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Proceedings, 27th April 1896, No. 76.

*Famine-relief works.—Reviewing the programme of— for 1896-97 submitted by the Collector of the Trichinopoly district.*

Form C.—Abstract of programme of famine-relief works in the Trichinopoly district for the year 1896-97—cont.

| Road works—cont.        |          |          | Miscellaneous works.   |          |         |          |        |          |         |                   | Grand Total. |           | Works for which estimates are ready. |  |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|------------------------|----------|---------|----------|--------|----------|---------|-------------------|--------------|-----------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Taluk.                  | Repairs. |          | Drinking water supply. |          | Others. |          | Total. |          | Number. | Approximate cost. | Number.      | Cost.     |                                      |  |
|                         | Number.  | Amount.  | Number.                | Amount.  | Number. | Amount.  |        |          |         |                   |              |           |                                      |  |
|                         |          |          |                        |          |         |          |        |          |         |                   |              |           |                                      |  |
|                         | 16       | 17       | 18                     | 19       | 20      | 21       | 22     | 23       | 24      | 25                | 26           | 27        |                                      |  |
| Udaiyarpalaiyam .. .. . | 15       | 1,78,946 | ..                     | ..       | ..      | ..       | ..     | ..       | 2       | 5,300             | 2            | 5,300     |                                      |  |
|                         | 4        | 400      | ..                     | ..       | ..      | ..       | ..     | ..       | 18      | 2,08,376          | 13           | 1,68,246  |                                      |  |
|                         | ..       | ..       | 82                     | 20,850   | 167     | 33,560   | 249    | 54,410   | ..      | 407               | ..           | ..        |                                      |  |
|                         | ..       | ..       | ..                     | ..       | 87      | 12,825   | 87     | 12,825   | ..      | 12,825            | ..           | ..        |                                      |  |
| Total for the taluk ..  | 19       | 1,79,346 | 82                     | 20,850   | 254     | 46,385   | 336    | 67,235   | 514     | 3,61,061          | 15           | 1,73,546  |                                      |  |
| District total .. .. .  | 90       | 7,75,532 | ..                     | ..       | ..      | ..       | ..     | ..       | 16      | 33,700            | 16           | 33,700    |                                      |  |
|                         | 6        | 2,100    | ..                     | ..       | 1,330   | 5,13,157 | 2,081  | 7,42,713 | 153     | 10,20,542         | 78           | 7,75,352  |                                      |  |
|                         | ..       | ..       | ..                     | ..       | 662     | 1,06,325 | 662    | 1,06,325 | 2,996   | 12,99,094         | 388          | 2,52,703  |                                      |  |
| Grand total .. .. .     | 96       | 7,77,632 | 751                    | 2,29,166 | 2,007   | 6,22,982 | 2,758  | 8,52,138 | 3,827   | 24,68,661         | 482          | 10,61,756 |                                      |  |

| Taluk.                        | Population by last census. | Maximum number of persons for whom relief may be required daily in the event of serious famine. | Persons provided for by relief works daily for three months.                                               |                                                  |                                 |                        | Irrigation works.                        |                           |                                       |                            | Forest-fencing works.              |                            | Road works.                  |                                    |         |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------|
|                               |                            |                                                                                                 | Class of work.                                                                                             | Number provided for on.                          | Total percentage of population. | New.                   |                                          | Repairs.                  |                                       | Number.                    | Amount.                            | Number.                    | Amount.                      | New.                               |         |
|                               |                            |                                                                                                 |                                                                                                            |                                                  |                                 | Number.                | Amount.                                  | Number.                   | Amount.                               |                            |                                    |                            |                              | Number.                            | Amount. |
| 1                             | 2                          | 3                                                                                               | 4                                                                                                          | 5                                                | 6                               | 7                      | 8                                        | 9                         | 10                                    | 11                         | 12                                 | 13                         | 14                           | 15                                 |         |
| Udaiyarpalayam.               | 290                        | 581                                                                                             | Large—<br>Sanctioned ..<br>Not sanctioned ..<br>Small ..<br>Land improvements ..<br>Total for the taluk .. | 706<br>27,783<br>17,936<br>1,710<br>48,135       |                                 | 1<br>3<br>3<br>..<br>7 | 2,000<br>29,430<br>5,750<br>..<br>37,180 | 1<br>..<br>88<br>..<br>99 | 3,300<br>..<br>29,062<br>..<br>32,362 | ..<br>..<br>34<br>..<br>84 | ..<br>..<br>16,663<br>..<br>16,603 | ..<br>..<br>19<br>..<br>19 | ..<br>..<br>203<br>..<br>203 | ..<br>..<br>28,275<br>..<br>28,275 |         |
| Grand total for the district. | 1,873                      | 274-5                                                                                           | Large—<br>Sanctioned ..<br>Not sanctioned ..<br>Small ..<br>Land improvements ..<br>Total for the taluk .. | 4,491<br>136,071<br>172,538<br>14,042<br>321,142 | 23-83                           | 48                     | 1,39,280                                 | 624                       | 3,34,253                              | 122                        | 57,875                             | 179                        | 1,008½                       | 2,97,483                           |         |

\* In thousands.

| Taluk.          | Road works—cont. |         |                        |         | Miscellaneous works. |         |         |          |         |                   | Grand total. |       | Works for which estimates are ready. |          |     |          |
|-----------------|------------------|---------|------------------------|---------|----------------------|---------|---------|----------|---------|-------------------|--------------|-------|--------------------------------------|----------|-----|----------|
|                 | Repairs.         |         | Drinking water supply. |         | Others.              |         | Total.  |          |         |                   |              |       |                                      |          |     |          |
|                 | Number.          | Amount. | Number.                | Amount. | Number.              | Amount. | Number. | Amount.  | Number. | Approximate cost. | Number.      | Cost. |                                      |          |     |          |
|                 |                  |         |                        |         |                      |         |         |          |         |                   |              |       | 16                                   | 17       | 18  | 19       |
| Trichinopoly .. | ..               | 47      | 3,08,375               | ..      | ..                   | ..      | 15      | 4,100    | ..      | 15                | 4,100        | ..    | 10                                   | 25,630   | 10  | 25,630   |
|                 | ..               | ..      | ..                     | 48      | 19,000               | ..      | 362     | 1,46,640 | ..      | 410               | 1,64,640     | ..    | 87                                   | 4,52,895 | 35  | 3,09,295 |
|                 | ..               | ..      | ..                     | ..      | ..                   | ..      | ..      | ..       | ..      | ..                | ..           | ..    | 897                                  | 2,95,681 | 14  | 3,320    |
| Total ..        | ..               | 47      | 3,08,375               | 48      | 19,000               | ..      | 377     | 1,49,740 | ..      | 425               | 1,98,740     | ..    | 924                                  | 7,74,206 | 59  | 3,38,245 |
| Muziri ..       | ..               | 11      | 70,759                 | ..      | ..                   | ..      | ..      | ..       | ..      | ..                | ..           | ..    | 1                                    | 1,070    | 1   | 1,070    |
|                 | ..               | 2       | 1,700                  | 121     | 36,806               | ..      | 276     | 1,06,047 | ..      | 397               | 1,42,853     | ..    | 13                                   | 72,859   | 12  | 72,859   |
|                 | ..               | ..      | ..                     | ..      | ..                   | ..      | 200     | 20,000   | ..      | 200               | 20,000       | ..    | 487                                  | 2,54,549 | 83  | 26,824   |
| Total ..        | ..               | 13      | 72,459                 | 121     | 36,806               | ..      | 476     | 1,26,047 | ..      | 597               | 1,62,853     | ..    | 671                                  | 3,18,478 | 96  | 1,00,253 |
| Kulittalai ..   | ..               | 11      | 1,38,368               | ..      | ..                   | ..      | ..      | ..       | ..      | ..                | ..           | ..    | 3                                    | 1,700    | 3   | 1,700    |
|                 | ..               | ..      | ..                     | 100     | 50,000               | ..      | 157     | 1,53,252 | ..      | 267               | 2,03,252     | ..    | 22                                   | 1,95,368 | 12  | 1,43,268 |
|                 | ..               | ..      | ..                     | ..      | ..                   | ..      | 200     | 20,000   | ..      | 200               | 20,000       | ..    | 322                                  | 2,47,188 | 291 | 2,22,659 |
| Total ..        | ..               | 11      | 1,38,368               | 100     | 50,000               | ..      | 357     | 1,73,252 | ..      | 457               | 2,23,252     | ..    | 547                                  | 4,64,256 | 306 | 3,70,627 |
| Perambalur ..   | ..               | 6       | 79,084                 | ..      | ..                   | ..      | ..      | ..       | ..      | ..                | ..           | ..    | ..                                   | ..       | 6   | 79,084   |
|                 | ..               | ..      | ..                     | 400     | 1,02,500             | ..      | 368     | 75,058   | ..      | 768               | 1,77,558     | ..    | 13                                   | 91,044   | ..  | ..       |
|                 | ..               | ..      | ..                     | ..      | ..                   | ..      | 175     | 52,500   | ..      | 175               | 52,500       | ..    | 988                                  | 3,97,116 | ..  | ..       |
| Total ..        | ..               | 6       | 79,084                 | 400     | 1,02,500             | ..      | 543     | 1,27,558 | ..      | 943               | 2,30,058     | ..    | 1,171                                | 5,40,660 | 6   | 79,084   |

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE  
(REVENUE SETTLEMENT, LAND RECORDS AND AGRICULTURE).

READ—letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly, dated 31st March 1896, Dis. No. 566-Rev.

ABSTRACT.—Submitting three lists of the programme of famine-relief works for 1896-97.

RESOLUTION—dated 27th April 1896, No. 76.

The abstract of the programme of famine-relief works for 1896-97, received from the Collector of Trichinopoly, will be submitted for the information of Government.

2. The programme provides for the construction of 48 new irrigation works at a cost of 1.39 lakh and for repairs to existing irrigation works to cost 3.34 lakhs; forest-fencing works at .58 lakh; for the construction of 1,008 miles of new roads to cost 2.97 lakhs and repairs to the old ones, 7.78 lakhs; for works intended to improve the supply of drinking water to cost 2.29 lakhs and other miscellaneous works, 6.23 lakhs. The last item incudes a sum of Rs. 1,05,325 to be advanced under the Land Improvement Loans Act. The total provision amounts to Rs. 24,58,661 and the works are estimated to be sufficient to provide employment for three months in a period of distress to nearly 24 per cent. of the total population of the district. The provision made is generally adequate, except in the Musiri and Udaiyarpalaiyam taluks, where it requires amplification.

3. Detailed estimates are stated to be ready for works to cost Rs. 10,61,755 or 43 per cent. of the total provision exclusive of the land improvement works for which no estimates are required.

4. The proportion of the sanctioned to the unsanctioned large works is as 3 to 100. The Collector is requested to report in consultation with the Public Works Department what steps have been taken to give effect to the instructions conveyed in the circular letter from the Government of India communicated with Board's Proceedings, No. 360, dated 6th September 1894.

| Trichinopoly Taluk.                                                                                  | Cost.<br>RS. |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| Construction of a masonry groyne and training wall at Kuttam limits in the Coleroon left bank ... .. | 12,600       |

5. It seems doubtful whether the marginally-noted work can provide much employment for unskilled labourers, such as require relief during a period of distress. If it cannot, it is out of place in the present programme. This work, together with the Kulittalai-Kattuvvari project and the raising of the Coleroon left bank in the Udaiyarpalaiyam taluk, which would cost Rs. 8,000 and Rs. 26,000, respectively, has been shown under unsanctioned irrigation works. It should be reported whether they have been investigated and what progress has been made in regard to the preparation of detailed estimates for them. It should also be reported whether the silt clearance works to cost Rs. 63,000 in the Trichinopoly taluk to be executed by the ordinary District Revenue staff and other such works shown in the programme have the approval of the Public Works Department. This information should, in future, be furnished in the remarks column of statement A.

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