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STATISTICAL REGISTER OF VICTORIA, 1878.

BLUE BOOK.

GOVERNORS.

RETURN showing the Names of the Governors and Acting-Governors of the Colony of Victoria, and the Dates of their Assumption of and Retirement from Office.

Name.	Office.	Date of Assumption of Office.	Date of Retirement from Office.
Charles Joseph La Trobe	Superintendent of the District of Port Phillip	30 Sept. 1839	5 May 1854
John Vesey Fitzgerald Foster	Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of Victoria	15 July 1851	22 June 1854
Sir Charles Hotham, K.C.B.	Officer administering the Government of the Colony of Victoria	8 May 1854	
Major-General Edward Macarthur	Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of Victoria	22 June 1854	31 Dec. 1855 ¹
Sir Henry Barkly, K.C.B.	Officer administering the Government of the Colony of Victoria	1 Jan. 1856	26 Dec. 1856
Sir Charles Henry Darling, K.C.B.	Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of the Colony of Victoria, and Vice-Admiral of the same	26 Dec. 1856	10 Sept. 1863
Brigadier-General George Jackson Carey, C.B.	Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Victoria	11 Sept. 1863	7 May 1866
The Right Hon. John Henry Thomas Viscount Canterbury, K.C.B.	Officer administering the Government of the Colony of Victoria	7 May 1866	15 Aug. 1866
Sir William Foster Stawell... ..	Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Victoria	15 Aug. 1866	2 Mar. 1873
Sir George Ferguson Bowen, G.C.M.G. ²	Officer administering the Government of the Colony of Victoria	3 Mar. 1873	19 Mar. 1873
Sir Redmond Barry	Administrator of the Government of the Colony of Victoria,	31 Mar. 1873	
Sir William Foster Stawell... ..	Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Victoria, and Vice-Admiral of the same	30 July 1873	22 Feb. 1879
The Most Hon. George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, K.G.C.M.G.	Administrator of the Government of the Colony of Victoria	3 Jan. 1875	10 Jan. 1875
	Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Victoria	11 Jan. 1875	14 Jan. 1876
	Administrator of the Government of the Colony of Victoria	27 Feb. 1879	Still in office.
	Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Victoria	29 April 1879	

¹ Died at this date.—² Sir G. F. Bowen absent on leave from 31st December 1874 to 14th January 1876.

MINISTRIES.

RETURN showing the Names of the Members of the successive Ministries which have held Office in Victoria since the inauguration of Responsible Government, together with the Dates of their Assumption of Office and Retirement therefrom.

. The Representative of the Government in the Upper House is indicated by the letters "M.L.C."

Number of Ministry.	Name of Minister.	Office.	Date of Assumption of Office.	Date of Retirement from Office.
I.	William Clark Haines	Chief Secretary	28 Nov. 1855	11 Mar. 1857
	William Foster Stawell	Attorney-General	28 Nov. 1855	25 Feb. 1857 ¹
	succeeded by			
	Thos. Howard Fellows	Ditto	25 Feb. 1857	11 Mar. 1857
	Charles Sladen	Treasurer	28 Nov. 1855	11 Mar. 1857
	Charles Pasley	Commissioner of Public Works	28 Nov. 1855	11 Mar. 1857
	Hugh Culling Eardley Childers	Commissioner of Trade and Customs	28 Nov. 1855	25 Feb. 1857
	succeeded by			
	John Goodman	Ditto	25 Feb. 1857	11 Mar. 1857
	Andrew Clarke	Surveyor-General	28 Nov. 1855	11 Mar. 1857
	Robert Molesworth	Solicitor-General	28 Nov. 1855	17 June 1856 ²
	succeeded by			
Thomas Howard Fellows	Ditto	27 June 1856	25 Feb. 1857	
succeeded by				
Robert Sacheverel Wilmot Sitwell	Ditto	25 Feb. 1857	11 Mar. 1857	
William Henry Fancourt Mitchell, M.L.C. ³	(Without office)	28 Nov. 1855	11 Mar. 1857	
II. ⁴	John O'Shanassy	Chief Secretary	11 Mar. 1857	29 April 1857
	Henry Samuel Chapman ⁵	Attorney-General		
	John Vesey Fitzgerald Foster	Treasurer		
	Charles Gavan Duffy	Commissioner of Public Works		
	Augustus Fredc. Adolphus Greeves ⁶	Commissioner of Trade and Customs		
	George Samuel Wegg Horne... ..	Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey... ..		
	John Dennistoun Wood ⁷	Solicitor-General		

¹ Appointed Chief Justice at this date.—² Appointed Puisne Judge at this date.—³ Sworn in as a Member of the Executive Council, 21 November 1856.—⁴ This Ministry having been met by a vote of want of confidence immediately on the assembling of Parliament, no representative in the Upper House was appointed.—⁵ Not a Member of Parliament.—⁶ Not re-elected after vacating seat in Parliament upon acceptance of office.—⁷ Not a Member of Parliament from date of accepting office until 20 April 1857.

MINISTRIES.

RETURN showing the Names of the Members of successive Ministries, &c.—*continued.*

Number of Ministry.	Name of Minister.	Office.	Date of Assumption of Office.	Date of Retirement from Office.
III.	William Clark Haines	Chief Secretary	29 Apr. 1857	10 Mar. 1858
	Archibald Michie	Attorney-General		
	Charles Hotson Ebdon	Treasurer		
	David Moore	President of the Board of Land and Works		
	James McCulloch	Commissioner of Trade and Customs ...		
	Thomas Howard Fellows	Solicitor-General		
	Wm. Henry Fancourt Mitchell	Postmaster-General		
	James Ford Strachan, M.L.C. ¹	(Without office)		
IV.	John O'Shanassy	Chief Secretary	10 Mar. 1858	27 Oct. 1859
	Henry Samuel Chapman	Attorney-General	10 Mar. 1858	27 Oct. 1859
	George Harker	Treasurer	10 Mar. 1858	27 Oct. 1859
	Charles Gavan Duffy	President of the Board of Land and Works	10 Mar. 1858	22 Mar. 1859
	... ..	Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey	21 Dec. 1858	22 Mar. 1859
	George Samuel Evans	Ditto	22 Mar. 1859	27 Oct. 1859
	Henry Miller	Commissioner of Trade and Customs ...	10 Mar. 1858	27 Oct. 1859
	Richard Davies Ireland	Solicitor-General	10 Mar. 1858	27 Oct. 1859
	George Samuel Evans	Postmaster-General	10 Mar. 1858	27 Oct. 1859
	George Samuel Wegg Horne	Commissioner of Public Works	21 Dec. 1858	27 Oct. 1859
	Thomas McCombie, M.L.C. ²	(Without office)	10 Mar. 1858	27 Oct. 1859
V.	William Nicholson	Chief Secretary	27 Oct. 1859	26 Nov. 1860
	John Dennistoun Wood	Attorney-General	27 Oct. 1859	26 Nov. 1860
	James McCulloch	Treasurer	27 Oct. 1859	26 Nov. 1860
	James Service	President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey	27 Oct. 1859	3 Sept. 1860
	... ..	Ditto	3 Sept. 1860	24 Sept. 1860
	Augustus Fredc. Adolphus Greeves	Ditto	24 Sept. 1860	26 Nov. 1860
	John Charles King	Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Public Works	27 Oct. 1859	25 Nov. 1859
	James Goodall Francis	Ditto	25 Nov. 1859	3 Sept. 1860
	John Robinson Bailey	Ditto	3 Sept. 1860	2 Oct. 1860
	Vincent Pyke	Ditto	2 Oct. 1860	26 Nov. 1860
	Vincent Pyke	Commissioner of Trade and Customs ...	27 Oct. 1859	29 Oct. 1860
	John Robinson Bailey	Ditto	29 Oct. 1860	26 Nov. 1860
	Travers Adamson	Solicitor-General	27 Oct. 1859	5 Mar. 1860
	James Frederic Martley	Ditto	5 Mar. 1860	26 Nov. 1860
	John Robinson Bailey	Postmaster-General	27 Oct. 1859	29 Oct. 1860
	Hibbert Newton	Ditto	29 Oct. 1860	26 Nov. 1860
	Thomas Howard Fellows, M.L.C.	(Without office)	27 Oct. 1859	26 Nov. 1860
VI.	Richard Heales	Chief Secretary	26 Nov. 1860	14 Nov. 1861
	Richard Davies Ireland	Attorney-General	26 Nov. 1860	29 July 1861
	Butler Cole Aspinall	Ditto	29 July 1861	14 Nov. 1861
	George Frederic Verdon	Treasurer	26 Nov. 1860	14 Nov. 1861
	John Henry Brooke	President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey	26 Nov. 1860	14 Nov. 1861
	James Stewart Johnston	Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Public Works	26 Nov. 1860	20 Feb. 1861
	James Macpherson Grant	Ditto	20 Feb. 1861	14 Nov. 1861
	Robert Stirling Anderson	Commissioner of Trade and Customs ...	26 Nov. 1860	20 Feb. 1861
	George Brodie	Ditto	20 Feb. 1861	4 Mar. 1861
	Thomas Loader	Ditto	6 Mar. 1861 21 Mar. 1861 ³	21 Mar. 1861 ³ 10 June 1861
	James Forrester Sullivan	Ditto	10 June 1861	14 Nov. 1861
	Thomas Loader	Commissioner of Railways	26 Nov. 1860	4 Dec. 1860
	John Houston	Ditto	21 May 1861	14 Nov. 1861
	John Basson Humffray	Commissioner of Mines	26 Nov. 1860	14 Nov. 1861
	Thomas Loader	Postmaster-General	4 Dec. 1860	21 Mar. 1861
	John Macadam	Ditto	26 April 1861	14 Nov. 1861
	Thomas Turner a'Beckett, M.L.C. ⁴	(Without office)	26 Nov. 1860	11 Nov. 1861
David Elliot Wilkie, M.L.C. ⁵	(Without office)	26 Nov. 1860	11 Nov. 1861	

¹ Sworn in as a Member of the Executive Council, 27 May 1857.—² Sworn in as a Member of the Executive Council, 27 October 1859.—³ Resigned office, without salary, on 21 March 1861; re-appointed on the same date with salary.—⁴ Sworn in as a Member of the Executive Council, 7 January 1861, —⁵ Sworn in as a Member of the Executive Council, 2 September 1861.

MINISTRIES.

RETURN showing the Names of the Members of successive Ministries, &c.—*continued.*

Number of Ministry.	Name of Minister.	Office.	Date of Assumption of Office.	Date of Retirement from Office.
VII.	John O'Shanassy	Chief Secretary	14 Nov. 1861	} 27 June 1863
	William Clark Haines	Treasurer	14 Nov. 1861	
	Richard Davies Ireland	Attorney-General	14 Nov. 1861	
	John Dennistoun Wood	Minister of Justice	14 Nov. 1861	
	Charles Gavan Duffy	President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey	14 Nov. 1861	
	James Stewart Johnston	Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Public Works	14 Nov. 1861	
	Robert Stirling Anderson	Commissioner of Trade and Customs ...	14 Nov. 1861	
	George Samuel Evans	Postmaster-General	30 Dec. 1861	
Wm. Henry Fancourt Mitchell, M.L.C.	Commissioner of Railways and Roads ...	30 Dec. 1861		
Charles Mac Mahon	(Without office)	14 Nov. 1861		
VIII.	James McCulloch	Chief Secretary	27 June 1863	6 May 1868
	George Higinbotham	Attorney-General	27 June 1863	6 May 1868
	George Frederic Verdon	Treasurer	27 June 1863	5 May 1868
	Richard Heales	President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey	27 June 1863	19 June 1864 ¹
	succeeded by James Macpherson Grant	Ditto	5 Sept. 1864	6 May 1868
	Matthew Hervey	Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Public Works	27 June 1863	22 July 1865
	succeeded by Wm. Mountford Kinsey Vale	Ditto	18 July 1866	6 May 1868
	James Goodall Francis	Commissioner of Trade and Customs ...	27 June 1863	6 May 1868
	James Forrester Sullivan	Minister of Mines	27 June 1863	18 July 1866
	succeeded by John Macgregor	Ditto	18 July 1866	6 May 1868
	James Macpherson Grant	Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Railways and Roads	27 June 1863	5 Sept. 1864
	succeeded by Henry Miller	Ditto	18 July 1866	16 Jan. 1867
	succeeded by John Macgregor	Ditto	21 Jan. 1867	4 Mar. 1867
	succeeded by James Forrester Sullivan	Ditto	4 Mar. 1867	6 May 1868
	Archibald Michie	Minister of Justice	14 July 1863	18 July 1866
	succeeded by Samuel Henry Bindon	Ditto	18 July 1866	6 May 1868
	Thomas Howard Fellows	Postmaster-General	14 Oct. 1863	24 Mar. 1864
	succeeded by James McCulloch	Ditto	9 May 1864	6 May 1868
George Ward Cole, M.L.C. ²	(Without office)	27 June 1863	6 May 1868	
IX.	Charles Sladen, M.L.C.	Chief Secretary	6 May 1868	} 11 July 1868
	Thomas Howard Fellows	Minister of Justice	6 May 1868	
	Morgan Augustus MacDonnell	Attorney-General	6 May 1868	
	Edward Langton	Treasurer	6 May 1868	
	Duncan Gillies ³	President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey	6 May 1868	
	Michael O'Grady ³	Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Public Works	6 May 1868	
	William Bayles	Commissioner of Trade and Customs ...	6 May 1868	
George Briscoe Kerferd	Minister of Mines and Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works	8 May 1868		
X.	James McCulloch	Chief Secretary and Treasurer	11 July 1868	20 Sept. 1869
	James Macpherson Grant	President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey	11 July 1868	20 Sept. 1869
	James Forrester Sullivan	Minister of Mines	11 July 1868	20 Sept. 1869
	George Higinbotham	Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Railways and Roads ...	1 Feb. 1869	20 Sept. 1869
	George Higinbotham	Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works (without salary)	12 April 1869	2 Sept. 1869
	Wm. Mountford Kinsey Vale	Commissioner of Trade and Customs ...	11 July 1868	25 May 1869
	George Paton Smith	Attorney-General	11 July 1868	20 Sept. 1869
	James Joseph Casey	Minister of Justice	11 July 1868	20 Sept. 1869
	James Joseph Casey	Solicitor-General	2 Sept. 1869	20 Sept. 1869
	Charles Edwin Jones	Commissioner of Railways and Roads ...	11 July 1868	9 Mar. 1869
	George Verney Smith	Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works	3 Aug. 1868	9 Mar. 1869
	John McCrae, M.L.C.	Postmaster-General	11 July 1868	20 Sept. 1869
George Rolfe ⁴	Commissioner of Public Works	25 Jan. 1869	20 Sept. 1869	
George Rolfe ⁴	Commissioner of Trade and Customs ...	2 Sept. 1869	20 Sept. 1869	
William Wilson	Commissioner of Railways and Roads ...	2 Sept. 1869	20 Sept. 1869	

¹ Died at this date.—² Sworn in as a Member of the Executive Council, 20 November 1867.—³ Not re-elected after vacating seat in Parliament upon acceptance of office.—⁴ Not a Member of Parliament at time of appointment; but was elected for Crowlands, 9 October 1869, after the retirement of the Ministry.

MINISTRIES.

RETURN showing the Names of the Members of successive Ministries, &c.—*continued.*

Number of Ministry.	Name of Minister.	Office.	Date of Assumption of Office.	Date of Retirement from Office.	
XI.	John Alexander MacPherson ...	Chief Secretary ...	20 Sept. 1869	9 April 1870	
	Robert Byrne ¹ ...	Treasurer ...			21 Jan. 1870
	succeeded by				
	Graham Berry ...	Ditto ...	20 Sept. 1869	9 April 1870	
	Morgan Augustus MacDonnell ...	Attorney-General ...			
	James McKean ...	President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey	19 Jan. 1870	19 Jan. 1870	
	Isaac Godfrey Reeves ¹ ...	Commissioner of Public Works ...			
	succeeded by				
	William McLellan ...	Ditto ...	20 Sept. 1869	9 April 1870	
	Edward Cohen ...	Commissioner of Trade and Customs ...			
John Thomas Smith ...	Minister of Mines ...	19 Jan. 1870	9 April 1870		
Francis Longmore ...	Commissioner of Railways and Roads ...				
Butler Cole Aspinall ...	Solicitor-General ...	20 Sept. 1869			
Caleb Joshua Jenner, M.L.C. ² ...	(Without office) ...				
XII.	James McCulloch ...	Chief Secretary ...	9 April 1870	19 June 1871	
	Archibald Michie ...	Attorney-General ...			
	James Goodall Francis ...	Treasurer ...			
	Thomas Turner a'Beckett, M.L.C. ...	Commissioner of Trade and Customs ...			
	William Wilson ...	Commissioner of Railways and Roads ...			
	John Alexander MacPherson ...	President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey			
	Henry John Wrixon ...	Solicitor-General ...			
William Bates ...	Commissioner of Public Works ...				
Angus Mackay ...	Minister of Mines ...				
XIII.	Charles Gavan Duffy ...	Chief Secretary ...	19 June 1871	10 June 1872	
	James Macpherson Grant ...	President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey	19 June 1871		
	Graham Berry ...	Treasurer ...	19 June 1871	21 May 1872	
	Michael O'Grady ...	Commissioner of Public Works and a Vice- President of the Board of Land and Works	19 June 1871		
	Francis Longmore ...	Commissioner of Railways and Roads and a Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works	19 June 1871	10 June 1872	
	William McLellan ...	Minister of Mines ...	19 June 1871		
	Howard Spensley ...	Solicitor-General ...	19 June 1871	23 Nov. 1871	
	Graham Berry ...	Commissioner of Trade and Customs ...	19 June 1871		
	succeeded by				
	William Mountford Kinsey Vale ...	Ditto ...	23 Nov. 1871	10 June 1872	
Robert Walsh ...	Attorney-General ...	5 July 1871			
William Arthur Callander a'Beckett, M.L.C. ³ ...	(Without office) ...	19 June 1871			
Caleb Joshua Jenner, M.L.C. ...	Ditto ...				
XIV.	James Goodall Francis ...	Chief Secretary ...	10 June 1872	31 July 1874	
	Edward Langton ...	Treasurer and Postmaster-General ...			
	James Joseph Casey ...	Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey and President of the Board of Land and Works			
	James Wilberforce Stephen ...	Attorney-General ...		1 May 1874	
	succeeded by				
	George Briscoe Kerferd ...	Ditto ...	2 May 1874	31 July 1874	
	Duncan Gillies ...	Commissioner of Railways and Roads ...	10 June 1872		
	George Briscoe Kerferd ...	Solicitor-General ...			
	Edward Cohen ...	Commissioner of Trade and Customs ...	14 June 1872	4 May 1874	
	Angus Mackay ...	Minister of Mines ...			17 June 1872
	Alexander Fraser, M.L.C. ...	Commissioner of Public Works ...			
	succeeded by				
	Robert Stirling Anderson, M.L.C. ...	Ditto ...	4 May 1874	31 July 1874	
James Joseph Casey ...	Minister of Agriculture ...	19 June 1872			
James Wilberforce Stephen ...	Minister of Public Instruction ...	2 Jan. 1873	1 May 1874		
succeeded by					
Angus Mackay ...	Ditto ...	4 May 1874	31 July 1874		
Robert Ramsay ...	(Without office) ...	10 June 1872			
XV.	George Briscoe Kerferd ...	Premier and Attorney-General ...	31 July 1874	7 August 1875	
	James Joseph Casey ...	Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, President of the Board of Land and Works, and Minister of Agriculture			
	Duncan Gillies ...	Commissioner of Railways and Roads and Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works			
	Robert Stirling Anderson, M.L.C. ...	Commissioner of Public Works and Vice- President of the Board of Land and Works			
	Edward Cohen ...	Commissioner of Trade and Customs ...			
	Angus Mackay ...	Minister of Mines and Minister of Public Instruction			
	James Service ...	Treasurer ...			
	Robert Ramsay ...	Postmaster-General ...			
Townsend MacDermott ...	Solicitor-General ...				

¹ Not re-elected after vacating seat in Parliament upon acceptance of office.—² Sworn in as a Member of the Executive Council, 15 October 1869.—³ Sworn in as a Member of the Executive Council, 31 July 1871.

MINISTRIES.

RETURN showing the Names of the Members of successive Ministries, &c.—*continued.*

Number of Ministry.	Name of Minister.	Office.	Date of Assumption of Office.	Date of Retirement from Office.	
XVI.	Graham Berry	Premier and Treasurer	7 Aug. 1875	} 20 Oct. 1875	
	James Munro	Chief Secretary in lieu of Premier, which office he vacated	10 Aug. 1875		
	Francis Longmore	Minister of Public Instruction	} 7 Aug. 1875		
	John Woods	President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey			
	William Collard Smith	Minister of Agriculture	23 Aug. 1875		
	Peter Lalor	Commissioner of Railways and Roads	7 Aug. 1875		
	James Brown Patterson	Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works	23 Aug. 1875		
	Robert Le Poer Trench ¹	Minister of Mines	7 Aug. 1875		
	James Macpherson Grant	Commissioner of Trade and Customs and Postmaster-General	} 7 Aug. 1875		
	William Arthur Callander a'Beckett, M.L.C.	Commissioner of Public Works			
XVII.	Sir James McCulloch	Premier and Treasurer	} 20 Oct. 1875	} 21 May 1877	
	John Alexander MacPherson	Chief Secretary			
	George Briscoe Kerferd	Attorney-General			
	Duncan Gillies	Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey and President of the Board of Land and Works			} 25 Oct. 1875
	Robert Ramsay	Minister of Agriculture			
	Robert Stirling Anderson, M.L.C.	Minister of Public Instruction and Postmaster-General			} 20 Oct. 1875
	John Madden ²	Commissioner of Trade and Customs			
	William McLellan	Minister of Justice			
	Joseph Jones ³	Minister of Mines			
		Commissioner of Railways and Roads, Commissioner of Public Works, and Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works			
XVIII.	Graham Berry ⁴	Chief Secretary	21 May 1877	} In office 31 Dec. 1878	
	Ditto	Treasurer	21 May 1877		
	William Collard Smith	Treasurer (without salary)	27 Dec. 1878		
	Francis Longmore	President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey	} 21 May 1877		
	William Collard Smith	Minister of Agriculture			
	James Brown Patterson	Minister of Mines and Minister of Public Instruction	} 21 May 1877		
	Robert Le Poer Trench	Commissioner of Public Works			
	Sir Bryan O'Loughlen, Bart. ⁴	Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works	28 May 1877		
	James Macpherson Grant	Attorney-General	22 May 1877		
	Peter Lalor	Ditto	27 Mar. 1878		
	John Woods	Minister of Justice	} 22 May 1877		
	Peter Lalor	Commissioner of Trade and Customs			
	Henry Cuthbert, M.L.C.	Commissioner of Railways and Roads	11 June 1877		
	James Brown Patterson	Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works	22 May 1877		
	Postmaster-General	3 July 1877			
	Ditto	29 July 1878			
	Ditto (without salary)	29 July 1878			

¹ Not a Member of Parliament.—² Not a Member of Parliament from date of accepting office until 27 July 1876.—³ Not a Member of Parliament from date of accepting office until 27 January 1876.—⁴ Sir Bryan O'Loughlen, acting as Chief Secretary, without salary, during the absence of the Hon. Graham Berry, from the 27 December 1878, was sworn in as a Member of the Executive Council, 4 March 1878.

PARLIAMENTS.

RETURN showing the Number of Parliaments in the Colony of Victoria since the inauguration of Responsible Government; also the Number of Sessions, and the Dates of Opening and Closing.

Number of Parliament.	Number of Session.	Date of Opening.	Date of Closing or Dissolution.
I.	1	21 November 1856	24 November 1857
	2	3 December 1857	4 June 1858
	3	7 October 1858	24 February 1859 9 August 1859
II.	1	13 October 1859	18 September 1860
	2	20 November 1860	3 July 1861 11 July 1861
III.	1	30 August 1861	18 June 1862
	2	7 November 1862	11 September 1863
	3	26 January 1864	2 June 1864 25 August 1864

PARLIAMENTS.

RETURN showing the Number of Parliaments in the Colony of Victoria, &c.—*continued.*

Number of Parliament.	Number of Session.	Date of Opening.	Date of Closing or Dissolution.
IV. }	1	28 November 1864 ...	28 November 1865 11 December 1865
V. }	1	12 February 1866 ...	5 April 1866
	2	11 April 1866 ...	1 June 1866
	3	17 January 1867 ...	10 September 1867
	4	18 September 1867 ...	8 November 1867
	5	25 November 1867 ...	25 November 1867 30 December 1867
VI. }	1	13 March 1868 ...	29 September 1868
	2	11 February 1869 ...	29 December 1869
	3	15 February 1870 ...	15 July 1870
	4	27 October 1870 ...	29 December 1870 25 January 1871
VII. }	1	25 April 1871 ...	23 November 1871
	2	30 April 1872 ...	17 December 1872
	3	13 May 1873 ...	25 November 1873 9 March 1874
VIII. }	1	19 May 1874 ...	24 December 1874
	2	25 May 1875 ...	7 April 1876
	3	11 July 1876 ...	22 December 1876 25 April 1877
IX. }	1	22 May 1877 ...	9 April 1878
	2	9 July 1878 ...	6 December 1878

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

RETURN of Members of the Executive Council of Victoria on the 31st December 1878.

Name.	Date of Subscribing the Oath.	Holding what Civil or Military Office (if any).
Sir George Ferguson Bowen, G.C.M.G. ...	President ¹ ...	Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Victoria
Sir William Foster Stawell ...	16 July 1851 ...	Chief Justice
John Vesey Fitzgerald Foster Fitzgerald	20 July 1853	
The Right Hon. Hugh Culling Eardley Childers	5 December 1853	
Sir Charles Sladen, K.C.M.G. ...	29 December 1854	
Sir Andrew Clarke, K.C.M.G., and C.B.	10 December 1855	
Charles Pasley ...	17 December 1855	
Robert Molesworth ...	17 December 1855	Puisne Judge
Sir William Henry Fancourt Mitchell ...	21 November 1856	
Sir John O'Shanassy, K.C.M.G. ...	11 March 1857	
Henry Samuel Chapman ...	11 March 1857	
Sir Charles Gavan Duffy, K.C.M.G. ...	11 March 1857	
John Dennistoun Wood ...	11 March 1857	
Sir Archibald Michie ...	29 April 1857 ...	Agent-General
David Moore ...	29 April 1857	
Sir James McCulloch, K.C.M.G. ...	29 April 1857	
George Harker ...	10 March 1858	
Henry Miller ...		
James Service ...	12 April 1858	
Vincent Pyke ...	27 October 1859	
James Goodall Francis ...	25 November 1859	
Sir Thomas Simson Pratt, K.C.B. ...	16 January 1860	
Sir George Frederic Verdon, K.C.M.G. and C.B.	26 November 1860	
John Henry Brooke ...		
James Stewart Johnston ...		
Robert Stirling Anderson ...		
Thomas Loader ...		
John Basson Humffray ...	7 January 1861	
Thomas Turner a'Beckett ...		
James Macpherson Grant ...	20 February 1861	Minister of Justice
John Houston ...	21 May 1861	
David Elliot Wilkie ...	2 September 1861	
Sir Charles Mac Mahon ...	14 November 1861	
Samuel Henry Bindon ...	18 July 1866	
William Mountford Kinsey Vale ...	18 July 1866	
John Macgregor ...	18 July 1866	
George Ward Cole ...	20 November 1867	

¹ His Excellency the Governor is President of the Executive Council for the time being by virtue of his office, but is not sworn in as a Member of the Executive Council.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

RETURN of Members of the Executive Council of Victoria on the 31st December 1878—*continued.*

Name.	Date of Subscribing the Oath.	Holding what Civil or Military Office (if any).
Edward Langton	6 May 1868	
Duncan Gillies	6 May 1868	
William Bayles	6 May 1868	
George Briscoe Kerferd	6 May 1868	
James Joseph Casey	11 July 1868	
George Verney Smith	11 July 1868	
William Wilson	2 September 1869	
John Alexander MacPherson	20 September 1869	
Robert Byrne	20 September 1869	
Isaac Godfrey Reeves	20 September 1869	
John Thomas Smith	20 September 1869	
Francis Longmore	20 September 1869	President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey and Minister of Agriculture
Caleb Joshua Jenner	15 October 1869	
William McLellan	19 January 1870	
Graham Berry	21 January 1870...	Chief Secretary
Henry John Wrixon	9 April 1870	
William Bates	9 April 1870	
Angus Mackay	9 April 1870	
Howard Spensley	19 June 1871	
Wm. Arthur Callander a'Beckett	31 July 1871	
Jas. Wilberforce Stephen	10 June 1872 ...	Puisne Judge
Robert Ramsay	10 June 1872	
Alexander Fraser	14 June 1872	
Townsend MacDermott	31st July 1874	
James Munro ... ..	...
John Woods... ..	...
William Collard Smith	7 August 1875 ...	Commissioner of Railways and Roads
Peter Lalor ... ..	...	Minister of Mines and Minister of Public Instruction and Treasurer
James Brown Patterson ... ..	...	Commissioner of Trade and Customs
Robert Le Poer Trench	9 August 1875	Commissioner of Public Works and Postmaster-General
John Madden	20 October 1875	
Joseph Jones	3 July 1877 ...	
Henry Cuthbert	4 March 1878 ...	Attorney-General and Acting Chief Secretary
Sir Bryan O'Loghlen, Bart.		

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

RETURN of Members of the Legislative Council of Victoria during the Year 1878.

Name of Member.	Name of Province.	Date of Election.	Holding what Office (if any).
James Graham	Central	15 August 1876	
Theodotus John Sumner	Ditto	15 August 1874	
Frederick Thomas Sargood	Ditto	12 May 1874	
George Ward Cole	Ditto	10 December 1870	
Thomas Turner a'Beckett	Ditto	20 April 1870	
William Edward Hearn ¹	Ditto	27 August 1878	
James Buchanan	South	29 August 1876	
Thomas Ferrier Hamilton	Ditto	18 August 1874	
Frank Stanley Dobson	Ditto	17 August 1872	
James Balfour	Ditto	19 June 1874	
John Pinney Bear	Ditto	3 October 1868	
William John Clarke ²	Ditto	17 August 1878	
Caleb Joshua Jenner ³	South-Western	24 August 1878	Chairman of Committees
George Frederick Belcher	Ditto	4 September 1876	
Henry Cuthbert ⁴	Ditto	14 July 1877	
James Henty	Ditto	23 August 1872	
John Cumming	Ditto	24 August 1870	
Sir Charles Sladen	Western	29 August 1876	
Thomas Bromell	Ditto	11 September 1874	
Niel Black	Ditto	30 August 1872	
Sir Samuel Wilson	Ditto	22 June 1875	
Robert Simson	Ditto	6 October 1868	
William Ross ⁵	Ditto	29 August 1878	
Francis Robertson ⁶	North-Western	16 September 1878	
Alexander Fraser	Ditto	16 September 1876	
Nicholas Fitzgerald	Ditto	4 September 1874	
William Campbell	Ditto	16 September 1872	
Sir William Henry Fancourt Mitchell	Ditto	2 September 1870	President of the Council
William Wilson ⁶	Eastern	5 September 1878	
Robert Stirling Anderson	Ditto	5 September 1876	
John Alston Wallace	Ditto	4 September 1874	
Robert Dyce Reid	Ditto	15 November 1876	
William Highett	Ditto	2 September 1870	

¹ Elected in the room of the Hon. T. T. a'Beckett, retired by rotation.—² Elected in the room of the Hon. J. P. Bear, retired by rotation.—³ Retired by rotation, and re-elected.—⁴ Held the office of Postmaster-General until 29 July 1878.—⁵ Elected in the room of the Hon. R. Simson, retired by rotation.—⁶ Retired by rotation, and re-elected.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

RETURN of Members of the Legislative Assembly of Victoria during the Year 1878.

No.	Name of Member.	Name of Electoral District.	Date of Election.	Holding what Office (if any).
1	Andrew, John ...	West Melbourne ...	11 May 1877	
2	Barr, John Mitchell ...	Maryborough & Talbot ...	11 May 1877	
3	Bayles, William ...	Villiers & Heytesbury ...	11 May 1877	
4	Bell, Henry ...	Ballaarat West ...	11 May 1877	
5	Bent, Thomas ...	Brighton ...	11 May 1877	
6	Berry, Graham ...	Geelong ...	1 June 1877	Chief Secretary from 21 May 1877; Treasurer from 21 May 1877 to 27 December 1878
7	Billson, George ...	The Ovens... ..	11 May 1877	
8	Bird, John ...	Grenville ...	11 May 1877	
9	Bosisto, Joseph ...	Richmond ...	11 May 1877	
10	Bowman, Robert ...	Maryborough & Talbot ...	11 May 1877	
11	Brophy, Daniel ...	Ballaarat East ...	11 May 1877	
12	Cameron, Donald... ..	West Bourke ...	11 May 1877	
13	Cameron, Ewen Hugh ...	Evelyn ...	11 May 1877	
14	Carter, Godfrey Downes ...	St. Kilda ...	11 May 1877	
15	Casey, James Joseph ...	Mandurang ...	11 May 1877	
16	Clark, Alfred Thomas ...	Williamstown ...	11 May 1877	
17	Clark, Robert ...	Sandhurst ...	11 May 1877	
18	Clark, Robert ...	The Wimmera ...	11 May 1877	
19	Cook, William Mitchell ...	East Bourke Boroughs ...	11 May 1877	
20	Cooper, Thomas ...	Creswick ...	11 May 1877	
21	Cope, Thomas ...	Portland ...	11 May 1877	
22	Davies, Benjamin George ...	Avoca ...	11 May 1877	
23	Davies, David Mortimer ...	Grenville ...	11 May 1877	
24	Dixon, Edward John ...	St. Kilda ...	11 May 1877	
25	Dow, John Lamont ...	Kara Kara ...	11 May 1877	
26	Duffy, Sir C. Gavan, K.C.M.G.	North Gippsland ...	11 May 1877	Elected Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, 22 May 1877
27	Duffy, John Gavan ...	Dalhousie ...	5 May 1877	
28	Dwyer, Jeremiah ...	Villiers & Heytesbury ...	11 May 1877	
29	Farrell, James ¹ ...	Castlemaine ...	11 May 1877	
30	Fergusson, James... ..	South Bourke ...	11 May 1877	
31	Fincham, George Randall ...	Ballaarat West ...	11 May 1877	
32	Francis, James Goodall ...	Warrnambool ...	21 May 1878	
33	Fraser, Simon ...	Rodney ...	11 May 1877	
34	Gaunson, David ...	Ararat ...	11 May 1877	
35	Gillies, Duncan ...	Rodney ...	2 November 1877	
36	Grant, James Macpherson... ..	Avoca ...	1 June 1877	Minister of Justice from 22 May 1877
37	Graves, James Howlin ...	Delatite ...	11 May 1877	
38	Hunt, Thomas ...	Kilmore and Anglesey ...	11 May 1877	
39	Ince, John ...	Barwon ...	4 December 1877	
40	James, John ...	Ballaarat East ...	11 May 1877	Elected Chairman of Committees of the Legislative Assembly, 28 June 1877
41	Johnstone, Robert de Bruce ...	Geelong ...	11 May 1877	
42	Kerferd, George Briscoe ...	The Ovens... ..	11 May 1877	
43	Kernot, Charles ...	Geelong ...	11 May 1877	
44	King, Mark Last ...	Footscray ...	11 May 1877	
45	Lalor, Peter ...	Grant ...	1 June 1877	Commissioner of Trade and Customs from 22 May 1877
46	Langridge, George David ...	Collingwood ...	11 May 1877	
47	Laurens, John ...	North Melbourne ...	11 May 1877	
48	Longmore, Francis ...	Ripon and Hampden ...	1st June 1877	President of the Board of Land and Works and Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey from 21 May 1877
49	Lyell, Andrew ...	Emerald Hill ...	11 May 1877	
50	Macartney, George David ² ...	South Gippsland ...	24 August 1877	
51	MacBain, James ...	The Wimmera ...	11 May 1877	
52	Macgregor, Robert ...	Fitzroy ...	11 May 1877	
53	Mackay, Angus ...	Sandhurst ...	25 July 1877	
54	Mac Mahon, Sir Charles ³ ...	West Melbourne ...	11 May 1877	
55	MacPherson, John Alexander ⁴ ...	Dundas ...	5 May 1877	
56	Madden, John ...	Sandridge ...	11 May 1877	
57	Mason, Francis Conway ...	South Gippsland ...	19 June 1878	
58	McCulloch, Sir James ⁵ ...	Warrnambool ...	5 May 1877	
59	McIntyre, John ...	Sandhurst ...	11 May 1877	
60	Mirams, James ...	Collingwood ...	11 May 1877	
61	Moore, Thompson ...	Mandurang ...	11 May 1877	
62	Munro, James ...	Carlton ...	11 May 1877	
63	Nimmo, John ...	Emerald Hill ...	11 May 1877	
64	O'Hea, William Joseph ...	Polwarth and South Grenville ...	11 May 1877	
65	O'Loughlen, Sir Bryan, Bart. ⁶ ...	West Melbourne ...	11 April 1878	Attorney-General from 27 March 1878, and Acting Chief Secretary, without salary, from 27 Dec. 1878
66	Orr, John ...	Moira ...	11 May 1877	
67	O'Shanassy, Sir John ...	Belfast ...	11 May 1877	
68	Patterson, James Brown ...	Castlemaine ...	1 June 1877	Commissioner of Public Works from 21 May 1877, and Postmaster-General, without salary, from 29 July 1878
69	Pearson, Charles Henry ...	Castlemaine ...	7 June 1878	
70	Purves, James Liddell ...	Mornington ...	11 May 1877	
71	Ramsay, Robert ...	East Bourke ...	11 May 1877	
72	Rees, John ...	Grant ...	11 May 1877	
73	Richardson, Richard ...	Creswick ...	11 May 1877	
74	Sainsbury, Henry Head ...	Creswick ...	11 May 1877	
75	Sergeant, John ...	Dundas ...	29 July 1878	
76	Service, James ...	Maldon ...	5 May 1877	
77	Sharpe, George ...	Moira ...	11 May 1877	

¹ Resigned his seat, 21 May 1878; succeeded by Charles Henry Pearson, 7 June 1878.—² Deceased, 2 June 1878; succeeded by Francis Conway Mason, 19 June 1878.—³ Resigned his seat, 17 January 1878; succeeded by Sir Bryan O'Loughlen, 4 February 1878.—⁴ Resigned his seat, 11 July 1878; succeeded by John Sergeant, 29 July 1878.—⁵ Resigned his seat, 4 May 1878; succeeded by James Goodall Francis, 21 May 1878.—⁶ Vacated his seat on accepting the office of Attorney-General, 27 March 1878; re-elected for the same Electoral District, 11 April 1878.

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RETURN of Members of the Legislative Assembly of Victoria during the Year 1878—continued.

No.	Name of Member.	Name of Electoral District.	Date of Election.	Holding what Office (if any).
78	Smith, Alexander Kennedy	East Melbourne ...	11 May 1877	Minister of Mines and Minister of Public Instruction from 21 May 1877; and Treasurer, without salary, from 27 December 1878
79	Smith, John Thomas	West Bourke ...	11 May 1877	
80	Smith, Louis Lawrence	Richmond ...	11 May 1877	
81	Smith, Robert Murray	Boroondara ...	24 December 1877	
82	Smith, William Collard	Ballaarat West ...	1 June 1877	
83	Smyth, Frederick Leopold	North Gippsland ...	11 May 1877	
84	Story, Joseph	North Melbourne ...	11 May 1877	
85	Tucker, Albert Lee	Fitzroy ...	11 May 1877	
86	Tytherleigh, William	Normanby ...	11 May 1877	
87	Williams, Henry Roberts	Mandurang ...	11 May 1877	
88	Woods, John	Stawell ...	1 June 1877	Commissioner of Railways and Roads from 22 May 1877
89	Wright, Peter	Benambra ...	11 May 1877	
90	Young, Charles	Kyneton Boroughs ...	11 May 1877	
91	Zox, Ephraim Lamén	East Melbourne ...	11 May 1877	

FOREIGN CONSULS.

RETURN of Consuls of Foreign Countries for Victoria during the Year 1878.

Names.	Countries they represent.	Date of their Exequaturs.	When Gazetted in Victoria.	Remarks.
CONSULS-GENERAL.				
Were, Jonathan Binns ...	Portugal ...	11 June 1851 ...	12 November 1851 ...	Honorary
Palaçois, Don Manuel José ...	Peru ...	25 September 1863 ...	18 December 1863 ...	Absent
Van Amstel, Jonkheer J. W. Ploos	Netherlands ...	28 October 1863 ...	29 January 1864 ...	Absent. Died, 27 December 1878
Beckx, Gustave ...	Belgium ...	3 July 1872 ...	27 September 1872	
Reeve, Edward ...	Hawaii ...	... ..	15 July 1874 ...	Absent
Marinucci, Il Cavaliere Luigi ...	Italy ...	11 April 1876 ...	30 June 1876	
Spencer, Oliver Morris ...	United States ...	23 November 1878 ...	6 November 1878	
CONSULS.				
Were, Jonathan Binns ...	Sweden and Norway	18 June 1851 ...	26 November 1851 and 5 October 1858	
Ditto ...	Chili ...	12 December 1851 ...	5 May 1852	
Ditto ...	Denmark ...	17 June 1852 ...	8 December 1852	
Brahe, William Alexander	German Empire ...	28 September 1871 ...	8 October 1868, 26 November 1869, and 5 January 1872	
Were, Jonathan Binns ...	Peru ...	31 May 1870 ...	25 March 1870 and 26 August 1870	
Renard, Jules ...	Belgium ...	22 September 1870 ...	13 July 1870 and 2 December 1870	Absent from 21 February to 15 October
Oakley, George N. ...	Hawaii ...	... ..	17 December 1873	
Gibbs, Samuel M. ...	Venezuela ...	... ..	21 October 1874	
Damyon, James ...	Russia ...	17 February 1875 ...	22 January 1875	
Thoneman, Louis ...	Austro-Hungary ...	15 July 1875 ...	7 May 1875	
De Pury, Guillaume ...	Swiss Confederation	10 February 1876 ...	26 November 1875 and 13 April 1876	
Caubet, Leo (acting) ...	France ...	... ..	9 March 1877 ...	Until 20 May
Cooper, Thomas Charles Napier ...	Portugal ...	18 July 1877 ...	21 September 1877	
Fauconnet, Charles ...	France ...	30 March 1878 ...	31 May 1878 and 24 June 1878	
VICE-CONSULS-GENERAL.				
Van Amstel, Jonkheer D. Ploos ...	Netherlands ...	... ..	20 December 1872	
Lord, Samuel Perkins ...	United States ...	... ..	7 May 1875	
VICE-CONSULS.				
Were, Jonathan Binns ...	Brazil ...	Secretary of State's Despatch, No. 39, of 17 December 1851	16 May 1856	
Henty, Herbert J. ...	Denmark ...	Nominated by Consul ...	15 September 1859 ...	At Geelong
Follet, Henry ...	France ...	Nominated by H.I.M. the Emperor of the French	17 September 1863 ...	Until 15 November
Were, Jonathan Henry ...	Sweden and Norway	Secretary of State's Despatch, No. 38, of 21 May 1868	9 July 1868	
Belcher, George Frederick	Sweden and Norway	Secretary of State's Despatch, No. 68, of 3 October 1872	8 February, 19 July, and 25 November 1872	At Geelong
Smith, Robert Murray ...	Spain ...	Secretary of State's Despatch, No. 69, of 16 October 1872	20 December 1872	
Were, Francis Wellington	Denmark ...	... ..	5 November 1875	
Hart, Henri John ...	Italy ...	Nominated by Consul-General	5 December 1876 ...	(Provisional)
Linden, Fernando ...	Peru ...	23 August 1877 ...	1 June 1877	
Moulun, Charles ...	France ...	... ..	22 November 1878	
ACTING CONSUL.				
De Jardin, Fernand ...	Belgium ...	By Consul-General	15 February 1878 ...	During absence of Consul

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RETURN of Pensions and Superannuation Allowances chargeable upon the Revenue of the Colony of Victoria for the Year ended 30th June 1878.

Pension or Superannuation Allowance.				Office held by Recipient at time of Superannuation.	Annual Salary on retirement from Public Service.	
Name of Recipient.	Rate per annum.	Authority.	Date of Commencement.			
	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	
R. Hoddle ...	1,000 0 0	Despatch from Secretary of State dated 22 Feb. 1855, and confirmed by Act 21 Vict. No. 20	1 July 1853	Surveyor-General ...	1,000 0 0	
Mrs. Petrie ...	100 0 0	Legislative Council 6th Oct. 1855, and confirmed by Act. 21 Vict. No. 20	1 Jan. 1854	Meritorious conduct of the late Capt. Flinders		
Williams, E. E. ...	1,500 0 0	Schedule D. Part V. 18 and 19 Vict. c. 55	1 May 1874	Puisne Judge ...	3,000 0 0	
H. C. E. Childers	866 13 4	Schedule D. Part VI. 18 and 19 Vict. c. 55	26 Feb. 1857	Collector of Customs ...	1,200 0 0	
C. G. Duffy ...	1,000 0 0	Schedule D. Part VII. 18 and 19 Vict. c. 55	20 Aug. 1863	Commissioner of Crown Lands ...	1,600 0 0	
Carden, C. ...	13 6 8	31 Vict. No. 309, Lunacy Statute	16 July 1873	Attendant ...	50 0 0	
Eades, S. ...	7 10 0		1 Feb. 1876	Messenger, Kew Asylum ...	50 0 0	
Hutchinson, J. ...	28 0 0		17 Dec. 1874	Warder ...	120 0 0	
Main, J. ...	17 19 1		28 April 1876	Warder, Kew Asylum ...	120 0 0	
Beckett, W. ...	31 13 4		1 Aug. 1875	Gardener, Yarra Bend Asylum ...	100 0 0	
Cunningham, J. ...	22 0 0		28 Dec. 1876	Warder, Yarra Bend Asylum ...	120 0 0	
Hoeisel, P. J. ...	36 1 2		7 Sept. 1876	Warder, Yarra Bend Asylum ...	130 0 0	
Tarroway, T. ...	60 0 0		13 Sept. 1876	Dispenser, Yarra Bend Asylum ...	200 0 0	
J. L. Clarke ...	750 0 0		33 Vict. No. 345, County Courts Statute	24 Mar. 1870	Judge of County Court ...	1,500 0 0
Forbes, J. G. ...	750 0 0			1 May 1874	Judge of County Court ...	1,500 0 0
Rogers, J. W. ...	750 0 0			26 June 1878	Judge of County Court ...	1,500 0 0
Lady Darling ...	1,000 0 0		33 Vict. No. 362	1 Jan. 1870		
Adair, Thomas ...	129 6 8			10 Nov. 1869	District Surveyor ...	485 0 0
Adams, Jno. ...	40 14 2			1 Sept. 1877	Doorkeeper, Legislative Assembly ...	187 14 0
Aitkins, J. ...	50 0 0			1 Jan. 1869	Messenger, Harbor Department ...	100 0 0
Aldwell, J. A. ...	31 13 2			31 Aug. 1867	Clerk, Post Office ...	172 14 0
Alexander, T. B. ...	194 0 0	1 June 1872		Landing Waiter, Customs ...	485 0 0	
Atkins, W. H. ...	175 0 0	1 July 1871		Clerk, City Court ...	350 0 0	
Bagley, J. C. ...	175 0 0	1 Jan. 1870		Draftsman, Lands Department ...	350 0 0	
Baker, Chas. ...	116 18 10	6 Feb. 1869		Overseer, Government Printing Office ...	485 0 0	
Baeyertz, Chas. ...	279 3 4	1 Aug. 1867		Warehouse-keeper, Customs ...	583 6 8	
Baldwin, W. ...	104 3 4	1 Feb. 1878		Locker, Customs ...	250 0 0	
Bance, H. P. ...	233 6 8	25 April 1878		Inspector, Post Office ...	700 0 0	
Birmingham, P. ...	68 10 8	1 Jan. 1869		Messenger, Customs ...	137 1 4	
Blachford, Hy. W. ...	222 18 4	1 Mar. 1867		Officer, Penal Department ...	473 6 8	
Blunn, T. ...	202 1 8	26 May 1878		Clerk, Post Office ...	485 0 0	
Bowie, R. ...	83 6 8	1 July 1877		Lighthouse-keeper ...	200 0 0	
Brandford, A. G. ...	202 1 8	1 Nov. 1877	Collector, Customs ...	485 0 0		
Bridges, G. ...	45 12 6	1 July 1876	Boatman, Medical Department ...	7s. 6d. per diem		
Brodie, C. ...	168 15 0	1 Dec. 1869	Governor, Geelong Gaol ...	350 0 0		
Brown, H. E. ...	175 0 0	9 July 1869	Clerk, Customs ...	350 0 0		
Brown, W. ...	47 18 1	1 Jan. 1876	Boatman, Harbor Department ...	136 17 6		
Brown, Walter ...	54 6 10	1 Jan. 1878	Turnkey, Gaols ...	155 2 6		
Brownrigg, Geo. ...	73 0 0	1 June 1867	Watchman, Customs ...	8s. per diem		
Bull, J. E. N. ...	325 0 0	1 Jan. 1869	Warden ...	650 0 0		
Burgess, J. ...	60 13 7	1 June 1874	Coxswain, Health Officer's Crew ...	9s. 6d. per diem		
Campbell, Alex. ...	242 10 0	1 Jan. 1869	Harbor Master ...	485 0 0		
Carey, J. ...	46 10 9	25 June 1874	Senior Boatman, Ports and Harbors Department	8s. 6d. per diem		
Carter, A. J. ...	177 16 8	Act 25 Vict. No. 160	6 Mar. 1876	Clerk, Audit Office ...	485 0 0	
Carter, John ...	29 14 8		25 Jan. 1874	Letter Carrier, Post Office ...	148 13 4	
Cartwright, R. J. W. ...	91 13 4		25 Jan. 1878	Reader, Government Printer ...	275 0 0	
Cathrey, W. ...	113 17 4		16 May 1877	Clerk of Courts ...	350 0 0	
Challacombe, Rebecca	23 6 8		9 May 1870	Matron, Lunatic Asylum ...	100 0 0	
Champ, W. T. N. ...	450 0 0		1 Jan. 1869	Inspector-General, Penal Establishments	900 0 0	
Chauncey, P. ...	194 0 0	10 Jan. 1878	Surveyor, Lands Department ...	485 0 0		
Church, H. D. ...	77 1 8	15 Nov. 1868	Clerk of Courts ...	350 0 0		
Cleary, M. ...	125 0 0	1 Nov. 1872	Housekeeper, Chief Secretary's Department	250 0 0		
Climance, J. ...	57 0 0	1 Feb. 1878	Clerk, Post Office ...	180 0 0		
Colville, H. ...	175 0 0	4 April 1865	Clerk, Chief Secretary's Office ...	350 0 0		
Connor, Caroline ...	18 13 4	1 Jan. 1869	Matron, Immigration Hospital ...	100 0 0		
Cope, W. ...	41 14 8	15 April 1878	Sorter, Post Office ...	156 10 0		
Cornwall, Ed. ...	110 16 8	1 Oct. 1871	Clerk, Printing Office ...	350 0 0		
Counsel, R. ...	242 10 0	1 July 1866	Draftsman, Lands Department ...	485 0 0		
Cue, G. ...	122 10 0	1 July 1874	Clerk of Petty Sessions ...	350 0 0		
Down, R. ...	245 19 5	10 July 1876	Inspector, &c., Customs ...	650 0 0		
Duigan, J. ...	50 0 0	1 April 1878	Postmaster ...	200 0 0		
Elkin, John ...	86 16 1	1 June 1869	Signalman, Post Office ...	9s. 6d. per diem		
Emery, W. ...	100 0 0	1 Jan. 1869	Weigher, Customs ...	200 0 0		
Fawthrop, James ...	175 0 0	1 Sept. 1868	Harbor Master, Portland ...	350 0 0		
Feinagle, C. G. ...	128 6 8	1 July 1877	Clerk, Police ...	350 0 0		
Fermaner, D. ...	100 0 0	1 Jan. 1876	Harbor Master ...	250 0 0		
Fetherstonhaugh, C. ...	325 0 0	1 Jan. 1869	Police Magistrate ...	650 0 0		
Fielden, S. ...	72 0 0	1 Feb. 1878	Clerk, Post Office ...	180 0 0		
Ford, J. ...	53 6 8	1 Jan. 1869	Turnkey, Gaols ...	200 0 0		
Fox, Jno. ...	68 10 7	31 Dec. 1868	Gaol Department ...	137 1 3		
Francis, R. ...	250 0 0	10 Feb. 1878	Clerk, Mines ...	600 0 0		
Fraser, Hugh ...	168 15 0	1 Dec. 1869	Clerk, Lands Department ...	350 0 0		

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RETURN of Pensions and Superannuation Allowances chargeable upon the Revenue of the Colony of Victoria for the Year ended 30th June 1878—continued.

Pension or Superannuation Allowance.			Date of Commencement.	Office held by Recipient at time of Superannuation.	Annual Salary on retirement from Public Service.	
Name of Recipient.	Rate per annum.	Authority.			£	s. d.
Frewer, A. ...	32 10 0	Act 25 Vict No. 160	20 July 1877	Court-keeper, Sheriff ...	150	0 0
Gaggin, T. ...	55 0 0		31 Dec. 1868	Resident Messenger, Audit Office ...	110	0 0
Galt, A. ...	280 0 0		9 Jan. 1878	Secretary, Public Works ...	700	0 0
Gedge, W. E. ...	242 10 0		24 May 1872	Landing Waiter, Customs ...	485	0 0
Gilles, L. ...	325 0 0		1 May 1866	Police Magistrate ...	650	0 0
Gossett, D. W. ...	169 15 0		1 June 1873	Landing Waiter, Customs ...	485	0 0
Grindall, R. ...	63 3 1		1 July 1876	Clerk, Audit Office ...	250	0 0
Greene, F. ...	238 6 8		1 Jan. 1869	Clerk of Courts ...	485	0 0
Hackett, J. ...	83 6 8		9 Mar. 1878	Overseer, Penal and Gaols ...	200	0 0
Harrington, C. ...	175 0 0		1 Jan. 1872	Clerk, Mines ...	350	0 0
Harriott, G. ...	122 10 0		1 Feb. 1878	Postmaster ...	350	0 0
Harrison, Geo. ...	325 0 0		1 Jan. 1867	Police Magistrate ...	650	0 0
Harrison, R. ...	85 0 0		1 July 1877	Messenger, Registrar-General ...	170	0 0
Hassall, J. N. ...	59 11 8		1 April 1867	Health Inspector ...	325	0 0
Hatton, W. ...	38 16 4		1 Aug. 1872	Turnkey, Gaols ...	78.6d. per diem	
Hemmy, C. ¹ ...	134 3 4		14 Oct. 1876	Clerk, Post Office ...	350	0 0
Hobbs, J. ...	137 10 0		1 June 1864	Locker, Customs Department ...	275	0 0
Hodgkinson, C. ...	366 13 4		12 May 1874	Assistant-Commissioner of Lands and Survey ...	1,000	0 0
Huntsman, B. ...	134 3 4		25 Jan. 1878	Overseer, Bookbinding branch, Government Printing Office ...	350	0 0
Huyghue, S. D. S. ...	194 0 0		10 Jan. 1878	Clerk, Mines ...	485	0 0
Irwin, J. ...	45 12 7		1 July 1876	Warder, Penal ...	88.6d. per diem	
Jones, H. L. ...	78 2 6		1 Mar. 1872	Letter Sorter, Post Office ...	156	5 0
Kenyon, J. ...	25 0 0		25 Nov. 1872	Laborer, Sanitary Station ...	50	0 0
Landon, A. J. ...	242 10 0		1 Oct. 1872	Clerk of Courts, Geelong ...	485	0 0
Lane, H. B. ...	249 3 4		25 Jan. 1878	Police Magistrate ...	650	0 0
Langston, A. ...	199 1 5		1 Mar. 1870	Receiver and Paymaster ...	600	0 0
Leahy, R. ...	26 13 4		21 Jan. 1873	Messenger, Shorthand Writer ...	100	0 0
Leake, R. ...	105 0 0		1 Nov. 1870	Clerk, Chief Secretary's Office ...	350	0 0
Liddle, J. ² ...	100 0 0		1 Jan. 1869	Lightship-keeper, Harbor Department ...	200	0 0
Ligar, C. W. ...	500 0 0		15 Sept. 1869	Surveyor-General ...	1,000	0 0
Lloyd, R. ...	51 15 1		1 May 1877	Warder, Penal Department ...	88.6d. per diem	
Lowry, James ...	75 0 0		1 Mar. 1869	Crier, Sheriff's Department ...	150	0 0
Lyon, J. ...	36 16 7		1 Jan. 1876	Letter Carrier, Post Office ...	57s. per week	
Maplestone, Chas. ³ ...	295 16 8	20 Jan. 1869	Draftsman, Public Works ...	600	0 0	
Martin, A. L'E. ...	128 6 8	1 Feb. 1877	Clerk of Courts ...	350	0 0	
Menzies, A. R. ...	143 15 0	1 Jan. 1867	Clerk, Treasury ...	300	0 0	
Mills, J. B. ⁴ ...	175 0 0	1 Jan. 1871	Harbor Master, Belfast ...	350	0 0	
Miskelly, J. ...	105 0 0	1 April 1878	Clerk of Petty Sessions ...	350	0 0	
Mollison, C. ...	260 0 0	25 Jan. 1878	Police Magistrate ...	650	0 0	
Moore, H. B. ...	280 0 0	9 Jan. 1878	Assistant Surveyor-General ...	750	0 0	
Moore, Jno. ...	500 0 0	1 Jan. 1869	Under Secretary ...	1,000	0 0	
Moore, W. A. ...	258 13 4	22 Mar. 1876	Collector of Customs ...	485	0 0	
Morgan, J. ...	112 10 0	1 Mar. 1874	Locker, Customs Department ...	225	0 0	
Mounter, J. ...	90 0 0	14 Nov. 1870	Clerk, Post Office ...	180	0 0	
Mullen, J. ...	145 16 8	26 Jan. 1878	Clerk, Government Printer ...	350	0 0	
McCarthy, Jeremiah ...	68 9 9	1 Mar. 1871	Warder, Penal Department ...	78.6d. per diem		
McCullagh, Sarah ...	32 1 8	1 Aug. 1867	Matron ...	175	0 0	
MacEnery, T. G. ...	39 0 0	1 June 1875	Compositor, Govt. Printing Office ...	75s. per week		
McEwen, Mary ...	13 15 0	1 June 1864	Matron, Gaol ...	75	0 0	
McGrenahan, J. ...	68 10 7	1 Dec. 1869	Warder, Penal Establishment ...	78.6d. per diem		
McLachlan, L. ...	325 0 0	1 June 1872	Police Magistrate ...	650	0 0	
MacNee, J. ...	128 6 8	1 May 1876	Clerk, Penal Department ...	350	0 0	
McPherson, D. J. ...	157 6 2	1 June 1867	Postmaster ...	350	0 0	
Nicolson, Peter ...	279 3 4	1 April 1867	Collector of Customs ...	583	6 8	
Nott, J. ...	168 15 0	1 Jan. 1869	Clerk of Courts ...	350	0 0	
Oakley, T. ...	47 18 1	1 April 1876	Boatman, Harbor Department ...	136	17 4	
O'Brien, D. ...	68 8 9	1 Jan. 1877	Warder, Penal ...	...	
O'Connell, F. ...	24 17 5	16 June 1876	Telegraph Line Repairer ...	135	13 6	
O'Hea, Jas. ...	172 10 0	1 Jan. 1869	Clerk, Chief Secretary's Office ...	350	0 0	
Orme, F. K. ...	249 3 4	25 Jan. 1878	Police Magistrate ...	650	0 0	
Owers, R. ...	41 11 6	1 Jan. 1872	Turnkey, Gaols ...	200	0 0	
Pascoe, C. A. D. ...	270 16 8	25 Jan. 1878	Police Magistrate ...	650	0 0	
Pittman, Jos. ...	242 10 0	1 Feb. 1871	Clerk, Mines ...	485	0 0	
Powell, C. ...	112 15 5	1 July 1864	Locker, Customs Department ...	230	0 0	
Puddy, J. ...	65 0 0	1 Feb. 1875	Laborer, Government Printing Office ...	130	0 0	
Radcliffe, J. ...	41 10 4	14 May 1877	Signalman, Harbor Department ...	68.6d. per diem		
Richardson, A. ...	127 10 0	1 Jan. 1865	Locker, Customs Department ...	255	0 0	
Roberts, H. H. ...	156 5 0	1 Oct. 1868	Clerk of Courts ...	350	0 0	
Robertson, A. ...	230 0 0	9 Jan. 1878	Chief Draftsman, Lands ...	600	0 0	
Roempler, R. ...	39 8 8	1 July 1876	Compositor, Govt. Printing Office ...	70s. per week		
Rooney, T. ...	22 16 3	16 Nov. 1868	Warder ...	78.6d. per diem		
Ross, J. ...	92 10 0	1 Jan. 1869	Weigher, Customs ...	185	0 0	
Saddler, J. ...	143 15 0	1 Jan. 1869	Landing Waiter, Customs ...	300	0 0	
Shadforth, R. W. ...	303 6 8	1 Nov. 1873	Police Magistrate ...	650	0 0	
Sinclair, P. ...	175 0 0	1 Jan. 1874	Clerk, Parliamentary Library ...	350	0 0	
Smibert, A. ...	86 4 6	1 Dec. 1870	Blacksmith, Marine Yard ...	172	9 0	
Smith, J. ...	87 10 0	13 May 1865	Clerk, Post Office ...	350	0 0	
Spain, H. W. ...	121 11 2	13 July 1864	Comptroller of Accounts, Customs Department ...	600	0 0	
Sparrow, W. C. ...	146 11 3	1 Oct. 1862	Locker, Customs Department ...	265	0 0	
Stewart, G. ...	325 0 0	19 Nov. 1866	Police Magistrate ...	650	0 0	
Strutt, C. E. ...	292 10 0	25 Jan. 1878	Police Magistrate ...	650	0 0	

¹ Died, 4 July 1877.—² Died, 3 February 1878.—³ Died, 25 May 1878.—⁴ Died, 22 September 1877.

PENSIONS, ETC.

RETURN of Pensions and Superannuation Allowances chargeable upon the Revenue of the Colony of Victoria for the Year ended 30th June 1878—continued.

Pension or Superannuation Allowance.				Office held by Recipient at time of Superannuation.	Annual Salary on retirement from Public Service.
Name of Recipient.	Rate per annum.	Authority.	Date of Commencement.		
Sturt, E. P. S. ...	£ s. d. 396 13 4	Act 25 Vict. No. 160	25 Jan. 1878	Police Magistrate ...	£ s. d. 850 0 0
Summers, J. ...	92 10 0		1 Jan. 1869	Weigher, Customs ...	185 0 0
Terry, Wm. ...	31 0 6		13 Mar. 1868	Warder ...	8s. 6d. per diem
Thomas, J. ...	110 16 8		23 Mar. 1878	Clerk, Treasury ...	350 0 0
Thomas, S. H. ...	242 10 0		1 Nov. 1870	Clerk, Audit Office ...	485 0 0
Thomson, A. P. ...	184 14 5		11 Feb. 1869	Clerk, Receipt & Pay Office, Melbourne	600 0 0
Turnham, J. ...	175 0 0		1 July 1876	Assistant Superintendent, Penal ...	350 0 0
Urquhart, W. S. ...	160 0 0		1 Mar. 1864	District Surveyor ...	550 0 0
Valantine, Isabella	20 0 0		1 July 1869	Housekeeper, Stores ...	40 0 0
Valantine, John ...	65 0 0		1 July 1869	Messenger, Stores ...	120 0 0
Walker, Eliza ...	37 10 0		14 Jan. 1869	Matron, Gaols ...	75 0 0
Warden, J. ...	54 15 0		7 June 1874	Boatman, Harbor Department ...	9s. per diem
Warry, Robt. ...	168 15 0		1 April 1869	Clerk, Post Office ...	350 0 0
Watkins, T. ...	93 19 8		1 Sept. 1877	Doorkeeper, Legislative Assembly	187 14 0
Watson, J. ...	107 10 0		1 Mar. 1874	Locker, Customs Department ...	215 0 0
Watt, Jas. ...	100 0 0		26 Mar. 1869	Lightship Master, Customs ...	200 0 0
Watt, John ...	131 5 0		1 July 1869	Clerk, Post Office ...	300 0 0
Waymouth, B. ...	220 0 0		1 Jan. 1876	Accountant, Post Office ...	600 0 0
Weigall, H. ...	239 11 8		1 Jan. 1869	Clerk of Courts ..	485 0 0
Williams, F. ...	80 0 0		1 Jan. 1869	Weigher and Watchman, Customs...	160 0 0
Williams, H. A. ...	157 14 4		8 Nov. 1876	Assistant Architect, Public Works	533 6 8
Wilson, J. ¹ ...	74 4 4	1 Mar. 1872	Line Repairer, Post and Telegraph Department	148 8 8	
Wintle, Mary ² ...	50 0 0	31 Dec. 1868	Matron, Melbourne Gaol ...	100 0 0	
Woods, J. T. ...	29 0 0	1 Sept 1874	Assistant Operator, Post and Telegraph Office	150 0 0	
Wooldridge, J. ...	60 14 6	30 Nov. 1875	Coxswain, Customs Department ...	173 7 6	
Wright, G. ...	175 0 0	22 Aug. 1864	Clerk, Government Stores ...	350 0 0	

¹ Died, 29 November 1877. — ² Died, 12 November 1877.
An amount of £2,000 is annually, under Act 37 Vict. No. 476 s. 32, paid in to the credit of the Pension Superannuation Fund.
NOTE.—This return has been furnished by the Honorable the Treasurer.

PENSIONS, ETC.—RETURN FOR ELEVEN YEARS.

Year.	Under the Civil Service Act.		Under the Lunacy Statute.		Under the County Courts Statute.		Under other Authority.		Total.	
	Number of Pensions.	Amount of Pensions.	Number of Pensions.	Amount of Pensions.	Number of Pensions.	Amount of Pensions.	Number of Pensions.	Amount of Pensions.*	Number of Pensions.	Amount of Pensions.
1868	49	£ 7,196	...	£ ...	...	£ ...	7	£ 6,267	56	£ 13,463
1869	101	15,098	...	...	...	...	7	6,267	108	21,365
1870	108	15,922	2	46	1	750	7	5,767	118	22,485
1871	108	15,673	4	119	1	750	7	5,767	120	22,309
1872	114	16,758	3	59	1	750	7	5,767	125	23,334
1873	114	16,591	3	59	1	750	7	5,767	125	23,167
1873-4	118	17,090	5	82	2	1,500	7	5,767	132	24,438
1874-5	123	17,382	6	128	2	1,500	8	7,267	139	26,277
1875-6	125	17,469	8	154	2	1,500	7	6,467	142	25,590
1876-7	134	18,190	10	253	2	1,500	7	6,467	153	26,410
1877-8	162	23,139	8	217	3	2,250	6	5,467	179	31,073

* This column embraces the Pensions of Lady Darling, of Mrs. Petrie, of Ministers relieved from office on the introduction of Responsible Government and on political grounds, and the Superannuation Allowances of Mr. Hoddle, first Surveyor-General of the Colony, and of Mr. Justice Williams.
NOTE.—The pensions and superannuation allowances referred to in this and the preceding table are those which would be payable, supposing the whole to be in existence throughout the 12 months. In consequence, however, of some of the allowances not commencing until the year has more or less advanced, in consequence also of some of the old ones falling in during the course of the year through the death of the recipients, the amount actually paid is always less than the amount shown on the list. The material for this return has been derived from statements furnished each year by the Honorable the Treasurer.

DEFENCES.—LAND FORCES.—ARTILLERY CORPS.—STRENGTH AND ARMS.

RETURN showing the Strength and Arms of the Victorian Artillery Corps on 31st December 1878.

Rank.	Strength 31st Dec. 1878.	Wanting to complete.	Establishment.	Rifles in Possession.
Captain ...	1	...	1	147
Subaltern...	1	...	1	
Sergeant-Major ...	1	...	1	
Sergeants...	3	...	3	
Corporals...	9	...	9	
Bombardiers ...	7	1	8	
Gunners—Class A ...	14	4	18	
Gunners—Class B ...	136	14	150	
Buglers ...				
Total ...	172	19	191		147

DEFENCES.—LAND FORCES.—VICTORIAN VOLUNTEER FORCE.—STRENGTH AND ESTABLISHMENT.

RETURN showing the Strength, Establishment, and Arms of Volunteer Corps on 31st December 1878.

Branch of Service.	District and Designation of Corps.	Commanding Officers.	Strength.				Wanting to complete.	Supernumeraries, not maintained by Government.	Establishment.	Arms in Possession.						
			Officers.	Sergeants.	Rank and File.	Total.				Martini-Henry.	Breech-loading Carbine.	Lancaster, Large Bore.	Lancaster, Reduced Bore.	Long Enfield.	General Hay.	
Cavalry...	Metropolitan Troop ...	Capt. Martin ...	5	3	24	32	10	...	42	10	10	...	...	...	...
	Kyneton Troop...	Capt. Wait ...	4	3	34	41	1	...	42	10	19	...	...	...	...
	Sandhurst Troop ...	Capt. Henderson ...	5	5	26	36	6	...	42	10	15	...	...	...	...
	Ballarat Troop ...	Capt. Wilson ...	5	3	30	38	4	...	42	10	8	...	...	...	...
	Southern Troop ...	Capt. Rodd ...	3	4	38	45	...	3	42	10	5	...	...	...	...
Artillery	East Melbourne Corps ...	Capt. King ...	8	12	109	129	96	...	225	40	...	...	...	...	...
	St. Kilda Corps...	Capt. Hearne ...	8	8	126	142	8	...	150	40	...	...	...	...	...
	Metropolitan Corps ...	Major Clarke ...	4	13	98	115	35	...	150	40	15	...	4	27	9	
	Williamstown Corps ...	Capt. Douch ...	7	8	146	161	39	...	200	140	...	...	...	...	...
	Geelong Corps ...	Major Rashleigh	5	10	97	112	38	...	150	120	...	...	3	...	1
	South Grant Corps—															
	Queenscliff Detachment	Capt. Jordan ...	3	3	42	48	57	...	150	50	...	...	...	...	...
	Drysdale Detachment ...	Capt. McWilliams	2	4	39	45				50
	Western Corps—															
	Portland Detachment ...	Capt. Trangmar	3	5	71	79	15	...	225	80	...	...	...	...	...
Belfast Detachment ...	Capt. Woods ...	4	5	69	78	80				...	...	...	...	...	...
Warrnambool Detachment	Capt. Cramer ...	4	2	47	53	70				...	...	...	...	...	...
Emerald Hill Corps ...	Capt. Twycross	5	8	117	130	20	...	150	140	...	...	...	...	...
Engineers...	Engineer Corps ...	Capt. Shakespear	5	9	145	159	...	9	150	140	...	...	...	...	...
Torpedo, &c.	Torpedo and Signal Corps	Major Ellery ...	5	...	22	27	3	...	30	10	...	...	...	...	...
Rifles ...	Metropolitan Corps ...	Major Freeman...	6	9	108	123	52	...	175	160	...	2	7	7	1	
	Carlton Corps ...	Capt. Aldwell ...	6	8	142	156	19	...	175	160	...	...	...	...	...
	Collingwood Corps ...	Major Templeton	5	6	104	115	35	...	150	140	...	4	...	...	...
	East Collingwood Corps ...	Major Trythall...	4	4	104	112	38	...	150	140	...	...	...	...	...
	Richmond Corps ...	Capt. Small ...	5	6	102	113	37	...	150	140	...	...	...	...	...
	Southern Corps ...	Capt. Chambers	5	7	98	110	40	...	150	140	...	...	...	...	...
	1st Ballarat Corps ...	Major Sleep ...	9	13	210	232	68	...	300	240	...	...	...	...	...
	2nd Ballarat Corps (Creswick) ...	Capt. Keatch ...	1	7	83	91	...	16	75	80	...	...	...	...	...
	Bendigo Corps ...	Capt. Blackham	4	8	133	145	30	...	175	160	...	7	4	6	...	
	1st Castlemaine Corps ...	Major Aitken ...	8	9	114	131	19	...	150	140	...	...	...	...	...
	2nd Castlemaine Corps—															
Maldon Detachment ...	Capt. Wells ...	3	4	58	65	10	...	75	70	...	...	...	...	...
Kyneton Detachment ...	Capt. Thirkettle	2	3	45	50	...	...	50	50	...	...	...	...	...
Malmsbury Detachment	Capt. Hooppell...	2	3	41	46	4	...	50	55	...	...	...	...	1	
			145	192	2622	2959	684	28	3,615							
							656	{ Wanting to complete Establishment.								
Staff, &c.	Unattached, &c. ...	...	67	29	...	96	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bands ...	...	...	...	25	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...			212	221	2647	3080	...	...	...	2,725	72	13	18	40	12

W. A. D. ANDERSON, Commandant.

DEFENCES.—LAND FORCES.—EXPENDITURE.

RETURN showing the Expenditure in connection with the Victorian Land Forces for the Financial Year ending 30th June 1878.

Particulars.	Amount Expended.	Total.	Particulars.	Amount Expended.	Total.
SALARIES.—STAFF.			SALARIES.—ARTILLERY CORPS.		
Commandant	£ 750 0 0	£	Captain	£ 450 0 0	£
Adjutant	350 0 0	s.	Lieutenant	300 0 0	s.
Instructor of Gunnery, &c. ...	450 0 0	d.	Sergeant-Major, at 9s. per day	} 8,913 17 0	}
Brigade Quartermaster ...	350 0 0		Sergeants, at 7s. per day		
Chief Clerk (Ordnance) ...	350 0 0		Corporals, at 6s. per day		
Barrack and Commissariat Sergeant	200 15 0		Bombardiers, at 5s. 6d. per day		
Storeholder	250 0 0		Gunners, Class A, at 5s. per day		
Armourer	250 0 0		Gunners, Class B, at 2s. per day		
Ordnance Fitter	250 0 0		Buglers, at 1s. per day ...		
Wheeler and Pyrotechnist ...	219 0 0		Total Salaries	9,663 17 0	
Painter	164 5 0		CONTINGENCIES.—ARTILLERY		
Blacksmith	186 0 0		CORPS.		
Total Salaries, Staff ... ..	...	3,770 0 0	Rations and Messing, Class B ...	2,223 9 8	
CONTINGENCIES.—VOLUNTEER FORCE.			Uniform, Soldiers' Kits, Fuel, Light, Water, Travelling Expenses, Lodging Allowance to Married Men, Forage Allowance, Incidentals	2,322 7 2	
Pay of Instructors for Volunteer purposes	4,862 14 0		Total Expenditure, Artillery Corps	...	14,209 13 10
Effective Allowance to Volunteer Corps	8,162 8 11		CONTINGENCIES.—GENERAL—FOR LAND FORCES.		
Uniform for Non-commissioned Officers	145 11 8		Musters for Instruction	283 5 9	
Forage Allowance	400 0 0		Cost of Torpedoes and Engineering Expenses	427 19 0	
Horse Allowance for Mounting Volunteer Officers	664 2 2		Warlike Stores	20,100 0 0	
Travelling and Horse Allowance for Cavalry Instructor ...	166 5 0		Railway Transport	2,500 0 0	
Repair of War Material, Stores, Transport, Travelling Expenses, Fuel, Light and Water, Forage for Cart Horses, Incidentals ...	2,643 2 4		Ammunition	852 7 1	
Total Contingencies, Volunteer Force ... ..	...	17,044 4 1	In aid of the Victorian Rifle Association	1,000 0 0	
			Expenses connected with Sir W. Jervois' Report on Defences ...	2,200 0 0	
			Total Contingencies, General	...	27,363 11 10
			Total Expenditure, Land Forces	...	62,387 9 9

W. A. D. ANDERSON, Commandant.

DEFENCES.—NAVAL FORCES.—STRENGTH AND ARMAMENT.

RETURN showing the Strength, Establishment, and Armament of the Victorian Naval Forces, 31st December 1878.

STRENGTH AND ESTABLISHMENT.

H.M.V.S. "CERBERUS."			H.M.V.S. "NELSON."			H.M.V.S. "VICTORIA."			NAVAL RESERVE.		
Rank.	Strength.	To complete.	Rank.	Strength.	To complete.	Rank.	Strength.	To complete.	Rank.	Strength.	To complete.
Captain	1	1	Chief Gunner and Shipkeeper ...	1	1	Lieutenant	1	1	Captain	1	1
Lieutenant	1	1	Petty Officers, Seamen, &c. ...	53	60	Chief Engineer ...	1	1	Lieutenants, Senior	1	2
Chief Engineer ...	1	1				Petty Officers, Seamen, &c. ...	26	28	Lieutenants, Junior	2	2
Paymaster	1	1				Boys	2	2	Surgeon	1	1
Engineers	2	3							Sub-Lieutenants	3	4
Chief Boatswain ...	1	1							Assistant-Surgeons	2	2
Chief Carpenter ...	1	1							Gunners	2	2
Gunners	3	3							Instructors ...	1	1
Petty Officers, &c. ...	89	95							Petty Officers ...	16	16
Boys	16	16							Seamen	198	200
Total	115	123	Total	54	61	Total	30	32	Total	225	231

ARMAMENT.

Where.	Guns.					Rifles.		Revolvers.	
	Woolwich 10-inch 400-Pr.	Woolwich 7-inch 116-Pr.	Shunt 45-cwt. 64-Pr.	Smooth-bore 32-Pr.	Howitzer 12-Pr.	Martini-Henry.	Sea Service.	D. and A. Breech-loading.	Un-described.
H.M.V.S. "Cerberus" ...	4	...	...	...	2	50	...	24	...
H.M.V.S. "Nelson" ...	...	2	19	10	...	75	...	50	119
H.M.V.S. "Victoria" ...	...	...	1	...	4	...	...	...	...
Naval Reserve ... ..	...	...	...	11	...	200	12	...	...

C. T. MANDEVILLE, Captain Commanding Victorian Naval Forces.

DEFENCES.—NAVAL FORCES.—EXPENDITURE.

RETURN showing the Expenditure in connection with the Victorian Naval Forces for the Financial Year ended 30th June 1878.

SALARIES AND WAGES.		SALARIES AND WAGES.		CONTINGENCIES.	
Particulars.	Amount.	Particulars.	Amount.	Particulars.	Amount.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
H.M.V.S. "CERBERUS."		H.M.V.S. "NELSON."			
Captain ...	500 0 0	Lieutenant ...	58 6 8	Allowance Officers' Reserve	220 2 3
Lieutenants (2) ...	625 0 0	Chief Gunner ...	180 0 0	Gunners ...	458 2 4
Chief Engineer ...	360 0 0	Petty Officers, Seamen, &c.	1,173 15 0	Laying Moorings	118 0 0
Assistant-Paymaster ...	182 10 0			Torpedo Gear ...	618 16 4
Engineers (2) ...	407 3 8	Total ...	1,412 1 8	Steering Engine	869 2 4
Chief Boatswain ...	200 0 0			Steam Cutter ...	160 0 0
Chief Carpenter ...	200 0 0	NAVAL RESERVE.		Provisions ...	2,623 0 7
Gunners (3) ...	492 4 3	Gunner ...	182 10 0	Stores ...	1,350 5 11
Shipkeeper "Success" ...	136 17 6	Instructor ...	136 17 6	Fuel and Water	667 7 9
Petty Officers, Seamen, &c.	8,625 16 9	Petty Officers, &c.	2,357 0 0	Docking	76 16 10
Total ...	11,729 12 2	Total ...	2,676 7 6	Machinery	512 6 7
				Extra Men	5 14 0
H.M.V.S. "VICTORIA."				Drill Rooms, &c.	916 18 8
Wages of Seamen, &c. ...	1,177 7 1			Boys' Clothes ...	136 17 4
				Incidentals ...	298 9 9
		Total ...	2,676 7 6	Total ...	9,032 0 8

SUMMARY.

	£	s.	d.
Salaries, &c., "Cerberus" ...	11,729	12	2
Salaries, &c., "Nelson" ...	1,412	1	8
Salaries, "Victoria" ...	1,177	7	1
Salaries, &c., Naval Reserve ...	2,676	7	6
Contingencies ...	9,032	0	8
Total* ...	26,027	9	1

C. T. MANDEVILLE, Captain Commanding Naval Forces.

* This includes an amount of £1,892 14s. 7d., viz., £389 and £1,177 7s. 1d. for wages of seamen, &c., in the "Nelson" and "Victoria" respectively, and £326 7s. 6d. for contingencies. These amounts were incurred and paid during the year 1877-8, but appeared on the Estimates for 1878-9.