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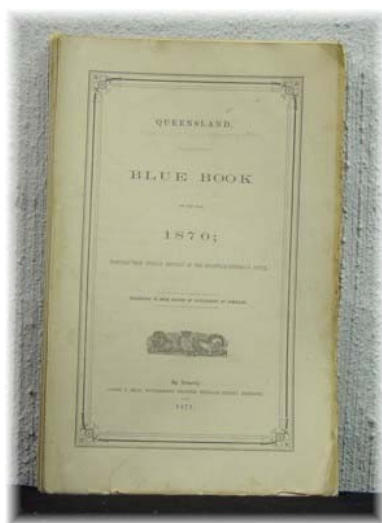
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NAME.	OFFICE.	FROM	TO	REMARKS.	
1.—HERBERT MINISTRY.					
Robert George Wyndham Herbert	Colonial Secretary	10 Dec., 1859	1 Feb., 1866	Also Acting Colonial Treasurer from 8th October, to 21st December, 1864. Merged into Macalister Ministry.	
Ratcliffe Pring	Attorney-General	10 Dec., 1859	30 Aug., 1865.		
John Bramston	Attorney-General	31 Aug., 1865	11 Sept., 1865.		
Charles Lilley	Attorney-General	11 Sept., 1865	20 July, 1866.		
Robert Ramsay Mackenzie	Colonial Treasurer	15 Dec., 1859	4 Aug., 1862.		
Thomas De Lacy Moffatt	Colonial Treasurer	4 Aug., 1862	2 Oct., 1864		Died, 2nd October, 1864.
Joshua Peter Bell	Colonial Treasurer	22 Dec., 1864	20 July, 1866.		
Maurice Charles O'Connell	Without portfolio	21 May, 1860	28 Aug., 1860		Member of the Legislative Council.
John James Galloway	Without portfolio	28 Aug., 1860	10 Nov., 1860		Ditto.
William Hobbs	Without portfolio	30 April, 1861	14 Jan., 1862		Ditto.
St. George Richard Gore	Secretary for Lands and Works	14 Jan., 1862	21 Mar., 1862.		
Arthur Macalister	Secretary for Lands and Works	21 Mar., 1862	20 July, 1866.		
John Bramston	Without portfolio	3 July, 1863	1 Feb., 1866	Ditto.	
2.—MACALISTER MINISTRY.					
Arthur Macalister	Secretary for Lands and Works	1 Feb., 1866	20 July, 1866.		
Robert Ramsay Mackenzie	Colonial Secretary	1 Feb., 1866	20 July, 1866.		
Charles Lilley	Attorney-General	11 Sept., 1865	20 July, 1866.		
Joshua Peter Bell	Colonial Treasurer	22 Dec., 1864	20 July, 1866.		
John Douglas	Postmaster-General	1 Feb., 1866	20 July, 1866	Appointed Postmaster-General, 1st March, 1866.	
3.—HERBERT MINISTRY.					
Robert George Wyndham Herbert	Without portfolio	20 July, 1866	7 Aug., 1866.	Merged into Macalister Ministry.	
George Raff	Without portfolio	20 July, 1866	16 Nov., 1866.		
Ratcliffe Pring	Attorney-General	21 July, 1866	7 Aug., 1866.		
John Donald McLean	Colonial Treasurer	21 July, 1866	7 Aug., 1866.		
George Elphinstone Dalrymple	Colonial Secretary	21 July, 1866	7 Aug., 1866.		
John Watts	Secretary for Lands and Works	21 July, 1866	7 Aug., 1866.		
Thomas Lodge Murray Prior	Postmaster-General	21 July, 1866	7 Aug., 1866.		
4.—MACALISTER MINISTRY.					
Arthur Macalister	Colonial Secretary	7 Aug., 1866	15 Aug., 1867.		
Charles Lilley	Attorney-General	7 Aug., 1866	15 Aug., 1867.		
John Donald McLean	Colonial Treasurer	7 Aug., 1866	16 Dec., 1866	Died, 16th December, 1866.	
John Douglas	Colonial Treasurer	19 Dec., 1866	21 May, 1867	Appointed Secretary for Public Works.	
T. B. Stephens	Colonial Treasurer	21 May, 1867	15 Aug., 1867.		

Office.	Name.	Class under Civil Service Act.		Date of Appointment.	By whom Appointed, and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary.	Date of First Appointment under Government of Queensland or New South Wales.
		Ordinary.	Professional.				
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GAOL, TOOWOOMBA.							
Visiting Justice	Gilbert W. Elliott ¹	24 Aug., 1867	...	Nil.	14th January, 1858, N. S. Wales Government.
Gaoler	William Murphy ²	...	...	1 June, 1864	The Sheriff	240 0 0	
Matron	Anne Murphy ²	...	...	1 Jan., 1865	Ditto	30 0 0	
Principal Turnkey (1) ²	...	...	...	...	Ditto	130 0 0	
Ordinary Turnkeys (2) ³	...	...	...	...	Ditto	100 each.	1st January, 1865.
Female Turnkey (1) ²	...	...	...	...	Ditto	30 0 0	
		¹ Police Magistrate, with salary of £400 per annum.		² Residence allowed.		³ Allowed Rations	
PENAL ESTABLISHMENT, St. HELENA.							
Visiting Justice	T. H. B. Barron (1)	...	...	20 May, 1868	...	Nil.	20 Feb., 1861.
Superintendent	John McDonald ²	...	...	20 May, 1867	The Honorable the Colonial Secretary	300 0 0	
Chief Warder	James Hamilton ³	...	...	23 Nov., 1867	Ditto	130 0 0	15 June, 1865.
Warders (13) ⁴	...	...	...	...	Ditto	100 each.	
Free Carpenter (1)	...	...	...	...	Ditto	130 0 0	
		¹ Chief Clerk and Accountant, Department of Commissioner of Police, with salary of £475 per annum.		² Allowed house and rations.		³ Allowed house, rations, and uniform.	
						⁴ Allowed quarters, rations, and uniform.	
WATER POLICE.							
MORBERTON BAY.							
Water Police Magistrate	William Thornton ¹	...	...	31 May, 1859	By His Excellency the Governor of New South Wales in Council	Nil.	
Sub-Inspector	James Wassell ²	...	...	20 May, 1867	Governor and Executive	200 0 0	
Coxswain (1)	...	...	...	...	Water Police Magistrate	120 0 0	
Carpenter (1)	...	...	...	...	Ditto	120 0 0	
Boatmen (6)	...	...	...	...	Ditto	96 each.	
MARYBOROUGH.*							
Water Police Magistrate	Richard Bingham Sheridan ³	I.	...	30 Dec., 1859	Governor and Executive	Nil.	Appointed to the Customs, 7th February, 1846, by Home Government, under New South Wales Government.
ROCKHAMPTON.							
Water Police Magistrate	William John Brown ⁴	...	...	7 Jan., 1861	Governor and Executive	Nil.	January, 1855, N. S. Wales.
Water Police Constables (3) ⁵	...	...	...	...	...	Nil.	
		[*] Customs and Harbor Department boats' crews perform duty as Water Police Constables.					
		¹ Collector of Customs, with salary of £600 per annum.					
		² Acts as Coastwaiter.					
		³ Sub-Collector of Customs, with salary of £600 per annum; Harbor Master, Gold Receiver, Inspector of Distilleries, Health Officer, Cotton Inspector, and Shipping Inspector, without salary.					
		⁴ Sub-Collector of Customs, with salary of £475 per annum.					
		⁵ Customs boatmen.					
MEDICAL STAFF.							
Medical Officer—Brisbane	William Hobbs	I.	...	1 April, 1868	Governor and Executive	500 0 0	15 Aug., 1853, N. S. Wales.
Ipswich	William McTaggart Dorsey	...	...	1 Sept., 1865	Ditto	50 0 0	1 Sept., 1865.
Toowoomba	John Leigh Becker	...	...	10 Oct., 1868	Ditto	50 0 0	10 Oct., 1868.
Gladstone	S. M. Morton ¹	...	...	...	...	Nil.	
Maryborough	Henry Hort Brown	...	...	14 July, 1868	Ditto	30 0 0	14 July, 1868.
Rockhampton	David Salmond	...	...	23 Sept., 1865	Ditto	200 0 0	23 Sept., 1865.
Roma	Charles Ignatius Moran	...	...	1 April, 1868	Ditto	25 0 0	1 April, 1868.
Warwick	Frederick Margetts	...	...	17 Jan., 1866	Ditto	30 0 0	17 Jan., 1866.
Gympie	Stephen John Burke	...	...	1 June, 1869	Ditto	30 0 0	1 June, 1869.
	succeeded by	...	...	...	...	...	...
Townsville	John R. Benson	...	...	1 Nov., 1870	Ditto	30 0 0	1 Nov., 1870.
	Joseph Callaghan ¹	...	...	8 Dec., 1869	Ditto	Nil.	8 Dec., 1869.
		¹ No special salary; paid by fees.					

Office.	Name.	Class under Civil Service Act.		Date of Appointment.	By whom Appointed, and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary.	Date of First Appointment under Government of Queensland or New South Wales.
		Ordinary.	Professional.				
POSTMASTER-GENERAL—continued.							
ELECTRIC TELEGRAPHS—continued.							
<i>BRISBANE—continued.</i>							
Operator ...	Frederick E. Rains ...	V.		1 May, 1869...	Ditto ...	100 0 0	1 Jan., 1868.
	succeeded by Frederick P. Gorton...	V.		1 June, 1870	Ditto ...	100 0 0	1 Aug., 1866.
	succeeded by George C. Hamilton ¹ ...			1 Sept., 1870	Ditto ...	80 0 0	1 Sept., 1870.
	succeeded by James Hobbs ...			23 Dec., 1870...	Ditto ...	80 0 0	23 Dec., 1870.
Assistant ...	John Plulp ...	V.		1 May, 1869...	Ditto ...	150 0 0	1 Jan., 1867.
	succeeded by Edwin Welsby ...	V.		1 June, 1870	Ditto ...	140 & 150	1 Jan., 1866.
GOODNA. Officer in Charge ...	George W. Barrymore ² ...	V.		1 Oct., 1867...	Ditto ...	100 0 0	1 Aug., 1867.
	succeeded by William Gorton ² ...			1 Dec., 1870...	Ditto ...	100 0 0	1 Feb., 1867.
IPSWICH. Station Master ...	Walter Burkitt ² ...	IV.		1 Oct., 1864 ...	Ditto ...	280 0 0	1 Oct., 1862.
HELLIDON. Officer in Charge ...	William Henry Pantou ¹ ...			1 May, 1869 ...	Ditto ...	96 0 0	1 May, 1869.
TOOWOOMBA. Station Master ...	Thomas Holder Cowl ² ...	IV.		1 Jan., 1865 ...	Ditto ...	220 0 0	1 Jan., 1864.
ALLOEA. Officer in Charge ...	William T. Goodale ...	V.		1 March, 1870	Ditto ...	150 0 0	1 Aug., 1866.
	succeeded by Alfred T. Winship ...	V.		18 June, 1870	Ditto ...	130 0 0	23 Feb., 1865.
WARWICK. Station Master ...	Thomas Towell ² ...	IV.		1 April, 1863	Ditto ...	280 0 0	16 Oct., 1861.
<i>ENTERFIELD, NEW SOUTH WALES.</i>							
Repeating Clerk ...	William Daniel Bauer ...	IV.		1 Jan., 1865 ...	Ditto ...	280 0 0	1 Jan., 1863.
Assistant ...	Frederick P. Gorton ...	V.		1 Sept., 1867	Ditto ...	100 0 0	1 Aug., 1866.
	succeeded by William H. Parish ¹ ...			1 June, 1870	Ditto ...	100 0 0	1 June, 1870.
	succeeded by Josiah Mayne ...	V.		1 Dec., 1870 ...	Ditto ...	100 0 0	7 July, 1865.
DALBY. Station Master ...	Robert C. Watson ² ...	IV.		1 March, 1868	Ditto ...	200 0 0	1 Jan., 1865.
	succeeded by Edwin James Welch ² ...	IV.		1 Dec., 1870 ...	Ditto ...	200 0 0	1 March, 1864
CONDAMINE. Line Repairer in Charge ...	Morgan Evans ¹ ...			1 Oct., 1869 ...	Ditto ...	150 0 0	1 Jan., 1865.
	succeeded by G. W. Barrymore ¹ ...			1 Dec., 1870 ...	Ditto ...	150 0 0	1 Aug., 1867.
ROMA. Station Master ...	Francis Davis ² ...	IV.		1 Oct., 1866 ...	Ditto ...	200 0 0	15 Nov., 1863.
DURAH. Line Repairer in Charge ...	Thomas McCullough ¹ ...			1 Oct., 1869 ...	Ditto ...	150 0 0	1 Aug., 1866.
CABULTURE. Line Repairer in Charge ...	George Gipps Orr ¹ ...			1 Dec., 1869 ...	Ditto ...	150 0 0	1 Mar., 1867.
GYMPIE. Station Master ...	Thomas Brand ² ...	IV.		1 June, 1866	Ditto ...	200 0 0	1 June, 1866.
MARYBOROUGH. Station Master ...	Josiah M. Illidge, jun. ² ...	IV.		1 Oct., 1868 ...	Ditto ...	220 0 0	1 July, 1864.
GAYNDAH. Station Master ...	Charles Smith ² ...	IV.		1 Jan., 1865 ...	Ditto ...	220 0 0	15 Nov., 1863.
HAWKWOOD. Station Master ...	Edwin James Welch ² ...	IV.		1 Oct., 1869 ...	Ditto ...	200 0 0	1 Mar., 1864.
	succeeded by Arthur Burkitt ² ...	IV.		1 Dec., 1870 ...	Ditto ...	220 0 0	1 April, 1863.
TAROOM. Line Repairer in Charge ...	Leopold F. Hasler ¹ ...			1 Dec., 1869 ...	Ditto ...	150 0 0	1 Nov., 1863.
CAMBOON. Line Repairer in Charge ...	William N. Mullin ¹ ...			1 Aug., 1869	Ditto ...	150 0 0	1 Aug., 1869.

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