

RETURN

SHOWING

THE EXISTING EXPENDITURE

ON ACCOUNT OF

COLONIAL DEFENCE.

PRESENTED TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES BY COMMAND OF
HIS EXCELLENCY.

WELLINGTON.

—
1865.

STATEMENT

SHOWING

THE EXISTING EXPENDITURE FOR PURPOSES OF COLONIAL DEFENCE.

Description of Force.	Districts where employed.	Numbers.	Monthly Expenditure including Forage and Rations.		Per Month.		Per Annum.		Remarks.
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
Military Settlers	Waikato and Tauranga	1091	£ 6,609	0 10	Pay only. Must be retained on pay for at least six months longer. Including 380 women and 1008 children, at 1s. 6d. per ration for twelve months, and half that sum for six months in addition. Pay and rations. Expected to be off pay on 31st March, and then entitled to twelve months rations. Pay and rations. Expected to be off pay on 31st January, and then entitled to twelve months rations. Ditto. Ditto. Rations only.
	Rations for ditto	2315	6,543	14 3	...	...	...	...
	Taranaki	480	4,196	10 0	...	...	...	...
	White Cliffs	146	966	14 8	...	...	...	...
	Opotiki	373	3,357	19 6	...	...	...	...
	Waiapu	154	1,264	14 6	...	...	...	...
	Women and Children at Taranaki	51	132	10 6	...	...	...	...
	and	114			
	Hospitals	...	1,050	0 0	24,121	4 3	289,454	11 0	
	Forest and Bush-rangers	Waiapu	63	558	8 9	
Wanganui		33	336	7 0	894	15 9	10,737	9 0	
Defence Force	Auckland	26	210	4 2	...	...	...	} No rations. Pay and rations.
	Wairarapa	27	370	9 0	...	...	...
	Poverty Bay	27	354	19 4	...	...	...
	Opotiki	53	519	15 6	1,455	8 0	17,464		16 0
Volunteers	Poverty Bay	53	554	9 6	...	...	...	Pay and rations. Ditto.
	Opotiki	5	78	4 6	632	14 0	7,592		8 0
Native Allies	Opotiki	132	1,208	8 0	...	...	...	Ditto. Ditto. Ditto.
	White Cliffs	104	439	11 2	...	...	...
	Wanganui	72	598	6 0	2,246	5 2	26,955		2 0
Friendly Natives	Waiapu	150	406	17 6	...	...	...	Rations only. Ditto.
	Wanganui	...	357	15 0	764	12 6	9,175		10 0
Militia & Mounted Volunteers	Taranaki	36	529	0 0	529	0 0	6,348	0 0	Pay and rations.
Militia Staff	Auckland	...	77	5 0	...	...	...	Included in Military Settlers.
	Taranaki	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Wanganui	...	118	10 0	...	...	...
	Rangitikei	...	48	1 0	...	...	...
	Wellington	...	65	2 0	...	...	...
	Napier	...	83	0 0	...	...	...
	Nelson	...	53	10 6	...	...	...
	Marlborough	...	41	17 0	...	...	...
	Canterbury	...	35	13 0	...	...	...
	Otago	...	63	1 6	...	...	...
Southland	...	39	9 0	625	9 0	7,505	8 0		
Steamers	"St. Kilda"	...	300	0 0	...	...	...	} Paid by Commissariat.
	"Sturt"	...	300	0 0	...	...	...
	"Gundagai"	...	...	...	...	...	...
	"Moutoa"	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Superintendent of River Transport	...	80	0 0	680	0 0	8,160		0 0
Carried forward	...	...	...	31,949	8 8	383,393	4 0	

EXPENDITURE FOR COLONIAL DEFENCE.

STATEMENT ETC.—*continued.*

	Monthly Expenditure.	Per Month.	Per Annum.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Brought forward ... ..	...	31,949 8 8	383,393 4 0
Colonial Defence Department—			
Hon. Defence Minister	83 6 8		
Under Secretary	50 0 0		
Clerks	116 13 4		
Messenger	8 6 8		
		258 6 8	3,100 0 0
Rations to Arawa Tribe	800 0 0		
Special Service—Subsidy to New Zealand Steam Navigation Company	95 0 0	800 0 0	9,600 0 0
Contingencies		95 0 0	1,140 0 0
		1,655 0 0	19,860 0 0
		34,757 15 4	417,093 4 0
Liabilities for which payment must be provided by 31st December, 1865 ...			17,100 0 0
Necessary Expenditure to 31st December, 1865 ...			9,700 0 0
Total Expenditure for purposes of Colonial Defence to 30th June, 1866 ...			443,893 4 0

LIABILITIES and NECESSARY EXPENDITURE.

Miscellaneous.	Total Amount.
LIABILITIES	
For which payment must be provided before the end of December, 1865:	
Roads—Auckland	£ 2,000 0 0
" Taranaki	3,500 0 0
Timber—Military Settlers in Waikato	10,000 0 0
Passages—Families of Military Settlers	500 0 0
Blockhouses—Auckland and Taranaki	1,100 0 0
Total	17,100 0 0
NECESSARY EXPENDITURE to 31st December, 1865:	
Blockhouses—Taranaki and Wellington	3,500 0 0
Stores—At various places	500 0 0
Transport—Troops, baggage, &c.	3,000 0 0
Tents and camp equipage	700 0 0
Clothing	2,000 0 0
Total	£ 9,700 0 0
Total Miscellaneous	£ 26,800 0 0

23rd October, 1865.

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