

*Appropriations for Consolidated Fund Services.*CLASS II.—COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Item.	1897-98.	
	£	£
PRINTING AND STATIONERY.		
	Total number of officers ...	1897-98. 217
VOTE No. 13.		
1	SALARIES—	
	Government Printer, Manager of Stationery Office, and Controller of Stamp Printing	420
	Superintending Overseer	313
	Chief Clerk and Accountant	260
	4 Clerks: 1 at £190, 1 at £188, 2 at £160	698
	Cadet	95
	2 Warehousemen: 1 at £165, 1 at £140	305
	4 Overseers: 2 at £253, 1 at £230, 1 at £225	961
	3 Sub-overseers: 1 at £210, 1 at £205, 1 at £200	615
	4 Readers: 1 at £220, 1 at £205 (also <i>Hansard</i> Super- visor, £100), 1 at £195, 1 at £180	800
	Type Storeman	185
	18 Compositors: 6 at £180, 6 at £172, 6 at £164	3,096
	12 Book-finisher, Bookbinders, and Paper-rulers: 1 at £195, 1 at £180, 1 at £177, 3 at £172, 6 at £164	2,052
	7 Machinemen, Pressman, &c.: 1 at £175, 1 at £165, 2 at £164, 1 at £160, 1 at £145, 1 at £130	1,103
	3 Stamp Printers: 1 at £260, 1 at £195, 1 at £125	580
	2 Engineer and Stoker: 1 at £185, 1 at £135	320
	Stereotyper and Electrotyper	320
	Forewoman, Girls' Room	105
		12,228
2	Folders, Sewers, and Machine-workers (females)	1,100
3	Apprentices, Machine Boys, Reader Boys, Errand Boys, Perforators, and Gummers	1,750
4	Piecework and Occasional Hands (including Contract Work for Railways, Insurance, and Public Trust De- partments)	7,000
		22,078
OTHER CHARGES—		
5	Stationery, Paper, Parchment, &c.	11,000
6	Stores, Bookbinding Material, Printing Ink	1,350
7	Freight, Packing, Insurance, Wharf Labour, &c.	1,200
8	Machinery, Type, and Printing Material	1,250
9	Binding Statutes for Public Libraries	100
10	Overtime	400
11	Fuel, Gas, and Lighting	250
12	Water-rates	175
13	New printing-machine for more rapidly printing <i>Hansard</i>	450
14	Printing General Assembly Library Catalogue	1,050
15	Contingencies	200
		17,425
		39,503
	Less estimated credits under section 41 of The Public Revenues Act, 1891 "	12,650
	TOTAL—VOTE No. 13	26,853