

**1869**  
**COLONIAL ESTIMATES,**  
**BRITISH COLUMBIA.**

**A. & B.**

**A.**

ABSTRACT of the probable REVENUE of the Colonial Government of British Columbia, for the Year 1869, showing also the Revenue received under the similar heads in the Year 1867, being the Year previous to that in which the Estimates are prepared.

	Estimate for 1869.	Revenue of 1867.
Customs .....		
Port and Harbour Dues .....	\$400,000	\$270,002 02
Roads' Tolls .....	65,000	59,522 86
Excise Duties .....	5,000	795 75
Land Sales .....	5,000	3,496 60
Land Revenue .....	5,000	3,665 56
Rents, exclusive of Land .....	2,000	1,954 75
Free Miners' Certificates .....	12,000	13,645 00
Mining Receipts, General .....	18,000	22,208 13
Licences .....	50,000	53,850 27
Postage .....	13,000	12,704 60
Fines, Forfeitures, and Fees of Court .....	5,000	8,441 19
Fees of Office .....	4,000	7,855 63
Sale of Government Property .....	2,000	1,403 44
Reimbursement in aid of Expenses incurred by Government .....	13,000	8,582 90
Miscellaneous Receipts .....	1,000	188 83
Interest .....		2,616 02
Arrears, Vancouver Island .....	2,000	12,171 85
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>602,000</b>	<b>483,105 40</b>

## B.

ABSTRACT of the SUMS REQUIRED to defray the Expenses of the Colonial Government of British Columbia, for the Year from 1st January to the 31st of December, 1869, showing also the amount actually expended in the Year previous to that in which the Estimates are prepared, viz. 1867.

Item of Estimate.		Salaries		Allowances.	Office Contingencies.	Estimate for the Year 1869.	Expenditure of 1867.
		Fixed Establishment.	Provisional and Temporary.				
1	Establishments.....	\$150,398 00	.....	\$1500 00	\$900 00	152,798 00	147,753 61
2	Pensions, Retired Allowances, and Gratuities.....					3,395 00	8,768 23
3	Revenue Services, exclusive of Establishments.....					1,000 00	1,346 90
4	Administration of Justice, Do. ....					4,400 00	5,299 97
5	Ecclesiastical, Do. ....						
6	Charitable Allowances.....					10,500 00	7,971 63
7	Education, exclusive of Establishments.....					10,000 00	5,064 18
8	Hospitals, Do. ....						
9	Police and Gaols, Do. ....					12,000 00	19,795 31
10	Rent.....					875 00	1,210 70
11	Transport.....					6,660 00	8,126 57
12	Conveyance of Mails.....					29,400 00	36,028 44
13	Works and Buildings.....					12,300 00	7,844 26
14	Roads, Streets, and Bridges.....					62,500 00	26,844 32
15	Miscellaneous Services.....					16,500 00	16,390 22
16	Interest.....					91,840 00	98,914 89
17	Drawbacks and Refund of Duties.....					2,100 00	2,655 87
18	Immigration.....						
19	Redemption of Bonds.....						2,425 00
20	Sinking Fund.....					50,197 50	58,269 77
21	Temporary Loans.....					100,000 00	31,745 48
22	Home Government Account.....						
23	Government Vessels.....					16,800 00	9,037 40
24	Lighthouses.....					10,000 00	9,481 27
25	Deposits.....						894 40
	TOTAL.....			\$		592,965 50	505,868 42

## No. 1.—ESTABLISHMENTS DETAILED.

## CIVIL.

## HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

SALARIES.		Fixed Establishment.
The Governor (provided for under Crown Officers' Salaries Acts).		
Private Secretary .....	\$1,452	
Messenger .....	500	
		1,952
CONTINGENCIES.		
Stationery, &c. ....	100	
Extra Assistance .....	500	
		600
Total His Excellency the Governor.....		\$2,552

## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

SALARIES.		Fixed Establishment.
Clerk .....	\$600	
Messenger .....	200	
		800
CONTINGENCIES.		
Fuel, Light, &c. ....		100
Total Legislative Council.....		\$900

## COLONIAL SECRETARY.

SALARIES.		Fixed Establishment.
Colonial Secretary (provided for under Crown Officers' Salaries Act).		
Assistant Colonial Secretary .....	\$1,940	
Two Clerks .....	2,904	
Messenger .....	500	
		\$5,344
CONTINGENCIES.		
Stationery, Fuel, and Light .....		200

## PRINTING BRANCH.

SALARIES.		Fixed Establishment.
Superintendent .....	\$1,320	
Two Printers, \$960 each .....	1,920	
Assistant Printer and Messenger Legislative Council .....	640	
		3,880
Total Colonial Secretary.....		\$9,424

## TREASURER.

SALARIES.		Fixed Establishment.
Chief Clerk .....	\$1,900	
Clerk .....	1,452	
Clerk .....	1,200	
Total Treasurer.....		\$4,552

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 ESTABLISHMENTS DETAILED.
 

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## CIVIL.

## AUDITOR GENERAL.

SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Auditor General .....	\$2,425
Chief Clerk .....	1,452
Clerk .....	1,200
Total Auditor General .....	\$5,077

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## CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF LANDS AND WORKS AND SURVEYOR GENERAL.

SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Chief Commissioner (provided for under Crown Officers' Salaries Act).	
Assistant Surveyor General and Superintendent of Lighthouses .....	\$1,900
Clerk .....	1,224
Draughtsman .....	1,224
Total Chief Commissioner Lands and Works and Surveyor General .....	\$4,348

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## CUSTOMS.

SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Collector of Customs (provided for under Crown Officers' Salaries Act).	
Chief Clerk .....	\$1,940
Clerk .....	1,452
Deputy Collector, Southern Boundary .....	1,704
	5,096
OUT-DOOR DEPARTMENT.	
Revenue Officer .....	1,704
Landing Waiter .....	1,704
Do. Esquimalt .....	900
Two Boatmen and Watchmen, \$696 each .....	1,392
Revenue Officer, Burrard Inlet .....	900
Constable at Osoyoos .....	1,224
	7,824
Total Collector of Customs .....	\$12,920

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## REGISTRAR GENERAL.

SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Registrar General and Postmaster General (provided for under Crown Officers' Salaries Act).	
Registrar General of Titles, Victoria .....	\$485
Assistant in Office .....	250
Total Registrar General .....	\$735

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## HARBOUR MASTER.

SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Harbour Master and Government Pilot .....	\$1,940

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## ESTABLISHMENTS DETAILED.

## CIVIL.

## POST OFFICE.

SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Postmaster, Victoria .....	\$2,000
Clerk and Messenger, New Westminster .....	750
Total Post Office .....	\$2,750

## TOTAL OF CIVIL ESTABLISHMENTS REQUIRED UNDER VOTES ..... \$45,198

His Excellency the Governor .....	\$2,552 00
Legislative Council .....	900 00
Colonial Secretary .....	9,424 00
Treasurer .....	4,552 00
Auditor General .....	5,077 00
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works and Surveyor General .....	4,348 00
Collector of Customs .....	12,920 00
Registrar General .....	735 00
Harbour Master .....	1,940 00
Post Office .....	2,750 00
	\$45,198 00

## JUDICIAL.

## SUPREME COURT.

SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Judge of Supreme Court (provided for under Crown Officers' Salaries Act).	
Do. Do. ....	
Registrar of Court, B.C. ....	\$1,452
Do. Do. V.I. ....	1,500
Messenger, V.I. ....	500
Total Supreme Court	\$3,452

## ATTORNEY GENERAL.

SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Attorney General (provided for under Crown Officers' Salaries Act).	
Clerk .....	\$1,008

## HIGH SHERIFF.

ALLOWANCES.	
In lieu of travelling expenses and allowances .....	\$1,500

## TOTAL JUDICIAL ESTABLISHMENTS ..... \$5,960

Supreme Court .....	\$3,452
Attorney General .....	1,008
High Sheriff .....	1,500
	\$5,960

## ESTABLISHMENTS DETAILED.

## POLICE, INCLUDING PRISONS AND GAOLS.

## NEW WESTMINSTER.

POLICE.	SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Chief Inspector of Police (provided for under Crown Officers' Salaries Act).		
High Constable .....		\$972 00
Two Constables, \$1.75 each per diem .....		1,277 50
Indian Messenger .....		180 00
GAOL.		
Warden .....		1,224 00
One Gaoler .....		708 00
Medical Officer .....		500 00
		<u>4,861 50</u>

## VICTORIA.

	SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Stipendiary Magistrate .....		\$2,250 00
Clerk .....		1,200 00
One Sergeant of Police, \$2.50 per diem .....		912 50
Three Constables, at \$1.75 each per diem .....		1,916 25
GAOL.		
Gaoler, \$2.50 per diem .....		912 50
Assistant Gaoler, \$2 per diem .....		730 00
Superintendent of Convicts, \$2.50 per diem .....		912 50
Two Convict Guards, \$638.75 each .....		1,277 50
Two Door Guards at \$547.50 each, and one Cook \$638.75 .....		1,733.75
Medical Officer .....		600 00
		<u>12,445 00</u>
Total Police and Gaols .....		\$17,306 50

GOLD, ASSISTANT GOLD COMMISSIONERS, & STIPENDIARY  
MAGISTRATES.

## COLUMBIA AND KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

	SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Gold Commissioner .....		\$3,000
Clerk to do. ....		1,704
Constable .....		1,404
Clerk and Constable, Kootenay .....		1,704
Constable, Kootenay .....		1,404
Clerk and Constable, Fort Shepherd .....		500
Total Columbia and Kootenay District .....		\$9,716

## CARIBOO, INCLUDING QUESNEL.

	SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Assistant Gold Commissioner .....		\$3,400
Clerk .....		1,500
Chief Constable .....		1,500
Two Constables at \$1,224 each .....		2,448
Two Constables at \$1,008 each .....		2,016
Constable at Quesnel .....		1,224
Total Cariboo District .....		\$12,088

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 ESTABLISHMENTS DETAILED.
 

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 GOLD, ASSISTANT GOLD COMMISSIONERS & STIPENDIARY  
MAGISTRATES.

## HOPE, YALE, AND LYTTON DISTRICT.

SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Chief Constable, Yale .....	1,104
Constable .....	1,008
Chief Constable, Lytton .....	1,104
Toll Collector, Yale .....	1,104
Total Hope, Yale, and Lytton District .....	\$4,320

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## LILLOOET, CLINTON, AND SODA CREEK.

SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Assistant Gold Commissioner .....	\$2,400
Chief Constable .....	1,104
Constable, Postmaster, and Toll Collector, Clinton .....	1,104
Total Lillooet, Clinton, and Soda Creek .....	\$4,608

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## NANAIMO.

SALARIES.	Fixed Establishment.
Magistrate and Collector of Revenue .....	\$1,704
Constable .....	730
Total Nanaimo District .....	\$2,434

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## No. 1.—RECAPITULATION OF THE FOREGOING ESTABLISHMENTS.

	Salaries.		Allowances.	Office Con- tingencies.	TOTAL.
	Fixed Establishment.	Provisional and Temporary.			
CIVIL ESTABLISHMENTS:					
Governor.....	1,952 00			600	2,552 00
Legislative Council.....	800 00			100	900 00
Colonial Secretary.....	9,224 00			200	9,424 00
Treasurer.....	4,552 00				4,552 00
Auditor General.....	5,077 00				5,077 00
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works, &c.....	4,348 00				4,348 00
Customs.....	12,920 00				12,920 00
Registrar General.....	735 00				735 00
Harbour Master.....	1,940 00				1,940 00
Post Office.....	2,750 00				2,750 00
JUDICIAL ESTABLISHMENTS:					
Supreme Court.....	3,452 00				3,452 00
Attorney General.....	1,008 00				1,008 00
High Sheriff.....			1500		1,500 00
POLICE ESTABLISHMENTS.....	17,306 50				17,306 50
GOLD, AND ASSISTANT GOLD COMMISSIONERS, AND STIPEN- DIARY MAGISTRATES:—					
Columbia and Kootenay.....	9,716 00				9,716 00
Cariboo.....	12,088 00				12,088 00
Hope, Yale, and Lytton.....	4,320 00				4,320 00
Lillooet, Clinton, &c.,.....	4,608 00				4,608 00
Nanaimo.....	2,434 00				2,434 00
TOTAL ESTABLISHMENTS \$	99,230 50		1500	900	101,630 50

## No. 2.—PENSIONS, RETIRED ALLOWANCES, AND GRATUITIES.

Pension to Mrs. D. McLean .....	\$485
Do. Mrs. J. D. B. Ogilvy .....	485
<b>Total Pensions, &amp;c.....</b>	<b>\$970</b>

## No. 3.—REVENUE SERVICES (exclusive of ESTABLISHMENTS).

Travelling Expenses of Officers on duty, Arrest and prosecution of Smugglers, &c.....	\$1,000
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## No. 4.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE (exclusive of ESTABLISHMENTS).

Summoning Jurors and Witnesses, and other Contingencies .....	\$800
Prosecution and Interpreters' Fees, &c. ....	800
Expenses of Judge and Registrar on Circuit .....	2,500
Expenses attending Inquests .....	300
<b>Total Administration of Justice.....</b>	<b>\$4,400</b>



No. 5.—*Nil.*

## No. 6.—CHARITABLE ALLOWANCES.

In aid of Hospitals .....	\$10,000
In aid of the destitute Poor and Sick .....	500
Total Charitable Allowances .....	\$10,500

## No. 7.—EDUCATION (exclusive of ESTABLISHMENTS).

District Schools .....	\$10,000
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No. 8.—*Nil.*

## No. 9.—POLICE AND GAOLS (exclusive of ESTABLISHMENTS).

Keep of Prisoners and other Police expenditure throughout the Colony .....	\$12,000
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## No. 10.—RENT.

Rent, Government House, Victoria .....	50
Do. Lillooet .....	240
Do. Nanaimo .....	585
Total Rent .....	\$875

## No. 11.—TRANSPORT.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.	
Travelling Expenses on duty .....	2,500
COLONIAL SECRETARY.	
Travelling Expenses on duty .....	500
TREASURER.	
Freight upon remittances of Treasure .....	250
AUDITOR GENERAL.	
Travelling expenses Inspecting Accounts \$100, Freight upon Accounts to England \$60 .....	160
Inspection of Steamers .....	750
Actual Travelling Expenses of Officers on duty .....	1,500
Keep of Horses throughout the Colony .....	1,000
Total Transport .....	\$6,660

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### No. 12.—CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.

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To and from San Francisco .....	6,000
To and from Victoria and New Westminster .....	500
To and from Victoria and Esquimalt .....	400
To and from Victoria, Nanaimo, Comox, &c. ....	4,200
To and from Cariboo, Columbia, &c. ....	18,000
To and from Victoria and Saanich .....	300
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Total Conveyance of Mails .....	\$29,400

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### No. 13.—WORKS AND BUILDINGS.

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Repairs to Buildings, &c., throughout the Colony .....	10,000
Surveys, Explorations, &c. ....	2,000
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Total Works and Buildings .....	\$12,000

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### No. 14.—ROADS, STREETS, AND BRIDGES.

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Repairs and construction of Roads throughout the Colony .....	\$62,500
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### No. 15.—MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.

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Expenses connected with Indian Tribes .....	500
Taking charge of Government Buildings .....	1,000
Insurance Government Buildings .....	1,500
Exchange on Drafts for remittance .....	500
Telegrams .....	1,000
Stationery, Fuel, &c., for all Departments .....	4,000
Expenses connected with Assays of Minerals, &c. ....	5,000
For establishing Branch Assay Office at Cariboo .....	3,000
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Total Miscellaneous Services .....	\$16,500

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### No. 16.—INTEREST.

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Interest on Temporary Loans and Debentures .....	\$22,000
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### No. 17.—DRAWBACKS AND REFUND OF DUTIES, &c.

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Of Customs Duties .....	2,000
Of other Taxes .....	100
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Total Drawbacks and Refund of Duties, &c. ....	\$2,100

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### No. 18.—*Nil.*

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### No. 19.—REDEMPTION OF BONDS.

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## No. 20.—SINKING FUND.

## No. 21.—TEMPORARY LOANS.

Repayment of Loans .....	\$100,000
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No. 22.—*Nil.*

## No. 23.—GOVERNMENT VESSELS.

Sir James Douglas—Wages, Stores, Fuel, &c. ....	\$11,000
„ New Boiler .....	5,000
Dredger—Ship-keeper and incidental repairs .....	800
	<u>\$16,800</u>

## No. 24.—LIGHTHOUSES.

Race Rocks and Fisgard—Salaries, Stores, and general maintenance of Lighthouses .....	5,500
Light Ship, mouth of Fraser River .....	4,500
Total Lighthouses .....	<u>\$10,000</u>

No. 25.—*Nil.*

## SUMMARY

## OF THE FOREGOING ESTIMATES.

Provided by permanent Acts, on account of Salaries .....	\$51,167 50
Do. Do. Do. Pensions .....	2,425 00
Do. Do. Do. Interest on Loans .....	69,840 00
Do. Do. Do. Sinking Fund on Loans .....	50,197 50
	<u>\$173,630 00</u>
Required to be provided by Vote for contingent service of year 1869:—	
Establishments .....	101,630 50
Services exclusive of Establishments .....	317,705 00
	<u>419,335 50</u>
	<u>\$592,965 50</u>
Estimated excess of Revenue over Expenditure .....	9,034 50
	<u>\$602,000 00</u>