

1878.
NEW ZEALAND.

EXPENDITURE ON PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS, AND FOR CONVENIENCE OF MEMBERS

(RETURN OF, FOR YEAR ENDING 30TH JUNE, 1878).

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives, dated 28th August, 1878.

Ordered, That a return be laid before this House, showing, in detail, all expenditure incurred during the financial year ending 30th June, 1878, for repairs, alterations, or other purposes, in connection with the Assembly Buildings or for the convenience of Members of the Assembly, showing the authority on which such expenditure was made, and the vote out of which such expenditure was paid.—(Mr. Kelly.)

VOUCHERS PASSED BY HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES DEPARTMENT, AND PAID OUT OF VOTE (LEGISLATIVE) 1877-78.

NOTE.—All expenditure on Bellamy's Establishment was passed by House of Representatives Department.

No. of Voucher.	Date of Payment.	Particulars.	Authority.	Amount.
130	Sept. 21	Freight on Freezing Mixture	House Committee	£ s. d. 0 8 3
162	October 8	China for Bellamys	"	4 4 0
489	March 21	Printing Names of Members on Photo. Sheet	Speakers	3 3 0
13	August 20, 1878 (liabty.)	Firewood	Clerk of Parliaments	2 5 0
16	July 17	Sand-glasses	"	4 11 0
54	August 4	Charing	House Committee	4 4 0
105	September 6	Cleaning Passages, &c.	"	4 16 0
480	March 5	Repairing Books in Library	Librarian	5 0 0
493	" 19	Cleaning Library, Grates, &c.	"	3 6 0
548	June 25	Laying-on Water-mains	Recess House Committee	160 0 0
550	" 25	Washing and Cleaning	House Committee	4 16 0
19	July 23, 1878 (liabty.)	Charing	"	8 2 0
137	Sept. 27	Ventilation of House, professional opinion	Speaker, House of Reps.	10 10 0
161	October 8	Utensils, &c., for Bellamys	House Committee	6 1 6
527	May 28	Chimney and Copper at Lodge	Recess House Committee	6 10 0
528	" 28	Dust-bin	"	15 10 0
549	June 25	Laying Pipes to Closets, &c.	"	20 17 0
92	August 27	Kindlers, magic, Bellamys	Custodian	2 10 0
121	Sept. 15	Kindlers, magic, House of Representatives	2nd Clerk-Assistant, H. of Reps.	0 15 0
519	May 17	Gardening, 11 days	Recess House Committee	4 8 0
558	June 28	Laying Linoleum and Carpets	"	115 1 6
17	July 23, 1878 (liabty.)	Disconnecting, &c., Meters	Inspector of Works	1 5 0
18	July 23, 1878 (liabty.)	Gas-stove Service	Recess House Committee	15 10 8
516	May 28	Taking-up and relaying Pipes	Speaker, House of Reps.	3 4 0
520	" 28	Paper Tank and Baths	Recess Committee; Baths agreed to by Government	88 13 0
540	June 4	Working in grounds	Recess Committee	6 8 0
21	July 23, 1878 (liabty.)	Gas-stove	Recess House Committee, in lieu of new range agreed to by Govt.	85 0 0
24	July 23, 1878 (liabty.)	Working in grounds	Recess Committee	0 16 0
7	July 17	Furniture for Speaker's Rooms	Speaker, House of Reps.	15 16 4
8	" 17	Carpet, Chairman of Committees' Room	" "	14 16 6
Carried forward				618 7 9

No of Voucher.	Date of Payment.	Particulars.	Authority.	Amount.
				£ s. d.
			Brought forward ...	618 7 9
219	Nov. 10	Towels, &c. ...	2nd Clerk-Assistant, H. of Reps.	5 10 0
38	August 2	Furniture, &c., South Wing ...	"	18 12 6
39	" 2	Furniture, &c. ...	"	12 16 0
40	" 2	Oil-cloth in Lavatory, &c. ...	House Committee ...	5 16 3
52	" 2	Coals, 15 tons 5 cwt. 1 qr. 17 lb. ...	Clerk of Parliaments ...	27 9 7
53	" 2	Coals, 19 cwt. 1 qr. 4 lb. ...	"	1 14 7
69	" 14	Firewood, 3 cords ...	"	4 19 0
70	" 14	Firewood, 1 cord ...	"	1 13 0
71	" 14	Furniture, &c. ...	2nd Clerk-Assistant, H. of Reps.	6 13 0
72	" 14	Washing Towels, &c. ...	Clerk of Parliaments ...	3 9 0
114	September 8	Washing Towels, &c. ...	"	12 0 0
116	" 8	Notice-boards ...	"	2 2 0
117	" 8	Coals, 4 tons 1 cwt. 1 qr. 2 lb. ...	"	8 6 7
118	" 8	Short Charge on Coals ...	"	1 14 7
119	" 8	Coals, 1 ton 1 cwt. 1 qr. 18 lb. ...	"	2 6 11
120	" 8	Coals, 21 tons 11 cwt. 24 lb. and 3 tons 5 lb. ...	"	46 6 11
125	" 15	Firewood ...	"	6 12 0
143	October 4	Coals, 20 tons 14 cwt. 1 qr. 10 lb. ...	"	39 7 2
152	" 8	Washing Towels, &c. ...	"	12 3 0
169	" 12	Ironmongery, &c. ...	2nd Clerk-Assistant, H. of Reps.	5 10 0
176	" 20	Firewood ...	Clerk of Parliaments ...	8 5 0
211	November 3	Coals, 14½ tons ...	"	27 11 0
220	" 10	Washing Towels, &c. ...	"	12 6 0
229	" 24	Blacklead, &c., for Library ...	Librarian ...	0 4 0
230	" 24	Mops, &c. ...	House Committee ...	7 3 3
253	December 4	Coals, 12 tons 8 cwt 27 lb. ...	Clerk of Parliaments ...	23 11 8
370	" 17	Washing Towels, &c. ...	Clerk of Parliaments ...	13 10 0
434	January 15	Locking-glass ...	2nd Clerk-Assistant, H. of Reps.	0 12 6
435	" 15	Coals, 1 ton 2 qrs. 18 lb. ...	Clerk of Parliaments ...	1 19 3
454	February 6	Firewood, 2 cords ...	"	3 6 0
479	March 5	Firewood, 1 cord ...	"	1 13 0
503	April 23	Firewood, 1 cord ...	"	1 13 0
536	June 4	Taking-up Matting and Carpets ...	House Committee ...	3 12 0
508	April 26	Insurance on Wines, &c., £1,000 ...	Recess House Committee ...	13 2 6
539	June 4	Working in Grounds ...	"	10 16 0
559	" 28	Working in Grounds ...	"	3 4 0
73	August 14	Cleaning Closets ...	House Committee ...	1 16 0
90	" 27	Making Uniforms ...	Clerk of Parliaments ...	67 19 0
115	September 8	Making Gown and Police Uniform ...	"	22 6 0
151	October 8	Cleaning Grates, &c., in Library ...	Librarian ...	1 10 0
175	" 20	Cleaning Closets ...	House Committee ...	5 5 0
246	December 3	Ditto ...	"	3 6 0
380	" 24	Ditto ...	"	0 12 0
463	February 7	Hair-brushes and Brushware ...	"	4 10 0
437	January 15	New Sleeve for Messenger ...	Clerk of Parliament ...	0 12 0
29	August 6,	Filling-in Earth in Gully ...	Speaker, House of Reps.	5 10 0
177	1878 (liabty.) August 20	Clocks ...	Clerk of Parliaments ...	10 5 0
178	" 20	Repairing Clock in Library ...	Librarian ...	0 12 6
201	" 29	Cleaning, &c., Bell Batteries ...	Clerk of Parliaments ...	4 12 0
364	December 17	Maintaining Bell Batteries ...	"	2 9 0
432	January 15	Attending to Clocks ...	"	2 2 0
433	" 15	Clocks substituted, balance ...	"	1 14 0
463	February 7	Repairing Clock ...	"	0 15 0
521	May 28	Water-closets and Urinals ...	Recess House Committee ...	59 10 10
522	" 28	Removing, &c., Engine-house ...	Speaker, House of Reps. ...	6 13 0
523	" 28	Ventilation of House ...	Minister of Public Works, by authority of House	8 12 0
524	" 28	Ceiling Lights of House ...	" " "	20 12 10
525	" 28	Ceiling Lights of Legislative Council ...	" " "	13 4 0
526	" 28	Cellarage and Racks ...	Recess Committee, approved by Ministers	173 4 6
529	" 28	Ventilation Works ...	Minister of Public Works, by authority of House	217 9 5
530	May 28	Improvements to Stranger's Gallery, &c. ...	Minister of Public Works by authority of House	15 8 5
531	" 28	Ventilation ...	" " "	58 17 11
532	" 28	Ceiling Lights, &c. ...	" " "	13 17 6
533	" 28	Alterations to Floor ...	" " "	15 18 3
534	" 28	Works in Library ...	Chairman, Library Committee ...	62 14 7
535	June 4	Cleaning Hall Clock ...	House Committee ...	0 12 6
537	" 4	Taking up Matting and Carpets ...	"	4 0 0
554	" 28	Pulling down Strong Room and erecting Foundation Wall, &c. ...	Speaker, with approval of Minister of Public Works and Recess House Committee	626 0 0
89	August 27	Repairing Knife Machine and Grinding Knives ...	Custodian ...	1 16 6
163	October 8	Tinware, &c., for Bellamy's ...	"	5 5 4
517	May 28	Painting and Papering Lodge ...	Recess House Committee ...	21 0 0
552	June 25	Painting and Glazing ...	"	5 6 9
553	" 25	Painting Sign Plates ...	"	0 15 0
555	" 28	Painting and Papering ...	"	71 12 0
556	" 28	Painting and Papering ...	"	20 7 4
557	" 28	Painting, &c., Lantern Lights ...	"	20 0 0
226	Nov. 20	Report on Sanitary Condition of Public Buildings ...	Minister Public Works ...	5 5 0
365	December 17	Repairing Mail Bag ...	Librarian ...	0 4 0
518	May 8	Coals, 2 tons 1 qr. 2 lb. ...	Clerk of Parliaments ...	4 0 9
551	June 25	Coals, 3 tons 1 cwt. 3 qr. 9 lb. ...	"	6 4 4
7	July 11,	Coals, 4 tons 2 cwt. 16 lb. ...	"	8 5 3
	1878 (liabty.) April ...	Bellamy's Vote on Estimates ...	"	250 0 0
	July 1877 to June 1878	Salary of Custodian, Parliamentary Buildings ...	Joint House Committee, with approval of Ministers	250 0 0
		Total ...		£3,078 12 6

VOUCHERS PASSED BY COLONIAL ARCHITECT'S DEPARTMENT, AND PAID OUT OF VOTE 40
(PUBLIC BUILDINGS), 1877-78.

No. of Voucher.	Date of Payment.	Particulars.	Authority.	Amount.
				£ s. d.
	March 17	Linoleum	Resolution of House of Reps. ...	154 0 6
	July ...	Labour	House Committee	1 12 0
	" ...	Wharfage on Linoleum	"	0 1 6
	" 11	Setting Chimney-pots, &c.	Speaker, House of Representatives ...	3 4 0
	" ...	Furniture for Reporters, Room	House Committee	15 11 6
	" 4	Pigeon-holes, &c.	"	29 15 4
	" ...	Felt for Engine-house	Minister for Public Works	3 5 0
	" ...	Furniture, &c.	"	45 12 6
	" ...	Tables	"	49 14 8
	October 18	Setting Range at Lodge	"	4 9 0
	Sept. 16	Taking up and relaying Matting	House Committee	8 8 0
	November 4	Venetian Blind for Telegraph Office	Dr. Lemon	2 12 6
	March 13	Inspecting Linoleum	House Committee	1 10 10
	June & July	Gas-stoves, and repairing Sink, &c., at Bellamys	"	1 16 6
	July 12	Ridging for Engine-house	Minister for Public Works	0 11 3
	" 27	Laying hot-water on to Lavatories	House Committee	8 16 4
	" 16	Galvanized Iron for Library	Speaker, House of Representatives ...	1 8 6
	October 2	Gas Pendant, &c.	House Committee	7 2 0
	Sept. 15	Refixing Gas Brackets, &c.	Colonial Architect	3 7 6
	Sept. & Oct.	Meals to Carpenters working at Reventilation; Overtime	Minister for Public Works	3 8 0
	October 15	Shower-bath Shield, &c.	House Committee	1 16 0
	Sept. 24	Ventilating Pipe, &c.	Minister for Public Works	19 12 7
	July 16	Couches	House Committee	15 0 0
	July ...	Repairing Bells, &c.	"	3 0 0
	July ...	Repairing Bells, &c.	"	1 1 0
	Aug. to Nov.	Assisting in erecting Wire	"	0 4 6
	November...	Assisting in erecting Bells	"	1 8 6
	July ...	Repairing Chairs	"	4 0 0
	" ...	Furniture for Ministers' Rooms	Minister for Public Works	23 14 0
	" 18	Table-covers	"	8 5 0
	" ...	Furniture for Waiting-rooms	House Committee	6 0 0
	" ...	Door-mats	"	3 6 0
	" 4, 31	Extra Carpenter	Minister for Public Works	13 4 0
	" ...	Stuffed Pillow	"	1 2 6
	" ...	Cabinet, Card-tray, &c.	"	2 9 8
	August 1, 31	Extra Carpenter	"	14 17 0
	" ...	Filter for Library	"	14 0 3
	" ...	Bookcase for Legislative Council	Speaker Legislative Council	3 15 0
	" ...	Shovels, &c.	House Committee	1 2 0
	September	Extra Carpenter	Minister for Public Works	13 15 0
	August ...	Furniture, &c.	House Committee	47 4 6
	" ...	Rake, &c.	Minister for Public Works	0 14 0
	September	Gravel	"	6 11 9
	" ...	6 dozen Buckets	House Committee	9 0 0
	October ...	Extra Carpenter	Minister for Public Works	14 17 0
	August 2	Bolts for Engine-house	"	0 1 2
	November...	Extra Carpenter	"	14 6 0
	Sept. 24	Fitting new brass Cock to Boiler	"	0 10 6
	October 30	Rat Traps and Rake	House Committee	1 6 0
	December...	Extra Carpenter	Minister for Public Works	14 6 0
	November...	Wire Nettings, &c.	"	9 13 6
	July ...	Freight on Linoleum	House Committee	4 5 0
	April 3	Freight on Linoleum	"	4 4 11
	Dec. 10	13 Cesspools	Minister for Public Works	7 8 6
	July ...	Repairing Clock	House Committee	0 17 6
	" ...	Forming Tennis-ground	Minister for Public Works	22 2 0
	" ...	Fitting up Bells, &c.	House Committee	6 0 0
	April 4	Shipping Charges on Linoleum	"	1 10 0
	Aug. to Nov.	Fitting Bells... ..	"	2 17 0
	August 27	Ventilator for Library	Speaker, Legislative Council	2 10 0
	September	Calico for Ventilating Apparatus	House Committee	0 9 0
	July ...	Painting Lodge, Engine-house, &c.	"	26 12 2
	August 28	Repairing 2 Knife Machines	"	0 10 6
	July ...	Repairing Walls and Ceilings of Telegraph Office	Minister for Public Works	5 2 0
	" Sept....	Repairs, &c.	"	16 11 3
	August 14	Cleaning and attending to Engine	"	1 0 0
	" 16-31	Engine-driver	"	4 18 0
	Sept. 1-30	Engine-driver	"	10 0 0
	Oct. 1-31	Engine-driver	"	10 16 0
	September	Timber	"	22 10 5
	December...	Labour, receiving Linoleum, &c.	House Committee	0 9 0
	1878.			
	January ...	Lifting Carpets, &c.	"	4 8 0
	" ...	Lifting Carpets, &c.	"	4 8 0
	" ...	Lifting Carpets, &c.	"	3 4 0
	1877			
	July 2-27	Cartage of hot-water Apparatus and Linoleum ...	Minister for Public Works	3 16 10
	December 7	" Linoleum	House Committee	0 11 3
	Nov. & Dec.	Glazing	"	5 3 9
	December & Jan. 1878.	Glazing	"	3 5 0
	April ...	Laying Drains	Speaker, House of Representatives ...	5 13 5
	1877.			
	July ...	Galvanized-iron Boxes	House Committee	1 0 0
	" 16-25	Closet-Basin, &c.	"	3 0 3
	August ...	4 Wash-stands	Minister for Public Works	11 10 0
		Total	£813 4 7

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL EXPENDITURE FOR FURNITURE, ETC, 1877-78. VOTE 2 (LEGISLATIVE).

No. of Voucher.	Date.	Particulars.	Authority.	Amount.
	1877.			£ s. d.
10	August 4	D. Anderson, Soap, Candles, &c. ...	Hon. the Speaker ...	2 0 1
82	November 2	Ditto, Coal-scuttle, Candles, &c. ...	" ...	0 19 2
	1878.			
167	January 3	Ditto, Oil, Candles, &c. ...	" ...	0 19 3
223	August ...	R. Burrett, 4 doz. Screw-binders ...	" ...	0 6 0
	1877.			
94	Nov. 30	Easby, Venetian Blinds ...	House Committee ...	5 0 4
3	July 26	J. E. Hayes, Iron Stays ...	Hon. the Speaker ...	1 0 0
83	November 2	J. A. Allen, Oil, Soap ...	" ...	0 11 0
84	" 2	E. Plummer, Sponge, Marking-ink ...	" ...	0 8 6
30	August 30	Marryatt, lettering Fanlight ...	House Committee ...	1 0 0
37	July 24	J. Mackay, Chair ...	" ...	8 0 0
54	October 1	Marryatt, lettering Doors ...	" ...	1 2 6
69	"	McCredie, Fire-screen, Coal-scuttle ...	" ...	1 12 6
18	August 14	R. Poulson, Messengers' Clothes ...	Hon. the Speaker ...	19 19 0
36	July 21	Wilson and Richardson, Hearth-rug ...	House Committee ...	2 2 0
				<u>£45 0 4</u>

Total of Vouchers passed by House of Representatives Department, and paid out of Vote 2, Legislative, 1877-78 ...	£ s. d.
3,078 12 6	
Total of Vouchers passed by Colonial Architect's Department, and paid out of Vote 40, Public Buildings, 1877-78 ...	813 4 7
Total of Vouchers passed by Legislative Council Department, and paid out of Vote 2 Legislative ...	45 0 4
Grand Total ...	<u>£3,936 17 5</u>

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