his motives were good; but I must regard his action as a very grave indiscretion.

I would recommend that he should be warned of the serious nature of the error into which he has fallen; and further, that he should be directed, if at any future time he should feel it his duty for reasons connected with the health of a prisoner to interfere in any way with the discipline of the prison, to report his action forthwith to the Comptroller-General, who may then take such steps as the nature of the case may seem to require.

H. N. MACLAURIN,
Medical Adviser.

Minute on above letter.

Communicate the substance of this minute to Visiting Surgeon at Parramatta Gaol, with which I entirely concur.—W. CLARKE, 18/2/87.

The Under Secretary of Justice to The Visiting Surgeon, Parramatta Gaol.

Sir,

Department of Justice, Sydney, 22 February, 1887.

Referring to your letter of the 10th January last, forwarding through the Medical Adviser to the Government an explanation in regard to certain complaints preferred against you in connection with prisoner E. B. Holt, in Parramatta Gaol,—I am directed to forward for your information the enclosed copy of a minute written by Dr. MacLaurin upon the subject, with which the Minister of Justice entirely concurs. 7 February, 1887.

I have, &c.,

W. E. PLUNKETT,
Under Secretary.

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The Visiting Surgeon, Goulburn Gaol, to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Respecting health of prisoner Holt.

Sir,

H. M. Gaol, Goulburn, 26 March, 1887.

I have the honor to report that since prisoner Holt has been an inmate of this Gaol, he has lost considerably in weight, he suffers from insomnia, loss of appetite, defective memory, which is becoming more marked, and in conversation he frequently loses the thread of his discourse. His mental condition is in my opinion very serious. He also suffers frequent paroxysms of intense grief and his bowels are obstinately constive. Taking into consideration the general falling off both mentally and bodily and the time he has yet to serve, I would beg strongly to recommend his release from further confinement forthwith.

I have, &c.,

P. H. GENTLE, M.D.

During the period that prisoner Holt has been in this gaol, he has been well under my observation, and I am able to fully coincide with the general tenor of this report.—P. HERBERT, G., 26/3/87. Goulburn. The Under Secretary of Justice, B.C., 28/3/87.—R. A. GOFF.

PARTICULARS of conviction and prison history of Edward B. Holt, a prisoner in Goulburn Gaol, petitioning for remission of sentence.

Name of prisoner, Edward Brown Holt; born, 1840, England; convicted, Supreme Criminal Court, Sydney, 28 May, 1886; offence, larceny; sentence, 4 years hard labour; Judge, Faucett.

Previous convictions:—Nil.

Prison history.

| | Days. | Orderly. | | *Sick. |
|---|-------|----------|-------------|--------|
| Darlinghurst Gaol, from 28 May, 1886, to 7 June, 1886 | 10 | 10 | In transit. | 10 |
| Parramatta Gaol, from 7 June, 1886, to 3 March, 1887 | 268 | 268 | " | 268 |
| Goulburn Gaol, from 4 March, 1887, to 26 March, 1887 | 22 | 22 | " | 22 |
| Totals ... | 300 | 300 | | 300 |

Punishments, nil. General conduct in Gaol, good.

Goulburn Gaol, 26th March, 1887.

P. HERBERT,

Gaoler.

* Sick, Sundays, and holidays.

Submitted, 31/3/87.—The Government Medical Adviser for advice in this case, submitting Dr. Gentle's report.—W. CLARKE, 2/4/87. A. C. FRASER., B.C., 4/4/87.

After consultation with the Comptroller-General of Prisons, respecting this case, I would advise, that prisoner Holt be brought to Darlinghurst Gaol so that I may have an opportunity of examining him myself, with a view to furnishing a report on his condition.—B.C., H. N. MACLAURIN, 12/4/87.

The Comptroller-General of Prisons,—I concur in recommendation of Dr. Maclaurin, that Holt should be removed to Darlinghurst Gaol for purposes of examination, and observation, but great care must be taken, that the object of Holt's removal is not in any way communicated to him, or that his removal is owing to any other cause than for prison arrangements.—W. CLARKE, 28/4/87.

The Comptroller-General of Prisons.—B.C., A. C. FRASER, 28/4/87. Warrant.—2/5/87.

The Deputy-Governor Sydney Gaol to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Reporting arrival of Edward B. Holt.

Sir,

Darlinghurst Gaol, 5 May, 1887.

I have the honor to report that the prisoner Edward B. Holt, was received into this gaol from Goulburn yesterday afternoon, he has been seen by the Visiting Surgeon, and placed in the hospital.

I have, &c.,

JOHN LOVETT,

Deputy-Governor, Sydney Gaol.

For the information of the Medical Adviser to the Government, Holt's papers are at Darlinghurst.—H. MACLEAN, B.C., 5/5/87. I have to-day visited the gaol at Darlinghurst, and seen prisoner E. B. Holt. He has lost flesh; but on the whole he appeared to me to be rather better than when I saw him formerly on June 23rd, 1886; he appears to be free from rheumatism, his pulse is less accelerated, and his mind through greatly depressed, is certainly quieter. I would recommend that for the present he be kept in Darlinghurst gaol, so that I may have an opportunity of seeing him from time to time. I have arranged with the Visiting Surgeon, that the prisoner should be kept in hospital, but that he should be provided with some light occupation, say of a clerical character.—H. N. MACLAURIN, B.C., 13/5/87.

The Comptroller-General of Prisons, Forwarded

Forwarded for the consideration of the Minister of Justice. The suggestion of the Medical Adviser has been acted upon from the time of the receipt of this communication, which, I was fully convinced I had sent on according to my intention at the time, but, which, it now appears that I had confused with another somewhat similar case, and this paper got under some others on my table.—H. MACLEAN, B.C., 10/6/87. The Under Secretary of Justice.

Submitted.—A. C. FRASER, 10/6/87. Comptroller-General of Prisons. Let me have a later medical report, as this memo. of Dr. Maclaurin, is dated 13 May, 1887.—W. CLARKE, 10/6/87. A. C. FRASER, B.C., 10/6/87. Received 17/6/87. Would the Medical Adviser furnish a further report.—H. MACLEAN, 13/6/87. B.C., 13/6/87.

Particulars of conviction and Prison History of Edward B. Holt, a prisoner in Sydney Gaol, petitioning for remission of sentence.

Name of prisoner, Edward B. Holt; born, 1840, England; convicted, Sydney Gaol, Darlinghurst, 28 May, 1886; offence, larceny; sentence, 4 years hard labour; Judge, Faucett.

Previous convictions:—Nil.

| | Prison History. | | | | | |
|---|-----------------|----------|--------------|-------------|-------|-------|
| | Days. | Orderly. | Industrious. | Disorderly. | Idle. | Sick. |
| Darlinghurst Gaol, from 28 May, 1886, to 7 June, 1886 | 10 | 10 | | In transit. | | 10 |
| Parramatta Gaol, from 7 June, 1886, to 4 March, 1887 | 270 | 270 | Nil. | Nil. | Nil. | 270 |
| Goulburn Gaol, from 4 March, 1887, to 4 May, 1887... | 62 | 62 | 51 | Nil. | Nil. | 11 |
| Totals | 342 | 342 | 51 | Nil. | Nil. | 291 |

Punishments, nil. General conduct in gaol, good.
Sydney Gaol, 5 May, 1887.

JOHN LOVETT,
Deputy-Governor of Sydney Gaol.

The Deputy-Governor, Sydney Gaol, to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Sir,

Darlinghurst Gaol, 6 May, 1887.

I have the honor to inform you that on yesterday a gentleman from the office of the *Globe* newspaper (J. Wynn Niesigh) called at this gaol, and asked permission to interview prisoner Edward B. Holt, and when informed that his request could not be complied with, stated that he would make application to the Minister of Justice for an order. As this prisoner's case has already been prominently brought under the notice of the public, and further, I understand a Medical Board has been appointed to examine him, I beg most strongly to recommend that pending the examination above referred to, that no visits be allowed the prisoner.

I have, &c.,

JOHN LOVETT,

Deputy-Governor, Sydney Gaol.

The prisoner is now in the hands of the Medical Board, during which time no visits will be permitted so far as I am concerned.—H. MACLEAN, B.C., 6/5/87, Darlinghurst Gaol. Perhaps the visiting surgeon would like to see this.—J. LOVETT. Seen.—M. J. O'CONNOR, 6/5/87.

The Medical Adviser to the Government to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Board of Health Office, 127, Macquarie-street, Sydney, 15 June, 1887.

Prisoner E. B. Holt.

I HAVE this day examined prisoner Edward Brown Holt, at present confined in H.M. Gaol, at Darlinghurst, and find that since the 5th ultimo he has lost 4 lb. in weight; his pulse is quick, there is no apparent organic disease, but he sleeps badly. He is very depressed in spirits and tearful when spoken to; his mind seems clear, but his memory slightly defective. He performs the clerical duties to which he has been detailed quite successfully, and is found by Mr. Stapleton, the Dispenser, to be very useful.

There can be no doubt that the prisoner's health has suffered, and is suffering severely from the continued depressing effects of his imprisonment, and I do not think that we can reasonably look for any great immediate improvement in his case.

I have advised that he should be kept in the gaol hospital, and that he should be continued in light clerical occupation; and I have requested the visiting surgeon of the gaol to furnish me with a detailed report of his case every fortnight.

H. N. MACLAURIN,
Medical Adviser to the Government.

For

For the information of the Minister of Justice.—H. MACLEAN, B.C., 16/6/87. The Under Secretary of Justice. Submitted.—A. C. FRASER, 17/6/87. Seen and approved.—W. CLARKE, 18/6/87. The Comptroller-General of Prisons.—A. C. FRASER, B.C., 13/6/87. Medical Adviser to the Government.—H. MACLEAN, B.C., 22/6/87. Next report from Dr. O'Connor to be received June 29. Report not to hand.—E. SAGER, 5/7/87. Ask for it.—H. N. MACLAURIN, 5/7/87.

The Secretary to the Medical Adviser to the Government to The Visiting Surgeon,
Darlinghurst Gaol.

Sir,

Medical Department, Sydney, 5 July, 1887.

I have the honor, by direction of the Medical Adviser to the Government, to request you to be good enough to forward a report on the state of health of prisoner E. B. Holt.

I have, &c.,

EDMUND SAGER,
Secretary.

The Visiting Surgeon, Darlinghurst Gaol, to The Medical Adviser to the Government.

Sir,

Sydney Gaol, 7 July, 1887.

Re prisoner Edward B. Holt: I have the honor to report, for the information of the Chief Medical Adviser, that since our last conversation, Holt has increased in weight to the extent of 4 pounds. On examining his urine recently I discovered traces of sugar; the average quantity of urine passed in a day being 8½ pints, specific gravity, 1,022. He still suffers from insomnia and obstinate constipation, otherwise there is no special change in his general health.

I have, &c.,

MAURICE J. O'CONNOR,
Visiting Surgeon.

Report on the case of prisoner Holt forwarded for the information of the Minister for Justice. The prisoner seems to be gaining weight; he will be reported on from time to time.—H. N. MACLAURIN, B.C., 7/7/87. The Under Secretary for Justice. Submitted.—A. C. FRASER, 8/7/87. Seen.—W. CLARKE, 8/7/87.

Petition of Bessie Holt for the remission of the sentence passed on Edward
Brown Holt.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HONORABLE CHARLES ROBERT, BARON CARRINGTON, Knight Grand Cross of the most distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of New South Wales and its dependencies.

THE HUMBLE PETITION OF BESSIE HOLT, of Sydney, wife of Edward Brown Holt, a prisoner in Her Majesty's Gaol at Darlinghurst,—

SHOWETH:—

That the said Edward Brown Holt was on the second day of June, last year, sentenced by Her Majesty's Supreme Court to undergo a term of four years imprisonment with hard labour.

That at the time of his arrest on the charge on which he was convicted and sentenced as aforesaid, he was returning to Sydney from Northern Queensland, whence he had absconded, for the purpose of confessing his guilt and giving himself up to be dealt with as the justice of the country might require, and was at the time thoroughly remorseful for his sins and in a very bad state of health.

That for a considerable time previously he had been suffering from inflammation of the eyes caused by, as his medical attendant advised, nervous affection of the brain and affection of the kidneys, and with rheumatic gout.

That at the said time he gave up all moneys and property of whatever description in his power or possession to his creditors, and has otherwise made every possible restitution that in him lay.

That he is thoroughly remorseful for his guilt and deeply penitent.

That during his incarceration he has suffered dreadful agony and torture of mind, and has during the period thereof suffered intense punishment, more so, indeed, than, as I verily and truly believe, any man living could have done, the effect of which has been to destroy his health and to reduce him to such a state that I verily and truly believe he will die if longer incarcerated.

That since his imprisonment he has lost in weight over 50 lb., and is now in a very weak, low, and dejected condition, and very liable and susceptible to diseases from the said bad state of his health.

That

That he has never slept for more than a year without the aid of sleeping draughts on this account.

That I most humbly and respectfully submit that the ends of justice do not require that he shall be deprived of his life or reason, and that I humbly and respectfully crave that mercy may be shown to him.

Your Petitioner therefore humbly and respectfully prays that Your Excellency will see fit to direct that an inquiry may be held by the proper authorities as to the state of the health and bodily and mental condition of the said Edward Brown Holt to the end that if it is found that by being longer incarcerated he is in danger of losing his life or his mental powers he may be released.

And your Petitioner will ever pray.

BESSIE HOLT.

Dated at Sydney this second day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

The Minister of Justice.—CARRINGTON, 2/8/87.

Petition for remission of the sentence passed on Edward Brown Holt.—Bessie Holt (*per* His Excellency the Governor), 2 August, 1887.

Submitted.—A. C. FRASER, 4/8/87. Acknowledge, and inform that petition will be placed before Minister immediately on his return.

The Under Secretary of Justice to Mrs. Holt.

Madam,

Department of Justice, Sydney, 5 August, 1887.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your petition, addressed to His Excellency the Governor, praying for a remission of the sentence passed on your husband Edward Brown Holt, and to inform you that the same will be placed before the Minister of Justice immediately on his return to Sydney.

I have, &c.,

ARCH. C. FRASER,

Acting Under Secretary.

Minute for His Excellency the Governor.

I ~~DECLINE~~ to recommend any remission of prisoner's sentence.

W. CLARKE, 20/8/87.

Refused.—CARRINGTON, 22/8/87.

The Medical Adviser to the Government to The Visiting Surgeon, Darlinghurst Gaol.

Board of Health Office, 127, Macquarie-street, Sydney, 23 August, 1887.

I SHOULD like to have a report on the condition of prisoner Holt.

H. N. MACLAURIN.

The Under Secretary of Justice to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Sir,

Department of Justice, Sydney, 24 August, 1887.

Referring to the Petition in favour of the prisoner named in the margin, praying for a mitigation of the sentence passed upon him, I am directed by the Minister of Justice to inform you that His Excellency the Governor has not seen fit to authorize the remission of any portion of the prisoner's sentence. E. B. Holt.

2. I am at the same time desired to forward herewith the papers in the case, and to request that you will be good enough to apprise the prisoner and the petitioners of His Excellency's decision.

I have, &c.,

ARCH. C. FRASER,

Acting Under Secretary.

Mrs. Holt and prisoner informed, and papers returned herewith.—A. H. COLLIS (*for* D.C.P.), B.C., 25/8/87. The Under Secretary of Justice.

The Medical Adviser to the Government to The Visiting Surgeon, Darlinghurst Gaol.

Health Office, Macquarie-street, 26 August, 1887.

I SHOULD be glad if Dr. O'Connor would kindly furnish me with a report on the health of prisoner Holt, stating in particular whether incarceration is or is not seriously affecting it.

H. N. MACLAURIN.

The Visiting Surgeon, Darlinghurst Gaol, to The Medical Adviser to the
Government.

Sir,

Sydney Gaol, 29 August, 1887.

In reply to your memo. of the 26th instant, *re* case of prisoner E. B. Holt, I have the honor to report for your information as follows:—The weight of prisoner at the time of his trial was 11 st. 8 lb.; on his arrival at Goulburn Gaol, May 4th, his weight was 9 st.; at present it is 8 st. 9 lb., showing a loss of 2 st. 13 lb. since the date of his trial. He is at present an inmate of the gaol hospital, having been admitted immediately after his arrival from Goulburn, suffering from polyuria, chronic dyspepsia, and Insomnia; during the last two months he has suffered from diabetes, alternating with albumenurea. I examined his urine on 27th instant (Saturday), and found it contained albumen. He has also, during his stay in hospital, suffered from severe attacks of ague, the temperature on each occasion reaching 105 degrees. After each attack he has been very much prostrated. I have no doubt but that incarceration is seriously affecting his general health.

I have, &c.,

MAURICE J. O'CONNOR,

Visiting Surgeon.

Submitted for the information of the Minister of Justice. As requested by him, I have repeatedly visited and examined prisoner E. B. Holt, in company with the visiting surgeon, the last occasion being on the 26th instant. I concur in the opinion of the visiting surgeon, that prolonged incarceration is now seriously affecting the prisoner's health. H. N. MACLAURIN. B.C., 29th August, 1887.—The Under Secretary of Justice.

This case is a very serious one, and I shall deem it my duty to bring it under the consideration of the Colonial Secretary in consequence of the great publicity which has surrounded it.—W. CLARKE, 31/8/88.

The Visiting Surgeon, Darlinghurst Gaol, to The Medical Adviser to the Govern-
ment.

Sydney Gaol, 2 September, 1887.

Re prisoner E. B. Holt.

SINCE my last report on state of health of prisoner Holt he has been confined to his bed, suffering from attacks of ague. His weight at present is 8st. 11½lb. When I last reported he was 9st., therefore he has lost 2½lb.

MAURICE J. O'CONNOR.

For the information of the Minister of Justice.—H. N. MACLAURIN, B.C., 2/8/87. The Under Secretary of Justice.

The Visiting Surgeon, Darlinghurst Gaol, to The Medical Adviser to the
Government.

Sydney Gaol, 24 September, 1887.

PRISONER E. B. Holt is still in a weak condition and losing flesh. Since my last report his weight has decreased by 2lb. He has also had a repetition of the attacks of ague. I should like to meet the Medical Adviser in consultation *re* this case at his convenience.

MAURICE J. O'CONNOR,

Visiting Surgeon.

The Medical Adviser will meet the Visiting Surgeon at Darlinghurst Gaol on this case at 3 p.m. on Friday, the 26th of August, 1887.—E. S. SAGER, B.C., 25/8/87. The Visiting Surgeon, H.M. Gaol, Darlinghurst.

Petition.

To His Excellency the Right Honorable Charles Robert, Baron Carrington, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies.

The humble Petition of the undersigned,—

SHREWETH:—

1. That on the 28th day of May, 1886, Edward Brown Holt, then of Sydney, in the Colony of New South Wales, Manager of the Bank of New Zealand, was convicted of misappropriating the funds of his Bank, and pleading guilty to the charge, received a sentence of four years with hard labour.

2.

2. That to undergo this sentence he was removed first to the Parramatta Gaol, and subsequently to the Goulburn Gaol. But shortly after his arrival there, in consequence of the shame of his offence, and through mental anxiety, his health mentally and bodily became so shattered, that to save his life he had to be removed to the Darlinghurst Gaol, in the hospital of which he has since remained, with his health and constitution completely broken down; and at the present time he is but a shadow of his former self, and the gaol medical authorities testify that imprisonment is continuing to prejudice his health.

3. That during part of the time after his imprisonment at Parramatta and Goulburn he was a monomaniac, and his memory was a complete blank.

4. That at the time Holt committed the offence for which he is now suffering punishment he was suffering from great mental excitement and anxiety, caused by over-work and speculation.

5. That of the sentence of four years Holt has served one year and nine months, and now will have but one year and seven months to serve, allowing for the eight months' remission provided for by the gaol authorities.

6. That since Holt's incarceration he has mentally and bodily suffered for his offence, and your Petitioners verily believe that public justice has been sufficiently satisfied by the punishment he has already suffered.

7. That before his trial Holt made every reparation that lay in his power to repay his creditors by executing a deed of assignment for the benefit of all his creditors of the whole of his estate and effects, and this deed of assignment has been accepted and executed by the said Bank of New Zealand; and your Petitioners are informed and believe that the assets in the estate will pay a large dividend to his creditors, including the Bank, if not 20s. in the £, and his release will possibly help the realization of the assets in his said estate.

Your Petitioners therefore humbly pray that in this Centennial year of the foundation of this Colony that your Excellency will be pleased to extend your most gracious mercy and clemency to Holt, and remit the remainder of the sentence which he is liable to serve; and your Petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray, &c., &c.

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Wm. Henderson, J.P., Bondi.

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W. C. Wall, M.P.

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George Day, M.P.

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Thos. Ewing, M.P.

John McElhone, M.L.A.

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J. Macgregor Dunn, J.P., Ashfield.

John Shepherd, Randwick.

T. S. Parrott, C.E., 118, Pitt-st., Sydney.

George Hill, Sydney.

C. Barry, Paddington.

Evelyn Manning, Double Bay.

James M. Toohy, M.P.

Thomas Dalton, M.P.

E. W. O'Sullivan, M.P.

Thos. Walker, M.P.

Wm. Teece, M.P.

Joseph Creer, M.P.

Daniel O'Connor, M.P.

Henry H. Cooke, M.P.

J. H. Carruthers, M.P.

Jas. E. Tonkin, M.P.

Wm. Lovel Davis, M.P.

Frank J. Smith, M.P.

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T. F. De Courcy Browne.

Edward J. Ball, M.L.A.

John Davies.

Thos. G. Dangar, M.L.A.

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A. Stokes, M.P.

Hugh Taylor, M.L.A.

Ninian Melville, M.P.

G. Withers, M.P.

John McFarlane, M.P.

S. Burdekin, M.P.

George R. Dibbs, M.P.

William McCourt, M.P.

W. Stephen, M.P.

J. Stuart Hawthorne.

Geo. McL. Matheson, M.P.

W. J. Trickett, M.L.C.

Frank Farnell, M.P.

Thomas Colls, M.P.

S. Smith, M.P.

Angus Cameron, M.P.

John R. Street, M.P.

Submitted.—A. C. FRASER, 25/2/88. Comptroller-General of Prisons,—In reference to paragraph No. 2 of petition herewith, I shall be glad of report from Visiting Surgeon to Gaol as to prisoner's health, and whether further incarceration is prejudicial thereto.—W. CLARKE, 27/2/88. The Comptroller-General of Prisons, B.C.—A. C. FRASER, 27/2/88. Report of the Visiting Surgeon and Prison Particulars herewith.—B.C., A. H. COLLIS, D.C.P., 29/2/88. The Under Secretary of Justice. Submitted.—A. C. FRASER, 1/3/88.

The Visiting Surgeon, Darlinghurst Gaol, to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Sydney Gaol, 29 February, 1888.

PRISONER Edward Brown Holt is under medical treatment in the gaol hospital, where he has been ever since his return from Parramatta Gaol. His physical condition is as follows:—He has lost considerably in weight since his conviction, being 11 st. 8 lb. at that time, and at present he weighs 8 st. 9 lb., showing a loss of nearly 3 stone. He suffers from Bright's disease of kidneys, accompanied by mental depression. In my opinion further incarceration is prejudicial to his health.

MAURICE J. O'CONNOR,
Visiting Surgeon.

[Enclosure.]

PARTICULARS of conviction and prison history of Edward B. Holt, a prisoner in Sydney Gaol, petitioning for remission of sentence.

NAME of prisoner—Edward Brown Holt; born—1840, in England; convicted—at Sydney Gaol Delivery, on 28th May, 1886; offence—larceny; sentence—four years' hard labour; Judge—Faucett. Recommendation or remarks—Prisoner's barrister applied to His Honor to make the sentence one of imprisonment. His Honor said he could not see why the sentence should not be one of hard labour.

Previous convictions:—Nil.

| | Prison History.—Marks. | | | | * Sick. |
|---|------------------------|----------|--------------|------------------------------------|---------|
| | Days. | Orderly. | Industrious. | | |
| Darlinghurst Gaol, from 28 May, 1836, to 7 June, 1886 ... | 11 | 11 | ... | In transit. | 11 |
| Do do from 7 May, 1887, to 29 Feb., 1888 ... | 302 | 302 | 253 | " | 49 |
| Parramatta Gaol, from 8 June, 1886, to 4 March, 1887 ... | 270 | 270 | ... | Sep. treatment and in hospital. | 270 |
| Goulburn Gaol, from 4 March, 1887, to 4 May, 1887 ... | 62 | 62 | 51 | In transit. | 11 |
| Totals | 645 | 645 | 304 | | 341 |

* Sick, Sundays, and holidays.

Punishments:—Nil. General conduct in Gaol, good.

Sydney Gaol, 29 February, 1888.

JNO. C. READ,
Governor of Sydney Gaol.

Forward to the Government Medical Adviser the report of Dr. O'Connor on the state of health of the prisoner Edward Brown Holt. There can be no doubt that the further incarceration of prisoner Holt is prejudicial to his health; but is it in any way dangerous to or will further confinement materially shorten his life? For report.—W. CLARKE, 1/3/88.

The Secretary to the Medical Adviser, B.C.—A. C. FRASER, 1/3/88. I am of opinion that further incarceration of the prisoner Holt is dangerous, and that it will probably shorten his life, B.C.—H. N. MACLAURIN, 3/3/88. The Under Secretary for Justice.

Mr. Justice Faucett,—For favour of any report hereon.—W. CLARKE, 7/3/88.

Mr. Justice Faucett to The Minister of Justice.

My dear Sir,

"Erina," Five Dock, 21 March, 1888.

I regret that I have been prevented from illness from sending the report on Holt's case, and indeed it is with difficulty that I have been able to get through it. I now send it by my former Tipstaff, who accidentally came out here to-day.

Yours, &c.,

P. FAUCETT.

[Enclosure.]

I HAVE read the petition in favour of the remission of the remainder of the sentence passed on the prisoner, E. B. Holt, signed by some forty Members of Parliament, some Justices of the Peace, and others. I have also read the mass of papers accompanying the petition.

The prisoner was brought up before me at the Central Criminal Court, Darlinghurst, in May, 1886, charged with larceny, and also with another offence, founded, as I believe, on the same facts as the charge of larceny was founded. When called upon to plead he at once pleaded guilty to the charge of larceny; and the Attorney-General declined to proceed with the other charge, which, if the prisoner had been tried and found guilty upon it, would have involved a more severe punishment than the charge of larceny. The prisoner's counsel then addressed the Court in mitigation, and, amongst other things, said that the prisoner had given the bank, of which he had been Manager, all the assistance he could, and that by such assistance the bank had recovered much of the property that it had lost. This statement the Attorney-General said was correct.

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From the depositions it appeared, as far as I can now recollect, that the offence to which the prisoner pleaded guilty, was not an ordinary case of larceny. The prisoner was the Manager of a bank, and, while holding that highly confidential position, a cheque for a large amount was given in charge to him, either to be kept by him for the owner, or to be deposited to his credit in the bank. He appropriated the proceeds of the cheque to his own use, thus committing a breach of trust.

This appropriation of trust property is, by our statute laws, larceny; and the offence is, of course, aggravated by the high position which the offender held.

I, with hesitation, took into consideration the statement made by the prisoner's counsel, to which I have referred, and passed a sentence of four years instead of the extreme sentence of five years penal servitude; and now, having again considered the case, I think the sentence was fully deserved, and if it erred at all it certainly did not err on the side of severity.

In par. 6 of the Petition the petitioners say that they verily believe that public justice has been sufficiently satisfied by the punishment the prisoner has already suffered. With respect to this statement I do not for a moment suggest that these gentlemen do not believe what they say. But on this matter I am not in a position to express an opinion one way or the other—I have not the information to do so, and I am not prepared to take the statement of these gentlemen, made in a petition of which the public know nothing. Besides, I do not think it is at all within my province to do so. If it be at all necessary to determine it, it seems to me to be a question entirely for the Minister or Government. But this statement of the petitioners, it strikes me, rather involves the important question—which is perhaps what they really mean—whether the prisoner is, by the necessary consequences of his imprisonment, reduced to such a state of health that further imprisonment would be dangerous to his life, or dangerous to such a degree that in mercy or in justice, whichever it may be called, he ought to be discharged. I confess that I see no other ground on which this prisoner ought to be discharged, and I do not think it within my province to express an opinion upon this point. With all respect it appears to me to be a question for the Minister. If the present medical certificates are not sufficient he can obtain further certificates from the Government Medical Advisers.

March 21, 1888.

P. FAUCETT.

Précis of Case of prisoner Edward Brown Holt, a petition for whose release is now under consideration. PRISONER Edward Brown Holt pleaded guilty at Darlinghurst Central Criminal Court, on 23th May, 1886, before Mr. Justice Faucett, to a charge of stealing a certain valuable security, to wit, a warrant and an order for the payment of the sum of four thousand pounds, the property of John William Cliff, and on the 2nd June, 1886, was sentenced to imprisonment with hard labour in Darlinghurst Gaol for four years. He was received at Parramatta Gaol (from Darlinghurst Gaol) on 7th June, 1886, suffering from a slight attack of rheumatism, and on the following day was placed in the Gaol Hospital. On the 10th June, 1886, the Minister of Justice directed that Holt should be sent to Berrima Gaol to serve the probationary period of nine months' separate treatment provided by the Prisons Regulations, but owing to the delicate state of his health he could not be moved and remained at Parramatta until 3rd March, 1887.

During the whole of this time he was under medical treatment, and in consequence of a report from the Visiting Surgeon to Parramatta Gaol as to the state of his mind, the Inspector-General of the Insane, (Dr. F. N. Manning), was requested to report upon the prisoner's health, &c. Dr. Manning reported (on the 18th January 1887), that there was no doubt prisoner had been for some time in a critical mental condition, the mental symptoms being great depression of spirits, sleeplessness, loss of memory and mental confusion, also that he was continuing to lose weight, and that he (Dr. Manning) did not think all danger of insanity was over. Dr. Manning also recommended that prisoner should be at once relieved from all the disabilities of the separate treatment and be removed to Goulburn Gaol for the benefit of his health.

The Medical Adviser to the Government, after consultation with the Comptroller-General of Prisons, concurring in such recommendations, the Minister of Justice directed them to be given effect to, and Holt was removed to Goulburn Gaol, being relieved of all the classification disabilities of the A. division. The Visiting Surgeon to that gaol was also requested to report upon the state of the prisoner's health within a month.

On the 26th March, 1887, Dr. Gentle (the Visiting Surgeon) reported that prisoner's mental condition was very serious, that he had lost in weight, and was suffering from insomnia, loss of appetite, and defective memory,—and, taking into consideration the general falling off, both mentally and bodily, and the time he had still to serve, strongly recommended his release from further confinement. In the general tenor of the surgeon's report the gaoler at Goulburn fully coincided.

The Government Medical Adviser recommending that Holt should be brought to Darlinghurst Gaol in order that he might have an opportunity of examining him himself, the Minister of Justice gave instructions to that effect, and Holt was received at that gaol on the 4th May, 1887, where he has since remained.

On the 15th June last the medical adviser (Dr. MacLaurin) examined Holt and reported that since the 5th of the previous month he had lost 4lb. in weight, that he slept badly, was in depressed spirits, tearful when spoken to, and his memory slightly defective, and that his health had suffered from the continued depressing effects of his imprisonment.

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On the advice of Dr. MacLaurin, Holt was kept in the gaol hospital with light clerical occupation, the duties of which he performed successfully.

On 2nd August, 1887, a petition was presented from the wife of the prisoner, praying that no inquiry might be held as to the state of his health, but the Minister of Justice declined to recommend his release.

The reports (of 7th July, 2nd August, and 24th and 29th August, 1887) of the Visiting Surgeon to Darlinghurst Gaol showed that since Holt's removal to that gaol he had been suffering from various serious ailments—amongst them ague, diabetes, and chronic dyspepsia—and had fallen off in weight. In his opinion that prolonged incarceration was seriously affecting prisoner's health, the Medical Adviser concurred.

On 24th February, 1888, a petition was presented from a number of Members of Parliament, Justices of the Peace, and citizens of Sydney, praying for Holt's release on the ground that further imprisonment would be prejudicial to his health, which had already broken down.

The report of the Visiting Surgeon to Darlinghurst Gaol (bearing date 29th February, 1888) states that since his return from Parramatta Gaol, Holt has been in the gaol hospital, that he has lost nearly 8 stone in weight since his conviction, and suffers from Bright's disease of the kidneys, accompanied by mental depression. The Visiting Surgeon is also of opinion that further incarceration will be prejudicial to his health.

The report of the Medical Adviser (of date 3rd instant) is as follows:—"I am of opinion that further incarceration of the prisoner Holt is dangerous, and that it will probably shorten his life."

The whole of the papers have since been submitted to Judge Faucett, whose report is herewith, and who is of opinion that the sentence he passed was fully deserved, and certainly did not err on the side of severity, and can see no other ground on which the prisoner ought to be discharged, than that he is reduced to such a state of health that further imprisonment would be dangerous to his life, or dangerous to such a degree that in mercy or justice he ought to be discharged.

Submitted.

A. C. FRASER.

27 March, 1888.

Minute by The Minister of Justice.

Re Prisoner Holt.

LET me have report from Visiting Surgeon of Gaol as to present state of prisoner's health, if improved or otherwise since last report.

W. CLARKE, 4/6/88.

The Comptroller-General of Prisons.—A. C. FRASER, B.C., 4/6/88. Referred for report of the Visiting Surgeon, Darlinghurst Gaol.—S. S. RUSSELL (for D.C.P.), 4/6/88. Herewith forwarded.—J. LOVETT, Deputy-Governor, Sydney Gaol, 5/6/88. Report of Visiting Surgeon herewith.—A. H. COLLIS, D.C.P., B.C., 5/6/88. The Under Secretary for Justice.

The Visiting Surgeon, Darlinghurst Gaol, to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Re Prisoner E. B. Holt.

PRISONER Holt is still in a very bad state of health. There is no alteration in his condition since my last report.

MAURICE J. O'CONNOR,

Sydney Gaol, 5 June, 1888.

Visiting Surgeon.

[The petition in favour of the prisoner Holt's release, together with Mr. Justice Faucett's report of March 21st, and Mr. Under Secretary Fraser's *précis* of the case of March 27th, were sent by the Minister of Justice to His Excellency the Governor, with a minute dated June 14th, recommending the prisoner's release. This minute was afterwards withdrawn by the Minister's letter of September 19th.]

Memorandum.

THE minute of the Minister of Justice recommending the prisoner's release, together with the petition in favour of the prisoner, were forwarded by His Excellency the Governor to the Colonial Secretary for his consideration before giving any decision.

Correct.

CARRINGTON.

Minute

Minute by The Colonial Secretary.

THE case of Mr. E. B. Holt, as represented by minute of Minister of Justice of 14th June; considered by Cabinet. Decided to have Medical Officer of Darlinghurst Gaol before Cabinet to state his opinion of Holt's health and general condition:

HENRY PARKES.

18 June, 1888.

Verbatim Report of Evidence given before the Cabinet, 19 June, 1888.

Case of prisoner E. B. Holt.

Dr. Maurice O'Connor, Visiting Medical Officer, Darlinghurst Gaol, examined:—

Sir Henry Parkes.] You are the Medical Officer for Darlinghurst Gaol, are you not? I am.

What is your proper designation? Visiting Surgeon.

There is a prisoner in the gaol named Edward B. Holt? Yes, there is.

How long has he been in that prison? Well, he has been in the Gaol Hospital ever since March, 1887—about fifteen months.

What is the state of his health at the present time? He is suffering from Bright's disease, an organic disease of the kidneys—what is generally known to medical men as Bright's disease.

Has this disease presented itself in a severe form? Yes; he is in a very bad state of health in consequence of the disease. He suffers, besides that, from other symptoms consequent upon the disease, such as gradual loss of sight and loss of flesh. He has lost within the last twelve months nearly 3 stone in weight since he returned to Darlinghurst Gaol from Parramatta.

The Hon. T. Garrett.] What was his weight before he became ill? He weighed 11 st. 9 lb., and on conviction he weighed 11 st. 8 lb.; his present weight is 8 st. 9 lb.

Sir Henry Parkes.] Did Holt come under your observation immediately after he received his sentence? Yes; immediately after his conviction he was sent to Darlinghurst.

Was he in good health at that time? Yes. He complained only of a slight pain in one of his large toes—a slight attack of rheumatic gout; otherwise he was in good health. I wish to correct a slight mistake I have made. I find it was in May that Holt was admitted instead of March, making it thirteen months that he has been in the gaol hospital instead of fifteen months.

As a medical man, how would you describe his present ailments? Well, he is in a low, nervous condition, suffering from loss of flesh and extreme mental depression, with a tendency to what we call uræmic poisoning—that is, a suppression of the urine, when the poisonous constituents of the urine are retained in the blood, producing convulsive attacks and death. It occurs very suddenly sometimes if there is considerable mental depression.

Do you not think that any person whatever who had lived in the comparative affluence and luxury in which Holt lived, would to a large extent suffer in the way you speak of from being suddenly confined within stone walls, and placed on prison diet? Decidedly.

Loss of flesh for example? The class of prisoners you describe would suffer more than others.

They would inevitably lose flesh? They would.

Depression of spirits would follow, would it not? In some cases. I have seen some to a certain extent look ill, whose imprisonment did not seem to have the same effect. Some could accommodate themselves to circumstances. The temperament of the prisoner has a great deal to do with it in this case. One would feel imprisonment more keenly than others.

You are aware what is the length of the sentence? Four years, I think.

And you are aware that under the Prison Regulations a portion of that time is generally remitted? Yes, I think three months.

Is it your opinion that if a prisoner suffering from this disease has been sentenced it would be attended with serious consequences? I think there would be a progressive aggravation of his disease; and, as I said before, he might get a sudden attack of uræmic poisoning, and go off at any time; and that condition is likely to be acquired or hastened by extreme mental depression, acting upon the nerve supply of the kidneys. One of the worst conditions in Bright's disease is produced by suffering from mental depression.

What do you consider would be the difference more contributive to health between living in Darlinghurst Gaol, we will say, in the hospital there, and living under any other circumstances outside the gaol. I assume that Darlinghurst Gaol is a fairly healthy place; that the atmosphere is fairly good—much better than in many poor men's homes? It is.

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And the diet, I believe, is generally healthy? Yes.

And is sufficient for the nourishment of the human frame? It is.

The bedding is clean? Yes.

In the hospital there are little luxuries, such as a man in a weak physical condition requires? The dietary scale is left entirely to me.

What I want your opinion upon is this:—Suppose the prisoner A. or B. were in Darlinghurst Gaol, in the hospital, receiving all the attention you can give him as the medical officer, and receiving such suitable diet as you would prescribe for him, living in comparative comfort, except as regards the confinement, what would be the difference between that condition of things, and the condition outside the gaol, where the atmosphere would be no purer—where the ordinary accessories to health would be no greater? He would be free in one case and not in the other.

Do you think that he would be liable to suffer more in the one place than in the other in regard to this direct disease? I think so, on account of the deprivation of liberty affecting his mind, as it does some prisoners. As far as the treatment is concerned, they are as well off in Darlinghurst as outside. They receive the same treatment as private patients.

I wish to lose sight of Holt's case as much as possible, because, assuming this to be true, do not you think a person who had been placed in circumstances of social affluence, who had an easy, not to say luxurious, life, and the respect of all around him, would not be as likely to suffer mentally outside where he met different countenances, tone, demeanour, and treatment from everybody who had known him—would it not more acutely remind him of his changed circumstances than in the solitude of the prison? I think so. It would have a similar effect upon him.

To put the case more clearly to my mind, I will follow out the case of A. B. Suppose A. B. is of a sensitive nature—feels acutely the misery and shame that has come upon him—feels this deeply in his prison—but if he went outside to meet with the evidence that everybody recognized his fallen and degraded condition, would not he feel his position still more acutely? I think it would be equally felt, and that if he did so feel his position the mental aggravation would have the same bad effect upon his disease.

You will see more clearly my object if I explain a little further that at the present time the Executive Government are being called upon in a rather emphatic way to consent to the release of Holt on the ground of his impaired health. Well, it is a very serious thing for an Executive Government to step in to entirely remove the sentences of a Court, arrived at after a trial and sworn evidence, especially when it is generally admitted that Holt's sentence is a light one; so that if we take any step it is a step of serious responsibility. We would be justified in taking that step if we could be satisfied that the prisoner, by remaining to serve his sentence, would be more likely to die than if released. If he suffers from remorse, and mental agony is now working upon his health, would not the effect be the same if he were released;—would he fare better in health than now? It is rest, I suppose, and every attendance a sick man wants—dietary which a sick man wants? Yes.

I know you prescribe for him everything that you deem necessary? Yes.

He might die in prison? Yes.

Might he not die about the same time if he were out of prison, if the cause be such as you describe? It is a question whether the non-deprivation of liberty would affect the mind so much—whether that would not be removed. Certainly the incarceration has had a bad effect upon him mentally.

In reply to a question by the Hon. W. Clarke (*inaudible*),—

Dr. O'Connor said: I believe I reported that further incarceration was likely to aggravate the disease and shorten his life. I am still of the same opinion.

The Hon. T. Garrett.] He will never recover his general health? His life might terminate at any time, and might be prolonged for some years. It might gradually pass into dropsy, and last for some time.

Sir Henry Parkes.] Is not that disease in nearly all cases fatal sooner or later? Yes; genuine cases of Bright's disease usually prove fatal.

Is it not always attended with dropsy? Generally, to a greater or less extent. It may terminate at any time without dropsy.

Admitting that Holt is suffering as you describe, and on your testimony we know it, might he not by treatment outside, which would not be as careful as yours, suffer more than inside, if not under a strict dietary system and strict medical supervision; might he not suffer more seriously? Yes, he might, if not properly attended to.

The interview thereupon terminated.

Mr. John M'Laughlin to The Colonial Secretary.

Sir,

Mercantile Mutual Chambers, 118, Pitt-street, Sydney, 10 August, 1888.

I have the honor to bring under your notice officially the petition to His Excellency the Governor for remission of portion of the sentence of the prisoner Edward Brown Holt, which was presented in February last, and which remains still unanswered, as I cannot believe the facts connected with this case are fully understood by the Government.

In March, 1887, His Excellency the Governor, the Minister of Justice, the Honorable Mr. Sutherland, and other gentlemen, visited Goulburn Gaol, and, it appears, saw the prisoner, whose health was undoubtedly in a very bad state.

On the same day of this visit, Mr. Herbert (the Governor of the Gaol) called Holt aside and said, "Holt, the Minister for Justice was speaking to me about you to-day, and desired me to inform you that something would be done for you immediately."

The following day a warder took Holt to the Governor's private office, when Mr. Herbert, addressing Holt officially, said, "Holt, I am pleased to be able to inform you that you are to be released from any further imprisonment. You committed great crimes, but the Minister for Justice considers you have been sufficiently punished. You will have to remain here for a week or ten days, pending the necessary papers being sent up from Sydney."

Holt was then taken away by a warder.

The next day or the day after, the Chief Warder (Mr. Graham) asked Holt if he had any private clothes to go out with. Holt told him he could soon get some. Two days afterwards Mr. Graham again saw Holt, and, referring to the intimation Mr. Herbert had made to Holt, repeated his question about clothes, and recommended Holt to send for them at once, as the release papers might arrive at any moment.

No notice seems to have been subsequently taken by the Government of the case, and this official promise was allowed to remain unfulfilled and to operate as an additional torture to the prisoner.

In September last Holt sought my professional advice in reference to an Equity suit commenced against him, and an interview was necessary. The changed state of his health, consequent upon his incarceration, satisfied my mind that it was my duty to represent the case to the Minister for Justice. This I did, with the result that he informed me of his having seen him in Goulburn, and knew the change that imprisonment had wrought in his health, and that he was of opinion he should be liberated, and if I got a petition signed by the Opposition Members of the Assembly, he would release him.

With the knowledge of the prisoner I caused this petition to be prepared, and after it was signed by over sixty Members of the Legislative Assembly, the Minister for Justice informed me that he required no further signatures and would attend to it at once. The petition was thereupon, in February last, sent to His Excellency, who returned it for the usual report and recommendations. The reports of the Judge and the Government Medical Officer were received shortly afterwards, but no recommendation made to His Excellency—in consequence, as I was informed, of it having been made known to the Minister for Justice that you were opposed to the prisoner's release, and could countermand any recommendation he might make to His Excellency, and the Minister for Justice was instructed apparently to submit his intended recommendation to you.

As months elapsed in the meantime, he appears to have called for a fresh medical report, and then made his official minute recommending His Excellency to liberate the prisoner. This minute remained with you for some weeks, during which time I twice interviewed you in favour of the petition, requesting that you should not veto the recommendation of the Minister for Justice, then with you, and on the second occasion you said, "I will agree to whatever the Minister for Justice seriously recommends," and initialled a memo. containing those words, which I gave to Mr. Clarke.

The petition and the minute of the Minister for Justice were subsequently sent to His Excellency, and returned by him to you, as you informed me you had given him instructions not to act in any such case upon the recommendation of a Minister without first consulting you. The matter was then brought before the Cabinet, and the next day brought before the Executive Council, as appeared from information furnished to the press over a month ago; and although the decision of the Minister for Justice, your minute or written promise to agree to his recommendation, necessarily became known to the prisoner's wife and himself, he is still submitted to the further torture of suspense.

I therefore most respectfully point out that the imprisonment and punishment already inflicted have been more than ample to avenge justice and the offence which the prisoner committed, and the promise officially made last year, and again this year, should be carried out without further cruel delay.

I have, &c.,

JNO. M'LAUGHLIN.

Submitted, 13/8/88. I believe the papers in this case are in this office (sent here by His Excellency); let me see them.—HENRY PARKES. Herewith.—14/8/88.

The Comptroller-General of Prisons to The Principal Under Secretary.

Department of Prisons, N.S.W., Comptroller-General's Office,

Sir,

Sydney, 14 August, 1888.

Edward Brown
Holt

In accordance with verbal instructions from the Colonial Secretary, I have the honor to report that the prisoner named in the margin is at present undergoing a sentence of four years hard labour, passed upon him by his Honor Mr. Justice Faucett on the 28th May, 1886, for larceny, the first nine months of which he served in Parramatta Gaol, the visiting surgeon at that establishment exempting him from the cellular portion of separate treatment.

On the completion of this term he was transferred to Goulburn Gaol, on account of ill-health, and two months later was removed to Sydney Gaol for further medical examination, where he now is.

Should his conduct continue to be good, he will be entitled to the full remission under the scale contained in the Gaol Regulations, and will be eligible for discharge from prison on the 27th September, 1889.

I have, &c.,

ARTHUR H. COLLIS,

(For Comptroller-General).

Mr. John McLaughlin to The Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor.

Dear Sir,

Mercantile Mutual Chambers, 118, Pitt-street, Sydney, 23 August, 1888.

I herewith forward you for perusal by his Excellency the Governor a copy of a letter I wrote the Colonial Secretary on the 10th August last, in reference to the exercise of the Royal prerogative of mercy in favour of the prisoner Holt, to which letter I have been unable to obtain a reply, although I have applied several times to the Chief Under Secretary.

I am taking this course feeling sure that his Excellency would not knowingly permit a petition in favour of the liberty of one of her Majesty's subjects to remain unanswered for a period of over seven months, and, as it appears to me, the exercise of the Royal prerogative of mercy is attempted to be usurped by the Colonial Secretary.

I might add that the prisoner would not have assented to my causing the petition to be presented if he thought the granting or refusing of its prayer were not vested in the Governor.

I have, &c.,

JNO. M'LAUGHLIN.

Will the Colonial Secretary be so good as to give me his opinion on this letter.—CARRINGTON, 24/8/88.

The Colonial Secretary to His Excellency the Governor.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney, 10 September, 1888.

My dear Lord Carrington,

I have read with some surprise the letter of Mr. John McLaughlin of August 23rd, addressed to Mr. Wallington. Your Excellency has minuted this letter to me as follows: "Be so good as to give me your opinion on this letter."

I notice in the first place that Mr. McLaughlin complains that, although he has applied several times to the Under Secretary, he has been unable to obtain a reply to his letter of August last, in favour of the prisoner's release. In point of fact, on every occasion when Mr. McLaughlin applied personally at this office, he received the reply, "that the case had not been further dealt with," or, "that it had not been reconsidered." Surely he could not desire the same negative reply stated in writing.

Mr. McLaughlin states that he applies to you "feeling sure that your Excellency would not knowingly *permit* a petition in favour of the liberty of one of Her Majesty's subjects to remain unanswered, &c." It seems necessary to point out that Mr. McLaughlin is acting, it is presumed professionally, for a person who has lost his liberty, for a fixed period, under the laws of his country. It will be recollected that this case was expressly referred to me by your Excellency on the 15th of June. Since then it has been brought before the Cabinet several times, but only to elicit a strong feeling on the part of several of your Excellency's Advisers against the release of the prisoner, and, therefore, no such reply as he desired could be given to Mr. McLaughlin.

Mr. McLaughlin is pleased to inform your Excellency that "it appears to him the exercise of the Royal Prerogative of Mercy is attempted to be usurped by the Colonial Secretary," which may be dismissed, so far as I am concerned, as a gratuitous piece of impudence.

In the last paragraph of his letter Mr. McLaughlin says, in effect, that the prisoner would not have condescended to seek his release from the Responsible Ministers of the Colony, but only under the belief that the granting or refusing of his release was vested in the Governor alone. It may be remarked that the sincerity of this avowal is hardly reconcilable with the many efforts to bring pressure to bear upon Ministers in the prisoner's favour.

But it has now been long settled that the Advisers of the Crown are held directly responsible by Parliament for the remission, in whole or part, of criminal sentences.

Yours, &c.,
HENRY PARKES.

Minute for His Excellency.

Department of Justice, Sydney, 19 September, 1888.

I SHALL be glad if your Excellency will allow me to withdraw my minute of the 14th June last, recommending the release of the prisoner Edward Brown Holt.

Some inquiries instituted by the Government since that date, and other circumstances, have induced me to modify the opinion I then formed of the case.

W. CLARKE.

Approved.—CARRINGTON, 26/9/88.

Minute by The Minister of Public Instruction.

Subject: Case of Prisoner E. B. Holt.

Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, 21 September, 1888.

My opinion has been asked on this case. I have given the case close attention from the first. I have carefully read the papers herewith. I concur in the opinion therein recorded that Holt's sentence was a "most lenient" one, and I am unable to find any sufficient reason for a remission of part of his sentence.

JAS. INGLIS.

Memo. for The Colonial Secretary.

Re prisoner E. B. Holt.

AFTER the frequent discussions which have taken place in Cabinet, and the inquiries which have been specially made in the case of the prisoner E. B. Holt, I would much prefer that the Cabinet themselves arrive at a decision on the case, as presented by the petition for the prisoner's release.

W. CLARKE, 26/9/88.

The Principal Under Secretary to Mr. John M'Laughlin.

Sir, Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney, 26 September, 1888.

I am directed to inform you that your letter of August 23rd to the Governor's Private Secretary, covering a copy of your previous letter of August 10th addressed to Sir Henry Parkes, in reference to the case of the prisoner E. B. Holt, has been referred by His Excellency Lord Carrington to the Colonial Secretary for his consideration.

In reference to your complaint that you could obtain no reply to your letter of August 10th, although you applied several times at this office, I am to remind you that on each occasion you were distinctly informed by myself that no new decision had been arrived at in the prisoner's case. There was no other reply that could be possibly given to you.

The Colonial Secretary desires me to say that the expression of your opinion that he is attempting to usurp the prerogative of mercy, can only be attributed to your inacquaintance with the relations that subsist between the Crown and its advisers; and I am further to remark that your statement that the prisoner would not have assented to the petition in his favour being presented if he had not thought that the granting or refusing of its prayer was vested in the Governor alone, cannot be well reconciled with the persistent efforts which you have made to bring pressure to bear upon individual Ministers in the prisoner's favour.

Your letter of August 10th calls for brief observation. Sir Henry Parkes is quite confident that he never used language which any intelligent person could misconstrue to mean that "he informed you that he had given instructions to the Governor," either to act or not to act in any matter whatever. He is too well aware of his position and functions as one of His Excellency's advisers to have expressed at any

any time so palpable an absurdity. He may have mentioned to you, in the secrecy of a private conversation, that it was an understanding between His Excellency and himself, as head of the Ministry, that no prisoner whose case was of importance should be released without his knowledge; and he acknowledges that he committed a great indiscretion in supposing that he could safely mention any matter of the kind to you. Sir Henry Parkes admits that under the belief that the Minister of Justice would not recommend the prisoner's release, he unguardedly said that if it was recommended he would not oppose it. At that time, however, there appeared to be grounds for taking a favourable view of the prisoner's case, which after careful investigation have for the most part disappeared, and the Minister of Justice himself has in consequence been led to modify his opinion.

As to several of your allegations in the letter of August 10th, the Colonial Secretary directs me further to say that they resolve themselves either into distortions of fact or into pure inventions, without any element of fact to sustain them.

I have, &c.,

CRITCHETT WALKER,
Principal Under Secretary.

Minute of the Cabinet.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney, 27 September, 1888.

Present:—

The COLONIAL SECRETARY.
The COLONIAL TREASURER.
The MINISTER OF JUSTICE.

The SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS,
The SECRETARY FOR MINES.
The POSTMASTER-GENERAL.

THE case of the prisoner, E. B. Holt, reopened. After having heard the evidence of the Medical Officer of Darlinghurst Gaol in respect to the prisoner's health, and having caused inquiries to be made as to certain allegations contained in the letter of the prisoner's solicitor (Mr. John McLaughlin) of 10th August, the Cabinet have considered the case very fully and carefully, and fail to discover any special or exceptional grounds why the prisoner should be treated differently from other prisoners undergoing the sentences of the Courts. In this case the sentence was admittedly a light one, which will be materially shortened by the operation of the gaol regulations. And the Cabinet cannot shut their eyes to the injury that would be done to the administration of Justice if the feeling got possession of the public mind that prisoners who can command the influence of powerful friends receive more favourable consideration than those who are friendless.

In view of Mr. Justice Faucett's report, and all the circumstances of the case, the Cabinet cannot advise that the prerogative of mercy should be exercised to reduce the term of the prisoner's sentence.

HENRY PARKES
(For Cabinet).

The Attorney-General and the Minister for Public Instruction (absent) agree with the decision expressed above.—HENRY PARKES, 27/9/88.

Copy sent to his Excellency.—HENRY PARKES, 27/9/88.

Minute by The Minister of Justice.

Mr recommendation of Holt's release was based upon the written medical testimony that had at that time been furnished to me. The recommendation was withdrawn in order that the case might be considered by the Cabinet.

Dr. O'Connor, Visiting Surgeon to Darlinghurst Gaol, was examined before the Cabinet as to the state of Holt's health, and the effect which further imprisonment might have upon him, and this later evidence did not, in the opinion of the Cabinet, show that Holt's case was of such an exceptional character as to justify it being taken out of the category of similar cases.

My opinion was much modified by this later evidence, and by other circumstances, and I concurred in the view taken by the Cabinet.

I desire this explanation to be placed with the papers.

W. CLARKE,
28/9/88.

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The Principal Under Secretary to Mr. John McLaughlin.

Sir,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney, 23 September, 1888.

Referring to my letter of the 26th instant, regarding the case of a prisoner, E. B. Holt, I am now directed by the Colonial Secretary to inform you that after having heard the evidence of the Medical Officer of Darlinghurst Gaol, in respect to the prisoner's health, and having caused inquiries to be made as to certain allegations contained in your letter of the 10th ultimo, the Cabinet have considered the case very fully and carefully and fail to discover any special or exceptional grounds why the prisoner should be treated differently from other prisoners undergoing the sentences of the Courts. In this case the sentence was admittedly a light one, which will be materially shortened by the operation of the Gaol Regulations. And the Cabinet cannot shut their eyes to the injury that would be done to the administration of Justice if the feeling got possession of the public mind that prisoners who can command the influence of powerful friends receive more favourable consideration than those who are friendless. In view of Mr. Justice Faucett's report, and all the circumstances of the case, the Cabinet cannot advise that the prerogative of mercy should be exercised to reduce the term of the prisoner's sentence.

I have, &c.,

CRITCHETT WALKER,

Principal Under Secretary.

The Principal Under Secretary to Mr. John McLaughlin.

Sir,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Sydney, 4 October, 1888.

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant, I am directed to inform you that the Colonial Secretary cannot admit the relevancy, pertinence, or truth of the wild inferences, allegations, and imputations, contained therein.

The prisoner Holt's case was fully considered by the Cabinet, including the Attorney-General and the Minister of Justice, and the decision arrived at was unanimous against any mitigation of his sentence.

With regard to your charge of want of courtesy in not acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 10th August, it would certainly appear unnecessary to furnish you with a written acknowledgment of a communication which you must have been well aware from your frequent inquiries was before the Minister for consideration.

I am desired to add that the Government decline to receive any further communication on the subject from a person who cannot conduct his correspondence in accordance with the ordinary usages of civilized life, and to return you your letter.

I have, &c.,

CRITCHETT WALKER,

Principal Under Secretary.

Minute by The Minister of Justice on letter addressed to the Colonial Secretary by Mr. John McLaughlin.

In this letter the following statement is made:—

"On the same day of this visit" (referring to visit of Lord Carrington, myself, and others to Goulburn Gaol) "Mr Herbert (the Governor of the Gaol) called Holt aside and said, 'Holt, the Minister of Justice was speaking to me about you to-day, and desired me to inform you that something would be done for you immediately.'

"The following day a warder took Holt to the Governor's private office, when Mr. Herbert addressing Holt officially, said, 'Holt, I am pleased to be able to inform you that you are to be released from any further imprisonment. You committed great crimes, but the Minister of Justice considers you have been sufficiently punished.'"

During this visit to the Goulburn Gaol I was accompanied by the Comptroller-General of Prisons, and had I made a statement or promise of the kind above referred to that gentleman must undoubtedly have heard of it.

I never gave the gaoler to understand that Holt would be released from prison, nor authority to inform the prisoner in terms above stated.

Dr. Gentle, of Goulburn Gaol, under date of 26th March, 1887, on my return to Sydney, wrote to the Comptroller-General of Prisons, as under:—

"I have the honor to report that since prisoner Holt has been an inmate of this Gaol he has lost considerably in weight. He suffers from insomnia, loss of appetite, defective memory (which is becoming more marked), and in conversation he frequently loses the thread of his discourse.

"His

"His mental condition is, in my opinion, very serious. He also suffers from paroxysm of intense grief, and his bowels are obstinately constive. Taking into consideration the general falling off both mentally and bodily, and the time he has yet to serve I would beg strongly to recommend his release from further imprisonment forthwith.

Mr. Herbert, the Gaoler, adds to this report as under, but does not say one word of my promise of the character referred to of promise of release by me, and if prisoner Holt was to be released there was no need of Dr. Gentle's report or Mr. Herbert's addendum.

"During the period that prisoner Holt has been in this gaol he has been well under my observation, and I am able to fully coincide with the general tenor of this report."

I submitted this report to the Government Medical Adviser for his advice.

Dr. MacLaurin's advice was to remove prisoner to Darlinghurst Gaol to enable him to report on his case.

On Dr. MacLaurin's report I made this minute:—

"I concur in recommendation of Dr. MacLaurin that Holt should be removed to Darlinghurst Gaol for purposes of examination and observation, but great care must be taken that the objects of Holt's removal is not in any way communicated to him, or that his removal is owing to any other cause than for prison arrangements. 28/4/87."

On 6th May prisoner was transferred to Darlinghurst Gaol.

On 13th May Dr. MacLaurin reported as follows, although it was not transmitted to me until the 10th June, 1887:— "I recommend that the prisoner be kept in Darlinghurst Gaol, so that I may have an opportunity of seeing him from time to time."

On this report I made a minute:—"Let me have a later medical report, as this memo. is dated 13th May, 1887."

On the 15th June Dr. MacLaurin made further report.

On the 7th July Dr. O'Connor reported.

On the 2nd August Mrs. Holt petitioned the Governor for release of prisoner.

On perusal of the medical reports, I, on the 20th August, 1887, in a message to His Excellency the Governor, declined to recommend any remission of prisoner's sentence.

I quote thus largely to show conclusively by the records in the office of the Department of Justice that I could not have made the statements at Goulburn which have been imputed to me.

A further extract from Mr. M'Laughlin's letter reads as follows:—"In September last Holt sought my professional advice in reference to an equity suit commenced against him."

"The changed state of his health consequent upon his incarceration satisfied my mind that it was my duty to represent the case to the Minister of Justice. This I did, with the result that he informed me of his having seen him in Goulburn, and knew the change that imprisonment had wrought in his health, and that he was of opinion he should be liberated, and if I got a petition signed by the Opposition Members of the Assembly he would release him."

Prior to the above-related conversation, but subsequent to my minute to His Excellency the Governor declining to advise the release of prisoner, it appears from the records that Dr. MacLaurin wrote to Dr. O'Connor (26/8/87) asking a report on prisoner's health.

Dr. O'Connor reported on 29th August, 1887:— "I have no doubt but that incarceration is seriously affecting his general health."

Dr. MacLaurin reported to me under date of 29th August, 1887, as follows:—"Submitted for the information of the Minister of Justice. As requested by him, I have repeatedly visited and examined prisoner E. B. Holt, in company with the Visiting Surgeon, the last occasion being on the 26th instant. I concur in the opinion of the Visiting Surgeon that prolonged incarceration is now seriously affecting the prisoner's health."

I wrote a minute on this report as under:—

"This case is a very serious one, and I shall deem it my duty to bring it under the consideration of the Colonial Secretary, in consequence of the great publicity which has surrounded it."

A short time after this minute was written I was interviewed by Mr. M'Laughlin. A general conversation took place of a private character, in which the state of prisoner's health was principally talked of.

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The date of the conversation, which is fixed by Mr. M'Laughlin as occurring in September last, was a private one, and my memory does not serve me as to the exact terms.

I may have said that if I were satisfied prisoner's health were in as hopeless a condition as represented by Mr. M'Laughlin, I might recommend prisoner's release.

With reference to the remarks Mr. M'Laughlin attributes to me respecting a petition to be signed by members of the Opposition, I do recollect such a petition being spoken of, and my impression is that I probably did say a petition largely signed by those who believed that Holt should be released would carry great weight.

Mr. M'Laughlin complains of the great delay in dealing with petition in favour of prisoner's release; but the delay has been no greater than the time occupied by himself in drawing up the petition and presenting it to me.

W. CLARKE,
25/9/88.

[In consequence of certain publications by Mr. John M'Laughlin in the newspapers, further inquiries were made of officers of the Department of Prisons, which, with the answers, are here given.]

Further Minute by Minister of Justice.

IMMEDIATELY after perusal of Mr. M'Laughlin's letter, I sent for the Comptroller-General of Prisons, and gave him a copy of the following extracts therefrom, and directed him to write to the gaoler at Goulburn, enclosing same, and for report by wire thereon:—

"On the same day of this visit (referring to visit of Lord Carrington and myself to the Goulburn Gaol), Mr. Herbert, the governor of the gaol, called Holt aside, and said, 'Holt, the Minister of Justice was speaking to me about you to-day, and desired me to inform you that something would be done for you immediately.'"

"The following day a warder took Holt to the Governor's private office, when Mr. Herbert, addressing Holt officially, said, 'Holt, I am pleased to be able to inform you that you are to be released from any further imprisonment; you committed great crimes, but the Minister of Justice considers you have been sufficiently punished.'"

The gaoler replies by wire as under:—

"Statement grossly untrue. Individual was not brought into the office on the day of the visit, or subsequently. On the day after his admission he was examined in the office *re* his mental condition, for the purpose of determining most suitable treatment. The Deputy-Gaoler was then present.

No statement, or other communication affecting or referring to his case in the slightest degree was made then or on any other occasion.

Date of examination—5th March, 1887; official visit, 25th March, 1887.

P. HERBERT,
Gaoler.

This reply speaks for itself, and needs no comment from me.

W. CLARKE.

The Comptroller-General of Prisons to The Minister of Justice.

Department of Prisons, Comptroller-General's Office,

Dear Mr. Clarke,

Sydney, 26 September, 1888.

I enclose the further papers respecting that mendacious statement of Holt's, if, as I understand, the statement came from him.

Yours sincerely,

HAROLD MACLEAN.

[Enclosures.]

THE following statement has been made respecting the occasion of the visit to Goulburn Gaol of His Excellency, the Minister of Justice, and others to Goulburn Gaol, in March, 1887: That on that day of the following, you sent for prisoner Holt to the office and addressed him in the following words,—

"Holt, I am pleased to be able to inform you that you are to be released from further imprisonment."

"You committed great crimes, but the Minister of Justice considers you have been sufficiently punished."

"You will have to remain here for a week or ten days, pending the necessary instructions being sent up from Sydney."

Answer by earliest wire to-morrow morning, omitting name of prisoner.

Did

Did you make any such statement to the prisoner, or any statement to the same effect, or any statement at all concerning his case?

Did you have him brought at all to the office? If so, who was there besides?

If brought to the office what was he sent for?

If you made any communication whatever state the words, and what warrant you had therefor?

Return this memo. by post.

Mr. Herbert, Gaoler, Goulburn.

H. MACLEAN, 24/9/88.

Telegram from The Gaoler, Goulburn, to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

26 September, 1888.

STATEMENT grossly untrue. Individual was not brought into the office on the day of the visit named or subsequently. On the day after his admission he was examined in the office *re* his mental condition, for the purpose of determining most suitable treatment. The Deputy Gaoler was then present. No statement or other communication affecting or referring to his case in the slightest degree was made then, or on any other occasion. Date of examination, 5th March, /87. Official visit, 25th March, /87.

P. HERBERT, Gaoler.

The Gaoler, Goulburn, to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Goulburn, 25 September, 1888.

In returning the attached memo., replied to by wire at 9.38 a.m. this day, I desire to add that I only spoke to Holt on one occasion during the period he was in Goulburn Gaol, viz., 5th March, 1887. On that occasion the following took place in the presence of the Deputy Gaoler, the questions being put with the view of forming an opinion *re* prisoner's mental condition:—

How long have you been in the hospital, Parramatta Gaol?

During your imprisonment had you a cell to yourself when not in hospital?

How long have you been taking sleeping-draughts?

How do you rest at present?

I do not consider it desirable that you should continue unemployed, and obtaining rest by sleeping-draughts. You will be forthwith set to perform the duties of assistant in the gaol school under Mr. Pollack, and the sleeping-draughts must be gradually discontinued. From this date you will sleep in an associated cell, your cell mates being Berner and Greaves, both educated men.

I have read the above to the Deputy Gaoler, and he is of opinion that it is a *verbatim* report of the only words I addressed to Holt during his detention in Goulburn Gaol.

P. HERBERT,
Gaoler.

Telegram from The Comptroller-General of Prisons to The Gaoler, Goulburn.

Sydney, 18 October, 1888.

SEE McLaughlin's letter in to-day's *Herald*, dated 10th August, to Colonial Secretary, Holt's case, paragraph 4. Send by post full statement from Graham. Did he have the conversation alleged with Holt about clothes or any conversation on his case, and, if so, in what words?

HAROLD MACLEAN,

Comptroller-General of Prisons.

The Deputy Gaoler, Goulburn, to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Sir,

H.M. Gaol, Goulburn, 18 October, 1888.

In reply to your telegram I have the honor to reply that I have seen the 4th paragraph *re* Holt's case in this day's *Herald*, and assert that it bears evidence of falsehood on its face. I had no conversation with him about his clothing, and had I recommended him to write for them, because of his probable discharge, of course he would at once have gladly done so, whereas he remained in the prison for thirty-six days after the alleged conversation, and no clothing came to hand. Paragraphs 2, 3, and 4 are pure fiction.

I have, &c.,

CHARLES GRAHAM,

Deputy Gaoler.

The Gaoler, Goulburn, to The Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Sir,

H.M. Gaol, Goulburn, 19 October, 1888.

I have the honor to report that the statements contained in paragraphs 2, 3, and 4, of a letter signed by Mr. J. McLaughlin, bearing date August 10, and published in yesterday's papers, are quite devoid of truth.

Prisoner Holt was received into this prison on the 4th March, 1887, and on the following morning, under my instructions, the Deputy Gaoler brought him into the gaoler's office for the purpose of enabling an opinion to be formed respecting his mental and physical condition. With this object in view certain questions

questions were put to Holt regarding his treatment in Parramatta Gaol. No allusion was made to prisoner's crime or sentence. This was the only occasion that I spoke to Holt during the time he remained in my charge.

On the 25th March, His Excellency the Governor and party visited Goulburn Gaol; on this occasion nothing was said about Holt being released, and the statement that prisoner was subsequently brought into my office, and informed by myself that the Minister of Justice considered that he had been sufficiently punished, is quite untrue.

The Deputy Gaoler reports that he had no conversation with Holt about clothing, and it is quite evident that had Mr. Graham recommended prisoner to send for clothing at once, because papers authorizing his release might arrive at any moment, he would most certainly have done so.

On the 6th May prisoner was transferred to Darlinghurst Gaol—his private property at the time consisting of 1 sponge, 1 towel, 2 handkerchiefs, 1 comb, and 1 bag.

It is quite evident that Mr. McLaughlin has been grossly deceived.

I have, &c.,
P. HERBERT,
Gaoler.

This letter appears to be only a repetition of the information already rendered, but it is forwarded to the Under Secretary of Justice.—H. MACLEAN, B.C., 22/11/88. The Under Secretary of Justice. Submitted.—A. C. FRASER, 23. Seen.—W. CLARK, 7/11/88.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

VISITING MAGISTRATE AND WARDEN AT EMMAVILLE.

(REPORTS, &c., IN CONNECTION WITH.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 19 December, 1888.

RETURN to an *Order* of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, dated 25th October, 1888, That there be laid upon the Table of this House,—

“Copies of all papers, letters, minutes, reports, petitions, &c., relating to
“the appointment of the Police Magistrate, Glen Innes, as Visiting
“Magistrate and Warden at Emmaville about the year 1878.”

(*Mr. Lee*).

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No. 1.

Telegram from The Police Magistrate, Glen Innes, to The Under Secretary of Justice, &c.

2 January, 1878.

Will you please bring under notice of Minister of Justice my application with reference to Vegetable Creek.

Vegetable Creek is a separate police district. Is nearer and can more readily be visited by the Police Magistrate of Glen Innes, with less cost to the country, with saving of time as well as being more compatible with the interests of the district. Let the requisite steps be taken to relieve Mr. Graham, P.M., Tenterfield, of this duty, and to appoint Mr. Martin, P.M., Glen Innes, to perform same. It appears to me also upon the like grounds that Mr. Martin might, with advantage, be appointed Visiting Justice to the Gaol at Glen Innes, and thus save the country the travelling expenses paid to Mr. Graham. The Colonial Secretary's attention may be invited to the latter subject.—J.L., 4/2/78.

No. 2.

The Under Secretary of Justice, &c., to The Police Magistrate, Glen Innes.

Sir,

Department of Justice and Public Instruction, Sydney, 7 February, 1878.

Referring to your telegram of 2nd ultimo, and previous correspondence upon the subject, I am directed to inform you that the Minister of Justice and Public Instruction approves of your visiting the Court of Petty Sessions at Vegetable Creek upon receipt of a requisition from the Local Bench for

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that

that purpose, for which you will be allowed the usual travelling expenses of 25s. per diem when necessarily engaged upon public duty, vouchers for which to be forwarded to the Inspector-General of Police for payment.

I am to add that the question of your appointment as Visiting Justice has been referred to the Colonial Secretary's Department.

I have, &c.,
W. E. PLUNKETT,
Under Secretary.

No. 3.

The Under Secretary of Justice, &c., to The Police Magistrate, Tenterfield.

Sir, Department of Justice and Public Instruction, Sydney, 7 February, 1878.

Referring to my letter of 2nd July, 1875, and to recent creation of Vegetable Creek as a separate police district, I am directed to inform you that as the above place is nearer to Glen Innes than Tenterfield, and can consequently be visited by the Police Magistrate at the former place at a less cost to the country than by yourself, the Minister of Justice and Public Instruction approves of your being relieved from attending the Court, Vegetable Creek, from the present date.

I have, &c.,
W. E. PLUNKETT,
Under Secretary.

No. 4.

The Under Secretary of Justice, &c., to The Bench of Magistrates, Vegetable Creek.

Gentlemen, Department of Justice and Public Instruction, Sydney, 7 February, 1878.

Referring to your letter of 20th November, 1875, and to the recent creation of Vegetable Creek as a separate police district, I am directed to inform you that as the above place is nearer to Glen Innes than Tenterfield, and can be visited at much less cost to the country than under the present arrangements, the Minister of Justice and Public Instruction approves of Mr. Graham being relieved from attending Vegetable Creek, and of Mr. G. Martin, Police Magistrate, Glen Innes, attending that place upon the receipt of a requisition from you whenever his services are required.

I have, &c.,
W. E. PLUNKETT,
Under Secretary.

No. 5.

The Under Secretary of Justice, &c., to The Inspector-General of Police.

Sir, Department of Justice and Public Instruction, Sydney, 7 February, 1878.

Referring to previous correspondence upon the subject, and to the recent creation of Vegetable Creek as a separate police district, I am directed to state that as the above place can be visited by the Police Magistrate, Glen Innes, at a less cost to the country than that incurred at present by the Police Magistrate, Tenterfield, the Minister of Justice and Public Instruction approves of Mr. Graham being relieved from and Mr. Martin performing this duty from the present date, for which he will be allowed the usual travelling expenses of 25s. per diem when necessarily engaged upon public duty.

I have, &c.,
W. E. PLUNKETT,
Under Secretary.

No. 6.

Telegram from The Police Magistrate, Glen Innes, to The Under Secretary of Justice, &c.

13 February, 1878.

I THANK you very much for your letter of the 7th instant. Will you please thank the Minister of Justice for me.

G. MARTIN.

No. 7.

The Bench of Magistrates, Vegetable Creek, to The Minister of Justice, &c.

Sir, Court-house, Vegetable Creek, 15 February, 1878.

We have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 7th instant, announcing that Mr. George Martin, P.M., of Glen Innes, would in future visit Vegetable Creek in lieu of Mr. Graham, P.M., of Tenterfield, and we will communicate with Mr. Martin, P.M., accordingly.

We have, &c.,
ALFRED CADELL, J.P.
(Per the Bench of Magistrates, Vegetable Creek.)

No. 8.

Telegram from The Police Magistrate, Glen Innes, to The Under Secretary of Justice, &c.

26 March, 1878.

WILL you please inform me whether special powers have been granted for Vegetable Creek. I visit that place on Saturday next.

No. 9.

Minute Paper for the Executive Council.

Subject :—Special Powers under Clerks of Petty Sessions Act of 1857 to George Martin, Esq., P.M.

Department of Justice and Public Instruction, Sydney, 30 March, 1878.

I RECOMMEND the issue of an order empowering George Martin, Esquire, Police Magistrate, Glen Innes, to exercise the special powers under the Clerks of Petty Sessions Act, 20th Victoria No. 32, at Vegetable Creek, within the Police District of Vegetable Creek, for a period of two years from the date hereof.

JOSEPH W. LEARY.

The Executive Council advise that an Order be issued, conferring the special powers under the Clerks of Petty Sessions Act, 20 Victoria No. 32, upon George Martin, Esq., Police Magistrate, Glen Innes, to be exercised at Vegetable Creek, for a period of two years from 30th ultimo.—ALEX. C. BUDGE, Clerk of the Council. Approved. Min. 78/15, 8/4/78. H.R.—8/4/78. Confirmed, 15/4/78. Returned, 17/4/78. The Clerk of the Executive Council.

No. 10.

Order in Council.

At Government House, Sydney, 8 April, 1878.

Present :—His Excellency the Governor in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed by the Parliament of New South Wales, in the twentieth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, and intituled "An Act to provide for the discharge of the duties of Clerks of Petty Sessions in districts in which no such officer shall be appointed, and to withdraw certain special powers now possessed by Police Magistrates," it was enacted that the sixth section of the Act of Council, 14 Victoria No. 43, was thereby repealed, and that, from and after the passing of the said Act, such parts of the Acts of the Imperial Parliament passed for facilitating the performance of the duties of Justices of the Peace by the said Act of Council adopted and applied, as gave certain special powers to Police and Stipendiary Magistrates should cease to apply to Police Magistrates within this Colony, excepting in districts or places in which it should appear to the Governor and Executive Council specially convenient to the public that such powers should be exercised, in which cases any such Police Magistrate might, by order of the Governor in Council, be authorized to exercise such powers either permanently or temporarily, as the case might require: And whereas it appears to the Governor and Executive Council specially convenient to the public that such powers should be exercised by the hereinafter mentioned Police Magistrate. Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, doth, by this present order, authorize George Martin, Esquire, Police Magistrate at Glen Innes, to exercise such special powers in and for Vegetable Creek, Police District of Vegetable Creek, for a period of two years from the 30th ultimo, unless this order be sooner cancelled, and the Honorable the Minister of Justice and Public Instruction shall give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

ALEX. C. BUDGE,
Clerk of the Council.

No. 11.

The Under Secretary of Justice, &c., to The Police Magistrate, Glen Innes.

Sir, Department of Justice and Public Instruction, Sydney, 26 April, 1878.

In drawing your attention to the notice in the *Government Gazette* of the 23rd instant, intimating that the special powers under the Clerks of Petty Sessions Act of 1857 (20 Vict. No. 32) have been conferred upon you, I am directed by the Minister of Justice to inform you that you may exercise such special powers at Vegetable Creek, within the Police District of Vegetable Creek, as notified in the *Gazette* in question, for a period of two years from the 30th ultimo.

2. I am desired to add, that the conferring of the special powers in question authorizes the Police Magistrate on whom they have been conferred to act without another Magistrate only in the cases to which the powers apply, viz.:—those mentioned in sec. 29 of the Act 11 and 12 Vict. c. 42, and sec. 33 of the Act 11 and 12 Vict. c. 43, but does not give such Police Magistrate any greater power than another Magistrate, when acting in conjunction with such other Magistrate.

I have, &c.,
W. E. PLUNKETT,
Under Secretary.

No. 12.

The Police Magistrate, Tenterfield, to The Under Secretary of Justice.

Sir, Court-house, Tenterfield, 1 February, 1882.

Referring to your letter of the 7th February, 1878, informing me that I had been relieved from attending the Court at Vegetable Creek as Visiting Magistrate, I do myself the honor now to apply that I may be reinstated in that position. The difference in distance to be travelled by me in visiting that place and the distance travelled by the Police Magistrate, Glen Innes, is only about 10 miles, and will not increase the cost to the country in travelling expenses, which was the reason given for the alteration in your letter above quoted.

The Police Magistrate at Glen Innes has also the duties pertaining to Clerk of Petty Sessions, &c., at that place, and his visiting Vegetable Creek must be more inconvenient than it would be if the duty was performed by me.

I have, &c.,
J. B. GRAHAM,

No. 13.

The Under Secretary of Justice to The Police Magistrate, Glen Innes.

Sir, Department of Justice, 9 February, 1882.
I am directed by the Minister of Justice to transmit to you the enclosed copy of letter from Mr. J. B. Graham, Police Magistrate, Tenterfield, with reference to his being allowed to visit Vegetable Creek, and to request that you will have the goodness to favour with such observations as you may deem necessary thereon.

I have, &c.,
W. E. PLUNKETT,
Under Secretary.

No. 14.

The Police Magistrate, Glen Innes, to The Under Secretary of Justice.

Sir, Glen Innes, 14 February, 1882.
I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 9th instant, enclosing a letter from the Police Magistrate at Tenterfield, requesting authority to visit Vegetable Creek, and in reply thereto, I have the honor to state that Vegetable Creek township is distant from Tenterfield 48 miles, and from Glen Innes 30 miles by the roads at present in use, thus showing a difference in favour of Glen Innes of 18 miles. This difference will be still further increased when the new road, now being cleared *via* Clarevause, is opened, when the distance between Glen Innes and Vegetable Creek will be reduced to 24 miles (being but half the distance between the last-named town and Tenterfield). No portion of the Police District of Tenterfield approaches the township of Vegetable Creek nearer than 25 miles, while the boundary of the Police District of Glen Innes runs for a considerable distance within 4 miles of that place. A direct line of telegraph wires connects Glen Innes and Vegetable Creek, and a coach carrying passengers and mails runs between those towns three times a week. No such means of communication exists between Vegetable Creek and Tenterfield, except through Glen Innes.

These connections (natural and otherwise) appear to have had weight in laying out the boundaries of these electorates, as that of Glen Innes includes the town of Vegetable Creek, and extends northwards towards Tenterfield 10 miles.

For the foregoing reasons, I would therefore submit that the Police Magistrate of Glen Innes can do the work arising in connection with the Administration of Justice at Vegetable Creek with greater facility and promptitude and in much less time than the Police Magistrate of Tenterfield, travelling over the much greater distance, can possibly do it; when, as in the one case two days are usually sufficient, it will in the other require at least three.

In addition to the reasons just given, I would most respectfully point out that I was the first Magistrate to visit Vegetable Creek pending the appointment of a local Bench there, and although Mr. Graham was afterwards appointed Visiting Police Magistrate, the inconvenience to the public was felt to be so great that a petition was numerously signed by the residents and forwarded to the Minister of Justice, praying that the Police Magistrate at Glen Innes might be appointed to visit that place. This petition, I have been led to believe, had some effect in causing my appointment to the position I now hold. Since then, and as I have been informed, in consequence of a rumour, that efforts were being made to dislodge me from the position of Warden, and, as a sequence, from that of Police Magistrate also, a petition from miners of every grade, as well as from business people, has been forwarded to Sydney, expressing confidence in my impartiality and ability in carrying out the official duties entrusted to me, and praying that I might be confirmed in my official capacity at Vegetable Creek.

To both of those petitions, I would respectfully solicit your attention as an expression of confidence on the part of the inhabitants of the Creek (which I am not aware I have done anything since to forfeit), and as the recorded opinion of those able to judge, by personal experience, that their interests would be best served by a Visiting Police Magistrate from Glen Innes.

In so far as I am personally concerned, I may state that I have felt no inconvenience whatever from my attendance at the Court at Vegetable Creek, and that I have promptly attended on every summons by the local Bench when they deemed it advisable to secure my services.

My superiors in Sydney are best able to judge whether I have neglected any of the work committed to me as C.P.S. in consequence of those visits.

In conclusion, I would beg respectfully to submit that I am as willing and I trust as able as ever to fulfil the duties of Visiting Police Magistrate, and as I have done nothing to forfeit the confidence reposed in me by my superiors, so I may be pardoned for saying I cannot anticipate at their hands the humiliation of a removal I feel I have not deserved.

I have, &c.,
G. MARTIN, P.M.

There are many reasons why the present arrangement of Mr. Martin's visiting Vegetable Creek should not be disturbed, for it is nearer, &c.; and it is otherwise better and more convenient that Mr. Martin, P.M., should continue to visit Glen Innes, of which Mr. Graham may be informed.—W.J.F., 21/2/82.

No. 15.

The Under Secretary of Justice to The Police Magistrate, Tenterfield.

Sir, Department of Justice, 23 February, 1882.
Referring to your letter of the 1st instant, asking that you may be allowed to visit Vegetable Creek for the purpose of holding a Court at that place, I am directed by the Minister of Justice to inform you that there are many reasons why the present arrangement of Mr. Martin, Police Magistrate at Glen Innes, visiting Vegetable Creek should not be disturbed, it being nearer to that place, and it is otherwise better and more convenient he should continue to visit Vegetable Creek.

I have, &c.,
W. E. PLUNKETT,
Under Secretary.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1887.

(REGULATIONS UNDER.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 51 Vict. No. 19, sec. 137.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales—In Bankruptcy.

Wednesday, the 19th day of September, A.D. 1888.

REGULATIONS.

WHEREAS by the 137th section of the Bankruptcy Act of 1887 it is enacted "Every Official Assignee or Trustee shall, out of every estate being administered after the passing of this Act, pay into the Colonial Treasury, towards the expenses of administering this Act, such sum not less than one-eighth of a pound, or not exceeding £4 per centum on the gross produce from time to time of any such estate, and a scale within the limits aforesaid and the time of payment shall be fixed and varied from time to time by any regulations by the Judge in Bankruptcy, with the approval of the Colonial Treasurer, and such regulations with the approval thereof shall be submitted to Parliament": And whereas certain regulations were made by me, with the approval of the Colonial Treasurer, on the 11th day of April last, fixing the scale of percentage for the current year at the amount named in the said recited section, that is to say, £4 per centum on the gross produce of any such estate, and fixing the 1st day of July and the 31st day of December of this year as the time for payment of such percentage:

Now therefore, I, the undersigned, being the Judge in Bankruptcy under the said Act, do, with the approval of the Colonial Treasurer, as testified by his signature appended hereto, fix the 1st day of October and the 15th day of November of this year as additional times for payment into the Colonial Treasury of such percentage.

GEORGE HIBBERT DEFFELL,
The Judge in Bankruptcy.

Approved.—J. F. BURNS, Colonial Treasurer, 19/9/88.

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CRIMINAL LAW AMENDMENT ACT OF 1883.

(REGULATIONS.)

Presented to Parliament, in pursuance of Act 37 Vic. No. 14, sec. 9.

Department of Justice, Sydney, 17 December, 1886.

His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of the following regulations for giving effect to the provisions of section 409 of the Criminal Law Amendment Act in respect of Licenses for Public Works.

JAMES P. GARVAN.

Regulations for giving effect to provisions of section 409 of Criminal Law Amendment Act in respect of Licenses for Public Works.

1. PRISONERS under sentences to penal servitude and to hard labour on the roads and public works will become eligible for licenses on the following conditions:—

2. Prisoners under sentences from three to five years, and who have not been punished for misconduct within the previous six months, and favourably recommended by the gaolers, at a period six months before they would become eligible for discharge under the ordinary remission regulations, and in anticipation of such discharge—in sentences of five to ten years, similarly at a period anterior to discharge of twelve months—in sentences of ten years and upwards, at a period of eighteen months.

3. Prisoners granted the privilege of licenses will be formed into the intermediate class, and will be designated license-holders.

4. The license-holders will be employed upon the works at Trial Bay Prison, in connection with the Department of Harbours and Rivers, and will be confined to the proclaimed boundary of that prison.

5. They will occupy such quarters as may be assigned to them, and they will be liable to ordinary prison punishment for any offences or disorder, in like manner as if they were serving their sentences, and will be subject to all rules laid down for their treatment by the Comptroller-General authorized by the Minister of Justice.

6. The licenses will be in the form hereto attached, and will be held by the prisoners.

7. License-holders will be supplied with rations according to the scale attached and with clothing other than of the prison pattern.

8. They will further be allowed wages on accomplishment of specified tasks, or on the recommendation of the officers directing their work, on the scale subjoined. The wages will be credited to them until their discharge; but they will be allowed, at the discretion of the Superintendent, a certain proportion, not to exceed one-third, for the purchase of extra articles of consumption.

9. No license-holder will go beyond the proclaimed prison boundaries without a pass from the Superintendent; and any prisoner so going beyond will be an escapee as from ordinary imprisonment, and be liable to like arrests and penalties; and any infraction of this or other condition of the license will, apart from other penalty, involve forfeiture or suspension thereof, on the recommendation of two Justices, by authority of the Governor.

10. The Superintendent may grant such passes for specific objects, for a period not to exceed seven days, and for a further period, with the sanction of the Comptroller-General. During the currency of any such pass no prisoner will be liable to arrest as an escapee.

11. All prisoners to be eligible for licenses will have to be passed as physically fit for quarrying, or other such labour, by the surgeons of the prisons, and the favourable recommendation of the gaolers must express a belief that the prisoner will conduct himself properly, and not abuse the privilege.

12. In the case of prisoners who may not be eligible, either from physical or other causes, and therefore have to serve their sentences in ordinary prisons, the consideration will be allowed of an additional remission period beyond that specified in the prison regulations on the following scale:—

In sentences of—

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| From 3 to 5 years... | ... | ... | ... | ... | = 2 months. |
| 5 to 10 " ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | = 4 " |
| " 10 years upwards | ... | ... | ... | ... | = 6 " |

13. Prisoners under commuted sentences, and who are thereby debarred remission, may be allowed licenses as may in each case be determined by the Governor.

14. These regulations will come into effect from a date to be notified at a future time in the *Government Gazette*.

SCALE of Wages for License-holders at the Public Works Prison, Trial Bay, in accordance with eighth Regulation under section 409 of Criminal Law Amendment Act, viz. :—

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| Period of first two months | 1 | 0 per diem. |
| " second two months | 1 | 6 " |
| Remainder of period | 2 | 0 " |

No. LICENSE in connection with the Public Works Prison at Trial Bay.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize the bearer of this license, in terms of section 409 of the Criminal Law Amendment Act, to be employed on the works in connection with the Public Works Prison at Trial Bay, within the prescribed boundary of the portion of land at Arakoon appointed as a place at which certain male offenders shall be detained, and be liable to be kept to hard labour, by proclamation dated 4th March, 1886, under the conditions specified in the Prison Regulations endorsed hereon.

Given this day of , in the year 188 , under hand and seal, at the office of the Comptroller-General of Prisons.

Comptroller-General.

SCALE of Rations proposed for License-holders daily.

- 1 lb. bread, of fine wheaten and maize flour, in the proportion of $\frac{1}{3}$ of the latter.
- $1\frac{1}{4}$ " fresh meat.
- 1 " vegetables.
- $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. salt.
- $\frac{1}{2}$ " soap.
- 1 " rice.
- 1 " sugar.
- $\frac{1}{4}$ " tea.
- 2 " tobacco weekly.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

—
REPORT FROM THE SELECT COMMITTEE

ON THE

BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY BILL;

TOGETHER WITH THE

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE,

MINUTES OF EVIDENCE,

AND

APPENDIX.

ORDERED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY TO BE PRINTED,
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EXTRACTS FROM THE VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

VOTES NO. 22. THURSDAY, 6 DECEMBER, 1888.

3. BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY BILL:—*Mr. Cameron*, for *Mr. Wilson*, presented a Petition from the Broken Hill District Water Supply Company (Limited), of Sydney, in opposition to the Broken Hill Water Supply Bill now before this House, and praying for leave to appear before any Select Committee to which the Bill may be referred, by Counsel or Solicitor, and, if necessary, to adduce evidence and send for persons and papers, and examine and cross-examine witnesses called before such Committee.
Petition received.

VOTES NO. 23. FRIDAY, 7 DECEMBER, 1888.

5. BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY BILL (*Formal Motion*):—*Mr. Day* moved, pursuant to Notice,—
(1.) That the Broken Hill Water Supply Bill be referred to a Select Committee, with power to send for persons and papers, for consideration and report.
(2.) That such Committee consist of *Mr. Barbour*, *Mr. Tonkin*, *Mr. Abigail*, *Mr. Stokes*, *Mr. Neild*, *Mr. Garrard*, *Mr. Gormly*, *Mr. Kelly*, *Mr. Waddell*, and the Mover.
Question put and passed.

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7. BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY BILL:—*Mr. Day* (*by consent*) moved, without Notice, That the prayer of the Petition of the Broken Hill District Water Supply Company (Limited) be granted, and that leave be given to the Petitioners to adduce such evidence and send for such persons and papers as they may be advised, and to examine and cross-examine witnesses called before the Committee.
Question put and passed.

VOTES NO. 25. WEDNESDAY, 12 DECEMBER, 1888.

2. BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY BILL:—*Mr. Cortis* presented a Petition from *Charles Edward Hogg*, of Broken Hill, representing that the Broken Hill Water Supply Bill now before the House should not become law, for the reasons submitted in the Petition; and praying for leave to appear before the Select Committee to which the said Bill has been referred, in person, by Counsel or Solicitor, and, if necessary, to adduce evidence and examine and cross-examine witnesses called before such Committee.
Petition received.
Mr. Cortis (*by consent*) moved, without Notice, That the prayer of the Petition of *Charles E. Hogg*, to be heard before the Select Committee on the Broken Hill Water Supply Bill, either personally, by Solicitor, or by Counsel, be granted; and that leave be given to the Petitioner to adduce such evidence and send for such persons and papers as he may be advised, and to examine and cross-examine witnesses called before the Committee.
Question put and passed.

VOTES NO. 26. THURSDAY, 13 DECEMBER, 1888.

3. BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY BILL:—*Mr. Day* (*by consent*) moved, without Notice, That the Report of *Mr. E. B. Price* on the Water Supply at Broken Hill, ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 28th November, 1888, be referred to the Select Committee now sitting on the Broken Hill Water Supply Bill.
Question put and passed.

VOTES NO. 34. FRIDAY, 11 JANUARY, 1889.

2. BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY BILL:—*Mr. Day*, as Chairman, brought up the Report from, and laid upon the Table the Minutes of Proceedings of, and Evidence taken before, the Select Committee for whose consideration and report this Bill was referred on 7th December, 1888, together with Appendix and a copy of the Bill as amended and agreed to by the Committee.
Ordered to be printed.

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BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY BILL.

REPORT.

THE SELECT COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, for whose consideration and report was referred, on the 7th December, 1888, the "*Broken Hill Water Supply Bill*,"—beg to report to your Honorable House:—

That they have examined the witnesses named in the list* (whose evidence will be found appended hereto); and that the Preamble having been satisfactorily proved to your Committee, they proceeded to consider the several clauses and schedules to the Bill, in which it was deemed necessary to make certain amendments. *See list, page 6.

Your Committee now beg to lay before your Honorable House the Bill as amended by them.

GEORGE DAY,
Chairman.

No. 2 Committee Room,
Sydney, 10 January, 1889.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE.

WEDNESDAY, 12 DECEMBER, 1888.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

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| Mr. Day, | | Mr. Tonkin, |
| Mr. Kelly, | | Mr. Neild. |

Mr. Day called to the Chair.

Entries from Votes and Proceedings, appointing the Committee, and referring the Petition from the Broken Hill District Water Supply Company (Limited), in opposition to the Bill, *read* by the Clerk. Printed copies of the Bill *referred*, together with original Petition to introduce the same, and copies of Petition in opposition to the Bill before the Committee.

Present:—Mr. John Parkinson (*Solicitor*), for the Broken Hill District Water Supply Company (Limited), in opposition to the Bill.

John Parkinson sworn and examined.

Room cleared.

Committee deliberated.

Chairman read a letter from Charles E. Hogg, representing that his Petition praying for leave to appear before the Committee in opposition to the Bill had, on presentation to the House, been disallowed as informal, and desiring to know whether he might appear before the Committee pending the presentation of a Petition to the House in proper form.

[Adjourned till To-morrow, at Two o'clock.]

THURSDAY, 13 DECEMBER, 1888.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Mr. Day in the Chair.

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| Mr. Barbour, | | Mr. Kelly. |
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Entry from Votes and Proceedings referring Petition from Charles E. Hogg in opposition to the Bill *read* by the Clerk.

Printed copies of Petition *referred* before the Committee.

Present:—Mr. H. E. Cohen (*Counsel*), for the Promoters of the Bill; Mr. J. Thompson (*Solicitor*), for Charles E. Hogg, in opposition to the Bill.

J. D. Derry, C.E., called in, sworn, and examined.

Witness *handed in* plan of proposed scheme for Water Supply to Broken Hill (*Appendix, Plan*).

Cross-examined by Mr. Thompson.

Room cleared.

Committee deliberated.

[Adjourned till To-morrow, at Two o'clock.]

TUESDAY, 18 DECEMBER, 1888.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

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| Mr. Barbour, | | Mr. Garrard, |
| Mr. Gornly, | | Mr. Kelly. |

Mr. Barbour called to the Chair *pro tem*.

Entry from Votes and Proceedings referring the Report of Mr. E. B. Price on the Water Supply at Broken Hill *read* by the Clerk.

Printed copies of Paper *referred* before the Committee.

Present:—Mr. H. E. Cohen (*Counsel*) for the promoters of the Bill; Mr. J. Thompson (*Solicitor*), for Charles E. Hogg, in opposition to the Bill.

J. D. Derry, C.E., called in and further cross-examined by Mr. Thompson.

Mr. Cohen objected to the line of cross-examination as going beyond the specified grounds of opposition set forth in Mr. Hogg's Petition.

Committee overruled objection.

Cross-examination of witness continued.

Witness withdrew.

Mr. Thompson requested to be supplied with the evidence, and Committee ordered that the parties be furnished with copies, as printed.

George Gordon, C.E., called in, sworn, and examined.

Witness withdrew.

Committee deliberated.

[Adjourned till To-morrow, at Two o'clock.]

WEDNESDAY,

WEDNESDAY, 19 DECEMBER, 1888.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Mr. Barbour, | Mr. Waddell,
Mr. Kelly.

Mr. Barbour called to the Chair *pro tem*.

Present:—Mr. H. E. Cohen (*Counsel*) for the promoters of the Bill; Mr. J. Thompson (*Solicitor*), for Charles E. Hogg, in opposition to the Bill.

E. B. Price, C.B. (*Harbours and Rivers Department*), called in, sworn, and examined.

Cross-examined by Mr. Thompson.

Witness withdrew.

T. F. De Courcy Browne, M.P., called in, sworn, and examined.

Witness withdrew.

Mr. Cohen handed in Memorandum of Association of the Barrier Ranges and Broken Hill Water Supply Company (Limited). Ordered to be appended (*Appendix A*).

Harry A. Gilliatt called in, sworn, and examined.

Witness withdrew.

Committee deliberated.

[Adjourned till To-morrow, at *half-past One* o'clock.]

THURSDAY, 20 DECEMBER, 1888.

MEMBERS PRESENT.

Mr. Barbour, | Mr. Kelly,
Mr. Gormly.

Mr. Barbour called to the Chair *pro tem*.

Present:—Mr. H. E. Cohen (*Counsel*) for the Promoters of the Bill; Mr. J. Thompson (*Solicitor*), for Charles E. Hogg, in opposition to the Bill.

Harry A. Gilliatt called in and further examined.

Witness handed in Minute suggesting amendments in Bill, and correspondence between Mines Department and Nolan & Co. respecting water supply for Broken Hill. Ordered to be appended (*Appendices B 1 & 2*).

Cross-examined by Mr. Thompson.

Witness withdrew.

Horatio James Alyward (*Clerk, Lands Department*), called in, sworn, and examined.

Witness produced papers respecting applications made by Mr. De Courcy Browne for special leases for water conservation at Broken Hill.

Witness withdrew.

Charles Edward Hogg (*Petitioner against the Bill*) sworn and examined.

Witness produced plan of Nolan's Stephen's Creek Water Supply Scheme.

Witness withdrew.

Horatio James Alyward called in and further examined.

Witness withdrew.

Committee deliberated.

Reassembling of the Committee to be arranged by the Chairman.

[Adjourned.]

TUESDAY, 8 JANUARY, 1889.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Mr. Day in the Chair.
Mr. Barbour, | Mr. Gormly,
Mr. Waddell.

Present:—Mr. H. E. Cohen (*Counsel*) for the Promoters of the Bill. Mr. J. Thompson (*Solicitor*) for Charles E. Hogg, in opposition to the Bill.

T. F. De Courcy Browne, M.P., called in and further examined.

Cross-examined by Mr. Thompson.

Witness withdrew.

Mr. Thompson and Mr. Cohen addressed the Committee.

Room cleared.

Preamble considered.

Question—"That this preamble stand part of the Bill"—put and passed.

Parties called in and informed.

Clauses 1 and 2 read and *agreed to*.

Clause 3 read, amended,* and *agreed to*.

Clauses 4, 5, and 6 read and *agreed to*.

Clause 7 read, amended,* and *agreed to*.

Clause 8 read, considered, and postponed.

Clauses 9 to 20 read and *agreed to*.

Clause 21 read, amended,* and *agreed to*.

Clauses 22, 23, and 24 read and *agreed to*.

Clause 25 read, considered, and postponed.

Clauses 26 to 34 read and *agreed to*.

Clause 35 read, considered, and postponed.

[Adjourned till To-morrow, at *half-past One* o'clock.]

* See Schedules of Amendment.

WEDNESDAY, 9 JANUARY, 1889.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Mr. Day, | Mr. Barbour.

In the absence of a quorum, the meeting called for this day lapsed.

THURSDAY, 10 JANUARY, 1889.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Mr. Day in the Chair.

Mr. Kelly, | Mr. Barbour,
| Mr. Waddell.

* See Schedule of
Amendments.

Present:—Mr. H. E. Cohen (*Counsel*), for the promoters of the Bill; Mr. J. Thompson (*Solicitor*), for Charles E. Hogg, in opposition to the Bill.

Bill further considered.

Clauses 38 to 104 read and *agreed to*.

Schedules read and *agreed to*.

Postponed clause 8 read, further considered, amended*, and *agreed to*.

Postponed clauses 25 and 35 read, further considered, and *agreed to*.

Title read and *agreed to*.

Chairman to report the Bill, with amendments, to the House.

SCHEDULE OF AMENDMENTS.

- Page 3, clause 3, lines 49 to 51. *Omit* " Provided nevertheless that the Company shall not be liable to make compensation in respect of any damage sustained by reason of the taking of water from any creek in the said district."
- Page 4, clause 7, line 25. *After* " drain" *insert* " waterpipe."
- Page 4, clause 8, lines 32 to 39. *Omit* " divert water from any creek or watercourse within the district, and from time to time divert or alter, as well temporarily as permanently, any part of the course of any creeks or watercourses, roads, streets, or ways, in order the more conveniently to exercise any of the powers conferred on the Company; and may construct weirs and dams in any creek or watercourse, cut drains and deliver water into or take water from and embank, widen, or deepen any creek, watercourse, lagoon, or swamp within the district."
- Page 6, clause 21, line 43. *Omit* " two shillings" *insert* " ninepence."

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TAKEN BEFORE

THE SELECT COMMITTEE

ON

BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY BILL.

WEDNESDAY, 12 DECEMBER, 1888.

Present:—

MR. DAY,
MR. KELLY,

MR. TONKIN,
MR. NEILD.

GEORGE DAY, Esq., IN THE CHAIR.

John Parkinson, Esq., appeared on behalf of the Broken Hill and District Water Supply Company (Limited) in opposition to the Bill.

John Parkinson sworn and examined:—

1. *Chairman.*] I understand that you wish to make a statement to the Committee? I am a solicitor, and J. Parkinson.
concerned as Parliamentary agent for the petitioners against this Bill. I desire to state that negotia-
tions have taken place between the petitioners—the Broken Hill and District Water Supply Company, 12 Dec., 1888.
Limited—and the promoters of the present Bill now before the Committee, which have resulted in an
arrangement, as follows:—We, the petitioners, withdraw our opposition to the Bill now before this Com-
mittee, the promoters of this Bill, on the other hand, undertaking not to oppose our Bill when it comes
down from the Upper House to the Assembly. In consideration of that we undertake not to oppose the
present Bill, if passed, when sent to the Upper House. An arrangement to that effect has been made
between the Honourable Members in charge of the respective Bills in this and in the other House. I there-
fore, in pursuance of that agreement, and on these terms, withdraw my opposition to the present Bill.
2. In your petition you asked for leave to examine and cross-examine witnesses;—now that you have with-
drawn your opposition to the Bill, I suppose that you do not wish to exercise that power? I have no
wish to do so. I withdraw all opposition to the Bill on the terms stated. I have to ask the approval of
the Committee to that course. I make this statement to protect myself in the event of the agreement not
being observed.

THURSDAY, 13 DECEMBER, 1888.

Present:—

MR. DAY,

MR. KELLY.

MR. BARBOUR,

GEORGE DAY, Esq., IN THE CHAIR.

H. E. Cohen, Esq., Counsel, appeared in support of the Bill.

J. Thompson, Esq., Solicitor, appeared on behalf of C. E. Hogg, Esq., Petitioner against the Bill.

John Dickson Derry called in, sworn, and examined:—

3. *Chairman.*] What are you? A civil engineer. J. D. Derry.
4. Where do you reside? Horsham, Victoria. 13 Dec., 1888.
5. I suppose you are acquainted with Broken Hill and Stephen's Creek? I have been there three times.
6. Have you been at Stephen's Creek? On each occasion.
7. *Mr. Cohen.*] Have you surveyed Stephen's Creek? I have superintended the survey of it. I have
had several surveyors there to do all that was necessary to get up what we proposed to do. 8.

J. D. Derry. 8. Is this plan one which has been prepared by you in connection with the scheme proposed by the present Bill? It is. (*Appendix Plan.*)

13 Dec., 1888. 9. Will you indicate what the scheme is;—is the proposed service line the red line starting from the impounding dam and pumping-station to the service reservoir at Broken Hill? That is the main line—the supply main.

10. What is the distance between those two points? About 10 miles; but we have shortened it by about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile. The line indicated on the plan is not the actual line which we are going to adopt; we have surveyed a more direct line.

11. I suppose the line indicated on the plan substantially indicates the line of route? Practically it is the same route.

12. Will you tell the Committee what is the capacity of Stephen's Creek for storing water? For economical reasons we must have a retaining bank to raise the water 50 feet high; a bank of that height would be cheaper than one of 30 feet high, because we could construct it of earth, whereas the other one would have to be a masonry bank. We cannot have a lower dam than 60 feet, because we must have an ample by-wash.

13. What I want to know is, whether there is any water in Stephen's Creek at present? There is not a sufficient quantity for any supply purpose in the way of pumping; it is very limited, except when the creek is actually running. The creek becomes dry very quickly, so that storage is absolutely necessary.

14. *Chairman.*] How do you account for nearly 100,000 gallons of water being taken to Broken Hill at the present time? It is got from the soakage, but it is not reliable. You see that it has run short now.

15. I understood you to say that there is practically no water in it? You do not see the water on the surface; it is in the sand. There is water available for a certain time, but if there is a prolonged drought it runs short, as it has done now.

16. Is it not a fact that a large quantity of water is taken from Stephen's Creek to Broken Hill by pipes at the present time? I am not aware that that is the case.

17. *Mr. Cohen.*] I understood you to say that there is no water at present apparent on the surface of the creek? Just so.

18. Will you tell us why it is that you recommend Stephen's Creek as being the source for the supply under this Bill? The water there now can be taken up by carts at great cost, but it is very unreliable. If the drought continues any length of time the supply will run short. No one can question the fact that a reservoir is necessary. That is the important point which we start on, and that is what we ask permission to construct. We propose to construct a dam at a point which is very favourable for it. By means of a dam we can get an unlimited supply, and we can pump the water to Broken Hill.

19. Will you explain where you expect the water to come from? The catchment area, as near as we can judge from the plans available—I do not know that any very accurate survey has been made—is about 170 square miles. It has been estimated that the area is 180 square miles, but we have put it down at 170. If the rain falls at all rapidly on that area, say an inch per hour, it runs off very rapidly, and being intercepted would give a large supply. I have made a calculation. I now quote from a report which I prepared for the syndicate:—

The catchment is, as nearly as can be measured, from the existing plans, 170 square miles. The average rainfall over this area for the last twelve years is 10 inches. This cannot be taken by itself as a basis for calculation, because in some years it has been so distributed throughout the year as to be of little value in adding to the storage, but the rain frequently falls in heavy storms, giving 1, 2, and 3 inches in twenty-four hours; it is these heavy falls that will give large supplies. This is borne evidence to by the drift lodged in the trees and rocks of 12 and 13 feet above the bed of the creek where it is 300 feet wide. The flow of water at this point must have been at least 3 feet per second, which would give a discharge of 13 feet \times 300 feet \times 3 seconds = 11,700 cubic feet per second. If this continued to flow for five hours only at this depth, it would give a supply of 210 million cubic feet, or sufficient for 20,000 people, at 60 gallons per head per day, for two years, allowing one-third for evaporation, but the creek has been known to continue running for several days at a depth of 2 feet and more, so that this must be a moderate estimate of the result of such a heavy flow. It is unfortunate that it cannot be ascertained in what year this high flood occurred, but it is supposed it must have been in 1878, when 9.80 inches fell in March in seven days, 4.7 of which fell in three days. An approximate calculation may be made from the rainfall in twenty-four hours, thus, for a fall of 1 inch it is certain one-fourth would run off into the storage; of 2 inches, in the same time, probably one-third would be stored; and if 3 inches rainfall, at least one-half. 1 inch of rain over a square mile = $2\frac{1}{2}$ millions cubic feet, and over 170 square miles, equal 396 millions cubic feet. Allowing one-fourth of 1 inch rainfall to be stored = 99 millions cubic feet, 73 millions cubic feet is required for one year's supply to a population of 20,000 at 60 gallons per head. 2 inches rainfall in twenty-four hours, giving one-third as stored = 264 millions cubic feet; 3 inches rainfall in twenty-four hours, giving one-half as stored = 594 millions cubic feet; the storage capacity of the gorges = 657 millions cubic feet; the storage capacity of the plains = 582 millions cubic feet—total storage capacity of both = 1,239 millions cubic feet.

20. When you speak of the storage capacity of the gorges, you mean the reservoir which you propose to construct? The upper portion of the creek runs through a plain, and then passes between hills which are termed gorges, and it is these gorges—about 2 miles below the plains—where we propose to erect the dam. That will be a very favourable site for storing water, and a dam erected there will throw the water back over the whole area shown on the plan. We propose to put in a second dam, which we call the impounding dam; this will be in the gorges; the advantage of this dam will be that there will be less evaporation than there would be if we allowed the water to lie over the flat country.

21. Do I understand the effect of your report to be: Suppose 9 or 10 inches of rain fell in the year—that being the average rainfall—and that 2 or 3 inches fell in a comparatively short time, you would be able to gather from this catchment area sufficient water to supply a population of 20,000 for three years? I think that there is quite sufficient evidence to show that we must depend upon having a permanent storage supply for 20,000 people.

22. Suppose 3 inches of rain fell in a short time—say, in three or four days—would you then, under your proposed plan, be able to store sufficient water to supply 20,000 people for three years? Of course it depends altogether on how the rain falls. If a large quantity were to fall in an hour, then you would get the water off into the storage reservoirs.

23. It frequently falls in that way? Frequently in storms.

24. Have you prepared a plan which shows the proposed extent of the reservoir? The plan shows the reservoir in the part coloured blue.

25. What area is that reservoir as marked in blue? The upper storage is 1,630 acres, and the lower storage 855 acres; those are the areas, supposing that there is a full depth of water—50 feet.

26. What would be the storage capacity of the reservoir as shown on the plan? It would be 1,239,000,000 cubic feet—that is a greater capacity than the Yan Yean reservoir, as it contains only 1,000,000,000 cubic feet.

27. Will you tell us the capacity of the reservoir in gallons? Six and a quarter times that, or 7,743,000,000 gallons. J. D. Derry.
28. Do you think that the natural features of the site are favourable for the construction of the reservoir? They are peculiarly favourable at the point where we propose to construct the dam. 13 Dec., 1888.
29. Why? The rocks approach each other closer there than anywhere else, and of course there would be less material to use to fill in between them than at any other point.
30. *Mr. Barbour.*] Do you refer to the point where you are to have a retaining dam 62 feet high? Yes. We will cut out the by-wash in a spur at the top. We have to make the dam that height to avail ourselves of the spur for the purpose of the by-wash. A dam 30 feet high would store only one-eighth of the quantity which the dam that we propose to construct will store.
31. How do you propose to deal with the water which will be stored between the impounding dam and the retaining dam? There will be about 10 feet of water at the bottom, which we will not trouble about drawing off; but, if necessary, we can lay down a line of pipes to bring the water to the same level at the bottom in the impounding dam.
32. *Mr. Cohen.*] You say that you are going to make the retaining dam 50 feet high? No; we propose to store 50 feet of water, and the dam will be 60 feet high.
33. Do you consider it more economical to have a dam of that height than to have one of a lower height? Much more so, because a lower dam would have to be made of masonry, and the cost of a masonry bank would be much greater than that of an earthenware one.
34. Suppose you had a dam 30 feet high, would you necessarily have to construct it of masonry? Necessarily so, because we could get no by-wash, and the overflow water would have to run over the bank.
35. *Mr. Barbour.*] In addition to the economy in connection with a higher bank, you would also have a greater depth of water? Yes.
36. *Mr. Cohen.*] You propose to take a service-pipe into Broken Hill;—what will that main service be? First of all we proposed to have 18-inch wrought-iron pipes, but we now propose to have a reduced scheme, so as to lessen the cost, and we shall start with 12-inch pipes, which can be duplicated if necessary. With 12-inch pipes we can give a moderate supply for the present population at a reduced cost. We shall be able to give 120,000 gallons a day.
37. You think that that will be ample? Yes, for present requirements. We can increase it at any time when necessary.
38. Are there any physical difficulties in the way of laying the pipes from the reservoir to Broken Hill? None at all; you can drive in a buggy over the whole line.
39. When you get the water into the service reservoir shown on the plan, how do you propose to distribute it? We shall reticulate the town by pipes in the ordinary way.
40. Will the service be by gravitation? Yes; the service reservoir is about 120 feet above the most important part of the town. It will give a very good pressure over the whole town. It is an excellent site for a service reservoir, as it will command the whole town at varying heights.
41. Have you made an estimate of the cost of this scheme? The minor scheme will cost about £60,000 without reticulation, and with reticulation to the extent which we propose at present about £70,000—that is, putting in the retaining dam only—not putting in the impounding dam and having 12-inch pipes. With a 40-horsepower engine we can deliver 120,000 gallons a day. Of course this could be extended indefinitely. We propose to spend about £10,000 in reticulation at present.
42. Have you made a calculation as to the price at which, under this scheme, water can be supplied to the inhabitants? For the first year we can supply it for 1s. per 100 gallons—that is, if only 120,000 gallons are used daily. If double that quantity is required, we could supply it for 9d. per 100 gallons; and later on, if the demand rose to 400,000 gallons, we could supply it for 6d. per 100 gallons.
43. Would those prices leave a fair profit to the Company? We should have a good profit—15 per cent. to 20 per cent.
44. Suppose this scheme were legalized by Parliament, can you say within what time it would be completed? I think about six months. I think that we could get the dam done quicker than that if we were fortunate, but I would not allow less than six months to finish it.
45. How long would it take to complete the whole scheme? We could undertake to supply water in nine months.
46. *Mr. Barbour.*] But suppose no rain were to fall meanwhile? We should still have the soakage water to pump from; but it would be unusual if rain did not fall.
47. *Mr. Cohen.*] Assuming that the water is there, within what time could you undertake to supply it to Broken Hill? I think that we could safely promise to supply it in nine months.
48. Is there any other information which you wish to place before the Committee with regard to this scheme? The objection may be raised that the drainage from Broken Hill would go into the reservoir unless we made provision against it. We have provided against that. I forget the exact area—but it is comparatively small—of Broken Hill from which storm-water will be sent down to Stephen's Creek, but we guard against that drainage water getting into our reservoir by making intercepting channels, and distributing it over the plain. We should ask for rights to have an area devoted to that purpose. The soil on the plain would act as a sort of filter. The drainage water would be soaked up and evaporated, and it would probably be of use in promoting the growth of grass, but we do not attach much importance to that. I would point out that there is a Government tank at Round Hill, about 4 miles from our service reservoir. This tank would intercept the drainage water, unless it were distributed in the way I propose. If we did not make arrangements for disposing of the drainage water, the Government would have to do so, to prevent pollution of the tank, from which a large supply of water is drawn at present. There is a large flat quite sufficient in extent to deal with the drainage water from the small area of Broken Hill. Then there is a separate catchment area marked with a red line, the drainage from which we dispose of on the same principle at another point. We can do the same with the drainage from Round Hill and Willa Willyong Creek, so that I think there need be no cause for alarm on the supposition that the drainage of Broken Hill and other places would be washed down to Stephen's Creek, and so contaminate the water in our reservoir.
49. *Mr. Barbour.*] I suppose that it would be to the interest of the Company at all events to supply the water as pure as possible? Just so.
50. It would be to their interest to adopt other measures for filtration if necessary? That will not be necessary now, because we propose to take measures to dispose of the drainage from all the existing townships. Of course other small townships may spring into existence.

- J. D. Derry. 51. What is the nature of the soil in the flat to which you refer? Sandy. It would absorb a large quantity of water. I am sure that the area is quite sufficient to absorb the drainage from the small area of Broken Hill.
13 Dec., 1888. 52. *Mr. Cohen.*] You say that you intend to prevent the drainage flowing into Stephen's Creek? Yes; we will arrest it altogether. The interception of this water would have no appreciable effect in diminishing the supply, as it is only a small area.
53. The promoters of this scheme are taking effective means to preserve the purity of water from the source of supply in Stephen's Creek? Yes.
54. *Mr. Barbour.*] Is there no way of diverting that drainage water from Broken Hill in a different direction? You could not divert it—it must come down the creek. The only way to divert it would be to pump it. With the scheme of distributing it which I propose, I think there need be no fear of its getting into Stephen's Creek.
55. *Mr. Cohen.*] How long have you been following your profession as a civil engineer? Since 1859. I served in the Public Works Department in India for nearly twenty years, and I got a pension from the Government, and a "good service" allowance. Since 1880 I have been in Victoria carrying out water schemes of various kinds.
56. Will you mention the nature of them? Storage schemes, pumping schemes, and schemes for the distribution of water for stock and domestic supply. I am now engaged on an irrigation scheme in the Wimmera District, near Horsham.
57. Is this scheme now in progress? There is a trust to be formed to carry it out. It has been approved of by the Government.
58. The scheme as proposed by you? Yes; including two very large storages—one of 6,000,000,000 cubic feet to be carried out as a national work. I have already constructed one storage—the Wartook, in the Grampians; its capacity is 570,000,000 cubic feet.
59. You are quite satisfied as to the practicability of the scheme proposed in this Bill? Perfectly.
60. *Mr. Barbour.*] Has Stephen's Creek a large quantity of sand in it? There is a large quantity of sand for the whole length of it, and also in the tributaries.
61. There is a separate bed formed? Yes.
62. How wide? In some places 300 feet, and in others 200 feet. Of course the main system would be the largest. Perhaps for 7 miles you may say it is about 200 feet wide, taking the average.
63. Is this a bed of sand? Yes, coarse sand. It varies in depth, as I judge from wells which have been sunk in it. In some places it is 2 feet deep, and in others 5 feet; I should say on an average it is about 3 feet. There may be particular places where it is much deeper than that.
64. Are there any trees growing in the bed? There are a large number of red-gum trees growing along the creek on both sides, and a kind of wattle scrub grows all over the flats, but the large trees are principally red-gum.
65. Suppose these large trees were killed, would it add anything to the quantity of water to be supplied? That is a matter of opinion which I think has not been settled definitely.
66. What is your opinion? I think that the trees must have some effect in taking off water.
67. You think that the big trees absorb a large quantity of water which otherwise would be in the sand? I think so; I have never had an opportunity of judging of it. I think there is no doubt that these trees must take up a considerable quantity of moisture. Of course there is the shade to take into account. This is a question which people have often discussed without their arriving at any satisfactory conclusion. On the whole I think that it would be better if the trees were out of the way. The water which is saved by the shade is not equal to the quantity which is drawn off by the trees.
68. Do you think that this is one of the best schemes which can be adopted for supplying water to Broken Hill? I would rather get it from the Darling River, if it did not cost so much, because there you would be always sure of having water; but I am afraid that the cost of such a scheme would make it almost prohibitory. I am satisfied that if we once get our storage reservoir filled it will last five years, and of course year by year the supply will be replenished. The oldest inhabitants are all of the same opinion. The catchment area is very large, and when the water comes down the creek it runs in a torrent. The owner of Mount Gipps Run, who knows more of the district than any one else, and who is a practical man, is of opinion that there will be no difficulty in filling the storage reservoir.
69. And when it is filled you will have a continuous supply for a large population? Just so, because every year there will be a small addition, and of course we may get a heavy storm and have an overflow; but if the creek did not run for five years the supply would hold out. I have a table showing how long the supply would last, which I will read to the Committee:—

Lower Storage Capacity = 657,000,000 cubic feet.

TABLE showing rate at which it would be emptied, with an output of 200,000 cubic feet per day, to supply a population of 20,000 at 60 gallons per head per day, and allowing a loss by evaporation of 5 feet per annum.

| Number of days to use up each 12 in. of depth of water. | | Number of days to use up each 12 in. of depth of water. | | Number of days to use up each 12 in. of depth of water. | |
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| From 50 ft. to 49 ft. = 52·7 days | | From 35 ft. to 34 ft. = 40·4 days | | From 20 ft. to 19 ft. = 23·8 days | |
| 49 | 48 = 51·9 | 34 | 33 = 39·8 | 19 | 18 = 22·0 |
| 48 | 47 = 51·4 | 33 | 32 = 39·1 | 18 | 17 = 20·1 |
| 47 | 46 = 50·8 | 32 | 31 = 38·5 | 17 | 16 = 18·0 |
| 46 | 45 = 50·2 | 31 | 30 = 37·9 | 16 | 15 = 15·6 |
| 45 | 44 = 49·6 | 30 | 29 = 37·2 | 15 | 14 = 13·1 |
| 44 | 43 = 49·0 | 29 | 28 = 36·2 | 14 | 13 = 11·9 |
| 43 | 42 = 48·4 | 28 | 27 = 35·1 | 13 | 12 = 10·6 |
| 42 | 41 = 47·7 | 27 | 26 = 34·0 | 12 | 11 = 9·1 |
| 41 | 40 = 47·1 | 26 | 25 = 32·7 | 11 | 10 = 7·6 |
| 40 | 39 = 46·4 | 25 | 24 = 31·4 | 10 | 9 = 6·1 |
| 39 | 38 = 45·3 | 24 | 23 = 30·0 | 9 | 8 = 5·4 |
| 38 | 37 = 44·3 | 23 | 22 = 28·6 | 8 | 7 = 4·5 |
| 37 | 36 = 43·1 | 22 | 21 = 27·1* | 7 | 6 = 3·7 |
| 36 | 35 = 41·8 | 21 | 20 = 25·5 | 6 | 5 = 2·8 |
| | | | | 5 | 4 = 2·0 |

days = 3·86 years, or three years ten months. The upper storage capacity is 582,000,000 cubic feet, but since its surface exposed to evaporation is 1,630 acres, against 855 acres only in the lower storage, and being of less depth, it would not give more than one-third supply, or about one year and three months, which, added to the time that the lower storage will hold out, will equal about five years' supply. Hence the importance of impounding the water collected in the upper storage in the gorges.

* 12·33 days = 3·38 years.

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70. That is for 20,000 people? Yes. If we once got the reservoir filled it would give a supply for 20,000 people for three years and ten months at the rate of consumption which I have stated. The creek has never been known not to run for such a long period as three years. I believe that there is only one year known in which it did not run at all.

J. D. Derry.
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71. In your opinion, what would be a quantity sufficient to supply the inhabitants—up to what extent of population? I have only considered it up to 20,000. You will observe that we allow about 60 gallons a day per head, which is a liberal supply. Of course a larger number could be supplied with a less quantity. We should have to reduce it if we were getting short.

72. *Mr. Cohen.*] Suppose there was a population of 40,000, according to your calculation, you would have a supply for nearly two years? Yes. I think that it will be safe to depend on my calculations. At Mount Gipps Station they have a record of the rainfall for the last twelve years, and from that, and from information which I have received from people who have lived there and have observed the stream and the effect of the rainfall, I think we shall be quite safe in relying on that calculation.

73. *Mr. Barbour.*] Do you think that you are correct in assuming that the rainfall there is 10 inches per annum? That is the average rainfall which has been recorded.

74. From your own observation, you think that that is correct? I have a copy of the rainfall tables taken at Mount Gipps Station.

75. *Mr. Cohen.*] You told us that the cost of a single line of pipes and the reticulation service would be about £10,000;—what would be the cost if you had two lines of pipes? I have estimated that the whole scheme complete, with an impounding embankment and 18-in. pipes, would cost £150,000. It would be about the same if we had two 12-in. pipes—£150,000 to make the scheme quite complete.

76. *Mr. Barbour.*] Reticulation and all together? Yes.

77. *Mr. Kelly.*] You propose to conduct the water from the impounding dam into the town by pipe? Yes.

78. How do you propose to hold the water in the service reservoir? There is a favourable site on the top of the hill. We would level it off, then excavate 5 feet, and then build a wall 5 feet high, which would give a depth of 10 feet. We would cover the reservoir over to prevent the fumes from the smelters from contaminating the water.

79. You think that no poisonous fumes could reach the water? We could completely exclude them.

80. *Mr. Barbour.*] But do you propose to completely exclude them? I deal with that subject in my report, as follows:—"The service reservoir will be built on the highest point in the town, which is over 100 feet above the present centre of business, and will give a pressure of over 43 lb. per square inch. The height of the reservoir site above the sea is 1,090 feet. The capacity will be made equal to 2½ days' supply to a population of 25,000 people at 60 gallons per head. It will be 300 feet × 200 feet × 5 feet deep in the rock, and 5 feet additional depth will be obtained by an enclosing wall. The reservoir will be roofed in with a segmental galvanized-iron roof to protect the water from the injurious fumes from the smelters."

81. *Mr. Kelly.*] What height have you to pump the water to raise it from Stephen's Creek to Broken Hill? 400 feet to the service reservoir.

82. Does the water run from Broken Hill across to Stephen's Creek into the impounding dam? No.

83. I see that on the plan which you have produced there are two sketches on two different scales—one 8 miles to the inch, and the other 1 mile to the inch;—do you ask for the whole of the land embraced in the area coloured pink in the smaller sketch? No. We simply ask for the whole of the land coloured blue in the 8-miles-to-1-inch sketch.

84. You say that the catchment area is 170 square miles;—do you ask for the right to catch water over the whole of that area? It cannot be avoided. It must fall on that area. We ask to be allowed to impound all that water. We ask for the area which will be submerged by the reservoir.

85. Embracing Broken Hill itself? No. We do not ask for that, because it is merely an area over which rain falls.

86. Just now you told us that Broken Hill was 400 feet higher than Stephen's Creek, in a different direction, and the water did not run from Broken Hill to the impounding reservoir? You misunderstood me. It goes from Broken Hill to the reservoir. But I have already explained that we propose to intercept the drainage from Broken Hill so as to prevent contamination of the water in the reservoir.

87. You ask for control over the 175 square miles of catchment area? Not beyond preventing pollution.

88. *Chairman.*] You will not interfere with any grazing rights? In no way. We simply ask the power to prevent any pollution.

89. *Mr. Kelly.*] Do you propose to interfere with any one who may have any right, or may acquire a right, to the land embraced in that catchment area? If we construct this dam, we would ask for the exclusive right to pump from the storage.

90. Are you trying, or is any effort being made, to injure any one else who may wish to conserve water within that area? We should ask to be protected against any other storage—in fact, you could not store water above the point where we propose to construct our dam.

91. Not in any of the creeks leading into the main creek? We would ask to be protected against water being stored above us. There are no storages above us now.

92. Suppose that there was a mine within the catchment area, and the ores from the mine required concentrating, it appears to me that your Company would have so great a monopoly that they could stop this private enterprise? Knowing the district as I do, I know that there are no storages which could be constructed. I think the Company would be quite willing not to ask to prohibit anyone storing water as far as they could do so, because we know that they could not store any water which would be of any importance in the way of lessening the supply in the main storage. This point might be noted, so as to make people feel that they were not being taken advantage of. We could have some provision inserted in the Bill to provide against that.

93. *Mr. Cohen.*] As a matter of fact, you do not ask for control over the catchment area? No.

94. *Mr. Kelly.*] Is there not a range between Stephen's Creek and Broken Hill township? There is no range which affects us.

95. I understood you to say something about the water running from Broken Hill into some reservoir? I mean into a storage reservoir.

96. The whole of the water from Broken Hill actually drains into the storage reservoir? Yes.

97. In any case you could not prevent the water being polluted by fumes? No.

- J. D. Derry. 98. *Chairman.*] I suppose that the whole of the catchment area is in one run? I do not know. I think that the Mount Gipps run must include nearly the whole of it. I do not think that would affect the question in any way, because the owner of the station would not be affected. We do not touch the catchment area. We simply wish to have control of the area submerged by the storage.
- 13 Dec., 1888. 99. Is not that area—2,000 acres—the most valuable portion of the run? No. It is very poor, sandy, and rocky country of very little value. I am sure that the lessee of the run would raise no objection.
100. *Mr. Barbour.*] Access to the water for the stock would perhaps compensate him? I think that he would be quite willing to forego any claim which he might have.
101. *Chairman.*] Have you heard from him, directly or indirectly, that he has no objection? I believe that he is glad to hear that the scheme is to be carried out.
102. *Mr. Kelly.*] Is it not a gold-diggings? It is included in the Albert gold-field.
103. Are you aware of any other syndicate or company setting up a claim to the same catchment area or any part of it? I have heard that Nolan Brothers have taken out a water-right below our dam site.
104. On the same creek? Yes.
105. What good will the right be to them if you impound all the water above them? That is a point to be considered. If they have a right to take off sufficient water to supply Broken Hill, and we have no right to intercept that flow, we must give them as much as they have a right to take off. I am not sufficiently acquainted with the mining regulations to know exactly how the matter stands. Anyhow it is a matter of law. I do not quite know what they claim.
106. You propose to have wrought-iron pipes to conduct the water from the impounding dam to the service reservoir? Yes.
107. Do you think that they would be strong enough;—I have used them and I have found that they soon decay? Perhaps your pipes were not properly asphalted. Our pipes are to be protected with asphalt; wrought-iron pipes are used now very extensively for main supplies. I saw them in use in America. I collected information on the subject which led to their introduction in Victoria.
108. You are aware that if wrought-iron pipes are put in saline soil—gypsum—they will soon rot through? They will unless they are protected with a coating of asphalt. I have known them to be fifteen years in similar soil without being in the least injured.
109. *Mr. Thompson.*] You propose to have a service reservoir to the township which will hold a supply for two days and a half? Yes.
110. What would happen if anything went wrong with the pipes—if they burst or the pumping-engine broke down? We should have to get the repairs made before the two days and a half supply run out.
111. You would have nothing more than a supply for two days and a half? No; but we do not bind ourselves to using only one set of engines. We say that we will use 40 horse-power, but most likely we shall have two sets of engines.
112. You say "we";—do I understand that you are one of the company? I am.
113. Have you read the Bill? I have read part of it; I saw it when it was drafted.
114. The title of the Bill is "A Bill to enable the 'Barrier Ranges and Broken Hill Water Supply Company (Limited)' to establish a system of Water Supply within the Police Districts of Broken Hill and Silverton, and to confer upon the said company certain powers and authorities." You have been asked some questions with reference to the pink-tinted area on the plan;—is the whole of that within those police districts? That I could not answer.
115. As far as you know, is any part of it outside those districts? I have not considered that part of the subject at all.
116. Suppose it is within those districts, you will have control over that area under this Bill? I suppose the company are taking powers to supply those districts.
117. You will have control over the water supply in those districts? No. We merely ask for power to supply them with water.
118. The sources of water supply in that catchment area must find their way into your reservoir sooner or later? Yes.
119. Including of course the drainage from Broken Hill? Yes, unless intercepted.
120. You propose at first to throw 120,000 gallons into the town daily? Yes.
121. How much is that in excess of the present supply? I really do not know what the present supply is; they are getting it from various sources.
122. With a supply of 120,000 gallons a day I suppose that the drainage water which would get away would be very largely increased? I should think not, as it would be used in gardens. When people have to pay such a price for water they will not allow much of it to run to waste.
123. It would increase the soakage? It will not soak any distance.
124. When you supply 120,000 gallons a day you do not suppose that it will all be used for garden purposes? Only a very small quantity of it would run out of the town.
125. But there would be an increased quantity? During a storm.
126. Possibly at other times? I do not suppose that it would reach the place where I propose to divert the drainage.
127. It would go in that direction? Yes.
128. Until it was pulled up by your diverting channels or by the Government tank? Yes.
129. The Government tank is used for domestic supply, so that that would be polluted? Not at all.
130. Suppose you did not cleanse it? We shall take ample means to divert it.
131. There is no obligation on you to filter it in such a way as to render it innocuous? That lies with the Government; they could insist on regulations, and it would be for the company's interest not to cause any annoyance in any way. I think that the people would be only too glad to have the drainage water for cultivation purposes.
132. *Mr. Barbour.*] It was suggested just now that the lessee of the run might have some right, and that he would be compensated by his cattle being allowed to drink from the dam;—do you think that that would be so? We should have to protect the water from being polluted by stock. He would have to provide means to take the water off.
133. *Mr. Thompson.*] You are aware that under the Bill that if his cattle did drink water out of the dam he would be liable to a penalty of £5? I am not aware of that.
134. Then you have not read the Bill? I do not pretend to have had anything to do with the drafting of it. I have only glanced at one or two points.

135. As a matter of fact, all the water which would fall on that catchment area would go into your dam? *J. D. Derry.*
As much of it as could flow off.
136. What would become of the rest? It would be evaporated and soaked up.
137. I think that you said that at times one-third or one-half would flow down into the creek, and that the rest would disappear;—do you mean by soaking? Yes; and evaporation.
138. What is the bed of the creek? Sand.
139. What underlies that? Clay.
140. Is it good holding ground? Yes; at one point, where the dam is to be erected, we get rock.
141. Any interference with the water falling on the catchment area—any pollution of it—would be an interference with your rights? I suppose so; I do not know what protection there is.
142. The Bill provides rather stringently in that respect;—you would have control over that 170 square miles in that respect? I suppose so, as to the water not being polluted.
143. After a heavy rainfall there would be a large quantity of water running in that catchment area? Certainly.
144. There would be several streams, and any pollution of these at the head would be a pollution of your waterworks? Of course.
145. In that respect you have control over the catchment area? I do not know at all.
146. Mr. Kelly asked you whether there was not a probability of pollution by means of fumes from the smelters;—are there not other sources of pollution from the mines;—is the mineral water from the mines fit to drink? No.
147. Is it not a fact that there are several mines within that catchment area? Yes.
148. Notably the Daydream, Maybell, Mount Gipps, Nine-mile, and Round Hill. Do you know the situation of the Eaglehawk mine? Yes.
149. Can you point out its position on the plan? Somewhere about where the letter "o" is in "reservoir."
150. So that the reservoir would completely annihilate the Eaglehawk mine? I think it would encroach on the mine to a certain extent. I do not vouch for that being the exact position. The water-level of the reservoir will not reach the mine. It will not go near the shaft.
151. A portion of the mine would be within the reservoir? Probably. Of course we should have to pay compensation if any injury was done.
152. *Mr. Cohen.*] Could you reduce the limit of the reservoir so as to exclude the mine? We should have to compensate anyone at all injured by water. We do not ask for power to submerge land and ignore other people's rights. The "Mount Gipps Hotel" will be submerged some 20 feet, and we shall have to make arrangements with the owner.
153. *Mr. Thompson.*] Do you know anything about the working of the Eaglehawk mine? I have been there.
154. Do you know that the mine is kept clear of water by pumping? I have seen the water drawn up in buckets.
155. In large quantities? A considerable quantity.
156. That water would of necessity go towards the reservoir? It would, unless disposed of in some other way. I do not know what the quality of the water is.
157. Do you know that they are now erecting pumping machinery? I do not.
158. When you use the expression "gorges" by that you meant parts surrounded by high hills. Do you not know that there is a place which is known locally as "The Gorge"? About a mile and a half below our lower dam site there is a place called "The Gorge."
159. You are aware that water is being supplied to Broken Hill by the temporary supply from Stephen's Creek? By carts.
160. And that the work has been undertaken by Nolan Bros.? It is a very useful supply I should say.
161. I suppose you know that that is the commencement of a larger undertaking? I know that it has been set out that they are going to bring water from Stephen's Creek, but I see no connection between the two.
162. That is the same creek as you propose to dam, by damming which you would deprive people below of the natural flow of water, if not of water altogether? We certainly should unless the law protects them—unless we have to give them compensation water.
163. Your suggestion is that it would take about nine months to complete your scheme? Yes.

TUESDAY, 18 DECEMBER, 1888.

Present:—

MR. BARBOUR,
MR. GORMLY,

MR. GARRARD,
MR. KELLY.

R. BARBOUR, ESQ., IN THE CHAIR, *pro tem.*

H. E. Cohen, Esq., Counsel, appeared in support of the Bill.

J. Thompson, Esq., Solicitor, appeared on behalf of C. E. Hogg, Esq., petitioner against the Bill.

John Dickson Derry further examined:—

164. *Mr. Thompson.*] I think that you told the Committee that the probable cost of laying the pipes, as you had estimated it, would be about £60,000? No, you misunderstood me; that was the cost of the minor scheme. An 18-inch pipe would cost about £25,000, but a smaller pipe would cost less.
165. Then the £60,000 would represent the cost of the pipes and some of the works? Yes, of the minor scheme.
166. How much of that sum has already been expended? I could not tell you exactly, but in engineering works and getting surveys made I think about £500 has been spent.
167. But no money has been spent upon the works on the purchase of pipes or the laying of them? A small amount has been spent in sinking two shafts in the creek, but I do not pretend to say that this was of any advantage to the syndicate.

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- J. D. Derry. 168. It was done to guide the engineer? Quite so. We thought of erecting the pumps there, but independent of that I do not think the work was of any practical use.
- 18 Dec., 1888. 169. To what depth were they sunk? Probably about 3 or 4 feet. We do not claim to have done anything towards supplying Broken Hill with water.
170. No money has been expended in that direction? Nothing of any value.
171. Do you know whether any money has been expended by Nolan Bros? I have heard that there has in supplying water from a mine, which water is not fit for human consumption.
172. Do you know as a matter of fact that Nolan's pipes are at the present time supplying water to the town, bad though the water may be? I have heard that that is a fact.
173. Do you know when those pipes were laid? I think the water has been running a month or two. It is conveyed in a 4-inch pipe from the mine.
174. Are you aware of any arrangement being made by them to lay a long line of pipes, to be completed within a few months? The last time that I was at Broken Hill I heard that they had let a contract for pipes with a view to getting water from Stephen's Creek.
175. Have you heard within what time the work is to be completed? That may have been mentioned, but I do not remember it; I think that it is referred to in Mr. Price's report.
176. Did you not hear that the work was to be completed within twelve weeks? I do not remember.
177. Who were the promoters of the company with which you are connected? Probably you have seen the prospectus which was issued. The names mentioned in that prospectus as provisional directors are,—William Jamieson, chairman of the company, who is largely interested in the Broken Hill mine; W. P. Macgregor, also largely interested in the Broken Hill mine; W. R. Wilson, J.P., also a large shareholder in the Broken Hill Mine; W. Knox, also a large shareholder in the Broken Hill Mine; T. H. Goodwin—he has resigned; A. R. Blackwood, of Dalgety & Co., of Melbourne; W. Orr, broker, Broken Hill; S. R. Wilson, J.P., also largely interested in the Broken Hill Mine; T. F. De Courcy Browne, a Member of the N.S.W. Legislative Assembly; George Gordon, engineer, of Melbourne; and myself.
178. Can you state where those gentlemen reside? I know that Mr. Gordon lives in Melbourne, that Mr. Orr lives at Broken Hill, and that I live at Horsham, but as to the others I have no knowledge as to where they live. I have only met them in connection with the syndicate.
179. You use the expression syndicate;—has any company been formed in pursuance of this prospectus? I believe there has.
180. You do not know? I am not quite sure.
181. Has any capital been subscribed? Yes; the syndicate have subscribed something.
182. To what extent? £125 each—twelve of us. I paid that amount myself.
183. Suppose your dam were constructed, would it not seriously interfere with the rights of persons below you on Stephen's Creek? I suppose it would necessarily cut off the supply if there were any persons below us, but of course we should be prepared to make any compensation that would be necessary. We had made provision for that by designing a sluice by which compensation can be given to whomsoever it will be obligatory on us to give it.
184. By compensation you mean a supply of water through your sluice? Just so, if necessary.
185. How long would it take to fill the dam? I have given the calculations in my report. I have already stated it, and I will stand by my statement. It depends on the rainfall.
186. Taking the average rainfall, which you told us was 10 inches a year? If that 10 inches fell in one day it would more than fill the dam; it would overflow to a large extent. As you can understand, it all depends on how the rain falls; if there was merely a drizzle no water would run off; it would be all absorbed or evaporated. If an inch an hour fell there would be a large flow; a fourth of the quantity might be taken as going into the reservoir.
187. My question is: Taking the average rainfall at 10 inches, how long do you estimate it will take to fill your dam? I could not say positively. You can only take the rainfall as recorded. When there is a heavy fall of rain you can assume from previous cases that a certain portion of that will run off.
188. Then you are unable to answer my question? You must give the quantity and then the length of time it is delivered in, and then I will tell you.
189. *Mr. Garrard.*] Suppose 10 inches of rain were to fall at once, would that fill your dam? A great deal more.
190. *Mr. Thompson.*] If distributed over the year it would not fill the reservoir? It all depends how the rainfall is distributed.
191. Then if your dam was not filled there would be no flow over the by-wash? Certainly not.
192. And the people below would suffer? Certainly. In any case the dam must affect the flow of water down the creek.
193. But in the case you have mentioned it would stop absolutely? Yes; there would be no overflow. I think the effect of the dam will be to stop all overflow.
194. Suppose your scheme were carried out and you had a week's stoppage from some unavoidable cause, or for necessary repairs, what would you do for the supply of water to Broken Hill? We could always have recourse to carting, as is done now, but of course we should make such provision that our system would be duplicated, so that if one set of pumps was out of order we should have another set ready to work. I think that that is the only contingency that is probable. As to the bursting of pipes, I do not think that is at all likely to take place. If it did it could be repaired in a short time; there would not be a stoppage for a day.
195. What is the charge you propose to make for the water? One shilling per 100 gallons, if the supply was 120,000 gallons a day.
196. Do you think that a supply of 120,000 gallons a day would be sufficient? Certainly; it would be at the rate of 10 gallons per head for 10,000 people.
197. Is not that an unusually small supply? It is a small supply, but if the people will take more we shall be glad; the more they take the better for us; then we should reduce our charges.
198. The plant which you propose to put down to supply 120,000 gallons at 1s. per 100 gallons would not supply 400,000 gallons? To supply 120,000 gallons we shall work only for a limited period, but if it were necessary to increase the supply we should work night and day.
199. *Mr. Garrard.*] How many hours will it take you to pump 120,000 gallons with your proposed plant? I could not tell you at the moment.
200. *Mr. Thompson.*] Do you propose to supply the mines with water? If they could afford to pay for it, certainly.

201. If they could afford to pay for it and you supplied them, would you not have to diminish the supply to the town? No, we should have to increase our plant.

202. Could you supply the mines and the people? For what purposes?

203. All purposes? The mines could not afford to pay for it for concentration purposes.

204. So that really you would not supply the mines? We would do so if they could afford to pay for it at the rate at which we would sell it. We could afford to supply 400,000 gallons per day at 6d. per 100 gallons. If the mines could pay that price for it we could make arrangements to supply them.

205. The supply of 400,000 gallons a day would depend entirely on another plant? Yes; we should increase our plant.

206. What I ask is this: While you are supplying that 120,000 gallons with the plant you propose to erect, do you propose to supply the mines; could you do it? No; there would not be sufficient.

207. Are you not aware that it is necessary to supply fresh water to the mines? Our proposal is to include the supply for drinking purposes.

208. I mean for machinery purposes. You know there is a difficulty owing to the saline matter in water now? The sooner they make a larger demand on us the better.

209. Is it not a fact that any water supply scheme for Broken Hill must include a sufficient quantity to supply the mines at a reasonable price for concentration and boiler purposes, otherwise it would be practically useless? If they require it we could put up our increased plant at once; there would be no difficulty.

210. Your supplying them in this way depends entirely on the second plant. You cannot do it with the 120,000-gallon plant? No.

211. *Chairman.*] Do we understand that if a supply of more than 400,000 gallons were wanted this company would be prepared to supply it? We could supply it up to whatever quantity was required. The larger the quantity the more economically we could supply it.

212. And you would do so by erecting additional appliances? Yes.

213. Would that take any length of time to do? That would depend on what we would have to undertake; to supply the first requirements up to 120,000 gallons per day, we can do it within twelve months at the outside.

214. If 400,000 gallons were required, how much longer? If it were thought that that quantity would be consumed at once we could provide it within the same period; but we do not think it would be advisable to spend such a large amount at first.

215. If there is a demand you are ready to supply it within a reasonable time? Yes.

216. *Mr. Thompson.*] Could you supply water to the town at the rate of 6d. per 100 gallons through the proposed 120,000-gallon plant? No; we should have to charge 1s.

217. Are you aware that negotiations are pending at this moment between Nolan Bros. and the Municipal Council for the supply of water at that rate of 6d. per 100 gallons? I am not aware of that.

218. As a matter of fact, do you intend to supply water at all? Yes.

219. Can you tell me the meaning of this clause in the Bill:—"It shall be lawful for the company, at any time after the passing of this Act, to assign, transfer, convey, and release to any person, or to any company duly incorporated for that purpose, all the rights, powers, authorities, privileges, liabilities, and obligations conferred and imposed upon it by this Act."? I could not tell you the meaning of that.

220. *Mr. Cohen.*] Is there any necessity for additional means to be provided for the supply of water to Broken Hill at the present time? There is no doubt about that.

221. You have been asked something about water-rights;—do you know anything at all of any interference on your part with any person's water-rights in Stephen's Creek. Are you interested in any water-rights? We have water-rights; Mr. Orr and myself took out thirty water-rights each to take water from Stephen's Creek.

222. Do you know of any other water-rights? I have heard that Nolan Brothers have taken out a water-right.

223. Your rights are above those of Nolan Brothers in the creek? I believe so; I am not quite sure where they have taken theirs from.

224. Were your water-rights taken out before Nolan Brothers? I believe they were taken out six months before.

225. So that in point of time, and in position also, Nolan Brothers' water-rights are subject to yours? I should say so.

226. Clause 3 of the Bill provides:—"Provided always that in the exercise of any of the powers hereby conferred, the company shall inflict as little damage as may be, and in all cases where it can be done, shall provide other watering-places, drains, and channels, for the use of adjoining lands in place of any taken away or interrupted by it, and shall make full compensation to all parties interested, for all damage sustained by them through the exercise of such powers," so that in that clause you make provision to compensate people for injury done to them? No doubt we should anticipate that.

227. Does not clause 42 provide for compensation for private lands taken? Yes.

228. You were asked what time it would take you to complete your works;—does not clause 103 provide that you must complete the projected works within three years from the passing of the Act? Yes.

229. Does not clause 21 fix the maximum charge for water at 2s. per 100 gallons? Yes.

230. You were asked if a person were to pollute the catchment area whether he would not be liable to a fine;—will you read clause 26? It reads: "If any person bathe in any stream, drain, reservoir, aqueduct, or other waterworks belonging to the company, or wash, throw, or cause to enter therein, any dog or other animal, he shall for every such offence forfeit a sum not exceeding five pounds."

231. Clause 27 provides: "If any person throw, convey, or cause or permit to be thrown or conveyed, any rubbish, dirt, filth, or other noisome thing, into any such stream, drain, reservoir, aqueduct, or other waterworks as aforesaid, or wash or cleanse therein any cloth, wool, leather, or skin of any animal, or any clothes or other thing, he shall for each such offence forfeit a sum not exceeding twenty pounds." So that it is only where there is pollution of any stream, drain, reservoir, aqueduct, or waterwork belonging to the company that a fine can be imposed? I understand so.

232. I understood you to say that you thought 120,000 gallons per day was a small supply for a population of 10,000 people;—do you know what would be considered a fair average supply? In warm climates 60 gallons per head is considered a fair supply. We shall be prepared to give that to the people as soon as they can take it—at once if necessary.

- J. D. Derry., 233. *Mr. Thompson.*] You say that you have 60 water-rights? Yes.
- 18-Dec., 1888. 234. Under what clause were they taken out? I could not tell you. We went to Silvertown and took them out.
235. Did you do any work of any kind, following up those rights? We complied with the Act in pegging out, &c.
236. *Mr. Cohen.*] Do you still own those water-rights? Yes.
237. *Mr. Thompson.*] Have they not lapsed under the law? Not that I am aware of.
238. *Mr. Cohen.*] Do you propose to transfer those water-rights to the Company? Yes; we took them out on behalf of the company.
239. *Mr. Thompson.*] No work has been done under those rights except pegging out? Except the sinking of some shafts.
240. *Mr. Gormly.*] What privilege do the water-rights confer on persons taking them out? They entitle you to take off a certain quantity of water from the creek.
241. Do they give you the exclusive right to any portion of the creek? I think not. I think that priority in taking out the rights would give you the first claim to take off the quantity of water defined in the Act.
242. What quantity of land does each right give control over? You simply state where you will take the water from; it is a question of length, from one point to another. Our rights are free from Stephen's Creek to Broken Hill. We put in pegs at the point of off-take and at the point where we propose to deliver the water.
243. *Mr. Cohen.*] I understand that the water-right confers on you the right to take a certain quantity of water out of the creek? Yes.
244. Do you know what quantity each right confers per annum? The definition of a sluice-head is very obscure in the Act; I have made a calculation of it, and it comes to about $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet per second, which is very large. Each water-right covers a sluice-box 6 feet long, with a fall of 6 inches in that length, 12 inches wide, and 3 inches deep.
245. *Mr. Kelly.*] Are you not compelled to hold a mining lease before you can apply for a water-right? You have to have a miner's right—we took out miners' rights.
246. Is not the quantity of water which you are allowed to take regulated by the area of land which you hold for mining purposes? I had no land pegged off.
247. I think that you have to hold a claim to entitle you to a water-right? I do not know.
248. *Mr. Cohen.*] What is the quantity in gallons per annum of one water-head as defined? $2\frac{1}{2}$ cubic feet per second is equal to 936 gallons per minute, or about 1,250,000 gallons for twenty-four hours.
249. *Mr. Thompson.*] Is it a box-head sluice or a ground-sluice under the Mining Act? I believe it is a ground-sluice.
250. You will not undertake to swear that your rights have not lapsed? I am not aware.
251. *Mr. Garrard.*] Do I understand that each water-right gives you the privilege of intercepting so much water, so that if there was only the required amount coming down to supply one water-right your neighbours below would get nothing? I believe that is the case.
252. Suppose you had the right to intercept 1,000,000 gallons, and only 1,000,000 gallons were coming down the creek, you would intercept the whole of it? I believe that is so.
253. If you had thirty rights you would multiply it to that extent? I believe that is the meaning of the Act.
254. Any one going above you would be able to intercept the water to your detriment? Not if they applied subsequently. I imagine not. The prior claim would have to be satisfied first.
255. Your claim is prior to any other existing on the creek? I believe so.
256. At all events it is prior to Nolan's? I believe it is.
257. I understand that both your rights and Nolan's are above the proposed reservoir? Our rights are taken out below Piesse's Nob in the creek.
258. Where are the other people's rights? I am not aware, but I think further down.
259. Between your impounding dam and retaining dam? I believe so.
260. Do you know whether there are any rights to the other portion of the creek? I do not.
261. Is there much land taken up on the catchment area in any way? I think only what belongs to the Mount Gipps Station.
262. *Chairman.*] Are there any mining claims? A large number.
263. *Mr. Garrard.*] All the way from the reservoir to Broken Hill? Yes.
264. In flood-time, is the site of the proposed reservoir flooded at all, or is the water confined within the banks of the creek? It will spread out as shown in the plan.
265. Under present circumstances, when the creek is in flood, is there a depression where you propose to put the reservoir;—does the flood-water overflow there? I believe it does overflow over the flat portion of it, probably for a mile wide, but only for a day. I think there is evidence to that effect in Mr. Price's report.
266. Is there any settlement below the proposed reservoir? There is a station further down.
267. Suppose the reservoir were constructed, and were filled with water, and anything were to happen to it, would it be likely to cause loss of life or damage to property? There is no large settlement.
268. What is the length of the proposed impounding dam? I think 1,300 feet at the top.
269. What height? 75 feet.
270. Will it not be a very expensive matter to construct a dam of those dimensions? My estimate is about £30,000.
271. The one lower down will be proportionately less? We do not propose to construct the impounding dam at present.
272. But your line of pipes is to start from just below the impounding dam? The water would be headed back.
273. Is there not a considerable fall between the two sites? There is a fall, but we could carry that down for half a mile and pump away until there would be only 10 feet of water left in the creek at the retaining dam. The quantity would be of comparatively little value.
274. *Mr. Kelly.*] You ask for control over the whole area coloured pink in the sketch, 8 miles to the inch? Not control over the whole 170 square miles; all that we want control over is the part coloured blue, which will be submerged by the storage reservoir.
275. *Chairman.*] Is that all you want the exclusive right to? Yes. 276.

276. You want the water that falls on all the rest of the area—you do not want the land? Just so. J. D. Derry.
277. *Mr. Kelly.*] You simply ask for control over the water which falls on the 170 square miles? I am not quite sure what the Bill sets forth; but there would be no object in asking for control over the catchment area, because any water which falls on it must take its course to the reservoir. 18 Dec., 1888.
278. *Mr. Thompson.*] Suppose the water were polluted? It seems to be a nice point as to what extent the company will be able to interfere. We only ask for rights to keep the water from being polluted.
279. *Mr. Kelly.*] Are there not many poisonous matters in the whole of the ores treated in the neighbourhood of Broken Hill? I believe there are. I think that there is a good deal of arsenic.
280. There are several mines between Broken Hill and Stephen's Creek;—have not most of them applied for water-rights? I fancy not.
281. Have they not dams? I am not aware that they have.
282. Have they not made provision for water to concentrate their poisonous ores? I do not know; but I do not think it is likely, because there are no suitable places for storing water. Any obstruction thrown in the creek would give such a small storage that it would not be worth while to apply for a right to control that.
283. Does not all the water flow from the direction of the mines from Broken Hill down to Stephen's Creek? Yes.
284. What I want to know is: Suppose anyone had a water-right, and was about to work a mine above you, and had a dam, could you charge him;—do you ask for permission to charge him for the use of that dam? I do not think the Bill gives any such powers; and if I were asked if it were necessary to insert any such clause I should say not, because there would be no object in it.

George Gordon called in, sworn, and examined:—

285. *Mr. Cohen.*] You are a civil engineer? Yes. G. Gordon.
286. And a member of the Institute of Civil Engineers? Yes. 18 Dec., 1888.
287. Were you formerly Chief Engineer for Water Supply in Victoria? Yes.
288. Were you afterwards engineer member of the Board for Water Conservation in the northern plains of Victoria? Yes.
289. Are you now practising as a civil engineer in Victoria? Yes.
290. I presume you have had large experience in the consideration and construction of water supply works? Yes.
291. Are you one of the promoters of this Bill? Yes.
292. I believe that you are to be a director in the company which it is proposed to form? Yes.
293. Have you been on Stephen's Creek? Yes.
294. Have you read a report made by Mr. Derry on water supply from Stephen's Creek? Yes.
295. What is your opinion as to the feasibility of the scheme proposed by the Bill? I think it is perfectly feasible, but rather expensive.
296. You think it is a good scheme? I think it is the only good scheme they can get.
297. Have you made an estimate as to the storage capacity of the proposed reservoir? No; Mr. Derry made that.
298. Have you checked his figures? Not as to the capacity of the reservoir.
299. Suppose it has a storage capacity for four years' supply, if full, do you think that it is really necessary to have four years' supply stored up? I do not think it is necessary to have as much as four years' supply, but it will be cheaper to make a dam of the size proposed than to make a smaller one. In that particular place the sides of the creek are very steep, and at the particular height which Mr. Derry has chosen for the crest of the dam there is a natural depression on one side which will act as a by-wash. If we made the dam lower we should have to cut down that depression a great distance and at great cost. It is cheaper to make the dam high than to cut down the by-wash. To some extent it will have to be cut down now. It is not big enough as it is without making the dam still higher, and that becomes inconvenient in another place.
300. Apart from the element of expense, considering the uncertainty of the rainfall at Broken Hill, do you think it preferable to have a reservoir of the capacity proposed to having a smaller one? It is very advisable to have as much capacity as you can, but a four years' supply is going a little further than usual.
301. Do you know anything about the average rainfall? I have seen the returns which have been kept at the station there. It is about 9 inches.
302. In your opinion, what rainfall would be necessary in a month to make the creek run? I think 2 inches.
303. Do you know how often the creek runs? Not from my own knowledge, but I have been told by people who live there that it generally runs twice a year; sometimes it does not run for a whole year, but that is very rare. It is nearly twelve months since it has run now.
304. Have you seen any flood-marks in the creek? I saw flood-marks about 8 feet and 12 feet above the bed of the creek.
305. I suppose that would indicate a great rush of water? Yes; there is driftwood stuck in the trees.
306. Have you formed any opinion as to the sufficiency of the rainfall over 170 square miles for the supply of Broken Hill? I think that is more than sufficient, supposing it all to be stored.
307. It is proposed to pump the water from the reservoir in Stephen's Creek into a service reservoir at Broken Hill? Yes; and to reticulate the town from the surface reservoir.
308. You think that the pressure so given would be ample for fire-hydrants, in addition to the supply for ordinary domestic purposes? Yes; it so happens that it is about the most convenient pressure to have—120 feet on the average. It is from 110 feet to 150 feet; in some of the lower parts of the town it may be higher than that.
309. What is to be the size of the service main? It is now proposed to have a 12-inch main.
310. How long would it take an engine of 33 indicated horse-power to pump 120,000 gallons through a main of that size? We propose to have an engine of 33 horse-power to begin with. We assume that as we have no power to compel people to take water or to pay for it, it will take some time for the people to get accustomed to buying water from us, and that there will only be a limited demand for the first six months or possibly a year; and we reckon that if we pump 120,000 gallons a day at first we can do that in nine hours. We could pump double the quantity in double the time; after that we propose to put up another engine.

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311. *Chairman.*] How many gallons could you pump in twenty-four hours with the same plant? 320,000 gallons.
312. *Mr. Cohen.*] Do the company propose to eventually have 90 horse-power? Yes, when we are giving what we suppose will be a full supply for 10,000 people.
313. How many engines would you have? We should probably have three engines. It is more economical to have three engines of 30 horse-power each than to have one of 90 horse-power.
314. Do you propose to have duplicate pumps? Yes.
315. *Chairman.*] Would you have three mains of 12 inches each? Not up to 400,000 gallons per day.
316. Not if you multiplied the plant? We should still have the same main.
317. *Mr. Cohen.*] I suppose there would be no difficulty in so adding to your plant as to meet any water supply requirements? It simply means adding power and another main. After we exceed 400,000 gallons a day it will be more economical to lay another main and to add some power, because the power required to drive a large quantity of water through a small pipe would be too great to be economical.
318. Within what time do you think you could deliver water to the extent of 120,000 gallons a day? That would depend altogether on the supply coming at the right time. If there is a supply I think we ought to be able to do it in six or seven months. We could get an engine ready-made, just wanting small additions. I think that the pumps could be made within four months and set up in a month or six weeks, and if we were pushed for it we could get the main indented in three months and laid within two or three months more.
319. Would that include the reservoir? Only a portion of it. We think that by making up the ends of the dam to act as temporary by-washes, as it goes up we shall be able to deliver water without waiting for the completion of the dam.
320. In what time could you complete the whole scheme? Not less than twelve months.
321. We are told that the company is formed on a capital of £150,000;—do you think that is sufficient for carrying out the scheme? It is sufficient to give a supply of something over 400,000 gallons a day, but we propose to take power to increase the capital if the town extends so as to need a much larger supply.
322. Taking the supply at 120,000 gallons a day, at what price could water be sold to make it thoroughly remunerative to the company? At 1s. per 100 gallons.
323. And for 240,000 gallons a day? About 9d. 400,000 gallons and upwards we could supply very well for 6d.
324. *Mr. Thompson.*] Has the company been actually formed? Yes.
325. Is it registered? Yes.
326. Where? In Melbourne.
327. Not here? I am not aware.
328. You have just said that the capital of the company is £120,000? Yes.
329. How is it that this prospectus which has been put before the public sets out the capital at £250,000? That is the former prospectus; that is not the one on which we are acting at present.
330. Have you a copy of the prospectus on which you are acting? Not here.
331. The Bill commences: "That whereas a company under the name and style of the Barrier Ranges and Broken Hill Water Supply Company (Limited), has been formed." You have just said that as far as New South Wales is concerned that is not true? I did not say so; I said that the company had been formed and registered in Melbourne.
332. But not in Sydney? I do not know that that is necessary.
333. *Mr. Garrard.*] Are you familiar with this catchment area? I have travelled over it; I have been in Broken Hill once.
334. Do I understand that the desire of the company is to obtain power to utilise the water which runs in Stephen's Creek above the proposed reservoir? Yes.
335. I suppose that you do not intend to do away with the people's rights to impound for their own use any water falling on that area? I do not think so.
336. There is settlement on the catchment area in the shape of mines and runs. I presume that they have impounding areas, and that the settlement may increase in future. It is not your intention to do away with these people's rights by laying claim to every drop of water which falls on that area? I think the company will object to any water being diverted from the creek, supposing it were possible to divert it into some other valley.
337. You do not intend to rob people of the water falling on their own land, and which they can impound? As far as I am concerned, I do not.
338. But does the water which falls on the catchment area find its way into the creek? Yes.
339. All that you ask for is the exclusive right of the water that comes down the creek? That is the intention.
340. What is the full capacity of the 12-inch pipe to convey water to this service reservoir? It depends on the pressure on the engine. It will take about $4\frac{1}{2}$ feet to the mile to deliver 120,000 gallons.
341. 12-inch pipes to deliver 120,000 gallons a day would not be near so strong as those required to deliver 400,000 gallons? It would make practically no difference to the strength of the pipes. The great pressure in the pipes is the height to which we have to lift the water—400 feet.
342. Would there not be increased pressure in the pipes? Increased friction at one end.
343. What sort of pipes do you intend to have—the ordinary faucet-joint pipe? Wrought-iron pipes or steel pipes, whichever we can get. We can get steel pipes as cheap as wrought-iron pipes, if we import them.
344. Are there any steel pipes in use here? Not yet, but they are using them very much at Home.
345. If you use steel pipes or wrought-iron pipes the liability to breakage would be very much reduced over cast-iron pipes? Much less.
346. It is not an unusual thing for cast-iron pipes to break? Not at all.
347. With the pipes you propose to have it would be? Yes; in fact it is not likely that they would burst after being tested, until they began to rust.
348. Is it Crown land at the site of the proposed service reservoir? I think it is; it is rough stony ground at the top of the hill; I believe it is a reserve.
349. Suppose your dam were constructed and there was only sufficient rainfall to fill it, would you deprive the people on the lower side of any water;—do you intend to compensate them by giving them a supply from your main or reservoir? I presume that we shall be obliged to satisfy any rights which exist below us.

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350. Do you know whether there are any provisions in the Bill for that? No; I had nothing to do with the legal provisions of the Bill.
351. You think that the people below your proposed dam would have a right if you deprived them of the water by impounding it? I suppose the usual riparian rights exist here.
352. Do you know if the proposed reservoir site is occupied by anyone at present? There is a public-house there and a part of a mining lease.
353. Have you made any arrangements with them, or do you propose to coerce them under the Bill? We have been in negotiation with the owner of the public-house, and I think the arrangements are nearly completed. They were not quite completed when I heard last.
354. Is Broken Hill incorporated? I believe it is now.
355. Is there a Progress Committee there or anybody which takes on itself the oversight of local matters? There was when I was there.
356. Has this scheme been before that body? I think it has.
357. Do you know in what way they looked at it? They did not like it then; they preferred the Darling scheme. They did not want a company; they wanted the Government to supply Broken Hill with water.
358. That scheme would take a long time? Yes.
359. Do you know if they are now falling in with the desire to have this scheme? I think so.
360. Is there not another scheme—Nolan's. Do not the promoters of that promise to bring water sooner than you can promise to do so? I do not know that they can bring it in sooner. I fancy it will take about the same time.
361. Where do they propose to intercept the water? A little below where we propose to make our dam.
362. Do I understand that you have secured water-rights above your proposed dam? Yes.
363. *Mr. Kelly.*] The site below your scheme would be equally feasible as your own for the purpose? Except that the site for the reservoir is not so good.
364. You say that owing to the smallness of the rainfall you could not do with a smaller catchment area than 170 square miles? That happens to be the natural catchment area of the creek down to the place where we propose to construct our dam.
365. Your company ask for a sort of control over this area? Control over the water.
366. If you could not get control your scheme would not be possible? It would not be possible if we did not get control over it; we could not prevent anyone from poisoning the water.
367. If any mines were at work on this catchment area or any tributaries leading on to it, what would you propose to do with respect to the water from the mines—you know all the ores are poisonous? Probably make them impound the water.
368. Turn it off in another direction? Not necessarily. The mines that were working on Broken Hill were pumping hard enough when we were there, and they kept all the water; none of it was running away.
369. These mines are above you, and the water which they would use for concentrating with would flow into your reservoir if something was not done with it? They would save all that they could, because so much is lost by evaporation. There is none running away now, although the mines are pumping a great deal.
370. If other mines were discovered between Stephen's Creek and Broken Hill on this catchment area, and they concentrated poisonous ores, there would be a sediment or poisonous water;—how do you propose to get rid of it? I should say they should be obliged to impound it.
371. If there was a strong flow of water from a storm, say, how would you deal with it? Still make them impound it; it becomes sludge after passing the concentrators; what water is saved is used over and over again.
372. But if there was a great storm would not the sludge and poisonous matter be washed into your reservoir? I have not heard of any objections of that sort on the gold-fields.
373. But they have not a poisonous kind of ore on gold-fields? The water which Nolan is now supplying to Broken Hill comes from a mine, and it does not poison people.
374. Do they drink it? After boiling it.
375. Is there any provision in the Bill to treat with people who have mines or are likely to have mines above you? I do not think there is.
376. Do you know whether any of the mines now in existence have any water-rights above you? I do not think so.
377. If there are people who have rights below you you propose to compensate them or treat them fairly? Yes.
378. Does your scheme clash in any way with Nolan's? Not at all, except that we have first pull at the water should there be a scarcity.
379. *Mr. Thompson.*] You talk of having secured rights;—what do they consist of? I do not know the local names; they were secured about six months ago—sixty of them.
380. Were they prior to Nolan's? We have got one since; but whether it is since Nolan's or not I do not know.
381. I hand you a water-right application, dated 7th July, 1888;—you say your sixty rights were secured before that? Yes.
382. Look at the number on the top left-hand corner;—is it not marked "Application No. 14"? Yes; I do not know anything about this; our rights were taken out at Silverton, and this was taken out at Broken Hill.

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Present:—

MR. BARBOUR, | Mr. KELLY,
MR. WADDELL.R. BARBOUR, Esq., IN THE CHAIR, *pro tem.*

H. E. Cohen, Esq., Counsel, appeared in support of the Bill.

J. Thompson, Esq., Solicitor, appeared on behalf of C. E. Hogg, Esq., petitioner against the Bill.

Edward Bellingham Price called in, sworn, and examined:—

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383. *Mr. Cohen.*] You are a member of the Institute of Civil Engineers? An associate member.
384. At present you are in the Government service? Yes; in the Harbours and Rivers Department.
385. How long have you been in the Government service? A little over three years.
386. I believe that in the month of October of this year you visited Broken Hill with a view of reporting, amongst other things, upon the feasibility of supplying the place with water? Yes.
387. Did you visit Stephen's Creek on that occasion? I did.
388. Did you inspect it? Yes; for about 7 or 8 miles of its length.
389. Have you had brought under your notice specially the scheme contemplated by the Bill now before this Committee? Yes. One of the members of the Progress Committee for Broken Hill went with me and pointed out the sites for the various dams, but afterwards the matter was not brought under my notice.
390. Have you seen a copy of the lithographed plan which has been handed in? Before I left Broken Hill, Mr. Orr called upon me and gave me one of the plans.
391. In your opinion, is this scheme for bringing water from this reservoir to Broken Hill a feasible one? Perfectly so.
392. Have you formed any opinion as to the efficient storage capacity of Stephen's Creek to supply water to Broken Hill? I have. I went carefully into that matter. The catchment area is estimated at 170 square miles; but I have deducted 70 square miles from that for other purposes—for mines which might be the means of contaminating the water, and for the drainage of Broken Hill. A rainfall of an inch, by simple rule, is reckoned at 14,500,000 gallons to each square mile. That multiplied by 100 will give 1,450,000,000 gallons. Allowing that half of that would soak into the ground, the other half would give a storage of over 700,000,000 gallons. That would be enough for two or three years' supply, allowing for evaporation.
393. You base that calculation on a rainfall of an inch? A sudden fall of an inch—say an inch in twenty-four hours.
394. You see on the plan the places where it is proposed to construct the impounding reservoir and the retaining dam;—do you think that is a good site for the construction of those dams? They are both very good. They are formed by nature.
395. Do you know when the creek ran last? A man who lives on the station on the side of the creek told me that it ran last Christmas 3 feet deep, that it ran for three days consecutively in November last year, and that it ran four or five times the winter before. He said that it had run about once every year for the last fifteen years. There was only one year in which it had not run.
396. Three feet of water running in the creek would indicate a vast quantity? The creek at that point is 240 feet wide, and perfectly level at the bottom. The velocity would be about 4 miles an hour, and if it ran for one day it would mean a large body of water.
397. Is there any other information with regard to Stephen's Creek as a source of water supply which you can give to the Committee? In my opinion it is the most suitable supply for Broken Hill. A vast volume of water runs down every year, and it goes to waste entirely. The creek goes down for about 30 or 40 miles, when it is lost in a plain covered with cotton-bush, no good to anyone. I went down the creek and did not see any dam on it, or any use made of it whatever, except that there were two or three wells on the lower part of it. The hills where it is proposed to construct the reservoir run up to about 200 feet in height, and in one place they are only about 300 feet apart. If I were going to undertake to supply Broken Hill with water, it is the place which I should choose for a reservoir before anything else. It is the most suitable scheme, as far as I have heard.
398. *Chairman.*] Can you tell us what is the average rainfall in that locality? The Government Astronomer has a rain-gauge there, and he can give you accurate information. At Carr's station, about half way between Menindie and Broken Hill, they told me that it was about 5 inches a year on an average. They said that it was 8½ inches the year before, but that was rather a wet year.
399. Did you hear anyone say that the average was 10 inches? No.
400. What is the nature of the bed of the creek? There are from 4 to 7 feet of gravel drift, then a bed of yellow clay, and below that there seems to be blue clay. At the spot where it is proposed to construct the reservoir there is rock.
401. Would the sand in the creek absorb a large quantity of water? Yes; it would always hold its own depth of water. It was full of water when I was there. That was where the people were getting their supply from then. The sand is like a sponge.
402. Did you inspect the proposed Darling scheme? I spent two days and a half going over that scheme with Mr. Stockdale.
403. What is your opinion of that scheme? It is practicable, but would be very costly.
404. What do you think of it as compared with this scheme? There is no comparison; this is the best.
405. Why is it the best;—what are the leading features in its favour? It would cost less than half to construct, and in working expenses. I think that water could be supplied from it at half the price that Mr. Stockdale could sell it at. If the Darling scheme were adopted the water would have to be raised 1,000 feet and pumped 65 miles. With this scheme the water would have to be pumped only 11 miles and raised 300 feet. The proposed service reservoir might be 100 feet higher. The difference in height between Stephen's Creek and the centre of the town of Broken Hill is 300 feet.
406. If this scheme is carried out, do you know of your own knowledge whether it will interfere with any

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- any other rights existing in Stephen's Creek—water-rights or dams? I only saw one dam in the creek, and that had been washed away a good many years previously. The man who went out with me told me that he did not remember it being built. It was only about 10 feet high, and it was totally silted up at the back. There is a mine which is pumping from a sort of hollow in the hills which I think will be affected by the reservoir. It would never do to let the drainage from Broken Hill and Round Hill flow into the reservoir. I see by the plan that the company propose to put in intercepting drains to catch this drainage.
407. Are you not aware that another company is supplying water to Broken Hill from Stephen's Creek? They had commenced to lay pipes when I was there. They had just laid them out of the town.
408. What length had been laid? A little over 2 miles.
409. What sized pipes? I think about 4 inches, internal diameter. Some were cast-iron, and some were wrought-iron. They were pumping from the Silver Crescent mine.
410. Were the pipes laid towards the town from the creek? From the town towards the mine.
411. Had there been any dam or any other appliances erected on the creek from which that supply was to be taken? Not that I saw.
412. The only thing done, so far as you know, was the laying of the pipes to the mine? They commenced pumping the day I left, but while I was there no water came through the pipes.
413. Supposing these pipes were carried on to the creek, would there be sufficient water in it, as a rule, to supply that company and the company which applies for this Bill? Certainly I think so, if there is a proper dam. A 4-inch pipe would take so little water out of the creek that it would not be missed. If a 12-inch pipe were put down it would make some difference.
414. It is quite possible for this company to arrange with the other company to give them as much water as their pipes would carry? I think so. With the engine that I saw at work—I should say that it was a 7-horsepower engine—they could only deliver about 20 gallons a minute, if pumping from the reservoir.
415. Was the engine attached to the pipes? Yes, at the mine.
416. Did the engine pump the water out of the mine into the pipes? Yes; the water was to be forced through to a tank in the town.
417. Do you know of any other existing rights on Stephen's Creek with which this company's scheme would interfere? Nothing worth speaking of. There are some wells at the "Mount Gipps Hotel," but I hardly think they could be called a right.
418. If the company were to construct all the works contemplated, would they not take all the water and take it from people below them on the same creek? I do not think that they would do any harm. At present the water runs to waste. It comes down so fast that the creek is impassable, and it is all gone in twenty-four hours. There is nothing left but what is in the sand. There is always the sandy bed, which always contains a certain amount, and will hold no more and no less.
419. Suppose that, in after years, 5,000 people were to settle on Stephen's Creek below the reservoir, would it not deprive those people of water? Certainly it would, unless they had a main laid from the reservoir to supply them.
420. But there would not be sufficient water to fill the dam and supply a sufficient quantity to the people below? I think that the reservoir should be made to catch nearly all the rainfall. Some miles down the creek they would get a certain supply from side creeks.
421. Do you think that these works might be constructed without any detriment to the public interest? I do.
422. Do you think it would be a benefit to Broken Hill? A very large benefit. It would make the town a different place altogether.
423. They have no permanent water supply at present? None whatever. You can hardly wash your face there.
424. Was the water which Nolan's company were taking from the mine good? It had not a nice taste. It tasted rather like a dose of magnesia.
425. If they extended their pipes to Stephen's Creek and had a supply there, they would have good water? Yes, it is very good, except in some wells sunk in the sides, where it is salt.
426. Do you know that there is another contending company that is trying to get the water from Stephen's Creek? No. The only two companies that I heard of were the company that applies for this Bill and Nolan & Lloyd's company.
427. They are contending parties for the same water? I understood that Nolan and Lloyd's company was a private one to supply a few friends.
428. Do they not intend to supply water generally to Broken Hill to anyone who will buy it? I asked about that, and they said it was only intended for the shareholders in the company; the pipe was too small to supply more than a few people.
429. *Mr. Thompson.*] Do you not know that there were necessitous circumstances at Broken Hill in point of water of any kind? I do.
430. Do you know that under pressure Nolan and Lloyd laid 4-inch pipes from the Crescent mine to supply water of some kind? I do.
431. Knowing that, you will admit that the 4-inch supply is only a temporary measure on their part? I consider it nothing else. The pipes are laid on the surface of the ground; they are not covered.
432. You do not know what other arrangements they are making for the supply of water from the creek? No.
433. Did you ever see Mr. Hogg there? I think that I met him in connection with artesian boring.
434. Do you know a place on Stephen's Creek known as the Blower's Hole or the Chinaman's well? That is below Mount Gipps.
435. You did not go below Mount Gipps? Not far.
436. According to your report, the water which Nolan and Lloyd were supplying temporarily was good stock-water? Yes.
437. Fit for anything but drinking? I do not know that it was fit for washing; it was very hard. I have often had to drink worse water, and be glad to get it.
438. You know that arrangements were being made by Nolan and Lloyd to pump water for the immediate relief of the town? I know that they were talking about it.
439. They commenced to pump the day you left? They tried the engine the day I left, but something went wrong, and no water came through.

- E. B. Price. 440. You do not know what their scheme might be? No.
- 19 Dec., 1888. 441. For all you know they may have a scheme to supply water from Stephen's Creek with much larger pipes? Yes.
442. Suppose they had a water-right to supply water from Stephen's Creek at a point below the dams, shown on the plan, would not that water-right be worthless if those dams were erected? Certainly, as a means of supplying Broken Hill.
443. *Mr. Kelly.*] If I understand you aright, the whole of the land above the proposed impounding dam would be drained into that dam? Not the whole of it. I only allow 100 miles out of the 170.
444. Would the 70 miles allow for the waste occasioned where minerals were being worked? I think that that is mentioned in my report.
445. If any company had a right to take water from the creeks communicating with the main creek, would those rights be prejudiced by this company exercising control over the whole catchment area. For the purpose of filling the dam the company require the whole of the water which falls on that catchment area? They do certainly, so as to keep any dirty water from running in. They must take power for that, or the scheme would be of no use.
446. If any persons were working a lode which was poisonous, would they have to turn the water out of the branches which run into the main creek? They would have to put up dams.
447. Would it not be impossible to impound it—would it not be forced out when the smaller creeks were running? At Broken Hill they save every drop of water which they pump out of the mines for their own purposes. There are eight or nine catchment dams, and not a drop of water runs as far as the town.
448. *Chairman.*] Is it possible to make impounding dams at each of the mines to prevent any water escaping? Certainly.
449. *Mr. Kelly.*] If a reservoir were made at a mine for the purpose of collecting water used for concentrating purposes, there would always be a certain amount of poisonous water in that dam;—if the creek were to run, what would become of that water? They should keep it in the dam.
450. If the dam were full, would not the overflow water take off some of the poisonous liquid? If the creek were to run through it would; but the dam should not be constructed in the creek. It should be on one side of the by-wash, so that the flood-waters would pass without going into the dam.
451. Could not a dam be made at a point lower down than the point where this company propose to put up their dam? Yes; I daresay from the look of the country that it could. I did not go more than a mile lower down. The sites of the proposed dams, as shown on the plan, were the two best points for 7 or 8 miles. A dam there would throw back a vast quantity of water.
452. Is there more land shown inside the small pink sketch on the plan than is shown on the plan as a whole? A great deal more.
453. Don't you think that in drawing the map it would have been better if they had reversed the scales, thus showing the catchment area on a larger scale? It would be; but it would be an expensive thing to show the catchment area on a larger scale, because you would have to show all the details of creeks in it.
454. As an engineer looking at that plan, is it not calculated to deceive you at the first glance? It would not deceive me at all.
455. Would it not deceive a layman a little? I do not know; it is the way in which it is usually done.
456. *Chairman.*] As far as your investigations went, did you see a more suitable place for a reservoir than this? I did not; these are the only two places for reservoirs. I went all round the hills; they are steep hills.
457. *Mr. Kelly.*] Do you know of any mines now at work above the dam which would be likely to be injured or stopped by what is proposed to be done by this company? I do not. There may be mines which would be affected, and the owners of which would want to be compensated; but they would not be stopped in any way. The mines are up in the hills.
458. Would not the arsenical fumes wash down? Yes; but very little.
459. Broken Hill township would not be in existence if it were not for the mines? Certainly not.
460. The mines are the first consideration? Yes.
461. *Mr. Cohen.*] I suppose that the health of the people is a vast consideration, too? Yes.
462. That must necessarily be conserved by an adequate supply of pure water? Yes; it is an unhealthy place at present. I should not like to live there.
463. *Mr. Kelly.*] Are the ores poisonous? Some of them are. Lead fumes are not very nice. At Home they do not let the lead go to waste; but at the Broken Hill mine 72 tons of lead are carried away every week in the fumes.
464. *Chairman.*] From your experience as a civil engineer, you say that if proper means were taken to prevent the poisoning of the water it could be prevented? Practically it could be prevented entirely.
465. *Mr. Kelly.*] Would this company put the mine-owners to the expense of providing proper means to catch the fumes? There are no fumes in the locality of where the reservoir is built, because there is no smelting there.
466. But if there was smelting anywhere on the catchment area, would the company have power to compel the mine-owners to save the fumes? I do not think so.
467. *Mr. Waddell.*] Suppose a dam were made where it is proposed to make one, would there be any danger of its silting up? It would silt up more or less, but it could always be dredged out. It would not silt up very much. If the dam were 62 feet high it might silt up 10 or 15 feet in the immediate neighbourhood of the bank.
468. How far back would the proposed dams throw the water? I think about 4 miles.
469. What would be the average width when the dams were full? The average width of the upper one would be about a mile, and of the lower one not more than half a mile.
470. What is the fall in the creek? There is a big fall; I should say 3 or 4 feet to the mile.
471. What would be the average depth of water in the dam? About 40 feet in the lower reservoir. The upper one would be much shallower.
472. *Mr. Thompson.*] You said, in answer to Mr. Kelly, that a dam could be made below these two dams? I think that dams could be made in other places.
473. Suppose a dam were made below and the water were thrown back, would not the supply of water from that dam to Broken Hill be quite as good as the supply proposed by the Bill? I cannot say.
474. Would there be any difference? The quality of the water would be the same.

475. Assuming that a proper dam could be made, one supply would be as good as the other? I think so. E. B. Price.
It is a question of distance—which is closest to the town.
476. *Mr. Cohen.*] I understood you to say that the two sites indicated on the plan for the two dams are the best two sites you saw in the creek? Yes. 19 Dec., 1888.
477. You said, in answer to a question, that the construction of these dams would interfere with the water right below the dams, so as to render that right worthless as a means of supplying Broken Hill with water;—would that right, apart from the supply of Broken Hill with water, be worthless? They would still get the soakage of the creek, which is all they get at present.
478. You say that if there were no dam the water would flow through so quickly that nothing whatever would be stored in the creek? Nothing whatever, except what is stored in the sand.
479. *Mr. Thompson.*] Do you know what a ground-slucice is? Not by that name.
480. Do you not know how much water it carries? I never heard of that name at all.
481. Do you know that there is such a thing under the Mining Act? No.
482. *Mr. Kelly.*] Is it not a fact that this impounding dam would practically cut off the whole supply of the creek, and thus render a dam below of no service? Except in case of a very high flood.
483. If a large dam were erected by this company, a dam below would be useless for all purposes? For the purpose of supplying the town with water it would, but there is a certain amount of water which it would always catch.
484. *Chairman.*] What extent of rainfall would the dam intercept? It would hold at least 5 inches of rainfall.
485. Then, if the average rainfall was 5 inches, it would take the whole of that before any flowed away? I think that it would catch all the rain that fell above it during the first year.
486. *Mr. Kelly.*] Two water schemes from the creek with the water of one catchment are impossible? They are not impossible.
487. *Chairman.*] There would be very little water for the lower scheme? It would be a mistake to have two schemes.

Thomas Frederick De Courey Browne, M.P., called in, sworn, and examined:—

488. *Mr. Cohen.*] Have you any knowledge of the water scheme from Stephen's Creek contemplated by this Bill? I have a thorough knowledge of it. I have made a special study of all probable water-supply schemes for Broken Hill during the last eighteen months. T. F. De C. Browne, M.P.
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489. Have you personally inspected the country? I have gone over the whole locality several times.
490. What is your opinion as to the practicability of this scheme for the supply of water from Stephen's Creek to Broken Hill? It is about the most practicable and economical scheme which can possibly be devised for the district.
491. I believe that a company has been formed for the purpose of carrying out the scheme, if legalized by Parliament? Yes.
492. I believe that you are a member of that company? I am not.
493. You know that a company has been formed? I do.
494. Do you know anything about the capital? I know that they have the capital ready for it. I do not know what the amount is. They tell me that there is any amount of capital ready to carry out the scheme quickly as soon as it is authorized by Parliament.
495. Do you know any of the promoters of the Bill? I know the whole of them. I have interested myself in the carrying out of this Stephen's Creek scheme purely as a public matter for the district, as, without a big permanent water supply, Broken Hill would never progress.
496. Of course you consider an adequate supply of pure water of vital importance to its progress? It is a vital necessity for the people to live there.
497. Do you know anything about water-rights on Stephen's Creek? There are water-rights under the Mining Board Regulations.
498. Do you know of any persons having water-rights on the creek in the locality of the dam, as indicated on the plan? Messrs. Derry and Orr have water-rights somewhere about the site of the proposed dam.
499. Do you know of anyone below having water-rights? I have heard that Nolan has a water-right there.
500. Are you well acquainted with the Mining Act? I think so.
501. And the mining regulations? Very well.
502. I believe that you have published a book dealing with the mining laws? I was the principal framer of the present code of mining regulations. My book is now in its fourth edition. Its object is to make the law popular to the ordinary mind.
503. Were you ever a member of the Mining Board? I have been a member of Mining Boards in four colonies, and I was Deputy Chairman of the Mining Board of New South Wales for three years.
504. So that you are thoroughly conversant with the mining laws? Yes.
505. Do you know whether under the mining laws one water-right prior in date to another has a right to receive water before the water-right of the subsequent date? That is the settled law in every country. It has been so in California for the last thirty-five years. The senior rights must get their water before the junior rights—senior rights in point of registration.
506. Is that irrespective of the locality over which the particular right is exercised? Irrespective of the position from which water is taken on the same creek.
507. Are you acquainted with the system of numbering water-rights in the Department? Yes; thoroughly conversant with it all. I have been a Mining Registrar.
508. Suppose ten water-rights had been issued, and a person were to apply for twenty heads of water, would that application be numbered 11 to 130, so as to take in the number 20, or would it simply be numbered 11 as an application? It would be 11 only. It is the applicant who is registered; that is all.
509. So that the registered number of the application does not indicate the number of heads of water? It has nothing to do with it. Nothing to do with the quantity of water.
510. Have you made any calculation as to the capacity of these dams? Mr. Derry and Mr. Gordon, two engineers of high repute throughout the Colony, dealt with that matter. I did not make any calculation. I took their figures for granted as being correct. 511.

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511. Is there any other information you can give us with regard to this scheme? All I can say about this scheme is, that having studied all the country round about Broken Hill for 15 or 20 miles during the last eighteen months, with a view of seeing whether there was any scheme which could be devised with a view to getting the public to construct it for the supply of the district, I certainly have not seen anything to compare in point of capacity and economy with this Stephen's Creek scheme. I am not wedded to any particular scheme at all. I have no interest in any, either directly or indirectly. It was simply through being Member for the district, and being in a large way of business with it since it was opened in 1882, that I took an interest in the matter. As an old miner of thirty years standing I could see plainly that unless a permanent and large supply of water were provided for Broken Hill the town must go backwards; the mines could not be developed, and very great privations and hardships would have to be suffered by those who resided there. I have endeavoured to get the Government to do all they could with a view to providing water-supply schemes of a temporary character. I even tried to get the Government to go in in this large way with the scheme, but they declined positively to do anything of the kind, as they thought it was outside the functions of Government—that it was purely a matter for private enterprise. I quite agree with them on that point. Hence my anxiety to carry out this scheme, which I could see was the only useful one in a handy way close to the locality.

511½. *Chairman.*] Do you think that this scheme will answer all the purposes of Broken Hill? For all domestic purposes. I am within the mark when I say that fully 5,000,000 gallons of water could be profitably sold at Broken Hill, if it were available at the present time, for mining and domestic purposes.

512. If this scheme is constructed, do you think it will interfere in any way with anything below on Stephen's Creek;—suppose there were a number of people below, would it interfere with their supplies? I am afraid that there is a popular delusion in existence on that point. I will tell you what the real law of water-rights is, and possibly I may clear up a misconception. A and B have each a water-right on the creek. A has the senior right, and he must get his water before B gets any at all—that is, as much as he is entitled to under the law—under his registration. We will suppose that this Stephen's Creek Company are authorized to construct a dam across the creek. Without an Act they could not do it. They would interfere with B's water supply, and I think that I can say on behalf of the Company—as I have been deeply interested in creating it—that they have no intention of interfering with anyone else's water.

513. *Mr. Waddell.*] Suppose B were above A? That would not affect it, because B has the junior right; he would have to let the water go down till A was supplied.

514. *Mr. Thompson.*] Is it necessary to have miners' rights for each district where you want to take out a water-right? That is absurd, a miner's right applies to the whole Colony.

515. If I took out a miner's right in Sydney, could I apply for 150 water-rights in every mining-field in the Colony? There would be no necessity to do it.

516. To take out a water-right, you must have a miner's right? That is a fact.

517. We will assume that I have a miner's right in my pocket;—can I take out 500 water-rights on each mining-field in the Colony? You might and you might not. It depends whether you would be allowed to do so.

518. *Chairman.*] Who would interfere? First the miners, and secondly the Warden.

519. *Mr. Thompson.*] You say that the registered number refers to the applicant only? It refers to the man who is registered.

520. It would be quite possible, under these circumstances, for me to have water-right No. 1 on each mining-field for 150 water-rights, and those would be senior to anyone who came after? Senior to No. 151.

521. If I applied for the right, I would be the applicant? It is evident you do not understand the subject.

522. You said the rights were not numbered—that the numbers referred to the applications? Yes; if A applies for five heads of water that is right No. 1. B applies to-morrow for five heads of water; that would be right No. 2, and he would be subordinate to A until the whole of A's water is supplied.

523. Suppose A, having a miner's right, applies on each mining-field for 150 water-rights? He would be a great ass to do anything of the sort; in the first place, he could not do it.

524. But just now you said he could do so? Of course he could apply, but it does not follow that he would get them.

525. Suppose he got them; they would be numbered No. 1 if there was no one before him? They would be numbered from 1 to 150.

526. In this case there are sixty water-rights—thirty applied for by one man and thirty by another? You are not stating the case correctly at all; there are only two water-rights.

527. Suppose I applied for one water-right for 150 heads of water, that would be numbered No. 1? Now you have it; the difference is between the water-rights and the heads of water.

528. Anything after that would be subservient to mine? Exactly so.

529. And would be practically useless? Not necessarily, because in that particular creek there might be a thousand heads of water, and you would have to leave 850 heads to supply other men.

530. As a matter of fact there are not a thousand heads in Stephen's Creek? Sometimes there are 10,000 heads coming down.

531. If the creek were blocked up for twelve months, the man below would not get much? Yes; quite as much as No. 1. I have seen Stephen's Creek running 15 feet deep.

532. *Mr. Waddell.*] Would the first flood fill the dam? Less than the first flood would do it; it would be filled in twenty-four hours with such floods as I have seen in the creek. There is as much water coming down that creek as would fill ten of these reservoirs with a rainfall of 3 inches.

533. *Chairman.*] From your observation you think that the reservoir would be filled, and that there would still be a large quantity of water for the people below? Hundreds of millions of gallons run down the creek. It is a river in reality.

534. If there was a drought, it would not be so? There would be no water at all.

535. *Mr. Waddell.*] From the nature of the soil, do you think that the proposed dam would hold well? Yes.

536. *Mr. Thompson.*] Do not water-rights lapse if certain work is not done within a certain time? I am not here to answer legal questions; you come to my office and I will tell you all about it. I will tell you though that I believe that it is almost impossible for a water-right to lapse on the Barrier Ranges Gold-field. It is quite possible in some localities that water-rights would lapse for a variety of reasons.

537. Do you swear that they do not lapse under certain circumstances if certain things are not done? How on earth could I swear any such absurd thing. In some cases water-rights will lapse in some localities, and in other localities it is almost impossible for them to lapse. T. F. De C.
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538. Will you undertake to say that the water-rights of this company are still in force? I will undertake to say positively that all water-rights that have ever been registered on the Barrier Ranges are in force.
539. Although no work has been done? Yes.
540. Are you an engineer? No; but I know a great deal about building dams and cutting races. I cut two of the longest races in the Colony,—60 miles and 35 miles long, on The Ovens.
541. You say that the capital has been subscribed? So I am informed.
542. Will you swear that it is all subscribed? All the money that will be required to construct these works will be ready within twenty-four hours after the Bill is passed.
543. Persons have given their names who will find the money? They will find the money.
544. But none has been paid? All the preliminary expenses have been paid.
545. Nothing more? No.
546. No pipes have been laid? How could they do that before they get authority?
547. Do you know that arrangements have been made by other people who are now laying pipes? I do not.
548. You say that you are not connected with this company in any way? Other than in a public way as Member for the district.
549. Were you ever connected with it? Never.
550. How is it then that we find your name in the prospectus as one of the provisional directors? That is true.
551. Is that having no connection with it? That is not having connection with it in the sense that you put it. I put my name there with a view of possibly helping the thing through. I objected to having anything to do with it directly. As a matter of fact, I do not hold a share in the Barrier Ranges now.
552. *Mr. Kelly.*] Is it necessary to hold a claim or lease in connection with a water-right? Not necessarily. These are what are called "shifting water-rights."
553. Have you read this Bill? I cannot say that I have read it closely.
554. Do you know what the company are asking for? They are asking for the right to construct a reservoir, which is pretty well all that they do require.
555. Are you not aware that they are asking for control over a catchment area embracing 170 square miles? I do not think so. If it is in the Bill I shall advocate its being altered, for the simple reason that they cannot exercise control over the catchment area. The catchment area is simply shown on the plan to give an idea of the capacity of this area for filling this dam.
556. *Mr. Thompson.*] Supposing there were a boiling-down establishment there at the head of it, would that pollute the water in any way? I think very little. Anyone who knows anything about the climate and soil there must see that it is simply arrant nonsense to talk about pollution from closets, drainage from the town, and so forth.
557. Suppose that poison were put in the water, would they require control to prevent that? I do not think so. I should be sorry to give any company control over 170 square miles of country in the Barrier Ranges.
558. *Mr. Waddell.*] You do not ask for control to prevent anyone else above from making a dam? No; because that might stand in the way of mining, which is quite as important as the water supply. What the company ask for is the right to conserve water and sell it. I went through the Bill carefully some months ago, and I could see nothing objectionable about it.

Harry A. Gilliat called in, sworn, and examined:—

559. *Chairman.*] You are in charge of the Water Supply Department? Yes.
560. Do you know that this inquiry has reference to a Bill which is before the House for the supply of water to Broken Hill? The Secretary for Mines forwarded the Bill to me with instructions to furnish him with a report on its provisions. H. A. Gilliat.
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561. Have you been to Broken Hill? Not since the town has been established. I was out in that country before the discovery of the silver-mines.
562. Do you know anything about the scheme which this Company propose to undertake? I could not give any personal information on that point.
563. Are you satisfied that Broken Hill is in want of a water supply? Undoubtedly.
564. And that it would be beneficial to have one? Unquestionably.
565. The only opinion which you can express is as to the provision of the Bill having reference to the public interest generally? The preservation of the public interest.
566. *Mr. Thompson.*] In that view you have reported on it? I have furnished a brief report to the Minister.
567. What is the nature of your report? I have dealt with the different clauses which I think ought to be amended. I will furnish the Committee with a copy of it.
568. *Chairman.*] You have no objection to the object of the Bill? None at all.
569. Have you taken into consideration the necessity for preserving the interests of those who have rights at the present time? I have endeavoured to do so in my report, and I think that the alterations that I suggest in the Bill will meet that.
570. *Mr. Thompson.*] Are you aware that Nolan & Company have a scheme? Yes.
571. Have they been in communication with your Department? Yes. I was very much pleased with the energy and enterprise Messrs. Nolan and Lloyd displayed in stepping forward and sending their own money without any Bill, and I directed my officers, with the sanction of the Minister for Mines, to give them every assistance in their power to carry out their scheme. I think they deserve very great credit for the work they have done.
572. You know they have a scheme on foot for supplying Broken Hill with water? I know that they have some scheme, but I have not been provided with plans and specifications as to the extent of it.
573. You know that up to the present time they have spent a considerable amount of money? So I understand. I may say that to my knowledge, from the reports of my own officers, they are in a position to supply Broken Hill at the present time with 24,000 gallons daily for all purposes except drinking.

- H. A. Gilliat. 574. And are supplying it? Unfortunately, I understand the demand is not equal to the supply, and that practically they are only supplying about 8,000 gallons. That is the last report that I have, but they could supply up to 24,000 gallons if that quantity was required. I also understand that they have already commenced to lay pipes towards Stephen's Creek.
- 19 Dec., 1888. 575-6. The present arrangement is merely a temporary one for the supply of water for purposes other than drinking? Exactly.
577. And they have a scheme on foot to supply water for all purposes from Stephen's Creek? So I understand.
578. There would be no objection on the part of your Department to that scheme? Not in the least.
579. In fact you are quite the other way? I look upon any scheme which will supply Broken Hill with water as being satisfactory. I wish to see private enterprise doing the work instead of the Government.
580. Do Nolan's company claim any exclusive rights? No that I am aware of. As I am not in possession of their plans, I do not understand exactly what they propose to do, except in a very general way.
581. I suppose they have made it clear to you that they can supply Broken Hill? I do not think it is necessary for them to make that clear to me, because I am well aware that Broken Hill can be supplied without any difficulty at all. I may state that I have received a telegram from Broken Hill reporting that the bore which has been put down in the limestone well has tapped a further supply, and it is estimated by a competent officer that the supply has been trebled.
582. Mr. Kelly.] Have Nolan's company been in communication with the Department respecting the scheme? To the best of my recollection they addressed a letter to the Department, asking us to advance them a certain sum of money with a view to assisting them to complete their pipe-lines to a certain point at Stephen's Creek.
583. Chairman.] Can you remember the date of the letter? To the best of my recollection, it was six weeks or two months ago.
584. Mr. Kelly.] Will you furnish us with a copy of the correspondence? Yes.
585. Have you submitted the Bill to the legal advisers of the Crown? I urged on the Minister to refer it to them.

THURSDAY, 20 DECEMBER, 1888.

Present:

MR. KELLY, | MR. GORMLY.
R. BARBOUR, ESQ., IN THE CHAIR, *pro tem.*

H. E. Cohen, Esq., counsel, appeared in support of the Bill.

J. Thompson, Esq., solicitor, appeared on behalf of C. E. Hogg, Esq., petitioner against the Bill.

Harry A. Gilliat called in and further examined:—

- H. A. Gilliat. 586. Chairman.] You hand in, as you promised to do yesterday, your report to the Minister on the provisions of this Bill, and also correspondence which has taken place between the Department and Nolan & Co. ? Yes. (*Appendices B1 and B2.*)
- 20 Dec., 1888. 587. Mr. Thompson.] Is it not clear to you, from your perusal of the Bill, that it will give the Company control over the whole of the 170 miles of catchment area shown on the plan? It was not so much in that view that I made my report to the Minister. It was that the provisions of the Bill—clause 3 for example—confer privileges which I thought ought to be limited to a defined watershed. I fancy that no company would be quite in a position to carry out a scheme of water supply like this unless there was a defined watershed over which it could collect its water; but as a matter of fact clause 3 gives them a complete monopoly throughout the whole of the two police districts mentioned.

Horatio James Aylward called in, sworn, and examined:—

- H. J. Aylward. 588. Chairman.] You are an officer of the Lands Department? I am.
- 20 Dec., 1888. 589. And you produce some papers? I do.
590. Are they originals? Yes.
591. There are no copies of them? Not that I am aware of.
592. What is the purport of them? They refer to some applications made by Mr. De Courcy Browne for special leases for water conservation at Broken Hill.
593. Do you know anything about the granting of these leases yourself? The leases are not granted yet.
594. Are they applications for leases? Yes; there are seven.
595. Are the Department dealing with them now? They are.
596. Are they waiting for some reports? Action is pending the introduction of a Bill dealing with the case.
597. They are just preliminary applications? They have been dealt with by the District Surveyor and the Local Land Board.
598. Is there any objection to the granting of them? Apparently not from the papers.
599. The delay is caused by the application to Parliament for a Bill? Yes.
600. Mr. Thompson.] Has not the case been before the Mining Warden? It has been to the Department of Mines.
601. Has the case been decided by the Mining Warden? I could not say that.
602. Is there no decision among the papers? There may be. I believe that originally one application was made for a very large area beyond the limit allowed by the 90th section of the Crown Lands Act. Afterwards Mr. Brown was asked to make separate applications for these areas, that is to say, an application for each area sufficiently small to come under the 90th section, which was done, seven applications being made. We asked him for six additional applications, instead of which he put in seven new applications, applying the deposit lodged on the first application to one of the others.

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603. *Chairman.*] What has been done with those applications? Six of them have been recommended to be granted by the Local Land Board, and the seventh has been recommended for refusal. The Minister has not decided yet. He let his action stand pending the settlement of this inquiry, I suppose.

604. *Mr. Cohen.*] Are these all applications for rights on Stephen's Creek? Yes.

605. Has any reason been given for the refusal of the seventh? It has not been refused; it has been recommended to be refused.

606. What is the reason? The reasons given by the Board are:—"That if the proposed dam were placed across the creek on the area in question that it would interfere with the traffic on the new surveyed road from Broken Hill to Wilcannia, also interfere with the well at the gorge which now supplies the travelling public, and also render the new Government tank useless. We, therefore, recommend that this application be refused."

607. *Chairman.*] Can you tell us the date of the first application made by Mr. Browne? 2nd December, 1887.

608. Has the application been continued? I cannot say that the application has been continued, but he was called upon to make six additional applications on that application for other areas, instead of which he made seven applications, one of which no doubt covers the original application.

609. What is the date of the seven applications? 25th July, 1888; they were all made on the same day.

610. *Mr. Cohen.*] Were they applications under the Land Act? Yes; under the 90th section.

611. *Chairman.*] Will you read the minute on his original application, where he was required to send in additional applications? It reads:—"The recommendation of the District Surveyor on 'Occupation, 88-766,' that if applications for six special leases, in addition to the lease already applied for, be lodged, and the deposits therein paid, right of provisional occupation be given of the seven areas herein described, is now submitted for consideration." That was approved by the Minister on the 30th June, 1888.

612. *Mr. Thompson.*] Have you a report from Mr. Gower, the Police Magistrate at Wilcannia, on the applications? I have not seen any report from him on the subject.

613. *Mr. Cohen.*] Can you tell from the papers whether the area covered by these applications, compliance with which was recommended, contains an area other than that which was comprised in the first application? I cannot tell from the description given what area was covered by the first application.

614. Do not those applications cover ground outside the ground covered by the first application? I could not say that for certain.

615. *Chairman.*] Were the seven applications for the same area of ground as was covered by the first application? There is a great deal larger area.

616. *Mr. Kelly.*] Do you know on what portion of the Mount Gipps Run the catchment area shown in the plan attached to this Bill is? I think that it is on the leasehold area.

617. *Chairman.*] Has it been gazetted a mining reserve? I could not say.

618. *Mr. Gormly.*] Has any land been granted in virtue of the first application? The recommendation from the District Surveyor on this application was:—"The case is of that importance to the residents of Broken Hill, and to the public interest, that I feel warranted in recommending provisional occupation pending decision of the Board subject to the absolute right of the Governor to control the charge for supply of water, and the compensation to persons with whose riparian rights interference has been made. I therefore recommend that if application for six special leases in addition to this for special lease, 87-15, be at once lodged, and the fee of £10 paid for each application, right of provisional occupation be given to the seven herein-described areas, provided—(a) That any interference with existing mining and riparian rights shall be subject to compensation to be determined by the Minister; (b) that the rate of charge for water supply shall be approved by the Minister—that rent at the rate to be determined by the Board shall be paid from the commencement of the tenure; (c) that the applicants shall give any necessary security for the required works. The power of granting any special leases for dams, tanks, irrigation works, and erection of machinery being absolutely optional, I am under the impression that any conditions which the Governor thinks fit to impose may be imposed without any further Act of Parliament. I suggest that, after the granting of provisional occupation and proclamation of exemption under the Mining Act of the seven herein-described areas from mining occupation, the case be returned to the Board for further recommendation as to the conditions of tenure."

619. Nothing further was done with that application? After the first application was made the District Surveyor cut up the area into different sections, and Mr. Browne was asked to apply for these different sections, and he made fresh applications to cover each one of these. Very likely the first one would not have covered any one of them exactly. I would not say that any one of these does not cover the land applied for in the first application.

620. Was there any tracing in existence when the first application was made? I could not say; but I notice that at the bottom of his application Mr. Browne says, "A tracing will be supplied." I cannot say whether it was supplied. 5th January is the date on the tracing showing the six sections.

621. Is there any paper to show that any land was granted in virtue of the first application? I was trying to explain that it was found; I suppose that this did not cover all the land that was wanted.

622. *Mr. Thompson.*] Does any document show that the first application has entirely lapsed? I could not say.

Charles Edward Hogg called in, sworn, and examined:—

623. *Chairman.*] What are you? Surveyor and engineer.

624. Where do you reside? Broken Hill.

625. *Mr. Thompson.*] You were for some time in the Government employ? As engineer, for ten years. I was connected with the Railway Department, and was employed largely in laying out railway lines, reporting on water supplies for stations, and such general purposes along the lines.

626. So that you have had some experience in water matters? A great deal.

627. You are the petitioner against this Bill? Yes.

628. You are one of the parties concerned in the scheme known as Nolan Brothers' scheme? Yes.

629. Do you know that on the 7th July of this year a water-right was applied for by Joseph Nolan and granted? Yes; the application was made on the 7th July, and the certificate was registered on the 25th July.

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630. Immediately upon that, was any work done in connection with that water-right? Work was really going on prior to that, and continuous.
631. As there was immediate necessity for supplying Broken Hill with water, were any steps taken to supply water? Yes, by the Association.
632. And water is now being supplied? Yes.
633. It is in contemplation to lead a large supply of water from Stephen's Creek to Broken Hill? Yes; funds are subscribed for the purpose.
634. The water will be fit for drinking as well as other purposes? Yes.
635. What amount do you propose to charge for it? We intend to charge 6d. per 100 gallons.
636. You can do that? We can do it easily.
637. What quantity do you think that your scheme would supply? We could supply 400,000 or 500,000 gallons a day.
638. You have not made public what your scheme may be? No.
639. What amount has already been expended by Nolan Brothers by reason of their having this water-right? In labour and material, about £4,000.
640. Arrangements were in contemplation a short time since to form a company for the purpose of carrying out the work? It is practically formed.
641. A large number of shares have been applied for? Yes; quite sufficient to warrant our proceeding with the work.
642. Suppose that the dams which are asked for in this Bill were erected, what effect would they have on your scheme? They would stop it, and what we have already expended would be lost absolutely.
643. Do you know whether any applications have been made for water-rights which would interfere with yours? I have heard it stated here that Messrs. Derry & Orr have obtained sixty heads of water.
644. *Chairman.*] You do not know it of your own knowledge? No.
645. *Mr. Thompson.*] You have heard it stated that these rights were applied for prior to yours? Yes.
646. That would be before the 7th July? Yes.
647. Within what time from the granting of a water-right should work commence? Fourteen days.
648. Is that laid down in the Government Regulations? You will find it laid down in Mr. De Courcy Browne's book at page 34.
649. Does he not, in his explanatory notes, as editor, suggest that people should pay particular attention to the regulations? He states:—"I would suggest to those who may avail themselves of the privileges conferred by this division (water-rights division) of the regulations to observe strictly the conditions imposed, so as to have a title without a flaw of their own making."
650. Will you read regulation 68? It reads:—"The quantity of water to which any miner shall be entitled under one water-right shall not exceed four ground sluice heads, except under storm-water or watershed rights, when he shall be entitled to all water collected by him. Provided that no storm or watershed race shall be constructed above any similar existing race nearer than one quarter of a mile thereto."
651. Will you read regulation 73? It reads:—"Any water-right, dam, or reservoir left unused for a continuous period of six months shall be deemed to be abandoned, except as otherwise provided."
652. Will you read regulation 78? It reads:—"Any miner who, having obtained registration for a race, water-right, dam, or reservoir, shall not, within fourteen days thereafter, commence and efficiently work at the construction of such race, dam, or reservoir, shall be deemed to have abandoned his title thereto."
653. Do you know whether any water-rights other than yours are registered at Broken Hill? No; except one registered by Mr. Orr, dated the 13th or 14th September.
654. Have not arrangements been spoken of and almost completed for the supply of water to the Corporation? Arrangements are almost made with the Corporation for the supply of Broken Hill with water at 6d. per 100 gallons.
655. Subject to your being able to complete your scheme? To our not being stopped by this Bill.
656. Have not negotiations been entered into for the supply of the plant? A contract has been let, but we had to stop it when this Bill came before the House.
657. So that you have, even before you got your water-right, and continuously since, gone on with substantial work? Yes.
658. Is there anything else you wish to state? I should like to make a statement of what we did in the first instance. At the time when the want of water was most pressing on the town Nolan Brothers formed a small company, of which about fifty persons in Broken Hill became shareholders. They became liable, among themselves and ourselves, for, I think, nearly £6,000. We then proceeded to lay 4-inch pipes (having in contemplation a larger scheme at a later date) towards Stephen's Creek, picking up *en route* the water from such mines as might give domestic water. It is not good water for drinking. We were encouraged by the Government and the Government officials. We have received a telegram from the Department of Works telling us we might lay our pipes anywhere we liked, as long as we did not interfere with public and private interests. We proceeded to lay pipes down on the main streets of the town first. It was done with the full concurrence of our fellow-townsmen. We continued the work towards Stephen's Creek, our object being to get a supply from the enormous soakage which is now in the creek. It is testified to by Government engineers that at the point to which we propose to go there is an enormous soakage. The water is of a most magnificent character. It is so far from Broken Hill that it is almost impossible to cart it in at a less cost than 10s. or 12s. per 100 gallons. While constructing the dam which we purpose putting up in the creek we were going to utilize this water to keep the town going, being quite satisfied that there is an immense store of water there. Having carried out the work as far as our means would permit, and having relieved the town largely, as can be shown by local press reports, I then came to Sydney to extend the company into one of £100,000 capital to supply the town with about half a million gallons a day. I successfully floated a company. We signed a contract with Hudson Brothers, who undertook to complete the work at a certain price within twelve or thirteen weeks. This was about five or six weeks ago. It was on this Bill being brought under notice that our shareholders became alarmed, and they stopped us from going on with the work until it was shown that these people, with whom we in Broken Hill had no connection at all, could not interfere with us. We at no time objected to fair competition, but we saw that this Bill would simply take away the whole of our rights. However, in the meantime we have gone on supplying Broken Hill with such water as we can get,

get, and we are still progressing towards Stephen's Creek sufficiently to maintain our title to the water-rights, but we do not feel justified in laying out any more of our money pending the dealing of this Bill. 13,000 of our shares are held by local townsmen; the whole of the promoters are residents and property-holders in Broken Hill. The Mayor and Corporation are thoroughly satisfied of our ability to carry out our scheme, and they are now in negotiation with us to supply water. There is nothing to prevent us starting work immediately if it were not for this Bill, which would deprive us of all rights, and practically ruin us.

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659. *Chairman.*] When did you begin your work? In the first or second week in May.

660. But you did not apply for water-rights till the 7th July? No.

661. Have the preparations which you have been making been anything in connection with your water-right? Yes, entirely. We are going straight towards our water-right.

662. But you have not taken any water from it yet? No; instead of commencing at the creek we commenced at the town, so as to take up what water was available for the supply of the town as rapidly as possible. If we had commenced at the creek we should have been a much longer time in giving water to the town.

663. Will there not be sufficient water in the creek to supply you and the other company? I do not think that we should ever get water at all—not for a year or two anyhow.

664. Do you know when the other company commenced? They had some surveyors at work in July or August; I am not quite sure about the date.

665. Did you see any of their officers on the ground? I have not seen any of them there at all since. I never met Mr. Derry.

666. *Mr. Cohen.*] You say that when you were in the Government employ you reported on water supply for railway stations? Yes.

667. Will you tell us some of the stations? I reported on the whole of the line from Blayney to Murrumburrah, on the proposed line from Inverell to Glen Innes, and Tenterfield to Grafton. I was ten or eleven years at the work.

668. I am talking about water supply? It was part of our business. I refer particularly to the Inverell line.

669. What distance had you to bring water, according to your report, to the railway station at Inverell? The object of my report was to state particularly that at certain points on the line stations would be advisable, as there was a water supply, or that there would be likely to be a town grow up. I would not propose any scheme, but simply report as to the advisability of establishing stations at particular points on account of there being a water supply.

670. You have never reported to the Government on, or recommended to them, a scheme of water supply to be brought into operation? Not in detail.

671. To what extent are you interested in Nolan's scheme? £1,000.

672. Have you actually invested £1,000 of your own capital in it? One thousand shares have been given me for my labour in carrying out the work—in superintending and so on. I took no pay at all.

673. Can you tell me when this local association was formed to carry out the scheme? In May or June.

674. You say there were about fifty shareholders in it? I have a list; there are exactly forty-eight.

675. How long did that association remain in existence for the purpose of carrying on the water supply? It is in existence now.

676. You say that you have the capital subscribed? We have the necessary capital to begin with.

677. If you had ample capital in the month of June, and have it as the present date, will you tell me why it was that in September you wrote the following letter to the Minister:—"We, the promoters of the Nolan and Lloyd Stephen Creek Water Supply Scheme, have the honor to place before you, as Minister of Mines, the following proposal:—That in view of the great difficulty we have to contend with for want of capital to complete our water scheme, now ask for a grant by way of a loan of £2,000, to enable the completion of this most important work of bringing water into this town; and, as security for such an amount, we are prepared to hand over £2,000 of paid-up shares, in addition to which there is the plant as security"? I came down to Sydney because we had not ample capital.

678. How much money had you expended? About £4,000.

679. How much had you expended up to the date of that letter? I could not tell you, but up to the present we have expended about £4,000.

680. Will you tell me how it is that you applied to the Government for £2,000 if you say that this association had made themselves responsible for a capital of £6,000 to carry out the scheme? The extent to which calls could be made on the shares was only 6d. per month; and another object was this, that there was a strong feeling at Broken Hill that the Government ought to assist local efforts. Several townsmen urged on Nolan Bros. to write to the Government to see whether that would be done. That was really a test letter.

681. You do not answer my question;—if your association were prepared with a capital of £6,000 to carry out the work, how is it that, in September, when you had not expended anything like £6,000, you applied to the Government for a loan of £2,000? We had not £6,000.

682. I understood you to say that the association were liable for £6,000? Yes.

683. Then, if they were liable, they were not prepared to pay the money to carry out the scheme? That it quite true. It could not be done without extending the company. The arrangement with regard to calls would prevent the work being done in the time.

684. To what extent, according to the prospectus of the association, could you call upon the shareholders for capital to carry out the scheme? At the rate of 6d. per share per month.

685. How many shares did these forty-eight gentlemen hold? I find that I was wrong when I said that the capital was £6,000. I find that there were 7,553 £1 shares taken up.

686. Was any portion of the amount paid up? No.

687. Were your 1,000 shares any portion of the 7,550? No.

688. Then we are to understand that 7,000 shares were allotted without scrip? There was no scrip.

689. A call of 6d. per month on 7,500 shares would bring in £180;—did you possibly expect to carry out this scheme at all on a call of £180 per month? Certainly not.

690. Then this local association was really quite unequal to the task which it undertook? Not at all unequal to it.

691. How do you explain that? We wished to be able to show the public of Sydney and Melbourne that we were prepared to expend money out of our own pockets for the town. We wished to give them that

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20 Dec., 1888. that encouragement to invest their capital. We wished to show them that we were not assuming a lot of paper rights—sending our surveyors and bogus things like that. We wished to show that we had some grit in us, and that we were prepared to do enough to warrant us in going to Melbourne and Sydney to endeavour to collect sufficient capital to complete the whole scheme for our town. That was the course of reasoning that we went through. Our object in spending our money was to get pipes towards the creek to lessen the great cost of cartage.

692. When did you come to Sydney to form the company? On the 28th October.

693. Will you tell me what amount of money had actually been expended by the association up to that time? I think £3,500 or £3,600; in that we do not account our personal labour. The three Nolan Brothers and Lloyd did a lot of work and never got any wages. I find that I have a memorandum from our clerk which shows that the amount expended up to that time was £3,380 19s. 9d.

694. From June to October would only be five months, and in those five months the calls for which the association were liable would aggregate between £900 and £1,000;—will you explain to me how you got between £3,000 and £4,000 to expend in that time? They got it largely from the Nolans and Lloyd, who were spending their money.

695. You know that this money has been expended? I have to depend on the statement of the clerk.

696. Do you know that there was any money spent on the work by the association beyond the proceeds of calls? I do not.

697. You have placed in my hands a statement with reference to the £3,380? I do not vouch for that, but I daresay it is correct. I know nothing about the accounts whatever, because it was no branch of my business; but I know that the pipes and machinery are there doing the work.

698. In this statement there is an item "Harrold Bros., engine and pumps, £315";—were they paid? I have no doubt they were.

699. Then there is an item "M'Culloch, shipping, £500";—were they paid? Certainly; they would not ship goods unless they were paid. These carriers do not give tick. Perhaps they do; I do not know.

699½. You cannot swear that £3,380 was actually expended by the association? I can only say that our resident clerk says that it was.

700. Show me in the account where he says so? It was either expended, or Nolan & Lloyd gave bills for it, which I suppose were met as they became due.

701. Is there anything to show that the money had been expended prior to your coming to Sydney? The shareholders are satisfied that it has been expended.

702. Are they satisfied that the money has been expended or that liabilities have been incurred? If any liability has been incurred, Nolan & Lloyd are personally responsible for it.

703. If they have incurred personal liabilities, must it not follow that up to the extent of those personal liabilities £3,380 has not been paid by the association? Of course it would be difficult to separate. It is difficult to say what the association is. It is a body of people who do not form a registered company.

704. *Chairman.*] Are the Committee to understand that you believe that between £3,000 and £4,000 has been expended altogether? I am sure of it, from the value of the plant and the labour done.

705. We are to understand that part of it has been money collected from subscriptions and part by personal guarantee? That is exactly it.

706. That is the only way to account for the difference between the amount which calls would realize and the amount which has been expended? That is the way to account for it.

707. *Mr. Cohen.*] The amount actually disbursed by the association cannot exceed the amount of the calls? No shareholder is liable for more, but he could pay more if he liked, and this is what Nolan & Lloyd have done.

708. Suppose Nolan were to spend £1,000, when, as a shareholder, he was only liable for £200, would not the difference be a debt due by the association to him? That is quite right.

709. *Chairman.*] Do you know whether more money has been spent than would be realized from calls of 6d. per month? I know that perfectly well. I know that between £3,000 and £4,000 worth of material has been supplied.

710. *Mr. Cohen.*] Have all the shares in the "Nolan's Stephen's Creek Water Company" been taken up? The necessary number of shares have been taken up—30,000.

711. Can you tell me who, apart from Nolan Brothers and yourself, have taken up shares? I do not think that I need tell you.

712. Will you tell me? I do not think it is fair to ask me such a question. I have here a list of the forty-eight members of the old association and some of the new ones. I have sixty or seventy names altogether.

713. Do you object to give me the names of some of the shareholders outside the old association? Edward Wrench, of Richardson & Wrench, applied for 500; Bruce Smith, barrister, 2,000; B. C. Simpson, engineer, 1,000; J. C. Williamson, theatrical manager, 1,000; Frank Gardner, 1,000; Mark Hermann, 1,000.

714. *Mr. Kelly.*] Have you any Members of Parliament among the shareholders? Not one.

715. *Mr. Cohen.*] Did I understand you to say that you contemplate supplying 400,000 or 500,000 gallons per day at 6d. per 100 gallons? I do not mention the amount.

716. You say that you are prepared to provide 400,000 or 500,000 gallons? I do not wish to say how much we may sell at 6d. I do not wish to divulge our arrangements with the Corporation.

717. You say that with a capital of £100,000 you can perfect this scheme to deliver 400,000 gallons a day to Broken Hill. Have you any reports of acknowledged engineers? We have much better than that—we have let the contract.

718. Have you a report from any engineer? No; we made our report to our contractor; he satisfied himself that it could be done, and is prepared to carry out the work for a sum very much below £100,000, and to maintain the works and deliver that amount of water for a certain period.

719. You have not with you any written details of the scheme? I do not mean to have.

720. Have you the written contract with your contractor? I state on oath that we have made it.

721. Has this contract been let to one person? Yes.

722. What length of piping is contracted for? About 14 miles.

723. What sized pipes? 12 inches and 8 inches.

724. What length of 8 inches? 5 and a half miles.

725. What end will that be at? We are conducting our business without any Bill, and if our scheme became largely known, any company—for instance, Derry's company—might take great advantage of what we are doing.

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726. Do you object to tell me? I do not want to object, but you must see that we are proceeding without the protection which a Bill would give.

727. You come here to say that you have a perfect scheme which you are prepared to carry out, and I want to see how far it is practicable? Mr. B. C. Simpson, one of the best-known engineers here, examined our scheme, and so satisfied was he that he took 1,000 shares.

728. Where does he reside? He has an office in Norwich Chambers. For many years he was district engineer to the Government.

729. Did he visit Broken Hill? There was no necessity for him to do so to report on plans.

730. He did not satisfy himself then by personal inspection of the locality? A consulting engineer does not usually visit the locality.

731. Have you any correspondence between yourselves and the Municipal Council which would show how far your negotiations have gone? I would not show them if I had.

732. Were the negotiations carried on by letter? I decline to give any information about the negotiations. They are in the hands of our agent at Broken Hill, and no doubt they are being carried on in writing. He telegraphs the results to me from time to time.

733. Have you seen any of the correspondence? I do not want to see it. You must recollect that the Council has only been formed three or four weeks.

734. Can you tell me when the last application for shares in your company was received? I should think about two or three weeks ago. They may still be disposing of shares in Melbourne. There has not been much effort made to get rid of shares here.

735. Were any of these 30,000 shares applied for in Melbourne? Largely.

736. How long before this Bill was before the House had the public been invited to take shares in your company? A section of the public always knew that the Bill was before the House. It was brought before the House once before, but your people found out that they had forgotten to advertise in the local papers.

737. So that the knowledge that the Bill had been presented to Parliament, and that another might be presented, was in the public mind before you invited subscriptions for these shares in your company? Not so strongly as it was. The Darling River scheme was before the public; but no one cares twopenno about that, because it is impracticable.

738. *Mr. Gormly.*] Are you prepared to place before the Committee any facts to show the practicability of your scheme;—the evaporation is great and the rainfall is uncertain, so that the main point of practicability should be the storage capacity of your reservoir? We propose to have a reservoir about 30 feet in height, and to have it in a better place than that shown on the plan before the Committee. We go further down the creek; we add 3 miles to the length, so as to get away from the mines and to take advantage of the magnificent soakage that is there.

739. *Chairman.*] Have you any plans prepared? We have made some plans, but not the final drawings. I can show you a rough tracing of our scheme. We had considerable plans drawn, but, with the exception of one little tracing, they were all destroyed in the recent fire at Broken Hill.

740. *Mr. Gormly.*] Does the plan shown in connection with the Bill indicate your proposed dam? No.

741. What would be the quantity of land covered with water in your reservoir? We think from 100 to 120 acres.

742. Would there be much of that area covered by shallow water? Not very much; it is rather a favourable site.

743. What would be about the average depth of water in the reservoir? A very good depth; I should think an average of from 15 to 18 feet. It would overlie the deepest hole we have in Stephen's Creek, and keep that always full of water, so that if the top water ran short we would have an enormous supply just like you have at Botany, only to a smaller extent.

744. What is the depth of the banks of the creek? From the banks to the sand is about 15 feet; then comes a little shelf, and then it rises up again, perhaps 100 feet. The creek repeats itself for many miles as you see it on the plan. We propose to store at least two years' supply.

745. *Mr. Kelly.*] Have you let a contract to anyone to complete any portion of the work? We have signed a contract.

746. Are you bound by it? If this Bill takes away the whole of the rights which we contend we have the contract will be null and void. If we could go on undisturbed in our business we should continue our work.

747. What is the contract for? It is to supply and lay 12-inch pipes for 8 miles and 8-inch pipes for 5½ miles, to erect duplicate engines at Stephen's Creek, and to construct a service reservoir at a certain point. That is in one contract; and we have let another for the erection of a dam at Stephen's Creek. The contract is that these people shall maintain these works for two months.

748. *Chairman.*] Do they undertake to supply a certain amount of water? If the water is there they undertake to pump up 400,000 or 500,000 gallons a day, if that quantity is wanted.

749. *Mr. Kelly.*] Are you aware of the result of a case which was heard at Broken Hill in connection with a proposed water scheme? The result was that the company who were going to carry out a water scheme abandoned it and withdrew their prospectus.

750. *Chairman.*] What company? The company with which Mr. De Courcy Brown was connected. The people who now have this Bill before the Committee. The decision was published in the *Daily Telegraph* of November 17th.

751. *Mr. Kelly.*] Are your company asking for control over any catchment area? None whatever. We are merely relying on the statute laws of the Colony. We depend on the Mining Act entirely.

752. *Mr. Cohen.*] Does the Mining Act give you power to construct a dam or reservoir? Full power. There is no necessity for a Bill, except you ask for monopolies.

753. *Mr. Kelly.*] Anyone would be at liberty to compete with you. You are satisfied with the rights which you enjoy under the law? Yes; the laws are ample as they stand.

754. *Mr. Cohen.*] You say that the persons to whom you let the contract undertake to deliver 400,000 or 500,000 gallons of water a day? Yes.

755. Are you prepared to say that they can do that with 8 miles of 12-inch pipe and 5½ miles of 8-inch pipes, there being a continuous line of pipes? There will not be a continuous line.

756. Will you have a double line of pipes? No.

757. Will the 8-inch pipes form part of the main service? Yes.

- C. E. Hogg. 758. At what end of the main service will they be laid? At the Stephen's Creek end.
 20 Dec., 1888. 759. Are you prepared to say that through a main, portion of which is 8-inch pipes, you can deliver 400,000 or 500,000 gallons of water a day? It is merely a question of engine power. You can force nearly any amount of water through. The scheme is partly pumping and partly gravitation. The last 8 miles would be gravitation. We will raise the water to such a height that by gravitation it will serve the whole of Broken Hill, and even reach the mines. The chief object in having the service reservoir 8 miles out of the town is that it will not become polluted. No service reservoir should be in the town. The water that comes off the roof of my own house produces dysentery—I even go so far as to say paralysis.
 760. *Chairman.*] What work would be done by the 8-inch pipes? The 8-inch pipes will be from the pumping station on Stephen's Creek to the top of Mount Darling, where we shall have the service reservoir.
 761. Is that higher than any part where you want to deliver water to? It is 185 feet above the main parts of Broken Hill. The town will be supplied by gravitation from Mount Darling.
 762. Do you think that the scheme is ample for the purpose? Yes; it is a very good scheme in that way.

TUESDAY, 8 JANUARY, 1889.

Present:—

MR. DAY, | MR. BARBOUR,
 MR. GORMLY, | MR. WADDELL.
 GEORGE DAY, ESQ., IN THE CHAIR.

H. E. Cohen, Esq., Counsel, appeared in support of the Bill.
 J. Thompson, Esq., Solicitor, appeared on behalf of C. E. Hogg, Esq., petitioner against the Bill.

Thomas Frederick De Courcy Browne, M.P., called in, and further examined:—

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763. *Mr. Cohen.*] Mr. Aylward, an officer of the Department of Lands, in giving evidence before the Committee on the 19th of last month, made reference to some applications which were made by you for special leases. I understand that originally you made one application for one special lease? Yes.
 764. Have you had any correspondence with the Department of Lands with reference to that lease? I have. They told me that instead of applying for the area shown in the sketch plan which I submitted, in one area, as I had applied for it, I had better divide it into seven applications, letting the original application stand as one, and sending in six fresh applications, thus making seven in all.
 765. In accordance with that suggestion, did you allow your original application to remain, and then send in six additional applications? That is what was done.
 766. *Mr. Barbour.*] What was the date of the original application? 7th December, 1887.
 767. *Mr. Cohen.*] Was not Mr. Aylward incorrect in saying, in answer to question 608, that you were "called upon to make six additional applications on that application for other areas, instead of which he made seven applications"? He was incorrect in this way: there were six new applications and seven descriptions. We had to send a description for the first application as well as the others. The descriptions were supplied to me by the Government.
 768. *Mr. Barbour.*] Were these six additional applications dated the day on which you sent them in? Yes; some time in July.
 769. Why were they not dated the same date as the original application? I do not know that that is of any importance. I did not attach any importance to the date because the land comprised in the whole of the seven applications was applied for in December, 1887. The original application was simply subdivided into seven to bring it within the 90th section of the Land Act of 1884.
 770. Did you understand that the additional applications which you sent in were in lieu of the original application? Undoubtedly, and so did the Department.
 771. It was not a new transaction? No; the application was simply subdivided into seven applications.
 772. *Mr. Cohen.*] And they were to be treated as if they were made in December, 1887? That was clearly the idea.
 773. *Mr. Gormly.*] Was it because the 90th section of the Act prevented the granting of the first application that the additional applications were made? When I sent in my first application I did not know the exact area comprised in the sketch on the parish map, showing the area that we required. I did not mention any area, because I did not know what it was.
 774. Was the reason of your making the additional application that the land could not be granted in accordance with the first application? The Department said that the area contained in my sketch-plan was greater than that which could be granted on one application under the 90th section.
 775. Therefore the original application could not be granted? Not for the whole area applied for; it would have had to be reduced to 320 acres.
 776. I take it then that the original application was no good? Oh, no; it was reduced to 320 acres, and the six additional applications covered the remaining area.
 777. *Mr. Cohen.*] The original application really stood for 320 acres? Yes.
 778. *Mr. Gormly.*] If the original application was good, what was the necessity for making the additional applications? I was going to explain when you stopped me just now. I sent in a sketch plan with my original application, and on the District Surveyor reporting on it it turned out that it comprised an area of between 2,100 and 2,200 acres, and as the Government were anxious to give us all the land that we applied for it was necessary to send in the additional applications.
 779. Therefore your title to the land hinges on the applications which you made in July? It hinges on the applications—on all of them.
 780. *Mr. Cohen.*] You were not aware of the exact area which you applied for when you sent in your first application? That is the fact.
 781. The 90th section limits the area of one application to 320 acres? Yes.
 782. The Department allowed your original application to stand for 320 acres, and asked you to send in thro applications for the remaining area? Yes; they did that in a letter dated the 12th July, 1888.

783. Do you know anything about any expense having been incurred in connection with the water-rights which were taken out by Messrs. Derry and Orr? There has been large expenditure in connection with them.

784. Do you know whether the mining regulations 68, 73, and 78 have been sufficiently acted under to prevent the lapsing of those water-rights? In my opinion they have, most undoubtedly. The surveying of the pipe-line is work in connection with them; the surveying of the dam site is work in connection with them.

785. Are you well acquainted with the provisions of the Mining Act? Fairly well.

786. Do you know of any provision in the Act which gives persons the power under water-rights to go upon either Crown lands or private lands for the purpose of laying down pipes in connection with a general water supply? There is no power given in the Mining Act for any man to go on to another man's land.

787. As far as you know, the only section of the Act which deals with water-rights is section 15? Yes; sub-section 2.

788. That gives power "to cut, construct, and use water-races, dams, and reservoirs, for gold-mining purposes, through and upon any Crown lands, and to take or divert water from any spring, lake, pool, or stream situate in or flowing through such land, and to use such water for gold-mining and domestic purposes";—is that the only power that you know of in the Act? Yes.

789. Have you seen the pipes which Nolan Brothers have laid from Broken Hill to the Silver Crescent Mine? No.

790. With reference to your applications for special leases, have you heard from the Government that any of them have been refused? No—on the contrary; we have got authority to occupy them.

791. Will your special leases, if granted, cover the rights which Messrs. Derry and Orr have applied for under water-rights? Their rights come from just above the site of the dam.

792. Your applications are for special leases for dams? Yes.

793. *Mr. Barbour.*] The rights of Messrs. Derry and Orr are different from yours? Theirs are rights under the Mining Act to divert water from Stephens's Creek.

794. Do they conflict with Nolan's right? I cannot see how they can conflict, because they are senior rights. My applications are for special leases to conserve water in the bed and on the watershed of the creek, and Derry and Orr's rights are to convey the water from where it is conserved on those leases into Broken Hill.

795. *Mr. Thompson.*] Have your leases been granted? They have been recommended by the Land Board, but the Minister has not finally approved of them pending the action of Parliament with respect to those Bills, but in the meantime the Minister has given us permission to occupy those leases for the purpose for which they were applied.

796. Will you read the Minister's minute on the back of the papers? "It appears that a Bill has been introduced to Parliament for the purpose of dealing with this matter, and under the circumstances its consideration may be deferred pending the result of legislation." I got a letter to that effect on the 20th November last.

797. Have you the water-rights which you spoke of just now? No; they are not in my name. I have seen them.

T. F.
De Courcy
Browne, M.P.

8 Jan., 1889.

BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY BILL.

APPENDIX.

A.

[Handed in by Mr. Cohen and ordered to be appended, 19 Dec., 1888.]

MEMORANDUM of Association of the Barrier Ranges and Broken Hill Water Supply Company (Limited).

1. The name of the company is "The Barrier Ranges and Broken Hill Water Supply Company (Limited)."
 2. The objects for which the company is established are :—
 - (1.) To supply the town of Broken Hill and the surrounding districts with water for any purpose whatsoever, and to carry on the business of a Water-works and Water Supply Company in all its branches.
 - (2.) To sink wells and shafts, and to make, build, and construct, lay down, and maintain reservoirs, water-works, dams, weirs, cisterns, tunnels, culverts, sluices, canals, aqueducts, drains, filter-beds, main and other pipes and appliances, and to execute and do all works and things necessary or convenient for obtaining, storing, selling, delivering, measuring, and distributing water or otherwise for the purposes of the company.
 - (3.) To enter into any arrangements from time to time with any governments or authorities, supreme, municipal, local, or otherwise, or with any company, association, syndicate, firm, or person that may seem conducive to the company's objects, or any of them, and to obtain from any such government or authorities, company, association, syndicate, firm, or persons, any grants, leases, rights, water-rights, easements, privileges, and concessions which the company may think it desirable to obtain, and to carry out, exercise, and comply with any such arrangements, rights, privileges, and concessions.
 - (4.) To procure any Acts of any Parliament, or any Parliamentary powers, rights, privileges, grants, licenses, concessions, or exemptions.
 - (5.) To purchase, take on lease or in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire, any real or personal property of any tenure or any interest therein which the company may consider to be to its advantage to acquire, or which may be considered calculated either directly or indirectly to enhance the value of the company's property.
 - (6.) To purchase or otherwise acquire and work any patents, patent rights, and privileges, letters of registration, processes, licenses, concessions, and the like, conferring any exclusive or non-exclusive or limited right to use any invention which may seem capable of being used for any of the purposes of the company, or the acquisition of which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of the company's property, and to grant licenses to use the same.
 - (7.) To hold, manage, improve, alter, develop, exchange, lease, mortgage, sell, dispose of, deal with, and turn to account in any way whatever any property whatsoever acquired by the company or in which the company is interested.
 - (8.) To promote, make, provide, use, and carry on, contribute towards and assist, any works or business or enterprise of any kind which may seem calculated directly or indirectly to advance the company's interests, or be deemed expedient for the purposes of the company, and to spend money in any way whatsoever with a view of improving, developing, or utilizing any property of the company.
 - (9.) To enter into any agreement with any municipal body, government, public or other authority, to supply water in consideration of receiving the proceeds of any rate or tax to be levied for such supply, and to collect any such rate or tax.
 - (10.) To acquire and undertake the whole or any part of the business property or liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business, which this company is authorized to carry on, or possession of property considered suitable for the purposes of this company.
 - (11.) To receive money on loan or deposit, raise or borrow money in such manner and upon such security as the company shall think fit, and in particular upon the security of any mortgage or mortgages of or by the issue of debentures, charged upon all or any of the company's property (both present and future) including its uncalled capital.
 - (12.) To lend money and to take or accept any kind of property as security for or in or towards payment or satisfaction of any debt or liability to the company.
 - (13.) To enter into any partnership or arrangement for sharing profits, union of interests, co-operation, joint adventure, reciprocal concession, or otherwise, with any person or company carrying on or engaged in or about to carry on or engage in any business or transaction, which this company is authorized to carry on or engage in, or any business or transaction capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this company, or owning or interested in, or proposing to own or become interested in any property, and to lend money to, guarantee the contracts of, or otherwise assist any such person or company to take and otherwise acquire debentures, shares, and securities, of any such company, and to sell, hold, reissue, with or without guarantee, or otherwise deal with the same.
 - (14.) To promote any other company for the purpose of acquiring all or any of the property and liabilities of this company, or of advancing directly or indirectly the objects or interests thereof, and to take or otherwise acquire and hold shares and debentures in any such company.
 - (15.) To amalgamate with any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this company.
 - (16.) To take or otherwise acquire and hold shares in any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this company, or carrying on any business capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this company.
 - (17.) To invest, either alone or jointly, the moneys of the company in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
 - (18.) To give, draw, accept, make, endorse, and negotiate guarantees, bills of exchange, promissory-notes, bonds, debentures, coupons, and mercantile or negotiable instruments or securities of any kind, and to give any kind of security for the same.
 - (19.) To distribute any of the property of the company among the members in specie.
 - (20.) To open, establish, and carry on branches and agencies in any part of the world, and to regulate and discontinue the same.
 - (21.) To procure the company to be recognized and registered in any other Colony or country.
 - (22.) To enter into all such contracts, and rescind and vary all such contracts, and execute and do all such acts, deeds, and things as may be considered expedient for or in relation to any of the matters aforesaid or otherwise for the purposes of the company.
 - (23.) To sell, dispose of, or transfer the property and undertaking of the company, or any part thereof, to any person or company for such consideration as the company may think fit, and in particular in consideration of payment in cash or in shares, or debentures in another company, or in cash and shares.
 - (24.) To do all such other things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects, and in the construction of this section, the company shall have power to do any of the matters or things herein mentioned (whether in one or different subsections) apart from any other of the said matters or things, and none of the general or other descriptions given in any of the preceding subsections shall be subject to be limited or restrained to matters of the same or some similar kind as those mentioned or referred to in any other subsection, or to be otherwise limited or restrained by any other subsection not containing an express limitation or restriction, nor by any inference to be drawn from such other subsection.
 3. The liability of the members is limited.
- The capital of the company is the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand pounds (£150,000) divided into 150,000 shares of one pound (£1) each.

We, the several persons whose names and addresses are subscribed, are desirous of being formed into a company in pursuance of this Memorandum of Association, and respectfully agree to take the number of shares in the company set opposite our respective names.

| Names, Addresses, and Occupation of Subscribers. | No. of Shares taken by each Subscriber. |
|--|---|
| William Peter Macgregor, Grazier, Burta, Barrier Ranges, N.S.W..... | 1,000 |
| Bowes Kelly, Gentleman, Glenferrie Road, Malvern | 1,000 |
| George Gordon, Civil Engineer, Ellerslie, Toorak | 1,000 |
| John Dickson Derry, Civil Engineer, Horsham | 1,000 |
| William Knox, Accountant, 15, Queen-street, Melbourne | 1,000 |
| William Jamieson, by his Attorney, William Knox, Grazier, Weelmoongal, N.S.W | 1,000 |

Dated this 22nd day of October, 1888.

Witness to the above signatures—GEORGE MACKENZIE, 15, Queen-street, Melbourne.

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION.

The Companies Statute, 1864, 27 Victoria No. 190.

THIS is to certify that, in pursuance of an Act passed in the twenty-seventh year of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, No. 190, intituled "An Act for the Incorporation, Regulation, and Winding up of Trading Companies and other Associations," the Barrier Ranges and Broken Hill Water Supply Company (Limited) being a company limited by shares, was incorporated on the 23rd day of October, 1888.

Given under my hand, at Melbourne, this 24th day of October, 1888.

HENRY KRONE,
Acting Registrar-General.

[To evidence of Harry Gilliat.]

B 1.

Minute by The Chief Inspector of Public Watering Places.

(P.W.P. 88-7,091.)

Department of Mines, Public Watering Places Branch, Sydney, 2 November, 1888.
In submitting the amended Bill, forwarded by J. P. Abbott, Esq., M.P., the solicitor for the Barrier Ranges and Broken Hill Water Supply Company (Limited), I attach the minute written upon the first draft Bill, with the opinion of the Attorney-General.

It appears that the present Bill is open to some of the objections taken to the former one. The following clauses may perhaps require consideration:—

Interpretation clause.—"Central Authority"—The Minister for Public Works should perhaps read: The Minister charged with Water Conservation.

Clause 8.—The power conferred by this clause may perhaps be limited to certain defined watersheds; as it now stands it appears to give the sole power to construct waterworks within the police districts of Broken Hill and Silverton to this company.

Clause 21.—The maximum charge for water, although the same as that authorized under the Public Watering Places Regulations, should not perhaps in a large measure of this sort exceed 7s. 6d. per thousand gallons.

Clause 41.—This corresponds with clause 50 in the former Bill, and grants all Crown lands required for an estate in fee-simple. The clause should not perhaps stand in its present form, but be amended by granting the use of the Crown lands required for the purposes of this Act for a term of fifty years, more or less, but not to exceed ninety-nine years, upon payment of an annual rent.

Clause 91.—This, with the previous clauses and clause 97, should perhaps receive the consideration of the Cabinet.

HARRY GILLIAT,
Chief Inspector P. W. Places.

Approved. If Mr. Gilliat is called before the Select Committee these points should be submitted by him to the said Committee.—F.A., 13/12/88.

B 2.

Dear Sir,

Broken Hill, N.S.W., September, 1888.

We, the promoters of the Nolan and Lloyd Stephen Creek Water Supply Scheme, have the honor to place before you, as Minister of Mines, the following proposal:—

That in view of the great difficulty we have to contend with for want of capital to complete our water scheme, now ask for a grant, by way of a loan of £2,000, to enable the completion of this most important work of bringing water into this town; and, as security for such an amount, we are prepared to hand over £2,000 of paid-up shares, in addition to which there is the plant as security.

We propose to bring the water by means of 4-inch cast pipes at a point 1 mile below "The Gorge," where there is an abundant supply of water, as your officers, Messrs. Low and Hanna, can confirm our statement, having visited the locality in company with ourselves. The distance from the terminus to Broken Hill is about 12 miles. We have 2 miles of pipes already laid, and 100 tons close at hand, but are in want of funds to pay for the latter. We have at present all the engines and pumping gear ready, together with the 2 miles of pipes already paid for. In the meantime we propose to put heavy bullock-teams to bring water from the nearest pumping station to the creek. We venture to guarantee in bringing this water into the town of Broken Hill for a sum considerably below £10,000. We are also willing, upon the completion, to hand over to the Government or the Municipality of Broken Hill the whole of this water scheme and workings, and to accept in return a reasonable amount of compensation.

When the pipes are laid to the creek the best drinking-water on the Barrier can be supplied to the public, at a cost of about 1s. per 100 gallons; but while the bullock-teams are bringing the supply midway the cost will be considerably more. And we pray that you give our request your prompt and kind attention, and remain,

Yours obediently,

J. NOLAN, { Receiver of portion of Government reward,
Mount Brown Gold-field.

J. LLOYD.

Francis Abigail, Esq., M.L.A., Minister for Mines, Sydney.

These gentlemen may be informed that this proposition could not be entertained by the Government, for the reason that they are trustees for the public, and not speculators; and that, while sympathizing with the writers in the work they are doing, it would not be consistent with the duties of Government to be a party in the way suggested.—F.A., 29/9/88.

Urgent. Inform.—H.G., 1/10/88. Informed.—T.H.S., 1/10/88.

Sirs,

Department of Mines, Public Watering Places, Sydney, 4 October, 1888.

I am directed by the Hon. the Minister for Mines to acknowledge your letter of September, asking for a loan of £2,000 to enable you to complete your scheme for supplying Broken Hill with water. The Minister desires me to say that, as trustees for the public, the Government cannot entertain the proposition, and, that while sympathizing with you in the work you are undertaking, it would not be consistent with the duties of the Government to be a party in the way suggested.

I have, &c.,
HARRIE WOOD,
Under Secretary for Mines.

Messrs. Nolan & Lloyd, c/o Messrs. R. L. Thomas & Co., Broken Hill.

Sir,

Department of Mines, Public Watering Places, 6 November, 1888.

In acknowledging your letter of the 5th instant, I am directed by the Minister to say that he recognizes the value of the scheme of Messrs. Nolan & Lloyd to supply Broken Hill with water, and accordingly gave directions some time ago to Inspectors Barnes and Low to afford every assistance to those gentlemen.

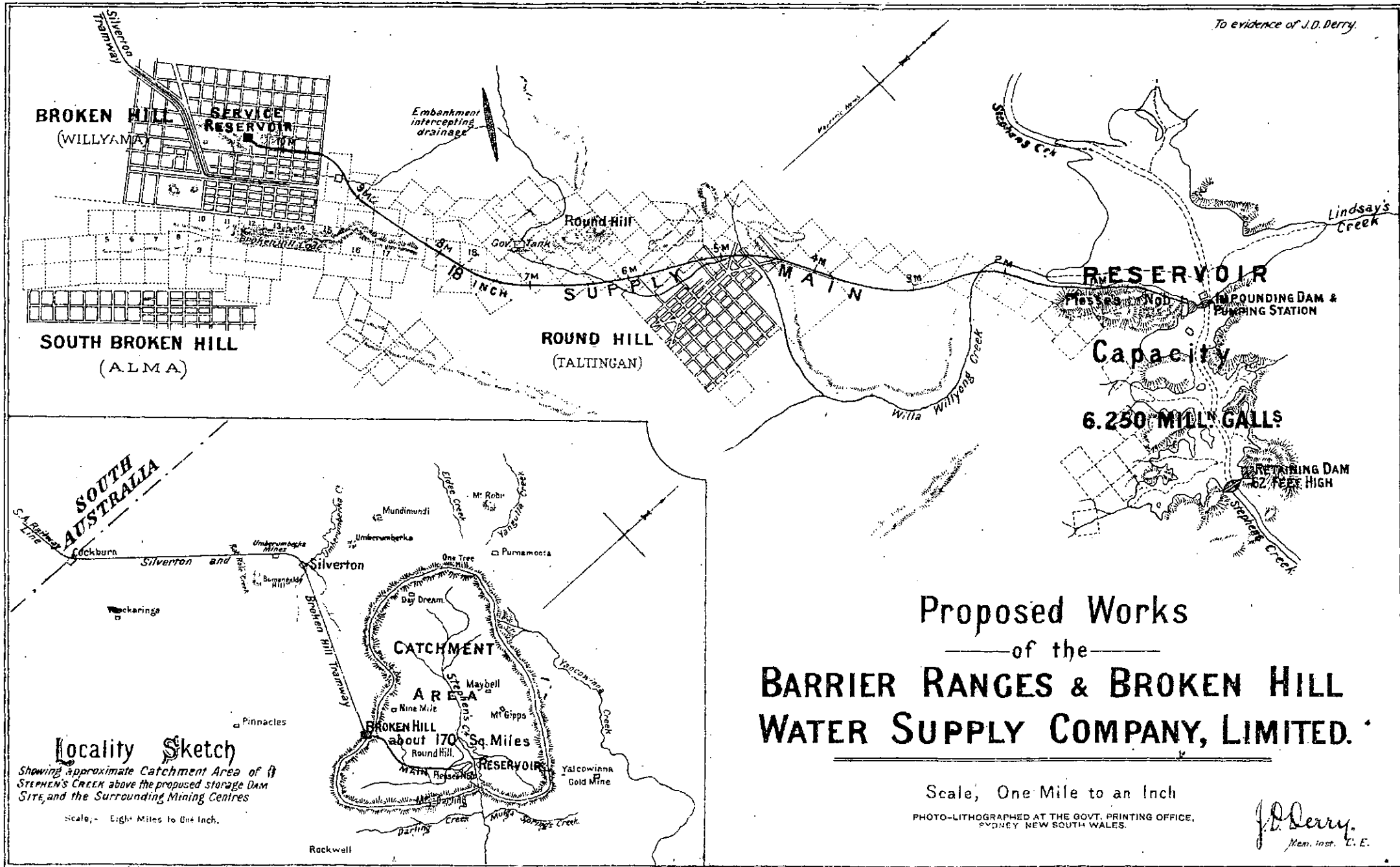
The Department is aware from the Inspectors' reports that the largest supply of soakage water in Stephen's Creek is to be found at the Gorge, but the distance from Broken Hill has hitherto prevented it from being utilized by the water-carriers.

I have, &c.,
HARRY GILLIAT,
Chief Inspector, P.W. Places.

G. E. Hogg, Esq., Engineer of Nolan & Lloyd's Broken Hill Water Supply Scheme,
12, Macquarie-place, Sydney.

[One Plan.]

To evidence of J.D. Derry.



Proposed Works
 — of the —
**BARRIER RANGES & BROKEN HILL
 WATER SUPPLY COMPANY, LIMITED.**

Scale, One Mile to an Inch

PHOTO-LITHOGRAPHED AT THE GOVT. PRINTING OFFICE,
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J.D. Derry,
 Mem. Inst. C.E.

Showing approximate Catchment Area of
 STEPHEN'S CREEK above the proposed storage Dam
 Site, and the Surrounding Mining Centres

Scale, - Eight Miles to One Inch.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY BILL.

(PETITION FROM BROKEN HILL DISTRICT WATER SUPPLY COMPANY (LIMITED), IN OPPOSITION TO).

Received by the Legislative Assembly, 6 December, 1888.

To the Honorable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, in
Parliament assembled.

The humble Petition of the "Broken Hill District Water Supply Company (Limited)" of
Sydney, in the Colony of New South Wales, respectfully and humbly sheweth to your
Honorable House,—

1. That a Bill has been introduced in pursuance of leave in that behalf duly given, and is now
before this Honorable House entitled a Bill to enable the "Barrier Ranges and Broken Hill Water
Supply Company (Limited)" to establish a system of water supply within the Police Districts of Broken
Hill and Silverton, and to confer upon the said Company, certain powers and authorities.

2. That the said Bill will be prejudicial to the interests of the general public, and residents in the
township and district of Broken Hill, and is being promoted in opposition to, and defiance of the repeatedly
expressed wishes of the inhabitants of the said township and district.

3. That the scheme propounded and contained in the said Bill, and for which legal sanction is
thereby sought is not a feasible or practicable one, and will not afford a permanent and reliable supply of
water as is suggested.

4. That the best and most reliable source for a permanent supply of water to Broken Hill and
district is that projected and described in a Bill promoted and introduced this session in the Legislative
Council by your Petitioners providing for a permanent water supply for the said township of Broken Hill
and district, from Lakes Speculation and Menindie, with a resort in case of necessity to the River Darling,
this being the only natural and reliable source for a permanent supply of water for the said district.

5. That Stephens Creek is only available after flood or heavy rains speedily dries up, and is generally
dry for many months consecutively in every year, and is not a safe source to depend on for any permanent
supply of water as proposed.

6. That your Petitioners' Bill has been read a first time, and referred to a Select Committee in the
Legislative Council, and has been favourably reported on (as revised) by such Committee, and is now set
down for second reading in the said Council.

7. That your Petitioners have incurred large expense in and about the promotion of their said Bill,
and in arrangements to commence the works thereby proposed, and that the Bill of the said "Barrier
Ranges, and Broken Hill Water Supply Company," will injuriously affect and prejudice your Petitioners.

Your Petitioners therefore humbly pray that your Honorable House will be pleased to grant them
permission to appear before any Committee, to which the said Bill of the said "Barrier Ranges, and Broken
Hill Water Supply Company (Limited)" may be referred by counsel or solicitor, and if necessary to
adduce such evidence, and send for such persons and papers as your Petitioners may be advised with power
to examine witnesses called before such Committee.

And your Petitioners will, as in duty bound, ever pray, &c.

Dated this sixth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
eighty-eight.

The Common Seal of the Broken Hill and District Water Supply Company (Limited) was hereto
affixed by the authority of a Board of Directors of the said Company in the presence of George Henry
Cox, Harry Stockdale, and George Adams, of the Directors of the said Company present at and forming
a quorum of Directors, and in the presence of—

FRED. FULLWOOD,
Legal Manager.

Broken Hill and District Water Supply Company (Limited).

GEO. H. COX, Chairman.
HARRY STOCKDALE, }
GEORGE ADAMS, } Directors.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

BROKEN HILL WATER SUPPLY BILL.

(PETITION OF C. E. HOGG, PRAYING TO BE HEARD IN PERSON OR BY COUNSEL IN OPPOSITION.)

Received by the Legislative Assembly, 12 December, 1888.

To the Honorable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, in Parliament assembled.

The humble Petition of Charles Edward Hogg, of Broken Hill, in the Colony of New South Wales,—

RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH,—

1. That a Bill has been introduced, in pursuance of leave in that behalf duly given to, and is now before this Honorable House, entitled a Bill "To enable the Barrier Ranges and Broken Hill Water Supply Company (Limited)" to establish a system of water supply within the Police districts of Broken Hill and Silverton, and to confer upon the said company certain powers and authorities.

2. That such Bill contains many provisions comprised in one hundred and four clauses, and that the eighth clause of such Bill is as follows:—

"8 The company may from time to time divert water from any creek or watercourse within the district, and from time to time divert or alter, as well temporarily or permanently, any part of the course of any creeks or watercourses, roads, streets, or ways in order the more conveniently to exercise any of the powers conferred on the company, and may construct weirs and dams in any creek or watercourse, cut drains, and deliver water into, or take water from, and embank, widen, or deepen any creek, watercourse, lagoon, or swamp within the district, purchase, or take on lease any existing waterworks, and erect or construct thereon all necessary works and machinery."

3. The "district" mentioned is the Police district of Broken Hill and Silverton.

4. Your Petitioner is interested in certain waterworks for the supply of water to Broken Hill from Stephen's Creek, both of which are in the Police district of Broken Hill.

5. On or about the seventh of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, an application was lodged for a water-race and water-right for one head of water to be diverted from the Stephen's Creek, commencing at a point at the Wilcannia crossing and running due west to Broken Hill for mining purposes and domestic use. This application was made under miner's right No. 74, dated first January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and was received by the Mining Registrar for the district of Broken Hill on the eleventh day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

6. On the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, such application was granted, and I, your Petitioner, am largely interested therein.

7. After such right had been so registered your Petitioner with others, commenced the works necessary for supplying water to Broken Hill, and for that purpose made extensive arrangements and laid pipes from Broken Hill to a point about three miles out of the town, and supplied water and are now supplying water to the centre of Broken Hill at the rate of thirty thousand gallons a day; this was done temporarily to relieve the town, and your Petitioner and others concerned are now making arrangements for drawing the supply from Stephen's Creek at the point mentioned in the certificate of registration.

8. A considerable sum of money has been expended in this behalf.

9. On the twenty-seventh day of October last a contract was entered into for the purpose of forming a limited liability company with a capital of one hundred thousand pounds in one hundred thousand shares of one pound each for the purpose more effectually of supplying water to Broken Hill, and a prospectus was issued bearing date the first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

10. In pursuance of such prospectus the requisite number of shares have already been applied for, and it is proposed to register the company under the name of "Nolan's Stephen's Creek Water Supply Company (Limited)" forthwith, and arrangements of a very extensive character have recently been made

with Hudson Brothers (Limited), such arrangements being subject to the confirmation of the company for the purposes aforesaid, such work as is required to be completed in four months, and by this scheme it is intended to deliver about five hundred thousand gallons per day.

11. Your Petitioner submits that the Bill now before your Honorable House should not become law for, among others, the following reasons:—

- (a.) That it absolutely ignores the rights acquired by your Petitioner and others under the certificate of registration before mentioned as having been already granted.
- (b.) That the said Bill would interfere with the vested rights of your Petitioner and others.
- (c.) That the said Bill would enable the company formed thereunder to take the whole of the acquired rights and property in connection with such water supply.
- (d.) That under the circumstances such Bill is in nowise necessary.

12. An application was made to the Mining Warden sometime since last July for rights in many respects similar to those set out in the said Bill. The case was called on and heard, and the then Acting Mining Warden, after having been over the *locus*, decided, amongst other things, that the application would be an interference with the already acquired rights.

Your Petitioner therefore humbly prays that your Honorable House will be pleased to grant him leave to appear before the Select Committee to which the said Bill has been referred, in person, or by Counsel, or Solicitor, and, if necessary, to adduce such evidence, and send for such persons and papers as your Petitioner may be advised, with power to examine and cross-examine witnesses called before such Committee.

And your Petitioner, as in duty bound, will ever pray.

CHARLES E. HOGG.

Dated this 12th day of December, 1888.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

BULLI COLLIERY DISASTER FUND BILL.

(PETITION FROM A. J. RILEY, CHAIRMAN OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, FOR LEAVE TO APPEAR IN PERSON OR BY SOLICITOR OR COUNSEL.)

Received by the Legislative Assembly, 27 November, 1888.

To the Honorable the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, in Parliament assembled.

The humble Petition of Alban Joseph Riley, Chairman of "The Bulli Colliery Disaster Fund," Executive Committee, for and on behalf of himself and the said Executive Committee,—

RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH :—

(1.) That a Select Committee has been appointed by your Honorable House, with power to send for persons and papers, to report upon a Bill before this Honorable House, intituled "An Act for the administration of the Bulli Colliery Disaster Fund."

(2.) That your Petitioner is the chairman of the Bulli Colliery Disaster Fund executive committee.

(3.) That as the interest of your Petitioner and other subscribers to the said fund, as well as the interests of the beneficiaries of the said fund, are involved in the matters referred to the said Select Committee, your Petitioner is advised that it would be highly desirable that the said executive committee of the said fund should be represented before such Select Committee.

Your Petitioner therefore humbly prays that your Honorable House will be pleased to grant him permission to appear before the said Committee on behalf of the said Bulli Colliery Disaster Fund executive committee, in person or by solicitor or counsel, and if necessary to adduce such evidence, and send for such persons and papers as your Petitioner may be advised, together with power to examine and cross-examine witnesses called before the said Committee.

And your Petitioner, as in duty bound, will ever pray, &c.

Dated this twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

A. J. RILEY,
Chairman of the Bulli Colliery Disaster Fund Executive Committee.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

NORTH SHORE, MANLY, AND PITTWATER TRAMWAY
AND RAILWAY BILL.

(PETITION FROM MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF MANLY AGAINST.)

Received by the Legislative Assembly, 19 December, 1888.

To the Honorable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales.

The humble Petition of John George Griffin, Mayor of, and for and on behalf of the Municipal District of Manly,—

HUMBLY SHOWETH:—

1. That your Petitioner respectfully protests against the passing of the "North Shore, Manly, and Pittwater Tramway and Railway Bill" as at present framed.

2. That your Petitioner understands that the said Bill proposes to endow the said Company with powers enabling it to interfere with the roads of the said Municipality, and your Petitioner, on behalf of the Municipality aforesaid, desires to retain the direction and control of the roads of the said Municipality, and prays your Honorable House to amend the said Bill in such a manner as will leave the control of the said roads in the hands of your Petitioner as aforesaid.

And your Petitioner, as in duty bound, will ever pray, &c.

[2 signatures.]

The seal of the Council was this day affixed, 18 December, 1888.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

REPORT FROM THE SELECT COMMITTEE

ON THE

SILKSTONE COAL-MINE RAILWAY BILL ;

TOGETHER WITH THE

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE

AND

MINUTES OF EVIDENCE.

ORDERED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY TO BE PRINTED,
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SYDNEY : CHARLES POTTER, GOVERNMENT PRINTER.

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EXTRACTS FROM THE VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

VOTES NO. 28. WEDNESDAY, 19 DECEMBER, 1888.

9. SILKSTONE COAL-MINE RAILWAY BILL (*Formal Motion*):—*Mr. Melville*, for *Mr. Bowes*, moved, pursuant to Notice,—
- (1.) That the Silkstone Coal-mine Railway Bill be referred to a Select Committee, with power to send for persons and papers, for consideration and report.
- (2.) That such Committee consist of *Mr. Sutherland*, *Mr. Davis*, *Mr. Barbour*, *Mr. Thompson*, *Mr. Stevenson*, *Mr. Melville*, *Mr. Wall*, *Mr. Dowel*, *Mr. Moore*, and the Mover.
- Question put and passed.
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VOTES NO. 35. TUESDAY, 15 JANUARY, 1889.

2. SILKSTONE COAL-MINE RAILWAY BILL:—*Mr. Bowes*, as Chairman, brought up the Report from, and laid upon the Table the Minutes of Proceedings of, and Evidence taken before, the Select Committee for whose consideration and report this Bill was referred on 19th December, 1888, together with a copy of the Bill, as amended and agreed to by the Committee.
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SILKSTONE COAL-MINE RAILWAY BILL.

REPORT.

THE SELECT COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, for whose consideration and report was referred, on the 19th December, 1888, the "*Silkstone Coal-mine Railway Bill*,"—beg to report to your Honorable House:—

That they have examined the witnesses named in the list* (whose evidence *See List, page 4. will be found appended hereto); and that the Preamble having been satisfactorily proved to your Committee, they proceeded to consider the several clauses and the Schedule to the Bill, in which it was deemed necessary to make certain amendments.

Your Committee now beg to lay before your Honorable House the Bill as amended by them.

J. W. BOWES,
Chairman.

No. 2 Committee Room,
Sydney, 15 January, 1889.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE.

FRIDAY, 11 JANUARY, 1889.

MEMBERS PRESENT :—

Mr. Barbour, | Mr. Stevenson,
Mr. Davis.

Mr. Barbour called to the Chair (*pro tem.*).

Entry from Votes and Proceedings appointing the Committee, read by the Clerk.

Printed copies of the Bill referred, together with the original Petition to introduce the same, before the Committee.

Resolved,—That Mr. Bowes be the Chairman of this Committee.

Present :—F. A. S. Bowden (*Solicitor for the Bill*).

R. T. Smith (*one of the Promoters*) sworn and examined.

Witness produced plan of the proposed line of Railway.

William Kenwood called in, sworn, and examined.

Witness withdrew.

Committee deliberated.

Ordered,—That an officer from the Department of the Commissioners for Railways be summoned to give evidence next meeting.

[Adjourned till Tuesday next, at half-past Ten o'clock.]

TUESDAY, 15 JANUARY, 1889.

MEMBERS PRESENT :—

Mr. Bowes in the Chair.
Mr. Stevenson, | Mr. Thompson,
Mr. Barbour.

Present :—F. A. S. Bowden (*Solicitor for the Bill*).

R. T. Smith, one of the Promoters, further examined.

Witness produced letters from owners of lands consenting to proposed railway passing through their properties, and letter from Department of Railways consenting to connection of proposed line with Great Northern Railway Line

Alexander Richardson (*Assistant Secretary for Railways*) called in, sworn, and examined.

Room cleared.

Preamble considered.

Question—"That this Preamble stand part of the Bill,"—put and passed.

Solicitor called in and informed.

Clause 1 read, amended,* and agreed to.

Clauses 2 to 39 read and agreed to.

Clause 40 read, amended,* and agreed to.

Clause 41 read and negatived.

Clause 42 41 read, amended,* and agreed to.

Schedule read, amended,* and agreed to.

Title read and agreed to.

Chairman to report the Bill with amendments to the House.

* See Schedule of Amendments.

SCHEDULE OF AMENDMENTS.

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| Page | 2, clause | 1, line | 17. | After "crossing" omit "the" insert "a" |
| " | 2, " | 1, " | 17. | After "road" insert "known as the Telarah Road" |
| " | 12, " | 40, " | 5. | Omit "and" |
| " | 12, " | 40. | | Add to clause "and the word 'Promoters' shall mean and include the said Richard Tilden Smith and John Thomas Mance, and the survivor of them, and the heirs, executors, or administrators of such survivor, their or his assigns." |
| " | 12, " | 41. | | Omit clause. |
| " | 12, " | 42 41, line | 14. | Omit "1888" insert "1889" |
| " | 12, Schedule, | line | 23. | After "the" second time occurring insert "Telarah" |

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

MINUTES OF EVIDENCE

TAKEN BEFORE

THE SELECT COMMITTEE

ON THE

SILKSTONE COAL-MINE RAILWAY BILL.

FRIDAY, 11 JANUARY, 1889.

Present:--

MR. BARBOUR, | MR. DAVIS,
MR. STEVENSON.

R. BARBOUR, ESQ., IN THE CHAIR (*pro tem*).

Mr. F. A. S. Bowden appeared as Solicitor for the Bill.

Mr. Richard Tilden Smith, called in, sworn, and examined:—

1. *Mr. Bowden.*] You are a colliery proprietor, and reside at Sydney? Yes.
2. You hold certain lands in the county of Northumberland, parish of Stanford, containing 2,000 acres, known as Silkstone? Yes.
3. You hold these lands under mineral lease from the Government? Yes.
4. Jointly with John Thomas Mance of Parramatta? Yes.
5. You, jointly with Mr. Mance, have opened a colliery upon such lands? Yes.
6. How far is such land situated from the Great Northern Railway? A distance of 8 miles 71 chains.
7. Is it desirable to facilitate communication between the mine and the Great Northern Railway? Yes.
8. How do you propose to do that? By constructing a branch line from the colliery to the Government line.
9. Will this line pass over any Government roads? Two.
10. Will it also pass over and through any private properties? Yes, a number of properties.
11. Will it also pass through any Government lands? Yes.
12. Is the mine likely to be beneficial to the Colony if worked? Yes.
13. And will it be an advantage to the public if facilities are given to supply coal for local consumption? Considerable advantage.
14. Are you advised that this cannot be done without the sanction of Parliament? Yes.
15. Do you propose in the Bill to make all proper compensation to persons whose lands are affected? Yes.
16. The Bill, as far as you are aware, is in accordance with several Acts of Parliament which have been passed authorizing the construction of similar works? Yes.
17. You propose that the line shall be open to the public on payment as provided in the Bill? Yes.
18. Will this be a great advantage to the public? A very great advantage.
19. Is it a populous district? It is very thickly populated, beyond the mine especially.
20. I suppose the people residing in the district get their stores from Maitland principally? Yes, Maitland and Newcastle. It is carried out by means of teams to the Wollombi District.
21. This line will form a portion of the route and shorten the distance? Yes.
22. It will put the residents in direct communication with Maitland, and facilitate communication considerably? Yes.
23. Do you propose to form a township on the property? Yes.
24. I suppose you expect a large number of people to reside there—miners and others? We do.
25. Are there many people at present residing in the district? There are a good number; but of course in the vicinity of the mine at present there are few. It is a very large district.

Mr.
R. T. Smith.
11 Jan., 1889.

- Mr. R. T. Smith.
11 Jan., 1889.
26. But beyond the mine there are many settlers? It is very thickly settled.
27. Do you think it will enhance the value of the land through which it will pass? Yes, to a very great extent. These persons have signed a petition requesting us to construct the line.
28. *Chairman.*] Have you a copy of the petition? I sent it up to a gentleman to be signed, and he was to have returned it to me this morning, but he has not done so yet.
29. By whom is it already signed? It is signed by a number of the persons interested.
30. *Mr. Bowden.*] Do you produce a tracing showing the route of the proposed line? I do.
31. Was it prepared by your direction? Yes; it was prepared by Kenwood & Kerle, consulting engineers.
32. What is the length of the line to be? About 8 miles 71 chains.
33. It joins the Northern line within a few chains of Maitland station? Yes.
34. All the coal from the Silkstone Colliery will be carried over the Government line to Newcastle? Yes.
35. Is there any other means of communication which could be adopted to enable you to open up your colliery? None whatever.
36. Will a great quantity of coal be carried over this line? Yes. It will open up several large coal-fields besides our property.
37. Therefore it will give considerable revenue to the Government for traction? Very considerable.
38. It will materially increase the receipts of the Railway Department? Yes. There are several collieries which are only awaiting the construction of this line to start operations.
39. So if this branch line is not sanctioned, both yours and these other collieries will not be able to get their coal to market? No, not unless they are able to get a Bill passed.
40. Through whose property will the proposed line pass? The names are stated in the schedule to the Bill.
41. Have you had any communication with them on the subject? Yes, with the greater portion of them. I believe there are one or two whom I have not been able to see yet.
42. Have any of those whom you have seen raised any objections to the construction of the line? None whatever.
43. Have some of them promised to assist you? Yes; some have promised to give their land gratis.
44. Have you shown them a copy of the Bill? Yes, also a plan of the line.
45. Whom have you seen on the subject? Mr. Hebblewhite, Mr. Weston, Mr. Adams, Mr. Callaghan, Mr. Clift—he has the petition and is now going over the ground—Mr. Turnbull, Mr. Swan—Miss Kine I have not seen, as she is living in Bathurst; I have written to her agents, but have not received a reply yet—Mrs. Harrington, Mr. Hickey (East Greta Coal Company), Mr. Leonan, Mr. H. H. Capper, Mr. E. P. Capper—Mrs. Pilcher I have not seen, but Mr. Charles Pilcher told me that his mother would also be agreeable to the project—Mr. Woolf, Mr. J. Callaghan—Mr. Hungerford I have not seen—and Mr. Simpson. All these persons are favourable to the construction of the line. We have every reason to believe that Mr. Clift's land will be given to us free of all expense.
46. *Chairman.*] It says "Mr. C. Simpson and others"—who are the other persons? They are Crown lessees.
47. Have you tried to find out their names? Yes. The petition is signed by the greater portion of the Crown lessees. All the persons whom I knew to be Crown lessees I have seen.
48. As far as you know is there any single objection to the line? Not one; quite the contrary.
49. If they are not prepared to give their land free, they will expect to be compensated? Exactly, we are quite prepared to compensate them.
50. *Mr. Stevenson.*] Is Maitland station the nearest point at which you can tap the Government line? Yes. The junction is about three-quarters of a mile from the station. It is the nearest and most convenient place for us and the other colliery proprietors.
51. *Chairman.*] Have you consulted the Government railway authorities? Yes, and they have consented to the project. I am now expecting to receive a letter every minute from Mr. Halligan, the resident engineer. I will put in the letter at the next meeting.
52. As far as you know, the Government are favourable to the work? Very favourable.
53. Have plans been submitted to them? Yes, and they have approved of them.
54. You have not communicated with Mr. Cowdery? I do not think we had anything to do with him in the matter. It is the district engineer to whom the plans are referred by the Department.
55. *Mr. Bowden.*] In view of the large demand for coal, you are of opinion that you would supply a national want by putting additional coal into the market? I am.
56. In addition to giving an article required by the general public, you would provide employment for a large number of miners? Yes, a great many.
57. Some of the land through which the line passes are owned by the Government, but are held under mineral lease by various persons? Yes.
58. There are no unoccupied Government lands on the route? None whatever.
59. *Mr. Davies.*] Would the line interfere with any of the workings on the lands held under mineral lease—with a main shaft, or anything of that kind? No, for the reason that no operations had been commenced yet on these lands. We are constructing this line to give them every facility to convey their coals to market in the cheapest way.
60. *Chairman.*] What is the gauge of the line? The standard gauge—4 ft. 8½ in.
61. Is it so mentioned in the Bill? I think it is. The provisions of the Bill are taken from the Acts which have been passed authorizing the construction of private lines.

Mr. William Kenwood, called in, sworn, and examined:—

- Mr. W. Kenwood.
11 Jan., 1889.
62. *Mr. Bowden.*] You are a member of the firm of Kenwood & Kerle, consulting engineers? Yes.
63. Was your firm instructed by Mr. R. T. Smith to make the necessary survey for the line contemplated by this Bill? Yes.
64. Have you taken care in making the survey to take no more land than was absolutely necessary for the construction of the line? Yes.
65. And where it passes through private property has it been arranged to interfere with the lands as little as possible? Yes.
66. Does the line cross any Government roads? Two.
67. How will it cross them? One by a level-crossing and the other by a bridge. 68.

Mr.
W. Kenwood,
11 Jan., 1889.

68. *Chairman.*] Can you not make the other crossing by a bridge? It is not possible.
69. *Mr. Bowden.*] Has proper provision been made for gates? Yes.
70. Does the line pass through Government lands? Yes.
71. Are not some of them leased under mineral lease to various persons? Yes.
72. Are there any unoccupied Government lands? I think not; I cannot say for certain.
73. As far as you are aware none of the owners of property along the line have objected to its construction? No; all the persons whom I have interviewed are favourable to the work. Some have informed me that they will assist the construction of the line, and will give the necessary land where it passes through their properties.
74. Was the plan on the table prepared by your firm? Yes; it is signed by Mr. Kerle on behalf of the firm.
75. Does that signature denote that it is a correct tracing of the proposed operations? Yes.
76. Have all proper communications necessary through the various properties required by the owners have been allowed for in the plan? Yes.
77. Also all necessary bridges, culverts, water-courses, &c., necessary for the due carrying away of water and for proper provision for traffic? Yes.
78. So that no waters will be banked up by the line to the injury of properties adjoining? No.
79. *Mr. Stevenson.*] Has the Commissioner for Roads had any intimation that it crosses the roads? Yes; he has seen the plans.
80. *Mr. Bowden.*] Has proper provision been made for crossings, so that it will not interfere with the use of the lands which it severs? Yes.
81. It will interfere with traffic as little as is compatible with the construction of a railway? Yes.
82. Are the properties near the mine suitable for agriculture or pastoral purposes? It is a good pastoral and agricultural district.
83. Will the line largely assist the holders to get their produce to market? Undoubtedly it will.
84. Where does the line join the Great Northern Railway? 20 miles 65 chains 72 links from Newcastle; within about 15 chains of the West Maitland station.
85. Will it interfere in any way with the Government lines, or inconvenience them? No.
86. It will not interfere with the present working of the station? No.
87. On the contrary, it will be a convenience for the Government having the junction so close to the station? Yes.
88. Can the siding be worked from the station? Yes, with the present staff.
89. So that it will save the Government the expense of providing a separate block-signal system? Yes.
90. If the junction were made at a greater distance from the station the Government would have to establish a fresh block-signal system for this line? Yes.
91. Do you think there will be a very large accession of traffic to the Northern Railway by the construction of this line? Undoubtedly, both passenger and goods traffic.
92. It should afford the Department large additional revenue? Undoubtedly it must.
93. Has the line been surveyed in accordance with the Government regulations? Yes. It is intended to carry Government rolling stock. It is up to what we term standard gauge, that is, 4 ft. 8½ in.
94. *Mr. Davis.*] Have you made proper provision as regards culverts, bridges, and so on? Yes.
95. Have they been submitted to any of the Government officers? The plans have been so submitted. We undertake to make the line to the satisfaction of the Government engineers.
96. *Chairman.*] To whom were the plans submitted? I believe they were submitted to the railway authorities by Mr. Kerle, but I cannot say to whom.
97. *Mr. Davis.*] Will you be willing to submit the plans and specifications to the Commissioners for Railways? We shall have to do that under the terms of the Bill.

TUESDAY, 15 JANUARY, 1889.

Present:—

MR. BARBOUR, | MR. STEVENSON,
MR. THOMPSON.
JOHN WESLEY BOWES, Esq., IN THE CHAIR.

Mr. F. A. S. Bowden appeared as Solicitor for the Bill.

Mr. R. T. Smith recalled and further examined:—

98. *Mr. Bowden.*] Do you produce letters from the owners of the lands through which the proposed railway passes consenting to the project? Yes, from a portion of them. I have not had time to get the signatures of all these persons.
99. Do you also produce a letter from the Department of Railways consenting to the connection of the line with the Northern Railway? The letter is as follows:—

Mr.
R. T. Smith,
15 Jan., 1889.

Sir,
Department of Railways, Sydney, 11 January, 1889.
With reference to your application to connect the Silkstone Coal Co's. Railway with the Great Northern line, near Maitland, I have the honor to inform you that there will be no objection on the part of this Department to such connection being made, provided the company pay all expenses and the work be carried out to the entire satisfaction of the Department.

I have, &c.,
D. VERNON,
Secretary for Railways.

Mr. Alexander Richardson, called in, sworn, and examined:—

100. *Chairman.*] You are Assistant Secretary for Railways? Yes; I may say at once that I am not in a position to give information with regard to the Bill. I am the bearer of a message from the Commissioners to say that they have not had time to consider the matter and that therefore they cannot offer any opinion on the subject at the present time. They started away this morning on a tour to Newcastle and the Northern District generally and they will not be in their offices again until Monday next.

Mr. A.
Richardson,
15 Jan., 1889.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN ELECTRIC LIGHTING BILL.

(PETITION FROM CERTAIN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS OPPOSING.)

Received by the Legislative Assembly, 30 October, 1888.

To the Honorable The Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly, in Parliament assembled.

The humble Petition of the undersigned, Electrical Engineers, engaged in the business of electric lighting, in the Colony of New South Wales,—

SHOWETH UNTO YOUR HONORABLE HOUSE,

That the Bill intituled "The Sydney and Suburban Electric Lighting Bill" (as amended and agreed to in Select Committee), now before the Legislative Assembly, will, if permitted to become law, tend to create a monopoly, which will be prejudicial to the interests of the general public, and your Petitioners humbly pray that in lieu of the aforesaid Bill a General Electric Lighting Bill should be passed, based upon the English Act of Parliament, as recently amended.

That your honorable House will be pleased to take into favourable consideration your Petitioners' foregoing objections to the said Bill.

And your Petitioners, as in duty bound, will ever pray, &c.

[Here follow 7 signatures.]

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

REPORT FROM THE SELECT COMMITTEE

ON THE

WINDSOR GAS-LIGHT COMPANY (LIMITED) ACT
AMENDMENT BILL;

TOGETHER WITH THE

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE,

MINUTES OF EVIDENCE,

AND

APPENDIX.

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EXTRACTS FROM THE VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

VOTES No. 22. THURSDAY, 6 DECEMBER, 1888.

5. WINDSOR GAS-LIGHT COMPANY (LIMITED) ACT AMENDMENT BILL (*Formal Motion*):—Mr. Bowman moved, pursuant to Notice,—
- (1.) That the Windsor Gas-light Company (Limited) Act Amendment Bill be referred to a Select Committee, with power to send for persons and papers, for consideration and report.
- (2.) That such Committee consist of Mr. Day, Mr. Tecece, Mr. Levien, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Barbour, Mr. Gormly, Mr. Holborow, and the Mover.
- Question put and passed.
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VOTES No. 23. FRIDAY, 7 DECEMBER, 1888.

6. WINDSOR GAS-LIGHT COMPANY (LIMITED) ACT AMENDMENT BILL:—Mr. Bowman, as Chairman, brought up the Report from, and laid upon the Table the Minutes of Proceedings of, and Evidence taken before the Select Committee for whose consideration and report this Bill was referred on 6th December, 1888, together with Appendix and a copy of the Bill, as amended and agreed to by the Committee.
- Ordered to be printed.
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WINDSOR GAS-LIGHT COMPANY (LIMITED) ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

REPORT.

THE SELECT COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, for whose consideration and report was referred, on the 6th December, 1888, the "*Windsor Gas-light Company (Limited) Act Amendment Bill*,"—beg to report to your Honorable House:—

That they have examined the witnesses named in the list* (whose evidence will be found appended hereto); and the Preamble having been satisfactorily proved to your Committee, they proceeded to consider the several clauses of the Bill in which it was deemed necessary to make an amendment. *See list, page 4.

Your Committee now beg to lay before your Honorable House the Bill as amended by them.

ALEXANDER BOWMAN,

Chairman.

No. 2 Committee Room,
Sydney, 7 December, 1888.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE.

FRIDAY, 7 DECEMBER, 1888.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

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| Mr. Bowman, | | Mr. Barbour, |
| Mr. Day, | | Mr. Gormly. |

Mr. Bowman called to the Chair.
Entry from Votes and Proceedings appointing the Committee *read* by the Clerk.
Printed copies of the Bill *referred*, together with the original Petition to introduce the same, before the Committee.

Present—J. Arthur Dowling, Esq. (*Solicitor for the Bill*.)

Charles Hole (*Secretary to the Company*), called in, sworn, and examined.

Witness *produced* certificate of the Incorporation of the Company, and *handed in* the consent of the Richmond Corporation to the extension of the gas main through their Borough, and consent of the Commissioner for Roads,—which were ordered to be appended. (*See Appendices 1 to 4.*)

Witness withdrew.

James Arthur Dowling sworn and examined.

Witness *produced* consent of William Cowan, the largest shareholder in the Company, to the passing of the Bill.

Joseph Edward Onus (*Mayor of Richmond*) called in, sworn, and examined.

Room cleared.

Preamble considered.

Question,—“That this Preamble stand part of the Bill,”—put and passed.

Solicitor called in and informed.

Clauses 1 to 4 read and agreed to.

Clause 5 read, amended,* and agreed to.

Clauses 6 and 7 read and agreed to.

Title read and agreed to.

Chairman to report the Bill, with an amendment, to the House.

* See Schedule of Amendment.

SCHEDULE OF AMENDMENT.

Page 3, clause 5, lines 9 and 10, *omit* “day of _____ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine” *insert* “date of the passing of this Act”

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

MINUTES OF EVIDENCE

TAKEN BEFORE

THE SELECT COMMITTEE

ON THE

WINDSOR GAS-LIGHT COMPANY (LIMITED) ACT
AMENDMENT BILL.

FRIDAY, 7 DECEMBER, 1888.

Present:—

MR. BARBOUR, MR. DAY,
MR. BOWMAN, MR. GORMLY.
A. BOWMAN, ESQ., IN THE CHAIR.

J. A. Dowling, Esq., Solicitor, appeared on behalf of the Promoters of the Bill.

Charles Hole called in, sworn, and examined:—

- 1. *Mr. Dowling.*] You are the secretary of the Windsor Gas-light Company (Limited)? Yes. C. Hole.
- 2. You produce the certificate of the incorporation of that Company? I do. 7 Dec., 1888.
- 3. You are aware that in 1884 an Act was passed to enable the Windsor Gas-light Company to light the town of Windsor and the suburbs? The town of Windsor.
- 4. And suburbs? And the suburbs.
- 5. The Company is now in working order? Everything is in active operation.
- 6. Some time ago, I think, a resolution was passed authorizing the Company to extend their work to Richmond? On the 22nd May, 1888.
- 7. Do you produce some papers, under the hand of the Council Clerk of the town, or Borough of Richmond, authorizing the extension of the works to that town? I have letters from them.
- 8. You know Mr. Guest's and Mr. Onus's signatures? I can certify to them.
- 9. These are the signatures of the Mayor and the Council Clerk? Those are their signatures. (*Vide Appendix.*)
- 10. You produce a Bill endorsed with the consent of the Commissioner for Roads? Yes.
- 11. What are your instructions on the question of the issue of 4,000 preferential shares? We are at liberty to issue 4,000 preferential shares.
- 12. And to borrow money on the security of the plant and uncalled capital of the Company? And mortgage the plant of the Company.
- 13. *Mr. Barbour.*] Who gave you the authority? The shareholders.
- 14. At a general meeting? At a general meeting it was resolved that we should increase the shares by 4,000 for the purpose of extending the means of the Company.

James Arthur Dowling, sworn and examined:—

- 15. *Mr. Day.*] You are the solicitor for the bill? Yes. I produce a consent by Mr. William Cowan, J.A. Dowling, the largest proprietor in the Company, who was not present at the meeting, resolving upon the amending Bill, to the passing of the same. 7 Dec., 1888.
- 16. *Mr. Barbour.*] Did you say he was here? He is in Queensland at present. I took this precaution, and saw that he signed it myself.

Joseph Edward Onus called in, sworn, and examined:—

- J. E. Onus,
Esq.
7 Dec., 1888.
17. *Mr. Dowling.*] You are the Mayor of Richmond? I am.
 18. You are aware of the purport of this Bill? Yes.
 19. It is for the purpose of supplying the town of Richmond with gas from the Windsor Gas-works, and also, if necessary, from works in Richmond? Yes.
 20. Your Borough Council consent to such a Bill? They do.
 21. *Mr. Day.*] I suppose you have had a great deal of experience about Richmond? I have lived there all my life; I am a native of Richmond.
 22. Ever since this question of supplying the town of Richmond with gas cropped up, have you heard any ratepayers or any of those about Richmond object to it? I never heard a single person dissent.
 23. As far as your knowledge goes, being one of the leading men of Richmond, you find the people of Richmond in favour of this Bill passing? Yes.
 24. In order to give them the privilege of lighting the town of Richmond with gas? Yes.
 25. The Council are firmly in favour of it? Every member of them.
 26. You believe it will be for the benefit of the town of Richmond and the inhabitants to have these gas-works extended to them? I am certain of it; in fact, if they did not come, we should have to try some other means of lighting the town.
 27. *Mr. Barbour.*] You believe that this is a better way of doing it than doing it on your own account? I do.
 28. *Mr. Gormly.*] It would suit the convenience of the residents of Richmond? Yes, the whole population.
 29. *Mr. Day.*] This Bill does not compel the inhabitants of Richmond to take gas from the Gas Company of Windsor unless they are thoroughly satisfied with the prices and all that? Of course it does not.
 30. Anyone in Richmond can use the same lights as they have there now; the gas can be laid on, and they need not take it unless they like? No.
 31. Unless the price suits them and everything is satisfactory? No; I think most of the residents of the town have consented. I think some people went round to canvas the district, and almost every person was in favour of taking the gas.
 32. *Chairman.*] The Corporation has promised to take it? Yes.
 33. *Mr. Barbour.*] So far as you know there is no one objecting to it? Not as far as I know.
 34. *Mr. Day.*] Was this amending Bill brought before your Council? Yes.
 35. Was it carefully considered? It was.
 36. After careful consideration the conclusion was that you would agree to it? Yes; I have written a letter to the effect that the Council would not guarantee any certain thing, but as long as they were fair they would be supported.
 37. *Mr. Barbour.*] You know that by introducing this your streets will be broken up by the laying of the pipes? Yes.
 38. To all that you are perfectly willing and agreeable? Yes.

APPENDIX.

[To Evidence of Charles Hole.]

(1.)

Dear Sir,

In further reply to your letter of the 27th August last, I have the honor, by direction of the Borough Council of Richmond, to inform you that the Council will be pleased to allow your Company to extend your main into and through this Borough, and will be also very glad to assist you as far as possible by lighting portions of the streets of the Borough, but will not guarantee any number of lights.

I am, &c.,

C. S. GUEST,

Council Clerk.

Chas. Hole, Secretary, Windsor Gas Company.

(2.)

Dear Sir,

On 27th August, 1887, I addressed you, asking whether the extension of the mains of this Company to your town would meet with your approval, and whether your support and encouragement would be given.

I had the pleasure of receiving your reply in the affirmative, but, as a comparatively long time has elapsed since then, I now beg to address you again, and say that our Amending Act, to give us the requisite power to enter your town, is coming before Parliament, and I should be glad of a few lines at the present time, expressing your consent and approval of the proposed extension.

I have, &c.,

C. HOLE,

Secretary.

His Worship the Mayor of Richmond.

(3.)

Dear Sir,

In reply to yours of yesterday, permit me to state that the Borough Council of Richmond has not seen fit to alter its decision *in re* gas from your Company, as conveyed to you by my letter of 15/9/87.

You must, however, distinctly understand that my Council will not guarantee to use any particular number of lights. They will, however, support you as far as it may be deemed advisable, so long as your charges are fair.

I am, &c.,

J. E. ONUS,

Mayor.

Chas. Hole, Secretary, Windsor Gas Company.

(4.)

Consent of the Commissioner for Roads attached to a copy of the Bill.

7 November, 1888.

As the officer-in-charge of the main road, Richmond to Windsor, and of the Fitzroy and Windsor Bridges, I see no objection to the enactment herein proposed.

WILLIAM C. BENNETT,

Commissioner for Main Roads.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

REPORT FROM THE SELECT COMMITTEE

ON THE

YOUNG WALLSEND COAL COMPANY'S
RAILWAY BILL;

TOGETHER WITH THE

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE

AND

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EXTRACTS FROM THE VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

VOTES NO. 6. THURSDAY, 1 NOVEMBER, 1888.

7. YOUNG WALLSEND COAL COMPANY'S RAILWAY BILL (*Formal Motion*):—Mr. Creer moved, pursuant to Notice:—
- (1.) That the Young Wallsend Coal Company's Railway Bill be referred to a Select Committee, with power to send for persons and papers, for consideration and report.
- (2.) That such Committee consist of Mr. Gould, Mr. Fletcher, Mr. Frank Farnell, Mr. Garrard, Mr. Bruncker, Mr. Martin, Mr. Day, and the Mover.
- Question put and passed.
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VOTES NO. 9. THURSDAY, 8 NOVEMBER, 1888.

3. YOUNG WALLSEND COAL COMPANY'S RAILWAY BILL:—Mr. Creer, as Chairman, brought up the Report from, and laid upon the Table the Minutes of Proceedings of, and Evidence taken before, the Select Committee for whose consideration and report this Bill was referred on 1st November, 1888, together with a copy of the Bill as amended and agreed to by the Committee.
- Ordered to be printed.
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YOUNG WALLSEND COAL COMPANY'S RAILWAY BILL.

REPORT.

THE SELECT COMMITTEE of the Legislative Assembly, for whose consideration and report was referred, on the 1st November, 1888, the "*Young Wallsend Coal Company's Railway Bill*,"—beg to report to your Honorable House:—

That they have examined the witnesses named in the margin* (whose evidence will be found appended hereto), and that the Preamble, as amended, having been satisfactorily proved to your Committee, they proceeded to consider the several clauses and the schedule of the Bill in which it was deemed necessary to make certain amendments.

Your Committee now beg to lay before your Honorable House the Bill, as amended by them, with an amended Preamble.

JOSEPH CREER,

Chairman.

No. 3 Committee Room,
Sydney, 8th November, 1888.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE.

THURSDAY, 1 NOVEMBER, 1888.

MEMBERS PRESENT:—

Mr. Croer, | Mr. Fletcher,
 | Mr. Garrard.

Mr. Croer called to the Chair.

Entry from Votes and Proceedings appointing the Committee, *read* by the Clerk.

Printed copies of the Bill *referred*, together with original Petition to introduce the same, before the Committee.

Present: Mr. Ernest Broad (*Solicitor for the Bill*).

John Charles Bonarius, called in, sworn, and examined.

Witness *produced* plan, showing proposed route of Railway.

Robert William Langstaff, called in, sworn, and examined.

Room cleared.

Preamble considered and amended.

Question: "That this Preamble, as amended, stand part of the Bill," put and passed.

Solicitor called in and informed.

Clause 1 read, amended,* and agreed to.

Clause 2 read, amended,* and agreed to.

Clauses 3 to 9 read and agreed to.

Clause 10 read, amended,* and agreed to.

Clause 11 read, amended,* and agreed to.

Clause 12 to §3 read and agreed to.

Clause 34 read, amended,* and agreed to.

Clause 35 read, amended,* and agreed to.

Clause 36 read, amended,* and agreed to.

Clause 37 read, amended,* and agreed to.

Clause 38 and 39 read and agreed to.

Schedule read and agreed to.

Clause 1 reconsidered, further amended,* and agreed to.

Title read and agreed to.

Chairman to report the Bill to the House with amendments, and an amended Preamble.

* See Schedule of Amendments.

SCHEDULE OF AMENDMENTS.

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| Page 1, Preamble, line | 9 | — | After "pass" insert "over Government roads and" |
| " 1, " " | 9 | — | Omit "believed to be" |
| " 1, " " | 10 | — | Omit "the Crown" |
| " 1, Clause 1, " | 25 | — | After "from" insert "a point on" |
| " 1, " 1, " | 25 | — | Omit "side" |
| " 1, " 1, " | 25 | — | Omit "running through" and insert "leading from Wallsend to Cooranbong crossing that and other Governments roads" |
| " 1, " 1, " | 26 | — | Omit "that" insert "those" |
| " 1, " 1, lines 31 and 32 | | — | Omit "section ninety-nine of the Government Railway Act of 1858" insert "the Public Works Act of 1888" |
| " 1, " 2, " | 40 and 41 | — | Omit "Commissioner for Railways" insert "Railway Commissioners of New South Wales" |
| " 3, " 10, line 51 | | — | Omit "Secretary of Public Works" insert "said Commissioners" |
| " 3, " 10, " | 52 | — | Omit "he" insert "they" |
| " 3, " 11, " | 65 | — | Omit "Secretary for Public Works" insert "said Commissioners" |
| " 3, " 11, " | 67 | — | Omit "Secretary" insert "Commissioners" |
| " 7, " 34, " | 11 | — | Omit "Commissioner for Railways" insert "said Commissioners" |
| " 7, " 34, " | 15 | — | Omit "Commissioner for Railways" insert "said Commissioners" |
| " 7, " 35 | | — | Omit "Commissioner" insert "said Commissioners" |
| " 7, " 36, line 23 | | — | Omit "Commissioner for Railways" insert "said Commissioners" |
| " 7, " 37, " | 25 | — | Omit "1858" insert "1888." |
| " 7, " 37 | | — | Add to clause "and the Public Works Act of 1888" |

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

MINUTES OF EVIDENCE

TAKEN BEFORE

THE SELECT COMMITTEE

ON THE

YOUNG WALLSEND COAL COMPANY'S RAILWAY BILL.

THURSDAY, 8 NOVEMBER, 1888.

Present:—

MR. CREER, | MR. FLETCHER,
MR. GARRARD.
MR. CREER, IN THE CHAIR.

Mr. Ernest Broad, solicitor, appeared for the Promoters of the Bill.

Mr. John Charles Bonarius called in, sworn, and examined:—

1. *Mr. Broad.*] You are the chairman, I believe, of the company promoting this Bill? Yes.
2. The object of the company is to establish a colliery or collieries on land near Newcastle, in the parish of Teralba? Yes.
3. Is it desirable to facilitate communication between the mines and the Sydney-Waratah Railway? Yes.
4. You propose to do that by constructing a branch line? Yes.
5. Will it pass over Government roads? Yes; in places.
6. It will pass over and through private properties also? Yes.
7. Are the mines likely to be beneficial to the Colony in general if opened? Yes.
8. And it will be an advantage to the public if facilities are given to supply coal for local consumption? Yes.
9. You are advised, I presume, that this cannot be done without the sanction of Parliament? Yes.
10. The company propose in the Bill to make all proper compensation to persons whose lands are affected? Decidedly.
11. Is the Bill, as far as you are aware, in accordance with several Acts of Parliament which have been passed authorizing the construction of similar works? It is almost a *fac simile* of the West Wallsend Coal Company's Bill which was passed in the Session of 1885-6.
12. *Chairman.*] You propose that the line shall be open for the use of the public? Yes; on payment.
13. You think it will be an advantage to the public generally? We do.
14. There will be a township on the Young Wallsend Company's property? Yes.
15. Do you expect a large number of people to reside there? We do.
16. Are there many people residing there at present? There must be some forty or fifty families. I have an application for something like sixty or seventy children.
17. Have a large number of people purchased land there with a view to erect a residence for themselves? A great many; and buildings are now being erected.
18. Therefore the railway would be a great advantage as a public conveyance between Newcastle and the Young Wallsend township? It would.
19. Do you think it will enhance the value of the lands through which it will pass? Yes.
20. Do you produce a tracing marked A showing the route of the proposed line? I do.
21. Was it prepared by the direction of the company? Yes.

Mr. J. C.
Bonarius.

8 Nov., 1888.

- Mr. J. C. Bonarius.
8 Nov., 1888.
22. *Mr. Fletcher.*] Your proposed colliery is in close proximity to the Sydney-Waratah Railway? It is exactly $2\frac{1}{4}$ miles distant.
23. The branch line that you propose to make is to connect your works with that railway? Yes.
24. Your coal will be carried on that railway, from the junction to Newcastle for shipment? Yes.
25. And therefore it will give a very considerable revenue to the Government for traction? Most decidedly.
26. Is this the only means of getting coal from the colliery to market? Yes.
27. In reality, if the branch line is not sanctioned, the company cannot possibly get their coal to market? No.
28. It will pass through some private property? Yes; through the property of the Wallsend Company.
29. Have you had any communication with that company on the subject? I have.
30. Does it make any objection to the construction of the line? None whatever.
31. Really, they are agreeable to the project? Yes.
32. Have they seen a copy of your Bill? Yes, and a tracing showing where the line will pass through their estate.
33. And they have no objection? No. I might mention that I waited upon Mr. Binney, the secretary of the Wallsend Company, before I had the Bill introduced into Parliament. I explained to him what we were about to do, and asked him if he had any objections to the proposal or any suggestion to make. He asked me several questions as to whether it would interfere with their works. I said, "No, it is a long way from your works; it is at the back of your estate entirely—at the Cockles Creek end." I left a tracing of the line with him, and he sent it to his manager (Mr. Neilson), who went over the ground with our manager (Mr. Fairley), and they had no objection whatever to the project. After that Mr. Binney wrote to me, telling me that they had no objection, and to go on with the Bill, and that if they could help us they would.
34. In view of the large demand for coal, your company are of opinion that they would supply a national want by putting additional coal into the market? They are.
35. In addition to giving an article required by the general public, you will provide employment for a large number of miners? Yes.
36. *Mr. Garrard.*] Who are the other private property owners affected by the Bill? The land of the persons whose names appear on this tracing has been purchased by the company, so that we have no one to deal with now except the old Wallsend Company.
37. Have the Commissioners for Railways been consulted in the matter of joining the Government line? Yes. They have sent us a communication stating that they have agreed to put the points on the line.
38. Do they agree to it being tapped at this particular point? Yes.
39. Have you any evidence to that effect? I have received a letter from the Public Works Department, dated the 16th October last, approving of our application to the Government to put the points in across the Government line to the fence—at the place shown on the tracing.

Mr. Robert William Langstaff called in, sworn, and examined:—

- Mr. R. W. Langstaff.
8 Nov., 1888.
40. *Mr. Broad.*] You are the surveyor employed by the Young Wallsend Coal Company? Yes.
41. Have you under their direction made the necessary survey for the line contemplated by this Bill? Yes.
42. Have you taken care in making that survey to take no more land than is absolutely necessary for the construction of the line? Yes.
43. And where it passes through private property it has been arranged to do as little damage as possible? Yes.
44. The line will cross the Government roads in two or three places? In two places.
45. How is it proposed to take the line over those roads—by bridge? No, by level-crossings.
46. Has any objection been made at all to the line to your knowledge? No.
47. Was this tracing marked A prepared by you? It was prepared under my supervision. My certificate is attached to it.
48. To the best of your belief it is a correct tracing of the proposed operations? Yes.
49. *Mr. Garrard.*] I suppose that none of the embankments will in any way bank up water to the detriment of land above the line? No.
50. Plenty of culverts are provided? Yes.
51. And gates at the level-crossings? Yes.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE FOR 1889 AND SUPPLEMENTARY
ESTIMATES FOR 1888 AND PREVIOUS YEARS.

(MESSAGE No. 1.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 31 October, 1888.

CARRINGTON,
Governor.

Message No. 1.

In accordance with the provisions of the 54th clause of the Constitution Act, the Governor recommends for the consideration of the Legislative Assembly the accompanying Estimates of Expenditure for 1889, together with Supplementary Estimates for 1888 and previous years.

*Government House,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.*

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| Sewerage | 4, 130 | Volunteer Naval Artillery | 26 |
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NEW SOUTH WALES.

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ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE,
1889.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE.

ABSTRACT of the ESTIMATES of the PROBABLE EXPENDITURE of the GOVERNMENT of NEW SOUTH WALES, for the Year 1889 compared with the authorized Expenditure for 1888.

| Page. | GENERAL HEADS OF SERVICE. | Amounts authorized for 1888. | | | Amounts required for 1889. | | |
|-------|--|------------------------------|----|----|----------------------------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| 4 | SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS | 2,041,693 | 0 | 0 | 2,073,326 | 0 | 0 |
| 5 | I.—SCHEDULES TO THE CONSTITUTION ACT... .. | 49,697 | 0 | 0 | 55,054 | 10 | 0 |
| 9 | II.—EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE | 28,391 | 13 | 4 | 28,884 | 0 | 0 |
| 13 | III.—THE COLONIAL SECRETARY | 956,700 | 4 | 0 | 927,575 | 0 | 0 |
| | IV.—THE TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE— | | | | | | |
| 45 | DEPARTMENTS GENERALLY | 504,956 | 17 | 2 | 508,965 | 0 | 0 |
| 61 | RAILWAYS | 1,736,452 | 4 | 10 | 1,795,247 | 0 | 0 |
| 63 | V.—MINISTER OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION | 655,345 | 16 | 8 | 683,349 | 0 | 0 |
| 73 | VI.—MINISTER OF JUSTICE | 267,248 | 13 | 7 | 260,770 | 0 | 0 |
| 103 | VII.—THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL | 36,966 | 2 | 2 | 37,730 | 0 | 0 |
| 107 | VIII.—THE SECRETARY FOR LANDS | 491,633 | 11 | 7 | 421,617 | 0 | 0 |
| 117 | IX.—THE SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS | 987,152 | 4 | 3 | 1,057,570 | 0 | 0 |
| 131 | X.—THE POSTMASTER-GENERAL | 627,093 | 2 | 10 | 638,212 | 0 | 0 |
| 141 | XI.—THE SECRETARY FOR MINES | 123,590 | 9 | 8 | 134,867 | 0 | 0 |
| | THE SECRETARY FOR LANDS— | | | | 8,623,166 | 10 | 0 |
| | SPECIAL CHARGES | | | | 253,000 | 0 | 0 |
| | TOTAL | £ 8,506,921 | 0 | 1 | 8,876,166 | 10 | 0 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

| SERVICE. | APPROPRIATED FOR 1888. | | | REQUIRED FOR 1889. | | |
|--|---------------------------|----------|----------|-----------------------|----------|----------|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Interest on Debentures and Funded Stock... | 1,644,680 | 0 | 0 | 1,703,926 | 0 | 0 |
| Towards the payment of Interest and Extinction of the Railway Loan of 1867 (£1,000,000), 31 Vic. No. 11 | 70,000 | 0 | 0 | 70,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Drawbacks and Refund of Duties | 50,000 | 0 | 0 | 50,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Revenue and Receipts returned | 150,000 | 0 | 0 | 150,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Charges on Collections | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Endowment of the University of Sydney ... | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | 5,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Endowment of the Australian Museum ... | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Endowment of the Sydney Grammar School | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | 1,500 | 0 | 0 |
| Endowment of the Affiliated Colleges ... | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | 1,500 | 0 | 0 |
| Endowment under the Municipalities Act... | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | 25,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Endowment of the Civil Service Superannuation Account, 5th instalment | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | 20,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates ... | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| Judges under the District Courts Act ... | 10,500 | 0 | 0 | 10,500 | 0 | 0 |
| Sydney Branch of the Royal Mint... .. | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | 15,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Pensions under the Superannuation Act Repeal Act of 1873 | 6,513 | 0 | 0 | 5,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Endowment of the Municipal Council of Sydney, 43 Vic. No. 3 | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| Endowment under the Fire Brigades Act, 47 Vic. No. 3... .. | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | 6,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Commissioners of Customs, 42 Vic. No. 19 | 600 | 0 | 0 | 600 | 0 | 0 |
| Expenses of Parliamentary Witnesses, 45 Vic. No. 5... .. | 300 | 0 | 0 | 300 | 0 | 0 |
| Expenses under the Civil Service Act, 48 Vic. No. 24 | 600 | 0 | 0 | 500 | 0 | 0 |
| Collections for the State House, 51 Vic. No. 9 | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| Sewerage and Water Board, 43 Vic. No. 32 and 51 Vic. No. 28 ... .. | ..... |  |  | 500 | 0 | 0 |
| Railway Commissioners, 51 Vic. No. 35 and 52 Vic. No. 5 ... .. | ..... |  |  | 6,000 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS | £ 2,041,693 | 0 | 0 | 2,073,326 | 0 | 0 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

I.

Schedules A, B, and C, to Schedule 1,

OF ACTS 18 & 19 VICTORIA, CAPUT 54.

SUMMARY.

| Page. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | PROVIDED BY THE CONSTITUTION ACT. | PROVIDED BY COLONIAL ACTS. | TO BE VOTED. | TOTAL. |
|-------|---|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | Authorized Expenditure. | | | | |
| | SCHEDULE A:— | | | | |
| 6 | Salaries, as per annexed Statement... | 18,050 0 0 | 14,350 0 0 | ..... | 32,400 0 0 |
| | SCHEDULE B:— | | | | |
| 6 | Pensions, as per annexed Statement... | 8,700 0 0 | 1,960 0 0 | ..... | 10,660 0 0 |
| | SCHEDULE C:— | | | | |
| 7 | Public Worship, as per annexed Statement | 9,993 0 0 | ..... | ..... | 9,993 0 0 |
| | | 36,743 0 0 | 16,310 0 0 | ..... | 53,053 0 0 |
| | Expenditure to be Authorized. | | | | |
| | SUPPLEMENT TO SCHEDULE B:— | | | | |
| 7 | Pensions, as per Statement attached, £ | ..... | ..... | 2,001 10 0 | 2,001 10 0 |
| | TOTAL | £ 36,743 0 0 | 16,310 0 0 | 2,001 10 0 | 55,054 10 0 |

No. I.—SCHEDULES.

| | PROVIDED IN SCHEDULE. | | | PROVIDED BY COLONIAL ACTS. | | |
|---|-----------------------|----|----|----------------------------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| SCHEDULE A. | | | | | | |
| His Excellency the Governor | 7,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| The Chief Justice | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,500 | 0 | 0 |
| Six Puisne Judges, at £2,600 | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | 12,600 | 0 | 0 |
| The Colonial Secretary | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| The Colonial Treasurer | 1,250 | 0 | 0 | 250 | 0 | 0 |
| The Auditor-General | 900 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| The Attorney-General | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| The Governor's Private Secretary | 400 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| TOTAL | £ 18,050 | 0 | 0 | 14,350 | 0 | 0 |
| SCHEDULE B. | | | | | | |
| Pensions. | | | | | | |
| To JUDGES, who have retired from office :— | | | | | | |
| The Honorable Sir Alfred Stephen, G.C.M.G., C.B., late Chief Justice | 1,400 | 0 | 0 | 420 | 0 | 0 |
| Sir William Montague Manning, Knight, late Puisne Judge | 1,050 | 0 | 0 | 770 | 0 | 0 |
| Peter Faucett, M.L.C., late Puisne Judge | 1,050 | 0 | 0 | 770 | 0 | 0 |
| | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | 1,960 | 0 | 0 |
| To OFFICERS OF THE GOVERNMENT who, on political grounds, retired, or were released from office :— | | | | | | |
| Sir William Montague Manning, Knight, formerly Solicitor-General | 800 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| Francis Lewis Shaw Merewether, formerly Auditor-General | 900 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | 1,700 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| To THE UNDERMENTIONED PENSIONERS, according to the Scale and Rates fixed by the Superannuation Act of the Imperial Parliament, 4 and 5 Gul. IV., cap. 24, viz. :— | | | | | | |
| James Warner, late Assistant Surveyor | 70 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| Edward Wilson, late Constable, Penrith Police | 14 | 18 | 3 | ..... |  |  |
| Thomas Reilly, late Sergeant to Governor-General's Orderlies | 32 | 13 | 4 | ..... |  |  |
| William Wedge Darke, late Assistant Surveyor | 153 | 0 | 11 | ..... |  |  |
| Hannah Pope, late Housekeeper in the Colonial Secretary's Office | 22 | 17 | 6 | ..... |  |  |
| Ellen Delprado, late Housekeeper, Audit Office | 39 | 11 | 8 | ..... |  |  |
| J. S. Adam, late Chief Draftsman, Surveyor-General's Department | 228 | 11 | 5 | ..... |  |  |
| Henry Halloran, late Under Secretary, Colonial Secretary's Department | 800 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| R. T. Hall, late Assistant Inspector, Audit Department | 166 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| T. C. Battley, late Clerk of Petty Sessions, Gosford | 118 | 12 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| L. I. Brennand, late Superintendent of Stores | 171 | 8 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| C. G. Lockhart, late Commissioner, Crown Lands | 214 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| Hy. Broderick, late Engineer, &c., Marine Board | 196 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| Eliza B. Daly, late Postmistress, Maitland | 109 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| James H. Palmer, late Shorthand Writer, Legislative Assembly | 321 | 8 | 6 | ..... |  |  |
| John A. Scarr, late Shorthand Writer, Legislative Council | 311 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| John B. Martin, late Clerk of Petty Sessions, Camden | 157 | 17 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| Robert Dawson, late Police Magistrate, Cooma | 262 | 10 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| Balance to be appropriated | 110 | 11 | 5 | | | |
| | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| TOTAL SCHEDULE B... | £ 8,700 | 0 | 0 | 1,960 | 0 | 0 |

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No. I.—SCHEDULES.

| | PROVIDED IN | PROVIDED BY |
|---|-------------|-------------------|
| | SCHEDULE. | COLONIAL ACTS. |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| SCHEDULE C. | | |
| Public Worship— | | |
| Church of England | 5,791 0 0 | ..... |
| Presbyterian Church | 702 0 0 | ..... |
| Wesleyan Methodist Church | 900 0 0 | ..... |
| Roman Catholic Church | 2,600 0 0 | ..... |
| TOTAL SCHEDULE C... | £ 9,993 0 0 | ..... |
| SUPPLEMENT TO SCHEDULE B. | | |
| Pensions. | | |
| Mrs. Annie Petrie, Daughter of the late Captain Flinders, R.N. | 100 0 0 | |
| Mrs. Maria Bate Wise, Widow of the late Mr. Justice Wise | 200 0 0 | |
| Mrs. Margaret Edwards, Widow of the late Pilot Edwards | 50 0 0 | |
| Mrs. Julia Robinson, Widow of the late Pilot Robinson | 150 0 0 | |
| Mrs. Jane Reader, Widow of the late Pilot Reader | 75 0 0 | |
| Mrs. Shanks, Widow of the late Pilot Shanks... .. | 50 0 0 | |
| Mrs. Petersen, Widow of the late Pilot Petersen | 30 0 0 | |
| Mrs. Wickham, late Postmistress, Parramatta... .. | 84 0 0 | |
| Mrs. Elliott, widow of the late Alexander Elliott, warder, Sydney Gaol | 75 0 0 | |
| Mr. E. H. Hargraves, of Brisbane Water | 250 0 0 | |
| | | 1,064 0 0 |
| Pension under the Government Railway Act of 1888— | | |
| C. A. Goodchap, late Commissioner for Railways ... .. | ..... | 937 10 0 |
| TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE VOTED | £ | 2,001 10 0 |

II.

Executive and Legislative.

SUMMARY.

| Page. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
|-------|---|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | | £ | £ |
| 10 | His Excellency the Governor | 2,144 | 2,144 |
| 10 | Executive Council | 1,128 | 1,128 |
| 10 | Legislative Council | 5,815 | 5,875 |
| 11 | Legislative Assembly | 9,810 | 9,670 |
| 11 | Legislative Council and Assembly | 2,669 | 2,792 |
| 12 | Parliamentary Library | 1,815 | 1,815 |
| 12 | Parliamentary Reporting Staff | 5,010 | 5,460 |
| | TOTAL | 28,391 | 28,884 |

*The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.*

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

| No. of Persons. | | No. II.—EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE. | | | |
|--|------|--|---------|---------------------------|-------|
| 1888 | 1889 | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| His Excellency the Governor. | | | | | |
| PRIVATE SECRETARY. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Private Secretary. (Provided in Schedule.) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk to Private Secretary... | 410 | 410 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger ... | 160 | 160 | |
| 1 | 1 | Office-cleaner ... | 55 | 55 | |
| AIDE-DE-CAMP. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Aide-de-Camp ... | 358 | 358 | |
| | | | 983 | | 983 |
| MOUNTED ORDERLIES. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sergeant, at 10s. 6d. per diem ... | 192 | 192 | |
| 1 | 1 | Orderly, at 8s. do. ... | 146 | 146 | |
| 2 | 2 | Orderlies, at 7s. 6d. do. ... | 274 | 274 | |
| | | | 612 | | 612 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of Forage to Aide-de-Camp ... | 146 | 146 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of Lodging to do. ... | 173 | 173 | |
| | | Forage for four Horses for Orderlies ... | 120 | 120 | |
| | | Remounts for Orderlies ... | 60 | 60 | |
| | | Allowance for Cab Hire and Incidental Expenses ... | 50 | 50 | |
| | | | 549 | | 549 |
| 9 | 9 | TOTAL ... | £ 2,144 | £ 2,144 | |
| Executive Council. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of the Executive Council ... | 700 | 700 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk ... | 240 | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger ... | 160 | 160 | |
| 1 | 1 | Office-keeper ... | 18 | 18 | |
| | | | 1,118 | | 1,118 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Incidental Expenses ... | 10 | 10 | |
| | | | 10 | | 10 |
| 4 | 4 | TOTAL ... | £ 1,128 | £ 1,128 | |
| Legislative Council. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | President ... | 1,200 | 1,200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chairman of Committees ... | 500 | 500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of the Parliaments ... | 760 | 760 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk Assistant ... | 550 | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Usher of the Black Rod ... | 440 | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | First Clerk ... | 440 | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | Second Clerk ... | 340 | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Third Clerk ... | 290 | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Fourth Clerk ... | 240 | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Messenger ... | 190 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Door-keeper ... | 150 | 160 | |
| 4 | 4 | Assistant Messengers, at £145 ... | 540 | 580 | |
| | | | 5,640 | | 5,700 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Incidental Expenses ... | 75 | 75 | |
| | | Expenses in connection with Select Committees ... | 100 | 100 | |
| | | | 175 | | 175 |
| 15 | 15 | TOTAL ... | £ 5,815 | £ 5,875 | |

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

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| No. of Persons. | | No. II.—EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE. | | | |
|---|------|---|-------|---------------------------|-------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Legislative Assembly. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Speaker | 1,500 | 1,500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chairman of Committees | 800 | 800 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Assembly | 960 | 960 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk Assistant | 725 | 725 | |
| 1 | 1 | Second Clerk Assistant | 600 | 600 | |
| 1 | 1 | Sergeant-at-Arms | 490 | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Records | 490 | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Select Committees | 440 | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Printing Branch | 390 | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk in charge of Printed Papers | 340 | 340 | |
| 3 | 3 | Clerks—1 at £340, 1 at £265, and 1 at £200 | 805 | 805 | |
| 1 | 1 | Principal Messenger | 220 | 230 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Doorkeeper | 175 | 175 | |
| 9 | 9 | Messengers, 1 at £165, 8 at £150 | 1,365 | 1,365 | |
| 1 | 1 | Lavatory Attendant | 110 | 110 | |
| | | | | 9,410 | 9,420 |
| CONTINGENCIES. (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | | |
| | | Expenses of Witnesses summoned before Select Committees | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 150 | 150 | |
| | | Counsels' fees—Slattery v. Speaker of the Legislative Assembly | 150 | | |
| | | | | 400 | 250 |
| 25 | 25 | TOTAL | £ | 9,810 | 9,670 |
| Legislative Council and Assembly. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Steward and Housekeeper | 290 | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Housekeeper | 85 | 90 | |
| 1 | 1 | Watchman | 150 | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | House Servant | 135 | 145 | |
| 1 | 1 | Stableman | 135 | 145 | |
| 1 | 1 | Out-door Servant | 135 | 145 | |
| 3 | 3 | Female Servants, at £80 | 225 | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Cook | 200 | 210 | |
| 3 | 3 | Waiters, 2 at £145, 1 at £160 | 420 | 450 | |
| 1 | 1 | Scullery-maid | 75 | 80 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Stableman | 135 | 145 | |
| | | | | 1,985 | 2,090 |
| CONTINGENCIES. (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | | |
| | | For occasional assistance during the Session | 500 | 500 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 125 | 125 | |
| | | Service in connection with fire-extinguishing appliances | 25 | 25 | |
| | | Remuneration to Engineer of Electric Lights and Assistant for extra services, at £26 each per annum | 34 | 52 | |
| | | | | 684 | 702 |
| 15 | 15 | TOTAL | £ | 2,669 | 2,792 |

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

| No. of Persons. | | No. II.—EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE. | | | |
|---|------|--|---------|---------------------------|-------------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Parliamentary Library. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Librarian | 490 | 490 | |
| 2 | 2 | Attendants, 1st £340, 2nd £265 | 605 | 605 | |
| | | | 1,095 | 1,095 | |
| CONTINGENCIES. <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Books and Periodicals | 450 | 450 | |
| | | Periodicals, Newspapers, &c., for Council Reading-room | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Do. do. for Assembly Reading-room | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Insurance of Books | 45 | 45 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 25 | 25 | |
| | | | 720 | 720 | |
| 3 | 3 | TOTAL | £ | 1,815 | 1,815 |
| Parliamentary Reporting Staff. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Principal Shorthand-writer | 860 | 860 | |
| 1 | 1 | Second Shorthand-writer | 650 | 650 | |
| 4 | 4 | Shorthand-writers, at £550 | 2,200 | 2,200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Shorthand-writer | 490 | 490 | |
| ... | 1 | Shorthand-writer ... .. | ..... | 450 | |
| 2 | 2 | Shorthand Type-writers, at £200... .. | 400 | 400 | |
| | | Sessional Shorthand-writing | 400 | 400 | |
| | | Incidental expenses (irrespective of date of claims) ... | 10 | 10 | |
| | | | 5,010 | 5,460 | |
| 9 | 10 | TOTAL | £ | 5,010 | 5,460 |

III.

Colonial Secretary.

SUMMARY.

| Page. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
|-------|---|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | | £ | £ |
| 14 | Colonial Secretary | 8,887 | 8,582 |
| 15 | Vice-President of the Executive Council and Representative of the Government in the Legislative Council | 415 | 415 |
| 15 | Aborigines Protection Board | 8,490 | 9,490 |
| | Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces— | | |
| 15-16 | General Staff | 5,803 | 6,505 |
| 17 | Military Instructors | 2,821 | 1,963 |
| 17-18 | Artillery Force | 51,198 | 54,999 |
| 19 | Permanent Submarine Miners | 4,921 | 4,995 |
| 19 | Permanent Mounted Infantry | 5,221 | 5,292 |
| 20-24 | Volunteer Force | 103,245 | 100,519 |
| 24 | Works of Defence | 3,900 | 4,900 |
| 25 | Ordnance and Barrack Department | 16,786 | 22,110 |
| 26 | Naval Brigade | 5,814 | 5,814 |
| 26 | Volunteer Naval Artillery | 770 | 770 |
| 26 | Training Ship "Wolverene" | 2,500 | 2,500 |
| 26 | Torpedo Defence | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| 27 | Police | 285,993 | 287,552 |
| 28-31 | Lunacy | 85,318 | 90,358 |
| 31 | Master in Lunacy | 1,971 | 2,086 |
| 31 | Medical Board | 100 | 100 |
| 32-33 | The Medical Adviser to the Government | 27,978 | 29,298 |
| 34 | Department of Audit | 11,666 | 11,241 |
| 35-36 | Registrar-General | 25,860 | 25,955 |
| 36 | Government Statistician | 3,915 | 3,940 |
| 37 | Agent-General for the Colony | 5,507 | 5,507 |
| 37 | Immigration | 8,020 | 8,000 |
| 37 | City of Sydney Improvement Board | 765 | 865 |
| 38-39 | Charitable Institutions | 44,462 | 40,682 |
| 40 | Fisheries Commission | 6,294 | 5,811 |
| 40 | Fire Brigades | 3,590 | 4,670 |
| 40 | Civil Service Board | 1,885 | 1,950 |
| 41 | Botanic Gardens | 6,337 | 6,332 |
| 41 | Nursery Garden, Campbelltown | 570 | 590 |
| 42 | Government Domains | 2,458 | 2,398 |
| 42 | Garden Palace Grounds | 1,250 | 1,200 |
| 43 | Charitable Allowances | 38,908 | 38,608 |
| 44 | Miscellaneous Services | 172,082 | 130,578 |
| | TOTAL | £ 956,700 | 927,575 |

*Voted under No. IV, Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade, in 1888.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

| No. of Persons. | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|--|--|--|--|--|-----------------------------|-------|---------------------------|-------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | Colonial Secretary. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Colonial Secretary. (Provided in Schedule.) | | | | | | £ | | £ | |
| 1 | 1 | Principal Under Secretary | | | | | | 960 | | 960 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk | | | | | | 600 | | 600 | |
| 1 | 1 | First Clerk | | | | | | 500 | | 500 | |
| | | | | | | | | 2,060 | | 2,060 | |
| | | CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk in Charge | | | | | | 300 | | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | | | | | | 195 | | 195 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | | | | | 160 | | 160 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | | | | | 75 | | 100 | |
| | | | | | | | | 780 | | 755 | |
| | | RECORD BRANCH. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk in Charge | | | | | | 430 | | 430 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | | | | | | 250 | | 275 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | | | | | 140 | | 140 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | | | | | 140 | | 140 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | | | | | 140 | | 140 | |
| | | | | | | | | 1,100 | | 1,125 | |
| | | ACCOUNT BRANCH. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | | | | | | 420 | | 420 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | | | | | | 250 | | 275 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | | | | | | 220 |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | | | | | 170 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | | | | | 120 | | 120 | |
| | | | | | | | | 1,180 | | 1,015 | |
| | | MISCELLANEOUS BRANCH. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk in Charge | | | | | | 350 | | 350 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | | | | | | 300 |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | | | | | 275 | | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | | | | | 240 | | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | | | | | 250 | | 275 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | | | | | | 150 |  | ..... |  |
| ... | 1 | Shorthand and Type Writer ... .. |  |  |  |  |  | ..... |  | 275 | |
| ... | 1 | Despatch and Deed Clerk ... .. |  |  |  |  |  | ..... |  | 150 | |
| 24 | 23 | | | | | | | 1,565 | | 1,590 | |
| | | MESSENGERS. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | | | | | | 195 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger and Housekeeper | | | | | | 195 | | 200 | |
| 4 | 3 | Messengers—1 at £150 and 2 at £120 | | | | | | 470 | | 390 | |
| | | | | | | | | 860 | | 790 | |
| | | CLEANERS. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Cleaner in Charge | | | | | | 115 | | 120 | |
| 3 | 3 | *Cleaners of Corridors—2 at £115, 1 at £105 | | | | | | 335 | | 335 | |
| 1 | 1 | Office-keeper | | | | | | 87 | | 87 | |
| 3 | 3 | Office-cleaners—3 at £55 | | | | | | 165 | | 165 | |
| | | | | | | | | 702 | | 707 | |
| 14 | 13 | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Extra Clerical Assistance | | | | | | 590 | | 200 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | | | | | | 100 | | 340 | |
| | | | | | | | | 690 | | 540 | |
| 38 | 36 | TOTAL | | | | | | £ | 8,887 | | 8,582 |

* These cleaners are for the Colonial Secretary's and Public Works Departments.

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No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY.

| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|-----------------------------|-------|---------------------------|-------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Vice-President of the Executive Council and Representative of the Government in the Legislative Council. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary to the Vice-President | 390 | | 390 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses (irrespective of date of claims) ... | 25 | | 25 | |
| | | | | 415 | | 415 |
| 1 | 1 | | | | | |
| | | Aborigines Protection Board. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary | 240 | | 240 | |
| | | | | 240 | | 240 |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | |
| | | Aid to Association for Protection of Aborigines, in the proportion of £2 for every £1 raised by private contributions | 3,000 | | 3,000 | |
| | | Aid for the maintenance of old and infirm Aborigines, and for other assistance to Aborigines—to be expended under the authority of the Board ... | 5,000 | | 6,000 | |
| | | Rent of Offices and Incidental Expenses | 250 | | 250 | |
| | | Medical attendance on Aborigines | a..... | | a..... | |
| | | | | 8,250 | | 9,250 |
| 1 | 1 | TOTAL | £ | 8,490 | ..... | 9,490 |
| | | | | | | |
| | | Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces. | | | | |
| | | GENERAL STAFF. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Officer Commanding Forces | 600 | | 1,095 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Adjutant-General | 400 | | 400 | |
| 1 | 1 | Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General | 350 | | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Instructor of Musketry | 300 | | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk, Major-General's Staff Office | 250 | | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Lieutenant and Quartermaster | 238 | | 238 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1st Assistant Clerk, Major-General's Staff Office ... | 156 | | 165 | |
| 1 | 1 | 2nd do. do. do. do. | 137 | | 147 | |
| 1 | 1 | 3rd do. do. do. do. | 128 | | 137 | |
| ... | 1 | Superintending Clerk and Quartermaster-Sergeant ... | ..... |  | 165 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1st Clerk, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General's Office | 147 | | 147 | |
| 1 | 1 | 2nd do. do. do. do. | 128 | | 137 | |
| 1 | 1 | 3rd do. do. do. do. | 128 | | 128 | |
| | | | | 2,962 | | 3,659 |
| 12 | 13 | Carried forward | £ | 2,962 | ..... | 3,659 |

| No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | | | |
|---|------|--|---------|---------------------------|-------------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces—continued. | | | | | |
| <i>GENERAL STAFF—continued.</i> | | | | | |
| 12 | 13 | Brought forward | £ | 2,962 | 3,659 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| <i>Forage Allowance.</i> | | | | | |
| | | Officer Commanding Forces (2 horses), Assistant Adjutant-General (1 horse), Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General (1 horse), Instructor of Musketry (1 horse), at £64 each horse | 320 | | 320 |
| <i>Allowance in lieu of Quarters.</i> | | | | | |
| | | Assistant Adjutant-General | 120 | | 120 |
| | | Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General | 120 | | 120 |
| | | Instructor of Musketry | 90 | | 90 |
| | | 1 Chief Clerk and 1 Quartermaster, at £60 each | 120 | | 120 |
| <i>Allowance in lieu of Stabling.</i> | | | | | |
| | | Officer Commanding Forces | 100 | | 100 |
| | | Assistant Adjutant-General, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, and Instructor of Musketry, at £50 each per annum | 150 | | 150 |
| | | Compensation in lieu of Uniform to 7 Staff Clerks, at £5 each | 30 | | 35 |
| | | Grooms—Allowance for 4 Officers, at £52 each... .. | 208 | | 208 |
| | | | | 1,258 | 1,263 |
| 12 | 13 | | | 4,220 | 4,922 |
| CHIEF PAYMASTER'S DEPARTMENT. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Paymaster | 366 | | 366 |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | 250 | | 250 |
| 1 | 1 | 1st Clerk | 174 | | 174 |
| 1 | 1 | 2nd Do. | 165 | | 165 |
| 1 | 1 | 3rd Do. | 147 | | 147 |
| 1 | 1 | 4th Do. | 137 | | 137 |
| | | | 1,239 | | 1,239 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| <i>Forage Allowance.</i> | | | | | |
| | | Chief Paymaster | 64 | | 64 |
| <i>Allowance in lieu of Quarters.</i> | | | | | |
| | | Chief Paymaster | 150 | | 150 |
| | | Accountant | 60 | | 60 |
| <i>Allowance in lieu of Stabling.</i> | | | | | |
| | | Chief Paymaster | 50 | | 50 |
| | | Compensation in lieu of Uniform to 4 Staff Clerks, at £5 | 20 | | 20 |
| | | | | 1,583 | 1,583 |
| 6 | 6 | TOTAL | £ | 5,803 | 6,505 |

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| No. of Persons. | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | |
|--|------|---|---------|---------------------------|--------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces—continued. | | | | | |
| MILITARY INSTRUCTORS. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Brevet-Colonel | 800 | 800 | |
| 1 | 1 | Major | 700 | 400 | |
| 2 | ... | Captains, £500 each, to 30th June, 1888... .. | 500 | ..... |  |
| ... | 1 | Warrant Officer, Assistant to Firemaster, and Instructor ..... | ..... | 156 | |
| | | | 2,000 | | 1,356 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| <i>Forage Allowance.</i> | | | | | |
| | | 1 Brevet-Colonel and 1 Major, at £64 each | 128 | 128 | |
| | | 1 Major and 1 Captain, at £64 each, to 30 June, 1888... | 64 | ..... |  |
| <i>Allowance in lieu of Quarters.</i> | | | | | |
| | | 1 Brevet-Colonel | 150 | 150 | |
| | | 1 Major, at £120 | 120 | 120 | |
| | | 1 Major at £120, and 1 Captain, at £90, to 30 June, 1888 | 105 | ..... |  |
| | | Groom's allowance for 2 officers, at £52 each | 104 | 104 | |
| <i>Allowance in lieu of Stabling.</i> | | | | | |
| | | 2 Officers, at £50 each | 100 | 100 | |
| | | 2 Officers at £50 each to 30 June, 1888 | 50 | ..... |  |
| | | Allowance in lieu of uniform for 1 Warrant Officer ..... | ..... | 5 | |
| | | | 821 | | 607 |
| 4 | 3 | TOTAL | £ | 2,821 | 1,963 |
| ARTILLERY FORCE. | | | | | |
| <i>Regimental Officers.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Colonel Commanding | 500 | 730 | |
| 1 | 1 | Lieutenant-Colonel... .. | 450 | 450 | |
| 2 | 2 | Majors | 756 | 756 | |
| 4 | 5 | Captains, 2 at £312, and 3 at £275 each | 1,100 | 1,449 | |
| 5 | 8 | Lieutenants, 5 at £238 each, and 3 at £200 each | 1,190 | 1,790 | |
| 1 | 1 | Staff-surgeon | 350 | 365 | |
| 1 | 1 | Surgeon, Newcastle (civilian) | 75 | 75 | |
| 15 | 19 | | 4,421 | | 5,615 |
| <i>Non-commissioned Officers, Trumpeters, and Gunners.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Brigade Sergeant-Major, at 10s. per diem | 183 | 183 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Quarter-master-Sergeant, at 8s. per diem | 147 | 146 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Orderly Room Clerk, at 8s. per diem | 147 | 146 | |
| 2 | 2 | District Clerks, at 3s. 6d. per diem | 128 | 128 | |
| 1 | 1 | Band Master, at 7s. 6d. per diem | 137 | 137 | |
| 1 | 1 | Trumpet Corporal, at 3s. 4d. per diem | 61 | 61 | |
| 3 | 4 | Battery Sergeant-Majors, at 5s. 6d. per diem | 302 | 402 | |
| 18 | 18 | Sergeants, at 4s. per diem each | 1,318 | 1,314 | |
| 1 | 1 | Hospital Sergeant, at 7s. per diem | 128 | 128 | |
| 1 | 1 | Provost do, at 5s. 6d. per diem | 101 | 101 | |
| 15 | 15 | Corporals, at 3s. 4d. per diem | 913 | 913 | |
| 15 | 15 | Bombardiers, at 3s. 2d. per diem | 869 | 867 | |
| 9 | 9 | Trumpeters, at 2s. 3d. per diem | 370 | 370 | |
| 3 | 3 | Master Gunners, 1 at 10s., 1 at 8s., and 1 at 7s. per diem each | 458 | 457 | |
| 3 | 4 | Sergeant Artificers, at 7s. per diem | 384 | 512 | |
| 410 | 404 | Gunners, at 2s. 3d. per diem | 16,836 | 16,590 | |
| | | | 22,484 | | 22,455 |
| 485 | 481 | | | | |
| 500 | 500 | Carried forward | £ | 26,905 | 28,070 |

| No. of Persons. | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | |
|---|------|---|---------------|---------------------------|--|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces—continued. | | | | | |
| <i>ARTILLERY FORCE—continued.</i> | | | | | |
| 500 | 500 | Brought forward | 26,905 | 28,070 | |
| <i>Non-Commissioned Officers, &c.—continued.</i> | | | | | |
| | | Good conduct pay for 160 Non-commissioned Officers, Trumpeters, and Gunners, at 3d. per badge ... | 732 | 730 | |
| | | 6 Orderly Room Clerks, at 6d. per diem ... | 55 | 55 | |
| | | 4 Battery Pay and Quarter-Master-Sergeants, at 1s. per diem ... | 55 | 73 | |
| | | 2 District Gunners, at 1s. per diem ... | 37 | 37 | |
| | | 4 District Gunners, at 6d. per diem ... | 37 | 37 | |
| | | 30 Assistant Gunners, at 4d. per diem ... | 122 | 183 | |
| | | 1 Hospital Cook, at 2s. 6d. per diem ... | 46 | 46 | |
| | | 1 Assistant Provost Sergeant, at 6d. per diem ... | 10 | 10 | |
| | | Increase of pay to Sergeants at 6d. per diem, Corporals and Bombardiers at 4d. per diem, Trumpeters and Gunners at 3d. per diem, on re-engagement ... | 120 | 400 | |
| | | Acting Adjutant, at 2s. per diem ... | 37 | 37 | |
| | | Command pay—3 Officers commanding batteries at £27 each ... | 81 | 81 | |
| | | 1 Provost Cook, at 1s. 6d. per diem ... | 28 | 27 | |
| | | | 1,360 | 1,716 | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Forage allowance for 1 Colonel Commanding (2 horses), 1 Lieut.-Colonel, 2 Majors, 5 Captains, 8 Subalterns, and 1 Surgeon-Major (1 horse each), at £64 each per annum ... | 960 | 1,216 | |
| | | Forage allowance to 30 Field Battery horses, at £40 ... | 1,200 | 1,200 | |
| | | Grooms' allowances for 18 Officers, at £52 each ... | 728 | 936 | |
| | | Uniform for Non-commissioned Officers, Trumpeters, and Gunners ... | 1,250 | 2,831 | |
| | | Chevrons and Embroidery ... | 120 | 120 | |
| | | Boots ... | 400 | 400 | |
| | | 600 free Rations of bread, meat, groceries, and vegetables, at 1s. per ration per diem ... | 10,950 | 10,950 | |
| | | Fuel and Light ... | 1,300 | 1,300 | |
| | | Encampment ... | 600 | 750 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses ... | 500 | 500 | |
| | | Band Allowances ... | 50 | 50 | |
| | | Mess Allowances ... | 75 | 75 | |
| | | Artillery Association ... | 100 | 100 | |
| | | For hire of Steamers to convey Guards between Sydney and the Heads ... | 900 | 500 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of Quarters and Stabling—3 Subalterns 1 Surgeon-Major, and 40 Married men ... | 1,600 | 2,210 | |
| | | Free Kits for 160 Recruits ... | 1,600 | 1,600 | |
| | | Free Kits for 15 men re-engaged at £3 each ... | 45 | 45 | |
| | | Travelling Expenses for Officers, Non-commissioned Officers, and men ... | 330 | 330 | |
| | | Books for Garrison Library ... | 50 | 50 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses in connection with Tailor's shop ... | 50 | 50 | |
| | | Special allowance to cover bonus to men for 1888 ... | 125 | | |
| | | | 22,933 | 25,213 | |
| 500 | 500 | TOTAL | 51,198 | 54,999 | |

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| | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | |
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| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces—continued. | | | | | |
| PERMANENT SUBMARINE MINERS. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Major (Imperial Officer) | 700 | 700 | |
| 1 | 1 | Captain | 400 | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Quartermaster-Sergeant, R.E., at 10s. per diem | 183 | 183 | |
| 1 | 1 | Sergeant Instructor, R.E., at 8s. 6d. per diem | 156 | 156 | |
| 4 | 4 | Corporals, at 6s. 6d. per diem | 477 | 475 | |
| 4 | 4 | 2nd Corporals, at 5s. do. | 366 | 365 | |
| 1 | 1 | Bugler, at 2s. 3d. do. | 42 | 42 | |
| 11 | 11 | Sappers, at 4s. do. | 806 | 803 | |
| | | | 3,130 | | 3,074 |
| | | Orderly Room Clerk, at 1s. per diem | 19 | 19 | |
| | | Pay Corporal, at 1s. do. | 19 | 19 | |
| | | | 38 | | 38 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Forage allowance for 1 Major, at £64 | 128 | 64 | |
| | | Stable allowance for 1 Major | | 50 | |
| | | Uniform for 23 Non-commissioned Officers and Sappers | 140 | 140 | |
| | | 35 free rations | 638 | 638 | |
| | | Fuel and light | 243 | 243 | |
| | | 5 free kits | 300 | 50 | |
| | | Incidental expenses | 200 | 200 | |
| | | Grooms' allowance for 1 Officer | 104 | 52 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters for 1 Major, 1 Captain, and 5 married men | | 376 | |
| | | Boots | | 20 | |
| | | Encampment | | 50 | |
| | | | 1,753 | | 1,883 |
| 24 | 24 | TOTAL | £ | 4,921 | 4,995 |
| PERMANENT MOUNTED INFANTRY. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Major (Cavalry Adjutant), Imperial Officer | 450 | 450 | |
| 1 | 1 | Captain | 275 | 275 | |
| 1 | 1 | Sergeant, at 5s. 6d. per diem | 101 | 101 | |
| 2 | 2 | Corporals, at 3s. 4d. do. | 122 | 122 | |
| 1 | 1 | Bugler, at 2s. 3d. do. | 42 | 42 | |
| 26 | 26 | Privates, at 2s. 3d. do. | 1,092 | 1,067 | |
| | | | 2,082 | | 2,057 |
| | | Orderly Room Clerk, at 1s. per diem | 19 | 19 | |
| | | Pay Corporal, at 1s. do. | 19 | 19 | |
| | | | 38 | | 38 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Forage Allowance for 2 Officers, at £64 per annum each | 128 | 128 | |
| | | Uniform for 30 Non-commissioned Officers and Privates | 133 | 200 | |
| | | 50 free rations, &c. | 912 | 912 | |
| | | Fuel and light | 324 | 324 | |
| | | 7 free kits | 500 | 70 | |
| | | Incidental expenses | 200 | 200 | |
| | | Forage for 20 horses, at £40 each | 800 | 800 | |
| | | Grooms' allowance for 2 Officers, at £52 each per annum | 104 | 104 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters for 1 Major and 7 married men | | 309 | |
| | | Boots | | 80 | |
| | | Encampment | | 70 | |
| | | | 3,101 | | 3,197 |
| 32 | 32 | TOTAL | £ | 5,221 | 5,292 |

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| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces—continued. | | | |
| VOLUNTEER FORCE. | | | |
| | | £ | £ |
| <i>Permanent Staff, unattached.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | 183 | 183 |
| 1 | 1 | 174 | 174 |
| 16 | 18 | 2,336 | 2,573 |
| 1 | 1 | 183 | 183 |
| 1 | 1 | 128 | 128 |
| 1 | 1 | 128 | 128 |
| 1 | 1 | 137 | 137 |
| 1 | 1 | 147 | 146 |
| 1 | 1 | 147 | 183 |
| 1 | 1 | 147 | ..... |
| | | 130 | 130 |
| | | 128 | 128 |
| 25 | 26 | | |
| | | 3,968 | 4,093 |
| <i>Partially paid Artillery.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | 70 | 70 |
| 2 | 2 | 100 | 100 |
| 8 | 8 | 320 | 320 |
| 8 | 8 | 240 | 240 |
| 8 | 8 | 200 | 200 |
| 1 | 1 | 25 | 25 |
| 1 | 1 | 275 | 275 |
| 1 | 1 | 183 | 183 |
| 1 | 1 | 165 | 165 |
| 1 | 1 | 147 | 146 |
| 1 | 1 | 17 | 17 |
| 8 | 8 | 136 | 136 |
| 24 | 24 | 360 | 360 |
| 32 | 32 | 448 | 448 |
| 16 | 16 | 160 | 160 |
| 376 | 376 | 4,512 | 4,512 |
| 1 | 1 | 15 | 15 |
| 24 | 24 | 288 | 288 |
| | | 30 | 30 |
| | | 7,691 | 7,690 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | 960 | 964 |
| | | 256 | 256 |
| | | 100 | 125 |
| | | 90 | 90 |
| | | 50 | 50 |
| | | 52 | 52 |
| | | 15 | 15 |
| | | 1,523 | 1,552 |
| 514 | 514 | | |
| | | 9,214 | 9,242 |
| 539 | 540 | | |
| | | | 13,182 |
| | | £ | |
| | | | 13,335 |

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| No. of Persons. | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|---|--|--|--|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces—continued. | | | | | | | |
| | | VOLUNTEER FORCE—continued. | | | | £ | | £ | |
| 539 | 540 | Brought forward ... .. |  |  |  | ..... | 13,182 | ..... | 13,335 |
| | | <i>Partially paid Engineers.</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Major Commanding | | | | 50 | | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Captain | | | | 40 | | 40 | |
| 2 | 2 | Lieutenants, at £30 | | | | 60 | | 60 | |
| 1 | 1 | Staff Instructor, at 10s. per diem... .. | | | | 183 | | 183 | |
| 1 | 1 | Company Sergeant-Major... .. | | | | 17 | | 17 | |
| 1 | 1 | Quarter-master Sergeant | | | | 17 | | 17 | |
| 4 | 4 | Sergeants, at £15 | | | | 60 | | 60 | |
| 4 | 4 | First Corporals, at £14 | | | | 56 | | 56 | |
| 4 | 4 | Second Corporals, at £13 | | | | 52 | | 52 | |
| 2 | 2 | Buglers, at £10 | | | | 20 | | 20 | |
| 76 | 76 | Sappers, at £12 | | | | 912 | | 912 | |
| | | Command Pay | | | | 20 | | 20 | |
| 97 | 97 | | | | | 1,487 | | 1,487 | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | |
| | | Uniforms | | | | 180 | | 184 | |
| | | Forage Allowance for 1 Major | | | | 64 | | 64 | |
| | | Compensation to Staff Sergeant in lieu of Uniform | | | | 5 | | 5 | |
| | | | | | | 249 | | 253 | |
| | | | | | | | 1,736 | | 1,740 |
| | | <i>Partially paid Submarine Miners.</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | Captains, at £70 | | | | 140 | | 140 | |
| 2 | 2 | Lieutenants (1st), at £50 | | | | 100 | | 100 | |
| 4 | 4 | Do. (2nd), at £35 | | | | 140 | | 140 | |
| 1 | 1 | Company Sergeant-Major and Staff Instructor, at 8s. 6d. per diem | | | | 156 | | 156 | |
| 4 | 4 | Sergeants, at £25 | | | | 100 | | 100 | |
| 4 | 4 | Corporals (1st), at £20 | | | | 80 | | 80 | |
| 4 | 4 | Do. (2nd), at £16 | | | | 64 | | 64 | |
| 2 | 2 | Buglers, at £10 | | | | 20 | | 20 | |
| 88 | 88 | Sappers, at £14 | | | | 1,232 | | 1,232 | |
| | | Command Pay | | | | 30 | | 30 | |
| | | | | | | 2,062 | | 2,062 | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | |
| | | Rent of Store | | | | 500 | | 500 | |
| | | Uniforms for the Corps | | | | 200 | | 204 | |
| | | Compensation in lieu of Uniform for 1 Staff-Sergeant | | | | 5 | | 5 | |
| | | Stores for experimental and instructional purposes | | | | 600 | | 600 | |
| | | | | | | 1,305 | | 1,309 | |
| | | | | | | | 3,367 | | 3,371 |
| 111 | 111 | | | | | | | | |
| 747 | 748 | Carried forward | | | | £ | 18,285 | | 18,446 |

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|-----------------|------|--|--|------------------------|---------------------------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces—continued. | | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| | | VOLUNTEER FORCE—continued. | | | |
| 747 | 748 | Brought forward | | £ 18,285 | £ 18,446 |
| | | <i>Partially paid Mounted Infantry.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Major Commanding | | 50 | 50 |
| 4 | 6 | Captains, at £40 each | | 160 | 240 |
| 4 | 6 | 1st Lieutenants, at £30 each | | 120 | 180 |
| 4 | 6 | 2nd do at £25 each | | 100 | 150 |
| 1 | 1 | Sergeant-Major and Instructor, at 8s. 6d. per diem | | 156 | 156 |
| 1 | 1 | Quarter-master Sergeant, at 7s. 6d. | | 138 | 137 |
| 1 | 1 | Bugle Major and Orderly Room Clerk, at 6s. | | 110 | 110 |
| 4 | 6 | Colour-Sergeants, at £17 | | 68 | 102 |
| 8 | 12 | Sergeants, at £15 | | 120 | 180 |
| 24 | 24 | Corporals, at £14 | | 336 | 336 |
| 8 | 6 | Buglers, at £10 | | 80 | 60 |
| 4 | 6 | Farriers, at £12 | | 48 | 72 |
| 4 | 6 | Shoeing Smiths, at £12 | | 48 | 72 |
| 232 | 222 | Privates, at £12 | | 2,784 | 2,664 |
| | | Command pay | | 20 | 20 |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | 4,338 | 4,529 |
| | | Forage Allowance for 1 Major and 1 Instructor, at £64 each | | 128 | 128 |
| | | Uniform | | 600 | 564 |
| | | Compensation to 3 Staff-Sergeants in lieu of Uniform, at £5 | | 15 | 15 |
| | | Stable Allowance for 1 Instructor | | 50 | 50 |
| 300 | 304 | | | 793 | 757 |
| | | <i>Partially paid Infantry.</i> | | | |
| 4 | 4 | Lieutenant-Colonels, at £70 | | 280 | 280 |
| 8 | 8 | Majors, at £50 | | 400 | 400 |
| 32 | 40 | Captains, at £40 | | 1,280 | 1,600 |
| 32 | 40 | 1st Lieutenants, at £30 | | 960 | 1,200 |
| 32 | 40 | 2nd Lieutenants, at £25 | | 800 | 1,000 |
| 4 | 4 | Quarter-masters, at £25 | | 100 | 100 |
| 4 | 4 | Adjutants and Pay-masters, 2 at £300, 2 at £275, | | 1,150 | 1,150 |
| 4 | 4 | Regimental Sergeant-Majors, at 8s. 6d. per diem | | 624 | 624 |
| 4 | 4 | Quarter-master Sergeants, at 8s. per diem | | 586 | 584 |
| 4 | 4 | Orderly Room Clerks, at 8s. per diem | | 586 | 584 |
| 4 | 4 | Bugle-Majors, at £17 | | 68 | 68 |
| 32 | 40 | Colour-Sergeants, at £17 | | 544 | 680 |
| 96 | 120 | Sergeants, at £15 | | 1,440 | 1,800 |
| 128 | 160 | Corporals, at £14 | | 1,792 | 2,240 |
| 64 | 80 | Buglers, at £10 | | 640 | 800 |
| 2388 | 2160 | Privates, at £12 | | 28,656 | 25,920 |
| 4 | 4 | Band Sergeants, at £15 | | 60 | 60 |
| 96 | 96 | Bandsmen, at £12 | | 1,152 | 1,152 |
| | | Command Pay, 4 Officers, at £30 | | 120 | 120 |
| | | | | 41,238 | 40,362 |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | Uniforms | | 7,500 | 5,328 |
| | | Forage Allowance, 4 Commanding Officers, 8 Majors, and 4 Adjutants, at £64 each | | 1,024 | 1,024 |
| | | Allowance in lieu of Quarters for 4 Adjutants; 2 Majors, £120; 2 Captains, £90 | | 420 | 420 |
| | | Stable Allowance for 4 Adjutants, at £50 | | 200 | 200 |
| | | Groom's Allowance for 4 Adjutants, at £52 each | | 208 | 208 |
| | | Compensation to 12 Staff Sergeants in lieu of Uniforms, at £5 | | 60 | 60 |
| 2940 | 2816 | | | 9,412 | 7,240 |
| | | | | 50,650 | 47,602 |
| 3987 | 3868 | Carried forward | | £ 74,066 | £ 71,334 |

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

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| No. of Persons. | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|--|------------------------|---------------------------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces—continued. | | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| | | VOLUNTEER FORCE—continued. | | £ | £ |
| | | | Brought forward | 74,066 | 71,334 |
| | | | <i>Medical Staff Corps.</i> | | |
| | | | Principal Medical Officer | 60 | 60 |
| | | | Surgeons, at £40 per annum | 160 | 160 |
| | | | Instructor for Ambulance Service | 100 | 100 |
| | | | Sergeant-Major | | 17 |
| | | | Staff-Sergeant, as Compounder | | 16 |
| | | | Quartermaster-Sergeant | | 16 |
| | | | Sergeants, at £15 | | 60 |
| | | | Corporals, at £14 | | 84 |
| | | | Bugler, at £10 | | 10 |
| | | | Privates, at £12 | | 576 |
| 6 | 68 | | CONTINGENCIES. | 320 | 1,099 |
| | | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | |
| | | | Horse allowance, for 5 Officers, at £25 each per annum | 125 | 125 |
| | | | Inspection of Recruits in Country Districts by local Practitioners | 100 | 100 |
| | | | Uniforms | | 122 |
| | | | | 545 | 1,446 |
| | | | CONTINGENCIES. | | |
| | | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | |
| | | | General Storeman, 8s. per diem | 147 | 147 |
| | | | Store Clerk, at 7s. 6d. per diem | 138 | 138 |
| | | | Markers, Rifle Range, 6s. per diem each | 219 | 219 |
| | | | Badges for Marksmen | 250 | 250 |
| | | | Hire of Horses for Field Guns | 400 | 400 |
| | | | Contributions to Bands of Volunteer Artillery, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Regiments, and Infantry, at £50 each | 250 | 250 |
| | | | Rifle Association, for Prizes | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| | | | Artillery Association | 200 | 200 |
| | | | Armoury Repairs and Materials, Freight and Cartage, and Incidental Expenses | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| | | | Constructing new Butts and keeping in repair the several Ranges of Corps | 400 | 400 |
| | | | Travelling Expenses for Officers and Non-commissioned Officers on duty | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| | | | Encampment and Expenses incidental to Training and Exercise | 5,000 | 6,000 |
| | | | Rent of Pay and Regimental Offices, Head Quarters | 650 | 650 |
| | | | Hire of two Offices for Country Corps | 30 | 30 |
| | | | Office-keeper, Pay and Regimental Offices | 40 | 40 |
| | | | Office-keeper, Staff Office | 32 | 40 |
| | | | Labourers at Victoria Barracks, at 6s. per diem | 219 | 219 |
| | | | Forage allowance for Water-cart Horse, at 2s. 6d. per diem | 46 | 46 |
| | | | Small Armouries for Country Corps, Cleaning spare Arms | 550 | 750 |
| | | | Labourer in charge of Artillery Stores, at 6s. per diem | 110 | 110 |
| | | | Messenger for Volunteer Offices, at 7s. per diem | 128 | 128 |
| | | | Carter, at 7s. per diem | 128 | 128 |
| | | | Rent, Regimental Stores, 3rd and 4th Regiments, at £50 each per annum | 100 | 100 |
| | | | Hire of Steamers for Conveyance of Volunteer Artillery to and from the Heads | 300 | 300 |
| | | | Uniform for Storeman and Store Clerk, at £5 each | 10 | 10 |
| | | | Allowance, Officers' Mess | | 75 |
| 9 | 9 | | | 12,347 | 13,630 |
| | | | <i>Permanent Staff in connection with the Reserves.</i> | | |
| | | | Lieutenant-Colonel Commanding Metropolitan, Western, and Southern Reserves | 400 | 400 |
| | | | Lieutenant-Colonel Commanding Northern Reserves | 100 | 100 |
| | | | Adjutant, Southern District | 275 | |
| | | | Do. Metropolitan, Western, and Southern Districts | 275 | 275 |
| | | | Do. Northern District | 275 | 275 |
| | | | Sergeant-Majors, at 8/6 per diem | 468 | 311 |
| 20 | 23 | | Sergeant Instructors, at 7/- and 8/- per diem | 2,914 | 3,298 |
| | | | Bugle Major and Messenger, at 7/- per diem | 128 | 128 |
| 29 | 30 | | | 4,835 | 4,787 |
| 4031 | 3975 | | Carried forward | 91,793 | 91,197 |

| | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|---------|---------------------------|---------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces—continued. | | | |
| | | VOLUNTEER FORCE— <i>continued.</i> | | | |
| 4031 | 3975 | £ | | £ | |
| | | Brought forward | 91,793 | | 91,197 |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. (<i>Irrespective of date of claims.</i>) | | | |
| | | Forage Allowance for 2 Lieut.-Colonels, 2 Adjutants, and 5 Cavalry Instructors, at £64 each | 576 | 576 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of Quarters to 1 Lieut.-Colonel, at £150, and 2 Adjutants, at £90 | 420 | 330 | |
| | | Stabling Allowance, for 1 Lieut.-Colonel, 2 Adjutants, at £50 each | 200 | 150 | |
| | | Grooms' Allowance, for 1 Lieut.-Colonel, and 2 Adjutants, at £52 each | 208 | 156 | |
| | | Compensation for Uniforms for 26 Staff Sergeants, at £5 each | 120 | 130 | |
| | | | 1,524 | | 1,342 |
| 400 | 400 | Capitation for Efficient (Cavalry) | 800 | 800 | |
| 110 | 50 | Do. do. (Artillery) | 220 | 100 | |
| 1500 | 500 | Do. do. (Rifles) | 3,000 | 1,000 | |
| | | | 4,020 | | 1,900 |
| | | Forage for 2 Field Officers, at £64 | 128 | | |
| | | Travelling expenses for Officers and Non-Commissioned Officers on Duty | 2,000 | 2,500 | |
| | | Rent of Office, Head Quarters | 150 | 150 | |
| | | Do. Northern District | 30 | 30 | |
| | | Special expenses connected with training | 300 | 200 | |
| | | Carriage Stores, repair of Arms, &c. | 500 | 700 | |
| | | Subsistence while in Camp | 300 | | |
| | | Incidental | 500 | 500 | |
| | | | 3,908 | | 4,080 |
| | | Grant in aid of expenses for ranges, uniforms, prizes for shooting, &c., at £1 per head for 2,000 efficient shots of Rifle Reserve Companies | 2,000 | | 2,000 |
| 2010 | 950 | | | | |
| 6041 | 4925 | TOTAL | 103,245 | | 100,519 |
| | | WORKS OF DEFENCE. (<i>Irrespective of date of claims.</i>) | | | |
| | | To meet cost of removing and Mounting of Ordnance | 2,000 | 3,000 | |
| | | Repairs to Batteries, &c., at the Heads | 500 | 500 | |
| | | Erection of School of Gunnery | 1,400 | 1,200 | |
| | | Towards carrying out experiments for testing ammunition, &c. | | 200 | |
| | | | 3,900 | | 4,900 |
| | | TOTAL | 3,900 | | 4,900 |

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| No. of Persons. | | ORDNANCE AND BARRACK DEPARTMENT. | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | Ordnance Office Staff—Sydney. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Major Deputy Assistant Commissary General of Ordnance | 450 | | 450 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Ordnance Storekeeper | 265 | | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector of Magazines | 240 | | 300 | |
| 5 | 5 | Clerks—1 at £225, 1 at £190, 1 at £165, 1 at £140, and 1 at £115 | 810 | | 835 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 75 | | 75 | |
| | | | | 1,840 | | 2,010 |
| | | Artificers and Labourers—Ordnance Stores, Circular Quay. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Armourer | 185 | | 185 | |
| 1 | 1 | Overseer | 128 | | 128 | |
| 6 | 8 | Labourers, at 7s. per diem... .. | 769 | | 1,022 | |
| | | | | 1,082 | | 1,335 |
| | | Barrack Depot and Store—Victoria Barracks. | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Barrack Sergeant ... .. | ..... |  | 146 | |
| 1 | 1 | Labourer | 128 | | 128 | |
| 1 | 1 | Lamp-lighter | 27 | | 28 | |
| | | | | 155 | | 302 |
| | | Magazine, Goat Island. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Foreman, Merchants' explosives | 240 | | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Government Military explosives | 215 | | 215 | |
| 1 | 1 | Cooper, at 8s. per diem | 147 | | 146 | |
| 11 | 11 | Warders and Magazine Assistants, at 7s. per diem | 1,409 | | 1,406 | |
| 1 | 1 | Night Watchman, at 8s. per diem | 147 | | 146 | |
| | | | | 2,158 | | 2,153 |
| | | Lighterage and Steam Transport. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Master of Steam vessel "Kate" | 160 | | 160 | |
| 1 | 1 | Engineer do | 160 | | 160 | |
| 3 | 3 | Boatmen and Deck-hands, at 8s. per diem | 439 | | 438 | |
| | | | | 759 | | 758 |
| | | Depot Magazine, Middle Harbour. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Foreman | 240 | | 240 | |
| 7 | 7 | Warders and Magazine Assistants, at 7s. per diem | 897 | | 895 | |
| | | | | 1,137 | | 1,135 |
| | | Magazine, Broken Bay, for Dynamite, &c. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Overseer | 160 | | 160 | |
| 2 | 2 | Warders and Magazine Assistants, at 7s. per diem | 256 | | 256 | |
| | | | | 416 | | 416 |
| 1 | 1 | Visiting Surgeon, Magazine Establishments | 50 | | 50 | |
| | | | | 50 | | 50 |
| | | Floating Magazine, Newcastle. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Overseer and Clerk | 200 | | 200 | |
| 4 | 4 | Warders and Magazine Assistants, at 7s. per diem | 513 | | 511 | |
| | | | | 713 | | 711 |
| | | Lighterage and Steam Transport. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Coxswain, Steam Launch "Pearl," at 7s. per diem | 128 | | 128 | |
| 1 | 1 | Engineer, do at 7s. do | 128 | | 128 | |
| | | | | 256 | | 256 |
| | | (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | |
| | | Contingencies. | | | | |
| | | General Stores, including Warlike Stores | 5,000 | | 10,000 | |
| | | Rent of Store | 275 |  | ..... |  |
| | | Rations, Fuel, Light, Medicines for Island Residents, and Forage | 850 | | 850 | |
| | | Extra Labour and Incidental Expenses | 150 | | 150 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of Quarters to Officers and Warders... .. | 445 | | 484 | |
| 1 | 1 | Fees for supervision of Magazine, Newcastle | 50 | | 50 | |
| | | Fuel, Light, Oil, Repairs, &c., for Steam Vessels | 200 | | 200 | |
| | | Travelling Expenses of Inspector of Magazines... .. | 100 | | 100 | |
| | | Hire of Lighters and Horses for conveyance of Powder... .. | 150 | | 150 | |
| | | Expenses in connection with Floating Magazines at Newcastle, Middle Harbour, and Broken Bay | 1,000 | | 1,000 | |
| | | | | 8,220 | | 12,934 |
| 59 | 62 | TOTAL | £ | 16,786 | ..... | 22,110 |

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------|--|---------|---------------------------|-------|
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Naval Brigade. | | | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Captain Commanding Naval Forces, at 5s. per diem ... | 92 | | 92 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk and Accountant, at 3s. 6d. do. ... | 64 | | 64 |
| 1 | 1 | Gunnery Instructor, Sydney ... | 200 | | 200 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Newcastle ... | 52 | | 52 |
| 8 | 8 | Commanders and Lieutenants, at 4s. per diem ... | 584 | | 584 |
| 5 | 5 | Sub-Lieutenants, at 2s. per diem ... | 183 | | 183 |
| 7 | 7 | Midshipmen, at 1s. per diem ... | 128 | | 128 |
| 1 | 1 | Bugler and Bandmaster ... | 75 | | 75 |
| 10 | 10 | Warrant Officers, at £18 each per annum ... | 180 | | 180 |
| 10 | 10 | Petty Officers, at £15 each do. ... | 150 | | 150 |
| 230 | 230 | A.B's., at £12 each do. ... | 2,760 | | 2,760 |
| 53 | 53 | Newcastle Company of Naval Brigade ... | 746 | | 746 |
| | | | | 5,214 | 5,214 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | Uniforms for Warrant and Petty Officers and A.B's. of the Brigade ... | 350 | | 350 |
| | | Incidental Expenses ... | 250 | | 250 |
| | | | | 600 | 600 |
| 328 | 328 | TOTAL ... | £ | 5,814 | 5,814 |
| Volunteer Naval Artillery. | | | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | Expenses of Instruction, &c. ... | 570 | | 570 |
| | | Incidental Expenses ... | 200 | | 200 |
| | | | | 770 | 770 |
| | | TOTAL ... | £ | 770 | 770 |
| Training Ship "Wolverene." | | | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | For commissioning and maintaining the "Wolverene" to train Naval Brigade and Volunteer Naval Artillery ... | 2,500 | | 2,500 |
| | | | | 2,500 | 2,500 |
| | | TOTAL ... | £ | 2,500 | 2,500 |
| Torpedo Defence. | | | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | For maintaining and working the Torpedo Boats "Acheron" and "Avernus" ... | | 1,000 | 1,000 |

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No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY.

| No. of Persons. | | | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | | |
|--|------|---|-----|-----|-----|-----------------------------|---------|---------------------------|---------|---------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | | |
| | | | | | | £ | | £ | | |
| Police. | | | | | | | | | | |
| GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector-General ... | ... | ... | ... | 960 | | 960 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk and Accountant ... | ... | ... | ... | 490 | | 490 | | |
| 1 | 1 | First Clerk, Account Branch ... | ... | ... | ... | 265 | | 300 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk ... | ... | ... | ... | 265 | | 265 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. ... | ... | ... | ... | 240 | | 265 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. ... | ... | ... | ... | 190 | | 190 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. ... | ... | ... | ... | 190 | | 190 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Office-keeper ... | ... | ... | ... | 40 | | 40 | | |
| 8 | 8 | | | | | | 2,640 | | 2,700 | |
| CONSTABULARY. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | Superintendents, at £500 ... | ... | ... | ... | 2,000 | | 2,000 | | |
| 3 | 3 | Do. at £450 ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,350 | | 1,350 | | |
| 2 | 2 | Do. at £400 ... | ... | ... | ... | 800 | | 800 | | |
| 12 | 12 | Inspectors, at £325 ... | ... | ... | ... | 3,900 | | 3,900 | | |
| 8 | 8 | Sub-Inspectors, at £275 ... | ... | ... | ... | 2,200 | | 2,200 | | |
| 18 | 18 | Do. at £250 ... | ... | ... | ... | 4,500 | | 4,500 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Inspector and Drill Instructor ... | ... | ... | ... | 275 | | 275 | | |
| 55 | 56 | Sergeants, 1st Class, at 10s. 6d. per diem ... | ... | ... | ... | | | | | |
| 90 | 91 | Do. 2nd Class, at 9s. 3d. do. ... | ... | ... | ... | | | | | |
| 240 | 242 | Senior-constables, at 8s. do. ... | ... | ... | ... | | | | | |
| 440 | 450 | Constables, 1st Class, at 7s. 6d. do. ... | ... | ... | ... | 203,332 | | 206,840 | | |
| 585 | 551 | Ordinary Constables, at 7s. do. ... | ... | ... | ... | | | | | |
| 90 | 90 | Probationary Constables, at 6s. do. ... | ... | ... | ... | | | | | |
| 56 | 56 | Trackers, 28 at 3s. and 28 at 4s. do. ... | ... | ... | ... | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Storekeeper ... | ... | ... | ... | 250 | | 250 | | |
| 1555 | 1585 | | | | | | 218,607 | | 222,115 | |
| DETECTIVES. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector ... | ... | ... | ... | 325 | | 325 | | |
| ... | 1 | Acting Sub-Inspector, at 12s. per diem ... | ... | ... | ... | | | | | |
| 4 | 3 | Detectives, 1st Class, at 12s. do. ... | ... | ... | ... | | | | | |
| 3 | 3 | Do. do. at 11s. do. ... | ... | ... | ... | 3,221 | | 3,212 | | |
| 5 | 5 | Do. 2nd Class, at 10s. do. ... | ... | ... | ... | | | | | |
| 5 | 5 | Do. 3rd Class, at 9s. do. ... | ... | ... | ... | | | | | |
| | | Police Surgeon ... | ... | ... | ... | ^a | | ^a | | |
| 18 | 18 | TOTAL SALARIES ... | | | | £ | | 224,793 | | 228,352 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Allowance to Members of the Police Force when absent from their Quarters on duty ... | ... | ... | ... | 7,600 | | 7,600 | | |
| | | Provisions for Prisoners in Lock-ups ... | ... | ... | ... | 2,100 | | 2,100 | | |
| | | Fuel, Light, and Water, to Lock-ups and Police Stations ... | ... | ... | ... | 3,500 | | 1,500 | | |
| | | Rental of Premises for Police purposes ... | ... | ... | ... | 4,000 | | 4,000 | | |
| | | Forage ... | ... | ... | ... | 19,000 | | 19,000 | | |
| | | Remount Horses ... | ... | ... | ... | 2,000 | | 2,000 | | |
| | | Shoeing, Veterinary Attendance, and Medicine ... | ... | ... | ... | 2,000 | | 2,000 | | |
| | | Medical Attendance ... | ... | ... | ... | ^a | | ^a | | |
| | | Conveyance of Prisoners and Police ... | ... | ... | ... | 8,000 | | 8,000 | | |
| | | Fencing Paddocks ... | ... | ... | ... | 500 | | 500 | | |
| | | Incidental Expenses—Boats, New Vehicles, Repairs to Saddlery and Carts, and for Destroying Dogs ... | ... | ... | ... | 3,000 | | 3,000 | | |
| | | Allowances to Members of the Force unprovided with Quarters, at 1s. per diem ... | ... | ... | ... | 9,500 | | 9,500 | | |
| | | | | | | | 61,200 | | 59,200 | |
| 1581 | 1611 | TOTAL ... | | | | £ | | 285,993 | | 287,552 |

^a See Medical Vote.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

| No. of Persons. | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | |
|---------------------------------------|------|---|---------|---------------------------|--------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Lunacy. | | | | | |
| OFFICIAL VISITORS. | | | | | |
| | | Allowances | 600 | 660 | |
| | | Clerical Assistance | 60 | 60 | |
| | | | 660 | | 660 |
| HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE GENERALLY. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector-General | 1,060 | 1,060 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk and Accountant | 390 | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger and Boatman | 118 | 118 | |
| | | | 1,568 | | 1,568 |
| 3 | 3 | CONTINGENCIES. (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | |
| | | Travelling Expenses | 150 | 150 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 60 | 60 | |
| | | | 210 | | 210 |
| HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE, GLADESVILLE. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Medical Superintendent | 650 | 650 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chaplain, Church of England | 50 | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Roman Catholic | 50 | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Medical Officer | 415 | 415 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Superintendent | 390 | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 210 | 210 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Clerk | 140 | 140 | |
| 1 | 1 | Dispenser | 190 | 190 | |
| 1 | 1 | Matron | 160 | 160 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Attendant | 160 | 160 | |
| 4 | 4 | Artisan Attendants—1 at 8s., 1 at 7s. 6d., and 2 at 7s. per diem | 539 | 539 | |
| 1 | 1 | Needlewoman | 60 | 60 | |
| 1 | 1 | Grounds Attendant | 90 | 90 | |
| 8 | 8 | Senior Male Attendants, at £102 | 816 | 816 | |
| 8 | 8 | Do. do. at £90 | 720 | 720 | |
| 8 | 8 | Junior do. at £84 | 672 | 672 | |
| 8 | 8 | Do. do. at £78 | 624 | 624 | |
| 6 | 6 | Senior Nurses, at £60 | 360 | 360 | |
| 5 | 5 | Do. do. at £50 | 250 | 250 | |
| 14 | 13 | Junior do. at £46 | 644 | 598 | |
| 14 | 14 | Servants—2 at £102, 2 at £90, 3 at £84, 1 at £78, 4 at £50, and 2 at £46 | 994 | 1,006 | |
| 87 | 86 | | 8,184 | | 8,150 |
| BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Attendant-in-charge | 130 | 130 | |
| 2 | 2 | Senior Attendants, at £102 | 204 | 204 | |
| 3 | 3 | Do. at £90 | 270 | 270 | |
| 2 | 2 | Junior Attendants, at £84 | 168 | 168 | |
| 4 | 6 | Do. at £78 | 312 | 468 | |
| 2 | 3 | Servants—1 at £102, 1 at £84, 1 at £50 | 174 | 236 | |
| | | | 1,258 | | 1,476 |
| 14 | 17 | CONTINGENCIES. (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of Provisions and Fuel to the Medical Superintendent, Assistant Medical Officer, and Assistant Superintendent, at £45 each | 135 | 135 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of Provisions and Fuel to Junior Officers, at £30 each | 150 | 150 | |
| | | Allowance towards House Rent to Married Attendants, 30 at £12 each | 360 | 360 | |
| | | Engine-drivers and Fuel | 700 | 700 | |
| | | Provisions, Medical Comforts, Fuel, Light, Forage, Medicines, and Surgical Instruments | 11,000 | 11,000 | |
| | | For the maintenance of Steam-launch "Mabel" | 500 | 500 | |
| | | Books and Periodicals, and to provide Amusement for Inmates | 250 | 250 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 400 | 400 | |
| | | For purchase of Timber, Paint, and Materials, for employment of Patients, &c., upon minor Repairs | 500 | 500 | |
| | | | 13,995 | | 13,995 |
| 104 | 106 | Carried forward | £ | 25,875 | 26,059 |

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No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY.

| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|---|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| 104 | 106 | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Lunacy—continued. | | | | |
| | | Brought forward | | 25,875 | | 26,059 |
| | | HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE, PARRAMATTA. | | | | |
| | | Medical Superintendent | 650 | | 650 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chaplain, Church of England | 50 | | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Roman Catholic | 50 | | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Senior Medical Officer | 415 | | 415 | |
| ... | 1 | Junior Medical Officer ..... | ..... |  | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Superintendent | 340 | | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 215 | | 215 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Clerk | 165 | | 165 | |
| 1 | 1 | Matron | 160 | | 160 | |
| 1 | ... | Dispenser | 190 |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Attendant | 160 | | 160 | |
| 21 | 21 | Senior Attendants—9 at £102, and 12 at £90 | 1,998 | | 1,998 | |
| 26 | 26 | Junior Attendants—18 at £84, and 8 at £78 | 2,136 | | 2,136 | |
| 1 | 1 | Nurse-in-charge | 72 | | 72 | |
| 13 | 13 | Senior Nurses—8 at £60, and 5 at £50 | 730 | | 730 | |
| 14 | 14 | Junior Nurses, at £46 | 644 | | 644 | |
| 19 | 19 | Servants—2 at £102, 1 at £96, 1 at £90, 3 at £84, 4 at £78, 1 at £72, 1 at £66, 3 at £50, 2 at £46, 1 at £38 per annum | 1,366 | | 1,372 | |
| 3 | 3 | Artisan Attendants, 1 at 7s. 6d., and 2 at 7s. per diem | 391 | | 391 | |
| 1 | 1 | Needlewoman | 60 | | 60 | |
| 1 | 1 | Grounds Attendant | 100 | | 100 | |
| 2 | 2 | Engine-drivers, 1 at 10s., and 1 at 8s. per diem | 330 | | 330 | |
| | | BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT. | | 10,225 | | 10,341 |
| ... | 2 | Senior Attendants—1 at £102, 1 at £90 ..... | ..... |  | 192 | |
| ... | 5 | Junior Attendants—1 at £84, 4 at £72 ..... | ..... |  | 372 | |
| ... | 3 | Servants—1 at £78, 2 at £72 ..... | ..... |  | 222 | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | 786 |
| | | Allowance in lieu of Provisions and Fuel to the Medical Superintendent, two Medical Officers, and Assistant Superintendent, at £45 each | 135 | | 180 | |
| | | Allowance to Junior Officers in lieu of Provisions and Fuel, at £30 each | 120 | | 90 | |
| | | Allowance towards House Rent to Married Attendants, 46 at £12 each | 552 | | 552 | |
| | | Books, Periodicals, and Newspapers, and to provide Amusement for Inmates | 250 | | 250 | |
| | | Provisions, Medical Comforts, Medicines, Surgical Instruments, Fuel, Light, and Forage | 13,000 | | 14,500 | |
| | | Materials, &c., for employment of Patients, &c., upon minor repairs | 500 | | 500 | |
| 111 | 121 | Incidental Expenses | 400 | | 400 | |
| | | RECEPTION-HOUSE FOR THE INSANE, DARLINGHURST. | | 14,957 | | 16,472 |
| 1 | 1 | Superintendent | 240 | | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Matron | 60 | | 60 | |
| ... | ... | Medical Visitor | ^a | | ^a | |
| 2 | 2 | Senior Attendants—1 at £102, and 1 at 96 | 198 | | 198 | |
| 2 | 2 | Junior Attendants—1 at £90, and 1 at 84 | 174 | | 174 | |
| 1 | 1 | Senior Nurse | 56 | | 56 | |
| 3 | 3 | Nurses at £50 | 150 | | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | Night Attendant | 90 | | 90 | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | 968 | | 968 |
| | | Clerical Assistance | 50 | | 50 | |
| | | Occasional Additional Attendants when required, at 5s. per diem | 80 | | 80 | |
| | | Provisions for Patients and Attendants ..... | ..... |  | ..... |  |
| | | Medicine and Medical Comforts, and Fuel and Light | 600 | | 600 | |
| | | Transferring Patients to Asylums | 60 | | 60 | |
| | | Fees for certifying sanity of Patients | 30 | | 30 | |
| | | Allowance to Gaol Dispenser | 25 | | 25 | |
| | | Allowance towards House Rent to Married Attendants, 4 at £12 each | 48 | | 48 | |
| | | Allowance to Gaol Messenger | 12 | | 12 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 50 | | 50 | |
| 11 | 11 | | | 955 | | 955 |
| 226 | 238 | Carried forward | £ | 52,980 | | 55,581 |

^a See Medical Vcte.

| No. of Persons. | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | |
|---|------|--|--------------------|---------------------------|--------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Lunacy—continued. | | | |
| 226 | 238 | Brought forward | | 52,980 | 55,581 |
| HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE, NEWCASTLE. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Superintendent | 260 | 260 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chaplain, Church of England | 30 | 30 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Roman Catholic | 30 | 30 | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Medical Officer | ^a | ^a | |
| 1 | 1 | Storekeeper and Chief Attendant | 150 | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | Matron | 75 | 75 | |
| 2 | 2 | Senior Attendants, at £102 | 204 | 204 | |
| 1 | 1 | Senior Attendant | 90 | 90 | |
| 2 | 2 | Junior Attendants at £84 | 168 | 168 | |
| 2 | 2 | Do. £78 | 156 | 156 | |
| 1 | 1 | Senior Nurse | 60 | 60 | |
| 4 | 4 | Do. Nurses, 2 at £55, and 2 at £50 | 210 | 210 | |
| 4 | 4 | Junior Nurses, at £46 | 184 | 184 | |
| 2 | 2 | Artisan Attendants—1 at 7s. 6d., and 1 at 7s. per diem | 265 | 265 | |
| 1 | 1 | Needlewoman | 50 | 50 | |
| 7 | 7 | Servants—1 at £90, 2 at £78, 1 at £66, 2 at £50, and 1 at £46 | 458 | 458 | |
| | | | 2,390 | 2,390 | |
| CONTINGENCIES. (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | | |
| | | Allowance towards House Rent to Married Attendants, 8 at £12 | 96 | 96 | |
| | | Provisions, Medical Comforts, Fuel, Light, Medicines, Surgical Instruments, and Forage | 3,500 | 3,500 | |
| | | Amusements, Books, Periodicals, Newspapers, &c. | 100 | 100 | |
| | | For the purchase of Timber, Paints, and Materials, &c., for the employment of Patients, upon minor Repairs | 150 | 150 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 250 | 250 | |
| | | | 4,096 | 4,096 | |
| 31 | 31 | | | | |
| HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE, CALLAN PARK. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Medical Superintendent | 650 | 650 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chaplain, Church of England | 50 | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Roman Catholic | 50 | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Senior Medical Officer | 375 | 415 | |
| ... | ... | Junior do. | ..... | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Superintendent | 340 | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Matron | 150 | 160 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Attendant | 160 | 160 | |
| 1 | 1 | Dispenser | 170 | 170 | |
| 19 | 19 | Senior Attendants—9 at £102, and 10 at £90 | 1,818 | 1,818 | |
| 25 | 26 | Junior Attendants—10 at £84, and 16 at £78 | 2,010 | 2,088 | |
| 1 | 1 | Nurse in charge | 80 | 80 | |
| 6 | 6 | Senior Nurses, at £60 | 360 | 360 | |
| 6 | 6 | Do. at £50 | 300 | 300 | |
| 17 | 20 | Junior Nurses, at £46 | 782 | 920 | |
| 3 | 3 | Artisan Attendants, 1 at 7s. 6d., and 2 at 7s. per diem | 394 | 394 | |
| 17 | 19 | Servants—1 at £102, 1 at £90, 5 at £84, 1 at £72, 2 at £60, 1 at £56, 3 at £50, 4 at £46, and 1 at £40 | 1,104 | 1,234 | |
| 2 | 2 | Engine-Drivers—1 at 10s., and 1 at 8s. per diem | 330 | 330 | |
| 1 | 1 | Needlewoman | 60 | 60 | |
| | | | 9,383 | 10,079 | |
| 106 | 113 | | | | |
| 363 | 382 | Carried forward | | 68,849 | 72,146 |

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|--|------|-----------------------------|--|---------------------------|---------------|
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | | | |
| Lunacy—continued. | | | | | |
| 363 | 382 | | Brought forward | 68,849 | 72,146 |
| HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE, CALLAN PARK—continued. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | 135 | Allowances in lieu of Provisions and Fuel to the Medical Superintendent, 2 Medical Officers, and Assistant Superintendent, at £45 each | 180 | |
| | | 120 | Allowances in lieu of Provisions and Fuel to the Junior Officers, at £30 each | 120 | |
| | | 264 | Allowances towards House Rent to Married Attendants—26 at £12 | 312 | |
| | | 10,500 | Provisions, Medical Comforts, Fuel and Light, Forage, Medicines, and Surgical Instruments | 11,000 | |
| | | 250 | Books and Periodicals, and to provide amusements for Patients | 300 | |
| | | 500 | For purchase of Timber, Paint, and Materials for employment of Patients, &c., upon minor repairs | 500 | |
| | | 400 | Incidental expenses (including Burials) | 500 | |
| | | | | 12,169 | 12,912 |
| LUNATIC PATIENTS. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | 4,000 | For Maintenance of Patients in Licensed Houses or in Temporary or Branch Establishments, to meet unforeseen expenses, and to supplement the Votes for the existing Asylums in the event of the increase of Patients, pending erection of new establishments. | 5,000 | |
| | | 300 | For Maintenance of Patients in Public Hospitals and under the care of friends, under sections 48 and 89 of the Lunacy Act | 300 | |
| | | | | 4,300 | 5,300 |
| 363 | 382 | | TOTAL | 85,318 | 90,358 |
| Master in Lunacy. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | 250 | Master in Lunacy | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | 450 | Chief Clerk | 500 | |
| 1 | 1 | 300 | Accountant | 325 | |
| 1 | 1 | 240 | Second Clerk | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | 190 | Third Clerk | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | 170 | Record Clerk | 170 | |
| 1 | 1 | 60 | Junior Clerk | 75 | |
| 1 | 1 | 35 | Clerk | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | 26 | Office-cleaner | 26 | |
| | | | | 1,721 | 1,836 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | | Contingencies | 250 | 250 |
| 9 | 9 | | TOTAL | 1,971 | 2,086 |
| Medical Board. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | | Clerk to Board | 100 | 100 |

| No. of Persons. | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | |
|---|------|--|---------|---------------------------|--------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| The Medical Adviser to the Government. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Medical Adviser | 40 | *400 | |
| 1 | 1 | Deputy Medical Adviser | 20 | *200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary | 155 | *155 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 140 | 140 | |
| 1 | 1 | Government Medical Officer and Vaccinator for Sydney | 675 | 675 | |
| 1 | 1 | Government Medical Officer for the Parramatta District | 700 | 700 | |
| 1 | 1 | Government Dispenser for the Parramatta District ... | 270 | 270 | |
| 1 | 1 | Dispenser, Sydney Gaol | 190 | 190 | |
| 1 | 1 | Dispenser, Maitland Gaol... .. | 140 | 140 | |
| 1 | 1 | Medical Visitor to Hospital for Insane, Newcastle ... | 75 | 75 | |
| 1 | 1 | Office-keeper of Hospital Admission Depot | 20 | 20 | |
| | | | 2,965 | | 2,965 |
| VISITING OFFICERS. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Ophthalmic Surgeon to the Destitute Asylums at Parramatta and Liverpool | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Surgeon, Sydney Gaol, Reception House, and Shaftesbury Reformatory | 450 | 450 | |
| 1 | 1 | Surgeon and Dispenser at Trial Bay Prison | 400 | 400 | |
| 1 | 1 | Surgeon and Dispenser, Berrima Gaol | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Surgeon, Goulburn Gaol | 120 | 120 | |
| 1 | 1 | Surgeon, Maitland Gaol | 100 | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | Surgeon, Bathurst Gaol | 120 | 120 | |
| 1 | 1 | Dispenser, Goulburn Gaol... .. | 100 | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Bathurst Gaol | 100 | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | Surgeon and Dispenser, Mudgee Gaol | 50 | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. do. Albury Gaol | 40 | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. do. Armidale Gaol | 40 | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. do. Dubbo Gaol | 40 | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. do. Deniliquin Gaol... .. | 40 | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. do. Grafton Gaol | 40 | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. do. Hay Gaol | 40 | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. do. Tamworth Gaol... .. | 40 | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. do. Wagga Wagga Gaol | 40 | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. do. Wollongong Gaol | 40 | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. do. Yass Gaol | 40 | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. do. Young Gaol | 40 | 40 | |
| ... | ... | Do. do. Forbes ... .. | ..... | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Surgeon, Biloela Gaol and N.S.S. "Vernon" | 300 | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Dispenser, do. do. | 120 | 120 | |
| | | | 2,700 | | 2,740 |
| | | | 5,665 | | 5,705 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | To make provision for daily attendance of Visiting Medical Officers, and also Visiting Dispenser, at the Newington Asylum, pending settlement of disposal of the sick to the Asylums generally ... | 520 | ..... |  |
| | | For payment of fees for Medical Attendance in minor Country Gaols... .. | 800 | 800 | |
| | | Fees to Medical Practitioners; Vaccination; Coroners' Inquests; Lunacy Cases and Medical Attendance, and Expenses contingent on Outbreak of Disease | 3,000 | 4,000 | |
| | | Rent of office and quarters for the Government Medical Officer and Vaccinator for Sydney | 200 | 200 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 40 | 40 | |
| | | | 4,560 | | 5,040 |
| 34 | 34 | Carried forward | £ | 10,225 | |
| | | | | | 10,745 |

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No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY.

| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| | | The Medical Adviser to the Government—continued. | | | | |
| 35 | 34 | Brought forward ... .. | ..... | 10,225 | ..... | 10,745 |
| | | COAST HOSPITAL. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Medical Superintendent | 425 | | 500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Medical Officer and Dispenser | 200 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Storekeeper and Assistant Superintendent | 240 | | 210 | |
| 1 | 1 | Matron | 100 | | 125 | |
| 20 | 20 | Nurses | 750 | | 750 | |
| 1 | 1 | Needlewoman | 50 | | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Wardsman and Clerk | 100 | | 100 | |
| 2 | 2 | Wardsmen | 120 | | 120 | |
| 3 | 3 | Attendants | 192 | | 192 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Cook | 120 | | 120 | |
| 3 | 3 | Cooks | 194 | | 194 | |
| 1 | 1 | Kitchenman | 40 | | 40 | |
| 2 | 2 | Laundresses | 120 | | 120 | |
| 3 | 3 | General Servants | 120 | | 120 | |
| 3 | 3 | Ambulance Men | 204 | | 204 | |
| 2 | 2 | Carpenters | 204 | | 204 | |
| 1 | 1 | Painter | 72 | | 72 | |
| 1 | 1 | Grounds Attendant | 72 | | 72 | |
| 1 | 1 | Office and Dispensary Boy | 30 | | 30 | |
| | | | 3,353 | | 3,453 | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | | |
| | | (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | |
| | | For maintenance of Patients, including Lock and other cases requiring isolation | 3,500 | | 4,000 | |
| | | Maintenance of Ambulance Service, including purchase of forage, remounts, &c. | 500 | | 650 | |
| | | Materials for minor repairs | 150 | | 150 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 50 | | 50 | |
| 49 | 49 | | | 7,553 | | 8,303 |
| | | ANALYTICAL BRANCH. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Government Analyst | 500 | | 500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant | 150 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger and Office-cleaner | 100 | | 100 | |
| | | | 750 | | 800 | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | | |
| | | (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | |
| | | Allowance for Apparatus, Chemicals, and other materials, &c. | 150 | | 150 | |
| 3 | 3 | | | 900 | | 950 |
| | | DAIRIES SUPERVISION ACT. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector under the Board of Health | 200 | | 200 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses (irrespective of date of claims) | 100 | | 100 | |
| | | | | 300 | | 300 |
| | | MAINTENANCE OF SICK PAUPERS. | | | | |
| | | For support of Paupers in the Sydney, Prince Alfred, and other Hospitals (irrespective of date of claims) ... .. | ..... | 9,000 | ..... | 9,000 |
| 88 | 87 | TOTAL | £ | 27,978 | ..... | 29,298 |

| No. of Persons. | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------|--|-------|---------------------------|-------|--------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | | |
| | | £ | | £ | | |
| Department of Audit. | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Auditor-General. (Provided for in Schedule.) | ..... | 60 | ..... | 60 |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector of Accounts | 650 | | 650 | |
| 1 | ... | Assistant Inspector | 490 |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | ... | Do. Railway Audit | 440 |  | ..... |  |
| ... | 1 | Senior Assistant Inspector of Railway Accounts | ..... |  | 500 | |
| ... | 2 | Junior Assistant Inspectors of Railway Accounts, at £350 | ..... |  | 700 | |
| 1 | ... | Principal Ledger-keeper | 390 |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | ... | Examiner—Revenue Audit | 390 |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | ... | Do. Expenditure Audit | 390 |  | ..... |  |
| ... | 2 | Senior Examiners, at £400 | ..... |  | 800 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | 350 |  | ..... |  |
| ... | 3 | Junior Examiners, at £350 | ..... |  | 1,050 | |
| 4 | ... | Clerks, at £340 | 1,360 |  | ..... |  |
| ... | 1 | Correspondence Clerk and Clerk of Records | ..... |  | 340 | |
| 2 | 1 | Clerks, at £315 | 630 | | 315 | |
| 2 | 2 | Do. at £290 | 580 | | 580 | |
| 2 | 2 | Do. at £265 | 530 | | 530 | |
| 2 | 2 | Do. at £250 | 480 | | 500 | |
| 4 | 2 | Do. at £225 | 800 | | 450 | |
| ... | 2 | Do. at £200 | ..... |  | 400 | |
| 3 | 3 | Do. at £190 | 570 | | 570 | |
| 4 | 5 | Do. at £165 | 660 | | 825 | |
| 4 | 2 | Do. at £150 | 560 | | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 115 | | 125 | |
| | | | | 9,885 | | 8,635 |
| <i>Probationary Clerks.</i> | | | | | | |
| 2 | 4 | Clerks at £100 | 200 | | 400 | |
| 2 | 3 | Do. at £75 | 150 | | 225 | |
| | | | | 350 | | 625 |
| <i>Temporary Clerks.</i> | | | | | | |
| 3 | ... | Clerks, at £75 | 225 |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | 40 |  | ..... |  |
| | | Temporary Clerical Assistance | ..... |  | 250 | |
| | | | | 265 | | 250 |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 170 | | 170 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Boy | 26 | | 26 | |
| 1 | 1 | Housekeeper | 85 | | 75 | |
| | | | | 281 | | 271 |
| | | | | 10,841 | | 9,841 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | |
| (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | | | |
| | | Rent of Offices | 1,000 | | 1,000 | |
| | | Travelling Expenses, Railway Revenue Audit | 300 | | 375 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 25 | | 25 | |
| | | | | 1,325 | | 1,400 |
| 47 | 43 | TOTAL | £ | 11,666 | | 11,241 |

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No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY.

| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|---|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | Registrar-General. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Registrar-General ... .. | ..... | 800 | ..... | 800 |
| 1 | 1 | ..... |  |  |  |  |
| | | REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, & DEATHS BRANCH. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk and Accountant | 390 | | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Corresponding and Record Clerk... .. | 315 | | 315 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk in charge of Registration Room | 200 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 200 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 165 | | 165 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 100 | | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 80 | | 80 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 135 | | 135 | |
| | | | | 1,585 | | 1,585 |
| 8 | 8 | | | | | |
| | | DEEDS BRANCH. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Deputy Registrar-General... .. | 440 | | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk and Deputy Registrar of Deeds | 340 | | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Cashier | 290 | | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 220 | | 220 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 200 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 140 | | 140 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 140 | | 140 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 140 | | 140 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 100 | | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 90 | | 90 | |
| 1 | 1 | Book Porter... .. | 130 | | 130 | |
| | | | | 2,230 | | 2,280 |
| 11 | 11 | | | | | |
| | | LAND TITLES BRANCH. | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | Examiners of Titles—2 at £860, and 2 at £830... .. | 3,380 | | 3,380 | |
| 1 | 1 | Deputy Registrar-General... .. | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Principal Draftsman | 650 | | 650 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Principal Draftsman | 390 | | 450 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Draftsman | 315 | | 315 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 265 | | 265 | |
| 11 | 11 | Junior Assistant Draftsmen—2 at £240, 2 at £200, 4 at £190, 2 at £140, and 1 at £100 | 1,915 | | 2,020 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk to Examiners | 390 | | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Search Clerk | 390 | | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Counter Clerk | 340 | | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 290 | | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 265 | | 265 | |
| 1 | 1 | Corresponding Clerk | 265 | | 265 | |
| ... | 1 | Extra Search Clerk ... .. | ..... |  | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 240 | | 240 | |
| 3 | 3 | Clerks, at £190 | 570 | | 570 | |
| 4 | 4 | Clerks, at £140 | 560 | | 560 | |
| 4 | 4 | Clerks—1 at £115, 2 at £90, and 1 at £75 | 370 | | 370 | |
| 1 | 1 | Additional Clerk | 90 | | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | Stamper and Printer | 110 | | 110 | |
| 1 | 1 | Book Porter | 100 | | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 50 | | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Officekeeper | 100 | | 100 | |
| | | | | 11,595 | | 12,020 |
| 43 | 44 | | | | | |
| 63 | 64 | Carried forward | £ | 16,210 | ..... | 16,685 |

| No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------|------|---|--|--|--|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| No. of Persons. | | | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | | | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Registrar-General—continued. | | | | | | | |
| 63 | 64 | Brought forward ... .. |  |  |  | ..... | 16,210 | ..... | 16,685 |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | |
| | | Allowance to District Registrars | | | | 5,750 | | 5,750 | |
| | | Cost of Binding and Repairing Books | | | | 600 | | 600 | |
| | | Preparation of General Indexes of Births, Marriages, and Deaths | | | | 350 | | 350 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | | | | 800 | | 900 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses, Land Titles Branch | | | | 50 | | 50 | |
| | | Copying Real Property Index | | | | 400 | | 400 | |
| | | Copying Quinquennial Index | | | | 500 |  | ..... |  |
| | | Extra Clerical Assistance | | | | 300 | | 300 | |
| | | Fees for Contract Draftsman | | | | 800 | | 800 | |
| | | Cost of preparing and preserving plans lodged in the Land Titles Office in accordance with the provisions of the Real Property Act | | | | 100 | | 100 | |
| | | Purchase of Maps and Plans ... .. |  |  |  | ..... |  | 20 | |
| | | | | | | | 9,650 | | 9,270 |
| 63 | 64 | TOTAL | | | | £ | 25,860 | ..... | 25,955 |
| | | Government Statistician. | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Statistician | | | | 825 | | 825 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Compiler | | | | 390 | | 415 | |
| 1 | 1 | Compiler of Vital Statistics | | | | 350 | | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk | | | | 320 | | 345 | |
| 1 | 1 | Compiler | | | | 320 | | 320 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | | | | 250 | | 275 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. (Assistant Actuary) | | | | 225 | | 225 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | | | 115 | | 115 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | | | 50 | | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | | | | 100 | | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | Housekeeper | | | | 20 | | 20 | |
| | | | | | | | 2,965 | | 3,040 |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | |
| | | Rent and Incidental Expenses | | | | 300 | | 300 | |
| | | Towards preliminary investigation of state of Friendly and Building Societies | | | | 650 | | | |
| | | Extra clerical assistance, as required | | | | | | 600 | |
| | | | | | | | 950 | | 900 |
| 11 | 11 | Total | | | | £ | 3,915 | | 3,940 |

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| No. of Persons. | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | |
|--|------|--|---------|---------------------------|-------|
| 1888 | 1889 | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Agent-General for the Colony. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Agent-General, to represent the Colony, resident in London... | 2,000 | 2,000 | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary ... | 860 | 860 | |
| 1 | 1 | First Clerk ... | 340 | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant ... | 340 | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk ... | 190 | 190 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk ... | 90 | 90 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk and Shorthand Writer ... | 176 | 176 | |
| 2 | 2 | Messengers, at £58 each ... | 116 | 116 | |
| | | | 4,112 | | 4,112 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Extra Official Expenses, incidental to the Office ... | 250 | 250 | |
| | | Rent ... | 550 | 550 | |
| | | Fuel and light ... | 25 | 25 | |
| | | Cleaning ... | 20 | 20 | |
| | | Stationery and Printing ... | 300 | 300 | |
| | | Contingencies or Unforeseen Expenses ... | 250 | 250 | |
| | | | 1,395 | | 1,395 |
| 9 | 9 | TOTAL ... | £ 5,507 | £ 5,507 | |
| Immigration. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Immigration generally to complete Contracts ... | 7,500 | 8,000 | |
| 1 | 1 | Agent for Immigration ... | 275* | ..... |  |
| | | Chief Clerk and Accountant ... | 245* | ..... |  |
| | | | 8,020 | | 8,000 |
| 2 | 2 | TOTAL ... | £ 8,020 | £ 8,000 | |
| City of Sydney Improvement Board. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Registrar and Board Officer ... | 380 | 380 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk ... | 150 | 150 | |
| 1 | | Junior Clerk ... | 50 | ..... |  |
| | | | 580 | | 530 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Rent of Offices ... | 110 | 110 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses ... | 75 | 75 | |
| | | Legal expenses, Counsel's fees, &c., in connection with the City of Sydney Improvement Act ... | ..... | 150 | |
| | | | 185 | | 335 |
| 3 | 2 | TOTAL ... | £ 765 | £ 865 | |

*Voted for six months only.

| No. of Persons. | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | |
|--|------|--|--------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|
| 1888 | 1889 | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Charitable Institutions. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Director of Government Asylums for the Infirm and Destitute, and Boarding-out Officer | 700 | | 700 |
| 1 | ... | Salary of Inspector of Public Charities to 30th September, 1888, at £650 per annum | 488 |  | ..... |
| 1 | ... | Messenger to 30th September, 1888, at £110 per annum | 82 |  | ..... |
| 1 | ... | Office-cleaner to 30th September, 1888, at £40 per annum | 30 |  | ..... |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| Gratuities to the above Officers at the rate of one month's pay for each year of service, on account of abolition of offices owing to reorganization... .. | | | | | |
| 4 | 1 | | 800 | 2,100 | 700 |
| OFFICE OF ASYLUMS FOR INFIRM AND DESTITUTE. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Officer-in-charge | 300 | | 300 |
| 1 | 1 | Inquiry Officer | 240 | | 240 |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | 200 | | 200 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 175 | | 175 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 175 | | 175 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 140 | | 140 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 50 | | 50 |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 120 |  | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | Office-cleaner | 80 | | 80 |
| | | | 1,480 | | 1,360 |
| GOVERNMENT ASYLUMS. | | | | | |
| <i>Newington.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Nurse-Superintendent | 240 | | 200 |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Matron | 85 | | 85 |
| 1 | ... | Assistant Sub-Matron | 40 |  | ..... |
| | | | 365 | | 285 |
| <i>George-street, Parramatta.</i> | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Surgeon | ^a | | ^a |
| ... | ... | Dispenser | ^a | | ^a |
| 1 | 1 | Matron-Superintendent | 240 | | 240 |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Matron | 95 | | 95 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Sub-Matron | 40 | | 40 |
| ... | ... | Visiting Ophthalmic Surgeon to Asylums at Parramatta and Liverpool | ^a | | ^a |
| | | | 375 | | 375 |
| <i>Macquarie-street, Parramatta.</i> | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Surgeon | ^a | | ^a |
| ... | ... | Dispenser | ^a | | ^a |
| 1 | 1 | Matron-Superintendent | 190 | | 190 |
| 1 | 1 | Nurse | 60 | | 60 |
| | | | 250 | | 250 |
| <i>Liverpool.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Surgeon-Superintendent | 450 | | 550 |
| 1 | 1 | Dispenser | 150 | | 150 |
| 1 | 1 | Matron | 240 | | 240 |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Matron | 95 | | 95 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Sub-Matron | 40 | | 40 |
| 22 | 20 | | 975 | | 1,075 |
| 26 | 21 | Carried forward | £ 3,445 | 2,100 | 3,345 700 |

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| No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | | | | |
|------------------------------|------|--|---------|---------------------------|--------|--------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | | |
| 26 | 21 | £ | £ | £ | | |
| | | Charitable Institutions—continued. | | | | |
| | | Brought forward | £ 3,445 | 2,100 | 3,345 | 700 |
| | | GOVERNMENT ASYLUMS—continued. | | | | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | |
| | | Allowance to Cooks, Warders, Nurses, and other Servants | 2,200 | | 1,500 | |
| | | Rations, Medical Comforts, Medicines, Travelling Expenses, and other Contingencies | 16,000 | | 16,000 | |
| | | Daily attendance of Visiting Medical Officers and Dispenser at Newington Asylum | ..... |  | 520* | |
| | | Additions and repairs to Government Asylums for the Infirm and Destitute | 300 | | 300 | |
| | | | | 21,915 | | 21,665 |
| | | STATE CHILDREN'S RELIEF BRANCH. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary and Assistant Boarding-out Officer | 240 | | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector | 290 | | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector | 225 | | 225 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Registers | 200 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | 175 | | 175 | |
| 1 | 1 | Matron | 110 | | 110 | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Matron | 85 | | 85 | |
| 1 | 1 | Junior Clerk | 52 | | 52 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 40 | | 40 | |
| | | | | 1,417 | | 1,417 |
| 9 | 9 | | | | | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | |
| | | Maintenance, Additional Inspection, &c., of 2,000 children | 16,000 | | 15,000 | |
| | | Outfits | 750 | | 750 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 250 | | 250 | |
| | | Medical Attendance | 200 | | 100 | |
| | | Travelling Expenses | 750 | | 750 | |
| | | Extra Clerical Assistance | 50 | | 50 | |
| | | For the completion of eight Cottage Homes for ophthalmic, sick, delicate, and crippled Children removed from Metropolitan and other Hospitals and Public Asylums | 1,000 |  | ..... |  |
| | | | | 19,000 | | 16,900 |
| | | | | 20,417 | | 18,317 |
| 35 | 30 | TOTAL | £ | 44,462 | | 40,682 |

* Hitherto voted under Medical Adviser.

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| No. of Persons. | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|--|------|--|-----|-----|-----|-----------------------------|-------|---------------------------|-------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | | | | £ | | £ | |
| Fisheries Commission. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Inspector of Fisheries and Secretary | ... | ... | ... | 410 | | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | First Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 290 | | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Second Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 140 | | 165 | |
| 2 | 2 | Inspectors at £240 | ... | ... | ... | 480 | | 480 | |
| 1 | 2 | Assistant Inspectors | ... | ... | ... | 200 | | 400 | |
| 10 | 9 | Assistant Inspectors, at £150 | ... | ... | ... | 1,500 | | 1,350 | |
| 2 | 2 | Do. do. £75 | ... | ... | ... | 150 | | 150 | |
| 11 | 9 | Acting Assistant Inspectors, at £20 | ... | ... | ... | 220 | | 180 | |
| 5 | 4 | Assistant Inspectors and Boatmen at £108 | ... | ... | ... | 540 | | 432 | |
| 2 | 2 | Boatmen, at £120 | ... | ... | ... | 240 | | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Engineer, at £150 | ... | ... | ... | 150 | | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | ... | ... | ... | 114 | | 120 | |
| | | | | | | | 4,464 | | 4,397 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Travelling Expenses | ... | ... | ... | 400 | | 400 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | ... | ... | ... | 100 | | 100 | |
| | | Rent of Offices | ... | ... | ... | 104 | | 104 | |
| | | Reward for the destruction of Cormorants or Shags | ... | ... | ... | 50 | | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Corresponding Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 200 | | 200 | |
| | | Repairs to Launch | ... | ... | ... | 311 | | 50 | |
| | | Temporary Draftsmen at 12s. 6d. and 10s. per diem, each | ... | ... | ... | 352 | | 196 | |
| | | Temporary Clerks—2 at 10s. per diem | ... | ... | ... | 313 | | 157 | |
| ... | 1 | Temporary Assistant Inspector of Fisheries | ... | ... | ... | ..... |  | 157 | |
| | | | | | | | 1,830 | | 1,414 |
| 39 | 37 | TOTAL | ... | ... | ... | £ | 6,294 | ..... | 5,811 |
| Fire Brigades. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Superintendent | ... | ... | ... | 550 | | 650 | |
| FIRE BRIGADES BOARD. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chairman | ... | ... | ... | 240 | | 260 | |
| | | | | | | | 790 | | 910 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of House, Fuel, and Light to Superintendent | ... | ... | ... | 100 | | 10 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | ... | ... | ... | 550 | | 100 | |
| | | Additional Plant and Working Expenses in connection with Fire Brigades and Erection of Telephones, &c. | ... | ... | ... | 2,000 | | 3,500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Fireman for Public Buildings | ... | ... | ... | 150 | | 150 | |
| | | | | | | | 2,800 | | 3,760 |
| 3 | 3 | TOTAL | ... | ... | ... | £ | 3,590 | ..... | 4,670 |
| Civil Service Board. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary | ... | ... | ... | 600 | | 600 | |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | ... | ... | ... | 390 | | 450 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 220 | | 220 | |
| 1 | 1 | Probationer | ... | ... | ... | 70 | | 75 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | ... | ... | ... | 130 | | 130 | |
| 1 | 1 | Office-cleaner | ... | ... | ... | 30 | | 30 | |
| | | | | | | | 1,440 | | 1,505 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Extra Clerical Assistance | ... | ... | ... | 100 | | 100 | |
| | | Fees to Actuaries | ... | ... | ... | 200 | | 200 | |
| | | Rent and Incidental Expenses | ... | ... | ... | 145 | | 145 | |
| | | | | | | | 445 | | 445 |
| 6 | 6 | TOTAL | ... | ... | ... | £ | 1,885 | | 1,950 |

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| No. of Persons. | | No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|---|------|------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----------------------------|-------|---------------------------|-------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | | | | £ | | £ | |
| Botanic Gardens. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Director | ... | ... | ... | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary and Accountant | ... | ... | ... | 265 | | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Overscor | ... | ... | ... | 200 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Bailiff | ... | ... | ... | 120 | | 120 | |
| | | | | | | | 1,135 | | 1,170 |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | | | |
| Wages to Gardeners and Labourers | | | | | | 3,350 | | 3,350 | |
| Travelling and other Expenses of Collecting | | | | | | 100 | | 100 | |
| Forage for one Horse | | | | | | 50 | | 50 | |
| Cases for Plants, and Expenses of Transmission | | | | | | 50 | | 25 | |
| Towards the Formation of a Public Botanical Library | | | | | | 50 | | 40 | |
| Coals and Manure | | | | | | 70 | | 70 | |
| Cost of Aviary | | | | | | 162 | | 162 | |
| Painting and additional Seats | | | | | | 50 | | 50 | |
| Labelling and Lettering the names of the Plants and Shrubs | | | | | | 40 | | 40 | |
| Pots for Plants | | | | | | 60 | | 60 | |
| Incidental Expenses | | | | | | 130 | | 130 | |
| Timber for Repairs | | | | | | 60 | | 60 | |
| Asphalting Walks | | | | | | 150 | | 300 | |
| Expenses in connection with the Grounds of Hill View (the Governor's Residence) | | | | | | 260 | | 260 | |
| Expenses in connection with the Grounds of Wotonga (the Admiral's Residence) | | | | | | 250 | | 250 | |
| Mowing Machine and its pieces in triplicate | | | | | | 60 |  | ..... |  |
| Distribution of plants for public places within the Colony | | | | | | 150 | | 150 | |
| New Bush House | | | | | | 120 |  | ..... |  |
| New Boiler for Hot-house | | | | | | 40 | | 40 | |
| Additional for Bush House |  |  |  |  |  | ..... |  | 25 | |
| | | | | | | | 5,202 | | 5,162 |
| 4 | 4 | TOTAL | ... | ... | ... | £ | 6,337 | ..... | 6,332 |
| Nursery Garden, Campbelltown. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Superintendent | ... | ... | ... | 180 | | 190 | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| Wages to Workmen and Incidental Expenses | | | | | | 390 | | 400 | |
| 1 | 1 | TOTAL | ... | ... | ... | £ | 570 | | 590 |

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|--|------|---|-------|---------------------------|-------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Government Domains. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Overseer | 150 | 160 | |
| 1 | 1 | Bailiff | 120 | 120 | |
| | | | 270 | | 280 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Wages to Labourers | 1,363 | 1,363 | |
| | | Forage for one Horse | 50 | 50 | |
| | | Material to keep in repair Roads and Paths | 250 | 250 | |
| | | Repair of Gates and Fences, and additional Seats | 50 | 50 | |
| | | To trench and fence in Ground for additional Plantations | 50 | ..... |  |
| | | Soil and Manure | 25 | 25 | |
| | | To keep in order Plantations at Court-house, Darlinghurst, and at other Public Buildings in Sydney | 150 | 150 | |
| | | Asphalting Paths | 150 | 100 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 50 | 50 | |
| | | Painting Gates and Fences | 50 | 50 | |
| | | Horse ... .. | ..... | 30 | |
| | | | 2,188 | | 2,118 |
| 2 | 2 | TOTAL ... .. £ | ..... | 2,458 | ..... |
| Garden Palace Grounds. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Bailiff ... .. | ..... | 120 | ..... |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Wages to Gardeners and Labourers | 950 | 950 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 50 | 50 | |
| | | Asphalting Paths | 100 | 50 | |
| | | Additional Water-pipes | 30 | 30 | |
| | | | 1,130 | | 1,080 |
| 1 | 1 | TOTAL £ | | 1,250 | |

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No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY.

| | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
|--|---------------------------|--------|------------------------------|--------|
| | £ | | £ | |
| Charitable Allowances. | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | |
| In aid of the Sydney Hospital, on condition of an equal amount being raised by private contributions... .. | 4,000 | | 4,000 | |
| In aid of the Prince Alfred Hospital, on condition of an equal amount being raised by private contributions | 4,000 | | 4,000 | |
| For the support of Women and Children in the Benevolent Asylum, Sydney, and Infants' Home, and other similar Institutions... .. | 4,208 | | 4,208 | |
| In aid of the Funds of the Benevolent Society, Sydney, on condition of an equal amount being raised by voluntary contributions | 500 | | 500 | |
| For the support of Infants removed from the Benevolent Asylum, Sydney, to the Asylum for Destitute Children at Randwick | 500 |  | ..... |  |
| In aid of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institution, on condition of an equal amount being raised by private contributions... .. | 450 | | 450 | |
| In aid of Charitable Institutions, on condition that an equal amount be raised by private annual contributions, and also that the Government, through Police Magistrates or other approved Officers, have the right of recommending the admission of Patients | 20,000 | | 20,000 | |
| In aid of the Home for Indigent Blind Women at Alexandria, on condition of an equal amount being raised by private contributions | 150 | | 150 | |
| In aid of the building funds of Country Hospitals—on the usual conditions | 1,000 | | 1,000 | |
| Infants' Home, Ashfield—aid on the usual conditions | 500 | | 300 | |
| Hospital for Sick Children, Sydney—on the usual conditions | 500 | | 500 | |
| Hay Hospital—Grant in aid of additions to—on usual conditions ... .. | ..... |  | 500 | |
| New South Wales Benevolent Asylum—special grant in aid of... .. | ..... |  | 3,000 | |
| Other votes of 1888 | 3,100 |  | ..... |  |
| TOTAL | £ | 38,908 | ..... | 38,608 |

| No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | | |
|--|---------------------------|---------|------------------------------|---------|
| | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | £ | | £ | |
| Miscellaneous Services. | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | |
| For defraying Expenses of the Returning Officers of the several Electoral Districts | 600 | | 600 | |
| Expense of compiling and printing Electoral Lists and Electoral Rolls... | 4,000 | | 4,000 | |
| Newspapers, Almanacs, Books, &c. | 600 | | 600 | |
| Burial of destitute persons in cases where inquests are not held ... | 500 | | 500 | |
| Maintenance of deserted children, paupers taken charge of for protection, expenses of transmission, &c. | 800 | | 1,000 | |
| Rewards for apprehension of Offenders | 500 | | 500 | |
| Goodenough Royal Naval House | 200 | | 200 | |
| In aid of the funds of the Animals Protection Society, on condition of an equal amount being raised by private contributions | 300 | | 300 | |
| In aid of the funds of the New South Wales Zoological Society, on condition of an equal amount being raised by private subscriptions... | 1,000 | | 500 | |
| In aid of the Royal Humane Society of Australasia | 250 | | 250 | |
| Lord Howe Island—Expenses in connection with... .. | 300 | | 300 | |
| To pay Municipal Rates on Government Buildings | 12,000 | | 12,000 | |
| Wages for Gardener, and Tools and Incidental Expenses, for East Maitland Gaol Reserve... .. | 138 | | 138 | |
| For improving the Rifle Range at Paddington | 200 | | 200 | |
| For quarterly Revision of Mr. Percy Dove's Plans of Sydney | 25 | | 25 | |
| For formation and maintenance of Gardens at Railway Stations | 300 | | 300 | |
| Rent of "Mooreliff," Miller's Point, in connection with the Sydney Hospital | 300 | | 300 | |
| In aid of the Agricultural Societies of the Colony, in the proportion of 10s. for every £1 raised by private contributions | *5,000 | | 10,000 | |
| For planting sand-drift at Wollongong, further sum | 500 | | 500 | |
| Special grant to Country and Suburban Municipalities, equal to 5s. per £ of the total amount of the general rates collected for the Municipal year ended 31st January, 1889 | 40,000 | | 55,000 | |
| Protectorate of New Guinea—Proportion of the Colony's share of expense of—as agreed at the Convention | 5,000 | | 5,000 | |
| Towards carrying out the provisions of the "Vine Diseases Act 1886" | 500 | | 3,000 | |
| Allowance to Clerk in charge of Friendly Societies' Records | 50 | | 100 | |
| Towards the maintenance and care of the Sand-drift Works at Wollongong, to be placed at the disposal of the Trustees | 100 | | 100 | |
| Relief Works for, and Relief to, the Unemployed | 80,000 | | 20,000 | |
| Rent of Cottage at Bourke for police quarters | 140 | | 140 | |
| Officer in Charge of Whitehead Torpedoes and Plant | 300 | | 300 | |
| Melbourne Centennial International Exhibition Commission—Expenses in connection with | 10,000 | | 5,000 | |
| 5,000 copies of Year Book of New South Wales, special edition | 250 | | 250 | |
| Expenses of necessary preparatory work for Local Government, Property Taxation, and Electoral Bills | 2,000 | | 2,000 | |
| Subsidy for a monthly steam service to the New Hebrides, via Fiji and New Caledonia, for twelve months | 600 | | 1,200 | |
| In aid of Tree-planting in Country and Suburban Municipalities, on condition of an equal amount being raised by private subscriptions... | ..... |  | 3,000 | |
| Special grant in aid of the New South Wales Zoological Society ... .. | ..... |  | 3,000 | |
| To meet the abatement which should, in terms of the Civil Service Act, be deducted from the pensions payable to officers whose services have been dispensed with ... .. | ..... |  | 598 | |
| Gratuities at the rate of one month's pay for each year of service to Officers and Messengers of the Colonial Secretary's Department, whose services have been dispensed with ... .. | ..... |  | 177 | |
| Brewarrina Pastoral and Agricultural Association—Special grant for improvement of Show-ground... .. | ..... |  | 200 | |
| Inverell Agricultural Society—special grant towards refund of money spent in repairing damages to Show Ground, caused by the giving way of the bank of the River Macintyre ... .. | ..... |  | 300 | |
| Other Votes of 1888... .. | 5,629 |  | ..... |  |
| TOTAL | £ | 172,082 | £ | 130,578 |

* £15,000 additional under Act 51 Victoria No. 32.

IV.

Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade.

SUMMARY.

| Page. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
|-------|---|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | | £ | £ |
| 46 | Treasury | 24,740 | 24,740 |
| 47 | Stamp Department | 4,565 | 4,285 |
| 48-52 | Customs | 63,077 | 63,440 |
| 52 | Colonial Distilleries and Refineries | 4,698 | ..... |
| 52 | Gold Receivers | 235 | 235 |
| 52 | Gold and Escort | 1,500 | 1,500 |
| 53 | Government Printer's Department | 61,674 | 64,106 |
| 54 | Stores and Stationery | 118,896 | 118,094 |
| 54 | Board of Health | 7,507 | 6,767 |
| 55 | Board of Pharmacy | 120 | 120 |
| 55 | Shipping Masters | 2,887 | 2,647 |
| 55 | Glebe Island Abattoirs | 7,584 | 582 |
| 56-59 | Marine Board | 48,574 | 49,416 |
| 59 | Life-boats | 1,300 | 1,300 |
| 59 | Public Wharves | 3,301 | 3,685 |
| 60 | Miscellaneous Services | *154,298 | 173,048 |
| 60 | Advance to Treasurer | 200,000 | 200,000 |
| | Deduct Advances to the Treasurer which do not form permanent charges | †704,956 200,000 | 708,965 200,000 |
| | TOTAL | 504,956 | 508,965 |

* £50,042 voted under Miscellaneous Services for 1888 now distributed on Estimates for 1889.
† Estimate of Ordnance and Barrack Department shown under Colonial Secretary for 1889.

*The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.*

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

| No. of Persons. | | No. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE. | | | |
|--------------------------------------|------|--|--|---------------------------|----------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Treasury. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary for Finance and Trade. (Provided in Schedule.) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Under Secretary | | 960 | 960 |
| ACCOUNT BRANCH. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | | 700 | 700 |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Accountant | | 440 | 440 |
| 2 | 2 | Principal Book-keepers, at £390 | | 780 | 780 |
| 1 | 1 | Cash Book-keeper | | 315 | 315 |
| 4 | 4 | Ledger-keepers—1 at £315, 1 at £290, 1 at £280, and 1 at £270 | | 1,155 | 1,155 |
| 8 | 8 | Clerks—1 at £250, 1 at £245, 2 at £240, 1 at £190, and 3 at £140 | | 1,585 | 1,585 |
| | | | | 4,975 | 4,975 |
| REVENUE BRANCH. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Receiver | | 700 | 700 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Receiver | | 440 | 440 |
| 1 | 1 | Registrar of Conditional Purchases | | 440 | 440 |
| 1 | 1 | Registrar of Leases | | 415 | 415 |
| 3 | 3 | Clerks—1 at £315, and 2 at £290 | | 895 | 895 |
| 8 | 8 | Clerks—1 at £280, 1 at £270, 1 at £265, 1 at £260, 1 at £250, and 3 at £240 | | 2,045 | 2,045 |
| 7 | 7 | Clerks—2 at £200, 1 at £190, 2 at £165, and 2 at £140 | | 1,200 | 1,200 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk for Collection and Deposit of Public Moneys | | 290 | 290 |
| | | | | 6,425 | 6,425 |
| PAY BRANCH. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Paymaster | | 700 | 700 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Paymaster | | 390 | 390 |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk | | 390 | 390 |
| 5 | 5 | Clerks—1 at £315, 1 at £290, 2 at £200, and 1 at £185 | | 1,190 | 1,190 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | | *100 | *100 |
| | | | | 2,670 | 2,770 |
| EXAMINING BRANCH. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Examiner | | 550 | 550 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Examiner | | 340 | 340 |
| 2 | ... | Clerks—1 at £240, and 1 at £200 | | 440 | ... |
| ... | 2 | Clerks—1 at £240, and 1 at £100 | | ... | 340 |
| | | | | 1,330 | 1,230 |
| CORRESPONDENCE AND CONTRACTS. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Correspondence and Secretary to Tender Board | | 490 | 490 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk (Contracts) | | 265 | 265 |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks—1 at £190, and 1 at £140 | | 330 | 330 |
| | | | | 1,085 | 1,085 |
| RECORDS. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Registrar | | 390 | 390 |
| 3 | 3 | Clerks—1 at £290, 1 at £240, and 1 at £125 | | 655 | 655 |
| | | | | 1,045 | 1,045 |
| MESSENGERS, &c. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Messenger | | 185 | 185 |
| 3 | 3 | Messengers—1 at £145, 1 at £115, and 1 Junior at £75 | | 335 | 335 |
| 2 | 2 | Housekeepers—1 at £95, and 1 at £85 | | 180 | 180 |
| | | | | 700 | 700 |
| 68 | 69 | Incidental Expenses (<i>irrespective of date of claims</i>) | | 400 | 400 |
| | | Extra Clerical Assistance (<i>do.</i>) | | 500 | 500 |
| | | | | 900 | 900 |
| INSPECTING BRANCH. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Inspector of Public Revenue Collectors' Accounts and Consulting Accountant to the Treasury | | 800 | 800 |
| 4 | 4 | 1 Senior Inspector at £700, 2 Inspectors at £650, and 1 at £550 | | 2,550 | 2,550 |
| | | Travelling Expenses, including equipment allowances (<i>irrespective of date of Service</i>) | | 1,300 | 1,300 |
| | | | | 4,650 | 4,650 |
| 73 | 74 | TOTAL | | £ 24,740 | £ 24,740 |

* Voted for 1888 under Shipping Masters' Department.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

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| No. of Persons. | | No. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE. | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------|--|-----|---------------------------|-------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Stamp Duties. | | | | | |
| STAMP DUTIES. | | | | | |
| 1 | | Commissioner | 650 | | |
| 1 | | Accountant | 340 | | |
| 1 | | Entry and Issue Clerk | 340 | | |
| 1 | | Clerk of Correspondence and Recorder of Wills | 290 | | |
| 1 | | Cashier | 240 | | |
| 1 | | Clerk | 190 | | |
| 1 | | Clerk | 190 | | |
| 3 | | Junior Clerks—1 at £165, and 2 at £100 | 365 | | |
| 1 | | Probationer | 75 | | |
| 1 | | Foreman of Stampers | 290 | | |
| 1 | | Stamper | 170 | | |
| 6 | | Assistant Stampers, at £140 | 840 | | |
| 1 | | Messenger | 120 | | |
| 1 | | Officekeeper | 45 | | |
| | | | | 4,145 | |
| (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| | | Rent of Office | 350 | | |
| | | Assistance in cleaning Offices | 50 | | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 20 | | |
| | | | | 420 | |
| 21 | | TOTAL | £ | 4,565 | |
| (As re-organized for 1889.) | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Commissioner | | | 500 |
| ... | 1 | Deputy Commissioner | | | 400 |
| ... | 1 | Accountant | | | 350 |
| ... | 1 | Clerk in charge of stampers | | | 290 |
| ... | 1 | Cashier | | | 250 |
| ... | 1 | Assistant Cashier | | | 200 |
| ... | 2 | Clerks to Cashier, 1 at £125, and 1 at £100 | | | 225 |
| ... | 1 | Checking Clerk | | | 200 |
| ... | 1 | Assistant Checking Clerk | | | 165 |
| ... | 1 | Assistant to Deputy Commissioner | | | 110 |
| ... | 1 | Foreman of Stampers | | | 170 |
| ... | 6 | Stampers, at £140 each | | | 840 |
| ... | 1 | Messenger | | | 120 |
| ... | 1 | Office-keeper | | | 45 |
| | | | | | 3,865 |
| (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| | | Rent of Office | | | 350 |
| | | Assistance in cleaning offices | | | 50 |
| | | Incidental Expenses | | | 20 |
| | | | | | 420 |
| 20 | | | | | 4,285 |

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | |
|---|------|---|---------------------------|
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| No. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE. | | | |
| Customs. | | | |
| | | £ | |
| | | Brought forward | |
| 1 | 1 | Collector and Registrar of Shipping | 1,000 |
| INDOOR BRANCH. | | | |
| 1 | ... | Chief Clerk | 550 |
| 1 | 1 | Cashier | 550 |
| 1 | 1 | First Clerk | 440 |
| 1 | 1 | Second do. | 440 |
| 1 | 1 | Third do. | 390 |
| 1 | 1 | Fourth do. | 390 |
| 1 | 1 | Fifth do. | 340 |
| 5 | 3 | Clerks, at £290 | 1,450 |
| 3 | 3 | Do. at £265 | 795 |
| 2 | 2 | Do. at £240 | 480 |
| 4 | 4 | Do. at £200 | 800 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk, at £190 | 190 |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks, at £140 | 280 |
| 5 | 5 | Do. 2 at £125, 1 at £100, and 2 at £80 | 510 |
| | | | 7,605 |
| 1 | 1 | TRAVELLING INSPECTOR | 550 |
| LANDING BRANCH. | | | |
| 1 | ... | First Landing Surveyor | 650 |
| 1 | ... | Second do. | 575 |
| 4 | 4 | Gaugers, Examining Officers, and Timber Measurers— 1 at £405, and 3 at £390 | 1,575 |
| 2 | 2 | Assistant Examining Officers, at £200 | 400 |
| 1 | ... | First Landing Waiter | 455 |
| 1 | ... | Second do. | 430 |
| 1 | 1 | Third do. | 405 |
| 11 | 9 | Landing Waiters, at £350 | 3,850 |
| 2 | 2 | Landing Waiters, 1 at £325, and 1 at £315 | 640 |
| 5 | 5 | Landing Waiters, at £290 | 1,450 |
| 2 | 2 | Do. at £270 | 540 |
| 3 | 3 | Do. at £245 | 735 |
| 1 | 1 | Landing Waiter, at £220 | 220 |
| | | | 11,925 |
| TIDE BRANCH. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Tide Surveyor | 415 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant do. | 340 |
| 2 | 2 | Inspectors of Chinese, at £240 (Day and Night) | 480 |
| | | | 1,235 |
| WAREHOUSE BRANCH. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Warehouse Keeper and Inspector of Warehouses | 400 |
| 2 | 1 | Lockers, at £315 | 630 |
| 3 | 3 | Do. at £290 | 870 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. at £275 | 275 |
| 1 | ... | Do. at £265 | 265 |
| 9 | 7 | Do. at £240 | 2,160 |
| 3 | 3 | Do. at £220 | 660 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Locker, at £200 | 200 |
| 2 | 2 | Assistant Lockers, at £185 | 370 |
| 2 | 2 | Do. at £170 | 340 |
| 2 | 2 | Do. at £120 | 240 |
| | | | 6,410 |
| TOBACCO AND BEER EXCISE. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector | 500 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Inspector | 390 |
| 5 | 5 | Lockers at Tobacco Factories, at £200 | 1,000 |
| 1 | 1 | Book-keeper | 350 |
| 5 | 5 | Sub-Inspectors of Breweries, 3 at £250, and 2 at £200 | 1,150 |
| | | | 3,390 |
| | | Carried forward | |
| 110 | 97 | Carried forward | 32,115 |

No. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE.

| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Customs—continued. | | | | |
| 110 | 97 | Brought forward ... .. | ..... | 32,115 | ..... | 27,075 |
| | | MISCELLANEOUS. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary to the Commissioners of Customs | 50 | | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 150 | | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | Warrant Messenger | 170 | | 170 | |
| 1 | 1 | Porter, Queen's Warehouse | 135 | | 135 | |
| 11 | 11 | Boy Messengers—5 at £50, and 6 at £40 | 490 | | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Watchman | 120 | | 120 | |
| 1 | 1 | Housekeeper | 70 | | 70 | |
| 2 | 2 | Coxswains, at £125... .. | 250 | | 250 | |
| 6 | 6 | Boatmen, at £113 | 678 | | 678 | |
| | | | | 2,113 | | 2,113 |
| | | | | 34,228 | | 29,188 |
| | | OUTPORT BRANCH. | | | | |
| | | <i>Botany Bay.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Preventive Officer | 160 | | 160 | |
| | | <i>Broken Bay.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Coast Waiter | 290 | | 200 | |
| 2 | 2 | Boatmen, at £113 | 226 | | 226 | |
| | | <i>Newcastle.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | 600 | | 600 | |
| 1 | 1 | Tide Surveyor | 390 | | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Landing Waiter | 290 | | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Locker | 290 | | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 290 | | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 240 | | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 200 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Wharfinger, Stockton | 200 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 108 | | 108 | |
| 1 | 1 | Boy Messenger | 50 | | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Coxswain | 144 | | 144 | |
| 3 | 3 | Boatmen, at £113 | 339 | | 339 | |
| | | <i>Morpeth.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | 390 | | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Officer | 160 | | 160 | |
| | | <i>Grafton.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | 325 | | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Acting Customs Officer (Yamba) | 52 | | 52 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 65 | | 65 | |
| | | <i>Tweed River.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | 325 | | 325 | |
| 2 | 2 | Boatmen, at £113 | 226 | | 226 | |
| | | <i>Fort Stephens.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Preventive Officer | 186 | | 186 | |
| | | <i>Richmond River.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Acting Customs Officer | 52 | | 52 | |
| | | <i>Wollongong and Bellambi.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Preventive Officer | 186 | | 186 | |
| 164 | 151 | Carried forward | £ 5,784 | 34,228 | 5,619 | 29,188 |

| | | No. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE. | | | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| No. of Persons. | | | | | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| 1888 | 1889 | | | | | | | £ | | | |
| | | Customs—continued. | | | | | | | | | |
| 164 | 151 | Brought forward | | | | | | | 34,228 | | 29,188 |
| | | OUTPORT BRANCH—continued. | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Brought forward | | | | | | 5,784 | | 5,619 | |
| | | <i>Eden.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Acting Customs Officer | ... | ... | ... | ... | 52 | | 52 | | |
| | | <i>Kiama.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Acting Customs Officer | ... | ... | ... | ... | 52 | | 52 | | |
| | | <i>Shoalhaven.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Acting Customs Officer | ... | ... | ... | ... | 52 | | 52 | | |
| | | <i>Bateman's Bay.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Acting Customs Officer | ... | ... | ... | ... | 52 | | 52 | | |
| | | <i>M'Leay River.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Acting Customs Officer | ... | ... | ... | ... | 25 | | 25 | | |
| | | <i>Tathra.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Acting Customs Officer | ... | ... | ... | ... | 25 | | 25 | | |
| | | <i>Port Macquarie.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Acting Customs Officer | ... | ... | ... | ... | 25 | | 25 | | |
| | | <i>Nambucca River.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Acting Customs Officer | ... | ... | ... | ... | 25 | | 25 | | |
| | | <i>Bellinger River.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Acting Customs Officer | ... | ... | ... | ... | ..... |  | 25 | | |
| | | <i>Port Kembla.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Acting Customs Officer | ... | ... | ... | ... | ..... |  | 20 | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 6,092 | | 5,972 |
| | | BORDER BRANCH. | | | | | | | | | |
| | | <i>Moama.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | ... | ... | ... | ... | 390 | | 390 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Officer of Customs | ... | ... | ... | ... | 325 | | 325 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | ... | ... | ... | ... | 200 | | 200 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Watchman | ... | ... | ... | ... | 120 | | 120 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | ... | ... | ... | ... | 96 | | 96 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Acting Customs Officer at Barham Crossing | ... | ... | ... | ... | 50 | | 50 | | |
| | | <i>Albury.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | ... | ... | ... | ... | 390 | | 390 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Officer of Customs, Maracket | ... | ... | ... | ... | 325 | | 325 | | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerk at £200 and 1 at £160 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 360 | | 360 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Acting Officer, Upper Murray | ... | ... | ... | ... | 25 | | 25 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Watchman for Night and Day work | ... | ... | ... | ... | 120 | | 120 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | ... | ... | ... | ... | 52 | | 52 | | |
| | | <i>Wentworth.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | ... | ... | ... | ... | 390 | | 390 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | ... | ... | ... | ... | 200 | | 200 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | ... | ... | ... | ... | 96 | | 96 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Acting Customs Officer at Murthoo, South Australia | ... | ... | ... | ... | 40 | | 40 | | |
| | | <i>Swan Hill.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | ... | ... | ... | ... | 325 | | 325 | | |
| | | Carried forward | | | | | | £ 3,504 | | 3,504 | |
| 190 | 179 | Carried forward | | | | | | £ | 40,320 | | 35,160 |

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

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| No. of Persons. | | No. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE. | | | |
|-----------------|------|---|-------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Customs—continued. | | | |
| 190 | 179 | Brought forward | | 40,320 | 35,160 |
| | | BORDER BRANCH—continued. | | | |
| | | Brought forward | | 3,504 | 3,504 |
| | | <i>Euston.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | 325 | 325 | |
| | | <i>Howlong.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | 325 | 325 | |
| 1 | 1 | Watchman | 120 | 120 | |
| | | <i>Corowa.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | 390 | 390 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | 240 | ..... |  |
| | | <i>Tocumwall.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | 325 | 325 | |
| | | <i>Mulwala.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | 325 | 325 | |
| | | <i>Silverton and Thackaringa.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Acting Sub-Collector | 390 | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Officer | 325 | 325 | |
| | | <i>Milparinka.</i> | | | |
| ... | 1 | Acting Customs Officer ... .. | ..... | 25 | |
| | | <i>Queensland Border.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector (<i>Bogabilla</i>) | 325 | 325 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do (<i>Wallangarra</i>) | 325 | 325 | |
| | | | 6,919 | | 6,704 |
| | | INLAND BONDED WAREHOUSES. | | | |
| | | <i>Bourke.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | 390 | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Officer | 52 | 52 | |
| | | <i>Deniliquin.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Locker | 325 | 325 | |
| | | <i>Wilcannia.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | 390 | 390 | |
| | | <i>Brewarrina.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Collector | 325 | 325 | |
| | | <i>Cobar.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Locker | 325 | 325 | |
| | | <i>Tenterfield.</i> | | | |
| 1 | ... | Locker | 350 | ..... |  |
| | | <i>Barrington.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Locker | 290 | 290 | |
| | | | 2,447 | | 2,097 |
| | | COLONIAL DISTILLERIES AND REFINERIES. | | | |
| | | <i>Distilleries.</i> | | | |
| ... | 4 | Inspectors of Distilleries—1 at £500, 1 at £300, and 2 Assistants, at £130 ... .. | ..... | 1,150 | |
| ... | 1 | Boatman, at Harwood Island ... .. | ..... | 120 | |
|  |  |  | ..... |  | 1,270 |
| | | <i>Refineries.</i> | | | |
| ... | 2 | Inspectors, at £300 ... .. | ..... | 600 | |
| ... | 1 | Gatekeeper... .. | ..... | 120 | |
| ... | 1 | Night Watchman ... .. | ..... | 108 | |
|  |  |  | ..... |  | 828 |
| | | <i>General Service.</i> | | | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk and Acting Inspector ... .. | ..... | ..... | 240 |
| | | | | | 2,388 |
| | | Travelling Expenses of Inspectors, expense of procuring information in regard to illicit distillation, and occasional assistance | | | |
|  |  |  | ..... | ..... | 750 |
|  |  |  | ..... | ..... | 3,088 |
| 209 | 207 | Carried forward | £ | 49,686 | 47,049 |

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|---|------|---|--------|---------------------------|--|
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| NO. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE. | | | | | |
| Customs—continued. | | | | | |
| 209 | 207 | Brought forward | | 49,686 | 47,049 |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Allowances to extra Tide Waiters, and for occasional Clerical Assistance, &c. | | 9,000 | 9,000 |
| | | Rent | | 591 | 591 |
| | | New Boats | | 150 | 150 |
| | | Gauging Instruments, &c. | | 200 | 200 |
| | | Rewards to Seizing Officers in lieu of Share of proceeds of Goods seized | | 350 | 350 |
| | | Additional Lockers at Tobacco Factories, and travelling charges | | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| | | Travelling Expenses, Beer Excise | | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| | | Contingent and Incidental Expenses | | 1,100 | 1,100 |
| | | Steam Launches for Tide Surveyors, Sydney and Newcastle ... .. |  | ..... | 3,000 |
| | | | 13,391 | | 16,391 |
| 209 | 207 | TOTAL | | 63,077 | 63,440 |
| Colonial Distilleries and Refineries. | | | | | |
| DISTILLERIES. | | | | | |
| 1 | | Chief Inspector of Distilleries and Refineries | | 725 | This Department has been included with the Customs for 1889. |
| 1 | | Senior Inspector of Distilleries | | 500 | |
| 2 | | Inspectors at £500 and £440 | | 940 | |
| 1 | | Inspector | | 390 | |
| 1 | | Boatman at Harwood Island Distillery | | 120 | |
| 6 | | | 2,675 | | |
| REFINERIES. | | | | | |
| 1 | | Senior Inspector | | 340 | |
| 1 | | Inspector | | 290 | |
| 1 | | Gatekeeper | | 120 | |
| 1 | | Night Watchman | | 108 | |
| 4 | | | *858 | | |
| GENERAL SERVICE. | | | | | |
| 1 | | Clerk and Acting Inspector | | 240 | |
| 1 | | Messenger | | 90 | |
| 2 | | | 330 | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of service.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Occasional Assistance | | 200 | |
| | | Instruments and Books | | 20 | |
| | | Cleaning Offices | | 70 | |
| | | Porterage | | 15 | |
| | | Rent of Office | | 120 | |
| | | Expense of procuring information in regard to Illicit Distillation | | 60 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of Quarters to Inspectors | | 150 | |
| | | Travelling Expenses | | 100 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | | 100 | |
| 12 | | | 835 | | |
| | | | 4,698 | | |
| Gold Receivers. | | | | | |
| | | Receivers at Goulburn, Orange, Gundagai, Forbes, Tumut, Adelong, Sofala, Braidwood, Carcoar, Temora, Wilcannia, Mount McDonald, Cootamundra, Copeland, Hill End, Milparinka, and Tumberumba, at £10 each, and 1 at Bathurst, at £15, and to meet new appointments as required, £50 | | 235 | 235 |
| Gold and Escort. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Freight and Conveyance of Gold and Escorts | | †1,500 | †1,500 |

* To meet the expenditure in connection with the Refineries Branch the Colonial Sugar Company are assessed at the rate of £1,500 per annum on the working capabilities of their Refinery. † This expenditure will be reimbursed in part by the Gold Escort charges.

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No. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE.

| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | |
|--|------|--|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| Government Printer's Department. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Government Printer and Inspector of Stamps | £ 650 | £ 750 |
| 1 | 1 | Superintendent | 525 | 525 |
| | | | 1,175 | 1,275 |
| CLERICAL AND ACCOUNT BRANCH. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk and Cashier | 400 | 450 |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | 350 | 400 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Records | 290 | 290 |
| 1 | 1 | Receiving and Sales Clerk... .. | 290 | 300 |
| 8 | ... | Clerks—1 at £265, 2 at £200, 3 at £190, 1 at £196, 1 at £140 | 1,551 | ..... |
| ... | 8 | Clerks—1 at £270, 1 at £210, 2 at £200, 1 at £190, 1 at £196, 1 at £195, 1 at £160 ... .. | ..... | 1,621 |
| | | | 2,881 | 3,061 |
| PRINTING, BOOKBINDING, AND PUBLISHING. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Oversecr | 400 | 400 |
| 1 | 1 | Foreman of Bookbinding Branch... .. | 350 | 350 |
| 1 | 1 | Foreman of Machine Branch | 300 | 325 |
| 1 | 1 | Warehouseman | 325 | 335 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk in charge of Publishing Branch | 290 | 300 |
| 256 | 263 | { Sub-Overseers, Readers, Compositors, Machinists, Press- men, Bookbinders, Assistants, and others | 24,931 | 25,082 |
| 134 | 136 | { Extra Hands and Overtime | 9,700 | 9,700 |
| | | | 8,182 | 9,621 |
| | | | 44,478 | 46,113 |
| POSTAGE STAMPS AND TRAMWAY TICKETS. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Foreman | 340 | 350 |
| 9 | 10 | Sub-Oversecr, Printers, and Assistants | 1,494 | 1,618 |
| | | | 1,834 | 1,968 |
| RAILWAY TICKETS. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Foreman | 340 | 350 |
| 5 | 5 | Ticket Printer and Assistants | 729 | 765 |
| | | | 1,069 | 1,115 |
| PHOTO-LITHOGRAPHY, PHOTOGRAPHY, AND PHOTO-TYPE PRINTING. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Manager of the Branch | 300 | 400 |
| 1 | 1 | First Photographic Operator | 290 | 290 |
| 4 | 4 | Photo-mechanical and Photographic Operators and Printers | 780 | 800 |
| 13 | 13 | Assistants and Apprentices | 1,215 | 1,440 |
| | | | 2,675 | 2,930 |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Lithographic Draftsman | 315 | 315 |
| 1 | 1 | First Do | 270 | 270 |
| | | | 585 | 585 |
| LITHOGRAPHING Drawings connected with Patents | | | | |
| | | | 150 | 150 |
| Do. Plans and Illustrations connected with Parliamentary and other printed Public Documents | | | | |
| | | | 350 | 350 |
| | | | 500 | 500 |
| ENGRAVING, ELECTRO', STEREO', TYPE-FOUNDING, AND MECHANICAL BRANCH. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Foreman | 340 | 300 |
| 14 | 16 | Assistants | 2,433 | 2,670 |
| | | | 2,773 | 2,970 |
| PARLIAMENTARY REPORTS. | | | | |
| | | | ... | 2,500 |
| | | | 2,500 | 2,500 |
| MISCELLANEOUS. | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | |
| | | | 350 | 350 |
| | | | 200 | 200 |
| | | | 654 | 539 |
| | | | 1,204 | 1,089 |
| 461 | 473 | TOTAL | £ | 61,674 |
|  |  |  | ..... | 64,106 |

* In addition to the salary of £600 voted for 1884, the Government Printer was paid £150 as Registrar of Copyright.

| | | No. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE. | | | |
|--|------|--|---------|---------------------------|---------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Stores and Stationery. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Superintendent and Inspector of Stores | 450 | 450 | 450 |
| <i>Clerical Branch.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | 390 | 390 | |
| 1 | ... | Chief Clerk | 240 | ..... |  |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks—1 at £240 and 1 at £200 | 480 | 440 | |
| 4 | 3 | Clerks at £200 | 800 | 600 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 190 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 165 | 200 | |
| <i>Store Branch.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Stockkeeper... .. | 290 | 290 | 1,830 |
| 1 | 1 | Stationer | 210 | 210 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Stationer... .. | 150 | 150 | |
| 1 | ... | Foreman | 240 | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Packer | 160 | 160 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Stockkeeper | 150 | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 120 | 120 | |
| 2 | 2 | Carters at £140 | 280 | 280 | |
| 3 | 2 | Labourers, at £127... .. | 381 | 254 | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Stores and Stationery for the Public Service generally.. | 105,000 | 100,000 | 1,614 |
| | | Fuel and Light for Departments within the District of Sydney | 6,000 | 6,000 | |
| | | Conveyance of Stores | 3,000 | 3,000 | |
| | | Packing and other Expenses | 200 | 200 | |
| | | | 114,200 | | 109,200 |
| 23 | 19 | TOTAL | £ | 118,896 | 113,094 |
| Board of Health. | | | | | |
| <i>Sydney.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Health and Emigration Officer | *630 | *630 | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector to the Board of Health | *550 | *550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary | *265 | *265 | |
| 1 | ... | Chief Clerk | 250 | ..... |  |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks—1 at £115, 1 at £75 | 190 | 190 | |
| 1 | 1 | Veterinarian | 70 | 70 | |
| 1 | 1 | Housekeeper | 60 | 60 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger and Special Quarantine Officer | 118 | 118 | |
| <i>Watson's Bay.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Health Officer | 550 | 550 | 1,883 |
| 1 | 1 | Coxswain of Boat | 120 | 120 | |
| 3 | 3 | Boatmen, at £108 | 324 | 324 | |
| <i>Quarantine Station.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Superintendent and Overseer of Stores | 282 | 250 | 994 |
| 1 | 1 | Wardsman, in charge of Hospital | 120 | 120 | |
| 5 | 4 | Quarantine Officers, at £108 | 540 | 432 | |
| 1 | 1 | Coxswain of Quarantine Tender | 108 | 108 | |
| 1 | 1 | Driver of Tender | 120 | 120 | |
| <i>Newcastle.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Health Officer ... .. | ..... | 240 | 1,030 |
| <i>Contingencies.</i> | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Expenses of Vessels and Persons in Quarantine; and other Contingencies, including payment of fees to Medical Members of the Board | 2,000 | 2,000 | |
| | | Repairs to Buildings, Quarantine Station | 400 | ..... |  |
| | | Rent of Offices | 250 | 250 | |
| | | Rent of Quarters for Assistant Health Officer and Boat's Crew, Watson's Bay | 220 | 220 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 150 | 150 | |
| | | | 3,020 | | 2,620 |
| 24 | 22 | TOTAL | £ | 7,507 | 6,767 |

* Also Officer of the Medical Department—*I*de Colonial Secretary's Estimates.

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No. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE.

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|---|------|-----------------------------------|---------|---------------------------|-------|
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Board of Pharmacy. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary | 120 | 120 | |
| Shipping Masters. | | | | | |
| <i>Sydney.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Shipping Master | 465 | 465 | |
| 1 | 1 | Deputy Shipping Master | 290 | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | First Clerk and Accountant | 265 | 265 | |
| 1 | 1 | Cashier | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | ... | Record Clerk | 190 | ..... |  |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks—1 at £190, 1 at £140 | 330 | 330 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk... | 100 | ..... |  |
| ... | 1 | Probationer | ..... | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Director of Seamen | 170 | 170 | |
| 1 | 1 | Office-keeper | 60 | 60 | |
| | | | 2,070 | | 1,830 |
| <i>Newcastle.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Shipping Master | 390 | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Cashier and Accountant | 240 | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 115 | 115 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 52 | 52 | |
| | | | 797 | | 797 |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| Incidental Expenses | | | 20 | 20 | |
| | | | 20 | | 20 |
| 14 | 13 | TOTAL | £ 2,887 | ..... | 2,647 |
| Glebe Island Abattoirs. | | | | | |
| <i>Abattoir.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector | *265 | *265 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Inspector | 267 | 267 | |
| 4 | ... | Labourers—2 at £100, and 2 at £80 | 360 | ..... |  |
| 1 | ... | Jobbing Carpenter | 110 | ..... |  |
| | | | 1,002 | | 532 |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| Forage Allowance for Inspector | | | 50 | 50 | |
| Coals... | | | 80 | ..... |  |
| Gas | | | 50 | ..... |  |
| Forage for Cart Horses | | | 80 | ..... |  |
| Fresh Water Supply | | | 150 | ..... |  |
| Wages for Labour of a temporary character | | | 600 | ..... |  |
| Incidental Expenses | | | 450 | ..... |  |
| | | | 1,460 | | 50 |
| Improvements | | | 24 | ..... |  |
| <i>Desiccating Process.</i> | | | | | |
| To meet probable expenses | | | 4,678 | ..... |  |
| <i>Engine pumping salt water.</i> | | | | | |
| Wages and Coal, &c. | | | 420 | ..... |  |
| 7 | 2 | TOTAL | £ 7,581 | ..... | 582 |

* Allowed quarters and forage for horse

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|---------------------------------------|------|---|---------|---------------------------|-------|
| 1888 | 1889 | Marine Board of New South Wales. | | | |
| | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| MARINE BOARD, SYDNEY. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | President | 700 | 700 | |
| 6 | 6 | Fees to the Wardens | 656 | 656 | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary | 440 | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk and Accountant | 290 | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Engineer Surveyor, Inspector, and Examiner | 600 | 600 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Engineer Surveyor | 390 | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Do. | 320 | 320 | |
| 1 | 1 | Shipwright Surveyor and Inspector | 340 | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | { Examiner in Navigation and Pilotage } | 340 | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | { Examiner in Seamanship and Pilotage } | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector and Surveyor | 260 | 260 | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector | 50 | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Water Bailiff | 225 | 225 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 100 | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 135 | 135 | |
| ... | ... | Surveyors at the Out Ports | 350 | 350 | |
| 19 | 19 | | | 5,196 | 5,146 |
| LOCAL MARINE BOARD, NEWCASTLE. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Harbour Master | 440 | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | Fees to Chairman | 110 | 110 | |
| 4 | 4 | Fees to Members | 250 | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary and Inspector | 340 | 310 | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector | 50 | 50 | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector and Surveyor | 270 | 270 | |
| 1 | 1 | Boatman | 130 | 130 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger and Office-keeper | 130 | 130 | |
| 11 | 11 | | | 1,720 | 1,720 |
| HARBOUR MASTERS. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Harbour Master, Sydney | 390 | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Twofold Bay | 290 | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Harbour Master, Newcastle | 340 | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk, Sydney | 240 | 240 | |
| 4 | 4 | | | 1,260 | 1,260 |
| COLONIAL LIGHT-HOUSES. | | | | | |
| <i>Principal Light-keepers.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Port Jackson—Macquarie Light | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Engineer—Electric Light | 270 | 270 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Engineer—Electric Light | 130 | 130 | |
| 1 | 1 | Port Jackson—Hornby Light | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Newcastle (acting also as Signal Master) | 250 | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Cape St. George | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Port Stephens | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Seal Rock Point | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Solitary Islands | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Montague Island | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Green Cape | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Broken Bay—Stewart's Light | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Light-ship "Bramble," Sydney Harbour | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Light-ship, Newcastle | 134 | 134 | |
| 1 | 1 | Fort Demison Light | 134 | 134 | |
| 1 | 1 | Ulladulla | 158 | 158 | |
| 1 | 1 | Nelson's Bay, Port Stephens | 134 | 134 | |
| ... | 1 | Smoky Cape... .. | ..... | 200 | |
| <i>First Assistant Light-keepers.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Port Jackson—Macquarie Light | 134 | 134 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Hornby Light | 134 | 134 | |
| 1 | 1 | Newcastle | 134 | 134 | |
| 1 | 1 | Cape St. George | 134 | 134 | |
| 1 | 1 | Port Stephens | 134 | 134 | |
| 1 | 1 | Seal Rock Point | 134 | 134 | |
| 1 | 1 | Solitary Islands | 134 | 134 | |
| 1 | 1 | Montague Island | 134 | 134 | |
| 1 | 1 | Green Cape... .. | 134 | 134 | |
| 1 | 1 | Light-ship "Bramble,"—Mate | 134 | 134 | |
| 1 | 1 | Broken Bay—Stewart's Light | 134 | 134 | |
| 2 | 2 | Wollongong (also to perform the duties of Boatmen to the Pilot), at £134 | 268 | 268 | |
| ... | 1 | Smoky Cape | | 134 | |
| 30 | 32 | Carried forward | £ 4,952 | 5,286 | |
| 34 | 34 | Carried forward | £ | 8,176 | 8,126 |

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NO. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE.

| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Marine Board of New South Wales—continued. | | | | |
| 34 | 34 | Brought forward ... .. | ..... | 8,176 | ..... | 8,126 |
| | | COLONIAL LIGHT-HOUSES—continued. | | | | |
| 30 | 32 | Brought forward | 4,952 | | 5,286 | |
| | | <i>Second Assistant Light-keepers.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Port Jackson—Macquarie Light | 118 | | 118 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Hornby Light | 118 | | 118 | |
| 1 | 1 | Newcastle | 118 | | 118 | |
| 1 | 1 | Cape St. George | 118 | | 118 | |
| 1 | 1 | Port Stephens | 118 | | 118 | |
| 1 | 1 | Seal Rock Point | 118 | | 118 | |
| 1 | 1 | Solitary Islands | 118 | | 118 | |
| 1 | 1 | Montague Island | 118 | | 118 | |
| 1 | 1 | Green Cape | 118 | | 118 | |
| 1 | 1 | Broken Bay | 118 | | 118 | |
| ... | 1 | Smoky Cape ... .. | ..... |  | 118 | |
| 3 | 3 | Light-ship "Bramble,"—Crew at £118 | 354 | | 354 | |
| ... | 1 | Pile Light, Newcastle ... .. | ..... |  | 120 | |
| 43 | 47 | SEA AND RIVER PILOTS. | | 6,486 | | 7,058 |
| | | <i>Port Jackson.</i> | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | Assistant Harbour Masters—1 at £340, and 1 at £290.. | 630 | | 630 | |
| 4 | 4 | Crew for do., at £118 | 472 | | 472 | |
| | | <i>Pilot Service of Port Jackson.</i> | | 1,102 | | 1,102 |
| | | <i>Pilot Steamer "Captain Cook"</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Master | 440 | | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | Mate | 220 | | 220 | |
| 1 | 1 | 2nd Mate | 155 | | 155 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1st Engineer | 260 | | 260 | |
| 1 | 1 | 2nd Engineer | 188 | | 188 | |
| 4 | 4 | Firemen, at £142 | 568 | | 568 | |
| 6 | 6 | A. B. Seamen, at £118 | 708 | | 708 | |
| 4 | 4 | Boatmen, at £118 | 472 | | 472 | |
| 2 | 2 | Look-out-men, at £118 | 236 | | 236 | |
| 1 | 1 | Cook and Provodore | 118 | | 118 | |
| 5 | 5 | Sea Pilots, at £370 | 1,850 | | 1,850 | |
| | | <i>Newcastle.</i> | | 5,215 | | 5,215 |
| 6 | 7 | Pilots, at £320 | 1,920 | | 2,240 | |
| | | <i>Manning River.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Pilot | 195 | | 195 | |
| | | <i>M^r Leay River.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Pilot | 195 | | 195 | |
| | | <i>Clarence River.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Pilot | 195 | | 195 | |
| | | <i>Richmond River.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Pilot | 195 | | 195 | |
| | | <i>Port Macquarie.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Pilot | 195 | | 195 | |
| | | <i>Moruya.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Pilot | 195 | | 195 | |
| | | <i>Bellinger River.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Pilot | 195 | | 195 | |
| | | <i>Tweed River.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Pilot | 195 | | 195 | |
| | | <i>Shoalhaven.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Pilot | 195 | | 195 | |
| | | <i>Wollongong.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Pilot | 195 | | 195 | |
| | | <i>Nambuccra.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Pilot | 195 | | 195 | |
| | | <i>Camden Haven.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Pilot | 195 | | 195 | |
| | | <i>Lake Macquarie.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Pilot | 195 | | 195 | |
| | | <i>Cape Hawke.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Pilot | 195 | | 195 | |
| 53 | 54 | Carried forward | £ 4,650 | | 4,970 | |
| 77 | 81 | Carried forward | £ | 20,979 | ..... | 21,501 |

| No. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE. | | | | | | |
|--|------|---|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Marine Board of New South Wales—continued. | | | | |
| 77 | 81 | Brought forward | £ | 20,979 | £ | 21,501 |
| 53 | 54 | SEA AND RIVER PILOTS—continued. | | | | |
| | | Brought forward | £ | 4,650 | £ | 4,970 |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Kiama.</i> Pilot in charge of the Light, Port and Moorings | £ | 190 | £ | 190 |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Jerringong.</i> Person in charge of the Port and Moorings | £ | 25 | £ | 25 |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Shellharbour.</i> Person in charge of Port and Moorings | £ | 50 | £ | 50 |
| | | | | 4,915 | | 5,285 |
| 56 | 57 | BOATMEN. | | | | |
| | | <i>Port Jackson. (Boatswain's Yard.)</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Boatswain in charge | £ | 164 | £ | 164 |
| 4 | 4 | Coxswains, at £130 | £ | 520 | £ | 520 |
| 10 | 10 | a Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 1,180 | £ | 1,180 |
| | | <i>Newcastle.</i> | | | | |
| 24 | 24 | Boatmen, 22 at £126, and 2 at £154 | £ | 3,080 | £ | 3,080 |
| 1 | 1 | Carpenter | £ | 162 | £ | 162 |
| | | <i>Manning River.</i> | | | | |
| 5 | 5 | Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 590 | £ | 590 |
| | | <i>M'Leay River.</i> | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 472 | £ | 472 |
| | | <i>Clarence River.</i> | | | | |
| 5 | 5 | Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 590 | £ | 590 |
| | | <i>Richmond River.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Coxswain | £ | 126 | £ | 126 |
| 5 | 5 | Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 590 | £ | 590 |
| | | <i>Port Macquarie.</i> | | | | |
| 5 | 5 | Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 590 | £ | 590 |
| | | <i>Moruya.</i> | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 236 | £ | 236 |
| | | <i>Bellinger River.</i> | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 472 | £ | 472 |
| | | <i>Tweed River.</i> | | | | |
| 5 | 5 | Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 590 | £ | 590 |
| | | <i>Shoalhaven.</i> | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 472 | £ | 472 |
| | | <i>Twofold Bay.</i> | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 472 | £ | 472 |
| | | <i>Nambuccra.</i> | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 236 | £ | 236 |
| | | <i>Camden Haven.</i> | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 236 | £ | 236 |
| | | <i>Lake Macquarie.</i> | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 236 | £ | 236 |
| | | <i>Cape Hawke.</i> | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | Boatmen, at £118 | £ | 236 | £ | 236 |
| | | | | 11,250 | | 11,250 |
| 92 | 92 | TELEGRAPH STATIONS. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Signal Master, Fort Philip | £ | 214 | £ | 214 |
| 1 | 1 | Signal Master's Assistant | £ | 118 | £ | 118 |
| 1 | 1 | Signal Master, South Head | £ | 214 | £ | 214 |
| 1 | 1 | Night Look-out-man, Signal Hill, Newcastle | £ | 142 | £ | 142 |
| 1 | 1 | 2nd Night Look-out-man, Newcastle | £ | 106 | £ | 106 |
| 1 | 1 | Signal Man, Newcastle | £ | 130 | £ | 130 |
| 1 | 1 | Signal Man, Brunswick River | £ | 100 | £ | 100 |
| 1 | 1 | Junior Operator and Clerk, South Head... .. | £ | 135 | £ | 135 |
| 1 | 1 | Operator, Port Stephens | £ | 26 | £ | 26 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Port Office, Sydney | £ | 52 | £ | 52 |
| | | | | 1,237 | | 1,237 |
| 285 | 240 | Carried forward... .. | £ | 38,381 | £ | 39,223 |

a To provide for the service of the Marine Board, Health and Emigration Officer, Post Office, and Government Stores.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

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No. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE.

| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|--------------------|------|--|-----------------------------|--------|------------------------------|--------|
| | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Marine Board of New South Wales—continued. | | | | |
| | | Brought forward | £ | 38,381 | £ | 39,223 |
| 235 | 240 | AUSTRALIAN COAST LIGHT-HOUSES. (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | |
| | | Contribution towards the maintenance of Lights on Gabo Island, Wilson's Promontory, King's Island, Kent's Group, and Lady Elliott's Island | | 2,500 | | 2,500 |
| | | MISCELLANEOUS. (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | |
| | | Travelling Expenses | 150 | | 150 | |
| | | New Boats and Repairs, and Repairs to Boat Sheds and Pilot Stations | 500 | | 500 | |
| | | Forage and Fariery for Light-house Horses | 150 | | 150 | |
| | | Expense of communication | 100 | | 100 | |
| | | For the maintenance of the Leading Lights in the Eastern Channel, Port Jackson | 60 | | 60 | |
| | | For the maintenance of the four Leading Lights on the Beacons erected in the Port of Newcastle | 48 | | 48 | |
| | | For the maintenance of the Breakwater and Tide Lights, Newcastle | 72 | | 72 | |
| | | For the maintenance of Position Light, Trial Bay | 52 | | 52 | |
| | | For the purchase and maintenance of Buoys, Beacons, and Moorings for the Department generally | 700 | | 700 | |
| | | For erecting and maintaining Beacon Lights, Lower Flats, Newcastle | 250 | | 250 | |
| | | Coals and other Contingent Expenses connected with the Steam Pilot Service, Port Jackson | 2,000 | | 2,000 | |
| | | To erect Boatmen's Quarters at Newcastle and other Out Ports | 300 | | 300 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of Quarters to Harbour Master and Pilots, Newcastle, and Rent of Offices, Sydney | 311 | | 311 | |
| | | Gas for Engine, New Light-house, South Head, Port Jackson Engineer and other Expenses in connection with the new Electric Light, South Head, Port Jackson | 200 | | 200 | |
| | | Additional Moorings for the Harbour of Newcastle | 300 | | 300 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 2,000 | | 2,000 | |
| | | | | 7,693 | | 7,693 |
| 235 | 240 | TOTAL £ | | 48,574 | | 49,416 |
| | | Life-boats. (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | |
| | | Gratuities to Coxswains and Crews of Life-boats, and Life-saving Apparatus and other Expenses in con- nection therewith | 700 | | 700 | |
| | | Subsidy for Steamer in connection with Life-boat Ser- vice, Newcastle | 600 | | 600 | |
| | | | | 1,300 | | 1,300 |
| | | Public Wharves. £ | | 1,300 | | 1,300 |
| | | Circular Quay— | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Manager and Collector | 465 | | 465 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Manager | 290 | | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 190 | | 190 | |
| 1 | 1 | Officer-in-charge, Landing Stage | 140 | | 140 | |
| 1 | 1 | Overseer of Planks and Stagings | 156 | | 156 | |
| ... | 1 | Officer in charge of Cranes | | | 150 | |
| 1 | 2 | Night Watchmen—1 at £130 and 1 at £104... .. | 130 | | 234 | |
| | | (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | |
| | | Commissions and Rebates | 200 | | 250 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses, including Water Supply | 150 | | 200 | |
| | | Woolloomooloo Wharf— | | 1,721 | | 2,075 |
| 1 | 1 | Wharfinger | 240 | | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 125 | | 125 | |
| 1 | 1 | Overseer of Planks and Stagings | 143 | | 143 | |
| 1 | 1 | Night Watchman | 104 | | 104 | |
| | | Darling Harbour Wharf— | | 612 | | 612 |
| 1 | 1 | Wharfinger | | 298 | | 298 |
| | | Blackwattle Bay— | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | | 70 | | 75 |
| | | (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | |
| | | Cleansing Public Wharves | | 600 | | 625 |
| 12 | 14 | TOTAL £ | | 3,301 | | 3,685 |

| No. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE. | | | | |
|--|------------------------|---------|---------------------------|---------|
| | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | £ | | £ | |
| Miscellaneous Services. | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | |
| Postage of Public Departments | 20,000 | | 20,000 | |
| Advertising for the Public Service... .. | 10,000 | | 10,000 | |
| For the transmission of Telegraphic Messages | 14,000 | | 14,000 | |
| Commission on Payments in England, by the Government Financial Agents Insurance, &c., on English Shipments | 4,500 | | 3,000 | |
| Insurance, &c., on English Shipments | 2,000 | | 2,000 | |
| Management of, and payment of half-yearly dividends on, Inscribed Stock by the Bank of England | 14,000 | | 14,000 | |
| Exchange on Remittances within and beyond the Colony | 12,000 | | 12,000 | |
| Allowance for Postage and Stationery to Clerks of Petty Sessions, Land Agents, and Registrars of District Courts | 1,500 | | 1,550 | |
| Commission on payment of Interest on Debentures in Sydney... .. | 200 | | 200 | |
| For the relief and conveyance of distressed Seamen belonging to the Colony from Foreign Ports, or from Wrecked Vessels, &c. | 550 | | 400 | |
| In aid of the Sailors' Home, Newcastle | 350 | | 350 | |
| To subsidize Tug-boats for Northern Rivers and Harbours | 6,900 | | 6,364 | |
| To subsidize a Tug-boat for Wollongong Harbour | 624 | | 500 | |
| For Interest on Funds in the temporary possession of the Government belonging to Suitors in Equity and Lunacy Patients | 10,000 | | 12,000 | |
| To meet Unforeseen Expenses, to be hereafter accounted for | 3,000 | | 3,000 | |
| To pay interest at 4 per cent. on the uninvested Funds at the credit of the Government Savings Bank in the Treasury | 40,000 | | 50,000 | |
| For supply of water to the various Public Offices, Sydney and Country Towns | | | 2,000 | |
| Enlarging and repairing the Public Baths at Wollongong | | | 200 | |
| To pay interest at 4 per cent. on the uninvested Funds at the credit of the Civil Service Superannuation Account | | | 13,000 | |
| To pay interest at 4 per cent. on the balance at the credit of the Municipal Council of Sydney—Sinking Fund Account | | | 175 | |
| To pay interest at 4 per cent. on the uninvested Funds at the credit of the Assurance Fund, Real Property Act | | | 1,100 | |
| To pay interest at 4 per cent. on the late William Roberts' Bequest Fund, Sydney University | | | 164 | |
| To pay interest at 4 per cent. on the deposit in name of Permanent Trustee Company of New South Wales, Limited | | | 815 | |
| To pay interest at 4 per cent. on the deposit in name of Perpetual Trustee Company, Limited | | | 815 | |
| To meet the abatement which should in terms of the Civil Service Act be deducted from the pensions payable to officers whose services will be dispensed with in carrying out the recommendations of the Public Service Inquiry Commission | | | 4,000 | |
| Gratuities at the rate of one month's pay for each year of service to officers of the permanent staff not entitled to pensions whose services will be dispensed with | | | 1,000 | |
| Increments to Public Officers under the Civil Service Act of 1884, for the years 1885 and 1886, omitted in the preparation of the Estimates for 1888. (Balance of vote of £56,642 not appropriated under votes of 1888)... .. | 2,653 | | | |
| Transmission of Telegraphic Messages during the year 1886—further sum | 11,238 | | | |
| Other votes of 1888... .. | 309 | | | |
| | | 153,883 | | 172,633 |
| To meet the following expenses connected with payment of Imperial Military and Naval Pensioners in the Colony:— | | | | |
| Clerk-in-charge | 390 | | 390 | |
| Incidental Expenses | 25 | | 25 | |
| | | *415 | | *415 |
| TOTAL | £ | 154,298 | | 173,048 |
| Advance to Treasurer. | | | | |
| To enable the Treasurer to make Advances to Public Officers, and on account of other Governments, and to pay expenses of an unforeseen nature, which will afterwards be submitted for Parliamentary appropriation. The whole amount to be adjusted not later than the 31st December, 1890 | | 200,000 | | 200,000 |

*This expenditure will be covered by the Commission allowed by the Imperial Government to the Colonial Government for this particular Service.

IV.

Railways.

SUMMARY.

| Page. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
|-------|---|------------------------|---------------------------|
| | Railways and Tramways:— | £ | £ |
| | General Establishment | 9,724 |* |
| | Engineering Establishment— | | |
| | Works in Progress } Transferred to Works | 14,562 |† |
| | Valuation of Land } | 2,350 |† |
| 62 | Existing Lines—Working Expenses | 1,719,821 | 1,790,967 |
| 62 | Miscellaneous | 6,907 | 4,280 |
| | TOTAL | 1,753,364 | 1,795,247 |
| | Less transferred to Works | 16,912 | ..... |
| | TOTAL | £ 1,736,452 | 1,795,247 |

* Transferred to Working Expenses. † Transferred to Works Department.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

| | | No. IV.—RAILWAYS. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|-----------|---------------------------|-----------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Existing Lines—Working Expenses. | | | |
| | | RAILWAYS AND TRAMWAYS. | | | |
| 1 | ... | Commissioner | 1,250 | | |
| | | Working Expenses of Existing Lines, including Salaries and Wages of Working Staff and Employés generally, Maintenance and Renewals of Rolling Stock and Lines, and all expenses of conducting the Traffic | 1,728,295 | | |
| ... | 3 | Commissioners (provided for in Special Appropriations, <i>ante</i> , page 4). | | | |
| | | <i>Railways.</i> | | | |
| | | Working Expenses of Existing Lines, including Salaries and Wages of Working Staff and Employés generally, Maintenance and Renewals of Rolling Stock and Lines, and all expenses of conducting the Traffic | | | 1,583,283 |
| | | <i>Tramways.</i> | | | |
| | | Salaries of Working Staff, Wages of Employés generally, Maintenance and Renewal of Rolling Stock and Lines, with all expenses of conducting the Traffic | | | 207,684 |
| | | TOTAL £ | 1,729,545 | | 1,790,967 |
| | | Miscellaneous. | | | |
| | | (<i>Irrespective of date of claims.</i>) | | | |
| | | Advances to Contractors. Vote to be recouped as advances are recovered | 3,000 | | 3,000 |
| | | Gratuity to widow of the late James Kinnane, who was killed in the execution of his duty as fettler between Lawson and Blackheath | | | 200 |
| | | Gratuity to widow and children of the late Henry O'Grady, who was killed near Strathfield while in the performance of his duty as fettler | | | 275 |
| | | Gratuity to widow and children of the late William Thompson, who was killed near Towrang, while in the performance of his duty as fettler | | | 250 |
| | | Refund of Amount deducted under the Superannuation Act of 1864 from the salary of Thomas Kelly, late Station-master, Rooty Hill | | | 16 |
| | | Gratuity to Mr. G. W. Townsend on his retirement from the service, consequent upon the abolition of his office as District Engineer, being at the rate of one month's pay for each year of service... .. | | | 539 |
| | | Other Votes of 1888 | 3,907 | | |
| | | TOTAL £ | 6,907 | | 4,280 |

V.

Public Instruction.

SUMMARY.

| Page. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
|--------|--|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | | £ | £ |
| 64-66 | Public Instruction | 573,788 | 592,788 |
| 67 | Public Schools Cadet Corps | 830 | 780 |
| 67, 68 | Industrial Schools | 8,236 | 8,266 |
| 68 | Observatory | 4,324 | 4,324 |
| 69 | Museum | 5,270 | 6,270 |
| 69 | Technological Museum | 3,400 | 3,500 |
| 69, 70 | Free Public Library | 6,847 | 7,947 |
| 70 | Church and School Lands | 2,470 | 2,170 |
| 71 | Grants in aid of Public Institutions | 52,550 | 58,100 |
| 71 | Miscellaneous Services | 90 | 1,374 |
| | | £ 657,755 | 685,519 |
| | <i>Deduct School Lands Estimate, as the amount is payable out of the moneys at the credit of the Church and School Lands Account Fund</i> | 2,410 | 2,170 |
| | TOTAL | £ 655,345 | 683,349 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1883.

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

| No. of Persons. | | No. V.—PUBLIC INSTRUCTION. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|---------|---------------------------|--------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Public Instruction, under the Act 43 Vic. No. 23. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Minister of Public Instruction | 1,500 | 1,500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Under Secretary | 960 | 960 | |
| | | | 2,460 | | 2,460 |
| | | MINISTERIAL OFFICE. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk | 650 | 650 | |
| 1 | 1 | First Clerk | 440 | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk, Statistical | 390 | 390 | |
| 4 | 2 | Clerks, at £350 | 1,400 | 700 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 323 | 325 | |
| 3 | 3 | Clerks—1 at £290, and 2 at £265 | 816 | 820 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 261 | 265 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 208 | 210 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 165 | 165 | |
| 8 | 6 | Junior Clerks—5 at £115, and 1 at £90... .. | 870 | 665 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 160 | 160 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 145 | 145 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 80 | 80 | |
| ... | ... | Wages for Male and Female Servants employed to clean Offices of the Department | 300 | 300 | |
| | | | 6,208 | | 5,315 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 440 | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 240 | 240 | |
| | | | 680 | | 680 |
| | | ACCOUNT BRANCH. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | 550 | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Accountant | 390 | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | First Clerk | 340 | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 315 | 315 | |
| 4 | 4 | Clerks—1 at £210, 1 at £190, and 2 at £165 | 728 | 730 | |
| 1 | 2 | Clerks—1 at £140, and 1 at £140 ^a | 140 | 280 | |
| 4 | 3 | Junior Clerks—1 at £115, and 2 at £75 | 393 | 265 | |
| | | | 2,856 | | 2,870 |
| | | PAY BRANCH. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Cashier | 500 | 500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Cashier | 265 | 265 | |
| 3 | 3 | Junior Clerks—1 at £115 ^b , 1 at £95, and 1 at £75 ^c | 235 | 235 | |
| | | | 1,000 | | 1,050 |
| | | EXAMINERS' BRANCH. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Examiner | 750 | 750 | |
| 1 | 1 | Examiner | 650 | 650 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 650 | 650 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 225 | 230 | |
| | | | 2,275 | | 2,280 |
| 51 | 47 | Carried forward | £ | 15,479 | 14,655 |

^a A salary of £140 per annum, transferred from the Chief Inspector's Branch to the Account Branch. A salary of £130, transferred from Account Branch to Chief Inspector's Branch. ^b A salary of £115, transferred from Ministerial Office to Pay Branch. ^c A salary of £75, transferred from Ministerial Office to Pay Branch.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

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| No. of Persons. | | No. V.—PUBLIC INSTRUCTION. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Public Instruction, under the Act 43 Vic. No. 23—continued. | | | |
| 51 | 47 | Brought forward | | 15,479 | 14,655 |
| | | CHIEF INSPECTOR'S BRANCH. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Inspector of Schools | 750 | 750 | |
| 1 | 1 | Deputy Chief Inspector | 650 | 650 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk | 550 | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 348 | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 319 | 325 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 277 | 280 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 257 | 260 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 200 | 200 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks, 1 at £165, and 1 at £130* | 330 | 295 | |
| 4 | 4 | Junior Clerks, at £115 | 460 | 460 | |
| 3 | 3 | Junior Clerks, 2 at £90†, and 1 at £75 | 235 | 255 | |
| 1 | 1 | Metropolitan District Inspector | 650 | 650 | |
| 8 | 8 | 7 District Inspectors at £600, and 1 at £550 | 4,750 | 4,750 | |
| 23 | 23 | Inspectors, 2 at £550, 7 at £500, 4 at £490, 2 at £450, 6 at £390, 1 at £370, and 1 at £350 | 10,520 | 10,520 | |
| 20 | 15 | School Attendance and Payments Officers, at £220 | 4,400 | 3,300 | |
| 2 | 2 | Do do at £210 | 420 | 420 | |
| 3 | 3 | Do do at £200 | 600 | 600 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 60 | 60 | |
| | | | 25,776 | 24,675 | |
| | | FORT-STREET TRAINING SCHOOL. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Principal | 450 | 450 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant | 350 | 350 | |
| ... | 1 | Do | ... | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger, Fort-street | 140 | 140 | |
| | | | 940 | 1,140 | |
| | | HURLSTONE TRAINING SCHOOL. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Lady Principal | 300 | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | ... | Teacher of French | 150 | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Matron | 125 | 125 | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Teachers | 250 | 150 | |
| ... | ... | Servants' Wages | 250 | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Gardener and Caretaker | 100 | 100 | |
| ... | ... | Cookery Instruction | 100 | 100 | |
| | | | 1,675 | 1,425 | |
| 135 | 126 | Carried forward | | 48,870 | 41,895 |

* A salary of £165 transferred from Chief Inspector's Branch to Architect's Branch: a salary of £130 transferred from Account Branch to Chief Inspector's Branch. † A salary of £80 transferred from Ministerial Office.

| No. of Persons. | | No. V.—PUBLIC INSTRUCTION. | | | |
|--|------|--|--|------------------------|---------------------------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Public Instruction, under the Act 43 Vic. No. 23—continued. | | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| | | | | £ | £ |
| 135 | 126 | Brought forward | | 43,870 | 41,895 |
| ARCHITECT'S BRANCH. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Architect for Public Schools | | 650 | 650 |
| 1 | 1 | Principal Draftsman | | 390 | 390 |
| 2 | 2 | Draftsmen, at £265 | | 530 | 530 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | | 265 | 265 |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks 1 at £165 ^a , and 1 at £140 | | 280 | 305 |
| 3 | 3 | Junior Draftsmen, 1 at £140, 1 at £103, and 1 at £90... .. | | 333 | 333 |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks of Works, at £390 | | 780 | 780 |
| 2 | 2 | Do. at £290... .. | | 580 | 580 |
| 4 | 4 | Do. at £240... .. | | 960 | 960 |
| | | | | 4,768 | 4,793 |
| 1 | 1 | Superintendent of Music | | 400 | 400 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Drawing | | 100 | 400 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Drill | | 250 | 250 |
| | | | | 750 | 1,050 |
| | | | | 49,388 | 47,738 |
| TEACHERS' SALARIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims, and in accordance with the provisions of the Civil Service Act providing for the payment of Teachers under the Rules and Regulations of the Public Instruction Act of 1880.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Teachers | | 425,000 | 415,000 |
| | | Sewing-mistresses | | 7,000 | 7,000 |
| | | | | 432,000 | 452,000 |
| | | SALARIES | | £ 481,388 | 499,738 |
| | | HIGH SCHOOLS... .. | | 6,000 | 7,000 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims and nature of service.)</i> | | | | | |
| Examiner's Branch— | | | | | |
| | | Rent | | 100 | 100 |
| | | Examination Fees, Drawing, Music, French | | 100 | 100 |
| Chief Inspector's Branch— | | | | | |
| | | Inspectors' and School Attendance Officers' Travel-ling Expenses | | 6,250 | 6,250 |
| | | Rent of District Offices | | 250 | 250 |
| | | Allowance to Students in Training, Fort-street | | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| | | Maintenance of Hurlstone Training School... .. | | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| Architect's Branch— | | | | | |
| | | Architect's and Clerk of Works' Travelling Expenses | | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| | | School Books, Printing, Stationery, &c. | | 10,000 | 10,000 |
| | | New Public School Buildings and Residences | | 20,000 | 20,000 |
| | | Additions and Repairs to Schools and Teachers' Resi-dences, Furniture for Schools, and Weather-sheds... .. | | 20,000 | 20,000 |
| | | Sites for Schools | | 8,000 | 8,000 |
| | | Rent of Premises for Schools and Teachers' Residences | | 9,000 | 8,000 |
| | | Teachers' Forage Allowance | | 1,000 | 1,500 |
| | | Teachers' Travelling Expenses | | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| | | Advertising | | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| | | Extra Clerical Assistance... .. | | 800 | 800 |
| | | Contingencies | | 1,300 | 1,300 |
| | | Cookery Instruction—Miscellaneous | | 50 | 250 |
| | | Fuel allowance | | 500 | 500 |
| | | | | 86,350 | 86,050 |
| 156 | 147 | TOTAL | | £ 573,738 | 592,788 |

^a. A salary of £165 transferred from Chief Inspector's Branch to Architect's Branch. A salary of £140 transferred from Architect's Branch to the Account Branch.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

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| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|--|------|---|--------------------|---------------------------|-------|
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Public School Cadet Corps. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Officer-in-charge | 350 | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Instructor to Artillery Cadet Corps | 46 | 46 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Public School Cadet Corps | 144 | 144 | |
| | | | 540 | | 540 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 150 | 150 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of Quarters for Officer-in-charge | 90 | 90 | |
| | | For purchase of a "Challenge Shield" | 50 | ..... |  |
| | | | 290 | | 240 |
| 3 | 3 | TOTAL | £ | 830 | 780 |
| Industrial Schools. | | | | | |
| NAUTICAL SCHOOL SHIP "VERNON." | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Commander | 450 | 450 | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | ^a | ^a | |
| 1 | 1 | Lieutenant | 215 | 215 | |
| 1 | 1 | Schoolmaster | 208 | 208 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do Assistant | 100 | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | Second Officer | 160 | 160 | |
| 1 | 1 | Carpenter | 150 | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | Boatswain | 114 | 114 | |
| 1 | 1 | Senior Seaman | 90 | 90 | |
| 3 | 3 | Seamen, at £84 | 252 | 252 | |
| 1 | 1 | General Assistant | 96 | 96 | |
| 1 | 1 | Cook and Steward | 120 | 120 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 104 | 104 | |
| 1 | 1 | Bandmaster | 120 | 120 | |
| | | | 2,179 | 2,179 | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Rations for 250 Boys, at 7d. each per diem | 2,662 | 2,662 | |
| | | Rations for Ship's Company | 150 | 150 | |
| | | School Books | 30 | 30 | |
| | | Stationery, including General Stores | 150 | 150 | |
| | | Gratuities to Good-conduct Boys, and for recreative purposes | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses and Contingencies generally .. | 50 | 50 | |
| | | Water | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Travelling Expenses, Inspector of Apprentices... .. | 100 | 100 | |
| | | | 3,342 | 3,342 | |
| | | | | 5,521 | 5,521 |
| 15 | 15 | Carried forward | £ | 5,521 | 5,521 |

^a See Medical Vote.

| No. of Persons. | | No. V.—PUBLIC INSTRUCTION. | | | |
|--|------|---|--------------------|---------------------------|-------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Industrial Schools—continued. | | | | | |
| 15 | 15 | Brought forward | | | |
| INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, PARRAMATTA. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Superintendent | 240 | 240 | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | ^a | ^a | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Superintendent | 145 | 145 | |
| 1 | 1 | Teacher | 150 | 150 | |
| 2 | 2 | Assistant Matrons, at £60... .. | 120 | 120 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk and Storekeeper | 90 | 90 | |
| 1 | 1 | Laundress | 30 | 30 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger and Carter | 75 | 75 | |
| 1 | 1 | Cook | 30 | 30 | |
| 1 | 1 | Gardener and Gatekeeper, &c. | 70 | 70 | |
| ... | 1 | Teacher of Singing ... .. | ..... | 30 | |
| | | | 950 | 980 | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | | |
| | | Rations | 1,600 | 1,600 | |
| | | School Books, Stationery, and Stamps | 30 | 30 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 115 | 115 | |
| | | Good Conduct Gratuities | 20 | 20 | |
| 10 | 11 | | 1,765 | 1,765 | |
| | | | | 2,715 | 2,745 |
| 25 | 26 | TOTAL | £ | 8,236 | 8,266 |
| Observatory. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Astronomer | 760 | 760 | |
| 1 | 1 | Astronomical Assistant | 440 | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | Meteorological Assistant | 240 | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Meteorological Observer | 145 | 145 | |
| 1 | 1 | Astronomical Observer | 270 | 270 | |
| 1 | 1 | Map Compiler | 240 | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Compositor | 150 | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | Instrument-maker | 200 | 200 | |
| 33 | 33 | Meteorological Observers—1 at £50, and 32 at £12 | 434 | 434 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger and Carpenter | 110 | 110 | |
| 1 | 1 | Person-in-charge of Newcastle Time-ball | 75 | 75 | |
| | | | | 3,064 | 3,064 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | | |
| | | Purchase of Books | 60 | 60 | |
| | | Magnetical Instruments | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Purchase and Maintenance of Instruments | 400 | 400 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 200 | 200 | |
| | | Extra Clerical Assistance as required | 300 | 300 | |
| | | Mounting Star Mapping Telescope | 200 | 200 | |
| | | | | 1,260 | 1,260 |
| 43 | 43 | TOTAL... .. | £ | 4,324 | 4,324 |

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

No. V.—PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|------------------------------|------|---|---------|---------------------------|-------|
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Museum. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Curator | 600 | 600 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant in Palaeontology | 250 | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant in Entomology | 250 | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant in Zoology | 250 | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant in Mineralogy | 220 | 220 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant in Conchology and Ethnology | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Night Watchman | 100 | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | Ticket-writer and Lithographer | 200 | 200 | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | To meet the Expenses of Opening the Museum on Sundays | 250 | 250 | |
| | | Searching for and Collecting Specimens of Natural History | 400 | 400 | |
| | | For purchase of Specimens | 350 | 350 | |
| | | For purchase of Books | 350 | 400 | |
| | | Scientific Descriptive Catalogue of the Collections in the Museum | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Additional Endowment for General Purposes | 1,000 | 1,000 | |
| | | Travelling Expenses | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Specimen Bottles | 50 | 50 | |
| | | Ethnological Collection | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Additional Attendants and Assistance in New Building | 300 | 300 | |
| | | Temporary Quarters for Curator, during alterations | 200 | 200 | |
| | | Printing | | 100 | |
| | | Cases | | 500 | |
| | | Furniture | | 150 | |
| | | Repairs to Building—Whale-shed | | 200 | |
| | | | 3,200 | | 4,200 |
| 8 | 8 | TOTAL... .. | £ | 5,270 | 6,270 |
| Technological Museum. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Curator, Lecturer, and Secretary | 300 | 400 | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | Maintenance and formation of Technological and Industrial Collection | 2,000 | 2,000 | |
| | | Purchase of Show and other Cases | 500 | 500 | |
| | | Night Watchman | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Models, Apparatus, Chemicals, &c. | 500 | 500 | |
| | | | 3,100 | | 3,100 |
| 1 | 1 | TOTAL | £ | 3,400 | 3,500 |
| Free Public Library. | | | | | |
| REFERENCE LIBRARY. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | a Principal Librarian and Secretary | 650 | 650 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Librarian and Compiler | 430 | 430 | |
| 1 | 1 | a Cataloguing Clerk | 240 | 240 | |
| | | <i>Day.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | First Attendant and Entry Clerk | 148 | 148 | |
| 1 | 1 | Second do. | 148 | 148 | |
| 1 | 1 | Third do. | 120 | 120 | |
| 1 | 1 | Attendant | 75 | 75 | |
| 1 | 1 | a Cleaner and Messenger | 160 | 160 | |
| | | <i>Night.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Overseer | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Attendant (and Printer) | 168 | 168 | |
| 1 | 1 | Fourth do. | 120 | 120 | |
| 1 | 1 | Attendant | 75 | 75 | |
| 1 | 1 | Attendant and Messenger | 60 | 60 | |
| | | | 2,594 | | 2,594 |
| 13 | 13 | Carried forward | £ | 2,594 | 2,594 |

a Allowed quarters, fuel and light.

| No. V.—PUBLIC INSTRUCTION. | | | | |
|----------------------------|------|---|-----------------------------|--------------|
| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | |
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | |
| | | | £ | £ |
| | | Free Public Library—continued. | | |
| 13 | 13 | Brought forward | 2,594 | 2,594 |
| | | LENDING BRANCH. | | |
| | | <i>Day.</i> | | |
| 1 | 1 | Librarian | 390 | 390 |
| 1 | 1 | Entry Clerk | 256 | 256 |
| 1 | 1 | Registrar for Country Libraries | 200 | 200 |
| 1 | 1 | Third Attendant | 120 | 120 |
| 1 | 1 | Attendant and Messenger | 60 | 60 |
| | | <i>Night.</i> | | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Librarian | 260 | 260 |
| 1 | 1 | First Attendant | 140 | 140 |
| 1 | 1 | Second do. | 140 | 140 |
| 1 | 1 | Attendant and Messenger | 60 | 60 |
| | | | 1,626 | 1,626 |
| 9 | 9 | | | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | |
| | | Books, Periodicals, &c., for Reference Library | 1,000 | 1,500 |
| | | Books, &c., for Lending Branch | 500 | 500 |
| | | Books for Country Libraries | 500 | 1,000 |
| | | Conveyance of Books for Country Libraries ... .. | ..... | 100 |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 100 | 100 |
| | | Fire Insurance | 27 | 27 |
| | | Expenses, including Occasional Assistance, Constable, Cleaning, Furniture, Freight, Marine Insurance, and Shipping Charges | 500 | 500 |
| | | | 2,627 | 3,727 |
| 22 | 22 | TOTAL £ | 6,847 | 7,947 |
| | | Church and School Lands. | | |
| 1 | 1 | Officer-in-charge | 490 | 490 |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector and Surveyor | 350 | 350 |
| 1 | 1 | First-class Draftsman | 280 | 280 |
| 1 | 1 | Second-class Draftsman | 200 | 200 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 100 | 100 |
| | | | 1,420 | 1,420 |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | |
| | | Rent | 300 | 300 |
| | | Survey Fees | 200 | 200 |
| | | Travelling Expenses | 200 | 200 |
| | | Commission on Sales | 300 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 50 | 50 |
| | | | 1,050 | 750 |
| 5 | 5 | TOTAL £ | 2,470 | 2,170 |

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No. V.—PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

| | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
|---|---------------------------|--------|------------------------------|--------|
| | £ | | £ | |
| Grants in aid of Public Institutions. | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | |
| Sydney University— | | | | |
| Apparatus for Medical School... .. | 400 | | 400 | |
| Scientific Apparatus | 1,000 | | 1,000 | |
| For Additions, Repairs, and Furniture | 1,500 | | 1,500 | |
| For Additional Endowment | 7,000 | | 7,000 | |
| For improving sanitary arrangements... .. | 500 | | 500 | |
| To provide for the establishment of Evening Lectures (including University Extension Lectures and Lectures in Law) | 2,000 | | 2,000 | |
| Lectures in Medical and Science Schools | 1,000 | | 1,000 | |
| Fittings for Macleay Museum... .. | 1,000 | | 1,000 | |
| Apparatus for Department of Physics | 500 | | 500 | |
| Chair of Modern Literature | 900 | | 900 | |
| Library for Chair of Modern Literature ... .. | ..... |  | 800 | |
| Towards the erection of Chemical Laboratory ... .. | ..... |  | 2,500 | |
| Technical Education | 17,000 | | 17,000 | |
| For purchase of Works of Art for the National Art Gallery | 3,000 | | 5,000 | |
| Towards the maintenance of the National Art Gallery | 2,000 | | 1,500 | |
| For Plans to complete Art Gallery... .. | 300 |  | ..... |  |
| Towards the maintenance of the Art Society of New South Wales | 500 | | 500 | |
| Linnean Society | 100 | | 100 | |
| Royal Society—Amount in proportion of £1 to every £1 raised by private contributions | 500 | | 500 | |
| Geographical Society of New South Wales—Amount in proportion of £1 to every £2 raised by private contributions | 200 | | 200 | |
| Sydney Grammar School— | | | | |
| Towards increase of salaries of Junior Teachers | 550 | | 550 | |
| Towards maintenance of Dining Hall | 50 | | 50 | |
| Head Master—Allowance for Quarters | 250 | | 250 | |
| For erection of Building, as Science Class Room ... .. | ..... |  | 850 | |
| For purchase of necessary apparatus ... .. | ..... |  | 200 | |
| Instruction to the blind—Amount in proportion of £2 to every £1 raised by private contributions | 500 | | 500 | |
| For providing Mechanics' Institutes and kindred institutions with maps, &c. | 300 | | 300 | |
| In aid of Educational Institutions, in the proportion of £1 to every £2 raised by private contributions | 10,000 | | 10,000 | |
| In aid of Buildings (Educational Institutions), on like conditions | 1,500 | | 1,500 | |
| | | 52,550 | | 58,100 |
| Miscellaneous Services. | | | | |
| Temporary Caretaker of Government Farm, Parramatta, at £7 10s. per month | 90 |  | ..... |  |
| To meet the abatement which should, in terms of Civil Service Act, be deducted from the pensions payable to officers whose services have been dispensed with—further sum ... .. | ..... |  | 224 | |
| Gratuities, at the rate of one month's pay for each year of service, to officers not entitled to pensions, whose services have been discon- tinued ... .. | ..... |  | 1,150 | |
| | | 90 | | 1,374 |
| TOTAL ... .. | £ | ..... | 52,640 | 59,474 |

VI.

Administration of Justice.

SUMMARY.

| Page. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
|--------|--|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 74 | Department of Justice | £ 7,379 | £ 7,332 |
| 75 | Master-in-Equity... .. | 2,769 | 2,964 |
| 75 | Prothonotary | 14,062 | 10,602 |
| 75 | Divorce Court | 100 | 100 |
| 76 | Curator | 1,300 | 1,350 |
| 76 | Sheriff | 21,850 | 22,113 |
| 76-77 | Bankruptcy Court | 3,171 | 2,349 |
| 77-79 | District Courts | 7,923 | 8,072 |
| 79 | Coroners | 5,180 | 5,295 |
| 80-94 | Petty Sessions | 84,166 | 84,583 |
| 94-100 | Prisons | 110,035 | 107,106 |
| 101 | Shaftesbury Reformatory for Girls | 988 | 953 |
| 101 | Patents and Copyright | 3,345 | 3,005 |
| 101 | Miscellaneous | 4,980 | 4,946 |
| | TOTAL | £ 267,248 | £ 260,770 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

| | | No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | |
|---------------------------------|------|---|--|---------------------------|-------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Department of Justice. | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Minister of Justice... | 1,500 | | |
| 1 | ... | Under Secretary ... | 960 | | |
| 1 | ... | Chief Clerk ... | 550 | | |
| | | CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH. | | 3,010 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk in Charge ... | 400 | | |
| 1 | ... | Second Clerk ... | 300 | | |
| 1 | ... | Third do. ... | 270 | | |
| 1 | ... | Fourth do. ... | 260 | | |
| 1 | ... | Fifth do. ... | 250 | | |
| 1 | ... | Sixth do. ... | 220 | | |
| 1 | ... | Seventh do. ... | 200 | | |
| | | RECORD BRANCH. | | 1,900 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk in Charge ... | 350 | | |
| 1 | ... | Second Clerk ... | 200 | | |
| 1 | ... | Third do. ... | 150 | | |
| 1 | ... | Seventh do., from 1st January to 15th February ... | 22 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. (Probationer) ... | 50 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. do. ... | 50 | | |
| | | ACCOUNT BRANCH. | | 822 | |
| 1 | ... | Accountant ... | 400 | | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk ... | 150 | | |
| | | MESSENGERS, &c. | | 550 | |
| 1 | ... | Messenger ... | 130 | | |
| 2 | ... | Assistant Messengers—1 at £85, 1 at £62 ... | 147 | | |
| 1 | ... | Housekeeper ... | 75 | | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | 352 | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | Incidental Expenses ... | 200 | | |
| | | Temporary Clerks—3 at £150 each, from 1st January ... | 450 | | |
| | | Temporary Clerk, from 16th March, at £120 ... | 95 | | |
| | | | | 745 | |
| Department of Justice. | | | | | |
| <i>(As re-arranged.)</i> | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Minister of Justice... | | | 1,500 |
| ... | 1 | Under Secretary ... | | | 960 |
| ... | 1 | Chief Clerk ... | | | 550 |
| ... | 1 | Clerk-in-charge of Correspondence ... | | | 400 |
| ... | 1 | Accountant ... | | | 400 |
| ... | 1 | Clerk-in-charge of Records ... | | | 350 |
| ... | 1 | Clerk ... | | | 300 |
| ... | 1 | Do. ... | | | 270 |
| ... | 1 | Do. ... | | | 260 |
| ... | 1 | Do. ... | | | 250 |
| ... | 1 | Do. ... | | | 220 |
| ... | 2 | Clerks, at £200 ... | | | 400 |
| ... | 1 | Clerk ... | | | 150 |
| ... | 2 | Clerks, at £100 ... | | | 200 |
| ... | 3 | Probationers, at £50 ... | | | 150 |
| ... | 3 | Messengers—1 at £130, 1 at £85, 1 at £62 ... | | | 277 |
| ... | 1 | Housekeeper ... | | | 75 |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | 6,712 |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | Incidental Expenses ... | | | 200 |
| | | Temporary Clerks, as required ... | | | 420 |
| | | | | | 620 |
| 22 | 23 | TOTAL ... | | 7,379 | 7,382 |
| Their Honors the Judges. | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | The Chief Justice | } (Provided for in Schedule A, and by Colonial Acts, ante (page). | | |
| 6 | ... | The Puisne Judges | | | |
| 7 | ... | | | | |

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| No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | | | | |
|--|------|--|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| Master in Equity. | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>a</i> Master in Equity | 1,000 | | 1,000 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | 340 | | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Second Clerk | 290 | | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Third Clerk | 200 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Fourth Clerk | 150 | | 150 | |
| ... | 1 | Fifth Clerk ... .. | ..... |  | 120 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk ... .. | ..... |  | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 114 | | 114 | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | 2,644 | | 2,914 |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | |
| | | Shorthand and Type writing for Equity Court | 50 |  | ..... |  |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 75 | | 50 | |
| | | | | 125 | | 50 |
| 7 | 9 | TOTAL | £ | 2,769 | ..... | 2,964 |
| Prothonotary. | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>a</i> Prothonotary | 750 | | 750 | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>b</i> Chief Clerk | 440 | | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | Second Clerk | 290 | | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Third Clerk | 240 | | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Fourth Clerk | 220 | | 220 | |
| 1 | 1 | Fifth Clerk | 140 | | 140 | |
| 1 | 1 | Sixth Clerk | 140 | | 140 | |
| 1 | 1 | Seventh Clerk | 140 | | 140 | |
| 1 | 1 | Eighth Clerk | 120 | | 120 | |
| 1 | 1 | Cashier and Accountant | 340 | | 340 | |
| ECCLESIASTICAL BRANCH. | | | | 2,820 | | 2,820 |
| 1 | 1 | Registrar of Probates | 340 | | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Custodian of Wills | 240 | | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Custodian and Clerk to copy Wills | 190 | | 190 | |
| JUDGES' ASSOCIATE. | | | | 770 | | 770 |
| 7 | 7 | Clerks Associate to the Judges ... .. | ..... | 1,480 | ..... | 1,600 |
| INTERPRETERS. | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | French, German, and Italian Interpreter (including Minor Courts) | 340 | | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Oriental Interpreter (including Minor Courts) | 190 | | 190 | |
| | | | | 530 | | 530 |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 120 | | 120 | |
| 1 | 1 | Office-cleaner | 62 | | 62 | |
| | | | | 182 | | 182 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | |
| | | Travelling Expenses of the Judges | 2,330 | | 2,330 | |
| | | Allowance to Witnesses attending the Supreme Court, Sydney | 5,500 | | 2,000 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 150 | | 150 | |
| | | Towards the formation of a Law Library for the use of the Supreme Court | 100 | | 100 | |
| | | Allowance to Librarian | 100 |  | ..... |  |
| | | Temporary Clerk | 100 | | 120 | |
| | | | | 8,280 | | 4,700 |
| 24 | 24 | TOTAL | £ | 14,062 | ..... | 10,602 |
| Divorce Court. | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Judge (Provided for by the Matrimonial Causes Act). | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>b</i> Registrar. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 50 | | 50 | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | |
| | | Contingencies ... .. | ..... | 50 | ..... | 50 |
| 3 | 3 | TOTAL | £ | 100 | ..... | 100 |

a The Master in Equity acts also as Master in Lunacy, with salary of £250 per annum, provided on Estimates of Colonial Secretary. *a b* The Prothonotary of the Supreme Court acts also as Registrar of Vice-Admiralty Court and of the Divorce Court, the Chief Clerk as Deputy Registrar of the Divorce Court.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

| No. of Persons. | | No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | | |
|--|------|---|-----|-----|-----|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | | |
| | | | | | | £ | | | | |
| Curator. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Curator of Intestate Estates | ... | ... | ... | 525 | | 525 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk and Accountant | ... | ... | ... | 250 | | 250 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Second Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 200 | | 200 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Third Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 150 | | 150 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Junior Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 100 | | 100 | | |
| ... | 1 | Messenger | ... | ... | ... | ..... |  | 50 | | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | 1,225 | | 1,275 | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | ... | ... | ... | ..... | 75 | 75 | 75 | |
| 5 | 6 | TOTAL | | | | £ | | 1,300 | | 1,350 |
| Sheriff. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sheriff | ... | ... | ... | 810 | | 810 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Under Sheriff | ... | ... | ... | 490 | | 490 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 340 | | 340 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Second Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 290 | | 290 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Third Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 240 | | 240 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Fourth Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 190 | | 190 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Fifth Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 165 | | 165 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sixth Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 115 | | 115 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Sheriff's Officer | ... | ... | ... | 260 | | 260 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sheriff's Officer | ... | ... | ... | 210 | | 210 | | |
| 2 | 2 | Sheriff's Officers, at £210 | ... | ... | ... | 420 | | 420 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sheriff's Officer | ... | ... | ... | 185 | | 185 | | |
| 33 | 33 | Sheriff's Officers, at £160 | ... | ... | ... | 5,280 | | 5,280 | | |
| 2 | 2 | Sheriff's Officers, at £150 | ... | ... | ... | 300 | | 300 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger and Crier | ... | ... | ... | 100 | | 100 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Office-cleaner | ... | ... | ... | 52 | | 52 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Crier and Tipstaff | ... | ... | ... | 162 | | 162 | | |
| 6 | 6 | Tipstaves to Supreme Court Judges, at £150 | ... | ... | ... | 900 | | 900 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Court-keeper, King-street | ... | ... | ... | 125 | | 125 | | |
| 3 | 3 | Court-cleaners, do | ... | ... | ... | 130 | | 130 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Court-cleaner, Darlington | ... | ... | ... | 114 | | 114 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Court-cleaner, do | ... | ... | ... | 72 | | 72 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Court-keeper, do | ... | ... | ... | 50 | | 50 | | |
| 14 | 21 | Court-keepers | ... | ... | ... | 1,400 | | 1,663 | | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | 12,400 | | 12,663 | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Travelling Expenses of the Sheriff and Under Sheriff | ... | ... | ... | 150 | | 150 | | |
| | | Allowances to Jurors attending Courts, Special Assistants, Travelling Expenses, and other Contingencies including incidental expenses | ... | ... | ... | 9,300 | | 9,300 | | |
| | | | | | | | 9,450 | | 9,450 | |
| 78 | 85 | TOTAL | | | | £ | | 21,850 | | 22,113 |
| Bankruptcy Court. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Judge in Bankruptcy (provided for by "Bankruptcy Act, 1888") | ... | ... | ... | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Registrar and Accountant | ... | ... | ... | 700 | | 700 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 340 | | 340 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Second Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 290 | | 290 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Third Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 240 | | 240 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Fourth Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 200 | | 200 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Fifth Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 150 | | 150 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Bailiff and Messenger | ... | ... | ... | 180 | | 180 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | ... | ... | ... | 104 | | 104 | | |
| 1 | ... | Court-keeper, Crier... | ... | ... | ... | 130 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 2,334 | | 2,204 | |
| 10 | 9 | Carried forward | | | | | 2,334 | | 2,204 | |

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

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| No. of Persons. | | No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | |
|--|------|---|--|---------------------------|--------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Bankruptcy Court—continued. | | | | | |
| 10 | 9 | Brought forward | | £ | 2,204 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Rent of Premises, Phillip-street, for temporary Insolvent Court | | 442 | ..... |
| | | Gratuity to Registrar in Bankruptcy for services rendered in connection with the drafting of the Bankruptcy Act and Rules thereunder | | 100 | ..... |
| | | Temporary Clerk, from 1st January | | 120 | 120 |
| | | Compiling Indices, &c. | | 150 | ..... |
| | | Incidental Expenses | | 25 | 25 |
| | | | | 837 | 145 |
| 10 | 9 | TOTAL | | £ | 3,171 |
| District Courts. | | | | | |
| METROPOLITAN AND HUNTER DISTRICT. | | | | | |
| | | Judges (provided for by Act 46 Vic. No. 16). | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Registrar, Sydney | | 550 | 550 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. do. | | 390 | 390 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | | 315 | 315 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | 290 | 290 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | 200 | 200 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | | 150 | 150 |
| 1 | 1 | Head Bailiff and Crier, Sydney | | 210 | 210 |
| 3 | 3 | Assistant Bailiffs, Sydney, at £104 | | 312 | 312 |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger, do. | | 120 | 120 |
| 1 | 1 | Office-keeper, do. | | 50 | 50 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant, do. | | 50 | 50 |
| 1 | 1 | Bailiff, Parramatta | | 50 | 50 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Windsor | | 50 | 50 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Penrith | | 50 | 50 |
| 1 | ... | Do. Campbelltown... .. | | 40 |* |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Newcastle | | 60 | 60 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Maitland | | 100 | 100 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Singleton | | 40 | 40 |
| 1 | ... | Do. Muswellbrook... .. | | 20 |* |
| 21 | 19 | | | 3,047 | 2,987 |
| SOUTHERN DISTRICT. | | | | | |
| | | Judge (provided for by Act 46 Vic. No. 16). | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Bailiff, Kiama | | 40 | 40 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Nowra | | 40 | 40 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Milton | | 30 | 30 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Bombala | | 45 | 45 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Moss Vale... .. | | 40 | 40 |
| 1 | ... | Do. Goulburn | | 40 |* |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Queanbeyan | | 40 | 40 |
| 1 | ... | Do. Cooma | | 60 | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Braidwood | | 40 | 40 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Moruya | | 30 | 30 |
| 1 | ... | Do. Wollongong | | 40 |* |
| ... | ... | Do. Eden ... .. |  | ..... | .....* |
| ... | ... | Do. Yass ... .. |  | ..... | .....* |
| 11 | 8 | | | 445 | 305 |
| 32 | 27 | Carried forward | | £ | 3,492 |
| | | | | | 3,292 |

* Salary included in that of Sheriff's Officer for District.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

| No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | | | | | |
|---|------|-----------------------------|--|------------------------|---------------------------|--------|-------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | District Courts—continued. | | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. | | |
| | | | | £ | £ | | |
| 32 | 27 | Brought forward ... .. |  | ..... | 3,492 | ..... | 3,292 |
| SOUTH-WESTERN DISTRICT. | | | | | | | |
| Judge (provided for by Act 46 Vic. No. 16). | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Bailiff, Burrowa | | 25 | | 25 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Gundagai | | 35 | | 35 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Tumut | | 25 | | 25 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Corowa | | 25 | | 25 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Grenfell | | 25 | | 25 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Hay | | 25 | |* | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Cootamundra | | 25 | | 25 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Narrandera | | 25 | | 25 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Temora | | 40 | | 40 | |
| ... | ... | Do. Young ... .. |  | ..... |  | .....* |  |
| ... | ... | Do. Wagga ... .. |  | ..... |  | .....* |  |
| ... | ... | Do. Albury ... .. |  | ..... |  | .....* |  |
| ... | ... | Do. Deniliquin... .. |  | ..... |  | .....* |  |
| 9 | 8 | | | | 250 | | 225 |
| WESTERN DISTRICT. | | | | | | | |
| Judge (provided for by Act 46 Vic. No. 16). | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Registrar, Carcoar | | 40 | | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Bailiff, Lithgow | | 30 | | 30 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Bathurst | | 25 | |* | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Carcoar | | 25 | | 25 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Cowra | | 30 | | 30 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Orange | | 45 | | 45 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Forbes | | 23 | |* | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Molong | | 40 | | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Wellington... .. | | 40 | | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Warren | | 40 | | 40 | |
| ... | ... | Do. Dubbo ... .. |  | ..... |  | .....* |  |
| ... | ... | Do. Mudgee ... .. |  | ..... |  | .....* |  |
| 10 | 8 | | | | 388 | | 290 |
| NORTH-WESTERN DISTRICT. | | | | | | | |
| Judge (provided for by Act 46 Vic. No. 16). | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Bailiff, Murrurundi | | 40 | | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Gunnedah | | 40 | | 40 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Narrabri | | 20 | |* | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Walgett | | 40 | |* | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Coonabarabran | | 40 | | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Cobar | | 40 | | 40 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Wentworth | | 20 | |* | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Balranald | | 40 | | 40 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Hillston | | 40 | | 40 | |
| ... | 1 | Do. Menindie ... .. |  | ..... |  | 20 | |
| ... | ... | Do. Silverton | |† | |* | |
| ... | ... | Do. Coonamble... .. |  | ..... |  | .....* |  |
| ... | ... | Do. Bourke ... .. |  | ..... |  | .....* |  |
| ... | ... | Do. Wilcannia ... .. |  | ..... |  | .....* |  |
| 9 | 7 | | | | 320 | | 260 |
| 60 | 50 | Carried forward | | £ | 4,400 | ..... | 4,067 |

* Salary included in that of Sheriff's Officer for District.

† Paid from Advance Account to 30th June, 1888, at £40 per annum.

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No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------|--|---|------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1888 | 1889 | District Courts—continued. | | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| 60 | 50 | | | £ | £ |
| | | Brought forward | | 4,400 | 4,067 |
| NORTHERN DISTRICT. | | | | | |
| | | Judge (provided for by Act 46 Vic. No. 16). | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Bailiff, Inverell | | 40 | 40 |
| 1 | ... | Do. Tenterfield | | 18 |* |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Emnaville | | 35 | 35 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Casino | | 40 | 40 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Taree | | 40 | 40 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Moree | | 40 | 40 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Murwillumbah | | 40 | 40 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Bingera | | 40 | 40 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Kempsey | | 40 | 40 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Macleay | | 40 | 40 |
| ... | ... | Do. Tamworth ... .. |  | ..... | .....* |
| ... | ... | Do. Arnidale ... .. |  | ..... | .....* |
| ... | ... | Do. Glen Innes ... .. |  | ..... | .....* |
| ... | ... | Do. Port Macquarie ... .. |  | ..... | .....* |
| ... | ... | Do. Grafton ... .. |  | ..... | .....* |
| ... | ... | Do. Lismore ... .. |  | ..... | .....* |
| | | | | 373 | 355 |
| | | | | 4,773 | 4,422 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | | |
| | | Travelling Expenses of Judges | | 2,100 | 2,800 |
| | | Allowances to Jurors | | 600 | 400 |
| | | Incidental and Unforeseen Expenses | | 400 | 400 |
| | | Towards the formation of a Law Library for Sydney District Court | | 50 | 50 |
| 10 | 9 | | | 3,150 | 3,650 |
| 70 | 59 | TOTAL | £ | 7,923 | 8,072 |
| Coroners. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Coroner for Metropolitan District | | 650 | 650 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk do. | | 240 | 240 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | | 120 | 120 |
| 1 | 1 | Office-cleaner | | 30 | 30 |
| | | | | 1,040 | 1,040 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | | |
| | | Fees and Travelling Expenses of Coroners and Magistrates for Inquests and Inquiries | | 2,500 | 2,000 |
| | | Burials and Incidental Expenses, Jurors' Fees, attending Murder and Manslaughter Inquests and Inquests on Fires | | 1,400 | 2,000 |
| | | Allowances to Keepers of Morgues at South Sydney and North Sydney, each at £120... .. | | 240 | 240 |
| | | Purchase of Surgical Instruments, Metropolitan District ... .. |  | ..... | 15 |
| | | | | 4,140 | 4,255 |
| 4 | 4 | TOTAL | £ | 5,180 | 5,295 |

* Salary included in that of Sheriff's Officer for District.

| No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|------|--|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| No. of Persons. | | Petty Sessions. | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | | | | |
| | | POLICE MAGISTRATES, CLERKS OF PETTY SESSIONS, &c. | | | | | | | |
| | | <i>Sydney.</i> | | | | | | | |
| 6 | 6 | Metropolitan Police Magistrates, 5 at £860, 1 at £800... | £ 5,160 | 5,355 | £ 5,100 | 5,600 | | | |
| | | Deputy Stipendiary Magistrates, as required ... | 195 | | 500 | | | | |
| | | <i>Central Police Office.</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 550 | 3,345 | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Assistant Clerk of Petty Sessions and Accountant ... | 400 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk ... | 300 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Fourth Clerk ... | 240 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Fifth do. ... | 165 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Sixth do. ... | 145 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Seventh do. ... | 144 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Deposition Clerk ... | 200 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Eighth Clerk ... | 144 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Ninth do. ... | 140 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Tenth do. ... | 140 | 2,582 | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Extra do. (for Licensing Court Business) ... | 240 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. do. ... | 200 | | | | | | |
| 2 | ... | Probationers, at £50 ... | 100 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Messenger ... | 125 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Office-keeper ... | 60 | | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Allowance to Office-keeper in lieu of quarters ... | 52 | | | | | | |
| 17 | ... | <i>Water Police Office.</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 550 | | | | 2,582 | | |
| 1 | ... | Assistant Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 440 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Third Clerk ... | 290 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Fourth do. ... | 200 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Fifth do. ... | 140 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Sixth do. ... | 140 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Seventh do. ... | 140 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Eighth do. ... | 120 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Account Clerk ... | 240 | | | | | | |
| 2 | ... | Probationers, at £50 ... | 100 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Messenger ... | 110 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Court and Office Keeper ... | 60 | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Assistant Court-keeper ... | 52 | | | | | | |
| 14 | ... | <i>Central Police Office (as re-arranged).</i> | | | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | | | | | | 700 | |
| ... | 1 | Chief Clerk and Accountant ... | | | | | | 400 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk ... | | | | | | 300 | |
| ... | 2 | Clerks, at £240 ... | | | | | | 480 | |
| ... | 2 | Do. at £200 ... | | | | | | 400 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk ... | | | | | | 165 | |
| ... | 1 | Do. ... | | 145 | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Do. ... | | 144 | | | | | |
| ... | 3 | Clerks, at £140 ... | | 420 | | | | | |
| ... | 2 | Probationers, at £75 ... | | 150 | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Messenger ... | | 125 | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Office-keeper ... | | 60 | | | | | |
| ... | 17 | <i>Water Police Office (as re-arranged).</i> | | | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | | | 700 | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Chief Clerk and Accountant ... | | | 400 | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk ... | | | 290 | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Do. ... | | | 240 | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Do. ... | | | 200 | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Do. ... | | | 170 | | | | |
| ... | 3 | Clerks, at £140 ... | | | 420 | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk ... | | | 120 | | | | |
| ... | 2 | Probationers, at £75 ... | | | 150 | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Messenger ... | | | 110 | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Court and Office-keeper ... | | 60 | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Assistant Court-keeper ... | | 52 | | | | | |
| ... | 15 | | | | 2,912 | | | | |
| 37 | 38 | Carried forward ... | £ | 11,282 | | 12,001 | | | |

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No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Petty Sessions—continued. | | | | |
| 37 | 38 | Brought forward ... | ..... | 11,282 | ..... | 12,001 |
| ... | ... | <i>Adelong.</i> Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |* | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Albury.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Howlong and Germanton) ... | 450 | | 450 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 340 | | 340 | |
| | | <i>Angledool.</i> (See Walgett.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | 790 |* | 790 |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Armidale.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Bendemeer, Uralla, and Walcha) ... | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 300 | | 300 | |
| ... | ... | <i>Araluen.</i> (See Braidwood.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | 850 |* | 850 |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Balranald.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Euston, Moulamein, and Clare) | 440 | | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 50 | | 50 | |
| ... | ... | <i>Ballina.</i> (See Lismore.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | 490 |† | 490 |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Balmain.</i> Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 340 | | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Probationer ... | 75 | | 75 | |
| ... | ... | <i>Barraba.</i> (See Bingera.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | 415 |* | 415 |
| ... | ... | <i>Barmedman.</i> (See Temora.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |* | |
| ... | ... | <i>Barrington.</i> (See Bourke.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |† | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Bathurst.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Sunny Corner) ... | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 340 | | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant do. ... | 75 | | 75 | |
| ... | ... | <i>Bateman's Bay.</i> (See Moruya.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | 965 |* | 965 |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Bega.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Candelo, Cobargo, Pambula, and Eden) ... | 440 | | 440 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | ..... | 440 | 100 | 540 |
| ... | ... | <i>Bendemeer.</i> (See Armidale.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |* | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Berrima.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Moss Vale, Mittagong, Robertson, and Picton) ... | 550 | | 550 | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | 550 |* | 550 |
| ... | ... | <i>Binalong.</i> (See Yass.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |* | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Bingera.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Barraba, Warialda, and Yetman) ... | 440 | | 440 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | ..... | 440 | 200 | 640 |
| ... | ... | <i>Blackville.</i> (See Tamworth.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |* | |
| ... | ... | <i>Blayney.</i> (See Carcoar.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |† | |
| 51 | 54 | Carried forward ... | £ | 16,222 | ..... | 17,241 |

*Allowances of £10. See Contingencies.

† Allowance of £15. See Contingencies.

‡ Allowance of £20. See Contingencies

| | | No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | | |
|-----------------|------|---|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| No. of Persons. | | Petty Sessions—continued. | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| 51 | 54 | Brought forward ... .. | ..... | 16,222 | ..... | 17,241 |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Boat Harbour (Bellinger River).</i> Clerk of Petty Sessions | 340 | | 300 | |
| ... | ... | <i>Boggabri.</i> (See Gunnedah.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | 340 |* | 300 |
| ... | 1 | <i>Bombala.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Nimitybelle, Delegate, and Wyndham) ... .. | .....† | ..... | .....† | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 200 | | 75 | |
| ... | ... | <i>Booligal.</i> (See Hay.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | 200 |* | 75 |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Bourke.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Byrock, Barrington, and Brewarrina) | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 340 | | 340 | |
| ... | 1 | <i>Braidwood.</i> †Police Magistrate (visiting Araluen, Queanbeyan, Bungendore, Micalago) ... .. | ..... | 890 | ..... | 890 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 390 | | 390 | |
| ... | ... | <i>Branston.</i> (See Maitland.) Clerk of Petty Sessions, Singleton, attends ... .. | ..... | 390 | ..... | 390 |
| 1 | ... | <i>Brewarrina.</i> (See Bourke.) Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions | 440 |  | ..... | ..... |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | ..... | 440 | 300 | 300 |
| ... | ... | <i>Broke.</i> (See Maitland.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | |* | |
| ... | 1 | <i>Broken Hill.</i> Police Magistrate ... .. | ..... |  | 500 | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 250 | | 250 | |
| ... | ... | <i>Broughton Creek.</i> (See Nowra.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | 250 |* | 750 |
| ... | ... | <i>Brunswick.</i> (See Murwillumbah.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | |* | |
| ... | ... | <i>Buckley's Crossing.</i> (See Cooma.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | |* | |
| ... | ... | <i>Bulladelah.</i> (See Stroud.) Police acting as Clerk of Petty Sessions... .. |* | |* | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Bulli.</i> (See Wollongong.) Clerk of Petty Sessions | 190 | | 190 | |
| ... | ... | <i>Bundarra.</i> (See Inverell.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | 190 |* | 190 |
| ... | ... | <i>Bungendore.</i> (See Queanbeyan.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | |* | |
| ... | ... | <i>Bungwall.</i> (See Stroud.) Police acting as Clerk of Petty Sessions... .. |* | |* | |
| ... | ... | <i>Burraga.</i> (See Trunkey.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | |* | |
| 1 | ... | <i>Burrowa.</i> (See Yass.) Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions... .. | 490 |  | ..... | ..... |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | ..... | 490 | 250 | 250 |
| 60 | 66 | Carried forward | £ | 19,412 | | 20,386 |

* Allowance of £10. See Contingencies. † Salary paid as Mining Warden

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No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|-------|---|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888. | 1889. | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Petty Sessions—continued. | | | | |
| 60 | 66 | Brought forward ... .. | ..... | 19,412 | ..... | 20,386 |
| | | <i>Byeroak.</i> (See Dubbo.) | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | ..... | .....* | ..... |
| | | <i>Camden Haven.</i> (See Kempsey.) | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | ..... | .....* | ..... |
| | | <i>Campbelltown.</i> (See Parramatta.) | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 390 | | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Camden.</i> Clerk of Petty Sessions | 200 | 390 | 200 | 390 |
| | | <i>Candelo.</i> (See Bega.) | | 200 | | 200 |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | ..... | .....* | ..... |
| | | <i>Canowindra.</i> (See Carcoar.) | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | ..... | .....* | ..... |
| | | <i>Carcoar.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Blayney, Canowindra, and Cowra) | 490 | | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 160 | | 160 | |
| | | <i>Carathool.</i> (See Hay.) | | 650 | | 650 |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | ..... | .....* | ..... |
| | | <i>Casino.</i> (See Lismore.) | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 440 | | 440 | |
| | | <i>Cassilis.</i> | | 440 | | 440 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 100 | | 100 | |
| | | <i>Cessnock.</i> (See Wollombi.) | | 100 | | 100 |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | ..... | .....* | ..... |
| | | <i>Clare.</i> (See Balranald.) | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | ..... | .....* | ..... |
| | | <i>Clarence Town.</i> (See Dungog.) | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 240 | | 240 | |
| | | <i>Cobar.</i> | | 240 | | 240 |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Nymagee and Louth) ... | 340 | | 400 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions † | 150 | | 200 | |
| | | <i>Cobargo.</i> (See Bega.) | | 490 | | 600 |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | ..... | .....* | ..... |
| | | <i>Cobborah.</i> (See Mudgee.) | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | ..... | .....* | ..... |
| | | <i>Collarenebri.</i> (See Walgett.) | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | ..... | .....* | ..... |
| | | <i>Collector.</i> (See Goulburn.) | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | ..... | .....* | ..... |
| | | <i>Condobolin.</i> (See Forbes.) | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 240 | | 240 | |
| | | <i>Cootamundra.</i> (See Wagga.) | | 240 | | 240 |
| 1 | ... | Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 440 |  | ..... |  |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | ..... | 440 | 400 | |
| 71 | 77 | Carried forward | £ | 22,602 | ..... | 23,646 |

* Allowance of £10. See Contingencies.

† Salary provided from 1st May at £200 per annum for 1888.

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| | | No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | |
|-----------------|------|---|-----|------------------------|---------------------------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Petty Sessions—continued. | | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| | | | | £ | £ |
| 71 | 77 | Brought forward | ... | 22,002 | 23,646 |
| | | <i>Coolah.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Coonabarabran.) | | | |
| | | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | * | * |
| | | <i>Coonamble.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Coonabarabran, Gilgandra, and Quambone) | ... | 390 | 450 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | 220 | 220 |
| | | <i>Coonabarabran.</i> | | 610 | 670 |
| 1 | ... | Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | 390 | ... |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | ... | 250 |
| | | <i>Cooranbong.</i> | | 390 | 250 |
| | | (See Gosford.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police Acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | * | * |
| | | <i>Cooma.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Scymour, Buckley's Crossing, and Kiandra) | ... | 450 | 450 |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | ... | 200 |
| | | <i>Copeland (Barrington River).</i> | | 450 | 650 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | 150 | 150 |
| | | <i>Coraki.</i> | | 150 | 150 |
| | | (See Lismore.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | * | * |
| | | <i>Coroivua.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions (visiting Mulwala) | ... | 390 | 390 |
| | | <i>Cowra.</i> | | 390 | 390 |
| | | (See Carcoar.) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | 300 | 300 |
| | | <i>Crookwell.</i> | | 300 | 300 |
| | | (See Goulburn.) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | 290 | 290 |
| | | <i>Cudgellico.</i> | | 290 | 290 |
| | | (See Hillston.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | * | * |
| | | <i>Cudal.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Orange.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | * | * |
| | | <i>Cudgen.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Murwillumbah.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | * | * |
| | | <i>Oundletown.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Taree.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Taree, attends | ... | * | * |
| | | <i>Dandaloo.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Dubbo.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | * | * |
| | | <i>Darlington Point.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Hay.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | * | * |
| | | <i>Delegate.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Bombala.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | * | * |
| | | <i>Deniliquin.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Moama, Mathoura, and Tocumwal) | ... | 500 | 500 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | 290 | 290 |
| | | <i>Denison Town.</i> | | 790 | 790 |
| | | (See Mudgee.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | * | * |
| | | <i>Denman.</i> | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | * | * |
| | | <i>Drake.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Tenterfield.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ... | * | * |
| 81 | 88 | Carried forward | ... | 25,972 | 27,136 |

* Allowance of £10. See Contingencies.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

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NO. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

| No. of Persons. | | Petty Sessions—continued. | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|---|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| 81 | 88 | Brought forward ... .. | ..... | 25,972 | ..... | 27,136 |
| 1 | ... | <i>Dungog.</i> Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions | 340 |  | ..... |  |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | ..... |  | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Dubbo.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Obley, Warren, Girilambone, Nyngan, and Byerock) | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 350 | | 350 | |
| 1 | ... | <i>Eden.</i> (See Bega.) Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions | 440 |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 50 | | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Emmaville.</i> (See Glen Innes.) Clerk of Petty Sessions | 220 | | 220 | |
| ... | ... | <i>Euabalong.</i> (See Hillston.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | |* | |
| ... | ... | <i>Eurobodalla.</i> (See Moruya.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | |* | |
| ... | ... | <i>Euston.</i> (See Balranald.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | |* | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Forbes.</i> † Police Magistrate (visiting Parkes, Condobolin, and Marsdens) ... .. | ..... |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 340 | | 340 | |
| ... | ... | <i>Forster.</i> (See Stroud.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | |* | |
| ... | ... | <i>Germanton.</i> (See Albury.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | |* | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Gilgandra.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Cobnamble) | 50 | | 50 | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | |* | |
| ... | ... | <i>Girilambone.</i> (See Dubbo.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | |* | |
| ... | ... | <i>Gladstone.</i> (See Kempsey West.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | |* | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Glen Innes.</i> † Police Magistrate (visiting Emmaville) ... .. | ..... |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 290 | | 290 | |
| ... | ... | <i>Goodooga.</i> Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* | |* | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Gosford.</i> Police Magistrate | 450 | | 450 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 150 | | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Goulburn.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Collector, Crookwell, and Taralga) | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 390 | | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Grafton.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Lawrence, Maclean, and Ulmarra) | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 490 | | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Grenfell.</i> (See Young.) Clerk of Petty Sessions | 490 | | 490 | |
| 98 | 105 | Carried forward | £ | 31,672 | ..... | 32,446 |

* Allowance of £10. See Contingencies. † Paid as Mining Warden.

| | | No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | |
|----------------|------|------------------------------------|--|---------------------------|--------|
| No of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Petty Sessions—continued. | | | |
| 98 | 105 | | | | |
| | | | Brought forward | 31,672 | 32,446 |
| | | | <i>Gresford.</i> (See Maitland.) Clerk of Petty Sessions from Paterson attends | | |
| | | | <i>Greta.</i> (See Maitland.) Clerk of Petty Sessions from Singleton attends... .. | | |
| | | | <i>Gulgong.</i> (See Mudgee.) Clerk of Petty Sessions | 240 | 240 |
| 1 | 1 | | <i>Gundagai.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Tumut and Adelong) | 410 | 440 |
| 1 | 1 | | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | 200 |
| | | | <i>Gunnedah.</i> (See Narrabri.) Police Magistrate | 440 | |
| 1 | ... | | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 200 | 200 |
| | | | <i>Gunning.</i> (See Yass.) Clerk of Petty Sessions | 250 | 150 |
| 1 | 1 | | <i>Gundaroo.</i> (See Queanbeyan.) Police Acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | * |
| ... | ... | | <i>Hargraves.</i> (See Hill End.) Police Acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | * |
| ... | ... | | <i>Hay.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Booligal, Darlington Point, Carrathool, and Oxley) | 500 | 500 |
| 1 | 1 | | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 390 | 390 |
| | | | <i>Hill End.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Tambaroora, Hargraves, and Sofala) | 490 | 490 |
| ... | 1 | | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | 150 |
| | | | <i>Hillston.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Euabalong, Mount Hope, Cudgellico, and Mossgiel) | 390 | 450 |
| 1 | 1 | | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 190 | 190 |
| | | | <i>Howlong.</i> (See Albury.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | * |
| ... | ... | | <i>Inverell.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Tingha and Bundarra) | | † |
| 1 | 1 | | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 370 | 370 |
| | | | <i>Ivanhoe.</i> (See Wilcannia.) Police acting as Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | * |
| ... | ... | | <i>Jerilderie.</i> (See Narrandera.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | * |
| ... | ... | | <i>Jerry's Plains.</i> (See Maitland.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | * |
| ... | ... | | <i>Jugiong.</i> (See Gundagai.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | * |
| ... | ... | | <i>Kangaroo Valley.</i> (See Nowra.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | * |
| ... | ... | | <i>Katoomba.</i> (See Lithgow.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | * |
| 109 | 118 | | Carried forward | 35,572 | 36,216 |

* Allowance of £10. See Contingencies.

† Paid as Mining Warden.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

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| No. of Persons. | | NO. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | |
|-----------------|------|---|----------|---------------------------|-------|
| 1888 | 1889 | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Petty Sessions—continued. | | | |
| 109 | 118 | Brought forward | £ 35,572 | £ 36,216 | |
| | | <i>Kempsey (West.)</i> | | | |
| | | (See Nowra.) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Gladstone, Boatharbour, Nambuccera, Camden Haven, and Port Macquarie ...) | 490 | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 340 | 340 | |
| | | <i>Kiama.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Shellharbour) | 500 | 450 | 830 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 250 | 250 | |
| | | <i>Kiandra.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Cooma.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* |* | |
| | | <i>Lambton.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Waratah.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Clerk of Petty Sessions from Waratah attends .. | ..... | ..... |  |
| | | <i>Lawrence.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Grafton.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* |* | |
| | | <i>Leichhardt.</i> | | | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | 200 | |
| | | <i>Lismore.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Casino, Ballina, Wardell, and Coraki) | 490 | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 340 | 340 | |
| | | <i>Lithgow.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Wallerawang and Katoomba) | 440 | 440 | 830 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 150 | 150 | |
| | | <i>Liverpool.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Parramatta.) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 200 | 200 | 590 |
| | | <i>Loftus.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Wagga Wagga.) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 240 | 240 | 200 |
| | | <i>Louth.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Cobar.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* |* | |
| | | <i>Macleay.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Grafton.) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 180 | 180 | |
| | | <i>Maitland.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Singleton, Morpeth, Paterson, Branxton, Greta, Broke and Jerry's Plains) | 550 | 550 | 180 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions (acts also at Morpeth)... | 490 | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Clerk of Petty Sessions | 140 | 140 | |
| 1 | ... | Messenger | 50 | ..... |  |
| | | <i>Manilla.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Tamworth.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* |* | 1,280 |
| | | <i>Marengo.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Young.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* |* | |
| | | <i>Marsden's.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Forbes.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* |* | |
| | | <i>Marulan.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Goulburn.) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 190 | 190 | |
| | | <i>Mathoura. (Redbank.)</i> | | | |
| | | (See Deniliquin.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* |* | 190 |
| | | <i>Menindie.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Wilcannia.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* |* | |
| 125 | 134 | Carried forward | £ 40,612 | £ 41,356 | |

* Allowance of £10. See Contingencies. † Paid as Mining Warden.

| No. of Persons. | | No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|-----------------|------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| | | PETTY SESSIONS—continued. | | | | | |
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | | £ | | £ | |
| 125 | 134 | <i>Merriva.</i> | Brought forward | ..... | 40,612 | ..... | 41,356 |
| | | (See Muswellbrook.) | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | 240 | | 240 | 240 |
| | | <i>Micalago.</i> | | | 240 |* | 240 |
| | | (See Queanbeyan.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | .....* |  | .....* |  |
| | | <i>Millie.</i> | | | | | |
| | | (See Narrabri.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | .....* |  | .....* |  |
| | | <i>Milparinka.</i> | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Tibooburra) | ..... | .....† |  | .....† |  |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | ..... |  | 150 | |
| | | <i>Milton.</i> | | | | | 150 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | 340 | | 320 | 320 |
| | | <i>Mittagong.</i> | | | 340 | | 320 |
| | | (See Berrima.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | .....* |  | .....* |  |
| | | <i>Moama.</i> | | | | | |
| | | (See Deniliquin.) | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions (acting) | ..... | 200 | | 200 | 200 |
| | | <i>Mogil Mogil.</i> | | | 200 | | 200 |
| | | (See Walgett.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | .....* |  | .....* |  |
| | | <i>Molong.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | 340 |  | ..... |  |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | ..... |  | 300 | |
| | | <i>Moree.</i> | | | 340 | | 300 |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Millie) | ..... | 890 | | 400 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | ..... |  | 200 | |
| | | <i>Morpeth.</i> | | | 390 | | 600 |
| | | (See Maitland.) | | | | | |
| | | (Clerk of Petty Sessions Maitland attends) | ..... | ..... |  | ..... |  |
| | | <i>Moruya.</i> | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Nelligen, Bateman's Bay, and Eurobodalla) | ..... | .....† |  | .....† |  |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | 320 | | 320 | 320 |
| | | <i>Morangwell.</i> | | | 320 | | 320 |
| | | (See Temora.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | .....* |  | .....* |  |
| | | <i>Mossgiel.</i> | | | | | |
| | | (See Hillston.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | .....* |  | .....* |  |
| | | <i>Moss Vale.</i> | | | | | |
| | | (See Berrima.) | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | 240 | | 240 | 240 |
| | | <i>Moulamein.</i> | | | 240 | | 240 |
| | | (See Balranald.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | .....* |  | .....* |  |
| | | <i>Mount Hope.</i> | | | | | |
| | | (See Hillston.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | .....* |  | .....* |  |
| | | <i>Mount M'Donald.</i> | | | | | |
| | | (See Trunkey.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | .....* |  | .....* |  |
| | | <i>Mudgee.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Wollar, Gulgong, Cobborah, Denison Town, and Coolah) | ..... | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | 440 | | 440 | 990 |
| | | <i>Mulwala.</i> | | | 990 | | 990 |
| | | (See Corowa.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | .....* |  | .....* |  |
| | | <i>Murrurundi.</i> | | | | | |
| | | (See Muswellbrook.) | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | 440 |  | ..... |  |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | ..... | ..... |  | 250 | 250 |
| | | | | | 440 | | |
| 135 | 148 | Carried forward | ..... | £ | 44,112 | | 44,966 |

* Allowance of £10. See Contingencies.

† Paid as Mining Warden.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

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NO. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
|-----------------|------|---|--|--|--------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1888 | 1889 | Petty Sessions—continued. | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| | | | | | £ | £ | |
| | | Brought forward | | | | 44,112 | 44,966 |
| | | <i>Murrumburrah.</i> | | | | | |
| | | (See Young.) | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | | 290 | 290 | |
| | | <i>Murwillumbah.</i> | | | | 290 | 290 |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Cudgen and Brunswick) | | | 390 | 400 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | | ... | 200 | |
| | | <i>Muswellbrook.</i> | | | | 390 | 600 |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visits Scone, Murrurundi, Denman, Cassilis, and Merriwa) | | | 390 | 400 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | | ... | 200 | |
| | | <i>Nambucca.</i> | | | | 390 | 600 |
| | | (See Kempsey.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | | |* |* | |
| | | <i>Narrandera.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Jerilderie and Urana) | | | 490 | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | | 250 | 250 | |
| | | <i>Narrabri.</i> | | | | 740 | 740 |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Wee Waa, Pilliga, Boggabri, Gunnedah, and Tamba Springs) | | | 450 | 450 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | | 50 | 100 | |
| | | <i>Nelligen.</i> | | | | 500 | 550 |
| | | (See Moruya.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | | |* |* | |
| | | <i>Newcastle.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate | | | 650 | 650 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | | 390 | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Clerk of Petty Sessions | | | 265 | 265 | |
| 1 | ... | Messenger | | | 60 | ... | |
| | | <i>Newtown.</i> | | | | 1,365 | 1,265 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | | 340 | 340 | |
| 1 | 2 | Assistant Clerks at £150 | | | 170 | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Probationer | | | 75 | 75 | |
| ... | 1 | Probationer | | | ... | 50 | |
| | | <i>Nimitybelle.</i> | | | | 585 | 765 |
| | | (See Bombala.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | | |* |* | |
| | | <i>Nowra.</i> | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Kangaroo Valley and Broughton Creek) | | | ... | 400 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | | 320 | 200 | |
| | | <i>Nundle.</i> | | | | 320 | 600 |
| | | (See Tamworth.) | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | | 129 | 140 | |
| ... | 1 | Assistant Clerk of Petty Sessions† | | | ... | ... | |
| | | <i>Nymagee.</i> | | | | 129 | 140 |
| | | (See Cobar.) | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | | 200 | 200 | |
| | | <i>Nynqan.</i> | | | | 200 | 200 |
| | | (See Dubbo.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | | |* |* | |
| | | <i>Oberon.</i> | | | | | |
| | | (See Trunkey.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | | |* |* | |
| | | <i>Obley.</i> | | | | | |
| | | (See Dubbo.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | | |* |* | |
| | | <i>Orange.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Cudal and Molong) | | | 490 | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | | 370 | 370 | |
| 1 | 1 | Probationer | | | 50 | 75 | |
| | | <i>Oxley.</i> | | | | 910 | 935 |
| | | (See Hay.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | | |* |* | |
| 155 | 173 | Carried forward | | | | 49,931 | 51,651 |

* Allowance of £10. See Contingencies.

† Paid £10 per annum from Contingencies.

| No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|------|---|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Petty Sessions—continued. | | | |
| 155 | 173 | Brought forward | | £ | 51,651 |
| | | <i>Panbula.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Bega.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | .....* | ..... |
| | | <i>Paddington.</i> | | | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | ..... | 200 | ..... |
| | | <i>Parke.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Forbes.) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 390 | 390 | 390 |
| | | <i>Parramatta.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Ryde, Liverpool, Campbelltown, and Camden) | 600 | 500 | 390 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 440 | 440 | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | Probationer | 50 | 75 | ..... |
| | | <i>Paterson.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Maitland.) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions (visiting Gresford) | 250 | 250 | 1,015 |
| | | <i>Penrith.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate | 390 | 390 | 250 |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | ..... | 100 | ..... |
| | | <i>Picton.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 190 | 190 | 490 |
| | | <i>Pilliga.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Narrabri.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* |* | 190 |
| | | <i>Pooncarie.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Wentworth.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | .....* | ..... |
| | | <i>Port Macquarie.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Kempsey.) | | | |
| 1 | ... | Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions | 390 | ..... | ..... |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | ..... | 390 | ..... |
| | | <i>Purnamoota.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Silverton.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* |* | 390 |
| | | <i>Quambone.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Coonamble.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | .....* | ..... |
| | | <i>Queanbeyan.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Braidwood.) | | | |
| 1 | ... | Police Magistrate | 490 | ..... | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 50 | 100 | 100 |
| | | <i>Quirindi.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Tamworth.) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 220 | 220 | 220 |
| | | <i>Raymond Terrace.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions (visiting Clarence Town) | 340 | 340 | 340 |
| | | <i>Redfern.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 340 | 340 | 340 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Clerk of Petty Sessions | 190 | 190 | ..... |
| ... | 1 | Probationer ... .. | ..... | 50 | ..... |
| | | <i>Richmond.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Windsor.) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 115 | 115 | 580 |
| | | <i>Robertson.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Berrima.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police Acting Clerk of Petty Sessions |* |* | 115 |
| | | <i>Rockley.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Trunkey.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... .. | .....* | .....† | ..... |
| | | <i>Rylstone.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 340 | 340 | ..... |
| | | Carried forward | | | |
| 171 | 191 | £ | 54,716 | 56,271 | |

* Allowance of £10. See Contingencies. † Allowance of £20. See Contingencies

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| No. of Persons. | | No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | |
|-----------------|------|---|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Petty Sessions—continued. | | | |
| 171 | 191 | Brought forward... | | £ | 56,271 |
| | | <i>Ryde.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Parramatta.) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 240 | 240 | 240 |
| | | <i>Scone.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Muswellbrook.) | | | |
| 1 | ... | Police Magistrate ... | 490 | ... | ... |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 240 | 240 | 240 |
| | | <i>Seymour.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Cooma.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | * | * | ... |
| | | <i>Shellharbour.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Kiama.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | * | * | ... |
| | | <i>Silverton.</i> | | | |
| ... | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Parnamoota) ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 1 | ... | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 100 | ... | ... |
| 1 | 1 | Do ... | 225 | 300 | ... |
| | | <i>Singleton.</i> | | | |
| 1 | ... | Police Magistrate ... | 490 | ... | 300 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions (acts also at Branxton and Greta) ... | 300 | 300 | ... |
| | | <i>Sofala.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Hill End.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | * | * | ... |
| | | <i>St. Alban's (Macdonald River.)</i> | | | |
| | | (See Wollombi.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | * | * | ... |
| | | <i>St. Leonards.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 340 | 340 | ... |
| 1 | 1 | Probationer ... | 75 | 75 | ... |
| | | <i>Stuart Town.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Wellington.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | * | * | ... |
| | | <i>Stroud.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Dungog, Bulladelah, Forster, Bungwall, and Tea Gardens) ... | 290 | 290 | ... |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions (b) ... | ... | 100 | ... |
| | | <i>Sunny Corner (Mitchell.)</i> | | | |
| | | (See Bathurst.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | * | † | ... |
| | | <i>Tamba Springs.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Narrabri.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | * | * | ... |
| | | <i>Tamworth.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Nundle, Wallabadah, Manilla, Quirindi, and Blackville) ... | 550 | 500 | ... |
| 1 | ... | Clerk of Petty Sessions (a) ... | 250 | ... | ... |
| ... | 1 | Assistant Clerk of Petty Sessions... .. | ... | 200 | ... |
| | | <i>Tambaroora.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Hill End.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | * | * | ... |
| | | <i>Taralga.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Goulburn.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting as Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | * | * | ... |
| | | <i>Taree.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions (visiting Wingham and Cundletown) ... | 440 | 440 | 440 |
| | | <i>Tea Gardens.</i> | | | |
| | | (See Stroud.) | | | |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | * | * | ... |
| | | <i>Temora.</i> | | | |
| ... | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Barmedman and Moran-parrell) ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 250 | 250 | 250 |
| | | Carried forward ... | | | |
| 186 | 205 | £ | 58,996 | 59,516 | |

* Allowance of £10. See Contingencies. † Allowance of £15. See Contingencies. ‡ Paid as Mining Warden. (a) Holds the combined offices, C.P.S. at Tamworth and Nundle. Salary provided for latter office. (b) Paid by Lands Department for 1888.

| | | NO. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | |
|-----------------|------|------------------------------------|---|---------------------------|--------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Petty Sessions—continued. | | | |
| 186 | 205 | | Brought forward | 58,996 | 59,546 |
| ... | 1 | | <i>Tenterfield.</i> ‡ Police Magistrate (visiting Wilson's Downfall and Drake)... | | |
| 1 | 1 | 390 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 390 | 390 |
| ... | ... | | <i>Tibooburra.</i> (See Milparinka.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | * |
| 1 | 1 | 240 | <i>Tingha.</i> (See Inverell.) Clerk of Petty Sessions | 240 | 240 |
| ... | ... | | <i>Tocumwal.</i> (See Deniliquin.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | * |
| ... | ... | | <i>Trunkey.</i> ‡ Police Magistrate (visiting Tuena, Mount M'Donald, Burraga, Oberon, and Rockley) | | |
| ... | 1 | | Clerk of Petty Sessions (a) | | 25 |
| ... | ... | | <i>Tucna.</i> (See Trunkey.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | * |
| 1 | 1 | 170 | <i>Tumut.</i> (See Gundagai.) Clerk of Petty Sessions | 170 | 170 |
| 1 | ... | 440 | <i>Tumbarumba.</i> (See Wagga.) Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions | | |
| ... | 1 | | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | 300 |
| ... | ... | | <i>Umarra.</i> (See Grafton.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | * |
| 1 | 1 | 240 | <i>Uralla.</i> (See Armidale.) Clerk of Petty Sessions | 240 | 240 |
| 1 | 1 | 390 | <i>Urana.</i> (See Narrandera.) Clerk of Petty Sessions | 390 | 390 |
| 1 | 1 | 550 | <i>Wagga Wagga.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Cootamundra, Tumberumba, and Loftus) | 550 | 550 |
| 1 | 1 | 340 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 340 | 300 |
| 1 | ... | 440 | <i>Warialda.</i> (See Bingera.) Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions | | |
| ... | 1 | | Clerk of Petty Sessions | | 200 |
| 1 | 1 | 450 | <i>Walgett.</i> Police Magistrate (visiting Mogil Mogil, Angledool, and Collarenebri) | 450 | 450 |
| 1 | 1 | 240 | Clerk of Petty Sessions | 240 | 240 |
| 1 | 1 | 440 | <i>Walcha.</i> (See Armidale.) Clerk of Petty Sessions | 440 | 440 |
| ... | ... | | <i>Wallerawang.</i> (See Lithgow.) Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | * |
| ... | ... | | <i>Wallsend.</i> (See Waratah.) Clerk of Petty Sessions, Waratah, attends | | |
| ... | ... | | <i>Wanaaring (Paroo River).</i> Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions | * | † |
| 198 | 219 | £ | Carried forward | 63,326 | 63,481 |

* Allowance of £10 See Contingencies. † Allowance of £15. See Contingencies. ‡ Paid as Mining Warden. (a) Paid from Contingencies in 1888.

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No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

| No. of Persons. | | Petty Sessions—continued. | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|---|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| 198 | 219 | | £ | | £ | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | <i>Waratah.</i> Brought forward... | ..... | 63,326 | ..... | 63,481 |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Lambton, Wallsend, and Cooranbong) ... | 490 | | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions (acting; acts also at Lambton and Wallsend) ... | 240 | | 240 | |
| | | <i>Wardell (Richmond River.)</i> (See Lismore.) | | 730 | | 730 |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |* | |
| | | <i>Warren.</i> (See Dubbo.) |  | ..... |  | ..... |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |* | |
| | | <i>Wee Waa.</i> (See Narrabri.) |  | ..... |  | ..... |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |* | |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Wellington.</i> Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions (visiting Stuart Town) ... | 390 | | 390 | |
| | | <i>Wentworth.</i> | | 390 | | 390 |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Pooncarie) ... | 300 | | 400 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | ..... |  | 150 | |
| | | <i>Wilson's Downfall.</i> (See Tenterfield.) | | 300 | | 550 |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |* | |
| | | <i>Wilcannia.</i> |  | ..... |  | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Menindie and Ivanhoe) ... | 440 | | 440 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | ..... |  | 250 | |
| | | <i>Wingham.</i> (See Taree.) | | 440 | | 690 |
| ... | ... | Clerk of Petty Sessions from Taree attends ... | ..... |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | <i>Windsor.</i> Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions (visiting Richmond) ... | 440 | | 440 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | ..... |  | 150 | |
| | | <i>Wollar.</i> (See Mudgee.) | | 440 | | 590 |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |* | |
| | | <i>Wollombi.</i> |  | ..... |  | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions (visiting Cessnock, and St. Alban's) ... | 350 | | 350 | |
| | | <i>Wollongong.</i> | | 350 | | 350 |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Bulli and Clifton) ... | 450 | | 450 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 170 | | 170 | |
| | | <i>Woodburn.</i> (See Lismore.) | | 620 | | 620 |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |* | |
| | | <i>Wyndham.</i> (See Bombala.) |  | ..... |  | ..... |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |* | |
| | | <i>Yass.</i> |  | ..... |  | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Gunning, Gundaroo, Jugiong, Binalong, and Burrowa) ... | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 220 | | 220 | |
| | | <i>Yctman.</i> (See Bingera.) | | 770 | | 770 |
| ... | ... | Police acting Clerk of Petty Sessions ... |* | |* | |
| | | <i>Young.</i> |  | ..... |  | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | Police Magistrate (visiting Grenfell, Murrumburrah, and Marengo) ... | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Petty Sessions ... | 390 | | 390 | |
| | | <i>Emergency Clerks of Petty Sessions.</i> | | 940 | | 940 |
| 3 | 3 | †1 Chief Emergency Officer at £400; 2 Emergency Officers—1 at £320, and 1 at £250... | 910 | | 970 | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector of Weights and Measures, Central Police Office... | 200 | | 300 | |
| | | | | 1,110 | | 1,270 |
| 215 | 239 | TOTAL SALARIES ... | £ | 69,416 | | 70,381 |
| | | Carried forward ... | £ | 69,416 | | 70,381 |

* Allowance of £10. See Contingencies. † Salary provided at rate of £340 for 1888.

| No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|------|---|----------|---------------------------|----------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | Petty Sessions—continued. | | | |
| 215 | 238 | £ | 69,416 | £ | 70,381 |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | Travelling Expenses of Police Magistrates | 4,700 | 4,500 | |
| | | Allowances to Court-house Keepers | 2,700 | 2,400 | |
| | | Fees to Interpreters | 150 | 100 | |
| | | Rent of Court-houses | 1,300 | 1,300 | |
| | | Fuel, Light, and Water | 700 | 600 | |
| | | Bailiffs, Small Debts Courts | 450 | 650 | |
| | | Allowances to Police acting as Clerks of Petty Sessions | 1,850 | 1,400 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 2,100 | 2,500 | |
| | | Allowances to Witnesses attending Courts of Petty Sessions | 600 | 500 | |
| | | Rent of Premises for Office of Inspector of Weights and Measures | 200 | 200 | |
| | | * Allowance to Officekeeper, Central Police Office, in lieu of quarters | ..... | 52 | |
| | | | 14,750 | | 14,202 |
| 215 | 238 | TOTAL | £ 84,166 | | £ 84,583 |
| | | Prisons. | | | |
| 1 | ... | Comptroller-General | 860 | | |
| 1 | ... | Deputy Comptroller and Chief Clerk | 400 | | |
| 1 | ... | First Clerk and Accountant | 300 | | |
| 1 | ... | Second Clerk | 200 | | |
| 1 | ... | Third Clerk | 175 | | |
| 1 | ... | Fourth Do. | 120 | | |
| 1 | ... | Junior Do. | 75 | | |
| 1 | ... | Messenger | 120 | | |
| 1 | ... | Housekeeper | 25 | | |
| 9 | ... | | 2,275 | | |
| | | SYDNEY GAOL. | | | |
| 1 | ... | Governor | 575 | | |
| 1 | ... | Visiting Justice | 200 | | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon |a | | |
| ... | ... | Dispenser |a | | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | 340 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | 198 | | |
| 3 | ... | Do. 2 at £75 and 1 at £50 | 200 | | |
| 1 | ... | Schoolmaster | 240 | | |
| ... | ... | Chief Warder |* | | |
| ... | ... | Senior Warder |* | | |
| ... | ... | Warders in charge |* | | |
| ... | ... | Warders |* | | |
| ... | ... | Do. |* | | |
| ... | ... | Overseer |* | | |
| ... | ... | Do. |* | | |
| ... | ... | Messenger |* | | |
| 1 | ... | Superintendent of Female Division | 150 | | |
| ... | ... | Female Warders |* | | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | 120 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic | 120 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Presbyterian | 50 | | |
| 12 | ... | | 2,193 | | |
| 21 | ... | Carried forward | £ 4,468 | | |

* Provided on Salaries, under Central Police Compt., for 1888.

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| No. of Persons. | | No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----------------------------|-------|---------------------------|--|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | Prisons—continued. | | | | £ | | £ | |
| 21 | | Brought forward... | | | | ... | 4,468 | | |
| | | PARRAMATTA GAOL. | | | | | | | |
| 1 | .. | Visiting Justice | ... | ... | ... | 100 | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | ... | ... | ... | 388 | | | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | ... | ... | ... | 20 | | | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | ... | ... | ... |a | | | |
| 1 | ... | Schoolmaster and Storekeeper | ... | ... | ... | 265 | | | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 200 | | | |
| ... | ... | Dispenser | ... | ... | ... |a | | | |
| ... | ... | Chief Warder | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| ... | ... | Senior Warder | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| ... | ... | Warders | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| ... | ... | Trade Overseers | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | ... | ... | ... | 60 | | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Presbyterian | ... | ... | ... | 40 | | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic | ... | ... | ... | 60 | | | |
| ... | ... | Do. Wesleyan | ... | ... | ... | 40 | | | |
| ... | ... | Messenger | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| ... | ... | Carter | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| 9 | ... | | | | | | 1,173 | | |
| | | BATHURST GAOL. | | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | ... | ... | ... | 300 | | | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | ... | ... | ... | 100 | | | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | ... | ... | ... |a | | | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk and Schoolmaster | ... | ... | ... | 174 | | | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 150 | | | |
| ... | ... | Chief Warder | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| ... | ... | Warders | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| ... | ... | Female Warder | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | ... | ... | ... | 40 | | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic | ... | ... | ... | 40 | | | |
| 6 | ... | | | | | | 804 | | |
| | | MAITLAND GAOL. | | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | ... | ... | ... | 254 | | | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | ... | ... | ... | 68 | | | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | ... | ... | ... |a | | | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk and Schoolmaster | ... | ... | ... | 200 | | | |
| ... | ... | Chief Warder | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| ... | ... | Senior Warder | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| ... | ... | Warders | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| ... | ... | Female Warders | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | ... | ... | ... | 30 | | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic | ... | ... | ... | 30 | | | |
| 5 | ... | | | | | | 582 | | |
| | | GOULBURN GAOL. | | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | ... | ... | ... | 340 | | | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | ... | ... | ... | 100 | | | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | ... | ... | ... |a | | | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 198 | | | |
| 1 | ... | Storekeeper and Schoolmaster | ... | ... | ... | 198 | | | |
| ... | ... | Chief Warder | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| ... | ... | Warders | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| ... | ... | Female Warders | ... | ... | ... |* | | | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | ... | ... | ... | 60 | | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic | ... | ... | ... | 60 | | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Presbyterian | ... | ... | ... | 40 | | | |
| 7 | ... | | | | | | 996 | | |
| 48 | | Carried forward ... | | | | £ | 8,023 | | |

See Gaols generally. a See Medical Vote

| No. of Persons. | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | |
|--------------------|------|--------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| | | | | £ | £ |
| Prisons—continued. | | | | | |
| 48 | ... | Brought forward |  | ..... | 8,023 |
| BERRIMA GAOL. | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | | 340 | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon and Dispenser | | ^a | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk and Schoolmaster | | 198 | |
| ... | ... | Chief Warder | |* | |
| ... | ... | Senior Warder | |* | |
| ... | ... | Warders | |* | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | | 100 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic... | | 100 | |
| 4 | ... | | | | 738 |
| ALBURY GAOL. | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | | 240 | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | | 48 | |
| ... | ... | Warders | |* | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | | ^a | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | | 20 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic... | | 20 | |
| 4 | ... | | | | 328 |
| WOLLONGONG GAOL. | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | | 240 | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | | 48 | |
| ... | ... | Warders | |* | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | | ^a | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | | 20 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic... | | 20 | |
| 4 | ... | | | | 328 |
| GRAFTON GAOL. | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | | 240 | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | | 48 | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | | ^a | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | | 20 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic... | | 20 | |
| 4 | ... | | | | 328 |
| MUDGE GAOL. | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | | 240 | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | | 48 | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | | ^a | |
| ... | ... | Warders | |* | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | | 20 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic | | 20 | |
| 4 | ... | | | | 328 |
| ARMIDALE GAOL. | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | | 240 | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | | 48 | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | | ^a | |
| ... | ... | Warders | |* | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | | 20 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic... | | 20 | |
| 4 | ... | | | | 328 |
| 72 | ... | Carried forward | | £ | 10,401 |

* See Gaols generally.

^a See Medical Vote.

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| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|---|------|-----------------------------|-----|---------------------------|--|
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | | | |
| Prisons—continued. | | | | | |
| 72 | ... | Brought forward | | | |
| WAGGA WAGGA GAOL. | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | 220 | | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | 48 | | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | ... | a | |
| ... | ... | Warders | ... | * | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | 20 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 308 | |
| 4 | ... | YASS GAOL. | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | 220 | | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | 48 | | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | ... | a | |
| ... | ... | Warders | ... | * | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | 20 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 308 | |
| 4 | ... | DENLIQUIN GAOL. | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | 220 | | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | 48 | | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | ... | a | |
| ... | ... | Warders | ... | * | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | 20 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 308 | |
| 4 | ... | YOUNG GAOL. | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | 240 | | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | 48 | | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | ... | a | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | 20 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 328 | |
| 4 | ... | TAMWORTH GAOL. | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | 240 | | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | 48 | | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | ... | a | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | 20 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 328 | |
| 4 | ... | HAY GAOL. | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | 240 | | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | 48 | | |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | ... | a | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | 20 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 328 | |
| 4 | ... | DUBBO GAOL. | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | 220 | | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | 48 | | |
| 2 | ... | Chaplains | 40 | | |
| | | | | 308 | |
| 4 | ... | FORBES GAOL. | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | 200 | | |
| 1 | ... | Matron | 48 | | |
| 1 | ... | Chaplain, Church of England | 20 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 288 | |
| 104 | ... | Carried forward | £ | 12,905 | |

a See Medical Vote.

* See Gaols generally

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | |
|------------------------------------|------|---|---------------------------|
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| | | £ | £ |
| No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | |
| Prisons—continued. | | | |
| 104 | ... | Brought forward | 12,905 |
| BILLOEJA GAOL. | | | |
| 1 | ... | Gaoler | 300 |
| 1 | ... | Matron | 100 |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | 198 |
| 1 | ... | Visiting Justice | 50 |
| 4 | ... | | 648 |
| POLICE GAOLS, COUNTRY DISTRICTS. | | | |
| 36 | ... | Acting Gaolers, 12 at £20, 24 at £15 | 600 |
| 36 | ... | Acting Matrons, 28 at £10, 8 at £5 | 320 |
| 6 | ... | Chaplains, Church of England, at £10 | 60 |
| 6 | ... | Do. Roman Catholic, at £10 | 60 |
| 84 | ... | | 1,040 |
| GAOLS GENERALLY. | | | |
| 1 | ... | Deputy Governor | 250 |
| 3 | ... | Deputy Gaolers, at £210 | 630 |
| 4 | ... | Chief Warders, at 10s. per diem | 732 |
| 3 | ... | Deputy Gaolers, at £200 | 600 |
| ... | ... | Do. at £174 | ... |
| 3 | ... | Senior Warders, 1st Class, 1 at 9s. 9d., and 2 at 9s. 6d. per diem | 527 |
| 16 | ... | Senior Warders, 2nd Class, at 9s. 3d. | 2,709 |
| 33 | ... | Warders, 1st Class, at 9s. do. | 5,435 |
| 23 | ... | Do. 2nd Class, at 8s. 3d. do. | 3,473 |
| 244 | ... | Do. 3rd Class, at 8s. and 6s. 6d. do. | 35,500 |
| 3 | ... | Principal Female Warders, at £105 | 315 |
| 30 | ... | Female Warders—1 at £72, and 29 at lower rates | 1,750 |
| 1 | ... | Superintendent of Prison Industries | 340 |
| 1 | ... | Storekeeper | 290 |
| 1 | ... | Overseer | 225 |
| 3 | ... | Do. at £179 | 537 |
| 11 | ... | Do. at 11s. 6d. per diem | 2,315 |
| 10 | ... | Foremen, at 9s. do. | 1,647 |
| 1 | ... | Messenger, at 8s. do. | 147 |
| 1 | ... | Do. at 7s. do. | 129 |
| 5 | ... | Carters, at 7s. do. | 641 |
| 397 | ... | | 58,192 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | |
| | | Books for Prison Libraries | 150 |
| | | For Conveyance of Prisoners | 1,100 |
| | | For Gratuities to Prisoners on their discharge from Gaols | 1,950 |
| | | For incidental expenses connected with employment of Prisoners in Gaols | 1,700 |
| | | Photography in Prisons | 30 |
| | | Unforeseen Expenses, including travelling expenses and sustenance allowance to Gaol Officers | 1,000 |
| | | Provisions, Medical Comforts, Medicinal Attendance, Fuel, Light, and Water, Incidental Expenses, Removal of Night-soil, and Allowance in lieu of Quarters | 30,200 |
| | | Rent of Office | 260 |
| | | | 36,390 |
| 589 | ... | Carried forward | 109,175 |

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

99

| No. of Persons. | | No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | |
|---------------------------------|------|---|--------------------|---------------------------|-------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Prisons—continued. | | | | | |
| 589 | | Brought forward | 109,175 | | |
| PUBLIC WORKS PRISON, TRIAL BAY. | | | | | |
| 1 | | Superintendent | 495 | | |
| 1 | | Clerk and Schoolmaster | 165 | | |
| | | | 660 | | |
| VISITING OFFICERS. | | | | | |
| | | Visiting Surgeon | ^a | | |
| 1 | | Church of England Chaplain | 100 | | |
| 1 | | Roman Catholic Chaplain | 100 | | |
| | | | 200 | | |
| 4 | | | 860 | | |
| (As rearranged.) | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Comptroller-General | | 860 | |
| ... | 1 | Deputy Comptroller and Chief Clerk | | 400 | |
| ... | 1 | First Clerk and Accountant | | 300 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk | | 200 | |
| ... | 1 | Do. | | 175 | |
| ... | 1 | Do. | | 120 | |
| ... | 1 | Do. | | 75 | |
| ... | 1 | Messenger | | 120 | |
| ... | 1 | Housekeeper | | 25 | |
| ... | 9 | | | | 2,275 |
| GAOLS GENERALLY. | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Governor of Prison | | 388 | |
| ... | 1 | Superintendent of Prison | | 450 | |
| ... | 1 | Gaoler | | 388 | |
| ... | 2 | Gaolers 1 at £254, 1 at £300 | | 554 | |
| ... | 3 | Do. 3 at £340 | | 1,020 | |
| ... | 8 | Do. 8 at £240 | | 1,920 | |
| ... | 4 | Do. 4 at £220 | | 880 | |
| ... | 2 | Do. 2 at £200 | | 400 | |
| ... | 3 | Visiting Justices—1 at £200, 1 at £100, 1 at £50 | | 350 | |
| ... | 1 | Superintendent, Female Division | | 150 | |
| ... | 19 | Matrons—3 at £100, 1 at £68, 14 at £48, 1 at £20 | | 1,060 | |
| ... | 60 | Chaplains—2 at £120, 4 at £100, 6 at £60, 2 at £50, 6 at £40, 2 at £30, 28 at £20, 12 at £10 | | 2,080 | |
| ... | 8 | Clerks—1 at £340, 1 at £250, 1 at £200, 2 at £198, 1 at £150, 2 at £75 | | 1,486 | |
| ... | 1 | Schoolmaster | | 240 | |
| ... | 2 | Schoolmaster and Storekeeper, 1 at £265, 1 at £193 | | 463 | |
| ... | 4 | Clerk and Schoolmaster, 1 at £200, 1 at £198, 1 at £165, 1 at £174 | | 737 | |
| ... | 37 | Acting Gaolers, 11 at £20, 26 at £15 | | 610 | |
| ... | 37 | Do. Matrons, 27 at £10, 10 at £5 | | 320 | |
| ... | 1 | Deputy Governor | | 250 | |
| ... | 6 | Do. Gaolers, 3 at £210, 3 at £200 | | 1,230 | |
| ... | 5 | Chief Warders, at 10s. per diem | | 913 | |
| ... | 3 | Senior do. First-class, 1 at 9s. 9d., 2 at 9s. 6d. | | 525 | |
| ... | 15 | Do. do. Second-class, at 9s. 3d. | | 2,533 | |
| ... | 33 | First-class Wardens, at 9s. | | 5,421 | |
| ... | 23 | Second do. do. at 8s. 3d. | | 3,463 | |
| ... | 251 | Third do. do. at 8s. and lower rates | | 35,500 | |
| 593 | 531 | Carried forward | 110,035 | 63,331 | 2,275 |
| | 9 | | | | |

No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE.

| No. of Persons. | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|--|-----------------------------|---------|---------------------------|---------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | Prisons—continued. | | | | | |
| 593 | 9 | Brought forward | | £ | 110,035 | £ | 2,275 |
| | 531 | | | | | | |
| | | GAOLS GENERALLY—continued. | | | | | |
| ... | 3 | Principal Female Warders, at £105 | | | | 315 | |
| ... | 30 | Female Warders, 1 at £72, 29 at lower rates | | | | 1,768 | |
| ... | 1 | Superintendent Prison Industries | | | | 340 | |
| ... | 1 | Storekeeper... .. | | | | 290 | |
| ... | 15 | Overseers, 1 at £225, 3 at £179, and 11 at 11s. 6d. per diem | | | | 3,071 | |
| ... | 10 | Foremen, at 9s. per diem | | | | 1,643 | |
| ... | 1 | Messenger, at 8s. do. | | | | 146 | |
| ... | 1 | Do. at 7s. do. | | | | 128 | |
| ... | 5 | Carters, at 7s. do. | | | | 639 | |
| | | Total Salaries | | | | | 71,671 |
| | | CONTINGENCIES— <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Books for Prison Libraries | | | | 150 | |
| | | For Conveyance of Prisoners | | | | 1,100 | |
| | | For Gratuities to Prisoners on discharge from Gaol | | | | 1,950 | |
| | | For Incidental Expenses connected with Employment of Prisoners in Gaols | | | | 2,000 | |
| | | Unforeseen expenses, including Travelling Expenses and Sustenance Allowance to Gaol Officers | | | | 700 | |
| | | Provisions, Medical Comforts, Medicinal Attendance, Fuel, Light, and Water, Incidental Expenses, Removal of Night-soil, and Allowance in lieu of Quarters | | | | 27,000 | |
| | | Rent of Office | | | | 260 | |
| | | Total | | | | | 33,160 |
| | 598 | | | | | | |
| 593 | 607 | TOTAL | | £ | 110,035 | | 107,106 |

DISTRIBUTION of Staff provided under Vote for "Gaols generally," 1888.

| Established Gaols. | Deputy Gaolers. | | | | | Chief Warders | Senior Warders. | Warders. | | | | Female Warders. | | | Overseers. | Foremen. | Messengers. | | | Carters. | Superintendent Prison Industries, £340. | Storekeeper, £200. | | |
|--------------------|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|---------------|-----------------|----------|-----|-----|-----|-----------------|-----|----|------------|----------|-------------|---|-----|----------|---|--------------------|-----|-----|
| | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | 10/- | 9/9 & 9/6 | 9/3 | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | ... | £ | £ | £ | £ | 11/6 | £ | 9/- | 8/- | | | 7/- | 7/- |
| | 250 | 210 | 200 | 183 | 174 | | | | 9/- | 8/3 | 8/- | 6/6 | 105 | 72 | 62 | 225 | 179 | | | | | | | |
| Sydney | 1 | | | | | 1 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 9 | 20 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 8 | | 4 | | 3 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | |
| Parramatta | | 1 | | | | 1 | | 1 | 7 | 2 | 29 | 2 | | | | 1 | 3 | | 1 | | 1 | | | |
| Berrima | | | 1 | | | | | 1 | 1 | 3 | 12 | 1 | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | |
| Maitland | | | | 1 | | | | 1 | 8 | 1 | 14 | 1 | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Bathurst | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | 8 | 2 | | | 3 | | 1 | | | | | | | |
| Goulburn | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | 5 | 4 | 18 | 6 | 1 | | 3 | | 1 | 2 | 1 | | 1 | | | |
| Albury | | | | | | | | 1 | | | 8 | 2 | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Armidale | | | | | | | | 1 | | 1 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Deniliquin | | | | | | | | | | | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mudgee | | | | | | | | 1 | | | 5 | | | | | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | |
| Wagga Wagga | | | | | | | | | | | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Yass | | | | | | | | | 1 | | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Young | | | | | | | | | 1 | | 3 | 1 | | | | | | 3 | | | | | | |
| Grafton | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 4 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tamworth | | | | | | | | 1 | | | 2 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hay | | | | | | | | 1 | | | 3 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wollongong | | | | | | | | 1 | | | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Trial Bay | | | | | | 1 | | | 2 | 2 | 13 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 1 | 2 | 2 | | | 4 | 4 | 11 | 29 | 20 | 161 | 28 | 2 | 1 | 17 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 |

| Police Gaols. | Warders. | | Police Gaols. | Warders. | | Police Gaols. | Warders. | |
|---------------|------------|-----|----------------|------------|------------|---------------|------------|-----|
| | 3rd class. | 8/- | | 3rd class. | 8/- | | 3rd class. | 8/- |
| | Bega | 1 | | | Glen Innes | | 1 |  | Walgett | 1 |
| Bourke | 3 | | Gundagai | 1 | | Wellington | 2 | |
| Braidwood | 1 | | Gunnedah | 1 | | Wentworth | 1 | |
| Casino | 1 | | Inverell | 1 | | Wilcannia | 3 | |
| Coonabarabran | 1 | | Narrabri | 1 | | Total | 25 | |
| Coonamble | 1 | | Orange | 2 | | & 1 @ 6/6 | | |
| Cookamundra | 2 | | Port Macquarie | 1 | | | | |
| Forbes | 1 | | Tenterfield | 1 @ 6/6 | | | | |

Biloea—1 senior at 9s. 3d., 8 3rd class at 8s., 5 at 6s. 6d., 2 females at £92, 3 at £50, 1 carter at 7s.; Dubbo—1 senior at 9s. 3d., 3 3rd class at 8s., 3 at 6s. 6d.

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| No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|------|---|--------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| No. of Persons. | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | |
| 1888 | 1889 | | | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| | | Shaftesbury Reformatory for Girls. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Matron | £ 208 | £ 208 | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Matron | 85 | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | Schoolmistress and Attendant | 75 | 75 | |
| 1 | ... | Attendant | 50 | ..... |  |
| ... | ... | Visiting Surgeon | ^a | ^a | |
| 1 | 1 | Chaplain, Church of England | 25 | 25 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Roman Catholic... .. | 25 | 25 | |
| 1 | 1 | Gardener and Caretaker | 120 | 120 | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | |
| | | Clothing, Rations, Medical Comforts, Fuel, Light, and Incidental Expenses | 400 | 400 | |
| 7 | 6 | TOTAL | £ 988 | £ 953 | |
| | | Patents and Copyright. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Examiner of Patents | 500 | 500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk... .. | 300 | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 250 | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 180 | 180 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 120 | 120 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 135 | 135 | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 50 | ..... |  |
| | | Index to Letters of Registration | 50 | ..... |  |
| | | Reporting on Applications for Letters Patent, Preparation of Abridgements of Letters Patent, and Incidental Expenses | 800 | 850 | |
| | | Formation of Patents Library | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Preparation of Abridgments of Letters Patent | 150 | ..... |  |
| | | Preparation of Law and Practice of New Letters Patent | 120 | ..... |  |
| 7 | 7 | TOTAL | £ 1,685 | £ 1,685 | |
| 1 | 1 | Registrar of Copyright | 320 | 320 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 50 | 50 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses (irrespective of date of claims) | 20 | ..... |  |
| 2 | 2 | TOTAL | £ 370 | £ 370 | |
| | | Miscellaneous Services. | | | |
| | | (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | |
| | | Necropolis—for improving, draining, trenching, planting, and other contingencies | 500 | 500 | |
| | | Allowances to Inspectors and Sub-Inspectors, under Licensing Act, 45 Vic. No. 14 | 2,500 | 2,200 | |
| | | Almanacs for Country Benches of Magistrates, Newspapers, Law Books, &c. | 200 | 200 | |
| | | Charge and preparation of Books for binding in Law Library | 50 | 50 | |
| | | In aid of Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society... .. | 50 | 50 | |
| | | For preparation of Boundaries for New Court and Police Districts, as required... .. | 150 | 150 | |
| | | Rent of Offices for Curator of Intestate Estates | 312 | 312 | |
| | | For purchase of 50 bound copies of the N.S. Wales Weekly Notes | 105 | 105 | |
| | | For purchase of 50 copies of Australian Magistrate (5th edition) | 139 | 139 | |
| | | For purchase of 100 copies of Supreme Court Law Reports | 315 | 420 | |
| | | Rent of Premises used as Temporary Central Police Court ... .. | ..... | 500 | |
| | | Gratuity to Widow of late Warder Fallon ... .. | ..... | 320 | |
| | | Other Services, 1888 | 659 | ..... |  |
| | | TOTAL | £ 4,980 | £ 4,946 | |
| | | TOTAL | £ 4,980 | £ 4,946 | |

^a See Medical Vote.

VII.

The Attorney-General.

SUMMARY.

| Page. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
|-------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | | £ | £ |
| 104 | The Attorney-General | 4,590 | 4,839 |
| 104 | Parliamentary Draftsman... | 2,060 | 2,060 |
| 105 | Crown Solicitor | 5,381 | 5,696 |
| 105 | Quarter Sessions | 24,935 | 25,135 |
| | TOTAL | £ 36,966 | 37,730 |

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|--|------|---|---------------|---------------------------|--|
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| No. VII.—ATTORNEY-GENERAL. | | | | | |
| The Attorney-General. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Attorney-General (provided for in Schedule A). | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary | 700 | 700 | |
| ... | ... | Acting Secretary during absence of Secretary on leave, from 3 April to 30 September, at £700 per annum... | 346 | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 196 | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 114 | 180 | |
| | | | 1,356 | 1,080 | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Fees to Prosecuting Barristers | 1,500 | 2,500 | |
| | | Travelling Expenses of Prosecuting Officers | 500 | 600 | |
| | | To meet Incidental Expenses of Prosecutions and for Legal and Clerical Assistance when required ... | 300 | 300 | |
| | | To provide Fees for Counsel employed in the defence of Aborigines | 125 | 125 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 50 | 50 | |
| | | Purchase of various series of Law Reports and Law Books | 150 | 100 | |
| | | Supreme Court Law Reports | 609 | 84 | |
| | | | 3,234 | 3,759 | |
| 4 | 4 | TOTAL | £ 4,590 | 4,839 | |
| Parliamentary Draftsman. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Parliamentary Draftsman | 1,060 | 1,060 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 340 | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 110 | 110 | |
| | | | 1,510 | 1,510 | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Towards assistance in preparing Bills | 300 | 300 | |
| | | Rent of Offices | 200 | 200 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses, Law Books, &c. | 50 | 50 | |
| | | | 550 | 550 | |
| 3 | 3 | TOTAL | £ 2,060 | 2,060 | |

| No. of Persons. | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | |
|--|------|---|-----|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| No. VII.—ATTORNEY-GENERAL. | | | | | |
| Crown Solicitor. | | | | | |
| | | | | £ | £ |
| 1 | 1 | Crown Solicitor | ... | 1,060 | 1,060 |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk and Conveyancer | ... | 500 | 500 |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk, Criminal Branch | ... | 440 | 440 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk in charge of Bonds and Contracts | ... | 390 | 390 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. in charge of Common Law | ... | 300 | 300 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | 300 | 300 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | 300 | 300 |
| 1 | 1 | Shorthand Writer | ... | 300 | 300 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Conveyancer | ... | 200 | 200 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | ... | 196 | 196 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | 200 | 200 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | 100 | 100 |
| 2 | 2 | Messengers at £160 and £100 | ... | 245 | 260 |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant and Record Clerk | ... | 250 | 250 |
| | | | | 4,781 | 4,796 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Travelling Expenses | ... | 150 | 450 |
| | | Engrossing and Searches | ... | 400 | 400 |
| | | Incidental Expenses | ... | 50 | 50 |
| | | | | 600 | 900 |
| 15 | 15 | TOTAL | ... | £ 5,381 | 5,696 |
| Quarter Sessions. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of the Peace for the Colony | ... | 650 | 650 |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk... | ... | 400 | 400 |
| 1 | 1 | First Clerk | ... | 280 | 280 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | ... | 255 | 255 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | 220 | 220 |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks at £150 and £100 each | ... | 250 | 250 |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | ... | 130 | 130 |
| | | | | 2,185 | 2,185 |
| 1 | 1 | Crown Prosecutor for Sydney | ... | 800 | 800 |
| 6 | 6 | Crown Prosecutors for 1889—6 at £550... | ... | 3,050 | 3,300 |
| | | | | 3,850 | 4,100 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Travelling Expenses | ... | 1,750 | 1,750 |
| | | Allowances to Witnesses and Jurors | ... | 16,500 | 16,500 |
| | | Extra Clerical Assistance | ... | 150 | 100 |
| | | Incidental and Unforeseen Expenses | ... | 500 | 500 |
| | | | | 18,900 | 18,850 |
| 15 | 15 | TOTAL | ... | £ 24,935 | 25,135 |

VIII.

Secretary for Lands.

SUMMARY.

| Page. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
|---------|---|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | DEPARTMENT OF LANDS. | £ | £ |
| 108-110 | Department of Lands | 65,710 | 64,358 |
| 110 | Rabbit Branch | 95,815 | 11,120 |
| 110 | Public Parks | 213 | ..... |
| 110 | Forests Conservancy Branch | 17,925 | 19,447 |
| 111 | Minor Roads | 3,250 | 3,050 |
| 111 | Land Agents, Appraisers, and others | 54,465 | 43,275 |
| 112 | Miscellaneous | 21,224 | 19,373 |
| | Total Department | 258,602 | 160,623 |
| | SURVEY OF LANDS. | | |
| 113-115 | Survey of Lands | 258,033 | 246,157 |
| 116 | Triangulation and General Survey of the Colony | 14,961 | 14,837 |
| 116 | Miscellaneous | 37 | ..... |
| | Total Survey | £ 273,031 | 260,994 |
| | | 531,633 | 421,617 |
| | Deduct Expenditure chargeable to the Rabbit Nuisance Act Special Account | 40,000 | ..... |
| | TOTAL | £ 491,633 | 421,617 |
| | SPECIAL CHARGES | £ | 253,000 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

| | | No. VIII.—SECRETARY FOR LANDS. | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|--|------|--|-----|-----|-----|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| No. of Persons. | | | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| 1888 | 1889 | | | | | £ | | £ | |
| Department of Lands. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary for Lands | ... | ... | ... | 1,500 | | 1,500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Under Secretary | ... | ... | ... | 960 | | 960 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Under Secretary | ... | ... | ... | 700 | | 700 | |
| | | | | | | | 3,160 | | 3,160 |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk and Registrar of Appeal Court | ... | ... | ... | ..... | 625 | | 625 |
| MINISTERIAL BRANCH. | | | | | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk in charge | ... | ... | ... | ..... |  | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 200 | | 200 | |
| 2 | 2 | 1 Clerk, at £150; 1 Junior Clerk, at £117 | ... | ... | ... | *250 | | *267 | |
| | | | | | | | 450 | | 717 |
| MISCELLANEOUS, ALIENATION, AND RESERVES BRANCH. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk in charge | ... | ... | ... | 440 | | 440 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks, at £275 | ... | ... | ... | 550 | | 550 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks—1 at £250, 1 at £175 | ... | ... | ... | 425 | | 425 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks—1 at £200, 1 at £150 | ... | ... | ... | 350 | | 350 | |
| 12 | 11 | Clerks—1 at £178, 1 at £175, 2 at £157, 4 at £130, 1 at £100, 1 at £75, 1 at £70 | ... | ... | ... | *1,467 | | *1,432 | |
| | | | | | | | 3,232 | | 3,197 |
| DEEDS, DIAGRAM, AND NOTING BRANCH. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk-in-charge | ... | ... | ... | 390 | | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 300 | | 300 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks, £250 | ... | ... | ... | 500 | | 500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Examiner of Diagrams | ... | ... | ... | 250 | | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Examiner of Descriptions | ... | ... | ... | 250 | | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Noting Draftsman | ... | ... | ... | 250 | | 250 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks, at £200 | ... | ... | ... | 400 | | 400 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks—1 at £200, 1 at £150 | ... | ... | ... | *350 | | *350 | |
| | | | | | | | 2,690 | | 2,690 |
| INQUIRY BRANCH. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk-in charge, at £350 | ... | ... | ... | 350 | | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk and Draftsman, at £200 | ... | ... | ... | 200 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Junior Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 100 | | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | Junior Clerk | ... | ... | ... | *100 | | *100 | |
| | | | | | | | 750 | | 750 |
| 1 | ... | Shorthand Writer and Clerk | ... | ... | ... | ..... | 300 |  | ..... |
| OCCUPATION BRANCH (CLERICAL). | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk-in-charge | ... | ... | ... | 340 | | 340 | |
| 4 | 4 | Clerks—2 at £250, 1 at £220, 1 at £200 | ... | ... | ... | 900 | | 920 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 208 | | 208 | |
| 4 | 4 | Clerks—1 at £220, 2 at £200, and 1 at £180 | ... | ... | ... | 800 | | *800 | |
| | | | | | | | 2,248 | | 2,268 |
| LEASE BRANCH. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk in Charge | ... | ... | ... | 350 | | 350 | |
| 6 | 6 | Clerks—3 at £250, 1 at £200, 1 at £190, 1 at £150 | ... | ... | ... | 1,290 | | 1,290 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks, at £200 | ... | ... | ... | *400 | | *400 | |
| | | | | | | | 2,040 | | 2,040 |
| CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk in Charge | ... | ... | ... | 300 | | 300 | |
| 6 | 6 | Clerks—2 at £250, 2 at £220, 1 at £200, 1 at £115 | ... | ... | ... | 1,235 | | 1,255 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks—1 at £125, 1 at £100 | ... | ... | ... | *225 | | *225 | |
| | | | | | | | 1,760 | | 1,780 |
| 70 | 69 | Carried forward | .. | .. | .. | | 17,255 | | 17,227 |

* Temporarily employed at daily rates.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

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| No. of Persons. | | Department of Lands—continued. | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| 70 | 69 | Brought forward | £ | 17,255 | £ | 17,227 |
| | | ACCOUNT AND STORE BRANCH. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | 500 | | 500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Accountant | 350 | | 350 | |
| 2 | 1 | Clerk | 640 | | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Pay Clerk | 275 | | 275 | |
| 3 | 6 | Clerks—2 at £270, 4 at £260 | 745 | | 1,580 | |
| 5 | 2 | Clerks, at £250 | 1,250 | | 500 | |
| 6 | 5 | Clerks—2 at £245, 1 at £240, 1 at £220, 1 at £200 | 1,290 | | 1,150 | |
| 4 | 4 | Clerks—1 at £240, 1 at £150, 1 at £140, 1 at £135 | *620 | | *665 | |
| | | Adjustment of Salaries of clerks (in lieu of salaries of £300 and £250, voted in Estimates-in-Chief for 1888, and which have not been used) | 240 | | | |
| | | | | 5,910 | | 5,360 |
| | | STORES (SUB-BRANCH). | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk in Charge | 250 | | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 175 | | *190 | |
| | | | | 425 | | 440 |
| | | CONDITIONAL SALES BRANCH. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk-in-charge | 440 | | 440 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks—1 at £250, 1 at £200 | 450 | | 450 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks at £168 | 336 | | 236 | |
| | | | | 1,226 | | 1,226 |
| | | CERTIFICATE—SUB-BRANCH. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Head | 250 | | 250 | |
| 4 | 4 | Clerks—1 at £208, 1 at £190, 1 at £175, 1 at £100 | 673 | | 673 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | *150 | | *150 | |
| | | | | 1,073 | | 1,073 |
| | | REGISTRATION AND TRANSFER—SUB-BRANCH. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Head | 340 | | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Examiner of Transfers | 250 | | 250 | |
| 6 | 6 | Clerks—3 at £225, 1 at £175, 1 at £158, 1 at £150 | 1,158 | | 1,158 | |
| 3 | 3 | Clerks—1 at £225, 1 at £200, 1 at £175 | *600 | | *600 | |
| | | | | 2,348 | | 2,348 |
| | | RECORDS—SUB-BRANCH. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Sub-Head | 340 | | 340 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks, at £250 | 500 | | 500 | |
| 5 | 5 | Clerks—1 at £200, 3 at £150, 1 at £100 | 750 | | 750 | |
| 4 | 4 | Clerks—3 at £135, 1 at £80 | *485 | | *485 | |
| | | | | 2,075 | | 2,075 |
| 1 | 1 | Cumberland Ranger | | 220 | | 220 |
| | | MESSENGERS, &c. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Principal Messenger | 160 | | 160 | |
| 8 | 11 | Messengers—3 at £140, 1 at £135, 1 at £130, 1 at £120, 2 at £80, 1 at £70, 2 at £60... .. | 960 | | 1,155 | |
| 3 | ... | Boy Messengers, at £70 | 210 | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Office-keeper | 75 | | 75 | |
| 10 | 8 | Office-cleaners | 506 | | 482 | |
| 3 | 3 | Constables, at 7s. 6d. per diem | 412 | | 412 | |
| | | | | 2,323 | | 2,284 |
| | | LOCAL LAND BOARD OFFICES. | | | | |
| 14 | 14 | Chairmen—1 at £800, 13 at £700 | 9,900 | | 9,900 | |
| 14 | 14 | Clerks in charge of Local Land Board Offices—9 at £400, 3 at £390, 1 at £375, 1 at £350 | 5,545 | | 5,495 | |
| 17 | 17 | Clerks—4 at £290, 13 at £240 | 4,280 | | 4,280 | |
| 5 | 5 | Clerks—2 at £190, 1 at £170, 2 at £140 | 830 | | 830 | |
| 18 | 18 | Inspectors of Conditional Purchases, 15 at £350, 3 at £250 | 6,300 | | 6,000 | |
| | | | | 26,855 | | 26,505 |
| 224 | 219 | Carried forward | | 59,710 | | 58,758 |

* Officers to be temporarily employed at daily rate.

| No. VIII.—SECRETARY FOR LANDS. | | | | | |
|--|------|---|--------|---------------------------|--|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Department of Lands—continued. | | | | | |
| 224 | 219 | Brought forward | 59,710 | 58,758 | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Preparation of Deeds | 1,000 | 600 | |
| | | Extra clerical assistance, when necessary | 5,000 | 5,000 | |
| | | | 6,000 | 5,600 | |
| 224 | 219 | | 65,710 | 64,358 | |
| RABBIT BRANCH. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Officer in charge of Branch | 340 | 340 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | 265 | ..... |  |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks, at £240 | 480 | 480 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | 220 | ..... |  |
| 1 | ... | Superintending Inspector | 400 | ..... |  |
| 1 | ... | Do. | 360 | ..... |  |
| 33 | 5 | Inspectors, at £300 | 10,150 | 1,500 | |
| 2 | ... | Do. at £250 | 500 | ..... |  |
| 4 | ... | Do. at £200 | 800 | ..... |  |
| | | | 13,515 | 2,320 | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Forage allowance to Rabbit Inspectors | 1,000 | ..... |  |
| | | Clearing land of Rabbits at owners' expense | 2,000 | ..... |  |
| | | Travelling Expenses | 1,000 | ..... |  |
| | | Clearing Crown Lands of Rabbits | 5,000 | ..... |  |
| | | Subsidy to Owners... | 50,000 | ..... |  |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 1,000 | ..... |  |
| | | Purchase of Bi-Sulphide of Carbon | 1,000 | ..... |  |
| | | Repairs to Rabbit-proof Fence, Narramine to Bourke | 800 | 300 | |
| | | For Rabbit-proof Fence along the South Australian Border | 21,000 | 3,500 | |
| | | For Maintenance of the Establishment at Rodd Island, and for the conduct of experiments in connection with the enquiries into the schemes for the destruction of rabbits in Australasia | ..... | 5,000 | |
| | | | 82,300 | 8,800 | |
| 46 | 8 | | 95,815 | 11,120 | |
| PUBLIC PARKS. | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Surveyor of Public Parks | a138 | ..... |  |
| 1 | ... | Probationer | 75 | ..... |  |
| | | | 213 | ..... |  |
| FORESTS CONSERVANCY BRANCH. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector of Forests and Chief Forest Ranger | 390 | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk-in-charge | 340 | 340 | |
| 3 | 3 | Clerks, at £240 | 720 | 720 | |
| 3 | 2 | Do. at £190 | 570 | 380 | |
| 1 | 2 | Clerks, 1 at £140, 1 at £75 | 140 | 215 | |
| 1 | 1 | Forest Ranger | 265 | 265 | |
| 25 | 22 | 6 Forest Rangers at £215, 13 at £210, and 3 at £205... | 5,260 | 4,635 | |
| 1 | 1 | Forest Ranger | 200 | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Forest Ranger | 180 | 180 | |
| 9 | 7 | Assistant Forest Rangers—3 at £160, 3 at £155, and 1 at £150... | 1,410 | 1,095 | |
| 48 | 41 | Carried forward | 9,475 | 8,420 | |

| No. VIII.—SECRETARY FOR LANDS. | | | | |
|--|------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | £ | | £ | |
| Miscellaneous Services. | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | |
| Public Cemeteries—Purchase of sites fencing, clearing, building, &c. | 2,500 | | 3,000 | |
| Fees to Commissioners of Courts of Claims, for hearing and reporting on Claims to Grants of Land, in terms of the Act 5 Wm. IV, No. 21 | 100 | | 100 | |
| Legal Expenses | 1,500 | | 1,500 | |
| Improvements and general maintenance of Public Parks and Recreation Grounds | 5,000 | | 10,000 | |
| Improvement of Hyde, Cook, and Phillip Parks | 1,000 | | 500 | |
| General Improvements at National Park | 3,000 | | 1,500 | |
| To defray costs of clearing prickly pears from waste Crown Lands | 2,000 |  | ..... |  |
| Improvement of Wentworth Park | 500 | | 250 | |
| Purchase of Land at Taree for Public Park... .. | 300 |  | ..... |  |
| Improvement of Victoria Park | 500 | | 250 | |
| Improvement of Rusheutter Bay Park | 500 | | 250 | |
| For lighting Wentworth Park (Glebe) with 23 lamps, at £5 10s. each per annum | 63 | | 127 | |
| Improvement of Botany Bay Reserve—re-vote of 1879 | 100 |  | ..... |  |
| Improving Reserve, Paddington—re-vote of 1884 | 100 |  | ..... |  |
| Purchase of Site for Public Park at Cambewarra ... .. | ..... |  | 800 | |
| Gillett, Henry, junior—Compensation for loss of improvements on conditional purchases 78/9, Bourke, portion 31, 40 acres, parish Cobar, county Robinson, declared void on account of the land having been previously alienated to the representatives of the late Joseph Becker ... .. | ..... |  | 591 | |
| West, Major—Compensation for the loss of improvements within special lease granted to Charles Mathieson, 276 acres, parish of Ewata, county Forbes ... .. | ..... |  | 43 | |
| Balkin, Thomas—Refund of amount paid by him in respect of improvements effected by himself on conditional purchase 85/62, Tamworth ... .. | ..... |  | 105 | |
| McIntosh, Alexander—Balance of amount required to reimburse him for improvements effected on conditional purchase 81/25, Bingera, resumed under the provisions of clause 14 of Crown Lands Act of 1861 ... .. | ..... |  | 85 | |
| Smith, Hon. John, M.L.C.—Compensation for fencing erected by him upon land subsequently included in James Clancy's conditional purchase 78/499, Molong ... .. | ..... |  | 33 | |
| Logue, Michael—Compensation for value of improvements made by him on conditional purchase 77/86, Wellington, declared void on account of the land having been sold at auction ... .. | ..... |  | 40 | |
| Campbell, F.—Compensation for loss of improvements on land originally designed for conditional purchase 81/411, now included in C. Grady's conditional purchase 81/426, Queanbeyan ... .. | ..... |  | 55 | |
| Ido, William, for Janet Ido—Compensation for 24 perches of land, part of conditional purchase 63/3,504, Kempsey, found to encroach upon J. Rigney's allotment No. 8 of section 7, village Bellinger ... .. | ..... |  | 40 | |
| Barrie, John—Refund of value of improvements on conditional purchase 87/9, effected on same land previously, by him, on 11th September, 1884, at Port Macquarie, and for which he has been called upon to pay. This vote is subject to the payment by Barrie into the Treasury of the amount of the value of same ... .. | ..... |  | 59 | |
| Wilson, Mary—Compensation for loss of improvements on allotment 4, section 11, village of Narramine, such improvements having been effected thereon by reason of incorrect particulars having been inadvertently inserted in the receipt issued at the time of sale ... .. | ..... |  | 45 | |
| Other votes of 1888 | 4,061 | | | |
| TOTAL | £ | 21,224 | | 19,373 |

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

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| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|--|------|--|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| Survey of Lands. | | | | | | |
| SURVEY STAFF. | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Surveyor and Director of Trigonometrical Survey | 800 | | 800 | |
| 14 | 13 | District Surveyors, at £650 each | 9,100 | | 8,450 | |
| 17 | 17 | First-class Surveyors—2 at £490, 6 at £465, 3 at £425, 6 at £415 | 7,535 | | 7,535 | |
| 34 | 28 | Second-class Surveyors—19 at £350, 9 at £340 ... | 11,750 | | 9,710 | |
| 46 | 36 | Field Assistants, at various rates | 5,060 | | 4,000 | |
| | | | | 34,245 | | 30,495 |
| 112 | 95 | | | | | |
| ENGAGED AT HEAD OFFICE—MISCELLANEOUS CHARTING BRANCH. | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Draftsman | 500 | | 500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Draftsman-in-charge | 400 | | 400 | |
| 13 | 13 | Draftsmen—1 at £320, 1 at £265, 11 at £250 ... | 3,315 | | 3,335 | |
| 2 | 2 | Draftsmen—at £220 | 420 | | *440 | |
| 1 | 1 | Custodian and Exhibitor General Maps | 150 | | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk, at | 208 | | 208 | |
| 2 | 2 | Junior Draftsman, at £150; Junior Clerk, at £90 ... | 205 | | 240 | |
| | | | | 5,198 | | 5,273 |
| COMPILING BRANCH. | | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | Draftsmen-in-charge, at £350 | 700 | | 700 | |
| 3 | 3 | Examiners of Compilations, 1 at £320, 2 at £275 ... | 870 | | 870 | |
| 14 | 14 | Draftsmen—3 at £270, 9 at £250, 2 at £200 ... | 3,500 | | 3,460 | |
| 16 | 16 | Do. 6 at £250, 9 at £220, 1 at £200 | 3,640 | | *3,680 | |
| 7 | 7 | Junior Draftsmen—2 at £170, 5 at £150 | 1,090 | | 1,090 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk and Plan Custodian | 157 | | *157 | |
| | | | | 9,957 | | 9,957 |
| LITHOGRAPHIC BRANCH. | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Draftsman-in-charge | 450 | | 450 | |
| 3 | 3 | Lithographic Draftsmen—2 at £350, 1 at £265 ... | 965 | | 965 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 150 | | 150 | |
| | | | | 1,565 | | 1,565 |
| PRINTING—SUB-BRANCH. | | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | Working Overseers—1 at £250, 1 at £200 | 450 | | 450 | |
| 1 | 1 | Printer | 150 | | 175 | |
| 5 | 5 | Printers—1 at £220, 2 at £188, 1 at £158, 1 at £157 ... | 911 | | *911 | |
| 3 | 3 | Assistant Printers—2 at £118, 1 at £110 | 338 | | *346 | |
| 2 | 2 | Stone Polishers, at £110 | 220 | | *220 | |
| | | | | 2,069 | | 2,102 |
| 82 | 82 | | | | | |
| 194 | 177 | Carried forward | £ | 53,034 | | 49,392 |

* Officers to be temporarily employed at daily rate.

| | | No. VIII.—SECRETARY FOR LANDS. | | | |
|---|------|--|---------|---------------------------|--------------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Survey of Lands—continued. | | | | | |
| 194 | 177 | Brought forward | £ | 53,034 | 49,392 |
| MISCELLANEOUS CONTRACT—SUB-BRANCH. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Draftsman | 265 | 265 | |
| 4 | 4 | Draftsmen—2 at £250, 2 at £200 | 900 | *900 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 115 | *115 | |
| | | | 1,280 | | 1,280 |
| OCCUPATION BRANCH (DRAFTING). | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Draftsman-in-charge | 390 | 390 | |
| 8 | 8 | Draftsmen—1 at £325, 1 at £290, 5 at £250, 1 at £200 | 2,065 | 2,065 | |
| 6 | 6 | Do. 1 at £250, 2 at £219, 2 at £200, 1 Clerk at £115 | 1,203 | *1,203 | |
| | | | 3,653 | | 3,658 |
| ROADS BRANCH. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Draftsman-in-charge | 450 | 490 | |
| 3 | 3 | Examiners—1 at £350, 2 at £315 | 980 | 980 | |
| 3 | 3 | Draftsmen, at £250 | 750 | 750 | |
| 6 | 6 | Do. 3 at £250, 3 at £220 | 1,410 | *1,410 | |
| 2 | 2 | Junior Draftsmen, at £120 | 240 | 240 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks—1 at £200, 1 at £140 | 340 | *340 | |
| | | | 4,170 | | 4,210 |
| CORRESPONDENCE AND RECORDS BRANCH. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Corresponding Clerk | 250 | 250 | |
| 3 | 3 | Clerks—1 at £208, 2 at £156 | 514 | 520 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 90 | *90 | |
| | | | 854 | | 860 |
| PLANS SALES, RECORD, AND MOUNTING BRANCHES. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk-in-charge Record Branch | 250 | 250 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks—1 at £200, 1 at £156 | 356 | 356 | |
| 2 | 2 | Do. 1 at £140, 1 at £100 | 215 | *240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk in charge Sales Branch | 220 | 220 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 177 | 177 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 157 | *157 | |
| 1 | 1 | Plan Moulder | 165 | 165 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant and Clerk | 125 | *125 | |
| 247 | 230 | | 1,665 | | 1,690 |
| 1 | 1 | Telephone Operator | ..... | 75 | 80 |
| MESSENGERS, &c. | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | Messengers, at £160 each | 320 | 320 | |
| 1 | ... | Messenger | 140 | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Boy Messenger | 85 | 95 | |
| 10 | 7 | Office-cleaners | 652 | 412 | |
| 1 | 1 | Corridor-cleaner | 110 | 110 | |
| | | | 1,307 | | 937 |
| 15 | 11 | | | | |
| 263 | 242 | Carried forward | £ | 66,043 | 62,107 |

* Officers to be temporarily employed at daily rate.

| | | No. VIII.—SECRETARY FOR LANDS. | | | |
|--|------|--|-------|---------------------------|---------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Triangulation and General Survey of the Colony. | | | | | |
| <i>Triangulation of the Colony.</i> | | | | | |
| FIELD STAFF. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Field Astronomer | 490 | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Bailiff in charge of Trigonometrical marks | 240 | 240 | |
| | | | 730 | | 730 |
| 2 | 2 | | | | |
| OFFICE STAFF. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Computer | 500 | 500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Computer | 315 | 315 | |
| | | | 815 | | 815 |
| 2 | 2 | | | | |
| <i>General Survey of the Colony.</i> | | | | | |
| OFFICE STAFF. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Draftsman-in-charge | 550 | 550 | |
| 7 | 7 | Draftsmen and Computers—1 at £415, 2 at £350, 3 at £340, 1 at £265. | 2,400 | 2,400 | |
| | | | 2,950 | | 2,950 |
| 8 | 8 | | | | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Temporary assistance in Computing | 220 | 220 | |
| | | Allowance to Government Astronomer for special services in connection with the Triangulation of the Colony | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Wages—Surveyors' Labourers, current rates | 344 | ..... |  |
| | | Forage and Contingent Expenses for Bailiff | 150 | 150 | |
| | | Wages for 4 Labourers for Bailiff | 220 | 440 | |
| | | Rent of Paddock, as Depôt for Horses and Equipment... .. | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Allowance to Field Astronomer | 100 | 100 | |
| | | Equipment, Wages, Forage, &c., for Field Astronomer... .. | 1,182 | 1,182 | |
| | | Miscellaneous Contingencies | 300 | 300 | |
| | | Temporary Assistance in Drafting | 250 | 250 | |
| | | | 2,966 | | 2,842 |
| DETAILED SURVEY OF CITY AND SUBURBS. | | | | | |
| | | Continuation of the City of Sydney Survey, and Surveys required for Sewerage Purposes (irrespective of date of claims)... .. | | 7,500 | 7,500 |
| 12 | 12 | TOTAL ... .. £ | ..... | 14,961 | 14,837 |
| Miscellaneous. | | | | | |
| | | Gratuity to T. C. Turner, Temporary Clerk | 12 | ..... |  |
| | | Fencing General Cemetery, Old Junee—Re-vote of 1882 | 25 | ..... |  |
| | | | | 37 | |
| | | TOTAL ... .. £ | ..... | 37 | ..... |
| Special. | | | | | |
| | | Claims for Subsidies, &c., under the Rabbit Nuisance Act of 1883 ... .. | ..... | 88,000 | ..... |
| | | Refunds to Pastoral Lessees ... .. | ..... | 165,000 | ..... |
| | | | | | 253,000 |

IX.

Secretary for Public Works.

SUMMARY.

| Page. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
|----------|----------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| 118, 119 | Department of Public Works | £ *8,275 | £ 9,394 |
| | Railways:— | | |
| 119 | Construction Branch | †14,562 | 16,120 |
| | Harbours and Rivers Navigation:— | | |
| 120 | Engineer's Department | 8,894 | 7,853 |
| 120 | Fitz Roy Dock | 3,663 | 3,293 |
| 120 | Dredge Service | 86,651 | 81,000 |
| 121 | Public Works | 47,040 | 75,687 |
| | Colonial Architect:— | | |
| 124 | Colonial Architect's Department | 15,437 | 15,437 |
| 125 | Public Works and Buildings | 123,584 | 114,113 |
| | Roads and Bridges:— | | |
| 126 | General Establishment | 8,220 | 8,330 |
| 126 | Superintendents in Field | 29,084 | 28,384 |
| 126 | Sewerage | 4,191 | 4,051 |
| 127, 128 | Construction and Maintenance | 621,451 | 660,606 |
| 130 | Parliamentary Standing Committee | ..... | 1,502 |
| 130 | Water Supply and Sewerage Board | 16,100 | 31,800 |
| | TOTALS | 987,152 | 1,057,570 |

* Including valuation of land, £2,350, shown previously in Railway Estimates.

† Shown previously in Railway Estimates.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

| No. of Persons. | | No. IX.—SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS. | | | |
|---|------|---|-------|---------------------------|-------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Department of Public Works. | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Secretary for Public Works | 1,500 | | |
| 1 | ... | Under Secretary | 960 | | |
| 1 | ... | Chief Clerk and Secretary to Tender Board | 600 | | |
| <i>General Correspondence.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | 315 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do | 250 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do | 190 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do | 165 | | |
| <i>Record Branch, for whole Department.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | 390 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do | 340 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do | 240 | | |
| 10 | ... | | 4,950 | | |
| <i>Valuation of Land.</i> | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Valuator | 650 | | |
| 1 | ... | Surveyor and Draftsman | 440 | | |
| 1 | ... | Draftsman | 340 | | |
| 1 | ... | First Clerk | 290* | | |
| 1 | ... | Draftsman | 240 | | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | 190 | | |
| 6 | ... | (Irrespective of date of claims.) Travelling Expenses | 200 | 2,150 | |
| 1 | ... | Principal Messenger | †195 | | |
| 1 | ... | Messenger | 155 | | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | 75 | | |
| 5 | ... | Housekeepers, Cleaners, &c. | 400 | | |
| | | (Irrespective of date of claims.) Incidental Expenses, including Allowance to Messengers for Quarters | 150 | 825 | |
| 8 | ... | | | 150 | |
| <i>(As reorganized for 1889).</i> | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Secretary for Public Works | ..... |  | 1,500 |
| ... | 1 | Under Secretary | ..... |  | 960 |
| ... | 1 | Chief Clerk and Secretary to Tender Board | ..... |  | 700 |
| <i>General Correspondence.</i> | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk | ..... |  | 315 |
| ... | 1 | Do | ..... |  | 250 |
| ... | 1 | Do | ..... |  | 190 |
| ... | 1 | Do | ..... |  | 165 |
| <i>Record Branch, for whole Department. †</i> | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Registrar | ..... |  | 350 |
| ... | 1 | Clerk | ..... |  | 250 |
| ... | 1 | Do | ..... |  | 250 |
| ... | 1 | Do | ..... |  | 225 |
| ... | 1 | Do | ..... |  | 160 |
| ... | 1 | Do | ..... |  | 150 |
| ... | 1 | Assistant Clerk | ..... |  | 115 |
| ... | 1 | Junior do | ..... |  | 52 |
| ... | 15 |  | ..... |  | 5,632 |
| <i>Valuation of Land. §</i> | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Valuator | ..... |  | 650 |
| ... | 1 | Surveyor and Draftsman | ..... |  | 400 |
| ... | 1 | Draftsman | ..... |  | 300 |
| ... | 1 | First Clerk | ..... |  | 400 |
| ... | 1 | Clerk | ..... |  | 225 |
| ... | 1 | Do | ..... |  | 125 ¶ |
| ... | 1 | Do | ..... |  | 125 ¶ |
| ... | 1 | Messenger | ..... |  | 52 ¶ |
| ... | 8 |  | ..... |  | 2,277 |
| ... | 23 | Carried forward | £ | 8,275 | 7,909 |

* Exclusive of £50 for shorthand services, previously paid from Railway Working Expenses. † £200 in addition previously paid from Railway Working Expenses, making £255 in all. ‡ Record Branch.—As previously worked the salaries of the Record Clerks distributed throughout the Branches amounted to £2,845. By the amalgamation proposed the cost for performing the same work amounts to £1,052, showing a saving of £1,193 per annum. § Valuation of Land.—The Valuator's office was worked last year at a cost of £2,632; to this must be added the sum paid for fees to valuers outside the Department, which for the five years has averaged the sum of £700 per annum. The work will now be performed by the Staff of the Department, showing a decrease based on these figures of £635 per annum. ¶ Previously paid from Vote for Working Expenses, Railways, at £120, £90, and £52 respectively.

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No. IX.—SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS.

| No. of Persons. | | Department of Public Works—continued. (As re-organized in 1889.) | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|---------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Brought forward... | ..... | 8,275 | | 7,909 |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | |
| | | Travelling Expenses | ..... |  | 200 | 200 |
| ... | 1 | Principal Messenger | ..... |  | 255 | |
| ... | 1 | Messenger | ..... |  | 155 | |
| ... | 1 | Do. | ..... |  | 75 | |
| ... | 5 | Housekeepers, Cleaners, &c. | ..... |  | 550* | 1,035 |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | |
| | | Incidental Expenses, including Allowance to Messengers for Quarters | ..... |  | 250 | 250 |
| ... | 8 | TOTAL... | £ | 8,275 | | 9,394 |
| | | Railway Construction Branch. | | | | |
| | | WORKS IN PROGRESS. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Engineer-in-Chief | 1,800 | | 1,800 | |
| | | <i>Office Staff.</i> | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Engineer | 750 | | 750 | |
| 1 | ... | Chief Clerk | 550 |  | ..... |  |
| ... | 1 | Secretary and Inspecting Accountant to Works Department | ..... |  | 700 | |
| 1 | 1 | Draftsman | 465 | | 465 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 440 | | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 350 | | 375 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 315 | | 315 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 265 | | 265 | |
| 1 | ... | Do | 340 |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 340 | | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 340 | | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 290 | | 325 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 240 | | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 240 | | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 240 | | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Custodian of Plans | 165 | | 165 | |
| ... | 1 | First Clerk and Paymaster | ..... |  | 350 | |
| 1 | ... | Record Clerk | 290 |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Examiner of Accounts | 240 | | 350 | |
| 1 | ... | Book-keeper | 290 |  | ..... |  |
| ... | 1 | Assistant Accountant | ..... |  | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Correspondence Clerk | 290 | | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 150 | | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 120 | | 120 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 120 | | 120 | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspecting Engineer of Railway Contracts | 750 | | 750 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Engineer for Railway Surveys | 750 | | 700 | |
| | | | | 10,130 | | 10,170† |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | |
| | | Travelling Expenses | 300 | | 300 | |
| | | Forage and Equipment Allowance to Engineer-in-Chief | 150 | | 150 | |
| | | Contingent sum to provide further Assistance as required | 3,000 | | 5,000 | |
| | | Drawing Paper and Stores for Draughting Office and incidental expenses | 500 | | 500 | |
| | | Other votes of 1888 | 482 |  | ..... |  |
| | | | | 4,432 | | 5,950 |
| 25 | 24 | | | 14,562 | | 16,120 |

* To make up amount previously paid from Railway Votes.

† This re-arrangement of staff is necessary, because the Capital Accounts which were previously kept in the Commissioner's office are now transferred to the Construction Branch.

| No. of Persons. | | No. IX.—SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS. | | | |
|--|------|---|---------|---------------------------|--------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Harbours and Rivers Navigation. | | | | | |
| ENGINEER'S DEPARTMENT. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Engineer-in-Chief | 1,200 | | 1,200 |
| 1 | 1 | Principal Assistant Engineer | 750 | | 750 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Engineer | 650 | | 600 |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Draftsman | 490 | | 490 |
| 1 | ... | Assistant Engineer | 400 |  | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | District Engineer | 440 | | 449 |
| 1 | 1 | Marine Surveyor | 400 | | 400 |
| 1 | 1 | Draftsman | 350 | | 350 |
| 1 | 1 | Draftsman | 340 | | 340 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 300 | | 300 |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk and Accountant | 550 | | 550 |
| 1 | 1 | Cashier and Assistant Accountant | 440 | | 440 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 390 | | 390 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 340 | | 340 |
| 1 | 1 | Cadet | 75 | | 75 |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 110 | | 110 |
| 2 | 1 | Assistant Engineers, at £600 | 1,200 | | 600 |
| 1 | 1 | Engineering Assistant | 140 | | 140 |
| 2 | 2 | Engineering Assistants, at £92 | 184 | | 184 |
| | | | 8,749 | | 7,708 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Travelling expenses | 120 | | 120 |
| | | Incidental expenses | 25 | | 25 |
| | | | 145 | | 145 |
| 21 | 19 | TOTAL | £ | 8,894 | 7,853 |
| FITZ ROY DOCK. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | General Superintendent | 400 | | 400 |
| 1 | ... | Docking do | 390 |  | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 325 | | 325 |
| 1 | 1 | Store Clerk | 200 | | 200 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant | 100 | | 120 |
| 1 | 1 | Watchman | 110 | | 110 |
| | | | 1,525 | | 1,155 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Coals, Stores, Wages, &c. | 2,138 | | 2,138 |
| | | | 2,138 | | 2,138 |
| 6 | 5 | TOTAL | £ | 3,663 | 3,293 |
| DREDGE SERVICE. | | | | | |
| 246 | 262 | Salaries, Wages, and Contingencies (<i>irrespective of date of claims</i>). (See Schedule A) | 76,009 | | 71,310 |
| 36 | 36 | Working and other Expenses, Grab Dredges (<i>irrespective of date of claims</i>). (See Schedule B). Including the expenses of a Grab Dredge at Newcastle, not Scheduled before | 10,642 | | 9,690 |
| 282 | 298 | TOTAL | £ | 86,651 | 81,000 |

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No. IX.—SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS.

| | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
|---|------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| | £ | | £ | |
| Harbours and Rivers Navigation—continued. | | | | |
| PUBLIC WORKS. | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | |
| Engineer and Surveyor engaged on works outside the office | | | | *440 |
| Landing silt from dredge and forming ground | 4,000 | | 6,000 | |
| Master, Launch "Ena," Newcastle... .. | | 298 | | 298 |
| Driver, do do | | | | |
| Preliminary Harbour and River Surveys | 3,500 | | †4,454 | |
| Towards expenses connected with, or arising out of, employment of Tugs on Special Service, and for expenses connected with the Rocket Apparatus, Newcastle | | 800 | | 800 |
| Incidental and other Expenses in connection with Wharfs, Bridges, and other Public Works | 10,000 | | †12,120 | |
| Repairs to Newcastle Wharf | 500 | | 1,000 | |
| Working Expenses, Hunter River District Water Supply | 4,000 | | 4,000 | |
| Snagging Mullet Creek—further sum | 500 | | 600 | |
| Working expenses, Sydney Water Supply (for part in charge of Department) | | | | 3,500 |
| To provide for working four dredges, double shifts, at Newcastle and Lake Macquarie... .. | | | | 12,000 |
| Grab Dredge and Punts for Richmond River | | | | 3,600 |
| Punts for Dredges | 1,000 | | | 2,000 |
| New boiler and engines for Tug "Thetis" | | | | 4,000 |
| Alterations to Dredge "Newcastle" | | | | 8,000 |
| Widening opening, and alterations, &c., to Glebe Island Bridge | | | | 3,500 |
| Snagging Richmond River and tributaries | | | | 3,000 |
| Wharf, Bateman's Bay | | | | 550 |
| Wharf, Harwood Island, Clarence River | | | | 500 |
| Wharf, Maclean, Clarence River | | | | 500 |
| Wharf, Cockle Creek, Brisbane Water | | | | 350 |
| Wharf and Shed, Mullumbimby, Brunswick River | | | | 300 |
| Additions to Cudletown Wharf, Manning River | | | | 200 |
| Extension of Five Dock Wharf, Parramatta River | | | | 200 |
| Wharf, Upper Mangrove Creek, Hawkesbury River | | | | 175 |
| Shed, Cowper Wharf, Clarence River | | | | 100 |
| Shed, Bernagui Wharf | | | | 100 |
| Approach, &c., Green Point Wharf, Hawkesbury River—further sum... .. | | | | 100 |
| Wharf, Oxley Island, Manning River | | | | 1,000 |
| Wharf, North Codrington, Richmond River | | | | 300 |
| Wharf, San Souci | | | | 1,500 |
| Other Votes of 1888 | 22,442 | | | |
| | | 47,040 | | 75,187 |
| Re-vote, 1885. | | | | |
| Sea-wall, Manly | | | | 500 |
| | | | | 500 |
| TOTAL | £ | 47,040 | | 75,687 |

* Previously paid from Contingent Vote.

† Proposed for 1889 £6,000

Less—Savings on account of salaries (the result of reorganization) which were formerly charged to this vote 546

£4,454

† Proposed for 1889 £15,000

Less—Savings on account of salaries (the result of reorganization) which were formerly charged to this vote 2,880

£12,120

| No. of Persons. | | No. IX.—SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS. | | | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|--|------|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | | | | | | £ | | £ | |
| Colonial Architect. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| COLONIAL ARCHITECT'S DEPARTMENT. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Colonial Architect ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,160 | | 1,160 | |
| 1 | 1 | First Clerk of Works ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 700 | | 700 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk of Works ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 600 | | 600 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 500 | | 500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 490 | | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 465 | | 465 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 415 | | 415 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 415 | | 415 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 390 | | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 350 | | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | First Foreman of Works ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 350 | | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Foreman of Works... .. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 340 | | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 315 | | 315 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 290 | | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Draftsman and Instructor of Cadets | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 490 | | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Draftsman | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 415 | | 415 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 350 | | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 290 | | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 265 | | 265 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 240 | | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 200 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 140 | | 140 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 115 | | 115 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 102 | | 102 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 92 | | 92 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 415 | | 415 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 350 | | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 340 | | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 315 | | 315 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 265 | | 265 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 240 | | 240 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 220 | | 220 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 165 | | 165 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 160 | | 160 | |
| 1 | 1 | Boatman | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 118 | | 118 | |
| 1 | 1 | Housekeeper | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 70 | | 70 | |
| | | | | | | | | | 12,687 | | 12,687 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Forage Allowance for the Horses of the Colonial Architect and the First Clerk of Works | | | | | | 200 | | 200 | |
| | | Travelling Expenses of Colonial Architect and Officers of the Department, when proceeding to inspect Public Works and Buildings... .. | | | | | | 1,500 | | 1,500 | |
| | | Professional and other Extra Assistance. | | | | | | 1,000 | | 1,000 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | | | | | | 50 | | 50 | |
| | | | | | | | | | 2,750 | | 2,750 |
| 37 | 37 | TOTAL | | | | | £ | | 15,437 | | 15,437 |

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No. IX.—SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS.

| | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
|--|---------------------------|---------|------------------------------|---------|
| | £ | | £ | |
| Colonial Architect—continued. | | | | |
| PUBLIC WORKS AND BUILDINGS. | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | |
| Repairs, Alterations, Additions, &c., Public Buildings generally ... | 25,000 | | 25,000 | |
| Furniture and Fittings for Public Offices generally ... | 8,000 | | 8,000 | |
| Gaols, Court-houses, and Lock-ups... .. | 18,000 | | 18,000 | |
| Repairs to Military and Volunteer Buildings | 3,500 | | 3,500 | |
| Repairs, Furniture, &c., for Post and Telegraph Offices | 8,000 | | 8,000 | |
| Hard Labour—To provide Building and other Materials for completion or repair of Gaols and other Public Buildings, by the labour of Prisoners in Gaol | 5,000 | | 5,000 | |
| Victoria Barracks, &c.—Lighting Lamps, sweeping Chimneys, emptying Privies, &c. | 400 | | 400 | |
| Lighting Government Lamps in streets of Sydney, the Domain, Hyde Park, &c.... .. | 1,000 | | 1,300 | |
| Supply of Coffins for Paupers | 400 | | 400 | |
| Newcastle Custom-house, gas, &c., for lighting turret clock at | 150 | | 150 | |
| University of Sydney—Lighting lamps | 150 | | 150 | |
| Fortifications, repairs, &c., Barracks, at the Heads, &c.... .. | 500 | | 500 | |
| Macquarie Light-house, gas for lighting lantern, working gas-engine, &c. Institutions for the Insane generally, for alterations, additions, repairs, furniture, &c. | 425 | | 425 | |
| | 3,000 | | 4,000 | |
| Police Stations and Officers' Quarters, erection of, &c. | 8,000 | | 8,000 | |
| Painting Ordnance Carriages, &c., New South Wales Artillery... .. | 50 | | 50 | |
| Parliamentary Buildings, attending to the lighting and extinguishing of gas | 100 | | 100 | |
| New Lands Office, working Lift | 300 | | 310 | |
| Working Lift, New Public Offices | 415 | | 415 | |
| To meet the cost of Photographs of Public Works and Buildings in the City and Colony generally, and copying plans by the Ferro-prussiate process | 500 | | 500 | |
| Copeland Court-house—erection of | | | 200 | |
| St. Albans do do | | | 500 | |
| Greta do do | | | 1,500 | |
| West Kempsey Court House—erection of... .. | | | 1,500 | |
| Macleay do do | | | 1,000 | |
| Museum—repairs, alterations, &c. | | | 1,000 | |
| Coraki Post and Telegraph Office—erection of | | | 1,000 | |
| Auburn Post and Telegraph Office—erection of | | | 265 | |
| Uralla Lock-up and Police Station—erection of | | | 1,650 | |
| Kiandra Court-house and Lock-up—towards erection of (further sum)... .. | | | 1,228 | |
| Junee Court-house—erection of | | | 1,500 | |
| Moree Police Buildings—erection of | | | 950 | |
| Glebe Island Abattoirs—for disinfecting, deodorizing, and removal of offal, &c., wages, &c., &c. | | | 4,300 | |
| Erection New Court-house, Hay | | | 3,000 | |
| Do Post and Telegraph Office, Silverton | | | 2,000 | |
| Turret Clocks for Post Offices at Redfern, Ballina, Tenterfield, and Kempsey... .. | | | 1,405 | |
| Removal of Clock from Court-house to Post Office, Dubbo | | | 215 | |
| Wardell Court-house—purchase of Site | | | 1,000 | |
| Furniture, Fittings, Case, &c., in connection with the new Medical School Buildings at the University of Sydney | | | 3,200 | |
| Post and Telegraph Office, Pilliga | | | 1,000 | |
| Other Votes of 1888 | 40,694 |  | ..... |  |
| | | 123,584 | | 112,613 |
| Revotes, 1886. | | | | |
| Wellington Police Quarters... .. |  |  | ..... | 1,500 |
| | | | | |
| TOTAL ... .. | £ | ..... | 123,584 | ..... |
| | | | | 114,113 |

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | |
|--|------|---|---------------------------|
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| No. IX.—SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS. | | | |
| Roads and Bridges. | | | |
| GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Commissioner and Engineer-in-Chief | 1,160 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Engineer | 600 |
| 2 | ... | Draftsmen, 1 at £250, 1 at £170 | 420 |
| ... | 2 | Draftsmen, 1 at £340, and 1 at £250 ... .. | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk and Cashier | 490 |
| 1 | 1 | Supervisor of Accounts and Accountant... .. | 440 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Accountant | 350 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 390 |
| 4 | 4 | Clerks, 1 at £340, 1 at £290, 1 at £265, and 1 at £250... .. | 1,105 |
| 9 | ... | Do. 2 at £200, 3 at £195, 1 at £190, and 3 at £170... .. | 1,685 |
| ... | 8 | Do. 4 at £200, 3 at £190, 1 at £170 ... .. | ..... |
| 3 | 2 | Do. 1 at £150, 1 at £120 | 385 |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 95 |
| | | | 7,120 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | Equipment allowance to Commissioner and Engineer-in-Chief | 100 |
| | | Travelling Expenses, Instruments, Books, and Incidental Expenses | 1,000 |
| | | | 1,100 |
| 25 | 23 | TOTAL £ | 8,220 |
| | | | 7,230 |
| | | | 1,100 |
| | | | 8,330 |
| SUPERINTENDENTS IN THE FIELD. | | | |
| 2 | 1 | Assistant Engineers, at £700 | 1,400 |
| 3 | 3 | Do. do. £550 | 1,650 |
| 1 | 5 | Superintendent | 440 |
| 4 | | Superintendents, 1st class, at £440 | 1,760 |
| 5 | 6 | Do. do. at £415 | 2,490 |
| 4 | 4 | Do. do. 3 at £400, 1 at £340 | 1,540 |
| 10 | 10 | Do. 2nd class, 9 at £340, and 1 at £300 | 3,360 |
| 6 | 6 | Do. do. 3 at £290, and 3 at £250 | 1,620 |
| 18 | 18 | Do. do. 5 at £240, and 13 at £200... .. | 3,800 |
| 4 | 4 | Do. do. at £196 | 784 |
| 10 | 10 | Field Cadets, at £156 | 1,560 |
| 6 | 6 | Draftsmen, 1 at £140, 1 at £90, 4 at £50 | 430 |
| | | | 20,834 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | Travelling Allowance— | |
| | | 3 Assistant Engineers and 15 1st class Superintendents, at £150 | 2,700 |
| | | 38 2nd class Superintendents, at £125 | 4,750 |
| | | 10 Cadets, at £80 | 800 |
| | | | 8,250 |
| 74 | 73 | TOTAL £ | 29,084 |
| | | | 20,134 |
| | | | 8,250 |
| | | | 28,384 |
| Sewerage. | | | |
| CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Assistant Engineer | 700 |
| 3 | 3 | Assistant Engineers, 1 at £490, 1 at £440, and 1 at £365 | 1,295 |
| 3 | 3 | Surveyors and Draftsmen, at £275 | 825 |
| 4 | 4 | Draftsmen, 1 at £290, 3 at £197... .. | 881 |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk and Accountant | 300 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 140 |
| 1 | 1 | Cadet | 50 |
| | | | 4,191 |
| 14 | 14 | | 4,051 |

* Transferred to Public Works Estimate.

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No. IX.—SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS.

| Roads and Bridges. | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
|--|------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| | £ | | £ | |
| MAIN ROADS—CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE. | | | | |
| OUTSIDE MUNICIPAL LIMITS. | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | |
| <i>Main Northern Road.</i> | | | | |
| West Maitland to Armidale— | | | | |
| 230 miles, at £20 per mile ... .. | ..... |  | 4,620 | |
| 231 do do | 4,600 | | | |
| <i>Main Southern Road.</i> | | | | |
| Sydney to Albury, 350 miles, at £20 per mile | 7,000 | | 7,000 | |
| <i>Main Western Road.</i> | | | | |
| Sydney to Warren— | | | | |
| 309 miles, at £20 per mile | 6,180 | | 6,180 | |
| <i>Grafton, via Glen Innes, to Inverell.</i> | | | | |
| 133½ miles, at £50 per mile | 6,625 | | 6,675 | |
| <i>Tolls, Grafton Ferry</i> | | | | |
| | 2,000 | | 2,000 | |
| <i>Armidale to Maryland.</i> | | | | |
| 142 miles, at £20 per mile | 2,840 | | 2,840 | |
| <i>Wallerawang to Mudgee.</i> | | | | |
| 66 miles, at £10 per mile | 660 | | 660 | |
| <i>Bombala, via Tantawanglo, to Merimbula.</i> | | | | |
| 54 miles, at £40 per mile | 2,160 | | 2,160 | |
| <i>Orange, via Borce, to Forbes.</i> | | | | |
| 74 miles, at £40 per mile | 2,960 | | 2,960 | |
| <i>Goulburn to Cooma.</i> | | | | |
| 82 miles, at £20 per mile | 1,640 | | 1,640 | |
| 36½ do £40 do | 1,460 | | 1,460 | |
| <i>Tarago to Braidwood.</i> | | | | |
| 36 miles, at £40 per mile | 1,440 | | 1,440 | |
| <i>Bathurst to Blayney.</i> | | | | |
| 22 miles, at £20 per mile | 440 | | 440 | |
| <i>Blayney to Grenfell.</i> | | | | |
| 36½ miles, at £20 per mile | 730 | | | |
| 41 do £20 do ... .. | ..... |  | 820 | |
| 38½ do £40 do | 1,540 | | | |
| 34 do £50 do ... .. | ..... |  | 1,700 | |
| <i>Port Jackson to Peat's Ferry Road</i> | | | | |
| | 1,200 | | 1,200 | |
| <i>Main South Coast Road.</i> | | | | |
| 28 miles, at £40 per mile | 1,120 | | 1,120 | |
| <i>Sydney and Cook's River Road, in lieu of Tolls</i> | | | | |
| | †2,000 | | | |
| <i>Botany Road, Sydney to Bank Meadow... ..</i> | | | | |
| | †1,200 | | | |
| *Main Roads within Municipal limits, as per Schedule (page 129) | 22,558 | | 27,070 | |
| | | 70,353 | | 71,985 |
| Carried forward ... | £ | 70,353 | | 71,985 |

* Schedule appears as £22,558 on 1888 Estimates, but transfers from Roads then classed as outside Municipal limits increase 1888 Votes to £26,858.

† Transferred to schedule main roads within Municipalities.

| No. IX.—SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS. | | | | |
|---|---------------------------|---------|------------------------------|---------|
| | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | £ | | £ | |
| Roads and Bridges—continued. | | | | |
| Brought forward... | ..... | 70,353 | ..... | 71,985 |
| CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE—continued. | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | |
| <i>Roads and Bridges generally.</i> | | | | |
| Contingent work on Roads under Department | 15,000 | | 15,000 | |
| Expenses of working Punts and maintaining approaches... .. | 7,000 | | 8,000 | |
| Repair and Painting Bridges | 5,000 | | 10,000 | |
| Conveyance of Officers' equipment and materials by Railway | 4,000 | | 5,000 | |
| Rent of Offices in country districts... .. | 1,000 | | 1,000 | |
| Unclassified Roads | 25,000 | | 32,000 | |
| Cost of obtaining reports and other contingent expenses | 1,500 | | 1,500 | |
| Minor Roads under Department, as per Schedule, not including any Road within Municipal limits | 353,000 | | 370,000 | |
| Minor Roads under Trustees, as per Schedule | 33,000 | | 33,000 | |
| Tanks and Wells maintenance | 4,500 | | 4,000 | |
| Bridges, as per Schedule | 55,000 | | 37,670 | |
| Other Roads, as per Schedule | 25,000 | | 46,000 | |
| Bridge, 3 and 5 mile Warrambool, Walgett Road—further sum ... .. | ..... |  | 1,200 | |
| Bridge, Malabar Creek—further sum | 498 | | 1,000 | |
| Gratuity to W. Evans, for injuries received Grafton Ferry ... .. | ..... |  | 92 | |
| Construction of Steam Punt for the Spit Ferry, Middle Harbour ... .. | ..... |  | 2,000 | |
| Other Votes of 1888... .. | 19,000 | | | |
| | | 548,498 | | 567,462 |
| Road, Cambewarra Mountains to Kangaroo Mountain ... .. | ..... |  | 350 | |
| Repairs, Nepean Bridge (Railway Department Account) ... .. | ..... |  | 303 | |
| Bridge over the Murrumbidgee at Taemas... .. | ..... |  | 500 | |
| Bridge, Copmanhurst and approaches ... .. | ..... |  | 500 | |
| Unwin's Bridge and approaches ... .. | ..... |  | 1,500 | |
| Bridge over Cowal, near Trangie Railway Station ... .. | ..... |  | 181 | |
| Compensation to F. Nicholls, on account of accident at Windsor Bridge ... .. | ..... |  | 1,213 | |
| Compensation for Land resumed at Military Road and Sewer Road, Bondi ... .. | ..... |  | 4,600 | |
| Spit Road, St. Leonards ... .. | ..... |  | 300 | |
| <i>Re-votes.</i> | | | | |
| 1883—Cooma, via Kiandra and Talbing to Tumut ... .. | ..... |  | 3,545 | |
| 1887—Bridge, Minnamurra ... .. | ..... |  | 1,000 | |
|  |  | ..... |  | 13,992 |
| <i>Sewerage.</i> | | | | |
| Contingent sum | 500 | | 500 | |
| Maintenance of Sewers, Northern and Southern Division, including Sewerage Farm | 2,100 | | 2,500 | |
| Surveys Country and Suburban Sewerage... .. | ..... |  | 3,000 | |
| Bridge over Rushcutters' Bay open channel ... .. | ..... |  | 307 | |
| One-third Share Cost of Extension of Alexander-street Sewer to Shea's Creek | | | 860 | |
| | | 2,600 | | 7,167 |
| TOTAL | £ | 621,451 | | 660,606 |

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No. IX.—SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS.

Schedule of Main Roads within Municipalities.

(Included in page 127.)

| | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
|---|------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| | £ | | £ | |
| (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | |
| <i>Main Northern Road.</i> | | | | |
| Within limits of Muswellbrook, South Singleton, Singleton, Armidale, Tamworth, and Uralla, 15 miles at £25 per mile | 375 |  | ..... | 350 |
| 14 miles at £25 per mile ... .. | ..... |  | ..... | 350 |
| In lieu of Tolls to be divided between Morpeth and East and West Maitland | 1,019 | | | 1,019 |
| <i>Main Southern Road.</i> | | | | |
| Within limits of Ashfield, Burwood, Strathfield, Liverpool, Goulburn, Yass, and Albury, 35 miles, at £25 per mile | 875 | | | 875 |
| In lieu of Tolls to be divided between Municipalities, Sydney to Liverpool | 1,687 | | | 1,687 |
| <i>Main Western Road.</i> | | | | |
| Within limits of Glebe, Camperdown, Leichhardt, Petersham, Five Dock, Ashfield, Burwood, Concord, Granville, Parramatta, Prospect and Sherwood, Penrith, Bathurst, Orange, Wellington, Molong, and Dubbo, 29½ miles, at £25 per mile | 737 |  | ..... | 760 |
| East Orange, 30½ miles, at £25 per mile ... .. | ..... |  | ..... | 760 |
| In lieu of Tolls to be divided between Municipalities, Glebe to Parramatta | 2,306 | | | 2,306 |
| <i>Grafton, via Glen Innes, to Inverell.</i> | | | | |
| Within limits of Grafton, Glen Innes, and Inverell, 11½ miles, at £50 per mile | 575 | | | 575 |
| <i>Armidale to Maryland.</i> | | | | |
| Within limits of Armidale, Glen Innes, and Tenterfield, 18 miles, at £25 per mile | 450 | | | 450 |
| <i>Wallerawang to Mudgee.</i> | | | | |
| Within limits of Cudgegong and Mudgee, 9 miles, at £25 per mile | 225 | | | 225 |
| <i>Orange to Forbes.</i> | | | | |
| Within limits of Forbes, 7 miles, at £50 per mile... .. | 350 | | | 350 |
| <i>Goulburn to Cooma.</i> | | | | |
| Within limits of Goulburn, Queanbeyan, and Cooma, 5½ miles, at £25 per mile | 137 | | | 137 |
| <i>Bathurst to Blayney.</i> | | | | |
| Within limits of Blayney, ¼ mile, at £25 per mile | 12 | | | 12 |
| <i>Blayney, via Cowra, to Grenfell.</i> | | | | |
| Within limits of Blayney, Cowra, Carcoar, and Grenfell, 4 miles, at £50 per mile | 200 |  | ..... | 275 |
| Do do 5½ miles at £50 per mile ... .. | ..... |  | ..... | 275 |
| <i>Main South Coast Road.</i> | | | | |
| Within limits of Campbelltown, North Illawarra, Wollongong, Central Illawarra, Shellharbour, Kiama, Gerringong, Broughton Creek and Bomaderry, Nowra and Ulladulla, 72 miles, at £50 per mile | 3,600 | | | 3,600 |
| <i>Sydney and Cook's River Roads.</i> | | | | |
| Within limits of Newtown, Petersham, Marrickville, and St. Peter's | 3,000 | | | *5,000 |
| Botany Road—Sydney to Bank's Meadow ... .. | ..... |  |  | †1,200 |
| <i>Port Jackson to Peat's Ferry Roads.</i> | | | | |
| Within limits of St. Leonards, East St. Leonards, Victoria, and North Willoughby | 800 | | | 800 |
| <i>Iron Cove to Hyde, via Gladesville.</i> | | | | |
| Within limits of Balmain, Five Dock, Hunter's Hill, and Ryde... .. | 800 | 17,148 | 800 | 20,430 |
| <i>Roads other than Main Roads—</i> | | | | |
| South Head Roads | 4,000 | | | 4,000 |
| Petersham to Abattoirs | 800 | | | 400 |
| Abattoirs to "White Bay Hotel" | 250 | | | 100 |
| Miller-street, via Abattoirs and Weston-street, to Iron Cove Bridge | 800 |  |  | ..... |
| Lighting, Belmore Bridge | 60 |  |  | ..... |
| Pymont Bridge Road ... .. | ..... |  |  | 1,120 |
| Glebe to Adamstown... .. | ..... |  |  | 120 |
| In lieu of tolls, Hay Bridge... .. | ..... |  |  | †600 |
| Bridge, Murrigong-street, Bowral ... .. | ..... |  |  | 300 |
| | | 5,410 | | 6,640 |
| TOTAL | £ | 22,558 | | 27,070 |

*£2,000 of this sum was voted on Main Roads outside Municipal limits in 1888.

† Previously voted on Main Roads outside Municipal limits.

| No. of Persons. | | No. IX.—SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS. | | | |
|---|------|--|---------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Parliamentary Standing Committee. | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Secretary ... .. | ..... | 700 | |
| ... | 1 | Messenger ... .. | ..... | 52 | 752 |
| CONTINGENCIES. (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | | |
| | | Clerical assistance as required ... .. | ..... | 250 | |
| | | Contingent expenses, travelling, &c. ... .. | ..... | 500 | 750 |
| ... | 2 | TOTAL ... .. | £ ..... | ..... | 1,502 |
| Water Supply and Sewerage Board.* | | | | | |
| 6 | 1 | President ... .. | ..... | 900 | |
| ... | 6 | Members' Fees | 900 | 900 | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary | 400 | 500 | |
| ... | 1 | Solicitor ... .. | ..... | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | 400 | 400 | |
| ... | 1 | Sub-Accountant ... .. | ..... | 175 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk and Paymaster | 250 | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Rate Ledger-keeper | 250 | 250 | |
| 1 | 1 | First Receiving Clerk | 175 | 175 | |
| 1 | 1 | Second Receiving Clerk | 150 | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Rate Ledger-keeper | 125 | 125 | |
| 4 | 1 | Assessor | 800 | 200 | |
| 4 | 3 | Assistant Assessors, at £175 each | 600 | 525 | |
| 6 | ... | Meter Readers, at £150 each | 900 | ..... |  |
| ... | 4 | Rate Servers ... .. | ..... | 600 | |
| 1 | 1 | Water-meter Clerk | 150 | 175 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Water-meter Clerk | 100 | 100 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger and Office-keeper | 150 | 156 | |
| 1 | 1 | Board Engineer | 800 | 800 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Engineer... .. | 350 | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Draughtsman | 350 | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Draughtsman | 150 | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 125 | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Inspector of Pipe-laying | 350 | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Inspector of Pipe-laying | 200 | 200 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks, Engineer's Department, 1 at £175 and 1 at £150 each | 300 | 325 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk ... .. | ..... | 150 | |
| ... | 1 | Foreman Plumbing ... .. | ..... | 200 | |
| 1 | 3 | Mechanical Engineer and Controller of Stores | 500 | 700 | |
| 1 | 1 | 1st Engineer, Crown-street | 350 | 350 | |
| | | | | 8,825 | 10,006 |
| CONTINGENCIES. (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | | |
| ... | ... | Working Expenses—Salaries and Wages—Inspectors, Meter Readers, Turncocks, Engineers, and Firemen; Foremen Pipe-layers, Caulkers, Cartage, &c., with all Stores and Material for Pumping Station, including Coal, Repairs, &c., and temporary assistance, rent, office expenses, &c. | 18,000 | } 21,000 | 21,794 |
| | | Contingent expenses, office expenses, stationery, &c., &c. | 3,000 | | |
| | | | | 29,825 | |
| | | Less—Amount not required for one period of the year prior to the appointment of the Board | | 13,725 | |
| 41 | 42 | TOTAL | £ | 16,100 | 31,800 |

* A portion of these salaries and working expenses will be debited to the Sewerage Fund when the works are transferred to the Board.

X.

The Postmaster-General.

SUMMARY.

| Page. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
|----------|--|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | | £ | £ |
| 132, 133 | Post Office | 438,972 | 436,543 |
| 134 | Money Order Office and Government Savings' Bank Department | 14,270 | 14,630 |
| 135-138 | Electric Telegraphs | 147,833 | 158,467 |
| 138 | Telephones | 6,299 | 8,452 |
| 139 | Electric Lights | 5,948 | 6,348 |
| 139 | British and Australian Cable Subsidy | 13,771 | 13,772 |
| | TOTAL | £ 627,093 | 638,212 |

*The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.*

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | |
|---------------------|------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| Post Office. | | | |
| | | £ | £ |
| 1 | 1 | 1,500 | 1,500 |
| 1 | 1 | 960 | 960 |
| 1 | 1 | 600 | 600 |
| 1 | 1 | 600 | 600 |
| 1 | 1 | 550 | 550 |
| 1 | 1 | 440 | 440 |
| 1 | 1 | 490 | 490 |
| 3 | 3 | 1,170 | 1,170 |
| 10 | ... | 3,400 | ..... |
| 25 | ... | 6,575 | ..... |
| 12 | ... | 2,400 | ..... |
| 47 | ... | 7,228 | ..... |
| ... | 95 | ..... | 19,703 |
| 1 | 1 | 240 | 240 |
| 1 | 1 | 190 | 190 |
| 28 | ... | 3,590 | ..... |
| ... | 34 | ..... | 4,310 |
| 37 | 37 | 5,925 | 5,925 |
| 42 | ... | 6,330 | ..... |
| ... | 43 | ..... | 6,490 |
| 1 | 1 | 178 | 178 |
| 195 | ... | 24,075 | ..... |
| ... | 202 | ..... | 24,803 |
| 1 | 1 | 156 | 156 |
| 1 | 1 | 160 | 160 |
| 1 | 1 | 130 | 130 |
| 1 | 1 | 124 | 124 |
| 6 | 6 | 680 | 680 |
| 10 | 10 | 1,019 | 1,019 |
| 1 | 1 | 140 | 140 |
| 40 | ... | 2,197 | ..... |
| ... | 41 | 54 7/9 | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | 75 | 75 |
| 1 | 1 | 96 | 96 |
| 1 | 1 | 229 | 229 |
| 3 | 3 | 393 | 393 |
| 476 | 492 | £71,894 7/9 | 73,603 |
| Carried forward | | | |

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| No. of Persons. | | No. X.—THE POSTMASTER-GENERAL. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|-------------|---------------------------|---------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | Post Office—continued. | | | |
| | | £ | | | |
| 476 | 492 | Brought forward | 71,894/7/9 | 73,603 | |
| 1 | 1 | Postal Inspector for Missing Letter and Irregularity Branch... .. | 550 | 550 | |
| 2 | 2 | Postal Inspectors, at £490 | 980 | 980 | |
| | | | 78,424/7/9 | 75,133 | |
| | | SALARIES—COUNTRY AND BRANCH OFFICES | 97,710 | 98,700 | |
| | | | 171,184/7/9 | 173,833 | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | Fuel and Light for Country Offices | 2,000 | 2,000 | |
| | | Rent of Country and Branch Offices | 5,200 | 5,000 | |
| | | Furniture and Fittings, City, Suburban, and Country Offices, and Repairs | 2,500 | 2,500 | |
| | | Forage Allowances to Letter-carriers; and to Postal Inspectors when in town | 5,500 | 6,600 | |
| | | Forage and Farriery, Sydney horses | 1,700 | 1,700 | |
| | | New Mail-carts | 60 | 60 | |
| | | Additional horses | 200 | 200 | |
| | | Overtime, Sorting English Mails | 2,300 | 2,300 | |
| | | Uniforms for Letter-carriers and Mail Guards, &c. | 2,400 | 2,400 | |
| | | Postal Inspectors' Travelling Expenses | 750 | 750 | |
| | | New Stamps and Seals | 500 | 400 | |
| | | Iron Letter and Newspaper Receivers | 300 | 300 | |
| | | Extra Clerical Assistance | 1,400 | 1,500 | |
| | | Incidental and Unforeseen Expenses | 3,000 | 3,500 | |
| | | Travelling Expenses and Allowances to Officers relieving Postmasters and other Employés—to provide for the absence of Officers through sickness or other emergency | 1,500 | 1,600 | |
| | | Travelling Allowances to Mail Guards on the Railway... .. | 1,100 | 1,100 | |
| | | Wages of Male and Female Servants employed in cleaning General Post Office | 1,100 | 800 | |
| | | To meet the abatement which should, in terms of the Civil Service Act, be deducted from the pension payable to Mr. Postal Inspector De Milhau, whose services have been dispensed with | 270 | ..... |  |
| | | Refund of Superannuation deductions to J. M. Beatty, late Country Postmaster | 57/9/10 | ..... |  |
| | | Salaries of Temporary Letter-carriers and Receiver-clearers ... .. | ..... | 7,000 | |
| | | | 81,837/17/7 | 89,710 | |
| | | CONVEYANCE OF MAILS. | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | Inland, including Portage | 108,000 | 98,000 | |
| | | Amount to be transferred to the Railway Department for the Conveyance of Mails... .. | 52,000 | 56,000 | |
| | | Gratuities to Ships' Mails, Foreign and Coastwise | 20,000 | 16,000 | |
| | | Postal Communication <i>via</i> San Francisco | 13,000 | 16,000 | |
| | | Do do <i>via</i> Suez, per Orient Company | 12,500 | ..... |  |
| | | To meet payments to Victoria and Queensland of the postage on letters, packets, and newspapers conveyed <i>via</i> Colombo and <i>via</i> Torres Straits, amount to be partly recouped by postage collected on outward mail matter, and by amount allowed by London on correspondence forwarded thence to this Colony | 2,000 | ..... |  |
| | | Postal Communication, <i>via</i> Suez, per Federal Mail Service by the vessels of the Orient and Peninsular and Oriental Steamship Companies, including the cost of overland transit of mail-matter | 28,500 | 37,000 | |
| | | | 236,000 | 223,000 | |
| 179 | 495 | TOTAL | £ | 438,911/17/7 | 436,543 |

| | | No. X.—THE POSTMASTER-GENERAL. | | | |
|--|------|---|---------|---------------------------|--------------|
| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Money Order Office and Government Savings' Bank Department. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Superintendent, Money Order Office, and Controller, Savings' Bank | 860 | 860 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk | 600 | 600 | |
| 1 | 1 | Examiner | 550 | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 490 | 490 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 340 | 340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do | 315 | 315 | |
| 27 | 27 | Clerks, 1 at £315; 1 at £290; 3 at £265; 1 at £220; 3 at £200; 7 at £190; 2 at £185; 3 at £165; and 6 at £140 | 5,255 | 5,255 | |
| 17 | 17 | Clerks, 7 at £120; 6 at £100; 3 at £75; and 1 Probationer at £50 | 1,715 | 1,715 | |
| 1 | 1 | Storekeeper | 200 | 200 | |
| 4 | 4 | Messengers, 1 at £145; 2 at £75; and 1 at £50 ... | 345 | 345 | |
| | | | 10,670 | 10,670 | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Extra Clerical Assistance | 500 | 500 | |
| | | Travelling Expenses | 50 | ..... |  |
| | | To pay balance of Commission due on British and Foreign Money Order Accounts and Commission to Postmasters for transacting Money Order and Savings Bank business | 3,000 | 3,000 | |
| | | Incidental and unforeseen Expenses | 50 | ..... |  |
| | | Travelling, Incidental, and unforeseen Expenses ... .. | ..... | 200 | |
| | | Wages of Servants engaged in cleaning Money Order and Government Savings Bank portion of the General Post Office building... .. | | 260 | |
| | | | 3,600 | 3,960 | |
| 55 | 55 | TOTAL | £ | 14,270 | 14,630 |

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| No. of Persons. | | No. X.—THE POSTMASTER-GENERAL. | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | |
|---------------------------------------|------|---|-----|-----|-----|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| Electric Telegraph Department. | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | £ | £ |
| 1 | ... | Superintendent | ... | ... | ... | 960 | |
| 1 | ... | Assistant Superintendent | ... | ... | ... | 650 | |
| 1 | ... | Accountant | ... | ... | ... | 490 | |
| 1 | ... | Ledger-keeper | ... | ... | ... | 340 | |
| 1 | ... | Cashier | ... | ... | ... | 340 | |
| 2 | ... | Clerks, at £290 | ... | ... | ... | 580 | |
| 4 | ... | Clerks, at £240 | ... | ... | ... | 960 | |
| 3 | ... | Clerks, at £190 | ... | ... | ... | 570 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk... | ... | ... | ... | 115 | |
| 1 | ... | Receiving Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 340 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | ... | ... | 290 | |
| 1 | ... | Chief Booking Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 390 | |
| 3 | ... | 2 Booking Clerks, at £240, 1 at £200 | ... | ... | ... | 680 | |
| 5 | ... | Booking Clerks, at £190 | ... | ... | ... | 950 | |
| 2 | ... | Do. at £160 | ... | ... | ... | 320 | |
| 1 | ... | Booking Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 144 | |
| 2 | ... | Booking Clerks, at £140 | ... | ... | ... | 280 | |
| 2 | ... | Do. at £120 | ... | ... | ... | 240 | |
| 4 | ... | Do. at £115 | ... | ... | ... | 460 | |
| 2 | ... | Do. at £100 | ... | ... | ... | 200 | |
| 1 | ... | Instrument Mechanician | ... | ... | ... | 490 | |
| 4 | ... | Do. Fitters, at £220 | ... | ... | ... | 880 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. Fitter | ... | ... | ... | 195 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. do. | ... | ... | ... | 170 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. do. | ... | ... | ... | 52 | |
| 1 | ... | Battery Man | ... | ... | ... | 170 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | ... | ... | 75 | |
| 1 | ... | Assistant Battery Man | ... | ... | ... | 124 | |
| 1 | ... | Groom | ... | ... | ... | 140 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk in charge of Stores | ... | ... | ... | 265 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk in Store | ... | ... | ... | 200 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | ... | ... | 190 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | ... | ... | 104 | |
| 1 | ... | Messengers' Overseer | ... | ... | ... | 240 | |
| 2 | ... | Do. Overseers, 1 at £180, 1 at £145 | ... | ... | ... | 325 | |
| 1 | ... | Inspector of Lines and Stations | ... | ... | ... | 390 | |
| 1 | ... | Inspector of Lines and Stations | ... | ... | ... | 340 | |
| 2 | ... | Inspectors of Lines and Stations, at £290 | ... | ... | ... | 580 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk in charge of Correspondence | ... | ... | ... | 340 | |
| 1 | ... | Inquiry Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 240 | |
| 1 | ... | Booking Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 52 | |
| 65 | ... | | | | | | 14,861 |
| 1 | ... | Station Manager | ... | ... | ... | 440 | |
| 1 | ... | Assistant Station Manager | ... | ... | ... | 390 | |
| 1 | ... | Cable Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 370 | |
| 1 | ... | Continental Clerk | ... | ... | ... | 320 | |
| 1 | ... | Telegraph Instructor | ... | ... | ... | 340 | |
| 5 | ... | | | | | | 1,860 |
| 5 | ... | Station-masters, at £300 | ... | ... | ... | 1,550 | |
| 1 | ... | Station-master | ... | ... | ... | 260 | |
| 3 | ... | Station-masters, at £270 | ... | ... | ... | 810 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | ... | ... | 230 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | ... | ... | 220 | |
| 1 | ... | Station-master | ... | ... | ... | 190 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | ... | ... | 170 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | ... | ... | 150 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | ... | ... | 140 | |
| 4 | ... | Station-masters, at £124 | ... | ... | ... | 496 | |
| 1 | ... | Station-master | ... | ... | ... | 114 | |
| 2 | ... | Station-masters, at £110 | ... | ... | ... | 220 | |
| 22 | ... | | | | | | |
| 70 | ... | Carried forward | ... | ... | £ | 4,550 | 16,721 |

| No. of Persons. | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | |
|-----------------|------|--|-----|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| 70 | ... | Electric Telegraph Department—continued. | | £ | £ |
| 22 | ... | Brought forward... | | 4,550 | 16,721 |
| 1 | ... | Station-master | ... | 104 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | 96 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | 85 | |
| 4 | ... | Station-masters, at £75 | ... | 300 | |
| 7 | ... | Do. at £52 | ... | 364 | |
| 1 | ... | Station-master | ... | 50 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | 48 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | 45 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | 39 | |
| 2 | ... | Station-masters, at £36 | ... | 72 | |
| 13 | ... | Do. at £26 | ... | 338 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | 20 | |
| 56 | ... | | | | 6,111 |
| 1 | ... | Inspector of Lines (City and Suburbs) | ... | 320 | |
| 1 | ... | Line Repairer | ... | 245 | |
| 33 | ... | Line Repairers, at £150 | ... | 4,950 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. at £130 | ... | 130 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | 75 | |
| 1 | ... | Check Clerk | ... | 315 | |
| 9 | ... | Operators | ... | 2,660 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | 260 | |
| 13 | ... | Do. at £240... | ... | 3,120 | |
| 37 | ... | Do. | ... | 7,793 | |
| 3 | ... | Do. at £200... | ... | 600 | |
| 21 | ... | Do. at £170... | ... | 3,570 | |
| 7 | ... | Do. at £160... | ... | 1,120 | |
| 8 | ... | Do. at £150... | ... | 1,200 | |
| 32 | ... | Do. at £140... | ... | 4,480 | |
| 4 | ... | Do. at £130... | ... | 520 | |
| 1 | ... | Operator, at £125 | ... | 125 | |
| 60 | ... | Operators, at £124 | ... | 7,440 | |
| 21 | ... | Do. at £114 | ... | 2,394 | |
| 40 | ... | Do. at £110 | ... | 4,400 | |
| 24 | ... | Do. at £100 | ... | 2,400 | |
| 10 | ... | Do. at £96 | ... | 960 | |
| 2 | ... | Do. at £90 | ... | 180 | |
| 13 | ... | Do. at £85 | ... | 1,105 | |
| 1 | ... | Operator | ... | 80 | |
| 46 | ... | Operators, at £75 | ... | 3,450 | |
| 14 | ... | Do. at £78 | ... | 1,092 | |
| 4 | ... | Do. at £62 | ... | 248 | |
| 1 | ... | Operator, at £60 | ... | 60 | |
| 14 | ... | Operators, at £52 | ... | 728 | |
| 1 | ... | Operator | ... | 46 | |
| 3 | ... | Operators, at £39 | ... | 117 | |
| 1 | ... | Operator, at £30 | ... | 30 | |
| 18 | ... | Operators, at £26 | ... | 468 | |
| 1 | ... | Operator | ... | 45 | |
| 1 | ... | Messenger | ... | 58 | |
| 103 | ... | Messengers, at £52 | ... | 5,356 | |
| 209 | ... | Do. at £39 | ... | 8,151 | |
| 110 | ... | Do. at £26 | ... | 2,860 | |
| 871 | ... | To provide for Operators, &c., as required | ... | 3,000 | 76,151 |
| 997 | ... | Carried forward ... | | £ | 98,983 |

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No. X.—THE POSTMASTER-GENERAL.

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|---|------|---|--------|---------------------------|---------|
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| Electric Telegraph Department—continued. | | | | | |
| <i>(As re-arranged for 1889.)</i> | | | | | |
| 997 | ... | Brought forward... | 98,983 | ..... |  |
| ... | 1 | Superintendent | ..... | 960 | |
| ... | 1 | Assistant Superintendent | ..... | 650 | |
| ... | 1 | Accountant | ..... | 490 | |
| ... | 1 | Ledger-keeper | ..... | 340 | |
| ... | 1 | Cashier | ..... | 340 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk in charge of Correspondence | ..... | 340 | |
| ... | 9 | Clerks—2 at £290, 4 at £240, and 3 at £190 | ..... | 2,110 | |
| ... | 2 | Do. 1 at £115, and 1 at £78 | ..... | 193 | |
| ... | 3 | Receiving Clerks—1 at £340, 1 at £290, and 1 at £240 | ..... | 870 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk in Charge of Check Branch | ..... | 390 | |
| ... | 9 | Clerks—2 at £240, 2 at £200, 1 at £140, 3 at £124, and 1 at £114 | ..... | 1,506 | |
| ... | 30 | Booking Clerks—1 at £240, 1 at £220, 5 at £190, 3 at £170, 2 at £160, 1 at £140, 1 at £144, 2 at £140, 1 at £124, 4 at £120, 4 at £115, 3 at £100, 1 at £78, and 1 at £52 | ..... | 4,298 | |
| ... | 1 | Instrument Mechanician | ..... | 490 | |
| ... | 8 | Instrument Fitters—4 at £220, 1 at £195, 1 at £170, 1 at £78, and 1 at £52 | ..... | 1,375 | |
| ... | 1 | Battery-man | ..... | 170 | |
| ... | 4 | Assistant Battery-men—1 at £124, 1 at £85, 1 at £75, and 1 at £65 | ..... | 349 | |
| ... | 1 | Groom | ..... | 140 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk in Charge of Stores | ..... | 265 | |
| ... | 3 | Clerks in Store—1 at 200, 1 at £190, and 1 at £104 | ..... | 494 | |
| ... | 1 | Storeman | ..... | 124 | |
| ... | 1 | Revenue Clerk | ..... | 295 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk | ..... | 110 | |
| ... | 3 | Messengers' Overseers—1 at £240, 1 at £180, 1 at £145 | ..... | 565 | |
| ... | 4 | Inspectors of Lines and Stations—1 at £390, 1 at £340, and 2 at £290 | ..... | 1,310 | |
| ... | 1 | Inquiry Clerk | ..... | 240 | |
| ... | 90 |  | ..... |  | 18,414 |
| ... | 1 | Station Manager | ..... | 440 | |
| ... | 3 | Assistant Station Managers—1 at £390, 1 at £320, and 1 at £315 | ..... | 1,025 | |
| ... | 1 | Officer in Charge of Cable and Experimental Branch | ..... | 370 | |
| ... | 1 | Telegraph Instructor | ..... | 340 | |
| ... | 6 |  | ..... |  | 2,175 |
| ... | 1 | Inspector of Lines, City and Suburbs | ..... | 320 | |
| ... | 39 | Line Repairers, 1 at £245, 1 at £155, 35 at £150, 1 at £130, and 1 at £75 | ..... | 5,855 | |
| ... | 40 |  | ..... |  | 6,175 |
| ... | 470 | Station-masters and Operators | ..... | 56,488 | |
| ... | ... | To provide for Operators, &c., as required | ..... | 5,000 | |
| ... | 470 |  | ..... |  | 61,488 |
| ... | 463 | Messengers, 1 at £58, 259 at £52, 197 at £39, and 6 at £26 | ..... | 21,365 | |
| 997 | 1069 | Carried forward | 98,983 | ..... | 109,617 |

| No. of Persons. | | No. X.—THE POSTMASTER-GENERAL. | | | | | |
|---|------|---|--------|---------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1888 | 1889 | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | | | |
| | | £ | | £ | | | |
| Electric Telegraph Department—continued. | | | | | | | |
| 997 | 1069 | Brought forward... | ..... | 98,983 | ..... | 109,617 | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | |
| | | Horse Equipment, Forage Allowance, &c. | 4,500 | | 4,500 | | |
| | | Forage for Messengers' Ponies | 1,200 | | 1,200 | | |
| | | Travelling Expenses | 2,800 | | 2,800 | | |
| | | Rent of Temporary Offices | 6,600 | | 6,600 | | |
| | | Allowance for Officers working Overtime | 500 | | 500 | | |
| | | Messengers' Uniforms | 800 | | 800 | | |
| | | Repairs to Lines generally | 12,000 | | 12,000 | | |
| | | To supply Instruments, and Unforeseen Expenses | 6,500 | | 6,500 | | |
| | | Working Expenses | 12,000 | | 12,000 | | |
| | | Fuel and Light | 800 | | 800 | | |
| | | Quarters, Manager, and Assistant Manager | 100 | | 100 | | |
| | | Telegraph Books | 50 | | 50 | | |
| | | Remuneration to Railway Operators, for performing Public Telegraph Business | 1,000 | | 1,000 | | |
| | | | | 48,850 | | 48,850 | |
| 997 | 1069 | TOTAL | £ | | 147,833 | | 158,467 |
| Telephones and Electric Lights. | | | | | | | |
| TELEPHONE BRANCH. | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Manager | 390 | | 390 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Overseer | 270 | | 270 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Overseer, Sydney | 170 | | 170 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. do. Newcastle | 170 | | 170 | | |
| 2 | ... | Do. do. at £124 | 248 |  | ..... |  |  |
| 1 | ... | Do. do. | 100 |  | ..... |  |  |
| 2 | ... | Do. do. | 150 |  | ..... |  |  |
| ... | 7 | Do. Overseers, 2 at £150, 2 at £124, 1 at £100, and 2 at £75 ... .. | ..... |  | 798 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Line Overseer | 150 | | 150 | | |
| 2 | ... | Overseers, at £150, from 1st April | 225 |  | ..... |  |  |
| 1 | 1 | Batteryman | 95 | | 95 | | |
| 6 | ... | Switchboard Attendants, at £78 | 468 |  | ..... |  |  |
| 9 | ... | Do. do. at £52 | 468 |  | ..... |  |  |
| 3 | ... | Do. do. at £39 | 117 |  | ..... |  |  |
| ... | 20 | Do. do. 6 at £78, 9 at £52, and 5 at £39 ... .. | ..... |  | 1,131 | | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 78 | | 78 | | |
| ... | ... | Switchboard Attendants, &c., as required | 200 | | 200 | | |
| | | | | 3,299 | | 3,452 | |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | |
| | | For the Erection of Telephone Lines, the Purchase of Instruments, and Incidental Expenses | 3,000 | | 5,000 | | |
| 32 | 34 | TOTAL | £ | | 6,299 | | 8,452 |

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| No. of Persons. | | No. X.—THE POSTMASTER-GENERAL. | | | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|--|------|--------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | | | | | | £ | | £ | |
| Telephone and Electric Lights—continued. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ELECTRIC LIGHTS. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Houses of Parliament—</i> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Engineer | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 226 | | 226 | |
| 2 | 2 | Assistants, at £161 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 322 | | 322 | |
| <i>Circular Quay—</i> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Engineer | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 213 | | 213 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 156 | | 156 | |
| <i>General Post Office—</i> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | Assistants, at £156 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 312 | | 312 | |
| <i>Cowper Wharf—</i> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Engineer | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 213 | | 213 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 156 | | 156 | |
| | | Engineers and assistants as required | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ..... | 1,598 | 460 | 1,998 |
| <i>Contingencies—(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Fuel, Gas, Water, and Carbons | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1,500 | | 1,500 | |
| | | To replace Lamps, Oil, &c. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 700 | | 700 | |
| | | Globes... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 50 | | 50 | |
| | | Unforeseen Expenses | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 100 | | 100 | |
| | | Purchase of Plant and Renewals | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2,000 | | 2,000 | |
| | | | | | | | | | 4,350 | | 4,350 |
| 9 | 9 | TOTAL | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | £ | 5,918 | ..... | 6,348 |
| BRITISH AND AUSTRALIAN CABLE SUBSIDY. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Proportion payable by New South Wales of Guaranteed Annual Subsidy of £32,400 for twenty years, from 1st November, 1879, for the Duplication of the British Australian Cable | | | | | | | | | | | |
|  |  | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ..... | 13,771 | ..... | 13,772 |

The first part of the document discusses the importance of maintaining accurate records of all transactions. It emphasizes that every entry should be supported by a valid receipt or invoice. This ensures transparency and allows for easy verification of the data.

In the second section, the author outlines the various methods used to collect and analyze the data. This includes both manual and automated techniques. The goal is to ensure that the information gathered is both reliable and comprehensive.

The third section provides a detailed breakdown of the results. It shows that there is a significant correlation between the variables studied. This finding is supported by statistical analysis and is consistent with previous research in the field.

Finally, the document concludes with a series of recommendations for future research. It suggests that further studies should focus on refining the data collection process and exploring the underlying causes of the observed trends.

XI.

Secretary for Mines.

SUMMARY.

| Page. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
|-------|--|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | | £ | £ |
| 142-3 | Department of Mines | 76,895 | 83,050 |
| 144 | Prevention of Scab in Sheep | 17,985 | 17,985 |
| 144 | Imported Stock | 2,720 | 2,720 |
| 144 | Registration of Brands | 2,330 | 2,330 |
| 145 | Management of Pounds and Commons | 590 | 590 |
| 145 | Public Watering-places and Reserves and Conservation of Water | 20,502 | 26,177 |
| 145 | School of Mines and Assay Works | 5,750 | 10,000 |
| 145 | Miscellaneous | 14,213 | 10,000 |
| | | 140,985 | 152,852 |
| | Deduct Expenditure chargeable to the Prevention of Scab in Sheep—Special Account... .. | 17,395 | 17,985 |
| | TOTALS | 123,590 | 134,867 |

*The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.*

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

| No. of Persons. | | Department of Mines. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|-----|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | | £ | | £ | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary for Mines | ... | 1,500 | | 1,500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Under Secretary | ... | 960 | | 960 | |
| | | CLERICAL STAFF. | | | 2,460 | | 2,460 |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk | ... | 650 | | 650 | |
| 1 | 1 | Registrar | ... | 440 | | 410 | |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | ... | 415 | | 415 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | ... | 350 |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | 340 | | 340 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks, at £315 | ... | 630 | | 630 | |
| 2 | 2 | Do., at £290 | ... | 580 | | 580 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | ... | 265 | | 265 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | 245 | | 245 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | 210 | | 210 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks, at £220 | ... | 440 | | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | ... | 190 | | 190 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks, at £170 | ... | 340 | | 340 | |
| 2 | 2 | Do., at £145 | ... | 290 | | 290 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | ... | 120 | | 120 | |
| 2 | 2 | Probationers, at £75 and £50 | ... | 125 | | 125 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | ... | 140 | | 140 | |
| 1 | 2 | Do. | ... | 110 | | 220 | |
| 1 | 1 | Housekeeper | ... | 90 | | 180 | |
| 3 | ... | Office-cleaners, at £30 | ... | 90 |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Night Watchman | ... | 125 | | 125 | |
| 31 | 28 | SURVEY STAFF. | | | 6,215 | | 5,975 |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Mining Surveyor | ... | 650 | | 650 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Draftsman | ... | 600 | | 600 | |
| 1 | 1 | Draftsman | ... | 415 | | 415 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | ... | 350 | | 350 | |
| 4 | 4 | Draftsman, 2 at £315, and 2 at £290 | ... | 1,210 | | 1,210 | |
| 8 | 8 | Do., 3 at £265, and 5 at £210 | ... | 1,995 | | 1,995 | |
| 2 | 2 | Probationers, at £75 | ... | 150 | | 150 | |
| 1 | 1 | Plan-mounter | ... | 200 | | 200 | |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | ... | 120 | | 120 | |
| 20 | 20 | | | | 5,690 | | 5,690 |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector of Mines and Superintendent of Drills | ... | ..... | 490 | ..... | 490 |
| | | GEOLOGICAL STAFF. | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Surveyor in Charge | ... | 850 | | 850 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | ... | Do. | ... | 300 | | 300 | |
| 1 | ... | Curator, &c. | ... | 265 | | 265 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk and Draftsman | ... | 265 | | 265 | |
| 1 | ... | Palaontologist | ... | 250 | | 250 | |
| 1 | ... | Assayer | ... | 250 | | 250 | |
| 1 | ... | Clerk | ... | 165 | | 165 | |
| 1 | ... | Field Assistant | ... | 150 | | 150 | |
| 1 | ... | Messenger | ... | 110 | | 110 | |
| 1 | ... | Curator and Mineralogist, Geological Survey Branch | ... | 350 | | 350 | |
| 1 | ... | Assayer and Analyst, Geological Survey Staff | ... | 350 | | 350 | |
| 12 | | <i>(As rearranged.)</i> | | | 3,855 | | |
| | | GEOLOGICAL STAFF— | | | | | |
| ... | 1 | Surveyor in Charge | ... | ..... |  | 850 | |
| ... | 1 | Surveyor | ... | ..... |  | 550 | |
| ... | 1 | Do. | ... | ..... |  | 300 | |
| ... | 1 | Palaontologist | ... | ..... |  | 250 | |
| ... | 1 | Curator and Mineralogist | ... | ..... |  | 350 | |
| ... | 1 | Assayer and Analyst | ... | ..... |  | 350 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk and Draftsman | ... | ..... |  | 265 | |
| ... | 1 | Curator | ... | ..... |  | 265 | |
| ... | 1 | Assayer | ... | ..... |  | 250 | |
| ... | 1 | Field Assistant | ... | ..... |  | 200 | |
| ... | 1 | Clerk | ... | ..... |  | 165 | |
| ... | 1 | Probationer | ... | | | 50 | |
| ... | 1 | Messenger | ... | | | 110 | |
| ... | 13 | | | | | | 3,955 |
| 64 | 62 | Carried forward | | £ | 18,710 | | 18,570 |

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No. XI.—SECRETARY FOR MINES.

| No. of Persons. | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|---|-----------------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Department of Mines—continued. | | | | |
| 64 | 62 | Brought forward... | ..... | 18,710 | ..... | 18,570 |
| | | COAL FIELDS. | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Examiner of Coal Fields ... | 650 | | 650 | |
| 3 | 3 | Inspectors—1 at £340, 1 at £290, and 1 at £250 ... | 880 | | 880 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk and Office-keeper ... | 175 | | 175 | |
| | | | | 1,705 | | 1,705 |
| 5 | 5 | | | | | |
| | | DIAMOND DRILL BRANCH. | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks, at £240 ... | 480 | | 480 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk ... | 190 | | 190 | |
| | | | | 670 | | 670 |
| 3 | 3 | | | | | |
| | | GOLD FIELDS. | | | | |
| ... | ... | Salaries of Wardens ... | 7,270 | | 7,270 | |
| 65 | 65 | Warden's Clerks and Mining Registrars ... | 2,000 | | 2,000 | |
| 43 | 43 | Bailiffs ... | 1,000 | | 1,000 | |
| | | | | 10,270 | | 10,270 |
| 108 | 108 | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Superintendent of Caves ... | 195 | | 240 | |
| | | | | 195 | | 240 |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | |
| | | Preparation of Leases ... | 200 | | 200 | |
| | | Preparation of Diagrams ... | 200 | | 200 | |
| | | Allowance to Mining Surveyors to supplement applicants' fees ... | 6,000 | | 8,000 | |
| | | Allowance for Surveys, Reports, Locality Maps, &c. ... | 1,200 | | 2,000 | |
| | | Rent of Offices ... | 2,500 | | 3,000 | |
| | | Travelling Expenses of Officers when specially sanctioned ... | 1,600 | | 2,000 | |
| | | Equipment Allowance to Geological and Chief Mining Surveyors ... | 920 | | 920 | |
| | | Men's Wages, Provisions, &c. ... | 525 | | 525 | |
| | | Commission on Sale of Miners' Rights, and Deposits of Rent ... | 400 | | 1,000 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses ... | 2,000 | | 2,500 | |
| | | Preservation of Caves ... | 550 | | | |
| | | Improvements to Jenolan, Wombeyan, Yarrangobilly, and Wellington Caves ... | 1,000 | | 3,000 | |
| | | Expenses of working and repair of Diamond and other Drills for the purpose of developing the mineral and other resources of the Colony ... | 5,000 | | 5,000 | |
| | | Expenses of working and repair of Water-augers engaged in the search for water by boring ... | 3,000 | | 3,000 | |
| | | Publications of a work on Palæozoic and Mesozoic Flora of Australia and other subjects ... | 250 | | 250 | |
| | | To promote the Prospecting for Gold and other Minerals, to be disbursed in accordance with Regulations to be laid upon the Table of the Legislative Assembly (Resolution of Assembly) ... | 20,000 | | 20,000 | |
| | | | | 45,345 | | 51,595 |
| 181 | 179 | TOTAL ... | £ | 76,895 | ..... | 83,050 |

| No. of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
|--|------|---|-------|---------------------------|--------|
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | £. | £ | £. |
| Prevention of Scab in Sheep. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Inspector | 650 | | 650 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 290 | | 290 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 265 | | 265 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 190 | | 190 |
| 1 | 1 | Draftsman | 240 | | 240 |
| 10 | 10 | Inspectors, at £360 | 3,600 | | 3,600 |
| 5 | 5 | Do. at £310 | 1,550 | | 1,550 |
| 27 | 27 | Do. at £260 | 7,020 | | 7,020 |
| 6 | 6 | Do. 3 at £160, and 3 at £250 | 1,230 | | 1,230 |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector | 100 | | 100 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 25 | | 25 |
| 1 | 1 | Quarantine-keeper, Canterbury | 110 | | 110 |
| 1 | 1 | Messenger | 110 | | 110 |
| | | | | 15,380 | 15,380 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Travelling Expenses of Inspectors when specially sanctioned | 200 | | 200 |
| | | Travelling Expenses of Sheep Directors | 300 | | 300 |
| | | Allowance to Inspectors for Stationery | 225 | | 225 |
| | | Forage Allowance | 300 | | 300 |
| | | Medicaments for dressing Sheep | 30 | | 30 |
| | | Keeping Quarantine Yards, Sydney | 50 | | 50 |
| | | Rent of Offices | 500 | | 500 |
| | | Incidental Expenses, including Clerical Assistance, Law Costs and Charges | 1,000 | | 1,000 |
| | | | | 2,605 | 2,605 |
| 57 | 57 | TOTAL | £ | 17,985 | 17,985 |
| Imported Stock. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Government Veterinarian | 200 | | 200 |
| 2 | 2 | Quarantine-keepers, at £110 | 220 | | 220 |
| | | | | 420 | 420 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Transport of Stock and Forage | 200 | | 200 |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 300 | | 300 |
| | | For expenses connected with investigations of outbreaks of Diseases amongst Horses, Cattle, and Plants, reporting on Model Farms, &c. | 300 | | 300 |
| | | Expenses in connection with the keeping and quarantining of Imported Stock | 1,500 | | 1,500 |
| | | | | 2,300 | 2,300 |
| 3 | 3 | TOTAL | £ | 2,720 | 2,720 |
| Registration of Brands. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Deputy Registrar and Clerk in Charge | 340 | | 340 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 240 | | 240 |
| 44 | 44 | Deputy Registrars in Country Towns, at £25 each | 1,100 | | 1,100 |
| | | | | 1,680 | 1,680 |
| CONTINGENCIES. | | | | | |
| <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | | | |
| | | Extra Clerical Assistance, Printing, and Incidental Expenses | 650 | | 650 |
| | | | | 650 | 650 |
| 46 | 46 | TOTAL | £ | 2,330 | 2,330 |

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| No. of Persons. | | No. XI.—SECRETARY FOR MINES. | | | |
|-----------------|------|---|----------|---------------------------|--------|
| | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888 | 1889 | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Management of Pounds and Commons. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 240 | 240 | 240 |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | For the erection of Public Pounds | 300 | 300 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses | 50 | 50 | |
| | | | 350 | | 350 |
| 1 | 1 | TOTAL | £ 590 | £ 590 | 590 |
| | | Public Watering-places and Reserves and Conservation of Water. | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector (Chief) | 440 | 492 | |
| 2 | 2 | Clerks, at £190 | 380 | 380 | |
| 1 | ... | Chainman | 52 | ..... |  |
| 6 | 6 | Inspectors, at £250 | 1,500 | 1,500 | |
| | | | 2,372 | | 2,372 |
| 10 | 9 | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Engineer | 650 | 650 | |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk-in-Charge | 300 | 300 | |
| 1 | 1 | Draftsman | 360 | 360 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Draftsman | 220 | 220 | |
| | | | 1,530 | | 1,530 |
| 4 | 4 | | | | |
| | | CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | Construction and management of Public Watering Places, and protection of their Reserves, including Surveys, Appliances, Inspection, Fencing, Caretakers' Wages, General Maintenance, and Clerical Assistance | 14,600 | 20,000 | |
| | | Incidental Expenses and Clerical Assistance | 200 | 575 | |
| | | Travelling Expenses of Inspectors | 1,800 | 1,700 | |
| | | | 16,600 | | 22,275 |
| 14 | 13 | TOTAL | £ 20,502 | £ 26,177 | 26,177 |
| | | School of Mines and Assay Works. | | | |
| | | Towards providing necessary appliances for making Assays of Minerals, in bulk or otherwise, including salaries, and the establishment of Schools of Mines £ | | | |
| | | | 5,750 | | 10,000 |
| | | Miscellaneous Services. | | | |
| | | <i>(Irrespective of date of claims.)</i> | | | |
| | | For the purposes of the Pastures and Stock Protection Act | 10,000 | 10,000 | |
| | | Fencing Travelling Stock Reserve through Paddock, Wilcannia | 213 | ..... |  |
| | | Reclamation of Sand Drift at Newcastle | 4,000 | ..... |  |
| | | | 14,213 | | 10,000 |

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

RAILWAYS.

(SCHEDULE—VOTE OF £1,790,967 FOR 1889.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 19 December, 1888.

NO. IV.—RAILWAYS.

SCHEDULE showing the proposed distribution of the expenditure on the Vote for 1889, but subject to any alterations as to amount of salaries proposed and number of Officers which the exigencies of the Service may from time to time demand. (Irrespective of date of claims.)

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

| No. IV.—RAILWAYS. | | | | | | | |
|---|-------|---|--|-----------------------------|-----------|---------------------------|-----------|
| SCHEDULE showing the proposed distribution of the expenditure on the Vote for 1889, but subject to any alterations as to amount of salaries proposed and number of officers which the exigencies of the Service may from time to time demand. (Irrespective of date of claims.) | | | | | | | |
| No. of Persons. | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | | | |
| 1888. | 1889. | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| | | | | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| <i>Head Office—</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary... | | 750 | | 750 | |
| 6 | 6 | Assistant Secretary and Officers | | 2,584 | | 2,640 | |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | | 600 | | 600 | |
| 8 | 8 | Assistant Accountant and Officers | | 2,950 | | 3,020 | |
| 5 | 5 | Examiner and Officers | | 1,340 | | 1,370 | |
| 59 | 62 | General Clerical Staff | | 10,938 | | 11,713 | |
| | | Medical Board | | 450 | | 450 | |
| | | Messengers and Housekeepers... | | 982 | | 1,122 | |
| | | Contingencies, Travelling, and Incidental | | 750 | | 750 | |
| | | | | | 21,280 | | 22,415 |
| <i>Maintenance Branch.</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Engineer for Existing Lines | | 1,060 | | 1,060 | |
| 11 | 12 | Deputy Engineer and Officers | | 4,740 | | 5,340 | |
| 1 | 1 | Architect | | 425 | | 425 | |
| 2 | 4 | Surveyors | | 680 | | 1,170 | |
| 19 | 32 | Draftsmen and Cadets | | 2,550 | | 5,212 | |
| 9 | 11 | Inspectors | | 3,010 | | 3,630 | |
| 32 | 45 | Clerks and Timekeepers | | 5,100 | | 6,500 | |
| | | | | 448,978 | | 441,077 | |
| | | | | | 466,543 | | 464,414 |
| <i>Locomotive Branch—</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Locomotive Engineer | | 800 | | 1,000 | |
| 6 | 5 | Assistant Locomotive Engineer and Officers | | 2,990 | | 2,550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Superintendent of Rolling Stock | | 375 | | 375 | |
| 5 | 4 | Draftsmen | | 1,202 | | 996 | |
| 15 | 16 | Inspectors | | 5,230 | | 5,710 | |
| 61 | 54 | Clerks and Timekeepers | | 9,375 | | 9,025 | |
| | | | | 549,500 | | 560,229 | |
| | | | | | 569,532 | | 579,885 |
| <i>Traffic Branch—</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 1 | Traffic Manager | | 1,250 | | 1,000 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Traffic Manager | | 600 | | 750 | |
| 2 | 2 | Traffic Superintendents | | 1,000 | | 1,100 | |
| 7 | 8 | Traffic Inspectors | | 3,110 | | 3,400 | |
| 2 | 2 | First Clerks | | 840 | | 890 | |
| 2 | 2 | Paymaster and Cashier, Northern Line | | 680 | | 730 | |
| 1 | 1 | Coal Overseer | | 300 | | 300 | |
| 2 | 3 | Berthing Masters and Assistant | | 445 | | 600 | |
| 143 | 139 | Station-masters | | 31,430 | | 30,150 | |
| 2 | 2 | Telegraph Inspectors | | 300 | | 300 | |
| | | | | 800 | | 1,000 | |
| | | | | 407,577 | | 434,760 | |
| | | | | | 448,332 | | 475,010 |
| <i>General Expenses—</i> | | | | | | | |
| 55 | 60 | Traffic Auditor and Offices | | 9,782 | | 10,592 | |
| 40 | 40 | Superintendent of Stores and Officers... | | 7,565 | | 7,464 | |
| | | | | 7,373 | | 7,473 | |
| | | | | 15,000 | | 16,000 | |
| | | | | | 39,720 | | 41,529 |
| Total Railways | | | | £ | 1,545,416 | ..... | 1,583,283 |
| GOVERNMENT TRAMWAYS. | | | | | | | |
| <i>Locomotive Branch—</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1 | ... | Locomotive and Permanent Way Superintendent | | 750 |  | ..... |  |
| 12 | 14 | Locomotive Officers and Clerical Staff | | 3,143 | | 2,780 | |
| | | | | 125,670 | | 124,300 | |
| <i>Maintenance Branch—</i> | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 1 | Inspectors | | 425 | | 260 | |
| | | | | 41,000 | | 41,367 | |
| <i>Traffic Branch—</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Traffic Superintendent | | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector | | 274 | | 275 | |
| 12 | 18 | Clerical Staff | | 2,727 | | 3,062 | |
| | | | | 38,340 | | 35,000 | |
| Total Tramways | | | | £ | 212,879 | ..... | 207,684 |
| Total Railways and Tramways |  |  |  | ..... | 1,758,295 | ..... | 1,790,967 |
| Less a proposed general reduction |  |  |  | ..... | 30,000 | ..... | ..... |
| 532 | 566 | | | | 1,728,295 | | 1,790,967 |

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

RAILWAYS.

(SCHEDULE—VOTE OF £1,790,967 FOR 1889.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 21 December, 1888.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

| No of Persons. | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES. | |
|--|-------|--|---------------------------|
| 1888. | 1889. | Amount voted for 1888. | Amount required for 1889. |
| No. IX—RAILWAYS. | | | |
| | | Railways. | |
| WORKING EXPENSES. | | | |
| SCHEDULE showing the proposed distribution of the expenditure on the Vote for 1889, but subject to any alterations as to amount of salaries proposed and number of Officers which the exigencies of the Service may from time to time demand. (<i>Irrespective of date of claims.</i>) | | | |
| | | GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT. | |
| | | £ | £ |
| 1 | ... | Commissioner | 1,250 |
| 1 | 1 | Secretary | 750 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Secretary | 650 |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk | 500 |
| 1 | 1 | Corresponding Clerk | 390 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk in charge of records | 410 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 350 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk at £265 to 31st March, and £290 from 1st April.. | 283/15/- |
| | | | 4,583/15/- |
| | | Travelling and Incidental Expenses (irrespective of date of claims) | 250 |
| | | | 250 |
| <i>Account Branch.</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Accountant | 600 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Accountant | 520 |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Paymaster | 490 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Cashier | 440 |
| 1 | 1 | Principal Bookkeeper | 390 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant do. | 340 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 265 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 265 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 240 |
| | | | 3,550 |
| <i>Examining Branch—(Wages and Accounts).</i> | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Examiner | 415 |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Examiner | 315 |
| 1 | 1 | Clerk | 265 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 195 |
| 1 | 1 | Do. | 150 |
| | | | 1,340 |
| 22 | 21 | TOTAL | 9,723/15/- |
| | | | 3,390 |
| | | | 3,620 |
| | | | 1,370 |
| | | | 8,380 |

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

| | | No. IX.—RAILWAYS. | | | | SALARIES AND CONTINGENCIES | | | |
|-----------------|------|--|-----|-----|-----|----------------------------|-------|---------------------------|-----------|
| No. of Persons. | | | | | | Amount voted for 1888. | | Amount required for 1889. | |
| 1888 | 1889 | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | £ | | £ | |
| | | Existing Lines. | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | Engineer for Existing Lines | ... | ... | ... | 1,060 | | 1,060 | |
| ... | 1 | Deputy Engineer | ... | ... | ... | ..... |  | 600 | |
| 1 | 1 | Locomotive Engineer | ... | ... | ... | 800 | | 1,000 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Locomotive Engineer | ... | ... | ... | 650 | | 650 | |
| 4 | 4 | District Engineers—1 at £525; 3 at £500 | ... | ... | ... | 2,075 | | 2,025 | |
| 1 | 1 | Traffic Manager | ... | ... | ... | 700 | | 1,000 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant do. | ... | ... | ... | 600 | | 750 | |
| 1 | ... | Traffic Manager, Northern Line | ... | ... | ... | 500 |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | 1 | Shop Manager, Locomotive Branch | ... | ... | ... | 500 | | 500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Draftsman do. | ... | ... | ... | 500 | | 500 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Clerk do. | ... | ... | ... | 500 | | 550 | |
| 1 | 1 | Do. Permanent Way Branch | ... | ... | ... | 440 | | 440 | |
| 1 | 1 | Traffic Auditor | ... | ... | ... | 520 | | 520 | |
| 1 | 1 | Assistant Auditor, Northern Line | ... | ... | ... | 380 | | 480 | |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk, Audit Branch | ... | ... | ... | 390 | | 390 | |
| 1 | 1 | Superintendent of Stores | ... | ... | ... | 525 | | 525 | |
| 1 | ... | Locomotive Foreman, Northern Line | ... | ... | ... | 400 |  | ..... |  |
| 1 | ... | Draftsman, Locomotive Branch | ... | ... | ... | 350 | | 350 | |
| 1 | 1 | Tramway Superintendent (Traffic) | ... | ... | ... | 550 | | 550 | |
| 1 | ... | Tramway Superintendent (Permanent Way and Locomotive)... | ... | ... | ... | 750 |  | ..... |  |
| | | Salaries and Wages of General Staff, with cost of Stores and Supplies for all Branches (as detailed in Schedule on page 3). (Irrespective of date of claims) ... | | | | 1,707,491 | | 1,770,697 | |
| 22 | 20 | TOTAL ... | | | | £ | | 1,719,821 | 1,782,587 |

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE—1889.

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No. IX.—RAILWAYS.

Schedule.

Showing the proposed expenditure of the Vote for 1888, but contingent upon such alterations (within the limits of the Vote) as the exigencies of the Service may from time to time demand. Irrespective of date of claims.

| No. of Persons. | | Details of Vote. | Amount Appropriated for 1888. | Amount Required for 1889. |
|-----------------|-------|---|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1888. | 1889. | | | |
| | | <i>Locomotive Branch—</i> | £ | £ |
| 1 | 1 | Superintendent of Rolling Stock | 375 | 375 |
| 5 | 4 | Draftsmen | 1,262 | 996 |
| 15 | 16 | Inspectors | 5,230 | 5,710 |
| 61 | 54 | Clerks and Timekeepers | 9,375 | 9,025 |
| | | Salaries of Working Staff, Wages of Employés generally, Running Expenses, and Repairs of Locomotives, Carriages, and Waggon (Materials included) | 549,500 | 560,229 |
| | | <i>Existing Lines—Maintenance Branch—</i> | | |
| 1 | 1 | Signals and Interlocking Engineer, &c. | 400 | 450 |
| 1 | 1 | Architect | 425 | 425 |
| 5 | 5 | Travelling Engineers | 1,825 | 1,825 |
| 2 | 4 | Surveyors | 680 | 1,170 |
| 19 | 32 | Draftsmen and Cadets | 2,550 | 5,212 |
| 9 | 11 | Inspectors | 3,010 | 3,630 |
| 22 | 45 | Clerks and Timekeepers | 5,100 | 6,500 |
| | | Salaries and Wages of Employés generally, Renewals, and Maintenance of Way and Works, Wages, and Stores | 448,978 | 441,077 |
| | | <i>Traffic Branch—</i> | | |
| 2 | 2 | Traffic Superintendents (Goods and Coaching) | 1,000 | 1,100 |
| 7 | 8 | Traffic Inspectors (5 South, 3 North) | 3,110 | 3,440 |
| 2 | 2 | First Clerks (1 South, 1 North) | 840 | 890 |
| 2 | 2 | Paymaster and Cashier, Northern Line | 680 | 730 |
| 1 | 1 | Coal Overseer, Northern Line | 300 | 300 |
| 2 | 3 | Berthing Masters and Assistant, Northern Line | 445 | 600 |
| 143 | 139 | Station-masters—First Class, 3; Second Class, 16; Third Class, 26; Fourth Class, 32; Fifth Class, 62 | 31,430 | 30,150 |
| 2 | 2 | Telegraph Inspectors | 300 | 300 |
| | | Allowances for House-rent | 800 | 1,000 |
| | | Salaries and Wages of Working Staff, Officers-in-Charge, Goods and Station Clerks, Guards, Signalmen, Shunters, Porters, &c., with all Stores and Materials required for Working Traffic | 407,577 | 431,760 |
| | | <i>General Charges—all Branches—</i> | | |
| 59 | 61 | Clerical Staff—Head Office | 10,933 | 11,713 |
| 52 | 51 | Do Traffic Audit Branch | 6,612 | 7,292 |
| 37 | 36 | Do Store Branch | 6,065 | 5,964 |
| 6 | 6 | Audit Inspectors of Station Accounts | 1,880 | 1,910 |
| 3 | 3 | Storekeepers | 975 | 975 |
| 3 | 3 | Medical Board Members | 450 | 450 |
| | | Wages, &c., Store Labourers | 7,373 | 7,473 |
| | | Messengers and Housekeepers | 932 | 1,122 |
| | | Contingencies | 500 | 750 |
| | | Stationery, Printing, Rent, Postage, Telegrams, Advertising, &c. | 15,000 | 16,000 |
| | | Total Railways | £ 1,525,912 | 1,563,563 |
| | | GOVERNMENT TRAMWAYS. | | |
| | | <i>Locomotive Branch—</i> | | |
| 1 | 1 | First Clerk | 305 | 305 |
| 2 | ... | Draftsmen | 408 | ..... |
| 1 | 1 | General Foreman | 430 | 500 |
| 12 | 13 | Clerks and Timekeepers | 2,000 | 1,775 |
| | | Wages of Employés, Running Expenses, and Repairs of Locomotives, Carriage and Waggon Repairs, &c. (Wages and Stores) | 125,670 | 124,390 |
| | | <i>Maintenance Branch—</i> | | |
| 2 | 1 | Inspectors | 425 | 260 |
| | | Wages of Employés, Maintenance and Renewal of Way and Works, &c., with materials for the same | 41,000 | 41,367 |
| | | <i>Traffic Branch—</i> | | |
| 1 | 1 | Inspector | 274 | 275 |
| 1 | 1 | Chief Clerk | 290 | 325 |
| 15 | 17 | Clerical Staff | 2,437 | 2,737 |
| | | Stationery and Printing | 1,400 | ..... |
| | | Wages of Employés, Conductors, Shunters, Flagmen, &c., &c., with Stores for working the Traffic | 36,940 | 35,000 |
| | | Total Tramways | £ 211,579 | 207,134 |
| | | Less a proposed general reduction of | 30,000 | |
| 507 | 525 | Grand Total | £ 1,707,491 | |

* NOTE.—The Salaries paid to Station-masters and Officers of the Working Staff, are under classification as follows:—

Station-masters.

The Stations are divided into five classes, with salaries attached as follows:—Head Station-masters, £400; 1st class, £350 to £400; 2nd class, £290 to £300; 3rd class, £240 to £270; 4th class, £195 to £225; 5th class, £150 to £180 per annum, with residence or allowance in lieu of ditto in all cases. Increase is only obtainable by promotion.

Relieving Station-masters.

2nd Class. 1st Class.
Minimum..... £180 to £220 per annum. £240 to £330 per annum.

Goods and Station Clerks and Telegraph Operators.

3rd Class. 2nd Class. 1st Class.
* £50 to £140 per annum. £150 to £195 per annum. £200 to £275 per annum.

* Increase of salary and promotion are dependent upon efficiency and good conduct.

SCHEDULE

TO THE

ESTIMATES-IN-CHIEF FOR 1889,

SHOWING THE

TOTAL REMUNERATION RECEIVED BY ALL PUBLIC OFFICERS

WHO HOLD MORE THAN ONE OFFICE,

OR WHO RECEIVED ANY FEES, SPECIAL ALLOWANCE, QUARTERS, FUEL, OR LIGHT, IN
ADDITION TO THEIR FIXED ANNUAL SALARIES, DURING THE YEAR 1888.

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II.

Executive and Legislative.

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|-------------------------|---------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| | | LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. | | | |
| 10 | S. M. Mowle... | Usher of the Black Rod ... Clerk to Refreshment Committee ... | 440 60 | 500 | |
| | | LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY. | | | |
| 11 21 | Arthur C. Logan ... | Clerk ... 2nd Lieutenant, Torpedo and Signalling Corps... | 340 85 | 375 | |
| | | PARLIAMENTARY LIBRARY. | | | |
| 12 | Robert Rogers ... | Parliamentary Librarian ... Member of Board to act on behalf of the Government in the matter of International Exchanges of Literary and Scientific Works, Official Publications, &c. | 490 Nil. | 490 | |
| | | LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AND ASSEMBLY. | | | |
| 11 | W. G. Cassidy ... | Steward and Housekeeper ... Value of quarters, fuel, and light... | 290 100 | 390 | |
| 11 | M. H. Cassidy ... | Assistant Housekeeper ... Value of quarters and light ... | 85 25 | 110 | |
| 11 | W. Snowdon... | Watchman ... For services in connection with fire extinguishing appliances ... | 150 25 | 175 | |
| 11 | W. G. A. Miles ... | House servant ... Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 135 40 | 175 | |
| 11 | J. Mallitt ... | Stableman ... Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 135 40 | 175 | |
| 11 | Margaret Leaney ... | Servant ... Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 75 25 | 100 | |
| 11 | Mary J. M'Neish ... | Servant ... Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 75 25 | 100 | |
| 11 | Hannah Rose ... | Servant ... Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 75 25 | 100 | |
| 11 | Mary Asimus ... | Scullery-maid ... Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 75 25 | 100 | |

III.

Colonial Secretary.

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| | | COLONIAL SECRETARY. | £ | £ | |
| 14 4 | Critchett Walker ... | Principal Under Secretary... Fees as Member of the Civil Service Board | 960 100 | | |
| | | | | 1,060 | |
| 14 | John O'Loughlin ... | Messenger Attendant and House-keeper Value of quarters, fuel, and light... Allowance for washing linen ... | 195 100 25 | | |
| | | | | 320 | |
| 10, 14 | Catherine O'Loughlin | Office-keeper Do to the Clerk of the Executive Council | 87 18 | | |
| | | | | 105 | |
| | | PERMANENT AND VOLUNTEER MILITARY FORCES. | | | |
| | | <i>General Staff.</i> | | | |
| 15 | Major-General Richardson. | Commanding Military Forces ... Value of quarters Forage allowance (2 horses) ... Single ration, fuel, and light, valued at ... Groom's allowance Stable do President, Defence Commission ... President, Warlike Stores Board ... | 600 175 128 45 52 100 Nil. Nil. | | |
| | | | | 1,100 | |
| 16 | Lieutenant-Colonel Baynes. | Chief Paymaster Allowance in lieu of quarters ... Forage allowance Single ration, fuel, and light, valued at ... Stable allowance Groom's do | 366 150 64 35 50 52 | | |
| | | | | 717 | |
| 15 | Major Mackenzie ... | Assistant Adjutant-General ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... Forage allowance Single ration, fuel, and light, valued at ... Stable allowance Groom's do | 400 120 64 32 50 52 | | |
| | | | | 718 | |
| 15 | Major Taunton ... | Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General... .. Allowance in lieu of quarters ... Forage allowance Single ration, fuel, and light, valued at... .. Stable allowance Groom's do | 350 120 64 32 50 52 | | |
| | | | | 668 | |
| 15 | Captain Cuthell ... | Instructor of Musketry Officer in charge of Small Arms ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... Forage allowance Single ration, fuel, and light, valued at... .. Stable allowance Groom's do | 300 Nil. 90 64 30 50 52 | | |
| | | | | 586 | |

The allowance for forage cannot properly be said to form a source of emolument, as keeping horses for the Public Service entails expenses in no way covered by the forage allowance. These expenses include purchase and replacement of horses, food, clothing, shoeing, veterinary charges, provision of appropriate appointments, grooms' wages, &c., which in point of fact reduce the amount of income. These remarks apply to all Officers to whom forage allowance is granted.

SCHEDULE TO THE ESTIMATES-IN-CHIEF FOR 1889.

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|---|----------------------------|--|--|--------|---|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. III—Colonial Secretary—continued. | | | | | |
| PERMANENT AND VOLUNTEER MILITARY FORCES—continued. | | | | | |
| <i>General Staff—continued.</i> | | | | | |
| 17 | Surgeon-Major Williams. | Medical charge of General Staff and Permanent Artillery | 350 | | |
| | | Instructor of Ambulance | 100 | | |
| | | Forage | 61 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters | 120 | | |
| | | Value of rations, fuel and light | 30 | | |
| | | Stable allowance | 50 | | |
| | | Groom's do | 52 | | |
| | | | | 766 | |
| 15 | W. Holmes | Chief Clerk | 250 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters | 60 | | |
| | | Single ration, fuel, and light, valued at | 30 | | |
| | | | | 340 | |
| 15 | Lieutenant Little | Quarter-master | 238 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters | 60 | | |
| | | Single ration, fuel, and light, valued at | 30 | | |
| | | | | 328 | |
| 17 | Colonel Bingham | Military Instructor | 800 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance | 64 | | |
| | | Stable allowance | 50 | | |
| | | Groom's allowance | 52 | | |
| | | | | 1,116 | |
| 19 | Major Penrose | Major-Commanding Permanent Submarine Miners | 700 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters | 120 | | |
| | | Forage allowance | 64 | | |
| | | Stable allowance | 50 | | |
| | | Groom's allowance | 52 | | |
| | | | | 956 | |
| <i>Permanent Artillery Staff.</i> | | | | | |
| 17 | Colonel Roberts | Commanding Permanent and Volunteer Artillery Forces | 500 | | |
| | | Member, Defence Commission | Nil. | | |
| | | Member, Warlike Stores Board | Nil. | | |
| | | Forage allowance (2 horses) | 128 | | |
| | | Quarters valued at | 175 | | |
| | | Value of rations, fuel, and light | 36 | | |
| | | Groom's allowance | 52 | | |
| | | | | 891 | Allowance for the provision of uniform after the expiration of five years, £50, or £10 per annum. |
| 17 | Colonel Spalding | Commanding No. 2 Battery | 450 | | |
| | | Command pay | 27 | | |
| | | Forage allowance | 64 | | |
| | | Quarters valued at | 150 | | |
| | | Value of rations, fuel, and light | 30 | | |
| | | Groom's allowance | 52 | | |
| | | | | 773 | Do do |
| 17 | Lieutenant-Colonel Murphy. | Commanding No. 3 Battery | 378 | | |
| | | Command pay | 27 | | |
| | | Forage allowance | 64 | | |
| | | Quarters valued at | 60 | | |
| | | Value of rations, fuel, and light | 30 | | |
| | | Groom's allowance | 52 | | |
| | | | | 611 | Do do (Single; occupies three rooms). |
| 17 | Lieutenant-Colonel Airey. | Commanding No. 1 Battery | 378 | | |
| | | Command pay | 27 | | |
| | | Member, Warlike Stores Board | Nil. | | |
| | | Forage allowance | 64 | | |
| | | Quarters, valued at | 120 | | |
| | | Value of rations, fuel, and light | 30 | | |
| | | Groom's allowance | 52 | | |
| | | | | 671 | Allowance for the provision of uniform after the expiration of five years, £50; or £10 per annum. |

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| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. III—Colonial Secretary—continued. | | | | | |
| PERMANENT AND VOLUNTEER MILITARY FORCES—continued. | | | | | |
| <i>Permanent Artillery Staff—continued.</i> | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 17 | Major Murray ... | Major, Permanent Artillery ... Forage allowance Value of quarters Value of rations, fuel, and light Groom's allowance | 312 64 90 25 52 | 543 | Allowance for the provision of uniform after the expiration of five years, £50; or £10 per annum. |
| 17 | Major Airey ... | Major, Permanent Artillery ... Forage allowance Value of quarters Value of rations, fuel, and light Groom's allowance | 312 64 90 25 52 | 543 | Allowance for uniform, £10 per annum. |
| 17 | Captain Baynes ... | Captain, Permanent Artillery ... Forage allowance Value of quarters Value of rations, fuel, and light Groom's allowance | 256 64 45 25 52 | 442 | Allowance for the provision of uniform after the expiration of five years, £50; or £10 per annum. (Single; occupies two rooms.) |
| 17 | Captain Savage ... | Lieutenant, Permanent Artillery ... Forage allowance Value of quarters Value of rations, fuel, and light Allowance as Adjutant Groom's allowance | 256 64 90 25 37 52 | 524 | Allowance for uniform, £10 per annum. |
| 17 | Lieutenant Le Patourel. | Lieutenant, Permanent Artillery ... Forage allowance Value of quarters Value of rations, fuel, and light Groom's allowance | 238 64 60 25 52 | 439 | Do do |
| 17 | Lieutenant Morris ... | Lieutenant, Permanent Artillery ... Forage allowance Value of quarters Value of rations, fuel, and light Stable allowance Groom's allowance | 238 64 45 25 50 52 | 474 | Allowance for uniform, £10 per annum. (Single; occupies two rooms.) |
| 17 | Lieutenant Bridges ... | Lieutenant, Permanent Artillery ... Forage allowance Value of quarters Value of rations, fuel, and light Groom's allowance | 238 64 60 25 52 | 439 | Allowance for uniform, £10 per annum. |
| 17 | Lieutenant Kyngdon | Lieutenant, Permanent Artillery ... Forage allowance Value of quarters Value of rations, fuel, and light Groom's allowance | 238 64 60 25 52 | 439 | Allowance for uniform, £10 per annum. (Single; occupies two rooms.) |
| 17 | Lieutenant Le Messurier. | Lieutenant, Permanent Artillery ... Forage allowance Value of quarters Value of rations, fuel, and light Groom's allowance | 238 64 60 25 52 | 439 | Allowance for uniform, £10 per annum. |
| <i>Volunteer Permanent Staff.</i> | | | | | |
| 23 | Lieutenant-Colonel Eden. | Commanding 2nd Brigade Forage allowance Allowance for quarters Stable allowance Groom's allowance | 400 64 150 50 52 | 716 | |

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| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. III—Colonial Secretary—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| PERMANENT AND VOLUNTEER MILITARY FORCES—continued. | | | | | |
| <i>Volunteer Permanent Staff—continued.</i> | | | | | |
| 23 | Lieutenant-Colonel Wilkinson. | Commanding Northern Reserves ... Forage allowance Allowance for quarters | 100 64 Nil. | | 164 |
| 22 | Major Norris | Adjutant, 2nd Regiment Forage allowance Allowance for quarters Stable allowance Groom's allowance | 300 64 120 50 52 | | 586 |
| 22 | Major Bartlett | Adjutant, 1st Regiment Forage allowance Allowance for quarters Stable allowance Groom's allowance | 300 64 120 50 52 | | 586 |
| 22 | Captain Hill... | Adjutant, 3rd Regiment Forage allowance Allowance for quarters Stable allowance Groom's allowance | 275 64 90 50 52 | | 531 |
| 23 | Captain Bayly | Adjutant, Northern Reserves Forage allowance Allowance for quarters Stable allowance Groom's allowance | 275 64 90 50 52 | | 531 |
| 23 | Captain Bouverie | Adjutant, 1st Brigade Forage allowance Allowance for quarters Stable allowance Groom's allowance | 275 64 90 50 52 | | 531 |
| 20 | Captain Nathan | Adjutant, Volunteer Artillery Forage allowance Allowance for quarters Stable allowance Groom's allowance | 275 64 90 50 52 | | 531 |
| 22 | Captain Boam | Adjutant, 4th Regiment Forage allowance Allowance for quarters Stable allowance Groom's allowance | 275 64 90 50 52 | | 531 |
| 19 | Captain Sparrow | Captain Permanent Mounted Infantry Forage allowance Allowance for quarters Stable allowance Groom's allowance | 275 64 90 50 52 | | 531 |

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| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. III—Colonial Secretary—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| ORDNANCE AND BARRACK DEPARTMENT. | | | | | |
| 25 | J. T. Blanchard | Major Deputy Assistant Commissary General of Ordnance and Barrack-Master | 450 | | The Foreman, Warders, and Boatmen at the Magazines on Spectacle and Goat Islands, and the Master and Engineer of the Steam Launch, receive Medical Attendance and Medicine free of charge. The Warders and Boatmen receive clothing to work in, as do also the two Labourers engaged in the delivery of powder in town. The Inspector of Magazines receives travelling allowance, when travelling, at the rate of 12s. per diem and cost of conveyance. |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters | 170 | | |
| | | Fuel and light, valued at | 26 | | |
| | | Allowance for forage | 64 | | |
| | | Member of the Warlike Stores Board | Nil. | 710 | |
| 25 | T. Rodgers | Inspector of Magazines | 240 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters | 50 | 290 | |
| 25 | R. P. Olpherts | Foreman of Magazines, Goat Island | 215 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light | 57 | | |
| | | Ration allowance | 18 | 290 | |
| 25 | William Weldon | Foreman of Magazines, Goat Island | 240 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light | 59 | | |
| | | Ration allowance | 18 | 317 | |
| 25 | Charles M'Kinnon | Foreman of Magazine, Middle Harbour | 240 | | |
| | | Ration allowance | 18 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light | 32 | 290 | |
| 25 | William Aitken | Working Overseer, Broken Bay | 160 | | |
| | | Ration allowance | 18 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light | 32 | 210 | |
| 25 | D. Reilly | Overseer of Ordnance Stores | 128 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light | 29 | | |
| | | Ration allowance | 18 | 175 | |
| 25 | Henry Bellett | Master s.s. "Kate" | 160 | | |
| | | Fuel and light allowance | 7 | 167 | |
| 25 | T. Crowley | Engineer and Driver of Steam Launch | 160 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light | 28 | 188 | |
| 25 | J. Williams | Cooper | 146 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light | 29 | | |
| | | Ration allowance | 18 | 193 | |
| 25 | Various, at Goat Island and Middle Harbour | 20 Warders, each | 128 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light | 19 | | |
| | | Ration allowance | 18 | 165 | |
| 25 | Various | 7 Labourers | 128 | | |
| | | Fuel and light allowance | 2 | 130 | |
| 25 | C. Dunn | Working Overseer and Clerk, Newcastle | 200 | | |
| | | Fuel and light allowance | 4 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters | 25 | | |
| | | Forest Ranger | 12 | 241 | |
| 25 | Various, at Newcastle | 6 Warders at Newcastle | 128 | | |
| | | Ration allowance | 18 | | |
| | | Fuel and light allowance | 4 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters | 25 | 175 | |
| 25 | Various | 3 Boatmen and Night Watchmen | 146 | | |
| | | Fuel and light allowance | 4 | 150 | |

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| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. III—Colonial Secretary—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE. | | | | | |
| 27 | Edmund Fosbery ... | Inspector-General of Police ... Trustee of Savings' Bank ... Member of Board of Health ... Member of Aborigines Protectorate Board ... Metropolitan Transit Commissioner Quarters, valued at ... | 960 Nil. Nil. Nil. 150 | 1,110 | With an allowance of 30s. per diem when travelling. £2 fee per meeting—once a week only. Not drawn during absence on inspection. |
| 27 | John W. Orridge ... | Superintendent of Police ... Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at ... Equipment allowance ... | 500 158 20 | 678 | With an allowance of 20s. per diem when travelling. |
| 27 | George Read ... | Superintendent of Police ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... Fuel and light estimated at ... | 500 120 8 | 628 | Do do |
| 27 | E. M. Battye ... | Superintendent of Police ... Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at ... Equipment allowance ... | 450 88 20 | 558 | Do do |
| 27 | Charles Sanderson ... | Superintendent of Police ... Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at ... Equipment allowance ... | 450 88 20 | 558 | Do do |
| 27 | J. Dowling Brown ... | Superintendent of Police ... Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at ... Equipment allowance ... | 450 80 20 | 550 | Do do |
| 27 | James Ryeland ... | Superintendent of Police ... Quarters rented ... Fuel and light estimated at ... | 400 80 8 | 488 | Do do |
| 27 | John D. Meares ... | Superintendent of Police ... Quarters rented ... Fuel and light, estimated at ... Equipment allowance ... | 400 80 8 20 | 508 | Do do |
| 27 | R. F. Creaghe ... | Inspector of Police ... Special travelling allowance as officer in charge of district ... Quarters valued at ... Fuel and light estimated at ... Equipment allowance ... | 325 75 80 8 20 | 508 | Do do |
| 27 | Robert Anderson ... | Inspector of Police ... Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at ... Sub-Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 325 68 25 | 418 | With an allowance of 12s. per diem when travelling. |
| 27 | William Camphin ... | Inspector of Police ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 325 50 | 375 | Do do |
| 27 | Patrick Brennan ... | Inspector of Police ... Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at ... District Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 325 68 10 | 403 | Do do |
| 27 | Charles E. Harrison... | Inspector of Police ... Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at ... District Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 325 68 15 | 408 | |

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| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. III—Colonial Secretary—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE—continued. | | | | | |
| 27 | Edward Grainger ... | Inspector of Police Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at District Inspector under Licensing Act Special travelling allowance as officer in charge of district | 325 68 20 75 | 488 | With an allowance of 12s. per diem when travelling. Do do |
| 27 | George C. Carter ... | Inspector of Police Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at District Inspector under Licensing Act | 325 68 15 | 408 | Do do |
| 27 | Thomas Garvin ... | Inspector of Police Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at District Inspector under Licensing Act Special travelling allowance as officer in charge of district | 325 88 20 75 | 508 | Do do |
| 27 | Alexander Mackay ... | Inspector of Police Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at District Inspector under Licensing Act | 325 58 25 | 408 | Do do |
| 27 | John Donohoe ... | Inspector of Police Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at Sub-Inspector under Licensing Act | 325 58 25 | 408 | Do do |
| 27 | Nicholas Larkins ... | Inspector of Police Quarters rented, fuel, and light, esti- mated at Sub-Inspector under the Licensing Act | 325 68 25 | 418 | Do do |
| 27 | Martin Brennan ... | Inspector of Police Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at District Inspector under Licensing Act | 325 68 20 | 413 | Do do |
| 27 | Walter C. Casey ... | Inspector of Police Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at District Inspector under Licensing Act | 325 68 20 | 413 | Do do |
| 27 | James Stephenson ... | Sub-Inspector of Police Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at District Inspector under Licensing Act | 275 48 20 | 343 | Do do |
| 27 | William T. Baker ... | Sub-Inspector of Police Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at District Inspector under Licensing Act | 275 68 15 | 358 | Do do |
| 27 | Francis Duffy ... | Sub-Inspector of Police Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at District Inspector under Licensing Act | 275 58 15 | 348 | Do do |
| 27 | Alexr. B. Walker .. | Sub-Inspector of Police Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at District Inspector under Licensing Act | 275 48 15 | 338 | Do do |

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| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. III—Colonial Secretary—continued. | | | | | |
| INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE—continued. | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 27 | W. E. Lenthall | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Quarters, rented at ... Fuel and light, estimated at ... Inspector of Theatres ... | 275* 78 10 25 | | With an allowance of 12s. per diem when travelling. |
| | | | | 388 | Do do |
| 27 | Mark E. D. Ford | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at ... District Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 275 38 15 | | Do do |
| | | | | 328 | Do do |
| 27 | Alexr. Atwill... | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Quarters, rented (temporarily) at ... Fuel and light, estimated at ... Sub-Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 275 110 8 25 | | Do do |
| | | | | 418 | Do do |
| 27 | Philip Smith... | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Quarters, rented at ... Fuel and light, estimated at ... District Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 275 60 8 20 | | Do do |
| | | | | 363 | Do do |
| 27 | William Wright | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at ... District Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 250 68 15 | | Do do |
| | | | | 333 | Do do |
| 27 | William C. Lynch | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Quarters, rented at ... Fuel and light, estimated at ... Sub-Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 250 100 8 10 | | Do do |
| | | | | 368 | Do do |
| 27 | Nelson B. Hitch | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at ... District Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 250 68 15 | | Do do |
| | | | | 333 | Do do |
| 27 | Edmund Lawless | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Allowance in lieu of quarters, fuel, and light ... Sub-Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 250 58 15 | | Do do |
| | | | | 323 | Do do |
| 27 | James Bremner | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Allowance in lieu of quarters, fuel, and light ... Sub-Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 250 58 25 | | Do do |
| | | | | 333 | Do do |
| 27 | Stephen Cotter | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Quarters rented ... Fuel and light, estimated at ... Sub-Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 250 60 8 15 | | Do do |
| | | | | 333 | Do do |
| 27 | George H. Hyem | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... Fuel and light, estimated at ... Sub-Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 250 50 8 15 | | Do do |
| | | | | 323 | Do do |
| 27 | Alfred Potter | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... Fuel and light, estimated at ... Sub-Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 250 75 8 15 | | Do do |
| | | | | 348 | Do do |
| 27 | Daniel Byrne | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Quarters ... Fuel and light, estimated at ... District Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 250 40 8 20 | | Do do |
| | | | | 318 | Do do |

* Paid from Miscellaneous Services, Department of Justice.

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| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. III—Colonial Secretary—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE—continued. | | | | | |
| 27 | Roger Fenton ... | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... Fuel and light, estimated at ... District Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 250 50 8 10 | 318½ | With an allowance of 12s. per diem when travelling. |
| 27 | Robert Latimer ... | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at ... District Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 250 48 15 | 313 | Do do |
| 27 | Miles Burns ... | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Quarters, fuel, and light, estimated at ... | 250 48 | 298 | Do do |
| 27 | Robert Barry ... | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Allowance in lieu of quarters, fuel, and light... .. | 250 58 | 308 | Do do |
| 27 | William Long ... | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Allowance in lieu of quarters, fuel, and light... .. District Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 250 58 15 | 323 | Do do |
| 27 | John Bell ... | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Allowance in lieu of quarters, fuel, and light... .. Sub-Inspector under the Licensing Act ... | 250 86 15 | 351 | Do do |
| 27 | Thomas Cameron ... | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Allowance in lieu of quarters, fuel, and light... .. Sub-Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 250 68 15 | 333 | Do do |
| 27 | John Goff ... | Sub-Inspector of Police ... Allowance in lieu of quarters, fuel, and light... .. Sub-Inspector under Licensing Act ... | 250 48 15 | 313 | Do do |
| LUNACY DEPARTMENT. | | | | | |
| <i>Hospital for the Insane, Gladesville.</i> | | | | | |
| 28 | Eric Sinclair ... | Medical Superintendent, Gladesville Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light... .. Quarters, valued at... .. | 650 45 100 | 795 | The Attendants, Nurses, and Servants are allowed quarters, rations, fuel, light, and uniform clothing, and the married Attendants are allowed £12 per annum towards house-rent. |
| 28 | Chisholm Ross ... | Medical Officer ... Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light Quarters, valued at | 415 45 50 | 510 | |
| 28 | E. M. Betts ... | Assistant Superintendent ... Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light... .. Quarters, valued at... .. | 390 45 60 | 495 | |
| 28 | J. E. Moore ... | Clerk Allowance in lieu of quarters ... Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light | 210 30 30 | 270 | |
| 28 | William Peterson ... | Dispenser Provisions, fuel, and light, valued at Quarters, valued at | 190 30 26 | 246 | |

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| | | | Amount. | Total. | | |
| No. III—Colonial Secretary—continued. | | | £ | £ | | |
| LUNACY DEPARTMENT—continued. | | | | | | |
| <i>Hospital for the Insane, Gladesville—continued.</i> | | | | | | |
| 28 | H. R. B. McGill ... | Assistant Clerk Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light | 140 30 | | The Attendants, Nurses, and Servants are allowed quarters, rations, fuel, light, and uniform clothing, and the married Attendants are allowed £12 per annum towards house-rent. | |
| 28 | T. Folkard | Chief Attendant Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light Quarters, valued at | 160 30 26 | 170 | | |
| 28 | B. Simpson | Matron Quarters, valued at... .. Provisions, fuel, and light, valued at | 160 26 30 | 216 | | |
| 28 | D. Meppom | Attendant in charge of Branch ... Quarters, valued at Provisions, fuel, and light, valued at | 130 26 30 | 216 | | |
| 28 | Charles Holloway ... | Grounds attendant Quarters, valued at... .. Provisions, fuel, and light, valued at | 90 26 25 | 186 | | |
| 28 | Alex. Picard | Gardener Quarters, valued at... .. Provisions, fuel, and light, valued at | 84 26 25 | 141 | | |
| 28 | Charles Jenkins ... | Gatekeeper Quarters, valued at... .. Provisions, fuel, and light, valued at | 78 26 25 | 135 | | |
| 28 | William Nicholls ... | Gatekeeper Quarters, valued at... .. Provisions, fuel, and light, valued at | 78 26 25 | 129 | | |
| 28 | James Watson | Engine-driver Quarters, valued at... .. | 210 26 | 129 | | |
| | | | | 236 | | |
| <i>Hospital for the Insane, Parramatta.</i> | | | | | | |
| 29 | Edwin Godson | Medical Superintendent Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light Quarters, valued at... .. | 650 45 100 | 795 | | The Attendants, Nurses, and Servants are allowed quarters, rations, fuel, light, and uniform clothing, and the married At- tendants are allowed £12 per annum towards house-rent. |
| 29 | W. C. Williamson ... | Senior Medical Officer Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light Quarters, valued at... .. | 415 45 50 | 510 | | |
| 29 | Henry Colley | Assistant Superintendent Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light Quarters, valued at | 310 45 60 | 445 | | |
| 29 | L. C. Rowling | Clerk Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light... .. Quarters, valued at... .. | 215 30 45 | 290 | | |
| 29 | Jane Burn | Matron Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light... .. Quarters valued at | 160 30 26 | 216 | | |
| | | | | 216 | | |

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| | | | Amount. | Total. | | |
| No. III—Colonial Secretary—continued. | | | | | | |
| LUNACY DEPARTMENT—continued. | | | | | | |
| <i>Hospital for the Insane, Parramatta—continued.</i> | | | | | | |
| 29 | George A. Gaud ... | Dispenser Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light... .. Quarters valued at | 150 30 26 | | The Attendants, Nurses, and Servants are allowed quarters, rations, fuel, and light, and uniform clothing, and the married At- tendants are allowed £12 per annum towards house-rent. | |
| 29 | James Wharf ... | Chief Attendant Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light... .. Quarters valued at | 160 30 26 | 206 | | |
| 29 | George Trett ... | Gatekeeper Value of quarters Provisions, fuel, and light | 84 20 25 | 129 | | |
| 29 | J. H. Butterworth ... | Gatekeeper Value of quarters' Provisions, fuel, and light | 78 20 25 | 123 | | |
| 29 | J. C. Johansen ... | Gardener Value of quarters Provisions, fuel, and light | 90 30 25 | 145 | | |
| 29 | John Bridgefoot ... | Grounds attendant Value of quarters Provisions, fuel, and light | 100 30 25 | 155 | | |
| 29 | F. W. Mottershead ... | Engine-driver Value of quarters Provisions, valued at | 182 30 18 | 230 | | |
| <i>Reception House for the Insane, Darlinghurst.</i> | | | | | | |
| 29 | Frederick Fowler ... | Superintendent Value of quarters Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light... .. | 240 60 30 | 330 | | |
| 29 | Eliza Fowler... .. | Matron Allowance in lieu of provisions | 60 30 | 90 | | |
| <i>Hospital for the Insane, Newcastle.</i> | | | | | | |
| 30 | Frederick Cane ... | Superintendent Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light Quarters valued at | 260 30 60 | 350 | The Attendants, Nurses, and Servants are allowed quarters, rations, fuel, light, and uniform clothing, and the married Attend- ants are allowed £12 per annum towards house-rent. | |
| 30 | Elizabeth Cane ... | Matron Allowance in lieu of provisions | 75 30 | 105 | | |
| 30 | Edwin Waller ... | Storekeeper and Chief Attendant ... Quarters valued at Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light | 150 26 30 | 206 | | |

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| | | | Amount. | Total. | | |
| No. III—Colonial Secretary—continued. | | | £ | £ | | |
| LUNACY DEPARTMENT—continued. | | | | | | |
| <i>Hospital for the Insane, Callan Park.</i> | | | | | | |
| 30 | Herbert Blaxland ... | Medical Superintendent ... Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light ... Value of quarters ... | 650 45 100 | | The Attendants, Nurses, and Servants are allowed quarters, rations, fuel, light, and uniform clothing, and the married Attendants are allowed £12 per annum towards house-rent. | |
| 30 | George E. Miles ... | Senior Medical Officer ... Value of quarters ... Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light ... | 375 75 45 | 795 | | |
| 30 | A. Whitting ... | Assistant Superintendent ... Value of quarters ... Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light ... | 340 60 45 | 495 | | |
| 30 | C. H. Richardson ... | Clerk ... Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 200 30 35 | 445 | | |
| 30 | W. Little ... | Chief Attendant ... Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light ... Quarters valued at ... | 160 30 35 | 265 | | |
| 30 | J. T. Floyd ... | Dispenser ... Value of quarters ... Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light ... | 170 35 30 | 225 | | |
| 30 | M. A. Fairbairn ... | Matron ... Value of quarters ... Allowance in lieu of provisions, fuel, and light ... | 150 30 30 | 235 | | |
| 30 | H. Digby ... | Store Attendant ... Value of quarters ... Value of rations, fuel, and light ... | 102 25 25 | 210 | | |
| 30 | W. H. Dawson ... | Carter ... Value of quarters ... Value of rations, fuel, and light ... | 78 25 25 | 152 | | |
| 30 | S. Cheetham ... | Gardener ... Value of quarters ... Value of rations, fuel, and light ... | 84 25 25 | 128 | | |
| 30 | Frank Gebuhr ... | Grounds Attendant ... Value of quarters ... Value of rations, fuel, and light ... | 84 25 25 | 134 | | |
| 30 | C. Butterworth ... | Gatekeeper ... Value of quarters ... Value of rations, fuel, and light ... | 72 25 25 | 134 | | |
| 30 | Thos. M'Intyre ... | Carpenter ... Value of quarters ... Value of rations, fuel, and light ... | 137 25 25 | 122 | | |
| 30 | Robert M'Dowall ... | Engineer ... Value of quarters ... Value of rations, fuel, and light ... | 182 25 25 | 187 | | |
| | | | | 232 | | |

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|---|----------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. III— Colonial Secretary—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| MEDICAL ADVISER TO THE GOVERNMENT. | | | | | |
| 32 | W. E. Strong, M.D. | Government Medical Officer, and Vaccinator for Sydney Value of quarters | 675 125 | | 800 |
| 32 | W. B. Violette, M.B. | Government Medical Officer and Vaccinator for Parramatta Forage allowance | 700 52 | | 752 |
| 32 | M. J. O'Connor ... | Visiting Surgeon, Sydney Gaol, Reception House, Shaftesbury Reformatory Allowance for forage | 450 100 | | 550 |
| 32 | O. S. Evans ... | Visiting Surgeon, Biloela Gaol Visiting Surgeon, N.S.S. "Vernon" | 250 50 | | 300 |
| 32 | Thomas Stapleton ... | Dispenser, Sydney Gaol Lodging allowance Dispenser, Reception House | 190 75 25 | | 290 |
| 32 | Geo. Cunninghame ... | Dispenser for Parramatta District... Forage allowance | 270 26 | | 296 |
| 33 | William Pierce ... | Medical Superintendent, Coast Hospital, Little Bay... .. Value of furnished quarters, fuel, light, rations, and attendance ... | 425 150 | | 575 |
| 33 | C. J. Weekes ... | Assistant Medical Officer and Dispenser Allowance for quarters, fuel, light, and rations | 200 100 | | 300 |
| 33 | B. W. G. Heyelman... | Dispenser and Storekeeper, Coast Hospital, Little Bay Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 240 60 | | 300 |
| 33 | Helen M'Kay ... | Matron, Coast Hospital, Little Bay Value of furnished quarters, rations, fuel, light, attendance, and uniform | 100 100 | | 200 |
| 33 | J. T. M'Creedy ... | Head Nurse, Coast Hospital, Little Bay Value of quarters, rations, fuel, and light | 75 40 | | 115 |
| DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT. | | | | | |
| 34 | Edward A. Rennie ... | Auditor-General Trustee of Australian Museum ... | 960 Nil. | | 960 |
| 34 | ..... | Houskeeper... .. Quarters, fuel, and light, valued at... | 85 40 | | 125 |
| REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT. | | | | | |
| 35 | George Lillie ... | Messenger Stamper and Printer | 50 110 | | 160 |
| 35 | Mary Lillie ... | Office-keeper... .. Quarters, fuel, and light, valued at | 100 65 | | 165 |

The Nurses and Servants are allowed quarters, rations, fuel, and light, valued at £40 per annum.

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Officer and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|---------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. III—Colonial Secretary—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| IMMIGRATION DEPARTMENT. | | | | | |
| 37 | George F. Wise ... | Immigration Agent Member of the Immigration Board Chief Officer under the Agreements Validating Act Officer charged with the duty of issuing Railway Passes to the unemployed | 550 Nil. Nil. Nil. | | 550 |
| CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS. | | | | | |
| 38 | Sydney Maxted ... | Director of Government Asylums for the Infirm and Destitute, and Boarding-out Officer Value of Quarters Rations, fuel, and light | 700 66 50 | | 816 |
| <i>Asylums Branch.</i> | | | | | |
| 38 | Janet Coote ... | Housekeeper, Head Office Quarters, rations, fuel, and light ... | 80 60 | | 140 |
| 38 | E. L. Murray ... | Nurse Superintendent, Newington Asylum Value of quarters, rations, fuel, and light | 200 100 | | 300 |
| 38 | M. Gorman ... | Sub-Matron, Newington Asylum ... Value of rations, fuel, and light ... Value of quarters | 85 25 25 | | 135 |
| 38 | C. H. M. Dennis ... | Superintendent, Parramatta Asylum Value of rations, fuel, and light ... Value of quarters | 240 30 50 | | 320 |
| 38 | Helen Dennis ... | Sub-Matron, Parramatta Asylum ... Value of rations, fuel, and light ... Value of quarters | 95 25 25 | | 145 |
| 38 | K. Dennis ... | Assistant Sub-Matron, Parramatta Asylum Value of rations, fuel, and light ... Value of quarters | 40 25 25 | | 90 |
| 38 | J. A. Beattie... | Surgeon-Superintendent, Liverpool Asylum Value of quarters Value of rations, fuel, and light ... | 450 100 30 | | 580 |
| 38 | Mary Burnside ... | Superintendent, Liverpool Asylum Value of rations, fuel, and light ... Value of quarters | 240 30 50 | | 320 |
| 38 | Jane Burnside ... | Sub-Matron, Liverpool Asylum ... Value of rations, fuel, and light ... Value of quarters | 95 25 25 | | 145 |
| 38 | S. Cunningham ... | Superintendent, Macquarie-street Asylum, Parramatta Value of rations, fuel, and light ... Value of quarters | 190 30 50 | | 270 |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Officer and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|---------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. III—Colonial Secretary—continued. | | | | | |
| CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS—continued. | | | | | |
| <i>State Children's Relief Branch.</i> | | | | | |
| 39 | Alfred W. Green ... | Secretary and Assistant Boarding-out Officer | 240 | | |
| | | Inspecting Officer, Government Asylums | 100 | | |
| | | | | 340 | |
| 39 | S. A. Maxted ... | Matron | 110 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, rations, fuel, and light | 40 | | |
| | | | | 150 | |
| 39 | Mary Jowett ... | Sub-Matron | 85 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, rations, fuel, and light | 40 | | |
| | | | | 125 | |
| FIRE BRIGADES. | | | | | |
| 40 | W. D. Bear ... | Superintendent | 550 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters, fuel, and light | 72 | | |
| | | Other allowances for uniform, &c.... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 642 | |
| CIVIL SERVICE BOARD. | | | | | |
| 40 | Thomas Lewis ... | Messenger | 130 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 40 | | |
| | | | | 170 | |
| BOTANIC GARDENS. | | | | | |
| 41 | Charles Moore ... | Director | 550 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 150 | | |
| | | | | 700 | |
| 41 | John M'Lachlan ... | Secretary and Accountant | 265 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 50 | | |
| | | | | 315 | |
| 41 | George Harwood ... | Overseer | 200 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 40 | | |
| | | | | 240 | |
| NURSERY GARDEN, CAMPBELLTOWN. | | | | | |
| 41 | John M'Ewen ... | Superintendent | 180 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 40 | | |
| | | | | 220 | |
| GOVERNMENT DOMAINS. | | | | | |
| 42 | James Jones ... | Overseer | 150 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 40 | | |
| | | | | 190 | |
| 42 | Finlay M'Kay ... | Bailiff | 120 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 35 | | |
| | | | | 155 | |

IV.

Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade.

| Reference to Estimate. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. | |
|------------------------|------------------------|--|--|--------|--|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | | |
| | | TREASURY. | £ | £ | | |
| 46 | Geoffrey Eagar ... | Under Secretary for Finance and Trade | 960 | | | |
| 4 | | Fees as Member of the Civil Service Board | 100 | 1,060 | | |
| 46 | F. Kirkpatrick ... | Chief Inspector and Consulting Accountant | 800 | | The Inspectors of Public Revenue Collectors' Accounts receive 30s. per diem when travelling. | |
| | | Allowance for attending the Treasurer at the Legislative Assembly when required | 25 | 825 | | |
| 46 | Christina Geary ... | Housekeeper... .. | 95 | | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light | 40 | | | |
| | | Allowance for extra duties... .. | 25 | 160 | | |
| 46 | Elizabeth Crimstone... | Housekeeper... .. | 85 | | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light | 40 | 125 | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | STAMP DUTIES. | | | | |
| 47 | William Foskett ... | Foreman of Stampers | 290 | | | |
| | | Lieut. and Quarter Master, 1st Regiment Volunteer Infantry | 25 | 315 | | |
| 47 | Thomas Coupland ... | Messenger | 120 | | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light | 50 | 170 | | |
| 47 | M. A. Coupland ... | Office-keeper... .. | 45 | | | |
| | | Assistance in cleaning Office | 50 | 95 | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | CUSTOMS. | | | | |
| 48 | W. H. Burton ... | Second Clerk | 440 | | | |
| 49 | | Secretary to Commissioners of Customs | 50 | 490 | | |
| 48 | J. J. Madden ... | Fourth Clerk (clears ships)... .. | | 390 | Receives a fee of 5s. for each vessel cleared by him after 4:30 p.m. | |
| 48 | T. R. Miller ... | Tenth Clerk (clears ships) | | 290 | do | |
| 49 | A. T. Black ... | Coast Waiter, Broken Bay... .. | 290 | | The following Officers when required to attend after the usual hours of business receive remuneration from the applicants at the following rates, viz.: Warehouse-keepers, 2s. 6d. p hour; Landing Waiters, 2s. 6d. p hour; Lockers, 2s. p hour; Tide Waiters, 1s. 6d. p hour. | |
| 136 | | Telegraph Station-master | 104 | | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster | 11 | | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 50 | | | |
| | | Inspector of Distilleries | Nil. | | | |
| 40 | | Inspector of Fisheries | 20 | 475 | | |
| 49 | A. T. Lloyd ... | Sub-Collector, Morpeth | 390 | | | |
| | | Allowance for forage | 50 | 440 | | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|----------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| CUSTOMS—continued. | | | | | |
| 50 | C. C. Pepe ... | Sub-Collector, Moama ... | 390 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 40 | | |
| | | | | | 430 |
| 49 | Peter Clark ... | Preventive Officer, Botany ... | 160 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 40 | | |
| | | | | | 200 |
| 50 | D. J. M'Kenry ... | Sub-Collector, Wentworth ... | 390 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 440 |
| 51 | M. King ... | Sub-Collector, Euston ... | 325 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 20 | | |
| | | | | | 345 |
| 49 | Ruth D'Asarta ... | Housekeeper ... | 70 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 40 | | |
| | | | | | 110 |
| COLONIAL DISTILLERIES AND REFINERIES. | | | | | |
| 52 | Robert Blake ... | Senior Inspector of Distilleries ... | 500 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 550 |
| 52 | J. W. Weekes ... | Inspector of Distilleries ... | 500 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 550 |
| 52 | T. C. Jamison ... | Inspector of Distilleries ... | 390 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 440 |
| GOVERNMENT PRINTER'S DEPARTMENT. | | | | | |
| 53 | Charles Potter ... | Government Printer ... | 650 | | |
| | | Inspector of Postage Stamps ... | Nil. | | |
| | | | | | 650 |
| 53 | Gilbert Johnston ... | Record Clerk ... | 290 | | |
| | | Extra work in connection with Electoral Lists and Electoral Rolls ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 340 |
| 53 | Edwin Abbott ... | Principal Messenger, Librarian, and Office-keeper ... | 150 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 52 | | |
| | | Allowance for washing ... | 12 | | |
| | | | | | 214 |
| STORES AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT. | | | | | |
| 54 | W. O. Hopkins ... | Superintendent of Stores ... | 450 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters, &c ... | 100 | | |
| | | | | | 550 |
| 54 | Robert Love .. | Labourer and Watchman ... | 120 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 30 | | |
| | | | | | 150 |

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|--|------------------------|--|--|--------|---|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| BOARD OF HEALTH. | | | | | |
| 54 | H. N. MacLaurin ... | President, Board of Health, and Health Officer | 630 | | |
| 32 | | Medical Adviser to the Government | 400 | | |
| | | Chairman of Immigration Board ... | ..... | ..... | 10s. for each meeting attended. |
| | | Member of Board of Pharmacy ... | Nil. | | |
| | | Emigration Officer | Nil. | | |
| | | Member of Police Medical Board... | ..... | ..... | £1 ls. for each member examined. |
| | | | | 1,080 | |
| 54 | J. Ashburton Thompson. | Inspector to the Board of Health... | 550 | ..... | The Boatmen employed under the Board of Health at Watson's Bay and the Quarantine Station are allowed quarters, fuel, &c., valued at £30 per annum. |
| 32 | | Deputy Medical Adviser | 200 | | |
| | | | | 750 | |
| 54 | Edmund Sager ... | Secretary | 265 | | |
| 32 | | Secretary to Medical Adviser ... | 155 | | |
| | | | | 420 | |
| 54 | J. C. Sibley ... | Assistant Health Officer | 550 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light... | 100 | | |
| | | | | 650 | |
| 54 | D. Davidson ... | Messenger and Special Quarantine Officer | 118 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light... | 40 | | |
| | | | | 158 | |
| QUARANTINE. | | | | | |
| 54 | J. F. Vincent ... | Superintendent and Overseer of Stores | 232 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light... | 40 | | |
| | | | | 272 | |
| SHIPPING MASTER. | | | | | |
| 55 | R. L. Smith ... | 1st Clerk and Accountant | 265 | | |
| 21 | | 2nd Corporal, Torpedo Corps ... | 13 | | |
| | | | | 278 | |
| GLEBE ISLAND ABATTOIRS. | | | | | |
| 55 | Joseph Jager ... | Inspector | 265 | | |
| | | Allowance for forage | 50 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 52 | | |
| | | Fuel and Light | 14 | | |
| | | | | 381 | |
| 55 | G. W. Shelley ... | Assistant Inspector | 267 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 26 | | |
| | | Fuel and light | 14 | | |
| | | | | 307 | |
| 55 | William Cochrane ... | Labourer | 80 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 20 | | |
| | | Opening and shutting Abattoir gates according to regulation... | 12 | | |
| | | Fuel | 5 | | |
| | | | | 117 | |

| Reference to Estimates | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|---|----------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV.—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| MARINE BOARD. | | | | | |
| 56 26 | Francis Hixson ... | President, Marine Board ... Captain Commanding Naval Brigade Quarters and gas, valued at ... | 700 92 225 | | 1,017 |
| 56 26 | G. S. Lindeman ... | Secretary ... Commander, Naval Brigade ... | 440 73 | | 513 |
| 56 | H. Newton ... | Harbour Master, Newcastle ... Member, Marine Board, Newcastle Quarters, valued at ... | 440 52 45 | | 537 |
| 56 68 | W. J. Weatherill ... | Secretary, Local Marine Board, Newcastle ... Time-ball-keeper, Newcastle ... | 340 75 | | 415 |
| 56 | John Bain ... | Assistant Harbour Master, Newcastle ... Inspector, Marine Board, Newcastle Quarters, valued at ... | 340 50 30 | | 420 |
| 56 26 | A. Hinton ... | Clerk and Accountant, Marine Board Do do Naval Brigade | 290 64 | | 354 |
| 56 58 | J. Lawrence ... | Clerk to Harbour Master ... Telegraph Operator ... | 240 52 | | 292 |
| 56 | J. Siddons ... | Principal Light-keeper, Macquarie Light-house ... Quarters, fuel, and light, valued at Charge of Leading Lights ... | 200 50 24 | | 274 |
| 56 | B. Russell ... | Harbour Master, Twofold Bay ... Value of quarters ... Assistant Inspector of Fisheries ... | 290 30 20 | | 340 |
| 56 | Hugh Patterson ... | Engineer, Electric Light, Macquarie Light-house ... Value of quarters ... | 270 50 | | 320 |
| 56 | W. H. Thomas ... | Assistant Engineer, Electric Light, Macquarie Light-house... Value of quarters ... | 130 30 | | 160 |
| 56 | W. May ... | Principal Light-keeper, Hornby Light ... Quarters, fuel, and light, valued at | 200 50 | | 250 |
| 56 | J. Hannell ... | Principal Light-keeper, Light-house, Newcastle ... Quarters, fuel, and light, valued at | 250 50 | | 300 |
| 56 | H. Gibson ... | Principal Light-keeper, Light-house, Cape St. George... Quarters, fuel, and light, valued at | 200 50 | | 250 |
| 56 | J. Priest ... | Principal Light-keeper, Light-house, Port Stephens ... Quarters, &c., valued at ... | 200 30 | | 230 |
| 56 | D. Watson ... | Principal Light-keeper, Light-house, Seal Rocks ... Quarters, &c., valued at ... | 200 30 | | 230 |
| 56 | J. Burgess ... | Principal Light-keeper, Light-house, Montague Island ... Quarters, &c., valued at ... | 200 50 | | 250 |

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|--|----------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| MARINE BOARD—continued. | | | | | |
| 56 | G. Mulhall | Principal Light-keeper, Light-house, Broken Bay Quarters, &c., valued at | 200 30 | 230 | |
| 56 | J. Skelton | Principal Light-keeper, Light-house, Green Cape Quarters, &c., valued at | 200 50 | 250 | |
| 56 | J. Leddra | Principal Light-keeper, Light-ship "Bramble" Quarters, &c., valued at | 200 30 | 230 | |
| 56 | D. Maley | Fort Denison Light-keeper Quarters, &c., valued at | 134 30 | 164 | |
| 56 | W. Gambell | Principal Light-keeper, Light-house, Ulladulla... .. Quarters, &c., valued at | 158 30 | 188 | |
| 56 | R. Kelly | Principal Light-keeper, Light-house, Solitary Island Quarters, valued at | 200 30 | 230 | |
| 56 | W. Glover | Light-house Keeper, Nelson's Bay Quarters, &c., valued at | 134 30 | 164 | |
| 56 | Various | Thirteen 1st Assistant Light-keepers Quarters, &c., valued at | 134 30 | 164 | each. |
| 57 | Various | Thirteen 2nd Assistant Light-keepers Quarters, &c., valued at | 118 30 | 148 | each. |
| 57 | J. H. Dagwell | Pilot, Newcastle Quarters, &c., valued at | 320 50 | 422 | |
| 26 | | Gunnery Instructor, Naval Brigade, Newcastle | 52 | 370 | |
| 57 | G. Melville | Pilot, Newcastle Quarters, valued at | 320 50 | 370 | |
| 57 | D. Powell | Pilot, Newcastle Quarters, valued at | 320 50 | 370 | |
| 57 | J. Commins | Pilot, Newcastle Quarters, valued at | 320 50 | 370 | |
| 57 | A. Hacking | Pilot, Newcastle Quarters, valued at | 320 50 | 370 | |
| 57 | J. Romney | Pilot, Newcastle Quarters, valued at | 320 50 | 370 | |
| 57 | W. D. Wood... .. | Pilot, Newcastle Quarters, valued at | 320 50 | 370 | |
| 58 | J. Puckeridge | Boatswain, Boat-shed Quarters, valued at | 164 30 | 194 | |
| 56-59 | Various | Six Pilots at Out-stations Quarters, valued at | 185 25 | 210 | each. |
| 58 | G. J. Moffitt | Signal-Master, Fort Phillip Quarters, &c., valued at | 214 50 | 264 | |
| 58 | S. Williams | Assistant Signal-Master, Fort Phillip Quarters, &c., valued at | 118 30 | 148 | |

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|--|-----------------------|--|--|--------|---|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| MARINE BOARD—continued. | | | | | |
| 58 | J. Graham ... | Signal-Master, South Head Quarters, &c., valued at ... | 214 50 | | |
| | | | | 264 | |
| 58 | J. Francis, Junr. ... | Junior Operator, South Head Quarters, valued at ... | 135 30 | | |
| | | | | 165 | |
| 58 | J. Crapp ... | Night-Look-out-man, Signal Hill, Newcastle ... Trimmer, Tide Lights ... | 142 12 | | |
| | | | | 154 | |
| 58 | J. Oldfield ... | Signal Man, Newcastle ... Value of quarters ... Trimmer, Tide Lights ... | 130 18 12 | | |
| | | | | 160 | |
| 57 | A. H. Kendall ... | Pilot, Cape Hawke ... | 195 | | |
| 40 | | Value of quarters ... | 25 | | |
| 40 | | Assistant Inspector of Fisheries ... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 240 | |
| 57 | H. D. Fraser... | Look-out man, "Captain Cook" ... | 118 | | |
| 59 | | Trimmer Leading Lights ... | 12 | | |
| | | | | 130 | |
| 57 | J. Francis ... | Look-out man, "Captain Cook" ... | 118 | | |
| 59 | | Trimmer, Leading Lights ... | 12 | | |
| | | | | 130 | |
| 57 | J. A. Jamieson ... | Pilot, Macleay River ... | 195 | | |
| 40 | | Value of quarters ... | 25 | | |
| 40 | | Assistant Inspector of Fisheries ... | 20 | | |
| 50 | | Acting Customs Officer ... | 25 | | |
| | | | | 265 | |
| 57 | W. Newton ... | Pilot, Richmond River ... | 195 | | |
| 49 | | Value of quarters ... | 25 | | |
| 49 | | Acting Customs Officer ... | 52 | | |
| | | | | 272 | |
| 57 | A. Thompson ... | Pilot, Wollongong ... | 195 | | |
| 56 | | Value of Quarters ... | 25 | | |
| 56 | | Inspector, Marine Board ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 270 | |
| 57 | A. Sutherland ... | Pilot, Moruya ... | 195 | | |
| 40 | | Value of quarters ... | 25 | | |
| 136 | | Assistant Inspector of Fisheries ... | 20 | | |
| 136 | | Telegraph Operator... .. | 52 | | |
| | | | | 292 | |
| 57 | T. Stewart ... | Pilot, Bellinger River ... | 195 | | |
| 40 | | Value of quarters ... | 25 | | |
| 136 | | Assistant Inspector of Fisheries ... | 20 | | |
| 136 | | Telegraph-master | 26 | | |
| | | | | 266 | |
| 57 | W. M'Gregor ... | Pilot, Tweed River ... | 195 | | |
| 40 | | Value of quarters ... | 25 | | |
| 40 | | Assistant Inspector of Fisheries ... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 240 | Boatmen either live in quarters or receive an allowance of £18 per annum. |
| 57 | T. G. Bishop... | Pilot, Shoalhaven ... | 195 | | |
| 40 | | Value of quarters ... | 25 | | |
| 40 | | Assistant Inspector of Fisheries ... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 240 | |

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|--|--------------------|----------------------------------|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| MARINE BOARD—continued. | | | | | |
| 57 | W. J. Whaites | Pilot, Nambuccera | 195 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 25 | | |
| 40 | | Assistant Inspector of Fisheries | 20 | | |
| 136 | | Post and Telegraph Master | 36 | | |
| | | | | 276 | |
| 57 | J. Muir | Pilot, Manning River | 195 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 25 | | |
| | | | | 220 | |
| 57 | H. McAuley | Pilot, Clarence River | 195 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 25 | | |
| | | | | 220 | |
| 57 | J. Leonard | Pilot, Camden Haven | 195 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 25 | | |
| | | | | 220 | |
| 57 | Thomas Boyd | Pilot, Lake Macquarie | 195 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 25 | | |
| | | | | 220 | |
| 58 | W. Fraser | Pilot, Kiama | 190 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 40 | | |
| | | | | 230 | |
| 57 | E. J. A. Kingsford | Pilot, Port Macquarie | 195 | | |
| | | Value of quarters | 25 | | |
| | | | | 220 | |

| Reference to Estimates | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|---|---------------------|--|--|--------|---|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV.—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | | | |
| RAILWAYS. | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 62 | W. V. Read ... | Traffic Manager ... Quarters valued at ... | 700 100 | | Allowed 15s. per diem when travelling. |
| | | | | 800 | |
| 62 | W. R. Colquhoun ... | First Clerk, Traffic Office ... Allowance for rent ... | 265 75 | | |
| | | | | 340 | |
| 62 | J. Higgs ... | Traffic Manager, Newcastle Quarters valued at ... | 550 50 | | Allowed 10s. per day or 15s. per night when travelling. |
| | | | | 600 | |
| 62 22 | J. W. Melrose ... | Assistant Engineer, Existing Lines 2nd Lieut. 1st Regt. Vol. Infantry | 330 25 | | |
| | | | | 355 | |
| 62 | John Seale ... | Assistant Traffic Auditor ... House Allowance ... | 365 50 | | |
| | | | | 415 | |
| 62 | James Roberts ... | Superintendent of Tramways Sunday duties ... House Allowance ... | 550 52 100 | | |
| | | | | 702 | |
| 62 | J. J. Robertson ... | Traffic Inspector ... Quarters valued at ... | 390 50 | | |
| | | | | 440 | |
| 62 | John Cobb ... | Locomotive Foreman ... Allowance in lieu of quarters | 430 50 | | |
| | | | | 480 | |
| 62 | A. Brown ... | Clerk, Land Valuer ... Allowance for shorthand services... | 290 50 | | |
| | | | | 340 | |
| 62 | J. W. Tyrer ... | Clerk, Tramways ... Sunday duties ... | 325 41/10 | | |
| | | | | 366/10 | |
| 62 | R. Hassett ... | Messenger ... Allowance in lieu of quarters | 100 25 | | |
| | | | | 125 | |
| 62 | John Collins ... | Station-master, Sydney ... Value of quarters ... | 400 100 | | |
| | | | | 500 | |
| 62 | F. Johnson ... | Station-master, Sydney ... Value of quarters ... | 330 84 | | |
| | | | | 414 | |
| 62 | C. Paull ... | Station-master, Darling Harbour ... Value of quarters ... | 330 50 | | |
| | | | | 380 | |
| 62 | John McLean ... | Station-master, Aberdeen ... Value of quarters ... | 180 50 | | |
| | | | | 230 | |
| 62 | Henry Rees ... | Night Officer-in-charge, Tenterfield Value of quarters ... | 130 26 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 62 | ..... | Station-master, Albury ... Value of quarters ... | 330 50 | | |
| | | | | 380 | |
| 62 | W. Kirby ... | Officer-in-charge, Allandale ... Value of quarters ... | 150 26 | | |
| | | | | 176 | |
| 62 | F. W. Cox ... | Station-master, Armidale ... Value of quarters ... | 310 50 | | |
| | | | | 360 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|---------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | | | |
| <i>RAILWAYS—continued.</i> | | | £ | £ | |
| 62 | W. J. Marsden ... | Station-master, Arncliffe ... Value of quarters ... Postmaster ... | 180 50 11 | 241 | |
| 62 | G. Bonamy ... | Station-master, Ashfield ... Value of quarters ... | 310 50 | 360 | |
| 62 | E. Fegan ... | Officer-in-charge, Auburn ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 140 39 | 179 | |
| 62 | J. W. Armstrong ... | Officer-in-charge, Baan Baa Value of quarters ... | 130 26 | 156 | |
| 62 | J. Patterson ... | Officer-in charge, Balmoral Value of quarters ... | 140 26 | 166 | |
| 62 | G. Farquhar... | Station-master, Bathurst ... Value of quarters ... | 330 50 | 380 | |
| 62 136 | W. E. Hooper .. | Officer-in-charge, Ben Lomond ... Telegraph duties ... Value of quarters ... | 130 15 26 | 171 | |
| 62 | J. Glynn ... | Officer-in-charge, Bethungra Value of quarters ... | 140 26 | 166 | |
| 62 | S. Crook ... | Station-master, Binalong ... Quarters ... | 180 50 | 230 | |
| 62 133 | W. Player ... | Officer-in-charge, Blackbeath ... Postmaster ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 130 15 26 | 171 | |
| 62 | T. McCoy ... | Station-master, Blacktown ... Value of quarters ... | 310 50 | 360 | |
| 62 | D. J. Chivers ... | Officer-in-charge, Black Mountain... Value of quarters ... | 140 26 | 166 | |
| 62 | J. W. Dwyer ... | Officer-in-charge, Blandford Value of quarters .. | 140 26 | 166 | |
| 62 | T. Brain ... | Station-master, Blayney ... Value of quarters ... | 255 50 | 305 | |
| 62 | A. Charlton ... | Station-master, Boggabri ... Value of quarters ... | 180 50 | 230 | |
| 62 | W. J. Williams ... | Officer-in-charge, Bolivia ... Value of quarters ... | 140 26 | 166 | |
| 62 | D. Hoolaghan ... | Officer-in-charge, Bomen ... Value of quarters ... Postmaster ... | 140 26 30 | 196 | |
| 62 | R. Anderson .. | Station-master, Borenore ... Value of quarters ... | 180 50 | 230 | |
| 62 | W. Watson ... | Night Officer, Bourke ... Value of quarters ... | 130 26 | 156 | |
| 62 | W. Lord ... | Officer-in-charge, Bowenfels ... Value of quarters ... | 140 26 | 166 | |
| 62 133 | H. Neville ... | Night Officer-in-charge, Bowning... Postal duties... | 130 15 | 145 | |

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|-------------------------|--|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| | No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | £ | £ | |
| | RAILWAYS—continued. | | | | |
| 62 | E. Moodie | Officer-in-charge, Bowning... Value of quarters | 140 26 | 166 | |
| 62 | C. Bennett | Station-master, Bowral Value of quarters | 210 50 | 260 | |
| 62 | S. Markwell | Station-master, Branxton Value of quarters | 180 50 | 230 | |
| 62 | J. H. Cox | Station-master, Breadalbane Value of quarters | 165 50 | 215 | |
| 62 | C. A. Bailey | Station-master, Brecza Value of quarters | 180 50 | 230 | |
| 62 | ..... | Station-master, Brewongle Value of quarters | 210 50 | 260 | |
| 62 | F. H. Powell | Officer-in-charge, Bringagee Value of quarters | 130 26 | 156 | |
| 62 | F. J. Clements | Officer-in-charge, Broadmeadow Operating duties Value of quarters | 140 15 26 | 181 | |
| 62 | H. J. Stafford | Station-master, Bundanoon... .. Value of quarters | 150 50 | 200 | |
| 62 | W. C. Smith... .. | Station-master, Bungendore Value of quarters | 180 50 | 230 | |
| 62 | W. J. Titterton | Station-master, Burwood Value of quarters | 270 50 | 320 | |
| 62 | W. Attwell | Station-master, Byrock Value of quarters | 150 50 | 200 | |
| 62 | W. Darby | Officer-in-charge, Cabramatta Value of quarters | 140 26 | 166 | |
| 62 | D. Kerin | Officer-in-charge, Camden Allowance in lieu of quarters | 130 26 | 156 | |
| 62 | T. Ward | Station-master, Campbelltown Value of quarters | 255 50 | 305 | |
| 62 | A. R. Smith | Officer-in-charge, Capertee... .. Value of quarters | 150 26 | 176 | |
| 62 | E. Evans | Station-master, Carrathool Value of quarters | 150 50 | 200 | |
| 62 | J. Kilgannon... .. | Officer-in-charge, Clarence Siding... .. Value of quarters | 130 26 | 156 | |
| 62 | W. Rein | Officer-in-charge, Clarendon Value of quarters | 140 26 | 166 | |
| 62 | W. Donnan | Officer-in-charge, Colo Vale Value of quarters Postmaster | 140 26 16 | 182 | |
| 62 133 | R. Lansdown... .. | Officer-in-charge, Colombo Creek Postmaster Allowance in lieu of quarters | 140 20 26 | 186 | |
| 62 | J. R. M'Garrity | Officer-in-charge, Coolabah... .. Allowance in lieu of quarters | 140 26 | 166 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|-----------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| <i>RAILWAYS—continued.</i> | | | | | |
| 62 | A. H. Le Mesurier ... | Officer-in-charge, Coolac ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | C. J. Morgan ... | Station-master, Coolaman ... | 150 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 200 | |
| 62 | H. Giddy ... | Station-master, Cootamundra ... | 255 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 62 | A. Lay ... | Station-master, Cowra ... | 180 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 35 | | |
| | | | | 265 | |
| 62 | J. J. Collers ... | Officer-in-charge, Kingsworth ... | 130 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 62 | George Pritchard ... | Station-master, Croydon ... | 150 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 65 | | |
| | | | | 215 | |
| 62 | S. E. Hynde ... | Station-master, Culcairn ... | 180 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 230 | |
| 62 | E. Richardson ... | Officer-in-charge, Curlewis ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | R. Dunne ... | Officer-in-charge, Currabubula ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | R. H. Grimwood ... | Officer-in-charge, Darlington ... | 130 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 62 | G. H. Benning ... | Station-master, Deepwater ... | 150 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 25 | | |
| | | | | 175 | |
| 62 | F. H. Powell ... | Officer-in-charge, Demondrille ... | 130 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 62 | R. Dunbar ... | Officer-in-charge, Doughboy Hollow ... | 140 | | |
| 136 | | Telegraph duties ... | 15 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 181 | |
| 62 | Jesse Turner ... | Officer-in-charge, Douglas Park ... | 140 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | R. Simpson ... | Station-master, Dubbo ... | 310 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 360 | |
| 62 | R. W. Benson ... | Officer-in-charge, Dumaresq ... | 140 | | |
| 136 | | Telegraph-master ... | 15 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 181 | |
| 62 | F. R. Hull ... | Officer-in-charge, Dundee ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | B. D. Rider ... | Officer-in-charge, Eastwood ... | 130 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 62 | J. Walker ... | Station-master, Emu Plains ... | 180 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 230 | |
| 62 | Michael Kennedy ... | Officer-in-charge, Erskinville ... | 130 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 39 | | |
| | | | | 169 | |
| 62 | R. Crawford ... | Station-master, Eskbank ... | 310 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 360 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|----------------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| <i>RAILWAYS—continued.</i> | | | | | |
| 62 | J. Walsh | Officer-in-charge, Eveleigh Allowance in lieu of quarters | 150 26 | | 176 |
| 62 136 | ..... | Officer-in-charge, Eversleigh Telegraph duties Value of quarters | 140 15 26 | | 181 |
| 62 | G. E. Crothers | Station-master, Farley Value of quarters | 150 50 | | 200 |
| 62 | T. Hall | Station-master, Fairfield Value of quarters | 180 50 | | 230 |
| 62 | R. Tibbs | Station-master, George's Plains Value of quarters | 165 50 | | 215 |
| 62 | A. Williams | Station-master, Gerogery Value of quarters | 150 50 | | 200 |
| 62 | W. Upton | Officer-in-charge, Glenbrook Value of quarters | 140 26 | | 166 |
| 62 | M. Kenny | Station-master, Glen Innes... .. Allowance in lieu of quarters | 270 50 | | 320 |
| 62 | G. Thompson | Station-master, Glencoe Value of quarters | 130 26 | | 156 |
| 62 | James Maher | Officer-in-charge, Glennie's Creek... .. Value of quarters | 140 26 | | 166 |
| 62 | W. B. Smith | Station-master, Gosford Value of quarters | 310 50 | | 360 |
| 62 | J. G. Bissett, jun. | Station-master, Goulburn Value of quarters | 290 50 | | 340 |
| 62 | J. Williams | Officer-in-charge, Goulburn North... .. Allowance in lieu of quarters | 140 26 | | 166 |
| 62 | A. Crawford | Inspector, Goulburn Value of quarters | 440 48 | | 488 |
| 62 | J. Higgs | Station-master, Granville Value of quarters | 310 50 | | 360 |
| 62 | S. C. Drewe | Station-master, Greta Value of quarters | 180 50 | | 230 |
| 62 | W. Levinge | Officer-in-charge, Grong Grong Value of quarters | 140 26 | | 166 |
| 62 | J. O'Mara | Officer-in-charge, Guildford Value of quarters | 140 26 | | 166 |
| 62 | E. Milne | Station-master, Gundagai Value of quarters | 180 50 | | 230 |
| 62 | George Beal... .. | Station-master, Gunnedah Value of quarters | 225 50 | | 275 |
| 62 | W. P. Morphy | Night Officer-in-charge, Gunning... .. Value of quarters | 110 26 | | 136 |
| 62 | B. M. Dingle | Station-master, Guyra Value of quarters | 180 50 | | 230 |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|--------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| <i>RAILWAYS—continued.</i> | | | | | |
| 62 | J. H. Lovett... | Weigh Clerk, Hamilton ... Value of quarters ... | 275 50 | | |
| | | | | 325 | |
| 62 | R. Wilkinson ... | Station-master, Hamilton ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 195 31 | | |
| | | | | 226 | |
| 62 | R. Egan ... | Station-master, The Rock ... Value of quarters ... | 150 50 | | |
| | | | | 200 | |
| 62 | George Parsons ... | Station-master, Harden ... Value of quarters ... | 255 50 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 62 | G. Upton ... | Officer-in-charge, Harefield... Value of quarters ... | 140 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 16 | | |
| | | | | 182 | |
| 62 | F. Meiklejohn ... | Station-master, Hay ... Value of quarters ... | 200 50 | | |
| | | | | 250 | |
| 62 | A. Carpenter ... | Station-master, Hexham ... Value of quarters ... | 225 50 | | |
| | | | | 275 | |
| 62 | D. A. Garvan ... | Station-master, High-street ... Value of quarters ... | 255 50 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 62 | James Alt ... | Officer-in-charge, Hilltop ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 140 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | T. Cavanagh ... | Station-master, Brooklyn ... Value of quarters ... | 180 50 | | |
| | | | | 230 | |
| 62 | G. R. Henson ... | Station-master, Homebush ... Value of quarters ... | 310 50 | | |
| | | | | 360 | |
| 62 | Patrick Dwyer ... | Station-master, Honeysuckle Point... Value of quarters ... | 225 50 | | |
| | | | | 275 | |
| 62 | T. Nicholson... | Station-master, Hurstville ... Value of quarters ... | 225 50 | | |
| | | | | 275 | |
| 62 | H. Green ... | Officer-in-charge, Illabo ... Value of quarters ... | 140 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 24 | | |
| | | | | 190 | |
| 62 | Thomas Lake ... | Officer-in-charge, Ironbarks ... Value of quarters ... | 130 26 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 62 | H. A. Holston ... | Officer-in-charge, Jerrawa ... Value of quarters ... | 130 26 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 62 | W. Allen ... | Station-master, Jerilderie ... Value of quarters ... | 150 50 | | |
| | | | | 200 | |
| 62 | H. Scullen ... | Officer-in-charge, Joppa Junction... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 130 26 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 62 | J. Rowe ... | Station-master, Junee Junction ... Value of quarters ... | 255 50 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 62 | B. G. Potter... | Station-master, Old Junee ... Value of quarters ... | 165 50 | | |
| | | | | 215 | |
| 62 | Charles James ... | Station-master, Katoomba ... Value of quarters ... | 180 50 | | |
| | | | | 230 | |

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|---------------------|---------------------------------------|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | | | |
| RAILWAYS—continued. | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 62 | J. Thornburn ... | Station-master, Kelso ... | 180 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 230 | |
| 62 | E. Simms ... | Officer-in-charge, Kentucky ... | 130 | | |
| 136 | | Telegraph duties ... | 15 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 171 | |
| 62 | H. J. Webb ... | Officer-in-charge, Kerr's Creek ... | 130 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 62 | G. Hodgkinson ... | Station-master, Kogarah ... | 180 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 230 | |
| 62 | T. Throkeld ... | Officer-in-charge, Linden ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | S. Pass * ... | Station-master, Liverpool ... | 260 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 310 | |
| 62 | R. Eagleson ... | Station-master, Lochinvar ... | 165 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 25 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 210 | |
| 62 | T. Edwards ... | Officer-in-charge, Locksley ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | John Tobin ... | Officer-in-charge, M'Donald River ... | 130 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 62 | J. Williams ... | Night Officer, Macdonald Town ... | 130 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 62 | John Humphreys ... | Station-master, Maitland East ... | 225 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 275 | |
| 62 | Geo. T. Ferris ... | Station-master, Maitland West ... | 310 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 360 | |
| 62 | W. Morse ... | Station-master, Marrickville ... | 255 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 62 | A. Moodie ... | Station-master, Marulan ... | 225 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 275 | |
| 62 | W. Webb ... | Officer-in-charge, Mary Vale ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | George Watsford ... | Station-master, Menangle ... | 180 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 230 | |
| 62 | H. Dengate ... | Officer-in-charge, Merrylands ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | D. C. Lockie ... | Station-master, Millthorpe ... | 180 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 230 | |
| 62 | J. King ... | Officer-in-charge, Minto ... | 140 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | J. J. M'Roberts ... | Station-master, Mittagong ... | 255 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 62 | E. Aland ... | Station-master, Molong ... | 180 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 230 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|----------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | | | |
| RAILWAYS—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| 62 | H. Eckford ... | Station-master, Morrissott ... Value of quarters ... | 180 50 | 230 | |
| 62 | A. E. Brackenreg ... | Station-master, Moonbi ... Value of quarters ... | 180 50 | 230 | |
| 62 | John O'Donnell ... | Night Officer-in-charge, Moonbi ... Value of quarters ... | 130 26 | 156 | |
| 62 | J. Wallace ... | Station-master, Morpeth ... Value of quarters ... | 270 50 | 320 | |
| 62 | W. Lenehan ... | Station-master, Moss Vale ... Value of quarters ... | 225 50 | 275 | |
| 62 | G. Woodall ... | Station-master, Mount Victoria ... Value of quarters ... | 240 50 | 290 | |
| 62 | James Evans ... | Officer-in-charge, Mount Wilson ... Value of quarters ... | 140 26 | 166 | |
| 62 | John Day ... | Station-master, Mudgee ... Value of quarters ... | 225 50 | 275 | |
| 62 | C. Westall ... | Officer-in-charge, Mulgrave ... Value of quarters ... | 130 26 | 156 | |
| 62 | Hugh Cameron ... | Officer-in-charge, Mullet Creek ... House allowance ... | 140 52 | 192 | |
| 62 | E. F. Corner ... | Officer-in-charge, Mullengudgerie ... Value of quarters ... | 130 26 | 156 | |
| 62 | L. S. Beatty ... | Officer-in-charge, Mullion Creek ... Value of quarters ... | 130 26 | 156 | |
| 62 | S. H. Mauson ... | Officer-in-charge, Mumble ... Value of quarters ... | 150 26 | 176 | |
| 62 | R. Barton ... | Officer-in-charge, Murrumbidgee ... Value of quarters ... | 150 26 | 176 | |
| 62 | J. M. Spence ... | Officer-in-charge, Murrumburrah ... Value of quarters ... | 140 26 | 166 | |
| 62 | G. M. Moxham ... | Station-master, Murrurundi ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 270 50 | 320 | |
| 62 | James Burns ... | Station-master, Muswellbrook ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 255 50 | 305 | |
| 62 | A. Levien ... | Station-master, Narrabri ... Value of quarters ... | 290 50 | 340 | |
| 62 | J. Campbell ... | Station-master, Narrandera ... Value of quarters ... | 225 50 | 275 | |
| 62 | J. W. Byrnes ... | Officer-in-charge, Narromine ... Value of quarters ... | 150 26 | 176 | |
| 62 | J. Critchley ... | Station-master, Nevertire ... Value of quarters ... | 180 50 | 230 | |
| 62 | C. Little ... | Station-master, Newbridge ... Value of quarters ... | 225 50 | 275 | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 35 | 310 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | | | |
| RAILWAYS—continued. | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 62 | William Robins | Station-master, Newcastle ... | 310 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 360 | |
| 62 | John Paton | Berthing-master, Newcastle ... | 275 | | |
| | | House allowance ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 325 | |
| 62 | W. Fortune | Assistant Berthing-master, Newcastle ... | 170 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 220 | |
| 62 | J. C. Hankin | Station-master, Newtown ... | 270 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 320 | |
| 62 | A. Rowling | Station-master, Nyngan ... | 195 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 22 | | |
| | | | | 267 | |
| 62 | F. Richardson | Station-master, Orange ... | 255 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 62 | Walter H. Neary | Officer-in-charge, Ourimbah ... | 140 | | |
| 136 | | Telegraph duties ... | 15 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 181 | |
| 62 | J. Watsford | Station-master, Parramatta ... | 330 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 380 | |
| 62 | J. Bell | Station-master, Penrith ... | 270 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 320 | |
| 62 | J. Foody | Officer-in-charge, Perth ... | 140 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 29 | | |
| | | | | 169 | |
| 62 | M. S. Browne | Station-master, Petersham ... | 270 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 75 | | |
| | | | | 345 | |
| 62 | D. Sheppard | Station-master, Picton ... | 255 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 62 | W. Johnson | Officer-in-charge, Piper's Flat ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 10 | | |
| | | Clearing Receivers ... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 196 | |
| 62 | W. L. Verdon | Station-master, Quirindi ... | 195 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 245 | |
| 62 | James Whybourne | Night Officer-in-charge, Quirindi ... | 130 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 62 | O. Selden | Coach Clerk, Quirindi ... | 110 | | |
| 136 | | Telegraph duties ... | 15 | | |
| | | | | 125 | |
| 62 | F. Davidson | Station-master, Raglan ... | 165 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 215 | |
| 62 | Thomas Callcott | Officer-in-charge, Ravensworth ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | W. Lackey | Station-master, Richmond ... | 255 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 62 | H. Champion | Station-master, Riverstone ... | 180 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 230 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|----------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| <i>RAILWAYS—continued.</i> | | | | | |
| 62 | S. York | Station-master, Rockdale Value of quarters | 180 50 | 230 | |
| 62 | J. Rose | Officer-in-charge, Rocky Ponds Value of quarters | 140 26 | 166 | |
| 62 | J. Morton | Station-master, Rookwood Value of quarters | 225 50 | 275 | |
| 62 | W. Price | Station-master, Rooty Hill Value of quarters | 150 50 | 200 | |
| 62 | J. McNab | Station-master, Rydal Value of quarters | 225 50 | 275 | |
| 62 | G. Davies | Station-master, Ryde Value of quarters | 195 50 | 245 | |
| 62 | J. Tanner | Station-master, Rylstone Value of quarters | 180 50 | 230 | |
| 62 | J. Waring | Station-master, St. Mary's Value of quarters | 225 50 | 275 | |
| 62 | A. Graham | Station-master, St. Peter's Allowance in lieu of quarters | 165 50 | 215 | |
| 62 | G. W. Ryan | Officer-in-charge, Sandy Creek Value of quarters | 140 26 | 166 | |
| 62 | E. D. Simpson | Station-master, Scone Value of quarters | 195 50 | 245 | |
| 62 | W. Hall | Night Officer-in-charge, Scone Value of quarters | 180 26 | 156 | |
| 62 | J. McGarrity | Station-master, Seven Hills Value of quarters | 180 50 | 230 | |
| 133 | | Postmaster | 25 | 255 | |
| 62 | G. T. Dowling | Station-master, Singleton Allowance in lieu of quarters | 270 50 | 320 | |
| 62 | ..... | Station-master, Spring Hill Value of quarters | 180 50 | 230 | |
| 62 | Albert Jones, | Officer-in-charge, Springs Value of quarters Postmaster | 140 26 20 | 186 | |
| 62 | H. Melville | Station-master, Springwood Value of quarters | 165 50 | 215 | |
| 62 | A. J. Gibbons | Station-master, Stanmore Allowance in lieu of quarters | 180 50 | 230 | |
| 62 | T. Sherriffe | Officer-in-charge, Store Creek Allowance in lieu of quarters | 130 26 | 156 | |
| 62 | B. Salkeld | Officer-in-charge, Strathfield Allowance in lieu of quarters | 140 50 | 190 | |
| 62 | Henry Ludford | Station-master, Summer Hill Value of quarters | 195 50 | 245 | |

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|--------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | | | |
| RAILWAYS— <i>continued.</i> | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 62 | John Atwell ... | Officer-in-charge, Clifton ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | J. Kell ... | Officer-in-charge, Sutherland Quarters ... | 140 | | |
| | | | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | George Wise ... | Station-master, Tamworth ... | 255 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 62 | Lot Mannix ... | Operator, Tamworth (West) ... | 110 | | |
| 133 | | Coaching duties ... | 15 | | |
| | | | | 125 | |
| 62 | J. P. Edwards ... | Station master, Tamworth (West) ... | 150 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 30 | | |
| | | | | 180 | |
| 62 | W. Harris ... | Station-master, Tarago ... | 180 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 230 | |
| 62 | J. Muir ... | Station-master, Tarana ... | 225 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 275 | |
| 62 | W. Humphreys ... | Officer-in-charge, Tarro ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | S. Brogden ... | Officer-in-charge, Tempe ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | H. F. Nesbitt ... | Officer-in-charge, Teralba ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | Edmund Herald ... | Station-master, Tenterfield... .. | 310 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 360 | |
| 62 | W. Cuneo ... | Officer-in-charge, Thirlmere ... | 130 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 62 | M. G. Thompson ... | Officer-in-charge, Towrang... .. | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 62 | J. Bates ... | Station-master, Trangie ... | 150 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 25 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 201 | |
| 62 | John Terry ... | Station-master, Uralla ... | 225 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 275 | |
| 62 | T. J. Foley ... | Station-master, Wagga Wagga ... | 240 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 290 | |
| 62 | B. Haslam ... | Station-master, Walcha Road ... | 225 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 275 | |
| 62 | R. Smith ... | Station-master, Wallendbeen ... | 165 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 30 | | |
| | | | | 245 | |
| 62 | J. Tweedie ... | Station-master, Wallerawang ... | 270 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 320 | |
| 62 | John H. Walker ... | Station-master, Wallsend ... | 180 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 25 | | |
| | | | | 205 | |
| 62 | H. W. L. Holt ... | Station-master, Waratah ... | 225 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 275 | |

SCHEDULE TO THE ESTIMATES-IN-CHIEF FOR 1889.

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IV—Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| <i>RAILWAYS—continued.</i> | | | | | |
| 62 | H. Nightingale | Officer-in-charge, Warne ... | 130 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 156 |
| 62 | R. Hayes | Station-master, Waterfall ... | 210 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 48 | | |
| | | | | | 308 |
| 62 | F. Rae | Station-master, Wellington ... | 195 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 245 |
| 62 | J. Green | Officer-in-charge, Wentworth Falls ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 166 |
| 62 | W. V. Verdon | Station-master, Werris Creek ... | 225 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 275 |
| 62 | W. C. Bradley | Station-master, Whitton ... | 150 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 200 |
| 62 | A. Archer | Officer-in-charge, Whittingham ... | 140 | | |
| | | House allowance ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 166 |
| 62 | Thomas Thomas | Station-master, Willow-tree ... | 180 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 230 |
| 62 | W. O'Rourke | Officer-in-charge, Wimbledon ... | 140 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 10 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 176 |
| 62 | D. Scotland | Station-master, Windsor ... | 270 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 320 |
| 62 | J. Gibbons | Officer-in-charge, Wingello ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 10 | | |
| | | | | | 176 |
| 62 | S. Young | Officer-in-charge, Wingen ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 166 |
| 62 | A. Hartcher | Officer-in-charge, Woodford ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 166 |
| 62 | Frank Grocott | Officer-in-charge, Wyong ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 166 |
| 62 | A. M'Lean | Officer-in-charge, Yambula ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 166 |
| 62 | C. J. Morgan | Officer-in-charge, Yanko ... | 120 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 146 |
| 62 | J. Pettingil | Station-master, Yass ... | 195 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 245 |
| 62 | J. Attwood | Officer-in-charge, Yerong Creek ... | 140 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 18 | | |
| | | | | | 184 |
| 62 | W. Goold | Station-master, Young ... | 210 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 260 |
| 62 | W. S. Howe | Officer-in-charge, Zig Zag ... | 130 | | |
| | | Value of quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 156 |

V.

Public Instruction.

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | | Amount. | Total. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| PUBLIC INSTRUCTION. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <p><i>The Chief Inspector, Deputy Chief Inspector, District Inspectors, and Inspectors when travelling on service, receive an allowance of ten shillings per diem; and when on a journey which necessitates absence from Head Quarters at night, twenty-five shillings per diem. When the cost exceeds twenty-five shillings per diem an allowance to cover the excess is paid. When travelling in the Metropolitan District, Inspectors are paid the actual cost of conveyance only.</i></p> <p><i>The Architect for Public Schools receives fifteen shillings per diem travelling allowance and cost of conveyance.</i></p> <p><i>The School Attendance Officers and Clerks of Works receive twenty shillings per diem travelling allowance. When the cost exceeds twenty shillings per diem for a trip an allowance to cover such excess is paid. Actual expenses only paid when they return home at night.</i></p> <p><i>The Training Master is allowed Quarters valued at £100 per annum; occupied until required for other purposes.</i></p> <p><i>The Principal and Assistant Teachers at Hurlstone are provided with board and lodging, &c.</i></p> <p><i>The Head Master of Sydney High School receives £100 per annum as rent allowance.</i></p> <p><i>Teachers in charge of Public Schools are provided with Residences at a cost not exceeding the under-mentioned rate:—</i></p> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | " " " 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th | 80 | " | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | " " " 7th, 8th, and 9th | 50 | " | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | " " " 10th | 20 | " | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 64 | Office-keepers,— Mrs. Jessop | Salary | 100 | Mrs. E. O. Loughlin Salary | 72 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Quarters valued at | 52 | 152 | Quarters valued at | 20 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | 72 | | 92 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 64 | Mrs. Sherlock | Salary | 52 | Messenger,— A. H. Hadwin Salary | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Quarters valued at | 20 | 72 | Allowance in lieu of quarters | 20 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 100 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| 66 20 | J. S. Wigram | Chief Draftsman, Architect's Branch Capt. Volunteer Artillery | 390 40 | | 430 |
| 64 22 | H. C. L. Anderson | Examiner Lieut., 1st Regt. Vol. Infantry | 650 30 | | 680 |
| 66 22 | A. Gilchrist | Teacher, North Sydney Lieut., 2nd Regt. Vol. Infantry | 228 30 | | 258 |
| 66 22 | J. Anderson | Teacher, Windsor Lieut., 3rd Regt. Vol. Infantry | 252 30 | | 282 |
| 66 22 | S. Pegum | Teacher, Islington Lieut., 4th Regt. Vol. Infantry | 228 30 | | 258 |
| 65 22 | R. George | School Attendance Officer Lieut., 1st Regt. Vol. Infantry | 220 30 | | 250 |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
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| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. V—Public Instruction—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| NAUTICAL SCHOOL SHIP "VERNON." | | | | | |
| 67 | F. W. Neitenstein ... | Commander and Superintendent ... Quarters and rations, valued at ... | 450 100 | | |
| | | | | 550 | |
| 67 | W. H. Mason ... | Lieutenant ... Quarters and rations, valued at ... | 215 50 | | |
| | | | | 265 | |
| 67 | W. J. Ball ... | Schoolmaster ... Quarters and rations, valued at ... | 208 50 | | |
| | | | | 258 | |
| 67 | A. H. Dakin ... | Assistant Schoolmaster ... Quarters and rations, valued at ... | 100 40 | | |
| | | | | 140 | |
| 67 | A. P. Robilliard ... | Second Officer ... Quarters and rations, valued at ... | 160 40 | | |
| | | | | 200 | |
| 67 | R. C. Dunell ... | Boatswain ... Quarters and rations, valued at ... | 114 40 | | |
| | | | | 154 | |
| 67 | W. Shaw ... | Carpenter ... Quarters and rations, valued at ... | 150 40 | | |
| | | | | 190 | |
| 67 | F. Eveson ... | Cook and Steward ... Quarters and rations, valued at ... | 120 35 | | |
| | | | | 155 | |
| 67 | W. Thurston ... | Senior Seaman ... Quarters and rations, valued at ... | 90 35 | | |
| | | | | 125 | |
| 67 | Various ... | 3 Scamen ... Quarters and rations, valued at ... | 84 35 | | |
| | | | | 119 | each. |
| 67 | E. Parbery ... | General Assistant ... Quarters and rations, valued at ... | 96 35 | | |
| | | | | 131 | |
| 67 | J. Bourke ... | Bandmaster ... Quarters and rations, valued at ... | 120 35 | | |
| | | | | 155 | |
| 67 | A. E. Grace ... | Clerk and Storekeeper ... Quarters and rations, valued at ... | 104 40 | | |
| | | | | 144 | |
| INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, PARRAMATTA. | | | | | |
| 68 | Selina G. Walker ... | Superintendent, Industrial School... Rations and quarters, valued at ... | 240 100 | | |
| | | | | 340 | |
| 68 | Marian Brackenreg ... | Assistant Superintendent ... Rations and quarters, valued at ... | 145 50 | | |
| | | | | 195 | |
| 68 | Edith M. Walker ... | Clerk and Storekeeper ... Quarters, rations, fuel, and light, valued at ... | 90 50 | | |
| | | | | 140 | |
| 68 | Margaret P. Kelly ... | Teacher ... Rations and quarters, valued at ... | 150 50 | | |
| | | | | 200 | |
| 68 | Caroline Brackenreg... | Assistant Matron ... For extra services ... Rations and quarters, valued at ... | 60 12 50 | | |
| | | | | 122 | |
| 68 | M. E. Brearley ... | Assistant Matron ... Rations and quarters, valued at ... | 60 50 | | |
| | | | | 110 | |
| 68 | Mary Daly ... | Laundress ... For extra services ... Rations and quarters, valued at ... | 30 15 30 | | |
| | | | | 75 | |

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
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| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| | No. V.—Public Instruction—continued. | | | | |
| | INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, PARRAMATTA <i>—continued.</i> | | | | |
| 68 | William Saunders ... | Carter and Messenger ... Rations and quarters, valued at ... | 75 50 | | 125 |
| 68 | Henry Wall ... | Gardener, Gatekeeper, &c.... Rations and quarters, valued at ... | 70 98 | | 168 |
| 68 | Bridget C. Seo ... | Cook ... For extra services ... Rations and quarters, valued at ... | 30 15 30 | | 75 |
| | | | | | |
| | | OBSERVATORY. | | | |
| 68 116 | H. C. Russell ... | Astronomer ... Astronomical work for Trigonometrical Survey ... Quarters, valued at ... | 760 100 100 | | 960 |
| 68 | H. A. Lenehan ... | Astronomical Assistant ... Allowance for quarters ... | 440 50 | | 490 |
| 68 | John Wilson ... | Messenger ... Quarters, valued at ... | 110 30 | | 140 |
| | | | | | |
| | | MUSEUM. | | | |
| 69 | E. P. Ramsay ... | Curator ... Attendance on Sundays ... House ... | 600 100 200 | | 900 |
| | | | | | |
| | | TECHNOLOGICAL MUSEUM. | | | |
| 69 | J. H. Maiden ... | Curator and Secretary ... Attendance on Sundays ... Special allowance ... | 300 50 50 | | 400 |
| | | | | | |
| | | FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY. | | | |
| 69 | R. C. Walker ... | Principal Librarian ... Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 650 120 | | 770 |
| 69 | Orlando Stevens ... | Cataloguing Clerk ... Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 240 42 | | 282 |
| 69 | James M'Neil ... | Cleaner and Messenger ... Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 160 44 | | 204 |

VI.

Administration of Justice.

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|---------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. | | | £ | £ | |
| 74 | J. W. Reilly ... | Messenger ... Allowance for care of Books, Law Library ... Allowance for quarters ... | 130 50 50 | | |
| 74 | Mrs. A. M. Martin ... | Housekeeper ... Value of quarters ... do fuel and light ... Additional services—office-keeper... Allowance for extra charwoman ... | 75 40 10 26 26 | 230 | |
| MASTER IN EQUITY. | | | | | |
| 75 31 | H. F. Barton ... | Master in Equity ... Master in Lunacy ... | 1,000 250 | 1,250 | |
| PROTHONOTARY. | | | | | |
| 75 | Lewis Whitfield ... | Judge's Associate ... Clerk in Divorce ... | 200 50 | 250 | |
| 75 | C. O. Michel ... | Interpreter ... Travelling Allowance ... Allowance for translating foreign correspondence to and from gaols ... | 340 24 20 | 384 | |
| 75 | Mrs. E. Dunckeur ... | Office-cleaner ... Value of quarters ... do fuel and light ... Allowance for cleaning offices of Executive Commissioner, Melbourne Exhibition ... | 62 40 10 20/16/ | 132/16/ | |
| THE SHERIFF. | | | | | |
| 76 | Charles Cowper ... | Sheriff ... Quarters valued at ... | 810 80 | 890 | |
| 76 | M. McDonough ... | Sheriff's Officer, Grafton ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | P. Kinsella ... | Sheriff's Officer, Glen Innes ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | J. Powell ... | Sheriff's Officer, Young ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|----------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. VI—Administration of Justice—continued. | | | | | |
| THE SHERIFF.—continued. | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 76 | Jos. Paytin ... | Sheriff's Officer, Bega ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | R. V. Wild ... | Sheriff's Officer, Albury ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | Henry Wyndyer ... | Sheriff's Officer, Port Macquarie ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | A. S. Meares ... | Sheriff's Officer, Lismore ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | F. E. Blanchard ... | Sheriff's Officer, Narrabri ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | Thos. Moore ... | Sheriff's Officer, Bourke ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | A. W. Pratt ... | Sheriff's Officer, Wilcannia ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | R. J. Challis ... | Sheriff's Officer, Tamworth ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | F. J. Clancy ... | Sheriff's Officer, Coonamble ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | J. S. Maitland ... | Sheriff's Officer, Tenterfield ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | John Miller ... | Sheriff's Officer, Forbes ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | Edward Perin ... | Sheriff's Officer, Broken Hill ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | J. B. Spence ... | Sheriff's Officer, Cooma ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | H. F. McAlister ... | Sheriff's Officer, Muswellbrook ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | E. H. Boys ... | Sheriff's Officer, Wollongong ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | John Dintrigg ... | Sheriff's Officer, Walgett ... Allowance for forage ... Rent of office ... | 160 31/4/ 15/2/ | 206/6/ | |
| 76 | G. K. Lethbridge ... | Sheriff's Officer, Campbelltown ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | R. M. Wray ... | Sheriff's Officer, Maitland ... Allowance for forage ... | 210 31/4/ | 241/4/ | |
| 76 | H. A. Gough ... | Sheriff's Officer, Bathurst ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | W. Sims ... | Sheriff's Officer, Goulburn ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | J. Inglis ... | Sheriff's Officer, Wagga Wagga ... Allowance for forage ... | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|---|-------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. VI.—Administration of Justice—continued. | | | | | |
| THE SHERIFF—continued. | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 76 | Thos. Barden | Sheriff's Officer, Deniliquin Allowance for forage | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | P. Deane | Sheriff's Officer, Armidale Allowance for forage | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | G. S. Challis | Sheriff's Officer, Tamworth Allowance for forage | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | J. E. Joubert | Sheriff's Officer, Mudgee Allowance for forage | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | J. S. Carter | Sheriff's Officer, Yass Allowance for forage | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | T. S. Crawley | Sheriff's Officer, Dubbo Allowance for forage | 160 31/4/ | 191/4/ | |
| 76 | J. G. Plumb | Court-keeper, King-street Quarters valued at | 125 26 | 151 | |
| 76 | Sidney Tapner | Court-keeper, Darlinghurst Quarters valued at | 50 26 | 76 | |
| 76 | Bridget Callaghan | Court-cleaner, Darlinghurst Quarters valued at | 114 26 | 140 | |
| 76 | George Kean | Court-keeper, Albury Quarters valued at | 100 26 | 126 | |
| 76 | F. Bunch | Court-keeper, Tamworth Quarters valued at | 75 26 | 101 | |
| 76 | H. G. Mitchell | Court-keeper, Maitland Quarters valued at | 100 26 | 126 | |
| 76 | James Thompson | Court-keeper, Bathurst Quarters valued at | 150 26 | 176 | |
| 76 | J. M'Cormick | Court-keeper, Mudgee Quarters valued at | 78 26 | 104 | |
| 76 | A. Steel | Court-keeper, Wagga Wagga Quarters valued at | 100 26 | 126 | |
| 76 | L. Spooner | Court-keeper, Goulburn Quarters valued at | 100 26 | 126 | |
| 76 | T. M. Browne | Court-keeper, Deniliquin Quarters valued at | 100 26 | 126 | |
| 76 | W. Star | Court-keeper, Armidale Quarters in Lock-up valued at | 100 26 | 126 | |
| 76 | W. Edward Burton | Court-keeper, Yass In lieu of quarters at rate of | 100 26 | 126 | |
| 76 | J. Ricketts | Court-keeper, Dubbo In lieu of quarters at rate of | 100 26 | 126 | |
| 76 | John Hussy | Court-keeper, Grafton In lieu of quarters at rate of | 78 26 | 104 | |
| 76 | Robert Hunter | Court-keeper, Young Quarters, valued at | 100 26 | 126 | |

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|---|-----------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. VI—Administration of Justice—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| CORONER. | | | | | |
| 79 | Henry Shiell... | Coroner, Sydney Allowance in lieu of travelling expenses Value of quarters | 650 75 65 | | 790 |
| 79 | Edward Broomfield . | Keeper of South Sydney Morgue ... Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 120 50 | | 170 |
| 79 | Ellen Parr | Office-cleaner Allowance in lieu of rent. | 30 26 | | 56 |
| PETTY SESSIONS, &c. | | | | | |
| <i>Police Magistrates</i> receive travelling expenses when absent from head-quarters (at night) visiting minor Courts in district, 20s. per diem. <i>Police Magistrates</i> , who are also Mining Wardens without salary, receive travelling expenses at same rate while engaged on duty. Coroners receive 20s. each inquest, and 9d. a mile (one way) travelling expenses. District Commissioners of Insolvent Estates 20s. in respect of each meeting. Commissioners of Affidavits receive fees—usually 2s. each affidavit. | | | | | |
| <i>Central Police Office.</i> | | | £ | £ | |
| 80 | Emily Stainer .. | Office-keeper Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 60 62 | | 122 |
| <i>Water Police Office.</i> | | | | | |
| 80 | Catherine Haggarty... | Court Office-keeper Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 60 50 | | 110 |
| <i>Petty Sessions, &c.—Suburban and Country.</i> | | | | | |
| 81 111 | N. R. G. Lockhart ... | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Balranald... Land Agent | 50 290 | | 340 |
| 82 111 | W. A. Dovers .. | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Bombala ... Land Agent | 75 300 | | 375 |
| 83 78 | W. B. Warner ... | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Carcoar ... Registrar of the District Court ... | 160 40 | | 200 |
| 83 | T. C. K. McKell ... | Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions, Cobar Allowance, extra cost of living (ceases 31st December, 1888) ... | 340 100 | | 440 |
| 83 111 | E. A. Grainger ... | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Condobolin Land Agent | 240 50 | | 290 |
| 84 85 | R. R. Bailey ... | Police Magistrate, Coonamble ... Allowance for visiting Gilgandra ... | 390 50 | | 440 |
| 85 143 | V. D. H. Besuard ... | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Glen Innes Warden's Clerk | 290 25 | | 315 |
| 86 143 | H. De Boos ... | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Gulgong... Warden's Clerk | 240 50 | | 290 |
| 86 111 | S. Pembroke... | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Gunning Land Agent | 150 100 | | 250 |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|-----------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. VI—Administration of Justice—continued. | | | | | |
| PETTY SESSIONS, &c.— <i>continued.</i> | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 86 143 | D. G. McDougall ... | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Hillston ... Mining Registrar | 190 15 | | |
| | | | | 205 | |
| 87 111 | H. Lumsdaine ... | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Lithgow ... Crown Land Agent... .. | 150 100 | | |
| | | | | 250 | |
| 87 111 | C. C. Vindin... .. | Assistant Clerk of Petty Sessions, East Maitland Assistant Land Agent | 140 50 | | |
| | | | | 190 | |
| 89 111 | H. W. H. Huntington | Assistant Clerk of Petty Sessions, Newcastle Assistant Land Agent | 265 25 | | |
| | | | | 290 | |
| 89 143 | J. L. King | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Nundle ... Mining Warden | 140 300 | | |
| | | | | 440 | |
| 90 111 | C. J. B. Helm | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Queanbeyan Crown Land Agent... .. | 50 300 | | |
| | | | | 350 | |
| 91 | C. H. Fawcett | Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions, Stroud... .. Allowance for visiting Bungwall, Bullahdelah, and Tea Gardens... | 290 50 | | |
| | | | | 340 | |
| 91 78 143 | James Davoren | Assistant Clerk of Petty Sessions, Temora District Court Bailiff Mining Registrar and Warden's Clerk | 50 40 25 | | |
| | | | | 115 | |
| 92 143 133 | W. T. Lee | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Trunkey ... Warden's Clerk Post and Telegraph Master Value of quarters | 25 25 220 26 | | |
| | | | | 296 | |
| 92 111 | C. J. Lloyd | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Tumut ... Crown Lands Agent | 170 170 | | |
| | | | | 340 | |
| 93 | W. R. Dibbs... .. | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Waratah... Visiting Lambton and Wallsend ... | 240 60 | | |
| | | | | 300 | |
| 93 111 | A. N. Barnett | Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions, Wentworth Crown Land Agent | 300 100 | | |
| | | | | 400 | |
| 93 111 | D. R. Jamieson | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Wollongong Land Agent | 170 50 | | |
| | | | | 220 | |
| 93 111 79 | G. Addison | Clerk of Petty Sessions, Yass Assistant Land Agent Registrar, District Court | 220 50 50 | | |
| | | | | 320 | |
| 93 | S. Robinson | Police Magistrate, Young Quarters valued at | 550 52 | | |
| | | | | 602 | |
| PRISONS. | | | | | |
| 94 | John Hyde | Messenger, Comptroller-General's Office Value of quarters, fuel, and light... | 120 48 | | |
| | | | | 168 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. | |
|--|----------------------|---|--|--------|--|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | | |
| No. VI—Administration of Justice—continued. | | | | | | |
| PRISONS.— <i>continued.</i> | | | | | | |
| <i>Sydney Gaol.</i> | | | | | | |
| 94 | J. C. Read ... | Governor | 400 | | Officers receive travelling allowances at rate of 12s. or 7s. 6d. per diem, according to rank, when absent on duty. First-class Warders receive 1s. a day lodging allowance. Chief and Senior Warders receive lodging allowance of 1s. per diem, except when provided with quarters. | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 225 | | | |
| 94 | Frances Challis ... | Matron | 150 | 625 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 55 | | | |
| 94 | J. Lovett ... | Deputy Governor | 250 | 205 | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 71 | | | |
| | | | | 321 | | |
| <i>Biloela Gaol.</i> | | | | | | |
| 98 | F. A. Ramsay ... | Gaoler | 300 | | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 75 | 375 | | |
| <i>Parramatta Gaol.</i> | | | | | | |
| 95 | T. J. Barnett ... | Gaoler | 388 | | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 94 | 482 | | |
| 95 | James Lyons... .. | Deputy Gaoler | 200 | | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 63 | 263 | | |
| <i>Shaftesbury Reformatory for Girls.</i> | | | | | | |
| 101 | A. King ... | Matron-Superintendent | 208 | | | |
| | | Value of rations, quarters, fuel, and light | 74 | | | |
| | | Forage for horse | 26 | 308 | | |
| 101 | E. M. Barton ... | Sub-matron... .. | 100 | | | |
| | | Value of rations, quarters, &c. ... | 48 | 148 | | |
| 101 | J. Blayney ... | Gardener and Caretaker | 120 | | | |
| | | Value of rations, quarters, fuel, and light | 55 | 175 | | |
| COUNTRY GAOLS. | | | | | | |
| <i>Albury Gaol.</i> | | | | | | |
| 96 | ..... | Gaoler | 240 | | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 70 | 310 | | |
| <i>Armidale Gaol.</i> | | | | | | |
| 96 | ..... | Gaoler | 240 | | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 70 | 310 | | |
| <i>Bathurst Gaol.</i> | | | | | | |
| 95 | Alexander Forbes ... | Gaoler | 265 | | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light... .. | 74 | 339 | | |
| <i>Berrima Gaol.</i> | | | | | | |
| 96 | G. H. Stace ... | Gaoler | 340 | | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 86 | 426 | | |
| <i>Deniliquin Gaol.</i> | | | | | | |
| 97 | J. Paton ... | Gaoler | 220 | | | |
| | | Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 66 | 286 | | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|--|--|--|--------|---|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. VI—Administration of Justice—continued. | | | | | |
| PRISONS—continued. | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 97 | <i>Dubbo Gaol.</i> W. R. H. Pope ... | Gaoler Value of quarters, fuel, light, and Servants | 220 66 | 286 | |
| 97 | <i>Forbes Gaol.</i> | Gaoler Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 200 50 | 250 | |
| 95 | <i>Goulburn Gaol.</i> P. Herbert ... | Gaoler Value of quarters, fuel, light, and Servants | 340 86 | 426 | |
| 95 | Charles Graham ... | Deputy Gaoler Value of quarters, fuel, and light... | 200 63 | 263 | |
| 96 | <i>Grafton Gaol.</i> J. Frewin ... | Gaoler Value of quarters, fuel, light, and Servants | 240 70 | 310 | Officers receive travelling allowances at the rate of 12s. or 7s. 6d. per diem, according to rank, when absent on duty. |
| 97 | <i>Hay Gaol.</i> G. Everett ... | Gaoler Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 240 70 | 310 | |
| 95 | <i>Maitland Gaol.</i> A. Watt ... | Gaoler Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 254 72 | 326 | Officers receive travelling allowances at the rate of 12s. or 7s. 6d. per diem, according to rank, when absent on duty. |
| 96 | <i>Mudgee Gaol.</i> J. Dick ... | Gaoler Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 240 70 | 310 | |
| 97 | <i>Tamworth Gaol.</i> D. McLean ... | Gaoler Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 240 70 | 310 | |
| 99 | <i>Trial Bay.</i> W. Small ... | Superintendent Value of rations, quarters, fuel, light, and Servants | 495 132 | 627 | All Warders at Trial Bay are allowed rations, quarters, fuel, and light. |
| 97 | <i>Wagga Wagga Gaol.</i> T. Ranken ... | Gaoler Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 220 66 | 286 | |
| 96 | <i>Wollongong Gaol.</i> F. Flaherty ... | Gaoler Value of quarters, fuel, light, and Servants | 240 70 | 310 | |
| 97 | <i>Yass Gaol.</i> | Gaoler Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 220 66 | 286 | |
| 97 | <i>Young Gaol.</i> J. Gates ... | Gaoler Value of quarters, fuel, and light, and Servants | 240 70 | 310 | |

VII.

Attorney-General.

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|-------------------------|--------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| | | CROWN SOLICITOR. | | | |
| 105 4 | John Williams ... | Crown Solicitor Fees as Chairman of the Civil Service Board | 1,000 100 | 1,100 | Allowed 30s. per diem when travelling on duty. |
| | | PARLIAMENTARY DRAFTSMAN. | | | |
| 104 | Alex. Oliver ... | Parliamentary Draftsman Fees as Registrar of Friendly Societies and Trades' Unions ... Fees as Member of the Civil Service Board | 1,000 124 100 | 1,224 | |
| 104 | E. Lewis Scott ... | Clerk Allowance as Clerk in charge of Friendly Societies' Register ... | 300 50 | 350 | |

VIII.

Secretary for Lands.

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| DEPARTMENT OF LANDS. | | | £ | £ | |
| 109 26 | Victor Cohen ... | Accountant Lieutenant, Naval Brigade... | 500 73 | | |
| 109 22 | David Miller .. | Assistant Accountant Lieutenant 1st Regiment Volunteer Infantry | 350 30 | | 573 |
| 109 111 | E. H. Stobo ... | Clerk in Charge, Local Land Board Office, Orange Land Agent, Orange | 400 50 | | 380 |
| 109 111 | W. J. Smythe... | Clerk, Local Land Board Office, Bourke Land Agent, Bourke | 240 50 | | 450 |
| 111 | J. W. Taylor... | Land Agent, Forbes Allowance | 190 60 | | 290 |
| 109 | James Killian | Principal Messenger Allowance as Watchman Value of quarters, fuel, and light ... | 160 25 40 | | 250 |
| 109 | Charlotte Kendall | Principal Office-keeper Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 75 35 | | 225 |
| 109 | Samuel Petersen | Office-cleaner Attending to urinals, &c. | 110 12 | | 110 |
| | | | | | 122 |
| <i>Forest Conservancy.</i> | | | | | |
| 110 | John A. Manton | Forest Ranger Allowance for an office | 265 20 | | 285 |
| 110 40 | O. Wilshire ... | Forest Ranger Assistant Inspector of Fisheries ... | 210 75 | | 285 |
| 110 49-51 | W. Cousens ... | Assistant Forest Ranger Acting Customs Officer Value of Quarters, &c. | 160 50 12 | | 222 |
| | | | | | 222 |
| | | | | | Travelling expenses are paid to Forest Rangers, when travelling on duty, at the following rates, viz.:—5 Rangers, at £1 per diem, 26 at 15s. per diem, and 10 assistants at 15s. per diem. |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|---------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. VIII—Secretary for Lands—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| EXTERMINATION OF RABBITS. | | | | | |
| 410 | John Strachan ... | Superintending Inspector ... | 400 | | |
| 110 | H. E. Vindin ... | Superintending Inspector ... Allowance for Rent .. | 360 31 | 400 | Rabbit Inspectors are allowed 10s. per diem from 1st August, 1888, while travelling on duty. |
| 110 | J. Phillips ... | Inspector ... Allowance for stationery ... | 300 3 | 391 | |
| 110 | T. H. Elwin ... | Inspector ... Allowance for stationery ... | 303 3 | 303 | |
| 110 | A. R. Torrens ... | Inspector ... Allowance for stationery ... | 300 3 | 306 | |
| | | | | 303 | |
| | | | | | |
| SURVEY OF LANDS. | | | | | |
| 113 | E. Twynam ... | Acting Surveyor-General ... | ..... | 800 | Allowed 30s. per diem when travelling on duty, and £2 per diem when travelling with extra equipment. |
| 113 | D. M. Maitland ... | First-class Surveyor ... Special allowance when employed in Sydney district ... Allowance for accommodation of assistant ... | 450 52 25 | 527 | |
| 113 | S. Mills ... | Second-class Surveyor ... Special allowance when employed in Sydney district ... | 350 52 | 402 | |
| 113 | H. F. Madsen ... | Second-class Surveyor ... Special allowance when employed in Sydney district ... | 350 52 | 402 | |
| 113 | T. G. Wilson ... | Second-class Surveyor ... Special allowance when employed in Sydney district ... | 350 52 | 402 | |
| 113 | G. H. Knibbs ... | Second-class Surveyor ... Special allowance when employed in the Sydney District ... | 340 52 | 392 | Officers of this Department are allowed free railway passes when travelling on duty. |
| 113 | R. J. Roberts ... | Second-class Surveyor ... Special allowance when employed in the Sydney District ... | 340 52 | 392 | |
| 113 | W. W. Mills ... | Second-class Surveyor ... Special allowance when employed in the Sydney District ... | 340 52 | 392 | Several Surveyors are granted allowances quarterly, at varied rates, for forage. |
| 113 | J. Brooks * ... | Field Astronomer ... Special allowance when employed in the Sydney District ... | 490 52 | 542 | |
| 113 20 | C. J. Lester ... | Third-class Draftsman ... Lieutenant Volunteer Artillery ... | 265 30 | 295 | |
| 114 | Caroline Goodfellow | Office-cleaner ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 75 25 | 100 | |

* Allowance at the rate of £100 per annum, while actually engaged in field duty has been voted in Estimates-in-Chief for 1888, but not yet appropriated

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IX.

Secretary for Public Works.

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|---------------------------------|------------------|---|--|----------|---|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS. | | | £ | £ | |
| 118 | Thomas Collins | Head Messenger Allowance in lieu of quarters ... Do from Railway Department | 195 50 60 | | |
| 118 | James Clarke | Messenger Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 155 25 | 305 | |
| 118 | M. Londrigan | Housekeeper Allowance from Railway Department | 72 60 | 180 | |
| | | | | 132 | |
| RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION BRANCH. | | | | | |
| 119 | John Whitton | Engineer-in-Chief Forage and Equipment Allowance... | 1,800 150 | 1,950 | Allowed 40s. per diem when travelling. |
| HARBOURS AND RIVERS DEPARTMENT. | | | | | |
| 120 | E. O. Moriarty | Engineer-in-chief Forage allowance | 1,200 100 | 1,300 | Travelling expenses at the rate of 40s. per diem. |
| 120 | Cecil W. Darley | Principal Assistant Engineer ... House allowance Forage allowance | 750 50 100 | 900 | Do 30s. do. |
| 120 | M. H. Moriarty | Assistant Engineer House allowance | 600 50 | 650 | |
| 120 | Alfred Williams | Assistant Engineer House allowance | 600 50 | 650 | |
| 120 | R. R. S. Hickson | Assistant Engineer House allowance Forage allowance | 650 50 100 | 800 | |
| 120 | T. W. Keele... | District Engineer House allowance | 440 50 | 490 | |
| 120 | James Kennelly | Messenger Extra allowance | 100 25 | 125 | |
| 120 22 | T. J. Cremen... | Clerk Lieutenant and Quarter-Master, 2nd Regiment, Volunteer Infantry... | 340 25 | 365 | |
| 120 56 | James Rorison | Master, Dredge "Newcastle" ... Fees received in 1887 as Engineer and Surveyor, Marine Board ... | 400 57/17/0 | 457/17/0 | |
| 120 56 | John Hamilton | Master, Dredge "Fitzroy" ... Fees received in 1887 as Engineer and Surveyor, Marine Board ... | 342/10/0 16/16/0 | 359/6/0 | |

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|---|--------------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IX—Secretary for Public Works—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| HARBOURS AND RIVERS—continued. | | | | | |
| <i>Fitzroy Dock.</i> | | | | | |
| 120 | S. Hayes | Shipwright Superintendent... .. Quarters, &c., valued at | 390 50 | 440 | |
| 120 | James Hoey | Engineering Superintendent House allowance | 400 50 | 450 | |
| 120 | John Doran | Engineer Mechanic Quarters, &c., valued at | 230 30 | 260 | |
| 120 | M. Haggerty | Watchman Quarters and fuel, valued at | 110 30 | 140 | |
| DEPARTMENT OF THE COLONIAL ARCHITECT. | | | | | |
| 124 | James Barnett | Colonial Architect Forage for horse | 1,160 100 | 1,260 | Travelling Expenses when absent on duty, 15s. per diem with cost of conveyance, or 30s. per diem without cost of conveyance. |
| 124 | William Coles | First Clerk of Works Forage for horse | 700 100 | 800 | |
| 124 22 | George B. Stack | Clerk Captain, 2nd Regiment, Volunteer Infantry | 350 40 | 390 | |
| 124 | Eva Dettmann | Office-keeper Quarters and Fuel, valued at Allowance for assistance in cleaning offices | 70 40 78 | 188 | |
| ROADS AND BRIDGES DEPARTMENT. | | | | | |
| 126 | William C. Bennett... .. | Commissioner and Engineer for Roads Equipment allowance Member of the Water and Sewerage Board | 1,160 100 150 | 1,410 | Allowed 15s. per diem with cost of conveyance, 30s. per diem without cost of conveyance when travelling. |
| 126 20 | Frederick Wells | Assistant Engineer for Roads in the Field Lieut.-Colonel Volunteer Artillery Forage allowance do | 700 70 64 | 834 | Allowed 30s. per diem without cost of conveyance when travelling. |
| 126 20 | C. B. Airey | Clerk, Trustee, Roads Captain Volunteer Artillery | 390 40 | 430 | |
| 126 | E. J. Statham | Assistant Engineer for Roads Travelling allowance | 550 150 | 700 | Allowed 30s. per diem when engaged out of own district. |
| 126 | E. A. Nardin | Assistant Engineer for Roads Travelling allowance | 550 150 | 700 | Do do |
| 126 | A. W. Stilwell | Assistant Engineer for Roads Travelling allowance | 550 150 | 700 | Allowed 6d. a mile when travelling. |
| 126 | P. Scarr | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 440 150 | 590 | Allowed 20s. per diem without cost of conveyance when engaged out of own district. |
| 126 | J. D. Postle | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 440 150 | 590 | Do do |

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|---|------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IX—Secretary for Public Works—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| ROADS AND BRIDGES—continued. | | | | | |
| 126 | J. B. Meldrum | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 440 150 | 590 | Allowed 20s. per diem when travelling out of district. |
| 126 | W. F. Bundock | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 440 150 | 590 | Do do |
| 126 | R. Jones | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 440 150 | 590 | Do do |
| 126 | S. A. Donnelly | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 415 150 | 565 | Do do |
| 126 | P. Doyle | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 415 150 | 565 | Do do |
| 126 | P. Murray | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 415 150 | 565 | Do do |
| 126 | W. J. Hanna | Road Superintendent Extra allowance Travelling allowance | 415 75 150 | 640 | Do do |
| 126 | E. M. Allman | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 415 150 | 565 | Allowed 20s. per diem without cost of conveyance when engaged out of district. |
| 126 | E. G. Cronin | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 415 150 | 565 | Allowed 6d. per mile when travelling. |
| 126 | J. Coleman | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 400 150 | 550 | Do do |
| 126 | J. Gordon | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 400 150 | 550 | Allowed 20s. per diem when engaged out of district. |
| 126 | E. C. B. Smythe | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 400 150 | 550 | Do do |
| 126 | A. Adam | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 340 150 | 490 | Allowed 6d. per mile when travelling. |
| 126 | M. E. Wikner | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 340 125 | 465 | Allowed 20s. per diem when engaged out of district. |
| 126 | T. P. Davies | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 340 125 | 465 | Do do |
| 126 | Henry Boot | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 340 125 | 465 | Do do |
| 126 | J. H. Adams | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 340 125 | 465 | Do do |
| 126 | F. G. M. Baker | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 340 125 | 465 | Do do |
| 126 | W. Williamson | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 340 125 | 465 | Do do |
| 126 | J. A. Rossbach | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 340 125 | 465 | Do do |
| 126 | W. A. Smith | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 340 125 | 465 | Do do |
| 126 | P. J. Chiffins | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 340 125 | 465 | Do do |

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|---|---------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IX—Secretary for Public Works—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| ROADS AND BRIDGES—continued. | | | | | |
| 126 | A. E. Newton | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 300 125 | 425 | Allowed 20s. per diem when engaged out of District. |
| 126 | H. Miller | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 290 125 | 415 | Do do |
| 126 | E. D. Dyson | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 290 125 | 415 | Do do |
| 126 | J. Symonds | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 290 125 | 415 | Do do |
| 126 | J. V. Bartlett | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 250 125 | 375 | Do do |
| 126 | J. N. Hay | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 250 125 | 375 | Do do |
| 126 | S. M. Cummins | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 250 125 | 375 | Do do |
| 126 | ..... | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 240 125 | 365 | Do do |
| 126 | R. D. Bayliss | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 240 125 | 365 | Do do |
| 126 | A. Adams | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 240 125 | 365 | Do do |
| 126 | J. B. Meldrum, jun. | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 240 125 | 365 | Do do |
| 126 | ..... | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 240 125 | 365 | Do do |
| 126 | H. C. Rankin | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 196 125 | 321 | Allowed 12s. per diem when engaged out of District. |
| 126 | H. O. Moriarty | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 196 125 | 321 | Do do |
| 126 | L. A. Tyrrell | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 196 125 | 321 | Do do |
| 126 | ..... | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 196 125 | 321 | Do do |
| 126 | R. D. M'Pherson | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 200 125 | 325 | Do do |
| 126 | A. Gracie | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 200 125 | 325 | Do do |
| 126 | D. L. Wilson | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 200 125 | 325 | £3 per month extra, travelling allowance. |
| 126 | A. L. Clarke | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 200 125 | 325 | Allowed 6d. per mile when travelling. |
| 126 | O. G. Morton | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 200 125 | 325 | Allowed 12s. per diem when travelling out of District. |
| 126 | H. D. Cox | Road Superintendent Travelling allowance | 200 125 | 325 | Allowed 6d. per mile when travelling. |

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|---|------------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. IX—Secretary for Public Works—continued. | | | | | |
| ROADS AND BRIDGES—continued. | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 126 | C. L. Smith ... | Road Superintendent ... Travelling allowance ... | 200 125 | 325 | £3 per month extra, travelling allowance. |
| 126 | E. H. Bawden ... | Road Superintendent ... Travelling allowance ... | 200 125 | 325 | Allowed 12s. per diem when travelling out of District. |
| 126 | G. E. Wright ... | Road Superintendent ... Travelling allowance ... | 200 125 | 325 | Allowed 12s. per diem when travelling out of District. |
| 126 | F. G. Hurley ... | Road Superintendent ... Travelling allowance ... | 200 125 | 325 | Do do |
| 126 | V. J. S. Blomfield ... | Road Superintendent ... Travelling allowance ... | 200 125 | 325 | £3 per month extra travelling allowance. |
| 126 | E. M. D. Burgh ... | Bridge Superintendent ... Travelling allowance ... | 200 125 | 325 | |
| 126 | R. A. Fraser... | Road Superintendent ... Travelling allowance ... | 200 125 | 325 | £3 per month extra travelling allowance. |
| 126 | H. F. Purdie... | Field Cadet ... Travelling allowance ... | 156 80 | 236 | |
| 126 | F. G. Neilley ... | Road Superintendent ... Travelling allowance ... | 156 166 | 322 | £7 4s. per month extra travelling allowance. |
| 126 | G. N. Simpson ... | Field Cadet ... Travelling allowance ... | 156 80 | 236 | £2 8s. per month extra travelling allowance. |
| 126 | ..... | Field Cadet ... Travelling allowance ... | 156 80 | 236 | |
| 126 | W. J. Nicholson ... | Field Cadet ... Travelling allowance ... | 156 80 | 236 | |
| 126 | R. Gill ... | Field Cadet ... Travelling allowance ... | 156 80 | 236 | |
| 126 | T. W. Spencer ... | Field Cadet ... Travelling allowance ... | 156 80 | 236 | |
| 126 | C. W. Donnelly ... | Field Cadet ... Travelling allowance ... | 156 80 | 236 | |
| 126 | W. J. Chisholm ... | Field Cadet ... Travelling allowance ... | 156 80 | 236 | |
| 126 | G. Brown ... | Field Cadet ... Travelling allowance ... | 156 80 | 236 | |
| 126 | A. Read ... | Messenger ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 95 25 | 120 | |
| WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE DEPARTMENT. | | | | | |
| 130 | Thomas Rowe ... | President, Water Supply and Sewerage Board... | 900 | | |
| 21 | | Lieutenant-Colonel commanding Volunteer Engineers ... | 50 | 950 | |
| 130 | William Holmes ... | Chief Clerk and Paymaster ... | 300 | | |
| 22 | | Second Lieutenant, 1st Regiment Volunteer Infantry ... | 25 | 325 | |

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The Postmaster-General.

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|-------------------------|---------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| | | GENERAL POST OFFICE. | £ | £ | |
| 132 | A. A. Day ... | Superintendent of Mails ... | 600 | | |
| | | *Overtime ... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 620 | |
| 132 | John Thompson ... | Cashier ... | 440 | | |
| | | Allowance for loss of stamps ... | 25 | | |
| | | | | 465 | |
| 133 | W. J. Davies ... | Postal Inspector of missing letters and Irregularity Branch... | 550 | | |
| | G. P. Unwin... | } Postal Inspectors, each ... | 490 | | |
| | I. B. Bossley ... | | | | 490 |
| 132 | John T. M'Mahon ... | Assistant Superintendent, Mail Branch ... | 490 | | |
| | | *Overtime ... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 510 | |
| 132 | Joseph Clarke ... | Senior Clerk... Overlanding English Mail ... | 390 | | |
| | | | 25 | | |
| | | | | 415 | |
| 132 | Charles Clarke ... | Senior Clerk... *Overtime ... | 390 | | |
| | | | 20 | | |
| | | | | 410 | |
| 132 | R. R. Iredale ... | Clerk... *Overtime ... | 340 | | |
| | | | 13 | | |
| | | | | 353 | |
| 132 | R. B. Edward ... | Clerk... *Overtime ... | 340 | | |
| | | | 13 | | |
| | | | | 358 | |
| 132 | E. B. Seymour ... | Clerk... *Overtime ... | 340 | | |
| | | | 15 | | |
| | | | | 355 | |
| 132 | A. J. M'Dermott ... | Clerk... *Overtime ... | 340 | | |
| | | | 6/18 | | |
| | | | | 346/18 | |
| 132 | G. L. Little ... | Clerk... *Overtime ... | 290 | | |
| | | | 9/2 | | |
| | | | | 299/2 | |
| 132 | J. M'Neilly ... | Clerk... *Overtime ... | 290 | | |
| | | | 13 | | |
| | | | | 303 | |
| 132 | C. Brady ... | Clerk... *Overtime ... | 265 | | |
| | | | 7/18 | | |
| | | | | 272/18 | |
| 132 | F. Butler ... | Clerk... *Overtime ... | 265 | | |
| | | | 10 | | |
| | | | | 275 | |
| 132 | J. A. B. Fry... | Clerk... For shorthand-writing ... | 265 | | |
| | | | 50 | | |
| | | | | 315 | |
| 132 | J. F. Doherty ... | Clerk... *Overtime ... | 240 | | |
| | | | 7/18 | | |
| | | | | 247/18 | |

Postal Inspectors are allowed 3/6 per diem forage for each horse (not to exceed two) when in town, 30/- per diem when travelling with their own conveyance, and 15/- per diem, with cost of conveyance by train, coach, or steamer when their own vehicles are not used.

* These overtime allowances are granted to the officials of the Mail Branch of this Office in consideration of giving their attendance whenever called upon either during day or night, to sort English and Foreign Mails received or despatched.

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|--|--|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| POST OFFICE— <i>continued.</i> | | | | | |
| 132 | W. W. Ryan | Clerk *Overtime | 240 7/18 | 247/18 | |
| 132 | J. Robinson | Clerk *Overtime Allowance to recoup losses attending sale of stamps | 240 5 11 | 256 | |
| 132 | W. J. Kenny | Clerk Allowance for collection of Customs Duties on parcels arriving from the United Kingdom | 240 25 | 265 | |
| 132 | H. W. R. Holmes | Clerk *Overtime | 240 6/18 | 246/18 | |
| 132 | A. M'Neilly | Clerk *Overtime | 200 6/18 | 206/18 | |
| 132 | S. B. Hilton | Clerk *Overtime | 200 7/18 | 207/18 | |
| 132 | F. W. S. Rush | Clerk *Overtime | 200 5 | 205 | |
| 132 | W. T. Cosgrove | Clerk *Overtime | 200 6/18 | 206/18 | |
| 132 | F. F. Falconer | Clerk *Overtime Allowance as linguist | 190 6/18 35 | 231/18 | |
| 132 | M. J. Brady | Clerk *Overtime | 190 6/18 | 196/18 | |
| 132 | { A. Briggs R. A. Shortland | { Clerks *Overtime | 190 5 | 195 | each. |
| 132 | F. A. Kelleher | Clerk Allowance to recoup losses attending sale of stamps | 190 11 | 201 | |
| 132 | G. C. A. Warre | Clerk *Overtime | 190 6/18 | 196/18 | |
| 132 | W. C. West | Clerk *Overtime | 172 10 | 182 | |
| 132 | W. Worling | Clerk *Overtime | 172 6/18 | 178/18 | |
| 132 | { S. J. Parr H. Coleman | { Clerks *Overtime | 172 5 | 177 | each. |
| 132 | J. J. Molloy | Clerk Allowance to recoup losses attending sale of stamps Overtime | 172 5 5 | 182 | |
| 132 | A. du D'Abreu | Clerk *Overtime | 172 6/18 | 178/18 | |
| 132 | { W. N. Humby R. W. Horn | { Clerks *Overtime | 170 6/18 | 176/18 | each. |
| 132 | { J. C. Wheeler A. T. Pearson | { Clerks *Overtime | 140 6/18 | 146/18 | each. |

Stampers, Sorters, and Letter-carriers, who are required to work overtime for the despatch of the weekly newspapers and for the receipt and despatch of English and Foreign mails, receive an allowance ranging from £3 to £10 per annum each.

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|--|---|--|--|--------|--|---|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | £ | £ | | |
| POST OFFICE—continued. | | | | | | |
| 132 | W. J. Joyner | Clerk *Overtime | 140 6/18 | 146/18 | Stampers, Sorters, and Letter-carriers, who are required to work overtime for the despatch of the weekly newspapers and for the receipt and despatch of English and Foreign mails, receive an allowance ranging from £8 to £10 per annum each. | |
| 132 | H. J. Foskett Christopher Molloy J. M. Stafford | Clerks *Overtime | 140 5 | 145 | | |
| 132 | J. H. Baker ... R. Millington ... E. G. Croft ... | Clerks *Overtime | 120 6/18 | 126/18 | | |
| 132 | M. H. J. McDonnell | Shipping Clerk Rent Allowance *Overtime | 240 60 13 | 313 | | |
| 132 | J. Middleton | Assistant Shipping Clerk Rent Allowance *Overtime | 190 25 10 | 225 | | |
| 132 | W. H. Golding | Relieving Officer | 200 | 200 | | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS. | | | | | | |
| 133-7 | E. A. Bingham | Post and Telegraph Master, Abattoirs Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 110 26 | 136 | | Also allowed when absent from home at night—not exceeding one week, 12s. per diem; exceeding one, but not exceeding three weeks, 10s. per diem; exceeding three weeks, 7s. 6d. per diem in addition to actual travelling expenses |
| 133-7 | C. Doutty | Post and Telegraph Master, Homebush Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 190 25 | 215 | | |
| 133-7 | R. A. Byron | Post and Telegraph Master, Ashfield Quarters valued at | 180 30 | 210 | | |
| 133-7 | R. Galloway | Post and Telegraph Master, Alexandria Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 104 17 | 121 | | |
| 133-7 | W. H. Hunt | Post and Telegraph Master, Haymarket Quarters valued at | 400 66 | 466 | | |
| 133-7 | M. H. Kelly | Post and Telegraph Master, Kingstreet Quarters valued at | 310 51 | 361 | | |
| 133-7 | Chas. L. Tucker | Post and Telegraph Master, Georgestreet North Quarters valued at | 190 31 | 221 | | |
| 133-7 | A. Melville | Post and Telegraph Master, Balmain Quarters valued at | 190 31 | 221 | | |
| 133-7 | Joseph E. Lee | Post and Telegraph Master, Newtown Quarters valued at | 250 41 | 291 | | |
| 133-7 | E. Lloyd | Post and Telegraph Master, Georgestreet West Quarters valued at | 240 40 | 280 | | |
| 133-7 | C. E. Dale | Post and Telegraph Master, Oxfordstreet Quarters valued at | 320 53 | 373 | | |

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|--|----------------------|--|--|----------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | | | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| 133-7 | A. T. Gale | Post & Telegraph Master, Paddington Quarters valued at | 220 33 | | |
| 133-7 | G. M. White... .. | Post & Telegraph Master, Park-street Quarters valued at | 310 51 | 256 | |
| 133-7 | V. Moyses | Post & Telegraph Master, Redfern Quarters valued at | 310 51 | 361 | |
| 133-7 | J. Hambly | Post and Telegraph Master, St. Leonards... .. Allowance in lieu of quarters | 240 65 | 361 | |
| 133-7 | C. J. Booty | Post & Telegraph Master, William- street Quarters valued at | 350 58 | 408 | |
| 133 | S. S. Smith | Postmaster, The Exchange... .. Allowance in lieu of quarters | 190 50 | 240 | |
| 133-7 | T. Quirk | Post & Telegraph Master, Parramatta Quarters valued at | 360 60 | 420 | |
| 133-7 | J. Waddell | Post & Telegraph Master, Adaminaby Quarters valued at | 160 26 | 186 | |
| 133-7 | A. Bray | Post and Telegraph Master, Adelong Quarters valued at | 240 40 | 280 | |
| 133 | T. H. Stone | Postmaster, Albury... .. Quarters valued at | 390 65 | 455 | |
| 133-7 | A. B. Ewing | Post & Telegraph Master, Angledool Quarters valued at | 180 15/12 | 195/12 | |
| 133-7 | F. J. Barnett | Post and Telegraph Master, Araluen Quarters valued at | 220 36 | 256 | |
| 133-7 | T. W. Emblin | Postmaster, Armidale Quarters valued at | 350 58 | 408 | |
| 133-7 | A. Hunter | Post and Telegraph Master, Ballina Quarters valued at | 240 40 | 280 | |
| 133-7 | George Lobsey | Post and Telegraph Master, Bal- ranald Forage allowance Quarters valued at | 180 45/12/6 30 | 255/12/6 | |
| 133-7 | A. J. Knight | Post and Telegraph Master, Bara- dine Quarters valued at | 120 20 | 140 | |
| 133-7 | E. W. Conolly | Post and Telegraph Master, Barraba Quarters valued at | 210 35 | 245 | |
| 133-7 | D. Broadfoot | Post and Telegraph Master, Bar- ringun Quarters valued at Forage allowance | 210 35 45/12/6 | 290/12/6 | |
| 133-7 | A. J. Maynink | Post and Telegraph Master, Bate- man's Bay Quarters valued at | 170 28 | 198 | |

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|--|---------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS—continued. | | | | | |
| 133 | W. G. Thompson ... | Postmaster, Bathurst ... Quarters valued at ... Forage ... Spare Horse ... | 400 66 36/10 20 | | |
| | | | | 522/10 | |
| 133-7 | C. Harrison ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Bega... Quarters valued at ... | 310 51 | | 361 |
| 133-7 | J. C. Toose ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Bellbrook ... Quarters valued at ... Forage allowance ... | 180 30 45/12/6 | | 255/12/6 |
| 133-7 | J. N. Falconer ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Bendemeer ... Quarters valued at ... | 180 30 | | 210 |
| 133-7 | A. W. Plumley ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Bingera Quarters valued at ... | 200 33 | | 233 |
| 133-7 | R. Dixon ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Blayney Quarters valued at ... | 230 38 | | 268 |
| 133-7 | W. Watts ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Blackwall Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 100 26 | | 126 |
| 133-7 | J. W. Conolly ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Berrima ... Quarters valued at ... | 140 23 | | 163 |
| 133-7 | W. G. Drew ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Bodalla Quarters valued at ... | 170 28 | | 198 |
| 133-7 | H. A. Lott ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Boggabri Quarters valued at ... | 200 33 | | 233 |
| 133-7 | A. G. Robins ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Bombala Quarters valued at ... | 260 43 | | 303 |
| 133-7 | H. Malone ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Booligal Quarters valued at ... | 260 43 | | 303 |
| 133-7 | T. J. M. Trader ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Bourke Quarters valued at ... | 390 65 | | 455 |
| 133-7 | B. A. Foord ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Bowna Quarters valued at ... | 100 16 | | 116 |
| 133-7 | J. D. Sheriff ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Bowral... Quarters valued at ... | 200 33 | | 233 |
| 133-7 | L. Kingsmill ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Braidwood ... Quarters valued at ... | 280 46 | | 326 |
| 133-7 | J. A. Tulloch ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Braxton Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 150 36/8 | | 186/8 |
| 133-7 | C. J. Robins ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Brewarrina ... Quarters valued at ... | 260 43 | | 303 |
| 133-7 | E. Adam ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Broadwater ... Quarters valued at ... | 130 13 | | 143 |

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|---|----------------------|--|--|----------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS— <i>continued.</i> | | | | | |
| 133-7 | Blanch V. Squire ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Broke Quarters valued at | 110 18 | | |
| 133-7 | W. M. Weatherall | Post and Telegraph Master, Broken Hill | 300 | 128 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 50 | | |
| 133 | W. F. Naghten ... | Postal Assistant | 160 | 350 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 39 | | |
| 133 | W. G. Payne ... | Postal Assistant | 130 | 199 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 39 | | |
| 133 | E. Gilbert ... | Postal Assistant | 110 | 169 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 39 | | |
| 133 | J. O'Neil ... | Postal Assistant | 110 | 149 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 39 | | |
| 133 | A. E. I. Tait... .. | Postal Assistant | 110 | 149 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 39 | | |
| 133 | A. Fordham ... | Postal Assistant | 110 | 149 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 39 | | |
| 133 | A. Low ... | Postal Assistant | 110 | 149 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 39 | | |
| 132 | R. W. Bale ... | Letter-carrier | 127 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... 2s. per diem. | | 163/10/0 | |
| 132 | G. J. Morgan ... | Letter-carrier | 104 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... 2s. per diem. | | 140/10/0 | |
| 132 | W. Kimber ... | Letter-carrier | 104 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... 2s. per diem. | | 140/10/0 | |
| 133-7 | J. W. Clinch... .. | Post and Telegraph Master, Berry... Quarters valued at | 230 38 | | |
| | | Forage allowance | 7/16 | 275/16 | |
| 133-7 | S. C. Francis ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Bruns- wick | 100 | 116 | |
| | | Quarters valued at | 16 | | |
| 133-7 | E. J. Spry ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Brush- grove | 150 | 175 | |
| | | Quarters valued at | 25 | | |
| 133-7 | J. P. Carter ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Bulah- delah | 150 | 175 | |
| | | Quarters valued at | 25 | | |
| 133-7 | T. W. Harris ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Railway Station, Bulli | 230 | 266/8 | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 36/8 | | |
| 133-7 | E. T. Eames ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Bundarra Quarters valued at | 240 40 | 280 | |
| 133-7 | T. L. Coughlan ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Bungen- dore | 170 | 198 | |
| | | Quarters valued at | 28 | | |
| 133-7 | E. C. Dunne... .. | Post and Telegraph Master, Burra- wang | 140 | 163 | |
| | | Quarters valued at | 23 | | |
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| Reference to Estimator. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|----------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS—continued. | | | | | |
| 133-7 | D. J. Elliott ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Burrowa Quarters valued at | 220 36 | | |
| 133-7 | C. T. Morris ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Byrock Quarters valued at | 260 43 | 256 | |
| 133-7 | J. J. L. Moroney ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Camden Quarters valued at | 190 31 | 303 | |
| 133-7 | F. Mackel ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Campbelltown Quarters valued at | 310 51 | 221 | |
| 133-7 | F. Burgis ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Camperdown Quarters valued at Forage allowance | 210 35 36/10 | 361 | |
| 133-7 | G. C. Walter ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Candelero Quarters valued at | 120 20 | 281/10 | |
| 133-7 | A. H. Costin... | Post and Telegraph Master, Canowindra Quarters valued at | 190 31 | 140 | |
| 133-7 | G. U. Hosking ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Carcoar Quarters valued at | 240 40 | 221 | |
| 133-7 | W. F. Burgess ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Cargo Quarters valued at | 120 20 | 280 | |
| 133-7 | W. J. Gwynne ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Carrington Quarters valued at | 130 21 | 140 | |
| 133-7 | W. M. Scott... | Post and Telegraph Master, Casino Quarters valued at | 240 40 | 151 | |
| 133-7 | J. T. Miner ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Cassilis Quarters valued at | 190 31 | 280 | |
| 133-7 | H. H. Attwater ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Chatsworth Island Quarters valued at | 160 26 | 221 | |
| 133-7 | A. C. Atkinson ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Clarence Town Quarters valued at | 200 33 | 186 | |
| 133-7 | J. A. Macken ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Clifton Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 150 40 | 233 | |
| 133-7 | D. R. Kenane ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Cobargo Quarters valued at Forage allowance | 330 55 52 | 190 | |
| 133-7 | J. Horsley ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Cobargo Quarters valued at | 135 22 | 437 | |
| 133-7 | D. McRae ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Cobbora Quarters valued at | 120 20 | 157 | |
| 133-7 | R. R. Graham ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Condobolin Quarters valued at | 230 38 | 140 | |
| | | | | 268 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|----------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | | | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| 133-7 | L. A. Hewett ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Coolah Quarters valued at | 100 16 | | |
| 133-7 | F. J. Colls ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Coolaman Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 110 52 | 116 | |
| 133-7 | J. C. Kirwan... | Post and Telegraph Master, Cooma Quarters valued at | 290 48 | 162 | |
| 133-7 | James E. Ballard ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Coonabarabran... Quarters valued at | 240 40 | 338 | |
| 133-7 | F. Waddups ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Coonamble ... Quarters valued at | 260 43 | 280 | |
| 133-7 | W. Redriff ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Coorabong ... Quarters valued at | 150 25 | 303 | |
| 133-7 | A. H. Davies ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Cootamundra ... Quarters valued at | 340 56 | 175 | |
| 133-7 | J. R. Higgins ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Copeland North ... Quarters valued at | 110 18 | 396 | |
| 133-7 | A. Mortan ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Copmanhurst ... Quarters valued at | 130 21 | 128 | |
| 133-7 | S. L. Moffitt ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Coraki Quarters valued at | 190 31 | 151 | |
| 133-7 | J. M. Cooke ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Corowa Quarters valued at | 230 38 | 221 | |
| 133-7 | J. J. Richards ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Cowra... Forage allowance Quarters valued at | 240 30 40 | 268 | |
| 133 | R. Finney ... | Postal Assistant, Cowra ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 52 30 | 310 | |
| 133-7 | John G. Willson ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Croki... Quarters valued at | 150 25 | 82 | |
| 133-7 | John Walter... | Post and Telegraph Master, Crookwell Quarters valued at | 210 35 | 175 | |
| 133-7 | J. Claxton ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Cudal... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 170 26 | 245 | |
| 133-7 | J. W. Nunn ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Cundletown ... Quarters valued at | 190 31 | 196 | |
| 133-7 | Eliza J. West ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Darlington ... Quarters valued at | 130 21 | 221 | |
| 133-7 | C. E. Stuart ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Delegate Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 120 26 | 151 | |
| | | | | 146 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|------------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | | | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS—continued. | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 133-7 | J. W. S. Isaacs ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Deepwater ... Quarters valued at ... | 160 26 | | |
| 133 | O. Haydock ... | Postmaster, Deniliquin ... Quarters valued at ... | 270 45 | 186 | |
| 133-7 | Annie Kibble ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Denman ... Quarters valued at ... | 120 20 | 315 | |
| 133-7 | A. Leslie ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Drake ... Quarters valued at ... | 130 21 | 140 | |
| 133-7 | W. P. Raper ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Dubbo ... Quarters valued at ... | 370 61 | 151 | |
| 133-7 | T. J. Foley ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Dungog ... Quarters valued at ... | 220 36 | 431 | |
| 133-7 | H. T. M. Williams ... | Post and Telegraph Master, East Maitland ... Quarters valued at ... | 270 45 | 256 | |
| 133-7 | F. Small ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Euabalong ... Quarters valued at ... | 200 33 | 315 | |
| 133-7 | C. G. Kebby... | Post and Telegraph Master, Eden... Quarters valued at ... | 170 28 | 233 | |
| 133-7 | Henrietta J. North ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Edgecliff ... Quarters valued at ... | 160 26 | 198 | |
| 133-7 | J. S. Page ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Emma-ville ... Quarters valued at ... | 240 40 | 186 | |
| 133-7 | M. J. Sheppard ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Enn- gonia ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 150 39 | 280 | |
| 133-7 | A. M. Kennedy ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Euston ... Forage allowance ... Quarters valued at ... | 170 40 23 | 189 | |
| 133-7 | H. Litchfield ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Fern- mount ... Quarters valued at ... | 160 26 | 238 | |
| 133-7 | E. Chapman ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Forbes ... Quarters valued at ... | 310 51 | 186 | |
| 133-7 | P. H. E. Aldrich ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Forster ... Quarters valued at ... | 120 20 | 361 | |
| 133-7 | F. R. M. Scott ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Frede- rickton ... Quarters valued at ... | 150 25 | 140 | |
| 133-7 | F. W. O'Brien ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Gerrin- gong ... Quarters valued at ... | 100 16 | 175 | |
| | | | | 116 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|---------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | | | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| 133-7 | T. W. C. Young ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Gilgandra Quarters valued at | 180 30 | | |
| | | | | 210 | |
| 133-7 | Minnie L. Knott ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Glebe Quarters valued at | 150 25 | | |
| | | | | 175 | |
| 133-7 | R. W. Arnott ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Glen Innes Quarters valued at | 340 56 | | |
| | | | | 396 | |
| 133-7 | W. W. Cumming ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Gloucester Forage allowance Quarters valued at | 120 26 20 | | |
| | | | | 166 | |
| 133-7 | J. T. Hackett ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Gongolgon Quarters valued at | 200 33 | | |
| | | | | 233 | |
| 133-7 | J. Bennett ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Goodooga Quarters valued at | 220 36 | | |
| | | | | 256 | |
| 133-7 | J. F. Parr ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Gosford Quarters valued at | 210 35 | | |
| | | | | 245 | |
| 133 | ... .. | Postmaster, Goulburn Quarters valued at | 400 66 | | |
| | | | | 466 | |
| 133-7 | R. C. Willans ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Grafton Quarters valued at | 360 60 | | |
| | | | | 420 | |
| 133-7 | J. P. Olsen ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Grenfell Quarters valued at | 270 45 | | |
| | | | | 315 | |
| 133-7 | A. W. Kelly... | Post and Telegraph Master, Gulgong Quarters valued at | 240 40 | | |
| | | | | 280 | |
| 133-7 | C. Smith ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Gundagai Quarters valued at | 270 45 | | |
| | | | | 315 | |
| 133-7 | J. C. O'Hara... | Post and Telegraph Master, Gunnedah Quarters valued at | 290 48 | | |
| | | | | 338 | |
| 133-7 | F. W. Timmis ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Gunning Quarters valued at | 190 31 | | |
| | | | | 221 | |
| 133-7 | Jane Peters ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Hamilton Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 110 26 | | |
| | | | | 136 | |
| 133-7 | J. Campey ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Harden Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 130 26 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 133-7 | W. F. Nelson ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Harwood Island Quarters valued at | 190 21 | | |
| | | | | 151 | |
| 133-7 | A. Burnett ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Hay Quarters valued at | 380 63 | | |
| | | | | 443 | |
| 133-7 | C. Chapple ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Hill End Quarters valued at | 220 36 | | |
| | | | | 256 | |

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|--|-----------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | | | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| 133-7 | W. S. Bellamy ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Hillston Quarters valued at | 260 43 | | |
| | | | | 303 | |
| 133-7 | H. H. Torr ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Howlong Quarters valued at | 160 26 | | |
| | | | | 186 | |
| 133-7 | Mary Jane Davies ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Hunter's Hill Quarters valued at For attending to Telephone ... | 130 21 26 | | |
| | | | | 177 | |
| 133-7 | W. H. Rowland ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Inverell Quarters valued at | 200 33 | | |
| | | | | 233 | |
| 133 | W. Francis ... | Postal Assistant, Hay Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 110 20 | | |
| | | | | 130 | |
| 133-7 | J. A. Gordon ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Ivanhoe Quarters valued at | 200 33 | | |
| | | | | 233 | |
| 133-7 | A. D. Fowler ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Jerilderie Quarters valued at | 240 40 | | |
| | | | | 280 | |
| 133-7 | E. S. Atkinson ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Jerry's Plains Quarters valued at | 190 31 | | |
| | | | | 221 | |
| 133 | W. G. Ledsam ... | Postmaster, Junee Junction ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 240 26 | | |
| | | | | 266 | |
| 133-7 | G. T. Palmer ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Katoomba Quarters valued at | 120 20 | | |
| | | | | 140 | |
| 133-7 | A. E. Marsden ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Kelso Quarters valued at | 120 20 | | |
| | | | | 140 | |
| 133-7 | E. W. Powell ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Kempsey Quarters valued at | 240 40 | | |
| | | | | 280 | |
| 133-7 | J. F. Tyter ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Kiama Quarters valued at | 310 51 | | |
| | | | | 361 | |
| 133-7 | A. H. V. Gosbell ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Kogarah Quarters valued at | 100 16 | | |
| | | | | 116 | |
| 133-7 | H. J. Tomkins ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Lake Cudgellico Quarters valued at | 170 28 | | |
| | | | | 198 | |
| 133-7 | H. J. Rowthorne ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Lambton Quarters valued at | 200 33 | | |
| | | | | 233 | |
| 133-7 | J. A. Sinclair ... | Post and Telegraph Master, La Perouse Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 170 13 | | |
| | | | | 183 | |
| 133-7 | A. T. M'Millan ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Lawrence Quarters valued at | 170 28 | | |
| | | | | 198 | |
| 133-7 | Ellen L. A. Cross ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Leichhardt Quarters valued at | 160 26 | | |
| | | | | 186 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|---|----------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | | | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS— <i>continued.</i> | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 133-7 | J. Anschau ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Lismore Quarters valued at ... | 260 43 | | |
| 133-7 | D. A. Thomas ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Lithgow Quarters valued at ... | 260 43 | | 303 |
| 133-7 | T. P. Burgis ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Liverpool Quarters valued at ... | 240 40 | | 280 |
| 133-7 | W. Pugh ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Louth Quarters valued at ... | 190 31 | | 221 |
| 133-7 | Annie Halloran ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Lower Botany Quarters valued at ... | 120 20 | | 140 |
| 133-7 | J. J. Murphy ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Lyttleton Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 110 20 | | 130 |
| 133-7 | T. Lamy ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Maclea Quarters valued at ... | 240 40 | | 280 |
| 133-7 | E. J. Collier ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Major's Creek Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 140 26 | | 166 |
| 133-7 | W. J. L. Kyle ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Manilla Quarters valued at ... | 170 28 | | 198 |
| 133-7 | L. S. Mackay ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Manly Quarters valued at ... | 170 28 | | 198 |
| 133-7 | J. L. Shambler ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Marengo Quarters valued at ... | 150 25 | | 175 |
| 133-7 | G. E. Collett... | Post and Telegraph Master, Marrick- ville Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 150 52 | | 202 |
| 133-7 | H. A. Weatherall ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Mars- den's Quarters valued at ... | 160 26 | | 186 |
| 133-7 | H. Hoare ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Marulan Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 120 26 | | 146 |
| 133-7 | P. T. Whealy ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Menindie Quarters valued at ... | 220 36 | | |
| 77-79 | | Registrar of District Court ... | 40 | | 296 |
| 133-7 | S. W. McKay ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Mere- wether Quarters valued at ... | 100 16 | | 116 |
| 133-7 | G. J. Dennis... | Post and Telegraph Master, Merim- bula Quarters valued at ... | 170 28 | | 198 |
| 133-7 | Matilda Read ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Mer- riwa Quarters valued at ... | 110 18 | | 128 |

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| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | | | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS— <i>continued.</i> | | | £ | £ | |
| 133-7 | F. G. De Boos ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Millie Quarters valued at | 150 25 | | |
| | | | | 175 | |
| 133-7 | R. Seton | Post and Telegraph Master, Milton Quarters valued at | 230 38 | | |
| | | | | 268 | |
| 133-7 | G. P. Webb | Post and Telegraph Master, Minmi Quarters valued at | 135 22 | | |
| | | | | 157 | |
| 133-7 | A. Prott | Post and Telegraph Master, Mitta- gong | 210 35 | | |
| | | | | 245 | |
| 133-7 | C. R. Hammond ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Moama Quarters valued at | 230 38 | | |
| | | | | 268 | |
| 133-7 | W. Dowling | Post and Telegraph Master, Mogil Mogil | 140 23 | | |
| | | | | 163 | |
| 133-7 | R. P. Martin | Post and Telegraph Master, Molong Quarters valued at | 210 35 | | |
| | | | | 245 | |
| 133-7 | H. O. West | Post and Telegraph Master, Moran- garell | 104 17 | | |
| | | | | 121 | |
| 133-7 | J. Munro | Post and Telegraph Master, Moree Quarters valued at | 190 31 | | |
| | | | | 221 | |
| 133-7 | C. F. Wakely | Post and Telegraph Master, Morpeth Quarters valued at | 230 38 | | |
| | | | | 268 | |
| 133-7 | R. L. Studdert ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Moruya Quarters valued at | 210 35 | | |
| | | | | 245 | |
| 133-7 | A. Bellamy | Post and Telegraph Master, Mossgiel Quarters valued at | 170 28 | | |
| | | | | 198 | |
| 133-7 | J. A. Parke | Post and Telegraph Master, Moss Vale | 190 25 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | | 215 | |
| 133-7 | J. T. Lambert | Post and Telegraph Master, Moul- amein | 220 45/12/6 | | |
| | | Forage allowance | | 36 | |
| | | Quarters valued at | | 301/12/6 | |
| 133-7 | G. A. Gunning | Post and Telegraph Master, Mt. M'Donald | 190 31 | | |
| | | Quarters valued at | | 221 | |
| 133-7 | C. W. Prott | Post and Telegraph Master, Mt. Victoria | 240 40 | | |
| | | Quarters valued at | | 280 | |
| 133 | W. O'Neill | Postmaster, Mudgee | 360 60 | | |
| | | Quarters valued at | | 420 | |
| 133-7 | C. O. Smith | Post and Telegraph Master, Mulwala Quarters valued at | 170 28 | | |
| | | | | 198 | |
| 133-7 | W. J. Allen | Post and Telegraph Master, Mundoo- ran | 120 20 | | |
| | | Quarters valued at | | 140 | |

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| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | | | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| 133-7 | R. J. Barr | Post and Telegraph Master, Mungindi Quarters valued at | 160 26 | | |
| 133-7 | E. Quince | Post and Telegraph Master, Mount Hope Quarters valued at | 110 18 | | 186 |
| 133-7 | F. J. South | Post and Telegraph Master, Murrumburrah Quarters valued at | 180 30 | | 210 |
| 133 | W. R. Bowen | Postmaster, Murrurundi Quarters valued at | 220 36 | | 256 |
| 133-7 | W. J. Grime | Post and Telegraph Master, Murwillimbah Quarters valued at | 240 40 | | 280 |
| 133 | A. Taylor | Postmaster, Muswellbrook Quarters valued at | 220 36 | | 256 |
| 133-7 | R. E. Done | Post and Telegraph Master, Nambucca Quarters valued at | 170 28 | | 198 |
| 133-7 | F. W. Browne | Post and Telegraph Master, Narrabri Quarters valued at | 260 43 | | 303 |
| 133-7 | J. Smith | Post and Telegraph Master, Narrandera Quarters valued at | 260 43 | | 303 |
| 133-7 | W. J. Lawless | Post and Telegraph Master, Nelligen Quarters valued at | 190 31 | | 221 |
| 133 | J. T. H. Thame | Postmaster, Nevertire Allowance in lieu of rent | 100 30 | | 130 |
| 133 | ..... | Postmaster, Newcastle Quarters valued at | 400 66 | | 466 |
| 133-7 | G. W. Myers | Post and Telegraph Master, Nimitybelle Quarters valued at | 160 26 | | 186 |
| 133-7 | W. M. Jackson | Post and Telegraph Master, Nelson's Bay Allowance on account of high cost of living | 100 50 | | 150 |
| 133-7 | J. A. Keating | Post and Telegraph Master, Nundle Quarters valued at | 120 20 | | 140 |
| 133-7 | G. S. Roberts | Post and Telegraph Master, Nowra Quarters valued at | 190 31 | | 221 |
| 133-7 | H. J. Burton... .. | Post and Telegraph Master, Nyngagee Quarters valued at | 220 36 | | 256 |
| 133-7 | R. S. P. Clay | Post and Telegraph Master, Nyngan Allowance in lieu of quarters | 310 52 | | 362 |
| 133-7 | J. Metcalfe | Post and Telegraph Master, Oberon Quarters valued at | 170 28 | | 198 |

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|--|---------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | | | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS—continued. | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 133-7 | W. T. Long ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Obley... Quarters valued at | 100 16 | | |
| 133-7 | C. Cooper ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Orange Quarters valued at | 370 61 | 116 | |
| 133-7 | R. M. Stapylton ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Palmer's Island Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 180 30 | 431 | |
| 133-7 | E. J. Cornell ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Pambula Quarters valued at | 170 28 | 210 | |
| 133-7 | W. A. Lorking ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Parkes.. Quarters valued at | 240 40 | 198 | |
| 133-7 | E. Doust ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Paterson Quarters valued at | 150 25 | 280 | |
| 133-7 | C. H. Kellett ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Penrith Quarters valued at | 240 40 | 175 | |
| 133-7 | F. E. Burgess ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Picton ... Quarters valued at | 190 31 | 280 | |
| 133-7 | E. V. Blackwell ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Pilliga.. Quarters valued at | 170 28 | 221 | |
| 133-7 | T. Barclay ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Poon- carie Forage allowance Quarters valued at | 160 73 26 | 198 | |
| 133-7 | E. T. Mulligan ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Port Maequarie Quarters valued at | 260 43 | 259 | |
| 133-7 | F. Lassen ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Pymont Quarters valued at | 210 35 | 303 | |
| 133-7 | M. E. Burke... | Post and Telegraph Master, Quean- beyan Quarters valued at | 300 50 | 245 | |
| 133-7 | T. Dickson ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Quirindi Quarters valued at | 240 40 | 350 | |
| 133-7 | Angelina Dargin ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Rand- wick Quarters valued at | 160 26 | 280 | |
| 133-7 | J. J. B. Wakely ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Ray- mond Terracc Quarters valued at | 240 40 | 186 | |
| 133-7 | G. A. Reid ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Rich- mond Quarters valued at | 270 45 | 250 | |
| 133-7 | L. J. Coghlan ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Robertson Quarters valued at | 150 25 | 315 | |
| 133-7 | J. A. Kelly ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Rockley Quarters valued at | 190 81 | 175 | |
| | | | | 221 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|------------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS—continued. | | | | | |
| 133-7 | J. B. Bissett... | Post and Telegraph Master, Rookwood ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 130 25 | | |
| | | | | 155 | |
| 133-7 | S. R. Millard ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Rylstone Quarters valued at ... | 170 28 | | |
| | | | | 198 | |
| 133-7 | E. J. Robbins ... | Post and Telegraph Master, St. Mary's ... Quarters valued at ... | 100 16 | | |
| | | | | 116 | |
| 133-7 | M. Russell ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, St. Peter's ... Quarters valued at ... | 150 25 | | |
| | | | | 175 | |
| 133 | Lilly A. Isaac ... | Postmistress, Scone... Quarters valued at ... | 100 16 | | |
| | | | | 116 | |
| 133-7 | F. B. Kenane ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Silvertown Quarters valued at ... | 240 40 | | |
| | | | | 280 | |
| 133-7 | J. Kelf ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Singleton Quarters valued at ... | 310 51 | | |
| | | | | 361 | |
| 133-7 | J. P. Hayes ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Sofala Quarters valued at ... | 180 30 | | |
| | | | | 210 | |
| 133-7 | S. H. Phillips ... | Post and Telegraph Master, South Grafton ... Quarters valued at ... | 170 28 | | |
| | | | | 198 | |
| 133-7 | C. R. Bousfield ... | Post and Telegraph Master, South Woodburn ... Quarters valued at ... | 170 28 | | |
| | | | | 198 | |
| 133-7 | L. A. Tomkinson ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Sunny Corner ... Quarters valued at ... | 160 26 | | |
| | | | | 186 | |
| 133-7 | E. E. Gibbes... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Stanmore Road ... Quarters valued at ... | 160 26 | | |
| | | | | 186 | |
| 133-7 | J. D. Beckett ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Stockton Quarters valued at ... | 130 21 | | |
| | | | | 151 | |
| 133-7 | L. M. J. Butler ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Stroud Quarters valued at ... | 210 35 | | |
| | | | | 245 | |
| 133-7 | A. Ludford ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Summer Hill ... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 100 20 | | |
| | | | | 120 | |
| 133-7 | Ellen J. O. Stuckey... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Surry Hills ... Quarters valued at ... | 170 28 | | |
| | | | | 198 | |
| 133-7 | F. Waller ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Sutton Forest ... Quarters valued at ... | 150 25 | | |
| | | | | 175 | |
| 133-7 | T. E. Avery ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Tabulam Quarters valued at ... | 160 26 | | |
| | | | | 186 | |
| 133-7 | W. J. Chandler ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Tamworth Quarters valued at ... | 360 60 | | |
| | | | | 420 | |

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|--|---------------------|---|--|----------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | | | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS—continued. | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 133-7 | C. E. Stoyles... | Post and Telegraph Master, Tarago Quarters valued at | 160 26 | | |
| 133-7 | R. A. Thomson ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Taralga Quarters valued at | 170 28 | | 186 |
| 133-7 | A. L. Henderson ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Tarcutta Quarters valued at | 100 16 | | 198 |
| 133-7 | F. J. Fowler ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Tarce... Quarters valued at | 240 40 | | 116 |
| 133-7 | W. Allan ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Tareena Forage allowance Allowance for water | 170 45/12/6 31/4 | | 280 |
| 133-7 | J. M. Foley ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Temora Quarters valued at | 210 35 | 246/16/6 | |
| 133-7 | P. S. Eldershaw ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Tenter- field Quarters valued at | 300 50 | | 245 |
| 133-7 | B. Cox ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Terara Quarters valued at | 200 33 | | 350 |
| 133-7 | J. B. Guillier ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Tilpa... Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 150 26 | | 233 |
| 133-7 | K. Mitchell ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Tingha Quarters valued at | 220 36 | | 176 |
| 133-7 | J. Ward ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Tinonee Quarters valued at | 170 28 | | 256 |
| 133-7 | P. A. Dunne... | Post and Telegraph Master, Tocum- wal Quarters valued at | 220 36 | | 198 |
| 133-7 | J. M. Drum ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Trangie Quarters valued at | 100 16 | | 256 |
| 133-7 | W. T. Lee ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Trunkey Creek Quarters valued at | 220 36 | | 116 |
| 133-7 | T. F. Bell ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Tuena.. Quarters valued at | 160 26 | | 256 |
| 133-7 | Hannah M. Langford | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Tum- berumba Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 170 52 | | 186 |
| 133-7 | D. Graham ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Tumut.. Quarters valued at | 280 46 | | 222 |
| 133-7 | D. A. Raynor ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Tweed Heads Quarters valued at | 100 16 | | 326 |
| 133-7 | A. J. Flanders ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Ulmarra Quarters valued at | 160 26 | | 116 |
| 133-7 | G. D. Woodall ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Uralla.. Quarters valued at | 240 40 | | 186 |
| | | | | | 280 |

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|---|---------------------|--|--|----------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | | | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS— <i>continued.</i> | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 133-7 | H. H. P. Lublin ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Urana Forage allowance Quarters valued at | 240 45/12/6 40 | 325/12/6 | |
| 133 | T. W. H. Dec ... | Postmaster, Wagga Wagga Quarters valued at | 370 61 | 431 | |
| 133-7 | D. R. Thursby ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Walcha Quarters valued at | 210 35 | 245 | |
| 133-7 | W. Mead ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Wallerawang Quarters valued at | 200 33 | 233 | |
| 133-7 | G. S. Hay ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Walgett Quarters valued at | 310 51 | 361 | |
| 133-7 | W. Keohan ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Wallsend Quarters valued at | 260 43 | 303 | |
| 133-7 | B. J. Martin... | Post and Telegraph Master, Wanaaring Allowance in lieu of quarters | 230 39 | 269 | |
| 133-7 | W. Harris ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Waratah Quarters valued at | 150 25 | 175 | |
| 133-7 | George Carolan ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Wardell Quarters valued at | 150 25 | 175 | |
| 133-7 | W. O. Newbery ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Warialda Quarters valued at | 220 36 | 256 | |
| 133-7 | G. W. Self ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Warren Quarters valued at | 240 40 | 280 | |
| 133-7 | C. Palmer ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Waterloo Quarters valued at | 104 17 | 121 | |
| 133-7 | L. Ferris ... | Post and Telegraph Mistress, Waverley Quarters valued at | 200 33 | 233 | |
| 133-7 | J. T. Molloy ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Weewah Quarters valued at | 150 25 | 175 | |
| 133-7 | A. Chrystal ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Wellington Quarters valued at | 300 50 | 350 | |
| 133-7 | W. Camper ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Wentworth Quarters valued at | 370 61 | 431 | |
| 133-7 | J. Williams ... | Post and Telegraph Master, West Kempsey Quarters valued at | 230 38 | 268 | |
| 133 | W. C. Johnson ... | Postmaster, West Maitland Quarters valued at | 400 66 | 466 | |
| 133-7 | H. G. Dent ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Whitton Allowance in lieu of quarters | 100 50 | 150 | |

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|--|--------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| SUBURBAN AND OFFICIAL POST AND TELEGRAPH MASTERS—continued. | | | | | |
| 133-7 | J. Ramsay ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Wickham ... Quarters valued at ... | 170 28 | | 198 |
| 133-7 | J. R. Holding ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Wilcannia ... Allowance as Line-repairer... Quarters valued at ... | 300 45/12/6 50 | | 395/12/6 |
| 133-7 | J. A. Dick ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Windsor Quarters valued at ... | 330 55 | | 385 |
| 133-7 | J. W. Hodgins ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Wingham ... Quarters valued at ... | 190 31 | | 221 |
| 133-7 | J. T. Marx ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Wiseman's Ferry ... Forage allowance ... Quarters valued at ... | 210 45/12/6 35 | | 290/12/6 |
| 133-7 | J. C. J. Smith ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Wollombi ... Forage allowance ... Quarters valued at ... | 220 45/12/6 36 | | 301/12/6 |
| 133-7 | P. Mackel ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Wollongong ... Quarters valued at ... | 340 56 | | 396 |
| 133-7 | W. R. Bragg... | Post and Telegraph Master, Wolumla Quarters valued at ... | 120 20 | | 140 |
| 133-7 | E. Dean ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Woodburn ... Quarters valued at ... Forage allowance ... | 170 28 45/12/6 | | 243/12/6 |
| 133-7 | M. S. Dargin ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Woollahra... Quarters valued at ... | 170 28 | | 198 |
| 133-7 | E. H. A. Pegus ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Yamba Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 150 26 | | 176 |
| 133-7 | T. W. C. Young ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Yetman Forage Allowance ... Quarters valued at ... | 190 45/12/6 31 | | 266/12/6 |
| 133-7 | J. R. Colls ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Yass ... Quarters valued at ... | 300 50 | | 350 |
| 133-7 | W. M'Nab ... | Post and Telegraph Master, Young Quarters valued at ... | 310 51 | | 361 |
| MONEY ORDER AND GOVERNMENT SAVINGS' BANK. | | | | | |
| 134 22 | W. Burnet ... | Examiner ... Major 2nd Reg. Volunteer Infantry | 490 50 | | 540 |

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|--|------------------|--|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | | | |
| DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRIC TELEGRAPHS. | | | £ | £ | |
| CHIEF OFFICE. | | | | | |
| 135 21 | E. C. Cracknell | Superintendent of Telegraphs Lieut.-Colonel Commanding Torpedo Corps | 960 70 | | 30s. per diem when travelling. |
| 135 21 | P. B. Walker | Assistant Superintendent of Telegraphs Major, Torpedo Corps | 650 70 | 1,030 | |
| 135 21 | W. Wilson | Station Manager, Chief Office Allowance in lieu of quarters Captain, Torpedo Corps | 440 50 70 | 720 | |
| 138 21 | T. Hammand | Manager, Telephone Branch Lieutenant, Torpedo Corps | 390 50 | 560 | |
| 138 21 | H. Bloore | Assistant Overseer, Telephone Branch Private, Torpedo Corps | 170 14 | 440 | |
| 135 21 | W. A. Leggatt | Clerk 1st Lieutenant, 1st Regiment, Volunteer Infantry | 240 30 | 184 | |
| 135 21 | R. Campbell | Clerk, Store 2nd Corporal, Torpedo Corps | 200 | 270 | |
| 135 21 | J. Y. Nelson | Continental Clerk Lieutenant, Torpedo Corps | 320 50 | 200 | |
| 136 21 | A. A. Dircks | Operator Sergeant, Torpedo Corps | 260 25 | 370 | |
| 136 21 | F. H. Bussell | Operator 2nd Corporal, Torpedo Corps | 240 13 | 285 | |
| 136 21 | R. C. Wills | Operator Sergeant, Torpedo Corps | 250 20 | 253 | |
| 136 21 | J. Cormick | Operator Sergeant, Torpedo Corps | 175 25 | 270 | |
| 135 | N. J. Scouller | Booking Clerk | 190 | 200 | |
| 135 21 | W. C. Cooper | Booking Clerk Private, Torpedo Corps | 190 12 | 190 | |
| 136 21 | S. J. Porter | Operator Private, Torpedo Corps | 124 12 | 202 | |
| 135 21 | J. King | Despatch Clerk Colour-Sergeant, Torpedo Corps | 220 25 | 136 | |
| 136 21 | H. A. Benjamin | Operator Private, Torpedo Corps | 100 12 | 245 | |
| 136 21 | A. Strachan | Operator Private, Torpedo Corps | 78 14 | 112 | |
| 135 21 | W. Asprey | Clerk Bugler, Torpedo Corps | 100 14 | 92 | |
| 135 62 | S. J. Watson | Inspector of Lines and Stations Inspector, Railway Lines | 290* 200† | 114 | |
| 135 62 | M. W. Maloney | Inspector of Lines and Stations Inspector, Railway Lines | 290* 100† | 490 | |
| | | | | 390 | |

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* Paid by Telegraph Department. † Paid by Railway Department.

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|--|-----------------------|------------------------------------|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X.—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRIC TELEGRAPHS— <i>contd.</i> | | | | | |
| 135 | W. J. Parsons ... | Telegraph-master, Albury ... | 270 | | |
| | | Quarters valued at ... | 45 | | |
| | | Allowance ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 365 |
| 136 | B. Thomas ... | Telegraph-master, Arakoon... | 75 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 10 | | |
| | | | | | 85 |
| 135 | T. H. Ryan ... | Telegraph-master, Armidale | 270 | | |
| | | Quarters valued at ... | 45 | | |
| | | | | | 315 |
| 136 | Henry George Kulmar | Operator, Balmain ... | 114 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 25 | | |
| | | | | | 139 |
| 136 | F. J. Heagney ... | Operator, Balmain ... | 37/10 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 37/10 | | |
| | | | | | 75 |
| 136 | Edward J.K. Heazlett | Operator, Balranald ... | 75 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 125 |
| 136 | E. G. M'Colough ... | Telegraph Messenger, Balranald ... | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 25 | | |
| | | | | | 77 |
| 136 | J. Marshall ... | Telegraph-master, Barmedman ... | 44/10 | | |
| | | Postmaster ... | 44/10 | | |
| | | | | | 89 |
| 135 | K. A. H. Mackenzie... | Telegraph-master, Bathurst | 310 | | |
| | | Quarters valued at ... | 51 | | |
| | | | | | 361 |
| 136 | C. P. Gibb ... | Operator, Bega ... | 75 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 25 | | |
| | | | | | 100 |
| 136 | J. M. Lee ... | Operator, Bega ... | 75 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 75 | | |
| | | | | | 150 |
| 136 | W. W. Prescott ... | Assistant Operator ... | 75 | | |
| 132 | | Letter-carrier ... | 25 | | |
| | | | | | 100 |
| 136 | J. F. Murray ... | Telegraph-master, Blackwall ... | 75 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 20 | | |
| | | | | | 95 |
| 136 | E. Cooper ... | Operator, Blayney ... | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 100 | | |
| | | | | | 152 |
| 136 | C. Byrnes ... | Operatrix, Bowraville ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postmistress... .. | 48 | | |
| | | | | | 74 |
| 136 | J. R. Redstone ... | Telegraph-master, Boat Harbour ... | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 26 | | |
| | | Quarters ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 104 |
| 136 | W. R. Guest ... | Operator, Boggabri... .. | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 76 |
| 136 | T. H. Ella ... | Operator, Bombala ... | 140 | | |
| | | Postal Assistant ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 190 |
| 136 | J. H. Hear ... | Operator, Booligal ... | 75 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 25 | | |
| | | | | | 100 |
| 136 | J. A. Stewart ... | Line-repairer, Bourke ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | | 195/12/6 |
| 136 | S. T. Pountney ... | Telegraph-operator, Braidwood ... | 124 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 150 |
| 133 | G. Sharpe ... | Postal Assistant, Braidwood ... | 26 | | |
| 136 | | Operator ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 52 |

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|--|---------------------|-----------------------------------|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRIC TELEGRAPHS— <i>contd.</i> | | | | | |
| 136 | J. D. Caldwell | Operator, Brewarrina | 130 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant | 52 | | |
| | | | | | 182 |
| 136 | C. Chandler | Line-repairer, Brewarrina | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | | 195/12/6 |
| 136 | A. Tindall | Operator, Broken Hill | 150 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters | 30 | | |
| | | | | | 180 |
| 136 | A. Hall | Operator, Broken Hill | 150 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters | 30 | | |
| | | | | | 180 |
| 136 | R. D. G. Macpherson | Operator, Broken Hill | 150 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters | 30 | | |
| | | | | | 180 |
| 136 | Geo. Millard | Operator, Broken Hill | 150 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters | 30 | | |
| | | | | | 180 |
| 136 | F. H. Morris | Operator, Broken Hill | 150 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters | 30 | | |
| | | | | | 180 |
| 136 | H. J. Spence | Operator, Broken Hill | 150 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters | 30 | | |
| | | | | | 180 |
| 136 | W. Powell | Operator, Broken Hill | 110 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters | 60 | | |
| | | | | | 170 |
| 136 | H. T. Green | Operator, Broken Hill | 150 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters | 30 | | |
| | | | | | 180 |
| 136 | P. E. Row | Operator, Broken Hill | 150 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters | 30 | | |
| | | | | | 180 |
| 136 | W. H. Pye | Operator, Broken Hill | 150 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters | 30 | | |
| | | | | | 180 |
| 136 | Jas. Norquay | Line-repairer, Broken Hill | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | | 195/12/6 |
| 136 | N. M. Green | Telegraph-mistress, Bungwall Flat | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postmistress | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 78 |
| 136 | T. Stokes | Operator, Camperdown | 75 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant | 20 | | |
| | | | | | 95 |
| 136 | J. Carroll | Line-repairer, Cooma | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance | 67/12/0 | | |
| | | | | | 217/12/0 |
| 136 | J. S. Donnan | Operator, Cootamundra | 110 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant | 40 | | |
| | | | | | 150 |
| 136 | T. Devane | Line-repairer, Cootamundra | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | | 195/12/6 |
| 136 | R. Finney | Operator, Cowra | 114 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant | 52 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters | 30 | | |
| | | | | | 196 |
| 136 | S. E. Beaver | Operator, Croydon | 75 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant | 20 | | |
| | | | | | 95 |
| 136 | John Bovard | Telegraph-master, Dapto | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster | 42 | | |
| | | | | | 68 |
| 135 | R. Buckley | Telegraph-master, Deniliquin | 310 | | |
| | | Quarters valued at | 51 | | |
| | | | | | 361 |

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| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | | | |
| DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRIC TELEGRAPHS— <i>contd.</i> | | | £ | £ | |
| 136 | W. McIlrick... | Line-repairer, Deniliquin ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | 195/12/6 | |
| 136 | J. D. Kibble... | Operator, Denman ... | 114 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 10 | | |
| | | | | 124 | |
| 136 | M. Prout ... | Line-repairer, Dubbo ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | 195/12/6 | |
| 136 | L. Nolan ... | Line-repairer, Dungog ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 176 | |
| 136 | A. B. Davidson ... | Line-repairer, Eden... .. | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | 195/12/6 | |
| 136 | W. S. Arnott ... | Operator, East Maitland ... | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 120 | | |
| | | | | 172 | |
| 136 | J. F. Bridekirk ... | Operator, Euston ... | 114 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 25 | | |
| | | | | 139 | |
| 136 | M. E. Husing ... | Operatrix, George-street, West ... | 114 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 25 | | |
| | | | | 139 | |
| 136 | Thos. Troy ... | Line-repairer, Glen Innes ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 73 | | |
| | | | | 223 | |
| 136 | J. Smith ... | Operator, Gosford ... | 75 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 95 | |
| 135 | C. A. Middleton ... | Telegraph-master, Goulburn. Quarters, valued at ... | 310 | | |
| | | | 51 | | |
| | | | | 361 | |
| 136 | S. Denton ... | Line-repairer, Grafton ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | 195/12/6 | |
| 136 | A. M. McLean ... | Operator, Greenwell Point... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 13 | | |
| | | Allowance in lieu of quarters ... | 6/10/0 | | |
| | | | | 45/10/0 | |
| 136 | M. A. Bush ... | Operator, Gresford ... | 46 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 58 | | |
| | | | | 104 | |
| 136 | P. E. McGuinness ... | Telegraph-master, Gulargambone ... | 50 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 100 | |
| 136 | P. J. Tierney ... | Line-repairer, Gundagai ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | 195/12/6 | |
| 136 | T. Pugh ... | Operator, Gunnedah ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 78 | | |
| | | | | 104 | |
| 136 | J. M. Coulter ... | Operator, Harrington ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 10 | | |
| | | | | 36 | |
| 136 | H. Cross ... | Line-repairer, Hay ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | 195/12/6 | |
| 136 | G. T. J. Graco ... | Operator, Hillston ... | 75 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 25 | | |
| | | | | 100 | |
| 136 | W. Stewart ... | Telegraph-master, Jamberoo ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 44 | | |
| | | | | 70 | |
| 136 | D. A. Briggs... | Operator, Kempsey ... | 110 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | 160 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|---|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|--|----------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRIC TELEGRAPHS—contd. | | | | | |
| 136 | T. Doolan ... | Line-repairer, Lismore ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | 195/12/6 | |
| 136 | G. H. Hocking ... | Operator, Liverpool ... | 85 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 25 | | 110 |
| 136 | H. W. Newman ... | Telegraph-master, Lucknow ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 54 | | 80 |
| 136 | F. A. Bondfield ... | Operator, Maclean ... | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 58 | | 110 |
| 136 | M. J. Kenny ... | Operator, Manly ... | 114 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 25 | | 139 |
| 136 | E. G. Stewart ... | Operator, Menindie ... | 124 | | |
| | | Allowance for Quarters ... | 30 | | 154 |
| 136 | W. A. Read ... | Operator, Merriwa ... | 114 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 25 | | 139 |
| 136 | F. Ahrens ... | Operator, Milton ... | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 52 | | 104 |
| 136 | W. Morris .. | Operator, Moree ... | 100 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 52 | | 152 |
| 136 | H. M. Stapylton ... | Operator, Moruya ... | 110 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 62 | | 172 |
| 135 | H. Curry ... | Telegraph-master, Mudgee ... | 270 | | |
| | | Quarters valued at ... | 45 | | 315 |
| 135 | F. O. Byrnes ... | Telegraph-master, Murrurundi ... | 220 | | |
| | | Quarters valued at ... | 36 | | 256 |
| 136 | J. R. Mallam ... | Operator, Murwillumbah ... | 100 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 40 | | 140 |
| 136 | J. M'Carthy ... | Line-repairer, Muswellbrook ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage ... | 45/12/6 | | 195/12/6 |
| 136 | W. J. Whaites ... | Telegraph-master, Nambucca Heads ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 10 | | 36 |
| 136 | W. H. Leck ... | Operator, Narrabri ... | 124 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 26 | | 150 |
| 136 | E. M'Carthy ... | Line-repairer, Narrabri ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | 195/12/6 |
| 136 | T. E. Gregory ... | Operator Narrandera ... | 75 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 25 | | 100 |
| 135 | T. G. Croft ... | Telegraph-master, Newcastle ... | 310 | | |
| | | Quarters valued at ... | 51 | | 361 |
| 135 | C. H. Hatch ... | Telegraph-master, Newton-Boyd ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | 195/12/6 |
| 136 | A. Morris ... | Operator, Newtown ... | 110 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 40 | | 150 |
| 136 | J. P. M. Forsythe ... | Operator, Nowra ... | 37/10/0 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 37/10/0 | | 75 |
| 136 | A. Stuart ... | Line repairer, Orange ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | 195/12/6 |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|----------------------|------------------------------------|--|----------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X.—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | | | |
| DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRIC TELEGRAPHS— <i>contd.</i> | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 136 | J. Buckley ... | Operator, Parkes ... | 114 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 42 | | |
| | | | | 156 | |
| 136 | F. A. Gosbell ... | Operator, Petersham ... | 124 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 144 | |
| 136 | Patrick Glynn ... | Operator, Picton ... | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 78 | |
| 136 | A. J. Thorpe... .. | Operator, Port Macquarie ... | 124 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 20 | | |
| | | | | 144 | |
| 136 | L. H. Kelly ... | Operator, Queanbeyan ... | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 78 | | |
| | | | | 130 | |
| 136 | J. D. Allen ... | Telegraph-master, Shellharbour ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 40 | | |
| | | | | 66 | |
| 136 | E. Guillier ... | Operator, Silverton ... | 125 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters ... | 30 | | |
| | | | | 155 | |
| 136 | S. J. Phillips... .. | Operator, Silverton ... | 110 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters ... | 30 | | |
| | | | | 140 | |
| 136 | D. M. O'Sullivan ... | Operator, Silverton ... | 110 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters ... | 30 | | |
| | | | | 140 | |
| 136 | J. M'Kay ... | Operator, Silverton ... | 110 | | |
| | | Allowance for quarters ... | 30 | | |
| | | | | 140 | |
| 136 | H. R. Campbell ... | Operator, Strathfield ... | 42/10/0 | | |
| | | Postmaster ... | 42/10/0 | | |
| | | | | 85 | |
| 136 | F. L. Jackson ... | Operator, Surry Hills ... | 75 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 101 | |
| 136 | G. Hutchison ... | Operator, Tamworth ... | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 52 | | |
| | | | | 104 | |
| 136 | L. Rae ... | Line-repairer, Tamworth ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | 195/12/6 | |
| 136 | W. J. Cain ... | Telegraph Messenger, Taralga ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 30 | | |
| | | | | 56 | |
| 136 | W. G. Mason ... | Line-repairer, Tarec ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | 195/12/6 | |
| 136 | G. V. Dobbie ... | Telegraph Messenger, Tarec ... | 50 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 51 | | |
| | | Porterage ... | 15 | | |
| | | | | 116 | |
| 136 | J. Van Hemmert ... | Telegraph-master, Tathra ... | 75 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 10 | | |
| | | | | 85 | |
| 136 | H. J. Phillips ... | Operator, Temora ... | 75 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 101 | |
| 136 | T. Hanna ... | Line-repairer, Tenterfield ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | 195/12/6 | |
| 136 | W. Goddard... .. | Operator, Trangie ... | 45 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 45 | | |
| | | | | 90 | |
| 136 | J. D. English ... | Operator, Tumberumba ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 75 | | |
| | | | | 101 | |
| 136 | L. Tobin ... | Operatrix, Tumbulgum ... | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postmistress ... | 40 | | |
| | | | | 92 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|---|---------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. X—Postmaster-General—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRIC TELEGRAPHS—contd. | | | | | |
| 136 | G. Fraser ... | Operator, Tumut ... | 114 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 25 | | |
| | | | | | 139 |
| 136 | Lucy E. Gambell ... | Operatrix, Ulladulla ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postmistress ... | 23 | | |
| | | | | | 49 |
| 136 | M. F. Madigan ... | Telegraph Operator, Uralla ... | 100 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 10 | | |
| | | | | | 110 |
| 136 | A. Barwick ... | Telegraph Messenger, Urana ... | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 78 |
| 135 | H. B. Jefferson ... | Telegraph-master, Wagga Wagga ... | 260 | | |
| | | Quarters, valued at ... | 43 | | |
| | | | | | 303 |
| 136 | T. W. Druitt ... | Line-repairer, Wagga Wagga ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | | 195/12/6 |
| 136 | K. Robertson ... | Messenger, Walcha ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 50 | | |
| | | | | | 76 |
| 136 | W. J. S. Montgomery | Operator, Walgett ... | 114 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 140 |
| 136 | R. Curry ... | Operator, Wallsend ... | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 78 |
| 136 | G. Williams ... | Line-repairer, Warialda ... | 130 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 40 | | |
| | | | | | 170 |
| 136 | J. Hiley | Operatrix, Waverley ... | 61 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 37/10 | | |
| | | | | | 98/10 |
| 136 | C. Kennard ... | Operator, Wellington ... | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 100 | | |
| | | | | | 152 |
| 136 | W. Allan ... | Line-repairer, Wentworth ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | | 195/12/6 |
| 136 | G. Carroll ... | Line-repairer, West Kempsey ... | 150 | | |
| | | Forage allowance ... | 45/12/6 | | |
| | | | | | 195/12/6 |
| 135 | Percy Clay ... | Telegraph-master, West Maitland ... | 310 | | |
| | | Quarters, valued at ... | 51 | | |
| | | | | | 361 |
| 136 | J. J. Molloy ... | Operator, Wilcannia ... | 200 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 226 |
| 136 | W. F. Davidson ... | Operator, Wilcannia ... | 150 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 176 |
| 136 | W. Alexander ... | Operator, Windsor ... | 124 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 12 | | |
| | | | | | 136 |
| 136 | T. W. Nicholls ... | Operator, Wollombi ... | 26 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 28 | | |
| | | | | | 54 |
| 136 | W. Simmons ... | Operator, Wollongong ... | 114 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | | 140 |
| 136 | D. Howell ... | Operator, Wyrallah ... | 45 | | |
| 133 | | Postmaster ... | 45 | | |
| | | | | | 90 |
| 136 | I. B. Lewis ... | Operator, Yass ... | 130 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 30 | | |
| | | | | | 160 |
| 136 | A. W. Jamieson ... | Telegraph-mistress, Yarrahapinni ... | 52 | | |
| 133 | | Postal Assistant ... | 10 | | |
| | | | | | 62 |

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XI.

Secretary for Mines.

| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|-------------------------|-------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| DEPARTMENT OF MINES. | | | £ | £ | |
| 142 | W. H. J. Slee | Inspector of Mines and Superintendent of Drills | 490 | 490 | Allowed 25s. per diem when travelling on duty. |
| 142 94 | H. T. Wilkinson | Clerk and Draftsman Visiting Magistrate, Lord Howe's Island | 265 100 | 365 | Allowed 15s. per diem when travelling on special duty. |
| 142 143 | C. S. Wilkinson | Geological Surveyor in Charge Equipment allowance | 850 230 | 1,080 | |
| 142 143 | E. F. Pittman | Chief Mining Surveyor Equipment allowance | 650 230 | 880 | |
| 142 143 | T. W. E. David | Geological Surveyor Equipment allowance | 550 230 | 780 | Allowed 12s. per diem when travelling on special duty. |
| 142 143 | W. Anderson | Geological Surveyor Equipment allowance | 300 230 | 530 | Do do |
| 143 | John Mackenzie | Examiner of Coal Fields | 650 | 650 | Allowed 30s. per diem when travelling on duty. |
| 145 | Harry Gilliat | Chief Inspector of Public Watering Places Allowance for Chainman | 440 52 | 492 | Do do |
| 145 | J. W. Boulbee | Inspector of Public Watering Places Travelling allowance | 250 200 | 450 | |
| 145 | John Low | Inspector of Public Watering Places Travelling allowance | 250 200 | 450 | |
| 145 | T. Le Poer Trench | Inspector of Public Watering Places Travelling allowance | 250 200 | 450 | |
| 145 | T. W. Barnes | Inspector of Public Watering Places Travelling allowance | 250 200 | 450 | |
| 145 | G. B. Campbell | Inspector of Public Watering Places Travelling allowance | 250 200 | 450 | |
| 145 | P. J. Makinson | Inspector of Public Watering Places Travelling allowance | 250 200 | 450 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer, | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|--|----------------------|---|--|----------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. XI—Secretary for Mines—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| PREVENTION OF SCAB IN SHEEP. | | | | | |
| 144 | Alexander Bruce* ... | Chief Inspector of Stock ... Registrar of Brands ... | 650 Nil. | 650 | Forage Allowance to Inspectors discontinued from 1st Nov., 1887. |
| 144 | G. E. Mackay ... | Inspector of Stock, Albury ... Deputy Registrar of Brands ... Allowance for Office Rent ... Stationery Allowance ... | 360 25 15 5 | 405 | |
| 144 | C. J. Vyner ... | Acting Inspector, Armidale ... Deputy Registrar of Brands ... Allowance for Rent... ... Stationery Allowance ... | 260 25 13 5 | 303 | |
| 144 | John M'Leod ... | Inspector, Balranald ... Deputy Registrar of Brands ... Allowance for Rent... ... Stationery Allowance ... | 360 25 10 5 | 400 | |
| 144 | G. S. Smith ... | Inspector, Bathurst... ... Deputy Registrar of Brands ... Allowance for Rent... ... Stationery Allowance ... | 260 25 15 5 | 305 | |
| 144 | R. W. Dawson ... | Inspector, Bombala... ... Deputy Registrar of Brands ... Allowance for Rent... ... Stationery Allowance ... | 260 25 13 5 | 303 | |
| 144 | James Mallon ... | Inspector, Bourke ... Deputy Registrar of Brands ... Allowance for Rent... ... Stationery Allowance ... | 260 25 15 5 | 305 | |
| 144 | H. L. Mater ... | Inspector, Braidwood ... Deputy Registrar of Brands ... Allowance for Rent... ... Stationery Allowance ... | 260 25 7/10/- 5 | 297/10/- | |
| 144 | P. L. Smith ... | Inspector, Carcoar ... Deputy Registrar of Brands ... Stationery Allowance ... | 260 25 5 | 290 | |
| 144 | James Cotton ... | Inspector, Cobar ... Allowance for Rent... ... | 310 12/10/- | 322/10/- | |
| 144 | R. D. Jones ... | Inspector, Condobolin ... Allowance for Rent... ... | 360 10 | 370 | |
| 144 | Chas. Hudson ... | Inspector, Cooma ... Deputy Registrar of Brands ... Allowance for Rent... ... Stationery Allowance ... | 260 25 13 5 | 303 | |
| 144 | John A. Gamack ... | Inspector, Coonabarabran ... Deputy Registrar of Brands ... Allowance for Rent... ... Stationery Allowance ... | 260 25 15 5 | 305 | |
| 144 | T. W. Medley ... | Inspector, Coonamble ... Deputy Registrar of Brands ... Allowance for Rent... ... Stationery Allowance ... | 260 25 15 5 | 305 | |

* Besides the appointments here mentioned the Chief Inspector of Stock has the supervision of Commons and of the Pastures and Stock Protection Acts,

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
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| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. XI—Secretary for Mines—continued. | | | £ | £ | |
| PREVENTION OF SCAB IN SHEEP— <i>continued.</i> | | | | | |
| 144 | Robert Lowes ... | Inspector, Corowa ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Stationery allowance ... | 360 25 5 | | |
| | | | | 390 | |
| 144 | Alex. M'Cullough ... | Inspector, Deniliquin ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... Stationery allowance ... | 360 25 18 5 | | |
| | | | | 403 | |
| 144 | R. G. Dulhunty ... | Inspector, Dubbo ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... Stationery allowance ... | 260 25 15 5 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 144 | W. G. Dowling ... | Inspector, Forbes ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Stationery allowance ... | 260 25 5 | | |
| | | | | 290 | |
| 144 | M. J. St. Clair ... | Inspector, Glen Innes ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Stationery allowance ... Allowance for Rent... .. | 260 25 5 15 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 144 | Thomas Bawden ... | Inspector, Grafton ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... .. Stationery allowance ... | 100 25 15 2/10 | | |
| | | | | 142/10 | |
| 144 | J. L. Henderson ... | Inspector, Goulburn ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Stationery allowance ... | 260 25 5 | | |
| | | | | 290 | |
| 144 | D. L. M'Kenzie ... | Inspector, Gundagai ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Stationery allowance ... | 260 25 5 | | |
| | | | | 290 | |
| 144 | John A. Keighran ... | Inspector, Hay ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Stationery allowance ... Allowance for Rent... .. | 360 25 5 17/6/8 | | |
| | | | | 407/6/8 | |
| 144 | Gordon Bruce ... | Inspector, Hume ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... .. Stationery allowance ... | 360 25 15 5 | | |
| | | | | 405 | |
| 144 | James Yeo ... | Inspector, Pictou ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... .. Stationery allowance ... | 250 25 15 5 | | |
| | | | | 295 | |
| 144 | Samuel Durham ... | Inspector, Maitland ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... .. Stationery allowance ... | 260 25 12/10 5 | | |
| | | | | 302/10 | |
| 144 | J. C. W. Crommelin... | Acting Inspector, Menindie ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Stationery allowance ... Allowance for Rent... .. | 360 25 5 15 | | |
| | | | | 405 | |
| 144 | John Roper ... | Inspector, Merriwa ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... .. Stationery allowance ... | 260 25 15 5 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 144 | Thos. Watson ... | Acting Inspector, Moama ... Stationery allowance ... | 160 2/10 | | |
| | | | | 162/ 0 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
|---|----------------------|---|--|--------|--|
| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. XI—Secretary for Mines—continued. | | | | | |
| PREVENTION OF SCAB IN SHEEP—continued. | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 144 | E. W. Proctor ... | Inspector Ivanhoe ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... Stationery allowance ... | 260 25 15 5 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 144 | E. G. Finch ... | Inspector, Molong ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... Stationery allowance ... | 260 25 10 5 | | |
| | | | | 300 | |
| 144 | J. W. Brodie ... | Inspector, Murrurundi ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Stationery allowance ... | 160 25 5 | | |
| | | | | 190 | |
| 144 | Henry Single ... | Inspector, Mudgee ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... Stationery allowance ... | 260 25 15 5 | | |
| 110 | | Forage allowance from Rabbit Nuisance Act ... | 26 | | |
| | | | | 331 | |
| 144 | A. W. P. Copeman ... | Inspector, Narrabri... Deputy Registrar of Brands Stationery allowance ... | 260 25 5 | | |
| | | | | 290 | |
| 144 | W. J. Elworthy ... | Inspector, Narrandera ... Allowance for Rent... .. | 310 15 | | |
| | | | | 325 | |
| 144 | John Ducat ... | Inspector, Port Macquarie... Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... .. | 160 25 15 | | |
| 143 | | Warden's Clerk Stationery allowance | 10 2/10 | | |
| | | | | 212/10 | |
| 144 | Edward Alford ... | Inspector, Singleton ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Stationery allowance | 260 25 5 | | |
| | | | | 290 | |
| 144 | Edward Stanley ... | Inspector, Sydney... .. Deputy Registrar of Brands Keeping Quarantine Yards Government Veterinarian ... Stationery allowance | 260 25 50 200 5 | | and Quarters. |
| | | | | 540 | |
| 144 | W. D. Dowe... .. | Inspector, Tamworth ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... .. Stationery allowance | 260 25 15 5 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 144 | P. R. Brett | Inspector, Urana Allowance for Rent... .. | 310 13 | | |
| | | | | 323 | |
| 144 | Chas. Lync | Inspector, Wagga Wagga ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... .. Stationery allowance | 260 25 15 5 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 144 | J. R. Doyle | Inspector, Walgett Deputy Registrar of Brands Stationery allowance | 310 25 5 | | |
| | | | | 340 | |
| 144 | F. W. Ridley | Inspector, Warialda ... Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... .. Stationery allowance | 310 25 7/10 5 | | |
| | | | | 347/10 | |

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| Reference to Estimates. | Name of Officer. | Offices and Allowances. | Present fixed Salaries and Allowances. | | Other Allowances not of fixed annual amount. |
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| | | | Amount. | Total. | |
| No. XI—Secretary for Mines—continued. | | | | | |
| PREVENTION OF SCAB IN SHEEP— <i>continued.</i> | | | | | |
| | | | £ | £ | |
| 144 | D. A. Morgan | Inspector, Wentworth Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... Stationery allowance | 360 25 15 5 | | |
| | | | | 405 | |
| 144 | M. J. Tully | Inspector, Wilcannia Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... Stationery allowance | 360 25 34/13/4 5 | | |
| | | | | 424/13/4 | |
| 144 | ..... | Inspector, Windsor Deputy Registrar of Brands Stationery allowance Allowance for Rent | 260 25 5 15 | | |
| | | | | 305 | |
| 144 | J. F. Turner | Inspector, Yass Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... Stationery allowance | 260 25 6/10 5 | | |
| | | | | 296/10 | |
| 144 | C. C. Wildash | Inspector, Young Deputy Registrar of Brands Stationery allowance | 260 25 5 | | |
| | | | | 290 | |
| 144 | E. May-Steers | Inspector, Wanaaring Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... Stationery allowance | 250 25 15 5 | | |
| | | | | 295 | |
| 144 | Thos. Cadell | Inspector, Hillston Deputy Registrar of Brands Allowance for Rent... Stationery Allowance | 250 25 15 5 | | |
| | | | | 295 | |

Officers of the Mines Department are allowed free Railway Passes when travelling on duty.

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES

OF THE

EXPENDITURE

OF THE

GOVERNMENT

OF

NEW SOUTH WALES,

FOR

1888

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SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR 1888 AND PREVIOUS YEARS.

| HEAD OF SERVICE. | TO BE VOTED. | | PAID TO 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. | UNPAID ON 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. |
|---|--------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. | | |
| Services of 1887. | | | | |
| No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | | |
| COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | | |
| Increases to salaries of certain Officers from 14th November to 31st December, 1887 ... | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| ..... | ..... | 95 4 7 | 35 4 7 | ..... |
| FISHERIES COMMISSION. | | | | |
| Extra Clerical Assistance—further sum ... | 71 7 0 | | 71 7 0 | ..... |
| Incidental expenses | 100 0 0 | | | 100 0 0 |
| | | 171 7 0 | | |
| MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES. | | | | |
| Adelaide Jubilee International Exhibition— Expenses in connection with—further sum | 152 1 4 | | 152 1 4 | ..... |
| Expenses incurred in celebration of the Jubilee of Her Majesty the Queen—further sum ... | 84 5 1 | | 84 5 1 | ..... |
| Purchase of Books for State House Library ... | 468 3 9 | | 468 3 9 | ..... |
| Purchase of Relics &c., of Captain Cook— further sum | 138 12 6 | | 138 12 6 | ..... |
| Compiling Second Edition of Official History of New South Wales—further sum ... | 400 0 0 | | 400 0 0 | ..... |
| Cost of conveyance by railway of Members of Municipal Convention | 250 2 8 |  | ..... | 250 2 8 |
| | | 1,493 5 4 | | |
| TOTAL, COLONIAL SECRETARY ... £ | ..... | 1,699 16 11 | 1,349 14 3 | 350 2 8 |
| No. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE. | | | | |
| GLEBE ISLAND ABATTOIRS. | | | | |
| Desiccating process—further sum ... .. | ..... | 200 0 0 | ..... | 200 0 0 |
| PUBLIC WHARVES. | | | | |
| Incidental Expenses—further sum ... .. | ..... | 17 9 0 | 17 9 0 | ..... |
| MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES. | | | | |
| Legal Expenses—Privy Council Appeals, Dibbs <i>ats.</i> Bank of New South Wales, and Com- missioner for Railways <i>ats.</i> Brown—further sum ... .. | ..... | 900 0 0 | 900 0 0 | ..... |
| TOTAL, TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE... .. £ | ..... | 1,117 9 0 | 917 9 0 | 200 0 0 |
| No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | | |
| DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE. | | | | |
| Incidental Expenses—further sum ... .. | ..... | 6 15 0 | 6 15 0 | ..... |
| PETTY SESSIONS. | | | | |
| John F. Kenyon—difference between salary voted as Clerk of Petty Sessions, Gunning, at £390 per annum, and that paid as Acting Police Magistrate and Clerk of Petty Sessions, Narrabri, at £470 per annum, from 27th January to 31st July | 41 1 6 | | 41 1 6 | ..... |
| Arrears of salary due to Richard Maunsell, late Police Magistrate, Port Macquarie, at £340 per annum, from 1st September to 31st December | 113 6 8 | | 113 6 8 | ..... |
| | | 154 8 2 | | |
| TOTAL, ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE £ | | 161 3 2 | 161 3 2 | |
| Carried forward... .. £ | | 2,978 9 1 | 2,428 6 5 | 550 2 8 |

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| HEAD OF SERVICE. | TO BE VOTED. | | PAID TO 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. | UNPAID ON 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. |
|---|--------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. | | |
| Services of 1887—continued. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Brought forward | | 2,978 9 1 | 2,428 6 5 | 550 2 8 |
| No. VII.—ATTORNEY-GENERAL. | | | | |
| CROWN SOLICITOR. | | | | |
| Clerk—Arrears of Salary, from 8th June to 31st December, at £60 per annum | | 33 16 8 | 33 16 8 | ..... |
| TOTAL, ATTORNEY-GENERAL ... £ | | 33 16 8 | 33 16 8 | ..... |
| No. IX.—SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS. | | | | |
| HARBOUR AND RIVER NAVIGATION. | | | | |
| Extension of Gosford Wharf—further sum | | 15 13 1 | 15 13 1 | ..... |
| COLONIAL ARCHITECT'S DEPARTMENT. | | | | |
| <i>Public Works and Buildings.</i> | | | | |
| Resumption of Land, &c., at Wagga Wagga as site for a Post and Telegraph Office—further sum | | 148 8 4 | 148 8 4 | ..... |
| TOTAL, SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS £ | | 164 1 5 | 164 1 5 | ..... |
| X.—POSTMASTER GENERAL. | | | | |
| ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT. | | | | |
| British and Australian Cable subsidy, propor- tion payable by New South Wales of guar- anteed annual subsidy of £32,400 for 20 years, from 1st November, 1879, for the duplication of the British Australian Cable— Additional amount required, based upon the population on 31st December, 1886 | | 1,153 5 3 | ..... | 1,153 5 3 |
| TOTAL, POSTMASTER GENERAL ... £ | | 1,153 5 3 | ..... | 1,153 5 3 |
| No. XI.—SECRETARY FOR MINES. | | | | |
| RABBIT NUISANCE ACT. | | | | |
| Rabbit-proof Fence from Bourke to the Queensland Border—further sum | | 797 16 1 | 797 16 1 | ..... |
| MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES. | | | | |
| Lake Urana Works | | 1,052 19 3 | 1,052 19 3 | ..... |
| TOTAL, SECRETARY FOR MINES ... £ | | 1,850 15 4 | 1,850 15 4 | |
| TOTAL SERVICES FOR 1887 ... £ | | 6,180 7 9 | 4,476 19 10 | 1,703 7 11 |

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| HEAD OF SERVICE. | TO BE VOTED. | | PAID TO 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. | UNPAID ON 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. |
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| | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. | | |
| Services of 1888. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| PENSION UNDER THE GOVERNMENT RAILWAY ACT— C. A. Goodchap, late Commissioner for Railways, from 23rd October, at £937 10s. per annum | | 178 18 8 | | 178 18 8 |
| No. II.—EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE. | | | | |
| LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. | | | | |
| Incidental Expenses | | 200 0 0 | ..... | 200 0 0 |
| LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY. | | | | |
| Remuneration to Messrs. T. M. Slattery, J. Garrard, A. J. Gould, and N. Melville, Ms.P., for services rendered as Acting Chairmen of Committees during the absence, through illness, of Angus Cameron, Esq., Chairman of Committees | 300 0 0 | | 300 0 0 | ..... |
| Temporary Clerk—Salary at £50 per annum, from 16th April | 35 8 4 | | 18 15 0 | 16 18 4 |
| | | 335 8 4 | | |
| LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AND ASSEMBLY. | | | | |
| Increase of salary to certain persons employed in the joint Department | 105 0 0 | | | |
| Occasional Assistance during Session and Incidental Expenses | 250 0 0 | | | |
| Purchase of Dessert Service, &c. | 400 0 0 | | | |
| | | 755 0 0 | ..... | 755 0 0 |
| PARLIAMENTARY REPORTING STAFF. | | | | |
| Salary of additional Shorthand Writer, from 23rd October | 86 12 0 | | | |
| Sessional Shorthand Writing—further sum .. | 200 0 0 | | | |
| | | 286 12 0 | ..... | 286 12 0 |
| TOTAL, EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE £ | ..... | 1,577 0 4 | 318 15 0 | 1,258 5 4 |
| No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | | |
| COLONIAL SECRETARY. | | | | |
| Extra Clerical assistance—further sum ... | 184 0 0 | | | |
| Incidental Expenses—further sum | 66 0 0 | | | |
| | | 200 0 0 | ..... | 200 0 0 |
| PERMANENT AND MILITARY VOLUNTEER FORCES. | | | | |
| Cost of passages for Major Bunbury and family to London ... .. | ..... | 175 0 0 | 175 0 0 | ..... |
| POLICE. | | | | |
| Steam Launch for the conveyance of prisoners to and from Biloela ... .. | ..... | 460 0 0 | ..... | 460 0 0 |
| LUNACY. | | | | |
| Purchase money for 22 acres of Land at Gladesville, adjoining the Hospital for the Insane ... .. | ..... | 7,400 0 0 | ..... | 7,400 0 0 |
| MEDICAL ADVISER TO THE GOVERNMENT. | | | | |
| Coast Hospital—Maintenance of Patients—further sum ... .. | ..... | 750 0 0 | ..... | 750 0 0 |
| Carried forward ... .. £ | ..... | 8,985 0 0 | 175 0 0 | 8,910 0 0 |
| Carried forward ... .. £ | ..... | 1,755 19 0 | 318 15 0 | 1,437 4 0 |

| HEAD OF SERVICE. | TO BE VOTED. | | PAID TO 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. | UNPAID ON 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. |
|--|--------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. | | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Services of 1888—continued. | | | | |
| Brought forward | | 1,755 19 0 | 318 15 0 | 1,437 4 0 |
| No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY—<i>contd.</i> | | | | |
| Brought forward | | 8,985 0 0 | 175 0 0 | 8,810 0 0 |
| REGISTRAR-GENERAL. | | | | |
| Allowance to Mrs. E. Byron for services rendered by her late husband in connection with the Census Report of 1881 | 100 0 0 | | 100 0 0 | ..... |
| Incidental expenses—further sum | 450 0 0 |  | ..... | 450 0 0 |
| | | 550 0 0 | | |
| GOVERNMENT STATISTICIAN. | | | | |
| Assistant Actuary, at £225 per annum from 1st August | | 93 15 0 | 18 15 0 | 75 0 0 |
| AGENT-GENERAL. | | | | |
| Immigration—Gratuities to officers of Immigration Branch retiring through abolition of office | 636 13 5 | | 109 1 3 | 527 12 2 |
| Furniture for office | 102 0 0 | | 102 0 0 | ..... |
| | | 738 13 5 | | |
| IMMIGRATION. | | | | |
| Salary of Agent for Immigration, from 1st July | 275 0 0 | | | |
| Salary of Chief Clerk and Accountant ... | 245 0 0 | | | |
| | | 520 0 0 | ..... | 520 0 0 |
| CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS. | | | | |
| Second Clerk—Salary at £190 per annum, from 1st to 4th January | 2 0 10 | | 1 19 2 | 0 1 8 |
| Allowance to Mr. F. A. Rossiter for extra services rendered upon the retirement of the late manager, Mr. Frederic King, pending the appointment of a Director of Government Asylums | 145 10 0 | | 145 10 0 | ..... |
| Rent of premises occupied by Inspector of Public Charities, Medical Board, and Board of Pharmacy, £250 per annum, from 30th April | 168 5 11 | | 64 2 7 | 104 3 4 |
| Newington Asylum—Nurse Superintendent, at £200 per annum, from 1st September ... | 66 13 4 |  | ..... | 66 13 4 |
| Government Asylums—Rations, &c.—further sum | 8,500 0 0 | | 2,118 18 4 | 6,381 1 8 |
| Purchase of portion of Elizabeth Farm Estate, Parramatta, in connection with George-street Asylum for Infirm and Destitute | 2,810 0 0 |  | ..... | 2,810 0 0 |
| To meet the abatement which should, in terms of the Civil Service Act, be deducted from the Pension payable to Mrs. Hicks, Matron Superintendent of Newington Asylum ... | 240 0 0 |  | ..... | 240 0 0 |
| | | 11,932 10 1 | | |
| CHARITABLE ALLOWANCES. | | | | |
| Special grant in aid of Home for the Blind ... | 25 0 0 | | 25 0 0 | ..... |
| In aid of the Building Funds of Country Hospitals, on the usual conditions—further sum | 701 2 1 | | 701 2 1 | ..... |
| | | 726 2 1 | | |
| FISHERIES COMMISSION. | | | | |
| Extra clerical assistance—further sum ... | 71 7 0 | | 71 7 0 | ..... |
| Gratuity to Inspector of Fisheries whose services have been dispensed with | 99 6 1 |  | ..... | 99 6 1 |
| | | 170 13 1 | | |
| Carried forward... .. | £ | 23,716 13 8 | 3,632 15 5 | 20,083 18 3 |
| Carried forward | £ | 1,755 19 0 | 318 15 0 | 1,437 4 0 |

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| HEAD OF SERVICE. | TO BE VOTED. | | PAID TO 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. | UNPAID ON 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. |
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| | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. | | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Services of 1888—continued. | | | | |
| Brought forward | | 1,755 19 0 | 318 15 0 | 1,437 4 0 |
| No. III.—COLONIAL SECRETARY—contd. | | | | |
| Brought forward | | 23,716 13 8 | 3,632 15 5 | 20,083 18 3 |
| MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES. | | | | |
| Relief-Works for, and Relief to, the Unem- ployed | 47,000 0 0 | | | 47,000 0 0 |
| Premiums for plans of State House | 501 4 4 | | 501 4 4 | |
| Centenary Celebrations—further sum | 1,000 0 0 | | 826 7 10 | 173 12 2 |
| Centennial Fire Brigade Carnival | 1,000 0 0 | | 1,000 0 0 | |
| Erection of shed for Flood-boats, Grafton | 100 0 0 | | 100 0 0 | |
| Public Service Inquiry Commission—Expenses of | 2,000 0 0 | | 1,000 0 0 | 1,000 0 0 |
| Interest on balance of purchase money for property, &c. (Charlotte Place) purchased as a site for a Royal Naval Home | 360 0 0 | | | 360 0 0 |
| Melbourne Centennial International Exhibition Commission—Expenses in connection with— further sum | 4,785 3 10 | | 3,285 3 10 | 1,500 0 0 |
| Law costs, Chinese <i>Habeas Corpus</i> cases— further sum | 75 0 0 | | 75 0 0 | |
| Cost of 500 copies of the "History of Australian Explorations, &c., 1788-1888" | 396 1 8 | | 396 8 | |
| Expenses in connection with compilation of the Early History of New South Wales | 52 2 0 | | 52 2 0 | |
| Unconditional Grant in aid of the Western Rifle Association | 250 0 0 | | 250 0 0 | |
| Purchase of Statues, &c. | 320 0 0 | | 320 0 0 | |
| Purchase of Site for Police purposes, Palmer's Island | 350 0 0 | | 350 0 0 | |
| Purchase of Site for Lock-up at Waterloo | 1,116 0 0 | | 1,116 0 0 | |
| Purchase of Land at Kelso for Police purposes | 198 0 0 | | | 198 0 0 |
| Cost of Entertainments to Inmates of Govern- ment Asylums, "Vernon," &c. | 100 0 0 | | 100 0 0 | |
| Improving Reserve, and Straightening and Clearing Creek, Glen Innes | 500 0 0 | | 500 0 0 | |
| Cost of Monument, memorial of victims, Bulli Colliery Explosion | 459 13 8 | | 459 13 8 | |
| Unconditional Grant in aid of Exhibition of Women's Industries and Centenary Fair | 500 0 0 | | 300 0 0 | 200 0 0 |
| Cost of conveyance by Railway of Exhibits to the Melbourne Centennial Exhibition | 5,000 0 0 | | | 5,000 0 0 |
| Centenary Celebrations—amount payable to Railway Department for running special trains, and for conveyance of Riflemen and Bandsmen, &c. | 4,652 17 6 | | | 4,652 17 6 |
| Special Grant to Country and Suburban Muni- cipalities—further sum | 10,000 0 0 | | 6,200 16 1 | 3,799 3 11 |
| Maintenance of Deserted Children, &c.— further sum | 500 0 0 | | 237 0 6 | 262 19 6 |
| Illustrated Sydney—new Centennial Number In aid of the furnishing of the Excelsior Home for working lads | 113 10 0 | | | 113 10 0 |
| Expenses of visiting Magistrate, Lord Howe's Island | 72 5 0 | | | 72 5 0 |
| | 258 0 0 | | | 258 0 0 |
| | | 81,639 18 0 | | |
| TOTAL, COLONIAL SECRETARY | £ | 105,376 11 8 | 20,702 5 4 | 84,674 6 4 |
| Carried forward | £ | 107,132 19 8 | 21,021 0 4 | 86,111 10 4 |

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| HEAD OF SERVICE. | TO BE VOTED. | | PAID TO 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. | UNPAID ON 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. |
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| | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. | | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Services of 1888—continued. | | | | |
| Brought forward | | 107,132 10 8 | 21,021 0 4 | 86,111 10 4 |
| No. IV.—TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE. | | | | |
| STAMP DUTIES. | | | | |
| Temporary Stamper, at £140 per annum, from 28th May | | 83 3 5 | 36 10 1 | 46 13 4 |
| SHIPPING MASTERS. | | | | |
| 2 Temporary Clerks, at £195 and £150 per annum... .. | | 345 0 0 | 230 0 0 | 115 0 0 |
| GLEBE ISLAND ABATTOIRS. | | | | |
| Improvements—further sum | | 10 4 0 | 10 4 0 | ..... |
| MARINE BOARD OF NEW SOUTH WALES. | | | | |
| Extra Pilot at Newcastle, at £320 per annum, from 1st September | | 106 13 4 | ..... | 106 13 4 |
| PUBLIC WHARVES. | | | | |
| Circular Quay, additional Night Watchman, at £104 per annum, from 1st July | 52 0 0 | | 17 6 8 | 34 13 4 |
| Officer in charge of Weighbridge and Cranes at £150 per annum, from 1st October... .. | 37 10 0 |  | ..... | 37 10 0 |
| Commission and Rebates—further sum | 100 0 0 |  | ..... | 100 0 0 |
| Incidental Expenses—further sum | 50 0 0 |  | ..... | 50 0 0 |
| Cleansing Public Wharves—further sum | 50 0 0 |  | ..... | 50 0 0 |
| Purchase of Punt for Floating Stage... .. | 100 0 0 |  | ..... | 100 0 0 |
| Repairs to Office | 35 0 0 |  | ..... | 35 0 0 |
| Purchase of Planks for Stagings | 37 2 4 | | 37 2 4 | ..... |
| | | 461 12 4 | | |
| MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES. | | | | |
| Interest payable under Act 50 Victoria No. 13, Municipal Council of Sydney Sinking Fund | 72 0 0 | | 42 8 10 | 29 11 2 |
| Interest payable, W. Roberts' Bequest Fund (Sydney University) | 85 0 0 | | 41 4 1 | 43 15 11 |
| Interest on uninvested funds at the credit of the Civil Service Superannuation Account for the year 1888 | 11,000 0 0 | | 5,356 2 6 | 5,643 17 6 |
| Insurance on Public Buildings, A.S.N. Co.'s Wharf... .. | 54 10 0 | | 54 10 0 | ..... |
| Law Expenses, Byrnes v. Davies—further sum | 78 2 9 | | 78 2 9 | ..... |
| Premium on Debentures purchased towards the Extinction of Railway Loan, 31 Vic. No. 11—further sum | 1,240 6 0 | | 1,240 6 0 | ..... |
| Interest on amount deposited by the Per- manent Trustee Company | 303 0 0 |  | ..... | 303 0 0 |
| Interest on amount deposited by the Perpetual Trustee Company | 362 0 0 |  | ..... | 362 0 0 |
| Supply of Water to the various Public Offices, Sydney and Country Towns | 2,000 0 0 |  | ..... | 2,000 0 0 |
| | | 15,194 18 9 | | |
| TOTAL, TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE | | 16,201 11 10 | 7,143 17 3 | 9,057 14 7 |
| Carried forward... .. | £ | 123,334 2 6 | 28,164 17 7 | 95,169 4 11 |

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| | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. | | |
| Services of 1888.—continued. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Brought forward | £ | 123,334 2 6 | 28,164 17 7 | 95,169 4 11 |
| No. V.—PUBLIC INSTRUCTION. | | | | |
| PUBLIC INSTRUCTION. | | | | |
| Re-adjustment of the salaries of certain officers of this Department, consequent upon the resignation on 30th June of one of the staff who was in receipt of a salary of £350 per annum, viz.:— | | | | |
| <i>Ministerial Office.</i> | | | | |
| 1 Clerk from £265 to £280 per annum from 1st July | 7 10 0 | | | |
| 1 Clerk from £265 to £275 per annum from 1st July | 5 0 0 | | | |
| 1 Clerk from £165 to £175 per annum from 1st July | 5 0 0 | | | |
| 5 Junior Clerks from £115 to £125 per annum from 1st July... .. | 25 0 0 | | | |
| 1 Junior Clerk from £90 to £100 per annum from 1st July... .. | 5 0 0 | | | |
| <i>Account Branch.</i> | | | | |
| 1 Clerk from £340 to £350 per annum from 1st July | 5 0 0 | | | |
| 1 Clerk from £140 to £150 per annum from 1st July | 5 0 0 | | | |
| 1 Junior Clerk from £115 to £125 per annum from 1st July... .. | 5 0 0 | | | |
| 2 Junior Clerks from £75 to £90 per annum from 1st July... .. | 15 0 0 | | | |
| <i>Chief Inspector's Branch.</i> | | | | |
| 1 Clerk from £260 to £275 per annum from 1st July | 7 10 0 | | | |
| 1 Clerk from £200 to £210 per annum from 1st July | 5 0 0 | | | |
| 1 Clerk from £165 to £180 per annum from 1st July | 7 10 0 | | | |
| 4 Junior Clerks from £115 to £125 per annum from 1st July... .. | 20 0 0 | | | |
| 2 Junior Clerks from £90 to £100 per annum from 1st July... .. | 10 0 0 | | | |
| <i>Architect's Branch:</i> | | | | |
| 1 Clerk from £140 to £150 per annum from 1st July | 5 0 0 | | | |
| | | 132 10 0 | | 132 10 0 |
| MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES. | | | | |
| To meet claim of Railway Department for Free Railway Passes to Female Teachers | | 250 0 0 | | 250 0 0 |
| TOTAL, PUBLIC INSTRUCTION £ | | 382 10 0 | | 382 10 0 |
| Carried forward | £ | 123,716 12 6 | 28,164 17 7 | 95,551 14 11 |

| HEAD OF SERVICE. | TO BE VOTED. | | PAID TO 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. | UNPAID ON 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. |
|---|--------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. | | |
| Services of 1888—continued Brought forward | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | | 123,716 12 6 | 28,164 17 7 | 95,551 14 11 |
| No. VI.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE. | | | | |
| MASTER IN EQUITY. | | | | |
| Fifth Clerk, at £120 per annum, from 2nd May | ..... | 79 13 6 | 39 13 6 | 40 0 0 |
| PROTHONOTARY. | | | | |
| Temporary Clerk, at £120 per annum, from 23rd July ... .. | ..... | 52 10 0 | 12 10 0 | 40 0 0 |
| CURATOR OF INTESTATE ESTATES. | | | | |
| Temporary Clerk, at £150 per annum, from 7th June ... .. | ..... | 85 0 0 | 35 0 0 | 50 0 0 |
| DISTRICT COURTS. | | | | |
| Bailiff at Silvertown, at £40 per annum, from 1st January to 30th June ... .. | ..... | 20 0 0 | 20 0 0 | ..... |
| PETTY SESSIONS. | | | | |
| Difference between salary of Mr. Benjamin Lee, as Police Magistrate, Bathurst, at £550 per annum, and as Deputy Stipendiary Magistrate, at £700 per annum, during absence on leave of Stipendiary Magistrates | 48 15 0 | | 12 10 0 | 36 5 0 |
| Difference between salary of James Giles, Police Magistrate, Bombala, at £540 per annum, and as Deputy Stipendiary Magis- trate, at £700 per annum, during absence on leave of Mr. Abbott | 25 15 6 |  | ..... | 25 15 6 |
| Water Police Office—Clerk, at £170 per annum, from 1st May | 113 6 8 | | 56 13 4 | 56 13 4 |
| Contingencies—Rent of Oddfellows' Hall, Castlereagh-street, for Temporary Police Court, at £500 per annum from 1st March... | 416 13 4 | | 250 0 0 | 166 13 4 |
| Arrears of salary due to Richard Maunsell, late Police Magistrate, Port Macquarie, at £340 per annum, from 1st January to 12th April, 1888 | 96 6 8 |  | ..... | 96 6 8 |
| Gratuity to A. W. R. Pratt, Sheriff's Officer, Wilcannia, for services rendered in connec- tion with Petty Sessions duties, Wilcannia... | 50 0 0 |  | ..... | 50 0 0 |
| Purchase Money in respect of Leasehold Land off Liverpool-street and Union-lane, as Site for Central Police Office | 700 0 0 |  | ..... | 700 0 0 |
| | | 1,450 17 2 | | |
| PATENTS AND COPYRIGHT. | | | | |
| Temporary Clerk, at £150 per annum, from 1st July | 75 0 0 | | 25 0 0 | 50 0 0 |
| Temporary Junior Clerk, at £50 per annum, from 1st April | 37 10 0 | | 20 16 8 | 16 13 4 |
| | | 112 10 0 | | |
| MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES. | | | | |
| In aid of Discharged Prisoners Aid Society ... | ..... | 50 0 0 | 50 0 0 | ..... |
| TOTAL, ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE £ | ..... | 1,850 10 8 | 522 3 6 | 1,328 7 2 |
| No. VII.—ATTORNEY GENERAL. | | | | |
| ATTORNEY GENERAL— | | | | |
| Salary of the acting Secretary for the month of October | 58 6 8 |  | ..... | 58 6 8 |
| Fees to Prosecuting Barristers | 230 0 0 |  | ..... | 230 0 0 |
| Travelling expenses of Prosecuting Officers ... | 100 0 0 |  | ..... | 100 0 0 |
| CROWN SOLICITOR. | | | | |
| Purchase of Type Writer | 26 0 0 | 388 6 8 | ..... | 26 0 0 |
| Law Expenses—Counsel's Fees. | | | | |
| Anderson v. Adams | 25 0 0 | | 25 0 0 | ..... |
| Williams v. Ward | 75 0 0 |  | ..... | 75 0 0 |
| Keefe v. Clarke | 100 0 0 |  | ..... | 100 0 0 |
| | | 226 0 0 | | |
| QUARTER SESSIONS. | | | | |
| Gratuity to Mr. J. J. Guiry, late clerk, whose services were dispensed with ... .. | ..... | 144 8 10 | ..... | 144 8 10 |
| TOTAL, ATTORNEY-GENERAL ... £ | | 758 15 6 | 25 0 0 | 733 15 6 |
| Carried forward | £ | 126,325 18 8 | 28,712 1 1 | 97,613 17 7 |

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| HEAD OF SERVICE. | TO BE VOTED. | | PAID TO 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. | UNPAID ON 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. |
|--|--------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. | | |
| Services of 1888—continued. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Brought forward ... | £ | 126,325 18 8 | 28,712 1 1 | 97,613 17 7 |
| No. VIII.—SECRETARY FOR LANDS. | | | | |
| DEPARTMENT OF LANDS. | | | | |
| <i>Rabbit Branch.</i> | | | | |
| Expenses of Royal Commission—Extermination of Rabbits—Experiments, Rodd Island ..... | ..... | 3,000 0 0 | 2,814 11 2 | 155 8 10 |
| <i>Miscellaneous Services.</i> | | | | |
| Gratuities to Officers retiring through abolition of office | 1,917 1 9 | | 1,917 1 9 | ..... |
| Law Expenses—Gordon v. Minister for Lands Byrnes, Mary—Compensation for removing, fencing, and restoring it to proper boundaries, on Conditional Purchase 76-86, Molong (Revote in part of amount voted under Item No. 536, Appropriation Act of 1883) ... | 100 0 0 | | 100 0 0 | ..... |
| | 89 2 0 | | | 89 2 0 |
| SURVEY OF LANDS. | | 2,106 3 9 | | |
| Correspondence and Record Branch—Increase of salary of Clerk from £150 to £156 per annum ... .. | ..... | 6 0 0 | ..... | 6 0 0 |
| TOTAL, SECRETARY FOR LANDS ... | £ | 5,112 3 9 | 4,861 12 11 | 250 10 10 |
| No. IX.—SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS. | | | | |
| DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS. | | | | |
| Incidental Expenses—Allowance to Messengers, &c., &c.—further sum ..... | ..... | 25 0 0 | ..... | 25 0 0 |
| PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS. | | | | |
| Secretary, at £700 per annum, from 1st August | 291 13 4 | | 58 6 8 | 233 6 8 |
| Messenger, at £52 per annum, from 12th September | 15 14 10 |  | ..... | 15 14 10 |
| Incidental Expenses | 100 0 0 |  | ..... | 100 0 0 |
| WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE DEPARTMENT. | | 407 8 2 | | |
| Expenses of election of Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, Official Auditor's fees on transfer of books from City Council, &c., &c. .... | ..... | 1,185 2 3 | 1,185 2 3 | ..... |
| HARBOUR AND RIVERS NAVIGATION. | | | | |
| Incidental and other expenses in connection with Wharfs, Bridges, and other Public Works, further sum | 3,000 0 0 | | 1,268 1 9 | 1,731 18 3 |
| Preliminary Harbour and River Surveys, further sum | 194 0 0 |  | ..... | 194 0 0 |
| Fitz Roy Dock Contingencies, further sum ... | 275 0 0 |  | ..... | 275 0 0 |
| Working Expenses, Sydney Water Supply ... | 2,000 0 0 |  | ..... | 2,000 0 0 |
| COLONIAL ARCHITECT. | | 5,469 0 0 | | |
| <i>Public Works and Buildings.</i> | | | | |
| Junee Junction Post and Telegraph Office, further sum | 147 0 3 | | 147 0 3 | ..... |
| Turret Clock, Yass, Post and Telegraph Office | 390 0 0 |  | ..... | 390 0 0 |
| Turret Clock, Post and Telegraph Office, Cootamundra | 345 0 0 | | 345 0 0 | ..... |
| Erection of Police-Quarters at Urana ... | 870 0 0 |  | ..... | 870 0 0 |
| Furniture and Fittings for Public Offices generally—further sum | 1,000 0 0 | | 244 14 3 | 755 5 9 |
| ROADS AND BRIDGES. | | 2,752 0 3 | | |
| Increments to salaries of certain officers in the Roads Department for the years 1885 and 1886, omitted in error from the Estimates for those years | 230 0 0 |  | ..... | 230 0 0 |
| Gratuity to Widow of late W. Evans, Boatman, Grafton Punt, who died from injuries received whilst in the execution of his duty ... | 84 0 0 |  | ..... | 84 0 0 |
| | | 314 0 0 | | |
| Carried forward... | £ | 10,152 10 8 | 3,248 5 2 | 6,904 5 6 |
| Carried forward ... | £ | 131,438 2 5 | 33,573 14 0 | 97,864 8 5 |

| HEAD OF SERVICE. | TO BE VOTED. | | PAID TO 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. | UNPAID ON 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888. |
|--|--------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. | | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Services of 1888—continued. | | | | |
| Brought forward | | 131,438 2 5 | 33,573 14 0 | 97,864 8 5 |
| No. IX.—SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS—continued. | | | | |
| Brought forward | | 10,152 10 8 | 3,248 5 2 | 6,904 5 6 |
| SEWERAGE BRANCH. | | | | |
| Drainage of University Medical School— Amount required to recoup Loan Vote ... | 258 0 0 | | | 258 0 0 |
| Extension of Hudson-street sewer from Eveleigh-street to Railway Culvert, and thence to Regent-street—Amount required to recoup Loan Vote... .. | 821 0 0 | | | 821 0 0 |
| Drainage Telopea-street—Amount required to recoup Loan Vote | 236 0 0 | | | 236 0 0 |
| | | 1,315 0 0 | | |
| RAILWAYS. | | | | |
| <i>Works in Progress.</i> | | | | |
| Secretary and Accountant, at £700 per annum, from 1st June... .. | | 408 6 8 | 175 0 0 | 233 6 8 |
| <i>Existing Lines—Working Expenses.</i> | | | | |
| Increase to salary of Locomotive Engineer from 22nd May, date of acceptance of the dual position of Locomotive Engineer and Super- intendent of Tramway Rolling Stock ... | 149 11 11 | | | 149 11 11 |
| Salaries and Wages of General Staff, with cost of Stores and Supplies for all branches— further sum | 75,000 0 0 | | | 75,000 0 0 |
| | | 75,149 11 11 | | |
| <i>Miscellaneous Services.</i> | | | | |
| To meet the abatement which should, in terms of the Civil Service Act, be deducted from the pension payable to Gatekeeper Chandler | | 158 18 8 | | 158 18 8 |
| TOTAL, SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS £ | | 87,184 7 11 | 3,423 5 2 | 83,761 2 9 |
| No. XI.—SECRETARY FOR MINES. | | | | |
| DEPARTMENT OF MINES. | | | | |
| Housekeeper and Office-cleaner, at £90 per annum, from 1st July | 45 0 0 | | 7 10 0 | 37 10 0 |
| Allowance to Mining Surveyors—further sum | 2,000 0 0 | | | 2,000 0 0 |
| Allowance for Surveys—further sum ... | 1,000 0 0 | | | 1,000 0 0 |
| Travelling expenses of Officers, further sum .. | 1,200 0 0 | | | 1,200 0 0 |
| Men's wages, provisions, &c. | 150 0 0 | | | 150 0 0 |
| Commission on sale of Miners' Rights, &c. ... | 700 0 0 | | | 700 0 0 |
| Incidental expenses | 500 0 0 | | | 500 0 0 |
| | | 5,595 0 0 | | |
| IMPORTED STOCK. | | | | |
| Expenses connected with Experiments by M. Pasteur's representatives at Junece for anthrax | | 500 0 0 | | 500 0 0 |
| TOTAL, SECRETARY FOR MINES ... £ | | 6,095 0 0 | 7 10 0 | 6,087 10 0 |
| TOTAL SERVICES FOR 1888 ... £ | | 224,717 10 4 | 37,004 9 2 | 187,713 1 2 |
| <i>Add—SERVICES OF 1887</i> | | 6,180 7 9 | 4,476 19 10 | 1,703 7 11 |
| GRAND TOTAL £ | | 230,897 18 1 | 41,481 9 0 | 189,416 9 1 |

ESTIMATES
OF THE
WAYS AND MEANS
OF THE
GOVERNMENT
OF
NEW SOUTH WALES
FOR THE YEAR
1889.

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No. 1.

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.

DEFICIT ACCOUNT

OF

1886 AND PREVIOUS YEARS

SHOWING ITS POSITION

ON THE

30TH SEPTEMBER, 1888.

Consolidated

DEFICIT ACCOUNT OF 1886 AND PREVIOUS YEARS

Dr.

| No. | PARTICULARS. | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. |
|-----|--|-------------------|--------------------|
| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1 | To Amount at the Debit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, on the 31st December, 1886 ... .. | ..... | 1,286,581 9 4 |
| 2 | To Amount of Payments on account of the following Services, from 1st January, 1887, to 30th September, 1888, viz. :— | | |
| | Services of 1884 and previous years | 21,363 13 0 | |
| | Do 1885 | 113,422 18 0 | |
| | Do 1886 | 1,342,649 7 3 | |
| | Services of 1886—Transmission of Telegraphic Messages (included in 1888 Appropriation Act) | 11,288 3 11 | |
| | Surplus Revenue Services | 29,817 16 7 | |
| | | | 1,518,541 18 9 |
| 3 | To Amount of Outstanding Liabilities on 30th September, 1888, viz. :— | | |
| | Services of 1884 and previous years | 1,566 15 8 | |
| | Services of 1885 | 59,253 9 1 | |
| | Services of 1886 | 58,113 19 9 | |
| | Surplus Revenue Services | 33,413 11 10 | |
| | | | 152,347 16 4 |
| | TOTAL | £ | 2,957,471 4 5 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

JAMES PEARSON,
Accountant.

1.

Revenue Fund.

SHOWING ITS POSITION ON THE 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1888.

Cr.

| No. | PARTICULARS. | AMOUNT. | | | TOTAL. | | |
|-----|---|---------|----|----|-------------|----|----|
| | | £. | s. | d. | £ | s | d. |
| 1 | By Amount of Treasurer's Advance Account, 1885, repaid in 1887 | 100,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| 2 | By Amount of Treasurer's Advance Account, 1886, repaid in 1888 | 200,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| 2 | By Amount of Advances to Contractors, repaid (in part) during 1887 and 1888 | 1,736 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | 301,736 | 6 | 6 |
| 3 | By Amount of Receipts in 1887 for transmission of Telegraphic Messages during 1886 | | | | 11,354 | 12 | 5 |
| 4 | Repayments in 1887, credited to Appropriations of 1886:— | | | | | | |
| | Prevention of Scab in Sheep | 1,489 | 3 | 8 | | | |
| | Revenue Refunded | 706 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | | | | | 2,196 | 1 | 1 |
| 5 | By Amount of Advances yet to be repaid:— | | | | | | |
| | Advances to Contractors, 1883 to 1886 | 8,434 | 2 | 2 | | | |
| | Advances in connection with Cook's River Reclamation Works—Loan Service | 891 | 9 | 7 | | | |
| | | | | | 9,325 | 11 | 9 |
| | | | | | 324,612 | 11 | 9 |
| 6 | By Balance | | | | 2,632,858 | 12 | 8 |
| | TOTAL... .. | | | | £ 2,957,471 | 4 | 5 |

FRANCIS KIRKPATRICK,
Consulting Accountant.

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

No. 2.

ACCOUNT

OF

ACTUAL REVENUE & ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE

FOR THE YEAR

1887.

Consolidated

ACCOUNT OF ACTUAL REVENUE AND

Dr.

| No. | PARTICULARS. | AMOUNT. | | | TOTAL. | | |
|-----|--|-----------|----|----|-----------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| 1 | To AUTHORIZED CHARGES on the CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND for the year 1887, viz. :— | | | | | | |
| | Special Appropriations | 2,038,693 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | Schedules to the Constitution Act | 44,677 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | Executive and Legislative | 28,538 | 3 | 9 | | | |
| | The Colonial Secretary | 1,014,265 | 8 | 7 | | | |
| | The Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade ... | 534,604 | 8 | 11 | | | |
| | Minister of Public Instruction | 678,280 | 5 | 3 | | | |
| | Minister of Justice | 277,732 | 3 | 4 | | | |
| | The Attorney-General | 41,160 | 9 | 2 | | | |
| | The Secretary for Lands... .. | 593,720 | 0 | 5 | | | |
| | The Secretary for Public Works— | | | | | | |
| | Public Works generally | 1,020,494 | 1 | 1 | | | |
| | Railways | 1,711,384 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | The Postmaster-General... .. | 641,205 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | The Secretary for Mines... .. | 207,262 | 14 | 1 | | | |
| | | 8,832,016 | 14 | 7 | | | |
| | Less Amount of Appropriations estimated as not likely to be required | 325,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | | 8,507,016 | 14 | 7 |
| 2 | To Special Appropriations— | | | | | | |
| | Relief Works for the Unemployed, 50 Vic. No. 29 and 51 Vic. No. 1 | 55,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | Minor and Unclassified Roads, 50 Vic. No. 33 | 40,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | Tanks and Wells, 50 Vic. No. 37 | 30,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | Sixth Judge Supreme Court, 50 Vic. No. 35 | 1,607 | 10 | 6 | | | |
| | Centennial Park, 51 Vic. No. 9 | 50,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | Acting Judge, 51 Victoria, No. 12 | 999 | 9 | 2 | | | |
| | | | | | 177,606 | 19 | 8 |
| 3 | To Further Special Appropriations— | | | | | | |
| | Preliminary Expenses of Municipal Institutions | 591 | 1 | 6 | | | |
| | Drawbacks and Refund of Duties | 29,180 | 4 | 9 | | | |
| | Endowments under Municipalities Act... .. | 3,242 | 3 | 3 | | | |
| | Expenses of Returning Officers... .. | 2,154 | 8 | 3 | | | |
| | Superannuation Repeal Fund | 135 | 16 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | 35,303 | 14 | 8 |
| 4 | To amount of Pension payable to— | | | | | | |
| | Sir William Manning, Knight, late Puisne Judge, from 18th October | 371 | 16 | 6 | | | |
| | Sir William Manning, Knight, formerly Solicitor-General, from 18th October | 163 | 8 | 9 | | | |
| | | | | | 535 | 5 | 3 |
| 5 | To amount of additional expenditure for the year 1887, as per page 4 of the Supplementary Estimates now before the Legislative Assembly | | | | 6,180 | 7 | 9 |
| | TOTAL | £ | | | 8,726,643 | 1 | 11 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

JAMES PEARSON,
Accountant.

2.

Revenue Fund.

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR 1887.

Cr.

| No. | PARTICULARS. | AMOUNT. | | | TOTAL. | | |
|-----|---|------------|----|----|-----------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| 1 | By AMOUNT of ACTUAL REVENUE and RECEIPTS for the year 1887:— | | | | | | |
| | Taxation | 2,664,547 | 17 | 9 | | | |
| | Land Revenue— | | | | | | |
| | Sales | £1,098,685 | 11 | 1 | | | |
| | Annual Revenue | 1,280,309 | 0 | 11 | | | |
| | | 2,378,994 | 12 | 0 | | | |
| | Receipts for services rendered | 3,245,906 | 12 | 4 | | | |
| | General Miscellaneous Receipts | 293,360 | 13 | 4 | | | |
| | | 8,582,809 | 15 | 5 | | | |
| | Less Amount of Repayments in 1887, on account of Scab in Sheep, 1886 | £1,489 | 3 | 8 | | | |
| | And amount received in 1887 for Transmission of Telegraphic Messages, 1886 | 11,354 | 12 | 5 | | | |
| | | 12,843 | 16 | 1 | | | |
| | | | | | 8,569,965 | 19 | 4 |
| 2 | By Amount of Advances to be repaid— | | | | | | |
| | Advances to Contractors... .. | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | Advances in anticipation of Loan Votes— | | | | | | |
| | Reclamation and Dredging Works, Cook's River... | 17,260 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | 20,260 | 6 | 6 |
| | | | | | 8,590,226 | 5 | 10 |
| 3 | By Balance carried forward to 1888 | | | | 136,416 | 16 | 1 |
| | TOTAL | £ | | | 8,726,643 | 1 | 11 |

FRANCIS KIRKPATRICK,
Consulting Accountant.

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer

No. 3.

ACCOUNT

OF

ACTUAL AND ESTIMATED REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

FOR THE YEAR

1888.

Consolidated

ACCOUNT OF REVENUE AND

Dr.

| No. | PARTICULARS. | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. |
|-----|---|------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 | To Amount of the estimated Balance on the account for 1887, brought forward | £ s. d. | £ s. d. 136,416 16 1 |
| 2 | To AUTHORIZED CHARGES ON THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND, for the year 1888, as shown in the Summary of of the Estimates-in-Chief for 1888, page 1, viz. :— | | |
| | Special Appropriations | 2,041,693 0 0 | |
| | Schedules to the Constitution Act... .. | 49,697 0 0 | |
| | Executive and Legislative | 27,026 13 4 | |
| | The Colonial Secretary (Amended Estimates) ... | 936,409 4 0 | |
| | The Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade | 564,593 17 2 | |
| | Minister of Public Instruction | 651,362 16 8 | |
| | Minister of Justice | 260,378 13 7 | |
| | The Attorney-General | 36,526 2 2 | |
| | The Secretary for Lands | 485,608 11 7 | |
| | The Secretary for Public Works— | | |
| | Public Works generally | 966,050 4 3 | |
| | Railways... .. | 1,745,069 4 10 | |
| | The Postmaster-General | 621,295 2 10 | |
| | The Secretary for Mines | 121,210 9 8 | |
| | | 8,506,921 0 1 | |
| 3 | To Special Appropriation— State House and Park, 51 Victoria, No. 9 ... | 150,000 0 0 | |
| | <i>Less</i> Amount included for Trans- mission of Telegraphic Messages, 1886, now taken to the Account for that year £11,288 3 11 | 8,656,921 0 1 | |
| | <i>Less</i> Amount of Appropriations and Balances of Appropriations esti- mated as not likely to be required 400,000 0 0 | 411,288 3 11 | |
| | | | 8,245,632 16 2 |
| 4 | To Amount appropriated under the Act 51 Victoria, No. 32 :— | | 8,382,049 12 3 |
| | Special Grant in aid of Agricultural Societies ... | 15,000 0 0 | |
| | Expenses connected with the Centenary Celebra- tions | 26,000 0 0 | |
| | Site for Naval Home | 3,485 0 0 | |
| | | | 44,485 0 0 |
| 5 | To Amount of Further Special Appropriations— | | |
| | Interest on Loan of £3,500,000, negotiated in 1888—one half-year | 61,250 0 0 | |
| | Railway Commissioners (51 Vic. No. 35, and 52 Vic. No. 5) | 1,596 15 4 | |
| | Expenses of Returning Officers | 2,000 0 0 | |
| | Judge under Bankruptcy | 2,600 0 0 | |
| | Preliminary Expenses of Municipal Institutions... | 1,000 0 0 | |
| | | | 68,446 15 4 |
| 6 | To Amount of Supplementary Estimates for the year 1888, as per page 12 of the Supplementary Estimates now before the Legislative Assembly | | 8,494,981 7 7 |
| | | | 224,717 10 4 |
| 7 | To Estimated Surplus | | 8,719,698 17 11 |
| | | | 329,965 13 4 |
| | TOTAL £ | | 9,049,664 11 3 |

3.

Revenue Fund.

EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR 1888.

Cr.

| No. | PARTICULARS. | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. |
|-----|---|---------------|----------------|
| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1 | By AMOUNT of ACTUAL and ESTIMATED REVENUE and RECEIPTS for the year 1888, viz. :— | | |
| | Taxation | 2,696,866 0 0 | |
| | Land Revenue— | | |
| | Sales £1,252,308 0 0 | | |
| | Annual Revenue 1,151,347 0 0 | | |
| | | 2,403,655 0 0 | |
| | Receipts for services rendered | 3,659,625 0 0 | |
| | General Miscellaneous Receipts | 280,222 0 0 | |
| | | | 9,049,664 0 0 |
| 2 | By Amount of Advances to be repaid— | | |
| | Advances to Contractors... .. | 3,000 0 0 | |
| | Advances in anticipation of Loan Votes— | | |
| | Reclamation and Dredging Works, Cook's River... | 6,296 11 3 | |
| | | | 9,296 11 3 |
| | TOTAL ... .. £ | ..... | 9,049,664 11 3 |

F. KIRKPATRICK,
Consulting Accountant.J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

No. 4.

ACCOUNT

OF

ESTIMATED REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

FOR THE YEAR

1889.

Consolidated

ACCOUNT OF REVENUE AND

Dr.

| No. | PARTICULARS. | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. |
|-----|--|---------------|----------------|
| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1 | To ESTIMATED CHARGES ON THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND, on account of 1889, as shown in the Summary of the Estimates-in-Chief for 1889, page 1, viz. :— | | |
| | Special Appropriations | 2,073,326 0 0 | |
| | Schedules to the Constitution Act... .. | 55,054 10 0 | |
| | Executive and Legislative | 28,884 0 0 | |
| | The Colonial Secretary | 927,575 0 0 | |
| | The Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade— | | |
| | Departments generally £ 508,965 0 0 | | |
| | Railways 1,795,247 0 0 | | |
| | | 2,304,212 0 0 | |
| | Minister of Public Instruction | 683,349 0 0 | |
| | Minister of Justice | 260,770 0 0 | |
| | The Attorney-General | 37,730 0 0 | |
| | The Secretary for Lands | 421,617 0 0 | |
| | The Secretary for Public Works | 1,057,570 0 0 | |
| | The Postmaster-General | 638,212 0 0 | |
| | The Secretary for Mines | 134,867 0 0 | |
| | | | 8,623,166 10 0 |
| 2 | To ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF SPECIAL CHARGES— | | |
| | The Secretary for Lands— | | |
| | Claims for Subsidies under the Rabbit Nuisance Act of 1883 | 88,000 0 0 | |
| | Refunds to Pastoral Lessees | 165,000 0 0 | |
| | | | 253,000 0 0 |
| | | | 8,876,166 10 0 |
| 3 | To Estimated Surplus ... .. | ..... | 367,444 3 4 |
| | TOTAL | £ | 9,243,610 13 4 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

JAMES PEARSON,
Accountant.

4.

Revenue Fund.

EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR 1889.

Cr.

| No. | PARTICULARS. | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. |
|-----|--|-----------------|----------------|
| | | £ - s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1 | By Amount of estimated Surplus on the account for 1888, brought forward ... .. | ..... | 329,965 13 4 |
| 2 | By AMOUNT of ESTIMATED REVENUE and RECEIPTS for the year 1889, viz. :— | | |
| | Taxation | 2,694,975 0 0 | |
| | Land Revenue— | | |
| | Sales | £ 1,063,423 0 0 | |
| | Annual Revenue | 1,069,400 0 0 | |
| | | 2,132,823 0 0 | |
| | Receipts for services rendered | 3,828,885 0 0 | |
| | General Miscellaneous Receipts | 256,962 0 0 | |
| | | 8,913,645 0 0 | |
| | TOTAL | £ | 9,243,610 13 4 |

F. KIRKPATRICK,
Consulting Accountant.

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

A.

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE.

ABSTRACT STATEMENT showing the ACTUAL REVENUE of the Year 1887, the ACTUAL and ESTIMATED REVENUE for the Year 1888, and the ESTIMATED REVENUE for 1889.

| Head of Receipt. | Revenue of 1887. | Actual and Estimated Revenue 1888. | Estimated Revenue, 1889. |
|--|--------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Taxation. | | | |
| | £ | £ | £ |
| Customs | 2,011,947 | 1,925,752 | 1,950,025 |
| Excise | 204,420 | 265,659 | 270,200 |
| Stamps | 321,749 | 380,000 | 350,000 |
| Licenses | 126,432 | 125,455 | 124,750 |
| Total Taxation | 2,664,548 | 2,696,866 | 2,694,975 |
| Land Revenue. | | | |
| SALES | 1,098,686 | 1,252,308 | 1,063,423 |
| ANNUAL LAND REVENUE— | | | |
| Interest on Land conditionally purchased .. | 123,091 | 120,853 | 120,000 |
| Pastoral Occupation | 1,079,534 | 896,757 | 825,900 |
| Mining Occupation | 43,961 | 96,128 | 79,000 |
| Miscellaneous Land Receipts | 33,723 | 37,609 | 44,500 |
| | 1,280,309 | 1,151,347 | 1,069,400 |
| Total Land Revenue.. .. . | 2,378,995 | 2,403,655 | 2,132,823 |
| Receipts for Services rendered. | | | |
| Railway Receipts | 2,510,335 | 2,752,000 | 2,828,910 |
| Post Office | 524,298 | 563,504 | 589,250 |
| Mint Receipts | 10,328 | 10,383 | 10,000 |
| Fees for Escort and Conveyance of Gold.. | 759 | 520 | 500 |
| Pilotage, Harbour, and Light Rates and Fees .. | 49,389 | 60,827 | 58,000 |
| Registration of Brands | 1,077 | 1,345 | 1,225 |
| Public School Fees | 64,424 | 65,215 | 70,000 |
| Metropolitan Water Rates .. .. . | ..... | 113,312 | 134,000 |
| Hunter River Water Rates .. .. . | ..... | 1,500 | 6,000 |
| Transfer from Rabbit Account Assessment .. | ..... | ..... | 40,000 |
| Fees of Office | 85,297 | 91,019 | 91,000 |
| Total Receipts for Services rendered .. | 3,245,907 | 3,659,625 | 3,828,885 |
| General Miscellaneous Receipts. | | | |
| Rents, exclusive of Land | 51,095 | 62,567 | 66,257 |
| Fines and Forfeitures | 18,355 | 17,211 | 18,750 |
| Unclassified Receipts | 223,910 | 200,444 | 171,955 |
| Total Miscellaneous Receipts | 293,360 | 280,222 | 256,962 |
| Grand Totals | £ 8,582,810 | 9,040,368 | 8,913,645 |

REVENUE DETAILED.

| Head of Receipt. | Revenue of 1887. | Actual and Estimated Revenue of 1888. | | | Estimated Revenue for 1889. |
|---|------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------------|
| | | Actual to 30 Sept. | Estimated to 31 Dec. | Total. | |
| Taxation. | | | | | |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| CUSTOMS— | | | | | |
| Spirits | 758,925 | 612,526 | 215,900 | 827,526 | 840,000 |
| Wine | 45,106 | 38,069 | 13,500 | 51,569 | 52,000 |
| Ale, Beer, and Porter | 69,190 | 56,628 | 22,000 | 78,628 | 79,000 |
| Tobacco and Cigars | 181,127 | 155,891 | 54,000 | 209,891 | 210,000 |
| Tea | 106,726 | 79,410 | 30,000 | 109,410 | 100,000 |
| Sugar and Molasses | 134,899 | 88,226 | 35,000 | 123,226 | 135,000 |
| Coffee and Chicory | 13,069 | 8,381 | 3,500 | 11,881 | 13,000 |
| Opium | 21,692 | 16,654 | 6,000 | 22,654 | 23,000 |
| Malt | 5,908 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Hops | 7,548 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Rice | 18,468 | 13,518 | 4,700 | 18,218 | 18,500 |
| Dried Fruits | 56,247 | 37,482 | 23,000 | 60,482 | 61,000 |
| Ad valorem Duties | 227,131 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Specific Duties | 357,083 | 298,825 | 105,000 | 403,825 | 410,000 |
| Bonded Warehouses | 8,766 | 6,416 | 2,000 | 8,416 | 8,500 |
| Rent of Goods in Queen's Warehouses, &c. | 62 | 18 | 8 | 26 | 25 |
| | 2,011,947 | 1,412,044 | 513,708 | 1,925,752 | 1,950,025 |
| EXCISE— | | | | | |
| Duty on Spirits distilled in the Colony | 10,754 | 10,031 | 4,000 | 14,031 | 14,000 |
| Duty on Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes | 128,756 | 100,746 | 36,000 | 136,746 | 140,000 |
| Tobacco Factory License Fees... .. | 1,344 | 1,102 | 275 | 1,377 | 1,200 |
| Ale, Beer, and Porter | 63,566 | 79,505 | 34,000 | 113,505 | 115,000 |
| | 204,420 | 191,384 | 74,275 | 265,659 | 270,200 |
| STAMPS | 321,749 | 293,000 | 87,000 | 380,000 | 350,000 |
| LICENSES— | | | | | |
| Wholesale Spirit-dealers and Brewers... | 8,810 | 7,270 | 1,300 | 8,570 | 9,000 |
| Auctioneers | 4,565 | 3,509 | 2,250 | 5,759 | 5,000 |
| Retail Fermented and Spirituous Liquors | 96,521 | 88,982 | 8,000 | 96,982 | 97,000 |
| Billiard and Bagatelle Licenses | 8,660 | 4,238 | 2,000 | 6,238 | 6,000 |
| Distillers and Rectifiers | 75 | 51 | 24 | 75 | 100 |
| Hawkers and Pedlars | 2,451 | 2,425 | 150 | 2,575 | 2,500 |
| Pawnbrokers | 750 | 522 | 200 | 722 | 700 |
| Colonial Wine, Cider, and Perry Licenses | 1,274 | 1,084 | 240 | 1,324 | 1,300 |
| Licenses under the Gunpowder Act of 1876 | 636 | 356 | 300 | 656 | 650 |
| Licenses to sell Tobacco | 2,086 | 1,661 | 340 | 2,001 | 2,000 |
| All other Licenses | 604 | 378 | 175 | 553 | 500 |
| | 126,432 | 110,476 | 14,979 | 125,455 | 124,750 |
| TOTAL TAXATION £ | 2,664,548 | 2,006,904 | 689,962 | 2,696,866 | 2,694,975 |

REVENUE DETAILED—*continued.*

| Head of Receipt. | Revenue of 1887. | Actual and Estimated Revenue of 1888. | | | Estimated Revenue for 1889. |
|---|------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | Actual to 30 Sept. | Estimated to 31 Dec. | Total. | |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Land Revenue. | | | | | |
| SALES— | | | | | |
| Auction Sales | 172,553 | 106,176 | 270,614 | 376,790 | 200,000 |
| Improvement and Special Purchases ... | 166,118 | 62,695 | 20,228 | 82,923 | 50,000 |
| Deposits on Conditional Purchases ... | 90,520 | 76,142 | 23,858 | 100,000 | 100,000 |
| Instalments (including Interest) on Conditional Purchases ... | 561,496 | 561,766 | 15,453 | 577,219 | 608,423 |
| Balances on Conditional Purchases ... | 97,085 | 84,423 | 7,500 | 91,923 | 90,000 |
| Miscellaneous Purchases | 10,914 | 19,453 | 4,000 | 23,453 | 15,000 |
| TOTAL REVENUE FROM LAND SALES £ | 1,098,686 | 910,655 | 341,653 | 1,252,308 | 1,063,423 |
| Annual Land Revenue. | | | | | |
| INTEREST ON LAND CONDITIONALLY PURCHASED | 123,091 | 111,353 | 9,500 | 120,853 | 120,000 |
| PASTORAL OCCUPATION— | | | | | |
| Pastoral Leases (Runs) | 644,279 | 460,160 | 43,138 | 503,298 | 470,000 |
| Conditional Leases | 67,974 | 49,647 | 29,248 | 78,895 | 85,000 |
| Annual Leases | 17,648 | 9,429 | 11,700 | 21,129 | 30,000 |
| Occupation Licenses | 329,010 | 56,516 | 210,000 | 266,516 | 210,000 |
| Homestead Leases | 20,167 | 22,438 | 3,599 | 26,037 | 30,000 |
| Quit Rents | 456 | 787 | 95 | 882 | 900 |
| | 1,079,534 | 598,977 | 297,780 | 896,757 | 825,900 |
| MINING OCCUPATION— | | | | | |
| Mineral Leases | 26,754 | 53,466 | 11,000 | 64,466 | 50,000 |
| Mineral Licenses | 2,250 | 4,624 | 900 | 5,524 | 5,000 |
| Leases of Auriferous Lands | 7,878 | 11,756 | 3,000 | 14,756 | 13,000 |
| Miners' Rights | 5,453 | 7,214 | 570 | 7,784 | 8,000 |
| Business Licenses | 1,626 | 3,098 | 500 | 3,598 | 3,000 |
| | 43,961 | 80,158 | 15,970 | 96,128 | 79,000 |
| MISCELLANEOUS LAND RECEIPTS— | | | | | |
| Timber Licenses, Royalty | 6,719 | 7,932 | 5,670 | 13,602 | 20,000 |
| Fees on Transfer of Runs | 836 | 537 | 120 | 657 | 500 |
| Fees on Preparation and Enrolment of Title-deeds | 4,127 | 2,622 | 728 | 3,350 | 4,000 |
| All other Receipts | 22,041 | 19,340 | 660 | 20,000 | 20,000 |
| | 33,723 | 30,431 | 7,178 | 37,609 | 44,500 |
| TOTAL ANNUAL LAND REVENUE £ | 1,280,309 | 820,919 | 330,428 | 1,151,347 | 1,069,400 |

REVENUE DETAILED—*continued.*

| Head of Receipt. | Revenue of 1887. | Actual and Estimated Revenue of 1888. | | | Estimated Revenue for 1889. |
|---|------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------------|
| | | Actual to 30 Sept. | Estimated to 31 Dec. | Total. | |
| | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| Receipts for Services rendered. | | | | | |
| RAILWAYS— | | | | | |
| Railways Proper... .. | 2,284,975 | 1,691,937 | 820,063 | 2,512,000 | 2,570,000 |
| Tramways | 225,360 | 178,580 | 61,420 | 240,000 | 258,910 |
| | 2,510,335 | 1,870,517 | 881,483 | 2,752,000 | 2,828,910 |
| POST OFFICE— | | | | | |
| Postage | 341,768 | 273,256 | 93,000 | 366,256 | 383,000 |
| Telegraph Receipts | 167,612 | 136,435 | 45,000 | 181,435 | 190,000 |
| Commission on Money Orders ... | 14,918 | 11,588 | 4,225 | 15,813 | 16,250 |
| | 524,298 | 421,279 | 142,225 | 563,504 | 589,250 |
| MINT RECEIPTS | 10,328 | 7,883 | 2,500 | 10,383 | 10,000 |
| FEES FOR ESCORT AND CONVEYANCE OF GOLD | 759 | 339 | 181 | 520 | 500 |
| PILOTAGE, HARBOUR, AND LIGHT RATES AND FEES | 49,389 | 46,827 | 14,000 | 60,827 | 58,000 |
| REGISTRATION OF BRANDS... | 1,077 | 1,015 | 300 | 1,345 | 1,225 |
| PUBLIC SCHOOL FEES | 64,424 | 47,915 | 17,300 | 65,215 | 70,000 |
| METROPOLITAN WATER RATES ... .. | ..... | 53,312 | 60,000 | 113,312 | 134,000 |
| HUNTER RIVER WATER RATES ... .. | ..... | ..... | 1,500 | 1,500 | 6,000 |
| TRANSFER FROM RABBIT ACCOUNT—ASSESSMENT ... .. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 40,000 |
| FEES OF OFFICE— | | | | | |
| Certificates of Naturalization | 114 | 79 | 31 | 110 | 100 |
| Registrar-General | 33,485 | 29,048 | 7,750 | 36,798 | 34,500 |
| Prothonotary of Supreme Court | 7,471 | 5,122 | 1,900 | 7,022 | 7,500 |
| Master in Equity | 1,733 | 1,718 | 600 | 2,318 | 2,500 |
| Curator of Intestate Estates | 1,541 | 823 | 320 | 1,143 | 1,400 |
| Bankruptcy Court | 4,284 | 2,655 | 1,550 | 4,205 | 5,000 |
| Sheriff | 2,369 | 1,455 | 584 | 1,989 | 2,000 |
| District Courts | 8,173 | 5,396 | 1,900 | 7,296 | 8,500 |
| Courts of Petty Sessions | 9,038 | 6,368 | 2,500 | 8,868 | 10,000 |
| Shipping Masters | 2,610 | 1,950 | 650 | 2,600 | 2,500 |
| Mining Department | 1,098 | 1,867 | 500 | 2,367 | 2,000 |
| Other Fees | 13,381 | 5,303 | 11,000 | 16,303 | 15,000 |
| | 85,297 | 61,784 | 29,235 | 91,019 | 91,000 |
| TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR SERVICES RENDERED £ | 3,245,907 | 2,510,901 | 1,148,724 | 3,659,625 | 3,828,835 |

REVENUE DETAILED—*continued.*

| Head of Receipt. | Revenue of 1887. | Actual and Estimated Revenue of 1888. | | | Estimated Revenue for 1889. |
|--|------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------|-----------------------------|
| | | Actual to 30 Sept. | Estimated to 31 Dec. | Total. | |
| General Miscellaneous Receipts. | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| RENTS, EXCLUSIVE OF LAND— | | | | | |
| Tolls and Ferries | 6,957 | 5,848 | 1,877 | 7,725 | 7,890 |
| Wharfs | 35,817 | 35,580 | 12,433 | 48,013 | 51,567 |
| Government Buildings and Premises ... | 8,321 | 5,129 | 1,700 | 6,829 | 6,800 |
| | 51,095 | 46,557 | 16,010 | 62,567 | 66,257 |
| FINES AND FORFEITURES— | | | | | |
| Sheriff | 1,459 | 1,077 | 170 | 1,247 | 1,300 |
| Courts of Petty Sessions | 15,485 | 10,584 | 4,000 | 14,584 | 16,000 |
| Crown's Share of Seizures, &c. ... | 953 | 341 | 50 | 391 | 400 |
| Confiscated and Unclaimed Property ... | 30 | 57 | 20 | 77 | 50 |
| Other Fines | 428 | 802 | 110 | 912 | 1,000 |
| | 18,355 | 12,861 | 4,350 | 17,211 | 18,750 |
| UNCLASSIFIED RECEIPTS— | | | | | |
| Transfer from Public Instruction Endowment Account | 13,716 | ..... | 12,000 | 12,000 | 12,000 |
| Sale of Government Property | 5,888 | 5,182 | 1,950 | 7,132 | 7,000 |
| Support of Patients in Lunatic Asylums | 9,464 | 6,529 | 2,750 | 9,279 | 10,000 |
| Collections by Government Printer ... | 6,441 | 4,400 | 1,430 | 5,830 | 7,250 |
| Store Rent of Gunpowder, &c.... | 12,987 | 5,078 | 2,500 | 7,578 | 9,000 |
| Value of Articles manufactured by Prisoners in Gaol, &c. | 16,022 | 18,276 | 1,000 | 19,276 | 4,000 |
| Fees on presenting Private Bills to Parliament and on Letters of Registration | 994 | 3,225 | 1,100 | 4,325 | 4,000 |
| Interest on Bank Deposits | 57,359 | 29,323 | 5,000 | 34,323 | 20,000 |
| Glebe Island Abattoir Receipts ... | 9,306 | 6,446 | 1,685 | 8,131 | 6,205 |
| Fitz Roy Dry Dock Receipts | 1,532 | 1,960 | 400 | 2,360 | 2,000 |
| Assessment on Sugar Refinery... .. | 1,500 | 750 | 750 | 1,500 | 1,500 |
| Fisheries Commission | 5,427 | 3,330 | 183 | 3,513 | 4,000 |
| Other Receipts | 83,274 | 54,197 | 31,000 | 85,197 | 85,000 |
| | 223,910 | 138,696 | 61,748 | 200,444 | 171,955 |
| TOTAL, GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS £ | 293,360 | 198,114 | 82,108 | 280,222 | 256,962 |
| Grand Totals £ | 8,582,810 | 6,447,493 | 2,592,875 | 9,040,368 | 8,913,645 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

B.

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.

STATEMENT of Appropriations and Balances of Appropriations for 1886 and previous years remaining unexpended on 30th September, 1888, retained for future Expenditure.

| Head of Service. | Amount. | Total. |
|--|-------------|------------|
| Services of 1884 and previous years. | | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Bridge at Humumbah, Barwon River (1883) | 659 5 8 | |
| Interest on Debentures and Funded Stock (1883) | 5 0 0 | |
| Corowa Court-house—Erection of (1884) | 890 0 0 | |
| Interest on Debentures and Funded Stock (1884) | 12 10 0 | |
| | | 1,566 15 8 |
| Services of 1885. | | |
| Soudan Contingent | 31 11 6 | |
| Interest on Overdraft on the Public Account, Bank of New South Wales, Sydney | 55,645 8 0 | |
| Survey of Lands—Contingencies | 202 13 11 | |
| James Brennan—Compensation for loss of Improvements, Bathurst.. | 24 0 0 | |
| Yanko Creek Cutting, on condition that a moiety of the expense is subscribed by the inhabitants of the district | 714 19 5 | |
| Roads and Bridges, general Establishment—Salaries... .. | 20 0 0 | |
| Bridge over Mehi at Telejirah | 345 6 5 | |
| Compensation for Land Resumed for New General Post Office and other Public purposes—further sum | 2,036 9 10 | |
| Interest on Debentures and Funded Stock | 233 0 0 | |
| | | 59,253 9 1 |
| Services of 1886. | | |
| Volunteer Force—Contingencies | 3,073 19 6 | |
| Immigration—Contingencies | 784 18 3 | |
| Lord Howe Island—Expenses in connection with | 343 14 10 | |
| Glebe Island Abattoirs—Contingencies | 70 17 6 | |
| Allowances for postage and stationery to Clerks of Petty Sessions, Land Agents, &c. | 6 5 0 | |
| Relief and conveyance of distressed seamen belonging to the Colony from foreign ports, &c. | 17 10 4 | |
| Unforeseen Expenses | 10 11 0 | |
| Public Cemeteries—Purchase of sites, fencing, clearing, building, &c. | 635 0 0 | |
| Compensation for land granted in error under surveys of old date ... | 670 13 3 | |
| McIntosh, Alex.—Value of land resumed, part of his conditional purchase found to contain auriferous and diamondiferous deposits | 46 14 6 | |
| Wharf—Breakwater, Shellharbour | 144 16 11 | |
| Murrumbidgee River Improvements | 57 17 7 | |
| Wharf at Menindie | 1,000 0 0 | |
| Reconstruction and improvement of wharf—Port Macquarie ... | 158 10 6 | |
| Removing obstructions—Nambuccra River | 2,632 4 11 | |
| Moruya Breakwater—Further sum | 621 4 0 | |
| Lake Macquarie Harbour Works | 144 16 11 | |
| Custom House, Sydney—Additions, further sum | 8,013 3 0 | |
| Darlinghurst Court-house—Additions | 1,194 0 3 | |
| Bourke Police-station—Erection of | 630 0 0 | |
| Cooma Court-house—Erection of, further sum | 111 15 8 | |
| Eastern Suburbs Court-house—Erection of, further sum | 740 0 0 | |
| Moama Custom House—Erection of | 28 16 3 | |
| Balranald Post and Telegraph Office—Additions | 14 3 0 | |
| Carried forward | 21,151 13 2 | 60,820 4 9 |

| Head of Service. | Amount. | Total. |
|--|---------------|--------------|
| Services of 1886—continued. | | |
| Brought forward | £ 21,151 13 2 | £ 60,820 4 9 |
| Coraki Court-house and Lock-up—Erection of | 421 5 0 | |
| Hay Police Barracks—Additions, &c. | 0 7 9 | |
| Colombo Police Station—Erection of | 98 0 0 | |
| Moruya Post and Telegraph Offices—Further sum | 65 0 0 | |
| Public Buildings, St. Leonard's—Further sum | 3,484 0 0 | |
| Court-house, Corowa—Erection of | 588 0 0 | |
| Cowra Lock-up—Erection of | 202 10 0 | |
| Ballina Post and Telegraph Office—Erection of | 80 0 0 | |
| Botanic Gardens Band-house—Erection of | 450 0 0 | |
| Public Buildings, Dubbo | 2,453 15 5 | |
| Roads and Bridges—General Establishment—Salaries | 40 0 0 | |
| Sewerage Department—Salaries | 60 16 0 | |
| Minor Roads under Department, as per Schedule | 1,749 13 4 | |
| Bridge, Kangaroo Creek | 60 2 0 | |
| Bridge, Woolgoolga Creek | 163 9 7 | |
| Bridges, Road Munderoo to Jingellic | 183 15 7 | |
| Bridge over Namoi River, Tulladunnah | 31 6 9 | |
| Bridge, Burrill Lake | 277 14 2 | |
| Bridge, William's River, at Miami | 9 9 6 | |
| Bridge between East and West Burrowa | 102 10 0 | |
| Bridge, Yanko Creek, at Bingegong Reserve, 1,319 | 80 4 3 | |
| Northern Approach to Bridge at head of Lane Cove—Navigation | 373 4 4 | |
| Road up Muscle Creek | 2 12 6 | |
| Approaches to Crown Lands and Bridges on Field of Mars Com- mon, &c. | 732 1 5 | |
| Bridge, Pudman Creek, at Rye Park | 5 18 0 | |
| Spit Road, St. Leonards to Manly, &c. | 0 1 2 | |
| Bondi, <i>via</i> Coogee, to Long Bay, &c. | 38 12 8 | |
| Bulli Road, &c. | 31 15 5 | |
| Increased amount collected at Grafton Punt; Tolls, &c. | 327 9 2 | |
| Bridge, Paddy's River Road, Walaregang to Tumbarumba | 874 17 7 | |
| Bridge, Bingall Creek, Wardell Bay | 185 9 6 | |
| Bridge, Tenterfield Creek, in Molesworth-street, Tenterfield | 1,597 11 1 | |
| Bridge, Swan Creek, road South Grafton to Ulmarra | 105 12 6 | |
| Renewal of Mullet Creek and other Bridges, South Coast Road | 226 0 11 | |
| Post Office—Salaries | 0 16 8 | |
| Department of Mines—Contingencies | 71 13 9 | |
| Purchase of Land as places of Public Recreation in certain of the Metropolitan Suburbs and in Country Towns, &c. | 14,184 10 7 | |
| Improvement and general maintenance of Public Parks and Recrea- tion Grounds | 50 0 0 | |
| Filling-up low grounds in Public Reserve, Wagga Wagga | 500 0 0 | |
| Pastures and Stock Protection Act | 8 16 8 | |
| Conservation of Water—Cost of Survey Parties, &c. | 304 10 0 | |
| Interest on debentures and funded stock | 4,487 0 0 | |
| Towards payment of Interest and extinction of the Railway Loan of 1867 (£1,000,000), 31 Vic. No. 11 | 2,210 0 0 | |
| Endowment of the Affiliated Colleges | 41 13 4 | |
| | | 58,113 19 9 |
| Surplus Revenue Account. | | |
| For the erection of a new Free Public Library | 21,796 13 4 | |
| Erection of Shipping Office, Sydney | 10,000 0 0 | |
| Sydney University—Additional buildings | 1,616 18 6 | |
| | | 33,413 11 10 |
| Total ... .. | ..... | 152,347 16 4 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

JAMES PEARSON,
Accountant.

STATEMENT showing the AMOUNTS APPROPRIATED for Services of the Year 1887; the AMOUNTS EXPENDED to 30th September, 1888; and the BALANCES on that date.

| No. of Item. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Appropriations, 1887. | | | Expenditure on account of 1887. | | | Balances on 30th September, 1888. | | |
|-----------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|---------------------------------|----|----|-----------------------------------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| No. I. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Schedule A | 18,050 | 0 | 0 | 17,994 | 17 | 8 | 55 | 2 | 4 |
| | Schedule A—Supplement | 10,757 | 10 | 5 | 10,757 | 10 | 5 | ..... |  |  |
| | Schedule B— | | | | | | | | | |
| | Pensions to Judges | 1,681 | 3 | 7 | 1,681 | 3 | 7 | ..... |  |  |
| | Political Officers | 996 | 15 | 5 | 996 | 15 | 5 | ..... |  |  |
| | Superannuated Officers | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 1 | Schedule B—Supplement | 1,611 | 6 | 3 | 1,611 | 6 | 3 | ..... |  |  |
| | Schedule C— | | | | | | | | | |
| | Church of England | 5,791 | 0 | 0 | 5,790 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| | Presbyterian Church | 702 | 0 | 0 | 702 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Wesleyan Methodist Church | 900 | 0 | 0 | 900 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Roman Catholic Church | 2,800 | 0 | 0 | 2,762 | 7 | 3 | 37 | 12 | 9 |
| No. II. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | His Excellency the Governor | 2,144 | 0 | 0 | 2,128 | 19 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 11 |
| 3 | Executive Council | 1,128 | 0 | 0 | 1,118 | 5 | 7 | 9 | 14 | 5 |
| 4 | Legislative Council | 6,415 | 0 | 0 | 5,989 | 4 | 1 | 425 | 15 | 11 |
| 5 | Legislative Assembly | 9,550 | 0 | 0 | 9,050 | 16 | 3 | 499 | 3 | 9 |
| 6 | Legislative Council and Assembly | 2,736 | 3 | 9 | 2,730 | 18 | 11 | 5 | 4 | 10 |
| 7 | Parliamentary Library | 1,815 | 0 | 0 | 1,815 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 8 | Parliamentary Reporting Staff | 4,750 | 0 | 0 | 4,631 | 19 | 3 | 118 | 0 | 9 |
| No. III. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9 | Colonial Secretary | 9,027 | 0 | 0 | 8,925 | 19 | 10 | 101 | 0 | 2 |
| 10 | Vice-President of the Executive Council and Representative of the Government in the Legislative Council | 415 | 0 | 0 | 393 | 17 | 8 | 21 | 2 | 4 |
| 11 | Aborigines Protection Board | 7,490 | 0 | 0 | 7,226 | 9 | 0 | 263 | 11 | 0 |
| | Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces— | | | | | | | | | |
| 12 | General Staff | 5,031 | 0 | 0 | 4,556 | 17 | 10 | 474 | 2 | 2 |
| 13 | Military Instructors | 3,386 | 0 | 0 | 3,386 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 14 | Artillery Force | 39,732 | 0 | 0 | 39,731 | 7 | 9 | 0 | 12 | 3 |
| 15 | Works of Defence | 4,920 | 0 | 0 | 1,967 | 16 | 5 | 2,952 | 3 | 7 |
| 16 | Volunteer Force | 81,139 | 13 | 8 | 80,994 | 14 | 4 | 144 | 19 | 4 |
| 17 | Volunteer Naval Artillery | 776 | 8 | 6 | 776 | 8 | 6 | ..... |  |  |
| 18 | Training-ship "Wolverene" | 772 | 0 | 0 | 757 | 2 | 0 | 14 | 18 | 0 |
| 19 | Naval Brigade | 5,814 | 0 | 0 | 5,779 | 1 | 11 | 34 | 18 | 1 |
| 20 | Police | 281,089 | 0 | 0 | 270,563 | 16 | 4 | 10,525 | 3 | 8 |
| | Lunacy— | | | | | | | | | |
| 21 | Official Visitors | 660 | 0 | 0 | 655 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| 22 | Hospitals for the Insane generally | 1,778 | 0 | 0 | 1,672 | 13 | 5 | 105 | 6 | 7 |
| 23 | Hospital for the Insane, Gladesville | 23,437 | 0 | 0 | 22,009 | 19 | 8 | 1,427 | 0 | 4 |
| 25 | Hospital for the Insane, Parramatta | 25,182 | 0 | 0 | 24,650 | 16 | 7 | 531 | 3 | 5 |
| 26 | Reception House for the Insane, Darlinghurst | 1,923 | 0 | 0 | 1,544 | 1 | 5 | 378 | 18 | 7 |
| 27 | Hospital for the Insane, Newcastle | 6,486 | 0 | 0 | 6,468 | 18 | 3 | 17 | 1 | 9 |
| 28 | Hospital for the Insane, Callen Park | 21,060 | 0 | 0 | 18,389 | 10 | 11 | 2,670 | 9 | 1 |
| 29 | Lunatic patients | 4,300 | 0 | 0 | 3,591 | 17 | 3 | 708 | 2 | 9 |
| 30 | Master in Lunacy | 1,826 | 0 | 0 | 1,751 | 14 | 3 | 74 | 5 | 9 |
| 31 | Medical Board | 100 | 0 | 0 | 100 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 32 | The Medical Adviser to the Government | 11,750 | 0 | 0 | 11,646 | 13 | 6 | 103 | 6 | 6 |
| 33 | Coast Hospital | 8,939 | 0 | 0 | 8,744 | 10 | 6 | 194 | 9 | 6 |
| 34 | Government Analyst... .. | 1,028 | 0 | 0 | 935 | 19 | 5 | 42 | 0 | 7 |
| 35 | Maintenance of Sick Paupers | 7,500 | 0 | 0 | 7,499 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 |
| 36 | Department of Audit... .. | 11,813 | 0 | 0 | 11,770 | 7 | 11 | 42 | 12 | 1 |
| | Carried forward | £ 642,702 | 1 | 7 | 620,703 | 6 | 5 | 21,998 | 15 | 2 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| No. of Item. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Appropriations, 1887. | | | Expenditure on account of 1887. | | | Balances on 30th September, 1888. | | |
|---------------------------|---|-----------------------|----|----|---------------------------------|----|----|-----------------------------------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | Brought forward | 642,702 | 1 | 7 | 620,703 | 6 | 5 | 21,998 | 15 | 2 |
| No. III—continued. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 37 | Registrar-General | 28,446 | 10 | 4 | 27,719 | 2 | 5 | 727 | 7 | 11 |
| 38 | Agent-General for the Colony | 5,548 | 15 | 0 | 5,430 | 8 | 7 | 118 | 6 | 5 |
| 39 | Immigration | 1,530 | 11 | 5 | 1,441 | 14 | 9 | 88 | 16 | 8 |
| 40 | City of Sydney Improvement Board | 740 | 0 | 0 | 710 | 12 | 3 | 29 | 7 | 9 |
| 41 | Charitable Institutions | 1,647 | 7 | 0 | 1,624 | 9 | 3 | 22 | 17 | 9 |
| 42 | Fisheries Commission | 6,537 | 10 | 10 | 6,252 | 8 | 0 | 285 | 2 | 10 |
| | Dairies Supervision | 73 | 2 | 4 | 72 | 19 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 10 |
| 43 | Asylums for the Infirm and Destitute | 29,636 | 1 | 8 | 29,482 | 15 | 0 | 153 | 6 | 8 |
| 44 | State Children's Relief Board | 25,065 | 0 | 0 | 24,935 | 9 | 8 | 129 | 10 | 4 |
| 45 | Fire Brigades... .. | 4,237 | 0 | 0 | 1,186 | 9 | 1 | 3,050 | 10 | 11 |
| 46 | Civil Service Board | 1,985 | 0 | 0 | 1,697 | 2 | 0 | 287 | 18 | 0 |
| 47 | Botanic Gardens | 6,174 | 15 | 0 | 6,123 | 19 | 9 | 50 | 15 | 3 |
| 48 | Nursery Garden, Campbelltown | 560 | 0 | 0 | 557 | 15 | 11 | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| 49 | Government Domains | 2,438 | 0 | 0 | 2,347 | 4 | 7 | 90 | 15 | 5 |
| 50 | Garden Palace Grounds | 1,220 | 0 | 0 | 1,150 | 0 | 8 | 69 | 19 | 4 |
| | Charitable Allowances (irrespective of date of claims) :— | | | | | | | | | |
| 51 | In aid of the Sydney Hospital, on condition of an equal amount being raised by private contributions | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 52 | In aid of the Prince Alfred Hospital, on condition of an equal amount being raised by private contributions | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 53 | For the support of Women and Children in the Benevolent Asylum, Sydney, and Infants' Home, and other similar Institutions | 4,212 | 5 | 0 | 4,212 | 5 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 54 | In aid of the Funds of the Benevolent Society, Sydney, on condition of an equal amount being raised by voluntary contributions | 500 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 500 | 0 | 0 |
| 55 | For the support of Infants removed from the Benevolent Asylum, Sydney, to the Asylum for Destitute Children at Randwick | 500 | 0 | 0 | 500 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 56 | In aid of the Deaf, Dumb, and Blind Institution, on condition of an equal amount being raised by private contributions | 450 | 0 | 0 | 450 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 57 | In aid of Charitable Institutions, on condition that an equal amount be raised by private annual contributions, and also that the Government, through Police Magistrates or other approved Officers, have the right of recommending the admission of Patients... .. | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 58 | In aid of the Home for Indigent Blind Women at Alexandria, on condition of an equal amount being raised by private contributions | 150 | 0 | 0 | 150 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 59 | In aid of the Building Funds of Country Hospitals, on the usual conditions | 1,064 | 19 | 4 | 1,064 | 19 | 4 | ..... |  |  |
| 60 | Infants' Home, Ashfield—aid, on the usual conditions | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 61 | Hospital for Sick Children, Sydney—on the usual conditions | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 62 | Special grant in aid of Broken Hill and District Hospital | 320 | 0 | 0 | 320 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 63 | Grant in aid of Orange Hospital, in consideration of £1,000 having been subscribed privately | 500 | 0 | 0 | 500 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Carried forward | £ 796,238 | 19 | 6 | 768,633 | 2 | 2 | 27,605 | 17 | 4 |

| No. of Item. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Appropriations, 1887. | Expenditure on account of 1887. | Balances on 30th September, 1888. |
|--------------|--|-----------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | Brought forward | 796,238 19 6 | 768,693 2 2 | 27,605 17 4 |
| | No. III—continued. | | | |
| 64 | Charitable Allowances—continued. Special grant in aid of Matland Hospital for a Home for training nurses | 100 0 0 | 100 0 0 | |
| 65 | Kiama Cottage Hospital—Furniture for | 100 0 0 | 100 0 0 | |
| 66 | Armidale Hospital—Female and Eye Ward, on the usual conditions | 500 0 0 | | 500 0 0 |
| 67 | In aid of the Building Fund of the Bega District Hospital, on the usual conditions | 100 0 0 | | 100 0 0 |
| | For support of Paupers in Sydney—Prince Alfred and other Hospitals | 5,000 0 0 | 5,000 0 0 | |
| | Miscellaneous Services (irrespective of date of claims):— | | | |
| 68 | For defraying Expenses of the Returning Officers of the several Electoral Districts | 14,154 8 3 | 14,154 8 3 | |
| 69 | Expenses of compiling and printing Electoral Lists and Electoral Rolls | 4,256 10 6 | 4,256 10 6 | |
| 70 | Newspapers, Almanacs, Books, &c. | 600 0 0 | 429 19 11 | 170 0 1 |
| 71 | Burial of destitute persons in cases where Inquests are not held | 500 0 0 | 378 5 8 | 121 14 4 |
| 72 | Maintenance of Deserted Children, Paupers taken charge of for protection, expenses of transmission, &c. | 956 17 3 | 956 1 11 | 0 16 4 |
| 73 | Rewards for apprehension of Offenders | 500 0 0 | 166 0 0 | 334 0 0 |
| 74 | Goodenough Royal Naval House | 200 0 0 | 200 0 0 | |
| 75 | Goodenough Royal Naval House—Special grant towards erection of a new House on the site at Dawes Point lately granted by the Government | 2,000 0 0 | 2,000 0 0 | |
| 76 | In aid of the funds of the Animals Protection Society, on condition of an equal amount being raised by private contributions | 300 0 0 | | |
| 77 | In aid of the funds of the New South Wales Zoological Society, on condition of an equal amount being raised by private subscriptions | 1,000 0 0 | 175 8 0 | 824 12 0 |
| 78 | In aid of the Royal Humane Society of Australasia | 250 0 0 | 250 0 0 | |
| 79 | Lord Howe Island—Expenses in connection with | 300 0 0 | 234 10 0 | 65 10 0 |
| 80 | To pay Municipal Rates on Government Buildings | 12,000 0 0 | 12,000 0 0 | |
| 81 | Towards publication of work on Orchids | 100 0 0 | | 100 0 0 |
| 82 | Wages for Gardeners, and Tools and incidental Expenses, for East Maitland Gaol Reserve | 138 0 0 | 128 2 0 | 9 18 0 |
| 83 | For improving the Rifle Range at Padington | 200 0 0 | 200 0 0 | |
| 84 | For quarterly Revision of Mr. Percy Dove's Plans of Sydney | 25 0 0 | 25 0 0 | |
| 85 | For formation and maintenance of Gardens at Railway Stations | 300 0 0 | 120 0 0 | 180 0 0 |
| 86 | Rent of "Moorecroft," Miller's Point, in connection with the Sydney Hospital | 300 0 0 | 300 0 0 | |
| 87 | In aid of the Agricultural Societies of the Colony, in the proportion of £1 for every £4 raised by private contributions | 20,000 0 0 | 18,104 5 7 | 1,895 14 5 |
| 88 | For planting Sand-drift at Wollongong further sum | 500 0 0 | 369 13 0 | 130 7 0 |
| | Carried forward | 860,619 15 6 | 829,581 7 0 | 32,088 8 6 |

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| No. of Item. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Appropriations, 1887. | | | Expenditure on account of 1887. | | | Balances on 30th September, 1888. | | |
|--------------|---|-----------------------|----|----|---------------------------------|----|----|-----------------------------------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | Brought forward | 860,619 | 15 | 6 | 828,581 | 7 | 0 | 32,038 | 8 | 6 |
| | No. III—continued. | | | | | | | | | |
| | <i>Miscellaneous Services—continued.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| 89 | Special grant to Country and Suburban Municipalities, equal to 5s. per £ of the total amount of the general rates collected, for the Municipal year ended 31st January, 1887 | 43,895 | 15 | 3 | 43,894 | 14 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 7 |
| 90 | Protectorate of New Guinea—Proportion of the Colony's share of expense of—as agreed at the Convention | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 91 | Towards carrying out the provisions of the "Vine Diseases Act, 1886" | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | 201 | 4 | 2 | 2,798 | 15 | 10 |
| 92 | Allowance to Clerk in charge of Friendly Societies Records | 50 | 0 | 0 | 50 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 93 | Towards the maintenance and care of the Sand-drift Works at Wollongong, to be placed at the disposal of the Trustees | 100 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 100 | 0 | 0 |
| 94 | Relief Works for, and Relief to, the Unemployed | 189,561 | 17 | 1 | 189,561 | 17 | 1 | ..... |  |  |
| 95 | Expenses in connection with the proposed Colonial and Indian Exhibition—further sum | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,327 | 4 | 4 | 672 | 15 | 8 |
| 96 | To meet the expenses of the Delegates of New South Wales to the Imperial Conference to be held in London during the present year | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 97 | Intoxicating Drink Inquiry Commission | 500 | 0 | 0 | 500 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 98 | Rent of Cottage at Bourke for Police Quarters | 140 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 140 | 0 | 0 |
| 99 | Towards the expenses of the Boys' Reformatory at Rookwood | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | 677 | 6 | 4 | 322 | 13 | 8 |
| 100 | Officer in Charge of Whitehead Torpedoes and plant | 300 | 0 | 0 | 300 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 101 | Adelaide Jubilee International Exhibition—Expenses in connection with | 13,110 | 13 | 4 | 13,110 | 13 | 4 | ..... |  |  |
| 102 | Melbourne Centennial International Exhibition Commission—Expenses in connection with | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 103 | 5,000 copies of Year Book of New South Wales—special edition | 250 | 0 | 0 | 250 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 104 | Special grant in aid of the Bathurst Rifle Association | 250 | 0 | 0 | 250 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 105 | In aid of the Agricultural Society of New South Wales | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 106 | City Night Refuge and Soup Kitchen—Special grant in aid of Building Fund | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 107 | Compensation to Captain Armstrong, late Resident Magistrate, Lord Howe Island | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 108 | Expenses incurred in connection with the Government Asylums Inquiry Board | 159 | 0 | 0 | 110 | 16 | 6 | 48 | 3 | 6 |
| 109 | Expenses of necessary preparatory work for Local Government, Property Taxation, and Electoral Bills | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | 902 | 10 | 4 | 1,097 | 9 | 8 |
| 110 | Expenses in connection with the late Protestant Orphan School | 200 | 0 | 0 | 170 | 5 | 7 | 29 | 14 | 5 |
| 111 | In aid of the Zoological Society | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Bulli Colliery Disaster—Relief to persons in distress, occasioned by the | 857 | 4 | 7 | 857 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| | New Guinea Expedition, 1885—further sum | 8 | 16 | 2 | 8 | 16 | 2 | ..... |  |  |
| | For the purchase of fifty copies of Rowley's map of New South Wales | 630 | 0 | 0 | 630 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | Carried forward | £1,133,633 | 1 | 11 | 1,096,383 | 19 | 1 | 37,249 | 2 | 10 |

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|--------------|---|-----------------------|----|----|---------------------------------|----|----|-----------------------------------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | Brought forward | 1,133,633 | 1 | 11 | 1,096,383 | 19 | 1 | 37,249 | 2 | 10 |
| | No. III—continued. | | | | | | | | | |
| | <i>Miscellaneous services—continued.</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ashpaling, Kerbing, and Guttering in front of Government Buildings, Parramatta | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Bulli Colliery Disaster—Expenses of Royal Commission of Inquiry, &c. ... | 1,046 | 0 | 0 | 1,046 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Repairs, Police Barracks, Queanbeyan... .. | 187 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 187 | 0 | 0 |
| | Purchase of Land and Premises at Cargo for Police Station | 175 | 0 | 0 | 175 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Expenses incurred in celebration of the Jubilee of Her Majesty the Queen ... | 5,066 | 12 | 1 | 5,066 | 12 | 1 | ..... |  |  |
| | Grafton Flood—Relief to Sufferers ... | 2,147 | 18 | 4 | 2,147 | 18 | 4 | ..... |  |  |
| | Richmond River Flood, Relief to Sufferers | 624 | 9 | 8 | 624 | 9 | 8 | ..... |  |  |
| | Report on the Defence Works of the Colony by Major-General Schaw, C.B. | 200 | 0 | 0 | 200 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Purchase of Relics of Captain Cook from Mr. Calvert | 1,155 | 16 | 0 | 1,155 | 16 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Crown Solicitor's Fees for advising, &c., purchase of Land | 31 | 18 | 0 | 24 | 6 | 0 | 7 | 12 | 0 |
| | To meet the abatement which should, in terms of the Civil Service Act of 1884, be deducted from the pension payable to Mr. Schwartzkoff, late Assistant Superintendent, Protestant Orphan School | 189 | 15 | 9 | 189 | 15 | 9 | ..... |  |  |
| | Valuation and Report on Land and Buildings at Parramatta | 39 | 18 | 0 | 39 | 18 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Conveyance of Members of the Municipal Association by rail during the years 1884, 1885, and 1886 | 350 | 6 | 6 | 350 | 6 | 6 | ..... |  |  |
| | Clearing Rifle Range, Susan Island, Grafton... .. | 250 | 0 | 0 | 250 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Compiling second edition of Official History of New South Wales... .. | 600 | 0 | 0 | 600 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | New Guinea Expedition—further sum... | 50 | 0 | 0 | 50 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | No. IV. | | | | | | | | | |
| 112 | Treasury | 24,972 | 14 | 2 | 24,027 | 13 | 7 | 945 | 0 | 7 |
| 113 | Stamp Duties | 4,565 | 0 | 0 | 4,540 | 11 | 2 | 24 | 8 | 10 |
| 114 | Customs | 65,702 | 18 | 4 | 64,164 | 2 | 5 | 1,538 | 15 | 11 |
| 115 | Colonial Distilleries and Refineries | 4,703 | 11 | 8 | 4,689 | 3 | 6 | 14 | 8 | 2 |
| 116 | Gold Receivers | 235 | 0 | 0 | 162 | 10 | 0 | 72 | 10 | 0 |
| 117 | Gold and Escort | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | 500 | 17 | 2 | 999 | 2 | 10 |
| 118 | Government Printer's Department... .. | 63,224 | 18 | 5 | 63,214 | 12 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 2 |
| 119 | Stores and Stationery | 124,160 | 10 | 3 | 124,027 | 8 | 7 | 133 | 1 | 8 |
| 120 | Ordnance and Barrack Department... .. | 16,749 | 0 | 0 | 16,678 | 8 | 10 | 70 | 11 | 2 |
| 121 | Board of Health | 7,496 | 0 | 0 | 7,492 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 10 |
| 122 | Board of Pharmacy | 120 | 0 | 0 | 120 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 123 | Shipping Masters | 3,247 | 0 | 0 | 3,247 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 124 | Glebe Island Abattoirs | 8,879 | 8 | 0 | 8,775 | 17 | 6 | 103 | 10 | 6 |
| | Marine Board of New South Wales:— | | | | | | | | | |
| 125 | Marine Board, Sydney | 5,171 | 0 | 0 | 5,166 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 18 | 0 |
| 126 | Local Marine Board, Newcastle | 1,720 | 0 | 0 | 1,687 | 12 | 0 | 32 | 8 | 0 |
| 127 | Harbour Masters... .. | 1,260 | 0 | 0 | 1,260 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 128 | Colonial Light-houses | 6,486 | 0 | 0 | 6,451 | 2 | 0 | 34 | 18 | 0 |
| 129 | Sea and River Pilots | 11,442 | 0 | 0 | 11,248 | 17 | 0 | 193 | 3 | 0 |
| | Carried forward | £1,493,382 | 17 | 1 | 1,456,758 | 8 | 7 | 41,624 | 8 | 6 |

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|---|--|-----------------------|----|----|---------------------------------|----|----|-----------------------------------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | Brought forward ... | 1,498,382 | 17 | 1 | 1,456,758 | 8 | 7 | 41,624 | 8 | 6 |
| No. IV—continued. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Marine Board of New South Wales—contd. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 130 | Boatmen ... | 11,246 | 0 | 0 | 10,985 | 11 | 8 | 260 | 8 | 4 |
| 131 | Telegraph Stations ... | 1,241 | 0 | 0 | 1,182 | 10 | 0 | 58 | 10 | 0 |
| 132 | Australian Coast Light-houses (irrespective of date of claims) ... | 2,500 | 0 | 0 | 1,202 | 10 | 11 | 1,297 | 9 | 1 |
| 133 | Miscellaneous (irrespective of date of claims) ... | 7,641 | 0 | 0 | 7,641 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 134 | Lifeboats ... | 1,800 | 0 | 0 | 789 | 19 | 8 | 510 | 0 | 4 |
| 135 | Public Wharves ... | 3,483 | 10 | 1 | 3,455 | 12 | 3 | 27 | 17 | 10 |
| Miscellaneous Services (irrespective of date of claims):— | | | | | | | | | | |
| 136 | Postage of Public Departments ... | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 137 | Advertising for the Public Service ... | 12,000 | 0 | 0 | 9,785 | 16 | 0 | 2,214 | 4 | 0 |
| 138 | For the transmission of Telegraphic Messages ... | 14,000 | 0 | 0 | 14,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 139 | Commission on payments in England by the Government Financial Agents ... | 4,500 | 0 | 0 | 2,986 | 3 | 10 | 1,513 | 16 | 2 |
| 140 | Insurance, &c., on English Shipments ... | 2,390 | 19 | 4 | 269 | 19 | 0 | 2,121 | 0 | 4 |
| 141 | Management of, and payment of half-yearly dividends on Inscribed Stock by the Bank of England ... | 14,000 | 0 | 0 | 13,224 | 16 | 2 | 775 | 3 | 10 |
| 142 | Exchange on Remittances within and beyond the Colony ... | 12,000 | 0 | 0 | 10,709 | 1 | 6 | 1,290 | 18 | 6 |
| 143 | Allowance for Postage and Stationery to Clerks of Petty Sessions, Land Agents, and Registrars of District Courts' ... | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,504 | 1 | 8 | 495 | 18 | 4 |
| 144 | Commission on payment of Interest on Debentures in Sydney ... | 200 | 0 | 0 | 170 | 17 | 5 | 29 | 2 | 7 |
| 145 | For the relief and conveyance of distressed Seamen belonging to the Colony from Foreign Ports or from wrecked vessels, &c. ... | 550 | 0 | 0 | 267 | 10 | 10 | 282 | 9 | 2 |
| 146 | In aid of the Sailors' Home, Newcastle ... | 350 | 0 | 0 | 350 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 147 | To subsidize Tug-boats for Northern Rivers and Harbours ... | 8,416 | 5 | 1 | 8,416 | 5 | 1 | ..... |  |  |
| 148 | To subsidize a Tug-boat, at the rate of £83 per month, for Wollongong Harbour and Port Kembla ... | 996 | 0 | 0 | 996 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 149 | For interest on Funds in the temporary possession of the Government, belonging to Suitors in Equity and Lunacy Patients ... | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | 9,569 | 9 | 10 | 430 | 10 | 2 |
| 150 | To meet Unforeseen Expenses, to be hereafter accounted for ... | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | 2,678 | 6 | 0 | 321 | 14 | 0 |
| 151 | To pay interest at 4 per cent. on the uninvested Funds at the credit of the Government Savings Bank in the Treasury during the year 1886 ... | 40,066 | 17 | 7 | 40,066 | 17 | 7 | ..... |  |  |
| 152 | To meet expenses connected with payment of Imperial Military and Naval Pensioners in the Colony ... | 421 | 0 | 0 | 421 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 153 | Advance to Treasurer—To enable the Treasurer to make advances to Public Officers, and on account of other Governments, and to pay expenses of an unforeseen nature, which will afterwards be submitted for Parliamentary appropriation. The whole amount to be adjusted not later than the 31st December, 1888 ... | 200,000 | 0 | 0 | 200,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | Carried forward ... | £1,870,685 | 9 | 2 | 1,817,431 | 18 | 0 | 53,253 | 11 | 2 |

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| No. of Item. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Appropriations, 1887. | Expenditure on account of 1887. | Balances on 30th September, 1888. |
|--------------|--|-----------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | Brought forward ... | 1,870,685 9 2 | 1,817,431 18 0 | 53,253 11 2 |
| | No. IV.—continued. | | | |
| | Miscellaneous Services (irrespective of date of claims)— <i>continued.</i> | | | |
| | To meet loss of 1s. in the £ on Oriental Bank Notes, &c., by reason of failure of that Institution ... | 313 18 5 | 286 2 8 | 27 15 9 |
| | Rent of Office for Inspectors of Public Revenue Collectors Accounts, at £125 per annum ... | 125 0 0 | 125 0 0 | ..... |
| | Legal Expenses—Privy Council Appeals, Dibbs <i>ats.</i> Bank of New South Wales, Commissioner of Railways <i>ats.</i> Hyland, Farnell <i>ats.</i> Bowman, and Commissioner of Railways <i>ats.</i> Brown ... | 300 0 0 | 300 0 0 | ..... |
| | Interest on Funds at credit of the Civil Service Superannuation Account for the year 1887 ... | 8,187 6 6 | 8,187 6 6 | ..... |
| | Premium on Debentures purchased towards the extinction of Railway Loan, 31 Victoria No. 11 ... | 1,712 5 0 | 1,712 5 0 | ..... |
| | Interest payable under Act, 50 Victoria No. 13—Municipal Council, Sydney, Sinking Fund ... | 28 6 1 | 28 6 1 | ..... |
| | No. V. | | | |
| 154 | Public Instruction under the Act, 43 Vic. No. 23 ... | 596,380 0 0 | 596,346 0 0 | 34 0 0 |
| 155 | Public Schools Cadet Corps ... | 781 0 0 | 781 0 0 | ..... |
| | Industrial Schools:— | | | |
| 156 | Nautical School-ship "Vernon" ... | 5,535 0 0 | 4,624 16 8 | 910 3 4 |
| 157 | Industrial School for Girls, Parramatta ... | 2,805 0 0 | 2,200 15 7 | 604 4 5 |
| 158 | Orphan Schools, Parramatta—Salary and gratuities, on abolition of Office to certain Officers (irrespective of date of claims) ... | 790 0 0 | 562 1 3 | 227 18 9 |
| 159 | Observatory ... | 4,700 0 0 | 4,371 1 9 | 328 18 3 |
| 160 | Museum ... | 5,700 0 0 | 5,700 0 0 | ..... |
| 161 | Technological Museum ... | 3,700 0 0 | 3,700 0 0 | ..... |
| 162 | Free Public Library ... | 7,910 0 0 | 7,782 0 10 | 127 19 2 |
| 163 | Church and School Lands ... | 2,320 0 0 | ..... | 2,320 0 0 |
| | Grants in aid of Public Institutions (irrespective of date of claims):— | | | |
| | Sydney University:— | | | |
| 164 | Apparatus for Medical School ... | 400 0 0 | 400 0 0 | ..... |
| 165 | Scientific Apparatus ... | 1,000 0 0 | 1,000 0 0 | ..... |
| 166 | For Additions, Repairs, and Furniture ... | 1,500 0 0 | 1,500 0 0 | ..... |
| 167 | For additional Endowment ... | 7,000 0 0 | 7,000 0 0 | ..... |
| 168 | To provide for the establishment of Evening Lectures (including University Extension Lectures and Lectures in Law) ... | 2,000 0 0 | 2,000 0 0 | ..... |
| 169 | Fittings for Macleay Museum ... | 1,000 0 0 | ..... | 1,000 0 0 |
| 170 | Apparatus for Department of Physics ... | 500 0 0 | 500 0 0 | ..... |
| 171 | Chair of Modern Literature ... | 900 0 0 | 900 0 0 | ..... |
| 172 | Technical Education ... | 17,000 0 0 | 17,000 0 0 | ..... |
| 173 | For purchase of Works of Art for the National Art Gallery ... | 3,000 0 0 | 3,000 0 0 | ..... |
| 174 | Towards the maintenance of the National Art Gallery ... | 2,000 0 0 | 2,000 0 0 | ..... |
| 175 | For Plans to complete Art Gallery ... | 150 0 0 | | 150 0 0 |
| | Carried forward ... | £2,548,423 5 2 | 2,489,438 14 4 | 58,984 10 10 |

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| No. of Item. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Appropriations 1887. | | Expenditure on account of 1887. | | Balances on 30th September, 1888. | |
|-------------------------|---|----------------------|-------|---------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------------|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| | Brought forward ... | 2,548,423 | 5 2 | 2,489,438 | 14 4 | 58,984 | 10 10 |
| No. V—continued. | | | | | | | |
| | Grants in aid of Public Institutions (irrespective of date of claims)— <i>continued.</i> | | | | | | |
| 176 | Erection of Quarters and necessary additions to National Art Gallery ... | 400 | 0 0 | 400 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 177 | Towards the maintenance of the Art Society of New South Wales ... | 500 | 0 0 | 500 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 178 | Linnean Society .. | 100 | 0 0 | 100 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 179 | Royal Society—Amount in proportion of £1 to every £1 raised by private contributions ... | 400 | 0 0 | 400 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 180 | Geographical Society of New South Wales—Amount in proportion of £1 to every £2 raised by private contributions ... | 200 | 0 0 | 95 | 3 2 | 104 | 16 10 |
| 181 | Sydney Grammar School—Towards increase of Salaries of Junior Teachers... | 550 | 0 0 | 550 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 182 | Sydney Grammar School—Towards maintenance of Dining Hall... | 50 | 0 0 | 50 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 183 | Sydney Grammar School—Head Master, Allowance for Quarters ... | 250 | 0 0 | 250 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 184 | Sydney Grammar School—Erecting New Closets, Lavatories, and Drill-sheds ... | 1,000 | 0 0 | 1,000 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 185 | Towards the support of the Zoological Station near Sydney, on condition of an equal amount being subscribed by the public ... | 300 | 0 0 | ..... |  | 300 | 0 0 |
| 186 | Instruction to the Blind—Amount in proportion of £2 to every £1 raised by private contributions ... | 500 | 0 0 | 500 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 187 | For providing Mechanics' Institutes and kindred Institutions with Maps, &c.... | 500 | 0 0 | 97 | 11 6 | 402 | 8 6 |
| | Grants in aid of certain Educational Institutions, in the proportion of £1 to every £2 raised by private contributions, viz. :— | | | | | | |
| 188 | Adamstown School of Arts ... | 100 | 0 0 | 24 | 4 0 | 75 | 16 0 |
| 189 | Adelong Literary Institute ... | 50 | 0 0 | 31 | 2 9 | 18 | 17 3 |
| 190 | Albury School of Arts ... | 100 | 0 0 | 84 | 15 0 | 15 | 5 0 |
| 191 | Anvil Creek ... | 12 | 0 0 | 12 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 192 | Armidale Literary Institute ... | 38 | 0 0 | ..... |  | 38 | 0 0 |
| 193 | Ashfield School of Arts ... | 50 | 0 0 | 4 | 1 3 | 45 | 18 9 |
| 194 | Ballina School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 0 | 12 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 195 | Balmain Working Men's Institute ... | 19 | 0 0 | 19 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 196 | Barraba Mechanics' Institute ... | 10 | 0 0 | ..... |  | 10 | 0 0 |
| 197 | Bathurst School of Arts ... | 150 | 0 0 | 150 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 198 | Bega School of Arts ... | 75 | 0 0 | 51 | 12 0 | 23 | 8 0 |
| 199 | Berrima School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 0 | 12 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 200 | Bingera School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 0 | 11 | 4 10 | 0 | 15 2 |
| 201 | Blayney School of Arts ... | 100 | 0 0 | ..... |  | 100 | 0 0 |
| 202 | Boat Harbour School of Arts... | 25 | 0 0 | ..... |  | 25 | 0 0 |
| 203 | Bombala School of Arts and Mechanics' Institute ... | 75 | 0 0 | 75 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 204 | Botany School of Arts ... | 100 | 0 0 | 51 | 16 6 | 48 | 3 6 |
| 205 | Bourke Mechanics' Institute... | 50 | 0 0 | 21 | 4 3 | 28 | 15 9 |
| 206 | Bowral School of Arts ... | 50 | 0 0 | 35 | 19 3 | 14 | 0 9 |
| 207 | Braidwood Literary Institute ... | 50 | 0 0 | 47 | 6 10 | 2 | 13 2 |
| 208 | Branxton Mechanics' Institute ... | 12 | 0 0 | ..... |  | 12 | 0 0 |
| 209 | Brewarrina School of Arts ... | 20 | 0 0 | 12 | 0 0 | 8 | 0 0 |
| 210 | Brushgrove School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 0 | ..... |  | 25 | 0 0 |
| 211 | Burrowa Mechanics' Institute ... | 12 | 0 0 | ..... |  | 12 | 0 0 |
| 212 | Burwood School of Arts ... | 75 | 0 0 | 60 | 9 5 | 14 | 10 7 |
| | Carried forward ... | £ | | | | | |
| | | 2,554,407 | 5 2 | 2,494,097 | 5 1 | 60,310 | 0 1 |

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| No. of Item. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Appropriations, 1887. | | | Expenditure on account of 1887. | | | Balances on 30th September, 1888. | | |
|--|--|-----------------------|----|----|---------------------------------|----|----|-----------------------------------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | Brought forward ... | 2,554,407 | 5 | 2 | 2,494,097 | 5 | 1 | 60,310 | 0 | 1 |
| No. V—continued. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Grants in aid of certain Educational Institutions—continued. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 213 | Cambewarra School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| 214 | Camden School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 215 | Candelo School of Arts ... | 38 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| 216 | Carcoar School of Arts ... | 50 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 50 | 0 | 0 |
| 217 | Casino School of Arts... .. | 30 | 0 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 218 | Cathcart School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| 219 | Charlestown Literary Institute ... | 12 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 220 | Clarencetown School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| 221 | Clifton School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 6 | 12 | 9 |
| 222 | Cobar School of Arts ... | 38 | 0 | 0 | 38 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 223 | Condobolin School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 2 | 6 | 11 | 17 | 6 |
| 224 | Cooma School of Arts... .. | 50 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 8 | 3 | 38 | 11 | 9 |
| 225 | Coonabarabran School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| 226 | Coonamble School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 2 | 9 | 4 | 17 | 3 |
| 227 | Coraki School of Arts... .. | 12 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 228 | Corowa School of Arts ... | 38 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 38 | 0 | 0 |
| 229 | Cowra School of Arts ... | 50 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 50 | 0 | 0 |
| 230 | Cudal School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| 231 | Cundleton School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| 232 | Deniliquin School of Arts ... | 75 | 0 | 0 | 73 | 15 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 11 |
| 233 | Denham School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 8 | 6 | 1 | 11 | 6 |
| 234 | Dubbo Mechanics' Institute ... | 75 | 0 | 0 | 56 | 10 | 3 | 18 | 9 | 9 |
| 235 | Dungog School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 8 | 9 | 6 | 11 | 3 |
| 236 | Eugowra School of Arts ... | 10 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 18 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 6 |
| 237 | Frederickton School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| 238 | Forbes School of Arts... .. | 50 | 0 | 0 | 33 | 0 | 6 | 16 | 19 | 6 |
| 239 | Gerrington School of Arts ... | 10 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| 240 | Gilgandra Mechanics' Institute ... | 20 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 12 | 3 | 12 | 7 | 9 |
| 241 | Gladstone School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| 242 | Glebe School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 6 | 3 | 7 | 13 | 9 |
| 243 | Glen Innes School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 18 | 9 |
| 244 | Gosford Literary Institute ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| 245 | Goulburn School of Arts ... | 150 | 0 | 0 | 107 | 1 | 6 | 42 | 18 | 6 |
| 246 | Goulburn River School of Arts ... | 20 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 16 | 6 | 7 | 3 | 6 |
| 247 | Grafton School of Arts ... | 75 | 0 | 0 | 65 | 11 | 3 | 9 | 8 | 9 |
| 248 | Grafton South School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 18 | 0 | 15 | 2 | 0 |
| 249 | Granville School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 9 | 4 | 11 | 10 | 8 |
| 250 | Grenfell School of Arts ... | 50 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 15 | 0 | 36 | 5 | 0 |
| 251 | Greta School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| 252 | Gulgong School of Arts ... | 50 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 50 | 0 | 0 |
| 253 | Gundagai Literary Institute ... | 12 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 254 | Gunnedah School of Arts ... | 50 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 38 | 19 | 9 |
| 255 | Guntawang School of Arts ... | 15 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| 256 | Hamilton School of Arts ... | 40 | 0 | 0 | 37 | 18 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| 257 | Hay Athenæum ... | 50 | 0 | 0 | 50 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 258 | Hill End School of Arts ... | 35 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 35 | 0 | 0 |
| 259 | Hinton School of Arts ... | 10 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 14 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 9 |
| 260 | Howlong School of Arts ... | 50 | 0 | 0 | 26 | 2 | 6 | 23 | 17 | 6 |
| 261 | Inverell School of Arts ... | 40 | 0 | 0 | 40 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 262 | Islington School of Arts ... | 40 | 7 | 9 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 7 | 9 |
| 263 | Jerilderie Mechanics' Institute ... | 12 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 11 | 3 | 3 | 8 | 9 |
| 264 | Jerry's Plains School of Arts... .. | 15 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 265 | Kogarah School of Arts ... | 100 | 0 | 0 | 80 | 9 | 6 | 19 | 10 | 6 |
| 266 | Lambton Mechanics' and Miners' Institute ... | 40 | 0 | 0 | 28 | 9 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 1 |
| 267 | Largs School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 268 | Larry's Flat and Kramback School of Arts ... | 50 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 50 | 0 | 0 |
| 269 | Lawrence School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 270 | Lismore... .. | 25 | 0 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 271 | Maitland East School of Arts ... | 38 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 38 | 0 | 0 |
| 272 | Maitland East Mechanics' Institute ... | 25 | 0 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | Carried forward ... | £2,556,403 | 12 | 11 | 2,495,165 | 5 | 2 | 61,238 | 7 | 9 |

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|--------------|--|-----------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | Brought forward... .. | 2,556,408 12 11 | 2,495,165 5 2 | 61,238 7 9 |
| | No. V—continued. | | | |
| | Grants in aid of certain Educational Institutions— <i>continued.</i> | | | |
| 273 | Maitland West School of Arts | 125 0 0 | 97 14 6 | 27 5 6 |
| 274 | Manilla School of Arts | 75 0 0 | 6 16 6 | 68 3 6 |
| 275 | Menindie School of Arts | 25 0 0 | 4 18 0 | 20 2 0 |
| 276 | Merriwa School of Arts | 38 0 0 | 10 14 4 | 27 5 8 |
| 277 | Milton School of Arts... .. | 15 0 0 | 7 13 9 | 7 6 3 |
| 278 | Minmi Mechanics' School of Arts | 50 0 0 | ..... | 50 0 0 |
| 279 | Mittagong School of Arts | 16 0 0 | 16 0 0 | ..... |
| 280 | Molong School of Arts | 25 0 0 | 25 0 0 | ..... |
| 281 | Mount Pleasant School of Arts | 5 0 0 | ..... | 5 0 0 |
| 282 | Moree School of Arts | 25 0 0 | 11 5 9 | 13 14 3 |
| 283 | Morpeth School of Arts | 10 0 0 | 10 0 0 | ..... |
| 284 | Moruya School of Arts | 25 0 0 | ..... | 25 0 0 |
| 285 | Mudgee School of Arts | 50 0 0 | 49 3 6 | 0 16 6 |
| 286 | Murrumburrah School of Arts | 38 0 0 | 17 13 3 | 20 6 9 |
| 287 | Murrurundi Mechanics' Institute and School of Arts | 25 0 0 | 6 7 9 | 18 12 3 |
| 288 | Murwillumbah School of Arts | 25 0 0 | 25 0 0 | ..... |
| 289 | Musclebrook School of Arts | 25 0 0 | 22 1 0 | 2 19 0 |
| 290 | Narrabri Mechanics' Institute | 12 0 0 | 12 0 0 | ..... |
| 291 | Newcastle School of Arts | 150 0 0 | 150 0 0 | ..... |
| 292 | Newcastle (Burwood) School of Arts | 50 0 0 | 50 0 0 | ..... |
| 293 | Nowra School of Arts... .. | 25 0 0 | 25 0 0 | ..... |
| 294 | Nyngan Mechanics' Institute... .. | 35 0 0 | 25 1 10 | 9 18 2 |
| 295 | O'Connell Literary Institute | 5 0 0 | 1 12 0 | 3 8 0 |
| 296 | Orange Mechanics' Institute and School of Arts | 50 0 0 | 40 19 1 | 9 0 11 |
| 297 | Panbula School of Arts | 12 0 0 | 6 6 4 | 5 13 8 |
| 298 | Parramatta School of Arts | 50 0 0 | 50 0 0 | ..... |
| 299 | Paterson School of Arts | 5 0 0 | 5 0 0 | ..... |
| 300 | Petersham Working Men's Institute... .. | 25 0 0 | ..... | 25 0 0 |
| 301 | Pilliga School of Arts... .. | 20 0 0 | 11 4 6 | 8 15 6 |
| 302 | Plattsburg Mechanics' Institute | 50 0 0 | 50 0 0 | ..... |
| 303 | Port Macquarie School of Arts | 50 0 0 | ..... | 50 0 0 |
| 304 | Queanbeyan Literary Institute | 25 0 0 | ..... | 25 0 0 |
| 305 | Quirindi School of Arts | 25 0 0 | ..... | 25 0 0 |
| 306 | Randwick School of Arts | 38 0 0 | 8 9 6 | 29 10 6 |
| 307 | Raymond Terrace School of Arts | 25 0 0 | 20 5 6 | 4 14 6 |
| 308 | Richmond School of Arts | 25 0 0 | 10 3 9 | 14 16 3 |
| 309 | Robertson School of Arts | 20 0 0 | ..... | 20 0 0 |
| 310 | Rocky Mouth Mechanics' Institute | 12 0 0 | 12 0 0 | ..... |
| 311 | St. Leonards School of Arts | 38 0 0 | 38 0 0 | ..... |
| 312 | Scone School of Arts | 12 0 0 | 12 0 0 | ..... |
| 313 | Singleton Mechanics' Institute | 50 0 0 | 50 0 0 | ..... |
| 314 | Smithtown School of Arts | 50 0 0 | ..... | 50 0 0 |
| 315 | Sofala Literary Institute | 8 0 0 | 6 11 9 | 1 8 3 |
| 316 | Stroud School of Arts... .. | 12 0 0 | 11 6 6 | 0 13 6 |
| 317 | Sydney Mechanics' School of Arts | 1,000 0 0 | 1,000 0 0 | ..... |
| 318 | Tamworth Mechanics' Institute | 25 0 0 | 14 19 9 | 10 0 3 |
| 319 | Temora School of Arts | 25 0 0 | ..... | 25 0 0 |
| 320 | Tenterfield School of Arts | 50 0 0 | 42 14 3 | 7 5 9 |
| 321 | Tighe's Hill School of Arts | 25 0 0 | ..... | 25 0 0 |
| 322 | Tumut Mechanics' Institute | 50 0 0 | ..... | 50 0 0 |
| 323 | Tumberumba Public Library and Reading Room | 12 0 0 | 9 4 6 | 2 15 6 |
| 324 | Ulmarra School of Arts | 25 0 0 | ..... | 25 0 0 |
| 325 | Uralla Literary Institute | 25 0 0 | 14 10 9 | 10 9 3 |
| 326 | Urana School of Arts | 25 0 0 | ..... | 25 0 0 |
| 327 | Vegetable Creek Mining Institute | 25 0 0 | 12 8 0 | 12 12 0 |
| 328 | Wagga Wagga Mechanics' Institute... .. | 50 0 0 | 33 6 10 | 16 13 2 |
| 329 | Walcha School of Arts | 34 17 6 | 25 0 0 | 9 17 6 |
| 330 | Walgett School of Arts | 25 0 0 | 25 0 0 | ..... |
| 331 | Wallsend School of Arts | 125 0 0 | 101 6 0 | 23 14 0 |
| | Carried forward | £2,559,401 10 5 | 2,497,350 4 4 | 62,051 6 1 |

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|--------------|---|-----------------------|-------|---------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------------|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| | Brought forward ... | 2,559,401 | 10 5 | 2,497,350 | 4 4 | 62,051 | 6 1 |
| | No. V—continued. | | | | | | |
| | Grants in aid of certain Educational Institutions—continued. | | | | | | |
| 332 | Waratah School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 0 | 12 | 0 0 | | |
| 333 | Warialda Mechanics' Institute ... | 25 | 0 0 | 21 | 7 4 | 3 | 12 8 |
| 334 | Warren Mechanics' Institute... .. | 50 | 0 0 | 19 | 16 9 | 30 | 3 3 |
| 335 | Warrumbungal School of Arts ... | 10 | 0 0 | | | 10 | 0 0 |
| 336 | Wentworth Mechanics' Institute ... | 35 | 0 0 | 32 | 2 9 | 2 | 17 3 |
| 337 | Wickham School of Arts ... | 125 | 0 0 | 125 | 0 0 | | |
| 338 | Wilcannia Athenæum and Library ... | 75 | 0 0 | 63 | 14 10 | 11 | 5 2 |
| 339 | Willoughby North School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 0 | | | 12 | 0 0 |
| 340 | Windsor School of Arts ... | 38 | 0 0 | 12 | 1 3 | 25 | 18 9 |
| 341 | Wingham School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 0 | 12 | 8 6 | 12 | 11 6 |
| 342 | Wollongong School of Arts ... | 38 | 0 0 | | | 38 | 0 0 |
| 343 | Woodburn South School of Arts ... | 10 | 0 0 | 8 | 2 6 | 1 | 17 6 |
| 344 | Woodford School of Arts ... | 25 | 0 0 | | | 25 | 0 0 |
| 345 | Wolumla School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 0 | 4 | 8 9 | 7 | 11 3 |
| 346 | Woodville School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 0 | 3 | 1 3 | 8 | 18 9 |
| 347 | Wyrallah School of Arts ... | 12 | 0 0 | | | 12 | 0 0 |
| 348 | Yass Mechanics' Institute ... | 25 | 0 0 | 19 | 17 6 | 5 | 2 6 |
| 349 | Young Mechanics' Institute ... | 50 | 0 0 | | | 50 | 0 0 |
| 350 | In aid of buildings (Educational Institutions), on like conditions ... | 1,500 | 0 0 | 1,398 | 19 0 | 101 | 1 0 |
| 351 | Howlong School of Arts—Special vote ... | 100 | 0 0 | 100 | 0 0 | | |
| | Schools of Arts generally ... | 300 | 0 0 | 297 | 12 7 | 2 | 7 5 |
| | Miscellaneous Services—Temporary Caretaker of the Government Farm, near Parramatta, at £7 10s. per month, May to December ... | 60 | 0 0 | 60 | 0 0 | | |
| | No. VI. | | | | | | |
| 352 | Department of Justice ... | 8,288 | 0 10 | 7,304 | 17 6 | 983 | 3 4 |
| 353 | Master in Equity ... | 2,919 | 0 0 | 2,919 | 0 0 | | |
| 354 | Prothonotary ... | 14,836 | 0 0 | 13,408 | 13 9 | 1,427 | 6 3 |
| 355 | Curator ... | 1,476 | 0 2 | 1,260 | 14 10 | 215 | 5 4 |
| 356 | Sheriff ... | 21,718 | 0 0 | 21,693 | 7 2 | 24 | 12 10 |
| 357 | Insolvency Court ... | 3,210 | 9 8 | 3,203 | 16 8 | 6 | 13 0 |
| 358 | District Courts ... | 9,482 | 0 0 | 9,394 | 19 2 | 87 | 0 10 |
| 359 | Coroners' Inquests ... | 5,340 | 0 4 | 5,339 | 1 11 | 0 | 18 5 |
| 360 | Petty Sessions ... | 91,285 | 1 4 | 90,834 | 10 9 | 450 | 10 7 |
| | Examiner of Patents ... | 958 | 1 0 | 958 | 0 11 | 0 | 0 1 |
| | Prisons:— | | | | | | |
| 361 | General Establishment ... | 2,435 | 0 0 | 2,351 | 9 0 | 83 | 11 0 |
| 362 | Sydney Gaol ... | 2,143 | 0 0 | 2,133 | 13 5 | 9 | 6 7 |
| 363 | Parramatta Gaol ... | 1,133 | 0 0 | 1,133 | 0 0 | | |
| 364 | Bathurst Gaol ... | 547 | 0 0 | 535 | 16 11 | 11 | 3 1 |
| 365 | Maitland Gaol ... | 582 | 0 0 | 582 | 0 0 | | |
| 366 | Goulburn Gaol ... | 996 | 0 0 | 996 | 0 0 | | |
| 367 | Berrima Gaol ... | 786 | 0 0 | 738 | 0 0 | 48 | 0 0 |
| 368 | Albury Gaol ... | 328 | 0 0 | 328 | 0 0 | | |
| 369 | Wollongong Gaol ... | 328 | 0 0 | 328 | 0 0 | | |
| 370 | Grafton Gaol ... | 328 | 0 0 | 328 | 0 0 | | |
| 371 | Mudgee Gaol ... | 328 | 0 0 | 328 | 0 0 | | |
| 372 | Armidale Gaol ... | 328 | 0 0 | 328 | 0 0 | | |
| 373 | Wagga Wagga Gaol ... | 308 | 0 0 | 306 | 6 8 | 1 | 13 4 |
| 374 | Yass Gaol ... | 308 | 0 0 | 308 | 0 0 | | |
| 375 | Deniliquin Gaol ... | 308 | 0 0 | 308 | 0 0 | | |
| 376 | Young Gaol ... | 328 | 0 0 | 327 | 19 8 | 0 | 0 4 |
| 377 | Tamworth Gaol ... | 328 | 0 0 | 323 | 0 0 | 5 | 0 0 |
| 378 | Hay Gaol ... | 328 | 0 0 | 328 | 0 0 | | |
| 379 | Dubbo Gaol ... | 308 | 0 0 | 308 | 0 0 | | |
| 380 | Biloela Gaol ... | 688 | 0 0 | | | 688 | 0 0 |
| | Carried forward ... | £2,734,631 | 3 9 | 2,668,177 | 5 8 | 66,453 | 18 1 |

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| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | Brought forward ... | 2,734,631 3 9 | 2,668,177 5 8 | 66,453 18 1 |
| No. VI—continued. | | | | |
| Prisons—continued:— | | | | |
| 381 | Glen Innes Gaol ... | 268 0 0 | ..... | 268 0 0 |
| 382 | Police Gaols—Country Districts ... | 1,060 0 0 | 998 10 0 | 61 10 0 |
| 383 | Gaols generally ... | 91,886 0 0 | 86,949 17 1 | 4,936 2 11 |
| 384 | Public Works Prison, Trial Bay ... | 860 0 0 | 661 15 0 | 198 5 0 |
| 385 | Shaftesbury Reformatory for Girls ... | 913 0 0 | 780 11 11 | 132 8 1 |
| 386 | Registrar of Copyright ... | 390 0 0 | 266 15 2 | 123 4 10 |
| Miscellaneous Services (irrespective of date of claims):— | | | | |
| 387 | Necropolis—For improving, draining, trenching, and planting ... | 1,000 0 0 | 1,000 0 0 | ..... |
| 388 | Necropolis—Travelling expenses of General Committee ... | 50 0 0 | 1 13 11 | 48 6 1 |
| 389 | Towards improvement of Cemetery, Long Bay Road ... | 200 0 0 | 200 0 0 | ..... |
| 390 | Towards improvement of Cemetery, Gore's Hill, St. Leonards ... | 250 0 0 | ..... | 250 0 0 |
| 391 | Allowances to Inspectors and Sub-Inspectors under Licensing Act, 45 Vic. No. 14 ... | 2,500 0 0 | 2,497 16 0 | 2 4 0 |
| 392 | Almanacs for Country Benches of Magistrates, Newspapers, Law Books, &c. ... | 200 0 0 | 83 10 8 | 116 9 4 |
| 393 | Circuit Courts—Fees to Presiding Judges ... | 1,076 5 0 | 1,076 5 0 | ..... |
| 394 | Allowances to Clerks to same ... | 100 0 0 | 45 0 0 | 55 0 0 |
| 395 | Charge and preparation of Books for binding in Law Library ... | 50 0 0 | 50 0 0 | ..... |
| 396 | In aid of Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society ... | 50 0 0 | 50 0 0 | ..... |
| 397 | For preparation of Boundaries for New Court and Police Districts, as required ... | 150 0 0 | 85 0 0 | 65 0 0 |
| 398 | Index to Letters of Registration ... | 50 0 0 | 50 0 0 | ..... |
| 399 | Rent of Offices for Curator of Intestate Estates ... | 312 0 0 | 312 0 0 | ..... |
| 400 | For purchase of 50 bound copies of the New South Wales Weekly Notes ... | 105 0 0 | 105 0 0 | ..... |
| 401 | Gratuity to Widow of the late Senior Warder Brayne ... | 87 0 0 | 87 0 0 | ..... |
| 402 | Gratuity to Widow of the late Alexander Charles, Overseer of Works, Parramatta Gaol ... | 105 0 0 | 105 0 0 | ..... |
| 403 | For purchase of 500 copies of Foster's Index to the Criminal Law Amendment Acts of 1883 and 1884 ... | 100 0 0 | 100 0 0 | ..... |
| 404 | For purchase of 50 copies of New South Wales Digest of Supreme Court Cases ... | 210 0 0 | 210 0 0 | ..... |
| 405 | For the purchase of the Law Library of the late Sir James Martin ... | 2,100 0 0 | 2,100 0 0 | ..... |
| 406 | Legal Expenses in connection with the Appeals to the Privy Council in the following cases:— <i>Dibbs v. Bank of New South Wales</i> , Commissioner for Railways <i>v. Hyland</i> , <i>Farnell v. Bowman</i> , and Commissioner for Railways <i>v. Brown</i> ... | 200 0 0 | 200 0 0 | ..... |
| 407 | Law Cost— <i>Samuel ats. Kirkbride</i> ... | 50 0 0 | 50 0 0 | ..... |
| 408 | Law Costs— <i>Powell ats. Apollo Candle Company</i> ... | 50 0 0 | 50 0 0 | ..... |
| 409 | Law Costs— <i>Stuart ats. Cooper</i> ... | 150 0 0 | 150 0 0 | ..... |
| | Gratuity to Widow of late Warden Casserly ... | 91 5 0 | 91 5 0 | ..... |
| | Peat's Ferry Railway Disaster, Expenses in connection with the Inquest ... | 440 0 0 | 440 0 0 | |
| | Carried forward ... | £2,839,684 13 9 | 2,766,974 5 5 | 72,710 8 4 |

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| No. of Item. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Appropriations, 1887. | Expenditure on account of 1887. | Balances on 30th September, 1888. |
|--------------|--|-----------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | Brought forward ... | 2,839,684 13 9 | 2,766,974 5 5 | 72,710 8 4 |
| | No. VII. | | | |
| 410 | Attorney-General | 5,315 0 0 | 5,311 4 7 | 3 15 5 |
| 411 | Parliamentary Draftsman | 2,317 5 0 | 2,310 6 9 | 6 18 3 |
| 412 | Crown Solicitor | 5,790 11 4 | 5,159 7 4 | 631 4 0 |
| 413 | Quarter Sessions | 27,335 0 0 | 24,532 14 9 | 2,802 5 3 |
| | Miscellaneous Services :— | | | |
| | Law Costs — Attorney-General <i>ats.</i> Borough of Newcastle | 50 0 0 | 50 0 0 | ..... |
| | Law Expenses—Australian Steam Navigation Company <i>v.</i> Burns | 12 14 5 | 12 14 5 | ..... |
| | Counsel's Fees — Attorney-General <i>v.</i> Borough of Newcastle | 125 0 0 | 125 0 0 | ..... |
| | Verdict and Costs—Fenton <i>ats.</i> Jobson | 189 18 5 | 189 18 5 | ..... |
| | Law Expenses—Counsel's Fees—Brodribb's Will Case | 25 0 0 | 25 0 0 | ..... |
| | No. VIII. | | | |
| 414 | Department of Lands and Local Land Board Offices | 80,412 6 8 | 78,166 13 9 | 2,245 12 11 |
| | To meet the abatement which should, in terms of the Civil Service Act, be deducted from the pensions payable to officers whose services have been dispensed with, in consequence of the reorganization of the Lands and Survey Departments—further sum | 3,918 0 0 | 2,806 18 1 | 1,111 1 11 |
| | Gratuities at the rate of one month's pay for each year of service to Officers of the Permanent Staff, and two weeks' pay for each year of service to Officers of the Temporary Staff, and who are not entitled to pensions, their services having been dispensed with for same reason—further sum | 3,384 12 5 | 781 17 2 | 2,602 15 3 |
| 415 | Land Agents, Appraisers, and others | 52,975 13 4 | 52,972 19 0 | 2 14 4 |
| | Miscellaneous Services (irrespective of date of claims) :— | | | |
| 416 | Public Cemeteries—Purchase of sites, fencing, clearing, building, &c. | 2,500 0 0 | 2,248 14 3 | 251 5 9 |
| 417 | Fees to Commissioners of Courts of Claims for hearing and reporting on Claims to Grants of Land in terms of the Act, 5 Wm. IV., No. 21 | 125 0 0 | ..... | 125 0 0 |
| 418 | Legal Expenses | 1,500 0 0 | 1,500 0 0 | ..... |
| 419 | Quinn, Bartholomew James—Compensation, for value of land and improvements thereon, for cancellation of his additional conditional purchase 82-62, parish of Bringelett, county of Bathurst, purchase having been cancelled under the provisions of the 45th section of the Crown Lands Act of 1884. Portion 176 of 40 acres | 76 0 0 | 76 0 0 | ..... |
| 420 | Offner, F., junior—Compensation for loss of improvements and removal of fencing on area excised from land, conditional purchase 78-21 and additional conditional purchase 78-153, district of Wellington — additional sum, £87 3s. 9d., having been voted on Supplementary Estimates, 1885 | 38 0 0 | 37 16 3 | 0 3 0 |
| | Carried forward ... | £3,025,774 15 4 | 2,943,281 10 2 | 82,493 5 2 |

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|--|--|-----------------------|----|----|---------------------------------|----|----|-----------------------------------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | Brought forward | 3,025,774 | 15 | 4 | 2,943,281 | 10 | 2 | 82,493 | 5 | 2 |
| No. VIII—continued. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Miscellaneous Services (irrespective of date of claims)— <i>continued.</i> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 421 | Williamson Chas.—Compensation for improvements made on the 6½ acres excised from his conditional purchase 77-6, parish of Boomey, county of Wellington, district of Wellington,—originally 57 acres, but reduced to 50½ acres | 31 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 31 | 0 | 0 |
| 422 | M'Donald J.—Compensation for loss of improvements made on conditional purchase 81-336, 640 acres, portion 80, parish of Dry Forest, county Denison, district Corowa | 120 | 0 | 0 | 120 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 423 | Dougharty, George—Compensation for value of improvements and refund of deposit paid on forfeited conditional purchase 76-48, district of Gunnedah, as recommended by vote of the Legislative Assembly on 28th May, 1886 | 420 | 0 | 0 | 419 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 |
| 424 | Re-vote—For planting trees in the streets of Balranald—balance of £100 granted on the 24th November, 1879, unexpended and written off | 74 | 0 | 0 | 74 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 425 | Hungerford, T.—Compensation for loss of improvements on, and for area cancelled from, his C.Ps. 74-2,490, 76-153, 76-160, and 77-91, district of Musclebrook, county of Hunter, parish Arndel | 148 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 148 | 0 | 0 |
| 426 | Starr, Charles—Compensation for loss of improvements, and for area cancelled from his C.P. 81-47, district of Wagga Wagga, county Bland, parish Tregalong | 70 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 70 | 0 | 0 |
| 427 | Thompson, John Jackson—Compensation, on account of losses sustained by him in defending the action brought against him in the Supreme Court by Messrs. Wright and Wyndham for trespass, £500, and interest at 5 per cent. to date of payment, calculated to 31st December, 1887 | 658 | 0 | 0 | 646 | 12 | 10 | 11 | 7 | 2 |
| 428 | Ireland, G.—Amount of conditional purchase money and value of improvements on conditional lease 3,439 | 91 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 91 | 0 | 0 |
| | Mate, T. H.—Compensation for value of improvements on portion 26, county Selwyn, parish Tumbarumba—the selection having been cancelled | 50 | 0 | 0 | 50 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Purchase of land, Miller-street, St. Leonards, for site for public buildings | 600 | 0 | 0 | 600 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | White, William—Compensation for improvements effected by him on forfeited conditional purchase No. 84/17, Paterson, since selected by Joseph R. Tollpee as conditional purchase 86/46 | 22 | 10 | 0 | 22 | 10 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 429 | Further sum to meet travelling expenses and fees for members of Local Land Boards and others | 10,500 | 0 | 0 | 7,992 | 15 | 0 | 2,507 | 5 | 0 |
| 430 | Survey of Lands | 315,563 | 18 | 0 | 305,490 | 17 | 1 | 10,073 | 0 | 11 |
| 431 | Triangulation and General Survey of the Colony | 22,249 | 0 | 0 | 18,933 | 14 | 4 | 3,315 | 5 | 8 |
| | Carried forward | £3,376,372 | 3 | 4 | 3,277,631 | 4 | 5 | 98,740 | 18 | 11 |

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| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | Brought forward ... | 3,376,372 3 4 | 3,277,631 4 5 | 98,740 18 11 |
| | No. IX. | | | |
| 432 | Department of Public Works ... | 6,618 0 0 | 6,236 14 0 | 376 6 0 |
| | Harbours and Rivers Navigation:— | | | |
| 433 | Engineer's Department ... | 8,894 0 0 | 8,688 6 8 | 205 13 4 |
| 434 | Fitz Roy Dock ... | 4,140 0 0 | 4,062 17 2 | 77 2 10 |
| 435 | Dredge Service ... | 79,620 10 0 | 77,183 19 2 | 2,436 10 10 |
| | Public Works—Harbours and Rivers Navigation (irrespective of date of claims):— | | | |
| 436 | Master, Launch "Ena," Newcastle ... | 293 0 0 | 293 19 9 | 4 0 3 |
| 437 | Driver, Launch "Ena," Newcastle ... | | | |
| 438 | Preliminary Harbour and River Surveys ... | 5,000 0 0 | 5,000 0 0 | ..... |
| 439 | Landing Silt from Dredge and forming Ground ... | 4,000 0 0 | 3,994 6 7 | 5 13 5 |
| 440 | Towards expenses connected with or arising out of employment of Tugs on Special Service, and for expenses connected with the Rocket Apparatus, Newcastle ... | 800 0 0 | 563 14 11 | 236 5 1 |
| 441 | Incidental and other Expenses in connection with Wharves, Bridges, and other Public Works ... | 15,000 0 0 | 14,995 0 6 | 4 19 6 |
| 442 | Towards extending and maintaining Main Road through Bullock Island, Newcastle ... | 300 0 0 | 300 0 0 | ..... |
| 443 | Repairs to Newcastle Wharf ... | 500 0 0 | 500 0 0 | ..... |
| 444 | Towards clearing and improving Darling River—further sum ... | 2,500 0 0 | 17 10 10 | 2,482 9 2 |
| 445 | For providing additional Punts for Dredges... .. | 1,000 0 0 | 617 11 5 | 382 8 7 |
| 446 | Wharf, Wiseman's Ferry ... | 500 0 0 | 329 16 4 | 170 3 8 |
| 447 | Towards protecting banks of river at West Maitland, from High-street Embankment up river about 650 yards, on condition that a like amount is subscribed privately ... | 2,300 0 0 | ..... | 2,300 0 0 |
| 448 | Towards enlarging Wingham Wharf, Manning River ... | 600 0 0 | 480 0 6 | 119 19 6 |
| 449 | Wharf, below Gundarimba, Richmond River ... | 400 0 0 | 260 8 1 | 139 11 11 |
| 450 | Wharf, Ghinni Ghinni, Manning River ... | 600 0 0 | 0 18 0 | 599 7 0 |
| 451 | Wharf, opposite Frederickton, Macleay River ... | 350 0 0 | 260 2 10 | 89 17 2 |
| 452 | Wharf, King's Creek, Clarence River ... | 300 0 0 | 114 17 7 | 185 2 5 |
| 453 | Clearing and deepening Mullet Creek ... | 500 0 0 | 481 1 10 | 18 18 2 |
| 454 | Protection of bank of Shoalhaven River at Ferrara Wharf ... | 200 0 0 | 78 2 6 | 121 17 6 |
| 455 | Extension of Gosford Wharf ... | 430 0 0 | 430 0 0 | ..... |
| 456 | Widening opening of Pymont Bridge and repairing same ... | 2,200 0 0 | 1,949 17 4 | 250 2 8 |
| 457 | Erection of Crane, Balranald Wharf ... | 130 0 0 | 14 10 0 | 115 10 0 |
| 458 | Towards supplying new Engines and Boilers, including cost of general overhaul, to s.s. "Ajax" ... | 3,000 0 0 | 3,000 0 0 | ..... |
| 459 | Wharf and Shed at Tatham, Richmond River—(Re-vote of 1884) ... | 292 0 0 | 248 10 6 | 43 9 6 |
| 460 | Master and Engineer, steam launch "Ena"—Re-vote of 1885) ... | 10 0 0 | 10 0 0 | ..... |
| 461 | White Bay reclamation—further sum ... | 2,000 0 0 | 1,789 14 7 | 210 5 5 |
| | Special remuneration to Engineer-in-Chief for Harbours and Rivers for carrying out the construction of the Sydney Water Works, at rate of £300 per annum, from 1 July, 1880, to 31 December, 1887 ... | 2,250 0 0 | 2,250 0 0 | |
| | Carried forward ... | £3,521,099 13 4 | 3,411,783 0 6 | 109,316 12 10 |

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| | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| | Brought forward ... | 3,521,099 | 13 4 | 3,411,783 | 0 6 | 109,316 | 12 10 |
| No. IX—continued. | | | | | | | |
| Public Works—Harbours and Rivers— <i>continued.</i> | | | | | | | |
| 462 | Erection of Shed, Cowper Wharf ... | 508 | 5 0 | 508 | 5 0 | ..... |  |
| | Colonial Architect ... | 16,437 | 0 0 | 16,240 | 12 5 | 196 | 7 7 |
| Public Works and Buildings—Colonial Architect (irrespective of date of claims):— | | | | | | | |
| 463 | Repairs, alterations, additions, &c., to Public Buildings generally ... | 25,000 | 0 0 | 18,486 | 4 8 | 6,513 | 15 4 |
| 464 | Furniture and Fittings for Public Offices generally ... | 10,000 | 0 0 | 9,992 | 13 0 | 7 | 7 0 |
| 465 | Gaols, Court-houses, and Lock-ups ... | 20,000 | 0 0 | 19,999 | 10 0 | 0 | 10 0 |
| 466 | Repairs to Military and Volunteer Buildings ... | 2,500 | 0 0 | 2,500 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 467 | Repairs, Furniture, &c., for Post and Telegraph Offices ... | 10,000 | 0 0 | 9,999 | 9 8 | 0 | 10 4 |
| 468 | Hard Labour—To provide Building and other Materials for completion or repair of Gaols and other Public Buildings, by the labour of Prisoners in Gaols ... | 6,500 | 0 0 | 6,500 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| 469 | Victoria Barracks, &c.—Lighting Lamps, sweeping Chimneys, emptying Privies, &c. ... | 400 | 0 0 | 197 | 5 0 | 202 | 15 0 |
| 470 | Lighting Government Lamps in streets of Sydney, the Domain, Hyde Park, &c. ... | 1,000 | 0 0 | 996 | 16 8 | 3 | 3 4 |
| 471 | Supply of Coffins for Paupers ... | 400 | 0 0 | 267 | 16 3 | 132 | 3 9 |
| 472 | Newcastle Custom-house—Gas, &c., for lighting turret clock at ... | 150 | 0 0 | 78 | 12 0 | 71 | 8 0 |
| 473 | University of Sydney—Lighting Lamps ... | 150 | 0 0 | 109 | 5 0 | 40 | 15 0 |
| 474 | Fortifications—Repairs, &c., Barracks, at the Heads, &c. ... | 500 | 0 0 | 436 | 3 11 | 63 | 16 1 |
| 475 | Macquarie Light-house—Gas, for lighting lantern, working gas-engine, &c. ... | 425 | 0 0 | 275 | 9 10 | 149 | 10 2 |
| 476 | Institutions for the Insane generally—for alterations, additions, repairs, furniture, &c. ... | 4,000 | 0 0 | 3,987 | 13 8 | 12 | 6 4 |
| 477 | Police Stations and Officers' Quarters—Erection of, &c. ... | 12,000 | 0 0 | 11,774 | 9 5 | 225 | 10 7 |
| 478 | Painting Ordnance Carriages, &c., New South Wales Artillery ... | 50 | 0 0 | ..... |  | 50 | 0 0 |
| 479 | Parliamentary Buildings—Attending to the lighting and extinguishing of gas... .. | 100 | 0 0 | ..... |  | 100 | 0 0 |
| 480 | New Lands Office, working lift ... | 300 | 0 0 | 282 | 3 5 | 17 | 16 7 |
| 481 | Post and Telegraph Offices—Purchase of sites ... | 2,000 | 0 0 | 1,132 | 10 10 | 867 | 9 2 |
| 482 | New Public Offices—Working lift ... | 415 | 0 0 | 403 | 3 8 | 11 | 16 4 |
| 483 | Lands and Survey Offices generally. (This amount is in lieu of portion of the £18,000 voted for 1885, which is not now required for expenditure as voted.) ... | 4,000 | 0 0 | ..... |  | 4,000 | 0 0 |
| 484 | Moama Lock-up—erection of ... | 1,280 | 0 0 | 320 | 0 0 | 960 | 0 0 |
| 485 | Kiandra Court-house and Lock-up—Towards erection of ... | 1,000 | 0 0 | ..... |  | 1,000 | 0 0 |
| 486 | Wellington Public Buildings ... | 650 | 0 0 | 232 | 0 0 | 418 | 0 0 |
| 487 | Eden Post and Telegraph Offices—Erection of ... | 1,200 | 0 0 | 200 | 0 0 | 1,000 | 0 0 |
| 488 | Bulahdelah Court and Watch House—Erection of ... | 2,700 | 0 0 | 300 | 0 0 | 2,400 | 0 0 |
| 489 | Victoria Barracks—Drainage ... | 1,000 | 0 0 | 365 | 0 0 | 635 | 0 0 |
| 490 | Vice-regal residence, Moss Vale—Furniture for ... | 830 | 0 0 | 830 | 0 0 | | |
| | Carried forward ... | £3,646,594 | 18 4 | 3,518,198 | 4 11 | 128,396 | 13 5 |

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| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | Brought forward ... | 3,646,594 | 18 | 4 | 3,518,198 | 4 | 11 | 128,396 | 13 | 5 |
| No. IX—continued. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Public Works and Buildings — Colonial Architect—continued. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 491 | Warren Court-house—Additions ... | 1,300 | 0 | 0 | 680 | 0 | 0 | 620 | 0 | 0 |
| 492 | Silverton Court-house, &c.—Erection of—further sum ... | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | 1,200 | 0 | 0 | 300 | 0 | 0 |
| 493 | Leichhardt Post and Telegraph Office—Erection of ... | 2,500 | 0 | 0 | 1,400 | 0 | 0 | 1,100 | 0 | 0 |
| 494 | Campbelltown Court-house, &c.—Erection of—further sum ... | 4,142 | 0 | 0 | 2,200 | 0 | 0 | 1,942 | 0 | 0 |
| 495 | Nyngan Post and Telegraph Office—Erection of ... | 1,200 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,200 | 0 | 0 |
| 496 | Observatory—Making provision against fire ... | 600 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 600 | 0 | 0 |
| 497 | University of Sydney—Making provision against fire ... | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | 399 | 18 | 3 | 1,600 | 1 | 9 |
| 498 | Summer Hill Post and Telegraph Office—Erection of ... | 339 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 339 | 0 | 0 |
| 499 | To meet the cost of Photographs of Public Works and Buildings in the City and Colony generally, and copying plans by the Ferro-prussiate process... | 500 | 0 | 0 | 296 | 11 | 8 | 203 | 8 | 4 |
| 500 | Broughton Creek Court-house—Erection of ... | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,500 | 0 | 0 |
| 501 | Court-house, Eastern Suburbs—further sum ... | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2,000 | 0 | 0 |
| 502 | Immigration Barracks—Alterations and additions, for Supreme Court purposes, and Coroner's and Patents Offices ... | 5,900 | 0 | 0 | 4,467 | 15 | 0 | 1,432 | 5 | 0 |
| 503 | Purchase of Site for Police Station, Broadwater, Richmond River... | 50 | 0 | 0 | 50 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 504 | Purchase of Land at Tarago for site for Police Station ... | 140 | 0 | 0 | 140 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 505 | Parramatta Industrial School—Additions, &c. ... | 789 | 0 | 0 | 789 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 506 | Minor Towns—Erection of Post and Telegraph Offices in ... | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | 92 | 0 | 0 | 908 | 0 | 0 |
| 507 | Cobargo—Erection of Post and Telegraph Offices in ... | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,000 | 0 | 0 |
| 508 | Hamilton—Erection of Post and Telegraph Offices in ... | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,500 | 0 | 0 |
| 509 | Tumberumba—Erection of Post and Telegraph Offices in ... | 1,200 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,200 | 0 | 0 |
| 510 | Crookwell—Erection of Post and Telegraph Offices in—further sum ... | 500 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 500 | 0 | 0 |
| 511 | Pilliga—Erection of Post and Telegraph Offices in—further sum ... | 250 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 250 | 0 | 0 |
| 512 | Richmond—Additions, Post and Telegraph Office—further sum ... | 500 | 0 | 0 | 494 | 10 | 0 | 5 | 10 | 0 |
| 513 | Gabo Island—Erection of Quarters for Telegraph Operator—half cost; the other half to be defrayed by the Government of Victoria ... | 800 | 0 | 0 | 800 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Retiring allowance to Alex. Houison, Temporary Foreman of Works ... | 237 | 16 | 2 | 237 | 16 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Resumption of land, Wagga Wagga, as a site for Post and Telegraph Office ... | 4,328 | 3 | 6 | 4,328 | 3 | 6 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Merriwa Court-house—(Re-vote of 1883) ... | 128 | 0 | 0 | 128 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Towards site new Court-house and Public Buildings, Glen Innes—(Re-vote of 1885) ... | 9 | 10 | 0 | 9 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| | Carried forward ... | £3,682,508 | 8 | 0 | 3,535,911 | 9 | 6 | 146,596 | 18 | 6 |

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| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | Brought forward | 3,682,508 | 8 | 0 | 3,535,911 | 9 | 6 | 146,596 | 18 | 6 |
| No. IX—continued. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Roads and Bridges :— | | | | | | | | | |
| 514 | General Establishment | 8,751 | 13 | 4 | 8,700 | 15 | 5 | 50 | 17 | 11 |
| 515 | Superintendents in Field | 29,509 | 0 | 0 | 22,213 | 16 | 8 | 7,295 | 3 | 4 |
| 516 | Sewerage—Construction and Maintenance | 4,381 | 0 | 0 | 3,795 | 3 | 4 | 585 | 16 | 8 |
| | Roads and Bridges—Construction and Maintenance—outside Municipal limits (irrespective of date of claims):— | | | | | | | | | |
| 517 | Main Northern Road—West Maitland to Armidale, 231 miles, at £20 per mile | 4,620 | 0 | 0 | 4,564 | 15 | 0 | 55 | 5 | 0 |
| 518 | Main Southern Road—Sydney to Albury, 350 miles, at £20 per mile | 7,000 | 0 | 0 | 7,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 519 | Main Western Road—Sydney to Warren, 310 miles, at £20 per mile | 6,200 | 0 | 0 | 6,199 | 10 | 8 | 0 | 9 | 4 |
| 520 | Grafton, <i>via</i> Glen Innes, to Inverell, 138 miles, at £50 per mile | 6,900 | 0 | 0 | 6,899 | 19 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| 521 | Tolls, Grafton Punt | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,999 | 15 | 9 | 0 | 4 | 3 |
| 522 | Armidale to Maryland, 150 miles, at £20 per mile... .. | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | 2,997 | 10 | 11 | 2 | 9 | 1 |
| 523 | Wallerawang to Mudgee, 66 miles, at £10 per mile | 660 | 0 | 0 | 660 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 524 | Bombala, <i>via</i> Tantawanglo, to Merimbula, 54 miles, at £50 per mile | 2,700 | 0 | 0 | 2,700 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 525 | Orange, <i>via</i> Boree, to Forbes, 74 miles, at £40 per mile | 2,960 | 0 | 0 | 2,960 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 526 | } Goulburn to Cooma, 69 miles, at £40 per mile... .. | 2,760 | 0 | 0 | 3,729 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 |
| 527 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Goulburn to Cooma, 48½ miles, at £20 per mile... .. | 970 | 0 | 0 |
| 528 | Tarago to Braidwood, 36 miles, at £40 per mile... .. | 1,440 | 0 | 0 | 1,440 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 529 | Bathurst to Blayney, 22 miles, at £20 per mile... .. | 440 | 0 | 0 | 440 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 530 | Blayney to Grenfell, 72 miles, at £20 per mile... .. | 1,440 | 0 | 0 | 1,440 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 531 | Port Jackson to Peat's Ferry | 1,200 | 0 | 0 | 1,200 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 532 | Main South Coast Road, 24 miles, at £50 per mile | 1,200 | 0 | 0 | 1,199 | 13 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 6 |
| 533 | Sydney and Cook's River Road, in lieu of Tolls | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Roads and Bridges generally (irrespective of date of claims):— | | | | | | | | | |
| 534 | Contingent Work on Roads under Department | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | 14,955 | 15 | 5 | 44 | 4 | 7 |
| 535 | Expenses of working Punts, and maintaining Approaches | 7,000 | 0 | 0 | 6,999 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 18 | 4 |
| 536 | Repair and painting Bridges | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | 9,984 | 0 | 9 | 15 | 19 | 3 |
| 537 | Conveyance of Officers' Equipment and Materials by Railway | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 538 | Rent of Offices in country districts | 500 | 0 | 0 | 499 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 |
| 539 | Minor Roads under Department, as per Schedule, not including any road within Municipal limits | 310,000 | 0 | 0 | 299,284 | 3 | 0 | 10,715 | 17 | 0 |
| 540 | Unclassified Roads | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | 23,570 | 17 | 4 | 1,429 | 2 | 8 |
| 541 | Minor Roads under Trustees, as per Schedule | 30,000 | 0 | 0 | 29,653 | 1 | 7 | 346 | 18 | 5 |
| 542 | Cost of obtaining Reports and other contingent expenses | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | 1,036 | 8 | 11 | 463 | 11 | 1 |
| 543 | Bridge over Half-way Creek, on Road South Grafton to Corindi | 300 | 0 | 0 | 179 | 7 | 1 | 120 | 12 | 11 |
| | Carried forward | £4,175,940 | 1 | 4 | 4,008,214 | 6 | 9 | 167,725 | 14 | 7 |

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| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | Brought forward ... | 4,175,940 | 1 | 4 | 4,008,214 | 6 | 9 | 167,725 | 14 | 7 |
| No. IX—continued. | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Roads and Bridges generally—continued.</i> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 544 | Bridge, Manarum Creek, on Road Boat Harbour to Raleigh Mill ... | 400 | 0 | 0 | 384 | 15 | 5 | 15 | 4 | 7 |
| 545 | Bridge over Creek, on Road Uralla to Walcha ... | 540 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 540 | 0 | 0 |
| 546 | Bridge, Ohio Creek, Road Walcha, via Emu Creek and Mihi Creek, to Armidale ... | 700 | 0 | 0 | 700 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 547 | Bridge, Three and Five Mile Warnambrooks, near Walgett Road ... | 3,600 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 3,600 | 0 | 0 |
| 548 | Bridge, Big River, at Meroe ... | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | 560 | 0 | 0 | 940 | 0 | 0 |
| 549 | Bridge over Greenbah Creek, on Road Moree to Meroe ... | 1,200 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,200 | 0 | 0 |
| 550 | Bridge, Wallis Creek, Trappaud Road... | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | 592 | 3 | 10 | 407 | 16 | 2 |
| 551 | Bridge, Quarrybylong ... | 650 | 0 | 0 | 362 | 18 | 9 | 287 | 1 | 3 |
| 552 | Bridge, Lahey's Creek, at Faulkner's ... | 400 | 0 | 0 | 400 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 553 | Bridge, Cooyal Creek, Road Cudjegang to Home Rule ... | 450 | 0 | 0 | 450 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 554 | Bridge over Reedy Creek, on Road Rylstone to Bylong ... | 500 | 0 | 0 | 300 | 0 | 0 | 200 | 0 | 0 |
| 555 | Bridge over Dilga Creek, Road Cumnock to Baldorogery ... | 300 | 0 | 0 | 300 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 556 | Bridges over Juniper's Flat and Caloola Creeks, on Road from Rockley and Tuena Road to Caloola and Trunkey Road ... | 440 | 0 | 0 | 368 | 10 | 0 | 71 | 10 | 0 |
| 557 | Bridge, Nag's Head Road, Grenfell to Forbes ... | 500 | 0 | 0 | 500 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 558 | Cowra Bridge—Substituting Iron Cylinders for Timber Piers and putting Footway (Reconstruction) ... | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | 96 | 9 | 10 | 2,903 | 10 | 2 |
| 559 | Bridge, Mandagery Creek, at Eugoura ... | 750 | 0 | 0 | 578 | 14 | 8 | 171 | 5 | 4 |
| 560 | Bridge, Snake Valley Creek, Road Mutton's Falls to Oberon ... | 300 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 300 | 0 | 0 |
| 561 | Bridge, Fish River, near Oberon ... | 800 | 0 | 0 | 400 | 0 | 0 | 400 | 0 | 0 |
| 562 | Bridge, Minamurra Creek ... | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 1,000 | 0 | 0 |
| 563 | Bridge, Broughton Mill Creek ... | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 564 | Bridge over Creek, near Canoona ... | 550 | 0 | 0 | 388 | 0 | 0 | 162 | 0 | 0 |
| 565 | Bridge over Victoria Creek, on Road Pitman's Bridge to Wagonga Heads ... | 400 | 0 | 0 | 400 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 566 | Bridge, Murramarang Creek, Brooman Road ... | 300 | 0 | 0 | 253 | 13 | 7 | 41 | 6 | 5 |
| 567 | Bridge, Dignam's Creek, on Road Bodalla to Dignam's Creek ... | 900 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 900 | 0 | 0 |
| 568 | Bridge over Jones' Creek, Road Gundagai to Bongongolong—further sum... | 400 | 0 | 0 | 400 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 569 | Bridge at Wallbundry ... | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | 98 | 10 | 0 | 901 | 10 | 0 |
| 570 | Bridge, Billabong, at Mahonga ... | 250 | 0 | 0 | 250 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 571 | Bridge, Billabong Creek, at Little Billabong ... | 350 | 0 | 0 | 242 | 8 | 0 | 107 | 12 | 0 |
| 572 | Bridge, Little Forest Creek Road, Deniliquin to Urana ... | 500 | 0 | 0 | 477 | 11 | 4 | 22 | 8 | 8 |
| 573 | Bridge and Approaches, near Menindie Creek, west side of Darling River ... | 600 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 600 | 0 | 0 |
| 574 | Bridge and Approaches, Yampoola Creek, near Menindie ... | 800 | 0 | 0 | 236 | 0 | 0 | 564 | 0 | 0 |
| 575 | Bridge and Approaches, Three-mile Creek, Road Wilcannia to Wentworth ... | 800 | 0 | 0 | 774 | 16 | 5 | 25 | 3 | 7 |
| 576 | Road, Wilson's Downfall to Acacia Creek ... | 700 | 0 | 0 | 687 | 4 | 10 | 12 | 15 | 2 |
| 577 | Road, Brunswick to Ballina, via Byron's Bay and North Creek ... | 700 | 0 | 0 | 277 | 16 | 6 | 422 | 3 | 6 |
| 578 | Roads, &c., Inverell District ... | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | Carried forward ... | £ 4,204,720 | 1 | 4 | 4,021,198 | 11 | 11 | 183,521 | 1 | 5 |

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| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | Brought forward | 4,204,720 1 4 | 4,021,198 19 11 | 183,521 1 5 |
| | No. IX—continued. | | | |
| | <i>Roads and Bridges generally—continued.</i> | | | |
| 579 | Roads, Punts, &c., Lower Clarence ... | 1,000 0 0 | 1,000 0 0 | ..... |
| 580 | Road, Tinonce to Wingham | 500 0 0 | 493 6 6 | 6 13 6 |
| 581 | Road, Raymond Terrace Punt, to Morpeth Road | 500 0 0 | 500 0 0 | ..... |
| 582 | Improvement of Letterbox Road, Cooper-nook | 200 0 0 | 200 0 0 | ..... |
| 583 | Road from Railway Station to West Bourke Bridges | 2,500 0 0 | 2,500 0 0 | ..... |
| 584 | Road, Cobar to Bourke | 400 0 0 | 338 9 10 | 61 10 2 |
| 585 | Road, Gulgong to Coolah | 1,000 0 0 | 1,000 0 0 | ..... |
| 586 | Completion of cutting up Colo Rock ... | 440 0 0 | 440 0 0 | ..... |
| 587 | Road, Lithgow, to Vale of Clwydd ... | 500 0 0 | 500 0 0 | ..... |
| 588 | Road, Warren to Coonamble | 420 0 0 | 420 0 0 | ..... |
| 589 | Metalling Road, Middle to Upper Temora | 330 0 0 | 330 0 0 | ..... |
| 590 | Road, Milton and Bateman's Bay Road, via Burrill | 1,300 0 0 | 444 4 0 | 855 16 0 |
| 591 | Road, Eden to Clarke's Selection, at the Old Hut | 500 0 0 | 325 18 6 | 174 1 6 |
| 592 | Road, Dry River to Bermagui | 500 0 0 | 448 8 6 | 51 11 6 |
| 593 | Metalling Road, Hornsby to Parramatta, being an approach to both Railway Stations | 1,800 0 0 | 1,599 12 5 | 200 7 7 |
| 594 | Pymont Bridge Road, between Parramatta Road and Orphan School Road.. | 700 0 0 | 1,700 0 0 | ..... |
| 595 | Road, Croydon to Hurstville | 150 0 0 | 133 12 0 | 16 8 0 |
| 596 | Half-way House, Kogarah to George's River Ferry | 150 0 0 | 150 0 0 | ..... |
| 597 | Road, Miller-street, via Abattoirs and Weston-street, to Iron Cove Bridge... | 600 0 0 | 599 16 6 | 0 3 6 |
| 598 | Road, Abattoirs to "White Bay Hotel" | 500 0 0 | 500 0 0 | ..... |
| 599 | Road, Petersham to Abattoirs | 800 0 0 | 799 18 8 | 0 1 4 |
| 600 | Road along Bondi Sewer, to complete link with Military Road | 2,000 0 0 | 2,000 0 0 | ..... |
| 601 | Punt, Croki | 500 0 0 | 500 0 0 | ..... |
| 602 | Punt, Carathoul Ferry | 400 0 0 | 400 0 0 | ..... |
| | Tanks and Wells— | | | |
| 603 | Tank at Broken Hill, Silverton District... | 3,000 0 0 | 3,000 0 0 | ..... |
| 604 | Tank, Menindie towards Silverton ... | 4,000 0 0 | 916 0 0 | 3,084 0 0 |
| 605 | Fencing Special Lease Areas | 10,000 0 0 | 6,698 13 9 | 3,301 6 3 |
| 606 | Pipes, Cobar Reservoir | 2,500 0 0 | ..... | 2,500 0 0 |
| 607 | Maintenance | 4,500 0 0 | 4,497 8 9 | 2 11 3 |
| 608 | New Bridge and Approaches, Bullock Island | 7,500 0 0 | 39 0 4 | 7,460 19 8 |
| 609 | Bridge over Gravin Creek, on the Great Northern Road | 4,000 0 0 | 200 2 0 | 3,799 18 0 |
| 610 | Additional to Votes for 1887, already passed for the several classes of Roads. | 100,000 0 0 | 88,950 12 11 | 11,049 7 1 |
| 611 | Hay Bridge Tolls—omitted from Estimates-in-Chief | 600 0 0 | 313 1 5 | 256 18 7 |
| | Main-street, Emmaville—Re-vote of 1885 | 6 8 11 | 6 8 11 | ..... |
| | Moiety of expenses for maintenance of Echuca Railway Bridge, July, 1886 to June, 1887 | 456 14 2 | 456 14 2 | ..... |
| | Main Roads within Municipalities (irrespective of date of claims):— | | | |
| 612 | Main Northern Road— | | | |
| | Within limits of Muswellbrook, South Singleton, Singleton, Armidale, Tamworth, and Uralla, 14 miles, at £25 per mile | 1,369 0 0 | 1,369 0 0 | ..... |
| | In lieu of Tolls to be divided between Morpeth and East and West Maitland | | | |
| | Carried forward | £4,361,342 4 5 | 4,144,999 9 1 | 216,342 15 4 |

STATEMENT—*continued.*

| No. of Item. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Appropriations, 1887. | | | Expenditure on account of 1887. | | | Balances on 30th September, 1888. | | |
|--|--|-----------------------|----|----|---------------------------------|----|----|-----------------------------------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | Brought forward | 4,361,342 | 4 | 5 | 4,144,999 | 9 | 1 | 216,342 | 15 | 4 |
| No. IX.—continued. | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Main Roads within Municipalities—continued.</i> | | | | | | | | | | |
| 613 | Main Southern Road— Within limits of Ashfield, Burwood, Liverpool, Goulburn, Yass, and Albury, 35 miles, at £25 per mile. In lieu of Tolls to be divided between Municipalities—Sydney to Liverpool | 2,562 | 0 | 0 | 2,562 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 614 | Main Western Road— Within limits of Glebe, Camperdown, Leichhardt, Petersham, Five Dock, Ashfield, Burwood, Concord, Granville, Parramatta, Prospect, and Sherwood, Penrith, Bathurst, Orange, Wellington, Molong, and Dubbo, 28 miles, at £25 per mile. In lieu of Tolls to be divided between Municipalities, Glebe to Parramatta | 3,006 | 0 | 0 | 2,978 | 14 | 10 | 27 | 5 | 2 |
| 615 | Grafton, <i>via</i> Glen Innes, to Inverell, 7 miles, at £50 per mile... .. | 350 | 0 | 0 | 350 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 616 | Armidale to Maryland, 10½ miles, at £25 per mile | 262 | 0 | 0 | 225 | 0 | 0 | 37 | 0 | 0 |
| 617 | Wallerawang to Mudgee—Within limits of Cudgegong and Mudgee, 9 miles, at £25 per mile | 225 | 0 | 0 | 225 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 618 | Orange to Forbes—Within limits of Forbes, 7 miles, at £50 per mile | 350 | 0 | 0 | 350 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 619 | Goulburn to Cooma, 5½ miles, at £25 per mile... .. | 137 | 0 | 0 | 137 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 620 | Bathurst to Blayney—Within limits of Blayney, ½ mile, at £25 per mile | 12 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 621 | Blayney, <i>via</i> Cowra to Grenfell—Within limits of Blayney, Carcoar, and Grenfell, 4 miles, at £50 per mile | 200 | 0 | 0 | 200 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 622 | Main South Coast Road— Within limits of Campbelltown, North Illawarra, Wollongong, Central Illawarra, Shellharbour, Kiama, Gerringong, Broughton Creek, and Bomaderry, Nowra, and Ulladulla, 76 miles, at £50 per mile... | 3,800 | 0 | 0 | 3,797 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 0 |
| 623 | Sydney and Cook's River Roads—Within limits of Newtown, Petersham, Marrickville, and St. Peters | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 624 | Port Jackson to Peat's Ferry—Within limits of St. Leonards, East St. Leonards, Victoria, and North Willoughby... .. | 800 | 0 | 0 | 800 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 625 | South Head Roads | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 626 | Iron Cove Bridge to Ryde, <i>via</i> Gladesville—Within limits of Balmain, Five Dock, Hunter's Hill, and Ryde | 800 | 0 | 0 | 800 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 627 | Lighting Belmore Bridge | 60 | 0 | 0 | 60 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Carried forward | £4,380,906 | 4 | 5 | 4,164,496 | 12 | 11 | 216,409 | 11 | 6 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| No. of Item. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Appropriations, 1887. | | | Expenditure on account of 1887. | | | Balances on 30th September, 1888. | | |
|---------------------------|---|-----------------------|----|----|---------------------------------|----|----|-----------------------------------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | Brought forward | 4,380,906 | 4 | 5 | 4,164,496 | 12 | 11 | 216,409 | 11 | 6 |
| No. IX.—continued. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | RE-VOTE, 1883— | | | | | | | | | |
| 628 | Bridge, Bombi, at Yarrawa | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | 121 | 16 | 0 | 2,878 | 4 | 0 |
| | RE-VOTES, 1884:— | | | | | | | | | |
| 629 | Road, Mandurama to Galley Swamp ... | 135 | 0 | 0 | 135 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 630 | Cross Roads Merimbula Road to Tathra Road | 525 | 0 | 0 | 525 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | RE-VOTE, 1885— | | | | | | | | | |
| 631 | Spring Hill—deviation at foot of Jam-beroo Mountain | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Sewerage Department— | | | | | | | | | |
| 632 | Covering in existing ditch, Regent-street to Abercrombie-street... .. | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 633 | Resumption of Land on Paddington side of Comber-street sewer, refused to be paid by Paddington | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 3,000 | 0 | 0 |
| 634 | Storm-water Channel, Rushcutters' Bay. | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | 3,742 | 5 | 5 | 257 | 14 | 7 |
| 635 | Surveys, Suburban Sewerage | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | 350 | 6 | 1 | 2,649 | 13 | 11 |
| 636 | Extension of Collecting Sewer from Liverpool-street to Comber-street—ironwork and supervision—further sum | 300 | 0 | 0 | 300 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Railways and Tramways:— | | | | | | | | | |
| 637 | General Establishment | 9,685 | 0 | 0 | 9,154 | 18 | 10 | 530 | 1 | 2 |
| 638 | Engineering Establishment—Works in Progress | 17,757 | 0 | 0 | 14,668 | 2 | 10 | 3,088 | 17 | 2 |
| 639 | Existing Lines—Working Expenses ... | 1,680,242 | 0 | 0 | 1,677,693 | 16 | 10 | 2,548 | 3 | 2 |
| | Miscellaneous (irrespective of date of claims):— | | | | | | | | | |
| 640 | Advances to Contractors—Vote to be recouped as Advances are recovered... | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 641 | Gratuity to widow and child of M. Moore, late fireman, who was killed while in performance of his duty ... | 150 | 0 | 0 | 150 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 642 | Gratuity to widow and child of J. Cumberland, late porter, West Maitland, who was killed while in performance of his duty | 150 | 0 | 0 | 150 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 643 | Gratuity to widow and two children of J. Bourke, late porter, Blayney, who was killed while in performance of his duty | 200 | 0 | 0 | 200 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| 644 | Gratuity to widow and two children of J. R. Simpson, late porter, Croydon, who was killed while in performance of his duty | 200 | 0 | 0 | 200 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| | Carried forward | £6,108,250 | 4 | 5 | 5,876,887 | 18 | 11 | 231,362 | 5 | 6 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| No. of Item. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Appropriations, 1887. | | | Expenditure on account of 1887. | | | Balances on 30th September, 1888. | | |
|----------------|---|-----------------------|----|----|---------------------------------|-------|-------|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | Brought forward | 6,108,250 | 4 | 5 | 5,876,887 | 18 | 11 | 231,362 | 5 | 6 |
| No. X. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 645 | Post Office (including conveyance of Mails) | 452,546 | 0 | 0 | 447,859 | 17 | 0 | 5,186 | 3 | 0 |
| 646 | Money Order and Government Savings Bank Department | 13,468 | 0 | 0 | 12,130 | 7 | 5 | 1,337 | 12 | 7 |
| 647 | Electric Telegraph Department | 148,670 | 0 | 0 | 136,440 | 17 | 4 | 12,229 | 2 | 8 |
| 648 | Telephones | 6,955 | 0 | 0 | 4,646 | 19 | 9 | 2,308 | 0 | 3 |
| 649 | Electric Lights | 6,948 | 0 | 0 | 2,515 | 19 | 10 | 4,432 | 0 | 2 |
| 650 | British and Australian Cable Subsidy | 12,618 | 0 | 0 | 12,617 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 18 | 8 |
| No. XI. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 651 | Department of Mines | 84,073 | 14 | 1 | 73,285 | 0 | 1 | 10,788 | 14 | 0 |
| 652 | Rabbit Nuisance Act | 93,400 | 0 | 0 | 53,484 | 14 | 3 | 39,915 | 5 | 9 |
| 653 | Prevention of Scab in Sheep... .. | 17,585 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 17,585 | 0 | 0 |
| 654 | Imported Stock | 1,325 | 0 | 0 | 727 | 14 | 3 | 597 | 5 | 9 |
| 655 | Registration of Brands | 2,330 | 0 | 0 | 1,757 | 15 | 2 | 572 | 4 | 10 |
| 656 | Public Watering-places and Reserves | 14,432 | 0 | 0 | 13,606 | 0 | 1 | 825 | 19 | 11 |
| 657 | Management of Pounds and Commons | 666 | 0 | 0 | 520 | 6 | 1 | 145 | 13 | 11 |
| 658 | School of Mines and Assay Works | 750 | 0 | 0 | 221 | 16 | 9 | 528 | 3 | 3 |
| | Minor Roads Branch (irrespective of date of claims) :— | | | | | | | | | |
| 659 to 662 | To meet expenses of fencing Public Roads when proclaimed through enclosed lands | | | | | | | | | |
| | Alignment Posts for Towns | | | | | | | | | |
| | To meet claims for compensation for land taken for proclaimed Roads and extension of Streets | 7,250 | 0 | 0 | 2,353 | 18 | 5 | 4,896 | 1 | 7 |
| | For the purchase of land required for the extension of streets at Bullock Island | | | | | | | | | |
| | Miscellaneous Services (irrespective of date of claims) :— | | | | | | | | | |
| 663 | Improvement and general maintenance of Public Parks and Recreation Grounds | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | 8,856 | 10 | 0 | 1,143 | 10 | 0 |
| 664 | Improvement of Hyde, Cook, and Phillip Parks | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 665 | General improvements at National Park | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 666 | For the purposes of the Pastures and Stock Protection Act | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | 9,196 | 14 | 2 | 803 | 5 | 10 |
| 667 | Fencing Travelling Stock Reserve through Police Paddock, Wilcannia | 213 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 213 | 0 | 0 |
| 668 | To defray costs of clearing prickly-pears from waste Crown Lands | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | 339 | 10 | 6 | 1,660 | 9 | 6 |
| 669 | Reclamation of Sand-drift at Newcastle | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,109 | 0 | 0 | 2,891 | 0 | 0 |
| 670 | Additional amount required in connection with construction of a dam in Robertson Park, Orange | 631 | 0 | 0 | 370 | 0 | 0 | 261 | 0 | 0 |
| 671 | Improvement of Wentworth Park | 750 | 0 | 0 | 750 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Rabbit Nuisance Act—Rabbit-proof fence from Bourke to Queensland border, and to meet claims for subsidies | 108,000 | 0 | 0 | 107,422 | 13 | 4 | 577 | 6 | 8 |
| | Improvements of Recreation Reserves and Parks at Goulburn | 500 | 0 | 0 | 500 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Expenses connected with removal of minerals from Adelaide Exhibition to Centennial Exhibition... .. | 50 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 50 | 0 | 0 |
| | Brought forward | £7,112,410 | 18 | 6 | 6,772,100 | 14 | 8 | 340,310 | 3 | 10 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| No. of Item. | HEAD OF SERVICE. | Appropriations, 1887. | | | Expenditure on account of 1887. | | | Balances on 30th September, 1888. | | |
|--------------|---|-----------------------|-----------|----------|---------------------------------|-----------|----------|-----------------------------------|----------|----------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | Brought forward | 7,112,410 | 18 | 6 | 6,772,100 | 14 | 8 | 340,310 | 3 | 10 |
| | Special Appropriations. | | | | | | | | | |
| | Interest on Debentures and Funded Stock... | 1,644,080 | 0 | 0 | 1,615,571 | 10 | 4 | 29,108 | 9 | 8 |
| | Towards the payment of Interest and Ex- tinction of the Railway Loan of 1867 (£1,000,000), 31 Vic. No. 11. | 70,000 | 0 | 0 | 62,497 | 10 | 0 | 7,502 | 10 | 0 |
| | Drawbacks and Refund of Duties | 79,180 | 4 | 9 | 79,180 | 4 | 9 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Revenue and Receipts Returned | 150,000 | 0 | 0 | 124,819 | 7 | 9 | 25,180 | 12 | 3 |
| | Charges on Collections | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | 2,774 | 11 | 10 | 1,225 | 8 | 2 |
| | Endowment of the University of Sydney ... | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Endowment of the Australian Museum ... | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Endowment of the Sydney Grammar School | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Endowment of the Affiliated Colleges ... | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Endowment under the Municipalities Act ... | 28,242 | 3 | 3 | 28,242 | 3 | 3 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Endowment of the Civil Service Super- annuation Account, 3rd instalment ... | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates ... | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | 923 | 7 | 8 | 576 | 12 | 4 |
| | Judges under the District Courts Act ... | 10,500 | 0 | 0 | 10,500 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Sydney Branch of the Royal Mint... .. | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Pensions under the Superannuation Act Repeal Act of 1873 | 6,513 | 0 | 0 | 5,365 | 17 | 5 | 1,147 | 2 | 7 |
| | Endowment of the Municipal Council of Sydney, 43 Vic. No. 3 | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Endowment under the Fire Brigades Act, 47 Vic. No. 3 | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | 5,439 | 6 | 8 | 560 | 13 | 4 |
| | Commissioners of Customs, 42 Vic. No. 19... | 600 | 0 | 0 | 597 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 15 | 7 |
| | Advances in aid of Civil Service Super- annuation Repeal Fund, 36 Vic. No. 29 | 135 | 16 | 11 | 135 | 16 | 11 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Expenses of Parliamentary Witnesses, 45 Vic. No. 5... .. | 300 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 4 | 0 | 285 | 16 | 0 |
| | Expenses under the Civil Service Act, 48 Vic. No. 24 | 600 | 0 | 0 | 500 | 0 | 0 | 100 | 0 | 0 |
| | Preliminary Expenses Municipalities | 591 | 1 | 6 | 591 | 1 | 6 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | State House and Centennial Park, Act 51 Vic. No. 9... .. | *50,000 | 0 | 0 | 50,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Judge under Bankruptcy Act 51 Vic. No. 12 | 999 | 9 | 2 | 999 | 9 | 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | Towards cost of repairing damage done to Minor and Unclassified Roads by heavy rains, Act 50 Vic. No. 33 | 40,000 | 0 | 0 | 39,311 | 12 | 9 | 688 | 7 | 3 |
| | For the Construction of Tanks, Wells, and Dams, 50 Vic. No. 37 | 30,000 | 0 | 0 | 19,468 | 7 | 3 | 10,531 | 12 | 9 |
| | TOTAL | £9,305,252 | 14 | 1 | 8,888,032 | 10 | 4 | 417,220 | 3 | 9 |
| | <i>Less—</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| | Church and School Lands £2,320 0 0 | | | | | | | | | |
| | Prevention of Scab in Sheep and Rabbit Nuisance Act ... 57,500 0 0 | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 59,820 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 59,820 | 0 | 0 |
| | GRAND TOTAL | £9,245,432 | 14 | 1 | 8,888,032 | 10 | 4 | 357,400 | 3 | 9 |

* The amount appropriated under the Act for the State House and Park was £200,000, of which £50,000 appears in the account for 1887, and £150,000 in the account for 1888.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

JAMES PEARSON,
Accountant.

LOANS ACCOUNTS.

STATEMENT OF

LIABILITIES AND ASSETS

ON THE

30TH SEPTEMBER, 1888.

Loans

Dr.

STATEMENT of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS

| No. | PARTICULARS. | AMOUNT. |
|------------------------------|--|-------------------|
| OLD LOANS ACCOUNT. | | £ s. d. |
| 1 | To AMOUNT of LIABILITIES outstanding on 30th September, 1888, being Appropriations and Balances of Appropriations for Public Works and other Services authorized to be provided for by Loans, as per the accompanying Statement marked D, page 50 | 132,619 9 1 |
| GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT. | | |
| 2 | To AMOUNT of LIABILITIES outstanding on 30th September, 1888, being Appropriations and Balances of Appropriations for Public Works and other Services authorized to be provided for by Loans, as per the accompanying Statement marked D, page 66 | 17,015,278 8 2 |
| Total | | £ 17,015,278 8 2 |
| GRAND TOTAL | | £ 17,147,897 17 3 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

JAMES PEARSON,
Accountant.

Accounts.

of Loans Accounts on the 30th September, 1888.

Cr.

| No. | PARTICULARS. | AMOUNT. | TOTAL. |
|------------------------------|--|----------------|-----------------|
| | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| OLD LOANS ACCOUNT. | | | |
| 1 | By Cash in Associated Banks, Sydney, on 30th September, 1888, being part of the balance at the credit of the Public Account ... .. | ..... | 132,619 9 1 |
| GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT. | | | |
| 2 | By AMOUNTS yet to be raised by Loan under the following Loan Acts, viz.:— | | |
| | 39 Vic. No. 18 (balance) | 6,977 0 0 | |
| | 38 Vic. No. 2 } 40 Vic. No. 12 } do. 41 Vic. No. 4 } | 71,177 18 7 | |
| | 44 Vic. No. 12 do. | 8,763 13 40 | |
| | 44 Vic. No. 28 do. | 564,833 7 0 | |
| | 45 Vic. No. 22 do. | 100,483 15 9 | |
| | 46 Vic. No. 23 do. | 200,967 11 6 | |
| | 48 Vic. No. 26 do. | 6,240,026 14 1 | |
| | 50 Vic. No. 28 | 3,115,393 0 0 | |
| | 52 Vic. No. 16 | 1,390,600 0 0 | |
| | 52 Vic. No. 17 | 3,641,305 0 0 | |
| | | 15,340,528 0 9 | |
| | <i>Less</i> —Amount over-raised under Act 41 Victoria No. 7 £47,988 4 4 | | |
| | “ Amount not re- quired on account of certain balances of Loan Appropri- ations written off 101,953 9 10 | | |
| | “ Savings restored ... 9,226 17 1 | | |
| | <u>92,726 12 9</u> | | |
| | | 140,714 17 1 | 15,199,819 3 8 |
| | By Balance in the Associated Banks General Loans Account | £ | 1,815,465 4 6 |
| | TOTAL | £ | 17,015,278 8 2 |
| | GRAND TOTAL | £ | 17,147,897 17 3 |

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

D.

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR SERVICES AUTHORIZED TO BE PROVIDED FOR BY LOANS, from the year 1853 to the year 1888, both inclusive, showing the expenditure under each head up to the 30th September, 1888, and the balances written off or retained for future expenditure.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | |
|-------|--|---|--|--------------|---|
| | | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. |
| | | OLD LOANS ACCOUNT. | | | |
| | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1853 | 200,000 0 0 | 17 VICTORIA, No. 34. Sewerage of the City of Sydney | 200,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 200,000 0 0 | 17 VICTORIA, No. 35. Supply of Water to the City of Sydney ... | 200,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| 1854 | 30,000 0 0 | 18 VICTORIA, No. 35. Works of Defence at Middle Harbour and the South Head | 30,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 3,250 0 0 | Light-house at Cape Moreton | 3,247 15 0 | 2 5 0 | ..... |
| " | 20,000 0 0 | Abattoir at Glebe Island | 19,995 4 5 | 4 15 7 | ..... |
| " | 40,000 0 0 | New General Post Office | 40,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 6,000 0 0 | New Government Printing Office | 6,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 3,000 0 0 | Colonial Store ... .. | ..... | 3,000 0 0 | ..... |
| " | 600 0 0 | Signal-house at Newcastle | 579 13 6 | 20 6 6 | ..... |
| " | 6,000 0 0 | New Water Police Office at Sydney | 5,868 0 5 | 131 19 7 | ..... |
| " | 4,000 0 0 | New Water Police Watch House at Sydney | 3,615 6 6 | 384 13 6 | ..... |
| " | 6,000 0 0 | Mounted Patrol Barracks and Stables at Sydney | 5,729 12 5 | 270 7 7 | ..... |
| " | 5,000 0 0 | Police Station at the Southern end of Sydney | 4,179 5 8 | 820 14 4 | ..... |
| " | 750 0 0 | Watch House at Balmain | 750 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 400 0 0 | Watch House on the North Shore | 400 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,350 0 0 | Watch House at Darlinghurst | 1,350 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 300 0 0 | Watch House at Newtown | 125 18 8 | 174 1 4 | ..... |
| " | 4,000 0 0 | Police Station at Newcastle | 3,032 8 5 | 967 11 7 | ..... |
| " | 2,000 0 0 | Court House at Camden | 2,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,200 0 0 | Court and Watch House at Queanbeyan, with out-buildings | 1,200 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 3,500 0 0 | Court House at Ipswich | 3,500 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,600 0 0 | Watch House at Ipswich | 1,600 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,500 0 0 | Public Wharf at the end of Erskine-street in Sydney | 1,500 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,000 0 0 | Dam at the North Rocks, Parramatta | 5,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 2,000 0 0 | Bridge at Menangle Ford | 2,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 7,000 0 0 | Bridge over the Macquarie River at Bathurst | 7,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 2,300 0 0 | Bridge over the Belubula Rivulet at Carcoar | 2,300 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 4,000 0 0 | Bridge over the Bargo River | 4,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 3,000 0 0 | Bridge over Paddy's River | 3,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 4,000 0 0 | Bridge at Gunning | 1,776 3 3 | 2,223 16 9 | ..... |
| " | 7,000 0 0 | Bridge at Queanbeyan | 6,103 2 8 | 896 17 4 | ..... |
| " | 4,000 0 0 | Bridge over the Yugiong Creek | 4,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| | 178,750 0 0 | | 169,852 10 11 | 8,897 9 1 | ..... |
| " | 400,000 0 0 | 18 VICTORIA, No. 40. Construction of Railways | 400,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 224,733 18 8 | Purchase of the Properties of the Sydney Railway, and of the Hunter River Railway Companies | 224,733 18 8 | ..... | ..... |
| | 624,733 18 8 | | 624,733 18 8 | ..... | ..... |
| 1855 | 40,000 0 0 | 19 VICTORIA, Nos. 25, 33, AND 40. Improvements to the Navigation of the River Hunter, and to the Ports of Newcastle and Morpeth | 39,999 4 5 | ..... | 0 15 7 |
| " | 50,000 0 0 | Works of Defence in Sydney Harbour, including the purchase of land at Kiribilli Point | 50,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| £ | 90,000 0 0 | Carried forward | £ 89,999 4 5 | ..... | 0 15 7 |
| £ | 1,203,483 18 8 | Carried forward | £ 1,194,586 9 7 | 8,897 9 1 | ..... |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | | | | | |
|-------|--|----|----|--|--|--------------|---|--------|--------|----|---|--------|----|---|
| | £ | s. | d. | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | | | | | | |
| | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
| | 1,203,483 | 18 | 8 | Brought forward | 1,194,586 | 9 | 7 | 8,897 | 9 | 1 | | | | |
| | | | | OLD LOANS ACCOUNT—continued. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | 19 VICTORIA, Nos. 25, 38, AND 40—continued. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 90,000 | 0 | 0 | Brought forward | 89,999 | 4 | 5 | | | | | 0 | 15 | 7 |
| 1855 | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | Gaol at Brisbane | 13,317 | 17 | 7 | 6,682 | 2 | 5 | | | | |
| " | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | Court House at Wollongong | 1,935 | 14 | 9 | 64 | 5 | 3 | | | | |
| " | 600 | 0 | 0 | Court and Watch House at Wingham, on the Manning River | 600 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 600 | 0 | 0 | Court House at Deniliquin | 600 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 7,000 | 0 | 0 | Building for a Time-ball, for an Observatory, and residence of an Astronomer... .. | 7,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | Additions to the present building of the Legislative Council, to provide accommodation for two Houses of Parliament | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | Site for the Sydney Grammar School | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 1,600 | 0 | 0 | Site for the Light-house at Newcastle | 1,600 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Survey of the River Hunter... .. | 870 | 8 | 4 | 129 | 11 | 8 | | | | |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Clearing the Channel of the River Murray... .. | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Clearing the Channel of the Murrumbidgee River | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 10,450 | 0 | 0 | Steam Dredge and Punt for the River Brisbane | 337 | 18 | 2 | 10,112 | 1 | 10 | | | | |
| " | 8,000 | 0 | 0 | Dam at Hunt's Creek, Parramatta | 8,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 3,757 | 0 | 0 | Providing a supply of Fresh Water for the Township of Gladstone | 3,101 | 19 | 0 | 655 | 1 | 0 | | | | |
| " | 14,516 | 0 | 0 | Fitz Roy Dock and Dockyard and Workshops and Machinery | 14,516 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 62,500 | 0 | 0 | Railway—Sydney to Liverpool; and Railway, Newcastle to Maitland | 62,499 | 10 | 0 | | | | | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| " | 50,000 | 0 | 0 | Surveys, Experiments, and Preparations for the Extension of Railways | 49,997 | 19 | 7 | | | | | 2 | 0 | 5 |
| " | 1,100 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over the Macquarie River at Bathurst | 1,100 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 200 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over Paddy's River | 196 | 13 | 6 | 3 | 6 | 6 | | | | |
| " | 50,000 | 0 | 0 | Buildings of the University of Sydney | 50,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Affiliated Colleges:— | | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | St. Paul's | 17,452 | 8 | 10 | | | | | 2,547 | 11 | 2 |
| " | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | St. John's | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | St. Andrew's | 14,129 | 17 | 9 | | | | | 5,870 | 2 | 3 |
| " | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | Wesleyan | | | | | | | | 20,000 | 0 | 0 |
| | 445,323 | 0 | 0 | | 399,255 | 11 | 11 | 17,646 | 8 | 8 | | 28,420 | 19 | 5 |
| | | | | 20 VICTORIA, No. 1. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1856 | 200,000 | 0 | 0 | Railway Works | 200,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 73,776 | 0 | 0 | To pay off Land and Immigration Debentures falling due in 1856 | 67,100 | 6 | 2 | 6,675 | 13 | 10 | | | | |
| | 273,776 | 0 | 0 | | 267,100 | 6 | 2 | 6,675 | 13 | 10 | | | | |
| | | | | 20 VICTORIA, No. 16. | | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 130,400 | 0 | 0 | To pay off Debentures falling due in 1857... .. | 130,400 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| | | | | 20 VICTORIA, No. 33. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1857 | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | Dockyard, Buildings, and Machinery, at the Dry Dock, Cockatoo Island | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 2,500 | 0 | 0 | Light-house at Newcastle | 2,500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Providing additional accommodation for Patients at the Sydney Infirmary | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | Court House at East Maitland | 3,492 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 19 | 9 | | | | |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Asylum for Destitute Children | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| " | 38,000 | 0 | 0 | Connecting the Cities of Sydney and Melbourne by Electric Telegraph | 38,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| £ | 60,000 | 0 | 0 | Carried forward | £ | 59,992 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 19 | 9 | | | |
| £ | 2,052,982 | 18 | 8 | Carried forward... .. | £ | 1,991,342 | 7 | 8 | 33,219 | 11 | 7 | 28,420 | 19 | 5 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | | | | |
|-------|--|----|----|---|--|--------------|---|--------|----|----|--------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | | | | | |
| | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | 2,052,982 | 18 | 8 | Brought forward | 1,991,342 | 7 | 8 | 33,219 | 11 | 7 | 28,420 | 19 | 5 |
| | OLD LOANS ACCOUNT—continued. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 20 VICTORIA, No. 33—continued. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 60,000 | 0 | 0 | Brought forward | 59,992 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 19 | 9 | | | |
| 1857 | 12,113 | 18 | 11 | Defences of Port Jackson | 12,113 | 18 | 11 | | | | | | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Erection and Maintenance of Light-houses on the Australian Coast | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 2,590 | 0 | 0 | Immigration Depôt, Brisbane... .. | 2,590 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 250 | 0 | 0 | Immigration Depôt at Maryborough | | | | 250 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Removing obstructions to the Navigation of the Rivers Brisbane and Bremer... .. | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 500 | 0 | 0 | Electric Telegraph, Brisbane... .. | | | | 500 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| " | 500 | 0 | 0 | Improving the Navigation of the Bar entrance of the River Mary, from the Mouth to the Township | 500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 500 | 0 | 0 | Public Wharf at Maryborough | 500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | Custom House Station at the mouth of Moreton Bay | 1,495 | 18 | 9 | 4 | 1 | 3 | | | |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Court and Watch-house at Maryborough | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 500 | 0 | 0 | Court and Watch-house at Nanango, Wide Bay | 400 | 0 | 0 | 100 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| " | 500 | 0 | 0 | Court and Watch-house at Yarrome, Wide Bay | 500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 450 | 0 | 0 | Watch-house at Gatton | 450 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | Hospital at Ipswich | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 150 | 0 | 0 | Bridge at Ipswich | 150 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 500 | 0 | 0 | Bridge, Western Suburbs, North Brisbane... .. | 500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over Lockyer's Creek... .. | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridges over other Crossings... .. | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 500 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over Laidley's Creek | 500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 1,064 | 0 | 0 | Roads, Little Liverpool Range | 1,064 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | Streets at Brisbane | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | Streets at Ipswich | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 500 | 0 | 0 | Roadway and Tank at Drayton | 500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | Road between Brisbane and Ipswich | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 400 | 0 | 0 | Road between Maryborough and Brisbane | 400 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 200 | 0 | 0 | Road purposes between the Upper Dawson and the Fitzroy Rivers, Leichhardt District... .. | 200 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over Breakfast Creek... .. | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over Norman Creek | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| | 107,717 | 18 | 11 | | 106,855 | 17 | 11 | 862 | 1 | 0 | | | |
| | 20 VICTORIA, No. 34. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 300,000 | 0 | 0 | Railway Works | 299,927 | 9 | 4 | | | | 72 | 10 | 8 |
| | 22 VICTORIA, Nos. 5 AND 26. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1858 | 125,000 | 0 | 0 | To pay off Land and Immigration Debentures which will fall due in 1858 and 1859 | 125,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| 1859 | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | To pay off Debentures for Sewerage for the City of Sydney | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | To pay off Debentures for Water for the City of Sydney | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| £ | 145,000 | 0 | 0 | | 145,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| £ | 2,605,700 | 17 | 7 | Carried forward | £2,543,125 | 14 | 11 | 34,081 | 12 | 7 | 28,493 | 10 | 1 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | | | | |
|---|--|----|----|--|--|--------------|----|--------|---|----|--------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | | | Written off. | | | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | | | |
| | 2,605,700 | 17 | 7 | Brought forward | 2,543,125 | 14 | 11 | 34,081 | 12 | 7 | 28,493 | 10 | 1 |
| OLD LOANS ACCOUNT—continued. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 22 VICTORIA, No. 22. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1858 | 712,000 | 0 | 0 | Extension of Existing Railways | 711,999 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | | | |
| " | 8,000 | 0 | 0 | Railway Trial Surveys... .. | 8,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 10,500 | 0 | 0 | Electric Telegraph, Sydney to Bathurst | 9,726 | 7 | 10 | 773 | 12 | 2 | | | |
| " | 13,000 | 0 | 0 | Electric Telegraph, Sydney to Newcastle | 13,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over the River Murray at Albury | 9,642 | 17 | 3 | 357 | 2 | 9 | | | |
| " | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | Additional Powder Magazine at Goat Island | 1,610 | 17 | 0 | 1,889 | 3 | 0 | | | |
| " | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | Dam at West Maitland | | | | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | 758,500 | 0 | 0 | | 753,980 | 0 | 1 | 4,519 | 19 | 11 | | | |
| 22 VICTORIA, No. 26. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1859 | 6,600 | 0 | 0 | Gaol at Brisbane | | | | 6,600 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Light-house at Cape St. George | 4,792 | 0 | 10 | 207 | 19 | 2 | | | |
| | 11,600 | 0 | 0 | | 4,792 | 0 | 10 | 6,807 | 19 | 2 | | | |
| 23 VICTORIA, No. 5. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| To pay off Debentures which will fall due in 1860:— | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1860 | 281,700 | 0 | 0 | Railway | 281,330 | 0 | 0 | | | | 370 | 0 | 0 |
| " | 21,000 | 0 | 0 | Public Works | 21,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 44,900 | 0 | 0 | Sydney Sewerage | 44,900 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 18,000 | 0 | 0 | Sydney Water Works | 18,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| | 365,600 | 0 | 0 | | 365,230 | 0 | 0 | | | | 370 | 0 | 0 |
| 23 VICTORIA, No. 10. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 2,100 | 0 | 0 | Construction of Coal Wharf, Newcastle | 2,100 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 800 | 0 | 0 | Steam Crane | 746 | 9 | 8 | 53 | 10 | 4 | | | |
| " | 1,882 | 0 | 0 | Glebe Island Punts | 1,882 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 2,425 | 0 | 0 | Harbour Defences | 2,425 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 4,500 | 0 | 0 | Additions to Works at Fort Macquarie | 4,496 | 15 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 9 | | | |
| " | 20,279 | 0 | 0 | Bridge to connect the Abattoirs, Glebe Island with the main land | 20,186 | 15 | 11 | 92 | 4 | 1 | | | |
| For Railway purposes— | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 1,300 | 0 | 0 | Valuation of Land... .. | 1,296 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| " | 9,021 | 0 | 0 | Works in progress—Authorized Extensions | 8,645 | 2 | 8 | 375 | 17 | 4 | | | |
| " | 23,949 | 0 | 0 | Trial Surveys | 23,941 | 1 | 8 | 7 | 13 | 4 | | | |
| " | 54,100 | 0 | 0 | New Works | 51,825 | 1 | 11 | | | | 2,274 | 13 | 1 |
| For Electric Telegraph— | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | Gundagai, <i>via</i> Wagga Wagga, to Deniliquin | 12,149 | 4 | 11 | 2,850 | 15 | 1 | | | |
| " | 3,850 | 0 | 0 | Purchase of Line from Deniliquin to Echuca | 2,798 | 12 | 10 | 1,051 | 7 | 2 | | | |
| " | 40,000 | 0 | 0 | West Maitland to the Boundary of Queensland, <i>via</i> Singleton, Scone, Murrumbidgee, Tamworth, Bendemeer, and Armidale | 34,003 | 6 | 11 | 2,846 | 7 | 10 | 3,150 | 5 | 3 |
| " | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | Extension of Western Line to Mudgee... .. | 5,233 | 11 | 0 | 766 | 9 | 0 | | | |
| " | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | Extension to Orange | 2,663 | 11 | 11 | 336 | 8 | 1 | | | |
| " | 8,700 | 0 | 0 | Gundagai to Kiandra, <i>via</i> Adelong and Tumut | 5,341 | 4 | 4 | 3,358 | 15 | 8 | | | |
| " | 10,225 | 0 | 0 | Moiety of Expense for the erection of a Light-house on Gabo Island | 10,225 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Renewal of Circular Quay | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | Pier at extension of Dowling-street... .. | 1,255 | 3 | 5 | | | | 744 | 16 | 7 |
| " | 5,200 | 0 | 0 | Extension of Wharf Accommodation, Newcastle | 5,200 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 26,892 | 0 | 0 | Improvements to Wollongong Harbour | 26,892 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 30,000 | 0 | 0 | Improvements to Kiama Harbour | 30,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Removing Obstructions to the Navigation of the Moruya River | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| £ | 277,223 | 0 | 0 | Carried forward | £ 259,306 | 2 | 5 | 11,746 | 17 | 8 | 6,169 | 19 | 11 |
| £ | 3,741,400 | 17 | 7 | Carried forward... .. | £3,667,127 | 15 | 10 | 45,409 | 11 | 8 | 28,863 | 10 | 1 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | | | | |
|-------|--|----|----|--|--|--------------|---|--------|----|----|--------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | | | | | |
| | £ | s. | d. | Brought forward | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | 3,741,400 | 17 | 7 | | 3,667,127 | 15 | 10 | 45,409 | 11 | 8 | 28,863 | 10 | 1 |
| | | | | OLD LOANS ACCOUNT—continued | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | 23 VICTORIA, No 10—continued. | | | | | | | | | |
| | 277,223 | 0 | 0 | Brought forward | £ 259,306 | 2 | 5 | 11,746 | 17 | 8 | 6,169 | 19 | 11 |
| 1860 | 2,500 | 0 | 0 | Wharf at Eden | 2,361 | 9 | 3 | 135 | 10 | 9 | | | |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Improvements to the Navigation of the Shoalhaven and Crookhaven Rivers | 4,999 | 19 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 10 | | | |
| " | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | Improvements to the Navigation of the Rivers Murray and Murrumbidgee | 1,913 | 15 | 2 | 86 | 4 | 10 | | | |
| " | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | Purchase of Alphabetical Telegraph Instruments | 1,862 | 5 | 9 | | | | 137 | 14 | 3 |
| " | 6,500 | 0 | 0 | Erection of a Light-house at Port Stephens | 6,500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 53,000 | 0 | 0 | To pay off Land and Immigration Debentures falling due in 1860 | 53,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| | 318,223 | 0 | 0 | | 329,946 | 11 | 9 | 11,968 | 14 | 1 | 6,307 | 14 | 2 |
| | | | | 24 VICTORIA, No. 24. | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | For Railway purposes— | | | | | | | | | |
| | 1,300 | 0 | 0 | Valuation of Land | 1,300 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 7,020 | 0 | 0 | Works in Progress—Authorized Extensions | 6,718 | 9 | 5 | 301 | 10 | 7 | | | |
| | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | For Electric Telegraphs— | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Deniliquin to the Eastern Boundary of South Australia, viz Moulamein, Balranald, Euston, and Wentworth | 16,821 | 8 | 6 | 8,178 | 11 | 6 | | | |
| " | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | Goulburn to Braidwood | 3,077 | 15 | 0 | 422 | 5 | 0 | 500 | 0 | 0 |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Enlargement of the Australian Museum | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 15,265 | 0 | 0 | New Wharf, Woolloomooloo Bay | 15,265 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | Improvement of Clarence and Richmond Rivers | 19,995 | 8 | 2 | 4 | 11 | 10 | | | |
| " | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | Improvements to Moruya River | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Extension of Wharf Accommodation, Newcastle | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 3,250 | 0 | 0 | Purchase of Steam Cranes | 3,250 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Construction of Northern Breakwater, Newcastle | 4,921 | 16 | 5 | 78 | 3 | 7 | | | |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Removing Obstacles to the Navigation of the River Murray | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over the Lachlan River | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 2,400 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over Tumut River, including £200 for superintendence | 2,400 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Lodging-houses and Public Room at Glebe Island | 1,244 | 18 | 8 | 3,755 | 1 | 4 | | | |
| " | 1,300 | 0 | 0 | Extension of Circular Quay for the accommodation of Harbour Steamers | 1,233 | 14 | 1 | 16 | 5 | 11 | | | |
| | 113,535 | 0 | 0 | | 100,278 | 10 | 3 | 12,756 | 9 | 9 | 500 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | 24 VICTORIA, No. 26. | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 50,000 | 0 | 0 | Assisted Immigration to this Colony | 50,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Voluntary Immigration to this Colony | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| | 55,000 | 0 | 0 | | 55,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| | | | | 25 VICTORIA, No. 19. | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Railways— | | | | | | | | | |
| | 675 | 0 | 0 | Valuation of Land | 671 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 18 | 4 | | | |
| " | 9,184 | 0 | 0 | Works in Progress—Authorized Extensions | 8,168 | 13 | 2 | 1,015 | 6 | 10 | | | |
| " | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | Northern Line to Terminus at Morpeth | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Carriage-shed and Machine-shop, and fixing an Engine Turn-table, Northern Line | 4,578 | 19 | 3 | | | | 421 | 0 | 9 |
| " | 40,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over Hunter River at Singleton | 40,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| | £ 74,859 | 0 | 0 | Carried forward | £ 73,418 | 14 | 1 | 1,019 | 5 | 2 | 421 | 0 | 9 |
| | £ 4,258,158 | 17 | 7 | Carried forward | £ 4,152,352 | 17 | 10 | 70,134 | 15 | 6 | 35,671 | 4 | 3 |

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| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | |
|-------|--|--|--|--------------|---|
| | | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. |
| | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | 4,258,158 17 7 | Brought forward | 4,152,352 17 10 | 70,184 15 6 | 35,671 4 3 |
| | | OLD LOANS ACCOUNT—continued. | | | |
| | | 25 VICTORIA, No. 19—continued. | | | |
| | 74,859 0 0 | Brought forward | 73,418 14 1 | 1,019 5 2 | 421 0 9 |
| | | <i>Railways—continued.</i> | | | |
| 1862 | 70,000 0 0 | Bridge over the Nepean River at Penrith | 70,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 688,000 0 0 | Great Southern Railway to Goulburn | 687,999 8 0 | ..... | 0 12 0 |
| " | 16,200 0 0 | Land for Great Southern Railway to Goulburn | 16,200 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 20,000 0 0 | Engines for Southern Extension | 20,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 7,000 0 0 | Trial Surveys | 7,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 30,000 0 0 | Great Western Line to the Nepean | 30,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 250,000 0 0 | Great Western Line from Penrith towards Bathurst | 250,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 250,000 0 0 | Great Northern Line towards Armidale... | 250,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 60,000 0 0 | Horse Railway Line from Blacktown to Windsor and Richmond | 60,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 10,000 0 0 | Additions and Alterations to Workshops and Stations | 9,998 7 6 | ..... | 1 12 6 |
| | | <i>Electric Telegraphs—</i> | | | |
| " | 14,000 0 0 | To the Burrangong Gold Fields | 12,825 1 9 | 1,174 18 3 | ..... |
| " | 8,400 0 0 | Tenterfield to Grafton | 5,481 3 4 | 2,918 16 8 | ..... |
| " | 4,000 0 0 | To Wollongong and Kiama | 3,375 9 3 | 624 10 9 | ..... |
| " | 4,000 0 0 | From Mudgee to Wellington | 2,651 18 7 | 1,348 1 5 | ..... |
| " | 350 0 0 | Second Wire from Scone to Muswellbrook | 330 13 4 | 19 6 8 | ..... |
| " | 700 0 0 | Second Wire from Newcastle to Singleton | 27 12 4 | 672 7 8 | ..... |
| " | 3,000 0 0 | Bridge over River at Bargo ... .. | ..... | 3,000 0 0 | ..... |
| " | 6,000 0 0 | Bridge over River Hunter at West Maitland | 6,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 24,000 0 0 | Bridge and Approaches over Murrumbidgee River at Gundagai | 24,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 8,000 0 0 | Bridge over River at Deniliquin | 8,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 10,000 0 0 | Bridge over River at Moama | 79 1 4 | 9,920 18 8 | ..... |
| " | 5,000 0 0 | Bridge over River at Nanami ... .. | ..... | 5,000 0 0 | ..... |
| " | 4,000 0 0 | Bridge over Namoi River at Narrabri | 2,950 12 10 | 1,049 7 2 | ..... |
| " | 10,000 0 0 | Police Barracks, Sydney and Country Dis- tricts | 10,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 25,000 0 0 | Free Public Library | 24,994 18 5 | ..... | 5 1 7 |
| " | 10,000 0 0 | District Courts, Sydney ... .. | ..... | ..... | 10,000 0 0 |
| " | 20,000 0 0 | Improvement of accommodation in Gaols and Penal Establishments | 13,906 11 6 | ..... | 6,093 8 6 |
| " | 3,000 0 0 | Improvements to Shoalhaven River | 3,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,000 0 0 | Improvements to Moruya River | 5,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,000 0 0 | Extension of Wharf accommodation at New- castle | 5,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 3,400 0 0 | Purchase of Steam Cranes | 3,396 0 7 | 3 19 5 | ..... |
| " | 700 0 0 | Pier, Shellharbour | 700 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,000 0 0 | Stone Dyke, Bullock Island, Newcastle | 1,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,000 0 0 | Dyke, Shoalhaven River | 999 19 11 | 0 0 1 | ..... |
| " | 2,500 0 0 | Wharf, Ulladulla | 2,500 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 10,000 0 0 | Breakwater and Pier at Bellambi ... .. | ..... | 10,000 0 0 | ..... |
| " | 5,000 0 0 | University of Sydney | 5,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 48,261 14 6 | Compensation to the Municipal Council of Sydney, for land resumed under the Water Act, 17 Vict., No. 35 | 48,261 14 6 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 20,000 0 0 | Juvenile Reformatories | 19,946 17 9 | ..... | 53 2 3 |
| " | 50,000 0 0 | Assisted Immigration to this Colony | 50,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| | 1,782,370 14 6 | | 1,729,044 5 0 | 36,751 11 11 | 16,574 17 7 |
| | | 26 VICTORIA, No. 14. | | | |
| | | <i>Railways—</i> | | | |
| " | 700 0 0 | Valuation of land | 696 0 0 | 4 0 0 | ..... |
| " | 11,182 0 0 | Works in Progress—Authorized Exten- sions | 10,523 3 5 | 658 16 7 | ..... |
| £ | 11,882 0 0 | Carried forward | £ 11,219 3 5 | 662 16 7 | ..... |
| £ | 6,040,529 12 1 | Carried forward | £ 5,881,397 2 10 | 106,886 7 5 | 52,246 1 10 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | | | | |
|-------|--|----|----|--|--|--------------|---|---------|----|----|--------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | | | | | |
| | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | | | |
| | 6,040,529 | 12 | 1 | Brought forward ... | 5,881,397 | 2 | 10 | 106,886 | 7 | 5 | 52,246 | 1 | 10 |
| | | | | OLD LOANS ACCOUNT—continued. | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | 26 VICTORIA, No. 14—continued. | | | | | | | | | |
| | 11,882 | 0 | 0 | Brought forward... | 11,219 | 3 | 5 | 662 | 16 | 7 | | | |
| 1862 | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Railways—continued. | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 16,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over the Railway near Newcastle.. | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 350 | 0 | 0 | Additional Line from Newcastle to the Wallsend Junction ... | 14,684 | 8 | 6 | | | | 1,315 | 11 | 6 |
| " | 675 | 0 | 0 | Additional Telegraph Wire for Railway purposes, from Parramatta to Penrith | 336 | 5 | 6 | 13 | 14 | 6 | | | |
| " | 7,500 | 0 | 0 | Additional Telegraph Wire for Railway purposes, from Campbelltown to Picton... | 514 | 16 | 8 | | | | 160 | 3 | 4 |
| " | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | Wharf, Ulladulla ... | 7,500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | Improvements to Shoalhaven River ... | 3,458 | 6 | 0 | 41 | 14 | 0 | | | |
| " | 275 | 0 | 0 | Extension of Wharf accommodation, Newcastle | 14,999 | 11 | 6 | | | | 0 | 8 | 6 |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Additional Screw Moorings for the Harbour of Newcastle | 275 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 30,000 | 0 | 0 | Northern Breakwater, Newcastle | 4,999 | 2 | 6 | | | | 0 | 17 | 6 |
| " | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | Improvement to Clarence River North Breakwater | 29,935 | 0 | 2 | | | | 64 | 19 | 10 |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Steam Cranes ... | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | Stone Dyke, Bullock Island, Newcastle | 939 | 4 | 0 | 60 | 16 | 0 | | | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Second Steam Dredge, Punts, and Tug, for Newcastle | 19,966 | 6 | 4 | 33 | 13 | 8 | | | |
| " | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | Wharf and Coal Shoots, Morpeth | 4,342 | 10 | 9 | | | | 5,657 | 9 | 3 |
| " | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge at Bendemeer ... | 5,999 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 15 | 11 | | | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge at Dunmore ... | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | Offices for the Department of Public Works | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 350 | 0 | 0 | Electric Telegraphs— | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 5,600 | 0 | 0 | Additional Wire from Sydney to Newcastle | 3,232 | 1 | 6 | 267 | 18 | 6 | | | |
| " | 2,600 | 0 | 0 | Do. Parramatta to Liverpool... | 300 | 0 | 0 | 50 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| " | 2,600 | 0 | 0 | Do. Deniliquin to Hay | 3,781 | 0 | 10 | 1,818 | 19 | 2 | | | |
| " | | | | Do. Wellington to Dubbo | 1,608 | 17 | 10 | 991 | 2 | 2 | | | |
| " | | | | Do. Braidwood to Queanbeyan | 1,995 | 5 | 3 | 604 | 14 | 9 | | | |
| | 161,832 | 0 | 0 | | 150,086 | 4 | 10 | 4,546 | 5 | 3 | 7,199 | 9 | 11 |
| | | | | 27 VICTORIA, No. 14. | | | | | | | | | |
| 1864 | 215,414 | 3 | 1 | Railways— | 215,414 | 3 | 1 | | | | | | |
| " | 3,932 | 2 | 8 | Extension to Goulburn ... | 3,932 | 2 | 8 | | | | | | |
| " | 2,480 | 14 | 3 | Workshops, Southern Line | 2,431 | 7 | 6 | | | | 49 | 6 | 9 |
| " | 13,000 | 0 | 0 | Workshops, Northern Line | 13,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 23,000 | 0 | 0 | Rolling Stock, Northern Line | 23,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | Locomotive Engines, Western Line | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 35,000 | 0 | 0 | Carriages, Break-vans, &c., Western Line | 37,659 | 10 | 9 | | | | 2,340 | 9 | 3 |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Locomotive Engines, Northern Line | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | Traverses for Coal Sidings, Newcastle | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 50,000 | 0 | 0 | Ballast Waggon for Northern, Southern, and Western Lines ... | 50,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 150,000 | 0 | 0 | Extension into Goulburn... | 150,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | Extension to Bathurst | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 7,500 | 0 | 0 | Richmond and Windsor Railways | 7,495 | 13 | 4 | | | | 4 | 6 | 8 |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Purchase of Land for Morpeth Railway... | 4,821 | 5 | 6 | | | | 178 | 14 | 6 |
| " | 900 | 0 | 0 | Siding into Cemetery at Haslem's Creek... | 900 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 970 | 0 | 0 | Wharf, Carriage Dock, and Siding, Newcastle Station, and at West Maitland | 970 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | New Passenger Station, Platform, and Siding, at Hexham | 566 | 13 | 9 | | | | 2,933 | 6 | 3 |
| " | 400 | 0 | 0 | Coal Sidings at Newcastle | 400 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 900 | 0 | 0 | Passenger Station and Platform at Rooty Hill, Western Line | 831 | 10 | 5 | | | | 68 | 9 | 7 |
| " | 110 | 0 | 0 | Three Gate-houses on Western Line | 110 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| | £ 552,107 | 0 | 0 | Stables at Newcastle | £ 546,532 | 7 | 0 | | | | 5,574 | 13 | 0 |
| | £ 6,202,361 | 12 | 1 | Carried forward ... | £ 6,031,483 | 7 | 8 | 111,432 | 12 | 8 | 59,445 | 11 | 9 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | |
|-------|--|---|--|--------------|---|
| | | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. |
| | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | 6,202,361 12 1 | Brought forward | 6,031,483 7 8 | 111,432 12 8 | 59,445 11 9 |
| | | OLD LOANS ACCOUNT—continued. | | | |
| | | 27 VICTORIA, No. 14—continued. | | | |
| | 552,107 0 0 | Brought forward | 546,532 7 0 | ..... | 5,574 13 0 |
| 1864 | 7,153 13 2 | Electric Telegraphs— Stations on Southern, Western, Northern, and Mudgee Lines | 5,827 6 3 | ..... | 1,326 6 11 |
| " | 300 0 0 | Wollongong to Kiama | 211 19 7 | 88 0 5 | ..... |
| " | 9,000 0 0 | Mudgee to Murrurundi | 5,116 3 6 | 3,883 16 6 | ..... |
| " | 4,500 0 0 | Braidwood to Araluen | 683 17 0 | 3,816 3 0 | ..... |
| " | 3,000 0 0 | Continuation of Line to Cooma | 2,847 11 9 | 152 8 3 | ..... |
| " | 1,800 0 0 | Stations at Grafton, Wagga Wagga, and Hay | 550 0 0 | ..... | 1,250 0 0 |
| " | 9,000 0 0 | Bridge over the River Hunter at West Mait- land | 9,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 38,000 0 0 | Wharfs and Coal Basin, Newcastle | 38,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 3,000 0 0 | Coal Shoots and Railway, Wollongong | 3,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,000 0 0 | Improvement of Wollongong Harbour | 5,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,000 0 0 | Reclamation of Land, Woolloomooloo Bay | 5,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 4,000 0 0 | Sewers for draining reclaimed land at Wool- loomooloo Bay | 4,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 10,000 0 0 | Reclaiming Land at the head of Darling Harbour and Blackwattle Swamp | 10,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,047 12 9 | Light-house, Gabo Island | 1,047 12 9 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 765 19 5 | Light-house, Wilson's Promontory | 635 19 5 | 130 0 0 | ..... |
| " | 11,000 0 0 | Australian Museum | 11,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,351 7 3 | Harbour Defences | 5,351 7 3 | ..... | ..... |
| | 670,025 12 7 | | 653,804 4 6 | 8,070 8 2 | 8,150 19 11 |
| | | 29 VICTORIA, No. 5. | | | |
| | | To pay off Debentures falling due January, 1866— | | | |
| 1865 | 97,500 0 0 | Sewerage, 17 Vict., No. 34 | 97,500 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 50,700 0 0 | Water Supply, 17 Vict., No. 35 | 50,700 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 139,000 0 0 | Railways, 18 Vict., No. 40 | 139,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 12,800 0 0 | Public Works, 18 Vict., No. 35, and 19 Vict., Nos. 38—40 | 12,800 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| | 300,000 0 0 | | 300,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| | | 29 VICTORIA, No. 9. | | | |
| | | Railways— | | | |
| " | 650 0 0 | Station at Riverstone | 650 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 650 0 0 | Station at Mulgrave | 650 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 9,000 0 0 | Forty additional Ballast and Goods Trucks | 9,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 10,000 0 0 | Windsor and Richmond Railway | 10,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 850 0 0 | Land at Newtown for Sidings | 820 17 8 | ..... | 29 2 4 |
| " | 10,000 0 0 | Additional Rolling Stock | 10,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 20,000 0 0 | Additional Goods Accommodation, Sydney Station | 19,999 18 0 | 0 2 0 | ..... |
| " | 12,000 0 0 | Railway Sheds | 12,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,000 0 0 | Additional Accommodation, Stations | 5,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 6,000 0 0 | To meet outstanding claims for land on the Penrith, Picton, and Singleton Extensions | 3,888 6 2 | ..... | 2,111 13 10 |
| " | 650 0 0 | Station at Douglass Park | 640 14 3 | ..... | 9 5 9 |
| " | 20,000 0 0 | Extension of Great Northern Line to Terminus at Morpeth | 19,995 2 11 | ..... | 4 17 1 |
| " | 9,000 0 0 | Bridge at Pitnacree | 9,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 900 0 0 | Dunmore Bridge | 900 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 4,000 0 0 | West Maitland Bridge | 4,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| £ | 108,700 0 0 | Carried forward | £ 106,544 19 0 | 0 2 0 | 2,154 19 0 |
| £ | 7,172,387 4 8 | Carried forward... | £ 6,985,287 12 2 | 119,503 0 10 | 67,596 11 8 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | | | | |
|-------|--|----|----|--|--|--------------|----|---------|---|----|---------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | | | Written off. | | | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | | | |
| | 7,172,387 | 4 | 8 | Brought forward ... | 6,985,287 | 12 | 2 | 119,503 | 0 | 10 | 67,596 | 11 | 8 |
| | OLD LOANS ACCOUNT—continued. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 29 VICTORIA, No. 9—continued. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1865 | 108,700 | 0 | 0 | Brought forward... | 106,544 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2,154 | 19 | 0 |
| | 850 | 0 | 0 | Dwarf Wall and Railing between the Domain and the reclaimed land in Woolloomooloo Bay, and for a Gate to the same, and a new Gate in Palmer-street ... | 850 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 3,900 | 0 | 0 | Reclamation of Land, Woolloomooloo Bay | 3,899 | 16 | 10 | 0 | 3 | 2 | | | |
| " | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | Australian Museum ... | 5,954 | 11 | 0 | 45 | 9 | 0 | | | |
| " | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | Excavation, Kiama Harbour Works... | 5,998 | 6 | 9 | 1 | 13 | 3 | | | |
| " | 500 | 0 | 0 | Wharf at Ulladulla ... | 500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | Three new Punts for second Steam Dredge, Newcastle ... | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | Penitentiary ... | | | | | | | 25,000 | 0 | 0 |
| " | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | Lunatic Asylum ... | 24,706 | 11 | 3 | | | | 293 | 8 | 9 |
| " | 40,000 | 0 | 0 | Assisted Immigration to this Colony ... | 39,437 | 17 | 2 | | | | 562 | 2 | 10 |
| | 219,450 | 0 | 0 | | 191,392 | 2 | 0 | 47 | 7 | 5 | 28,010 | 10 | 7 |
| | 29 VICTORIA, No. 23. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Railways— | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1866 | 200,000 | 0 | 0 | Extension of the Great Western Line ... | 200,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 400,000 | 0 | 0 | Extension of the Great Northern Line ... | 398,677 | 2 | 3 | | | | 1,322 | 17 | 9 |
| " | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | Relaying the Line from Sydney to the Parramatta Junction... | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | Enlarging Railway Bridges at East Maitland ... | 2,508 | 17 | 2 | | | | 1,491 | 2 | 10 |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Additional Accommodation to Stations, &c. ... | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Additional Goods Waggon | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Wollongong Harbour Works ... | 9,986 | 9 | 5 | 13 | 10 | 7 | | | |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Breakwater, Newcastle ... | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Coal Staiths, Newcastle ... | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 24,000 | 0 | 0 | Steam Dredge and Punts for Sydney | 24,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 33,000 | 0 | 0 | One-third the cost of the Bridge over the Nepean at Penrith, defrayed from Railway Loan ... | 33,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 15,500 | 0 | 0 | One-third the cost of Singleton Bridge, defrayed from Railway Loan ... | 12,160 | 3 | 3 | | | | 3,339 | 16 | 9 |
| " | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over the Lachlan at Cowra ... | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Extension of Riley-street to Palmer-street, including Ornamental Railing for portion of the Domain ... | | | | | | | 1,000 | 0 | 0 |
| " | 2,500 | 0 | 0 | Electric Telegraph, Yass to Burrowa ... | 1,358 | 18 | 4 | 1,141 | 1 | 8 | | | |
| " | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | Cost of Heavy Guns for Fortifications ... | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| | 758,000 | 0 | 0 | | 749,691 | 10 | 5 | 1,154 | 12 | 3 | 7,153 | 17 | 4 |
| | 30 VICTORIA, No. 23. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Railways— | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | Engine-shed, Windsor and Richmond Line ... | 1,054 | 9 | 6 | | | | 1,945 | 10 | 6 |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Trial Surveys for the Extension of the Great Southern and Western Railways | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | Compensation for Land taken on the Ultimo Estate ... | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 900 | 0 | 0 | Bridge at Pitnacree ... | 897 | 16 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 10 | | | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Removing Obstructions and improving the Navigation of the Rivers Murray, Murrumbidgee, and Darling ... | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 12,000 | 0 | 0 | Approaches to Gundagai Bridge ... | 12,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | Road and Railway Bridge over the Murray at Echuca ... | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | Electric Telegraph, Cooma to Bombala ... | 2,041 | 5 | 5 | 958 | 14 | 7 | | | |
| " | 450 | 0 | 0 | Electric Telegraph, Newcastle to Wallsend... | 184 | 10 | 0 | 265 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| " | 500 | 0 | 0 | Electric Telegraph Extension to Bulli ... | 153 | 10 | 0 | 346 | 10 | 0 | | | |
| | 65,850 | 0 | 0 | | 62,331 | 11 | 1 | 1,572 | 18 | 5 | 1,945 | 10 | 6 |
| £ | 8,215,687 | 4 | 8 | Carried forward ... | £7,988,702 | 15 | 8 | 122,277 | 18 | 11 | 104,706 | 10 | 1 |

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| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | | | | | |
|-------|--|----|----|---|--|--------------|---|---------|---------|----|---------|---------|----|---|
| | £ | s. | d. | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | | | | | | |
| | 8,215,687 | 4 | 8 | Brought forward... | 7,988,702 | 15 | 8 | 122,277 | 18 | 11 | 104,706 | 10 | 1 | |
| | | | | OLD LOANS ACCOUNT—continued. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1867 | 1,000,000 | 0 | 0 | 31 VICTORIA, No. 11. Railway Works, Extension to Bathurst and Goulburn | 999,409 | 12 | 10 | ..... |  |  | 590 | 7 | 2 | |
| 1868 | 3,412 | 0 | 0 | 31 VICTORIA, No. 27 Railways— Half the cost of Telegraph Line from Picton to Goulburn, along the line of Railway, chargeable to Railways... | 3,411 | 2 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 0 | 18 | 0 | |
| " | 3,719 | 0 | 0 | Half the cost of Telegraph Line from Penrith to Bathurst, along the line of Railway, chargeable to Railways... | 3,511 | 0 | 10 | ..... |  |  | 207 | 19 | 2 | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Removing Obstructions and improving the Navigation of the Rivers Murray, Murrumbidgee, and Darling | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Repair of the Southern Breakwater, Newcastle | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 6,600 | 0 | 0 | Coal Staiths, Newcastle | 6,600 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge and Approaches, West Maitland | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 4,500 | 0 | 0 | Additional Punt for new Steam Dredge, Sydney Harbour | 4,499 | 16 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 9 | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 8,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over the Macquarie River at Wellington | 8,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 13,000 | 0 | 0 | Iron Bridge over the Lower Murrumbidgee... | 12,998 | 18 | 9 | ..... |  |  | 1 | 1 | 3 | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Iron Bridge at Yass... .. | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 12,000 | 0 | 0 | Iron Bridge at Bathurst | 12,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over the Nimboi, between Grafton and New England... .. | 14,999 | 18 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 0 | 2 | 0 | |
| " | 11,000 | 0 | 0 | Receiving Houses at the Redfern Railway Station and the Necropolis | 11,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 13,000 | 0 | 0 | Additions and Alterations to Abattoirs, Glebe Island, including Water Supply | 12,557 | 12 | 0 | ..... |  |  | 442 | 8 | 0 | |
| " | 1,750 | 0 | 0 | Electric Telegraph— Glen Innes to Inverell | 1,625 | 9 | 0 | 124 | 11 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | Tamworth to Fort Bourke | 16,735 | 13 | 9 | ..... |  |  | 8,264 | 6 | 3 | |
| " | 1,750 | 0 | 0 | Morpeth <i>via</i> Raymond Terrace to Port Stephens | 1,735 | 5 | 8 | 14 | 14 | 4 | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 7,250 | 0 | 0 | Armidale to Port Macquarie | 5,835 | 3 | 6 | 1,414 | 16 | 6 | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | Burrowa to Young | 931 | 18 | 9 | 568 | 1 | 3 | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 2,500 | 0 | 0 | Araruen to Moruya | 1,215 | 3 | 8 | 1,284 | 16 | 4 | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 2,500 | 0 | 0 | Kiandra to Cooma... .. | 1,731 | 2 | 4 | 768 | 17 | 8 | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 2,500 | 0 | 0 | Bombala to Panbula and Eden | 2,319 | 6 | 11 | 180 | 13 | 1 | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 1,800 | 0 | 0 | Parramatta to Wiseman's Ferry... .. | 1,304 | 12 | 10 | 495 | 7 | 2 | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 1,095 | 0 | 0 | Re-insulating Line, Sydney to Albury | 221 | 8 | 6 | ..... |  |  | 873 | 11 | 6 | |
| " | 4,500 | 0 | 0 | Stations, Balranald, Moulamein, and Wellington | 4,496 | 9 | 2 | ..... |  |  | 3 | 10 | 10 | |
| " | 1,900 | 0 | 0 | Stations at Euston and Wentworth | 1,688 | 15 | 0 | 211 | 5 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 3,413 | 0 | 0 | One-half the cost of Telegraph Line from Picton to Goulburn, along the line of Railway, chargeable to Telegraphs | 3,413 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 3,718 | 0 | 0 | One-half the cost of Telegraph Line from Penrith to Bathurst, along the line of Railway, chargeable to Telegraphs | 3,718 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | ..... |  |  |  |
| | 177,407 | 0 | 0 | | 162,549 | 16 | 11 | 5,063 | 6 | 1 | 9,793 | 17 | 0 | |
| | | | | 32 VICTORIA, No. 13. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1869 | 60,000 | 0 | 0 | Railways— Towards cost of Additional Rolling Stock for Railway Extensions | 60,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  | ..... |  |  |  |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Compensation for Land taken at Honey-suckle Point | 9,852 | 7 | 2 | ..... |  |  | 147 | 12 | 10 | |
| £ | 70,000 | 0 | 0 | Carried forward | £ | 69,852 | 7 | 2 | | | 147 | 12 | 10 | |
| £ | 9,393,094 | 4 | 8 | Carried forward... | £ | 9,150,662 | 5 | 5 | 127,341 | 5 | 0 | 115,090 | 14 | 3 |

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| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | | | | |
|-------|--|----|----|---|--|--------------|----|---------|---|----|---------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | | | Written off. | | | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | | | |
| | 9,393,094 | 4 | 8 | Brought forward | 9,150,662 | 5 | 5 | 127,341 | 5 | 0 | 115,090 | 14 | 3 |
| | | | | OLD LOANS ACCOUNT—continued. | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | 32 VICTORIA, No. 13—continued. | | | | | | | | | |
| | 70,000 | 0 | 0 | Brought forward | 69,852 | 7 | 2 | | | | 147 | 12 | 10 |
| 1869 | 18,000 | 0 | 0 | Harbours and River Navigation— Removing obstructions and improving the Navigation of the Rivers Murray, Murrumbidgee, and Darling | 17,993 | 18 | 9 | | | | 6 | 1 | 3 |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | For Breakwater, Newcastle | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Dredge for Manning, Macleay, and Clarence Rivers | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 35,000 | 0 | 0 | Erection of Steam Cranes, Wharf, &c., Darling Harbour | 35,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Towards Reclamation of Land, Black- wattle Bay | 9,999 | 9 | 0 | | | | 0 | 11 | 0 |
| " | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | Erection of Light-house Tower at Ulladulla | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | Erection of Light-house Tower at Wollongong | 2,996 | 6 | 6 | | | | 3 | 13 | 6 |
| " | 11,500 | 0 | 0 | Roads and Bridges— Bridge over the Urara, on Road from Grafton to Glen Innes | 11,500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | Iron Bridge over the Macquarie River, at Bathurst, further sum | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 7,000 | 0 | 0 | Public Works and Buildings— Erection of Public Offices, Newcastle | 7,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 2,500 | 0 | 0 | Electric Telegraphs— Kiama to Jervis Bay | 2,211 | 10 | 0 | | | | 288 | 10 | 0 |
| " | 160 | 0 | 0 | Newcastle to Co-operative Company's Works | 19 | 3 | 6 | 140 | 16 | 6 | | | |
| " | 220 | 0 | 0 | Newcastle to Lambton Colliery Works | 90 | 19 | 8 | 129 | 0 | 4 | | | |
| " | 150 | 0 | 0 | Newcastle to New Lambton Colliery Works | 41 | 13 | 9 | 103 | 6 | 3 | | | |
| " | 800 | 0 | 0 | Muswellbrook to Denman | 411 | 10 | 2 | 388 | 9 | 10 | | | |
| " | 800 | 0 | 0 | Eden to Bega | 599 | 19 | 4 | 200 | 0 | 8 | | | |
| " | 450 | 0 | 0 | Additions to Port Stephens Line | | | | | | | 450 | 0 | 0 |
| " | 180 | 0 | 0 | To purchase Improvements, Grenfell | 180 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 1,750 | 0 | 0 | Eden to Gabo Island Light-house | 1,750 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | Maitland to Manning River | 125 | 10 | 3 | | | | 1,874 | 9 | 9 |
| " | 2,400 | 0 | 0 | Bathurst to Carcoar and Cowra | 1,148 | 4 | 1 | | | | 1,251 | 15 | 11 |
| " | 200 | 0 | 0 | Pambula and Merimbula | | | | 200 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| " | 350 | 0 | 0 | Port Stephens to Nelson's Bay | 285 | 1 | 0 | | | | 64 | 19 | 0 |
| " | 350 | 0 | 0 | Newcastle to Waratah Coal Company's Works | 54 | 18 | 6 | 295 | 1 | 6 | | | |
| " | 1,575 | 0 | 0 | Extension to Walcha | | | | | | | 1,575 | 0 | 0 |
| " | 2,500 | 0 | 0 | Grafton to Clarence River Heads | 2,151 | 7 | 7 | | | | 348 | 12 | 5 |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | In anticipation of further Extensions under the Guarantee System | 4,797 | 6 | 4 | | | | 202 | 13 | 8 |
| | 197,885 | 0 | 0 | | 190,209 | 5 | 7 | 1,461 | 15 | 1 | 6,213 | 19 | 4 |
| | | | | 34 VICTORIA, No. 2. | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Railways— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1870 | 13,000 | 0 | 0 | New Machine Shop, Running Shed, &c., Newcastle | 12,917 | 4 | 5 | | | | 82 | 15 | 7 |
| " | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | Additional Machinery | 1,674 | 4 | 2 | | | | 325 | 15 | 10 |
| " | 30,500 | 0 | 0 | New Station, Workshops, &c., Redfern | 30,420 | 19 | 11 | | | | 79 | 0 | 1 |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Excavating Station Yard, Redfern | 4,902 | 14 | 10 | | | | 97 | 5 | 2 |
| " | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | Additional Machinery | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| " | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | New Passenger Station and Platform, Newcastle | 5,965 | 0 | 5 | | | | 34 | 19 | 7 |
| " | 60,000 | 0 | 0 | Further for construction of Rolling Stock | 59,998 | 3 | 6 | | | | 1 | 16 | 6 |
| " | 35,000 | 0 | 0 | Completion of the re-laying the Line from Sydney to Parramatta | 30,402 | 14 | 5 | | | | 4,597 | 5 | 7 |
| | 155,000 | 0 | 0 | Carried forward | 149,781 | 1 | 8 | | | | 5,218 | 18 | 4 |
| | £9,590,979 | 4 | 8 | Carried forward | £9,340,871 | 11 | 0 | 128,803 | 0 | 1 | 121,304 | 13 | 7 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | |
|-------|--|-------|--|--|--------------|---|-------|---------|-------|
| | £ | s. d. | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | | |
| | £ | s. d. | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| | 9,590,979 | 4 8 | Brought forward | 9,340,871 | 11 0 | 128,803 | 0 1 | 121,304 | 13 7 |
| | | | OLD LOANS ACCOUNT—continued. | | | | | | |
| | | | 34 VICTORIA, No. 2—continued. | | | | | | |
| | 155,000 | 0 0 | Brought forward | 149,781 | 1 8 | ..... | ..... | 5,218 | 18 4 |
| 1870 | 17,000 | 0 0 | Railways—continued. | | | | | | |
| | | | Completion of new Goods Shed, Sydney, &c. | 14,518 | 9 10 | ..... | ..... | 2,481 | 10 2 |
| " | 5,000 | 0 0 | Extension to Morpeth | 4,994 | 10 0 | ..... | ..... | 5 | 10 0 |
| " | 2,000 | 0 0 | Land for Windsor and Richmond Line ... | 1,340 | 18 11 | ..... | ..... | 659 | 1 1 |
| " | 17,500 | 0 0 | Removing Obstructions and improving the Navigation of the Rivers Murray Murrumbidgee, and Darling | 17,491 | 17 0 | ..... | ..... | 8 | 3 0 |
| " | 30,000 | 0 0 | New Steam Dredge, Newcastle Harbour ... | 30,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 600 | 0 0 | Additional Screw Moorings and Buoys for Newcastle Harbour | 600 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 9,300 | 0 0 | To complete Kiama Harbour Works | 9,299 | 10 10 | ..... | ..... | 0 | 9 2 |
| " | 2,000 | 0 0 | Clearing, surveying, and improving the Navigation of Edward River | 2,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 3,000 | 0 0 | Coal Staiths, Newcastle | 2,999 | 8 11 | ..... | ..... | 0 | 11 1 |
| " | 5,000 | 0 0 | Wharf, Bullock Island | 5,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 2,500 | 0 0 | Dredge for improving Navigation of Rivers and Creeks flowing into Coast Lakes and Lagoons | 2,500 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 2,500 | 0 0 | Approach to Bridge over Macquarie River, at Bathurst | 2,500 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 2,000 | 0 0 | Completion of Fitz Roy Dry Dock and works attached thereto | 1,993 | 15 0 | ..... | ..... | 6 | 5 0 |
| " | 1,548 | 13 7 | Receiving Houses at Redfern Railway Station and at Necropolis | 1,548 | 13 7 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 30,000 | 0 0 | Erection of New General Post Office Electric Telegraphs— | 30,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,350 | 0 0 | To connect Barrenjucy with Sydney ... | 1,116 | 12 4 | ..... | ..... | 233 | 7 8 |
| " | 3,750 | 0 0 | Iron Telegraph Posts | 1,739 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | 2,011 | 0 0 |
| " | 17,103 | 0 0 | To pay amounts awarded for Land for new General Post Office | 16,413 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | 690 | 0 0 |
| " | 100,000 | 0 0 | To pay off Railway Debentures issued under 18 Vic. No. 40, falling due 1st January, 1871 | 100,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | 407,151 | 13 7 | | 395,836 | 18 1 | ..... | ..... | 11,314 | 15 6 |
| | £9,998,130 | 18 3 | TOTALS, OLD LOANS... | £9,736,708 | 9 1 | 128,803 | 1 | 132,619 | 9 1 |
| | | | GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT. | | | | | | |
| | | | 35 VICTORIA, No. 5. | | | | | | |
| | | | Railways— | | | | | | |
| 1871 | 124 | 0 0 | Construction of Railway Sheds | 122 | 9 5 | 1 | 10 7 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 230,000 | 0 0 | Completion of Lines already sanctioned | 229,942 | 14 2 | 57 | 5 10 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 70,000 | 0 0 | Construction of Rolling Stock manufactured in the Colony | 65,580 | 13 9 | 4,419 | 6 3 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,291 | 0 0 | Harbours and Rivers— | | | | | | |
| " | | | Dredge for Manning, Macleay, and Clarence Rivers | 1,290 | 3 0 | 0 | 17 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,000 | 0 0 | Removing obstructions, Murray, Murrumbidgee, and Darling | 5,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,000 | 0 0 | Southern Breakwater, Newcastle | 4,991 | 10 5 | 8 | 9 7 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 265 | 0 0 | Coal Staiths, Newcastle, for Masonry Approaches | 264 | 1 7 | 0 | 18 5 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 300 | 0 0 | Light-house, Wollongong | 255 | 8 6 | 44 | 11 6 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 500 | 0 0 | Light-house, Ulladulla | 499 | 19 2 | 0 | 0 10 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,000 | 0 0 | Blasting and removing rock in front of Newcastle Wharf | 996 | 0 11 | 3 | 19 1 | ..... | ..... |
| | £ 313,450 | 0 0 | Carried forward | £ 308,943 | 0 11 | 4,533 | 19 1 | ..... | ..... |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | |
|-------|--|-------|--|--|-----------|-------|--------|-------|---|
| | £ | s. d. | | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. |
| | | | GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT—continued | | | | | | |
| | | | 35 VICTORIA, No. 5—continued. | | | | | | |
| | 313,480 | 0 0 | Brought forward... | 308,943 | 0 11 | 4,536 | 19 1 | ..... |  |
| 1871 | 12,000 | 0 0 | Public Works and Buildings— Completion, New General Post Office | 12,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 7,000 | 0 0 | Roads and Bridges— Bridge at Windsor | 7,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 3,500 | 0 0 | Restoring Yass Bridge | 3,500 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 8,000 | 0 0 | Re-building Jugiong Bridge | 8,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 500 | 0 0 | Electric Telegraphs— Eden to Gabo Island | 394 | 17 6 | 105 | 2 6 | ..... |  |
| | 500 | 0 0 | Kiama to Jervis Bay | ..... | ..... | 500 | 0 0 | ..... |  |
| | 30,000 | 0 0 | Fortifications | 30,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 374,980 | 0 0 | | 369,837 | 18 5 | 5,142 | 1 7 | ..... |  |
| | | | 36 VICTORIA, No. 2. | | | | | | |
| 1872 | 60,000 | 0 0 | Railways— For Rolling Stock manufactured in the Colony | 60,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 257 | 0 0 | Station-master's House, Newtown | 257 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 2,000 | 0 0 | Stations Buildings at West Maitland | 1,876 | 10 2 | 123 | 9 10 | ..... |  |
| | 75,000 | 0 0 | Purchase of Railway Stores | 75,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 3,000 | 0 0 | Harbours and Rivers Navigation— Removing obstructions and improving the Navigation of the Rivers Murray, Murrumbidgee, and Darling, further sum | 2,999 | 11 8 | 0 | 8 4 | ..... |  |
| | 4,397 | 0 0 | Additional Siding, Purchase of Land required for Approach, &c., Coal Staiths, Newcastle | 4,194 | 17 5 | 202 | 2 7 | ..... |  |
| | 10,000 | 0 0 | Purchase of Blackwattle Bridge | 10,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 18,000 | 0 0 | Dredge and Punts for Clarence River | 18,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 2,000 | 0 0 | Improving the Navigation of the Edward River, further sum | 2,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 18,000 | 0 0 | Dredge and Punts for Newcastle | 18,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 6,000 | 0 0 | Public Works and Buildings— Completion of New General Post Office | 6,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 2,000 | 0 0 | Roads and Bridges— Bridge over the Hawkesbury, Windsor | 2,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 5,000 | 0 0 | Bridge at Warry, Shoalhaven | 5,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 5,000 | 0 0 | Bridge at Casino | 5,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 2,000 | 0 0 | Approaches and alterations to Hay Bridge | 2,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 4,000 | 0 0 | Approaches and addition to height of Nimboi Bridge | 3,999 | 18 11 | 0 | 1 1 | ..... |  |
| | 22,000 | 0 0 | Mudgee Road | 22,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 3,000 | 0 0 | Electric Telegraphs— Telegraph Line to the Manning River, Tinonee, on the guarantee principle | 2,991 | 5 9 | 8 | 14 3 | ..... |  |
| | 850 | 0 0 | Erection of Line and Telegraph Station, Gulgong | 337 | 3 0 | 512 | 17 0 | ..... |  |
| | 4,000 | 0 0 | Iron Poles, Singleton to Murrurundi | 107 | 6 0 | 3,892 | 14 0 | ..... |  |
| | 3,600 | 0 0 | Extra Wire, West Maitland to Armidale | 2,345 | 12 6 | 1,254 | 7 6 | ..... |  |
| | 1,050 | 0 0 | Railway Line, Singleton to Murrurundi | 1,045 | 8 4 | 4 | 11 8 | ..... |  |
| | 500 | 0 0 | Line, Parramatta Junction to Campbelltown | 498 | 18 0 | 1 | 2 0 | ..... |  |
| | 1,830 | 0 0 | Second Wire, Sydney to Newcastle | 1,806 | 18 6 | 23 | 1 6 | ..... |  |
| | 2,000 | 0 0 | Second Wire, Armidale to Tenterfield | 1,959 | 18 6 | 40 | 1 6 | ..... |  |
| | 750 | 0 0 | Second Wire, Bathurst to Hill End | 660 | 6 0 | 89 | 14 0 | ..... |  |
| | 5,000 | 0 0 | Extension of Telegraph Lines generally | 5,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 50,000 | 0 0 | To pay off Debentures— 29 Vict. No. 5, due 31st December, 1872 | 50,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 100,000 | 0 0 | 20 Vict. No. 33, due 1st January, 1873 | 100,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 20,000 | 0 0 | 16 Vict. No. 39, due 28th February, 1873 | 20,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 30,000 | 0 0 | 16 Vict. No. 39, due 21st October, 1873 | 30,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| | 461,234 | 0 0 | | 455,083 | 14 9 | 6,153 | 5 3 | ..... |  |
| £ | 836,214 | 0 0 | Carried forward... | £ | 824,918 | 13 2 | 11,295 | 6 10 | |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | | | | |
|-------|--|----|----|--|--|--------------|---|--------|----|----|-------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | | | | | |
| | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | 836,214 | 0 | 0 | Brought forward | 824,918 | 13 | 2 | 11,295 | 6 | 10 | ..... |  |  |
| | | | | GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT—continued 36 VICTORIA, No. 17. | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Railways— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1873 | 60,000 | 0 | 0 | For Rolling Stock manufactured in the Colony | 60,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Trial Surveys | 9,999 | 18 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ..... |  |  |
| | 1,131,000 | 0 | 0 | Towards the Construction of a Line from Goulburn to Wagga Wagga | 1,131,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| " | 60,000 | 0 | 0 | Kelso to Bathurst... .. | 60,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| " | 279,000 | 0 | 0 | Bathurst to Orange | 279,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| " | 361,500 | 0 | 0 | For the Construction of a Line from Murrurundi to Tamworth | 361,500 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| | 1,901,500 | 0 | 0 | | 1,901,499 | 13 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 1 | ..... |  |  |
| | | | | 36 VICTORIA, No. 21. | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Harbours and Rivers Navigation— | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | Removing obstructions and improving the Navigation of the Rivers Murray, Murrumbidgee, and Darling | 19,997 | 9 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Improving the Navigation of the Edward River | 902 | 13 | 1 | 97 | 6 | 11 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | Extension of Wharf Accommodation, Newcastle | 3,998 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 17 | 8 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 21,560 | 0 | 0 | Enlarging, deepening, and completing Kiama Harbour | 21,560 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| " | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | Darling Harbour Wharf | 14,994 | 3 | 9 | 5 | 16 | 3 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 9,000 | 0 | 0 | Improvements, Moruya River | 9,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| " | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | Small Dredge and Punts | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| " | 89,000 | 0 | 0 | Increased Wharf Accommodation at Sydney | 89,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| | | | | Public Works and Buildings— | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Completion of New General Post Office... .. | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| " | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | Custom House, Newcastle | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| " | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | New Public Offices | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| " | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | Water Supply, Abattoirs... .. | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| " | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | Lighthouse, Seal Rocks | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| | | | | Roads and Bridges— | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | Approaches and additions to Hay Bridge | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| " | 50,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over Parramatta River at Five Dock and Iron Cove Creek... .. | 50,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| " | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over the Barwon | 4,000 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| | | | | Electric Telegraphs— | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | Casino to Richmond River Heads | 2,985 | 9 | 3 | 14 | 10 | 9 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 860 | 0 | 0 | Second Wire, Tenterfield to Queensland | 853 | 6 | 10 | 6 | 13 | 2 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 4,800 | 0 | 0 | To construct a Line, Bendemeer through Bundarra, to connect the several Tin Mines | 4,561 | 5 | 3 | 238 | 14 | 9 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 3,000 | 0 | 0 | To complete through communication from Maitland to Port Macquarie | 2,983 | 15 | 6 | 16 | 4 | 6 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | To carry a Line from Carcoar, <i>via</i> Cowra to Young | 3,431 | 0 | 6 | 68 | 19 | 6 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 2,610 | 0 | 0 | Additional Wire, Sydney to Bathurst | 807 | 0 | 0 | 1,803 | 0 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 200 | 0 | 0 | Additional Wire, Wolumla to Bega | 152 | 15 | 0 | 47 | 5 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 1,100 | 0 | 0 | To place Balmain, North Shore, Newtown, Paddington, Redfern, William-street, Darlinghurst, and Glebe, in Telegraph communication with Head Office | 1,095 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 19 | 6 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 100 | 0 | 0 | Waggunyah to Corowa | 70 | 7 | 3 | 29 | 12 | 9 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 850 | 0 | 0 | Removal of Line from G. N. Road to Railway Line between Singleton and Murrurundi | 829 | 2 | 0 | 20 | 18 | 0 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 1,700 | 0 | 0 | 94 miles of Extra Wire on the Southern and Western Railways | 1,189 | 12 | 2 | 510 | 7 | 10 | ..... |  |  |
| " | 1,000 | 0 | 0 | Jervis Bay to Ulladulla | 855 | 6 | 10 | 144 | 13 | 2 | ..... |  |  |
| £ | 292,280 | 0 | 0 | Carried forward | £ 289,266 | 9 | 3 | 3,013 | 10 | 9 | | | |
| £ | 2,737,714 | 0 | 0 | Carried forward... .. | £ 2,726,418 | 12 | 1 | 11,295 | 7 | 11 | | | |

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| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | |
|-------|--|-------|--|--|--------------|---|--|---|
| | £ | s. d. | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. |  | £ | s. d. |
| | 2,737,714 | 0 0 | Brought forward | 2,726,418 12 1 | 11,295 7 11 | | | |
| | | | GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT—continued | | | | | |
| | | | 36 VICTORIA, No. 21—continued. | | | | | |
| | 292,280 | 0 0 | Brought forward | 289,266 9 3 | 3,013 10 9 | | | |
| 1873 | 9,000 | 0 0 | Electric Telegraphs—continued. | | | | | |
| | 500 | 0 0 | 3,000 Iron Poles for Railways | 8,464 5 2 | 535 14 10 | | | |
| | 23,000 | 0 0 | Second Wire to Newcastle | 496 4 6 | 3 15 6 | | | |
| | | | Additional Wires on Southern, Western, and Northern Lines | 22,990 12 8 | 9 7 4 | | | |
| | 50,000 | 0 0 | Immigration | 49,991 16 8 | 8 3 4 | | | |
| | 35,000 | 0 0 | Fortifications | 35,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 100,000 | 0 0 | To pay off Debentures (29 Vic. No. 5), due 31 December, 1873 | 100,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 509,780 | 0 0 | | 506,209 8 3 | 3,570 11 9 | | | |
| | | | 38 VICTORIA, No. 2. | | | | | |
| 1874 | 20,000 | 0 0 | Railways— | | | | | |
| | 100,000 | 0 0 | Trial Surveys | 19,988 3 4 | 11 16 8 | | | |
| | 25,000 | 0 0 | Rolling Stock | 100,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | | | Towards purchasing Land, laying Sidings, and erecting Sheds, Darling Harbour Wharf... .. | 24,998 13 4 | 1 6 8 | | | |
| | 10,000 | 0 0 | For Engine Sheds | 9,953 14 1 | 46 5 11 | | | |
| | 8,000 | 0 0 | Enlarging Machine Shop, Sydney Station | 7,745 3 3 | 254 16 9 | | | |
| | 2,000 | 0 0 | Additional Machinery, Sydney | 2,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 6,000 | 0 0 | Completing New Station, Redfern (including Approach Roads, Lighting, Water Supply, and Retaining Wall, Darling Harbour Branch) | 5,931 13 7 | 68 6 5 | | | |
| | 1,000 | 0 0 | Unadjusted Land Claims... .. | 239 6 10 | 760 13 2 | | | |
| | 45,000 | 0 0 | To complete the Western Line to Kelso, and to provide for increased price of iron-work for the Bridges over the River Macquarie | 44,980 18 9 | 19 1 3 | | | |
| | 50,000 | 0 0 | To connect the Great Northern Railway with the new Wharfage accommodation at Bullock Island | 44,451 2 9 | 5,548 17 3 | | | |
| | 50,000 | 0 0 | Purchase of Twelve Locomotive Engines | 50,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 10,000 | 0 0 | Harbours and Rivers Navigation— | | | | | |
| | | | Towards construction of Harbour of Refuge at Trial Bay by Prison labour | 10,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 9,000 | 0 0 | Two additional Steam Cranes, Newcastle | 8,992 8 8 | 7 11 4 | | | |
| | 10,000 | 0 0 | Southern Breakwater Extension... | 9,986 13 3 | 13 6 9 | | | |
| | 5,000 | 0 0 | Improving Navigation of River Darling... | 5,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 16,200 | 0 0 | Reclamation of Blackwattle Swamp | 16,200 0 0 | | | | |
| | 5,000 | 0 0 | Extension of Newcastle Wharf, further sum | 4,990 16 11 | 9 3 1 | | | |
| | 15,000 | 0 0 | To complete the Dock at Cockatoo Island | 14,896 1 11 | 103 18 1 | | | |
| | | | Colonial Architect— | | | | | |
| | 5,000 | 0 0 | Light-house, Barranjoey, Broken Bay | 5,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 4,000 | 0 0 | Light-house, Solitary Island | 3,999 15 1 | 0 4 11 | | | |
| | 20,000 | 0 0 | Erection of Public Offices | 20,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 20,000 | 0 0 | Erection of Public Offices, Lands Department | 20,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 3,000 | 0 0 | Custom-house, Newcastle | 3,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 4,000 | 0 0 | Light-house, Seal Rocks | 4,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 75,000 | 0 0 | New Lunatic Asylum | 75,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 2,000 | 0 0 | Water Supply Abattoirs, further sum | 2,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | | | Roads and Bridges— | | | | | |
| | 6,000 | 0 0 | Bridge at Moruya... .. | 5,940 18 4 | 50 1 8 | | | |
| | 3,800 | 0 0 | Nimboy Bridge, further sum | 3,800 0 0 | | | | |
| | 1,000 | 0 0 | Uralla Bridge, further sum | 1,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 2,000 | 0 0 | Windsor Bridge, further sum | 2,000 0 0 | | | | |
| £ | 533,000 | 0 0 | Carried forward | £ 526,104 10 1 | 6,895 9 11 | | | |
| £ | 3,247,494 | 0 0 | Carried forward... | £ 3,232,628 0 4 | 14,865 19 8 | | | |

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| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | |
|-------|--|-------|--|--|-----------|--------|-------|------------------|
| | £ | s. d. | | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. |
| | 3,247,494 | 0 0 | Brought forward | 3,232,628 | 0 4 | 14,865 | 19 8 | £ s. d. |
| | | | GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT—continued | | | | | |
| | | | 38 VICTORIA, No. 2—continued. | | | | | |
| | 533,000 | 0 0 | Brought forward | 526,104 | 10 1 | 6,895 | 9 11 | ..... |
| 1874 | 4,500 | 0 0 | Electric Telegraphs— To connect Coonamble with the Telegraph Line to Fort Bourke, on the guarantee principle | 4,444 | 8 7 | 55 | 11 5 | ..... |
| " | 1,600 | 0 0 | Mudgee to Rylstone, on the guarantee principle | 1,280 | 18 11 | 319 | 1 1 | ..... |
| " | 1,600 | 0 0 | Inverell to Warialda, on the guarantee principle | 1,573 | 4 4 | 26 | 15 8 | ..... |
| " | 2,400 | 0 0 | Telegraph Line from Bingera to Warialda, on the guarantee principle | 1,276 | 2 5 | 1,123 | 17 7 | ..... |
| " | 800 | 0 0 | Additional for line to Ulladulla | 576 | 6 1 | 223 | 13 11 | ..... |
| " | 3,000 | 0 0 | Casino to the Tweed | 3,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,500 | 0 0 | Forbes to Bushman's | 1,087 | 17 9 | 412 | 2 3 | ..... |
| " | 3,000 | 0 0 | Coolah to Coonabarabran... .. | 2,922 | 6 1 | 77 | 13 11 | ..... |
| " | 1,800 | 0 0 | To connect Kempsey, <i>via</i> Gladstone, with Macleay River Heads | 1,404 | 11 6 | 395 | 8 6 | ..... |
| " | 3,000 | 0 0 | To connect New Light-house, Seal Rocks To Pay off Debentures— | 3,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 100,000 | 0 0 | 29 Vic. No. 5, due 31 December, 1874 ... | 100,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 150,000 | 0 0 | 16 Vic. No. 39, due February, March, and November, 1874 | 150,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| | 806,200 | 0 0 | | 796,670 | 5 9 | 9,529 | 14 3 | ..... |
| | | | 39 VICTORIA, No. 18. | | | | | |
| | | | Railways— | | | | | |
| 1875 | 50,000 | 0 0 | Rolling Stock | 50,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,000 | 0 0 | Additional Machinery, Sydney | 5,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 20,000 | 0 0 | Trial Surveys | 20,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 10,000 | 0 0 | Harbours and Rivers Navigation— Reclamation of Blackwattle Swamp, further sum | 10,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 4,000 | 0 0 | Improving the Navigation of the Murrumbidgee River, further sum ... | 3,984 | 10 11 | 15 | 9 1 | ..... |
| " | 2,000 | 0 0 | Improving Navigation of the River Darling, further sum | 1,998 | 15 11 | 1 | 4 1 | ..... |
| " | 20,000 | 0 0 | Newcastle Wharf Cranes, &c. | 20,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 3,000 | 0 0 | Colonial Architect— Completion New General Post Office, further sum | 2,999 | 10 1 | 0 | 9 11 | ..... |
| " | 5,000 | 0 0 | Custom House, Newcastle, further sum... | 4,870 | 3 11 | 129 | 16 1 | ..... |
| " | 3,000 | 0 0 | Light-house, Seal Rocks, further sum ... | 3,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,200 | 0 0 | Roads and Bridges— Bridge over Hunter at Elderslie... .. | 1,178 | 6 8 | 21 | 13 4 | ..... |
| " | 3,000 | 0 0 | Bridge at Casino, further sum | 3,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 7,000 | 0 0 | Purchase of Richmond Bridge | 7,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,000 | 0 0 | Fortifications— Towards completing the Fortifications of Port Jackson | 5,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 30,000 | 0 0 | Electric Telegraphs— Bourke to Wentworth | 27,578 | 2 2 | 2,421 | 17 10 | ..... |
| " | 4,200 | 0 0 | Coonabarabran to Coonamble | 3,324 | 17 4 | 875 | 2 8 | ..... |
| " | 4,600 | 0 0 | Warialda to Goondawindi | 3,390 | 16 3 | 1,209 | 3 9 | ..... |
| " | 3,500 | 0 0 | Orange to Wellington, <i>via</i> Molong | 2,823 | 11 0 | 676 | 9 0 | ..... |
| " | 2,600 | 0 0 | Wollombi to Singleton (3 wires)... .. | 2,540 | 14 9 | 59 | 5 3 | ..... |
| " | 7,200 | 0 0 | Glen Innes to Grafton, <i>via</i> Newton Boyd ... | 6,019 | 13 9 | 1,180 | 6 3 | ..... |
| " | 600 | 0 0 | St. Leonards to Manly Beach | 504 | 1 10 | 95 | 18 2 | ..... |
| " | 4,800 | 0 0 | Bourke to Rutherfords | 4,577 | 0 10 | 222 | 19 2 | ..... |
| " | 1,000 | 0 0 | Line to the Tweed, further sum | 1,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| " | 15,000 | 0 0 | Iron poles for Railway Extensions | 14,872 | 12 8 | 127 | 7 4 | ..... |
| " | 600 | 0 0 | Newcastle to Wallsend ... .. | ..... | ..... | 600 | 0 0 | ..... |
| " | 1,850 | 0 0 | Singleton, <i>via</i> Jerry's Plains to Denman ... | 1,380 | 13 9 | 469 | 6 3 | ..... |
| £ | 214,150 | 0 0 | Carried forward | £ 206,043 | 11 10 | 8,106 | 8 2 | ..... |
| £ | 4,053,694 | 0 0 | Carried forward... | £ 4,029,298 | 6 1 | 24,395 | 13 11 | ..... |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | |
|-------|--|----|----|---|--|--------------|---|--------|----|-----------|
| | £ | s. | d. | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | | |
| | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| | 4,053,694 | 0 | 0 | Brought forward | 4,029,298 | 6 | 1 | 24,395 | 13 | 11 |
| | | | | GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT—continued | | | | | | |
| | | | | 39 VICTORIA, No. 18—continued. | | | | | | |
| | 214,150 | 0 | 0 | Brought forward | 206,043 | 11 | 10 | 8,106 | 8 | 2 |
| 1875 | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | Electric Telegraphs—continued. | | | | | | |
| | 7,500 | 0 | 0 | Moruya to Bega | 2,638 | 14 | 6 | 861 | 5 | 6 |
| | 2,000 | 0 | 0 | West Kempsey to Grafton, <i>via</i> the Nam- buca and Bellinger Rivers | 5,175 | 5 | 6 | 2,324 | 14 | 6 |
| | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | Balranald to the Victorian Boundary | 586 | 13 | 10 | 1,413 | 6 | 2 |
| | 340 | 0 | 0 | Dubbo to Warren | 2,951 | 6 | 5 | 548 | 13 | 7 |
| | 3,500 | 0 | 0 | St. Leonards to Hunter's Hill and Glades- ville | 135 | 11 | 0 | 204 | 9 | 0 |
| | 1,200 | 0 | 0 | Wagga Wagga to Narrandera | 2,656 | 13 | 8 | 843 | 6 | 4 |
| | | | | To connect Murrumburrah | 872 | 19 | 6 | 327 | 0 | 6 |
| | 235,690 | 0 | 0 | | 221,060 | 16 | 3 | 14,629 | 3 | 9 |
| | | | | 40 VICTORIA, No. 12. | | | | | | |
| | | | | Railways— | | | | | | |
| 1876 | 350,000 | 0 | 0 | Orange to Wellington, 56 miles | 350,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | 260,000 | 0 | 0 | Wellington to Dubbo, including Bridge over Macquarie River, 30 miles | 260,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | 384,000 | 0 | 0 | From a point on the Great Southern Line, near Junee, to Narrandera, on the Murrumbidgee, 64 miles | 348,468 | 18 | 1 | 35,531 | 1 | 11 |
| | 600,000 | 0 | 0 | Tamworth to District of Armidale, Great Northern Line, 75 miles | 600,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | 220,000 | 0 | 0 | Wore's Creek to Gunnedah, Great Nor- thern Line, 40 miles | 220,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | Trial Surveys | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | 150,000 | 0 | 0 | Additional Rolling Stock | 150,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | For strengthening the Bridge and impro- ving the gradients on the Windsor and Richmond Line | 10,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | Harbours and Rivers— | | | | | | |
| | 35,000 | 0 | 0 | Southern Breakwater Extension, New- castle Harbour, further sum | 35,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | 100,000 | 0 | 0 | Wharf and Shipping Appliances, New- castle | 99,987 | 8 | 10 | 12 | 11 | 2 |
| | | | | Roads Branch— | | | | | | |
| | 40,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridges over Iron Cove Creek and Parra- matia River, further sum | 40,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | 30,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over Darling at Bourke | 30,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | 32,000 | 0 | 0 | Bridge over the Murray at Echuca | 32,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | 2,236,000 | 0 | 0 | | 2,200,456 | 6 | 11 | 35,543 | 13 | 1 |
| | | | | 41 VICTORIA, No. 4. | | | | | | |
| | | | | Railways— | | | | | | |
| 1877 | 30,000 | 0 | 0 | To complete the Construction of a Line from Goulburn to Wagga Wagga | 30,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | 20,352 | 0 | 0 | To complete the Extension into Bathurst | 8,011 | 2 | 4 | 12,340 | 17 | 8 |
| | 77,000 | 0 | 0 | To complete the Construction of a Line from Bathurst to Orange | 68,313 | 16 | 3 | | | 8,686 3 9 |
| | 80,000 | 0 | 0 | To complete the Construction of a Line from Murrurundi to Tamworth | 74,182 | 15 | 8 | 5,817 | 4 | 4 |
| | 207,352 | 0 | 0 | | 180,507 | 14 | 3 | 18,158 | 2 | 0 |
| | | | | 41 VICTORIA, No. 7. | | | | | | |
| | | | | Railways— | | | | | | |
| | 680,000 | 0 | 0 | For the Extension of the Great Southern Railway from the end of No. 3 Con- tract, near Wagga Wagga to Albury, including the Viaduct over the River Murrumbidgee—82 miles | 680,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | £ 680,000 | 0 | 0 | Carried forward | £ 680,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | £ 6,732,736 | 0 | 0 | Carried forward | £ 6,631,323 | 3 | 6 | 92,726 | 12 | 9 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--|-------|---|--|--------------|---|--------------|--|
| | £ | s. d. | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | |
| | 6,732,736 | 0 0 | Brought forward | 6,631,323 3 6 | 92,726 12 9 | | 8,686 3 9 | |
| GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT—continued | | | | | | | | |
| 41 VICTORIA, No. 7—continued. | | | | | | | | |
| | 680,000 | 0 0 | Brought forward | 680,000 0 0 | | | | |
| 1877 | 20,000 | 0 0 | Railways—continued. | | | | | |
| | 20,000 | 0 0 | Railway Trial Surveys | 20,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 240,000 | 0 0 | Wallsend Junction to Hexham | 20,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | | | Rolling Stock, including Engines | 240,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 160,000 | 0 0 | Fortifications— | | | | | |
| | | | Defence Works at Port Jackson, Botany Bay; and Newcastle, as per Resolution of the Assembly | 160,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 1,120,000 | 0 0 | Total, 41 Victoria, No. 7 | 1,120,000 0 0 | | | | |
| 43 VICTORIA, No. 11. | | | | | | | | |
| 1879 | 1,611,000 | 0 0 | Railways— | | | | | |
| | 1,450,000 | 0 0 | Tamworth to Tenterfield | 1,611,000 0 0 | | | 185,471 6 0 | |
| | 370,000 | 0 0 | Dubbo to the vicinity of Bourke | 1,264,528 14 0 | | | 67,448 0 7 | |
| | 735,000 | 0 0 | Gunnedah to Narrabri | 302,551 19 5 | | | | |
| | 735,000 | 0 0 | Wallerawang to Mudgee | 735,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 100,000 | 0 0 | Narrandera to Hay | 576,597 5 7 | | | 158,402 14 5 | |
| | 20,000 | 0 0 | Goulburn to Wagga Wagga | 98,570 18 9 | | | 1,429 1 3 | |
| | 225,000 | 0 0 | Trial Surveys | 20,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 620,000 | 0 0 | Purchase of Railway Stores, further sum | 225,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | | | Rolling Stock | 620,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 1,086,768 | 0 0 | Harbours and Rivers— | | | | | |
| | 400,000 | 0 0 | Sydney Water Supply | 1,086,768 0 0 | | | | |
| | | | Sewerage—City of Sydney | 400,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 7,352,768 | 0 0 | Total, 43 Victoria, No. 11 | 6,940,016 17 9 | | | 412,751 2 3 | |
| 44 VICTORIA, No. 12. | | | | | | | | |
| 1880 | 40,000 | 0 0 | Railways— | | | | | |
| | 22,000 | 0 0 | Orange to Dubbo | 25,889 11 5 | | | 14,110 8 7 | |
| | 600,000 | 0 0 | Werris Creek to Gunnedah | 20,522 10 9 | | | 1,477 9 3 | |
| | 250,000 | 0 0 | Tramways—Construction | 599,995 15 4 | | | 4 4 8 | |
| | 100,000 | 0 0 | New Workshops, &c., for Tramways | 250,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | | | Doubling Great Western Line between Parramatta and Parramatta Junction, &c. | 99,988 13 4 | | | 11 6 8 | |
| | 150,000 | 0 0 | Harbours and Rivers— | | | | | |
| | | | Extension of Dock Accommodation | 149,998 7 2 | | | 1 12 10 | |
| | 100,000 | 0 0 | Electric Telegraphs— | | | | | |
| | | | Construction and Extension generally | 100,000 0 0 | | | | |
| | 1,262,000 | 0 0 | Total, 44 Victoria, No. 12 | 1,246,394 18 0 | | | 15,605 2 0 | |
| | 16,467,504 | 0 0 | Carried forward | £15,937,734 19 3 | 92,726 12 9 | | 437,042 8 0 | |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--|-------|--|--|--------------|---|-------|-----------|-------|
| | £ | s. d. | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | | |
| | £ | s. d. | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| | 16,467,504 | 0 0 | Brought forward | 15,937,734 | 19 3 | 92,726 | 12 9 | 437,042 | 8 0 |
| GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT—continued | | | | | | | | | |
| 44 VICTORIA, No. 28. | | | | | | | | | |
| Railways— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1881 | 2,000,000 | 0 0 | Homebush to Waratah | 1,999,978 | 8 0 | | | 21 | 12 0 |
| " | 1,020,000 | 0 0 | Sydney to Wollongong and Kiama | 1,020,000 | 0 0 | | | | |
| " | 1,430,000 | 0 0 | Goulburn to Cooma | 1,264,121 | 16 10 | | | 165,878 | 3 2 |
| " | 80,000 | 0 0 | Albury to the River Murray | 80,000 | 0 0 | | | | |
| " | 518,000 | 0 0 | Narandera to Jerilderie | 406,736 | 5 9 | | | 111,263 | 14 3 |
| " | 218,000 | 0 0 | Cootamundra to Gundagai | 218,000 | 0 0 | | | | |
| " | 1,260,000 | 0 0 | Murrumburrah to Blayney | 1,016,101 | 15 0 | | | 243,898 | 5 0 |
| " | 95,000 | 0 0 | Wagga Wagga to Albury | 94,943 | 6 6 | | | 56 | 13 6 |
| " | 300,000 | 0 0 | Alteration and Additions to Station Buildings, &c. | 300,000 | 0 0 | | | | |
| Harbours and Rivers— | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 20,000 | 0 0 | Southern Breakwater, Newcastle | 18,865 | 17 9 | | | 1,134 | 2 3 |
| " | 30,000 | 0 0 | Breakwater, Clarence River | 30,000 | 0 0 | | | | |
| " | 60,000 | 0 0 | Darling Harbour Wharf and Extension of Railway to Port Jackson | 173 | 12 1 | | | 59,826 | 7 11 |
| " | 20,000 | 0 0 | Harbour Works, Lake Macquarie | 20,000 | 0 0 | | | | |
| Roads and Bridges— | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 27,000 | 0 0 | Bridge over Manilla River at Manilla | 27,000 | 0 0 | | | | |
| " | 24,000 | 0 0 | Bridge over the Gwydir at Bingera | 24,000 | 0 0 | | | | |
| | 7,102,000 | 0 0 | Total, 44 Victoria, No. 28 | 6,519,921 | 1 11 | | | 582,078 | 18 1 |
| 45 VICTORIA, No. 22. | | | | | | | | | |
| Railways— | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 500,000 | 0 0 | Additional Rolling Stock | 500,000 | 0 0 | | | | |
| Harbour and Rivers— | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 500,000 | 0 0 | Completing Darling Harbour Wharf, and extending the Railway to the deep waters of Port Jackson | 263,797 | 6 5 | | | 236,202 | 13 7 |
| | 1,000,000 | 0 0 | Total, 45 Victoria, No. 22 | 763,797 | 6 5 | | | 236,202 | 13 7 |
| 46 VICTORIA, No. 23. | | | | | | | | | |
| Harbours and River Navigation— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1883 | 100,000 | 0 0 | Further towards improvements, Clarence River Heads | 54,142 | 2 4 | | | 45,857 | 17 8 |
| " | 20,000 | 0 0 | Further towards improvements, Lake Macquarie Heads | 20,000 | 0 0 | | | | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 0 | Further for Prison Buildings, Trial Bay | 10,000 | 0 0 | | | | |
| " | 25,000 | 0 0 | Dredging Plant for the Richmond and other Northern Rivers | 23,043 | 19 2 | | | 1,956 | 0 10 |
| | 155,000 | 0 0 | Carried forward | £ 107,186 | 1 6 | | | 47,813 | 18 6 |
| | 24,569,504 | 0 0 | Carried forward | £ 23,221,453 | 7 7 | 92,726 | 12 9 | 1,255,323 | 19 8 |

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| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | |
|-------|--|---|--|--------------|---|
| | | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. |
| | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | 24,569,504 0 0 | Brought forward | 23,221,453 7 7 | 92,726 12 9 | 1,255,323 19 8 |
| | | GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT—continued | | | |
| | | <i>46 VICTORIA, No. 23—continued.</i> | | | |
| | 155,000 0 0 | Brought forward | 107,186 1 6 | ..... | 47,813 18 6 |
| 1883 | 100,000 0 0 | Sewerage— Southern Extension from original Sewerage Farm at Shea's Creek to Webb's Grant, including Syphon and resumption of land at Rusheutters' Bay, Double Bay, and Waterloo for Sewerage purposes | 100,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 580,000 0 0 | Railways— For providing additional Rolling Stock and the purchase of Machinery, Tools, &c. | 580,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 400,000 0 0 | For construction of Tramways, including Motors, Rolling Stock, Machinery, &c. | 398,703 9 2 | ..... | 1,296 10 10 |
| " | 40,000 0 0 | Trial Surveys | 40,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 400,000 0 0 | Alterations, additions, and improvements at Stations, increased siding accommodation, and other purposes | 400,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 140,000 0 0 | Towards construction of a Line from North Shore to junction with Southern and Northern Junction Railway | 103,338 15 3 | ..... | 36,661 4 9 |
| " | 85,000 0 0 | Doubling Line from Parramatta to Penrith | 84,897 7 10 | ..... | 102 12 2 |
| " | 100,000 0 0 | Electric Telegraphs— Construction and extension of Telegraph Lines generally | 100,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| | 2,000,000 0 0 | Total, 46 Victoria, No. 23 | 1,914,125 13 9 | ..... | 85,874 6 3 |
| | | <i>48 VICTORIA, No. 26.</i> | | | |
| " | 250,000 0 0 | Harbours and Rivers Branch— For providing Water Supplies for Country Towns | 250,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 553,000 0 0 | Further for Sydney Water Supply Works | 553,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 17,500 0 0 | Additional Dredge and Punts for Sydney | 7,702 0 10 | ..... | 9,797 19 2 |
| " | 50,000 0 0 | Further for Harbour Improvements and Shipping facilities, Newcastle Harbour | 49,995 10 7 | ..... | 4 9 5 |
| " | 10,000 0 0 | Towards Harbour Works, Lake Macquarie—further sum | 10,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,200 0 0 | Towards enlarging Wentworth Wharf ... | 1,200 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 3,000 0 0 | Further for Tug, &c., Dredge Service ... | 3,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,000 0 0 | Towards construction of Jetty, Byron Bay | 5,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 2,400 0 0 | For Punts for Grab Dredge, to be used first on the Hastings River | 2,381 13 6 | ..... | 18 6 6 |
| " | 3,600 0 0 | Small Grab Dredge &c. Punts to be used first in the Camden Haven and Lake District | 3,600 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| | 895,700 0 0 | Carried forward | £ 885,879 4 11 | | 9,820 15 1 |
| | 26,569,504 0 0 | Carried forward... | £ 25,135,579 1 4 | 92,726 12 9 | 1,341,198 5 11 |

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| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | Description of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | |
|-------|--|--|--|--------------|---|
| | | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. |
| | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | 26,569,504 0 0 | Brought forward | 25,135,579 1 4 | 92,726 12 9 | 1,341,198 5 11 |
| | | GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT—continued | | | |
| | | 48 VICTORIA, No. 26—continued. | | | |
| | 895,700 0 0 | Brought forward | 885,879 4 11 | ..... | 9,820 15 1 |
| 1883 | 3,000 0 0 | Harbours and Rivers Branch—continued— Towards improving the Entrance to the Nambuccera River ... .. | ..... | ..... | 3,000 0 0 |
| " | 2,000 0 0 | Towards construction of Light-house, Kiama | 2,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 11,000 0 0 | Northern Breakwater, Newcastle—further sum | 7,880 2 7 | ..... | 3,119 17 5 |
| " | 18,500 0 0 | Wood Paving, Circular Quay | 18,500 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,000 0 0 | For removal of Rocks from front of Wharf, Newcastle Harbour—further sum | 849 11 3 | ..... | 4,150 8 9 |
| | | Colonial Architect's Branch— | | | |
| " | 3,500 0 0 | Narrabri Court-house—Erection of | 3,225 10 0 | ..... | 274 10 0 |
| " | 2,000 0 0 | Court-house and Lock-up at Mulwala | 1,916 16 0 | ..... | 83 4 0 |
| " | 1,500 0 0 | Court-house and Lock-up at Mount Hope | 527 0 0 | ..... | 973 0 0 |
| " | 3,000 0 0 | Nymagee Court and Watch House and Police Quarters—Erection of ... .. | ..... | ..... | 3,000 0 0 |
| " | 1,500 0 0 | Post and Telegraph Office, Broughton Creek | 1,500 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,000 0 0 | Post and Telegraph Office, Oberon | 1,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,500 0 0 | Post and Telegraph Office, Moruya | 1,500 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,200 0 0 | Post and Telegraph Office, Adelong | 1,200 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 2,950 0 0 | Government Printing Office—Additions—further sum | 287 10 5 | ..... | 2,662 9 7 |
| " | 6,000 0 0 | Erection of Gaol, Grafton ... .. | ..... | ..... | 6,000 0 0 |
| " | 3,000 0 0 | Court-house, Cobar—Erection of | 3,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,400 0 0 | Court-house, Darlinghurst—Dwarf Wall and Iron Palisading—Erection of | 1,394 17 6 | ..... | 5 2 6 |
| " | 5,000 0 0 | Court-house, Cooma—Erection of | 5,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 6,000 0 0 | Court-house and Post-office, Balmain—further sum | 6,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 50,000 0 0 | Naval Stations, Port Jackson | 50,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,000 0 0 | Goulburn Gaol—Completion of—further sum | 5,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 20,853 0 0 | For the purchase of land resumed at the corner of Bridge and Phillip Streets, for public purposes | 20,853 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 25,000 0 0 | Sites and Buildings for Fire Brigade Stations in City of Sydney | 25,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 50,000 0 0 | Towards the erection of new School Buildings and Teachers' Residences | 50,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 4,000 0 0 | Compensation for Land and Buildings resumed at the intersection of the New South Head Road and Point Piper Road, for Post and Telegraph Office purposes | 4,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 10,000 0 0 | Erection of Buildings at the University for Museum of Natural History and Zoological Library, to be presented by the Hon. William Macleay, M.L.C. | 10,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 5,800 0 0 | For the purchase of Ormond House, Paddington, for the use of the State Children's Relief Department | 5,800 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 15,000 0 0 | For the purchase of Buildings in Phillip-street for Colonial Stores | 15,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 40,000 0 0 | For the purchase and further sum, Central Police Courts, Sydney | 31,162 18 6 | ..... | 8,837 1 6 |
| | 1,200,403 0 0 | Carried forward | £1,158,476 11 2 | | 41,926 8 10 |
| | 26,569,504 0 0 | Carried forward | £25,135,579 1 4 | 92,726 12 9 | 1,341,198 5 11 |

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| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | |
|-------|--|---|--|--------------|---|
| | | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. |
| | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | 26,569,504 0 0 | Brought forward | 25,135,579 1 4 | 92,726 12 9 | 1,341,198 5 11 |
| | | GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT—continued | | | |
| | | 48 VICTORIA, No. 26—continued. | | | |
| | 1,200,403 0 0 | Brought forward | 1,158,476 11 2 | ..... | 41,926 8 10 |
| 1883 | 3,500 0 0 | Roads and Bridges Branch— Bridge over Wilson's Creek, at Lismore— further sum | 3,102 1 9 | ..... | 397 18 3 |
| " | 1,000 0 0 | Bridges, Westbrook and Glendon Brook | 1,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 2,000 0 0 | Bridge, King Creek, Port Macquarie ... | 1,996 6 4 | ..... | 3 13 8 |
| " | 1,500 0 0 | Bridge over Brungle Gully, on the road from Walgett to Coonamble | 1,465 4 0 | ..... | 34 16 0 |
| " | 6,000 0 0 | Bridge over the river at Paterson | 5,997 8 4 | ..... | 2 11 8 |
| " | 1,500 0 0 | Bridge on road Bega to Brogo | 1,496 6 11 | ..... | 3 13 1 |
| " | 4,000 0 0 | Lennox Bridge, Parramatta ... .. | ..... | ..... | 4,000 0 0 |
| " | 2,900 0 0 | For the purchase of Pymont Bridge— further sum | 2,900 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 2,000 0 0 | Iron Steam-punt, Harwood Island | 1,997 15 0 | ..... | 2 5 0 |
| " | 20,000 0 0 | Resumption of land at Rushcutter's Bay, Double Bay, Waterloo and Botany, and Webb's Grant, for Sewerage purposes | 20,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 356,000 0 0 | Railway Branch— Erection of new Workshops, and for Machinery and Sidings in connection therewith | 356,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 25,000 0 0 | Trial Surveys—further sum | 25,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 157,000 0 0 | Wallerawang to Mudgee—further sum... | 157,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 450,000 0 0 | City Extension, 1 mile 76 chains | 2,447 6 5 | ..... | 447,552 13 7 |
| " | 195,000 0 0 | Perth to near Rockley, 17 miles... | 1,698 17 3 | ..... | 193,301 2 9 |
| " | 578,000 0 0 | Inverell to Glen Innes, 45 miles | 2,832 5 8 | ..... | 575,167 14 4 |
| " | 2,000,000 0 0 | South Grafton to Glen Innes, 103 miles | 7,768 8 7 | ..... | 1,992,231 11 5 |
| " | 1,980,000 0 0 | Grafton to the Tweed River, <i>via</i> Casino, Lismore, and the Brunswick, 165 miles | 15,189 3 10 | ..... | 1,964,810 16 2 |
| " | 700,000 0 0 | Musclebrook to Cassilis, 70 miles | 4,000 13 2 | ..... | 695,999 6 10 |
| " | 310,000 0 0 | Tarago to Braidwood, 31 miles | 2,195 9 11 | ..... | 307,804 10 1 |
| " | 500,000 0 0 | Gundagai to Tumut, <i>via</i> Adelong, includ- ing Iron Bridge over the river Murrum- bigdee, 33 miles... .. | 32,917 1 3 | ..... | 467,082 18 9 |
| " | 804,000 0 0 | Kiama to Jervis Bay, 41 miles | 2,560 13 2 | ..... | 801,439 6 10 |
| " | 606,000 0 0 | Bega to Eden, 40 miles | 5,421 2 7 | ..... | 600,578 17 5 |
| " | 259,500 0 0 | Goulburn to Crockwell, 25 miles | 1,978 17 6 | ..... | 257,521 2 6 |
| " | 144,000 0 0 | Galang to Burrowa, 18 miles | 1,089 11 6 | ..... | 142,910 8 6 |
| " | 710,000 0 0 | Wagga to Tumberumba, 68 miles | 3,923 11 3 | ..... | 706,076 8 9 |
| " | 173,500 0 0 | Tenterfield to the Queensland Border, 12 miles | 110,408 9 10 | ..... | 63,091 10 2 |
| " | 705,500 0 0 | { Orange to Molong, <i>via</i> Borenore, 21 miles } { Borenore to Forbes, <i>via</i> Cudal, 60 miles } | 308,339 1 4 | ..... | 397,160 18 8 |
| " | 500,000 0 0 | Alterations, additions, and improvements at Stations, increased siding accommo- dation, and other purposes | 500,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| " | 1,050,000 0 0 | Light Lines— Forbes to Wilcannia, 340 miles | 1,703 12 7 | ..... | 1,048,296 7 5 |
| " | 263,500 0 0 | Nyngan to Cobar, 82 miles | 2,100 6 6 | ..... | 261,399 13 6 |
| " | 336,500 0 0 | Narrabri to Moree, 61 miles | 2,134 3 0 | ..... | 334,365 17 0 |
| " | 210,000 0 0 | Culcairn to Corowa, 45 miles | 2,011 16 4 | ..... | 207,988 3 8 |
| " | 130,000 0 0 | Fortifications— For Gun-carriages and Defence Works generally | 129,983 18 8 | ..... | 16 1 4 |
| | 14,388,303 0 0 | Total, 48 Victoria, No. 26 | 2,877,136 3 10 | ..... | 11,511,166 16 2 |
| | 40,957,807 0 0 | Carried forward | 28,012,715 5 2 | 92,726 12 9 | 12,852,365 2 1 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | |
|-------|--|---|--|--------------|---|
| | | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. |
| | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | 40,957,807 0 0 | Brought forward | 28,012,715 5 2 | 92,726 12 9 | 12,852,365 2 1 |
| | | GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT—continued. | | | |
| | | 50 VICTORIA, No. 28. | | | |
| | | Harbours and Rivers Branch— | | | |
| | 100,000 0 0 | Further for Country Towns Water Supplies, inclusive of Loans in certain cases to be made to Municipalities which have been constructed or may be authorized by the Governor-in-Council to construct Water Works, but subject to similar terms of repayment as are prescribed by the fifth part of the Act intituled "An Act to establish a system of Water Supply and Sewerage for certain Towns," 44 Victoria, No. 14 | 90,024 10 1 | ..... | 9,975 9 11 |
| | 474,353 0 0 | Sydney Water Supply Works, inclusive of cost of Temporary Supply, further sum | 474,189 14 9 | ..... | 163 5 3 |
| | 9,000 0 0 | Circular Quay, wood-paving and other improvements | 8,994 10 8 | ..... | 5 9 4 |
| | 9,000 0 0 | Wollongong—towards deepening Harbour | 4,272 13 5 | ..... | 4,727 6 7 |
| | 10,000 0 0 | Trial Bay—Prison Buildings and Break-Water | 7,180 0 3 | ..... | 2,819 19 9 |
| | 7,500 0 0 | Blackwattle Bay—construction of Wharf and Wall | 7,150 10 3 | ..... | 349 9 9 |
| | | Colonial Architect's Branch— | | | |
| | 26,740 0 0 | Purchase of Land, Phillip and Hunter Streets, for Police and other Public Offices | 26,739 16 11 | ..... | 0 3 1 |
| | 36,000 0 0 | University Medical School | 34,617 1 10 | ..... | 1,382 18 2 |
| | 42,000 0 0 | Completion of the New General Post Office | 42,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| | 20,000 0 0 | Bathurst Gaol—completion of the | 19,902 10 9 | ..... | 97 9 3 |
| | 11,000 0 0 | Dubbo Public Buildings, including site | 7,333 6 8 | ..... | 3,666 13 4 |
| | 8,000 0 0 | Erection of Gaol at Bega ... .. | ..... | ..... | 8,000 0 0 |
| | | Roads and Bridges Branch— | | | |
| | 5,300 0 0 | Iron Bridge over Gwydir or Big River at Bingera | 3,610 14 4 | ..... | 1,689 5 8 |
| | 8,500 0 0 | Iron Bridge over Snowy River at Buckley's Crossing (Re-vote £5,000—further sum, £3,500) | 6,280 10 9 | ..... | 2,219 9 3 |
| | 5,000 0 0 | Iron Bridge, Barwon River, at Brewarrina, further sum | 4,998 0 5 | ..... | 1 19 7 |
| | 5,000 0 0 | Iron Bridge, Mulwala (moiety to be paid by the Government of Victoria) | 4 0 0 | ..... | 4,996 0 0 |
| | 250,060 0 0 | Sewerage Branch—Sydney Sewerage Works—Works in progress, contracts to be let, and resumption of land | 201,655 15 6 | ..... | 48,344 4 6 |
| | | Railway Branch— | | | |
| | | Towards completion of Lines— | | | |
| | 250,000 0 0 | Tamworth to Tenterfield, further sum | 205,295 14 0 | ..... | 44,704 6 0 |
| | 35,000 0 0 | Wallerawang to Mudgee, further sum | 34,540 11 9 | ..... | 459 8 3 |
| | 28,000 0 0 | Albury to River Murray, further sum | 12,962 1 5 | ..... | 15,037 18 7 |
| | 70,000 0 0 | Doubling line to Penrith, further sum | 55,489 4 0 | ..... | 14,510 16 0 |
| | 660,000 0 0 | Sydney to Wollongong and Kiama | 616,549 1 6 | ..... | 43,450 18 6 |
| | 40,000 0 0 | Cootamundra to Gundagai | 5,999 0 8 | ..... | 34,000 19 4 |
| | 25,000 0 0 | Trial Surveys | 22,304 11 7 | ..... | 2,695 8 5 |
| | 580,000 0 0 | Rolling Stock and Machinery | 485,028 15 7 | ..... | 94,971 4 5 |
| | 300,000 0 0 | Purchase of Railway Stores | 300,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... |
| | 100,000 0 0 | Electric Telegraphs— | | | |
| | | Construction and extension of Telegraph Lines generally, further sum | 63,277 1 1 | ..... | 36,722 18 11 |
| | 3,115,393 0 0 | Total under 50 Victoria, No. 28 | 2,740,399 18 2 | ..... | 374,993 1 10 |
| | 44,073,200 0 0 | Carried forward | £30,753,115 3 4 | 92,726 12 9 | 13,227,358 3 11 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | | |
|-------|---|-------|--|--|--------------|---|--------|------------|------------|------|
| | £ | s. d. | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | | | |
| | £ | s. d. | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | | | |
| | 44,073,200 | 0 0 | Brought forward ... | 30,753,115 | 3 4 | 92,726 | 12 9 | 13,227,358 | 3 11 | |
| | GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT—continued. | | | | | | | | | |
| | 52 VICTORIA, No. 16. | | | | | | | | | |
| | To meet 5 per cent. Debentures falling due 1st July, 1888:— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1888 | 24,000 | 0 0 | Sewerage—17 Victoria, No. 34 ... | 22,500 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | 1,500 | 0 0 | |
| " | 60,700 | 0 0 | Sydney Water Supply—17 Victoria, No. 35 ... | 58,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | 2,700 | 0 0 | |
| " | 136,800 | 0 0 | Public Works—19 Victoria, Nos. 38 and 40 ... | 129,200 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | 7,600 | 0 0 | |
| " | 8,200 | 0 0 | Land and Immigration Debentures—20 Victoria, No. 1 ... | 3,200 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| " | 10,000 | 0 0 | Public Works—20 Victoria, No. 33 ... | 9,500 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | 200 | 0 0 | |
| " | 264,500 | 0 0 | Railways—20 Victoria, No. 34 ... | 255,700 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | 8,800 | 0 0 | |
| | To meet 5 per cent. Debentures falling due in 1889, viz.:— | | | | | | | | | |
| | In January— | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 34,000 | 0 0 | Railways—20 Victoria, No. 34 ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 34,000 | 0 0 | |
| " | 145,000 | 0 0 | Debentures—22 Victoria, Nos. 5 and 26 ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 145,000 | 0 0 | |
| " | 398,400 | 0 0 | Railways and Public Works—22 Victoria, No. 22 ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 398,400 | 0 0 | |
| | In July— | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 2,000 | 0 0 | Public Works—20 Victoria, No. 33 ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 2,000 | 0 0 | |
| " | 312,000 | 0 0 | Railways and Public Works—22 Victoria, No. 22 ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 312,000 | 0 0 | |
| | 1,390,600 | 0 0 | Total, 52 Victoria, No 16 ... | 478,400 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | 912,200 | 0 0 | |
| | 52 VICTORIA, No. 17. | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 250,000 | 0 0 | Cost of Warlike Materials ordered from England in 1885, and other expenses connected with the Fortifications of the Colony ... | 111,150 | 10 0 | ..... | ..... | 138,840 | 1 0 | |
| " | 22,280 | 0 0 | Cost of Warlike Stores, new Submarine Mining and Electric Light Stores, Boats, &c.... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 22,280 | 0 0 | |
| " | 275,000 | 0 0 | Purchase of Land at Circular Quay from the Australasian Steam Navigation Company for extension of wharf accommodation... | 275,000 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |
| " | 29,008 | 0 0 | Purchase of Land at Dawes' Point, Circular Quay, for extension of wharf accommodation ... | 29,007 | 12 0 | ..... | ..... | 0 | 8 0 | |
| | Harbours and Rivers Branch— | | | | | | | | | |
| " | 50,000 | 0 0 | Towards Newcastle Harbour Improvements Shipping Facilities, and Removal of Rock ... | 5,463 | 13 0 | ..... | ..... | 44,536 | 7 0 | |
| " | 120,000 | 0 0 | Circular Quay Improvements ... | 4,995 | 5 3 | ..... | ..... | 115,004 | 14 9 | |
| " | 42,000 | 0 0 | Woolloomooloo Bay Improvements ... | 95 | 2 0 | ..... | ..... | 41,904 | 13 0 | |
| " | 10,000 | 0 0 | Trial Bay Harbour Works—further sum ... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 10,000 | 0 0 | |
| " | 8,000 | 0 0 | Dredge and Punts to be used first on the Myall River ... | 7 | 0 0 | ..... | ..... | 7,993 | 0 0 | |
| " | 3,000 | 0 0 | Byron Bay Jetty—further sum ... | 1,015 | 17 10 | ..... | ..... | 1,984 | 2 2 | |
| " | 13,500 | 0 0 | Lake Macquarie Harbour Works (North Breakwater Extension)—further sum ... | 2,593 | 9 1 | ..... | ..... | 10,906 | 10 11 | |
| " | 5,000 | 0 0 | Towards reclamation of Snail's Bay ... | 1,870 | 13 2 | ..... | ..... | 3,129 | 6 10 | |
| " | 85,000 | 0 0 | Towards completion of new Dock, Bilccla—further sum ... | 74,126 | 18 6 | ..... | ..... | 10,873 | 1 6 | |
| " | 20,000 | 0 0 | Towards improving the navigation of the Darling and Murrumbidgee Rivers... | 1,816 | 6 5 | ..... | ..... | 18,183 | 13 7 | |
| £ | 932,788 | 0 0 | Carried forward ... | £ | 507,151 | 16 3 | ..... | 425,636 | 3 9 | |
| £ | 45,463,800 | 0 0 | Carried forward ... | £ | 31,231,515 | 3 4 | 92,726 | 12 9 | 14,139,558 | 3 11 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | | | | |
|-------|--|-------|---|--|--------------|---|-------|------------|-------|
| | £ | s. d. | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. | | | |
| | £ | s. d. | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | | |
| | 45,463,800 | 0 0 | Brought forward | 31,231,515 | 3 4 | 92,726 | 12 9 | 14,139,558 | 3 11 |
| | | | GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT—continued. | | | | | | |
| | | | 52 VICTORIA, No. 17— <i>continued.</i> | | | | | | |
| | 932,788 | 0 0 | Brought forward | 507,151 | 16 3 | ..... | ..... | 425,636 | 3 9 |
| 1888. | 150,000 | 0 0 | Harbours and Rivers Branch— <i>continued.</i> | | | | | | |
| | | | Further for Country Towns Water Supplies, inclusive of Loans in certain cases to be made to Municipalities which have constructed, or may be authorized by the Governor-in-Council to construct Waterworks, but subject to similar terms of repayment as are prescribed by the Fifth Part of the Act, intituled " <i>An Act to establish a System of Water Supply and Sewerage for certain Towns.</i> " | | | | | | |
| | 150,000 | 0 0 | 44 Victoria, No. 14 ... .. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 150,000 | 0 0 |
| " | | | Towards extending the reticulation, and carrying out other necessary works relating to the Sydney and connected Water Supplies in the County of Cumberland | 6,309 | 2 1 | ..... | ..... | 143,690 | 17 11 |
| " | 55,000 | 0 0 | Sydney Water Supply—further sum ... | 9,179 | 2 7 | ..... | ..... | 45,820 | 17 5 |
| " | 120,000 | 0 0 | For construction of a Storage Reservoir at Potts' Hill, in connection with Sydney Water Supply | 3,455 | 13 9 | ..... | ..... | 116,544 | 6 3 |
| " | 165,000 | 0 0 | For laying a second pipe between Potts' Hill and Crown-street, in connection with Sydney Water Supply | 7 | 18 0 | ..... | ..... | 164,992 | 2 0 |
| " | 150,000 | 0 0 | Extension of Sydney Water Supply to Western Suburbs and District north of the Parramatta River | 3,725 | 1 9 | ..... | ..... | 146,274 | 18 3 |
| " | 30,000 | 0 0 | Dredge and Plant for Sydney Harbour... | 920 | 7 8 | ..... | ..... | 29,079 | 12 4 |
| " | 50,000 | 0 0 | Richmond River Improvements... | 1,003 | 9 2 | ..... | ..... | 48,996 | 10 10 |
| " | 75,000 | 0 0 | Reclamation and Dredging Works, Cook's River | 30,485 | 11 11 | ..... | ..... | 44,514 | 8 1 |
| | | | Colonial Architect— | | | | | | |
| " | 12,000 | 0 0 | Australian Museum Extension ... .. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 12,000 | 0 0 |
| " | 125,000 | 0 0 | Fortifications and Defence Works generally—further sum | 6,748 | 9 3 | ..... | ..... | 118,251 | 10 9 |
| " | 5,000 | 0 0 | Darlinghurst Court-house, Additions—further sum ... .. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 5,000 | 0 0 |
| " | 12,000 | 0 0 | Bathurst Gaol, Erection of—further sum | 11,435 | 1 7 | ..... | ..... | 564 | 18 5 |
| " | 30,000 | 0 0 | New Central Police Court ... .. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 30,000 | 0 0 |
| " | 165,000 | 0 0 | Towards completion of buildings and other works in connection with Naval Stations | 44,725 | 19 2 | ..... | ..... | 120,274 | 0 10 |
| " | 18,000 | 0 0 | Light-house, Smoky Cape ... .. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 18,000 | 0 0 |
| " | 160,000 | 0 0 | Completion of Lands Office ... .. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 160,000 | 0 0 |
| " | 16,500 | 0 0 | Compensation for Land taken for New General Post Office... .. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 16,500 | 0 0 |
| " | 8,675 | 0 0 | Purchase of Site for Court-house at Parramatta ... .. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 8,675 | 0 0 |
| " | 7,000 | 0 0 | General Post Office—further sum for additional works | 1,080 | 6 2 | ..... | ..... | 5,969 | 13 10 |
| | | | Roads and Bridges— | | | | | | |
| " | 12,000 | 0 0 | Bridge over Goulburn River ... .. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 12,000 | 0 0 |
| " | 11,000 | 0 0 | Iron Bridge over Hunter River, between Aberdeen and Singleton ... .. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 11,000 | 0 0 |
| " | 12,400 | 0 0 | Iron Bridge over Hunter River, between Maitland and Branxton ... .. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 12,400 | 0 0 |
| " | 62,000 | 0 0 | Bridge at Spit, Middle Harbour ... .. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 62,000 | 0 0 |
| " | 12,000 | 0 0 | Bridge, Darling River, Wilcannia | 0 | 10 0 | ..... | ..... | 11,999 | 10 0 |
| " | 15,000 | 0 0 | Bridge over Darling River, at Wentworth | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 15,000 | 0 0 |
| " | 15,630 | 0 0 | Bridge over Bega River, at Tarraganda... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 15,630 | 0 0 |
| " | 12,000 | 0 0 | Bridge over the Murrumbidgee, at Narrandera ... .. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 12,000 | 0 0 |
| | £ 2,588,993 | 0 0 | Carried forward | £ 626,178 | 9 4 | ..... | ..... | 1,962,814 | 10 8 |
| | £ 45,463,800 | 0 0 | Carried forward | £ 31,231,515 | 3 4 | 92,726 | 12 9 | 14,139,558 | 3 11 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| Year. | Appropriations under Acts of Parliament. | Particulars of Appropriation. | Expenditure to the 30th September, 1888. | Balances— | |
|-------|--|---|--|---------------|---|
| | | | | Written off. | Retained for Expenditure, 30th September, 1888. |
| | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| | 45,463,800 0 0 | Brought forward | 31,231,515 3 4 | 92,726 12 9 | 14,139,558 3 11 |
| | | GENERAL LOAN ACCOUNT—continued. | | | |
| | | 52 VICTORIA, No. 17—continued. | | | |
| | 2,588,993 0 0 | Brought forward | 626,178 9 4 | ..... | 1,962,814 10 8 |
| 1888 | 18,000 0 0 | Sewerage Department— Further sum for completion of works reported upon by the late Mr. Clark, M.I.C.E. ... .. | ..... | ..... | 18,000 0 0 |
| " | 5,914 0 0 | Bourke-street Branch ... .. | ..... | ..... | 5,914 0 0 |
| " | 4,898 0 0 | Riley-street Branch ... .. | ..... | ..... | 4,898 0 0 |
| " | 15,000 0 0 | Pymont Branch ... .. | ..... | ..... | 15,000 0 0 |
| " | 10,000 0 0 | Potts' Point and Elizabeth Bay Branch ..... | ..... | ..... | 10,000 0 0 |
| " | 5,000 0 0 | Darling Point Branch ... .. | ..... | ..... | 5,000 0 0 |
| " | 13,000 0 0 | Paddington ... .. | ..... | ..... | 13,000 0 0 |
| " | 10,000 0 0 | Woollahra ... .. | ..... | ..... | 10,000 0 0 |
| " | 7,000 0 0 | Waverley ... .. | ..... | ..... | 7,000 0 0 |
| " | 18,000 0 0 | Waterloo | 10 10 0 | ..... | 17,989 10 0 |
| " | 14,000 0 0 | Alexandria ... .. | ..... | ..... | 14,000 0 0 |
| " | 16,000 0 0 | Parramatta | 138 11 6 | ..... | 15,861 8 6 |
| " | 10,000 0 0 | Resumption of land, temporary occupa- tion; claims for damage, contracts 21 and 22; further sum for Comber- street Sewer, and alterations to Syphon Bridge at Cook's River, including moving span and rolling- stock for Sewage Farm | 7,234 8 4 | ..... | 2,765 11 8 |
| " | 405,000 0 0 | Railways— Homebush to Waratah—Amount required to cover cost of constructing nine iron bridges and eight tunnels for a double line | 51,522 7 8 | ..... | 353,477 12 4 |
| " | 70,500 0 0 | North Shore Railway, from Junction to near Crow's Nest ... .. | ..... | ..... | 70,500 0 0 |
| " | 200,000 0 0 | Rolling stock and machinery for Railways generally ... .. | ..... | ..... | 200,000 0 0 |
| " | 30,000 0 0 | Trial Surveys ... .. | ..... | ..... | 30,000 0 0 |
| " | 200,000 0 0 | Alterations and additions to Railway Station Buildings, increased siding accommodation, and other facilities to meet increasing traffic on the Railways and Tramways | 80,500 8 11 | ..... | 119,499 11 1 |
| | £3,641,305 0 0 | | 765,584 15 9 | ..... | 2,875,720 4 3 |
| | £49,105,105 0 0 | Total, General Loans Account ... | £31,997,099 19 1 | 92,726 12 9 | 17,015,278 8 2 |
| | 9,998,130 18 3 | Add Total Old Loans Account (from page 66) | £ 9,736,708 9 1 | 128,803 0 1 | 132,619 9 1 |
| | £59,103,235 18 3 | GRAND TOTAL | £41,733,808 8 2 | 221,529 12 10 | 17,147,897 17 3 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

JAMES PEARSON,
Accountant.

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SERVICES PROVIDED FOR BY LOANS.

ABSTRACT of Expenditure for Public Works and other Services provided for by Loans Acts (including 16 Vic. No. 39), from the commencement of the Loans' Account to the 30th September, 1888.

| HEAD OF SERVICE. | AMOUNT. | | | TOTAL. | | |
|--|------------|----|----|-------------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Railways | 30,734,830 | 15 | 4 | | | |
| Telegraphs | 698,741 | 3 | 5 | | | |
| Immigration | 569,930 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Sewerage and Water Supply, Sydney | 400,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Compensation to Municipal Council of Sydney for Land resumed under the Water Supply Act, 17 Vic. No. 35 | 43,261 | 14 | 6 | | | |
| New Water Supply for Sydney | 2,132,909 | 11 | 2 | | | |
| New Water Supply for Country Towns | 340,024 | 10 | 1 | | | |
| Suburban Water Supply | 3,725 | 1 | 9 | | | |
| New Sewerage Scheme for Sydney, including resumption of land.. | 617,195 | 0 | 5 | | | |
| Sewerage, Shea's Creek to Webb's Grant | 100,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Suburban Sewerage | 149 | 1 | 6 | | | |
| Public Works, Queensland, when it formed part of N.S. Wales... | 49,855 | 8 | 6 | | | |
| Harbours and Rivers Navigation Improvements:— | | | | | | |
| Improving the Harbour of Newcastle and the River Hunter... | 100,653 | 19 | 4 | | | |
| Wharf, Newcastle... .. | 197,671 | 8 | 9 | | | |
| Wharf, Bullock Island | 6,939 | 4 | 0 | | | |
| Steam Cranes, Newcastle... .. | 19,384 | 18 | 11 | | | |
| Southern Breakwater, Newcastle Harbour | 83,844 | 1 | 5 | | | |
| Northern Breakwater, Newcastle Harbour | 17,801 | 1 | 6 | | | |
| Coal Staiths, Newcastle | 24,058 | 7 | 11 | | | |
| Navigation of the rivers Darling, Murray, and Murrumbidgee | 101,196 | 4 | 10 | | | |
| Improving the Navigation of the Edward River | 4,902 | 13 | 1 | | | |
| Harbour Works, Wollongong | 49,151 | 2 | 10 | | | |
| Harbour Works, Kiama | 66,857 | 17 | 7 | | | |
| Harbour Works, Lake Macquarie | 50,906 | 5 | 10 | | | |
| Improving the navigation of other Harbours and Rivers, &c.... | 100,345 | 19 | 3 | | | |
| Steam Dredges and Punts | 177,411 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| Improvements, Circular Quay | 342,781 | 2 | 0 | | | |
| Steam Cranes, Wharf, &c., Darling Harbour | 162,346 | 15 | 9 | | | |
| Dam at North Rocks, Parramatta | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Dam at Hunt's Creek, Parramatta | 8,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Fitz Roy Dry Dock | 37,405 | 16 | 11 | | | |
| Wharf, &c., Woolloomooloo Bay | 28,259 | 18 | 10 | | | |
| Reclaiming Land at Darling Harbour and Blackwattle Swamp | 49,241 | 12 | 4 | | | |
| Blackwattle Bridge and Causeway | 14,108 | 6 | 11 | | | |
| Increased Wharf Accommodation at Sydney | 91,755 | 3 | 5 | | | |
| Wharf, Eden | 2,364 | 9 | 3 | | | |
| Wharf, Morpeth | 4,342 | 10 | 9 | | | |
| Breakwater at the Clarence River | 100,110 | 1 | 8 | | | |
| Improving the entrance of the Moruya River | 18,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Extension of Dock Accommodation | 223,324 | 11 | 9 | | | |
| Towards enlarging Wentworth Wharf | 1,200 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Jetty, Byron Bay... .. | 6,015 | 17 | 10 | | | |
| Snail's Bay Reclamation | 1,870 | 13 | 2 | | | |
| | | | | 2,097,251 | 12 | 7 |
| Carried forward | | | | £37,787,873 | 19 | 3 |

STATEMENT—continued.

| HEAD OF SERVICE. | AMOUNT. | | | TOTAL. | | |
|---|---------|----|----|------------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Brought forward ... .. | ..... |  |  | 37,737,373 | 19 | 3 |
| Public Works and Buildings :— | | | | | | |
| Purchase of Land, Phillip and Hunter Streets—for Police and other Public Offices | 26,739 | 16 | 11 | | | |
| Harbour Defences | 597,279 | 8 | 4 | | | |
| University of Sydney | 99,617 | 1 | 10 | | | |
| Affiliated Colleges | 51,582 | 6 | 7 | | | |
| Grammar School | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Australian Museum Enlargement | 26,954 | 11 | 0 | | | |
| Parliamentary Buildings | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Juvenile Reformatories | 19,946 | 17 | 9 | | | |
| New General Post Office | 160,442 | 16 | 3 | | | |
| New Printing Office | 6,287 | 10 | 5 | | | |
| New Public Offices | 70,105 | 13 | 10 | | | |
| Public Offices, Newcastle | 7,579 | 13 | 6 | | | |
| Custom House, Newcastle | 10,870 | 3 | 11 | | | |
| Receiving Houses at Redfern and the Necropolis | 12,548 | 13 | 7 | | | |
| Free Public Library | 24,994 | 18 | 5 | | | |
| Observatory | 7,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Asylum for Destitute Children | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Additions to the Sydney Infirmary | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Public Works and Improvements, Sydney and Suburbs | 2,460 | 17 | 0 | | | |
| Lunatic Asylum | 99,706 | 11 | 3 | | | |
| Light-houses | 72,052 | 2 | 3 | | | |
| Glebe Island Abattoirs, Bridge, &c. | 61,866 | 11 | 0 | | | |
| Gaols and Penal Establishments | 69,579 | 15 | 6 | | | |
| Court and Watch Houses | 37,098 | 14 | 1 | | | |
| Police Barracks and Stations, Sydney and Country Districts... .. | 22,941 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| Fire Stations, Sydney | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Public School Buildings | 50,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Home for State Children at Paddington | 5,800 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| New Site for Central Police Court | 31,065 | 8 | 6 | | | |
| Colonial Stores | 15,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Government Resumption of Land | 24,853 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Naval Stations, Port Jackson | 94,725 | 19 | 2 | | | |
| Court House and Post Office, Balmain | 6,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Post and Telegraph Offices | 5,200 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Dubbo Public Buildings | 7,227 | 12 | 10 | | | |
| | | | | 1,802,527 | 10 | 5 |
| Roads and Bridges :— | | | | | | |
| Bridges throughout the Colony | 539,762 | 0 | 9 | | | |
| Metalling the Mudgee Road. | 22,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 561,762 | 0 | 9 |
| Repayments by Loans :— | | | | | | |
| Loans repaid under various Acts ... .. | ..... |  |  | 1,813,630 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | £ | | | 41,965,793 | 10 | 5 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

JAMES PEARSON,
Accountant.

STATEMENT
OF THE
PARTICULARS OF THE PUBLIC DEBT OF THE COLONY
OF
NEW SOUTH WALES,
ON
30TH SEPTEMBER, 1888.

STATEMENT OF THE PARTICULARS OF THE PUBLIC DEBT OF

| SERVICES. | AUTHORITY. | AMOUNT AUTHORIZED TO BE RAISED. | | | AMOUNT OF DEBENTURES, FUNDED AND INSCRIBED STOCK, SOLD. | | | AMOUNT RAISED. | | | AMOUNT OVER-RAISED. | | | AMOUNT NOT YET RAISED. | | | |
|---|------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|----------|---|----------|----------|-------------------|-----------|----------|---------------------|---------------|-----------|------------------------|-------------------|----------|----------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
| DEBENTURES. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sydney Sewerage | 17 Vic., No. 34 | 200,000 | 0 | 0 | 209,030 | 0 | 0 | 201,149 | 11 | 9 | | | | | | | |
| Sydney Water Supply... .. | 17 Vic., No. 35 | 200,000 | 0 | 0 | 208,400 | 0 | 0 | 201,264 | 13 | 5 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works | 18 Vic., No. 35 | 178,750 | 0 | 0 | 144,000 | 0 | 0 | 136,890 | 13 | 2 | | | | | | | |
| Railways | 18 Vic., No. 40 | 624,733 | 18 | 8 | 666,800 | 0 | 0 | 630,105 | 11 | 7 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works | 19 Vic., Nos. 38 & 40. | 445,323 | 0 | 0 | 410,500 | 0 | 0 | 393,427 | 5 | 8 | | | | | | | |
| To pay off Land and Immigration Debentures | 20 Vic., No. 1 | 73,776 | 0 | 0 | 73,700 | 0 | 0 | 70,300 | 16 | 2 | | | | | | | |
| Railways | 20 Vic., No. 1 | 200,000 | 0 | 0 | 203,000 | 0 | 0 | 199,997 | 10 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| To pay off Land and Immigration Debentures | 20 Vic., No. 16 | 130,400 | 0 | 0 | 132,300 | 0 | 0 | 130,311 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works | 20 Vic., No. 33 | 107,717 | 18 | 11 | 112,000 | 0 | 0 | 107,787 | 15 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Railways | 20 Vic., No. 34 | 300,000 | 0 | 0 | 299,000 | 0 | 0 | 300,895 | 12 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| To pay off Debentures... .. | 22 Vic., Nos. 5 & 26. | 145,000 | 0 | 0 | 145,700 | 0 | 0 | 145,007 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Railways and Public Works | 22 Vic., No. 22 | 758,500 | 0 | 0 | 760,700 | 0 | 0 | 756,890 | 15 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works | 22 Vic., No. 26 | 11,600 | 0 | 0 | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | 4,962 | 10 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| To pay off Debentures... .. | 23 Vic., No. 5 | 365,600 | 0 | 0 | 365,600 | 0 | 0 | 361,612 | 10 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works and to pay off Debentures | 23 Vic., No. 10 | 348,223 | 0 | 0 | 348,200 | 0 | 0 | 341,084 | 15 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Railways and Public Works | 24 Vic., No. 24 | 113,535 | 0 | 0 | 113,900 | 0 | 0 | 112,209 | 11 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| Voluntary and Assisted Immigration | 24 Vic., No. 26 | 55,000 | 0 | 0 | 55,500 | 0 | 0 | 54,945 | 16 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Railways and Public Works | 25 Vic., No. 19 | 1,732,370 | 14 | 6 | 1,782,300 | 0 | 0 | 1,696,828 | 5 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Railways and Public Works | 26 Vic., No. 14 | 161,832 | 0 | 0 | 162,000 | 0 | 0 | 136,728 | 17 | 10 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works | 27 Vic., No. 14 | 670,025 | 12 | 7 | 670,000 | 0 | 0 | 565,483 | 14 | 2 | | | | | | | |
| To pay off Debentures... .. | 29 Vic., No. 5 | 300,000 | 0 | 0 | 300,000 | 0 | 0 | 270,252 | 5 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works and Immigration | 29 Vic., No. 9 | 219,450 | 0 | 0 | 219,400 | 0 | 0 | 193,474 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works | 29 Vic., No. 23 | 758,000 | 0 | 0 | 758,000 | 0 | 0 | 718,844 | 10 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works | 30 Vic., No. 23 | 65,850 | 0 | 0 | 65,800 | 0 | 0 | 61,902 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Railways | 31 Vic., No. 11 | 1,000,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,000,000 | 0 | 0 | 981,655 | 7 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works | 31 Vic., No. 27 | 177,407 | 0 | 0 | 177,400 | 0 | 0 | 178,055 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works | 32 Vic., No. 13 | 197,885 | 0 | 0 | 197,800 | 0 | 0 | 196,625 | 9 | 10 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works and other purposes | 34 Vic., No. 2 | 407,151 | 13 | 7 | 407,100 | 0 | 0 | 403,321 | 7 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| To make good the loss sustained in the negotiation of the Debentures of previous Loans. | Under various Acts. | | | | 450,000 | 0 | 0 | 439,787 | 7 | 11 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works and other purposes | 35 Vic., No. 5 | 374,980 | 0 | 0 | 374,900 | 0 | 0 | 375,424 | 19 | 6 | | †444 | 19 | 6 | | | |
| Public Works and other purposes | 36 Vic., No. 2 | 406,863 | 7 | 3 | 406,800 | 0 | 0 | 422,696 | 18 | 0 | | †15,833 | 10 | 9 | | | |
| Railways | 36 Vic., No. 17 | 1,901,500 | 0 | 0 | 1,901,500 | 0 | 0 | 1,725,661 | 6 | 11 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works | 39 Vic., No. 18 | 235,690 | 0 | 0 | 232,000 | 0 | 0 | 228,713 | 0 | 0 | | | | | 6,977 | 0 | 0 |
| Public Works and other purposes | 38 Vic., No. 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 40 Vic., No. 12 | 3,249,552 | 0 | 0 | 3,249,500 | 0 | 0 | 3,178,374 | 1 | 5 | | | | | 71,177 | 18 | 7 |
| | 41 Vic., No. 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Public Works | 41 Vic., No. 7 | 1,120,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,120,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,088,472 | 700 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Public Works | 43 Vic., No. 11 | 7,352,768 | 0 | 0 | 7,352,768 | 0 | 0 | 7,352,768 | 0 | 0 | | 47,988 | 4 | 4 | | | |
| Public Works | 44 Vic., No. 12 | 1,262,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,262,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,253,236 | 6 | 2 | | | | | 8,763 | 13 | 10 |
| Public Works | 44 Vic., No. 28 | 7,102,000 | 0 | 0 | 7,102,000 | 0 | 0 | 6,537,166 | 13 | 0 | | | | | 564,833 | 7 | 0 |
| Public Works | 45 Vic., No. 22 | 1,000,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,000,000 | 0 | 0 | 899,516 | 4 | 3 | | | | | 100,483 | 15 | 9 |
| Public Works | 46 Vic., No. 23 | 2,000,000 | 0 | 0 | 2,000,000 | 0 | 0 | 1,799,032 | 8 | 6 | | | | | 200,967 | 11 | 6 |
| Public Works | 48 Vic., No. 26 | 14,388,303 | 0 | 0 | 14,388,303 | 0 | 0 | 13,402,026 | 14 | 1 | | | | | 8,140,026 | 14 | 1 |
| Public Works | 50 Vic., No. 28 | 3,115,393 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | 3,115,393 | 0 | 0 |
| To pay off Debentures | 52 Vic., No. 16 | 1,390,600 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | 1,390,600 | 0 | 0 |
| Railways and Public Works | 52 Vic., No. 17 | 3,641,305 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | 3,641,305 | 0 | 0 |
| FUNDED STOCK. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Public Works and other purposes | 36 Vic., No. 21 | 509,780 | 0 | 0 | 530,189 | 9 | 2 | 509,780 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| DEBENTURES. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| City of Sydney Waterworks | | 85,000 | 0 | 0 | 85,000 | 0 | 0 | 85,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| TOTALS | | £59,133,865 | 5 | 6 | 43,773,019 | 9 | 2 | 41,775,435 | 19 | 0 | | 64,206 | 14 | 7 | 17,240,528 | 0 | 9 |

The issue of Debentures under various Loan Acts, in 1870, to the extent of £450,000, has adjusted the amounts short and over raised under these Acts.

† Transferred to the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund. † The amount short raised under this Act, viz., £175,833 13s. 1d. has been made good from the Consolidated Revenue Fund. † Of this sum £2,050,000 were issued in Debentures. The £2,000,000 loan of 1832 was issued in Debentures also, but they were since authorized to be exchanged for Inscribed Stock at the option of the holders; a privilege which was availed of to the extent of £1,136,300 only. The balance was in the form of Inscribed Stock. † Issued as Inscribed Stock. A further loan on account of 48 Vic. No. 26, to the extent of £3,500,000, was negotiated in London in April last, £1,900,000 of which has been brought to account.

THE COLONY OF NEW SOUTH WALES, ON 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1888.

PARTICULARS OF THE SEVERAL ISSUES OF DEBENTURES, FUNDED AND INSCRIBED STOCK.

| AMOUNT OF EACH ISSUE SOLD. | PAID OFF. | OUTSTANDING. | DUE DATES. | RATE OF INTEREST. | ANNUAL INTEREST ON TOTAL LOAN OUTSTANDING FOR EACH SERVICE. | SYNOPSIS OF DUE DATES OF OUTSTANDING DEBENTURES, FUNDED AND INSCRIBED STOCK. | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------|-----------|----------------|---------------|------------------------|---|---|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|------|----------------------|-------------|---------|
| | | | | | | Authority under which issued. | Year when due. | Amount. | TOTAL. | | | | |
| £ s. d. | £ | £ | | | £ s. d. | | | £ | £ s. d. | | | | |
| 25,900 0 0 | 25,900 | | | 5 per cent. per annum. | 3 0 0 | 20 Vic., No. 33..... | 1889 | 2,000 | 896,400 0 0 | | | | |
| 97,500 0 0 | 97,500 | ..... | ..... |  |  | 20 Vic., No. 34..... | | 34,000 | | | | | |
| 6,730 0 0 | 6,670 | 60 0 0 | ..... |  |  | 22 Vic., Nos. 5 & 26 | | 145,000 | | | | | |
| 24,000 0 0 | 24,000 | ..... | ..... |  |  | 22 Vic., No. 22..... | | 398,400 | | | | | |
| 54,900 0 0 | 54,900 | ..... | ..... |  |  | 22 Vic., No. 22..... | | 312,000 | | | | | |
| 29,000 0 0 | 29,000 | ..... | ..... |  |  | City of Sydney Waterworks | | 5,000 | | | | | |
| 50,700 0 0 | 50,700 | ..... | ..... |  |  | 22 Vic., No. 26..... | | 5,000 | | | | | |
| 36,700 0 0 | 36,700 | ..... | ..... |  |  | 23 Vic., No. 5..... | | 365,600 | | | | | |
| 31,000 0 0 | 31,000 | ..... | ..... |  |  | 23 Vic., No. 10..... | | 347,600 | | | | | |
| 61,000 0 0 | 61,000 | ..... | ..... |  |  | ..... |  | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| 21,000 0 0 | 21,000 | ..... | ..... | " 2,000 0 0 | 19 Vic., Nos. 33 & 40 | 1891 | 6,700 | 225,500 0 0 | | | | | |
| 12,800 0 0 | 12,800 | | | | | | 22 Vic., Nos. 5 & 26 | | 700 | | | | |
| 70,200 0 0 | 70,200 | | | | | | 22 Vic., No. 22..... | | 25,000 | | | | |
| 40,000 0 0 | | 40,000 0 0 | 1 July, 1893 | | | | 24 Vic., No. 24..... | | 113,900 | | | | |
| 291,800 0 0 | 291,800 | ..... | ..... | " 135 0 0 | 25 Vic., No. 19..... | 1892 | ..... | 1,782,300 0 0 | | | | | |
| 139,000 0 0 | 139,000 | | | | | | 26 Vic., No. 14..... | | | | | | |
| 100,000 0 0 | 100,000 | ..... | ..... | " 345 0 0 | 26 Vic., No. 14..... | 1895 | ..... | 882,000 0 0 | | | | | |
| 133,300 0 0 | 133,300 | | | | | | 27 Vic., No. 14..... | | 162,000 | | | | |
| 2,700 0 0 | | 2,700 0 0 | Permanent | | | | | | 670,000 | | | | |
| 46,200 0 0 | 46,200 | | | | | | " 37,955 0 0 | | 29 Vic., No. 9..... | 1896 | 219,400 | 977,400 0 0 | |
| 150,000 0 0 | 150,000 | | | | | | | | | | 29 Vic., No. 23..... | | 758,000 |
| 70,800 0 0 | 70,600 | 200 0 0 | | | | | " 100 0 0 | | 30 Vic., No. 23..... | 1897 | | 65,800 0 0 | |
| 136,800 0 0 | 136,800 | | | | | | | | | | 31 Vic., No. 11..... | | |
| 6,700 0 0 | | 6,700 0 0 | 1 July, 1891 | | | | " 1,700 0 0 | | 31 Vic., No. 27..... | 1898 | | 510,100 0 0 | |
| 70,500 0 0 | 70,500 | | | | | | | | | | 32 Vic., No. 13..... | | |
| 3,200 0 0 | 3,200 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 203,000 0 0 | 203,000 | | | " 7,295 0 0 | 34 Vic., No. 2..... | 1900 | | 407,100 | | | 857,100 0 0 | | |
| 132,300 0 0 | 132,300 | | | | | | | Under various Acts... | | | | | 450,000 |
| 100,000 0 0 | 100,000 | | | " 37,955 0 0 | 35 Vic., No. 5..... | 1901 | | 374,900 | | | 379,900 0 0 | | |
| 10,000 0 0 | 10,000 | | | | | | | City of Sydney Waterworks | | | | | 5,000 |
| 2,000 0 0 | | 2,000 0 0 | 1 July, 1889 | " 8,100 0 0 | 36 Vic., No. 2..... | 1902 | | 399,300 | | | 424,300 0 0 | | |
| 175,000 0 0 | 175,000 | | | | | | | City of Sydney Waterworks | | | | | 25,000 |
| 90,000 0 0 | 90,000 | | | " 18,250 0 0 | 17 Vic., No. 34..... | Interminable or payable at the option of the Government in 1892 or afterwards | | | | | 60 0 0 | | |
| 34,000 0 0 | ..... | 34,000 0 0 | 1 Jan., 1889 | | | | 19 Vic., Nos. 33 & 40 | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| 145,000 0 0 | ..... | 145,000 0 0 | 1 Jan., 1889 | " 5,695 0 0 | 18 Vic., No. 40..... | Permanent | ..... | 2,700 0 0 | | | | | |
| 700 0 0 | | 700 0 0 | 1 July, 1891 | | | | 36 Vic., No. 21..... | | | | | | |
| 400,000 0 0 | 1,600 | 398,400 0 0 | 1 Jan., 1889 | " 89,115 0 0 | 36 Vic., No. 17..... | 1903 | ..... | 1,901,500 0 0 | | | | | |
| 312,000 0 0 | | 312,000 0 0 | 1 July, 1889 | | | | City of Sydney Waterworks | | | | | | |
| 25,000 0 0 | ..... | 25,000 0 0 | 1 Jan., 1891 | " 25,505 0 0 | 39 Vic., No. 18..... | 1906 | ..... | 232,000 0 0 | | | | | |
| 23,700 0 0 | | 23,700 0 0 | 1 July, 1891 | | | | 38 Vic., No. 2..... | | | | | | |
| 5,000 0 0 | ..... | 5,000 0 0 | 1 July, 1890 | " 8,860 0 0 | 40 Vic., No. 12..... | 1908 | 1,450,000 | 3,249,500 0 0 | | | | | |
| 365,600 0 0 | | 365,600 0 0 | 1 Jan., 1890 | | | | 41 Vic., No. 4..... | | 1,799,500 | | | | |
| 348,200 0 0 | 600 | 347,600 0 0 | 1 July, 1890 | " 9,885 0 0 | 43 Vic., No. 11..... | 1910 | ..... | 2,050,000 0 0 | | | | | |
| 113,900 0 0 | | 113,900 0 0 | 1 July, 1891 | | | | City of Sydney Waterworks | | | | | | |
| 55,500 0 0 | ..... | 55,500 0 0 | 1 July, 1891 | " 20,355 0 0 | 41 Vic., No. 7..... | 1912 | ..... | 30,000 0 0 | | | | | |
| 1,782,300 0 0 | | 1,782,300 0 0 | 1 Jan., 1892 | | | | 41 Vic., No. 7..... | | | | | | |
| 162,000 0 0 | ..... | 162,000 0 0 | 1 Jan., 1895 | " 22,500 0 0 | 43 Vic., No. 11..... | 1910 | 813,700 | 2,000,000 0 0 | | | | | |
| 670,000 0 0 | | 670,000 0 0 | 1 Jan., 1895 | | | | 43 Vic., No. 11..... | | 1,186,300 | | | | |
| 300,000 0 0 | 300,000 | ..... | ..... | " 18,745 0 0 | 43 Vic., No. 11..... | 1933 | ..... | 3,000,000 0 0 | | | | | |
| 219,400 0 0 | | 219,400 0 0 | 1 Jan., 1896 | | | | 43 Vic., No. 11..... | | | | | | |
| 758,000 0 0 | ..... | 758,000 0 0 | 1 July, 1896 | " 19,965 0 0 | 43 Vic., No. 11..... | 1933 | ..... | 3,000,000 0 0 | | | | | |
| 65,800 0 0 | | 65,800 0 0 | 1 Jan., 1897 | | | | 44 Vic., No. 12..... | | | | | | |
| 1,000,000 0 0 | 489,900 | 510,100 0 0 | Various years | " 76,060 0 0 | 44 Vic., No. 12..... | 1933 | 1,422,700 | 3,000,000 0 0 | | | | | |
| 177,400 0 0 | 200 | 177,200 0 0 | 1 July, 1898 | | | | 44 Vic., No. 28..... | | 1,262,000 | | | | |
| 197,800 0 0 | 100 | 197,700 0 0 | 1 Jan., 1899 | " 9,280 0 0 | 44 Vic., No. 28..... | 1924 | 315,300 | 5,500,000 0 0 | | | | | |
| 407,100 0 0 | | 407,100 0 0 | 1 July, 1900 | | | | 44 Vic., No. 28..... | | | | | | |
| 450,000 0 0 | ..... | 450,000 0 0 | 1 July, 1900 | " 129,980 0 0 | 44 Vic., No. 28..... | 1924 | 1,286,700 | 5,500,000 0 0 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 45 Vic., No. 22..... | | | | | | |
| 374,900 0 0 | ..... | 374,900 0 0 | 1 July, 1901 | " 338,908 0 0 | 46 Vic., No. 23..... | 1924 | 1,000,000 | 11,000,000 0 0 | | | | | |
| 406,800 0 0 | 7,500 | 399,300 0 0 | 1 July, 1902 | | | | 48 Vic., No. 26..... | | 6,713,300 | | | | |
| 1,901,500 0 0 | ..... | 1,901,500 0 0 | 1 July, 1903 | " 50,430 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| 232,000 0 0 | | 232,000 0 0 | 1 July, 1906 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3,249,500 0 0 | ..... | 3,249,500 0 0 | 1908 & 1909 | " 12,612 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8,472,700 0 0 | ..... | 2,863,700 0 0 | 1 July, 1910 | " 237,534 10 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1,262,000 0 0 | | 5,609,000 0 0 | 1 July, 1933 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7,102,000 0 0 | ..... | 1,262,000 0 0 | 1 July, 1933 | " 35,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1,000,000 0 0 | | 315,300 0 0 | 1 July, 1933 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1,000,000 0 0 | ..... | 6,786,700 0 0 | 1 Oct., 1924 | " 70,000 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2,000,000 0 0 | | 1,000,000 0 0 | 1 Oct., 1924 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2,000,000 0 0 | ..... | 2,000,000 0 0 | 1 Oct., 1924 | " 234,965 10 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6,713,300 0 0 | | 6,713,300 0 0 | 1 Oct., 1924 | | | | | | | | | | |
| ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | " 21,207 11 8 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 530,189 9 2 | ..... | 530,189 9 2 | Interminable | " 4,300 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |
| 85,000 0 0 | | 85,000 0 0 | Various | | | | | | | | | | |
| 43,773,019 9 2 | 3,172,970 | 40,600,049 9 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | 40,600,049 9 2 | | | | | |

JAMES PEARSON, Accountant.

Public Debt.

STATEMENT showing the DUE DATES, &c., of OUTSTANDING DEBENTURES, FUNDED
and INSCRIBED STOCK, on the 30th September, 1888.

| YEAR. | DEBENTURES. | INSCRIBED AND FUNDED STOCK. | TOTAL. | | ANNUAL INTEREST. | | | | |
|---|-------------|--------------------------------|----------------|----|------------------|-----------|----------------|----|---|
| | | | | | Rate. | Amount. | | | |
| | £ | £ | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
| 1889... .. * | 5,000 | ..... | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | 6 ½ cent. | 300 | 0 | 0 |
| 1889... .. | 891,400 | ..... | 891,400 | 0 | 0 | 5 ½ cent. | 44,570 | 0 | 0 |
| 1890... .. | 718,200 | ..... | 718,200 | 0 | 0 | „ | 35,910 | 0 | 0 |
| 1891... .. | 225,500 | ..... | 225,500 | 0 | 0 | „ | 11,275 | 0 | 0 |
| 1892... .. | 1,782,300 | ..... | 1,782,300 | 0 | 0 | „ | 89,115 | 0 | 0 |
| 1893... .. | 40,000 | ..... | 40,000 | 0 | 0 | „ | 2,000 | 0 | 0 |
| 1895... .. | 832,000 | ..... | 832,000 | 0 | 0 | „ | 41,600 | 0 | 0 |
| 1896... .. | 977,400 | ..... | 977,400 | 0 | 0 | „ | 48,870 | 0 | 0 |
| 1897... .. | 65,800 | ..... | 65,800 | 0 | 0 | „ | 3,290 | 0 | 0 |
| 1898... .. | 177,200 | ..... | 177,200 | 0 | 0 | „ | 8,860 | 0 | 0 |
| 1899... .. | 197,700 | ..... | 197,700 | 0 | 0 | „ | 9,885 | 0 | 0 |
| 1900... .. | 857,100 | ..... | 857,100 | 0 | 0 | „ | 42,855 | 0 | 0 |
| 1901... .. | 374,900 | ..... | 374,900 | 0 | 0 | „ | 18,745 | 0 | 0 |
| 1901... .. * | 5,000 | ..... | 5,000 | 0 | 0 | 6 ½ cent. | 300 | 0 | 0 |
| 1902... .. | 399,300 | ..... | 399,300 | 0 | 0 | 5 ½ cent. | 19,965 | 0 | 0 |
| 1902... .. * | 25,000 | ..... | 25,000 | 0 | 0 | 6 ½ cent. | 1,500 | 0 | 0 |
| 1903... .. | 1,901,500 | ..... | 1,901,500 | 0 | 0 | 4 ½ cent. | 76,060 | 0 | 0 |
| 1904... .. * | 20,000 | ..... | 20,000 | 0 | 0 | 5 ½ cent. | 1,000 | 0 | 0 |
| 1906... .. | 232,000 | ..... | 232,000 | 0 | 0 | 4 ½ cent. | 9,280 | 0 | 0 |
| 1908... .. | 1,450,000 | } | 3,249,500 | 0 | 0 | „ | 129,980 | 0 | 0 |
| 1909... .. | 1,799,500 | | | | | | | | |
| 1910... .. | 2,050,000 | } | 2,863,700 | 0 | 0 | „ | 114,548 | 0 | 0 |
| 1910... .. | 813,700 | | | | | | | | |
| 1912... .. * | 30,000 | ..... | 30,000 | 0 | 0 | „ | 1,200 | 0 | 0 |
| 1924... .. | ..... | 5,500,000 | 5,500,000 | 0 | 0 | 3 ½ cent. | 192,500 | 0 | 0 |
| 1924... .. | ..... | 5,500,000 | 5,500,000 | 0 | 0 | „ | 192,500 | 0 | 0 |
| 1924... .. | ..... | 5,500,000 | 5,500,000 | 0 | 0 | „ | 192,500 | 0 | 0 |
| 1933... .. | ..... | 1,186,300 | 1,186,300 | 0 | 0 | 4 ½ cent. | 47,452 | 0 | 0 |
| 1933... .. | ..... | 3,000,000 | 3,000,000 | 0 | 0 | „ | 120,000 | 0 | 0 |
| 1933... .. | ..... | 3,000,000 | 3,000,000 | 0 | 0 | „ | 120,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Annual drawings of £20,000, which commenced 31st December, 1872 | 510,100 | ..... | 510,100 | 0 | 0 | 5 ½ cent. | 25,505 | 0 | 0 |
| Interminable, being unpre- sented balance of Debent- ures payable off in 1882 | 260 | ..... | 260 | 0 | 0 | „ | 13 | 0 | 0 |
| Funded Stock-Interminable | ..... | 530,189 9 2 | 530,189 9 2 | | | 4 ½ cent. | 21,207 11 8 | | |
| Permanent | 2,700 | ..... | 2,700 | 0 | 0 | 5 ½ cent. | 135 | 0 | 0 |
| Total Amount outstanding, 30th September, 1888 | 16,383,560 | 24,216,489 9 2 | 40,600,049 9 2 |  |  | ..... | 1,622,920 11 8 | | |

* City of Sydney Waterworks Debentures taken over by the Government.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

JAMES PEARSON,
Accountant.

STATEMENT
OF
BALANCES ON THE PUBLIC ACCOUNTS
OF
NEW SOUTH WALES,
AND THE
DISTRIBUTION OF THE SAME ON THE
30TH SEPTEMBER,
1888.

and the distribution of the same, on the 30th September, 1888.

| DISTRIBUTION OF THE BALANCES. | | | |
|---|------------|----|-------------|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| CASH:— | | | |
| Cash in the hands of the Receiver | | | 25,740 17 6 |
| Commercial Banking Company of Sydney— | | | |
| General Loan Account | 153,036 | 0 | 10 |
| Colonial Treasurer's Master in Equity Account | 106,085 | 2 | 11 |
| Colonial Treasurer's Master in Lunacy Account | 19,808 | 5 | 9 |
| | 278,929 | 9 | 6 |
| Less Public Account | 15,010 | 5 | 4 |
| | 263,919 | 4 | 2 |
| Australian Joint Stock Bank— | | | |
| Public Account | 169,834 | 3 | 3 |
| Colonial Treasurer's Master in Equity Account | 21,500 | 0 | 0 |
| | 191,334 | 3 | 3 |
| Less General Loan Account | 32,876 | 9 | 9 |
| | 158,457 | 13 | 6 |
| City Bank— | | | |
| Public Account | 200,604 | 16 | 8 |
| Colonial Treasurer's Master in Equity Account | 21,500 | 0 | 0 |
| | 222,104 | 16 | 8 |
| Less General Loan Account | 66,208 | 2 | 6 |
| | 155,896 | 14 | 2 |
| Mercantile Bank— | | | |
| General Loan Account | 390,500 | 14 | 7 |
| Colonial Treasurer's Master in Equity Account | 21,500 | 0 | 0 |
| | 412,000 | 14 | 7 |
| Less Public Account | 243,804 | 8 | 10 |
| | 168,196 | 5 | 9 |
| Union Bank of Australia— | | | |
| General Loan Account | 430,721 | 18 | 5 |
| Colonial Treasurer's Master in Equity Account | 21,500 | 0 | 0 |
| | 452,221 | 18 | 5 |
| Less Public Account | 294,764 | 2 | 3 |
| | 157,457 | 16 | 2 |
| Bank of Australasia— | | | |
| General Loan Account | 280,157 | 9 | 2 |
| Colonial Treasurer's Master in Equity Account | 21,500 | 0 | 0 |
| | 301,657 | 9 | 2 |
| Less Public Account | 109,949 | 12 | 1 |
| | 191,707 | 17 | 1 |
| London Chartered Bank of Australia— | | | |
| General Loan Account | 225,231 | 0 | 4 |
| Colonial Treasurer's Master in Equity Account | 21,500 | 0 | 0 |
| | 246,731 | 0 | 4 |
| Less Public Account | 88,442 | 8 | 7 |
| | 158,288 | 11 | 9 |
| Carried forward | £1,253,924 | 2 | 7 |
| | | | 25,740 17 6 |

STATEMENT of BALANCES on the PUBLIC ACCOUNTS OF NEW SOUTH WALES,

| TREASURY BALANCES— <i>continued.</i> | | | | £ | s. | d. |
|--------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----------|-----------|------|
| Brought forward | ... | ... | ... | 4,086,858 | 17 | 8 |
| TOTAL | | | | £ | 4,086,858 | 17 8 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 31st October, 1888.

and the distribution of the same, on the 30th September, 1888—*continued.*

| DISTRIBUTION OF THE BALANCES— <i>contd.</i> | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---------|----|----|-----------|----|----|-------------|----|----|
| Brought forward | £ | | | 1,253,924 | 2 | 7 | 25,740 | 17 | 6 |
| English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank— | | | | | | | | | |
| General Loan Account | 428,291 | 11 | 8 | | | | | | |
| Colonial Treasurer's Master in Equity Account | 21,500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| | 449,791 | 11 | 8 | | | | | | |
| Less Public Account | 291,964 | 9 | 7 | 157,827 | 2 | 1 | | | |
| Bank of New Zealand— | | | | | | | | | |
| Public Account | 133,743 | 5 | 2 | | | | | | |
| General Loan Account | 6,611 | 1 | 9 | | | | | | |
| Colonial Treasurer's Master in Equity Account | 21,500 | 0 | 0 | 161,854 | 6 | 11 | | | |
| Total, Associated Banks, Sydney | | | | | | | 1,573,605 | 11 | 7 |
| London Account— | | | | | | | | | |
| Public Account at date of the latest advices | | | | | | | 1,798,284 | 16 | 4 |
| SECURITIES— | | | | | | | | | |
| Treasury Chest— | | | | | | | | | |
| Police Reward and Superannuation Fund— | | | | | | | | | |
| Debentures | | | | 40,200 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Public Instruction Endowment Account— | | | | | | | | | |
| Debentures | 68,400 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| New South Wales Four per Cents. | 106,781 | 19 | 3 | 175,181 | 19 | 3 | | | |
| Assurance Fund—Real Property Act—Debentures | | | | 72,000 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Government Savings Bank Fund— | | | | | | | | | |
| Debentures | 89,200 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| New South Wales Four per Cents. | 296,466 | 13 | 11 | 385,666 | 13 | 11 | | | |
| Miscellaneous | | | | 15,578 | 19 | 1 | 688,627 | 12 | 3 |
| Commercial Banking Company of Sydney— | | | | | | | | | |
| Debentures—Lunacy Trust, 42 Vic. No. 7 | | | | | | | 600 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL | | | | | | | £ 4,086,853 | 17 | 8 |

JAMES PEARSON,
Accountant.

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.

(EXPENDITURE—1885 TO 1888—AND RATE PER HEAD OF POPULATION.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 22 November, 1888.

MEMORANDUM.

THE Statistical Register would seem to have been compiled from the Returns published in the *Government Gazette*, and sums shown in the *Gazette* statements as under "Other Payments" (and consequently deducted from the expenditure) appear in the abstracts of the Public Accounts certified by the Auditor-General under the head of "Ordinary Expenditure."

The total expenditure during the year 1887, on which the calculation of amount per head of the population has been based, is given in the Register as £9,098,460, whereas it should have been £9,216,192.

Taking the expenditure during the year, and the population as stated in the Register, I have been unable to make out the figures shown in the Statistical Register as the rate per head.

I may point out that comparing the expenditure during one year with the expenditure during another is scarcely a correct way of making a comparison in order to ascertain the rate of expenditure, inasmuch as the expenditure for services of one year is necessarily, in some cases, spread over a number of years. For instance, the whole of the appropriations for services of the year 1885 are not yet expended, and during this year payments have been made for services of the year 1885, 1886, and 1887, as well as for services proper for the year.

By way of arriving at the rate of expenditure, therefore, I propose to take the authorized charges for the years 1885, 1886, and 1887; the authorized and estimated charges for 1888; the population for each of these years; and the rate of expenditure per head.

| | |
|---|------------------|
| For 1885 the authorized charges amounted, as per Ways and | £ |
| Means Account, 2nd April, 1886, to | 9,421,401 |
| <i>Add</i> —further items in subsequent Estimates. | 30,208 |
| Making a total charge to the amount of | 9,451,609 |
| <i>Less</i> —Savings written off | 580,865 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 8,870,744 |
| <i>Deduct</i> —Appropriations for Interest on Loans... .. | 1,300,400 |
| | <hr/> |
| Leaving for ordinary expenditure the sum of | <u>7,570,344</u> |

The population numbered 957,914, the authorized expenditure thus being at the rate of £7 18s. per head.

| | |
|---|------------------|
| For the year 1886 the authorized charges, as shown by the Ways and Means Account of 30th March, 1887, amounted | £ |
| to the sum of | 9,305,234 |
| <i>Add</i> —Items on subsequent Estimates | 76,445 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 9,381,679 |
| <i>Deduct</i> —Savings written off | 290,987 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 9,090,692 |
| <i>Less</i> —Interest on Loans | 1,589,450 |
| | <hr/> |
| Leaving for ordinary expenditure the sum of | <u>7,501,242</u> |

The population at the end of 1886 was 1,001,966; the authorized expenditure is therefore at the rate of £7 9s. 8d. per head.

| | |
|--|------------------|
| For the year 1887 the charges, as detailed in the Ways and Means Account of 17th July, 1888 (exclusive of estimated savings to the amount of £350,000), amounted to the sum of | £ |
| | 8,695,463 |
| <i>Deduct</i> —Interest on Loans | 1,714,680 |
| | <hr/> |
| Ordinary expenditure | <u>6,980,783</u> |

The population numbered 1,042,919; the authorized expenditure is therefore at the rate of £6 13s. 10d. per head.

| | |
|--|------------------|
| For 1888 the authorized charges (exclusive of savings to the amount of £300,000) amount to | £ |
| | 8,462,657 |
| <i>Add</i> —Probable amount of Supplementary Estimates | 150,000 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 8,612,657 |
| <i>Deduct</i> —Estimated further saving | 100,000 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 8,512,657 |
| <i>Less</i> —For Interest on Loans | 1,775,930 |
| | <hr/> |
| For ordinary expenditure | <u>6,736,727</u> |

It is estimated by the Government Statistician that the population at the end of this year will number 1,080,000; the authorised and estimated expenditure would therefore be at the rate of £6 4s. 9d. per head.

The foregoing was prepared by direction, and for the information, of the Colonial Treasurer in September last—some time before the preparation of the Supplementary Estimates for 1888 and previous years.

Since then the ordinary expenditure for the year 1886 has been increased (by the cost of transmission of telegraphic messages to the amount of £11,288) from £7,501,242, as previously stated, to £7,512,530; making the authorized expenditure for that year at the rate of £7 9s. 11d. per head.

The charges for 1887 and 1888, as now shown in the Accounts in Ways and Means of 31st October last, differ from the amounts shown in the accounts as submitted on 17th July last to the extent of the further charges and alterations therein specified.

| | | | |
|--|-------------|-----|-----|
| For the year 1887 the charges authorized and estimated | £ | s. | d. |
| (exclusive of savings to the amount of £325,000) | | | |
| now amount to | ... | ... | ... |
| | 8,726,643 | 1 | 11 |
| <i>Deduct</i> —Interest on Loans | ... | ... | ... |
| | 1,714,680 | 0 | 0 |
| | <hr/> | | |
| Leaving for ordinary expenditure the sum of | ... | ... | ... |
| | 7,011,963 | 1 | 11 |
| | <hr/> <hr/> | | |

The population numbered 1,042,919. The expenditure would therefore be at the rate of £6 14s. 5d. per head.

| | | | |
|--|-------------|-----|-----|
| For the year 1888 the charges authorized and estimated | £ | s. | d. |
| (exclusive of savings to the amount of £400,000) | | | |
| amount to the sum of | ... | ... | ... |
| | 8,583,282 | 1 | 10 |
| <i>Deduct</i> —Interest on Loans | ... | ... | ... |
| | 1,775,930 | 0 | 0 |
| | <hr/> | | |
| Leaving for ordinary expenditure the sum of | ... | ... | ... |
| | 6,807,352 | 1 | 10 |
| | <hr/> <hr/> | | |

The population is now estimated to number 1,087,000 at the end of the year. The expenditure, therefore, would be at the rate of £6 5s. 3d. per head.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
19th November, 1888.

F. KIRKPATRICK,
Consulting Accountant.

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.

(COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF, DURING THE MONTHS OF OCTOBER, 1887, AND OCTOBER, 1888.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 6 November, 1888.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the Consolidated Revenue of the Colony of New South Wales, paid into the Treasury, at Sydney, during the months of October, 1887, and October, 1888, respectively, showing the Increase or Decrease under each head thereof.

| Head of Revenue or Receipt. | Month of October, 1887. | | Month of October, 1888. | | Decrease. | | Increase. | |
|---|-------------------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|------------------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| REVENUE PROPER. | | | | | | | | |
| Customs | 149,511 | 8 11 | 155,861 | 16 6 | ..... |  | 6,350 | 7 7 |
| Excise... .. | 23,518 | 4 10 | 23,018 | 4 6 | 500 | 0 4 | ..... |  |
| Stamps | 25,276 | 0 0 | 36,731 | 10 5 | ..... |  | 11,455 | 10 5 |
| Licenses | 5,966 | 4 10 | 6,506 | 13 6 | ..... |  | 540 | 8 8 |
| Land Revenue | 121,375 | 4 8 | 131,695 | 19 0 | ..... |  | 10,320 | 14 4 |
| Railway Receipts | 223,125 | 13 6 | 264,981 | 3 9 | ..... |  | 41,855 | 10 3 |
| Postage | 29,814 | 18 4 | 33,761 | 18 8 | ..... |  | 3,947 | 0 4 |
| Electric Telegraph Receipts | 11,186 | 14 3 | 16,032 | 18 4 | ..... |  | 4,846 | 4 1 |
| Commission on Money Orders | 1,198 | 8 6 | 1,255 | 0 6 | ..... |  | 56 | 12 0 |
| Fees for Escort and Conveyance of Gold | 0 | 10 0 | ..... |  | 0 | 10 0 | ..... |  |
| Pilotage Rates, Harbour Dues, and Fees (22 Vic. No. 4) | 4,033 | 8 2 | 4,761 | 13 6 | ..... |  | 728 | 5 4 |
| Fees under Registration of Brands Act | 94 | 3 6 | 99 | 15 6 | ..... |  | 5 | 12 0 |
| Public School Fees | 7,542 | 1 0 | 8,103 | 18 10 | ..... |  | 561 | 17 10 |
| Fees of Office | 12,075 | 19 1 | 12,311 | 4 11 | ..... |  | 735 | 5 10 |
| Rents—exclusive of Land | 3,424 | 8 7 | 5,672 | 6 7 | ..... |  | 2,247 | 18 0 |
| Fines and Forfeitures | 1,370 | 4 11 | 1,257 | 17 11 | 112 | 7 0 | ..... |  |
| Miscellaneous Receipts | 9,669 | 14 8 | 8,050 | 17 10 | 1,618 | 16 10 | ..... |  |
| Metropolitan Water Rates ... .. | ..... |  | 5,138 | 7 11 | ..... |  | 5,138 | 7 11 |
| Total Revenue Proper ... | £ 629,183 | 7 9 | 715,741 | 8 2 | 2,231 | 14 2 | 88,789 | 14 7 |
| | | | | | Deduct Decrease | £ | 2,231 | 14 2 |
| | | | | | Nett Increase | £ | 86,558 | 0 5 |

The Treasury, New South Wales,
November 1st, 1888.

J. PEARSON,
Accountant.

1888-9.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

VOTE OF CREDIT.
(MESSAGE No. 19.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 15 January, 1889.

CARRINGTON,

Governor.

Message No. 19.

In accordance with the provisions contained in the 54th clause of the Constitution Act, the Governor recommends to the Legislative Assembly that provision be made for defraying the expenses of the various Departments and services of the Colony for the months of January and February, or following month, of the year 1889 ; together with provision for an advance to the Colonial Treasurer.

Government House,

Sydney, 15th January, 1889.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

BANK LIABILITIES AND ASSETS.

(FOR QUARTER ENDED 30 JUNE, 1888.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 4 Vic. No. 13.

SUMMARY of the GENERAL ABSTRACT of the Sworn Returns, rendered pursuant to the Act of Council 4th Victoria No. 13, of the Average ASSETS and LIABILITIES, and of the CAPITAL and PROFITS of the undermentioned BANKS of the Colony of New South Wales, for the Quarter ended 30th June, 1888.

| BANKS. | LIABILITIES. | | | | | | ASSETS. | | | | | | CAPITAL AND PROFITS. | | | | |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|---------------|------------|------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|----------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|--|
| | Notes in Circulation. | Bills in Circulation. | Balances due to other Banks. | Deposits not bearing Interest. | Deposits bearing Interest. | Total Liabilities. | Coin. | Bullion. | Landed Property. | Notes and Bills of other Banks. | Balances due from other Banks. | Notes and Bills discounted, and all other Debts due to the Banks. | Total Assets. | Capital paid up. | Rate per Annum of last Dividend. | Amount of Dividend. | Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend. |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| New South Wales .. | 326713 16 0 | 10867 7 6 | 25224 17 2 | 2864085 2 8 | 4350495 11 6 | 7586446 14 9 | 825648 12 9 | 34447 2 9 | 207192 8 2 | 7608 0 0 | 968170 4 1 | 7742370 19 2 | 9785437 6 11 | 1250000 0 0 | 15 3/4 cent. | 169375 0 0 | 810900 0 0 |
| Commercial .. | 394741 18 5 | 4353 3 4 | 49442 17 8 | 2454487 12 8 | 5609509 2 5 | 8512634 14 6 | 1207738 4 10 | 4427 15 1 | 280820 2 0 | 38434 4 10 | 775629 12 3 | 7584050 19 7 | 9897109 18 7 | 600000 0 0 | 25 3/4 cent. | 75000 0 0 | 755058 8 0 |
| Australasia .. | 134800 0 0 | 13192 6 2 | 61 16 4 | 850222 19 11 | 1301663 13 11 | 2305940 16 4 | 519113 3 10 | 2628 14 7 | 73998 18 6 | 10453 11 3 | ..... | 2236449 5 4 | 2342643 13 6 | 1600000 0 0 | 12 3/4 cent. | 96000 0 0 | 812500 0 0 |
| Union of Australia | 64105 0 4 | 9368 13 4 | 1188 8 5 | 515725 10 2 | 1116374 11 9 | 1707262 4 0 | 568710 0 5 | 2065 9 6 | 55226 0 9 | 12466 7 0 | 3128 0 3 | 2370990 1 2 | 3512525 19 10 | 1500000 0 0 | 12 3/4 cent. | 90000 0 0 | 1070925 17 5 |
| Australian Joint Stock | 345336 8 7 | 11352 11 5 | 22714 4 11 | 1249408 11 5 | 2567248 3 8 | 4196150 0 0 | 489701 8 0 | 16726 14 6 | 1083447 8 9 | 33898 17 2 | 80011 0 5 | 5402300 14 10 | 6281686 3 8 | 500000 0 0 | 12 1/2 cent. | 31250 0 0 | 310960 14 6 |
| London Chartered of Australia. | 44344 0 0 | 6940 19 3 | 14392 19 11 | 237338 7 11 | 627501 0 8 | 980517 7 9 | 173693 12 0 | 660 11 4 | 63963 14 11 | 5903 19 4 | 1404 4 8 | 1504624 6 1 | 1780090 8 4 | 1000000 0 0 | 7 3/4 cent. | 35000 0 0 | 224432 18 7 |
| English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Commercial Bank of Australia. | 105744 5 9 | 13603 6 3 | 23145 0 6 | 510678 9 8 | 1627744 0 11 | 1680915 3 1 | 400574 16 7 | ..... | 74225 8 11 | 15658 7 11 | 9866 5 11 | 1797698 12 11 | 2304023 12 3 | 720000 0 0 | 10 3/4 cent. | 86000 0 0 | 220000 0 0 |
| City .. | 14634 18 5 | 2030 10 1 | ..... | 88411 14 8 | 213185 17 0 | 318163 0 2 | 131132 10 3 | ..... | 25000 0 0 | 3236 2 4 | ..... | 522764 15 4 | 682133 16 11 | 1000000 0 0 | 14 3/4 cent. | 70000 0 0 | 626108 14 2 |
| Merchants Bank of Sydney. | 40950 4 8 | 571 8 9 | 4034 14 9 | 442320 2 3 | 1092098 19 3 | 1579975 9 8 | 261041 16 8 | 760 8 9 | 41643 13 5 | 1524 7 8 | 78375 3 5 | 1643523 18 9 | 2026869 8 5 | 280000 0 0 | 12 1/2 cent. | 17445 0 0 | 162321 8 9 |
| Federal Bank of Australia. | 27522 1 6 | 423 15 6 | 78715 4 10 | 360224 10 5 | 1256241 12 2 | 1717127 13 5 | 201656 5 9 | ..... | 72385 5 11 | 3654 9 0 | 26281 8 10 | 1830740 8 10 | 2128717 18 4 | 300000 0 0 | 9 3/4 cent. | 13500 0 0 | 116123 7 10 |
| Bank of South Australia. | 13897 9 3 | 57 17 2 | ..... | 80435 5 3 | 256972 8 9 | 351363 0 5 | 39625 11 4 | ..... | 47607 15 9 | 908 15 4 | ..... | 392552 4 6 | 480784 6 11 | 400000 0 0 | 9 3/4 cent. | 18000 0 0 | 114854 0 |
| Queensland National Bank | 4827 1 6 | 238 8 0 | ..... | 17438 4 0 | 206 10 9 | 22765 4 3 | 3191 9 3 | ..... | 518 7 4 | 498 16 11 | ..... | 9059 4 8 | 13262 18 2 | 800000 0 0 | 6 3/4 cent. | 24000 0 0 | 125142 13 5 |
| National Bank of Australia. | ..... | 811 0 3 | ..... | 31564 11 9 | 18010 0 9 | 50385 12 9 | 267923 16 4 | ..... | 14853 17 2 | 1563 3 0 | ..... | 97270 19 6 | 381611 16 0 | 652300 0 0 | 12 3/4 cent. | 39138 0 0 | 335882 15 6 |
| Bank of New Zealand | 8668 4 8 | 1099 10 10 | 599 16 6 | 59664 9 10 | 69414 11 5 | 139446 13 3 | 94215 18 5 | 11 10 9 | 35716 7 11 | 1318 16 0 | 2224 12 1 | 254666 14 5 | 388213 19 7 | 1000000 0 0 | 15 3/4 cent. | 75000 0 0 | 681532 6 7 |
| New Oriental Bank .. | 44039 16 11 | 3684 3 1 | 610272 18 4 | 464762 4 4 | 395004 6 4 | 1517768 9 0 | 321705 0 3 | 360 8 6 | 36500 0 0 | ..... | ..... | 1172969 1 6 | 1531534 10 3 | 1000000 0 0 | 7 3/4 cent. | 35000 0 0 | 525861 8 3 |
| Totals .. | £ 1570226 6 0 | 79444 14 4 | £ 829852 19 4 | 10292507 10 11 | 19970791 18 11 | 32742822 9 | 65551874 17 2 | 62028 15 9 | 1264189 9 6 | 137398 13 10 | 1939335 18 5 | 35188345 1 4 | 44143107 10 0 | 13106580 0 0 | ..... | 781636 8 0 | 7144887 9 4 |

* Including bonus of 2 1/2 per cent. per annum. † Including £104,616 5s., average amount of N.S.W. Government debentures. ‡ And bonus of 2 1/2 per cent., equal to dividend of 17 1/2 per cent. per annum. § Dividend, £93,750; bonus, £15,625.
 † Including £763,300, average amount of Government securities held. ‡ And bonus. § And branches.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 3rd August, 1888.

JAMES PEARSON,
Accountant.

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

BANK LIABILITIES AND ASSETS.

(FOR QUARTER ENDED 30 SEPTEMBER, 1888.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 4 Vic. No. 13.

SUMMARY of the GENERAL ABSTRACT of the Sworn Returns, rendered pursuant to the Act of Council 4th Victoria No. 13, of the Average ASSETS and LIABILITIES, and of the CAPITAL and PROFITS of the undermentioned BANKS of the Colony of New South Wales, for the Quarter ended 30th September, 1888.

| BANKS. | LIABILITIES. | | | | | | ASSETS. | | | | | | CAPITAL AND PROFITS. | | | | |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|--|
| | Notes in Circulation. | Bills in Circulation. | Balances due to other Banks. | Deposits not bearing Interest. | Deposits bearing Interest. | Total Liabilities. | Coin. | Bullion. | Landed Property. | Notes and Bills of other Banks. | Balances due from other Banks. | Notes and Bills discounted, and all other Debts due to the Banks. | Total Assets. | Capital paid up. | Rate per Annum of last Dividend. | Amount of Dividend. | Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend. |
| New South Wales.... | £ 309200 17 0 | s. 0 22 14 11 | d. 0 555 17 0 | £ 2004130 14 0 | s. 0 4537735 14 9 | d. 0 7770551 18 5 | £ 053746 17 3 | s. 0 28179 8 3 | d. 0 203371 11 7 | £ 8026 9 2 | s. 0 017173 3 10 | d. 0 7782982 17 5 | £ 9004080 12 0 | s. 0 1250000 0 0 | d. 0 17 1/2 cent. | £ 103375 0 0 | s. 0 010000 0 0 |
| Commercial | £ 383275 10 2 | s. 0 270 3 1 | d. 0 67397 2 3 | £ 2471208 7 9 | s. 0 5045342 8 9 | d. 0 8578404 1 0 | £ 1146400 14 7 | s. 0 3700 0 10 | d. 0 303528 13 1 | £ 53498 8 6 | s. 0 571653 4 10 | d. 0 7950200 6 1 | £ 1002390 7 11 | s. 0 600000 0 0 | d. 0 25 3/4 cent. | £ 75000 0 0 | s. 0 755058 8 0 |
| Australasia..... | £ 139099 6 2 | s. 0 14014 8 10 | d. 0 | £ 885551 12 3 | s. 0 1296531 10 10 | d. 0 2335796 18 1 | £ 524130 0 1 | s. 0 1733 1 7 | d. 0 73800 16 1 | £ 52791 17 0 | s. 0 | d. 0 2348355 16 9 | £ 3001320 11 0 | s. 0 1600000 0 0 | d. 0 12 3/4 cent. | £ 90000 0 0 | s. 0 812800 15 0 |
| Union Australia .. | £ 67875 16 9 | s. 0 12273 18 7 | d. 0 781 11 8 | £ 524104 6 2 | s. 0 1149433 4 3 | d. 0 1754408 17 5 | £ 522512 18 8 | s. 0 1533 7 8 | d. 0 53302 19 3 | £ 44722 0 2 | s. 0 1959 9 4 | d. 0 2945955 9 2 | £ 3571986 4 3 | s. 0 1500000 0 0 | d. 0 12 3/4 cent. | £ 90000 0 0 | s. 0 1080268 6 6 |
| Australian Joint Stock | £ 336394 18 4 | s. 0 10216 18 7 | d. 0 23633 0 2 | £ 1295866 9 1 | s. 0 2719083 17 10 | d. 0 4385195 4 0 | £ 622147 13 5 | s. 0 12273 5 10 | d. 0 205963 11 6 | £ 37274 1 8 | s. 0 102156 8 5 | d. 0 5808822 5 1 | £ 6733637 5 11 | s. 0 500000 0 0 | d. 0 12 1/2 cent. | £ 31250 0 0 | s. 0 819960 14 6 |
| London Chartered of Australia. | £ 46847 0 0 | s. 0 966 19 9 | d. 0 14950 16 10 | £ 293331 11 9 | s. 0 736880 13 11 | d. 0 1097977 2 3 | £ 166042 12 4 | s. 0 167 7 3 | d. 0 114490 16 4 | £ 21050 9 11 | s. 0 3505 19 5 | d. 0 1734297 10 11 | £ 2042544 15 2 | s. 0 1000000 0 0 | d. 0 7 3/4 cent. | £ 35000 0 0 | s. 0 224432 13 7 |
| English, Scottish and Australian Chartered. | £ 101428 4 3 | s. 0 14042 12 8 | d. 0 12223 2 7 | £ 574670 3 10 | s. 0 1017008 8 4 | d. 0 1710432 11 8 | £ 345595 2 9 | s. 0 | d. 0 74225 8 11 | £ 41346 17 0 | s. 0 14096 4 6 | d. 0 1806006 3 1 | £ 2342469 16 3 | s. 0 720000 0 0 | d. 0 10 3/4 cent. | £ 36000 0 0 | s. 0 220000 0 0 |
| Commercial Bank of Australia. | £ 13836 0 0 | s. 0 1756 13 8 | d. 0 | £ 101126 9 0 | s. 0 177676 8 4 | d. 0 293894 11 0 | £ 162911 2 6 | s. 0 | d. 0 25000 0 0 | £ 14800 2 3 | s. 0 | d. 0 543129 1 3 | £ 745840 6 5 | s. 0 1000000 0 0 | d. 0 16 3/4 cent. | £ 75000 0 0 | s. 0 654526 8 7 |
| Mercantile Bank of Sydney. | £ 26251 10 0 | s. 0 935 18 10 | d. 0 95766 11 10 | £ 440347 13 10 | s. 0 1208027 14 1 | d. 0 1771320 8 7 | £ 222101 10 6 | s. 0 | d. 0 72473 1 11 | £ 18204 10 2 | s. 0 13833 8 7 | d. 0 1879210 1 10 | £ 2205962 10 0 | s. 0 300000 0 0 | d. 0 9 3/4 cent. | £ 13500 0 0 | s. 0 117188 5 5 |
| City | £ 41215 9 3 | s. 0 467 9 3 | d. 0 65893 3 2 | £ 533233 0 8 | s. 0 1074161 2 0 | d. 0 1714520 4 4 | £ 328773 13 1 | s. 0 551 18 4 | d. 0 42587 9 4 | £ 1201 6 1 | s. 0 188201 0 2 | d. 0 1608663 1 3 | £ 2164973 8 3 | s. 0 230000 0 0 | d. 0 12 1/2 cent. | £ 17500 0 0 | s. 0 167016 4 10 |
| Federal Bank of Australia. | £ 13896 6 2 | s. 0 22 7 11 | d. 0 | £ 82032 0 0 | s. 0 282610 16 1 | d. 0 378631 10 2 | £ 60870 1 0 | s. 0 | d. 0 49315 1 6 | £ 1496 13 10 | s. 0 5499 10 6 | d. 0 411183 11 5 | £ 528369 13 6 | s. 0 400000 0 0 | d. 0 9 3/4 cent. | £ 18000 0 0 | s. 0 114854 0 7 |
| Bank of South Australia (Limited.) | £ 5602 13 6 | s. 0 138 0 11 | d. 0 | £ 14400 2 0 | s. 0 580 2 0 | d. 0 20731 3 5 | £ 2023 12 4 | s. 0 | d. 0 569 9 10 | £ 353 7 8 | s. 0 | d. 0 11107 13 11 | £ 14059 8 9 | s. 0 800000 0 0 | d. 0 6 3/4 cent. | £ 24000 0 0 | s. 0 125142 13 5 |
| Queenstand National Bank. | £ | s. 0 5754 14 9 | d. 0 | £ 43453 19 10 | s. 0 28200 0 10 | d. 0 77414 15 5 | £ 113250 4 11 | s. 0 | d. 0 14853 17 2 | £ 5313 16 0 | s. 0 | d. 0 129762 5 11 | £ 263189 4 0 | s. 0 652300 0 0 | d. 0 12 3/4 cent. | £ 39138 0 0 | s. 0 345746 7 4 |
| National Bank of Australasia. | £ 10142 15 4 | s. 0 943 12 1 | d. 0 444 5 8 | £ 55907 11 3 | s. 0 71778 3 8 | d. 0 139216 8 0 | £ 57553 14 6 | s. 0 12 10 0 | d. 0 80120 17 11 | £ 6755 6 0 | s. 0 2181 6 4 | d. 0 272515 14 8 | £ 375148 7 5 | s. 0 1000000 0 0 | d. 0 15 3/4 cent. | £ 75000 0 0 | s. 0 681532 6 7 |
| Bank of New Zealand | £ 34213 3 1 | s. 0 2970 5 9 | d. 0 | £ 424584 19 11 | s. 0 382626 3 0 | d. 0 844394 11 9 | £ 232735 12 10 | s. 0 532 1 6 | d. 0 36500 0 0 | £ | s. 0 13448 1 9 | d. 0 1190701 13 0 | £ 1534917 9 1 | s. 0 1000000 0 0 | d. 0 7 3/4 cent. | £ 35000 0 0 | s. 0 523361 8 3 |
| New Oriental Bank Corporation (Ltd.) | £ | s. 0 326 5 7 | d. 0 | £ 7255 5 7 | s. 0 90936 9 11 | d. 0 98518 1 1 | £ 60824 14 6 | s. 0 | d. 0 | £ 395 9 3 | s. 0 245 5 1 | d. 0 73316 14 4 | £ 134781 3 2 | s. 0 571580 0 0 | d. 0 6 3/4 cent. | £ 17013 0 0 | s. 0 152256 16 10 |
| TOTALS..... | £ 1533310 4 0 | s. 0 81623 5 2 | d. 0 290145 11 11 | £ 10656260 6 11 | s. 0 20418627 13 7 | d. 0 32980407 6 7 | £ 5570242 11 3 | s. 0 49673 1 3 | d. 0 1318112 13 5 | £ 310830 14 1 | s. 0 1830603 6 9 | d. 0 36553514 11 4 | £ 45642276 18 1 | s. 0 13173889 0 0 | d. 0 | £ 786776 0 0 | s. 0 7212645 9 5 |

* Including £104,616 6s., average amount of New South Wales Government Debentures. ^b Including bonus of 2 1/2 per cent. per annum. ^c Including £753,233 6s. 8d., average amount of Government Securities held. ^d 15 per cent. per annum and bonus of 2 1/2 per cent. per annum. ^e Dividend, £93,750, and bonus £15,625. ^f Government Deposits—average bearing interest, £33,333 6s. 8d.; average not bearing interest, £94,238 12s 9d. ^g And bonus.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 29th October, 1888.

JAMES PEARSON,
Accountant.

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

1888.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

BANKING, LAND, BUILDING, AND INVESTMENT COMPANIES' LIABILITIES AND ASSETS.

(GENERAL ABSTRACTS FOR QUARTER ENDED 30 JUNE, 1888.)

Presented to Parliament pursuant to Acts 4 Vic. No. 13 and 42 Vic. No. 21.

SUMMARY OF THE GENERAL ABSTRACTS of the Sworn Returns, rendered pursuant to the Act of Council 4th Victoria No. 13 and 42 Victoria No. 21, of the average ASSETS and LIABILITIES, and of the CAPITAL and PROFITS of the undermentioned BANKING, LAND, BUILDING, and INVESTMENT COMPANIES of the Colony of New South Wales, for the Quarter ended 30th June, 1888.

| COMPANIES. | LIABILITIES. | | | | | | ASSETS. | | | | | | CAPITAL AND PROFITS. | | | |
|---|-----------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------|------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|---------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|--|
| | Bills in Circulation. | Balances due to other Banks. | Deposits not bearing Interest. | Deposits bearing Interest. | Other Liabilities. | Total Liabilities. | Coin. | Landed Property. | Notes and Bills of other Banks. | Balances due from other Banks. | Notes and Bills discounted, and all other debts due to the Companies. | Total Assets. | Capital paid up. | Rate per Annum of last Dividend. | Amount of Dividend. | Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend. |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Sydney and Suburban Mutual Permanent Building and Land Investment Association (Limited) | | 1965 18 2 | ..... | 65238 12 10 | 34815 1 3 | 102014 12 3 | 3 7 8 | 100723 3 2 | 17 9 3 | 222 12 1 | 77756 19 3 | 178723 11 5 | 60804 18 7 | 10 3/4 cent. | 2749 8 7 | 18500 0 0 |
| Town and Country Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited) | 1430 0 0 | ..... | ..... | 9650 16 9 | 1402 13 0 | 12483 9 9 | ..... | 6507 8 3 | ..... | 3040 15 9 | 13816 4 9 | 23364 3 9 | 9402 7 10 | 10 3/4 cent. | 652 19 5 | 1500 0 0 |
| Haymarket Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited) | | 3357 10 11 | ..... | 130226 6 0 | ..... | 133583 16 11 | 481 5 3 | 88735 5 8 | 53 17 0 | 16546 8 9 | 130060 8 0 | 235883 4 8 | 52320 4 4 | 10 3/4 cent. | 2616 8 9 | 30664 18 0 |
| Land Company of Australasia (Limited) | | 9519 17 6 | ..... | 105232 10 5 | 242586 2 11 | 357337 10 10 | 119 0 1 | 330665 9 7 | 200 13 10 | 1179 0 0 | 125431 6 4 | 467595 9 10 | 63964 1 8 | 10 3/4 cent. | 2831 15 2 | 8000 0 0 |
| Metropolitan Mutual Permanent Building and Investment Association (Limited) | | 16048 5 1 | ..... | 161150 7 11 | 116370 16 8 | 202560 9 8 | ..... | 229667 1 1 | ..... | 500 0 0 | 205526 12 0 | 438683 13 1 | 122511 14 0 | 8 3/4 cent. | 4894 18 6 | 12500 0 0 |
| Excelsior Land, Investment, and Building Company and Bank (Limited) | | | 56117 7 3 | 294772 16 3 | 50532 0 0 | 401422 3 6 | 724 6 3 | 102003 15 9 | 2522 0 0 | 18670 6 0 | 314814 6 3 | 498734 14 3 | 67930 0 0 | 15 3/4 cent. | 8607 0 0 | 46000 0 0 |
| City and County Investment, Land, and Building Company (Limited) | | | | 33741 4 1 | 20599 10 10 | 63340 14 11 | 138 9 4 | 29304 11 5 | 207 8 9 | 6120 18 5 | 47947 8 2 | 83218 16 1 | 10318 3 4 | 15 3/4 cent. | 1266 1 6 | 11341 10 2 |
| Sydney and Provincial Land and Building Company (Limited) | | 6779 19 10 | ..... | 47221 13 9 | 7523 3 4 | 60524 16 11 | ..... | 20755 2 0 | ..... | ..... | 70256 19 2 | 100012 1 2 | 29168 4 0 | 8 3/4 cent. | 1158 11 0 | 11000 0 0 |
| Commercial Building and Investment Company (Limited) | | | 2567 4 2 | 249262 4 3 | ..... | 251819 8 5 | ..... | 272665 12 0 | ..... | ..... | 41008 17 0 | 313674 9 0 | 50000 0 0 | 10 3/4 cent. | 2500 0 0 | 7000 0 0 |
| New South Wales Property Investment Company (Limited) | | 11820 1 5 | ..... | 68344 19 9 | 17701 6 4 | 97956 7 0 | ..... | 123000 1 0 | ..... | 1055 0 0 | 11046 10 4 | 146111 0 10 | 29732 7 0 | 7 3/4 cent. | 392 3 10 | 12000 0 0 |
| Carried forward | 1430 0 0 | 48491 12 11 | 58674 11 5 | 1164836 12 0 | 409619 14 4 | 1773052 10 8 | 1466 8 7 | 1378326 5 5 | 8001 8 10 | 46335 1 0 | 1040672 0 3 | 2470001 4 1 | 506271 0 9 | ..... | 28359 6 9 | 168506 8 2 |

* Other liabilities, not included in above list, £14,446 17s. 6d.

SUMMARY of the ASSETS and LIABILITIES of BANKING, LAND, BUILDING, and INVESTMENT COMPANIES—continued.

| COMPANIES. | LIABILITIES. | | | | | | ASSETS. | | | | | | CAPITAL AND PROFITS | | | |
|--|-----------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------|------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|---------------|---------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|--|
| | Bills in Circulation. | Balances due to other Banks. | Deposits not bearing Interest. | Deposits bearing Interest. | Other Liabilities. | Total Liabilities. | Coin. | Landed Property. | Notes and Bills of other Banks. | Balances due from other Banks. | Notes and Bills discounted, and all other debts due to the Companies. | Total Assets. | Capital paid up. | Rate per Annum of last Dividend. | Amount of Dividend. | Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend. |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Brought forward..... | 1430 0 0 | 43491 12 11 | 58674 11 5 | 1164936 12 0 | 499010 14 4 | 1773052 10 8 | 1466 8 7 | 1378526 5 5 | 3001 8 10 | 46335 1 0 | 1040672 0 3 | 2470001 4 1 | 506271 0 9 | ..... | 23350 6 9 | 153506 8 2 |
| National Building, Land, and Investment Company (Limited)..... | | 1075 6 2 | ..... | 66408 19 8 | 15018 6 6 | 82502 12 4 | 765 6 7 | 47224 10 10 | ..... | 124 0 0 | 68583 0 9 | 116696 18 2 | 22619 7 6 | 10 ½ cent. | 1083 17 0 | 11921 1 11 |
| Mercantile Building, Land, and Investment Company (Limited)..... | | 1346 15 11 | ..... | 130211 19 7 | 83792 6 4 | 215351 1 10 | 77 7 3 | 146540 18 11 | 308 5 9 | 1223 11 8 | 134402 19 3 | 232643 2 10 | 31143 0 0 | 10 ½ cent. | 1557 3 0 | 23055 10 7 |
| Intercolonial Investment, Land, and Building Company (Limited)..... | | 7421 5 1 | ..... | 23459 13 11 | 17249 15 1 | 48130 14 1 | 300 0 0 | 34980 15 2 | ..... | ..... | 40740 7 3 | 76030 2 | 16965 9 3 | 10 ½ cent. | 838 5 4 | 8600 0 0 |
| Mutual Provident, Land, Investing, and Building Society (Limited)..... | | 9670 9 11 | ..... | 55101 19 6 | 3843 6 8 | 68616 16 1 | ..... | 42917 15 10 | ..... | ..... | 52141 9 7 | 95050 5 5 | 16866 1 0 | 10 ½ cent. | 801 3 6 | 10467 0 0 |
| Australian Banking Company (Limited)..... | | | 3943 6 5 | 45471 1 5 | ..... | 49414 7 10 | 2300 19 8 | 2500 0 0 | 10242 3 6 | 3491 7 0 | 78901 18 3 | 97436 8 5 | 40010 9 0 | 12 ½ cent. | 1034 5 0 | 440 15 0 |
| New South Wales Investment, Land, and Building Company (Limited)..... | | | | 9485 0 0 | 17707 0 0 | 27192 0 0 | 42 15 0 | 13446 0 0 | ..... | 1373 0 0 | 15311 0 0 | 30172 15 0 | 2728 18 6 | Nil. | ..... | 1506 16 11 |
| The Assets Realization and General Finance Company (Limited)..... | | | | 26500 0 0 | ..... | 26809 0 0 | ..... | 7702 12 7 | ..... | ..... | 31923 18 0 | 39626 10 7 | 12500 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Burwood Land, Building, and Investment Company (Limited)..... | | 5438 16 1 | ..... | 5229 12 4 | 1704 18 0 | 12373 6 5 | ..... | 2970 11 8 | 15391 17 10 | ..... | ..... | 19362 9 6 | 4954 16 3 | 10 ½ cent. | 246 18 7 | 787 8 3 |
| R. Goldsbrough and Company (Limited)..... | | | 5,444 7 8 | 290126 7 8 | ..... | 295570 15 4 | 16 6 7 | 80645 11 10 | ..... | ..... | 401087 13 10 | 487740 12 3 | 292985 5 0 | 15 ½ cent. | 15000 0 0 | 178493 10 0 |
| The Australian Mutual Investment and Building Company (Limited)..... | | 8385 12 9 | ..... | 230998 11 6 | 70639 11 9 | 360023 16 6 | 350 0 0 | 201538 18 6 | 2000 0 0 | 774 1 1 | 219148 18 6 | 428311 18 1 | 21954 0 0 | 25 ½ cent. | 2683 9 6 | 45431 6 |
| Southern Building, Mortgage, and Investment Company (Limited)..... | | | | 14066 14 8 | 259 8 11 | 14326 3 7 | 145 5 11 | ..... | ..... | 651 7 5 | 16179 13 5 | 16376 6 9 | 2339 10 0 | ..... | ..... | 310 13 2 |
| The Australian Trust Management, Assurance, and Investment Company (Limited)..... | | | | 6242 17 4 | 114 18 4 | 6357 15 8 | 72 16 3 | ..... | 231 0 0 | 4868 8 1 | 13450 7 6 | 18072 6 10 | 13711 13 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Centennial Investment, Land, and Building Company (Limited), Deposit and Savings Bank..... | | 1068 8 1 | ..... | 4108 9 7 | 6022 1 4 | 12753 10 0 | ..... | 12050 8 10 | ..... | ..... | 5680 9 10 | 18630 18 8 | 5274 0 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Mercantile Finance and Depositors' Company (Limited)..... | | 671 4 11 | 16 6 9 | 19106 10 3 | ..... | 19794 1 11 | 164 1 9 | 27800 2 9 | ..... | 3543 3 2 | 16034 9 6 | 47541 17 2 | 10018 10 3 | 10 ½ cent. | 708 2 8 | 436 19 0 |
| The Imperial Land, Building, and Deposit Company (Limited)..... | | 3737 14 5 | 1252 18 11 | 18533 10 4 | 30311 13 4 | 53885 17 0 | 509 11 8 | 51233 3 6 | ..... | ..... | 18139 17 5 | 64882 12 7 | 10348 6 5 | 12 ½ cent. | 1238 18 11 | 410 17 5 |
| Total..... | 1430 0 0 | 88202 6 3 | 69381 11 2 | 2160256 15 9 | 746883 0 7 | 3066108 17 9 | 6210 19 3 | 2056977 15 10 | 33314 15 11 | 62383 14 5 | 2147407 3 4 | 4304294 8 9 | 1010685 7 6 | ..... | 52601 10 3 | 435418 8 |

* And bonus. ^b From 24th October, 1887, to 30th June, 1888. ^c Sundry and other assets. ^d From 9th April to 2nd July, 1888. ^e For half year ending 31st December, 1887. ^f Interim.

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 17th August, 1888.

JAMES PEARSON,
Accountant.

J. F. BURNS,
Treasurer.

1888.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
NEW SOUTH WALES.

CUSTOMS.

(RETURN SHOWING SPECIFIC DUTIES OF THE COLONY FOR YEARS ENDING JUNE, 1887 AND 1888, RESPECTIVELY.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 20 November, 1888.

RETURN showing details of Specific Duties for the Colony of New South Wales, for the years ending 30th June 1887 and 1888, respectively.

| Articles. | 1887. | 1888. | Articles. | 1887. | 1888. |
|---|-------------|-------------|---|---------------|--------------|
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| Acid, acetic | 408 11 11 | 85 11 11 | Iron chains not otherwise exempted | 261 8 5 | 23 18 5 |
| Acid, tartaric | 385 8 4 | 61 19 2 | Iron and steel wire..... | 8,438 18 4 | 14,188 19 6 |
| Aerated and mineral waters | 946 5 2 | 44 6 10 | Jams and jellies | 16,386 1 8 | 16,007 1 4 |
| Arrowroot | 710 14 5 | 112 17 2 | Lard | 138 17 11 | 39 16 8 |
| Bacon and ham | 13,406 17 3 | 11,171 7 10 | Laths | 301 4 2 | 4 10 9 |
| Barley, pearl, prepared and patent .. | 395 5 10 | 26 10 8 | Lead (sheet, roll, and pipe) | 5,087 17 7 | 302 3 1 |
| Baking powder, yeast custard, and egg powders, and self-raising flour. | 492 1 10 | 112 8 7 | Macaroni and vermicelli | 378 10 6 | 41 11 2 |
| Bags, calico | 96 8 11 | 13 6 11 | Meat extract | 85 10 6 | 5 11 7 |
| Bags, gunny | 24 16 1 | ..... | Meat (preserved) | 2,285 19 1 | 196 8 0 |
| Bags, paper (plain) | 442 17 6 | 134 3 9 | Milk (condensed or preserved)..... | 14,682 0 11 | 14,844 19 2 |
| Bags and sacks | 746 12 5 | ..... | Mustard | 1,189 6 3 | 125 0 10 |
| Biscuits (other than ship) | 1,660 7 1 | 755 9 10 | Nails | 3,908 16 9 | 486 14 7 |
| Bi-carbonate soda | 1,071 11 8 | 95 0 6 | Naphtha | 13 0 5 | 36 10 6 |
| Bitters over 25 per cent. of proof spirit. | 505 8 3 | 884 17 3 | Oatmeal | 2,823 17 9 | 421 12 2 |
| Bitters under 25 per cent. of proof spirit. | 1,996 17 10 | 1,648 1 8 | Oil (kerosene) | 21,622 18 3 | 29,313 18 6 |
| Blue | 1,262 12 6 | 75 17 8 | Oils (in bottle) | 1,278 8 5 | 2,992 19 10 |
| Bolts, spikes, nuts, rivets, screws, bolt rings, and washers (plain or galva- nized metal). | 2,628 17 3 | 551 5 9 | Oils (other) | 20,234 1 9 | 21,515 9 8 |
| Butter | 6,726 11 8 | 4,610 8 2 | Oilmen's stores, sauces, and pickles | 3,556 9 0 | 383 15 0 |
| Candles | 15,217 16 8 | 14,382 8 3 | Paints and colours (ground in oil)... | 5,645 0 7 | 6,177 15 2 |
| Cement | 20,252 9 0 | 18,973 12 0 | Palings | 129 6 1 | 4 9 0 |
| Cheese | 4,869 4 9 | 2,560 10 10 | Paper (brown) | 3,135 8 7 | 291 2 9 |
| Cocoa (raw) | 82 18 5 | 34 12 0 | Paper (advertising matter) | 1,294 3 1 | 113 0 8 |
| Cocoa and chocolate (plain or mixed with any other article). | 8,167 17 8 | 10,162 6 6 | Pepper | 1,769 5 0 | 314 16 4 |
| Confectionery (including cakes, com- fits, liquorice, liquorice paste, lozen- ges of all kinds, cocoanut in sugar, sugar-candy, succades, and sweet- meats. | 6,290 10 11 | 6,034 4 9 | Pitch, tar, and resin | 953 8 0 | 106 17 3 |
| Cordage | 599 1 9 | 123 13 5 | Plaster and plaster of Paris | 677 8 9 | 33 7 7 |
| Cordials not containing spirit..... | 419 18 0 | 81 3 0 | Playing cards | 540 2 4 | 48 8 0 |
| Corn flour and maizena | 829 18 7 | 1,004 2 5 | Powder (sporting) | 1,183 17 10 | 1,652 17 6 |
| Cream tartar | 1,260 5 8 | 192 3 2 | Powder (blasting) | 6,631 5 9 | 5,511 13 5 |
| Dates | 1,882 14 1 | 33 11 1 | Preserves | 3,313 13 7 | 3,730 4 11 |
| Doors (wood) | 3,496 0 0 | 4,247 8 0 | Putty | 246 9 7 | 9 5 6 |
| Dynamite and litho-fracteur | 455 12 6 | 948 7 3 | Rice flour..... | 122 8 10 | 45 2 4 |
| Effervescing powder and powders ... | 101 10 2 | 17 11 4 | Rope (gross) | 779 5 8 | 109 18 1 |
| Essences over 25 per cent. of proof spirit. | 916 16 7 | 1,441 11 7 | Safes (iron) and iron doors | 632 7 1 | 110 2 3 |
| Essences under 25 per cent. of proof spirit. | 105 10 1 | 88 3 3 | Sago | 271 7 4 | 318 10 3 |
| Farinaceous and milk foods | 364 5 6 | 62 2 4 | Salt | 12,298 10 9 | 24,945 14 10 |
| Fish (dried, preserved, or salt, in- cluding fish paste). | 14,568 6 10 | 17,034 5 0 | Saltpetre | 21 4 0 | 7 6 8 |
| Fruit salts | 270 6 8 | 31 17 5 | Sashes | 186 8 0 | 384 8 0 |
| Fruits (bottled) | 461 5 9 | 80 18 0 | Shingles ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Fruits (boiled, or in pulp—under preserves). | ..... | ..... | Shot | 981 11 0 | 1,552 5 5 |
| Gasoline | 182 14 5 | 276 18 9 | Shutters (wood) | 2 17 0 | 5 0 0 |
| Galvanized iron | 28,142 6 6 | 42,350 1 4 | Soap (toilet and fancy scented) ... | 952 9 3 | 165 16 2 |
| Galvanized manufactures | 4,152 13 11 | 13,691 17 8 | Soap (other than fancy) | 996 11 6 | 201 13 5 |
| Gelatine and isinglass | 331 0 6 | 24 19 0 | Soda crystals (gross) | 914 9 9 | 169 2 7 |
| Ginger | 1,081 12 7 | 104 8 11 | Spices, including caraway seeds and chillies. | 1,078 5 6 | 135 7 1 |
| Glue and size | 246 16 1 | 29 2 8 | Spirits (methylated) | 2,376 6 1 | 3,910 18 0 |
| Glucose (solid) | 559 9 9 | 575 3 3 | Starch and starch powder | 6,655 0 6 | 683 16 0 |
| Glucose (liquid) | 153 10 4 | 457 18 6 | Stearine ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Groats (patent) | 207 14 10 | 50 0 9 | Tapioca and amolina | 4,004 19 9 | 4,377 15 0 |
| Honey | 255 3 10 | 47 13 1 | Tinctures | 778 3 10 | 210 16 4 |
| | | | Timber (dressed) | 22,815 5 7 | 20,054 1 11 |
| | | | Timber (undressed) | 24,546 14 10 | 32,868 18 0 |
| | | | Tobacco (sheepwash) | 1 11 0 | ..... |
| | | | Turpentine | 2,375 1 6 | 541 1 1 |
| | | | Varnish | 2,334 13 8 | 3,253 5 10 |
| | | | Vegetables (preserved) | 801 3 9 | 132 10 9 |
| | | | Vinegar | 2,795 7 11 | 246 12 2 |
| | | | Wax, Japan, paraffine, mineral, and vegetable. | 129 14 3 | 15 1 0 |
| | | | Woolpacks | 8,282 14 10 | 5,290 5 7 |
| | | | Zinc (perforated or manufactured) | 199 14 4 | 15 14 9 |
| | | | Totals | £ 375,311 2 7 | 374,192 1 6 |

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

CUSTOMS.

(RETURN OF GOODS IMPORTED FROM SOUTH AUSTRALIA, *VIA* COCKBURN, FOR PERIODS ENDING JUNE, 1886, 1887, AND 1888, RESPECTIVELY.)

Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 20 November, 1888.

RETURN showing the total value of goods imported from South Australia, by way of Cockburn, for the periods ending June, 1886, June, 1887, and June, 1888, respectively.

| Year. | Value. £ |
|-------------|-------------|
| 1886 | 297,571 |
| 1887 | 283,403 |
| 1888 | 981,414 |

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

CUSTOMS.

(RETURN SHOWING IMPORTS FROM SOUTH AUSTRALIA FOR YEARS ENDING JUNE, 1886, 1887,
AND 1888, RESPECTIVELY.)*Ordered by the Legislative Assembly to be printed, 20 November, 1888.*RETURN showing the amount of Customs Revenue received on Imports from South Australia for the
years ending June, 1886, June, 1887, June, 1888, respectively.

| Year. | | | | | | | | Amount. | | |
|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|---------|----|----|
| | | | | | | | | £ | s. | d. |
| 1886 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 27,264 | 3 | 1 |
| 1887 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 31,468 | 8 | 4 |
| 1888 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 35,314 | 15 | 1 |

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| Year. | Value. £ |
|-------------|-------------|
| 1886 | 457,694 |
| 1887 | 715,124 |
| 1888 | 908,276 |