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Colonial Secretary.

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HONGKONG.

Account of Revenue and Expenditure from 1st January to 31st August, 1902.

RECEIPTS.	Hongkong.	Crown Agents.	Total.	PAYMENTS.	Hongkong.	Crown Agents.	Total.
	\$	\$	\$		\$	\$	\$
Balance in hand, 1st Jan. 1902,	81,727.36	25,169.58	106,896.94	Balance, ... ..	.....	.....	.....
Light Dues,	42,801.41	.....	42,801.41	Charge on Account of Public Debt, ... ..	.....	18,643.64	18,643.64
Licences and Internal Revenue not otherwise specified,	1,700,970.09	.....	1,700,970.09	Interest and Expenditure on Loan, 1893, ... ..	.....	65,387.66	65,387.66
Fees of Court or Office, Payments for specific purposes, and Reimbursements in Aid,	192,962.74	6,756.16	199,718.90	Pensions,	34,000.92	101,235.51	135,236.43
Post Office,	256,703.52	.....	256,703.52	Governor and Legislature, ...	21,743.61	18,172.17	39,915.78
Rent of Government Property, Land and Houses,	359,944.81	.....	359,944.81	Colonial Secretary's Dept., ...	38,163.99	1,070.41	39,234.40
Interest,	509.59	.....	509.59	Audit Department,	4,336.54	4,592.39	8,928.93
Miscellaneous Receipts,	99,539.80	281.41	99,821.21	Treasury,	21,163.32	6,697.84	27,861.16
Water Account,	113,519.42	.....	113,519.42	Public Works Department, ...	72,575.23	5,378.95	77,954.18
TOTAL, EXCLUSIVE OF LAND SALES,	2,766,951.38	7,937.57	2,773,988.95	Post Office,	109,290.57	67,431.55	176,722.12
Land Sales,	19,581.37	.....	19,581.37	Registrar General's Dept., ...	11,801.63	3,584.93	15,386.56
TOTAL REVENUE,	2,786,532.75	7,937.57	2,793,570.32	Harbour Master's Dept.,	63,849.72	7,476.23	71,325.95
TOTAL REVENUE, INCLUDING BALANCE,	2,868,260.11	32,207.15	2,900,467.26	Lighthouses,	12,682.33	4,501.49	17,183.82
Deposits Available, Subsidiary Coins,	1,648,000.00	.....	1,648,000.00	Observatory,	8,538.99	1,944.22	10,483.21
Deposits not Available,	182,040.77	.....	182,040.77	Botanical and Afforestation Department,	22,064.39	509.11	22,573.50
Crown Agents' Account, ... ..	.....	2,262,000.00	2,262,000.00	Legal Departments,	46,501.92	15,641.84	62,143.76
Advance Account,	259,891.33	198,464.96	458,356.29	Land Court, New Territory, ...	25,603.53	.....	25,603.53
Family Remittances,	27,426.23	.....	27,426.23	Ecclesiastical Department, ...	900.00	.....	900.00
Subsidiary Coins,	1,772,000.00	.....	1,772,000.00	Education,	62,381.19	3,883.62	66,264.81
Money Order Account,	107,251.48	.....	107,251.48	Medical Departments,	79,230.34	22,226.73	101,457.07
Suspense House Service,	11,981.67	.....	11,981.67	Magistracy,	14,872.62	1,466.67	16,339.29
Balance overdrawn, 31st Aug., 1902,	1,474,613.15	.....	1,474,613.15	Police,	240,696.03	22,487.39	263,183.42
TOTAL,	8,351,464.74	2,492,672.11	10,844,136.85	Fire Brigade,	13,176.67	2,939.93	16,116.60
				Gaols,	48,228.46	2,513.62	50,742.08
				Sanitary Department,	125,721.35	2,969.18	128,690.53
				Charitable Allowances,	2,393.28	.....	2,393.28
				Transport,	1,021.69	12,836.86	13,858.55
				Miscellaneous Services,	592,443.48	55,108.72	647,552.20
				Military Expenditure,	666,806.38	5,378.19	672,184.57
				Public Works, Recurrent,	381,789.31	40.14	381,829.45
				TOTAL,	2,721,977.49	454,118.99	3,176,096.48
				Public Works, Extraordinary, ...	724,720.45	104,036.46	828,756.91
				TOTAL, INCLUDING PUBLIC WORKS EXTRAORDINARY,	3,446,697.94	558,155.45	4,004,853.39
				TOTAL EXPENDITURE, INCLUDING BALANCE,	3,446,697.94	558,155.45	4,004,853.39
				Deposits Available, Subsidiary Coins,	1,772,000.00	.....	1,772,000.00
				Deposits not Available,	205,969.36	4,722.92	210,692.28
				Crown Agents' Account,	2,406,000.00	.....	2,406,000.00
				Advance Account,	453,082.67	7,874.61	460,957.28
				Family Remittances,	46,172.41	2,187.92	48,360.33
				Subsidiary Coins,	358.65	1,632,932.09	1,633,290.74
				Money Order Account, ... ..	.....	117,721.99	117,721.99
				Suspense Account,	9,752.13	45.71	9,797.84
				Suspense House Service,	10,827.82	.....	10,827.82
				Private Drainage Works,	292.36	.....	292.36
				Exchange,	311.40	135,892.75	136,204.15
				Balance in hand, 31st Aug., 1902,	8,351,464.74	2,459,533.44	10,810,998.18
				TOTAL,	8,351,464.74	2,492,672.11	10,844,136.85

A. M. THOMSON,
Treasurer.

Treasury, Hongkong, 23rd October, 1902.

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Comparative Statement of the Revenue and Expenditure for the period ended 31st August, 1902.

HEAD OF REVENUE.	Estimates, 1902.	Actual Revenue to 31st August, 1902.	Revenue for same period of preceding Year.*	EXPENDITURE.	Estimates, 1902.	Actual Expenditure to 31st August, 1902.	Expenditure for same period of preceding Year.*
	\$	\$	\$		\$	\$	\$
Light Dues,	55,000.00	42,801.41	38,015.73	Charge on Account of Public Debt,	157,415.00	84,031.30	78,954.69
Licences and Internal Revenue not otherwise specified,	2,442,180.00	1,700,970.09	1,511,183.51	Pensions,	107,000.00	135,236.43	98,268.97
Fees of Court or Office, Payments for specific purposes, and Reimbursements in Aid,	272,595.00	199,718.90	190,226.10	Governor and Legislature,	60,584.83	39,915.78	39,788.84
Post Office,	350,000.00	256,703.52	237,628.32	Colonial Secretary's Dept.,	67,203.13	39,234.40	29,758.33
Rent of Government Property, Land and Houses,	564,200.00	359,944.81	341,207.70	Audit Department,	10,670.00	8,928.93	5,928.50
Interest,	5,000.00	509.59	1.14	Treasury,	32,670.00	27,861.16	20,339.48
Miscellaneous Receipts,	230,990.00	† 99,821.21	† 64,162.51	Stamp Office,	138,701.00	77,954.18	73,048.27
Water Account,	186,000.00	113,519.42	110,157.46	Public Works' Department,	290,116.00	176,722.12	149,834.24
TOTAL, EXCLUSIVE OF LAND SALES,	\$ 4,105,965.00	2,773,988.95	2,492,582.47	Registrar General's Dept.,	23,497.00	15,386.56	10,401.55
Land Sales,	500,000.00	19,581.37	194,750.00	Harbour Master's Dept.,	115,521.00	71,325.95	61,856.91
TOTAL,	\$ 4,605,965.00	2,793,570.32	2,687,332.47	Lighthouses,	30,780.00	17,183.82	13,253.01
				Observatory,	15,688.00	10,483.21	9,906.14
				Botanical and Afforestation Department,	40,726.24	22,573.50	14,813.58
				Legal Departments,	83,230.00	62,143.76	55,023.27
				Land Court, New Territory,	47,584.00	25,603.53	18,216.13
				Ecclesiastical,	2,200.00	900.00	905.00
				Education,	96,314.38	66,264.81	63,720.74
				Medical Departments,	146,666.00	101,457.07	90,630.42
				Magistracy,	24,908.00	16,339.29	14,434.13
				Police,	437,929.00	263,183.42	247,240.40
				Fire Brigade,	19,024.00	16,116.60	12,020.93
				Gaol,	82,308.00	50,742.08	45,491.53
				Sanitary Department,	187,973.00	128,690.53	86,212.96
				Charitable Allowances,	5,260.00	2,393.28	3,227.87
				Transport,	3,000.00	13,858.55	6,343.72
				Miscellaneous Services,	271,781.00	647,552.20	259,795.06
				Military Expenditure,	886,389.00	672,184.57	593,950.72
				Public Works, Recurrent,	316,500.00	381,829.45	179,482.58
				TOTAL,	\$ 3,761,638.58	3,176,096.48	2,282,847.97
				Public Works, Extraordinary,	797,316.68	828,756.91	192,329.05
				TOTAL, INCLUDING PUBLIC WORKS, EXTRAORDINARY,	\$ 4,558,955.26	4,004,853.39	2,475,177.02

* July and August Crown Agents' Account not included.

† Not including profit on Subsidiary Coins up to date.

A. M. THOMSON,
Treasurer.

Treasury, Hongkong, 24th October, 1902.

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Statement of Assets and Liabilities on the 31st August, 1902.

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
	\$		\$
Bank Balance, ... ..	.....	Deposits not Available,	427,928.46
Crown Agents' Balance,	33,138.67	Crown Agents' Drafts,	120,000.00
Advances, &c.,	36,143.08	Money Order Remittances,	14,291.08
Subsidiary Coins,	1,574,000.00	Balance overdrawn, Bank,	1,474,613.15
Total Assets,	1,643,281.75	Do., Crown Agents,
Balance,	393,550.94	TOTAL,	\$ 2,036,832.69
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Subsidiary Coins in transit,\$ 600,000.00

Estimate of Silver at Mint,

TOTAL,\$ 600,000.00

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