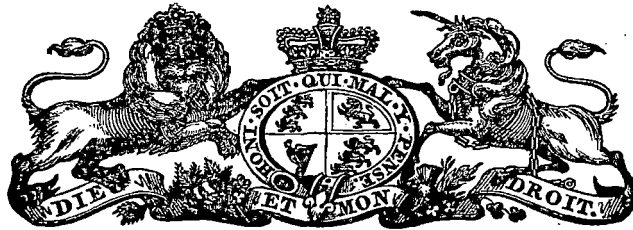


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H O U S E O F A S S E M B L Y.

**DEFENCES OF THE COLONY:**

**ESTIMATE OF PROBABLE EXPENDITURE.**

Laid upon the Table by the Colonial Treasurer, and ordered by the House to be printed, July 30, 1878.



## DEFENCES OF THE COLONY.

### ESTIMATE OF THE PROBABLE EXPENDITURE, TASMANIA.

**1878-9.**

DEFENCES OF THE COLONY. (Capital Expenditure.)	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Construction of and Alterations to Batteries .....	10,000	0	0			
Armament—						
Six 80-pounder Guns.....	3000	0	0			
Field Defence—						
Two 64-pounder Guns and Ammunition .....	3000	0	0			
Four Field Guns.....						
Two Gatling Guns and Ammunition .....						
Torpedo Defences and Stores.....	5000	0	0			
Electric Light .....	500	0	0			
Contingencies and Incidental Expenses .....	1000	0	0			
Snider Rifles .....	2000	0	0			
Telegraphic Communication .....	500	0	0			
				<b>£25,000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

**1878.**

PERMANENT STAFF.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SALARIES.						
Consulting Engineer (proportion of salary chargeable to the Colony) .....	118	0	0			
Commandant and Inspecting Field Officer; also Lieut.-Colonel Rifle Regiment .....	100	0	0			
Staff Officer (from 3rd May) .....	198	17	10			
Sergeant-Major (from 17th April) .....	111	0	0			
Two Sergeant Instructors (Hobart Town and Launceston)..	109	4	0			
* Master Gunner, Hobart Town (whole year).....	10	0	0			
* Assistant Master Gunner, Launceston (ditto) .....	10	0	0	657	1	10
ALLOWANCES.						
Travelling Expenses—						
Consulting Engineer .....	30	0	0			
Colonel Commandant and Inspecting Field Officer; also Lieut.-Colonel Rifle Regiment .....	35	0	0			
Lieut.-Colonel Commanding Northern Division .....	20	0	0			
Staff Officer .....	46	13	4	131	13	4
CONTINGENCIES.						
Stationery and Stores.....	20	0	0			
Fuel and Light .....	50	0	0			
Clothing .....	17	10	0			
Advertising .....	20	0	0			
Incidental Expenses .....	50	0	0	157	10	0
				<b>£946</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>

\* In addition to Salaries already voted for 1878; viz., £130 and £100 respectively.

PERMANENT ARTILLERY FORCE.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SALARIES.							
One Officer, Nineteen non-commissioned Officers and Men, 3 months .....					262	6	10
CONTINGENCIES.							
Personal Equipment .....	300	0	0				
Maintenance .....	100	0	0				
Fitting up Barracks .....	100	0	0				
Fuel and Light .....	25	0	0				
Stationery and Stores .....	10	0	0				
Incidental Expenses .....	50	0	0		585	0	0
VOLUNTEER FORCE.					£847	6	10
SALARIES.							
Two Officers, Engineer and Torpedo Corps .....	30	0	0				
Twelve non-commissioned Officers and Men, ditto .....	100	0	0		130	0	0
CONTINGENCIES.							
Ammunition .....	300	0	0				
Capitation Grant—32 Officers at £5 each, and 798 Men at 50s. each .....	2155	0	0				
Rifle Range .....	100	0	0				
Stationery and Stores .....	30	0	0				
Fuel and Light .....	220	0	0				
Incidental Expenses .....	100	0	0		2905	0	0
					£3035	0	0
RECAPITULATION—		£	s.	d.			
Permanent Staff .....	946	5	2				
Permanent Artillery .....	847	6	10				
Volunteer Force .....	3035	0	0				
		£4828	12	0			

## 1879.

PERMANENT STAFF.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SALARIES.							
Consulting Engineer (proportion of salary chargeable to the Colony) .....	141	12	0				
Commandant and Inspecting Field Officer; also, Lieut.- Colonel commanding Rifle Regiment .....	200	0	0				
Staff Officer .....	300	0	0				
Sergeant-Major .....	150	0	0				
Two Sergeant Instructors (at £2 2s. per week) .....	218	8	0				
Master Gunner (Hobart Town) .....	150	0	0				
Assistant Master Gunner (Launceston) .....	120	0	0		1280	0	0
ALLOWANCES.							
Travelling Expenses—							
Consulting Engineer .....	30	0	0				
Colonel Commandant and Inspecting Officer; also, Lieut.- Colonel Rifle Regiment .....	70	0	0				
Lieut.-Colonel; Northern Division .....	30	0	0				
Staff Officer .....	70	0	0		200	0	0
CONTINGENCIES.							
Stationery and Stores .....	30	0	0				
Fuel and Light .....	60	0	0				
Clothing .....	17	10	0				
Advertising .....	20	0	0				
Incidental Expenses .....	30	0	0		157	10	0
					£1637	10	0

PERMANENT ARTILLERY FORCE.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SALARIES.							
One Officer and Nineteen non-commissioned Officers and Men .....					1049	7	6
CONTINGENCIES.							
Maintenance .....	400	0	0				
Repairs to Barracks .....	30	0	0				
Fuel and Light .....	50	0	0				
Stationery and Stores .....	30	0	0				
Incidental Expenses .....	50	0	0				
					560	0	0
					<u>£1609</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>6</u>
VOLUNTEER FORCE.							
SALARIES.							
Two Officers, Engineer and Torpedo Corps .....	60	0	0				
Twelve non-commissioned Officers and Men, ditto .....	200	0	0		260	0	0
CONTINGENCIES.							
Capitation Grant—32 Officers at £5 each, and 798 Men at 50s. each .....	2155	0	0				
Repairs to Arms .....	30	0	0				
Repairs to Rifle Range .....	10	0	0				
Ammunition .....	400	0	0				
Stationery and Stores .....	50	0	0				
Fuel and Light .....	400	0	0				
Incidental Expenses .....	50	0	0				
					3095	0	0
					<u>£3355</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

## RECAPITULATION—

	£	s.	d.
Permanent Staff .....	1637	10	0
Permanent Artillery .....	1609	7	6
Volunteer Force .....	3355	0	0
	<u>£6601</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>6</u>

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