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# PARLIAMENT CONVENEED.

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT—FIRST SESSION.

(Gazette, No. 98.)

Proclamation by his Excellency the Right Honorable CHARLES ROBERT, BARON CARRINGTON, a member of her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the colony of New South Wales and its dependencies.

IN pursuance of the power and authority vested in me as such Governor aforesaid, by virtue of the act intituled "*An Act to confer a Constitution on New South Wales and to grant a Civil List to her Majesty,*" as assented to by her Majesty under the authority of the act of the Imperial Parliament, passed in the session of the eighteenth and nineteenth years of the reign of her said Majesty, intituled "*An Act to enable her Majesty to assent to a Bill as amended of the Legislature of New South Wales to confer a Constitution on New South Wales and to grant a Civil List to her Majesty,*"—I do hereby proclaim that a session of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly for the colony of New South Wales, for the despatch of business, shall commence and be holden on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at 12 o'clock at noon, in the buildings known as the Legislative Council Chambers, in Macquarie-street, in the city of Sydney; and the members of the said Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly respectively are hereby required to give their attendance at the said time and place accordingly.

Given under my hand and seal, at Government House, Sydney, this fifteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and in the fiftieth year of her Majesty's reign.

By his Excellency's Command,  
HENRY PARKES.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

# LEGISLATURE OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

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## THE GOVERNOR :

*His Excellency the Right Honorable CHARLES ROBERT, BARON CARRINGTON, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies.*

## THE PARKES MINISTRY :

Premier and Colonial Secretary	... ..	THE HON. SIR HENRY PARKES, K.C.M.G.
Colonial Treasurer	... ..	THE HON. JOHN FITZGERALD BURNS.
Attorney-General	... ..	{ THE HON. WILLIAM JOHN FOSTER, Q.C., resigned. Succeeded by THE HON. BERNHARD RINGROSE WISE. From 27 May, 1887.
Secretary for Lands	... ..	THE HON. THOMAS GARRETT.
Secretary for Public Works	... ..	THE HON. JOHN SUTHERLAND.
Minister of Public Instruction	... ..	THE HON. JAMES INGLIS.
Minister of Justice	... ..	THE HON. WILLIAM CLARKE.
Postmaster-General	... ..	THE HON. CHARLES JAMES ROBERTS, C.M.G.
Secretary for Mines	... ..	THE HON. FRANCIS ABIGAIL.
Vice-President of the Executive Council, and Representative of the Government in the Legislative Council (without portfolio)	... ..	{ THE HON. JULIAN EMANUEL SALOMONS, Q.C.

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## THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT—FIRST SESSION.

1. Abbott, The Honorable Robert Palmer.
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Busby, The Honorable William. Decease reported, 29 June, 1887.
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4. Campbell, The Honorable Alexander.
5. Campbell, The Honorable Charles.
6. Charles, The Honorable Samuel.
7. Chisholm, The Honorable James.
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14. Eales, The Honorable John.
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26. Lee, The Honorable George.
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35. Moore, The Honorable Charles.
36. Mort, The Honorable Henry.
37. Moses, The Honorable Henry.
38. Neale, The Honorable James Henry.
39. Norton, The Honorable James.
40. Ogilvie, The Honorable Edward David Stuart.
41. Piddington, The Honorable William Richman, *Chairman of Committees.*
42. Pigott, The Honorable William Hilson.  
Richardson, The Honorable John. Resigned, 29 June, 1887.
43. Roberts, The Honorable Richard Hutchinson.
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52. Terry, The Honorable Samuel Henry.
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54. Vickery, The Honorable Ebenezer.
55. Watson, The Honorable James.
56. Watt, The Honorable John Brown.
57. Webb, The Honorable Edmund.
58. White, The Honorable James.
59. Wisdom, The Honorable Robert, Q.C.

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76.	McElhone, John, Esq.	... ..	The Upper Hunter.
77.	McFarlane, John, Esq.	... ..	The Clarence.
78.	McMillan, William, Esq.	... ..	East Sydney.
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80.	Merriman, George, Esq.	... ..	West Sydney.
81.	Moore, Samuel Wilkinson, Esq.	... ..	Inverell.
82.	Neild, John Cash, Esq.	... ..	Paddington.
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85.	O'Sullivan, Edward William, Esq.	... ..	Queanbeyan.
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87.	Parkes, Varney, Esq.	... ..	Central Cumberland.
88.	Penzer, Joseph, Esq.	... ..	The Bogan.
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101.	Smith, Sydney, Esq.	... ..	East Macquarie.
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123.	Woodward, Francis, Esq.	... ..	Illawarra.
124.	Young, The Hon. James Henry, Esq., <i>Speaker</i>	... ..	The Hastings and Manning.

# PUBLIC STATUTES OF THE SESSION.

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT—FIRST SESSION.

## APPROPRIATION ACT (51 Vic. No. 14)—

An Act to appropriate and apply out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of New South Wales certain sums to make good the Supplies granted for the Service of the Year 1887 and for the Year 1886 and previous Years. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Burns, 11 July, 1887. Assented to, 13 July, 1887.]

## ASSIGNEES OF FIRE INSURANCE POLICIES ENABLING ACT (51 Vic. No. 13)—

An Act to enable Assignees of Fire Insurance Policies to sue thereon in their own names. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Wall, 23 March, 1887. Assented to, 13 July, 1887.]

## BEER DUTY ACT (50 Vic. No. 38)—

An Act for the imposition of an Excise Duty on Beer brewed in New South Wales and for other purposes in connection therewith. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Burns, 11 May, 1887. Assented to, 3 June, 1887.]

## BILLS OF EXCHANGE ACT (51 Vic. No. 2)—

An Act to codify the law relating to Bills of Exchange, Cheques, and Promissory Notes. [Initiated in the Council by Mr. Salomons, 31 May, 1887. Assented to, 8 July, 1887.]

## CENTENARY CELEBRATION ACT (51 Vic. No. 9)—

An Act to make provision for the fitting celebration of the Hundredth Anniversary of the Foundation of the Colony and for other purposes connected therewith. [Initiated in the Assembly by Sir Henry Parkes, 27 June, 1887. Assented to, 13 July, 1887.]

## CLERKS OF PETTY SESSIONS FEES ACT (50 Vic. No. 32)—

An Act to provide for the payment of all Fees received by Clerks of Petty Sessions into the Consolidated Revenue Fund. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. W. Clarke, 23 March, 1887. Assented to, 20 April, 1887.]

## COLONIAL SPIRITS DUTY ACT (51 Vic. No. 6)—

An Act to increase the Duty on Colonial Spirits. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Burns, 27 June, 1887. Assented to, 8 July, 1887.]

## CONDITIONAL PURCHASES AND LEASES VALIDATION ACT (50 Vic. No. 34)—

An Act to validate certain Conditional Purchases and Leases. [Initiated in the Assembly by Sir Henry Parkes, 17 March, 1887. Assented to, 18 May, 1887.]

## CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND ACT, No. 1 (50 Vic. No. 30)—

[Assented to, 31 March, 1887.]

## CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND ACT No. 2 (50 Vic. No. 33)—

[Assented to, 28 April, 1887.]

## CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND ACT No. 3 (50 Vic. No. 37)—

[Assented to, 1 June, 1887.]

## CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND ACT No. 4 (51 Vic. No. 1)—

[Assented to, 1 July, 1887.]

## CROWN LANDS ACT AMENDMENT ACT (51 Vic. No. 11)—

An Act to amend the Crown Lands Act of 1884 in certain respects. [Initiated in the Assembly by Sir Henry Parkes, 17 March, 1887. Assented to, 13 July, 1887.]

## CROWN LANDS (AUCTION SALES BALANCES) ACT (50 Vic. No. 39)—

An Act to authorise deferred payments of balances due on Auction Sales of certain classes of Crown Lands. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Garrett, 12 May, 1887. Assented to, 6 June, 1887.]

**CUSTOMS DUTIES ACT (51 Vic. No. 8)—**

An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain Duties of Customs and for other purposes. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Burns, 12 May, 1887. Assented to, 8 July, 1887.]

**DIVORCE EXTENSION ACT—**

An Act to amend and extend the Law of Divorce. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Neild, 16 March, 1887. Assent reserved.]

**HAY COURT-HOUSE (SITE ACQUISITION) ACT (51 Vic. No. 4)—**

An Act to authorise and carry out an exchange of certain Lands in the Town of Hay between the Government and the Trustees of the Hay Athenæum. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. W. Clarke, 13 April, 1887. Assented to, 8 July, 1887.]

**JURY FEES ACT (51 Vic. No. 10)—**

An Act to amend the Law relating to the return of Jury Fees. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. W. Clarke, 17 April, 1887. Assented to, 13 July, 1887.]

**LAND TITLES COMMISSIONERS FEES ACT (51 Vic. No. 5)—**

An Act to regulate and fix the Fees to be paid to the Commissioners of Titles under the Real Property Act. [Initiated in the Assembly by Sir Henry Parkes, 22 June, 1887. Assented to, 8 July, 1887.]

**PATENTS LAW AMENDMENT ACT, No. 2 (51 Vic. No. 3)—**

An Act to further amend the Law relating to Patents for Inventions and Improvements in Arts or Manufactures and to authorise the appointment of an Examiner of Patents. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. W. Clarke, 2 June, 1887. Assented to, 8 July, 1887.]

**SHERIFF'S FEES ACT (50 Vic. No. 31)—**

An Act to regulate the scale of Fees to be charged in the Sheriff's Office. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. W. Clarke, 23 March, 1887. Assented to, 20 April, 1887.]

**SUPREME COURT APPEALS ACT (51 Vic. No. 12)—**

An Act to empower the Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates to sit and act as a Judge of the Supreme Court on the hearing of certain New Trial Motions and Appeals. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Wise, 12 July, 1887. Assented to, 13 July, 1887.]

**SUPREME COURT (JUDGES ENABLING) ACT (50 Vic. No. 36)—**

An Act to enable any Judge of the Supreme Court to hear and determine matters in the Equity Ecclesiastical and Divorce Jurisdiction of the Court. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. W. Clarke, 17 May, 1887. Assented to, 31 May, 1887.]

**SUPREME COURT (SIXTH JUDGE) ACT (50 Vic. No. 35)—**

An Act to authorise the appointment of a sixth Judge of the Supreme Court. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. W. Clarke, 27th April, 1887. Assented to, 18 May, 1887.]

**TOBACCO INCREASE DUTY ACT (51 Vic. No. 7)—**

An Act to increase the duty on Tobacco manufactured in New South Wales. [Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Burns, 27 June, 1887. Assented to, 8 July, 1887.]

# PUBLIC BILLS OF THE SESSION.

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT—FIRST SESSION.

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**ABOLITION OF PATENT FEES BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Walker, 5 April, 1887 ; withdrawn, 29th April, 1887.]

**BETTING HOUSES SUPPRESSION ACTS AMENDMENT BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. J. P. Abbott, 28 April, 1887 ; not presented.]

**BILLS OF SALE ACT AMENDMENT BILL—**

[Initiated in the Council by Mr. Salomons, 15 June, 1887 ; not presented.]

**BROKERS BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. O'Connor, 29 April, 1887 ; stopped by prorogation.]

**BUILDING, LABOUR, AND MATERIAL LIEN BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Carruthers, 3 June, 1887 ; not presented.]

**COMMON LODGING-HOUSES BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Cameron, 1 April, 1887 ; withdrawn, 12 July, 1887.]

**COUNTRY TOWNS WATER AND SEWERAGE ACT EXTENSION BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Sir Henry Parkes, 5 July, 1887 ; not returned by Council.]

**CROWN LANDS PURCHASES VALIDATION BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Garrett, 30 June, 1887 ; stopped by prorogation.]

**CREMATION BILL—**

[Initiated in the Council by Mr. Creed, 10 March, 1887 ; not returned by Assembly.]

**ELECTORAL ACT AMENDMENT BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Haynes, 14 June, 1887 ; not presented.]

**ESSEX-STREET ALIGNMENT BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Abigail, 3 May, 1887 ; not returned by Council.]

**FOREIGN CRIMINALS—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Sir Henry Parkes, 17 March, 1887 ; stopped by prorogation.]

**FREE EDUCATION BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Melville, 16 March, 1887 ; not presented.]

**FUEL DELIVERY BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Allen, 3 June, 1887 ; lapsed by count-out, 1 July, 1887.]

**GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS AND TRAMWAYS BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Sir Henry Parkes, 30 March, 1887 ; stopped by prorogation.]

**JUDGMENT CREDITORS REMEDIES EXTENSION BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Trickett, 23 March, 1887 ; stopped by prorogation.]

**LIENS ON WOOL BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. J. P. Abbott, 10 June, 1887 ; withdrawn, 7 July, 1887.]

**MINING ACT AMENDMENT BILL—**

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Wall, 25 March, 1887 ; not presented.]

## MINING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Garland, 16 March, 1887; ruled improperly introduced, 25 March, 1887.]

## MUNICIPAL ROADS AND STREETS BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Frank Farnell, 28 June, 1887; stopped by prorogation.]

## NAVIGATION ACT AMENDMENT BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Hurley, 18 March, 1887; not presented.]

## ORDNANCE LANDS TRANSFER BILL—

[Formal bill initiated in the Assembly by Sir Henry Parkes, 9 March, 1887.]

## ORDNANCE LANDS TRANSFER BILL—

[Formal bill initiated in the Council by Mr. Salomons, 9 March, 1887.]

## PARLIAMENTARY REPRESENTATIVES ALLOWANCE BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Garrett, 2 June, 1887; not returned by Council.]

## PATENTS LAW AMENDMENT BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. W. Clarke, 17 May, 1887; withdrawn, 2 June, 1887.]

## PETERSHAM ROMAN CATHOLIC CEMETERY CLOSING BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Melville, 16 March, 1887; not presented.]

## PROVISION FOR LIVES OF WORKMEN BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Hurley, 18 March, 1887; not presented.]

## PUBLIC VEHICLES REGULATION ACT AMENDMENT BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Sir Henry Parkes, 17 March, 1887; not returned by Council.]

## RIGHT OF AUDIENCE BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Frank Smith, 10 June, 1887; withdrawn, 12 July, 1887.]

## SYDNEY CORPORATION ACT AMENDMENT BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. O'Connor, 16 March, 1887; not returned by Council.]

## TRADES CONCILIATION BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Carruthers, 3 June, 1887; stopped by prorogation.]

# PRIVATE ACTS OF THE SESSION.

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT—FIRST SESSION.

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CITY OF GOULBURN GAS AND COKE COMPANY'S AMENDMENT ACT—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Teece, 3 May, 1887. Assented to, 6 July, 1887.]

CRISP'S ENABLING ACT—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Day, 30 March, 1887. Assented to, 18 May, 1887.]

CROOKWELL ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH LAND SALE ACT—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Holborow, 27 April, 1887. Assented to, 1 July, 1887.]

ILLAWARRA STEAM NAVIGATION ACT AMENDMENT ACT—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. H. Clarke, 10 March, 1887. Assented to, 20 April, 1887.]

MITTAGONG COAL-MINING COMPANY'S RAILWAY ACT AMENDMENT ACT—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Carruthers, 10 May, 1887. Assented to, 6 July, 1887.]

SAYWELL'S TRAMWAY ACT AMENDMENT ACT—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Carruthers, 15 March, 1887. Assented, 28 April, 1887.]

ST. JAMES' PARSONAGE LAND LEASING ACT—

[Initiated in the Council by Mr. G. A. Lloyd, 11 May, 1887. Assented to, 13 July, 1887.]

SYDNEY BISHOPRIC AND CHURCH PROPERTY ACT—

[Initiated in the Council, by Mr. Knox, 30 March, 1887. Assented to, 22 June, 1887.]

WEST WALLSEND AND MONK-WEARMOUTH ACT AMENDMENT ACT—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Garrett, 31 May, 1887. Assented to, 13 July, 1887.]

WILLOUGHBY AND GORDON TRAMWAY ACT—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Lyne, 5 May, 1887. Assented to, 13 July, 1887.]

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# PRIVATE BILLS OF THE SESSION.

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT—FIRST SESSION.

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ALBURY CATTLE SALE-YARDS BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Day, 3 May, 1887; stopped by prorogation.]

BOROUGH OF BALMAIN WHARVES BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Garrard, 9 June, 1887; stopped by prorogation.]

CHRISTIAN CHAPEL LAND SALE BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Teece, 24 June, 1887; no report from select committee.]

HAY AND DENILQUIN TRAMWAY BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. R. B. Wilkinson, 6 April, 1887; stopped by prorogation.]

NORTH SHORE BOROUGHS WHARVES BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Ives, 16 June, 1887; no report from select committee.]

PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES INCORPORATION BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Wise, 12 May, 1887; not presented.]

PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY'S BILL—

[Initiated in the Council by Mr. S. A. Stephen, 31 March, 1887; not returned by the Assembly.]

WILLIAM-STREET TRAMWAY BILL—

[Initiated in the Assembly by Mr. Lyne, 31 March, 1887; stopped by prorogation.]

# ATTENDANCES OF MEMBERS—COUNCIL.

THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT—FIRST SESSION.

Names of Members.	Attendances in the House.	Attendance in Divisions in the House.	Attendance in Divisions in Committee of the Whole.	Attendance on Counts-out.
Abbott, The Honorable Robert Palmer ...	13	8	...	...
Barton, The Honorable Edmund ... ..	12	3	2	...
Busby, The Honorable William <sup>1</sup> ... ..	1	...	...	...
Byrnes, The Honorable William ... ..	11	4	...	...
Campbell, The Honorable Alexander ... ..	6	...	...	...
Campbell, The Honorable Charles ... ..	...	...	...	...
Charles, The Honorable Samuel ... ..	20	7	5	1
Chisholm, The Honorable James ... ..	8	4	...	...
Cox, The Honorable George Henry... ..	26	14	8	...
Creed, The Honorable John Mildred, M.R.C.S.	38	18	9	1
Dalley, The Right Honorable William Bede, P.C., Q.C.	6	1	...	...
Dangar, The Honorable Henry Carey ... ..	3	...	...	...
De Salis, The Honorable Leopold Fane ... ..	19	11	1	...
Dodds, The Honorable Alexander ... ..	38	19	9	1
Eales, The Honorable John ... ..	3	1	...	...
Flood, The Honorable Edward ... ..	25	8	1	...
Garran, The Honorable Andrew, LL.D. ... ..	23	12	3	...
Grahame, The Honorable William ... ..	2	...	...	...
Halliday, The Honorable William ... ..	18	10	5	...
Hay, The Honorable Sir John, K.C.M.G., <i>President</i>	38	...	6	1
Hill, The Honorable Richard ... ..	36	17	7	...
Jacob, The Honorable Archibald Hamilton ... ..	38	18	8	...
Joseph, The Honorable Samuel Aron ... ..	35	7	3	...
King, The Honorable Philip Gidley ... ..	31	16	9	...
Knox, The Honorable Edward ... ..	36	18	4	1
Lackey, The Honorable John ... ..	27	6	1	...
Lee, The Honorable George ... ..	9	4	8	...
Lloyd, The Honorable George Alfred ... ..	36	14	9	...
Long, The Honorable William Alexander ... ..	6	3	...	...
Lord, The Honorable Francis ... ..	13	...	...	...
Lucas, The Honorable John ... ..	18	7	5	...
Macintosh, The Honorable John ... ..	32	15	7	1
Mackellar, The Honorable Charles Kinnaid, M.B., C.M.	4	...	...	...
Macleay, The Honorable William ... ..	9	1	...	...
Moore, The Honorable Henry ... ..	19	4	...	...
Moore, The Honorable Charles ... ..	26	12	2	...
Mort, The Honorable Henry ... ..	26	12	5	...
Moses, The Honorable Henry ... ..	4	...	...	...
Neale, The Honorable James Henry ... ..	4	...	...	...

<sup>1</sup> Deceased reported 29 June

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Norton, The Honorable James	38	19	9	1
Ogilvie, The Honorable Edward David Stuart	...	...	...	...
Piddington, The Honorable William Richman, <i>Chairman of Committees.</i>	38	19	...	1
Pigott, The Honorable William Hilson	31	14	6	1
Roberts, The Honorable Richard Hutchinson	11	7	8	...
Rundle, The Honorable Jeremiah Brice	18	7	3	...
Salomons, The Honorable Julian Emanuel, Q.C.	38	19	9	1
Simpson, The Honorable George Bowen, Q.C.	32	14	9	...
Smith, The Honorable John	21	11	5	...
Stephen, The Honorable Sir Alfred, G.C.M.G., C.B.	32	13	5	1
Stephen, The Honorable Septimus Alfred...	36	13	9	1
Stewart, The Honorable John	36	17	9	1
Suttor, The Honorable William Henry	15	7	2	...
Terry, The Honorable Samuel Henry	9	1	1	...
Thornton, The Honorable George	37	17	8	...
Vickery, The Honorable Ebenezer	38	14	8	1
Watson, The Honorable James	6	4	...	...
Watt, The Honorable John Brown	28	16	8	...
Webb, The Honorable Edmund	20	10	4	1
White, The Honorable James	21	10	8	...
Wisdom, The Honorable Sir Robert, Q.C., K.C.M.G.	...	...	...	...
<i>Number of Days upon which the Council met</i>	...	...	...	38
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THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT—FIRST SESSION.

	Divisions in the House.	Divisions in Committee.	Counts-out.	Total.
Abbott, Joseph Palmer, Esq. ...	37	36	1	74
Abigail, The Hon. Francis, Esq. ...	56	53	1	110
Allen, Alfred, Esq. ...	49	38	1	88
Ball, Edward Joseph, Esq. ...	43	64	1	108
Barbour, Robert, Esq. ...	46	45	...	91
Black, Reginald James, Esq. ...	33	35	...	68
Bowes, John Wesley, Esq. ...	22	20	...	42
Bowman, Alexander, Esq. ...	17	49	1	67
Brown, Herbert Harrington, Esq. ...	29	23	...	52
Brunker, James Nixon, Esq. ...	21	17	...	38
Burdekin, Sydney, Esq. ...	36	46	...	82
Burns, John Fitzgerald, Esq. ...	70	70	2	142
Cameron, Angus, Esq., <i>Chairman of Committees</i> ...	62	...	1	63
Carruthers, Joseph Hector, Esq. ...	41	42	2	85
Chanter, John Moore, Esq. ...	26	35	...	61
Chapman, Michael, Esq. ...	35	27	...	62
Clarke, Henry, Esq. ...	23	36	...	59
Clarke, William, Esq. ...	67	65	1	133
Colls, Thomas, Esq. ...	12	10	...	22
Cooke, Henry Harry, Esq. ...	52	69	...	121
Copeland, Henry, Esq. ...	32	22	...	54
Cortis, William Richard, Esq. ...	23	11	...	34
Creer, Joseph, Esq. ...	42	42	...	84
Crouch, Frederick George, Esq. ...	42	52	...	94
Dalton, Thomas, Esq. ...	21	26	...	47
Dangar, Thomas Gordon Gibbons, Esq. ...	31	22	...	53
Davis, William Lovel, Esq. ...	54	54	2	110
Dawson, Henry, Esq. ...	56	58	...	114
Day, George, Esq. ...	30	16	...	46
Dibbs, George Richard, Esq. ...	54	57	...	111
Dowel, William Springthorpe, Esq. ...	26	19	...	45
Ellis, James Cole, Esq. ...	11	12	...	23
Ewing, Thomas Thomson, Esq. ...	20	47	...	67
Farnell, Frank, Esq. ...	46	38	...	84
Farnell, James Squire, Esq. ...	39	14	1	54
Ferguson, David Alexander, Esq. ...	17	32	...	49
Fitzgerald, Robert George Dundas, Esq. ...	8	26	...	34
Fletcher, James, Esq. ...	50	29	...	79
Foster, William John, Esq. ...	59	61	1	121
Gale, John, Esq. ...	24	19	...	43
Garland, Charles Launcelot, Esq. ...	37	32	...	69
Garrard, Jacob, Esq. ...	18	21	1	40
Garrett, Thomas, Esq. ...	66	73	3	142
Garvan, James Patrick, Esq. ...	32	40	2	74
Gibbes, Frederick Jamison, Esq. ...	38	19	...	57
Goodwin, Thomas Henry Hall, Esq. ...	13	20	...	33
Gordon, James, Esq. ...	18	3	...	21
Gormly, James, Esq. ...	31	37	1	69
Gould, Albert John, Esq. ...	15	15	...	30
Hassall, Thomas Henry, Esq. ...	46	52	...	98
Hawken, Nicholas, Esq. ...	60	48	...	108
Hawthorne, John Stuart, Esq. ...	53	49	1	103
Hayes, James, Esq. ...	17	18	...	35
Haynes, John, Esq. ...	33	56	...	89
Henson, William, Esq. ...	46	61	...	107
Holborow, William Hillier, Esq. ...	32	42	...	74
Hutley, John, Esq. ...	35	10	...	45
Hutchison, Alexander, Esq. ...	25	7	...	32
Inglis, James, Esq. ...	68	64	2	134
Ives, Isaac Ellis, Esq. ...	41	50	1	92
Jeanneret, Charles Edward, Esq. ...	32	8	...	40
Jones, Travers, Esq. ...	34	21	...	55
Kelly, John Edward, Esq. ...	56	36	1	93
Kethel, Alexander, Esq. ...	41	52	...	93

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Lakeman, Allen, Esq. ... ..	30	21	...	51
Lee, Charles Alfred, Esq. ... ..	32	40	...	72
Lees, Samuel Edward, Esq. ... ..	51	45	3	99
Levien, Robert Henry, Esq. ... ..	17	14	...	31
Lyne, William John, Esq. ... ..	33	14	1	48
Macgregor, William Peter, Esq. ... ..	...	...	...	...
Mackinnon, James Archibald, Esq. ... ..	11	5	...	16
Martin, William Fraser, Esq. ... ..	31	16	...	47
Matheson, George McLeod, Esq. ... ..	35	46	...	81
McCourt, William, Esq. ... ..	18	31	...	49
McCulloch, Andrew Hardie, junr., Esq. ... ..	23	17	...	40
McElhone, John, Esq. ... ..	28	29	...	57
McFarlane, John, Esq. ... ..	28	26	...	54
McMillan, William, Esq. ... ..	51	61	...	112
Melville, Ninian, Esq. ... ..	53	52	2	107
Merriman, George, Esq. ... ..	27	28	1	56
Moore, Samuel Wilkinon, Esq. ... ..	47	46	...	93
Neild, John Cash, Esq. ... ..	18	3	...	21
O'Connor, Daniel, Esq. ... ..	45	38	...	83
O'Mara, Thomas Chrysostom, Esq. ... ..	7	6	...	13
O'Sullivan, Edward William, Esq. ... ..	65	54	1	120
Parkes, Sir Henry, K.C.M.G. ... ..	67	63	1	131
Parkes, Varney, Esq. ... ..	20	38	1	59
Penzer, Joseph, Esq. ... ..	39	17	...	56
Reid, George Houstoun, Esq. ... ..	19	19	1	39
Riley, Alban Joseph, Esq. ... ..	24	6	...	30
Roberts, Charles James, Esq., C.M.G. ... ..	72	75	2	149
Ross, Andrew, Esq., M.D. ... ..	36	36	...	72
Ryrie, Alexander, Esq. ... ..	11	10	...	21
Schey, William Francis, Esq. ... ..	53	55	...	108
Seaver, Jonathan Charles Billing Pockorage, Esq. ... ..	37	53	...	90
See, John, Esq. ... ..	33	30	...	63
Slattery, Thomas Michael, Esq. ... ..	7	...	...	7
Smith, Fergus Jago, Esq. ... ..	18	32	...	50
Smith, Frank James, Esq. ... ..	43	54	2	99
Smith, Robert Burdett, Esq. ... ..	17	32	1	50
Smith, Sydney, Esq. ... ..	37	31	...	68
Stephen, William, Esq. ... ..	49	48	2	99
Stevenson, Richard, Esq. ... ..	69	74	3	146
Stokes, Alfred, Esq. ... ..	32	12	...	44
Street, John Rendell, Esq. ... ..	36	55	...	91
Sutherland, John, Esq. ... ..	46	44	2	92
Taylor, Adolphus George, Esq. <sup>1</sup> ... ..	1	...	...	1
Taylor, Hugh, Esq. ... ..	40	11	...	51
Teece, William, junr., Esq. ... ..	63	74	1	138
Thompson, Richard Windeyer, Esq. ... ..	32	43	...	75
Tonkin, James Ebenezer, Esq. ... ..	44	35	...	79
Toohy, James Matthew, Esq. ... ..	39	18	...	57
Trickett, William Joseph, Esq. ... ..	25	36	...	61
Vaughn, Robert Matteson, Esq. ... ..	40	36	...	76
Waddell, Thomas, Esq. ... ..	31	11	...	42
Walker, Thomas, Esq. ... ..	46	47	1	94
Wall, William Chandos, Esq. ... ..	30	18	1	49
Want, John Henry, Esq. ... ..	10	4	...	14
Wilkinson, Robert Bliss, Esq. ... ..	20	16	1	37
Wilkinson, William Camac, Esq., M.D. ... ..	21	38	...	59
Wilson, Alexander, Esq. ... ..	37	44	...	81
Withers, George, Esq. ... ..	28	20	...	48
Wise, Bernhard Ringrose, Esq. ... ..	24	21	1	46
Woodward, Francis, Esq. ... ..	25	24	...	49
Young, The Hon. James Henry, Esq., <i>Speaker</i> ... ..	...	...	...	...

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*Number of Divisions in the House* ... .. 74

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*Explanation of Abbreviations:*—*adjt.*, Motion of Adjournment; *expl.*, Explanation; *obs.*, Observations; *q.*, Question; *ret.*, Motion for Return; *1r.*, *2r.*, *3r.*, First, Second, and Third Readings.

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