

MILITARY EXPENDITURE.

Enumerate the Military Posts and Works; specifying whether the same are under the control of the Ordnance Department, and whether any expense is incurred on account thereof by the Colony;

A General Return of the Militia, and of any other Local Corps, with the Charge attending the same;

The pecuniary Allowances (if any) granted to the Queen's Troops; and the value of Rations, Quarters, or other Advantages received by them, and forming a Charge on the Colony.

Ascertain and state the Amount of Bills drawn by the Commissariat for the Pay and Allowances of the Troops; the Amount of Bills drawn by the Ordnance Department for Pay and Allowances of the Detachments of Royal Artillery and Engineers; and the Amount of Expenses incurred by the Ordnance Department for the construction and repair of Military Works.

DETAILS OF THE EXPENDITURE INCURRED BY THE COLONY
ON ACCOUNT OF ITS MILITARY DEFENCE

In Pounds Sterling.

£. s. d.

£ 5000
Military Posts and Works in the Island of
Malta and its Dependencies, under the
Control of the Ordnance Department.

Fortresses } Valletta
Floriana
Isola
Vittoriosa
Città Vecchia
Rabat in the Island of Gozo

Sines — } Cottonera
Margurita
Naxaro

Entrenchment on the Coast

Forts — } San Salvatore
Ricasoli
S. Angelo
S. Elmo
Manoel
Tigné
Chambray in the Island of Gozo

Batteries
and Towers } On the Coast

The Colonial Government has only been at
the Expense of some trifling repairs to some
of the Towers on the Coast, used for Colonial
purposes.

Establishment Pay and Allowances of the Royal Malta Fencible Regiment

		Per diem			
1	Colonel (including six Warrant men) —	£	1	5	6.
1	Lieutenant Colonel		—	13	—
1	Major		—	10	8.
6	Captains	at 8 ¹ / ₂ — each	2	8.	—
6	Lieutenants	" 5 ¹ / ₂ 1 ³ / ₄ —	1	10	10 ¹ / ₂
6	Ensigns	" 4 ¹ / ₂ 1 ³ / ₄ —	1	4	10 ¹ / ₂
1	Paymaster		—	8.	—
1	Adjutant		—	8	4 ³ / ₄
1	Quarter Master		—	4	3 ¹ / ₂
1	Surgeon		—	8.	—
1	Assist. Surgeon		—	4	3 ¹ / ₂
1	Sergeant Major		—	2	3 ¹ / ₄
1	Quarter Master Sergeant		—	2	—
1	Pay Master Sergeant		—	1	3 ¹ / ₂
1	Armourer Sergeant		—	1	3 ¹ / ₂
1	School Master Sergeant		—	1	3 ¹ / ₂
1	Hospital Sergeant		—	1	3 ¹ / ₂
6	Color Sergeants	at 1 ¹ / ₂ 7 ³ / ₄ each	—	9	9.
24	Sergeants	" 1 ¹ / ₂ 3 ³ / ₄ "	1	11.	—
30	Corporals	" 1 ¹ / ₂ — "	1	10	—
1	Drum Major		—	1	3 ¹ / ₂
11	Drummers and Fifers	at 10 ³ / ₄ each	—	9	7 ¹ / ₂
534	Privates	18 ¹ / ₂ "	18	18	3.
<u>638.</u>		£	32	15	6.

Allowance to Colonel in lieu of Off Reckoning

for Clothing	£ 1. —	per diem
D ^o to Officer Commanding the Regim ^t .	— 3. —	per d ^o
D ^o to Field Officers and Captains		
instead of Contingent Allowance	" 20. —	per Annum
D ^o for Regimental Stationery & Postage	" 20. 25	per d ^o
D ^o for Paymaster's D ^o and D ^o	" 20. 12	per d ^o
D ^o for Regimental School	" 10. —	per d ^o
Bounty Money for 10 Years	for recruit	" 2. — each
	Re-enlisted	" 2. 4 each

The non Commissioned Officers and Men of the Royal Malta Fencible Regiment receive each

Every 18 Months } 1 Coat
 } 1 Pair of Trowsers —
 } 1 Pair of Half Boots —

Every 3 Years — 1 Cap complete

The Officers of the Royal Malta Fencible Regiment and their servants, (not being Soldiers) get rations the same as Regiments of the line

Value of Rations in 1840.

For Bread and Fresh Meat	4 ^l 36 ^s	100
For Biscuit and Salt Beef	6 ^l 75 ^s	200
For Biscuit and Salt Pork	5 ^l 83 ^s	200
Stoppage of each ration	1 ^l 2 ^s	200

The Mounted Officers, viz

The Lieut. Colonel, Major, Surgeon Adjutant & Quarter Master are allowed Forage the same as Officers of the same rank in the Regiments of the line

Value in 1840. of each ration of dry Forage 6^l 98^s 345
 195 350
 2^l 84^s 114
 195. 350

The Ration of the soldier consist of
 1 1/2 Lb of Bread or 1 1/8 of Biscuit,
 2 Lbs of Wood

Value in 1840

Bread	1 ^l 55 ^s	200
Biscuit	1 ^l 15 ^s	200
Stoppage for each ration	1 ^l 2 ^s	12

RETURN OF MILITIA.

There is no Militia

ACCOUNT of EXPENDITURE incurred by GREAT BRITAIN

COMMISSARIAT.

Pay of the Troops, Provisions, &c.

Specify each separate Head of Expenditure.	Amount in Pounds Sterling.		
	£.	s.	d.
<i>Amount paid to British Regiments,</i>			
<i>19th Foot</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>1991</i>	<i>4 5</i>
<i>44th "</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>7356</i>	<i>10 3½</i>
<i>59th "</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>2850</i>	<i>1 10½</i>
<i>77th "</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>6611</i>	<i>2 10½</i>
<i>88th "</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>245</i>	<i>8 6</i>
<i>92^d "</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>5959</i>	<i>7 5</i>
		<u>25016</u>	<u>15 4½</u>
<i>To the Royal Malta Fencible Regiment</i>		<i>10125</i>	<i>17 3</i>
<i>Pay of Officers drawn through Agents in England</i>		<i>13068</i>	<i>14 5</i>
<i>To Staff and Extra Staff, Military and Civil</i>		<i>5161</i>	<i>17 6</i>
<i>Allowance in lieu of Quarters</i>		<i>87</i>	<i>8 -</i>
<i>Value of Rations issued</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>20022</i>	<i>2 7</i>
<i>Deduct for ration Stoppages</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>151</i>	<i>12 11</i>
		<u>19870</u>	<u>9 8</u>
<i>Contingencies on the preceding</i>	<i>£</i>	<i>294</i>	<i>13 10</i>
<i>Transport, Land and Water</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>377</i>	<i>5 9</i>
<i>Rent of Buildings, Commissariat</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>16 8</i>
		<u>697</u>	<u>16 3</u>
		<u>74028</u>	<u>18 5½</u>

for the Military Protection, and in Aid of the Civil Establishment.

ORDNANCE. Military Works, Stores, Barracks, &c.			Total Expenditure incurred by Great Britain in Pounds Sterling.			
Specify each separate Head of Expenditure.	Amount in Pounds Sterling.			£.	s.	d.
<i>Amount issued from the Military Chest for the Service of the Ordnance viz—</i>	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
<i>Subsistence of Military Corps—</i>	4,873	18	2½			
<i>Expenses in Royal Engineer Department—</i>	803	6	3.			
<i>Royal Artillery—</i>	210	18	8			
<i>Store Keeper—</i>	1543	9	4			
<i>for Military Works—</i>	1,225	19	8.			
<i>for Barracks—</i>	2775	6	6.			
<i>for Commissariat—</i>	3	5	2			
<i>for Works not belonging to the Ordnance—</i>	8	11	4			
<i>for S^d ordered by the Governor—</i>	6	17	11.			
	11,451	13	¼			
<i>Deduct</i>						
<i>Ration Stoppages—</i>	£ 1145	10	3½			
<i>Payments into the Military Chest of Monies for Rent of Canteens, Barrack Damages, Works not belonging to the Ordnance, &c. &c.—</i>	1,122					
	2,267	10	3½			
	4,184	2	8½			
<i>Pay of Officers of the Royal Engineers and Royal Artillery drawn in England—</i>	3,181	3	3			
	£ 12,965	5	11½	86,994	4	5½

* * * The Ordnance Expenditure cannot be correctly stated in Malta, the respective Officers not being in possession of any documents showing the cost of Stores and Ammunition expended

The Amount of Bills drawn by the Deputy
Commissary General on the Lords Commissioners
of Her Majesty's Treasury for the service
of the Year 1840 was

Bills Drawn	Gain on Exchange	Produce of Bills.
£ 150,288. 1. 10.	£ 1,404. 1. 7.	£ 151,692. 3. 5.