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15th June 1864.**

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Dated 15th June 1864, No. 1,733.

1. From the Administration Report of the Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts for the past official year the Government observe that of the outlay on Public Works in 1861-62, 1862-63 and 1863-64, so large a sum as Rupees 51,82,948 remain still unadjusted by bills.

2. The unadjusted expenditure in each District is given in the following Statement:—

Districts.	1861-62.	1862-63.	1863-64.	Total.
<i>First.</i>	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Ganjam.	80	705	86,121	86,906
Vizagapatam	224	11,949	1,25,404	1,37,577
Godavery.	12,301	31,966	4,22,578	4,66,845
Upper Godavery.	4,529	5,38,374	...	5,42,903
	17,134	5,82,994	6,34,103	12,34,231
<i>Second.</i>				
Kistna	79,672	2,50,893	3,00,178	6,30,743
Nellore.	9,926	59,914	1,58,941	2,28,781
	89,598	3,10,807	4,59,119	8,59,524
<i>Third.</i>				
Cuddapah.	1,035	3,777	1,06,220	1,11,032
Bellary.	6	9,524	1,44,264	1,53,794
Kurnool.	82	299	32,114	32,495
	1,123	13,600	2,82,598	2,97,321
<i>Fourth.</i>				
North Arcot	155	11,658	1,48,498	1,60,311
Madras.	7,415	38,154	1,97,321	2,42,890
Presidency.	29,303	1,42,120	4,99,659	6,71,082
	36,873	1,91,932	8,45,478	10,74,283
<i>Fifth.</i>				
South Arcot	...	...	77,478	77,424
Salem	...	...	90,603	91,187
Bangalore.	550	7,024	1,13,222	1,20,796
	550	7,608	2,31,249	2,89,407
<i>Sixth.</i>				
Tanjore.	24,946	38,350	2,03,915	2,67,211
Trichinopoly	3,659	444	1,97,574	2,01,677
	28,605	38,794	4,01,489	4,68,888
<i>Seventh.</i>				
Coimbatore.	22,787	47,390	2,67,433	3,37,610
Wellington.	...	16,046	...	16,046
Malabar.	3,724	40,225	2,39,728	2,83,677
South Canara... ..	4,925	10,923	66,390	82,238
	31,436	1,14,584	5,73,551	7,19,571
<i>Eighth.</i>				
Madura.	846	4,534	1,06,223	1,11,603
Tinnevely.	...	1,229	1,26,911	1,28,140
	846	5,763	2,33,134	2,39,743
Total	2,06,165	12,66,082	37,10,721	51,82,948

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3. The existence of these large balances can only be accounted for by want of system, on the part of the Officers concerned, in the preparation of bills as they become due. The Government resolve to call the attention of the Superintending Engineers to the subject, and to request that every effort may be used to clear off the arrears without further delay.

4. The Controller will be requested to submit a Quarterly Statement showing the progress made in the adjustment of the expenditure incurred in the years above mentioned.

(True Extract.)
(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.
„ Superintending Engineers.

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following Statement.*

	1861/62	1862/63	1863/64	Total
1 st				
Ganjam	180	705	86121	86906
Vizagapatnam	224	11949	125404	137577
Godavari	12301	31966	422578	466845
Upper Godavari	4529	538374	"	542903
2 nd	17134	582994	634103	1234231
Pishin	79672	250893	300178	630743
Sellore	9926	59941	158941	228781
3 rd	89598	310807	459119	859524
Quelapah	1035	3777	106220	111032
Bellary	6	9524	144264	153794
Kurnool	82	299	32114	32495
4 th	1123	13600	282598	297321
North Arcot	156	11658	148498	160311
Madras	7415	38154	197321	242890
Presidency	29303	142120	499659	671082
5 th	36873	191932	845478	1074283
South Arcot	"	"	77478	77424
Palani	"	"	99603	91187
Bangalore	550	7024	113222	120796
6 th	550	7608	281249	289407
Canjore	24946	38350	203915	267211
Trichinopoly	3659	444	197574	201677
7 th	28685	38794	401489	468868
Coimbatore	22787	47390	267433	337610
Maltington	"	16046	"	16046
Malabar	3724	40225	239728	283677
South Canara	4925	10923	66390	82268
8 th	37456	114584	573531	719571
Madura	846	4534	106223	111603
Chinnally	"	1229	126911	128140
9 th	846	5783	233134	239743
Total	206165	1266082	3710721	5182948

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To The Controller & Auditor of the Accounts of Superintending Engineers.

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