

TABLE (E.)

Shewing the Revenue from 1860 to 1866, inclusive.

1860—Revenue	£43,113 13 5	Expenditure	£61,794 12 9
1861 Do	42,009 9 3	Do	49,199 16 4½
1862 Do	38,792 10 1	Do	51,677 12 7½
1863 Do	61,688 14 4	Do	54,622 3 6
1864 Do	66,729 0 9¼	Do	57,873 15 6
1865 Do	68,041 3 11	Do	75,950 8 3
1866-7 Do	95,442 17 1	Do	154,332 1 10

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Prince Edward Island.

No. 23.

DOWNING STREET,

10th August, 1867.

SIR,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Despatch, No. 61, of the 17th June last, enclosing a Minute of your Council and other Documents, relative to certain sums claimed by the Commissariat Department at Halifax on account of the expenses incurred in connection with the Detachment of Troops lately stationed in Prince Edward Island. I referred your representations on this subject, together with those of the Executive Council, for the consideration of the Secretary of State for War, and I

have to acquaint you that in order to relieve your Government of so much of the claim which has been made upon it as would be equivalent to the expense which would have been chargeable to Army Funds had the troops remained in Nova Scotia, the Controller of the Army expenditure in that Province has been directed to prepare a new account, comprising the expense of transport, lodging-money, office rent, extra wages and contingencies, and the actual excess cost of the provisions, forage, fuel, &c., above the Halifax contract prices.

I have, &c.

(Signed) BUCKINGHAM AND CHANDOS.

Lieut. Governor Dundas, }
&c., &c., &c. }