An Act for applying certain Sums arising from the Revenue receivable in the Colony of Western Australia to the Service thereof for the Financial Year commencing the first of April, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty.

WHEREAS power and authority have been vested in the Governor of Western Australia, acting with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council of the said Colony, to make, ordain, and establish all such Laws and Ordinances as may be necessary for the maintenance of the peace, order, and good government of the same; and whereas it is expedient to apply certain sums arising from the revenue of the said Colony to the service thereof for the financial year commencing the 1st of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty; Be it therefore enacted by the Governor of Western Australia, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, that out of the produce of the revenue of the said Colony there shall and may be issued and applied any sum or sums of money not exceeding Five Thousand One Hundred and Twenty-

one Pounds, Twelve Shillings, and sixpence, for defraying the expenses of those establishments chargeable on the Colonial Fund for the year commencing the 1st of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty, as hereinafter more particularly expressed—that is to say, any sum or sums not exceeding forty-five pounds, twelve shillings, and sixpence, to defray the salary of the office of Colonial Treasurer; and any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred pounds to defray the salary of the Registrar of Deeds; and any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred pounds, to defray the salary of the Superintendent of Public Works; and any sum or sums not exceeding seventy-five pounds, to defray the salary of the Registrar of Deeds; and any sum or sums not exceeding eighty pounds, to defray the salary of the Surveyor General's department; and any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred pounds, to defray the salary of the Collector of Revenue; and any sum or sums not exceeding fifty pounds, to defray the salary of the Superintendent of Public Works; and any sum or sums not exceeding seventy-five pounds, to defray the salary of the Collector of Revenue; and any sum or sums not exceeding eighty pounds, to defray the salary of the Surveyor General's department; and any sum or sums not exceeding two hundred pounds, to defray the salary of the Colle...

to defray the salary of the Native Interpreter; and any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred and fifty pounds, to defray the salary of the Confidential Clerk; and any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred pounds, to defray the salary of the Registrar Clerk of the Civil Court; and any sum or sums not exceeding ten pounds to defray the salary of a person to regulate and clean the Public Clock; and any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred pounds to the Resident, Swan, for contingent expenses; and any sum or sums not exceeding sixty pounds, for issues to the natives; any sum or sums not exceeding three hundred and fifty-five pounds, for Surveys and Explorations; any sum or sums not exceeding seven hundred pounds, for Roads and Bridges; any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred and fifty pounds, for Schools; any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred pounds, for the Collection of Revenue; any sum or sums not exceeding five hundred and twenty-six pounds for the Administration of Justice; any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred pounds, for Advances to Destitute Persons; and any sum or sums not exceeding seventy-five pounds for the Conveyance of Mails; and any sum or sums not exceeding seventy-five pounds for the Harbour Master's Establishment; any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred and fifty pounds towards the erection of a Church at Perth; any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred and fifty pounds, for the repairs of Public Buildings; and any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred and fifty pounds for the supply of Labour; and any sum or sums not exceeding three hundred pounds, to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous Contingencies which may arise in the course of the year.

II. AND be it further enacted, that the Treasurer of the said Colony shall issue and pay the said sums to such persons, for the several purposes hereinbefore mentioned, upon such days and in such proportions as the Governor for the time being, by any warrant or order signed by him, shall from time to time order and direct; and that the payment so made shall be charged upon, and payable out of, the Revenue of the said Colony.

III. AND be it further enacted, that the said Treasurer shall, in his accounts, from time to time be allowed credit for any sum or sums of money paid by him in pursuance of such warrant or order; and the receipts of the respective persons to whom the same shall be so paid, shall be a full and valid discharge to the said Treasurer in passing his accounts, for any allowed credit for the same accordingly.

JOHN HUTT, Governer and Commander-in-Chief.

Passed the Legislative Council the 1st day of May, 1839.

WALKINSHAW COWAN, Clerk of the Council.