RETURN

To an Address of the Legislative Assembly for a detailed account of all moneys paid by the Province for Criminal Prosecutions, during the period extending from 1st April, 1879, to 31st March, 1880.

By Command.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Minister of Finance.

Treasury,
17th April, 1880.

VII.—ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE (OTHER THAN SALARIES).

VOTE NO. 47.—PROSECUTION AND INTERPRETERS.

Return of Expenditure of Prosecutions and Interpreters, as brought to account at the Treasury, from 1st April, 1879, to 31st March, 1880.

☞ No expenditure on this account from 1st January, 1879, to 1st April.

TO WHOM PAID.	PARTICULARS OF SERVICES RENDERED.	CLASSIFICATION.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.
A. R. Robertson	Habeas Corpus *re* Playfair	Prosecutions.	$25 00	
Do.	Crown prosecutor at New Westminster and Clinton Assizes	do.	760 00	
Do.	Counsel fee, Regina *vs.* Lee Fook	do.	60 00	
J. F. McCreight.	Counsel fee, Regina *vs.* Lee Fook, Gilbert, Fletcher, and Verlin	do.	120 00	
Do.	Professional services	do.	208 20	
M. W. T. Drake.	Settling Indictment Regina *vs.* Adams	do.	5 00	
Do.	Brief, Regina *vs.* McDonald and Chang	do.	80 00	
C. J. Leggatt	Framing Indictment Regina *vs.* Anderson	do.	150 00	
Theo. Davie	Crown prosecutor, Regina *vs.* Johnson and Ah Foon	do.	500 00	
John Barnston	Counsel fee, Prior *vs.* Dunsmuir	do.	10 00	
Jon. Nutt, J.P.	Expenses from Barkerville to Quesnelle to sit on case with A. Barlow, J.P.	do.	62 75	
J. Pawson, J.P.	Hearing fee, Prior *vs.* Dunsmuir	do.	1 00	$1,981 95
Sundry persons.	Interpreters to Courts, fees and travelling allowance	Interpreters.	252 00	252 00
Indian "George"	Special messenger from New Westminster to Yale with documents	Sundry.	25 00	25 00
Sundry persons.	Acting District Registrars, Messengers, canoe hire, erecting platform at Glenora for Supreme Court, Record Book for Court at Quesnelle, &c., &c	do.	23 75	23 75
Sundry persons.	Horse and buggy hire, keep of horses, board and lodging for Solicitor travelling on Circuit	Solicitor on Circuit.	300 00	*300 00
				$2,582 70

*NOTE.—The last item—"Expenses of Solicitor on Circuit"—although appearing under the head of "Prosecutions and Interpreters," is not properly a charge against this account. The Solicitor being an officer of the Government, any authorized expenditure while travelling in connection with his office should be brought to account under the head of "TRANSPORT—Travelling expenses of Officers on duty"—which has been done since 1st January, 1880.

J. McB. SMITH,
Auditor.

Audit Office,
16th April, 1880.