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Blue Book  
Colony  
of  
Falkland Islands  
1857.



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OF

*The Fathland Islands.*

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*This Book and the Duplicate of it must be returned to the Colonial Office;  
One Copy to be returned for the Governor's use ;  
One for the Council, and the other for the Assembly.*

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SCHEDULE

OF

TAXES, DUTIES, FEES,

AND ALL OTHER

SOURCES OF REVENUE,

SPECIFIED UNDER THE RESPECTIVE LAWS OR AUTHORITIES UNDER  
WHICH THEY ARE DERIVED.

1857.

Insert a detailed Account of all the Taxes and Duties collected within your Government; specifying the several Authorities under which the same have been levied, whether by Act of Parliament, by Order of the Queen in Council, by Act of the Colonial Legislature, or by other Authority of whatever description.

To this Statement should be annexed such explanations as may be necessary or useful.

Description of Tax	Authority by which it is levied	Rate of Tax	
		£	s d
Auction Duties —	Colonial Ordinance No 15, 1853	5	0 0
On sales — per cent —	"	2	10 0
" " Spirits &c. "	"	5	0 0
" " From Home "	"	"	" "
Auction licenses —	The same		
Annual license —	"	20	0 0
Publicans' licenses —	Ordinance No 9, 1853		
Wholesale license annual	"	20	0 0
Retail do do	"	20	0 0
Wholesale and retail licenses	"	30	0 0
Special license (6 months)	"	10	0 0
Dog licenses —	Ordinance No 6, 1853: combined to betterment		
Dog license annual	"	"	8 0
Catch do do	"	"	12 0
Print Fees —	Administration of Justice Ordinance No 10, 1853 —		Variable
Water Rate	Proclamation of Governor		
For water supplied from Government Reservoir per ton	"	"	2 6



SCHEDULES

OF THE

F E E S

RECEIVED BY THE SEVERAL OFFICERS IN THE  
RESPECTIVE DEPARTMENTS;

Specifying the Authority under which they were originally established, and by  
which the present Rates were fixed, and at what Period.

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Insert Tables of all the Established Fees received by the respective Officers, together with  
the Authorities under which the same are demanded.

By whom de-  
mandable

By whom de-  
mandable

Chairman  
of the magis-  
trates court  
to the

The Registrar

Land Conveyance - R.S. 1883		By whom de- mandable	Fee
(For what service)			
Description of a subdivision of Grant of land		"	50
Placing diagram on any conveyance		"	50
Engrossing conveyance on parchment		"	100
Filling up printed parchment forms of conveyance (sold in the colony)		"	100
Placing on Conveyance Certificate of Acknowledgements to be done		"	50
Attending to obtain such certificate		"	50
Upon the examination of married women for Certificate to be done		"	50
Registration and recording of every instrument affecting land including receipt and Certificate of Registry (not more than five folios of 72 words each)		"	100
Every additional folio		"	100
Attested Copy, every folio		"	100
Attested Copy from the General Index Book, every line		"	100
Every search		"	20

By whom de-  
mandable

The Registrar

Registration of Marriages - R.S. 1883		By whom de- mandable	Fee
Comparing instruments Copies records every folio		"	20
Every Certificate of every other description		"	20
Registering every birth		"	20
Searching the Registry books of Births or Deaths		"	10
Each within ten years		"	6
Every year in addition		"	6
For a copy and certificate of each entry in Registry Books of Births and Deaths		"	20
Adding baptismal name to Register when given to child in Baptism after Registry		"	10
Entry of notice of Marriage		"	20
Receiving oath or declaration and issuing Certificate of Marriage		"	100
Entering caveat		"	50
Marriage		"	50
Copy of Registry of marriage		"	20
Searching registry books of marriages		"	10
Each name within ten years		"	6
Every year in addition		"	6



By Whom Receivable	Service	£	s	d
Clergyman Baptism Ordinance	Searching the Registry books of Births or Burials each name within 10 years	1	0	
	Every year in addition		6	
	Copy and certificate of entry in Registers of Births or Burials			26
	Certificate of the name given to any child in Baptism		1	0
	Licence for Marriage	3	0	0
The Vicar Minister Clerk Minister	Marriage by licence	1	0	0
			5	0
			10	0
Clerk Minister	Marriage after banns or by Registrar's Certificate		2	6
			2	6
Clerk Minister	Publication of Banns		2	6
			2	6
go	Travelling Expenses on marriage by Licence Elsewhere than in Stanley per mile distance		3	6

By Whom Receivable	Service	£	s	d
Minister Marriage Ordinance	Searching Registry books of Marriages			
	Each name within 10 years		1	0
	Every Year beyond in addition			6
	Copy certified by Minister of entry in Registry kept by Minister			26
Licensed Pilot Regulations made in pursuance of Pilot and Harbour Ordinance No. 3. 1853. Acted by Ch. 6. 1857	For piloting vessel into Stanley Harbour -			
	If under 10 feet draught	1	10	0
	If exceeding 10 feet draught - per foot			30
	If beyond pilotage ground, additional, per foot			16
	Detention - every day -			150
go	Piloting vessels out of Stanley Harbour			
		One half the above rates.		
Customs Master	Mooring any vessel in Stanley Harbour			
			1	0

The person appointed to act as Notary Public - is entitled under the Administration of Justice Ordinance to the same fees as in England would be paid to a Notary Public. There is no one yet appointed.

The Colonial Secretary under the Ordinance & apply the Merchant Shipping Act of 1854 within the Colony is appointed Ship-ying Master and entitled to the fee of £1- for the shipment or discharge of Kamen under the Act 17 & 18 Vic: Cap 104.

The Clerk of the Courts acting as Registrar is paid by fixed salary and all the usual fees & costs of a Court of Justice are charged and paid into the Colonial Treasury. The amount of these, and Police Office fines, in 1857 was £36.9.0.

The Keeper of the Government boats in charge of the Reservoir receives a fee of 6<sup>d</sup> on every ton supplied therefrom. -



ABSTRACT  
OF THE  
NET REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE  
OF  
*The Falkland Islands.*  
FOR THE YEAR  
*1857.*

Insert under general heads the Receipts and Disbursements, so as to exhibit distinctly and separately the Sources from which the Receipts have been derived : on the one hand, whether from the Resources of the Colony, from Parliamentary Grants, or from Her Majesty's Treasury ; and, on the other, the Total Expense incurred by each Department of the Government ; distinguishing the Ordinary Established Charge of the several Offices from their Contingent and Accidental Expenses.

Such Observations as may be sufficient to explain the causes, and point to the remedy of any deficiency in the Revenue, or excess of the Expenditure, must form the subject of a Special Report to accompany the Blue Book when transmitted to the Secretary of State.

REVENUE.

	Sterling.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Arrears of Revenue last Year					334	7	11 1/2
FIXED.							
<i>Land.</i>							
Sale of Crown land		100	0	0			
Rent of S & S		74	10	0			
Portion of instalment of Purchase money of Falkland Island Company's Estate applied to general service of the Colony		750	0	0			
Rents, Exclusive of Land		209	14	7			
Auction duties		23	1	8 1/2			
<i>Licenses.</i>							
Auctioneer's licenses		40	0	0			
Dog licenses		19	16	0			
Publicans' license		120	0	0			
Fixed Revenue Carried forward		1337	23 1/2				
Carried forward					334	7	11 1/2

EXPENDITURE.

	Sterling.	£	s.	d.	Sterling.	£	s.	d.
Arrears of Expenditure of last Year								
EXPENDITURE.								
Ordinary and Fixed Expense of the Departments of Government.				Contingent and Accidental Expenses.			Total Expenditure.	
	Sterling.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£ s. d.
<i>Salaries of the Establishment.</i>								
Governor		866	13	4				
Magistrate		450	0	0				
Chaplain		350	0	0				
Surgeon		350	0	0				
Surveyor		350	0	0				
Colonial Secretary								
5 months		145	16	8				
White on leave		48	2	6				
Acting S & S								
7 months		157	3	4				
Acting Governor								
1 month 6 weeks		78	17	3				
Clerk of the Court		136	13	4				
Schoolmaster		44	0	0				
Civil Establishment Carried forward		2977	6	5				
Carried forward								



REVENUE.

FIXED—continued.

	Sterling.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward		1337	2	32	334	7	11
<i>Drawn on the Parliamentary votes for the general service of the Colony in the year 1857 (less 750 £ paid from Falkland Company's instalments see last page)</i>		2430	2	7			
Total Fixed Revenue		3767	4	10 <sup>2</sup>	3767	4	10 <sup>2</sup>
Carried forward					4101	12	10

*Drawn on the Parliamentary votes for the general service of the Colony in the year 1857 (less 750 £ paid from Falkland Company's instalments see last page)*

EXPENDITURE.

Ordinary and Fixed Expense of the Departments of Government.				Contingent and Accidental Expense.			Total Expenditure.			£	s.	d.
Sterling.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Brought forward	2977	6	5									
Keeper of Governor's Hunt boats	60	0	0	7	4	0						
Dr horse & stable	60	0	0									
Gardener	60	0	0									
Office Keeper	60	0	0									
Chief of stable	60	0	0									
Garbler	40	0	0	1	15	6						
Expenses keeper night stable	12	0	0									
9 months & 25 days	49	9	3 <sup>2</sup>									
Additional cow stable												
9 months & 22 days	49	2	1 <sup>4</sup>									
Parish clerk & church cleaner	10	0	0									
Dispensary keeper	6	0	0									
Wages of Carpenters & Labourers on Public Works	462	19	1									
Additional clerk in Government office giving temporary aid							10	0	0			
Total Expense of Civil Establishment	3914	10	11 <sup>5</sup>	18	19	6	3933	16	5 <sup>7</sup>			
Carried forward							3933	16	5 <sup>7</sup>			

	Sterling.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	"	"	"	4101	12	10	
INCIDENTAL.							
Court fees, fines, &c		36	9	0			
Sale of old stores		24	6	12			
Water rate, being a charge of 1/2d a tun on water supplied to ships from government reservoir		36	0	0			
Costs of imprisonment of seamen paid by shipmasters		7	10	0			
Other receipts		72	12	11			
Total Incidental Revenue		176	18	0 1/2	176	18	0 1/2
Carried forward		4278	10				

	Sterling.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward					3933	16	5 1/2
DISBURSEMENTS on ACCOUNT of MISCELLANEOUS CIVIL SERVICES.							
Maintenance of Police Horses		7	13	0			
Transport		31	16	10			
The conveyance of mails between England via Route Video and the Colony		340	0	0			
Materials for the construction of Public Works and buildings		183	16	2			
Miscellaneous services in the Colony		50	15	11			
Civil Store department		53	4	7			
Repayment of deposits		203	2	7			
Miscellaneous Disbursements carried forward		870	9	1			
Carried forward		3933	16	5 1/2			



RECEIPTS IN AID OF REVENUE.

Sterling.			£ s. d.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward			4278	10	10
Total Incidental Receipts					
Carried forward			4278	10	10

DISBURSEMENTS on ACCOUNT of MISCELLANEOUS CIVIL SERVICES—continued.

Sterling.			£ s. d.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward			870	9	1
<i>Advances from Colonial chest for under-named services.</i>					
<i>The maintenance of the Lighthouse on the Pembrokeshire</i>			211	7	1/2
<i>The subsistence of distressed British Seamen</i>			25	4	0
<i>The Agent General for the general service of the Colony</i>			156	0	0
<i>To Major Filton for the pensions of the military pensioners under his Command &amp;c</i>			354	8	3/2
<i>In the Administration of Justice</i>				18	0
Total Miscellaneous Disbursements			1612	6	6
Carried forward			5546	2	11/2

	Sterling.			Sterling.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				4278	10	10 1/2
Repayment of advances.*						
From the War Office part a- mount paid in 1856-7 for military pensions	407	13	7 1/2			
Expenses of Cape Pembroke lighthouse defrayed by the Board of Trade -	312	10	7			
The Convoys of Mails to and from the Colony provided by special grant	335	0	0			
The subsistence of distressed seamen charged to the Board of Trade. ---	69	16	0			
(Deposits.)				1125	8	2 1/2
Monies received in specie from Government Officers	205	1	11			
Other deposits	31	12	0			
	236	13	11	236	13	11
Total Revenue	£			5640	13	0

\* A large part of these  
advances were made  
in 1856

	Sterling.			Sterling.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward				5546	2	11 1/4
MILITARY DISBURSEMENTS DEFRAIDED by the COLONY.						
ORDINARY.						
CONTINGENT.						
In all Military Disbursements						
Total Expenditure	£			5545	2	11 1/4

Leaving a balance of £ 94.. 10.. 0 3/4.



Specify each separate Tax or Duty.	Amount collected in the Year 1856 in Pounds Sterling.			Amount collected in the Year 1857 in Pounds Sterling.			Increase in Pounds Sterling.			Decrease in Pounds Sterling.			Cause of Increase or Decrease.
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1 Land													
By the Sale of land	64	0	0	100	0	0	36	0	0	"	"	"	More land sold.
By the Rent of land	149	10	0	74	10	0	"	"	"	75	0	0	Some rents due in 1855 collected in 1856 & some due in 1856 left unpaid till 1857
By part payment of purchase money of Falkland Island Company's Estate	750	0	0	750	0	0	"	"	"	"	"	"	
2 Rents other than land	202	19	7	209	14	7	6	15	0	"	"	"	From the variable to many of cottages
3 Auction duties	21	8	9	23	1	1/2	1	12	1/2	"	"	"	
4 Licenses publicans &c	185	16	0	179	16	0	"	"	"	6	0	0	The variation is in the number of dogs annually licensed
5 Court fees fines &c	32	17	2	36	9	0	3	11	10	"	"	"	Some new ship building
6 Sale of old Stores	207	11	6 1/2	24	6	1/2	"	"	"	183	5	5	Stores sold in 1856. More ships called in 1857
7 Water Rate	16	3	0	36	0	0	19	17	0	"	"	"	Derived from various sources
8 Other receipts	3	13	4	80	2	11	76	9	7	"	"	"	
							144	6	4 1/2	264	5	5	
Total	1633	17	4 1/2	1514	0	4	Not decreased			119	19	0 1/2	

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COMPARATIVE YEARLY STATEMENTS

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OF THE COLONIAL EXPENDITURE.

Specify each separate Head of Expenditure.	Expenditure 18 56 in Pounds Sterling.			Expenditure 18 57 in Pounds Sterling.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Establishments.						
Salaries of Governor and Officers on Fixed Establishment, de- tailed on page	2,684	13	0	2,977	6	5
Salaries of Provost, House and Office Keepers, Constables, Gardeners & Men employed on Public Works - also of a temporary Clerk, see ante page	924	1	6	956	10	0 1/4
2. Mail service under contract	297	6	0	340	0	0
3. Transport	31	18	6	31	16	10
4. Works and Buildings	464	8	0	183	16	2
5. Civil Store Department	70	19	9	53	4	7
6. Advances to the Agent for Service of the Colony in England	.	.	.	150	0	0
7. Repayment of deposits	167	2	11	203	2	7
8. Miscellaneous Ser- vices and other ex- penditure	44	9	10	59	6	11
Total	4,684	19	6	4,955	3	6 1/4

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Increase in Pounds Sterling.			Decrease in Pounds Sterling.			Cause of Increase or Decrease.
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
292	13	5	.	.	.	Increase of the Salaries of the Governor Magis- trate's Government Clerk & Clerk of the Courts.
32	8	6 1/4	.	.	.	Employment of Mr. Groom temporarily as Clerk & of additional Gardener
42	14	0	.	.	.	New Contract
.	.	.	.	1	8	
.	.	.	280	11	10	Fewer materials pur- chased.
.	.	.	17	5	2	
150	0	0	.	.	.	Not included in the Expenditure of 1856.
35	19	8	.	.	.	
14	17	1	.	.	.	
568	128	1/4	298	8	8	= Net Increase of £270, 4, 0 1/4



LOCAL REVENUES.







*Public Debt*  
**POLITICAL FRANCHISE.**



PUBLIC DEBT.

Debts.	To whom due.	Rate of Interest.	When incurred, and for what Cause.
	<i>ml</i>		

State Provisions for Payment of Interest or Sinking Fund, and refer to Enactments by which it is made.	Amount of Original Debt.	Amount repaid.	Remarks.
		<i>ml</i>	

## MILITARY EXPENDITURE.

Enumerate the Military Posts and Works ; specifying whether the same are under the control of the Ordnance Department, and whether any expense is incurred on account thereof by the Colony ;

A General Return of the Militia, and any other Local Corps, with the Charge attending the same ;

The pecuniary Allowances (if any) granted to the Queen's Troops ; and the value of Rations, Quarters, or other Advantages received by them, and forming a Charge on the Colony.

Ascertain and state the Amount of Bills drawn by the Commissariat for the Pay and Allowances of the Troops ; the Amount of Bills drawn by the Ordnance Department for Pay and Allowances of the Detachments of Royal Artillery and Engineers ; and the Amount of Expenses incurred by the Ordnance Department for the construction and repair of Military Works.



DETAILS OF THE EXPENDITURE INCURRED BY THE COLONY *Wm's Gnt.*  
ON ACCOUNT OF ~~ITS~~ MILITARY DEFENCE. *of the colony*

*the*

In Pounds Sterling.

£ s. d.

Allowance in the early part of 1857  
to men forming a provisional  
guard ————— £ 44. 12. 0

RETURN OF MILITIA.

State the Number of Regiments composing the Militia, and the Establishment of each Regiment, with its precise Name or Designation.

State the Period or Number of Days during which the Force is liable to be called out to be drilled.

State the actual Amount of the Expense which is incurred for the Support of the Force; whether for the purchase of Arms, Equipments, Clothing, Ammunition, or for Pay.

State the Title and Date of the Act in force for regulating the Militia.

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*There is no Militia embodied.*



ACCOUNT of EXPENDITURE incurred by GREAT BRITAIN

COMMISSARIAT.

Pay of the Troops, Provisions, &c.

Specify each separate Head of Expenditure.

Amount in Pounds Sterling.

£ s.

for the Military Protection, and in aid of the Civil Establishment.

ORDNANCE.

Military Works, Stores, Barracks, &c.

Specify each separate Head of Expenditure.

Amount in Pounds Sterling.

£ s. d.

Total Expenditure incurred by Great Britain in Pounds Sterling.

£ s. d.

A sum of one hundred pounds was expended in fitting the Pensioners Barracks for the reception of the Falkland Island Garrison which has been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty's Government.

PUBLIC WORKS.



RETURN of all PUBLIC WORKS, CIVIL ROADS, CANALS, BRIDGES

BUILDINGS, &c. &c., not of a Military Nature, which have been undertaken during the Year.

Describe the Work, and where situated.	Whether constructing or under Repair.	Estimated Expense in Pounds Sterling.	Authority under which it is executed.	Fund from which the Expense is defrayed.	When commenced.	Whether finished or unfinished.	If finished, actual Amount of Expenditure in Pounds Sterling.	If unfinished, Amount of Expenditure up to present Date in Pounds Sterling.	Remarks.
1. In the town of Stanley, repairing Barracks & the Accommodation in the Falkland Islands Garrison Force	Fitting up and constructing	—	Specially reported, being executed under Government authority	General Revenue aided by Special Grant	August 1857	Finished	£ 204	£ —	A further expense will probably be incurred in repairing and completing some cottages for the force
2. Repairing and painting Lighthouse of Pembroke	Repair	—	The Governor's order	Special Revenue appropriated to support the light	January	do	15	—	Small repairs are continually required for the preservation of the structure.
3. Benches, forms, &c. and repairs and fittings in the temporary Church and in the Government School.	do and fitting	—	The Governor's order applying the sum of £1000 granted by H.M. Government	General Revenue	do	do	91	—	to make it suitable for the children attending school.
4. Roads drains &c	Constructing	—	do do	do	do	do	91	—	—
5. Altering fence round Government Store Yard and making shed for Fire Engines	do	—	do do	do	do	do	33	—	—
6. Printing and executing small repairs throughout the year on Government buildings	do	—	do do	do	do	do	139	—	—
7. Cutting peat fuel	—	—	do do	do	do	do	18	—	Coal being £4.10.0
Total	—	—	—	—	—	—	591	—	—

LEGISLATION.

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SCHEDULE

OF ALL THE

LAWS, PROCLAMATIONS, ORDERS IN COUNCIL, &c.

WHICH HAVE BEEN PROMULGATED IN THE COLONY

DURING THE YEAR

1857

Date of the Law, &c.	SUBSTANCE OF THE LAW, &c.	Transmitted to England.
1857 11 <sup>th</sup> No November	<p style="text-align: center;">No. 1, 1857</p> <p>"Marriage Ordinance."</p> <p>An Ordinance to apply with in this colony the law of England as regards mar- riages of parties not be- longing to the Anglican Church.</p>	<p>19<sup>th</sup> No November 1857.</p>
7 <sup>th</sup> Dec center	<p style="text-align: center;">No. 2, 1857.</p> <p>"Summary Jurisdiction Amendment Ordinance"</p> <p>An Ordinance to amend the present law of Justice by Cattle in the Settlement to regulate the law of Mutual fences and for other local object</p>	<p>14<sup>th</sup> Dec center 1857.</p>
16 <sup>th</sup> "	<p style="text-align: center;">No. 3, 1857</p> <p>"An Ordinance to provide for the application of the</p>	<p>16<sup>th</sup> "</p>

Date of the Law, &c.	SUBSTANCE OF THE LAW, &c.	Transmitted to England.
1857	<p>"Merchant Shipping Act of 1854 within the Colony</p>	
24 <sup>th</sup> Sep center	<p>Pilot and Harbour Re- gulations made in pursuance of the Pilot &amp; Harbour Ordinance No 1853.</p>	<p>13<sup>th</sup> No November 1857</p>



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LEGISLATION.

Date of the Law, &c.	SUBSTANCE OF THE LAW, &c.	Transmitted to England.

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*Political Franchise*  
~~PUBLIC DEBT.~~

POLITICAL FRANCHISE.

Franchise.	Name of Electoral Division.	Number of Representatives.	Number of Registered Electors at last Election.	Ordinary Duration of Sessions and Assemblies and Periods of Meeting.	By what Acts regulated.	Number of Voters at last General Election.	Date of last General Election.	Remarks.
	<i>Nil</i>					<i>Nil</i>		

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COUNCILS AND ASSEMBLIES.

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EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

RETURN of Members composing the Executive Council.

Names.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Confirmation.	Whether holding any and what other Civil or Military Office.
Thomas Ed Ward Law Morse	}	Ex Officio	Governor
Army Joseph Hamblin	2 <sup>d</sup> April 1845	25 <sup>th</sup> of March 1846	Colonial Surgeon
James Ro bert Longden	17 <sup>th</sup> Feb <sup>r</sup> 1853	24 June 1853.	Colonial Secretary
Thomas Mac millan	31 <sup>st</sup> March 1856	23 <sup>rd</sup> Aug <sup>st</sup> 1856	Stipendiary Magistrate

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

RETURN of Members composing the Executive Council.

Names.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Confirmation.	Whether holding any and what other Civil or Military Office.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

RETURN of Members composing the Legislative Council.

Names.	Date of Appointment.	Date of Confirmation.	Whether holding any and what other Civil or Military Office.
<i>The Governor</i>			<i>Ex Officio President.</i>
<i>Thomas War wick Brooke</i>	<i>25<sup>th</sup> March 1856</i>	<i>23<sup>rd</sup> Aug 1856</i>	<i>Stipendiary Magistrate</i>
<i>John Mack han Dean</i>	<i>25<sup>th</sup> "</i>	<i>23<sup>rd</sup> " "</i>	<i>None</i>

CIVIL ESTABLISHMENT

OF

*The Falkland Islands*

FOR THE YEAR

*1857.*

Insert the several Establishments of Government, arranged according to Departments, including every Individual employed therein, with all the particulars specified in the several columns of the Return relative to the nature of their Duties, their Emoluments, Length of Service, &c.

Insert 1st, All the Officers of the Civil Departments.

2ndly, The Officers of the Judicial Departments.

3rdly, The Clergy.

Insert on the next leaf an Alphabetical List of all the Officers, and the Page in which their Office is described.

Under "Remarks" should be explained the nature of the duties performed by those Officers, the designation of whose Office does not sufficiently explain the functions attached to them.

At the end of the Establishment insert a Special List of all those Officers who have given security for the due discharge of their duties.

## LIST OF OFFICERS.

Names of Officers.	OFFICE.	Page in the Book in which his Office is described.
Bailey Arthur	Surveyor general	70
"	Registrar	70
Brooke F. O.	Stipendiary Magistrate	76
Brown John	Carter	78
Cruick William	Keeper of Cape Town Lighthouse	84
Faulkner A. M.	Colonial Chaplain	82
Gillespie John	Assistant Lightkeeper	84
Hamblyn W. J.	Colonial Surgeon	68
Hosking James	Schoolmaster	74
Hosking James	Parish clerk &c	74
Langdon J. R.	Colonial Secretary	68
McIntyre Chas.	Boatkeeper	72
"	Pilot & Harbour Master	74
McQuinn Pat <sup>r</sup>	Gardener	72

## LIST OF OFFICERS.

Names of Officers.	OFFICE.	Page in the Book in which his Office is described.
Moore T. D.	Governor &c &c	68
O'Neill Timothy	Officekeeper	72
Parry F. H.	Chief Constable	78
"	Office keeper &c	80
Rennie W. H.	Government Clerk	70
Rutter William	Pilot	74
Sibbald John	Clerk of the Courts	76
"	Act. Government Clerk	70
Short John	High Constable	78
Smith Margaret	Dispensary Keeper	74
Tricant	Additional Constable	78
Watts John	Horsekeeper	72



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LIST OF OFFICERS.

Names of Officers.	OFFICE.	Page in the Book in which his Office is described.

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LIST OF OFFICERS

Names of Officers.	OFFICE.	Page in the Book in which his Office is described.

OFFICE.	NAME.	Date of Appointment.	By whom appointed, and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary in British or Army Sterling.			From what the Salary is paid
				£	s.	d.	
Governor Commander-in-Chief and Vice Admiral	Thomas	6 <sup>th</sup> July 1855	The Crown by Commission under Great Seal	900	00		General Revenue
	Edward Law	1855					
	More						
Colonial Surgeon	Henry Joseph Hamblin	20 <sup>th</sup> July 1843	Secretary of State by Royal Warrant	350	00		General Revenue
Colonial Secretary	James Robertson	1 <sup>st</sup> April 1845 Confirmed by the Queen 30 June 1857	Secretary of State by Royal Warrant	350	00		
			Carried forward	1500	00		

REMARKS.

The General Revenue for the current financial year is estimated at 4686 £ which £ 1355 is derived from Colonial taxes and £ 3331 from the Imperial Revenue by vote of Parliament.

Amount of Fees during the Year 1857 in Sterling Value.	Whether the Principal be allowed a House for his personal Residence; or what Allowance, if any, for House Rent or Quarters.	Whether the Office be held by Principal in conjunction with any, and what other Civil, Military, or Naval Office, or Appointment, or Place of Profit, in any Colony, or on the Establishment of the United Kingdom. If the Office be held by a Military or Naval Officer, whether upon Full or Half Military or Naval Pay, the Total Amount of Pay and Allowances of every kind actually received by him in addition to the Profits of his Office.	Period during which the Officer has been Absent from the Colony during the Year 1857	Whether the Principal enjoy any, and what other Advantage or Profit, not required to be stated in the preceding Columns.	Date of First Appointment under the Colonial Government.
	None	George Grant house furnished	None	None	6 July 1855
	None	None	None	None	20 <sup>th</sup> " 1843
	None	None	Six months on leave	None	2 <sup>nd</sup> January 1844

REMARKS—continued.



OFFICE.	NAME.	Date of Appointment.	By whom appointed, and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary in British or Army Sterling.			From what the Salary is paid.
				£	s.	d.	
			Brought forward	1670	0	0	
Surveyor General	Arthur Bailey	31 <sup>st</sup> Jan 1848	Secretary of State by Royal Warrant	350	0	0	
Government Clerk	William Gibson	16 <sup>th</sup> March 1853	Governor confirmed by Secretary of State	175	0	0	
Acting D <sup>y</sup>	John Abbott	20 July 1857	Governor by letter	"	"	"	*
Registrar of Land, Births, Deaths and Marriages	Arthur Bailey	26 July 1852	Governor by Letter	None			
			Carried forward	2,135	0	0	

REMARKS.

\* Receives one half (£87. 10. 0) of the Salary of the Government Clerk during his absence on leave. -

Amount of Fees during the Year 18 in Sterling Value.	Whether the Principal be allowed a House for his personal Residence; or what Allowance, if any, for House Rent or Quarters.	Whether the Office be held by Principal in conjunction with any, and what other Civil, Military, or Naval Office, or Appointment, or Place of Profit, in any Colony, or on the Establishment of the United Kingdom. If the Office be held by a Military or Naval Officer, whether upon Full or Half Military or Naval Pay, the Total Amount of Pay and Allowances of every kind actually received by him in addition to the Profits of his Office.	Period during which the Officer has been Absent from the Colony during the Year 1857	Whether the Principal enjoy any, and what other Advantage or Profit, not required to be stated in the preceding Columns.	Date of First Appointment under the Colonial Government.
	None	Registrar of Births, deaths and marriages, &c see below	None	None	31 <sup>st</sup> Jan 1848
	None	None	Six months on leave of absence	None	Asst <sup>y</sup> Surveyor General 1 <sup>st</sup> April 1851
	None	See Clerk of the Court's post pages 76, 77.			
Detailed on pages 6 & 7.	None	Surveyor General, see above	None	None	31 <sup>st</sup> Jan 1848

REMARKS—continued.



OFFICE.	NAME.	Date of Appointment.	By whom appointed, and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary in British or Army Sterling.			From what Part the Salary is paid.
				£	s.	d.	
			Brought forward	2025	0	0	
Keeper of the Government Gun Boats	Charles Melville	1 <sup>st</sup> August 1848	Governor	60	0	0	General Revenue
Keeper of Government houses	John Watts	1 <sup>st</sup> Decem <sup>r</sup> 1857	Governor	60	0	0	
Gardener	J. Delgaird	11 <sup>th</sup> Feb <sup>r</sup> 1857	Governor	60	0	0	
Officer of the And Mes Surge	Timothy Smith	1 <sup>st</sup> Nov <sup>r</sup> 1851	Governor	60	0	0	
			Carried forward	2365	0	0	

REMARKS.

Amount of Fees during the Year 18 in Sterling Value.	Whether the Principal be allowed a House for his personal Residence; or what Allowance, if any, for House Rent or Quarters.	Whether the Office be held by Principal in conjunction with any, and what other Civil, Military, or Naval Office, or Appointment, or Place of Profit, in any Colony, or on the Establishment of the United Kingdom. If the Office be held by a Military or Naval Officer, whether upon Full or Half Military or Naval Pay, the Total Amount of Pay and Allowances of every kind actually received by him in addition to the Profits of his Office.	Period during which the Officer has been Absent from the Colony during the Year 18	Whether the Principal enjoy any, and what other Advantage or Profit, not required to be stated in the preceding Columns.	Date of First Appointment under the Colonial Government.
	None	None	None	Is Pilot — and receives also a time on Water Sub. paid from Govt. Revenue	1 August 1848
	None	None	None		As asst. Lightkeeper 1857
	None	None	None	None	1 <sup>st</sup> Feb <sup>r</sup> 1850
	Lives at the Officers' Quarters, and like all the other pensioners the advantages named in the regulations.	None	None	A free house garden ground was given to each pensioner on arrival	1 <sup>st</sup> Nov <sup>r</sup> 1851

REMARKS—continued.

OFFICE.	NAME.	Date of Appointment.	By whom appointed, and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary in British or Army Sterling.			From what the Salary is paid.
				£	s.	d.	
			Brought forward	2265	0	0	
Dispensary Keeper	Margaret Smith	10 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1855	Governor	6	0	0	Governor
Chief Pilot and Harbour Master	Charles Melville	8 <sup>th</sup> Feb 1853	Governor under Pilot and Harbour Master name				None
Pilot	William Rutter	12 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1853	Governor, by name and authority				None
School-Master	James Hooking	1 <sup>st</sup> Dec 1854	Governor	44	0	0	Governor
			Carried forward	2415	0	0	

REMARKS.

Amount of Fees during the Year 18 in Sterling Value.	Whether the Principal be allowed a House for his personal Residence; or what Allowance, if any, for House Rent or Quarters.	Whether the Office be held by Principal in conjunction with any, and what other Civil, Military, or Naval Office, or Appointment, or Place of Profit, in any Colony, or on the Establishment of the United Kingdom. If the Office be held by a Military or Naval Officer, whether upon Full or Half Military or Naval Pay, the Total Amount of Pay and Allowances of every kind actually received by him in addition to the Profits of his Office.	Period during which the Officer has been Absent from the Colony during the Year 18	Whether the Principal enjoy any, and what other Advantage or Profit, not required to be stated in the preceding Columns.	Date of First Appointment under the Colonial Government.
	None	None	None	None	10 <sup>th</sup> Oct 1855
The pilot fee & Harbour fee, see page 110-111.	Yes	See ante page 172-3, Pilot Keeper.			
The same	None	None	None	None	
See remark, head in 3 <sup>rd</sup> column page 110-111.		Salvo Clerk of the Captain of the church-cleane for which receives 10 <sup>th</sup> p. annum.	None	Sanctuary	May 1850

REMARKS—continued.



OFFICE.	NAME.	Date of Appointment.	By whom appointed, and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary in British or Army Sterling.	From what Fund the Salary is paid.
Brought forward				£	s. d.
Judicial department				2415	0 0
Stipendiary Magistrate	Thomas Brooks	15 June 1855	Secretary of State by Royal Warrant	475	0 0
Clerk of the Courts	John Sibbald	14 <sup>th</sup> Feb 1855	By Governor confirmed by Secretary of State by Despatch	145	0 0
Carried forward				3035	0 0

REMARKS.

General Revenue

Amount of Fees during the Year 1857 in Sterling Value.	Whether the Principal be allowed a House for his personal Residence; or what Allowance, if any, for House Rent or Quarters.	Whether the Office be held by Principal in conjunction with any, and what other Civil, Military, or Naval Office, or Appointment, or Place of Profit, in any Colony, or on the Establishment of the United Kingdom. If the Office be held by a Military or Naval Officer, whether upon Full or Half Military or Naval Pay, the Total Amount of Pay and Allowances of every kind actually received by him in addition to the Profits of his Office.	Period during which the Officer has been Absent from the Colony during the Year 1857	Whether the Principal enjoy any, and what other Advantage or Profit, not required to be stated in the preceding Columns.	Date of First Appointment under the Colonial Government.
£ s. d.					
	None	None	None	None	15 June 1855
	None	Commander in the Royal Navy on the active list in receipt of £132.10 per annum for half pay	None	Admitted to the Colonial Secretary's Office during the absence on leave of the former Clerk to W. Renwick	14 <sup>th</sup> Feb 1855

REMARKS—continued.



OFFICE.	NAME.	Date of Appointment.	By whom appointed, and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary in British or Army Sterling.			From what Fund the Salary is paid.
				£	s.	d.	
			Brought forward	3035	0	0	General Revenue
Chief Constable	Francis Henry Barry	1 October 1846	Governor	60	0	0	
Additional Constable	Vacant	11 <sup>th</sup> February 1857	Do	60	0	0	
Right Constable	John Short	4 <sup>th</sup> " "	Do	60	0	0	
Garler	John Brown	1 March 1856	Do	48	0	0	
			Carried forward	3263	0	0	

REMARKS.

Amount of Fees during the Year 18 in Sterling Value.	Whether the Principal be allowed a House for his personal Residence; or what Allowance, if any, for House Rent or Quarters.	Whether the Office be held by Principal in conjunction with any, and what other Civil, Military, or Naval Office, or Appointment, or Place of Profit, in any Colony, or on the Establishment of the United Kingdom.	If the Office be held by a Military or Naval Officer, whether upon Full or Half Military or Naval Pay, the Total Amount of Pay and Allowances of every kind actually received by him in addition to the Profits of his Office.	Period during which the Officer has been Absent from the Colony during the Year 18	Whether the Principal enjoy any, and what other Advantage or Profit, not required to be stated in the preceding Columns.	Date of First Appointment under the Colonial Government.
1 15 6	The Gaol					

REMARKS—continued.

OFFICE.	NAME.	Date of Appointment.	By whom appointed, and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary in British or Army Sterling.			From what Fund the Salary is paid.
				£	s.	d.	
			Brought forward	£	s.	d.	
				3963	0	0	
				12	0	0	
			Carried forward	3271	0	0	

*Keeper of the Maps  
Printer Office  
New South*

*Francis H. Parny*

*10 October 1851*

*promoted*

*General*

REMARKS.

Amount of Fees during the Year 18 in Sterling Value.	Whether the Principal be allowed a House for his personal Residence; or what Allowance, if any, for House Rent or Quarters.	Whether the Office be held by Principal in conjunction with any, and what other Civil, Military, or Naval Office, or Appointment, or Place of Profit, in any Colony, or on the Establishment of the United Kingdom. If the Office be held by a Military or Naval Officer, whether upon Full or Half Military or Naval Pay, the Total Amount of Pay and Allowances of every kind actually received by him in addition to the Profits of his Office.	Period during which the Officer has been Absent from the Colony during the Year 18	Whether the Principal enjoy any, and what other Advantage or Profit, not required to be stated in the preceding Columns.	Date of First Appointment under the Colonial Government.

*See Returns of Mad Constables on last Sheet.*

REMARKS—continued.

OFFICE.	NAME.	Date of Appointment.	By whom appointed, and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary in British or Army Sterling.	From what Fund the Salary is paid.		
Brought forward							
				£	s.	d.	
				3275	0	0	
<i>Ecclesiastical department</i>							
Colonial Chaplain (acting)	Henry Thackeray	11 Nov 1853	Governor confirmed by Secretary of State by Dispatch	3500	0	0	
Parish Clerk Church- cleaner, bell ringer and sexton	James Hosking	10 July 1853	Governor	10	0	0	
				Carried forward	3535	0	0

REMARKS.

General Revenue.

Amount of Fees during the Year 18 in Sterling Value.	Whether the Principal be allowed a House for his personal Residence; or what Allowance, if any, for House Rent or Quarters.	Whether the Office be held by Principal in conjunction with any, and what other Civil, Military, or Naval Office, or Appointment, or Place of Profit, in any Colony, or on the Establishment of the United Kingdom.	If the Office be held by a Military or Naval Officer, whether upon Full or Half Military or Naval Pay, the Total Amount of Pay and Allowances of every kind actually received by him in addition to the Profits of his Office.	Period during which the Officer has been Absent from the Colony during the Year 18	Whether the Principal enjoy any, and what other Advantage or Profit, not required to be stated in the preceding Columns.	Date of First Appointment under the Colonial Government.
	None	None		No	The usual	11 Nov 1853
	None	Scholarships		No	The usual fees as set out in Schedule	1 <sup>st</sup> May 1850

REMARKS—continued.



OFFICE.	NAME.	Date of Appointment.	By whom appointed, and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary in British or Army Sterling.			From what Fund the Salary is paid.
				£	s.	d.	
Brought forward				3635	0	0	
<i>Cape Pembroke lighthouse</i>							
Light Keeper	William Creed	July 1855	Secretary of State by Despatch	150	0	0	<i>Imperial Funds supplied by the Colonial Office</i>
Assistant	John Gilchrist	7 October 1857	Governor	20	0	0	
<i>Total</i>				3805	0	0	

REMARKS.

Amount of Fees during the Year 18 in Sterling Value.	Whether the Principal be allowed a House for his personal Residence; or what Allowance, if any, for House Rent or Quarters.	Whether the Office be held by Principal in conjunction with any, and what other Civil, Military, or Naval Office, or Appointment, or Place of Profit, in any Colony, or on the Establishment of the United Kingdom. If the Office be held by a Military or Naval Officer, whether upon Full or Half Military or Naval Pay, the Total Amount of Pay and Allowances of every kind actually received by him in addition to the Profits of his Office.	Period during which the Officer has been Absent from the Colony during the Year 18	Whether the Principal enjoy any, and what other Advantage or Profit, not required to be stated in the preceding Columns.	Date of First Appointment under the Colonial Government.
	A house in Cape Pembroke	None	None	Fuel light and fire	July 1855
	Lives in same house	None	None	Free board for which no cred. received, 2/- per day	9 April 1856

REMARKS—continued.

**RETURN OF OFFICERS**

WHO HAVE GIVEN SECURITY FOR THE DUE DISCHARGE OF THEIR  
DUTIES.

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RETURN of OFFICERS who have given Security for the due Discharge of their Duties.

Names.	Offices.	State Nature and Amount of Security, Names of the Sureties, and Sums for which they are answerable.
	<i>None</i>	

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RETURN of OFFICERS who have given Security for the due Discharge of their Duties.

Names.	Offices.	State Nature and Amount of Security, Names of the Sureties, and Sums for which they are answerable.
	<i>None</i>	



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RETURN of OFFICERS who have given Security for the due Discharge of their Duties.

Names.	Offices.	State Nature and Amount of Security, Names of Sureties, and Sums for which they are answerable.

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**PENSIONS**

PAYABLE OUT OF THE REVENUES OF THE COLONY.

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PENSIONS.

NAME OF THE PARTY.	Amount of the Pension in Sterling.			Authority under which the Pension was granted.
	£	s.	d.	
<i>None</i>				

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PENSIONS.

Date from which the Pension has been paid.	Service for which the Pension was granted.	Amount of Emolument when last employed in Public Service.			Present Age of Pensioner.	Cause of Retirement.
		£	s.	d.		

RECAPITULATION OF THE ESTABLISHMENT.

	Paid by Great Britain in Sterling Money,			Paid by the Colony in Sterling Money,		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Civil Establishment - - -	2415	0	0	"	"	"
Contingent Expenditure - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Judicial Establishment - - -	860	0	0	"	"	"
Contingent Expenditure - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
Ecclesiastical Establishment - - -	360	0	0	"	"	"
Contingent Expenditure - -	"	"	"	"	"	"
<del>Lighthouse</del> Miscellaneous Expenditure - - -	170	0	0	"	"	"
Pensions - - -						
Grand Total -	£ 3,805	0	0	"	"	"

See page 68

FOREIGN CONSULS.



RETURN of CONSULS of Foreign Countries residing in *The Falkland Is.*

Names of Consuls.	Name of the Country which he represents.	If confirmed, state the date of his Exequatur.	If not confirmed, state the reason why.
<i>Thomas Harris</i>	<i>Hamburg</i>	<i>15 October 1855</i>	<i>"</i>
<i>William A. Smyley</i>	<i>United States of America</i>	<i>Appointed by the President of the United States "Commercial Agent." Does not appear that any formal authority has been given or applied for or any Recognition made by H. M. Government</i>	

POPULATION.

Insert Population according to last Census, and, if none has ever been taken, according to the last means of Information that may be accessible.

RETURN of the POPULATION, and of the

County, District, or Parish.	Area in Square Miles.	WHITES.		COLOURED POPULATION.		TOTAL.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Falkland Islands		240	170	—	—	240	170

MARRIAGES, BIRTHS, and DEATHS.

Aliens and Resident Strangers, not included in preceding Columns.	Population to the Square Mile.	Persons employed in			Births.	Marriages.	Deaths.
		Agriculture.	Manufactures.	Commerce.			
70	480						
Total					Return by Registrar		
					11	5	3
Return by Colonial Chaplain					Bapt - Mar Bur		
					5	5	3

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MISCELLANEOUS NUMERICAL RETURNS.



MISCELLANEOUS

COUNTY, DISTRICT, OR PARISH.	No. of Savings Banks.	No. of Friendly Societies.	No. of Depositors in Savings Bank.	No. of Persons connected with Friendly Societies.	Free-holders.	Persons paying direct Taxes.
<p>These Returns are inapplicable to a Station held for Maritime purposes, whose inhabitants are only exceptions of the agricultural class, but chiefly Ship Carpenters, Sailors, Boatmen, Fishermen, or Merchants and their Employes. There are no Banks, no Friendly Societies, no paupers, no direct taxes (unless Quakers or auctioneers are considered such) and no children employed in Agriculture.</p>						

NUMERICAL RETURNS

Persons living in Villages built since the Emancipation.	Paupers.	No. of Immigrants.	No. of Emigrants.	Children employed in Agriculture.	REMARKS.

**ECCLESIASTICAL RETURN.**

RETURN of the NUMBER of

Names of the Parishes, in what County or District, and Extent in Square Miles.	Population of each Parish.	Name of the Rector, and Value of the Living.	Parsonage House.	Glebe.	Church, where situated, and the Number of Persons it will contain.
Stuntley	1400	Henry Maitland Faulkner Colonial chaplain Salary $35 \frac{11}{2}$ per annum	None		In Stuntley, unconsecrated. Will contain 150.

CHURCHES, LIVINGS, &c.

Number of Persons generally attending.	Chapel, where situated, and the Number of Persons it will contain.	Number of Persons generally attending.	Whether Protestant or Roman Catholic.	Parsonage House.	Dissenting Places of Worship.	Remarks.
48 Morning 39 Evening						
	Kippel Island a chapel capable of holding 20	14	Pro- test- ant	None	None	Kippel Is- land is the Station of the Cata- rian Mission



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EDUCATION.

RETURN of the NUMBER

Name of the Parish, and in what County or District.	Public or Free School, and where situated, and whether Sunday or Week-day.	In connexion with Church of England.	Other Schools.	Name of the Schoolmaster or Schoolmistress, and Salary.	Number of Scholars.			Mode of Instruction.
					Male.	Female.	Total.	
Town of Stanley	Weekly Public School	No	None	James Hooking	24	17	41	January to June
				Salary from Government Grant	18	13	31	July to December
				44 £ per annum	21	15	36	boys

OF SCHOOLS, &c.

If supported by Government or voluntary Contributions, and Amount of each.		Expense of each School.	Number of Private Schools.	REMARKS.
Government.	Voluntary Contributions.			
44 £	22	—	—	<p>Many of the Parents formerly formerly coming here at the close of the year with their families. This and the increasing usefulness of the children accounts for the diminution of the school.</p> <p>At the present time (February 1858) the number of scholars is upwards of 50 and daily increasing.</p>

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RETURN of the NUMBER

Name of the Parish, and in what County or District.	Public or Free School, and where situated.	Name of the Schoolmaster or Schoolmistress, and Salary.	Number of Scholars.			Mode of Instruction.
			Male.	Females.	Total.	

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EXCHANGES, MONEYS, WEIGHTS,  
AND  
MEASURES.

Insert under separate Heads the Course of Exchange; a List of the Gold, Silver, and Copper Coins current in the Colony, and their relative Value to each other; the Amount of Bullion and of Paper Currency in circulation; in what Money Accounts are kept; and the Weights and Measures in common use.



## COURSE OF EXCHANGE.

Bills on England & on Government bills are usually accepted at  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 per cent discount.

Remittances are always made by bill but the supply through merchant shipmasters in exchange for repairs done stores supplies or assistance afforded is always in excess of the demand and depreciates the rate of exchange.

## COINS.

	sterling value
Gold doubloons— each ———	£ 0 2
Silver dollars — " ———	3 4 0
French five franc pieces each	" 4 2
American Gold five dollar piece	" 4 0
	1 0 0

The chief part of the currency is English the alone is the rate at which the coins named are usually received. Doubloons used to be very numerous in circulation but since the exchange in the neighbourhood improves of the Banda Oriental has risen to £3.12 or £3.15 most of those coins have been <sup>taken</sup> away.

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AMOUNT OF COIN IN CIRCULATION.

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Most Variable.

There are no banks to keep deposits of specie - the Government keeps no reserved fund and the amount can hardly be approximated for much is hoarded amongst the working classes who have no Savings Banks.

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AMOUNT OF PAPER CURRENCY IN CIRCULATION.

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None.

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ACCOUNTS KEPT IN.

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*English Sterling*

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WEIGHTS.

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*English.*



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 MEASURES.
 

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*English.*

## IMPORTS AND EXPORTS,

FOR THE YEAR

 1857.
 

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*Note.*—The quantities of the several articles Imported and Exported should be stated, whenever practicable, according to weight and measure, and not by the packages in which they are contained. It should also be stated in a note whether the valuations are *declared* by the merchants or *calculated* officially according to fixed or market prices.

*There is no Custom House, and no means of ascertaining the quantities of the various articles of Import and Export. —*

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IMPORTS.

ARTICLES IMPORTED.	ESTIMATED VALUE			
DESCRIPTION AND QUANTITY.	From Great Britain.	British Colonies.		
		West Indies.	North America.	Elsewhere.

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IMPORTS.

IN STERLING.			REMARKS.
United States of America.	Foreign States.	TOTAL.	

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IMPORTS.

ARTICLES IMPORTED.	ESTIMATED VALUE			
DESCRIPTION AND QUANTITY.	From Great Britain.	British Colonies.		
		West Indies.	North America.	Elsewhere.

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EXPORTS.

IN STERLING.			REMARKS.
United States of America.	Foreign States.	TOTAL.	





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SHIPPING

FOR THE YEAR

1857.

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No. 1.—NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS ENTERED at Ports in the Colony of ~~Falkland Islands~~ from each Country, in the Year 1857.

COUNTRIES WHENCE ARRIVED.	ENTERED.								
	WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTAL.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
England	5	2094	81	3	4377	832	8	6471	913
United States	1	322	30	.	.	.	1	322	30
The River Plate, and Patagonia	11	1382	97	6	1135	172	17	2517	269
Hamburg	1	126	7	"	.	.	1	126	7
Brazil	2	338	20	"	.	.	2	338	20
West coast of South America	7	6220	157	1	460	130	8	6680	287
Melbourne	"	"	"	1	1078	190	1	1078	190
Valparaiso	2	833	59	.	.	.	2	833	59
Total	29	11315	451	11	7100	1324	40	18415	1775

\* Including Men of War

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No. 2.—NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED at Ports in the Colony of

COUNTRIES WHENCE ARRIVED.	CLEARED.								
	WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTAL.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
<p>Remark. The preceding table contains an account of all vessels making use of this Station for Repairs &amp; refreshment as well as of regular traders—Of the 40 vessels 18 of the largest size put in for heavy repairs or for medical assistance or for water, or for food or other cause. The majority of these were English. All left again, having obtained relief</p>									
Total									



No. 3.—NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS of each Nation ENTERED at Ports in the Colony of *the Falkland Islands* in the Year 1857.

NATIONALITY OF VESSELS.	ENTERED.								
	WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTAL.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
<i>British</i>	19	5570	253	10	6940	1317	29	12530	2570
<i>W. American</i>	5	4263	140	1	160	7	6	4423	147
<i>Hannoverian</i>	1	126	7	..	..	..	1	126	7
<i>Bremen</i>	1	250	13	..	..	..	1	250	13
<i>Hamburg</i>	1	426	14	..	..	..	1	426	14
<i>Chilian</i>	1	600	17	..	..	..	1	600	17
<i>Buenos Ayres</i>	1	60	7	..	..	..	1	60	7
Total	29	11,315	457	11	7100	1324	40	18415	1775

No. 4.—NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS of each Nation CLEARED at Ports in the Colony of *the Falkland Islands* in the Year 1857.

NATIONALITY OF VESSELS.	CLEARED.								
	WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTAL.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
<i>See Remarks page 131</i>									
Total									



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AGRICULTURE.



RETURN of the PRODUCE

STOCK, &c.

Name of the County, District, or Parish.	CROPS.								STOCK.				
	State the Nature of the Crop, and the Number of Acres of Land in each Crop.								Number of				
	Without	Green Crops				Wild herse	Wild fatted	Total Number of Acres in Crop.	Number of Acres of Uncultivated Land.	Horses.	Cattle	Sheep	Goats.
Stanley, Town and Environs of	-	14	in potatoes & garden produce.						100	300	20	12	
The Estates of Mr. Keley Sound and New Pleasant	-	3	do do						300	800	500	"	"
"Lafonia", the Estate of the Fabb Land Islands Company	-	2	do do						400	800	6000	1000	"
<b>Total</b>	-	19	acres of garden produce						2000	20,000			

Name of the County, District, or Parish.	PRODUCE.								PRICE OF PRODUCE.								
	State the Nature of the Produce, and the Quantity of each.								State the Nature of the Produce, and the Price of each in Sterling.								
	Potatoes	Turnips	Cabbages	Milk	Butter	Beef	Suet		Potatoes	Other	Butter	Beef	Suet	Wool	Wool	Wool	Wool
Stanley, Town and Environs of	The supply from the soil by a recent calculation appears to be worth 80 £ annually							2 1/2	2 1/2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
The Estates of Mr. Keley Sound and New Pleasant	A large quantity is annually produced							2 1/2	2 1/2	3 1/2	9	8	2 1/2	15	9		
"Lafonia", the Estate of the Fabb Land Islands Company					killed annually	killed annually					2 1/2	9			15	9	
<b>Total</b>					800	150											

AVERAGE PRICES of various PRODUCE and MERCHANDISE, &c.

	Sterling Prices.			Prices in			
	£	s.	d.	January.	April.	July.	October.
Wheaten Flour - per Barrel of 196 lbs.	3	0	0	3½	None for sale		3½
Wheat - per Imperial Bushel	-	-	-				
Wheaten Bread - per lb.	-	-	-				
Horned Cattle	3	-	-	Cow each 5 to 10 £			
Horses	10	-	-	to 15 £			
Sheep	2	0	0				
Goats	3	0	0				
Swine	3	0	0				
Milk <i>new</i> - per quart	"	8		8 <sup>d</sup>	12 <sup>d</sup>	10 <sup>d</sup>	8 <sup>d</sup>
Butter, Fresh	-	2	6				
Salt	"	1	8	1/8	1/8	None for sale	
Cheese	"	1	6				
Beef	"	3		2½ to 4 according to quality			
Mutton	"	9		to 12 <sup>d</sup>			
Pork	"	1	0				
Rice	"	3					
Coffee	"	9		9 <sup>d</sup>	7 <sup>d</sup>	8 <sup>d</sup>	9 <sup>d</sup>
Tea	"	3	6	3/6	None for sale		
Sugar	"	"	6				
Salt	"	"	1				
Wine - per doz	1	10	0				
Brandy - " - fall	1	0	0				
Beer - " - do	"	2	6				
Tobacco - " - do	"	1	6				
Coal - " - ton	4	10	0				
WAGES FOR LABOUR.							
Domestic - per annum	20	0	0	with Keep - Women			
Predial - laborer	"	4	6				
Trades - per diem	"	8	0				
<p>On Government Works                  Wages are Laborers                  4- Potters 6/6 a day</p>							

Improvements in Agriculture and Manufactures introduced this Year.

(During the Year 1857. the first start has been made in Suburban cultivation. A retired publican bought a portion of land 10 acres above Grande from the settlement and settled there. He enclosed land for gardens, set up a small dairy & proposes to live by the sale of the produce:

Progress of any Improvements previously reported.

The gardens reported to in previous Blue Books have done well and yielded for their owners considerable sums.



MANUFACTURES, MINES,  
AND  
FISHERIES.





**GRANTS OF LAND.**

RETURN OF LANDS GRANTED AND SOLD DURING THE YEAR 1857.

County or District.	Number of Grants under 100 Acres.		Number of Grants above 100, not exceeding 500 Acres.		Grants exceeding 500 Acres.		Total Number of Grants, 1857.	Total Number of Acres granted, 1857.	Whether by Grant or Purchase.	Where sold, state the Average Price per Acre.	State the Total Number of Acres granted in the Colony.	State the Total Number of Acres sold.	State the Total Number of Acres that remain ungranted.
	Number of Grants.	Number of Acres.	Number of Grants.	Number of Acres.	Name of Grantee.	Extent of Grant.							
Town of Hanby	2	1	-	-	-	-	2	1	Purchase	100 £	316	160	Suburban
Falkland Islands											Five grants	300 acres	To old Pensioners
												At 100 £ an acre	16 of Townland
												At 2 £ " "	474 " Suburban do
												At 8/- " "	1,582 1/2 " Rural do
												At 1/- " "	700,000 being the district called "Lafonia" ceded to the Falkland Islands Company
													49,000 leased for 20 years
													At an aggregate rental of 70 £ a year



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REMARKS ON SQUATTING.

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GAOLS AND PRISONERS.







## RETURN of the GAOLS, &amp;c.—continued.

## QUESTIONS.

1. General Description of the Prison: whether Common Gaol, House of Correction, or otherwise? (To be accompanied by a Ground Plan of the Buildings, &c.)
2. Under whose jurisdiction and superintendence; and what measures are adopted for securing the Visitation of the Prison by the Local Magistrates or other Authorities? (A Copy of the Rules and Regulations to be forwarded with the Return.)
3. Number of Officers, and how appointed? Do all the Officers reside in the Prison? Are Female Prisoners attended by Female Officers exclusively?
4. Number of Classes, Divisions, or Wards, Day-rooms, Work-rooms, and Airing-yards (with reference to Plan); and whether the same can be extended or increased?
5. Number of Sleeping-cells, Solitary or Dark-cells, &c.; and if any are below ground?

## ANSWERS.

1. Common Gaol and House of Correction. Constructed of Wood. Gaoler room from which opens a corridor running through the building, having 2 cells and doors on one side and cells on the other - opening the roof with good ventilation.
2. The visiting justices inspect the Gaol constantly and are required by Law to report any abuse to the Governor.
3. One Keeper appointed by Governor on the recommendation of the Magistrate. His wife attends on female prisoners.
4. One day room, one enclosed yard, and separate cells in every all the divisions.
5. Each cell is fitted for sleeping - and may be darkened by a shutter on the outside of the window. None are underground.

## RETURN of the GAOLS, &amp;c.—continued.

## QUESTIONS.

6. Dietary or Weekly Allowance, and Weekly Cost per head for the different descriptions of Prisoners? and under what system and control the Food, Medicine, and Clothing for the Prisoners is contracted for, or otherwise provided?
7. Allowance of Clothing and Bedding, and Cost per head?
8. Hours of Labour and Exercise?
9. Description of Employment and Hard Labour?
10. Amount of Earnings, and how applied; in what proportion to the Prisoners, to the Officers, or the fund for the maintenance of the Prison?
11. Whether the Classification directed by the Colonial Act has been observed: if not, for what reasons; and what measures have been taken to remedy this defect?
12. Are convicted Prisoners prohibited from receiving Visits, or Letters, or any articles of Food or Clothing from their Relatives or Friends: if not, under what restrictions?

## ANSWERS.

6. Diet of prisoners at hard labour -  
 8 lbs Beef, 1 lb Rice } per  
 5/4 + Bread, 4/4 + Soup } week  
 3/4 + Sugar 4/4 + Salt }  
 2/4 + Coffee }  
 Prisoners in solitary confinement receive 24 ounces of bread a day. For expenses see answer to general remark.
7. Clothing and Bedding supplied as may be necessary.
8. Hours of labour same as in dockyard viz. 6 am. to 5.40 am. to 12 m. & 1 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. in summer - winter during day light. Exercise for prisoners not at hard labour 12 to 1 p.m.
9. Making and repairing roads
10. In repayment to Government of expenses of imprisonment. Occasionally a small sum is given to well behaved men on leaving the Gaol.
- 11 & 12. Are inapplicable.

RETURN of the GAOLS, &c.—continued.

QUESTIONS.

13. Is there a Chapel in the Prison, or suitable Apartment for the performance of Religious Services? How are the prisoners separated therein?

14. What Duties are performed by the Chaplain? What provision is made for the Instruction of the Prisoners; and are they supplied with Bibles and other suitable Books?

15. Are Dissenting Ministers allowed to have access to the Prisoners; and, if so, at what times, and under what restrictions?

16. What Duties are performed by the Surgeon? Are separate Buildings or Apartments provided for the Sick?

17. What Diseases have been most prevalent during the Year (in reference to Columns 10 and 11, Return No. 1.)?

18. Reasons for Non-employment of Prisoners (in reference to Column 8)?

ANSWERS.

13. When there are prisoners the Colm Chaplain holds a service in the Gaol every Sunday.

14. Bibles and prayer books are in the Gaol.

15. There are no dissenting ministers in the Station.

16. The prisoners have never been sick in 1857. When they are the Colonial Surgeon attends them.

17. There were no diseases.

18. Because they were sentenced to solitary imprisonment.

RETURN of the GAOLS, &c.—continued.

QUESTIONS.

19. Reasons for Punishments, by Whipping, Irons, Solitary Confinement, or otherwise?

20. Is there any Insane person in confinement? State his or her Name and Age, and for what offence committed? How long has he or she been in confinement; and is such Person separated from the other Prisoners?

21. Are any, and what Fees demanded of Debtors, or of any other Prisoners, either at their Admission to, or Discharge from, the Gaol?

22. General Observations.

During the first seven months of 1857, only eight prisoners were committed. The sentences of seven of these averaged only 17 days each. In the last 5 months the commitments by the rebellious crew of an English merchant ship, from which seven sailors were committed, five a second time and three a third. In classifying the prisoners the result is satisfactory to the Colony—

Colonists committed for trivial offences	7
do for Solitary	13
do for trivial offences	6
do for Solitary	27
Total Commitments	53

ANSWERS.

19. Because the prisoner was troublesome in yard. He received three days solitary imprisonment.

20. There is no insane person in the Colony.

21. No persons have ever been imprisoned for debt.

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## CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.



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CHARITABLE

Name of Parish or District in which situated.	Hospital.	Lunatic Asylum.	Almshouse.
	<i>Nil</i>		

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INSTITUTIONS.

Other Institutions.	Number of Inmates.	How supported.	REMARKS.
		<i>Nil</i>	

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 15<sup>th</sup> February 1858.