

No. XLII.

APPROPRIATION
(1856-7).

An Act to appropriate and apply out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of New South Wales certain Sums to make good the Supplies granted for the Service of the Year 1856-7. [18th March, 1857.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS we Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects the Members of the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled have granted to Your Majesty the several sums hereinafter mentioned for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven and for supplementing the Grants made by the late Legislative Council for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six And whereas we desire to make good out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of New South Wales the several sums granted to Your Majesty as aforesaid Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same That out of the said Consolidated Revenue Fund there shall and may be issued and applied

FOR

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FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR 1857.

1. SCHEDULES :—Any sum or sums of money not exceeding fifteen thousand and sixty-one pounds fourteen shillings and eight-pence to supplement the Schedules to Schedule (1) to the Act of the Imperial Parliament eighteenth and nineteenth Victoria chapter fifty-four as follows :—

Schedule B (<i>Pensions</i>)	£	733	6	8	
Schedule C (<i>Public Worship</i>)		14,328	8	6	
						15,061 14 8

2. EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE :—Any sum or sums of money not exceeding sixteen thousand nine hundred and seventy-five pounds nine shillings and nine-pence to defray the Salaries and Contingencies of the Executive and Legislative Establishments following :—

The Governor General's Establishment	£2,088	9	9	
The Legislative Council's Establishment	4,825	0	0	
The Legislative Assembly's Establishment	6,712	0	0	
The Legislative Council and Assembly's Establishment	2,327	0	0	
The Executive Council's Establishment	1,023	0	0	
					16,975 9 9

3. THE PRINCIPAL SECRETARY :—Any sum or sums of money not exceeding five hundred and fifty-six thousand nine hundred and sixty-nine pounds eighteen shillings and one penny to defray the Salaries Contingencies and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following :—

The Principal Secretary's Establishment	£5,810	17	6	
The Establishment of the Government Resident Moreton Bay	980	0	0	
Registrar General's Establishment	6,490	0	0	
Postal Establishment and Services being—					
Post Office	£22,999	0	0	
Conveyance of Mails	59,950	0	0	
					82,949 0 0
Educational Establishments being—					
National Schools	20,000	0	0	
Denominational Schools	17,350	0	0	
Protestant Orphan School	4,454	9	4	
Roman Catholic Orphan School	3,721	4	0	
					45,525 13 4
Immigration Establishment and Services	106,469	0	0	
Police Establishments and Services being—					
Sydney Judicial	3,365	0	0	
Water	3,841	15	10	
Metropolitan	20,782	14	1	
Horse Patrol	3,676	7	11	
District	3,504	17	11	
Police Magistrates	6,353	15	0	
Clerks of Petty Sessions	12,670	12	6	
Chief Constables	9,870	0	0	
District Constables	4,676	11	3	
Ordinary Constables	37,044	9	2	
Contingencies	17,665	3	9	
Horse Patrol Country Districts	12,025	3	9	
General Service	2,500	0	0	
Native Police	16,519	16	4	
Gold Guards and Conveyance	6,524	12	0	
Gold Contingent	2,500	0	0	
					163,520 19 6
Gaol and Penal Establishments being—					
Sydney	8,387	11	3	
Parramatta	4,964	13	9	
Bathurst	3,537	18	9	
Maitland	2,862	18	9	
Goulburn	2,160	16	3	
Brisbane	2,369	19	9	
Cockatoo Island	12,395	17	6	
					36,679 16 0
Carried over	£448,425	6	4	

(Amount carried over ... £32,037 4 5)

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(Amount brought over £32,037 4 5)

PRINCIPAL SECRETARY—continued.

	Brought over	£448,425	6	4
The Government Printing and Bookbinding Department		11,747	10	0
Observatory		1,000	0	0
Medical Establishments and Services being—				
Health Officer and Medical Board	£1,164	15	0	
Vaccine	443	0	0	
Lunatic Asylums	22,600	0	0	
			24,207	15 0
Naval and Military Establishments and Services being—				
Naval—Colonial Allowance	0	1	0	
Military—Two Companies	10,103	0	6	
General Service	9,008	11	3	
Royal Artillery	7,871	14	2	
			26,983	6 11
Grants in aid of Public Institutions		850	0	0
Charitable Allowances		13,834	13	4
Colonial Agency in Great Britain		1,500	0	0
Aborigines		2,000	0	0
Miscellaneous—				
Paper and Parchment for Printing	3,000	0	0	
Expenses attending the preparation of the Electoral Lists	1,200	0	0	
Allowance to Secretary to Returning Officer Sydney	50	0	0	
Erecting Pounds and Allowances to Poundkeepers	100	0	0	
Provisions to be left at Booby Island for the relief of Shipwrecked persons... ..	30	0	0	
In aid of the City Funds	10,000	0	0	
To provide Compensation for Public Officers whose situations may be abolished... ..	1,000	0	0	
To provide Compensation to Public Officers whose situations are abolished in terms of the Minute of the Executive Council of 2 February 1857 transmitted in the Message of His Excellency the Governor General No. 29... ..	4,000	0	0	
Expenses of Elections and Electoral Lists for the year 1856 a further sum of	500	0	0	
Loss on the Sale of Gold transmitted to the Paris Exhibition	426	0	3	
Compensation to Mrs. Redman in lieu of Land required for the line of Road to Glebe Island	325	6		
To reimburse the Owners of the Cutter "Oberon" for Expenses incurred by that vessel's search for Mr. Benjamin Boyd in 1854	300	0	0	
For the Establishment of Meteorological Stations twelve at £20 each and repairs to the Great Circle of the Transit Instrument	490	0	0	
To meet Deficiency in the sum voted to pay off Debentures amounting to £69,600 which fell due in November 1856 a further sum of ...	3,000	0	0	
To meet unforeseen expenses to be hereafter accounted for	2,000	0	0	
			26,421	6 6
			556,969	18 1

4. ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE:—Any sum or sums of money not exceeding thirty-eight thousand two hundred and thirty-seven pounds fifteen shillings and sixpence to defray the Salaries and Contingencies of the Establishments following:—

Law Officers	£4,727	0	0
Supreme and Circuit Courts	8,517	0	0
Moreton Bay Court	3,276	0	0
County Courts	4,000	0	0
Sheriff	5,032	0	0
Insolvent Court	1,317	15	6
Quarter Sessions	4,890	0	0
Courts of Requests	2,289	0	0
Coroners	3,189	0	0
			38,237 15 6

(Amount carried over... .. £627,244 18 0)

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(Amount brought over... .. £627,244 18 0)

5. TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE:—Any sum or sums of money not exceeding ninety-nine thousand five hundred and twenty-nine pounds seven shillings and eight-pence to defray the Salaries Contingencies and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

Treasury	£7,207	0	0
Customs	44,422	0	0
Distilleries	1,717	0	0
Mint	14,261	17	4
Gold Receivers	100	0	0
Postage Stamp Printing Office	1,465	6	0
Colonial Storekeeper	£3,923	0	0
Gunpowder Magazine	436	4	4
		4,359	4 4
Shipping Masters—			
Sydney	1,390	0	0
Newcastle	80	0	0
Moreton Bay	50	0	0
		1,520	0 0
Light Navigation and Pilot Board	1,710	0	0
Port Master	4,043	0	0
Telegraph Stations	798	0	0
Light-house South Head	932	0	0
Floating Light Port Jackson	816	0	0
Do. Moreton Bay... ..	1,234	0	0
Light-house do.	1,190	0	0
Do. Gabo Island	1,492	0	0
Do. Kent's Group	500	0	0
Do. Newcastle	1,025	0	0
Harbour Master do.	2,234	0	0
Do. Moreton Bay... ..	2,519	0	0
Pilots Port Jackson	1,200	0	0
Pilot Wollongong	204	0	0
Pilot Station Manning River	728	0	0
Do. Macleay River	928	0	0
Pilot Kiama	104	0	0
Pilot Station Port Macquarie	779	0	0
Do. Clarence River	874	0	0
Do. Richmond River	778	0	0
Telegraph Station Moreton Bay	389	0	0
		24,477	0 0
			99,529 7 8

6. SECRETARY FOR LANDS AND PUBLIC WORKS:—Any sum or sums of money not exceeding one hundred and eighty-six thousand four hundred and fourteen pounds ten shillings and three-pence to defray the Salaries Contingencies and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Secretary for Lands and Public Works	£6,114	14	0
Board of Works	2,050	0	0
Survey and Management of Crown Lands	58,806	17	0
Roads and Bridges	3,250	0	0
Colonial Architect	3,824	0	0
Port Curtis	1,250	0	0
Gold Fields:—			
Within the Settled Districts	£11,392	4	7
Beyond the Settled Districts	5,250	0	0
		16,642	4 7
Botanic Gardens:—			
Sydney	2,029	0	0
Brisbane	550	0	0
		2,579	0 0
Government Domains and Hyde Park	1,169	0	0
Examiner of Coal Fields and Coal Mines	680	0	0
Carried over	£96,365	15	7

(Amount carried over £726,774 5 8)

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(Amount brought over £726,774 5 8)

SECRETARY FOR LANDS AND PUBLIC WORKS—*continued.*

Brought over ... £96,365 15 7

PUBLIC WORKS.

For repairs at the Semi-Circular Quay	£2,000	0	0
For casual repairs to do.	100	0	0
For constructing a Dam at Tarban Creek the further sum of... ..	200	0	0
For forming an entrance into the Government Domain from Palmer-street	250	0	0
To be expended under the Superintendence of the Hyde Park Committee of Management ...	1,000	0	0
For keeping in repair the Gates and Fences of the Domains and Botanic Gardens	200	0	0
For laying down Buoys in the Channel at the entrance of Moreton Bay	500	0	0
For attending to the Sluices at Cook's River Dam	36	0	0
To defray expense of covering a portion of the Tank Stream property by the sale of certain Allotments of Land in Pitt-street North ...	869	11	0
Towards completing and levelling a portion of the Outer Domain	150	0	0
For the erection of a Wharf at Eden... ..	1,000	0	0
For surveying and improving the Navigation of the Shoalhaven River	300	0	0
Repairs and alterations to Steam Dredge and building two new Punts... ..	2,000	0	0
		8,605	11 0

PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

For repairing and maintaining the Buildings at the Quarantine Station Spring Cove	1,000	0	0
For additions to Protestant Orphan School Parramatta	1,500	0	0
For repairs at Lunatic Asylum Parramatta ...	1,000	0	0
For repairs to Victoria Barracks and the various Military Buildings in Sydney and the Country Districts	1,500	0	0
For lighting Lamps sweeping Chimneys and emptying Privies at Victoria Barracks	500	0	0
For the erection of Police Buildings at Stoney Creek	350	0	0
For the erection of a Court and Watch House at Condamine a further sum of	130	0	0
For the erection of a Court and Watch House at Wingham a further sum of	400	0	0
For the erection of a Court and Watch House at Paterson	1,000	0	0
For the erection of Watch-houses at Dungog Gundaroo and West Kempsey at £450 each	1,350	0	0
For providing Materials and Implements for the employment of prisoners sentenced to hard labor on works in Darlinghurst Gaol	2,000	0	0
For additions alterations and repairs to Public Buildings... ..	12,000	0	0
For Furniture and Fittings for Public Offices ...	2,050	0	0
For repairing and replacing Furniture in the Public Rooms in Government House a further sum of	315	0	0
To provide Materials and Implements for the employment of prisoners sentenced to hard labor in Parramatta Gaol... ..	500	0	0
		25,595	0 0

Carried over £130,566 6 7

(Amount carried over... .. £726,774 5 8)

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(Amount brought over £726,774 5 8)

SECRETARY FOR LANDS AND PUBLIC WORKS—*continued.*

Brought over... .. £130,566 6 7

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

For constructing upholding and repairing the Public Roads Bridges and Ferries namely—			
To be expended under the supervision of Road Trustees Wardens Benches of Magistrates and Road Surveyors rateably upon the Main Leading and Secondary Thoroughfares of the Colony	£42,000	0	0
For keeping in repair the undermentioned Bridges namely—			
The Bridge over Yass River	50	0	0
The Bridge over Mulwarree Ponds Goulburn ...	50	0	0
The Bridge over Urangalla River	50	0	0
The Bridge over Belubula River Carcoar	50	0	0
The Bridge over Nepean River Menangle... ..	50	0	0
The Victoria Bridge Maitland	50	0	0
The Denison Bridge Bathurst	50	0	0
For the erection of a Bridge over a Creek between Bathurst and Carcoar	200	0	0
Towards the completion of the Botany and Mudbank Road	1,200	0	0
For the repair of the Road from Bathurst to Wellington	572	0	0
For the repair of the Roads and Bridges in the Wollombi District	1,200	0	0
For the repair of the Road from Morpeth to Hinton Ferry	1,500	0	0
For the completion of the Randwick and Coogee Road	450	0	0
For the employment of Prisoners on the Streets of Brisbane	250	0	0
For the employment of Prisoners at Ipswich ...	150	0	0
Allowance to the Keeper of the Punt at George's River	35	0	0
For lighting the Government Lamps in the Streets of Sydney	350	0	0
For the continuation of the George's River Road to Bulli	1,000	0	0
For the completion of the line of Road from Braidwood to the Clyde... ..	6,177	12	0
To meet deficiency in the amount appropriated for the construction of a Bridge over Yass River	113	11	8
			55,548 3 8

OTHER SERVICE.

Court of Claims	300	0	0
			186,414 10 3

7. AUDITOR GENERAL:—Any sum or sums of money not exceeding five thousand three hundred and two pounds to defray the Salaries and Contingencies of the Auditor General's Establishment... .. £5,302 0 0

(TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR 1857 ... £918,490 15 11)

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FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR 1856.

8. SUPPLEMENTARY:—Any sum or sums of money not exceeding twenty-nine thousand three hundred and sixty-eight pounds nine shillings and four-pence to defray the Supplementary Charges for the year 1856 of the Salaries Contingencies and other Expenses of the Establishments and Services following:—

Legislative Council	£2,300	0	0
Legislative Assembly	989	2	0
Legislative Council and Assembly	173	7	2
To meet Contingent Expenses incurred by Select Committees of the Legislative Council in 1855 a further sum of	100	0	0
Registrar General	1,272	9	9
General Post Office	100	0	0
Postage Stamp Printing Office	30	6	11
Government Printing Office	2,750	0	0
Charitable Allowances—			
For the support of Free Paupers in Colonial Hospitals a further sum of	£365	0	0
In aid of Parramatta Hospital on condition of an equal amount being raised by private subscription	100	0	0
		465	0
Miscellaneous—			
To indemnify Mr. Francis Flanagan for certain damages and expenses incurred by him in his Magisterial capacity in the case of Charman v. Flanagan	338	6	6
To provide for the expense incurred for an Illumination and a Display of Fireworks on 7th July last in celebration of the Restoration of Peace	557	4	0
		895	10
Judges—			
Temporary Increase to the Salary of the fourth Judge from 1st January	300	0	0
Law Officers—			
Parliamentary Draftsmen	400	0	0
Supreme and Circuit Courts	3,241	2	2
Sheriff	110	0	0
Insolvent Court	75	0	0
Court of Requests	8	6	8
The Treasury	483	6	8
Gold:—			
Gold Receiver at Orange from 1 October at £25 per annum	6	5	0
Deficiency in the amount voted for Gold Establishment beyond the Settled Districts	571	15	0
		578	0
Shipping Master Sydney	133	6	8
Rent of the brig "Lady Mary" employed as a temporary Floating Gunpowder Magazine	300	0	0
Allowance to Night Watchman	36	10	0
		336	10
Pilots Port Jackson:—			
For the purpose of supplementing the Incomes of the Pilots Port Jackson a further sum of	500	0	0
For the purpose of Retiring Dishonored Cheques paid into the Revenue Branch of the Treasury viz.—			
H. Fisher drawn on Commercial Bank dated 15 September 1851	30	8	0
C. Layard drawn on Joint Stock Bank dated 31 December 1854	15	0	0
		45	8
Lands and Public Works:—			
To meet the expenses of the Establishment to 31 December	1,000	0	0
Public Works and Buildings:—			
To provide an additional Press for the Sydney Mint for striking off large Coins	200	0	0
For completing the Interior Fittings of the Australian Museum	2,000	0	0
For laying down Pipes and providing the necessary fittings for lighting with Gas the interior of the Gaol at Darlinghurst	150	0	0
For the erection of a Court and Watch House at Rocky River	200	0	0
Carried over	£2,550	0	0
Carried over	£1,000	0	0

(Amount carried over £15,286 16 6)

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(Amount brought over £15,286 16 6)

SUPPLEMENTARY—*continued.*

	Brought over	£1,000	0	0
	Brought over	£2,550	0	0
For repairing and replacing Furniture in the Public Rooms at Government House	1,165	0	0	
For Furniture and Fittings for Public Offices	500	0	0	
For repairs and alterations for converting a portion of the Old Government Printing Office into a Court of Requests and Offices for the Inspector of Stamps	620	0	0	
For the repair of the old Mittagong Road (on condition of an equal sum being raised by subscription)	50	0	0	
Balances required for the completion of Public Works and Buildings authorized by previous votes viz.—				
Wash-house Laundry and Servants' Hall Government House £90—Lodge Inner Domain £60—				
Watch-house Morpeth £300—Bridge Jordan Creek Bathurst £64—Watch-house West Maitland £400—Watch-house Eden £250	1,164	0	0	
Towards completing Road between Armidale and Grafton	500	0	0	
For Hand-lights and Frames for Botanical Gardens	50	0	0	
To provide seats for the accommodation of the Public	100	0	0	
For the construction of a Bridge over the Nepean River at Menangle a further sum of	406	0	0	
For do. over the Belubula Rivulet Carcoar a further sum of	535	0	0	
For the completion of the New Government Printing Office a further sum of	240	0	0	
	<u>7,880</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	
Surveyor General—				8,880 0 0
Lithographic Department at Survey Office				300 0 0
Schedule A Parts 1 and 2:—				
Deficiency in the Amount voted for the Schedule Departments caused by the deduction in error of the Amounts provided for certain Salaries by the Schedule A of the New Constitutional Act instead of the lesser sums provided for the same Salaries under the old Act viz.—				
Part I.		3,500	0	0
Part II.		1,401	12	10
		<u>4,901</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>10</u>
(TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED FOR THE SUPPLEMENTARY SERVICE OF THE YEAR 1856)				29,368 9 4)
(TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED FOR THE SERVICE OF THE YEAR 1857... ..)				918,490 15 11)
				<u>£947,859 5 3)</u>

9. 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 by any warrant or order in writing under his hand and directed to the said Treasurer shall from time to time order and direct and the payments so to be made shall be charged upon and payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the said Colony.

10. 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 the receipt or receipts of the respective persons 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 he shall receive credit for the same accordingly.