Table No. 7.

TABLE showing the extent to which the Government have given effect to the PROPOSALS set out in the Preceding Table to reduce the EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED FUND by £300,000.

—	1. Estimates for 1887–88 on which the Reductions were based.	2. Estimates showing Reductions proposed last Year to be effected in 1888–89.	3. Estimates for 1888–89 now submitted to the House (less non-recurrent Charges).	Columns 2 and 3 compared. Reductions less than proposed.	Columns 2 and 3 compared. Reductions more than proposed.
ORDINARY REVENUE ACCOUNT.					
PERMANENT CHARGES,—	£	£	£	£	£
Civil List	29,750	26,300	26,300	..	..
Interest and Sinking Fund	1,770,800	1,790,800	1,838,539	..	..
Under Special Acts	177,900	167,900	171,917	4,017	..
Subsidies	32,000	32,000	..	..	..
ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS,—					
Legislative Department	17,000	15,500	14,955	..	545
Colonial Secretary's Department	114,000	114,000	104,519	..	9,481
Colonial Treasurer's "	26,300	26,300	22,527	..	3,773
Justice "	110,900	106,900	105,645	..	1,255
Postal and Telegraph "	274,400	274,400	269,251	..	5,149
Customs and Marine "	71,200	65,200	62,548	..	2,652
Stamps and Deeds "	26,450	26,450	24,911	..	1,539
Education "	379,600	319,600	348,974	..	626*
Native Affairs "	16,900	14,900	13,347	..	1,553
Minister of Lands "	47,800	45,800	43,083	..	2,717
Working Railways "	730,000	710,000	690,000	..	20,000
Public Buildings and Domains Department	28,100	15,100†	22,950	..	150
Defence Department	200,100‡	154,100	158,666	4,566	..
		3,905,250			
Reductions not allocated	..	74,050			
	4,053,200	3,831,200	3,918,132	8,583	49,440
LAND FUND ACCOUNT.					
PERMANENT CHARGES,—					
Payments to Local Bodies	13,000	13,000	18,800	..	..
ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS,—					
Crown Lands and Surveys Departments	113,300	89,300	85,010	..	4,290
Rates on Crown Lands	34,000	..	..	..	..
	4,213,500	3,933,500	4,021,942	..	..
Deduct Interest and Sinking Fund, Subsidies, and Permanent Charges on the Land Fund	1,815,800	1,835,800	1,857,339	..	..
TOTALS	2,397,700	2,097,700	2,164,603	8,583	53,730

Amount of proposed reductions		£300,000
Amount of column No. 1	£2,397,700	
" No. 3	2,164,603	
		233,097
		66,903
Deduct—		
Education reduction disallowed	30,000	
Error in estimate, Public Buildings	8,000	
		38,000
Net reductions less than proposed		£28,903

Reductions not allocated, column No. 2	£74,050	
Reductions more than proposed	£53,730	
Reductions less than proposed	8,583	
	45,147	
		£28,903

* This amount would have been £30,000 more had not the House disallowed the proposal to raise the school-age. † This amount should have been £8,000 more, owing to error in preparation of Estimates. ‡ £185,100 out of Revenue, and £15,000 out of Loan.

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