

REPORT ON THE MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Appendix E.

RETURN showing COST of MAINTENANCE of the existing NEW ZEALAND LIGHTHOUSES during the Financial Year 1868-9.

| Name of Lighthouse. | Spent on Repairs and Stores of a permanent nature. | Oil, Paint, and other Annual Supplies and Contingencies. | Keepers' Salaries. | Totals. | Totals during the Year 1867-8. | Remarks. |
|----------------------------|--|--|--------------------|------------|--------------------------------|--|
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | |
| Tiri Tiri ... | 40 3 6 | 151 9 7 | 340 0 0 | 531 13 1 | 582 7 3 | The expenditure on repairs and permanent stores during 1868-9 is exceptionally small. As explained in Appendix C. there are certain sums for freight which ought to be included to show the true expenditure for the year: a debt of £16 5s. has also been incurred (in Auckland) for oil for Tiri Tiri, owing to the non-arrival of the "Moss Trooper." The true total cost of the Lighthouse establishment for the past year may be estimated at £3,650 to £3,700. |
| Nelson ... | 1 2 6 | 48 19 1 | 180 0 0 | 230 1 7 | 334 0 9 | |
| Mana ... | 14 2 7 | 174 3 9½ | 340 0 0 | 528 6 4½ | 544 12 10 | |
| Pencarrow ... | 6 3 0 | 216 18 0 | 340 0 0 | 563 1 0 | 607 5 6 | |
| Godley Head | 10 6 0 | 111 3 7½ | 350 0 0 | 471 9 7½ | 582 10 0 | |
| Tairoa Head... | ... | 75 5 4 | 350 0 0 | 425 5 4 | 539 18 2 | |
| Dog Island ... | ... | 200 15 7 | 530 0 0 | 730 15 7 | 753 17 1 | |
| TOTALS ... | 71 17 7 | 978 15 0 | 2,430 0 0 | 3,480 12 7 | 4,456 14 6 | |
| Totals for year 1867-8 ... | 827 17 4 | 1,231 17 2 | 2,397 0 0 | 4,456 14 6 | ... | |

Appendix F.

RETURN of AMOUNT expended on MARINE SURVEYS during the Financial Year 1868-9.

| Nature of Expenditure. | Amount. | Remarks. |
|---|-------------|---|
| | £ s. d. | |
| Salary, Chief Surveyor | 620 0 0 | Including a bonus of £200, as explained in last report (Appendix D.) |
| „ Assistant Surveyor | 350 0 0 | |
| Wages of survey party | 235 1 7 | |
| Travelling allowances to officers and rations of men | 338 1 1 | |
| Purchase and repairs of instruments | 73 0 0 | |
| Steamer and other fares | 160 4 0 | |
| Repairs to boats, packing stores along the coast, and sundries | 282 15 9 | |
| Repairs to "St. Kilda" | 85 9 2 | |
| Total | 2,144 11 7 | Charged to Schedule B., Public Debts Act. |
| Total for Year 1867-8 | 4,747 5 10 | |
| Total as above | 2,144 11 7 | Expenditure in connection with the examination of Otago Bar, Hauraki Gulf, &c., charged against Marine Contingencies. |
| Travelling allowances | 68 11 1 | |
| Steamer fares | 3 4 0 | |
| Sundries | 6 12 8 | |
| Total | £2,222 18 8 | Total expended on Marine Surveys during 1868-9. |

NOTE.—The travelling expenses and allowances incurred in connection with the disjunct survey of Otago Bar, and the examination of the Hauraki Gulf, &c., which were undertaken at the express request of Commodore Lambert, C.B., were defrayed from the vote for Marine Contingencies, and are separately entered below.