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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

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BOARD OF IMMIGRATION:

REPORT FOR 1877.

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Laid upon the Table by Mr. Moore, and ordered by the Council to be printed,  
July 16, 1878.



*Immigration Office, 18th March, 1878.*

SIR,

THE Board of Immigration have the honor to forward their Annual Report for the year ended 31st December, 1877.

The number of Immigrants who came out under the Bounty System was smaller than for some years past, while the number of tickets issued was larger.

The Immigrants introduced consisted of one married couple, three single males, and two single females,—in all seven souls; and the cost to the Board was fifty-seven pounds.

Land Certificates were granted to thirty-four individuals under the 7th Section of the Act 31 Vict. No. 26, entitling them to select seventeen hundred and sixty acres of the waste lands of the Crown. These Certificates represent twenty-seven male and twenty-three female adults, and forty-two children,—in all ninety-two souls.

Five Land Orders were issued under the 5th Section of the same Act, entitling the holders to select five hundred and ninety-four acres of land, and representing twelve male and eight female adults and twenty children,—in all forty souls.

During the year the Board issued nine family, six male, and fourteen female Bounty Tickets, receiving the sum of two hundred and sixty-five pounds in payment.

In August last the Board issued instructions for the printing in London of a revised edition of the Paper entitled "Information for intending Emigrants," to the number of 10,000. Of these 1000 will be sent to the Colony, 7000 are to be handed to the Agents of the Board in London for distribution by their local Agents in different parts of the United Kingdom, and 2000 they have decided to place at the disposal of Mr. Richall Richardson, a gentleman who proposes to travel through England with an Exhibition of Tasmanian products, and to deliver lectures on the Colony.

The balance at the disposal of the Board on the 31st December amounted to £5780 19s. 7d.

Appended are the usual Returns prepared by the Immigration Agent,—five relating to the operations of the Board under the Bounty System, and two to transactions under the Acts of Parliament 31 Vict. No. 26, and 38 Vict. No. 16.

A statement is also appended showing the acreage taken up by the holders of Land Certificates and Land Orders since the date of the last Report.

We have the honor to be,  
Sir,

Your obedient Servants,

WM. MOORE, *President.*  
W. R. GIBLIN.  
HENRY BUTLER.  
FRED<sup>K</sup> M. INNES.  
J. M. WILSON.

*The Hon. the Colonial Secretary.*

## No. 1.

*RETURN of Immigrants introduced into Tasmania at the Public Expense during the Year ending 31st December, 1877.*

	Immigrants introduced, and Amount of Money paid.						Total Cost of Passage Money.	Total Souls arrived.	
	Married.		Single.		TOTAL.	Rate.			Cost.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		£			£
Hobart Town .....	1	1	1	1	4	16	64	64	4
Launceston .....	—	—	2	1	3	—	48	48	3
	1	1	3	2	7	—	112	112	7

Total Passage Money as above .....	£	£
	..	112
Deduct amount of Deposits on		
{ 1 Family Ticket .....	15	
{ 3 Male Tickets .....	30	
{ 2 Female Tickets .....	10	
	—	55
Cost to the Board .....	£57	

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## No. 2.

*NATIVE Countries and Religions of Immigrants arrived during the Year ended 31st December, 1877.*

Country and Religion.	Married.		Single.		TOTAL SOULS.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
England .....	1	1	—	1	1	2
Ireland .....	—	—	1	—	1	—
Scotland .....	—	—	2	1	2	1
Other Countries .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL .....	1	1	3	2	4	3
Protestant .....	1	1	2	2	3	3
Roman Catholic .....	—	—	1	—	1	—
Other Religions .....	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL .....	1	1	3	2	4	3

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## No. 3.

*OCCUPATIONS of Immigrants introduced during the Year ended 31st December, 1877.*

MALES.		FEMALES.	
Labourers .....	3	General Servants .....	2
Gas Fitter .....	1	Sempstress .....	1

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## No. 4.

*RETURN of Liabilities of the Board of Immigration on Overdue and Outstanding Bounty Tickets under the Regulations of the 21st December, 1858, and 1st January, 1868, on the 31st December, 1877.*

	Family Tickets.	Single Tickets.		Amount.	
		M.	F.	£	£
Under Regulations of 21st December, 1858 .....	10	20	46		580
Under Regulations of 1st January, 1868 :—					
Overdue .....	2	2	3	65	
Outstanding .....	7	5	12	215	280
	9	7	15		860

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## No. 5.

*RETURN of Liabilities of Government for Repayments on Overdue Bounty Tickets under the Bounty Regulations of 24th January, 1854; 1st March, 1856; and 1st July, 1856; on the 31st December, 1877.*

	Tickets Overdue.		Total Liabilities.
	Family Tickets.	Single Tickets.	
Under Regulations 24th January, 1854, chargeable against the General Revenue ..	58	136	£ 698
Ditto, 1st March, 1856, chargeable against the Board of Immigration .....	28	63	329
Ditto, 1st July, 1856 .....	—	12	60
	86	211	1087

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## No. 6.

*RETURN showing the Names of Applicants, and the Number of Acres granted by Certificate, under the 7th Section of 31st Vict. No. 26, during the Year 1877.*

Name of Applicant.	Date of Certificate.	No. of Acres granted.	Name of Applicant.	Date of Certificate.	No. of Acres granted.
G. F. Simpson .....	3 January	90	Thos. Middleton .....	17 July	30
Edward Mace .....	9 January	100	James Thompson .....	31 July	30
Gilbert Butland .....	11 January	30	William Donovan .....	9 August	90
Joseph Dalco .....	22 January	30	Alexander Irvine .....	24 September	110
Eugenie Dalco .....	22 January	30	Joseph Huston .....	24 September	50
Emily Colbourne .....	3 February	30	Frederick S. Gray .....	24 September	30
Elizabeth Sawyer .....	23 March	30	Janet Brown .....	24 September	30
F. J. Potter .....	23 March	70	George R. Tofft .....	24 September	100
F. Ventry .....	23 March	50	Patrick C. Higgins .....	5 October	100
Ernest J. Crouch .....	3 April	30	Margaret L. Martin .....	12 October	30
Joseph H. Ozanne .....	27 April	30	Major-General H. N. Hodgson	30 October	90
George Spilsbury .....	27 April	30	John M'Kenzie .....	5 November	70
Albert M. Archer .....	5 May	30	Thos Peden .....	5 November	60
John Denham .....	5 May	30	Henry Harris .....	16 November	50
Miss Allison Bald .....	11 May	30	M. W. Gilleran .....	20 November	30
Edward Langley .....	29 June	80	John Hackford .....	22 November	50
R. J. Ellis .....	13 July	60	Jane Kerr .....	30 November	30
			TOTAL .....	..	1760

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## No. 7.

*RETURN showing the Names of Applicants, and the Number of Acres granted to the Holders of Land Order Warrants under the 5th Section of 31st Vict. No. 26, during the Year 1877.*

Name of Applicant.	Date of Land Order.	No. of Acres granted.	Name of Applicant.	Date of Land Order.	No. of Acres granted.
Frampton, George .....	5 January	36	Neck, Alfred .....	23 July	108
Hazzle, Eliza .....	11 January	18	Henshall, Edward .....	30 July	18
Fincham, Mary .....	3 March	54	Burchett, Harry .....	6 August	18
Ritchie, Robert .....	9 March	108	Putney, William .....	23 October	18
White, William .....	23 March	108	Lines, James .....	29 October	18
Bishop, Henry .....	3 May	36	Haines, Harry .....	3 December	36
Turner, John .....	9 May	18			
			TOTAL .....	..	594

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## No. 8.

*RETURN showing the Names of Persons who have selected Land under Certificates and Land Orders granted in accordance with the provisions of 31st Vict. No. 26, specifying the area selected by virtue of such Certificate or Order, and the additional area of Land purchased by the same individual, with the price given for the same; also the dates of selection and purchase up to the 31st December, 1877.*

Name.	Area selected.			Area purchased.			Price per Acre.		Date of Location Order.	Date of Purchase.	District.	
	A.	R.	P.	A.	R.	P.	£	s. d.				
Walker, Frank .....	30	0	0	..	..	..	..	..	3 Jan., 1877	..	Vicinity Mole Creek.	
Steele, Gilbert .....	30	0	0	..	..	..	..	..	8 Jan., 1877	..	Parish Pedder.	
Green, Matthew .....	110	0	0	..	..	..	..	..	26 Jan., 1877	..	Castra.	
Phillips, Charles .....	80	0	0	100	0	0	1	0	0	2 Mar., 1877	16 May, 1876	Parish Conningham.
Burgess, William .....	30	0	0	..	..	..	..	..	2 Mar., 1877	..	Ditto.	
Barnard, E. K. ....	100	0	0	..	..	..	..	..	20 Mar., 1877	..	Parish Glenorchy.	
Surridge, Susan .....	50	0	0	..	..	..	..	..	9 Apl., 1877	..	Parish Longley.	
Fitzgerald, Henry .....	100	0	0	297	0	0	1	0	0	5 May, 1877	1 June, 1877	Parish Kay.
Phillips, Stearne .....	101	0	0	202	0	0	1	0	0	11 May, 1877	6 June, 1877	Ditto.
Lodder, William Wynne	80	0	0	..	..	..	..	..	21 May, 1877	..	Parish Ashwater.	
Haywood, Thomas .....	30	0	0	50	0	0	1	0	0	29 June, 1877	5 July, 1877	County Wellington.
Mace, Edward .....	100	0	0	95	0	0	1	0	0	27 July, 1877	13 July, 1877	Parish Wellington.
Forrest, Houghton .....	100	0	0	..	..	..	..	..	18 July, 1877	..	Parish Branxholm.	
Furlong, C. G. H. ....	90	0	0	..	..	..	..	..	2 Aug., 1877	..	Parish Camden.	
Wallace, Henry Stanley	90	0	0	..	..	..	..	..	3 Nov., 1877	..	Patersonia.	
<i>Previously published..</i>	3556	0	0	1238	0	0						
	4677	0	0	1982	0	0						

H. J. HULL, Deputy Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands and Works Office,  
14th March, 1878.