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Board of Trade, Whitehall, December 11, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following copy of the Balance Sheet of the Receipts and Expenditure of the European Commission of the Danube, for the year 1865, which they hereby publish, in accordance with Article 16 of the Danube Navigation Act of the 2nd November, 1865:—

STATEMENT of the Receipts and Expenditure of the European Commission of the Danube, during the year 1865, prepared in execution of Article 16 of the Public Act signed at Galatz the 2nd November, 1865.

RECEIPTS.

	Ducats.	Ps.	P.
Surplus of income of 1864 in hand 1st January, 1865	37,607	32	13
Net produce of the navigation dues levied at the Sulina Mouth in 1865*	70,541	30	11
Produce of the sale of different materials	7,627	30	33
Interest on disposable capital deposited in current account, and miscellaneous receipts	1,628	28	22
Total receipts	117,405	29	39

* For details see below.

EXPENDITURE.

TITLE I.—ADMINISTRATION.

Chapter 1.—Internal Administration.

At Galatz	5,636	07	28
At Toultscha	1,293	06	28
At Sulina	1,318	18	01
Expenses common to these three sections	968	35	06

Chapter 2.—Police and Navigation Establishments.

General inspection of the navigation	3,345	04	12
Harbour Master's Department at Sulina	3,823	18	23
Navigation Cash Office	1,850	08	21
Seaman's Hospital	1,426	11	32

Total expenditure on administration 19,661 18 31

TITLE II.—TECHNICAL SERVICE AND WORKS.

Chapter 1.

Engineering Staff	3,757	22	36
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Chapter 2.

Surveys and establishment of bench marks in the Sulina Branch	691	18	21
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Chapter 3.

Maintenance of steam saw-mill at Toultscha	12	0	0
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Chapter 4.

Workshops, &c., at Sulina	639	05	32
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Chapter 5.

Works, properly so called:—

1. Completion of the St. George's Lighthouse	2,234	04	27
2. Works of improvement at the St. George's Chatal	5,217	16	35
3. Construction of a steam-boat quay at Sulina	3,514	21	31
4. Strengthening the heads of the piers at the Sulina Mouth	1,229	42	16
5. Building three workmen's cottages at Sulina	1,080	29	11
6. Purchase of materials for probable prolongation of the South Pier	4,126	28	30
7. Steam dredging	2,558	08	07
8. Hand dredging	798	11	33
9. Maintenance of buoys, bollards, &c.	2,829	02	16
10. Enlarging cemetery at Sulina	13	39	34
11. Preparatory expenses for new seaman's hospital	138	12	15

Chapter 6.

Works of maintenance:—

Repairs to the piers at the Sulina Mouth	11,626	44	10
Repairs of works in the Sulina Branch	604	11	03

Chapter 7.

Purchase of materials and plant in general	8,987	40	04
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Total of technical expenditure 50,059 39 01