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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

27th October 1877, No. 1,291 W.

General.
Establishment.

Read the following paper :—

No. 280. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th October 1877, No. 4,667.

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I HAVE the honor to submit my report on the Public Works of this District for 1875-76 and the prescribed statements.

2. The total allotment under all heads was Rupees 3,06,072, of which 92-21 per cent. or Rupees 2,82,245 were expended.

3. During the year there were undertaken eight extraordinary works, twenty-two ordinary irrigation new works, repairs to 342 agricultural works, six minor new works, four miscellaneous repairs, thirteen civil buildings (new works), thirty-two new roads,* one school* building, and thirteen sanitary* works.

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Estimate	RS.	4. The widening of the head of the
Expenditure in the year	1,13,530	main canal for 1,000 yards from the
Total expenditure	12,000	ancient to the head of the Ellore Branch
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Expenditure in the year	1,87,990	between Bezvada and Kankipad were
Total expenditure	856	improved. The Pullair Channel work did
	43,831	not make much progress in consequence of
		sickness among the coolies.

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Expenditure in the year	4,14,193	for water in the lower portion of the cut,
Total expenditure	28,943	it would have been completed before the
	3,19,942	end of the year. But little was done on
		the old canal.

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Expenditure in the year	19,000	reported, undertaken and nearly com-
Total expenditure	11,819	pleted.
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Provincial Buildings.

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Local Funds.

13. The following table shows the road work of the district :—

Total length in miles.	Number of miles which have been maintained in good order during the year.	Number of miles of new road constructed during the year.	Number of miles under construction.
710	553	26	72

14. The 553 miles were kept up at an expenditure of Rupees 90,603 or at about Rupees 164 a-mile.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 1 and 2.—Statements.

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Buildings ... { New Works ...	708	571	80.6
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Total ...	3,06,072	2,82,245	92.2
<i>Provincial.</i>			
Buildings ... { New Works ...	3,221	5,297	164.4
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Public Improve- { New Works ...	...	...	...
ments ... { Repairs ...	...	...	...
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Total ...	6,831	7,971	116.7

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<i>Local Fund.</i>	RS.	RS.	RS.
Communications... { New Works ...	1,00,308	95,822	95.5
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... { Repairs ...	...	...	...
Sanitary and Mis- { New Works ...	23,147	1,546	6.7
cellaneous ... { Repairs ...	9,159	9,854	107.6
Total ...	2,25,350	1,97,815	87.8
Grand Total ...	5,38,253	4,88,031	90.7

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed)

C. MACLEAN,
Additional Sub-Secretary.

No. 281.

ORDER THEREON, 27th October 1877, No. 1,291 W.

COMMUNICATED to the Superintending Engineer, Kistna.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Kistna.

„ Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

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Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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To the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department,
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Copy to the Collector of the Kistna District.
" " Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

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