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Proceedings of the Madras Government. Public Works Department,
15th June 1875.

No. 340. Read the followng Proceedings of the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Account—General,) dated Simla, 26th May 1875, No. 317-29 A.—G. :—

Final grants for Public Works of the Post Office Department for 1875-76.

Read again the following papers :—

Public Works Department Resolution Nos. 774—91 A.—G., dated 18th December 1874.
Orders on the several Budget Estimates for 1875-76.

RESOLUTION.—Orders having now been passed on the several Budget Estimates for 1875-76, in which certain changes have been made in the grants previously allowed for Postal works, it is now considered desirable to bring together, in one Resolution, the grants finally passed for Public Works of the Post Office Department for 1875-76. In this view the following detail of the sums finally allowed for Postal works in Provinces to which the Provincial arrangements apply, compared with the amounts originally passed, is given as likely to be of use for reference during the year :—

	Amount of Estimate.	Computed Expenditure up to end of 1874-75.	Grant, 1875-76.	
			As originally allowed.	As finally passed.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
MAJOR WORKS.				
Madras—				
Post Office at Madras	...	...	50,000	...
Ditto at Cuddalore	...	...	4,000	4,000
	...	...	54,000	4,000
Bombay—				
Post Office at Hooblee	3,500	...	3,500	3,500
Ditto at Moodagode	5,164	...	3,500	3,500
	...	...	7,000	7,000
Bengal—				
Constructing a 3rd-class Post Office at Jeypore ...	7,000	...	7,000	7,000
Ditto a 4th ditto at Beerbhoom ...	4,300	...	4,300	4,300
	...	...	11,300	11,300
North-Western Provinces—				
New 4th-class Post Office at Bijnour ...	3,844	...	3,900	3,800
Ditto ditto at Banda ...	5,599	...	5,700	5,600
	...	...	9,600	9,400
Punjab—				
New Post Office at Dera Ghazee Khan ..	...	...	5,000	5,000
Central Provinces—				
Constructing a 5th-class Post Office at Puchmurree ...	6,000	...	6,000	6,000
Ditto a 6th ditto at Wurrora ...	3,500	...	3,500	3,500
Ditto a 6th ditto at Belaspoor ...	4,800	...	4,800	4,800
	...	...	14,300	14,300
British Burmah—				
Post Office at Bassein	3,383	...	3,400	3,400
	...	...	3,400	3,400

	Amount of Estimate.	Computed Expenditure up to end of 1874-75.	Grant, 1875-76. As originally allowed.	Grant, 1875-76. As finally passed.
Major Works.—(*Concluded.*)	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Oudh—				
New 3rd-class Post Office at Baraich	...	...	4,000	4,000
Ditto ditto at Barabunkee	...	...	4,000	4,000
	...	...	8,000	8,000
Assam—				
Constructing Post Office at Goalparah	5,499	3,000	3,500	2 500
Ditto ditto at Debroghur	...	...	500	...
Ditto ditto at Shillong	...	...	2,000	...
	...	...	6,000	2,500
Total, Major Works ...	...	...	1,18,600	64,900

2. The only reduction of consequence made in the grants, as finally passed, is the disallowance of the sum of Rupees 50,000 for a Post Office building at Madras, the allotment for which was struck out in consequence of there being no sanctioned estimate for the work, and in order to admit of the grant for Irrigation Works being increased.

3. For the Provinces to which the Provincial Fund arrangements do not apply, the following grants for Post Offices have been allowed :—

	Amount of Estimate.	Computed Expenditure up to end of 1874-75.	Grant, 1875-76. As originally allowed.	Grant, 1875-76. As finally passed.
Major Works.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Central India.				
Post Office at Morar	4,247	...	...	4,500
Ditto at Sutna	2,587	...	...	2,500
Total, Major Works ...	...	..	...	7,000

4. The total grants allowed for 1875-76 under the head of Major Works, Minor Works, and Repairs are shown in the following abstract :—

	Works. Major.	Works. Minor.	Works. Total.	Repairs.	Total.
Grants for Provinces to which the Provincial Fund arrangements apply—	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Madras	4,000	10,000	14,000	2,500	16,500
Bombay	7,000	10,000	17,000	6,900	23,900
Bengal	11,300	10,000	21,300	11,000	32,300
North-Western Provinces	9,400	5,200	14,600	11,000	25,600
Punjab	5,000	10,000	15,000	10,000	25,000
Central Provinces...	14,300	3,000	17,300	3,000	20,300
British Burmah	3,400	2,000	5,400	2,000	7,400
Oudh	8,000	5,000	13,000	3,300	16,300
Assam	2,500	4,000	6,500	600	7,100
Total ...	64,900	59,200	1,24,100	50,300	1,74,400

	Works. Major.	Works. Minor.	Works. Total.	Repairs.	Total.
Add for other Provinces to which the Provincial Fund arrangements do not apply—	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Central India	7,000	...	7,000	...	7,000
Hyderabad	..	(*a*)4,000	4,000	2,000	6,000
Rajpootana	..	...	...	1,200	1,200
Total ...	71,900	63,200	1,31,100	53,500	1,88,600

(*a*) Includes Rupees 1,000 for alterations and additions to the building at Secunderabad made over for the use of the Postal Department.

Order.—Ordered that this Resolution be communicated to the Financial Department for communication to the Director-General of Post Offices, India, and that a copy be forwarded to the several Governments and Administrations noted in the margin for information.

(Signed) C. H. DICKENS, Colonel, R.A.,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Governments of Madras, Bombay, Bengal, North-Western Provinces, and Punjab, Public Works Department.
Chief Commissioners, Central Provinces, British Burmah, Oudh and Assam.
Agents, Governor-General, Central India and Rajpootana.
Resident at Hyderabad.

No. 341. Order thereon, 15th June 1875, No. 1,688.

ACCOUNT, No. 13.

Communicated to the officers concerned in continuation of G. O., No. 995, dated 14th April 1875.

(True Extract.)

Major, R.E.,
Offg. Joint Secretary to Government.

To all Superintending and District Engineers.
To the Controller of Public Works Accounts.
„ Officiating Consulting Architect.
„ Public Department.

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CHIEF COMMISSIONERS, CENTRAL PROVINCES, BRITISH BURMAH, OUDH AND ASSAM.

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