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TAXES, DUTIES, FEES,
AND ALL OTHER
SOURCES OF REVENUE,
IN
1897.

Specified under the respective Laws or Authorities under which they are derived.

There are no Taxes in Malta.

Fees, Duties, &c., levied on account of Government.

CHIEF SECRETARY'S OFFICE.							Amount collected			
<i>Fees levied under Government Notice of 3 November 1837.</i>							£	s. d.	£	s. d.
A legalization	...	...	...	...	...	2	6	24	17	6
Certificate under office seal	...	...	...	...	...	2	6	6	12	6
Warrant to act as Advocate	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	—	—	—
" " Legal Procurator	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	4	0	0
" " Public Notary	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	3	0	0
" to practise as Physician	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	6	0	0
" " Surgeon	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	—	—	—
" " Apothecary	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	3	0	0
" " Phlebotomist or Midwife	...	...	...	...	...	2	6	0	15	0
Certificate of British Registry	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	1	10	0
Adjustment of Papers on change of Owner or Master	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	7	5	0
Receipts under Office Seal for Registry Certificates or other Documents returned or deposited in the Office	...	...	...	...	each receipt	3	0	—	—	—
Any other Certificate from the Records relating to Shipping under the Office Seal	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	0	10	0
A pass	...	...	...	...	...	15	0	—	—	—
Certificate of British Registry	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	1	5	0
Adjustment of Papers on change of Owner or Master	...	...	...	...	...	2	0	2	17	6
Receipts under Office Seal for Registry Certificates or other Documents returned or deposited in the Office	...	...	...	...	each receipt	1	6	—	—	—
Any other Certificate from the Records relating to Shipping under the Office Seal	...	...	...	...	...	2	6	0	10	0
A pass	...	...	...	...	...	7	6	—	—	—
Copies of Extracts of Documents, not under Office Seal	...	...	...	...	each page	1	6	1	2	6
An Act of Naturalization	...	...	...	...	...	20	0	—	—	—
Letters Patent of Denization, each; to be decided by Government	...	...	...	...	...	1	10	0	—	—
	...	...	...	...	...	12	10	0	—	—
<i>Levied under Minute of 13 March 1838.</i>										
Extracts from Records of the Government Archives—	...	...	...	...	...	6		5	4	5
For 100 words or under	...	...	...	...	...	2				
For every additional 25 words or any part thereof	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Levied under Government Letter No. 655 of 31 May 1869.</i>										
Copies, &c., of Government Notarial Acts	...	...	...	...	...	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Levied under Ordinance No. IV of 1891.</i>										
Certificate of Competency of Master for foreign-going ship (Art. 18)	...	...	...	...	...	2	0	—	—	—
" " of Mate of the first class	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	—	—	—
" " of Mate of the second class	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	0	10	0
" " of Engineer of the first class	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	—	—	—
" " of Engineer of the second class	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	—	—	—
" " of Master of the second class	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	—	—	—
" " of Master of the second class to a Mate of the first class (Art. 19)	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	—	—	—
Two Warrants of Mate of the first class and of Master of the second class granted simultaneously (Art. 19)	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	0	—	—
Licence for <i>Padrone</i> (Art. 31)	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	—	—	—
" for do. to a Mate of second class (Art. 31)	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	—	—	—
<i>Levied under the Merchant Shipping Act Sec. 64 of 1894.</i>										
Inspection of Shipping Registers or Copies of Entries and of Declarations in the same	...	...	...	...	each	1	0	0	2	0
<i>Fees levied under Ordinance No. XIII of 1889.</i>										
Exclusive Privileges by Patent	...	...	...	...	each	1	0	1	0	0
<i>Fees levied under Ordinance No. V of 1893, and No. 1 of 1894.</i>										
Exclusive Privilege by Patent.										
<i>Schedule of Fees.</i>										
On filing of Application for Patent	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	7	0	0
On publication of grant in Government Gazette	...	...	...	...	each	2	0	14	0	0
<i>Annual Fees.</i>										
Before the expiration of the 4th year from the date of the Patent	...	...	...	...	each	4	0	24	0	0
" " 5th	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	—	—	—
" " 6th	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	—	—	—
" " 7th	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	—	—	—
" " 8th	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	—	—	—
" " 9th	...	...	...	...	...	7	10	—	—	—
" " 10th	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	—	—	—
" " 11th	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	—	—	—
" " 12th	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	—	—	—
" " 13th	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	—	—	—
<i>Fees levied under Lieutenant Governor's Minute of 2nd April 1882.</i>										
Fees paid by Candidates for Writerships	...	...	...	...	each	15	0	54	0	0
" " Public Weighers	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	1	5	0
Total	...	...	...	...	...	£		170	6	5

Fees, Duties, &c., levied on account of Government.

POST OFFICE							Amount collected		
							£ s. d.		
<i>Fees levied under Ordinance No. XII of 1893.</i>									
Sale of Postage Stamps ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,658	9 14
Surcharged Postage ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	442	15 7
Private Boxes ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82	19 0
Commission on Money Orders issued	...	...	...	...	...	...	147	3 6
Do. do. paid (international)	...	...	...	...	...	...	88	11 7
Do. on Postal Orders	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	9 8
Share of Postage on Parcel Mails inwards	...	...	...	...	...	...	901	4 6½
International transit rates	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,751	12 3
Special Receipts	...	...	...	...	...	...	87	13 1
Total							£	16,218	18 4
GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE.							Amount collected		
							£ s. d.		
<i>Price of insertions levied under Lieutenant Governor's Letter of 2nd January 1885.</i>									
Insertion of Advertisements—									
59 of less than 9 lines ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6
304 of 9 lines and less than 18	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	0
23 of 18 " " 23	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	0
30 of 23 " " 34	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	0
14 of 34 " " 45	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	0
8 of 45 " and upwards...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2d. per line	19 18 0
438									
Sale of, and Subscriptions to, the Gazette	...	...	...	...	...	...	52	12 10
INCIDENTAL—viz: Sale of Publications	...	...	...	...	...	...	81	4 3
Other receipts	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	9 2
Total							£	254	4 9
PUBLIC REGISTRY							Amount collected		
							£ s. d.		
<i>Fees levied with respect to hypothecations under Ordinance No. XIII of 1895.</i>									
For each note of registration, or renewal of registration, or for each annotation of cession, reduction or cancellation—									
a. For the first twelve lines of registration	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6
b. For any further space	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6
For searches for registration against each individual, with or without inspection of the registrations, for each annual index in which the search is demanded	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	419 6 6
For a special Certificate of a registration, over and above the fee for searches	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	16 7 1
For each annotation to be inserted in the said certificate	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
For a general Certificate, over and above the fees for searches—									
a. If the Certificate does not contain more than eight registrations	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0
b. If it contains more than eight registrations, for each additional registration	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	8 0 0
For a certificate that there is no registration against any individual, over and above the fees for searches	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	0 4 0
<i>Fees levied with respect to 'Insinuations,' under Ordinance No. VII of 1859, Ordinance No. XI of 1895, and Ordinance No. XIII of 1895.</i>									
For each note of registration, same fees as fixed for Hypothecary registrations...	...	...	...	...	...	...	328	1 0
For searches for registrations against each individual, same fees as fixed for searches for Hypothecary registrations	...	...	...	...	...	...	93	15 0
For any copy or extract, for every page	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	10 18 5
<i>Levied with respect to Births, Marriages and Deaths, under Ordinance No. I of 1873, and No. VII of 1880.</i>									
For registration of births, marriages and notes	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	184 6 3
For inspection of a registration or a note whereof the date is indicated	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6
For the searching for a registration or a note, with or without inspection	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	4 12 3
If the year is specifically indicated	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
If the year is not indicated for each annual index in which the search is to be made	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
For a certificate containing an extract of a registration, with such notes as may be appended thereto, or for a certificate declaring that there is no registration of the act for which search has been made, over and above the fee for the search	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	33 12 6
Total							£	1,718	4 6

Fees, Duties, &c., levied on account of Government.

CUSTOMS AND PORT DEPARTMENT				Amount collected	
Articles	Import Duties	Dues for Store-rent ^a	Import	Store	
	£ s. d.	d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
<i>Levied under Ordinances of 30 October 1837, No. VI of 1840, No. III of 1857, No. VIII of 1869, No. III of 1870, No. VIII of 1871, No. XI of 1889, No. III of 1895, Nos. I and II of 1896, and No. VI of 1897.</i>					
Cattle—					
Bullocks, and other animals of the kind and sheep	per cantar of 175 lbs.	...	10,411 9 3	— — —	
Imported meat: Fresh, frozen or preserved meat (beef or mutton) with the exception of meat preserved by salt only...	"	...	260 14 7	— — —	
Horses and mules...	per head	...	661 0 0	— — —	
Grain:					
Wheat	per salm	...	56,056 10 1	649 0 0	
Indian Corn	"	...	65 11 2	0 8 9	
Barley	"	...	314 16 3	32 18 9	
Saggina	"	...	1,425 16 9	18 7 4	
Other Inferior Grain	"	...	8 9 4	— — —	
Manufactured Grain	per cantar	...	14,635 5 3	28 10 8	
Grain, if damaged so as to be unfit for the food of man (<i>Fruventazzo</i>)	per salm	...	9 3 9	— — —	
Manufactured Grain, if damaged so as to be unfit for the food of man	per cantar	...	31 12 0	— — —	
Oil of every description, with the exception of linseed oil, of other oils used as medicine, and of any oils, which, being unfit for food, are intended for industrial purposes	per casso	...	832 6 9	114 5 0	
Cotton seed oil, or any oil containing any mixture of cotton seed oil	"	...	760 3 0	16 17 0	
Potatoes	per cantar	...	2,483 12 7	— — —	
Pulse and seeds:					
Beans, Caravances, Chick-peas, Kidney-beans, Lentils, Lupins, Peas, and Vetches	per salm	...	4,385 14 4	58 18 4	
Carob-beans and cotton seeds	per cantar	...	2,701 7 10	39 15 7	
Vinegar	per Maltese barrel	...	61 15 3	0 8 0	
Spirits or strong waters of any strength not exceeding the strength of proof by Sike's hydrometer (namely London proof) ...	"	...	25,299 3 9	241 15 3	
And so on in proportion for any greater strength.	"	...			
Wines ...	per dozen	...	38,518 10 3	252 2 4	
Other wines	per dozen	...	13,784 9 11	63 10 7	
Beer	per Maltese barrel	...	— — —	114 3 9	
Petroleum	"	...	— — —	15 9 9	
Gun-powder—for each deposit	per 100 lbs.	...	— — —	— — —	
<i>Levied under Government Notice of 25 June 1858.</i>					
Packages kept in custody	...	...	— — —	5 10 3	
<i>Levied under Ordinance No. V of 1862.</i>					
Goods not subject to duty, received in deposit	...	...	— — —	— — —
<i>Levied under Government Notice of 20 November 1891.</i>					
Potatoes	...	...	— — —	31 17 5	
Onions, &c.	...	...	— — —	0 2 2	
Cumin seed	...	...	— — —	0 6 3	
Sundry articles, calculated on the capacity of warehouses	...	...	— — —	6 16 4	
Raw cotton	...	...	— — —	0 0 4	
Mats	...	...	— — —	0 0 2	
Coffee	...	...	— — —	3 4 10	
			172,707 12 1	1,694 8 10	

Duties of Imports and Dues for Store-rent...

£ 174,402 0 11

OBSERVATIONS.

- ^a Payable from day of Deposit. For exception vide Ordinance No. III of 1857.
^b By strike measure; except large Sicilian beans, the duties on which are levied by heaped measure.
^c For each period of six months.
^d For the first period of six months.
^e For each period of six months after the first six months } The change in regard to Store-rent, came into operation on 20th July 1857.
^f For exceptions vide Ordinance No. III of 1857.
^g For each period of six months, on the capacity of the vat.—See Ordinance No. VIII of 1871.
^h See Ordinance No. VIII of 1871.
ⁱ See Ordinance No. VIII of 1869 and Government Notice (13) of 31st January 1876.
^k See Ordinance No. XI of 1889.
^l For the first period of two months.
^m For every subsequent month beyond the first two months.
ⁿ See Ordinance No. I of 1896.
^o See Ordinance No. II of 1896.
^p Per cent *ad valorem* for every six months.
^q See Ordinance No. VI of 1897.

FEES, DUTIES, &c., levied on account of Government.

CUSTOMS AND PORT DEPARTMENT— <i>continued.</i>						Amount collected	
						£	s. d.
Duties on imports and Duties for Store-rent as detailed in preceding page	...	...	...	...	...	174,402	0 11
<i>Levied under Ordinance No. VIII of 1871.</i>							
Every ship or other sea-going craft discharging in these Islands any quantity of goods, shall pay tonnage dues, regulated at the rate per ton, of	...	3	765	1 6	765	1 6	
Steam ships are subject to pay port dues as follows:							
When the tonnage of the ship does not exceed 400 tons	...	20	77				
When it exceeds that limit, but does not exceed 800 tons	...	40	246				
When it exceeds 800 tons	...	60	6207		6530	0 0	
Total Tonnage and Port Dues	...	...	...	...	...	7,295	1 6
<i>Levied under Ordinance No. VIII of 1837.</i>							
For each certificate under the Office Seal	...	...	2	6	52	0 0	52 0 0
<i>Levied under Ordinance No. VI of 1840.</i>							
Proceeds of sale of goods seized in contraband...	...	...	...	...	...	11	11 7
<i>Levied under Ordinance No. X of 1889.</i>							
Forfeitures of Deposits on Spirits re-exported	...	...	...	...	...		---
<i>Fees levied under Minute of 18 May 1885.</i>							
SHIPPING IN QUARANTINE.							
1. Charges on entry and during continuance in port, for vessels not exceeding 25 tons, per diem						6	
exceeding 25 to 50 "						1 0	
" 50 " 100 "						1 6	
" 100 " 150 "						2 0	
" 150 " 200 "						2 6	
" 200 " 250 "						2 9	
" 250 and upwards "						3 0	
2. Vessels of whatever size, having entered into the performance of quarantine and sailing previously to its expiration, will pay for each remaining day not completed at a rate not exceeding	...	...	...	...	...	2 0	48 5 0
3. Vessels liable to quarantine, not having entered upon the performance thereof during continuance in port	...	...	...	...	...	2 0	
4. Vessels compelled by stress of weather to enter the Great Harbour, for every guard boat which the Superintendent of Quarantine may place over them †	...	...	...	...	...	3 0	
5. Vessels having contagious disease on board to pay an extra rate in proportion to the expense consequently incurred (i.e. in addition to that under No. 1) not exceeding	...	...	...	...	...	1 0 0	
† Any vessel in quarantine entering the Great Harbour, without a justifiable cause, incurs the penalty of 200 dollars imposed by the second article of the Proclamation dated 13th October, 1820, (No. 231.)							
DEPURATION OF EFFECTS.							
This charge to be regulated by the amount of the expense incurred—							
The average expense for each guardian is at the rate	...	...	...	...	...per diem	2 6	
" " " labourer	...	...	...	...	...	1 8	476 13 11
CATTLE LANDED IN THE LAZARETTO.							
Horse, Mule or Ass	...	...	...	...	...per head	3 0	
Bullock or other animal of the kind...	...	...	...	...	...	2 0	579 5 3
Sheep, Goat, Pig, or other small animal	...	...	...	...	...	1 0	
GUARDIANS.							
Charge for each guardian	...	...	...	...	...per diem	2 6	
No single individual in the Lazaretto to be charged more than	...	...	...	...	...	1 3	123 4 7
Carried forward	...	...	...	...	...	182,988	2 9

FEES, DUTIES, &c., levied on account of Government.

CUSTOMS AND PORT DEPARTMENT—continued.							Amount collected		
							£	s.	d.
Brought forward							182,988	2	9
<i>Fees levied under the Merchant Shipping Act of 1854 and local Ordinance No. VIII of 1856.</i>									
For the engagement of Crews, or for the discharge of Crews: in Ships not exceeding 60 Tons							4	0	—
From 60 to 100							7	0	—
" 100 " 200							15	0	—
" 200 " 300							1	0	0
" 300 " 400							1	5	0
" 400 " 500							1	10	0
" 500 " 600							1	15	0
" 600 " 700							2	0	0
" 700 " 800							2	5	0
" 800 " 900							2	10	0
" 900 " 1000							2	15	0
above 1000							3	0	0
For the engagement of seamen separately, or for the discharge of seamen separately ... for each							2	0	50 2
<i>Fees levied under Ordinance No. III of 1857.</i>									
Proceeds of sale of empty casks &c.							—	—	—
<i>Fees levied under Government Letter to Superintendent of Ports No. 6530 of 30th February 1871.</i>									
Wages of Revenue Guards							619	10	0
<i>Fees levied under Government Authority ^{Law} of 21st November 1876.</i>									
Fees for the Ventilating Fan							2	19	0
<i>Fees levied under Government authority ^{Law} of 10th May 1879.</i>									
Proceeds of sale of printed forms							1	6	1
<i>Fees levied under Government authority on ^{Law} of 19th September 1889.</i>									
Proceeds of sale of samples of wine							7	2	6
<i>Fees levied under Ordinance No. II of 1880.</i>									
Proceeds of sale of Badges							2	5	10
<i>Fees levied under sundry Government authorities.</i>									
Other receipts							298	10	0
Grand Total... ..							183,970	5	2
RECEIVER GENERAL AND DIRECTOR OF CONTRACTS' OFFICE							Amount collected		
<i>Levied under Minute of 13 March 1838,* Government Notice of 3 June 1873, Ordinance No. I of 1882 and Ordinance No. XIII of 1883.</i>							£	s.	d.
Licences: { In the four cities and Floriana per annum							2	0	0
1. For the retail of wines, beer, or spirituous liquors { Sliema, or any of the moles of the Great Harbour and of the Marsamuscetto Harbour or their creeks and in any part of the Marsa							10		
" { In any other place							6	0	0
" { To sell inferior wine which is not drunk in the shop where it is sold							5	0	
" { To keep one public billiard table							10	0	
" { For every additional public billiard table							5	0	
2. To carry a gun for sporting... ..							10	0	639 0 0
3. To exercise the office of Public Auctioneer							2	10	0
4. To exercise the office of Public Auctioneer							1	0	0
Total							4,329	16	8

* The Auction Duties charged under the aforesaid Minute were annulled by Ordinance No. IV of 1846. The Dues on transfers of Property chargeable as above were annulled by Ordinance No. III of 1845. The Fees for Licences on Calceas for hire chargeable as above were annulled by Ordinance No. II of 1853.

FEES, DUTIES, &c., levied on account of Government.

CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS							Amount collected					
							s.	d.	£ s. d.	L.	s.	d.
<i>Duties levied under Government Letters of 14th January 1864, and 13th July 1873.</i>												
<i>Government Minutes of 22nd April 1868, and 11th February 1882.</i>												
<i>Government Authorities of 20th October 1885, on ^{11th} and ^{12th} of 1891.</i>												
<i>Letter from Secretary of State of 20th July 1891, ^{11th} and ^{12th} of 1896.</i>												
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE.												
Fees on Certificates	...	...	...	...	...	each	10		1	11	8
Proceeds of Sale of Medicines	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		37	17	9½
Proceeds of Sale of produce of lands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		1,014	8	9
Other receipts and reimbursements	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		171	0	11
										1,224	19	1½
CENTRAL HOSPITAL.												
For each foreigner	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	1	6	49	1	3
						{ to ...	3	0				
" soldier	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	5		—	—	—
						{ to ...	1	6				
" family of soldiers borne on the strength of the Regiment	...	...	...	...	...	each	2	0	46	14	0
" wife of soldier not on the strength of the Regiment	...	...	...	...	...	...	4		—	11	8
" child do. do. do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	3		—	4	9
" native or British Subject	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	2		183	10	0
						{ to ...	3	0				
" foreigner in the Lock Hospital	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0	46	14	0
										326	15	8
SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL.												
For each foreigner	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	2	6	73	6	6
						{ to ...	5	0				
" British Merchant Seamen	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6	274	12	6
" native or British Subject	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	2	6	58	0	0
						{ to ...	5	0				
										405	19	0
HOSPITAL OF SANTO SPIRITO.												
For each foreigner	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	1	6	1	19	0
						{ to ...	3	0				
" soldier	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	5		—	—	—
						{ to ...	1	0				
" wife of soldier not on the strength of the Regiment	...	...	...	...	...	...	4		—	—	—
" child do. do. do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	3		—	—	—
" native or British Subject	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	2		18	3	0
						{ to ...	3	0				
										30	2	0
MANOEL HOSPITAL.												
For each foreigner	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	1	6	—	—	—
						{ to ...	3	0				
" British Merchant Seaman	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0	2	8	0
" native or British Subject	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	2		6	2	0
						{ to ...	3	0				
										8	10	0
LUNATIC ASYLUM.												
For each Foreigner...	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	2	6	—	—	—
						{ to ...	3	0				
" soldier	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	5		—	—	—
						{ to ...	1	0				
" family of soldiers borne on the strength of the Regiment	...	...	...	...	...	each	2		27	10	0
" wife of soldier not on the strength of the Regiment	...	...	...	...	...	...	4		—	—	—
" native or British Subject	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	2		1,217	8	5
						{ to ...	3	0				
										1,244	18	5
POOR HOUSE.												
Aged and infirm paupers, having no relatives able to assist them, but possessing means to pay for their maintenance and care, or to contribute towards the same, may be admitted as special cases at	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	1	2	158	4	5
						{ to ...	6	0				
										158	4	5
ORPHAN ASYLUM.												
Orphans having no relatives able to assist them, but possessing means to pay for their maintenance and care, or to contribute towards the same, may be admitted as special cases at	...	...	...	...	...	{ from ...	4		24	10	10
						{ to ...	1	6				
										24	10	10
Carried forward							3,413	19	5½

Fees, Duties, &c., levied on account of Government.

CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS—continued.							Amount collected	
							£	s. d.
Brought forward							3,413	19 5d
HOSPITAL AT GOZO.								
For each foreigner								
" soldier								
" wife of soldier not on the strength of the Regiment								
" child do. do. do.								
" native or British Subject							21	0 0
OSPIZIO AT GOZO.								
Aged and infirm paupers, having no relatives able to assist them, but possessing means to pay for their maintenance and care, or to contribute towards the same, may be admitted as <i>special cases</i> at							3	1 0
Children of soldiers in the Foundling Hospital each							3	0 0
Total							£	3,438 0 5d
EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT							Amount collected	
							£	s. d.
<i>Fees levied under the Statute of the University of Malta of 1837, Ordinance No. XII of 1889, and Government authorities on ¹⁸⁷⁰ resolutions of 1891, ¹⁸⁸³ resolutions of 1893, and ¹⁸⁸⁶ resolutions of 1896.</i>								
UNIVERSITY.								
Examination Fees	{	Matriculation	per candidate	10	0	64	0 0	
		Supplementary Matriculation ... ..	... per subject	6	0	67	10 0	
		Arts and Sciences ... ..	... "	6	0	35	8 0	
		Medicine ... ..	... per student	15	0	19	10 0	
Students in Theology		per month	1	8	15	0 0		
Students in all other branches		"	2	6	63	10 0		
Matriculated students attending all lectures in the Course of Arts and Sciences		for every scholastic year	1	10 0	67	10 0		
Students attending Courses in the Arts and Sciences Faculty, except the Course of Latin Literature		for every subject	1	0 0	1	0 0		
Degrees of Theology		for every degree	2	10 0	—	—		
Degrees of Bachelor of Arts		"	2	10 0	—	—		
All other Degrees		"	5	0 0	—	—		
Matriculation Certificates		for every Certificate	10	0	—	—		
Certificate of Studies } under the seal of Office			5	0	0	10 0		
} Simple			2	6	1	5 0		
Proceeds of sale of plants, &c., at Argotti Botanic Gardens			—	—	129	18 3		
LYCEUM.								
All Students (<i>per familiam</i>)		per month	1	0	197	16 0		
Fines not exceeding 5s. each			—	—	11	13 9		
Proceeds of sale of sundries			—	—	0	4 10		
Examination Fees—Course of Land Surveying		per student	7	6	2	12 6		
Certificate of studies... ..		for every Certificate	2	6	9	15 0		
YOUNG LADIES SECONDARY SCHOOL.								
For each Student		per month	3	0	175	0 0		
For every additional Student of the same family		"	2	6	43	10 0		
Students in Music (<i>extra</i>)		"	4	2	9	3 4		
TECHNICAL SCHOOL.								
Proceeds of sale of sundries			—	—	110	1 7		
Total							£	1,024 18 3
INTERIOR POLICE							Amount collected	
							£	s. d.
<i>Levied according to the Table of Fees of 24 December 1825 accounted for to Government since 1858.</i>								
FEES OF THE SUBALTERN OFFICERS.								
For every verbal citation to the Officer of Police or Messenger carrying the citation, viz.								
When in Valletta... ..							4	
When to either of the Three Cities over the water, or Floriana							7	
When to any place beyond the limits of the fortifications, to be at the discretion of the Magistrate							7	
							1	8
Carried forward							£	161 10 0

Fees, Duties, &c., levied on account of Government.

HER MAJESTY'S SUPERIOR COURTS— <i>continued.</i>							Amount collected		
TARIFF A— <i>continued.</i>							£	s.	d.
Brought forward									3,113 10 11
No.	18. For determination of points of fact of law in cases of privileged claims, servitudes, ejectments, cessions of property, <i>spogli</i> , assessments of estates, transfer or divisions of property where there is no dispute as to property itself, and in cases of deserted appeals, or ratification of contracts, and of the like, regard being had to the difficulty of the point in question						from	2 6	} 386 17 8
							to	1 0 0	
19.	In suits in which it is questioned whether or not the real property be subject to entail, the fee shall be taxed in proportion to the amount claimed which shall in no case exceed the value of the property itself.								
20.	In suits for the sale of an immovable property liable to hypothecations, and in the possession of a third party, a fee shall be taxed according to the provision contained in No. 18, saving always the fee for having the claim judicially recognized, if there be room for the same.								
21.	In cases of annuities, permanent maintenance, allowances, and the like, if the account be indeterminate, the fee shall be taxed on the amount of the value of the subjects in litigation for the space of ten years; in regard to provisional maintenance, the fee shall be regulated according to No. 18 of this Tariff.								
22.	In cases of filiation, and in other cases concerning the <i>status</i> of individuals, the cutting off of an entail, division, and the like, the fee shall be taxed according to No. 18 of this Tariff.								
	In suits for a division, when the question turns on some property, a fee shall be levied on the value of the property in question in the manner established in No. 12 of this Tariff.								
23.	In suits of waiving, when perpetual silence is imposed, a fee shall be taxed according to No. 18 of this Tariff.								
24.	In suits on the nullity or on the rescission of a contract or an adjudication, for any cause whatsoever, even on ground of <i>lesione</i> , as well as in suits for a declaration that a sale or other contract for the transfer of property is provided to have been made, the fee shall be taxed according to No. 12 of this Tariff.								
25.	In suits for the devolution of emphyteutical property, for the reduction of abatement of canons or rents, for annuities, for the consolidation of usufruct, the fee shall be taxed according to No. 12 of the Tariff on the profit contained in the demand.								
26.	For decrees in a demand made by way of <i>ricorso</i>						2 6		207 17 6
27.	For the affixing of the seal of the Court						2 0		0 12 0
28.	For certificates						1 0		4 10 0
28a.	The fees payable in the Commercial Court for the acts contemplated in article 48 of the Laws of Organization and Civil Procedure shall be fixed by the rule which, in accordance with article 28 of the said Laws, is to be made on the subject.								
29.	For the examination of witnesses						6		37 3 6
Total under Tariff A (except No. 28a)									3,750 11 7
ADD	Arrears of former years						98 9 5		
	<i>Diritti di tasse ed. per page</i> } Levied under former Authority or by a decree of the Court						53 0 6		151 9 11
	Other receipts, Fines, &c. }								
Total							£		3,902 1 6
DEDUCT	Fees collected in Malta, under No. 5 and paid in part to Copyists as salary								} 628 1 5
	Portion of arrears &c. paid to Copyists, &c.								
Total to the credit of Government									3,274 0 1
HER MAJESTY'S COMMERCIAL COURT							Amount collected		
<i>Levied under No. 28 of Tariff A of the Code of Laws of Organization and Civil Procedure promulgated by Ordinance No. IV of 1854, and under Regulations in the Government Notices of 24 March 1856, and 17 November 1857, Gazettes No. 1864, and 1856, and Government Notice No. 177 of 10 November 1890, Gazette No. 3421.</i>							£	s.	d.
	For a decree ordering the reception of sea protests						2 6		0 7 6
	For the examination of each witness						6		2 13 6
*	Fee to the judge surrogate						5 0		
	Do. do.						12 0		17 8 0
*	For copies of sea protest and depositions of witnesses—for each page containing not less than 100 words						4		8 9 4
*	Fee to the Interpreter employed in cases of sea protests made by individuals, who wish to make their depositions in English and to have the same reduced into writing and then translated into Italian,—for each page containing not less than 100 words, the Italian translation included						1 6		4 0 0
*	Fee to the Interpreters employed in cases of sea protests made by individuals of other nations								
Total							£		32 18 4
DEDUCT	Fees not accounted for to Government								29 17 4
Total to the credit of Government							£		3 1 0

* Not accounted for to Government.

Fees, Duties, &c., levied on account of Government.

SECOND HALL OF HER MAJESTY'S CIVIL COURT AND COURT OF GUANO
when exercising the functions of a Court of voluntary jurisdiction.

Amount collected

TARIFF E.—Fees payable for acts of voluntary jurisdiction levied under Code of Laws of Organization
and Civil Procedure promulgated by Ordinance No. IV of 1854.

No.		£	s.	d.	
					£ s. d.
1.	For decrees for authority to alienate or mortgage property—the taxation of the fee shall depend on the value of the property which it is intended to alienate, or on the amount for which it is intended to mortgage such property in the following manner, namely				
	Under £ 10	...	...	...	6
	£ 10 and under £ 50	...	...	...	1 6
	£ 50 and upwards	...	...	...	2 6
2.	For decrees of authority to assign a dower	...	...	...	each 6
3.	For decrees of authority to assign a <i>patrimonio sacro</i> or supplement thereto	...	...	...	1 0
4.	For decrees for taxing fees due to Advocates, Notaries, &c.	...	...	...	6
5.	For decrees for the registering of privileges	...	...	...	2 0
6.	For decrees ordering the contents of a <i>ricorso</i> to be notified to a party interested	...	...	...	6
7.	For decrees ordering the opening of a solemn will	...	...	...	2 0
8.	For decrees appointing <i>Periti</i> to make taxations, or <i>Periti</i> to examine accounts	...	...	...	1 0
9.	For decrees confirming Guardians or Curators	...	...	...	1 0
10.	For decrees admitting a party to accept an inheritance, or authorizing a party to make an inventory	...	...	...	2 0
11.	For decrees granting the bare possession of an inheritance which is subject to entail	...	...	...	2 0
12.	For decrees of acquittance in consequence of examination of accounts	...	...	...	4 0
13.	For decrees of delegation to effect voluntary sales by auction out of Court	...	...	...	2 0
14.	For decrees authorizing a change in the manner in which a marriage contract has been entered into	...	...	...	2 0
15.	For decrees granting authority to legitimate natural children, or to adopt children	...	...	...	8 0
16.	For decrees of inhibition to enter into contracts	...	...	...	4 0
17.	For decrees ordering the issue of edicts	...	...	...	1 0
18.	For administration of oaths	...	...	...	1 0
19.	For the issue and posting up of the edicts—				
	When the real property or the mortgage does not exceed £ 10	...	...	...	9 0
	When it does exceed £ 10	...	...	...	12 0
20.	For schedules declaring the directions contained in edicts to have been complied with	...	...	...	4 0
21.	For the compiling of notices to be published in periodical papers, and letters of publication	...	...	...	1 0
22.	For original banns issued on occasion of the opening of solemn wills, voluntary actions and inhibitions	...	...	...	1 0
23.	For the presentations of answers opposing the appointment of guardians, or curators, or other administrators, for the presentation of <i>note</i> , of protests, and for the exhibition of solemn wills or codicils, and of reports	...	...	...	1 0
24.	For the presentation of answers to notified <i>ricorsi</i> and certificates	...	...	...	1 0
25.	For obligations entered into among the acts of the Court	...	...	...	2 0
26.	For affixing the seal of the Court	...	...	...	1 0
27.	For taxations	...	...	...	each { from 5 6 to }
28.	The fee for copies, executions, hire of vehicles, and certificates, to be regulated according to the provisions made for the Courts of contentious jurisdiction	...	...	...	8 4
29.	For the execution of warrants of inhibition to enter into contracts	...	...	...	each { from 1 0 5 to }
30.	For <i>perizie</i> of taxation	...	...	...	each { from 4 0 to }
31.	For revision of accounts	...	...	...	each { from 8 0 to }
32.	For curatorships on the occasion of edicts	...	...	...	each 6 0
	For curatorships in cases of acquittances	...	...	...	8 0

It shall be in the power of the Court, for good cause, to grant to *Periti*, or Curators, a higher fee than the fee respectively established in Nos. 31 and 32.

When two or more *Periti*, or two or more Curators are employed, the fee established in this Tariff, with any addition which may be granted by the Court, shall be equally divided among them all.

	Total under Tariff E	£	253	0	5
	<i>Tasse and ipoteche</i>				4 10 7
					257 11 0
		£ s. d.			
DEDUCT					
	Fees for copies levied under No. 28				
	Fees levied under Nos. 30, 31 and 32	8 12 0			8 12 0
	Total credit to Government	£	248	19	0

Fees, Duties, &c., levied on account of Government.

INFERIOR COURTS Courts of Magistrates of Judicial Police in Malta and Gozo, and Country District Courts							Amount collected		
							£	s.	d.
TARIFF F.—Fees payable in the Registry of the Courts of Magistrates of Judicial Police for the Island of Malta, in the Registry of the Court of Magistrates of Judicial Police, for the Islands of Gozo and Comino in virtue of the inferior jurisdiction of the same, and in the Registries of the Country District Courts levied under the Code of Laws of Organization and Civil Procedure promulgated by Ordinance No. IV of 1854.									
No.							£	s.	d.
1.	For sentences, on claims not exceeding 10 shillings in amounts or value...	...	each	4	7	10	4		
"	" " exceeding 10 shillings and not exceeding £1 ...	...	"	1	0	27	0	0
"	" " " £1 ...	...	each £1	4	179	6	0	
2.	For warrants of seizure, ejectment, or sequestration ...	...	each	4	74	7	8	
3.	For deposit ...	...	"	6	4	15	10	
4.	For an act of appeal, and the introduction of the act ...	...	"	1	0	5	17	0
5.	For copies ... for each page containing not less than 100 words ...	...	"	134	1	6		
6.	For the notification of every citation, or other act to a party residing in the city or in the casal where the Court sits ...	...	"	4	93	19	10	
	when the party resides in any other place ... { from to	...	"	6 } 8 }	125	18	2		
7.	When one and the same act is to be notified to more persons than one there shall be added to the fee established in No. 6 of this Tariff, for each party to be notified ...	...	"	2	9	16	8	
8.	For execution of a warrant of seizure, to the fees established in Nos. 6 and 7 of this Tariff respectively there shall be added ... In addition to expenses, when necessary, for transport of the property seized.	...	"	4	39	9	6		
9.	The same fee established in the preceding Numbers, respectively, shall be paid in cases of appeal ...	...	"	—	—	—	—	
10.	For hire of vehicles, horse, and boat, according to Tariffs B, C, and D. ...	...	"	305	18	11		
Total under Tariff F. ...						£	1,008	1 5	
ADD									
Other acts and affidavits ...							120	10 3	
Fines of Court, &c. ...							0	17 6	
a. Not accounted for to Government. Total ...						£	1,129	9 2	
ARCHIVES OF THE COURTS							Amount collected		
TARIFF L.—Fees payable to the Archivists of the Courts both in Malta and Gozo, levied under the Code of Laws of Organization and Civil Procedure.							£	s.	d.
For the seeing of, and the searching for, any process, <i>Incartamento</i> , or other act ...						£	s.	d.	
For copies, a fee equal to that fixed for copies in Tariff A. ...						2	12	6	
If after the sight of, or the searching for, a document, a copy of the same is ordered to be made, an amount corresponding to that of the fee paid for the sight of, or the searching for, the said document, shall be deducted from the amount of the fee for the copy ...						24	3	9	
Taxe ...						8	6		
Total under Tariff L. ...						£	27	4 9	
No fee shall be received for the seeing of, or the searching for, any acts which have been deposited in the Archives within the four years previously to the demand.*									
DEDUCT									
Fees for copies repaid to Clerk of the Archivist in Malta ...						£	s.	d.	
Fees collected in Gozo not accounted for to Government ...						—	—	—	
Net Total ...						£	27	4 9	
Fide N. B. at foot of Tariff A.									
* See Ordinance No. VI of 1850.									

Fees, Duties, &c., levied on account of Government.

HER MAJESTY'S CRIMINAL COURT										Amount collected					
<i>Under Proclamation No. XXV of 1814—the rates according to the Table of 24 December 1825.</i>										£ s. d.					
For declaration containing decisions on a single point	4s. 2d. each declaration	—	—	—		
For every decree of Court	{ 3s. 9d. each decree	23	12	6		
For copies, viz: every copy of 100 words	{ 2s. 6d. " "	—	—	—		
For certificates	7d. each page	8	15	8		
For presentation of note	3s. each certificate	—	—	—		
Tasse	1s. each nota	—	5	3		
For notification of acts	4d. each	3	15	3		
For summonses	1s. "	—	8	0		
<i>Under Criminal Code.</i>															
Fines (Mulle)		19	15	0		
Total ...												56	11	8	
DEDUCT															
For copies repaid to the copyists		—	—	—		
Total to the credit of Government ...												56	11	8	
COURTS OF MAGISTRATES OF JUDICIAL POLICE OF THE ISLANDS OF MALTA AND GOZO AND COUNTRY DISTRICT COURTS										Amount collected					
<i>Levied in Criminal jurisdiction under Proclamation of 1819, taken rates in Sterling according to the Table published on 24 December 1825.</i>										£ s. d.					
Fees on Sentences		22	6	8		
Warrants		—	—	8		
Deposits		—	—	—		
Acts of Appeal		2	1	0		
For copies, for each page containing not less than 100 words		14	10	9		
Notifications		—	1	0		
Executions		—	1	0		
Taxation		3	17	4		
Fines and Forfeitures		1,264	0	11		
Other Acts		—	—	—		
Total ...												£	1,306	19	4
DEPARTMENT OF THE GOVERNMENT NOTARY										Amount collected					
<i>Fees levied by Government Notary under Government Letter No. 2969 of the 27th December 1893.</i>										£ s. d.					
Notarial Fees		189	9	1		
Copies and Extracts		19	17	1		
Total ...												£	209	6	2
RAILWAY DEPARTMENT										Amount collected					
<i>Fees levied under Government Notice No. 179 dated 1st December 1892.</i>										£ s. d.					
FIRST CLASS.										No. of tickets issued	Rate d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Between Valletta and Birchircara or any intermediate point	14,053	2	117	2	2	
Between Birchircara and Attard	293	2	2	8	10	
Between Attard and Notabile	1,048	2	8	14	8	
Between Valletta and Attard	9,789	4	163	3	0	
Between Birchircara and Notabile	347	4	5	15	8	
Between Valletta and Notabile	11,972	6	299	6	0	
												596	10	4	
THIRD CLASS.															
Between Valletta and Birchircara or any intermediate point	461,132	1	1,921	7	8	
Between Birchircara and Attard	5,212	1	21	14	4	
Between Attard and Notabile	36,071	1	150	5	11	
Between Valletta and Attard	69,248	2	577	1	4	
Between Birchircara and Notabile	21,854	2	182	2	4	
Between Valletta and Notabile	143,300	3	1,791	5	0	
												4,643	16	7	
WORKMEN'S TRAIN.															
Between Valletta and Birchircara or any intermediate point	59,070	1	246	2	6	
Between Birchircara and Notabile	27,804	1	115	17	0	
Between Valletta or Hamrun and Attard or Notabile	113,944	1½	712	3	0	
Carried forward ...												975,137			
												1,074	2	6	
												6,314	9	5	

Fees, Duties, &c., levied on account of Government.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT—continued.							Amount collected		
						No. of tickets issued	Rate d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Brought forward ...						975,137		...	6,314 9 3
DOUBLE FARES.									
FIRST CLASS.									
Between Valletta and Hamrun or any intermediate point ...						21	2	— 3 6	
Between Hamrun and Attard " " ...						6	2	— 1 0	
Between Attard and Notabile " " ...						2	2	— 4	
Between Valletta and Attard " " ...						59	4	— 19 8	
Between Hamrun and Notabile " " ...						—	4	— — —	
Between Valletta and Notabile " " ...						25	6	— 12 6	
									1 17 0
THIRD CLASS.									
Between Valletta and Hamrun or any intermediate point ...						882	1	3 13 6	
Between Hamrun and Attard " " ...						40	1	— 3 4	
Between Attard and Notabile " " ...						217	1	— 18 1	
Between Valletta and Attard " " ...						2,217	2	18 9 6	
Between Hamrun and Notabile " " ...						220	2	1 16 8	
Between Valletta and Notabile " " ...						717	3	8 19 3	
									34 0 4
FIRST CLASS.									
Between Valletta and Birchircara or any intermediate point ...						9	4	— 3 0	
Between Birchircara and Attard " " ...						—	—	— — —	
Between Attard and Notabile " " ...						—	—	— — —	
Between Valletta and Attard " " ...						4	8	— 2 8	
Between Birchircara and Notabile " " ...						—	8	— — —	
Between Valletta and Notabile " " ...						27	12	1 7 0	
									1 12 8
THIRD CLASS.									
Between Valletta and Birchircara or any intermediate point ...						278	2	2 6 4	
Between Birchircara and Attard " " ...						3	2	— 6	
Between Attard and Notabile " " ...						137	2	1 2 10	
Between Valletta and Attard " " ...						59	4	— 19 8	
Between Birchircara and Notabile " " ...						46	4	— 15 4	
Between Valletta and Notabile " " ...						347	6	8 13 6	
									13 18 2
EXTRA FARES.									
FIRST CLASS.									
Between Valletta and Birchircara or any intermediate point ...						21	6	— 10 6	
Between Birchircara and Notabile " " ...						—	6	— — —	
Between Valletta and Notabile " " ...						38	12	1 18 0	
									2 8 6
THIRD CLASS.									
Between Valletta and Birchircara or any intermediate point ...						2,130	3	26 12 6	
Between Birchircara and Notabile " " ...						—	3	— — —	
Between Valletta and Notabile " " ...						1,133	6	28 6 6	
									54 19 0
FIRST CLASS.									
Between Valletta and Attard or any intermediate point ...						43	4	— 14 4	
Between Attard and Notabile " " ...						44	4	— 14 8	
Between Valletta and Notabile " " ...						181	8	6 0 8	
									7 9 8
THIRD CLASS.									
Between Valletta and Attard or any intermediate point ...						1,045	2	8 14 2	
Between Attard and Notabile " " ...						1,213	2	10 2 2	
Between Valletta and Notabile " " ...						2,621	4	43 13 8	
									62 10 0
FIRST CLASS.									
Between Valletta and Notabile or any intermediate point ...						18	12	— 18 0	
									— 18 0
THIRD CLASS.									
Between Valletta and Notabile or any intermediate point ...						3,284	6	82 2 0	
									82 2 0
FIRST CLASS.									
Between Valletta and Notabile or any intermediate point ...						120	6	3 0 0	
									3 0 0
THIRD CLASS.									
Between Valletta and Notabile or any intermediate point ...						2,945	3	36 16 3	
									36 16 3
Total Tickets issued ...						995,289			6,616 1 0
OTHER RECEIPTS AND REIMBURSEMENTS.									
Postal Service ...								50 0 0	
Sale of coal dust &c. ...								7 19 7	
Other receipts ...								31 2 4	
Refunds of proceeds of works performed for other Departments ...								112 16 10	201 18 9
Total ...								£	6,817 19 9

Fees, Duties, &c., levied on account of Government.

WATER WORKS AND ELECTRIC LIGHTING PUBLIC WORKS SUB-DEPARTMENT.							Amount collected				
WATER WORKS BRANCH.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
<i>Fees levied under Government Notices dated 14th October 1886, and 1st April 1887.</i>											
Laying House-Services ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	2,533	17 4		
Supply of Water... ..	...	...	...	...	...	5,487	5 3½		
Rent of Meters ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	2,085	19 6½		
Miscellaneous ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	7	5 0	10,114	7 2
ELECTRIC LIGHTING BRANCH.											
War Department—Lamps at 24/6 ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	1,652	16 7		
Do. Lamps at 15/- ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	—	—
Private Consumers ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	123	1 6		
Public Buildings... ..	...	...	...	...	...	262	16 5		
Lighting the Streets ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	6,947	15 6		
Other receipts ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	29	8 7		
Laying House Installations ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	103	1 11		
Rent of Meters ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	3	13 8	9,122	14 2
Total						£	—	—	—	19,237	1 4
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT							Amount collected				
<i>Fees levied according to Government Notice No. 235 of 27th December 1895.</i>							s. d.	£ s. d.	£	s. d.	
INSPECTION OF ANIMALS. (WITHIN VISIT HOURS).											
Oxen, Sheep and Pigs ... ..	...	...	...	...	each	6	858 10 0		
Kids and Lambs ... ..	...	...	...	...	"	2	102 4 10		
(OUT OF VISIT HOURS).											
On each ... ..	...	...	...	...	"	1 6	67 10 0	1,028	4 10
SLAUGHTERING OF ANIMALS.											
Oxen ... ..	...	...	...	...	per head	1 8	1,017 1 8		
Sheep ... ..	...	...	...	...	"	6	166 12 6		
Pigs ... ..	...	...	...	...	"	3	153 17 0	1,337	11 2
WEIGHING OF ANIMALS.											
All heads above one cantar ... ..	...	...	...	...	per cantar	4	243 16 1		
Sheep, Calves and Pigs ... ..	...	...	...	...	each	3	99 2 10		
Hides ... ..	...	...	...	...	"	1	45 8 6	388	7 5
TRANSPORT FEES.											
Cattle and Calves—Fees chargeable within inspection hours to be equally distributed among the number of Cattle inspected... ..							3 4	161 9 9			
Swine—Within inspection hours per head							1½	78 1 6			
Transport expenses in connection with animals inspected out of the usual hours established for inspection are to be charged according to the Tariff.											
Should more than one animal belonging to different owners be inspected at one and the same time out of inspection hours, the fee shall be equally distributed in regard to the number of animals so inspected.											
If the number of heads of cattle ready for inspection in the Slaughter-houses, within inspection hours, does not exceed three, the fee shall be ... for each animal							1 6	— — —			
For every animal of any species which the Medical Officer may be called upon to inspect before or after the hours established by the Regulations, in regard to which the owner is not willing to wait till the appointed time, the fee shall be...							1 6	— — —	239	11 3	
<i>Fees levied according to Government Notice No. 236 of 27th December 1895.</i>											
Sausages or Prepared meat for every 2½ Rotoli	...	...	...	...		1	182 3 8	182	3 8
<i>Fees levied according to Government Notice No. 3 of 10th January 1896.</i>											
For every four quarters of imported frozen meat stamped at the same time ... ..	...	...	...	...		1	1 18 9	1 18	9
<i>Fees levied according to Government Notice No. 225 of 10th December 1895.</i>											
The maximum rate chargeable for emptying cesspits shall be per 100 gallons of sewage removed.							1 6	506 11 1	506	11 1	
Carried forward								3,684	8 2		

Fees, Duties, &c. levied on account of Government.

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT— <i>continued.</i>				Amount collected				
	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward...	...	...	...	...	...	3,684	8	2
<i>Fees levied according to Government Notice No. 161 of 8th August 1895.</i>								
I. The removal of corpses from graves in Addolorata Cemetery shall take place during the first seven days of the months of January, April, July and October, at the hours to be fixed by the Chief Government Medical Officer.								
II. The removal shall take place under the supervision of a person appointed for the purpose by the Chief Government Medical Officer.								
III. For the removal of a corpse a fee of one shilling is to be paid as a fee for supervision ...	1	0	4	19	0			
IV. The removal can be made either by private individuals or by persons appointed by the Superintendent of Public Works, and in the latter case the sum of four shillings is to be paid besides the fee for supervision ...	4	0	—	—	—			
V. Should the removal of corpses on any other day than those specified in the first clause be absolutely necessary, the fee for the supervision shall be ...	4	0	7	16	0			
VI. If more than one corpse is to be removed, only one fee for supervision is to be paid, provided all the removals take place in the same day ...	—	—	—	—	—			12 15 0
<i>Fees levied according to Government Authority on ^{20th} of 6th November 1896.</i>								
For certificates on the Sanitary condition of a Room, Shop, or Stable, each Certificate	5	0	—	—	—			
House, Lodging-house, or Cattle Pen ...	20	0	8	0	0			
Mezzanino, or House not containing more than five rooms ...	7	6	—	—	—			
Transport expenses according to Tariff, to be charged whenever the place inspected is out of Valletta ...	—	—	—	—	—			8 0 0
<i>Fees levied according to Government Authority on ^{20th} of 1896.</i>								
For Sundry receipts ...	...	...	...	...	...			41 3 10
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	3,746	7	0

Recapitulation of the amount of Fees, Duties, &c., received in 1897.

Chief Secretary's Office ...						£	s.	d.
Post Office...						170	6	5
Printing Office ...						16,218	18	4
Customs Department ...						254	4	9
Receiver General's Department ...						183,970	5	2
Charitable Institutions ...						4,329	10	8
Educational Department ...						3,438	0	5
Police Department ...						1,024	18	3
Judicial Departments ...						465	7	8
Public Registry ...								
Superior Courts—Tariff A. ...			£	1,718	4	6		
Commercial Court—Tariff A. ...			3,274	0	1			
Second Hall—Tariff E. ...			3	1	0			
Courts of Judicial Police, Civil Branch ...			248	19	0			
Archives of the Courts ...			1,129	9	2			
Her Majesty's Criminal Court ...			27	4	9			
Courts of Judicial Police, Criminal Branch ...			56	11	8			
Government Notary ...			1,306	19	4			
			209	6	2			
Railway Department ...						8,973	15	8
Public Health Department ...						6,817	19	9
Water Works and Electric Lighting ...						3,746	7	0
						19,237	1	4
Total ...						248,647	1	7