

NO. 13.

ENCLOSURES IN THE GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE NO. 23, TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

RETURN OF FINES AND SEIZURES.

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.

FROM 1860 TO 1866.

In the year 1860 .....	£306 18 11
" 1861 .....	190 16 0
" 1862 .....	527 11 10
" 1863 .....	1270 1 8
" 1864 .....	137 19 9
" 1865 .....	318 15 5
" 1866 .....	111 6 7

The amount of Fine is settled by the Magistrate before whom the case is tried. The Seizures represent the proceeds of the sale of the seized goods, after the expenses have been paid. The distribution is made in the manner specially prescribed by the "Customs Consolidation Act, 1858."

W. HAMLEY.

Custom House, New Westminster,  
5th February, 1867.

NO. 14.

ENCLOSURES IN THE GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE NO. 30, TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Mr. Pearse to the Colonial Secretary.

LANDS AND WORKS, VICTORIA, B. C.,  
5th March, 1867.

SIR,—I have the honor, in accordance with the instructions contained in your letter of the 28th ultimo, to transmit herewith a Return of the Receipts and Expenditure of the Steamer "Sir James Douglas" for the year 1866.

It will be apparent to you that this is far from a true statement of her yearly expenditure; as the sum of \$2,700 was required to fit her for passenger traffic. This sum includes the cost of making cabins, saloon, and fore-castle cabins, removing and altering galley, making and fitting entirely new masts, spars, rigging, and sails; also, alteration of screw shaft, which was lengthened and made to rest on bearings on the aftermost sternpost.

The amount credited to the Steamer for carrying the East Coast Mails is that actually offered by tender, in a Vessel totally unfit for the purpose. I have, &c.

B. W. PEARSE.

STEAMER "SIR JAMES DOUGLAS."

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE YEAR 1866.  
(Unaudited).

RECEIPTS.	DISBURSEMENTS.
Freight, Passage Money, Conveyance of Government Stores, Visiting Light Houses in V. I., Transport of Government Officers, Coal for Government Offices, &c., &c. ....	Wages .....
\$9,099 62	\$5,090 75
Subsidy for carrying Mails from Victoria to Cowichan, Salt Spring Island, Chemainis, Nanaimo, and Comox, at \$470 per month .....	Provisions .....
5,640 00	2,051 78
Expenses whilst employed in carrying Mails to New Westminster from Ocean Steamers, from 28th October to 24th November, Coal, Oil, &c., \$229-10—Half Wages, say \$255*..	Coal, brought to account .....
484 10	4,329 35
	" not brought to account .....
	800 00
	Stores .....
	628 00
	Miscellaneous .....
	21 50
	Repairs .....
	1,090 84
	Fittings .....
	1,616 21
\$15,223 72	\$15,128 43

STATISTICS.

No. of Passengers carried .....	1,005
" Tons Freight .....	566 1/2
" Head of Cattle, Horses, Pigs, &c. ....	274

\*The whole amount returned for this service by the Master of the Vessel was \$605. She however performed the coast service when not actually running to the Fraser.