



## Comparative Statement of the Revenue and Expen-

HEAD OF REVENUE.	Estimates, 1906.	Actual Revenue to 31st July, 1906.	Revenue for same period of preceding Year.	Increase.	Decrease.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Light Dues, ... ..	76,000.00	46,468.73	44,279.41	2,189.32	...
Licences and Internal Revenue not otherwise specified, ...	4,758,820.00	2,876,569.34	2,785,728.92	90,840.42	...
Fees of Court or Office, Payments for specific purposes, / and Reimbursements in Aid, ... ..	519,275.00	279,817.26	255,846.59	23,970.67	...
Post Office, ... ..	410,000.00	246,086.12	247,145.57	...	1,059.45
Rent of Government Property, Land and Houses, ... ..	735,900.00	443,306.82	363,655.59	79,651.23	...
Interest, ... ..	6,000.00	1,805.59	10,180.29	...	8,374.70
Miscellaneous Receipts, ... ..	192,400.00	* 39,359.63	41,304.12	...	1,944.49
Water Account, ... ..	...	...	38,583.06	...	38,583.06
TOTAL, EXCLUSIVE OF LAND SALES, ... \$	6,698,395.00	3,933,413.49	3,786,723.55	196,651.64	49,961.70
Land Sales, ... ..	400,000.00	51,302.64	234,980.83	...	183,678.19
Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund, ... ..	249,000.00	...	...	...	...
TOTAL, ... .. \$	7,347,395.00	3,984,716.13	4,021,704.38	196,651.64	233,639.89

\* Not including Profit on Subsidiary Coins.

diture for the period ended 31st July, 1906.

EXPENDITURE.	Estimates, 1906.	Actual Expenditure to 31st July, 1906.	Expenditure for same period of preceding Year.	Increase.	Decrease.
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Charge on Account of Public Debt, ... ..	185,000.00	74,180.83	83,850.22	...	9,669.39
Pensions, ... ..	236,294.00	122,536.27	125,006.61	...	2,470.34
Governor, ... ..	87,074.00	39,970.70	44,052.96	...	4,082.26
Colonial Secretary's Department and Legislature, ... ..	73,056.00	35,544.93	36,774.03	...	1,229.10
Registrar General's Department, ... ..	46,363.00	19,877.12	18,871.03	1,006.09	...
Audit Department, ... ..	16,298.00	9,017.13	8,356.74	660.39	...
Treasury :—					
1. Treasurer's Office, ... ..	60,271.00	30,433.31	31,268.30	...	834.99
2. Assessor's Office, ... ..					
3. Stamp Office, ... ..					
Post Office :—					
1. Hongkong Post Office, ... ..	417,118.00	208,330.02	402,873.49	...	194,543.47
2. Postal Agencies in China, ... ..					
Special Expenditure, ... ..	...	...	4,300.00	...	4,300.00
Harbour Master's Department :—					
1. Harbour Office, ... ..	169,922.00	90,437.64	85,608.11	4,829.53	...
2. Mercantile Marine Office, ... ..					
3. Import and Export Office, ... ..					
4. Marine Surveyor's Office, ... ..					
5. Steam Launches, ... ..					
6. Gunpowder Depot, ... ..					
7. Lighthouses, ... ..	15,400.00	...	...	...	...
Harbour Office, Special Expenditure, ... ..	15,400.00	...	...	...	...
Observatory, ... ..	23,344.00	11,951.65	11,632.57	319.08	...
Judicial and Legal Departments :—					
1. Supreme Court, ... ..	214,715.00	115,159.76	110,051.63	5,108.13	...
2. Magistracy, ... ..					
3. Law Officers, ... ..					
4. Land Registry Office, ... ..					
Police and Prison Departments :—					
1. Police, ... ..	731,895.00	371,880.01	403,340.77	...	31,460.76
2. Fire Brigade, ... ..					
3. Prison, ... ..					
Medical Departments :—					
1. Staff, ... ..	247,357.00	126,689.19	126,375.61	313.58	...
2. Hospitals and Asylums, ... ..					
3. Institute, ... ..					
Sanitary Department, ... ..	491,645.00	226,390.46	229,184.66	...	2,794.20
Botanical and Forestry Department, ... ..	47,677.00	23,740.08	29,228.75	...	5,488.67
Education :—					
1. Department of Inspector of Schools, ... ..	188,851.00	84,884.83	84,173.32	711.51	...
2. Queen's College, ... ..					
Ecclesiastical, ... ..	3,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	...	...
Charitable Allowances, ... ..	5,420.00	2,307.42	2,310.57	...	3.15
Transport, ... ..	10,000.00	5,886.00	6,238.30	...	352.30
Miscellaneous Services, ... ..	142,291.00	101,398.56	132,744.39	...	31,345.83
Military Expenditure :—					
1. Military Contribution, ... ..	1,389,142.00	776,029.66	846,310.14	...	70,280.48
2. Volunteers, ... ..					
Public Works :—					
1. Public Works Department, ... ..	283,022.00	120,031.51	130,415.33	...	10,383.82
2. Do. Recurrent, ... ..	409,200.00	243,651.19	233,316.02	10,335.17	...
TOTAL, ... ..	\$ 5,495,155.00	2,842,128.27	3,188,083.55	23,283.48	369,238.76
Public Works Extraordinary, ... ..	1,561,800.00	950,313.09	752,111.58	198,201.51	...
Do. do. D., ... ..	...	66,132.59	...	66,132.59	...
TOTAL, INCLUDING PUBLIC WORKS EXTRAORDINARY, ... ..	\$ 7,056,955.00	3,858,573.95	3,940,195.13	287,617.58	369,238.76

## Statement of Assets and Liabilities on the 31st July, 1906.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
	\$		\$
Deposits not Available, .....	637,190.33	Balance, Crown Agents, .....	3,364.90
Money Order Remittances,.....	9,715.14	Advances, .....	258,173.63
Officers' Remittances, .....	461.93	Crown Agents' Deposit,.....	1,896,296.30
Suspense House Service, .....	8,672.20	Subsidiary Coins in Stock, .....	344,022.00
Crown Agents' Account, .....	2,569,343.09	Do. Account,.....	1,409,289.10
Balance Overdrawn, Bank,.....	72,842.71		
Total Liabilities, ...	3,298,225.40		
Balance, .....	612,920.53		
TOTAL,.....\$	3,911,145.93	TOTAL,.....\$	3,911,145.93

A. M. THOMSON,  
*Treasurer.*

25th September, 1906.

## REGISTRAR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

**No. 828.**—It is hereby notified that the Registers of Births and Deaths kept at Sham Shui Po Police Station containing records from the 1st July to the 18th September of the present year have been destroyed in the typhoon which occurred on the latter date.

E. A. IRVING,  
*Registrar General.*

27th September, 1906.

## REGISTRAR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

*The Fine Arts Copyright Ordinance, 1901, (No. 17 of 1901).*

**No. 829.**—Notice is hereby given that WILLIAM NICHOLSON, C/o. Butterfield & Swire, Assistant, has on the 25th day of September, 1906, applied for the registration in Hongkong in the register of Proprietors of Copyright in Paintings, Drawings and Photographs of a Series of 6 Storm Photographs, taken 18th September, 1906, in the name of WILLIAM NICHOLSON who claims to be the proprietor thereof.

A facsimile of the said 6 Storm Photographs can be seen at the Office of the Registrar General of Hongkong.

Dated the 26th day of September, 1906.

WILLIAM NICHOLSON.

E. A. IRVING,  
*Registrar General.*

26th September, 1906.

## HARBOUR MASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

**No. 830.**—Information has been received from the Military Authorities that Gun Practice will be carried out as under:—

On Friday, the 5th October:—

From Sanatorium, in a Southerly direction, at ranges up to 10,000 yards, commencing at 9.30 a.m., and finishing at 12 noon.

If the weather is unfavourable on the above date, practice will take place on the following day.

All ships, junks and other vessels are to keep clear of the ranges.

L. BARNES-LAWRENCE, Captain, R.N.,  
*Harbour Master, &c.*

28th September, 1906.