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Hon. Major Atkinson.

APPROPRIATION.

ANALYSIS.

<p>Title. Address. 1. Short Title.</p> <p>GRANTS OUT OF THE PUBLIC ACCOUNT.</p> <p>2. Grant of £1,316,720 19s. 2d. and fees.</p> <p>APPROPRIATION OF GRANTS.</p> <p>3. Appropriation of £2,316,720 19s. 2d. out of Consolidated Fund, and fees.</p> <p>4. Provision for salaries, &c., in Insurance Department.</p>	<p>5. Provision for salaries in Public Trust Office.</p> <p>6. Provision for salaries, &c., in Native Reserves Department.</p> <p>7. Indemnity.</p> <p>8. Moneys payable for roads in Native districts, or for works chargeable as provincial liabilities.</p> <p>9. Provision for charges or expenses incurred by local governing bodies.</p> <p>10. Sums granted and appropriated by "The Public Revenues Act, 1879," included in this Act.</p> <p>11. Schedules included in this Act.</p>
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A BILL INTITLED

AN Act to apply a Sum of Money out of the Consolidated Fund and other **Title.**
 Moneys to the Service of the Year ending the Thirty-first day of March,
 One thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and to appropriate the
 Supplies granted in this present Session.

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN,—We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and **Address.**
 loyal subjects, the House of Representatives of New Zealand in Parliament
 assembled, towards making good the supply which we have cheerfully granted to
 Your Majesty in this session of Parliament, have resolved to grant unto Your
5 Majesty the sums hereinafter mentioned, and do therefore most humbly beseech
 Your Majesty that it may be enacted, and be it enacted by the General Assembly
 of New Zealand in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of
 the same, as follows :—

1. The Short Title of this Act is "The Appropriation Act, 1880. **Short Title.**

GRANTS OUT OF THE PUBLIC ACCOUNT.

10 2. The Colonial Treasurer for the time being may issue out of the Con-
 solidated Fund, and apply towards making good the Supplies granted to Her
 Majesty for the services of the year ending on the thirty-first day of March, one
 thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, the sum of one million three hundred
15 and sixteen thousand seven hundred and twenty pounds nineteen shillings and
 two pence, together with the amount of the fees hereinafter mentioned.

Grant of
£1,316,720 19s. 2d.
and fees.

APPROPRIATION OF GRANTS.

Appropriation of
£2,316,720 19s. 2d.
out of Consolidated
Fund, and fees.

3. All sums granted by this Act, and the other Acts mentioned in Schedule A annexed hereto, out of the Consolidated Fund, amounting, as appears by the said Schedule A, to two millions three hundred and sixteen thousand seven hundred and twenty pounds nineteen shillings and two pence, together with the fees collected by such public officers as are authorized to retain the same in lieu of salary, are appropriated for the purposes and services expressed in the several votes in the Schedules B, C, and D, annexed hereto. 5

Provision for salaries,
&c., in Insurance
Department.

4. And whereas by the thirty-ninth section of "The Government Insurance and Annuities Act, 1874," it is enacted that the salary of the Commissioner and other officers and the other contingent expenses shall be paid out of moneys from time to time appropriated from the Government Insurance Account for the purpose by the General Assembly: Be it enacted, the said salaries and expenses for the year ending the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, shall be upon the scale set forth in the Schedule E annexed hereto, not exceeding in the whole the sum of twenty two thousand five hundred and thirty-seven pounds and ten shillings. 10 15

Provision for salaries
in Public Trust
Office.

5. And whereas by the eleventh section of "The Public Trust Office Act, 1872," it is enacted that the salary of the Public Trustee and of the other officers and servants in the Public Trust Office shall be such as shall be fixed by the General Assembly: Be it enacted that the said salaries for the year ending the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, shall be upon the scale set forth in Schedule F annexed hereto, not exceeding in the whole the sum of one thousand two hundred and eighty pounds. 20

Provision for salaries,
&c., in Native
Reserves Depart-
ment.

6. The Public Trustee shall pay out of the Native Reserves Account in the Public Trust Office the several salaries and expenses upon the scale set forth in the Schedule G annexed hereto, not exceeding in the whole the sum of one thousand three hundred and fifty-five pounds. 25

Indemnity.

7. And whereas the Colonial Treasurer has, under the authority of sections forty-four and forty-five of "The Public Revenues Act, 1878," issued from the Consolidated Fund, during the nine months ending the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, moneys in excess of or without the appropriation of Parliament, amounting in the whole to the sum of twenty-five thousand two hundred and eighty-nine pounds fifteen shillings and eightpence, and has applied the said sum to the several purposes and services mentioned in the Schedule H hereto annexed: Be it enacted that the application of the said sum is hereby sanctioned. 30 35

Moneys payable for
roads in Native
districts, or for
works chargeable as
provincial liabilities.

8. The moneys payable under this Act for roads in Native districts, or for works chargeable as provincial liabilities, may be paid over to such local governing bodies as the Minister for Public Works or other Minister may determine, upon such terms and conditions as shall be agreed upon between the said Public Works or other Minister and any such local governing body; and the Colonial Treasurer shall make all such payments in accordance with any such agreement. 40

Provision for charges
or expenses incurred
by local governing
bodies.

9. The Treasury is hereby authorized to issue and pay out of the Consolidated Fund, by way of temporary advance, any sum or sums not exceeding one thousand pounds in the whole, for the purpose of defraying any charges or expenses incurred by or on behalf of any local governing body to which a subsidy is payable out of the Consolidated Fund. 45

All such advances shall be repaid to the Consolidated Fund out of the first subsidy or other moneys thereafter accruing to such local governing body, and may be deducted or recovered by the Colonial Treasurer accordingly. 50

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For the purposes of this section the expression "local governing body" means a County Council, Borough Council, Road Board, River Board, and an Education Board, and includes any other body or persons however designated to whom any subsidy or other moneys is paid or payable out of the Consolidated Fund.

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10. And whereas by "The Public Revenues Act, 1879," it was provided that all moneys issued and paid under the authority thereof should be included in the estimates for the year or other period in which the same were paid, and in the accounts of such period :

Sums granted and appropriated by "The Public Revenues Act, 1879," included in this Act.

10 Be it enacted :

The several sums granted and appropriated by this Act shall be taken and deemed to be inclusive of and not in excess of the moneys issued and paid during the three months ended the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, under the authority of the said "Public Revenues Act, 1879."

15 11. The Schedules annexed hereto, with the notes, if any, to such Schedules, shall be deemed to be part of this Act, in the same manner as if they had been contained in the body hereof.

Schedules included in this Act.

SCHEDULES.

Schedules.

SCHEDULE A.

GRANTS OUT OF THE CONSOLIDATED FUND.

	£	s.	d.
Under "The Imprest Supply Act, 1880"	300,000	0	0
Under "The Imprest Supply Act, 1880 (No. 2)"	250,000	0	0
Under "The Imprest Supply Act, 1880 (No. 3)"	250,000	0	0
Under "The Imprest Supply Act, 1880 (No. 4)"	200,000	0	0
Under this Act	1,316,720	19	2
Total	2,316,720	19	2

SCHEDULE B.

A SCHEDULE of Sums granted to defray the Charges on the CONSOLIDATED FUND for the several Services herein particularly mentioned, which will come in the course of payment during the Year ending 31st March, 1881.

Abstract of Schedule B.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Liabilities and Engagements				299,747	12	4
Class I.—Legislative	35,300	5	10			
Class II.—Colonial Secretary	191,977	18	6			
Class III.—Colonial Treasurer	50,330	5	6			
Class IV.—Minister of Justice	133,706	16	4			
Class V.—Postmaster General and Commissioner of Telegraphs	261,357	12	1			
Class VI.—Commissioner of Customs	89,244	5	2			
Class VII.—Commissioner of Stamps	23,897	10	0			
Class VIII.—Minister of Education	276,162	0	0			
Class IX.—Minister of Native Affairs	15,177	9	1			
Class X.—Minister of Mines	23,141	13	4			
Class XI.—Minister of Public Works	604,446	16	7			
Class XII.—Minister of Defence	163,446	11	3			
Total				1,868,189	3	8
				2,167,936	16	0

Vote.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
LIABILITIES AND ENGAGEMENTS.							
1	Liabilities and Engagements ...	299,747	12	4			
					299,747	12	4
CLASS I.—LEGISLATIVE.							
2	Legislative ...	85,300	5	10			
TOTAL CLASS I. ...					35,300	5	10
CLASS II.—COLONIAL SECRETARY.							
3	Premier's Office ...	450	0	0			
4	Colonial Secretary's Office ...	2,005	0	0			
5	Messengers' Department ...	3,780	2	6			
6	Electoral ...	3,560	0	0			
7	Audit Office ...	8,450	0	0			
8	Government Statist ...	6,792	0	0			
9	Geological and Meteorological ...	3,565	0	0			
10	Agent-General ...	3,000	0	0			
11	Charitable ...	40,000	0	0			
12	Lunatic Asylums ...	35,178	8	4			
13	Printing and Stationery ...	22,660	6	8			
14	Sheep and Cattle ...	13,000	0	0			
15	Compensation ...	10,000	0	0			
16	Miscellaneous Services ...	39,537	1	0			
TOTAL CLASS II. ...					191,977	18	6
CLASS III.—COLONIAL TREASURER.							
17	Treasury ...	8,402	0	0			
18	Property-Tax ...	26,418	6	8			
19	Miscellaneous Services ...	15,509	18	10			
TOTAL CLASS III. ...					50,330	5	6
CLASS IV.—MINISTER OF JUSTICE.							
20	Department of Justice ...	1,335	0	0			
21	Crown Law Office ...	2,110	0	0			
22	Land Claims Office ...	200	0	0			
23	Supreme Court ...	7,246	0	0			
24	District Courts ...	6,285	10	0			
25	Resident Magistrates' and Wardens' Courts ...	47,341	19	0			
26	Petty Sessions Courts ...	100	0	0			
27	Criminal Prosecutions, Witnesses, and Jurors ...	10,900	0	0			
28	Coroners ...	2,500	0	0			
29	Contingencies ...	4,500	0	0			
30	Prisons ...	37,529	6	6			
31	Native Land Court ...	10,267	2	1			
32	"Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act, 1870" ...	643	10	0			
33	Miscellaneous Services ...	2,748	8	9			
TOTAL CLASS IV. ...					133,706	16	4

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Vote.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
CLASS V.—POSTMASTER-GENERAL AND COMMISSIONER OF TELEGRAPHS.							
34	General Post Office	4,000	0	0			
35	Chief Offices and Sub-Offices	43,329	0	0			
36	Conveyance of Mails by Sea	64,148	0	0			
37	Conveyance of Inland Mails	30,975	0	0			
38	Carriage of Mails by Railway	700	0	0			
39	Contingencies	4,763	2	1			
40	Telegraph Department	102,592	10	0			
41	Subsidy for Australian Cable	10,850	0	0			
	TOTAL CLASS V.				261,357	12	1
CLASS VI.—COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS.							
42	Customs	40,622	3	6			
43	Miscellaneous Services	3,152	5	3			
44	Marine and Harbours	45,469	16	5			
	TOTAL CLASS VI.				89,244	5	2
CLASS VII.—COMMISSIONER OF STAMPS.							
45	Stamp Department	6,160	0	0			
46	Land and Deeds Registry	17,600	0	0			
47	Miscellaneous Services	137	10	0			
	TOTAL CLASS VII.				23,897	10	0
CLASS VIII.—MINISTER OF EDUCATION.							
48	Education Department	249,522	0	0			
49	Native Schools	14,950	0	0			
50	Industrial Schools	5,045	0	0			
51	Deaf and Dumb Institution	1,895	0	0			
52	Miscellaneous Services	4,750	0	0			
	TOTAL CLASS VIII.				276,162	0	0
CLASS IX.—MINISTER OF NATIVE AFFAIRS.							
53	Salaries and Contingencies	13,478	10	0			
54	Miscellaneous Services	1,698	19	1			
	TOTAL CLASS IX.				15,177	9	1
CLASS X.—MINISTER OF MINES.							
55	Mines	22,850	0	0			
56	Coal Fields	291	13	4			
	TOTAL CLASS X.				23,141	13	4

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Vote.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
CLASS XI.—MINISTER FOR PUBLIC WORKS.							
57	Railways	562,465	16	11			
58	Architect's Office	1,485	0	0			
59	Government Domains	1,191	4	0			
60	Public Buildings	23,935	0	0			
61	Inspection of Machinery	1,900	0	0			
62	Miscellaneous Services	13,469	15	8			
	TOTAL CLASS XI.				604,446	16	7
CLASS XII.—MINISTER OF DEFENCE.							
63	Militia and Volunteers	30,640	3	9			
64	Constabulary and Contingent Defence	132,213	17	6			
65	Miscellaneous Services	592	10	0			
	TOTAL CLASS XII.				163,446	11	3

SCHEDULE C.

Vote.	LAND FUND ACCOUNT.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
66	Crown Lands Department	21,855	0	0			
67	Crown Lands Miscellaneous Services	15,385	19	10			
68	Survey Department	88,436	3	4			
69	Photographic and Lithographic Printing Branch	2,607	0	0			
	TOTAL LAND FUND ACCOUNT				128,284	3	2

SCHEDULE D.

	SURPLUS LAND FUND ACCOUNT.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	ARREARS OF SURVEY—						
	Provincial District of Canterbury	20,000	0	0			
	Provincial District of Hawke's Bay	500	0	0			
	TOTAL				20,500	0	0

SCHEDULE E.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
GOVERNMENT INSURANCE ACCOUNT.						
GOVERNMENT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT—						
Commissioner	800	0	0			
Actuary	600	0	0			
Chief Medical Officer	350	0	0			
Accountant and Chief Clerk (offices combined)	400	0	0			
17 Clerks, 1 at £250, 1 at £230, 1 at £220, 3 at £175, 3 at £160, 5 at £150, 2 at £130, 1 at £110	2,825	0	0			
9 Cadets, 1 at £110, 2 at £105, 1 at £95, 2 at £60, 1 at £55, 2 at £50	690	0	0			
3 Clerks at Agencies, 1 at £225, 1 at £220, 1 at £185	630	0	0			
3 Cadets at Agencies, 2 at £110, 1 at £50	270	0	0			
Local Agent, Wellington (also Registrar of Births &c. £140)	160	0	0			
Postage and Telegrams	600	0	0			
Printing and Advertising	950	0	0			
Commission	6,000	0	0			
Travelling Expenses	1,000	0	0			
Medical Fees	2,800	0	0			
Contingencies	500	0	0			
Liabilities to 31st March, 1880	1,612	10	0			
To meet Expenses of Quinquennial Investigation	2,000	0	0			
Rent of Offices	350	0	0			
TOTAL				22,537	10	0

SCHEDULE F.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE EXPENSES ACCOUNT.						
PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE—						
Public Trustee	800	0	0			
Clerk	390	0	0			
Cadet	90	0	0			
TOTAL				1,280	0	0

SCHEDULE G.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
NATIVE RESERVES ACCOUNTS.						
<i>Native Reserves, North Island—</i>						
Commissioner (also Commissioner Native Lands Frauds Prevention Act £100, and Native Land Court £400)	100	0	0			
Clerk to Trustee Native Reserves, Wellington (also Clerk to Native Lands Frauds Commissioner £117 10s.)	130	0	0			
Contingencies	100	0	0			
	330	0	0			
<i>Nelson—</i>						
Commissioner	225	0	0			
Assistant Commissioner	100	0	0			
Clerk (also Registrar of Electors £30, Crown Lands Department £150, and Receiver of Land Revenue £150)	50	0	0			
Interpreter	40	0	0			
Medical Officer	50	0	0			
Medical Officer, Motueka	50	0	0			
Medical Officer, Wairau	50	0	0			
Medical Officer, Queen Charlotte Sound	50	0	0			
Schoolmaster, Wairau (also Native Schools £60)	60	0	0			
	675	0	0			
<i>Greymouth—</i>						
Commissioner	225	0	0			
Assistant Commissioner	50	0	0			
Schoolmaster, Arahura (also Native Schools £75)	75	0	0			
	350	0	0			
TOTAL NATIVE RESERVES ACCOUNTS...						1,355 0 0

SCHEDULE H.
UNAUTHORIZED EXPENDITURE OF THE YEAR 1879-80.

Consolidated Fund.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
FOR SERVICES NOT PROVIDED FOR:—									
MISCELLANEOUS,—									
County of Westland—additional subsidy at rate of £2 per £1 on rates collected by the County Council in the Kanieri Road District	381	0	0						
Borough of Campbelltown—subsidy on rates collected during the period from 31st March to 10th December, 1879	77	18	3						
				485	18	3			
Compensation and Refunds,—									
Reid and Fenwick, for cancellation of Railway Advertising Contract	200	0	0						
Reid and Fenwick, refund of proportion of rent already paid in respect of above contract	60	0	0						
Land-Tax on reclaimed land, Wellington, refunded	8	2	9						
				268	2	9			
Amounts written off,—									
Railway surcharges for carriage of material, &c.	215	6	9						
Railway Station Accounts	12	15	6						
				228	2	3			
On account of defalcations of the late Receiver of Gold Revenue at Grahaustown									
Expenses, West Coast Royal Commission				384	17	10			
Repairs, Government House, Wellington				10	19	0			
Repairs, Government House, Auckland				38	2	9			
Shipping charges in connection with Canterbury broad-gauge railway plant sold to the Government of South Australia				18	12	6			
Conveyance of Volunteers by railway				11	6	0			
W. L. Buller, rent of Supreme Courthouse, January and February, 1880				2,040	0	1			
Travelling expenses of Surveyor, Westland, in 1876				218	5	6			
Special train for Sir G. Grey from Onehunga to Auckland				2	7	6			
				6	0	0			
							3,685	14	5
LOCAL BODIES ADVANCES ACCOUNT,—									
Advances recoverable,—									
County of Westland	2,000	0	0						
Less recovered	1,000	0	0						
				1,000	0	0			
Borough of Ashburton				5	3	10			
							1,005	3	10
IMPREST ADVANCES									
							2,132	15	4
Total services unprovided for							6,823	13	7
FOR SERVICES IN EXCESS OF VOTES:—									
	Final Charges.			Imprests.			Totals.		
Class I. Colonial Secretary,—									
Vote 2. Premier's office	£0	10	0				0	10	0
6. Electoral	1,874	5	10				1,874	5	10
11. Agent-General	607	19	3				607	19	3
13. Printing, stationery	1,813	9	7	8,129	18	10	9,943	8	5
Class II. Colonial Treasurer,—									
Vote 18. Miscellaneous services	1,767	2	11	69	19	5	1,837	2	4
Class III. Minister of Justice,—									
Vote 24. Resident Magistrates' Courts	330	13	11	112	0	0	442	13	11
26. Criminal prosecutions, &c.	1,547	13	11	343	7	3	1,891	1	2
Class IV. Postmaster-General,—									
Vote 36. Contingencies				32	0	2	32	0	2
Class VI. Commissioner of Stamps,—									
Vote 42. Stamp Department				583	10	9	583	10	9
Class VIII. Minister of Native Affairs,—									
Vote 48. Salaries and contingencies				433	2	7	433	2	7
49. Native Land Court	161	14	10	186	18	6	348	13	4
Class IX. Minister of Lands and Mines,—									
Vote 52. Crown Lands	387	16	1				387	16	1
Class X. Minister for Public Works,—									
Vote 60. Government domains	83	18	3				83	18	3
	£8,575	4	7	9,890	17	6			
Total for services in excess of votes							18,466	2	1
TOTAL							£25,289	15	8