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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
30th November 1875.*

No. 652. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 17th November 1875, No. 3,132 :—

Read the following letter from H. SEWELL, Esq., Acting Collector of Trichinopoly, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 12th October 1875, No. 258.

I HAVE the honor to report upon the progress made in the construction and repair of public works in this district during the official year 1874-75.

2. The annexed statement exhibits the expenditure incurred under the different heads as compared with the amount allotted in the budget and the expenditure of the preceding year :—

Description.	CURRENT YEAR'S EXPENDITURE AS COMPARED WITH THE BUDGET ALLOTMENT.				CURRENT YEAR'S EXPENDITURE AS COMPARED WITH THAT OF THE PRECEDING YEAR.			
	Budget Allotment.	Expenditure.	Increase.	Decrease.	Last Year.	Current Year.	Increase.	Decrease.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
<i>New Works.</i>								
Agricultural	4,000	3,758	...	242	4,851	3,758	...	1,093
Buildings { Military ...	26,341	25,315	...	1,026	15,279	25,315	10,036	...
{ Civil	1,16,915	1,97,071	...	9,841	31,585	1,07,071	72,486	...
Total, New Works...	1,47,256	1,36,144	...	11,112	54,715	1,36,144	82,522	1,093
Net	...	...	...	11,112	...	...	81,429	...
<i>Repairs.</i>								
Agricultural	1,14,000	1,13,682	...	318	51,632	1,13,682	62,050	...
Buildings { Military ...	17,431	12,827	...	4,604	13,240	12,827	...	413
{ Civil	3,067	2,152	...	615	2,012	2,152	...	...
Total, Repairs	1,34,498	1,28,961	...	5,537	66,884	1,28,961	62,490	413
Net	...	...	...	5,537	...	...	62,077	...
Grand Total	2,81,754	2,65,105	...	16,649	1,21,599	2,65,105	1,45,012	1,506
Net	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,43,506	...

3. The total expenditure fell short of the budget allotment by Rupees 16,649 and exceeded the expenditure of the preceding year by Rupees 1,43,506.

4. NEW WORKS—AGRICULTURAL.—The expenditure under this head amounts to Rupees 3,758. This sum was utilized in the construction of waste weirs, sluices, head-sluices, distribution sluices, or regulating dams and surplus weirs, &c., for tanks and channels.

5. BUILDINGS—MILITARY.—The expenditure under this head, amounting to Rupees 25,315, was laid out chiefly in the execution of the undermentioned works :—

(a.) Quarters for one Sub-Conductor and two Staff Serjeants of Ordnance Department completed. Estimate Rupees 14,400. Expenditure during the year Rs. 9,111.

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prescribed by Circular Memorandum, No. 1,678, dated 14th October 1874, has not been furnished.

3. The expenditure on Agricultural New Works was only Rupees 3,758, but Rupees 1,13,682 were laid out on repairs, a sum, Rupees 62,050, in excess of the previous year's outlay. A large number of irrigation channels and tanks were cleared, weirs improved, and sluices put in order; the allotment seems to have been well utilized, and out of 4,502 irrigation works in the district only 348 are reported to be out of order.

4. On Military Buildings Rupees 25,315 were expended on New Works chiefly in connection with the improvement of family quarters and provision of recreation rooms, and Rupees 12,847 on Repairs. The outlay on Civil Buildings, New Works, was Rupees 1,07,071, or Rupees 72,486 in excess of the previous year's expenditure.

1. Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry and Jail at Kulitalai. Several important works are reported to be either complete or approaching completion. The outlay on repairs was inconsiderable.

2. Alterations to the Nawab's Palace.
3. Deputy Tahsildar's Cutcherry at Toraiyur.
4. Sub-Jail and Lock-up at Kilapalur.
5. Deputy Collector's Cutcherry at Ariyalur.
6. Provision of Police and Jail accommodation at Jeyenkondasalaparam, Ariyalur, and District and Central Jails, Trichinopoly.

5. There was no expenditure from Imperial or Provincial Funds on Communications, and the Collector has not noticed the outlay from Local Funds. His attention is drawn to G.O., dated 16th July 1874, No. 1,174, Financial Department, in accordance with which some information on the subject should have been afforded.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Acting Sub-Secretary.

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COMMUNICATED to the District Engineer, Trichinopoly.

(True Extract.)

Major-General, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Trichinopoly.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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