

488. Particulars of the operations of the Meteorological Service, which has such an intimate connection with the welfare of our sailors and our ships, are given on p. 17.

489. The following is a general summary of the expenditure of this Department during the year ended 30th June, 1889. The expenditure in 1888 amounted to \$883,250; there was, therefore, an increase of \$140,551. If, however, the exceptional expenditure of \$143,595 on the construction of the steamer "Stanley" is deducted, there was a decrease of \$3,044 :—

EXPENDITURE OF DEPARTMENT OF MARINE, 1889.

Departmental salaries .....	\$ 34,549
Maintenance of lights .....	478,514
Construction of " .....	31,753
Dominion steamers .....	270,225
Examination of masters and mates .....	4,381
Marine hospitals .....	52,332
Meteorological service .....	59,477
Signal service .....	5,092
Rewards for saving life .....	5,503
Georgian Bay survey .....	17,808
Water police .....	31,647
Steamboat inspection .....	22,313
Winter mail service, Prince Edward Island .....	1,842
Miscellaneous .....	13,453
Total .....	<u>\$1,023,801</u>

490. The revenue for the same year amounted to \$99,940, made up of the following items :—

REVENUE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MARINE, 1889.

Earnings of Dominion Steamers .....	\$16,367
Examination of Masters and Mates .....	2,582
Fines and Forfeitures .....	250
Harbours and Piers .....	5,598
Harbour Police .....	19,688
Improvements of Harbours .....	10
Sick Mariners Fund .....	39,306
Steamboat Inspection .....	12,624
Marine Hospitals .....	2,124
Casual Revenue .....	1,391
	<u>\$99,940</u>

Revenue of Marine Department, 1889.