sequence only six complete returns for the year, from the six cities which have come into the arrangement, have yet been received, namely: from Montreal, Ottawa, St. John, Hamilton, Toronto and Halifax. Partial returns have been received from two other cities, namely: Charlottetown and Fredericton.

It was not found possible to commence the work of compilation, from the imperfectness of the returns, before September.

A compilation of the information obtained for the whole year, for the six cities named, has been made and will be published forthwith; of this the figures for six months are now in the printers hands, and will be given in the form of an Appendix to this Report. I believe it will be in the hands of members in a few days.

The expenditure has been as follows:-

Travelling expenses	<b>\$ 446</b>	00
Fees	1,092	90
Salaries (Medical officers)	779	27
Translating	40	00
Miscellaneous	8	94
Printing	202	82
Total	\$2,579	93

The whole respectfully submitted,

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