

THE

# Hawke's Bay Government Gazette.

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DONALD McLEAN, Superintendent.

Vol. X.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1869.

No. 2.

Superintendent's Office,  
Napier, Jan. 25, 1869.

**I**T IS HEREBY NOTIFIED for general information, that

Mr. ALFRED JARMAN

has been appointed Draftsman; appointment to take effect from 1st January 1869.

DONALD McLEAN,  
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,  
Napier, Jan. 27, 1869.

**I**T IS HEREBY NOTIFIED for general information, that

Mrs. CARR

has been appointed Schoolmistress to the Meanee School.

DONALD McLEAN,  
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,  
Napier, Jan. 27, 1869.

**I**T IS HEREBY NOTIFIED for general information, that

Miss WATT

has been appointed Schoolmistress to the Waipukurau School.

DONALD McLEAN,  
Superintendent.

## IMMIGRATION TO HAWKE'S BAY.

### PUBLIC NOTIFICATION.

**A**LL PERSONS who may be desirous of bringing out Relations or Friends—or settlers who wish to bring out Shepherds, Labourers, or Mechanics, to be

selected by their correspondents in Great Britain and Ireland, will be enabled to do so on the following terms:—

Any householder or other person who shall by surety or otherwise give sufficient security for the repayment of passage money, shall be entitled, after signing Promissory Notes for the amount of such passage, to apply to the Immigration Agent at Napier, giving the name and address of the person or persons whom they desire to bring out, and on so doing the Provincial Agent in London will be instructed to provide a passage to Napier for each Immigrant at a rate not exceeding £20 per adult.

Promissory Notes for a like amount will also have to be given by intending Immigrants to the Provincial Agent in London.

If the person coming, or his Agent, accepts of a passage, and refuses or neglects to avail thereof after notice has been given in writing that the vessel is to sail, the party so doing shall be liable to forfeit half of the passage money.

In the event of death on the voyage—half only of the passage money shall be charged.

The passage money is advanced in the first instance by the Provincial Government, subject to repayment in four equal half-yearly instalments of £5 each, commencing from the date of arrival at Napier, but Immigrants or their Sureties who neglect to regularly remit the amount of such half-yearly instalment, will be at once called upon for payment of the whole of the passage money.

DONALD McLEAN,  
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,  
Napier, February 2, 1869.

## Abstract of Receipts

OF THE PROVINCE OF HAWKE'S BAY, FOR THE

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RECEIPTS.

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>ORDINARY—</b>						
Public Revenues Act, 1867 .....	700	0	7			
Rents Educational Reserves .....	68	14	0			
Publicans' License Fee .....	20	0	0			
Pound Fees .....	0	5	0			
Pilot Fees .....	23	18	6			
Wharf Dues.....	23	19	7			
Wharf Fees .....	13	14	0			
Boat Licenses .....	3	7	6			
Weighbridge Fees .....	0	13	6			
Total Ordinary.....				854	12	8
<b>TERRITORIAL—</b>						
Land Sales .....	298	6	3			
Total Territorial .....				298	6	3
<b>MISCELLANEOUS—</b>						
Immigration .....	108	8	0			
Rents Papakura .....	223	10	3			
Rents Hikutoto .....	311	5	0			
Road Levies, Papakura.....	27	11	4			
Road Levies, Hikutoto .....	70	16	3			
Rent Weighbridge, Spit.....	5	10	0			
Maintenance of Lunatics .....	2	10	0			
Roads—Refund Taupo Road.....	140	15	0			
Sale of Punt, Waipureku .....	8	0	0			
Total Miscellaneous.....				898	5	10
<b>SPECIAL—</b>						
Road Levies, Papakura .....	0	5	6			
Rents Educational Reserves.....	8	8	6			
Rents Tollgate .....	230	9	3			
Total Special .....				239	3	3
<b>TEMPORARY—</b>						
Nett Proceeds Sale Gwavas Pound .....	4	16	0			
Total Temporary.....				4	16	0
Balance in hands of Officers and others, 30th June, 1868 .....	3465	1	1			
Overdraft at Bank of New Zealand 30th September, 1868 .....	8766	0	10			

Carried forward .....£14,526 5 11

# and Expenditure,

QUARTER ENDING 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1868.

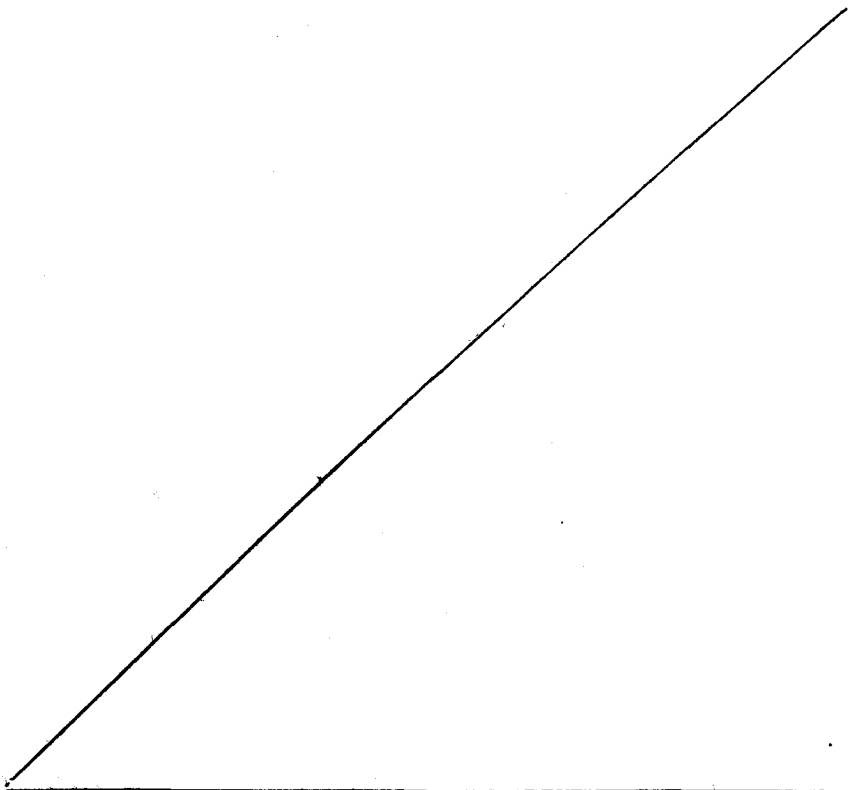
## EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>ORDINARY—</b>						
Superintendent's Department .....	213	12	11			
Audit Department .....	25	0	0			
Provincial Solicitor's Department.....	25	0	0			
Provincial Council Department.....	237	13	0			
Gaol Department .....	266	12	5			
Police Department .....	£275	2	7}	279	19	0
Ditto, not specially provided for .....	4	16	5}			
Hospital, and Charitable Department .....		162	13	3		
Harbour Department .....	£160	5	0}	180	8	0
Ditto, not specially provided for .....	20	3	0}			
Inspectors of Sheep Department .....		100	0	0		
Crown Lands and Treasury Department .....		113	12	4		
Education Department .....		255	5	4		
Survey Department .....	£360	1	8}	386	11	8
Ditto, not specially provided for .....	26	10	0}			
Provincial Engineer's Department .....		58	6	8		
Supreme and District Court Department.....		2	5	0		
Government Offices.....		13	5	9		
Receiver of Land Revenue Department .....		0	15	10		
Returning Officer's Department.....		18	18	0		
Meteorological Department .....		1	5	6		
Total Ordinary.....		2341	4	8		
<b>MISCELLANEOUS—</b>						
Insurance on Government Buildings .....		1	17	6		
Subsidy, Line of Coaches .....		96	13	4		
Rent, Hikutoto .....		79	0	0		
Ferries .....	£35	0	0}	49	19	4
Ditto, not specially provided for.....	14	19	4}			
Materials for Prison Labour .....		7	8	9		
Miscellaneous Contingencies .....		64	4	1		
General Printing and Advertising.....		60	6	0		
Refund part license, H. Beukers .....		10	0	0		
Total Miscellaneous.....		369	9	0		
<b>PUBLIC WORKS AND UNDERTAKINGS—</b>						
Repairs and Maintenance Public Buildings.....		20	3	5		
Road Contingencies .....		8	5	7		
Expenditure connected with Toll-gate.....		30	14	0		
Napier Cemetery.....		50	0	0		
Public Slaughter Yard .....		2	10	0		
Total Public Works and Undertakings...		111	13	0		
<b>LOAN ACT AMENDMENT ACT, £28,000—</b>						
Immigration.....	272	0	0			
Harbour Purposes .....	252	0	0			
Purchase of Land from Natives .....	11	11	0			
Roads—Napier to Waitangi .....	3	11	4			
„ Waitangi to Eperaima.....	26	14	2			
„ Aorangi to Hampden .....	4	1	3			
Total Loan Act Amendment Act ...		569	17	9		
<b>LOAN APPROPRIATION, £60,000—</b>						
Purchase of Land from Natives .....	3	3	0			
Harbour Purposes .....	99	12	2			
Total Loan Appropriation, £60000...		102	15	2		
<b>PERMANENT CHARGES—</b>						
Interest on Overdraft .....	133	18	8			
Total Permanent Charges .....		133	18	8		
Carried forward.....		3628	18	3		

RECEIPTS—*continued.*

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Brought forward ..... 14526 5 11



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Total of Abstract .....£14526 5 11

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EXPENDITURE—*continued.*

Brought forward .....	3628 18 3
<b>SPECIAL—</b>	
Expenditure under Toll-gate Act, 1867 .....	12 4 8
Total Special .....	12 4 8
<b>TEMPORARY—</b>	
<i>Advances to Officers and others to be accounted for—</i>	
C. Weber, Provincial Engineer, on account of "Huntress" .....	24 14 0
C. Weber, Provincial Engineer, on account of Roads .....	492 13 7
C. Weber, Provincial Engineer, on account of Public Works, &c. ....	0 6 9
C. Weber, Chief Provincial Surveyor, on account of Surveys .....	145 14 3
H. S. Tiffen, on account of Charitable Aid .....	60 0 0
S. Locke, on account of Native Land Purchase .....	450 0 0
Provincial Government of Wellington .....	1934 0 4
<i>Loan Appropriation, £60,000—</i>	
C. Weber, Provincial Engineer, on account of Roads .....	3305 13 3
C. Weber, Provincial Engineer, on account of Harbor purposes .....	156 16 8
C. Weber, Provincial Engineer, on account of Ngaururo Bridge .....	2 5 5
<i>Loan Act Amendment Act, £28,000—</i>	
C. Weber, Provincial Engineer, on account of Roads .....	1230 0 0
C. Weber, Provincial Engineer, on account of Harbor Purposes .....	200 0 0
Total Temporary .....	8002 4 3
Overdraft at Bank of New Zealand on 30th June, 1867 .....	2882 18 9
Total of Abstract .....	£14526 5 11

J. C. LAMBTON CARTER,  
Provincial Treasurer.

Provincial Treasury,  
Napier, 5th January, 1869.

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the Provincial Treasurer of the Province of Hawke's Bay, for the quarter ending 30th September, 1868, and have compared them with the vouchers, and find the computations correct; that the Revenues and Receipts brought in charge and required by law to be paid into the Provincial Account, were so paid; that all issues of public moneys have been made on warrants of the Superintendent, duly certified by me; that all moneys issued in payment of services rendered were legally available, according to the terms of the Provincial Audit Act, 1866; that the Expenditure shown in the said accounts has been properly classified, and that any part thereof which may have been incurred without authority of law is separately shown.

G. E. G. RICHARDSON,  
Provincial Auditor.

Audit Office, Napier,  
13th January, 1869.

Napier, January 30th, 1869.

SIR,—I have the honor to forward you, and enclose herewith, a tabular statement of the diseases which have been under treatment in the Provincial Hospital during the past year. I don't know that anything in it particularly calls for remark, save that at the first glance the cases seem much fewer than in former years. The contrast with the two preceding years is explainable that in the year 1866 the wounded from Oamaru considerably swelled the figures, and in 1867 the immigrants per Montmorency added materially also. The working population of the Province has been, I have no doubt, thinned by a gradual exodus to the gold-fields in an adjoining Province. The greater difficulty which your Honor wisely interposed between the mere transmission of a patient and his actual admission, has had a wholesome restraint upon the then system of almost indiscriminate admission; and the system of payment also, made imperative except in cases of absolute need, has worked well in checking inordinate attempts of admission. I fear the latter is better in theory than practice, for do what we will we continually incur bad debts, and really very little reverts to the Provincial pocket.

There is one class of diseases which I may say is congratulatory to the Province generally to see represented by so small a figure, namely, consumptive cases, only one, and that an imported case, discharged from the Consumptive Hospital at Brompton, not as it were indigenous to our climate. The number of rheumatic cases far below the average. These two diseases alone added nearly 20 last year to the general number. We have to record two very severe cases of accident by machinery. The one, the boy Robert Willis, whose shoulder was completely denuded, the arm only hanging by a single tendon. He has since got completely well, the arteries at the time being promptly secured by the timely arrival of my friend Dr. Spencer, 18th Royal Irish. The other, one of the firemen of the s.s. St. Kilda, the hand was nearly taken all off—all the fingers were gone, the thumb alone remaining. It was made a case of conservative surgery; the metacarpal bones were cut with strong bone nippers near their articulation with the bones of the wrist, and a flap, as well as could be obtained under the circumstances, served to cover the divided ends of the bones. Several small vessels had to be secured. The man, whose wife and family reside in Wellington, has since gone thither.

The number of deaths were six during the past year. They were all cases beyond the remedial art. It is congratulatory that no cases of acute disease ensuing in death have occurred. I may mention, incidentally, that the year generally was free from such melancholy occurrences. The first was Robert Baxter, an old man, who had had more than one attack of apoplexy, and was hopelessly paralysed. He never rallied from his last attack of apoplexy.

Charles Maxwell.—A case of cancer of the glandular and, indeed, all other structures beneath the lower jaw. The disease spread most remorselessly, until his very spine could be seen. A separate house had to be obtained for him, so horrible was the effluvia.

Stephen Gilbert.—This was the consumptive case previously alluded to. He was discharged from the Brompton Hospital for a warmer climate, and I think had been in New Zealand nearly two years.

Michael Finucane was sent from the Wairoa with dropsy and diseased liver, dying when he arrived. He lived five or six days.

Edward Roberts was sent from Poverty Bay with dropsy and, I suspect, with it cancer of the liver. I had some years ago extracted from him a cancerous eye.

Patrick Sweeney.—This man was subject to epileptic fits. It seems in one of these he fell (whilst sitting in his tent at the Pohui) into the living charcoal embers. He was dreadfully burnt. This, and the exposure during the three or four days it took to bring him to Napier, occasioned his death soon after his arrival.

RETURN of PATIENTS treated in the Provincial Hospital during the year 1868:—

DISEASES.	Remaining Jan. 1, 1868.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	Total treated.	Remaining Dec. 31, 1868.
Paralysis... ..	1	4	3	1	5	1
General Debility ... ..	1	...	1	...	1	...
Rheumatism ... ..	...	2	2	...	2	...
Gunshot wounds ... ..	2	14	11	...	16	5
Contusion ... ..	...	3	3	...	3	1
Cancerous ... ..	...	1	...	1	1	...
Fracture... ..	...	2	2	...	2	...
Fevers ... ..	...	1	1	...	1	...
Phthisis ... ..	...	1	...	1	1	...
Dropsy ... ..	2	1	1	2	3	...
Dementia ... ..	1	...	1	...	1	...
Ulcers and Abscess... ..	...	2	2	...	2	...
Hepatic ... ..	...	1	1	...	1	1
Aneurism ... ..	...	1	...	...	1	1
Luxations ... ..	...	1	1	...	1	...
Diseases of Lungs ... ..	1	1	2	...	2	...
Diseases of Stomach ... ..	...	1	1	...	1	...
Diseases of Brain ... ..	...	2	1	1	2	...
Sprain ... ..	...	1	...	...	1	...
Fistula Lachrymalis ... ..	...	1	1	...	1	...
Total ... ..	8	40	34	6	48	9

R E M A R K S .

THE Hospital has accommodation for from 15 to 20 adults. The wards are lofty and well ventilated. The greatest possible care taken of every patient admitted. The rations and dietary is sufficient, and of the best quality.

Admission can only be obtained by application either to the Superintendent or Visiting Justices, whose recommendation has to be endorsed by the Provincial Surgeon. A charge of 2s. per diem will be made.

Accidents admitted without such order.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,  
THOMAS HITCHINGS,

Provincial Surgeon.

To his Honor the Superintendent,  
Hawke's Bay.

P.S.—I have considered that the gunshot wounds, of which there have been so many admitted this year, and still under treatment, should form the subject of a future report.