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HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

GRANTS IN AID TO MUNICIPALITIES, 1879.

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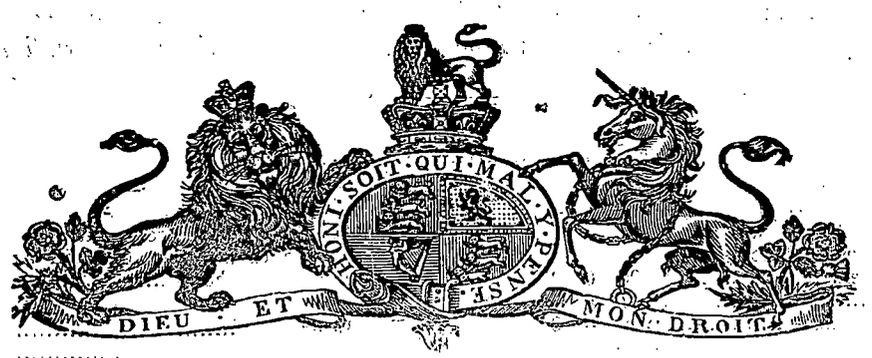

1879.

GRANTS IN AID OF MUNICIPALITIES.

***RESOLUTIONS** of Parliament on the subject of Grants from the Public Treasury in aid of the several Municipalities throughout the Colony.*

1. The cost of the Police in each Municipality beyond the amount that would be raised by a Ninepenny rate upon the value of Property within such Municipality shall be paid by the Government, on the Certificate of the Inspector of Police that the Cost of the Police in such Municipality is reduced as low as is consistent with efficiency.

2. In any Municipality where the Municipal Revenue does not amount to £150 a year, the Government shall make up the deficiency.

3. In Districts other than Municipalities a rate of Ninepence in the Pound shall be levied.

Session 1867.

DISTRICT.	*Page.*	*In aid of Police.*	*In aid of Municipal Revenue.*	*Total Grant in Aid for* 1879.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Bothwell	4	—	47 18 2	47 18 2
Brighton	4	85 2 11	—	85 2 11
Campbell Town	—	—	—	—
Clarence	5	249 9 2	113 14 6	363 3 8
Deloraine	—	—	—	—
Evandale	—	—	—	—
Fingal	5	164 7 7	—	164 7 7
Glamorgan	6	357 10 3	56 9 0	413 19 3
Glenorchy	6	293 18 2	27 19 9	321 17 11
Green Ponds	7	476 11 2	12 4 6	488 15 8
Hamilton	—	—	—	—
Hobart Town	—	1662 10 7	—	1662 10 7
Launceston	8	358 12 5	—	358 12 5
Longford	—	—	—	—
New Norfolk	8	318 7 9	—	318 7 9
Oatlands	—	—	—	—
Richmond	9	298 5 6	—	298 5 6
Ross	9	—	78 7 6	78 7 6
Sorell	10	193 10 4	—	193 10 4
Spring Bay	10	426 19 9	46 1 0	473 0 9
Westbury	—	—	—	—
TOTAL		4885 5 7	382 14 5	5268 0 0

WM. H. WINDSOR, *Assistant Colonial Treasurer.*

Colonial Treasury, 11*th November*, 1879.

RETURN of Municipal Accounts for the Year 1879, *as passed on the Certificate of the Inspector of Police in accordance with the Resolutions of Parliament.*

MUNICIPALITY OF BOTHWELL.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries, including Forage and other fixed Allowances to Police—						
One Superintendent	190	0	0			
One Sergeant	91	5	0			
Three Petty Constables	259	0	0			
				540	5	0
Contingent Expenses—						
Fuel and Light for Police Stations	2	17	1			
Repairs to Police Stations	8	8	6			
Allowances for Police Clothing	17	5	0			
Stationery and Stores for Constabulary purposes	2	7	0			
Expenses, Police horse	1	12	6			
Conveyance of prisoners and escort	1	1	0			
Advertising	4	12	0			
				38	3	1
				£578	8	1

Revenue.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount of Annual Assessment upon the value of property on Roll at Eightpence in the £	...			666	4	7
Dog Licences	68	0	0			
Magisterial Fees and Fines	22	11	0			
Arrears from last year	0	10	4			
Slaughtering Licences	0	15	0			
General Sessions Fees	3	0	6			
Public Entertainment Licence	1	0	0			
Rents	1	10	0			
Fees under Licensing Act	4	15	0			
				102	1	10
Grants in aid of Municipal Fund	...			47	18	2
				£150	0	0

N. P. ALLISON, *Treasurer and Warden.*

Correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

MUNICIPALITY OF BRIGHTON.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries, including Forage and other fixed Allowances to Police—						
One Superintendent	160	0	0			
One Sergeant / Two Petty Constables	262	7	3			
One Special Constable	10	0	0			
Forage and Allowances	40	12	10			
				473	0	1
Contingent Expenses—						
Allowances to Special Constables when on duty	9	5	0			
Fuel and Light for Police Stations	4	11	0			
Repairs to Police Stations	25	0	0			
Police Clothing	3	11	6			
Stationery and Stores for Constabulary purposes	4	10	4			
Repayment of deductions on account Police Clothing	14	4	4			
Rent, Constables' quarters, Bridgewater	7	0	0			
Female Searcher	2	10	0			
Petty disbursements	3	1	8			
Printing and Advertising	5	11	6			
				79	5	4
				£552	5	5

Revenue.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount of Annual Assessment upon the value of Property on Roll at Ninepence in the £	448	17	6			
Deductions for Uniform	18	5	0			
Grant in aid of Police	85	2	11			
				552	5	5
Dog Licences	98	2	6			
Magisterial Fees and Fines	81	5	9			
Fees under Licensing Act	9	10	0			
Slaughtering Act	7	10	0			
Rents	53	5	0			
Stage Coach and Drivers' Licences	1	5	0			
Fees under "The Small Debts Act"	7	3	0			
Impounding Fees	1	16	6			
				259	17	9

WILLIAM LAMPRILL, *Treasurer.*

W. GUNN, *Warden.*

Correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

MUNICIPALITY OF CLARENCE.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries, including Forage and other fixed Allowances to Police—						
Superintendent	175	0	0			
Sergeant and Petty Constables	282	17	6			
Female Searcher	5	0	0			
Special Constables	30	4	10			
				493	2	4
Contingent Expenses—						
Allowances to Special Constables when on duty	2	10	0			
Fuel and Light for Police Stations	0	17	3			
Police Clothing	38	19	4			
Stationery and Stores for Constabulary purposes	15	16	3			
Rent	10	0	0			
Ferryage of Police	5	0	0			
Sundry Items from Petty Cash	2	10	0			
				75	12	10
				£568	15	2

Revenue.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount of Annual Assessment upon the value of Property on Roll at Ninepence in the £	301	1	0			
Received for deductions for Uniform	18	5	0			
Grant in aid of Police	249	9	2			
				568	15	2
Received for issue of Dog Licences	18	5	0			
Slaughtering Licences	0	10	0			
Stage Coach Licences	3	0	0			
Fines and Fees	11	13	6			
Fees Court of General Sessions	0	2	0			
Fees under Licensing Act	1	15	0			
				35	5	6
Slaughtering Licences neglected to be collected, 1879		...		1	0	0
Grant in aid of Municipal Fund		...		113	14	6
				£150	0	0

HENRY LAMB, *Treasurer and Warden.*

Correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

MUNICIPALITY OF FINGAL.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries, including Forage and other fixed Allowances to Police—						
One Superintendent	175	0	0			
Three Sub-Inspectors, from 1st January to 7th May; 2 ditto, from 7th May to 31st December, 1879	275	15	9			
One Sergeant, from 1st May	65	6	8			
Five Petty Constables	489	1	4			
				1003	3	9
Contingent Expenses—						
Fuel and Light for Police Stations	11	16	2			
Repairs to ditto	2	4	6			
Police Clothing	44	9	9			
Carriage of ditto	0	16	0			
Stationery and Stores for Constabulary purposes	15	12	2			
Advertising and Printing	15	9	8			
Removal of Police	6	5	0			
Bedding for Police Stations	11	13	8			
Police Rate returned	0	4	6			
				108	11	5
				£1111	15	2

Revenue.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount of Annual Assessment upon the value of Property on Roll at Ninepence in the £	947	7	7			
Grant in aid of Police	164	7	7			
				1111	15	2
Dog Licences	108	10	0			
Magisterial Fees and Fines—1878, £2 1*s.* 6*d.*; 1879, £86 13*s.*	88	14	6			
Fees under Licensing Act—1878, 5*s.*; 1879, £4 10*s.*	4	15	0			
Ditto, Court of General Sessions	20	12	9			
Ditto, Public Entertainment Act	4	10	0			
Slaughtering Licences	21	0	0			
Stage Coach ditto	4	10	0			
Carriers' ditto	2	10	0			
Rents	53	0	0			
				308	2	3

JAMES F. RIGNEY, *Treasurer.*
ROBERT CARTER, *Warden.*

Correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

MUNICIPALITY OF GLAMORGAN.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries, including Forage and other fixed Allowances to Police—						
Superintendent	150	0	0			
Sub-Inspectors, Sergeants, Petty Constables	346	15	0			
Allowances to Police	0	8	6			
Special Constables	50	15	0			
Female Searcher	5	0	0			
				552	18	6
Contingent Expenses—						
Fuel and Light for Police Stations	11	1	6			
Repairs to Police Stations	1	0	6			
Arms and Ammunition	6	10	0			
Stationery	4	13	7			
Rent of Out-stations	7	10	0			
Printing and Advertising	4	3	6			
Conveyance of Prisoners	2	0	0			
Miscellaneous	0	1	0			
				37	0	1
				£589	18	7

Revenue.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount of Annual Assessment upon the value of Property on Roll at Ninepence in the £ (less remissions)	230	8	4			
Conveyance of Prisoners, disallowed by the Inspector of Police	2	0	0			
Grant in aid of Police	357	10	3			
				589	18	7
Dog Licences	57	10	0			
Magisterial Fees and Fines	14	19	6			
Fees Court of General Sessions	3	4	9			
Slaughtering Licences	3	0	0			
Fees under Licensing Act	2	10	0			
Drivers' Licences	0	5	0			
Balance of Depasturing Licences, 1878 and 1879	10	16	9			
Arrears Stage Coach Licences	1	5	0			
				93	11	0
Grant in aid of Municipal Fund	...			56	9	0
				£150	0	0

ALFRED WILLIAM SMITH, *Treasurer.*
J. LYNE, *Warden.*

Correct.
W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

MUNICIPALITY OF GLENORCHY.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries, including Forage and other fixed Allowances to Police—						
Superintendent	150	0	0			
Sub-Inspectors, Sergeants, Petty Constables, Special Constables	381	10	0			
Forage Allowance	39	0	0			
				570	10	0
Contingent Expenses—						
Allowances to Special Constables when on duty	0	5	0			
Fuel and Light for Police Stations	10	13	0			
Repairs to Police Stations	0	12	0			
Police Clothing	31	16	0			
Stationery	3	1	9			
Printing and Advertising	9	15	6			
Moiety Rent Police Office	12	10	0			
Expenses Police Horse	2	7	0			
Police Cart	23	10	0			
				94	10	3
				£665	0	3

Revenue.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount of Annual Assessment upon the value of Property on Roll at Ninepence in the £	371	2	1			
Grant in aid of Police	293	18	2			
				665	0	3
Received for issue of Dog Licences	48	5	0			
Ditto Fees and Fines, Magisterial	51	4	0			
Fees General Sessions	2	18	3			
Slaughtering Licences	3	10	0			
Stage Coach Licences	6	0	0			
Stage Drivers' Licences	1	10	0			
Fees under Licensing Act	2	15	0			
Ditto Impounding Act	2	2	0			
Proceeds Sale of Police Cart	3	16	0			
				122	0	3
Grant in aid of Municipal Fund	...			27	19	9
				£150	0	0

ISAAC WRIGHT, *Treasurer.*
WILLIAM MURRAY, *Warden.*

Correct.
W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

MUNICIPALITY OF GREEN PONDS.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries, including Forage and other Fixed Allowances to Police—						
One Superintendent	185	0	0			
One Sergeant	115	7	6			
Four Petty Constables	394	11	3			
One Watch-house Keeper	109	10	0			
				804	8	9
Contingent Expenses—						
Fuel and Light for Police Stations	34	4	6			
Repairs to Police Stations	5	9	0			
Police Clothing	66	16	0			
Stationery and Stores for Constabulary purposes	13	14	2			
Rent of Police Stations	20	10	0			
Repairs to Fences	6	9	0			
Furniture, Superintendent's Office	12	10	6			
New Charge Book	2	5	0			
Whitewashing Gaol and Premises	3	5	0			
Carriage of Parcels	0	5	0			
				165	8	2
				£969	16	11

Revenue.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount of Annual Assessment upon the value of Property on Roll at Ninepence in the £ (less remissions on account of poverty, £1 7s.)	440	11	9			
Oatlands Contribution on account of Spring Hill Police Station	52	14	0			
				493	5	9
Grant in Aid of Police				476	11	2
				£969	16	11
Dog Licences	84	5	0			
Magisterial Fees and Fines	25	6	9			
Court of General Sessions Fees	17	8	9			
Slaughtering Licences	2	10	0			
Lodging-house Licences	0	10	0			
Stage Coach and Drivers' Licences	6	5	0			
Fees under Licensing Act	1	10	0			
				137	15	6
Grant in aid of Municipal Fund				12	4	6
				£150	0	0

H. WM. ELLIS, *Treasurer.*
THOS. GORRINGE, *Warden.*

Correct.
W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

MUNICIPALITY OF HOBART TOWN.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries, including Forage and other Fixed Allowances to Police—						
One Superintendent	319	15	0			
Two Sub-Inspectors	342	12	0			
Seven Sergeants	915	17	0			
Thirty-four Petty Constables	3254	13	6			
One Clerk	165	0	0			
One Female Searcher	20	0	0			
				5017	17	6
Contingent Expenses—						
Allowances to Special Constables when on duty	57	19	6			
Medical Attendance	61	8	0			
Fuel and Light for Police Stations	70	0	9			
Police Clothing	352	9	8			
Bedding and Necessaries for Constables	4	10	0			
Stores for Constabulary purposes	13	17	0			
Provisions to Prisoners for 6 years	18	0	8			
Stationery	19	18	6			
Printing	16	16	0			
				615	0	
				£5632	17	7

Revenue.	£	s.	d.
Amount of Annual Assessment upon the value of Property on Roll at Ninepence in the £	3970	7	0
Grant in aid of Police	1662	10	7
	£5632	17	7

HENRY WILKINSON, *Treasurer.*
W. H. BURGESS, *Mayor.*

MUNICIPALITY OF LAUNCESTON.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries, including Forage and other fixed Allowances to Police—						
One Superintendent	275	0	0			
One Sub-Inspector	175	0	0			
Six Sergeants	848	12	6			
Fourteen Petty Constables	1630	4	6			
				2928	17	0
Contingent Expenses—						
Medical Attendance (examination of Candidates)	2	2	0			
Fuel and Light for Police Stations	93	13	7			
Repairs to Police Stations, materials for, (the labour being supplied by Governor of Gaol)	20	4	0			
Police Clothing	98	14	0			
Stationery and Stores for Constabulary purposes	35	3	5			
Provisions to Prisoners after committal for trial	0	3	0			
Incidental	11	13	8			
Paid Corporation Solicitor Law Costs in case Corporation *v.* Sadler (Lessee of Bond)	3	2	2			
				264	15	10
				£3193	12	10

Revenue.	£	s.	d.
Amount of Annual Assessment upon the value of Property on Roll at Ninepence in the £	2835	0	5
Grant in aid of Police (due by Government)	358	12	5
	£3193	12	10

T. GLADMAN, *Treasurer.*
ADYE DOUGLAS, *Mayor.*

MUNICIPALITY OF NEW NORFOLK.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries, including Forage and other fixed Allowances to Police—						
One Superintendent	180	0	0			
One Sub-Inspector	129	18	0			
Two Sergeants	191	12	6			
Three Petty Constables	257	0	1			
				758	10	7
Contingent Expenses—						
Fuel and Light for Police Stations	18	4	7			
Repairs to Police Stations	0	6	5			
Police Clothing	41	10	0			
Advertising	1	12	0			
Rent Police Stations	25	10	0			
Cleaning Offices	2	10	0			
				89	13	0
				£848	3	7

Revenue.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount of Annual Assessment upon the value of Property on Roll at Ninepence in the £		...		529	15	10
Grant in aid of Police		...		318	7	9
				848	3	7
Dog Licences	151	0	0			
Magisterial Fees and Fines	103	8	0			
Slaughtering Licences	8	10	0			
Lodging-house ditto	1	10	0			
Stage Coach and Drivers' ditto	11	5	0			
Fees under Licensing Act	18	10	0			
Court of General Sessions Fees	16	12	0			
Rent of Paddock	7	0	0			
Public Entertainment Licence	1	0	0			
				318	15	0

WM. CAHILL, *Treasurer.*
W. A. B. JAMIESON, *Warden.*

Correct.
W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

MUNICIPALITY OF RICHMOND.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries, including Forage and other fixed Allowances to Police:—						
Superintendent	182	10	0			
Petty Constables	521	11	0			
Forage Allowance	20	0	0			
				724	1	0
Contingent Expenses—						
Medical Attendance	20	0	0			
Fuel and Light for Police Stations	16	0	10			
Repairs to Police Stations	10	10	0			
Police Clothing	52	15				
Stationery and Stores for Constabulary purposes	9	9	6			
Printing and Advertising	6	5	6			
Police Horse, Jerusalem	15	0	0			
Expenses removal of Police	2	0	0			
Rent of Jerusalem Station	15	12	0			
Miscellaneous	0	10	0			
				148	2	10
				£872	3	10

Revenue.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount of Annual Assessment upon the value of property on Roll at Ninepence in the £	573	18				
Grant in aid of Police	298	5				
				872	3	10
Dog Licences	96	10	0			
Magisterial Fees and Fines	57	5	6			
Fees Court of General Sessions	7	2	3			
Slaughtering Licences	10	0	0			
Stage Coach Licences	3	0	0			
Drivers' Licences	1	0	0			
Entertainment Licences	2	0	0			
Night Licences	0	15	0			
Fees under Licensing Act	2	5	0			
				179	17	9

Correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

WM. BONE, *Treasurer.*

WINSTON C. SIMMONS, *Warden.*

MUNICIPALITY OF ROSS.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries, including Forage and other fixed Allowances to Police—						
One Superintendent	150	0	0			
One Sub-Inspector	100	7	6			
One Petty Constable	91	5	0			
				341	12	6
Contingent Expenses—						
Fuel and Light for Police Stations	9	17	1			
Allowance for Police Clothing	4	0	0			
Stationery	1	12	8			
Superintendent of Police, Expenses on duty	0	18	6			
Contribution on account Tunbridge Police Station	33	16	8			
				50	4	11
				£391	17	5

Revenue.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount of Annual Assessment upon the value of Property on Roll at Sevenpence in the £	...			405	10	9
Dog Licences	50	0	0			
Magisterial Fees and Fines	12	1	6			
Slaughtering Licences	3	0	0			
Lodging-house Licences	1	0	0			
Fees, General Sessions	4	6	0			
Fees under the Licensing Act	1	5	0			
				71	12	6
Grant in aid of Municipal Fund	...			78	7	6
				£150	0	0

Correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

JAMES PARRAMORE, *Treasurer.*

JAMES WESTBROOK, *Warden.*

MUNICIPALITY OF SORELL.

Expenditure	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries, including Forage and other fixed Allowances to Police—						
One Superintendent	170	0	0			
One Sergeant (Mounted)	120	0	0			
Two Constables (Troopers)	220	0	0			
One Constable and Watch-house Keeper	62	0	0			
One Female Searcher	4	0	0			
				576	0	0
Contingent Expenses—						
Fuel and Light for Police Stations	16	4	8			
Police Clothing	30	7	6			
Stationery and Stores for Constabulary purposes	7	11	0			
Printing and Advertising	5	0	0			
Rent Police Buildings	15	10	0			
				74	13	2
				£650	13	2

Revenue.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount of Annual Assessment upon the value of Property on Roll at Ninepence in the £	457	2	10½			
Grant in aid of Police	193	10	4			
				650	13	2
Dog Licences	107	7	6			
Magisterial Fees and Fines	64	13	9			
Slaughtering Licences	6	10	0			
Stage Coach Licences	5	0	0			
Drivers' Licences	1	15	0			
Carters' Licences	1	0	0			
Fees under Licensing Act	3	0	0			
Poundage Fees	8	19	4			
General Sessions Fees	3	16	6			
Dog Licences, 1878	2	2	6			
				204	4	7

E. MARSHALL, *Treasurer.*
JNO. T. CORAM, *Warden.*

Correct.
W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

MUNICIPALITY OF SPRING BAY.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Salaries, including Forage and other fixed Allowances to Police—						
Superintendent	182	10	0			
Sub-Inspectors	114	18	9			
Sergeants	101	5	0			
Petty Constables	161	5	0			
Female Searcher	5	0	0			
Special Constables	0	12	0			
				565	10	9
Contingent Expenses—						
Repairs to Police Stations	84	10	6			
Police Clothing	31	13	0			
Arms, Accoutrements, and Ammunition	4	9	0			
Stationery and Stores for Constabulary purposes	1	3	0			
Conveyance of a Female Prisoner £0 15 0						
Stamps 0 10 0						
Parcels 0 10 0						
	1	15	0			
				123	10	6
				£689	1	3

Revenue.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount of Annual Assessment upon the value of Property on Roll at Ninepence in the £	258	13	6			
Received for sale of Carbines	3	8	0			
				262	1	6
Grant in aid of Police	...			426	19	9
				£689	1	3
Dog Licences	61	0	0			
Magisterial Fees and Fines	29	11	6			
Stage Coach and Drivers' Licences	1	5	0			
Slaughtering Licences	4	10	0			
Rent Police Reserves	1	10	0			
Fees under Licensing Act	2	5	0			
Fees Court of General Sessions	3	17	6			
				103	19	0
Grant in aid of Municipal Fund	...			46	1	0
				£150	0	0

JOHN C. TURVEY, *Treasurer.*
SAML. SALMON, *Warden.*

Correct.
W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

ACCOUNTS OF THE SEVERAL RURAL MUNICIPALITIES FOR THE YEAR 1879, AS PASSED BY THE MUNICIPAL AUDITOR.

DISTRICT.	PAGE.
Bothwell	13
Brighton	14
Campbell Town	15
Clarence	16
Deloraine	17
Evandale	19
Fingal	20
Glamorgan	21
Glenorchy	22
Green Ponds	23
Hamilton	25
Longford	26
New Norfolk	27
Oatlands	28
Richmond	30
Ross	32
Sorell	33
Spring Bay	34
Westbury	35

MUNICIPALITY OF BOTHWELL.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* BOTHWELL *from the* 1*st day of January to the* 31*st day of December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878	106	6	9
Arrears from 1878	0	10	4
Registration of Dogs	68	0	0
Fines and Fees	22	11	0
Slaughtering Licences	0	15	0
General Sessions Fees	3	0	6
Public Entertainment Licence	1	0	0
Rations, repayment of	0	2	3
Rents	1	10	0
Fees under Licensing Act	4	15	0
Municipal Rates	666	4	7
Grant in aid	40	8	0
	£915	3	5

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
MUNICIPAL.						
Warden's Salary	75	0	0			
Council Clerk's Salary	150	0	0			
Fuel and Light	8	8	11			
Printing and Advertising	11	10	0			
Stores	0	1	10			
Stationery	4	13	0			
Interest and Postage	1	6	2			
Rations	5	11	5½			
Repairs to Municipal Buildings	4	4	0			
Insurance	1	10	0			
Valuator	5	0	0			
Church Clock, attending to	3	0	0			
Sundries	1	7	3½			
				271	12	8
POLICE.						
Superintendent of Police, Salary	190	0	0			
Police Pay	350	5	0			
Allowances to Police for Clothing	17	5	0			
Fuel and Light	2	17	1			
Printing and Advertising	4	12	0			
Stores for Police	2	7	0			
Repairs to Police Stations	8	8	6			
Expenses of Police Horse	1	12	6			
Conveyance of Prisoners	1	1	0			
				578	8	1
Balance	...			65	2	8
				£915	3	5

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 8*th March*, 1880.

POLICE REWARD AND SUPERANNUATION FUND.

PAYMENTS.	£	s.	d.
Pass Book	0	0	6
Gratuity to William Sessions	7	10	0
Balance in Hobart Town Savings Bank	27	8	0
	£34	18	6

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.
Deposit, with Interest	34	18	6
	£34	18	6

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

OWING TO MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
From other Municipalities	0	2	3
Grant in Aid	47	18	2
	£48	0	5

OWING BY MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
R. Allen, jun	0	6	8½
	0	6	8½

BALANCE SHEET, 31ST DECEMBER, 1879.

LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Debts due	0	6	8½
Balance	112	16	4½
	£113	3	1

ASSETS.	£	s.	d.
Balance in Bank	65	2	8
Grant in Aid	47	18	2
From other Municipalities	0	2	3
	£113	3	1

Balance to credit ..... £112 16*s.* 4½*d.*

N. P. ALLISON, *Warden and Treasurer.*
ALEX. REID,
SIMON ARNETT,
WILLIAM NICHOLAS,
JNO. IBBOTT,
} *Councillors.*

MUNICIPALITY OF BRIGHTON.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* BRIGHTON *from the* 1*st day of January to the* 31*st day of December,* 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Dog Licences	98	2	6
Municipal Rate	99	15	0
Fees under "Licensing Act"	9	10	0
Slaughtering Licences	7	10	0
Rents	53	5	0
Reimbursements on account Rations	1	9	0
Stage Coach and Driver's Licences	1	5	0
Fines and Fees	81	5	9
Fees under "Small Debts Act"	7	3	0
Impounding Fee	1	16	6
Police Rates, 1878	32	1	3
Ditto, 1879	448	17	6
Grant in Aid, Police Fund	33	10	11
Deductions for Police Clothing	18	5	0
Balance Dr.	48	7	8
	£942	4	1

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
MUNICIPAL.						
Balance from last year	...			74	12	6
Warden's Salary	100	0	0			
Council Clerk's Salary	100	0	0			
Fuel and Light	4	11	0			
Printing and Advertising	9	12	4			
Inquests	13	9	0			
Stores for Council Chambers	6	12	10			
Stationery	0	12	0			
Rations	6	2	1			
Repairs to Municipal Buildings	10	10	0			
Petty Disbursements	3	1	8			
Inspector, Californian Thistle, Salary	10	0	0			
Collector, Municipal Rate, Salary	5	0	0			
Moiety of Fines under "Californian Thistle Act"	25	0	0			
Clearing Water-hole in Race-course	1	0	0			
Insurance	2	15	6			
Erecting new Stable	10	0	0			
Interest	6	19	9			
				315	6	2
POLICE.						
Superintendent's Salary	160	0	0			
Police Pay	262	7	3			
Special Constables' Pay	19	5	0			
Forage Allowances	40	12	10			
Police Clothing	3	11	6			
Repayment of Deductions for Police Clothing	14	4	4			
Fuel and Light	4	11	0			
Stationery	0	12	0			
Printing and Advertising	5	11	6			
Stores for Police	3	18	4			
Repairs to Police Stations	25	0	0			
Female Searcher's Salary	2	10	0			
Rent, Police Station, Bridgewater	7	0	0			
Petty Disbursements	3	1	8			
				552	5	5
				£942	4	1

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 20*th May,* 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

Debts due to Municipality.	£	s.	d.
Government Grant in Aid	85	2	11
From other Municipalities for Rations	1	7	9
	£86	10	8

Debts due by Municipality.	£	s.	d.
Due Bank of Van Diemen's Land	48	7	8

BALANCE SHEET TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1879.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
Amount due by Municipality	48	7	8
Balance to Credit	38	3	0
	£86	10	8

Assets.	£	s.	d.
Debts due to Municipality	86	10	8

Balance to Credit of Municipality ..... £38 3*s.* 0*d.*

W. GUNN, *Warden.*
GEO. F. B. POYNTER,
WILLIAM LAMPRILL,
THOMAS LUDBEY,
JOHN HAYES,
} *Councillors.*

MUNICIPALITY OF CAMPBELL TOWN.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Municipality of* CAMPBELL TOWN, *from the* 1*st day of January to* 31*st day of December,* 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Fines and Fees	58	5	7
Fees, General Sessions	6	4	3
Slaughtering Licences	8	0	0
Lodging-house ditto	3	0	0
Repayment of Rations	2	13	0
Fees under Licensing Act	1	10	0
Dog Registration	134	12	6
Cab and Driver's Licence	3	0	0
Rates	958	19	0
Billiards	10	0	0
Entertainment Licence	1	0	0
Rent of Station at Llewellyn	5	0	0
Depasturing Licences	2	6	3
Repayment from Treasury under 24th Vict. No. 19	20	0	0
Balance	282	14	11
	£1497	5	6

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance from last year	...			288	3	8
MUNICIPAL.						
Warden's Salary	100	0	0			
Council Clerk's ditto	230	0	0			
Repayment of Fine	0	10	6			
Fuel and Light	5	19	0			
Printing and Advertising	14	8	6			
Inquests	8	11	0			
Stationery	0	15	7			
Interest and Postages	14	10	8			
Rations	16	19	10			
Compensation to Sub-Inspector Stevens	10	6	6			
Insurance	3	12	2			
Petty Cash	2	13	6			
				408	7	3
POLICE.						
Superintendent's Salary	20	0	0			
Police Pay	646	16	6			
Allowances	41	15	0			
Special Police Pay	12	2	0			
Petty Cash	3	0	0			
Fuel and Light	27	19	6			
Stationery	1	12	9			
Printing and Advertising	1	11	6			
Stores for Police	8	16	7			
Repairs to Police Station	16	19	6			
Horse hire, Escort and Conveyance	20	1	3			
				800	14	7
				£1497	5	6

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Audttor.*

Hobart Town, 18*th March,* 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

DUE TO MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
In Treasurer's hands	0	0	9
Repayment of rations from other Municipalities	2	1	0
	£2	1	9

DUE BY MUNICIPALITY.

Nil.

BALANCE SHEET TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1879.

LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Amount due to Bank of Australasia	282	14	11

ASSETS.	£	s.	d.
Debts from sundry Persons	2	1	9

Balance to debit of Municipality ..... £280 13*s.* 2*d.*

GEO. H. G. FLETCHER, *Warden.*
CHARLES H. LEAKE,
I. A. ALLISON,
FREDERICK A. PADFIELD, } *Councillors.*
JAMES GIBSON,
FREDK. HART,

MUNICIPALITY OF CLARENCE.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* CLARENCE *from the* 1*st day of January to the* 31*st day of December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Balance of Grant in Aid, 1878	202	10	10
Grant in Aid on account of 1879	150	0	0
Police Rates for 1879	298	1	9
Slaughtering Licences	0	10	0
Stage Coach Licences	3	0	0
Dog Licences	18	5	0
Deductions on account of Police Clothing	18	5	0
Fines and Fees	11	13	6
Fees Court of General Sessions	0	2	0
Fees under the Licensing Act	1	15	0
Balance	266	6	7
	£970	9	8

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878	...			184	15	6
POLICE.						
Superintendent of Police	175	0	0			
Forage Allowance	25	0	0			
Salaries to Police	282	17	6			
Special Constables	30	4	10			
Fuel and Light	0	17	3			
Rent of Police Station, Cambridge	10	0	0			
Police Clothing	38	19	4			
Ferryage of Police and Prisoners	5	0	0			
Female Searcher	5	0	0			
Stationery and Printing	15	3	1			
Stores	0	13	2			
				588	15	2
MUNICIPAL.						
Warden's Salary	75	0	0			
Council Clerk's Salary	25	0	0			
Stationery and Printing	15	3	1			
Stores	0	13	1			
Inquests	11	13	0			
Salary to Thistle Inspector	15	0	0			
Salary to Town Surveyor	4	3	4			
Interest	27	19	6			
Labour	0	5	0			
Conveyance	2	12	0			
Ammonia Apparatus, Snake Antidote	1	7	0			
Election Expenses	3	3	0			
Petty Cash	15	0	0			
				196	19	0
				£970	9	8

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 29*th July*, 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

Due to the Municipality.	£	s.	d.
Uncollected Rates	2	19	3
Balance of Grant in Aid, 1879	238	3	8
Balance	26	3	8
	£267	6	7

Due by the Municipality.	£	s.	d.
Balance due Bank of V. D. Land	266	6	7
Due Ware, conveyance	1	0	0
	£267	6	7
Balance Dr.	£26	3	8

HENRY LAMB, *Warden.*
JOHN M'DERMOTT,
G. J. MORRISBY,
JAMES YOUNG, } *Councillors.*

MUNICIPALITY OF DELORAINE.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* DELORAINE *from the* 1*st day of January to the* 31*st day of December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Rates, Arrears of 1878	2	3	4
Rates, 1879	1407	18	0
Fines and Fees	88	19	9
Fees, Dog Registrations	118	17	6
Ditto, Court of Requests	31	7	0
Ditto, Slaughtering Licences	13	0	0
Ditto, Lodging-house, ditto	1	0	0
Ditto, Places of Public Entertainment, ditto	1	5	0
Ditto, Billiard and Bagatelle, ditto	13	0	0
Ditto, Stage-coach, ditto	2	0	0
Ditto, under "The Licensing Act"	6	0	0
Rent of Recreation Ground	10	5	0
Miscellaneous	2	12	0
Balance Dr.	123	5	1
	£1821	12	8

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878		...		178	13	10
POLICE ACCOUNT.						
Superintendent's Salary	150	0	0			
Police Pay	398	10	0			
Allowances to Police	58	9	2			
Police Clothing	32	0	0			
Fuel and Light	16	14	0			
Stationery	6	8	2			
Stores for Police	2	6	2			
Repairs to Police Stations	5	18	6			
Conveyance of Prisoners	7	19	8			
Repairing Fire-arms	1	2	9			
				679	8	5
MUNICIPAL ACCOUNT.						
Warden's Salary	100	0	0			
Council Clerk's Salary	190	0	0			
Compensation to Police	25	0	0			
Office Furniture	0	12	0			
Fuel and Light	16	14	0			
Stationery	6	8	2			
Printing and Advertising	18	8	0			
Inquests	14	14	0			
Interest and Postages	33	17	0			
Rations	19	17	4			
Repairs to Municipal Buildings	30	17	0			
Erection of Council Clerk's Cottage	299	14	0			
Lighting, &c. Bridge Lamps	15	11	0			
Survey Fees of Reserves	30	10	0			
Fencing Chudleigh Police Reserve	32	0	0			
Repayment of Moiety of Billiard Licence	2	0	0			
Digging Well on Municipal Officers' Quarters	8	0	0			
Repayment of Fine	0	5	0			
Petty Cash, Stamp on Receipts, &c.	1	11	0			
Special Rate, Arrears of 1878, transferred to Town Hall Fund	0	5	5			
Ditto, of 1879, ditto	117	6	6			
				963	10	5
				£1821	12	8

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 23*rd April*, 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

DUE TO THE MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
Rates uncollected	20	16	0

DUE BY THE MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
Town Hall, Special Rate uncollected	1	14	8
Mercury	1	4	0
Bank of Tasmania	123	5	1
	£126	3	9

BALANCE SHEET.

LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Debts due	126	3	9

ASSETS.	£	s.	d.
Due by sundry persons	20	16	0
Balance, Dr.	105	7	9
	£126	3	9

Balance Dr. ..... £105 7*s.* 9*d.*

ABSTRACT of Town Hall Accounts, for the Municipality of DELORAINE, *from the* 1*st January to* 31*st December,* 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878		...		116	3	10
Earnings of Hall	70	7	6			
Ditto Piano	16	18	6			
				87	6	0
Arrears of Special Rate, 1878	0	5	5			
Special Rate, 1879	117	6	6			
				117	11	11
				£321	1	9

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Interest on Mortgages		...		90	0	0
Hall Keeper and Librarian's Salary	21	0	0			
Fuel	6	15	0			
Light	17	19	3			
Sundries	3	8	3			
				49	2	6
Furniture	7	3	0			
Repairs	6	4	0			
				13	7	0
Fencing Hall Grounds	13	7	6			
Insurance	0	18	9			
Newspapers for Reading-room	7	17	9			
Earnings of Piano paid to Library	25	15	0			
Postages	0	0	8			
				47	19	8
Balance to Cr.		...		120	12	7
				£321	1	9

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 23rd April, 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

Due to Town Hall Account.	£	s.	d.
Arrears of Special Rate, 1879	1	14	8
Mr. Wallace	2	19	6
E. Henry	2	5	0
	£6	19	2

Due by Town Hall Account.	£	s.	d.
Nil.			
*To be repaid to Special Rate Account	144	14	7

BALANCE SHEET.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
*Amount due to Special Rate Account	144	14	7

Assets.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Due by sundry persons	6	19	2			
Bank of Tasmania	120	12	7			
				127	11	9
Balance Dr.		...		17	2	10
				£144	14	7

SPECIAL ACCOUNT.

ABSTRACT of Town Hall Loan Account and Special Rate from 1*st January,* 1876, *to* 31*st December,* 1879.

Special Rate collected.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Special Rate collected in 1876	118	15	10			
Ditto, 1877	117	6	0			
Ditto, 1878	118	0	10			
				354	2	8
Ditto, 1879		...		117	11	11
				£471	14	7

Interest paid.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Interest on Loan £1500, for 1876	57	0	0			
Ditto, 1877	90	0	0			
Ditto, 1878	90	0	0			
				237	0	0
Ditto, 1879		...		90	0	0
Balance to Cr. of Special Rate		...		144	14	7
				£471	14	7

HENRY DOUGLAS, *Warden.*

CALEB J. L. SMITH,
SAML. SHOREY,
JOHN HART,
WM. BONNILY, JUN.,
JOHN FIELD,
} *Councillors.*

MUNICIPALITY OF EVANDALE.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Municipality of* EVANDALE *from the* 1*st day of January to the* 31*st day of December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Police Rates	805	7	7
Fees and Fines	23	19	0
Fees, Court of Requests	18	14	3
Fees under Licensing Act	2	0	0
Dog Licences	136	2	6
Slaughtering ditto	12	10	0
Stage Coach ditto	10	0	0
Drivers' ditto	2	5	0
Entertainment ditto	1	0	0
Surplus Impounding Fees	0	13	8
Rent of Council Chamber	12	0	0
Balance	25	3	1
	£1049	15	1

Expenditure.				£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878		...		26	11	11
MUNICIPAL.						
Salary, Warden	80	0	0			
Ditto, Council Clerk	100	0	0			
Allowance, Treasurer	15	0	0			
Insurance	1	2	6			
Printing and Advertising	13	13	2			
Stationery and Stores	1	18	9			
Fuel	1	8	6			
Carriage of Parcels	0	3	6			
Rations	3	0	0			
Labour	1	0	0			
Interest	2	8	9			
				219	15	2
POLICE.						
Salary, Superintendent	100	0	0			
Ditto, Constabulary	611	7	6			
Forage, ditto	35	0	0			
Fuel	5	4	6			
Rent, Police Stations	20	0	0			
Repairs, ditto	5	18	5			
Medical attendance on prisoner	0	5	0			
Police Clothing	6	15	0			
Stationery and Stores	18	17	7			
				803	8	0
				£1049	15	1

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 15*th April*, 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

Due to the Municipality.	£	s.	d.
St. Andrew's Benefit Society	1	2	6

Due by the Municipality.	£	s.	d.
Cornwall Chronicle	1	4	0
Repayment for Rations *en route*	0	1	0
	£1	5	0

BALANCE SHEET.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
Amount due to Union Bank	25	3	1
Amount due by Municipality	1	5	0
	£26	8	1
Balance Dr.	25	5	7

Assets.	£	s.	d.
Due to the Municipality	1	2	6
Balance	25	5	7
	£26	8	1

D. COLLINS, *Warden.*
ROBERT VINEY,
R. H. DOUGLAS,
JOHN BRYAN,
H. B. DOWIE,
Councillors.

MUNICIPALITY OF FINGAL.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* FINGAL *from the* 1*st day of January to the* 31*st day of December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Police Rate, 1878	1	19	3			
Fines and Fees, 1878	2	1	6			
Ditto under Licensing Act, 1878	0	5	0			
				4	5	9
Police Rate collected, 1879				941	19	11
Advance of Grant in aid, 1879				100	0	0
Fees and Fines, Magisterial				86	13	0
Ditto, under Licensing Act				4	10	0
Ditto, Court of General Sessions				20	12	9
Ditto, Public Entertainment Act				4	10	0
Ditto, Dog Registration				108	10	0
Licences under Stage Coach Act				4	10	0
Ditto Slaughtering				21	0	0
Ditto Carriers				2	10	0
Municipal Rate collected				314	1	3
Municipal Rents				53	0	0
Sale of building materials				1	1	0
Sale of printed forms				0	13	0
Cash found				0	8	0
Balance				90	6	6
				£1758	11	2

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance 31st December, 1878		...		234	12	6
POLICE.						
Salary, Superintendent	150	0	0			
Police Pay	755	14	5			
Forage Allowance to Police	97	9	4			
Fuel and Light	11	16	2			
Stationery	9	8	8			
Stores	6	3	6			
Police Clothing	44	9	9			
Carriage of Parcels	0	16	0			
Advertising and Printing	15	9	8			
Repairs to Police Stations	2	4	6			
Police removal	6	5	0			
Bedding for Watch-houses, &c.	11	13	8			
Police Rate overpaid	0	4	6			
				1111	15	2
MUNICIPAL.						
Salary, Warden	80	0	0			
Honorarium, Treasurer	20	0	0			
Salary, Council Clerk	150	0	0			
Clerical Assistance, Avoca	5	0	0			
Fuel and Light	6	18	0			
Printing and Advertising	13	18	0			
Inquests	20	17	0			
Stationery	5	7	9			
Rations to Prisoners	16	18	6			
Repairs, Municipal Buildings	39	8	8			
Architect, for Plans	23	2	0			
Law Expenses	2	15	0			
Insurance	1	17	6			
Conveyance of Prisoners	5	10	0			
Election Expenses	7	10	0			
Carriage of Parcels	0	12	9			
Interest to Bank	12	6	10			
Municipal Rate overpaid	0	1	6			
				412	3	6
				£1758	11	2

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 8th March, 1880.

BALANCE SHEET.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
Balance 31st December, 1879	90	6	6
Grant in aid overpaid, 1878	17	17	0
	£108	3	6
Balance Dr.	30	2	6

Assets.	£	s.	d.
Police Rate unpaid, 1878	0	0	10
Ditto, 1879	5	7	8
Municipal Rate ditto, 1879	1	15	11
Fees and Fines ditto, 1879	6	5	0
Oatlands Municipality, Ration Account, 1878	0	4	0
Balance of Grant in aid	64	7	7
Balance	30	2	6
	£108	3	6

ROBERT CARTER, *Warden.*
JAMES F. RIGNEY,
STEPHEN H. GRUEBER, JUNR.,
WILLIAM M'KENZIE,
FRANK O'CONNOR,
FRED. T. RANSOM,
} *Councillors.*

MUNICIPALITY OF GLAMORGAN.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* GLAMORGAN, *from the* 1*st day of January to the* 31*st day of December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Advance of Grant in Aid for 1879	150	0	0
Balance of Grant in Aid for 1878	202	5	3
Rates for 1878	44	16	6
Police Rates for 1879	223	2	10
Municipal Rates, 1879	74	7	8
Dog Licences	57	10	0
Fines and Fees, Magisterial	14	19	6
Fees, Court of General Sessions	3	4	9
Slaughtering Licences	3	0	0
Fees under Licensing Act	2	10	0
Driver's Licence	0	5	0
Cash in hand of Council Clerk from 1878	0	8	9
Overpayment by Council Clerk of Court of General Sessions Fee	0	1	0
Balance	401	16	11
	£1178	8	2

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878		...		412	19	10
POLICE.						
Superintendent of Police, Salary	150	0	0			
Police Pay	346	15	0			
Allowances to Police	0	8	6			
Special Constables' Pay	50	15	0			
Fuel and Light	11	1	6			
Rent of Out-stations	7	10	0			
Stationery	4	8	7			
Printing and Advertising	4	3	6			
Female Searcher	5	0	0			
Conveyance of Prisoners	2	0	0			
Miscellaneous	7	16	6			
				589	18	7
MUNICIPAL.						
Warden's Salary	50	0	0			
Council Clerk's ditto	50	0	0			
Treasurer's ditto	12	0	0			
Printing and Advertising	5	5	1			
Inquests	2	12	6			
Rations	4	8	2			
Stationery	4	9	1			
Health Officer	7	0	10			
Miscellaneous	2	2	6			
Interest	37	11	7			
				175	9	9
				£1178	8	2

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 13*th September*, 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

Due to Municipality.	£	s.	d.
Balance of Grant in Aid to Police, 1879	209	10	3
Municipal Grant in Aid for 1879	56	9	0
Police Rates unpaid, 1879	7	5	6
Municipal Rates unpaid, 1879	2	8	6
	£275	13	3

Due by Municipality.	£	s.	d.
To Deputy Returning Officers	4	16	0
H. B. Yeates	0	18	0
Overpayment Court of General Session Fee to Clerk	0	1	0
	£5	15	0

BALANCE SHEET.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
Amounts due to sundry persons	5	15	0
Ditto to Union Bank	401	16	11
	£407	11	11

Assets.	£	s.	d.
Outstanding debts due to Municipality	275	13	3
Balance	131	18	8
	£407	11	11

J. LYNE, *Warden.*
HENRY COTTON,
AUGUSTUS LYNE,
WM. LYNE, } *Councillors.*

MUNICIPALITY OF GLENORCHY.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* GLENORCHY *from the 1st day of January to the 31st day of December,* 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Balance Grant in Aid, 1878	147	7	8
Police Rates for 1877	0	2	5
Ditto, 1878	0	3	0
Ditto, 1879	368	16	4
On account of Grant in Aid, 1879	300	0	0
Miscellaneous Receipt, error from 1878	9	12	9
Fees, General Sessions	2	18	3
Ditto, Magisterial	51	4	0
Dog Licences	48	5	0
Slaughtering ditto	3	10	0
Stage Coach ditto	6	0	0
Driver's ditto	1	10	0
Fees under the Licensing Act	2	15	0
Ditto Impounding Act (moiety)	2	2	0
Water Bailiff Uniform	1	10	0
Ditto, due 1878	0	4	8
Proceeds Sale of Police Cart	3	16	0
Conservancy of the Derwent	25	0	0
Prevention of C. A. Society	4	15	0
Over Deposit by Council Clerk	0	8	0
Fine under Scab Act	2	0	0
	£982	0	1

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
POLICE.						
Balance from 1878	...			3	4	6
Salary, Superintendent of Police	150	0	0			
Police Pay	381	10	0			
Ditto Forage Allowance	39	0	0			
Ditto Clothing	31	16	0			
Fuel and Light	10	13	0			
Stationery	3	1	9			
Printing and Advertising	9	15	6			
Repairs to Police Station	0	12	0			
Escort of Prisoners	0	13	3			
Rent, Police Office	25	0	0			
Farriery, Police Horse	2	7	0			
New Police Cart	23	10	0			
Police Assistance (special)	0	5	0			
Stabling, Police Horse	2	4	0			
				680	7	6
MUNICIPAL.						
Warden's Salary	100	0	0			
Council Clerk's ditto	25	0	0			
Water Bailiff ditto	22	10	0			
Ditto, refund on account uniform	1	14	8			
Stationery	0	3	6			
Fuel and Light	2	8	0			
Printing and Advertising	9	2	0			
Inquests	19	2	6			
Rations	1	19	8			
Salary, Thistle Inspector	10	0	0			
Interest	1	17	0			
Treasury, Fine under Scab Act	2	0	0			
				195	17	4
				879	9	4
Balance				102	10	9
				£982	0	1

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 23*rd June,* 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

DUE TO MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
Balance in Bank	102	10	9
Ditto, Grant in Aid	24	15	2
Police Rates, 1877	0	7	6
Ditto, 1878	0	9	9
Ditto, 1879	2	5	9
Magisterial Fees, 1877	0	9	6
Ditto, 1878	8	2	0
Ditto, 1879	9	8	6
General Sessions Fees, 1876	0	8	3
Ditto, 1878	1	5	9
Escort Fees, Richmond	0	4	6
Ditto, Westbury	0	1	6
In hands, Council Clerk	5	3	8
	£155	12	7

DUE BY MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
Moieties of Fines *re* C. P. A. Act due to the Society	4	15	0
Due to Council Clerk	0	8	0
	5	3	0
Balance	150	9	7
	£155	12	7

WILLIAM MURRAY, *Warden.*
ISAAC WRIGHT,
HENRY BILTON,
JOSEPH SMITH,
J. COWLE,
JOHN DICKENSON,
Councillors.

MUNICIPALITY OF GREEN PONDS.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* GREEN PONDS *from the* 1*st day of January to the* 31*st day of December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Fines and Fees	25	6	9
Fees Court of General Sessions	17	8	9
Dog Licences	84	5	0
Slaughtering Licences	2	10	0
Lodging-house Licences	0	10	0
Stage Coach Licences	4	0	0
Drivers' Licences	2	5	0
Fees under "Licensing Act"	1	10	0
Municipal Rates, 1877	0	12	0
Ditto, 1878	14	10	6
Police Rates, 1877	1	8	6
Ditto, 1878	43	16	0
Ditto, 1879	431	1	3
Municipal Rates, 1879	143	13	9
Oatlands contribution to Spring Hill Police Station for half-year ending 31st December, 1878	26	7	0
Repayment of Rations	4	10	0
Balance of Grant in Aid on account of 1878	269	12	0
Balance	636	5	0
	£1709	11	6

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878		...		471	7	8
MUNICIPAL.						
Warden's Salary	80	0	0			
Council Clerk's Salary	50	0	0			
Treasurer's Salary	5	0	0			
Stores	6	5	0			
Stationery and Printing	19	11	6			
Conveyance of Prisoners	2	18	6			
Making Assessment Roll	2	10	0			
Inquests	2	5	0			
Rations	14	14	10			
Carriage of Parcels	0	10	6			
New Bench Press and Shelving	13	19	6			
New Steps (Council Chamber)	2	0	0			
Stand for Forms, &c	0	6	6			
Election Expenses	5	14	0			
Insurance	2	12	6			
Repayment of Rations	0	9	0			
Interest	59	10	1			
				268	6	11
POLICE.						
Police Pay	579	8	9			
Allowances to Police	40	0	0			
Superintendent's Salary	185	0	0			
Stores	12	17	2			
Repairs	5	9	0			
Police Clothing	66	16	0			
Furniture for Superintendent's Office	12	10	6			
Fuel and Light	34	4	6			
Whitewashing Gaol	3	5	0			
Repairs to Fences	6	9	0			
New Charge Book	2	5	0			
Rent of Police Stations	20	10	0			
Stationery	0	17	0			
Carriage of Parcels	0	5	0			
				969	16	11
				£1709	11	6

The following items, stated to be due to the Municipality in the accounts for the year 1878 have not been included in the receipts for 1879, and have been entirely omitted from this account; viz.:—

	£	s.	d.
Police Rates unaccounted for by the late Council Clerk	98	0	9
Municipal Rates ditto	31	15	0
Cash in hands of ditto	1	1	8
	£130	17	5

The Warden explains that the amount cannot now be recovered, as the bond given by the late Council Clerk had been allowed to lapse. In other respects the account is correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 26*th August*, 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

DUE TO THE MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
Oatlands, Contribution to Spring Hill Station for 1879	52	14	0
Oatlands Municipality, Rations	3	2	6
Bothwell ditto	0	5	10
Richmond ditto	0	6	8
Brighton ditto	0	2	6
Avoca ditto	0	1	8
Evandale ditto	0	4	2
Deloraine ditto	0	2	6
Westbury ditto	0	1	8
Police Rates, 1879	10	17	6
Municipal Rates, 1879	3	12	6
Grant in Aid, Police, 1879	476	11	2
Ditto, Municipal, 1879	12	4	6
	£560	7	2

DEBTS DUE BY MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
Union Bank	636	5	0

BALANCE SHEET.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.	Assets.	£	s.	d.
Due by the Municipality	636	5	0	Due to the Municipality	560	7	
				Balance	75	17	10
					£636	5	0

ABSTRACT of Receipts *and* Expenditure *of the* Green Ponds *Building Fund for year ending the* 31*st December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	Expenditure.	£	s.	d.
Amount placed to credit of Building Fund, February, 1879	200	0	0	Balance from 1878	17	0	0
Building Rates collected during 1879	47	15	6	By Job Hale, on account Carpentering and Plastering	175	0	0
				John Paul, on account Stone Work	42	12	0
				Interest	1	1	6
				Balance	12	2	0
	£247	15	6		£247	15	6

Correct.
W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

SUPERANNUATION ACCOUNT, 1879.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878	111	15	4	By Balance	117	7	4
Bank interest, due 11th March, 1879	5	12	0				
	£117	7	4				

The balance of Superannuation Fund is a fixed deposit in the Union Bank of Australasia at 6 per cent., due 14th March, 1880.

Correct.
W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Thos. Gorringe, *Warden.*
J. W. Palmer,
William Brock,
H. W. Ellis,
Danl. Brown, Jun. } *Councillors.*

MEMO. *Audit Office, Hobart Town, 28th August,* 1880.

On examining the Accounts of the Municipality of Green Ponds I found that the under-mentioned items, as shown in the list of outstandings for 1878, have been entirely omitted from the Accounts for the year 1879; viz.—

	£	s.	d.
Police Rates, 1878, unaccounted for by the late Council Clerk	98	0	9
Municipal ditto, ditto	31	15	0
Cash in the hands of ditto	1	1	8
	£130	17	5

thus entailing a considerable loss upon the Municipality.

Upon drawing the attention of the Warden to this large discrepancy in the rates for 1878, he informed me that, in consequence of the late Council Clerk's bond having lapsed, the above amount is irrecoverable.

On passing the Accounts for 1879 I have therefore attached only a qualified certificate to the above effect.

The Hon. the Colonial Treasurer. W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

The Green Ponds subsidy account for the year 1879 shows that the Municipality is entitled to the following amounts:—

	£	s.	d.
In Aid of Police	476	11	2
In Aid of Municipal Fund	12	4	6
Total	£488	15	8

No part of this sum has yet been paid over to the Municipality. I am led to understand that the money is much required; and if the requirements of the Audit Department have been fully satisfied, I propose to pay the whole of the subsidy for 1879 without further delay.

W. R. GIBLIN, *Colonial Treasurer.*
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The Auditor.

With the exception of the circumstance named in the Auditor's Memo. of the 28th August, the accounts are satisfactory.

W. LOVETT, *Audit Office,*
13*th Sept.*, 1880.

The Hon. the Colonial Treasurer.

MUNICIPALITY OF HAMILTON.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* HAMILTON *from the* 1*st day of January to the* 31*st day of December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878		...		62	17	8
Fees and Fines	46	12	0			
Fees General Sessions	12	9	0			
Fees under Licensing Act	5	5	0			
Fees under Slaughtering Licences	5	10	0			
Dog Registration	117	5	0			
Under Impounding Act	2	0	0			
Rent of Reserve	5	0	0			
Bagatelle Licence	1	0	0			
Public Entertainment Licences	1	0	0			
Branding Fees	0	9	3			
Hire of Court House	9	15	0			
Collection Police Rates, (8*d.* in £)	842	4	7			
				1048	9	10
Balance		...		70	4	9
				£1181	12	3

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
MUNICIPAL.						
Salary, Warden	110	0	0			
Ditto, Council Clerk	180	0	0			
Stationery	10	15	3			
Inquests	32	8	0			
Advertising	4	1	0			
Rations for Gaol	7	19	6			
Fuel	7	10	0			
Election Expenses	7	10	0			
Miscellaneous	1	12	6			
Erecting Pound at Macquarie Plains	4	0	0			
Fines paid under Cruelty to Animals Act	5	6	0			
Interest and Postage, &c	15	0	6			
				386	2	9
POLICE.						
Salary, Superintendent	158	10	0			
Police Pay	449	11	3			
Forage Allowance	39	17	4			
Allowance for Cleaning Offices	10	10	0			
Stationery, &c	12	5	0			
Fuel and Light	12	12	9			
Repairs to Police Buildings	110	3	2			
Rent, Police Station, Macquarie Plains	2	0	0			
				795	9	6
				£1181	12	3

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 18*th June*, 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

DUE BY THE MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
Due to Court House Building Fund, on account Special Rate	1	10	5
Balance due Bank	70	4	9
	£71	15	2

DUE TO THE MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
Rates uncollected	2	1	3

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *Court House Building Fund, Municipality of* HAMILTON, *Year ending* 31*st December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878		...		155	10	4
Special Rate for Court House, (1*d.* in £)	103	11	4			
				103	11	4
				£259	1	8

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Contractor, balance	40	10	0			
Clerk of Works	10	0	0			
Interest on Loan	36	0	0			
Centres, Lamps, Matting, &c	52	14	3			
				139	4	3
Balance		...		119	17	5
				£259	1	8

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

JOHN KING, *Warden.*
HENRIC NICHOLAS,
JOHN C. BETHUNE,
T. C. H. MARZETTI,
WALLIS M'DONALD, } *Councillors.*

MUNICIPALITY OF LONGFORD.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* LONGFORD, *from the* 1*st day of January to* 31*st day of December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Fees and Fines	75	0	6
Court of Requests Fees	21	11	9
Dog Registrations	191	0	0
Slaughtering Licences	10	10	0
Lodging-house ditto	1	10	0
Stage Coach, Drivers', and Cab Licences	19	0	0
Public Entertainment Licences	2	0	0
Licensing Act Fees	10	5	0
Miscellaneous	2	1	0
Police Rates	1057	18	11
	£1390	17	2

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
MUNICIPAL.						
Balance from 1878		...		70	17	0
Salaries—Warden	100	0	0			
Council Clerk	200	0	0			
Fuel and Light	15	16	7			
Printing and Advertising	27	4	0			
Inquests	15	3	0			
Transport of Paupers	1	1	3			
Stationery	8	1	3			
Interest	5	6	8			
Stamps, Parcels, and Petty Expenses	3	2	9			
Rations	17	1	2			
Church Clock	10	0	0			
Stores	1	19	6			
Repairs to Municipal Buildings	0	12	0			
Government Printer	0	18	0			
Chimney-sweeping	1	4	0			
Water to Gaol	3	6	0			
Election Expenses, 1878	6	6	0			
				417	2	2
POLICE.						
Salary, Superintendent	125	0	0			
Police Pay	574	12	0			
Allowances to Police	70	1	11			
Repairs to Out-stations	30	16	0			
Extraordinary Expenses	5	6	9			
Fuel and Lights	15	16	8			
				821	13	4
Balance		...		81	4	8
				£1390	17	2

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Audtitor.*

Hobart Town, 8*th March*, 1880.

OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS.

Debts owing to Municipality.	£	s.	d.
Fingal Municipality	0	13	0
Campbell Town ditto	1	1	0
Ross ditto	0	3	0
Evandale ditto	0	1	0
	£1	18	0

Debts owing by Municipality.	£	s.	d.
Examiners	3	19	0
Rations—Mrs. Douglas, £2 17*s.* 2*d.*; O'Keeffe, £1 13*s.* 3*d.*	4	10	5
Henry S. Hutchinson	2	4	6
Thomas Lewis	1	6	0
Inquests	3	1	0
	£15	0	11

BALANCE SHEET TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1879.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
Owing by Municipality	15	0	11
Balance	67	1	9
	£82	2	8

Assets.	£	s.	d.
Owing to Municipality	1	18	0
Balance in Bank	81	4	8
	£82	2	8
Balance	£67	1	9

WM. DODERY, *Warden.*
BASIL ARCHER,
THOMAS WILLIAM HORTLE, } *Councillors.*
JOHN WILMORE,

MUNICIPALITY OF NEW NORFOLK.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* NEW NORFOLK *from the 1st day of January, to the 31st day of December,* 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878	424	3	8
Balance of Grant in Aid for 1878	208	18	7
Police Rate for 1879	527	19	10
Fines and Fees	103	8	0
Slaughtering Licences	8	10	0
Lodging-house ditto	1	10	0
Stage Coach and Drivers' ditto	11	5	0
Fees under Licencing Act	18	10	0
Registration of Dogs	151	0	0
Court of General Sessions Fees	16	12	0
Rent of Paddock	7	0	0
Repayment of Money	0	5	6
Public Entertainment Licence	1	0	0
	£1480	2	7

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
MUNICIPAL.						
Salary, Warden	100	0	0			
Ditto, Council Clerk	200	0	0			
Fuel	5	0	10			
Inquests	25	6	6			
Insurance	3	4	9			
Rations	6	19	10			
Repairs to Municipal Buildings	0	6	5			
New Norfolk Bridge Repairs	1	18	5			
Ration Accounts, other Municipalities	0	9	9			
Election Expenses	16	0	0			
Advertising	0	16	0			
Conveyance of Prisoners	0	19	0			
Books	7	10	0			
Railway Petition	5	0	0			
Fencing	5	17	6			
Cleaning Offices	2	10	0			
Medical Attendance	2	2	0			
Legal Advice	1	3	6			
Acts of Parliament	0	14	0			
Town Surveyor's Salary	5	0	0			
Sundries	1	1	3			
Repayment of Fine	0	5	0			
				392	4	9
POLICE.						
Salary, Superintendent	155	0	0			
Police Pay	553	11	3			
Allowance to Police	50	0	0			
Ditto, Police Clothing	41	10	0			
Fuel and Light	18	4	7			
Repairs to Police Stations	0	6	5			
Advertising	1	12	0			
Rent of Police Stations	25	10	0			
Cleaning Offices	2	10	0			
				848	4	3
Balance to credit	...			239	13	7
				£1480	2	7

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 26th August, 1880.

WATER WORKS.

	£	s.	d.
Balance to credit	38	1	10
Rates and Irrigation Licences	77	5	0
	£115	6	10

	£	s.	d.
Manager's Salary	40	0	0
Ditto Travelling Expenses	0	16	0
Stop Valves, &c.	5	3	6
Repairs, Labour, Oil, Carriage of Books, and Stamps	2	4	8
Balance to credit	67	2	8
	£115	6	10

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

DUE TO MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
Uncollected Rate, 1879	1	16	0
Hamilton Ration account, 1878	0	3	9
Ditto, 1879	0	11	3
Grant in aid, 1879	318	7	9
	£320	18	9

DUE BY MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
Mercury Account	10	14	0
Westcott & Co.	1	12	6
Balance to credit of Municipality	308	12	3
	£320	18	9

W. A. B. JAMIESON, *Warden.*

RALPH TERRY,
W. C. SHARLAND,
THOS. ALLWRIGHT,
R. W. G. SHOOBRIDGE,
A. T. W. DOWNIE,
} *Councillors.*

MUNICIPALITY OF OATLANDS.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* OATLANDS *from the* 1*st day of January to the* 31*st day of December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Rates, 1878	109	15	8
Rates, 1879	285	9	7
Dog Licences	211	5	0
Slaughtering Licences	5	10	0
Coach Licences	5	0	0
Ditto, Drivers' Licences	1	0	0
Fees and Fines, Magisterial	78	2	0
Fees, Court of General Sessions	21	2	6
Fees under Licensing Act	8	10	0
Rooms for Public Entertainments	0	10	0
Insurance	0	9	0
Ross Municipality, for one year's contribution to Tunbridge Police Station	33	16	8
Balance	489	15	7
	£1250	6	0

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878	...			127	9	1
MUNICIPAL.						
Warden's Salary	100	0	0			
Council Clerk's Salary	155	0	0			
Treasurer's Salary	11	5	0			
Fuel and Light	0	6	6			
Printing and Advertising	6	14	0			
Inquests	38	12	6			
Stores	0	3	6			
Stationery	2	8	5			
Interest and Postage	40	2	9			
Lake Dulverton	9	19	0			
Rations	4	3	11			
Repairs to Municipal Buildings	0	3	0			
Insurance	3	15	3			
Expenses, Town Hall	1	18	8			
Election Expenses	0	10	6			
Pump for Public Well	1	9	0	376	12	0
POLICE.						
Superintendent of Police, Salary	130	0	0			
Police Pay	441	6	3			
Allowances to Police	50	12	6			
Special Constables' Pay	5	0	0			
Police Clothing	23	2	0			
Fuel and Light	3	5	6			
Stationery	2	0	0			
Medical attendance	1	6	0			
Printing and Advertising	10	2	6			
Extra Police Expenses	4	9	8			
Stores	0	1	6			
Repairs to Police Stations	22	5	0			
One year's Contribution to Spring Hill Station	52	14	0	746	4	11
				£1250	6	0

Examined and found correct. Attention is, however, called to the large amount of uncollected rates, viz.—

	£	s.	d.
For 1876	12	8	4
„ 1877	44	19	9
„ 1878	81	4	5½
„ 1879	628	13	7
	£767	6	1½

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 30*th August*, 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

Debts due by the Municipality.	£	s.	d.
Mercury Office, Printing	28	14	2
Walch & Sons, Stationery	16	0	9
Tribune newspaper	2	2	0
Cornwall Chronicle	1	0	0
Charles Kingston, extra Police Expenses	1	15	9
W. Nelson, Stationery	7	15	9
Green Ponds Municipality, half-year's contribution to Spring Hill Station	26	7	0
J. Bradshaw, Treasurer	3	15	0
Amount due Council Clerk, sums paid for transport of Paupers	19	11	3
Petty Cash	8	16	0
	£115	17	8

Debts due to the Municipality.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Rates, 1876, uncollected	...			12	8	4
Ditto, 1877, ditto	...			44	19	9½
Ditto, 1878, ditto	191	0	1½			
Collected	109	15	8	81	4	5½
Ditto, 1879	917	13	5			
Less collected	288	19	10	628	13	7
Amount in hand of Council Clerk, Rate 1879—						
Collected	288	19	10			
Lodged in bank	285	9	7	3	10	3
Discount on premium of Insurance paid Derwent and Tamar Company—						
Demand	0	11	3			
Receipt	0	9	0			
Discount				0	2	3
Ross Municipality, one quarter's contribution to Tunbridge Station	...			8	9	2
				£779	7	10

BALANCE SHEET TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1879.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
Amounts due sundry persons per list	115	17	8
Balance due Commercial Bank	489	15	7
Balance to credit	173	14	7
	£779	7	10

Assets.	£	s.	d.
	£779	7	10

ALFRED PILLINGER, *Warden.*
J. BRADSHAW, *Treasurer.*
R. JONES, } *Councillors.*
JAMES LORD, JUN. }

Audit Office, 25th August, 1880.

SIR,

I HAVE the honor to inform you that in consequence of the Council Clerk of the Oatlands Municipality having delayed to furnish certain information required respecting the Accounts for the year 1879, and an unusually large number of Rates having been stated by him to have been uncollected on 31st December, it was thought necessary to inspect his Accounts to date. I therefore proceeded to Oatlands for that purpose on the 23rd instant, and regret to have to report the discovery of a serious defalcation, the particulars of which are given in the enclosed copy of a letter written and forwarded to the Warden.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

The Hon. the Colonial Treasurer.

Oatlands, 24th August, 1880.

SIR,

HAVING for the last two days investigated the Accounts of your Council Clerk to this date, I regret to inform you that there is a very serious deficiency in his cash amounting to £235 12*s.* 4*d.*, as per statement annexed.

The loose manner in which the Account Books and Record Books have been kept and allowed to fall into arrear is very discreditable: for instance, I found that the Council Clerk's Cash Book had not been entered up since the year 1875, the Treasurer's Cash Book since the 31st December, 1879; that the Receipt Book for Police Rates had not been used in every case for giving Receipts of Rates, and was therefore useless for the purposes of checking these receipts; that the Court of General Sessions Book and the Magisterial Fees and Fines Book were kept in a very slovenly manner, in many instances the cases not being properly recorded.

In consequence of these irregularities the statement referred to had to some extent to be made up, especially with regard to Police Rates, from information verbally given by Mr. M'Pherson; whereas if proper precautions had been taken to keep in order the books and documents introduced by the Government for keeping the Municipal Accounts, the information would have been available from the usual records so provided.

Your attention is requested to the large arrears of Rates stated to be outstanding; viz.—on account of 1878, £81 4*s.* 5*d.*; and on account of 1879, £124 15*s.* 9*d.*

Hoping that immediate steps will be taken to correct these irregularities,

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,
W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

ALFRED PILLINGER, *Esq., Warden, Municipality Oatlands.*

STATEMENT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Municipality of* OATLANDS *from the* 1*st day of January to the* 23*rd day of August,* 1880.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	Expenditure.	£	s.	d.
Police Rates on account 1879	507	8	1	Balance from 1879	489	15	7
Dog Licences	146	15	0	Less error, omission on account Insurance	0	2	3
Slaughtering Licences	20	0	0				
Drivers' and Coach Licences	6	10	0		489	13	4
Lodging-house ditto	0	10	0	Cheques drawn	597	8	0
Fees and Fines, Magisterial	24	4	6	Interest on overdraft, 30th June	25	14	6
Fees, Court of General Sessions	14	4	0				
Fees under Licensing Act	3	0	0				
Contribution from Tunbridge Police Station, three quarters, to 30th June	25	7	6				
Fire Insurance, ditto, repaid	0	9	0				
	748	8	1				
Balance	364	7	9				
	£1112	15	10		£1112	15	10

STATEMENT of Reconciliation of the Balances.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance per Bank Book, 23rd August, 1880	...			*Dr.* 583	9	0
Add Cheques drawn but not presented, No. 249	10	16	8			
Ditto, No. 250	7	17	7			
Ditto, old, No. 674	0	0	10			
Ditto, old, No. 107	0	10	0			
				19	5	1
				Dr. 602	14	1
Deduct Cash in hand	...			2	14	0
				Dr. 600	0	1
Balance, per Account	...			*Dr.* 364	7	9
Deficiency	...			£235	12	4

MUNICIPALITY OF RICHMOND.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* RICHMOND *from the 1st day of January to the 31st day of December,* 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878	...			75	19	1
Balance of Grant in Aid, 1878	42	8	3			
Advance of ditto, 1879	195	0	0			
Fines and Fees	57	5	6			
Fees, Court of General Sessions	7	2	3			
Dog Licences	96	10	0			
Slaughtering Licences	10	0	0			
Stage Coach Licences	3	0	0			
Drivers' Licences	1	0	0			
Entertainment Licences	2	0	0			
Night Licences	0	15	0			
Fees under Licensing Act	2	5	0			
Police Rate, 1879	573	18	4			
Ditto, arrears, 1878	52	5	9			
				1043	10	1
				£1119	9	2
Balance				69	1	6
				£1188	10	8

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
POLICE.						
Superintendent's Salary	182	10	0			
Police Pay	521	11	0			
Forage Allowance	20	0	0			
Police Horse, Jerusalem	15	0	0			
Police Clothing	52	15	0			
Fuel and Light	16	0	10			
Stationery and Stamps	5	10	3			
Printing and Advertising	6	5	6			
Medical Attendance	20	0	0			
Stores	3	19	3			
Repairs to Police Stations	10	10	0			
Miscellaneous	0	10	0			
Expenses, Removal of Police	2	0	0			
Rent of Jerusalem Police Station	15	12	0			
				872	3	10
MUNICIPAL.						
Warden's Salary	80	0	0			
Council Clerk's Salary	150	0	0			
Fuel and Light	3	15	3			
Printing and Advertising	11	1	0			
Inquests	10	19	0			
Stores	4	0	0			
Stationery	6	16	6			
Interest and Postage	10	5	9			
Rations	11	6	10			
Repairs to Municipal Buildings	11	1	10			
Insurance and Miscellaneous	2	12	8			
Conveyance of Prisoners	4	6	0			
Election Expenses	5	2	0			
Salary, Town Surveyor	5	0	0			
				316	6	10
				£1188	10	8

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 3rd August, 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

DUE TO THE MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
Sorell Municipality	0	4	6
Balance of Grant in Aid due for 1879	103	5	6
	£103	10	0

DUE BY THE MUNICIPALITY.	£	s.	d.
Due Commercial Bank	69	1	6
Balance	34	8	6
	£103	10	0

WINSTON C. SIMMONS, *Warden.*
WATLER RUMNEY, E. W. GOODWIN, A. J. OGILVY, EDWIN KEARNEY, *Councillors.*

Audit Office, 1st October, 1880.

SIR,

I HAVE the honor to inform you that, upon examining the Accounts of the Municipality of Richmond for the year 1879, a serious deficiency was discovered in the Council Clerk's cash amounting to £339 16*s*. This was at once reported to the Warden (see letter and statement enclosed), who has since informed me that the deficiency has been made up, and that the Council Clerk, Mr. H. Burbury, had been dismissed.

I regret that by accident this report has not been forwarded before this date.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

The Hon. the Colonial Treasurer.

Audit Office, 7th June, 1880.

MY DEAR SIR,

I HEREWITH forward a statement of Account of your Municipality for the year 1879, made from the books and vouchers forwarded, which, I believe, is substantially correct; although from the state in which the books, &c. were in there is some liability of error: however, Mr. Burbury, who attended at this office to-day, is prepared to accept the statement.

I also forward a Memorandum of comparison between the balance of the Municipal Account and the balance by the Bank Book, which I regret discloses a deficiency of Three hundred and thirty-nine pounds sixteen shillings (£339 16*s.*). This amount would have to be paid into the Bank, or an arrangement made by some responsible person for its liquidation, within a reasonable period to enable me to certify to the annual account.

I noticed when at Richmond that neither the Council Clerk's Cash Book nor the Treasurer's Cash Book had been entered up since the year 1878. This irregularity should not have been permitted, and I hope that immediate steps will be taken to complete the entries, and to secure the due record of all receipts on account of the Municipality for the future.

I may add that I took the opportunity of Mr. Burbury's attendance to impress upon him the very great risk he has run by his improper conduct.

Yours very truly,

W. LOVETT.

W. C. SIMMONS, *Esq., Warden, Richmond.*

STATEMENT of Reconciliation of Balances, Municipality of RICHMOND, 1879.

		£	s.	d.
Balance per Bank Pass Book, 31st December, 1879	*Dr.*	353	18	8
Deduct amount paid to Bank in 1880 on account of year 1879		135	11	6
		218	7	2
Add cheques drawn on account 1879, but not presented until 1880		190	10	4
	Dr.	408	17	6
Balance per Abstract	*Dr.*	69	1	6
Deficiency		£339	16	0

W. L.,
7th June, 1880.

MUNICIPALITY OF ROSS.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* ROSS, *from the* 1*st day of January to the* 31*st day of December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878	93	15	0
Grant in Aid of Municipal Fund for the year 1878	68	14	6
Fees and Fines	12	1	6
Dog Registration	50	0	
Slaughtering Licences	3	0	0
Lodging-house Licences	1	0	0
Fees, General Sessions	4	6	0
Fees under the Licensing Act	1	5	
Police Rate, 7*d.* in the £	404	19	
	£639	1	9

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
MUNICIPAL.						
Warden's Salary	50	0	0			
Council Clerk's Salary	50	0	0			
Treasurer's Salary	12	0	0			
Fuel and Light	5	15	6			
Printing and Advertising	5	12	0			
Stationery	2	8	0			
Bank Charges	0	8	4			
Rations	4	11	10			
Repairs to Buildings, &c.	47	2	5			
Miscellaneous	3	14	0			
Medical Attendance	0	7	6			
Insurance	1	10	0			
				183	9	7
POLICE.						
Superintendent's Salary	150	0	0			
Police Pay	191	12	6			
Police, in lieu of Clothing	4	0	0			
Fuel and Light	9	17	1			
Stationery	1	12	8			
Superintendent of Police, expenses on duty	0	18	6			
Contribution, Tunbridge Police Station	33	16	8			
				391	17	5
Balance	...			63	14	9
				£639	1	9

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 8th March, 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

Debts due to Municipality.	£	s.	d.	Debts due by Municipality.	£	s.	d.
Nil.				*Nil.*			

BALANCE SHEET, 31st DECEMBER, 1879.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.	Assets.	£	s.	d.
Nil.				Cash in Bank of Australasia	63	14	9

THOS. BLYTH, *Acting Warden.*

WILLIAM BROWN,
THOS. RIGGALL,
THOMAS PARRAMORE,
CHARLES ARCHER, } *Councillors.*

MUNICIPALITY OF SORELL.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* SORELL *from the 1st day of January to the 31st day of December,* 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Police Rates, 1879	413	7	9			
Municipal Rates, 1879	45	18	6			
Ditto, 1878	41	2	1			
Advance of Grant in Aid, on account of 1879	200	0	0			
Balance of Grant in Aid, 1878	107	15	7			
Fines and Fees	64	13	9			
Fees, Court of General Sessions	3	16	6			
Dog Licences, 1879	107	7	6			
Ditto, 1878	2	2	6			
Slaughtering ditto	6	10	0			
Stage Coach ditto	5	0	0			
Ditto Drivers' ditto	1	15	0			
Carter's Licences	1	0	0			
Fees under Licensing Act	3	0	0			
Poundage Fees	8	19	4			
				1012	8	6
Balance				99	2	7
				£1111	11	1

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878				206	16	0
POLICE.						
Superintendent's Salary	170	0	0			
Police Pay	406	0	0			
Ditto Clothing	30	7	6			
Fuel and Light	16	4	8			
Stationery	5	0	10			
Printing and Advertising	5	0	0			
Stores for Police	2	10	2			
Rent of Police Buildings	15	10	0			
				650	13	2
MUNICIPAL.						
Warden's Salary	50	0	0			
Council Clerk's ditto	150	0	0			
Fuel and Light	3	4	0			
Printing and Advertising	4	1	0			
Inquests	5	13	0			
Stationery	5	0	11			
Interest and postage	19	8	1			
Rations	3	16	11			
Miscellaneous	3	0	0			
Election expenses	9	18	0			
				254	1	11
				£1111	11	1

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 21*st June,* 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

Due to Municipality.	£	s.	d.
Police Forage (in dispute), from Government, 1878	3	7	0
Police Rates uncollected	4	15	1
Municipal Rates	2	17	4
In hands of Council Clerk	3	5	0
	£81	4	5

Due by Municipality.	£	s.	d.
Due Bank of Van Diemen's Land	99	2	7
Due Government (excess in advance for Subsidy)	6	9	8
	£105	12	3

BALANCE SHEET, 31 DECEMBER, 1879.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
Due by the Municipality	105	12	3

Assets.	£	s.	d.
Due to the Municipality	81	4	5
Balance, Dr.	24	7	10
	£105	12	3

JNO. T. CORAM, *Warden.*
E. MARSHALL, *Treasurer.*
CHAS. A. GUESDON,
RICHD. COPPING,
F. C. STEELE,
W. W. HENWOOD,
WM. PEACOCK,
} *Councillors.*

MUNICIPALITY OF SPRING BAY.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* SPRING BAY *from the* 1*st day of January to the* 31*st day of December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Police Rate, 1879	258	15	0			
Municipal ditto	86	5	0			
Licences, Dogs	61	0	0			
Ditto Slaughtering	4	10	0			
Ditto, Stage Coach and Drivers	1	5	0			
Fees under Licensing Act	2	5	0			
Ditto, Court of General Sessions	3	17	6			
Fines and Fees	29	11	6			
Rent of Police Reserve, Buckland	1	10	0			
Sale of old Carbines	3	8	0			
Balance Grant in Aid, 1878	304	5	8			
Ditto on account of 1879	380	0	0			
				1136	12	8
Balance		...		101	18	10
				£1238	11	6

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878				215	13	9
POLICE.						
Salary, Superintendent	182	10	0			
Police Pay	352	8	9			
Allowances to Police	30	0	0			
Police Clothing	31	13	0			
Printing	1	3	0			
Repairs to Buildings	84	10	6			
Insurance	1	5	0			
Stores and Arms	4	9	0			
				687	19	3
MUNICIPAL.						
Salary, Warden	60	0	0			
Ditto, Council Clerk	150	0	0			
Inquests	1	12	0			
Printing	1	3	0			
Interest	27	2	0			
Revising Assessment Roll	2	2	0			
Petty Cash	5	0	0			
Elections	5	5	0			
Repairs to Buildings	82	14	6			
				334	18	6
				£1238	11	6

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 21*st June*, 1880.

BALANCE SHEET.

Assets.	£	s.	d.
Municipal Rates, 1879	0	2	0
Police Rate	0	6	0
Balance of Grant in aid	93	0	9
Balance to debit	18	11	1
	£111	19	10

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
W. Wood, Fuel Allowance, 1879	3	0	0
C. White, Rations to Prisoners	7	1	0
Bank of Australasia	101	18	10
	£111	19	10

Balance to Dr. of Municipality 18 11 1

SAML. SALMON, *Warden.*
WM. LESTER,
JOHN C. TURVEY,
GEORGE ALBERT MACE, } *Councillors.*

MUNICIPALITY OF WESTBURY.

ABSTRACT of RECEIPTS *and* EXPENDITURE *of the Rural Municipality of* WESTBURY *from* 1*st January to the* 31*st December*, 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878	119	5	5
Fees and Fines	100	8	6
Court of Requests, Fees	27	17	0
Dog Registration ditto	179	0	0
Slaughtering Licence ditto	9	10	0
Cab and Drivers' ditto	2	5	0
Lodging-house Licences	1	0	0
Fees under Licensing Act	8	15	0
Rent of Land	8	13	0
Sale of Assessment Roll	0	15	0
Ditto Gunpowder	0	5	0
Repayment of portion of Loan to Municipal Loan Fund	139	0	10
General and Special Rate for the year 1879, at 9*d.* in the £	1251	7	11
Balance	43	14	4
	£1891	17	0

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
POLICE.						
Salary, Superintendent	175	0	0			
Police Pay	647	17	6			
Forage Allowance, Superintendent	25	0	0			
Ditto, Police	40	0	0			
House Allowance	5	7	6			
Police Clothing	59	12	6			
Rations, Fuel, and Light	16	16	6			
Stationery and Books	4	6	9			
Printing and Advertising	15	9	2			
Repairs to Police Buildings	2	14	6			
Erection of Police Station at Bracknell	132	18	0			
Stores, &c.	4	4	11			
Insurance	4	19	9			
				1134	7	1
MUNICIPAL.						
Salary, Warden	100	0	0			
Ditto, Council Clerk	250	0	0			
Rations, Fuel, and Light	16	16	6			
Stationery and Books	4	6	9			
Printing and Advertising	15	9	2			
Inquests	10	7	0			
Election Expenses	6	6	0			
Labour on Town streets	1	12	0			
Stores and Petty Expenses	8	2	1			
Furniture for Municipal Offices	18	5	5			
Rent of temporary office	14	16	0			
Labour, pulling down old Watchhouse	6	0	0			
				452	0	11
Transfer by way of Loan to Municipal Loan Fund	...			165	15	4
Transfer of amount of special rate of 1*d.* in the £ to Loan Fund	...			139	0	10
Interest and Postage	...			0	12	10
				£1891	17	0

Examined and found correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Hobart Town, 8*th March*, 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

Due to the Municipality.	£	s.	d.
Municipal Loan Fund	26	14	6

Due by the Municipality.	£	s.	d.
Commercial Bank	43	14	4

BALANCE SHEET, 31ST DECEMBER, 1879.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
Commercial Bank	43	14	4

Assets.	£	s.	d.
Municipal Loan Fund	26	14	6
Balance	16	19	10
	£43	14	4

Balance to Debit of Municipality ..... £16 19*s.* 10*d.*

ABSTRACT of Police Buildings Loan Fund, Municipality of WESTBURY, *from the* 1*st day of January,* 1879, *to the* 31*st December,* 1879.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1878	1007	10	0
Deposit on Contract	10	0	0
Carrick Committee, cost of enlargement at Police Office	70	0	0
Loan, Mortgage, No. 3, from James Hope, Esq.	600	0	0
Loan from Municipal Funds	165	15	4
Special Rate for 1879	139	0	10
	£1992	6	2

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.
Stamp Duty on Mortgages	4	2	6
Cantractor, Carrick Buildings, amount of Contract	359	12	0
Ditto, ditto, repayment of Deposit	10	0	0
Contractor, balance of Contract for Westbury Buildings	1323	2	6
Architect on account of Charges	80	0	0
Interest on Mortgages	75	15	4
Repayment of portion of Loan to Municipal Fund	139	0	10
Balance to credit	0	13	0
	£1992	6	2

Correct.

W. LOVETT, *Colonial Auditor.*

Audit Office, Hobart Town, 8*th March,* 1880.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

Due to the Loan Fund.
Nil.

Due by the Loan Fund.	£	s.	d.
Municipal Fund, balance of Loan	26	14	6
H. Conway, balance Architect's Charges	32	12	0
Mrs. Horne, half-year's Interest	18	0	0
	£77	6	6

BALANCE SHEET, 31ST DECEMBER, 1879.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.
Debts due	77	6	6

Assets.	£	s.	d.
Cash in Bank of Australasia	0	13	0
Balance	76	13	6
	£77	6	

Balance to Debit at Buildings Loan Fund..... £76 13*s.* 6*d.*

JOHN PEYTON JONES, *Warden.*
T. W. MONDS,
D. BURKE,
CHARLES BEST,
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