

1889.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

ABORIGINES.

(REPORT OF BOARD FOR PROTECTION OF, FOR 1888.)

Presented to Parliament by Command.

The Aborigines Protection Board to The Principal Under Secretary.

Sir, Office of Aborigines Protectorate Board, Sydney, 12 April, 1889.

In accordance with the usual practice we have the honor to transmit, for the information of the Colonial Secretary, the following report respecting the work of the Board during the year 1888, together with a detail of the expenditure of the funds voted by Parliament.

Mr. Hugh Robison, who served as a member of the Board from the 5th June, 1883, resigned on the 15th October last.

The position of Secretary to the Board became vacant by the death of Major T. Gethin Coote on the 29th April last, and the duties have since been discharged by Mr. A. Berckelman, a clerk in the office of the Inspector-General of Police, who receives an allowance at the rate of £60 per annum for the work, which is chiefly, and as far as possible, performed after his other duties are over for the day.

Though the arrangement is an anomalous one, it is found in operation so extremely convenient that we recommend its continuance, at any rate for the present. The Board has to depend so largely upon the officers and members of the constabulary throughout the Colony for cheerfully and effectively carrying out its operations (which services we take the opportunity of gratefully acknowledging), that business is greatly facilitated by the knowledge possessed by the Acting Secretary of the country districts, and the facility of access he has to our Chairman at all times.

It will be seen by the subjoined census return (Appendix A) collected by the police, that there has been a total decrease in the aboriginal native population during the year of 417 (324 full-blood and 93 half-castes), although the births outnumber the reported deaths by 16. This decrease has been chiefly caused by large numbers of the aborigines on the borders leaving their districts for the adjacent colonies, owing to the dryness of the season and to the discontinuance to a large extent of the rabbit trapping and hunting; for instance, at Silverton, where the number in 1887 was given as 77, there are now only 13, a decrease of 64, whilst at Barrington, Mogil Mogil, and Yetman, on the Queensland Border, the numbers show a large falling off, and early in October last, just prior to the taking of the census, a company of about forty aborigines was taken by speculators from the Richmond and Clarence River districts to Melbourne for the purpose of holding corroborees, a proceeding which the Board would have been glad to have had in their power to prohibit.

As far as can be ascertained, there are at the present time 379 children (full-blood and half-castes) receiving school instruction, 323 in the Public Schools and 56 privately. A school for aboriginal children has been erected by the Board on the native reserve at Brungle, and a teacher provided by the Department of Public Instruction, and, as will be seen by the following extract from a report by the District Inspector of Schools, the result so far has been very gratifying. The Inspector states:—

It is very pleasing to be able to report that the children are regular and punctual, and seem very willing to attend school. I chatted with nearly all the parents, who seemed greatly delighted to have a school, and they make laudable efforts to send their children clean and tidy. The children themselves are extremely docile, and one would be astonished to see the progress they have made in drill in so short a time. One girl of fifteen years of age (a half-caste) can read and write fairly well. She reads the I.N.B. 2nd Book to the end. The rest are all beginners, having never been at school before. Most of the pupils have mastered the alphabet, and make a fair attempt at spelling words of three letters. They also write words of the same kind on slates. Very satisfactory work has been done in the short time (one month) they have been receiving instruction.

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Another similar school-house is about to be built at Maloga Lake, where some thirty children will be taught who have hitherto had some instruction in a hut lent for the purpose by Mr. Bate.

It would be extremely desirable to extend similar advantages to other districts, notably to the Clarence and Richmond River Districts where there are a large number of neglected aboriginal children; but up to the present time the Board have not been able, from various causes, to make the necessary arrangements.

Many aborigines are fairly well employed in the districts last referred to, in such work as maize-pulling, binding and stripping sugar-cane, clearing and burning off scrub, ringbarking, &c., whilst in the Macleay, Hastings, and Manning districts they are occupied farming on reserves dedicated by the Government for their use. Along the southern coast they are provided with fishing-boats, and some are employed in farming pursuits, at saw-mills, and on wharves loading and unloading cargo. Inland they can find work on the stations, for which they receive fair wages, the men shearing, shepherding, boundary-riding, horse-breaking, &c., &c.—the women as domestic servants. In the Shoalhaven district about twenty-five are engaged as farm labourers and stock-keepers by Mr. David Berry, and receive wages at the rate of from 10s. to 13s. per week, with rations and quarters.

In some parts of the Colony, for example, at Yass, the Barrington, and Brungle, the aborigines are now living in comfortable huts built of slabs with galvanized iron roofs, the material having been supplied by the Board. Some of these huts are neatly kept, and the people fairly industrious. The children at Yass are taught in the Convent School.

Appendix D contains a statement of boats in the possession of the aborigines, showing their present condition and the purposes for which they are used.

During the year 8,290 blankets were forwarded from the Government Stores Department to the various Benches of Magistrates for distribution. The blankets have hitherto been issued on the Queen's Birthday in each year; but it having been brought under the notice of the Board that in many places such issue is rather late in the season, a circular was forwarded to each Bench of Magistrates, requesting that the blankets be distributed not later than the 1st May in each year if practicable.

The increased provision voted by Parliament has by no means proved in excess of requirements during the past year, and the necessities of the aboriginal population will probably be on the increase notwithstanding the probable diminution in numbers, as many of the older people are becoming from disease and other causes too infirm to work for the support of themselves and their children. It therefore becomes necessary that they should be provided with food and clothing, and in some instances shelter also.

Appended will be found the Annual Report of the Aborigines Protection Association for the past year.

We have, &c.,

EDMUND FOSBERY, Chairman.	} Members of the Board.
RICHARD HILL, M.L.C.,	
PHILIP GIDLEY KING, M.L.C.,	
SYDNEY BURDEKIN, M.L.A.,	
A. M. HUTCHINSON.	

APPENDICES.

APPENDIX A.

CENSUS.

	Full Blood.					Half-castes.					Grand Total.
	Adults.			Children.	Total.	Adults.			Children.	Total.	
	Males.	Females.	Total.			Males.	Females.	Total.			
By return, 1887	2,093	1,530	3,623	1,419	5,042	662	573	1,235	1,625	2,860	7,902
Do. 1888	1,983	1,458	3,441	1,277	4,718	611	578	1,189	1,578	2,767	7,485
Decrease	110	72	182	142	324	51	.....	46	47	93	.....
Increase .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Decrease .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	417

Births reported.			Deaths reported.		
Full Blood.	Half-castes.	Total.	Full Blood.	Half-caste.	Total.
200	136	336	245	75	320

APPENDIX B.

EXPENDITURE, 1888.

Locality.	Average monthly.		Period.	Aid.	Amount expended in the Year.
	Adults.	Children.			
Angledool	11	7	12 months..	Rations	£ s. d. 138 19 7
Ballina	1	.....	12 " ..	" ..	7 4 11
Barrington River	10	5	12 " ..	" clothing, erection of huts, &c., &c.	154 15 5
Bega	5	2	12 " ..	" " boat, and medical comforts	74 2 10
Bermagui	1	.....	1 " ..	" ..	0 7 10
Bonalbo	2	.....	5 " ..	" ..	6 11 8
Bonshaw	1	5	4 " ..	" ..	9 4 5
Boorooma	9	8	3 " ..	" ..	21 11 9
Bourke	3	1	12 " ..	" ..	16 8 1
Bowraville	11	2	12 " ..	" and clothing	66 3 5
Breeza	3	11	12 " ..	" ..	42 6 9
Brewarrina	16	8	12 " ..	" ..	135 13 3
Broughton Creek	1	3	6 " ..	" ..	7 2 4
Brungle	35	23	12 " ..	" fencing wire, farming implements, seed potatoes, dray, harness, galvanized iron for huts, tools, and erection of school building.	278 19 3
Bullerawa	2	.....	12 " ..	" ..	20 1 2
Burrier	3	.....	12 " ..	" ..	16 0 1
Camira	3	.....	12 " ..	" and tar for boat	20 11 7
Casino	36	.....	1 " ..	Tents, rations, and medical comforts for sick blacks	27 17 11
Clarence and Richmond Rivers and New England Districts.	147	90	.....	Clothing	Govt. Stores.
Collarendabri	4	3	12 months..	Rations	43 4 2
Coolangatta and Greenwell Point.	9	13	12 " ..	" ..	68 11 8
Coogee Bay .....	.....	.....	.....	Boat, sails, &c.	30 0 0
Coonabarabran	1	.....	12 months..	Rations	13 7 9
Coonamble	3	.....	3 " ..	" ..	0 14 2
Cootamundra	1	.....	1 " ..	" ..	0 4 11
Copmanhurst	1	.....	12 " ..	" ..	6 7 9
Coppymurrumbilla	10	3	12 " ..	" ..	100 3 4
Cowl Cowl .....	.....	3	.....	Clothing	4 10 0
Cowra	7	24	12 months..	Rations and clothing..	68 10 11
Cox's River	6	10	12 " ..	" ..	64 1 6
Denison Town	2	5	5 " ..	" ..	17 16 2
Dubbo	12	8	12 " ..	" ..	57 4 6
Dungog	3	.....	.....	Clothing	1 18 9
Eden	1	3	4 months..	Rations and two boats	85 3 1
Fernmount	14	2	12 " ..	" ..	28 12 11
Forster	6	4	12 " ..	" and clothing	46 9 6
Gilgunnia	5	.....	12 " ..	" ..	40 14 2

APPENDIX B—continued.

Locality.	Average monthly.		Period.	Aid	Amount expended in the Year.
	Adults.	Children.			
Glenngie	2	.....	12 months	Rations.....	£ s. d. 11 9 10
Glenotchy.....	2	1	12 "	"	29 7 7
Goodooga.....	13	1	12 "	"	87 6 10
Goonal.....	9	1	12 "	"	67 5 8
Gresford.....	1	4	12 "	"	7 9 0
Gulargambone.....	7	5	12 "	"	47 0 11
Gunmedah.....	4	.....	12 "	" and clothing	20 17 3
Jembaicumbene.....	4	.....	10 "	"	14 1 2
Jervis Bay.....	5	5	12 "	" and punt to convey children to school.....	40 8 1
Kangaroo Valley.....	6	4	12 "	"	33 0 6
Kiama.....	1	11	10 "	"	27 9 6
Kogarah.....	2	.....	12 "	"	11 7 3
Kyogle.....	2	.....	8 "	"	9 2 11
Lake Macquarie.....	2	2	12 "	"	15 16 1
La Perouse.....	7	6	12 "	" and sails for boat	107 9 0
Lionsville.....	2	.....	12 "	"	16 9 4
Lismore.....	3	.....	12 "	"	34 16 2
Macleay River.....	79	24	12 "	" clothing, fencing-wire, and boat	421 1 2
Milroy.....	5	.....	3 "	"	13 9 5
Mogil Mogil.....	13	9	12 "	"	104 3 8
Moree.....	1	.....	.....	Erection of hut, and brass plate for king of the Big River Tribe	24 0 6
Moruya and Turlinjah.....	7	8	12 months	Rations	54 18 5
Mungindi.....	18	.....	12 "	"	165 6 6
Murwillumbah.....	2	2	8 "	"	12 7 5
Nambucca.....	11	6	12 "	" clothing, farming implements, seed-maize, paint for boat, &c.	62 8 8
Narrabri.....	4	6	5 "	"	5 2 0
Narrandera.....	6	7	12 "	"	26 16 6
Newstead.....	3	.....	12 "	"	18 13 8
Oban.....	5	.....	12 "	"	32 11 6
Palmer's Island.....	3	.....	1 "	"	1 3 9
Penrith.....	1	1	9 "	"	2 11 2
Pindari.....	3	3	.....	Clothing	2 19 6
Port Macquarie.....	16	8	12 months	Rations and clothing.....	65 2 0
Port Stephens.....	12	6	12 "	" and paint for boat	68 8 2
Rylstone.....	1	9	6 "	"	13 2 0
Shellharbour.....	5	19	6 "	"	18 9 9
Singleton.....	24	17	12 "	" tents, gunpowder, shot, &c., &c.	177 12 8
Taree.....	9	12	12 "	" paint and tar for boat	48 5 5
Do.....	.....	.....	.....	Oars for boat	Govt. Stores. 13 12 4
Tatalla.....	3	.....	5 months	Rations and clothing.....	54 11 10
Terembone.....	6	4	12 "	"	88 7 1
Terry Hie Hie.....	8	7	12 "	"	28 3 10
Tilpa.....	3	.....	12 "	"	12 7 2
Tomakin.....	2	.....	12 "	"	177 2 8
Tilpa Tilpa.....	17	22	12 "	" paint for boat, medicine, &c.....	22 11 4
Tooloom.....	3	.....	12 "	"	130 18 4
Ulladulla.....	10	20	12 "	" paint for boat	4 3 7
Walcha.....	2	3	8 "	"	34 6 2
Walgett.....	5	.....	12 "	" clothing, nursing, &c.	12 13 5
Wanaaring.....	4	.....	12 "	"	12 2 6
Warren.....	4	.....	12 "	"	14 0 0
Wee Waa.....	2	.....	12 "	"	19 16 0
Wellingrove.....	1	4	12 "	"	100 14 5
Wellington.....	11	2	12 "	"	44 0 10
Windsor.....	31	30	12 "	"	90 4 10
Wingham.....	19	11	12 "	"	9 10 3
Wollar.....	1	1	12 "	"	6 4 10
Wollomombi.....	2	.....	12 "	"	2 7 2
Wollongong.....	1	3	2 "	"	241 18 5
Yass and Pudman Creek.....	2	37	12 "	" clothing, seed-wheat, and galvanized iron, timber, &c., for huts.	430 19 2
Centennial Treat.....	.....	.....	.....	Dinners, tobacco, and clothing .....	.....
Total.....	822	564	.....	.....	5,192 4 7

APPENDIX C.
AMOUNTS paid for medical attendance on Aborigines, 1888.

Place.	Amount.	Place.	Amount.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Bourke.....	0 10 0	Nymagee	9 0 0
Braidwood	0 4 6	Pindari	14 5 0
Casino	190 10 0	Port Macquarie	3 10 0
Cootamundra	1 10 0	Silverton	1 10 0
Copeland	6 15 0	Singleton	15 17 6
Coppymurrumbilla	24 4 0	Taree	42 14 0
Goulburn	1 0 0	Terrara	3 10 0
Gundagai	1 15 0	Walcha	13 15 0
Gunmedah	57 2 0	Warren	1 1 0
Kempsey	50 0 0	Wellington	1 10 0
Kiama	5 5 0	Wingham	35 10 0
Lismore	129 1 3	Yass	34 7 6
Milton	20 15 0	Young.....	0 10 0
Moruya.....	7 15 0		
Murwillumbah	7 8 0	Total	£ 720 19 9
Narrandera	40 5 0		

APPENDIX D.
BOATS.

Locality.	Date, Boats supplied.	Present condition.	Purpose for which used.
Ballina	September, 1887...	Fair	For crossing the river and occasionally for fishing purposes.
Bega	March, 1888...	Good	Seldom used.
Bermagui	November, 1885...	Good	Fishing, &c.
Bombo, Kiama	July, 1886...	Bad	do
Bowraville	December, 1886...	Fair	do
Brushy Island, Nambucca	December, 1886...	Good	do
Darlington Point		Bad	Seldom used.
Eden	March, 1888...	Good	Fishing, &c.
Do	March, 1888...	Good	do
Fattorini Island	July, 1883...	Good	Fishing, conveying produce, &c.
Forster	January, 1888...	Good	Fishing, &c.
Hastings River (Island near Ennis).	May, 1887...	Good	Fishing, taking aborigines to and from the island, and conveying produce.
La Perouse.....		Good	Fishing, &c.
Do	— 1888...	Good	do
Do		Bad	do
Do		Bad	Not used.
Lawrence	May, 1887...	Fair	Used by aborigines going about the river.
Nelligen		Very old, bad	Fishing, &c.
Pelican Island	— 1883...	Good	Fishing, conveying aborigines to and from the island, &c.
Sackville Reach		Good	Fishing, conveying children across river to school, &c.
Tea Gardens (Port Stephens)	September, 1887...	Good	Fishing, &c.
Do		Very old, useless..	Not used.
Do		Very old, useless..	do
Taree	September, 1884...	Fair	Fishing, &c.
Turlinjah	— 1883...	Very fair	do
Ulladulla	— 1876...	Bad, beyond repair	Not used.
Do	— 1883...	Good	Fishing, &c.
Do	— 1887...	Good	do
Wagonga Heads	— 1876...	Bad, beyond repair	Not used.
Do	— 1881...	Bad, beyond repair	do
Wallaga Lake	— 1878...	Good	Fishing.
Do	— 1881...	Good	do

APPENDIX E.

REPORT of the Aborigines' Protection Association, for 1883, including Cumeroogunga (late Maloga), Warangesda and Brewarrina Missions.

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At the close of another year we present to our subscribers an account of the work of the Association during that term. We have again to recognise the gracious dealing of a covenant-keeping God, whose faithfulness has been manifested, and whose guidance we have recognised.

While we have been face to face with great and grave difficulties, and have at times felt much perplexity in dealing with the work entrusted to our care, we have to record our thankfulness to Almighty God for the renewed tokens of His favour, and the amount of effective work we have been enabled to perform.

Cumeroogunga

Cumeroogunga (late Maloga).

Since our last report the work at this station has made good progress, notwithstanding the difficulty of securing a suitable site upon which to erect the mission buildings. At the close of the previous year application was made to the Minister for Lands for the reservation of 100 acres of high land on the river bank in addition to the present reserve. The application was granted, but much delay in the gazettement of the reservation has caused us a considerable amount of inconvenience, as, being uncertain of the tenure of the land, we have not felt free to erect so many buildings as we otherwise would have done. There is now, however, prospect of the speedy settlement of this matter.

The cultivation of the land has proved most successful. About 53 acres have been brought under cultivation, and we have returns for 117 bags wheat and 20 tons of hay, valued at £200. This is really the first full year of harvesting, and bids fair as an augury for the future operations in this direction. While the buildings were on the conditional purchase land of Messrs. Matthews Brothers no work was done on the reserve, therefore no return for the labour of the aborigines came to the Council.

Spiritually, we cannot give that glowing account which has been rendered in previous reports, but we believe that the Spirit of God is working amongst the people, and some who have passed away have left clear testimony as to their faith in Christ as their Saviour. Many of those now on the mission profess faith in Christ, and some manifest by their lives that they are followers of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Much improvement is shown by the children in the Public School—specimens of their work exhibit much proficiency.

Warangesda.

The work at this station has not shown the vigour that we could have wished. The failure of the wheat crop has again to be noted. However, on the other hand, a small orchard has been laid out, and all the trees look well. An area of 5 acres on the river bank has been cleared and got ready for the plough. Sundry improvements have been made in the erection of drafting yards, &c. The kitchen and bakehouse were destroyed by fire: these are now in course of re-erection, as also an extra wing to the dormitory, which is to form the sub-matron's apartment, so that constant supervision of the children can be maintained.

As to the spiritual results, the Bishop of Riverina writes:—

“I held a service there on the 20th December, and was much cheered by the reverence shown outwardly by all, the hearty responding and singing of the aborigines—the hymns being really well sung—and the intelligent interest with which the address was listened to, of course very simple and with a good deal of illustration.

The school was much to be praised likewise, the order being good, and the teaching efficient, so far as I could judge.

I saw some improvements, notably the fence round the girls' playground. The general appearance of the place was satisfactory, everything neat and tidy.”

We have to acknowledge the liberal support received from the Diocese of Riverina. We are also grateful to His Lordship the Bishop of Riverina, and to the Rev. S. J. Lowdell, who visits the station and holds services regularly.

Brewarrina.

This station has manifested considerable improvement of late. Through the instrumentality of the Rev. J. B. Gribble, who was appointed Travelling Missionary, and the Overseer, a large number of aborigines, men, women, and children, were gathered into the station. Cultivation has been commenced, a fruit orchard being planted, the trees show signs of vitality. The children are gathered together by the Overseer and taught daily. Application has been made for the establishment of a Provisional School on the Reserve. We believe that in the future this station can be made very beneficial to the aborigines of the district. Religious services are conducted regularly, and some marked signs of the influence of the Gospel are to be seen.

New Stations.

An endeavour was made during the year to improve the condition of the aborigines resident near the city. Martin Simpson, an aboriginal, was employed to work amongst his brethren and influence them against the drink. However, his efforts were considerably nullified by the easy facilities for law-breaking and also the evil influence of the whites. Necessity exists for legislation with a view to cause the aborigines to camp out of the city. We still realise the necessity of providing adequate supervision at La Perouse, and hope to be able to arrange matters during the early part of the present year.

A deputation visited the Barrington, at the request of the Government Board, and advised the formation of a station there. After consideration it was resolved to proceed with the establishment of a mission, providing funds were supplied. Under the circumstances the Board decided to proceed with the erection of huts and to appoint a teacher and overseer under their own direction.

We should be glad to form a station on the Clarence, where a most suitable reserve has been gazetted, but lack of funds prevents further development.

Employment.

We would again revert to the necessity for training the youths and maidens to learn useful employments. The children are being carefully educated in the Public Schools, and many show great aptitude and are good scholars. However, there will be no outlet for them, thus educated, unless we can train them to industries and afterwards apprentice them. Immediate action is necessary to provide a Training Home for the girls for domestic service. We trust that during the present year we shall be enabled to commence this very important sphere of labour, which we feel confident would prove of vast importance for the well being of the girls now growing up on the stations.

Control of Children.

It is of primary importance that some action be taken to constitute the Government Board *ex officio* guardians of all the children, and giving them full power to remove to the mission stations such of the children, as they deem necessary, from the control of their parents or professed guardians, who continue to roam the country or live in those hot beds of immorality—camp-life near large towns.

Further Facilities.

To successfully cultivate a large area of the land on the several stations, the council should be in a position to erect an irrigation plant at each station. Much could be done in this way to bring under cultivation the land that is now idle, and also to provide work on the stations for the aborigines. Application has already been made to the Government, for a special grant for this purpose. The matter will receive further attention at once.

Visits of Inspection.

Deputations from the Council have visited Warangesda and Cumeroogunga, and reported upon the condition of these stations. The Rev. J. B. Gribble was also appointed travelling missionary, and instructed to visit the several stations and report. His reports have been received and fully considered by the Council.

Finances.

We regret to have again to remind our subscribers and friends that with increased work undertaken, the amount of subscriptions received by your Council have been altogether inadequate to enable the Council to claim sufficient Government subsidy to thoroughly perform all the work needed at the present stations, and undertake necessary and important work as already indicated. We would appeal for extended help. While missionary effort in foreign lands receives so much attention, the heathen at our own doors are perishing for lack of the knowledge of Christ.

Our Aim.

Our aim is not simply to feed and clothe the remnants of the tribes, but to preach the glad tidings of a Saviour crucified. We want to claim in our Saviour's name, the heathen for His inheritance. Those on our stations are directly under christian influence, but much might be done by the regular and systematic visitation of the various camps throughout the Colony. What we require is a missionary, who would take with him one or two of the aborigines already influenced by the Gospel of the Grace of God, and hold meetings amongst those in camp, and by personal contact endeavour to lead them to a knowledge of the truth. He could also be employed to advocate the claims of the Association to support when passing through the several townships.

The

DONATIONS AND SUBSCRIPTIONS—*continued.**General.*

£ s. d.			£ s. d.			£ s. d.					
Gray, R., Son & Co. ...	2	2	0	Marsden, Bishop ...	0	10	0	Sargood, Colonel ...	1	0	0
Greenway, Rev. R. ...	1	1	0	Marsden, Mrs. ...	0	10	0	Stephen, His Honor Mr.			
Harbottle, Alsopp & Co. ...	2	2	0	Marsden, Miss ...	0	10	0	Justice ...	2	0	0
Hordy, Bros. ...	2	2	0	McArthur, A. & Co. ...	2	2	0	Sunday School Contributions—			
Heyde, Todman & Co. ...	1	1	0	McLean Bros. and Rigg ...	1	1	0	St. Barnabas', Glebe	10	0	0
Hodgson, Mrs. ...	0	5	0	Meyer, Mr. ...	0	2	6	St. David's, S. Hill ...	2	0	0
Hoffnung & Co. ...	2	2	0	Mitchell, Revd. Stanley ...	5	0	0	St. Matthias,			
Holdsworth, Macpherson &				Moore, Dr. W. ...	0	10	0	Paddington ...	5	0	0
Co. ...	1	1	0	Newton, C. Bro. & Co. ...	1	1	0	"Sympathy" ...	2	0	0
Hussey, W. ...	0	5	0	Newton and Lamb ...	1	0	0	Thompson and Giles ...	2	2	0
Johnson, E. ...	0	10	0	Pain, Taylor and Marks ...	1	1	0	Thompson, J. Malbon ...	1	0	0
Jones, C. ...	1	1	0	Perry, W. & Co. ...	2	2	0	Thyme, Rev. A. B. ...	0	2	6
Jones, David & Co. ...	2	2	0	Plummer and Owen ...	1	1	0	Tupson, Revd. R. ...	1	0	0
Kyneston, Rev. W. ...	0	10	6	Porter, R. ...	3	3	0	Waters, W. ...	1	0	0
Lander, Mr. ...	0	10	0	Primrose, Ethel ...	0	5	0	Woods, E. ...	1	1	0
Lark, Sons & Co. ...	2	2	0	Prince, Ogg & Co. ...	1	1	0	Yab, Mrs. ...	0	5	0
Maples, the Misses ...	0	10	0								

Cumeroounga (late Maloja).

£ s. d.			£ s. d.			£ s. d.					
Allan, G. J. ...	1	1	0	Collections—				M. & R. ...	1	0	0
B., Mrs. Bowral ...	1	0	0	Town Hall, Creswick	2	16	7	Newton, C. J. ...	1	0	0
Balfour, Hon. James ...	2	2	0	Welsh Ch., Ballarat	3	17	0	Nilsby, Miss ...	0	5	0
Banfield, Mr. ...	0	17	6	Cooper, Jack ...	0	2	0	Number of Friends, Ballarat	0	14	0
Bellenger, G. ...	1	0	0	Currow, Mrs. E. ...	0	2	6	Nutt, Miss ...	2	0	0
Benny, Miss ...	1	0	0	Dimmand, Mr. ...	1	1	0	P., Mrs. Geelong ...	1	0	0
Collections—				Donation from Yass	1	0	0	Pupils at Clarendon Ladies'			
Baptist Church Geelong	2	15	3	Family at Bowral ...	0	10	0	College, Ballarat ...	1	0	0
Do Lillydale	2	5	3	Friend at Bowral ...	0	5	0	Sale of Rations ...	51	5	10
Congre. Ch., Ballarat	4	1	4	Friend at Clunes ...	0	2	6	Sale of wool, sheep-			
Ebenezer Pres. Church				Friend at Drysdale	0	2	6	skins, &c. ...	116	2	7
Ballarat ...	5	8	6	Friend at Talbot ...	0	2	6	Simmonds, S. P. ...	1	1	0
Elmore, Victoria ...	3	5	11	Gardiner, Rev. A. ...	2	0	0	Sunday School Collections—			
Foresters' Hall,				Ham, Mr. ...	1	1	0	Pres. S. S. Colac, Vic.	2	10	0
Queenscliffe ...	4	5	0	Harper, Mrs. R. ...	1	1	0	do Glebe ...	6	6	6
Free Library, Drysdale	3	6	4	Harrison, Miss ...	1	0	0	do Marybro'			
"Friends," Geelong	1	4	3	Harrop, Mrs. ...	0	10	0	Victoria ...	1	4	2
Park & Wesleyan Ser.,				Howard, H. F. ...	2	2	0	do Penrith ...	2	17	5
Chilwell ...	9	0	5	Kennedy, Rev. ...	1	0	0	P. M. S. S. Clunes ...	0	15	0
Presb. Hall, Talbot ...	2	2	11	Kitchen, Theo. ...	3	3	0	St. Peters C. E. S. S.,			
Public Meeting, Ballarat	8	7	2	Luke, Mrs. ...	1	0	0	Woolloomooloo ...	4	0	0
Sal. Army, Ballarat ...	1	14	7	Luues, Revd. D. V. ...	1	0	0	Tapp, Miss ...	1	0	0
Do Castlemain ...	4	7	7	McDowell, J. ...	1	0	0	"Wellwisher" ...	0	5	0
Do Eaglehawk ...	2	0	0	McNab, Mr. ...	0	5	0	Williams, Mr. ...	0	6	0
Do Geelong ...	8	9	10	Missionary Box, Urana ...	2	15	0	Womens' Prayer Union,			
Do Sandhurst ...	5	4	9	Morrison, G. ...	0	2	6	Ballarat ...	1	0	0
Town Hall, Clunes ...	2	12	9	Murphy, J. ...	0	10	0	do Geelong	3	3	3

Warangesda.

£ s. d.			£ s. d.			£ s. d.					
Bright, Jack, for main-				Murray, James, for main-				St. Paul's S. S., Burwood	8	0	5
tenance of wife ...	2	4	0	tenance of wife ...	1	10	0	Special donation from			
Friends at Bowral ...	1	11	3	Riverina Church Fund ...	52	11	0	Riverina Ch. Fund, per			
Mission Box, St. Matthias				Sale of rations ...	13	9	7	Bishop of Riverina ...	25	0	0
S. S. Paddington ...	0	11	0	Sale of wool, sheepskins, &c. ...	85	6	10				

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Macrae, J. ...											
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