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An Act for applying certain sums arising from the Revenue receivable in New South Wales to the Service thereof for the Year One thousand eight hundred and forty-four and for further appropriating the said Revenue. [21st December, 1843.]

Preamble. **W**HEREAS by a certain Act of Parliament passed in the fifth and sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria intituled “ *An Act for the Government of New South Wales and Van Diemen’s Land* ” it was among other things enacted that the Governor of the said Colony of New South Wales with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council should have authority to make laws for the peace welfare and good government of the said Colony and that with the deductions and subject to the provisions therein contained the whole of Her Majesty’s Revenue within the said Colony arising from taxes duties rates and imposts levied on Her Majesty’s subjects within the said Colony should be appropriated to the public service within the said Colony by Ordinances to be for that purpose enacted by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council of the said Colony and in no other manner Be it therefore enacted by His Excellency the Governor of New South Wales with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof That out of the sum of ninety-two thousand eight hundred and forty-seven pounds six shillings and one penny being the amount of sums appropriated but not expended for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-two there shall and may be issued and applied any sum or sums of money not exceeding thirty thousand seven hundred and forty-three pounds and fifteen shillings to supply the deficiencies in the sums appropriated for certain Departments and Services for that year.

2. And be it enacted That out of the produce of the said taxes duties rates and imposts there shall and may be issued and applied any sum or sums of money not exceeding sixteen thousand and sixty-eight pounds six shillings and six-pence to defray the Supplementary charge on the Colonial Treasury for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-three as hereinafter more particularly expressed that is to say any sum or sums of money not exceeding six hundred and eight pounds six shillings and eight-pence to defray the supplementary expense of the Legislative Council Establishment and any sum or sums of money not exceeding eight hundred and thirty-four pounds five shillings and eight-pence to defray the salaries of additional and increase on the salaries of subsisting Inspectors of Distilleries and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two hundred and thirty pounds to meet the half salary of the Rev. William Cowper D.D. absent on leave in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-two and any sum or sums of money not exceeding the further sum of two thousand pounds towards building the New Government House at Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding the further sum of one thousand pounds towards building the New Gaol at Darlinghurst Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding the further sum of one thousand three hundred and thirty-eight pounds six shillings and eight-pence towards building the New Gaol at Parramatta and any sum or sums of money not exceeding the further sum of two thousand pounds towards building the

5 and 6 Victoria cap. 76.

Deficiencies in 1842.

Supplementary expenditure for the year 1843 viz.—

Legislative Council

Inspectors of Distilleries

Half salary of Rev. Dr. Cowper

New Government House Sydney

New Gaol Darlinghurst

New Gaol Parramatta

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the New Gaol at Bathurst and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two thousand eight hundred pounds to defray the expense of erecting an additional building to the Legislative Council Chambers and providing furniture for the same and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand two hundred pounds to defray the expense of collecting the Names and making out the Lists of qualified Electors the cost of erecting Booths and other incidental expenses of Elections for the New Legislative Council and any sum or sums of money not exceeding three hundred and fifty-seven pounds seven shillings and six-pence in aid of the Sydney Dispensary an equal amount having been raised by private subscriptions in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-two and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two hundred pounds as a gratuity to Mr. Henry Fowler in consideration of serious personal injury sustained by him from wounds received in the capture of bushrangers and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two thousand five hundred pounds to defray the wages of distressed Mechanics and Laborers employed by Government agreeably to the Resolution of the said Legislative Council adopted on the third day of October one thousand eight hundred and forty-three and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand pounds to defray the cost of conveying a number of the unemployed married laborers in Sydney to the Country Districts conformably to the Resolutions of the said Legislative Council adopted on the fifteenth day of November and nineteenth day of December one thousand eight hundred and forty-three.

3. And be it enacted That out of the produce of the said taxes duties rates and imposts there shall and may be issued and applied any sum or sums of money not exceeding forty-six thousand five hundred and ninety-four pounds seven shillings and eight-pence to defray the charge of the undermentioned Civil and Legislative Establishments of New South Wales unprovided for by Schedule B of the said recited Act of Parliament for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four as hereinafter more particularly expressed that is to say any sum or sums of money not exceeding six hundred and twenty-five pounds seventeen shillings and six-pence to defray the expense of the Establishment of His Excellency the Governor and any sum or sums of money not exceeding three thousand two hundred and forty-one pounds six shillings to defray the expense of the Legislative Council Establishment and any sum or sums of money not exceeding nine hundred and thirty-two pounds and six-pence to defray the expense of the Registrar General's Establishment and any sum or sums of money not exceeding seven thousand five hundred and thirty-one pounds fifteen shillings and seven-pence to defray the expense of the Customs Establishment Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding four thousand four hundred and fifty-three pounds four shillings to defray the expense of the Customs Establishment Port Phillip and any sum or sums of money not exceeding sixteen thousand three hundred and forty-one pounds fourteen shillings and seven-pence to defray the expense of the Post Office Establishment Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding three thousand one hundred and ninety-five pounds thirteen shillings to defray the expense of the Post Office Establishment Port Phillip and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand four hundred and five pounds fifteen shillings to defray salaries and allowances to the Inspectors of Distilleries and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand pounds to defray the expense of the Establishment of the Colonial Storekeeper and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four pounds ten shillings to defray the expense of the Establishment of the Government Printer and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand

New Gaol Bathurst

New Council  
ChambersElection of Members  
of Council

Sydney Dispensary

Gratuity to Mr.  
Henry FowlerEmployment of  
distressed married  
mechanics and  
laborersConveyance of  
unemployed married  
laborers to the  
country districts.Civil and Legislative  
Establishments  
viz.—Governor's  
Establishment

Legislative Council

Registrar General

Customs Sydney

Customs Port Phillip

Post Office Sydney

Post Office Port  
PhillipInspectors of  
Distilleries

Colonial Storekeeper

Government Printer

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Port Master	thousand four hundred and eighty-three pounds and six-pence to defray the expense of the Establishment of the Port Master of the said Colony and any sum or sums of money not exceeding four hundred and ninety-eight pounds fourteen shillings to defray the expense of the
Light-house South Head of Port Jackson	Light-house Establishment at the South Head of Port Jackson and any sum or sums of money not exceeding five hundred and fifty-three
Floating Light Port Jackson	pounds thirteen shillings to defray the expense of the Floating Light Establishment near the entrance of Port Jackson and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two hundred and fifty-nine pounds eighteen
Harbour Master Newcastle	shillings to defray the expense of the Harbour Master's Establishment Newcastle and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two hundred and nine pounds four shillings and six-pence to defray the expense of
Harbour Master Port Macquarie	the Harbour Master's Establishment Port Macquarie and any sum or sums of money not exceeding three hundred and eleven pounds fifteen
Telegraph Stations Sydney District	shillings and six-pence to defray the expense of Telegraph Establishments in the Sydney District and any sum or sums of money not exceeding three hundred and seventy-three pounds seventeen shillings
Pilots at Wollongong Brisbane Water and Moreton Bay	to defray the expense of the Pilot Establishments at Wollongong Brisbane Water and Moreton Bay and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand five hundred and one pounds twelve shillings
Harbour Master Port Phillip.	to defray the expense of the Harbour Master's Establishment Port Phillip and any sum or sums of money not exceeding five hundred and
Light-houses Port Phillip	thirty pounds and one shilling to defray the expense of the Light-house Establishments Port Phillip and any sum or sums of money not
Telegraph Stations Port Phillip.	exceeding one hundred and seventy pounds sixteen shillings to defray the expense of Telegraph Establishments Port Phillip.
Public Works and Buildings viz.—	4. And be it enacted That out of the produce of the said taxes duties rates and imposts there shall and may be issued and applied any sum or sums of money not exceeding thirty-nine thousand one hundred and eighty-six pounds and four shillings for defraying the charge of Public Works and Buildings in the said Colony for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four as hereinafter more particularly expressed that is to say any sum or sums of money not exceeding one hundred and sixty-four pounds fourteen shillings to defray salary and allowance to the Superintendent of Ironed Gangs Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two hundred and seventy-eight pounds nineteen shillings to defray the expense of the Steam Dredge Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand one hundred and six pounds seventeen shillings and six-pence to defray the expense of the Blue Mountain Ironed Gangs and any sum or sums of money not exceeding the further sum of three thousand six hundred pounds towards defraying the expense of forming the Circular Quay in Sydney Cove and any sum or sums of money not exceeding the further sum of nine hundred and sixty-eight pounds fifteen shillings and four-pence towards defraying the expense of completing the Breakwater Newcastle and any sum or sums of money not exceeding three hundred pounds towards defraying the expense of completing the Basin at Wollongong and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand four hundred and forty-seven pounds and three shillings to defray the expense of the Establishment of the Colonial Architect and Surveyor of Buildings and any sum or sums of money not exceeding the further sum of one thousand pounds towards defraying the expense of building the New Government House Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding three thousand pounds towards defraying the expense of erecting a Custom House Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding the further sum of twelve thousand pounds towards defraying the expense of erecting the New Military Barracks Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding the further sum of one thousand pounds towards defraying the expense of building the
Superintendent of Iron Gangs Sydney	
Steam Dredge	
Blue Mountain Iron Gangs	
Circular Quay	
Breakwater Newcastle	
The Basin at Wollongong	
Colonial Architect	
New Government House	
New Custom House	
New Military Barracks	

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New Gaol Goulburn and any sum or sums of money not exceeding the further sum of one thousand pounds towards defraying the expense of building the New Gaol Bathurst and any sum or sums of money not exceeding the further sum of two thousand pounds towards defraying the expense of building the New Gaol Maitland and any sum or sums of money not exceeding three hundred pounds to defray the expense of additional Cells to the Gaol Newcastle and any sum or sums of money not exceeding seven hundred and eighty pounds to defray the expense of additions alterations and repairs to the Supreme Court House King-street Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand three hundred and fourteen pounds four shillings and two-pence to defray the expense of repairs to the building in the south wing of the General Hospital Sydney lately handed over to the Committee of the Sydney Dispensary and any sum or sums of money not exceeding three thousand pounds to defray the expense of casual repairs to Courts of Justice and other Colonial Public Buildings and any sum or sums of money not exceeding four hundred and twenty-five pounds and eleven shillings to defray the expense of the Establishment of Public Works Port Phillip and any sum or sums of money not exceeding the further sum of two thousand pounds towards defraying the expense of erecting a Gaol at Melbourne and any sum or sums of money not exceeding the further sum of one thousand pounds towards defraying the expense of erecting a Court House at Melbourne and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand five hundred pounds towards defraying the expense of building a Police Court and Offices at Portland and any sum or sums of money not exceeding eight hundred pounds towards defraying the expense of building a Watch-house at Portland and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two hundred pounds towards defraying the expense of building a temporary Custom House at Geelong.

New Gaol Goulburn

New Gaol Bathurst

New Gaol Maitland

Cells Newcastle Gaol

Repairs &amp;c. Supreme Court House

Repairs to Sydney Dispensary

Casual repairs to Courts of Justice and other Public Buildings

Public Works Establishments Port Phillip

Gaol Melbourne

Court House Melbourne

Police Court &amp;c. Portland

Watch-house Portland

Custom House Geelong.

5. And be it enacted That out of the produce of the said taxes duties rates and imposts there shall and may be issued and applied any sum or sums of money not exceeding thirteen thousand eight hundred and thirty-four pounds twelve shillings for defraying the charge of the School Establishments of the said Colony for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four as hereinafter more particularly expressed that is to say any sum or sums of money not exceeding two thousand six hundred and forty pounds six shillings to defray the expense of the Male Orphan School and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand eight hundred and forty-four pounds six shillings to defray the expense of the Female Orphan School and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand five hundred pounds for Orphan Schools for destitute Roman Catholic Children and any sum or sums of money not exceeding three thousand four hundred and fifty pounds towards the support of Schools of the Church of England and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand two hundred pounds towards the support of Presbyterian Schools and any sum or sums of money not exceeding three hundred and fifty pounds towards the support of Wesleyan Methodist Schools and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand four hundred and fifty pounds towards the support of Roman Catholic Schools and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand pounds towards defraying the expense of building a Roman Catholic School-house in Sydney on condition of an equal amount being raised by private subscriptions and any sum or sums of money not exceeding four hundred pounds towards the support of Schools of all denominations at Port Phillip.

School Establishments viz.—

Male Orphan School

Female Orphan School

Roman Catholic Orphan Schools

Church of England Schools

Presbyterian Schools

Wesleyan Methodist Schools

Roman Catholic Schools

Roman Catholic School-house

Schools at Port Phillip.

6. And be it enacted That out of the produce of the said taxes duties rates and imposts there shall and may be issued and applied any

Colonial Medical Establishments viz.—

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Health Officer and Clerk to Medical Board	any sum or sums of money not exceeding four thousand five hundred and ninety-six pounds and six shillings for defraying the charge of the Colonial Medical Establishment of the said Colony for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four as hereinafter more particularly expressed that is to say any sum or sums of money not exceeding three hundred and twenty-five pounds to defray the salaries of the Health Officer and the Clerk to the Medical Board and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand three hundred and seventy-one pounds and six shillings towards the support of the Lunatic Asylum Tarban Creek and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two thousand nine hundred pounds towards the support of Free Paupers in Colonial Hospitals and Dispensaries.
Lunatic Asylum Free Paupers in Colonial Hospitals and Dispensaries.	
Administration of Justice in addition to the sums appropriated in Schedule A of the Act 5 and 6 Vict. chap. 76.	7. And be it enacted That out of the produce of the said taxes duties rates and imposts there shall and may be issued and applied any sum or sums of money not exceeding six thousand one hundred and thirteen pounds seventeen shillings and six-pence to defray the expense of the Administration of Justice in the said Colony for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four in addition to the amount appropriated to that service in Schedule A to the said Act of Parliament annexed.
Coroners' Inquests	8. And be it enacted That out of the produce of the said taxes duties rates and imposts there shall and may be issued and applied any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand nine hundred and nine pounds and one shilling for defraying the charge for Coroners' Inquests in the said Colony for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four as hereinafter more particularly expressed that is to say any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand seven hundred and four pounds and one shilling to defray the salaries of Coroners and the expense of Inquests in the Sydney District and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two hundred and five pounds to defray the salary of the Coroner and the expense of Inquests in the District of Port Phillip.
Sydney District	
Port Phillip District.	
Police Establishments viz.—	9. And be it enacted That out of the produce of the said taxes duties rates and imposts there shall and may be issued and applied any sum or sums of money not exceeding sixty thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine pounds one shilling and two-pence for defraying the charge of the Police of the said Colony for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four as hereinafter more particularly expressed that is to say any sum or sums of money not exceeding nine hundred and forty-one pounds and sixteen shillings to defray the expense of the Water Police Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding four hundred and fifteen pounds and two shillings to defray the expense of the Water Police Port Phillip and any sum or sums of money not exceeding thirty thousand six hundred and forty-seven pounds thirteen shillings and two-pence to defray the expense of Police in the Rural Districts of the said Colony and any sum or sums of money not exceeding fifteen thousand five hundred pounds to defray the expense of the Mounted Police Sydney and Port Phillip and any sum or sums of money not exceeding eight thousand five hundred and fifty-eight pounds and two shillings to defray the expense of the Border Police in the Sydney District and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two thousand four hundred and sixteen pounds and eight shillings to defray the expense of the Border Police in the Port Phillip District and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two thousand four hundred and twenty pounds to defray the expense of the Native Police Port Phillip.
Water Police Sydney	
Water Police Port Phillip	
Police in the Rural Districts	
Mounted Police Sydney and Port Phillip	
Border Police Sydney District	
Border Police Port Phillip District	
Native Police Port Phillip.	
Gaol Establishments viz.—	10. And be it enacted That out of the produce of the said taxes duties rates and imposts there shall and may be issued and applied any sum or sums of money not exceeding ten thousand one hundred and

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and forty-three pounds and one shilling for defraying the charge of the Gaol Establishments of the said Colony for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four as hereinafter more particularly expressed that is to say any sum or sums of money not exceeding four thousand pounds to defray the expense of the Sydney Gaol and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand and sixty-one pounds and nine shillings to defray the expense of the Gaol at Parramatta and any sum or sums of money not exceeding seven hundred and thirteen pounds and ten shillings to defray the expense of the Gaol at Bathurst and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand five hundred and thirty-five pounds twelve shillings and six-pence to defray the expense of the Gaol at Newcastle and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand one hundred and sixty pounds seven shillings and six-pence to defray the expense of the Gaol at Berrima and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand six hundred and seventy-two pounds and two shillings to defray the expense of the Gaol at Melbourne in the District of Port Phillip.

11. And be it enacted That out of the produce of the said taxes duties rates and imposts there shall and may be issued and applied any sum or sums of money not exceeding seven thousand four hundred and ninety-four pounds and eighteen shillings for defraying the charge of Miscellaneous Services for the said Colony for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four as hereinafter more particularly expressed that is to say any sum or sums of money not exceeding six hundred and thirty-four pounds and eighteen shillings to defray the expense of the Botanic Gardens Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two hundred pounds towards the support of the Australian Museum and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two hundred pounds towards the support of the Sydney School of Arts and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand seven hundred and fifty pounds to meet Drawbacks on the re-exportation of foreign Goods and any sum or sums of money not exceeding eight hundred pounds to defray the expense of Furniture for the several Public Offices at Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one thousand pounds to defray the expense of Furniture for the several Public Offices at Port Phillip and any sum or sums of money not exceeding three hundred and twenty pounds to defray the expense of Fuel and Light for the several Public Offices at Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding one hundred and forty pounds to defray the expense of lighting the Government Lamps Sydney and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two hundred pounds to defray the expense of the passages of convicts transported to Van Diemen's Land and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two hundred and fifty pounds to defray the salary of the Colonial Agent General and any sum or sums of money not exceeding two thousand pounds to meet unforeseen expenses in cases of emergency and to be hereafter accounted for.

12. And be it declared and enacted That the Treasurer of the said Colony shall issue and pay the said several sums to such persons for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned upon such days and in such proportions as the Governor for the time being by any warrant or order in writing to be signed by him shall from time to time order and direct and that the payments so to be made shall be charged upon and payable out of the Revenues of the said Colony.

13. And be it enacted That the said Treasurer shall in his Accounts from time to time be allowed credit for any sum or sums of money paid by him in pursuance of such warrant or order in writing as aforesaid and that the receipt or receipts of the respective persons

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to whom the same shall be so paid shall be a full and valid discharge to the said Treasurer in passing his said Accounts for any such sum or sums as shall be therein mentioned and that he shall and do receive credit for the same accordingly.

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