

would propose that the local government be empowered to allow its expenses to be...

Yours very faithfully, (Signed) JAMES DUNSMUIR.

SALARIES OF JUDGES, ETC. At Ottawa, Ont., February 1st, 1901.

EXPENSES CONNECTED WITH QUARANTINE. Victoria, Sept. 28, 1900.

Dear Sir—The honor to submit a copy of a letter I sent to the Minister of Agriculture...

I have laid this matter before Mr. Morrison. He told me that it was only a question of placing the matter before the Minister to have it righted.

Accounts paid by the British Columbia Government for quarantine services during the smallpox epidemic...

Banbury, J.—January 20th to February 28th—Board and lodging for quarantine officer...

White, E. R.—February 9th to May 10th—Salary and expenses of quarantine officer at Osoyoos...

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