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The following Statement relative to the District Watchmen's Fund is published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 1st June, 1889.

Statement of the Receipts and Expenditure relative to the Hongkong District Watchmen's Fund, for the First Quarter of the Year 1889.

RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURE.
To Balance of previous quarter,.....\$1,439.76	Disbursements in January, February, and March, 1889:—
To Government grant, ..... 500.00	<i>Districts Nos. 1 and 2.</i>
To Contributions by different shops, first quarter, ..... 1,559.58	Wages of Head District Watchman, \$ 45.00
	Wages of 3 Watchmen, ..... 59.61
	Oil, ..... 1.00
	Rent of Station (including Taxes),. 12.00
	————— \$117.61
	<i>District No. 3.</i>
	Wages of Head District Watchman, \$ 45.00
	Wages of 8 Watchmen,..... 156.00
	Oil, ..... 2.25
	Rent of Station, (including Taxes), 45.00
	————— \$248.25
	<i>District No. 4.</i>
	Wages of Head District Watchman, \$ 45.00
	Wages of 8 Watchmen, ..... 153.00
	Oil, ..... 2.25
	Rent of Station, ..... 24.00
	Taxes, first quarter, ..... 3.12
	————— \$227.37
	<i>District No. 5.</i>
	Wages of Head District Watchman, \$ 45.00
	Wages of 6 Watchmen,..... 120.00
	Oil, ..... 1.50
	Rent of Station, (including Taxes), 30.00
	————— \$196.50
	<i>District No. 6.</i>
	Wages of Head District Watchman, \$ 45.00
	Wages of 8 Watchmen, (less fine \$4), 155.00
	Oil, ..... 2.25
	Rent of Station, ..... 27.00
	Taxes, first quarter, ..... 2.76
	————— \$232.01
	<i>Districts Nos. 7 and 8.</i>
	Wages of Head District Watchman, \$ 45.00
	Wages of 4 Watchmen, (less fine 10 cts.), 74.90
	Oil, ..... 1.00
	Rent of Station, (including Taxes), 12.75
	————— \$133.65
	<i>Miscellaneous Expenses.</i>
	Collector's Wages,.....\$ 30.00
	Manager's Wages, ..... 12.00
	1 Account Book, ..... 0.60
	Printing 20 Receipt Books,..... 9.50
	Loss of Exchange,..... 5.40
	————— \$ 57.50
	Total of Disbursements,.....\$1,212.89
	Balance in hand, .....\$2,286.45
Total,.....\$3,499.34	Total,.....\$3,499.34

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Registrar General's Office, Hongkong, 25th May, 1889.