

STATEMENT OF THE WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' PENSION FUND UP TO  
31st DECEMBER, 1898.

	RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURE.	BALANCE.
	\$	\$	\$
Total up to December, 1897, .....	50,856.51	7,915.40	43,041.11
During 1898, .....	13,060.66	897.74	12,162.92
	\$ 63,917.17	8,713.14	55,204.03

  

	DURING 1898.	TOTAL UP TO 31st DEC., 1898.
	\$	\$
Refund of Amounts erroneously levied, .....	11.23	3,500.55
Working Expenses, .....	321.10	2,913.55
Pensions paid, .....	565.41	1,838.98
Half Contributions refunded, .....	.....	1,360.06
	\$ 897.74	8,713.14

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 38.

It is hereby notified that Her Majesty has not been advised to exercise her power of disallowance with respect to the following Ordinance:—

No. 27 of 1898, entitled—An Ordinance to apply a sum not exceeding Two Millions Five hundred and Eighty-seven thousand Eight hundred and Ninety-eight Dollars and Eighty Cents to the Public Service of the Year 1899.

By Command,

T. SERCOMBE SMITH,  
*Acting Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 24th January, 1899.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 39.

A pamphlet published by the United States Government containing the Customs Tariff and Regulations which were established for the Philippine Islands under Order dated 12th July 1898, together with certain tariff Circulars which have been subsequently issued amending the same and postponing the operation of the Order until 10th November 1898, may be seen on application at this Office.

By Command,

T. SERCOMBE SMITH,  
*Acting Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 27th January, 1899.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 40.

The following Return of Books is published.

By Command,

T. SERCOMBE SMITH,  
*Acting Colonial Secretary.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 27th January, 1899.