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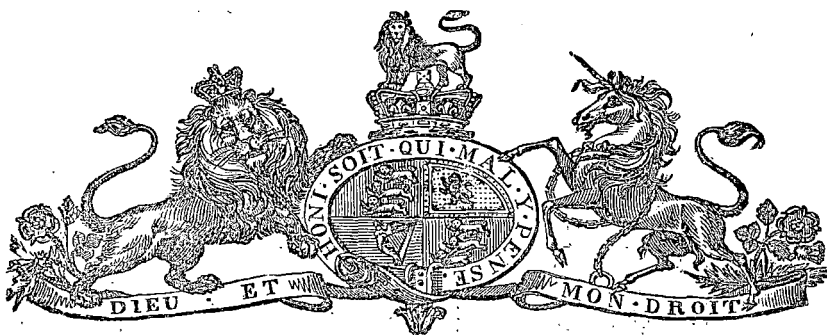
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T A S M A N I A.

POSTAL COMMUNICATION.

ACCOUNTS BETWEEN THE IMPERIAL AND COLONIAL
GOVERNMENTS.

Laid upon the Table by the Colonial Treasurer, and ordered by the House to be
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*STATEMENT showing the Amount paid by the Tasmanian Government for
POSTAL COMMUNICATION with Great Britain, via Suez, from 1st January, 1864,
to 31st December, 1867.*

For the Year 1864.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Proportion paid for Mail Packet Service between Great Britain and the Australian Colonies.....	3342	2	5			
Moiety of cost of Mail Service between Hobson's Bay and Launceston	874	11	2			
				4216	13	7

For the Year 1865.

Proportion paid for Mail Packet Service between Great Britain and the Australian Colonies.....	3342	2	5			
Moiety of cost of Mail Service between Hobson's Bay and Launceston	943	11	4			
				4285	13	9

For the Year 1866.

Proportion paid for Mail Packet Service between Great Britain and the Australian Colonies.....	2317	12	1			
Moiety of cost of Mail Service between Hobson's Bay and Launceston	930	10	0			
				3248	2	1

For the Year 1867.

Proportion paid for Mail Packet Service between Great Britain and the Australian Colonies.....	2806	15	0			
Moiety of cost of Mail Service between Hobson's Bay and Launceston	931	0	0			
				3737	15	0
				£15,488	4	5

W. LOVETT, *Assistant Colonial Treasurer.*

*Colonial Treasury,
30th June, 1868.*

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A like amount was paid by the British Government for their moiety of the cost of the same service.

STATEMENT of Account between H. M. GOVERNMENT and the Colony of TASMANIA for POSTAL COMMUNICATION with GREAT BRITAIN, from 1st January, 1864, to 31st December, 1866.

TO THE DEBIT OF TASMANIA.	AMOUNT.	TO THE CREDIT OF TASMANIA.	AMOUNT.	AMOUNT.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Amount charged by H. M. Government as the proportion due from Tasmania on account of the Mail Packet Service between Great Britain and the Australian Colonies, from the 1st January to 31st December, 1864	3342 2 5	1864. Paid to Launceston and Melbourne Steam Navigation Company, for Conveyance of English Mails to and from Launceston and Hobson's Bay, from 1st January to 31st December, 1864	1850 0 0	
Ditto, ditto, from 1st January to 31st December, 1865	3342 2 5	Deduct Penalty incurred for non-fulfilment of Contract on the 14th April, 1864	120 0 0	
Ditto, ditto, from 1st January to 31st December, 1866	2213 13 11		1730 0 0	
		Paid for transhipment of English Mails in Hobson's Bay, from 1st January to 31st December, 1864	19 2 4	
		1865. Paid to Launceston and Melbourne Steam Navigation Company for Conveyance of English Mails to and from Launceston and Hobson's Bay, from 1st January to 31st December, 1865	1850 0 0	
		Paid for transhipment of English Mails in Hobson's Bay, from 1st January to 31st December, 1865	12 0 0	
		Paid for Advertising, from 1st August to 4th September, 1865, in the Melbourne <i>Argus</i> , inviting Tenders for Conveyance of English Mails	19 10 0	
		Ditto in <i>Hobart Town Advertiser</i> for advertising, from 28th July to 2nd September, inviting Tenders for Conveyance of English Mails	2 4 0	
		Ditto, ditto, in <i>Launceston Examiner</i>	3 8 9	
		1866. Paid to Launceston and Melbourne Steam Navigation Company for Conveyance of English Mails to and from Launceston and Hobson's Bay, from 1st January to 31st December, 1866	1850 0 0	
		Paid for transhipment of English Mails in Hobson's Bay, from 1st January to 31st December, 1866. (One month's Mails; viz., those for May not having been charged for)	11 0 0	
			5497 5 1	
		Of which one Moiety is chargeable to the Home Government	2748 12 6½
		Credits on amount of Penalties inflicted, &c., proportion to Tasmania as per Account furnished by General Post Office, London, for the Year 1866	59 18 10
		1867. Dec. 23. Paid by the Colonial Treasurer to the Commissariat Officer in charge	6089 7 4½
	£8897 18 9			£8897 18 9

Assuming the accuracy of the figures furnished by the Accountant-General of the Imperial Post Office, I certify the Account to be correct.

E. J. MANLEY, *Colonial Auditor.*

Audit Office, 23rd December, 1867.

S. T. HARDINGE, *Secretary.*

*General Post Office, Hobart Town, Tasmania,
23rd December, 1867.*

STATEMENT of Account between H. M. GOVERNMENT and the Colony of TASMANIA for POSTAL COMMUNICATION with GREAT BRITAIN, for the Year 1867.

TO THE DEBIT OF TASMANIA.	AMOUNT.	TO THE CREDIT OF TASMANIA.	AMOUNT.	AMOUNT.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Amount charged by Her Majesty's Government as the proportion due from Tasmania on account of the Mail Packet Service between Great Britain and the Australian Colonies, from 1st January to 31st December, 1867....	2859 4 0	1867. Allowance to Tasmania on account of previous years, as per Statement A., on Account from London for Year 1867	52 9 0
Sum charged to Tasmania on account of under charges in 1866, as per Statement B. on Account from London for Year 1867	163 17 0	Paid to Launceston and Melbourne Steam Navigation Company for Conveyance of English Mail to and from Hobson's Bay and Launceston, from 1st January to 31st December, 1867	1850 0 0	
		Paid for Transhipment of English Mails in Hobson's Bay	12 0 0	
		Of which One Moiety is chargeable to the Home Government.....	1862 0 0	931 0 0
		1868. June 12. Paid by the Colonial Treasurer to the Officer in charge of the Commissariat Chest, Hobart Town.	..	2039 12 0
	<u>£3023 1 0</u>			<u>£3023 1 0</u>

Assuming the accuracy of the figures furnished by the Accountant-General of the Imperial Post Office, I certify this Account to be correct.

Audit Office, 12th June, 1868.

E. J. MANLEY, Colonial Auditor.

S. T. HARDINGE, Secretary.

General Post Office, Hobart Town,
12th June, 1868.

JAMES BARNARD,
GOVERNMENT PRINTER, TASMANIA.