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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
13th September 1876. No. 2,440.*

No. 189. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 28th
August 1876, No. 2,211 :—

ABSTRACT.—*Public Works in Cuddapah District.*—Submitting to Government, with
Board's views, Collector's report on — for official year ending 31st March 1876.

No. 190. ORDER THEREON, 13th September 1876, No. 2,440.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 10.

COMMUNICATED to the District Engi-
neer, Cuddapah.

(True Extract.)

Colonel,
Offg. Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the District Engineer, Cuddapah.

P.W.D.
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In a letter from the
Director of Psychiatry
dated 10 July 1976 at 178
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Progress of Public Works in the District of Cuddapah.

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The major heads to which the work relates.	Whether new works or repairs and by what Department the work was executed.	1874-75.			1875-76		Expenditure
		Budget or Estimated Expenditure	Actual Expenditure		Budget or Estimated Expenditure	Actual Expenditure	
			Originally sanctioned	Revised Estimate			
1	2.	3	4	5	6	7	8
	<u>Imperial.</u>	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Irrigation	New Works { Public Works Department	4,000	6,000	6,630	12,000	7,000	5,040
	Repairs { Revenue Department	65,000	50,000	54,278	60,000	48,000	44,561
Buildings	New Works { Public Works Department	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Repairs { Revenue Department	70	70	13	"	19	19
Communication	New Works { Public Works Department	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Repairs { Revenue Department	"	"	"	"	"	"
	<u>Provincial.</u>						
Communication	New Works { Public Works Department	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Repairs { Revenue Department	"	"	"	"	"	"
Buildings	New Works { Public Works Department	21,600	27,713	27,615	22,770	19,160	19,002
	Repairs { Revenue Department	2,900	6,665	8,097	2,100	3,056	3,344
	<u>Local Funds.</u>						
Communications	New Works { Public Works Department	43,000	69,040	53,069	40,040	68,106	63,637
	Repairs { Other Agency	94,240	105,322	97,705	81,130	96,237	93,078
Educational	New Works { Public Works Department	"	"	"	"	"	"
	Repairs { Other Agency	361	361	356	"	"	"
Sanitary and Miscellaneous	New Works { Public Works Department	6,850	16,379	8,833	"	9,218	5,679
	Repairs { Other Agency	3,000	5,077	4,628	5,000	5,000	4,673
Total.	New Works { Public Works Department	74,950	121,132	106,147	77,810	103,474	93,358
	Repairs { Other Agency	165,571	177,495	166,077	1,48,230	1,51,311	1,45,692
Grand Total		240,521	298,627	271,224	2,26,040	2,54,785	2,39,050

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Cuddapah Collector's
Office 10 July 1876
Depy. Secy.

Ramakrishna
Deputy Collector
for Acting Collector

List of works in progress in the District of Cuddapah during the year 1876-77 showing the original works, the Estimates for which exceed Rupees 1000 and Repairs, the Estimates for which exceed Rs 2500.

Name of the work.	Amount of Estimate	Date of Estimate	Expended during year.	Expended during year.	Remarks.
<u>Original Works</u>	No.				
<u>Cuddapah Circle.</u>					
1. Construction of a road from Proddatur to Sundialumpally between Proddatur and Mysore 12 miles.	71500	Government Order No. 198 of 1876 dated 15th August 1876	55026	2665	
2. Completing the unmade portion of the road from Cuddapah to Vaniyally 10 miles and 14232 yards.	11940	Board's Resolution No. 25 of 1876 dated 14th September 1876	5597	470	
3. Completing Corby's Grant.			506	10750	The Revenue Board have called for an estimate. Their Report of 1876 has been sent to the Government. No estimate has yet been submitted.
4. Completing that piece of the Road from North Street to Bellary 70 miles.	50000	Government Order No. 198 of 1876 dated 15th August 1876			
5. Constructing Road from Bellary Station to the top of Mallialalpet 6400.	40000	Government Order No. 198 of 1876 dated 15th August 1876	32515	725	
6. Constructing Road from Chittoor to Tummal and Cuddapah 4100.					Estimate not submitted for want of funds.
7. Road from Cuddapah to Cumbum via Chittoor and Cuddapah.					No estimate has been as yet prepared.
8. Constructing Road from Chittoor to Tummal via Cuddapah and Sandial 13300.		Government Order No. 198 of 1876 dated 15th August 1876	13069	129	
9. Remodelling 5 miles of Bellary road.	7600	Government Order No. 198 of 1876 dated 15th August 1876	5768	1469	
10. Remodelling portion of road at Bellary or Mallialalpet.	2570	Board's Resolution No. 25 of 1876 dated 14th September 1876	910	761	

Same of work	Amount of Estimate	Date of sanction	Expenditure up to the end of the year	Expenditure during the year	Remarks	Same of work	Amount of Estimate	Date of sanction	Expenditure up to the end of the year	Expenditure during the year	Remarks
<u>Original Works. / Continued</u>						<u>Original Works / Continued</u>					
<u>Cuddapah Circle / Continued</u>						<u>Madanapally / Continued</u>					
11. Trunk Road No. 17. Reinstating 189 and 190 miles	2570	Board's Proceedings No. 228281 of 27 November 1874	168	101		7. Road Dam on the Rajampett Road at 1 st mile 7 furlong from Rajachetty	1220	Board's Proceedings No. 27899 of 9 April 1876		68	
12. Tracing Road from Moodanoor to Kadiri via Walliala Ghant and Pulimudala that brackets top of Walliala Ghant and foot of Coorly Ghant 20 miles	2000		725	428		8. Graveling road from Madanapally to Myanapur	1440	No. 1634 of 18 January 1874		1287	
13. Constructing 2. Tunnel on the road from Cuddapah to the front	2160		1945	205		9. A Culvert over the Sullab Bunda Vanka 49 miles 3 rd furlong on Trunk Road No. 18	1440	No. 2567 of 24 January 1874		102	
14. Bellary Road Emergency Cuddapah Taluk	22400	Board's Proceedings No. 26299 of 25 April 1876	3374	16866		10. A. S. Culvert of 7 Vents and forming the road in the bed of the Chittoor Chumayam Kanku	1700	No. 2969 of 8 October 1876		1699	
15. Trunk Road No. 17 Emergency	2999		1350	42		11. A Tunnel of 8 Vents across Sullab at 7 miles 4 furlong of Trunk Road No. 18	2520	No. 2046 of 7 March 1876			+ Revenue Board's Proceedings was sent to District Engineer on the 22 nd March 1876.
16. Landing Road from Cuddapah to Yerazumta	4570	Supplemental Budget for 1876-77	2267	1397							
17. Bellary Road Emergency Jammalamadugu Taluk	6360	No. 22 of 24 April 1876		3046							
18. Constructing 8 Vents Tunnel on the road from Kudrail to the front	1460	Board's Proceedings No. 22237 of 23 March 1876		727							
<u>Original Works</u>						<u>Madanapally Circle</u>					
1. Metalling mile of Trunk Road No. 18	4090	Board's Proceedings No. 27609 of 1 March 1876		6416							
2. Dr. - Ungallu to Rajachetty	4000			2726							
3. Causeway along the Pampar river and Trunk Road No. 18	3180	No. 20543 of 22 October 1876	263	404							
4. Road from Gurnamcondala to Piddapally	8600	No. 22553 of 15 February 1876	1053	1460							
5. A. Culvert of 7 Vents on 1 st mile 4 furlong of Trunk Road No. 18	1220	No. 22155 of 10 January 1876									
6. Causeway on 7 furlong 154 mile of Trunk Road No. 18	1240	No. 22463 of 13 May 1876	74	1060							

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Cuddapah Collect Office
10th July 1876
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No. 2,211.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 28th August 1876.

Read the following letter from J. D. B. GRIBBLE, Esq., Acting Collector of Cuddapah, to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 10th July 1876, No. 178:—

I HAVE the honor to submit my report on the Public Works for the official year ending 31st March 1876, together with the Statement called for in Circular Memorandum, No. 1,678, dated 14th October 1874, as modified by Circular Memorandum, No. 2,044, dated 7th December 1875, and also a list of all Local Fund Original Works and Repairs the estimates of which exceed Rupees 1,000 and Rupees 2,500 respectively.

2. The total expenditure under the several heads during the year under review was, as detailed in the subjoined statement, Rupees 93,358 on New Works and Rupees 1,45,692 on Repairs, making in aggregate Rupees 2,39,050, which amount, as compared with the expenditure of the preceding year, is short by Rupees 32,174.

This decrease is chiefly to be attributed to the shortness of provision in the Budget grant for the current year:—

Particulars.	1874-75		1875-76.		COMPARISON.			
	Allotment.	Expenditure.	Allotment.	Expenditure.	Allotment.		Expenditure.	
					Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
<i>Imperial.</i>	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Irrigation ... { New Works	6,000	6,630	7,000	5,040	1,000			1,590
... { Repairs	60,000	54,278	48,000	44,561		12,000		9,717
Buildings... { Repairs	70	13	19	19		51		6
Total...	66,070	63,921	55,019	49,620	1,000	12,051	6	11,307
<i>Provincial.</i>								
Buildings ... { New Works	29,713	37,615	19,150	19,002		10,563		18,613
... { Repairs	6,665	8,097	3,055	3,344		3,610		4,753
Total...	36,378	45,712	22,205	22,346		14,173		23,366
<i>Local Funds.</i>								
Communications ... { New Works	69,040	53,069	68,106	63,637		934	10,568	
... { Repairs	1,05,822	97,705	95,237	93,078		10,085		4,627
Educational ... { Repairs	361	356		17		361		339
Sanitary and Miscellaneous. { New Works	16,379	8,833	9,218	5,679		7,161		3,154
... { Repairs	5,077	4,623	5,900	4,673		77	45	
Total ..	1,96,179	1,64,591	1,77,561	1,67,084		18,618	10,613	8,120
Grand Total...	2,98,627	2,71,224	2,54,785	2,39,050	1,000	44,842	10,619	42,793

3. IMPERIAL—Irrigation.—Under this head the total grant for Irrigation works was Rupees 55,000, viz., Rupees 7,000 for New Works and Rupees 48,000 for Repairs. Only a sum of Rupees 19 was provided for repairs of buildings.

No provision was made under the head Communications.

4. New Works.—Of the sum of Rupees 7,000 sanctioned for new irrigation works, Rupees 5,040 were spent, leaving a balance of Rupees 1,960 unutilized in the several ranges as shown below:—

	RS.
Cuddapah Range	1,010
Sidhout Range	289
Madanapalli Range	661

The whole amount of Rupees 5,040 alluded to was spent on the following kinds of works, viz. :—

14 Waste weirs of tanks	RS.
19 Sluices of tanks	2,659
1 Surplus sluice or waste weir of a channel	2,303
	78
	5,040

Of these seven waste weirs, eleven sluices of tanks and one waste weir of a channel are reported to have been completed. It will be noticed that the whole amount has been spent on Minor Irrigation works.

5. **IMPERIAL—Irrigation Repairs.**—The total grant under this head was Rupees 48,000, of which the sum of Rupees 44,561 or 92 per cent. to the allotment was spent, leaving a balance of Rupees 3,439 unutilized in the several ranges as exhibited here :—

Cuddapah	RS.
Sidhout	75
Madanapalli	1,507
	1,857
	3,439

The following is a list showing the particulars of the work done under this head :—

Description of Work.	Number.	Amount expended.
Anicuts	3	RS. 2,286
Weirs	4	741
Embankments and Dykes	2	2,394
Sluices	13	1,335
Acqueducts	2	713
Channels	30	8,303
Tanks	94	24,285
Nanal planting	9	4,504
	157	44,561

The principal works carried out under this head are as shown in the following statement :—

Name of Work.	Estimate.	Amount spent up to date.	Allotment for the current year.	Amount spent during the current year.
1. Idapalapaya river channel	RS. 3,340	RS. 1,056	RS. 80	RS. 80
2. Pata Cuddapah tank	2,694	2,694	1,664	1,664
3. Kandukur tank calingulah	6,000	5,215	2,122	2,122
4. Poly tank	7,760	2,019	3,000	2,019
6. Rebuilding the revetment of Devasamudram tank				
6. Veerapalli tank weir	3,300	7	7	7
7. Maditadoo Chennagar tank breach		Not known.		2,777
		Do.		626

Of these works, the Idapalapaya channel has been in progress since 1872 and it has not been finished as yet. The delay in completing this work is attributed to the quantity of water.

This is one of the very important Irrigation channels in the Pulivendala Taluq and the early completion of the repairs is therefore very desirable.

The second work, Pata Cuddapah tank, has been completed.

3rd—*Kandukur Tank Calingulah.*—For this work, Rupees 2,122 were allotted in the current year, and the whole has been spent. The calingulah work has been nearly completed. The damage was caused in the heavy rains of 1874. The weir of this important tank was inspected by Colonels Mullins and Moberly in November last, and in consequence of the suggestion of the former, a revised estimate for the completion of the work is under preparation.

4th—*Poly Tank.*—For this work, Rupees 3,000 were allotted, of which only Rupees 2,019 were expended, leaving Rupees 981 to be spent.

The District Engineer observes however that the work is in fair progress.

5th—*Rebuilding the revetment of Devasamudram tank.*—For this work materials are under collection.

The last two works are in progress. The repairs to both were made necessary by the rains of 1874.

Last year	RS. 54,278
Current year	44,561
	9,717

The whole expenditure under this head, as compared with that of last year, is short by Rupees 9,717.

Budget Grant of 1874-75	RS. 60,000
Do. of 1875-76	48,000

This decrease arises from the Budget grant during the current year being smaller, but it will be noticed that the percentage of expenditure during 1875-76 is higher than that during 1874-75.

IMPERIAL BUILDINGS—Repairs.—Under this head no provision was made for any New Works. Only a sum of Rupees 19 was allotted for repairs, and it has been spent in full in repairing the Post Office at Cuddapah.

7. **Provincial.**—Under this head, provision was made only for buildings, viz. :—

New Works	RS. 19,150
Repairs	3,055
	22,205

Of the former Rupees 19,002 were spent, leaving a small sum of Rupees 148 unutilized. The expenditure under the repairs has been exceeded by Rupees 289. The total expenditure under this head as compared with that of the preceding year is short by Rupees 23,366; the expenditure however is in excess of the allotment.

8. **PROVINCIAL BUILDINGS—New Works.**—Under this head, the allotment for the year under review was Rupees 19,150 and nearly the whole amount has been expended. There is a large decrease under this head in the amount of expenditure as contrasted with last year. This decrease is owing to the shortness of provisions made in the Budget grant being as follows :—

Allotment for 1874-75	RS. 29,713
Do. for 1875-76	19,150

The principal works under this head are the Taluq Cutcherries and Subsidiary Jails, which are being constructed at Kadri, Madanapalli, and Jammalamadugu.

The subjoined Statement will show the total estimate, expenditure up to the last year, the allotment and expenditure for the current year regarding the same:—

Nature of the Work.	Estimate.	Expenditure up to last year.	Allotment for the current year.	Expenditure.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Taluq Cutcherry, &c., at Kadiri	24,200	21,525	4,152	2,477
Do. at Jammalamadugu	28,760	25,941	6,500	6,501
Do. at Madanapalli	29,888	22,142	5,000	6,970

These works are making very fair progress.

The expenditure for the Cutcherry and Subsidiary Jail at Madanapalli has exceeded the allotment for the current year by Rupees 1,970. This excess the District Engineer observes has been incurred in order to adjust bills for wood-work supplied by the General Superintendent of Public Works Workshops.

9. PROVINCIAL BUILDINGS—*Repairs*.—Under this head, the expenditure was Rupees 3,344, which is in excess of the grant, viz., Rupees 3,055, by Rupees 289.

Under this head also the Budget grant was short as compared with the last year, and hence there is a decrease in the expenditure. This sum of Rupees 3,344 was laid out on the repairs of twenty works, of which fifteen have been completed.

10. LOCAL FUNDS.—The total amount of Budget grant for the year under review under the several heads was Rupees 1,77,561 and the expenditure was Rupees 1,67,084, leaving a sum of Rupees 10,477 unexpended.

There is however an increase in the expenditure in the current year as compared with that of the last year, though the Budget allotment was short.

The whole grant and expenditure under the several minor heads are as follows:—

		Allotment.	Expenditure.
		RS.	RS.
Communications ... {	New Works	68,106	63,637
	Repairs	95,237	93,078
Educational ... {	Repairs		17
Sanitary and Miscellaneous ... {	New Works	9,218	5,679
	Repairs	5,000	4,673
Total ...		1,77,561	1,67,084

The subjoined statement will show the allotment and expenditure in both the Circles under the several heads during the year under review:—

Name of Circle.	COMMUNICATION.				EDUCATION.				SANITARY AND MISCELLANEOUS.				Total.	
	New Works.		Repairs.		New Works.		Repairs.		New Works.		Repairs (Avenue Establishment.)			
	Allotment.	Expenditure.	Allotment.	Expenditure.	Allotment.	Expenditure.	Allotment.	Expenditure.	Allotment.	Expenditure.	Allotment.	Expenditure.		
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.		
Cuddapah ...	30,886	40,725	42,090	43,101	...	...	...	17	5,480	3,749	2,000	1,676	81,056	88,208
Madanapalli.	87,220	22,912	52,547	49,977	...	...	...	...	3,738	2,930	3,000	2,997	96,595	78,816
Total ...	68,106	63,637	95,237	93,078	...	...	...	17	9,218	5,679	5,000	4,673	1,77,561	1,67,084

11. LOCAL FUND—*Communications, New Works, Cuddapah Circle*.—Under this head in the Cuddapah Circle, Rupees 30,886 were allotted for new works and the expenditure was Rupees 40,725, which is in excess of the grant by Rupees 9,839.

The principal works under this head are as shown in the following statement:—

Name of Work.	Estimate.	Expenditure up to 31st March 1876.	Allotment for the current year.	Expenditure in 1875-76.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Construction of a road from Proddatoor to Nandialempett between Proddatoor and Mydukoor.	71,500	59,477	5,000	4,445
2. Completing the new made portion of the road from Cuddapah to Venupalli.	11,940	6,070	6,343	473
3. Completing Coorly ghaut	...	11,236	...	10,730
4. Construction of a road from Chintakommadinna to Chittoor and Kurnool road.	4,100	3	1,600	...
5. Construction of a road from Cuddapah to Cumbum, via Sidhout and Badwail.	...	...	1,222	...
6. Construction of a road from Chittoor to Kurnool, via Cuddapah and Nundial.	13,300	13,197	242	139
7. Construction of a road from Mooddanoor station to the top of Malliala pass.	40,000	33,240	5,000	725
8. Remetalling five miles of the Bellary road.	7,600	6,928	1,832	1,160
9. Do. portion of road No. 8 or Nellore road.	2,570	986	1,660	76
10. Remetalling No. 17 road, 189th and 190th miles.	2,570	269	2,402	101
11. Remetalling Bellary road (emergent) ...	22,400	18,380	...	15,066
12. Do. Trunk Road No. 17	2,990	1,412	...	62
13. Sanding road from Proddatoor to Yerraguntla.	4,570	3,648	...	1,397
14. Sanding Bellary road (emergent) in Jammalamadugu Taluq.	6,350	3,046	...	3,046

The works Nos. 5 and 6 have not as yet been commenced.

The progress in the remaining works is very fair.

With reference to the work on the Coorly ghaut, the original grant, Rupees 8,000, sanctioned in the Budget for the year under review was transferred by the Board of Revenue to other works. But subsequently the work having been commenced, the sum of Rupees 10,730 was spent and approved by the Local Fund Board.

The work has now been stopped pending submission of an estimate for the sanction of the Government (*vide* Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, Miscellaneous No. 3,984, dated 15th May 1876).

12. LOCAL FUNDS—*Communications, New Works, Madanapalli Circle*.—Under this head the allotment in the Madanapalli Circle for New Works was Rupees 37,220, of which Rupees 22,912 were expended, leaving a balance of Rupees 14,308 unutilized.

The principal works under this head are as follows:—

Name of Work.	Estimate.	Expenditure up to date.	Allotment for the current year.	Expenditure.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1. Causeway across Paupagnee river and Trunk Road No. 18.	3,180	658	1,947	404
2. Metalling Trunk Road No. 18	4,090	5,415	6,630	5,415
3. Do. do. from Royachoty to Angaloo.	4,000	2,796	3,740	2,796

The first of these three has not as yet been commenced; materials are being collected.

Parts of the other two works are completed. The remaining portion is stopped for want of water.

The amount allotted for works the estimates of which are below Rupees 2,500 is Rupees 24,903, of this Rupees 14,298 were spent during the year.

Seven roads and eleven tunnels are reported to have been completed; twenty-four miles of road was made and improved.

The roads in the district are generally in a fair order, and show a marked improvement on what they were two or three years ago. Some of course are worse than others, but this is generally owing to exceptional circumstances, such as black cotton soil. Most of the sub-division roads have been inspected by me during the year and were in fair order, and I only recently went over a portion of Mr. Schoury's (the Sidhout Range Officer's) roads and found them in excellent order.

13. LOCAL FUNDS—*Communications, Repairs.*—The amount allotted under this head was Rupees 95,237 and the amount expended was Rupees 93,078, which leaves only Rupees 2,159 unspent.

Both the Budget grant and the expenditure under this head are short as compared with those of the preceding year. Under this head there are some works the estimate of which is above Rupees 2,700, but the whole being from maintenance grant a detailed list is not sent (*vide* Circular Memorandum, No. 2,044, dated 7th December 1875).

From the report of the District Engineer it would appear that six tunnels, six road dams, and 848 $\frac{3}{4}$ th miles of road were repaired.

14. LOCAL FUNDS—*Sanitation and Miscellaneous.*—Under this head the allotment and expenditure are as follows:—

	Allotment.	Expenditure.
	RS.	RS.
New Works	9,218	5,679
Repairs... ..	5,000	4,673
Total	14,218	10,352

Thus a sum of Rupees 3,866 was left unexpended.

The expenditure as compared with the last year is short by Rupees 3,154.

15. LOCAL FUNDS—*New Works.*—The sum of Rupees 9,218 alluded to was allotted for two dispensaries as shown below:—

	RS.
1. Dispensary at Proddatoor	5,480
2. Do. at Madanapalli	3,738

Of these the first work has been in progress for about two years. The amount spent out of the allotment was only Rupees 2,747 and a sum of Rupees 2,731 was left unutilized.

The dispensary at Madanapalli is nearly completed, and the expenditure was Rupees 2,938, leaving Rupees 803 unexpended.

16. SANITARY AND MISCELLANEOUS REPAIRS.—The grant under this head was Rupees 5,000 for the maintenance of avenue establishment. A sum of Rupees 4,673 was spent, leaving Rupees 327 unexpended.

17. GENERAL REMARKS.—Taluq Cutcherries are very much required at Pulivendala, Voilpaul, Royachoty, and Pullumpett.

At Pulivendala there is only a thatched building situated in a most inconvenient locality, and the building is most unsuited for the custody of treasure and records. A similar remark was made in the reports for 1873-74 and 1874-75 regarding the same, but no orders have as yet been passed in the matter.

It is very desirable that new Cutcherries should be built at each of these Cusbah towns. A site for one has been selected at Royachoty.

Altogether the progress in Public Works during the past year has been very satisfactory, and I have great pleasure in recording that during the three and a half years I have been in the district I have each year noticed a progressive improvement. The percentage of expenditure on the allotments increases annually,* and the work appears to be generally well done.

I would especially draw attention to the way in which the large balances in the two Local Fund Circles have been reduced. Three years ago there were very large unexpended balances in each Circle, and these balances seemed to be annually increasing. Now, not only have they been entirely cleared off, but the expenditure keeps pace with the allotments. Great credit is due to Colonel Moberly for this satisfactory state of things. It is also to be noticed that, owing to the care taken in the selection of subordinates, the department is generally more efficient; as regards the Range Officers, I would especially mention Mr. Schoury whose work is always well and quickly done, and whose range does him great credit. I have not had an opportunity of seeing much of Mr. Seton's range, but it is favorably reported on.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 1 and 2.—Statements.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government.

2. The report is generally satisfactory. The total outlay has been nearly 94 per cent. of the allotments. The staff of the Public Works Department working under Colonel Moberly's direction appears to be efficient. It is to be feared that in the present state of the finances there is no immediate prospect of money being available for the construction of the new Taluq Cutcherries required.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

E. W. J. Lewis

Acting Sub-Secretary.

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with two enclosures, to be returned.

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