

No. XXIX.

TREASURY
INDEMNITY.**An Act to indemnify the Colonial Treasurer, the Officers of the Treasury, and other Public Officers, in respect of certain unauthorised advances from the Public Account of the Colonial Treasurer in the various Banks. [13th June, 1893.]**

Preamble.

WHEREAS certain sums of money have been withdrawn from the Public Account of the Colonial Treasurer in the various Banks without the authority of Parliament for the purpose of paying the claims of contractors and others in anticipation of the sanction of Parliament, which said sums are shown in the Schedule hereto, and amount to the sum of One hundred and fifty-nine thousand four hundred and seventy-three pounds and eightpence: And whereas the respective sums so withdrawn and payments so made were necessary to carry on and maintain the Public Service: And whereas it is expedient to indemnify all persons concerned or engaged in the matter of such withdrawals or payments: Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Indemnity to
Colonial Treasurer
and his Officers, &c.

1. The Colonial Treasurer, the Officers of the Treasury, and all persons whosoever concerned or engaged in making the said withdrawals or payments, are hereby indemnified and held harmless for and in respect of the withdrawal and expenditure of the said sum of One hundred and fifty-nine thousand four hundred and seventy-three pounds and eightpence.

Short title.

2. This Act may be cited as the "Treasury Indemnity Act 1893."

SCHEDULE.

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.

SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS during the period from 3rd January, to 7th March, 1893, inclusive, which have been made by the Honorable the Colonial Treasurer without appropriation and warrant.

Head of Service.	Payments, 3rd January to 7th March, 1893.
SERVICES OF 1892.	
No. III.	£ s. d.
Defence Department	70 1 1
Naval Brigade	300 2 0
Asylums for Infirm and Destitute	123 3 0
Relief to Unemployed	149 4 3
Official History of New South Wales	12 10 0
Conveyance of Unemployed	789 2 5
Carried forward	£ 1,444 2 9

Treasury Indemnity.

Head of Service.							Payments, 3rd January to 7th March, 1893.		
							£	s.	d.
Brought forward							1,441	2	9
No. IV.									
Customs	...	...	...	...	...	...	553	5	5
Government Printer	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,158	13	3
Stores and Stationery	...	...	...	...	...	...	449	8	1
Glebe Island Abattoirs	...	...	...	...	...	...	339	15	7
Insurance on English Shipments	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	18	1
Interest on Overdrafts	...	...	...	...	...	...	163	4	9
Interest on Municipal Council of Sydney Sinking Fund	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	4	2
Railways—Working Expenses, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,000	0	0
No. V.									
Attorney General	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	7	0
No. VII.									
Dredge Service	...	...	...	...	...	...	668	8	10
Working Expenses, Hunter River Water Supply	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3	4
Hard Labour Gaols	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	5	0
Board of Water Supply and Sewerage—									
Water	...	...	...	...	...	...	77	12	6
Sewerage	...	...	...	...	...	...	167	13	2
Alterations Ship "Sobraon"	...	...	...	...	...	...	162	15	0
Post and Telegraph Office, Broken Hill	...	...	...	...	...	...	296	18	3
No. VIII.									
Sheriff	...	...	...	...	...	...	96	7	10
SERVICES OF 1893.									
No. III.									
Colonial Secretary	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	0	0
Artillery	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,000	0	0
Immigration	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	0	0
Fisheries Commission	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	0	0
Maintenance of Sick Paupers	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	16	0
No. IV.									
Treasury	...	...	...	...	...	...	122	13	6
Government Printer	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,484	18	5
Stores and Stationery	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	0	0
Glebe Island Abattoirs	...	...	...	...	...	...	387	5	1
Public Wharfs	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	0	0
Interest on Special Deposit by New South Wales Savings Bank	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,875	0	0
Commission on Funded Stock	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	10	0
Exchange on Remittances	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,560	0	0
Transmission of Telegraphic Messages	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	19	8
Expenses in connection with payment of Imperial Pensions	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	15	0
Railways—Working Expenses, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	114,315	17	1
No. V.									
Quarter Sessions	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,000	0	0
No. VII.									
Dredge Service	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	4	5
Landing Silt	...	...	...	...	...	...	469	14	4
Expenses of Special Tugs, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	16	10
Repairs, Public Buildings	...	...	...	...	...	...	77	10	10
Furniture, Public Offices	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	9	0
Sewerage	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,055	7	0
No. VIII.									
Department of Justice	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	0	0
District Courts	...	...	...	...	...	...	130	0	0
Coroner's Inquests	200	0	0
Petty Sessions	10	0	0
Gaols Generally	5	0	0
Carried forward	£	156,851	0
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Probate Act of 1890 Amendment.

Head of Service.						Payments, 3rd January to 7th March, 1893.
	£	s.	d.			
Brought forward	156,851	0 2
No. IX.						
Free Public Library	48	17 6
Training Ship "Sobraon"	5	0 0
No. X.						
Department of Mines	114	4 0
No. XI.						
Post Office Department	800	0 0
OTHER PAYMENTS.						
Norfolk Island Mail Service	16	13 4
Mauritius Government—Pensions	45	0 10
Sierra Leone Government—Pensions	4	16 8
Mercantile Marine—Pensions	2	4 0
Extension of Sydney Water Supply	143	16 6
Compensation for Land—Railway, Nyngan to Cobar	50	0 0
Cook's River and Shee's Creek Reclamation, &c.	951	1 5
Minor Storm Water Sewers S. West Drainage	382	19 3
Preliminary Expenses—Municipal Institutions	57	7 0
Total	£	159,473	0 8

The Treasury, New South Wales,
Sydney, 1st May, 1893.

JOHN SEE,
Treasurer.