

2ND JULY 1888, No. 1969 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following papers :—

From the Superintending Engineer,	I	Circle, dated 11th May 1888, No. 95, G.L.
"	I	" " 22nd " " 95, V.Z.
"	II	" " 22nd and 24th May 1888 (two state- ments).
"	III	" " 30th April 1888 (three statements).
"	IV	" " 9th May " No. 174, E.W.
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ENCLOSURES.

A.—STATEMENT showing the amounts applied for and those granted under Imperial—Military and Civil Works.

Divisions.	AMOUNTS APPLIED FOR										AMOUNTS ALLOTTED.			
	Minor Works.					Repairs.					Minor Works.			
	Military.		Civil Works.			Military.		Civil Works.			Military.		Civil Works.	
	Postal.	Telegraph.	Salt.	Postal.	Telegraph.	Salt.	Postal.	Telegraph.	Salt.	Postal.	Telegraph.	Salt.	Postal.	Salt.
Ganjam ..	RS. 1,120	..	..	RS. ..	..	..	RS. 1,000	..	..	..	RS. ..	..	RS. 200	..
Rushikulya ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vizagapatam ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Godavari, Eastern ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. Central ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. Western ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kistna, Eastern ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. Western ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nellore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Buckingham Canal ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bellary ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cuddapah ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kurnool ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nilgiri ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
West Coast ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Combatore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
North Arcot ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Arcot ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chingleput ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Presidency ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tanjore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nagapattam ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Trichinopoly ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madras ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tinnevely ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Architect ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Officers commanding divisions and districts ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Inspector-General of Ordnance ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Director-General of Telegraphs ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Reserve with the Government ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	45,524	3,954	635	..	..	..	8,883	2,710	..	..	7,641	4,000	2,97,630	4,000

* Excludes Rs. 2,370 allotted in G.O. No. 1267 W., dated 1st May 1888.

† Includes provision of funds promised in G.Os. Nos. 76 W. and 1640 W., dated 10th January and 6th June 1888.

B.—STATEMENT of requirements on account of Imperial incomplete works of 1887-88 and of new works sanctioned, but not commenced.

Division.	Item No.	Name of work.	Amount of estimate.	Number and date of sanction.	Past expenditure.	AMOUNTS APPLIED FOR, FOR 1888-89.				AMOUNTS ALLOTTED				Remarks.
						Balance of estimate.	For in-complete works.	For new works.	For in-complete works.	For new works.	For in-complete works.	For new works.	Item No.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13		
Architect	1	IMPERIAL. CIVIL WORKS. Minor Works. Alterations and improvements to the outside latrine of the Central Telegraph office, Madras.	80	....	56	24	24	..	..	..	1	..	1	No appropriation necessary under Code para. 1908, Part III.
	2	Providing colored glass, including frames, &c., to the Superintendent's bath-room, Telegraph office, Madras.	205	....	154	51	51	..	..	..	2	..	2	
	3	Ceiling with teak plank the hall-room of the Superintendent of Telegraphs, Madras.	411	....	138	273	273	..	..	..	3	..	3	
Total ..			..	....	..	..	348	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Ganjam	4	Major Works.—NIL. IMPERIAL. Military Works. Constructing a Commissariat store-room and office in the compound of the Military hospital at Berhampore.	2,290	G.O. No. 3167 W., dated 22nd November 1887.	..	2,290	..	2,290	..	..	4	..	4	No funds are available.
	5	Constructing a new school-house for the Native Infantry Regiment at Berhampore.	1,390	G.O. No. 3536 W., dated 10th December 1883.	..	1,390	..	2,450	..	2,450	5	..	5	From minor works grant, vide G.O. No. 1228 W., dated 26th April 1888. Revised estimate is awaited.
	6	Extension of the main drain of the regimental lines at Berhampore.	..	....	..	..	..	1,000	..	..	6	..	6	No funds are available.
Vizagapatam...	7	Magazine for the 16th Regiment, Native Infantry, at Vizianagrum.	1,550	G.O. No. 278 W., dated 6th February 1885.	..	1,530	..	1,530	..	..	7	..	7	do.
	8	Additions to the regimental hospital at Vizianagrum.	515	G.O. No. 179 W., dated 21st January 1884.	..	515	..	515	..	..	8	..	8	
	9	Improvements to the hospital of the 16th Regiment, Native Infantry, at Vizianagrum.	545	G.O. No. 1746 W., dated 16th July 1884.	..	545	..	545	..	..	9	..	9	

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B.—Statement of requirements on account of Imperial incomplete works of 1887-88, &c.—*cont.*

Division.	Item No.	Name of Work.	Amount of estimate.	Number and date of sanction.	Past expenditure.	Balance of estimate.	AMOUNTS APPLIED FOR, FOR 1888-89.				AMOUNTS ALLOTTED		Item No.	Remarks.
							For in-complete works.	For new works.	For in-complete works.	For new works.	For in-complete works.	For new works.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13		
		IMPERIAL— <i>cont.</i>	RS.		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.				
		MILITARY WORKS— <i>cont.</i>												
		Minor Works— <i>cont.</i>												
	38	Converting a portion of lower story of regimental workshops, Fort St. George, into an armourer's shop for a regiment of European infantry.	2,367	G.O. No. 13 W., dated 5th January 1886.	664	1,703	1,703	..	1,703	..	38			
	39	Constructing a wheat store for the Government bakery at Feynam-pett.	1,785	G.O. No. 1868 W., dated 5th July 1888.	672	1,113	1,113	..	1,113	..	39			From minor works grant.
	40	Fixing corrugated iron roof over the passage between the hospital godowns Nos. 1 and 2 attached to the Commissary-General's Office, Madras.	1,520	G.O. No. 3026 W., dated 10th November 1887.	240	1,280	1,280	..	1,280	..	40			
Presidency	41	Works ordered to be stopped for want of funds in 1887-88.	..	....	..	..	..	1,266	..	..	41			No funds are available.
	42	Ammunition boxes ..	..	....	..	..	..	2,440	..	2,440	42			From minor works grant, <i>vide</i> G.O. No. 1378 W., dated 11th May 1888.
	43	Providing arm-racks to Nos. 1 and 2 of the married sergeants' quarters in the British Infantry barracks, Bangalore.	466	G.O. No. 1248 W., dated 27th April 1888.	..	466	..	466	..	466	43			From minor works grant, <i>vide</i> G.O. No. 1248 W., dated 27th April 1888.
	44	Removing the walls at the west end of the old cavalry stables at Agram, Bangalore, and rebuilding them at the ends of the new stables.	749	G.O. No. 264 W., dated 23rd January 1888.	..	749	..	749	..	749	44			From minor works grant, <i>vide</i> G.O. No. 264 W., dated 23rd January 1888.
North Arcot	45	Ammunition boxes ..	..	....	..	..	..	70	..	70	45			From minor works grant, <i>vide</i> G.O. No. 1378 W., dated 11th May 1888.
	46	Works ordered to be put in hand in the last official year (1887-88), but on which no expenditure has been incurred.	..	....	..	..	..	1,462	..	..	46			No funds are available.
Chingleput	47	Ammunition boxes ..	..	....	..	..	..	300	..	300	47			From minor works grant, <i>vide</i> G.O. No. 1378 W., dated 11th May 1888.

Trichinopoly	48	Altering into workshops buildings of 4th Madras Pioneers at Trichinopoly.	..	....	..	..	10,896	33,841	9,028	8,970	48			No funds are available.
Negapatam	49	Constructing bath-rooms and kitchen to the old taluk cutcherry occupied by sergeant instructors of South Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps at Negapatam.	..	....	..	..	..	700	..	700	49			From minor works grant, <i>vide</i> G.O. No. 1669 W., dated 7th June 1888.
Bellary.	50	Converting No. 5 division workshop in the Arsenal at Bellary into an office for the gate conductor.	1,750	G.O. No. 1270 W., dated 19th May 1886.	..	1,750	..	1,750	..	..	50			No funds are available.
	51	Additions to the gate conductor's office attached to the Arsenal at Bellary.	1,464	G.O. No. 2232-A W., dated 20th August 1887.	..	1,464	..	1,464	..	..	51			No funds are available.
	52	Erecting a verandah to the godowns north side of the Arsenal in the fort at Bellary.	1,985	G.O. No. 2562 W., dated 27th September 1887.	..	1,985	..	1,985	..	..	52			No funds are available.
	53	Alterations to the store-room Grand Arsenal XIII division, Fort St. George.	290	....	..	290	..	290	..	..	53			Do. do. do.
	54	Constructing V-shaped surface drains in rear of Ordnance lines, North Esplanade, Madras.	758	G.O. No. 1453 W., dated 17th May 1888.	..	758	..	758	..	..	54			Do. do. do.
	55	Reconstructing the police guard-room at the Gun Carriage Factory, Madras.	2,460	G.O. No. 2705 W., dated 13th October 1887.	..	2,460	..	2,460	..	2,460	55			From minor works grant, <i>vide</i> G.O. No. 972 W., dated 26th March 1888.
Presidency.	56	Extending and enclosing verandahs of steam hammer-sheds, Gun Carriage Factory, Madras.	904	G.O. No. 3082 W., dated 11th November 1887.	328	576	576	..	576	..	56			From minor works grant.
	57	Providing a canvas screen to the office of the Inspector-General of Ordnance, Fort St. George.	40	....	..	40	..	40	..	..	57			No funds are available.
	58	Improvements to two gun-sheds, Gun Carriage Factory, Madras.	2,420	G.O. No. 3419 W., dated 15th December 1887.	..	2,420	..	2,420	..	2,420	58			From minor works grant, <i>vide</i> G.O. No. 972 W., dated 26th March 1888.
	59	Converting into a room the south-east corner of the smith's shed at the Gun Carriage Factory, Madras.	270	....	..	270	..	270	..	..	59			No funds are available.
Chingleput	60	Making an opening in the north wall of cap-room of Ordnance Department and fixing a sliding door, St. Thomas' Mount.	230	....	..	230	..	230	..	..	60			Do. do. do.
	61	Re-roofing the cap-room of the Ordnance Department, St. Thomas' Mount.	2,140	G.O. No. 1493 W., dated 21st May 1888.	..	2,140	..	2,140	..	..	61			Do. do. do.

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							For in-complete works.	For new works.	For in-complete works.	For new works.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
Chingleput.		IMPERIAL—cont.	RS.		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.			
		MINOR WORKS—cont.											
		Ordnance—cont.											
	62	Providing copper bolts to the magazine of the 15th Native Infantry Regiment at Pallavaram.	30	....	..	30	..	30	..	..	62		
	63	Re-modelling the lightning conductors of the expense magazine, Royal Artillery, at St. Thomas' Mount.	1,210	G.O. No. 2680 W., dated 31st October 1884.	..	1,210	..	1,210	..	..	63		
	64	Improving the sergeants' quarters, reserve powder magazine, St. Thomas' Mount.	585	G.O. No. 2557 W., dated 2nd November 1885.	..	585	..	585	..	..	64	No funds are available.	
Vizagapatam.	65	Improving lightning conductor to the reserve powder magazine, St. Thomas' Mount.	640	G.O. No. 688 W., dated 5th March 1887.	..	640	..	640	..	..	65		
	66	Providing a gate to the old laboratory compound of the small magazine, St. Thomas' Mount.	113	....	..	113	..	113	..	..	66		
		Total ..	..	....	..	..	576	16,385	576	4,880			
	67	Major Works.											
		Constructing a store-shed for the 16th Regiment, Madras Native Infantry, at Vizianagrum.	3,480	G.O. No. 2628 W., dated 27th October 1884.	..	3,480	..	3,480	..	..	67	No funds are available.	
	68	Constructing collar makers' and wheelers' shop, Royal Artillery, at Bellary.	5,663	G.O. No. 914 W., dated 3rd April 1884.	5,663	..	512	..	512	..	68	From the reserve for incomplete major works.	
Bellary	69	Re-roofing the verandah of the married range of the European Infantry barracks at Bellary.	13,307	G.O. No. 3420 W., dated 15th December 1887.	..	13,307	..	13,307	..	..	69	No funds are available.	
	70	Constructing quarters for three purveyors at Bellary.	3,046	G.O. No. 771 W., dated 7th March 1888.	..	3,046	..	2,000	..	..	70		
	71	Quarters for three Apothecaries at Wellington.	..	....	..	..	..	9,500	..	..	71	In addition to Rs. 6,500 provided in the budget. No funds are available.	

Nilgiri	72	Converting Sapper hospital into quarters for two sergeant instructors of the Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles, Ootacamund.	3,600	G.O. No. 1068 W., dated 9th April 1888.	..	3,600	..	3,600	..	..	72	No funds are available.
	73	Quarters for three purveyors at Wellington.	4,750	G.O. No. 615 W., dated 21st February 1888.	..	4,750	..	4,750	..	..	73	
	74	Constructing armourer's shop ..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	74	Do.
West Coast	75	Constructing a fortified post at Malapuram.	8,248	G.O. No. 3114 W., dated 18th November 1887.	..	8,248	..	8,248	..	..	75	Do.
	76	Converting the sergeants' mess and adjacent godowns into a latrine and lavatory for single men's barracks, Fort St. George.	25,097	G.O. No. 3000 W., dated 9th November 1887.	15,324	9,773	3,820	..	3,820	..	76	From the reserve for incomplete major works.
Presidency	77	Converting the racket court, Fort St. George, into a covered gymnasium.	11,800	G.O. No. 1552 W., dated 20th June 1884.	9,754	2,136	2,206	..	2,206	..	77	
	78	Extending and raising the existing stop butt, Veyasarpady Rifle ranges, Madras.	..	....	145	..	6,168	..	..	..	78	The question of providing funds for the work will be considered on receipt of estimate.
	79	Constructing quarters for European station butcher, Bangalore.	3,860	G.O. No. 2945 W., dated 5th November 1887.	2,120	1,740	1,740	..	1,740	..	79	From the reserve for incomplete major works.
Chingleput	80	Water-supply, Bangalore	..	....	..	..	..	2,000	..	2,000	80	From the reserve for incomplete major works, vide G.O. No. 2810 W., dated 20th October 1887.
		Total ..	..	....	..	..	14,446	52,475	8,278	2,000		
	81	Alterations and improvements to the barrel racks, reserve powder magazine, St. Thomas' Mount.	2,505	G.O. No. 2416 W., dated 15th October 1885.	882	1,623	1,623	..	1,623	..	81	From the minor works grant for ordnance works.
		Total ..	..	....	..	..	1,623	..	1,623	..		

ORDER—dated 2nd July 1888 No. 1969 W., Public Works.

With the papers above recorded, the Superintending Engineers and the Consulting Architect to Government submit statements of demands under Imperial Military and Civil Works, in lump sum, against each division, for minor new works and repairs, and, in detail, for incomplete works of 1887-88 and for new works proposed to be undertaken in the current official year.

2. Under "Military," the demands for major original works amount to—

	RS.
Incomplete works	14,446
New works	52,475
Total	66,921

while the budget grant for incomplete major works amounts to only Rs. 15,973. Of this sum, Rs. 8,278 for incomplete works and Rs. 2,000 to meet payment of the honoraria referred to in G.O. No. 2810 W., dated 20th October 1887, have been allotted; and the balance (Rs. 5,695) has been transferred, in anticipation of sanction by the Government of India, to the grant for minor works, which will then exceed the average outlay of the five previous years on such works.

3. A sum of Rs. 3,820 has been allotted for completing the conversion of certain buildings in Fort St. George into barracks for sixty single men, as the special grant applied for in para. 7 of G.O. No. 1199 W., dated 23rd April 1888, has not yet been sanctioned by the Government of India.

4. The demands for minor works, ordinary, amount to—

	RS.
Incomplete works	10,896
New works	33,841
Total	44,737

and the budget grant for the purpose amounts to Rs. 20,000; but allotments, aggregating Rs. 2,489, having been already made, *vide* Proceedings of Government noted in the margin, the balance available for distribution is now Rs. 17,511. Adding to this sum, Rs. 5,695, transferred from major works, the total amount available for minor works will be Rs. 23,206. Of this sum Rs. 17,998 have been allotted for incomplete works of 1887-88 and for new works considered emergent; and the balance (Rs. 5,208) has been placed at the disposal of the officers commanding divisions and districts, to whom the Superintending Engineers should apply for funds for such works as are indispensably necessary.

5. The budget grant for minor ordnance works is Rs. 9,570. But the Director-General of Ordnance having transferred a sum of Rs. 58 to Burma, *vide* G.O. No. 1549 W., dated 25th May 1888, the balance available for allotment is Rs. 9,512, while the demands amount to Rs. 18,584 as shown below:—

	RS.
Incomplete minor works	576
Minor new works	16,385
Incomplete major works	1,623
Total	18,584

Allotments have been made to the extent of Rs. 7,079 for incomplete works of 1887-88 and for new works for which funds have been promised; and the balance (Rs. 2,433) has been placed at the disposal of the Inspector-General of Ordnance, to whom Superintending Engineers will apply for further funds required.

6. The amount reserved for military repairs is Rs. 3,00,000; but a sum of Rs. 2,370 having been allotted to the Godavari, Eastern Division, *vide* G.O. No. 1267-A.W., dated 1st May 1888, the amount now available is Rs. 2,97,330. As the demands under this head amount to Rs. 3,46,385, they have been reduced * so as to bring the allotments within the available grant.

* Statement A.

7. Under "civil works" the demands against original works, telegraphs, amount to Rs. 348; but in each case the demand is within Rs. 500, and it is on account of incomplete work of the previous year. Specific appropriation of funds is not, therefore, necessary, *vide* Code para. 1908, Part III. The budget grant of Rs. 4,000 for works under this head will, therefore, be placed at the disposal of the Director-General of Telegraphs, to whom Superintending Engineers should apply for funds, if required hereafter.

8. The allotments under postal and telegraph repairs will be found in Statement A. The demands under postal repairs have been reduced to Rs. 7,000 to bring the sum within the provision in the budget.

9. Ordered that a copy of these Proceedings be forwarded to the Government of India in the Military Department, with a request that the transfer of Rs. 5,695 from major to minor works referred to in para. 2 may be sanctioned at an early date.

(Here enter dated 2nd July 1888, No. 1970 W.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Consulting Architect to Government.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Director-General of the Post Office of India.
" Director-General of Telegraphs.
" Military Department.

ENDORSEMENT—dated 2nd July 1888 No. 1970 W., Public Works.

Forwarded.

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

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Funds

Forwarding copy of Proceedings distributing — under Imperial Military and Civil Works for incomplete and minor new works and repairs.

No. 509 Gw.

FROM,

G. I. Walch Esq.

~~THE~~ SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER

FIRST CIRCLE.

TO,

THE CHIEF ENGINEER

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

DOWLAISHWARAM, 27th August 1888

SIR,

I have the honor to request that you will be good enough to obtain the sanction of Government for an additional allotment of Rs. 420 under "Repairs" Military works for the Ganjam Division as the Executive Engineer reports that the lump sum grant Rs. 1,000 sanctioned in G.O. No. 1969 W. dated 2-7-88 is insufficient for absolutely unavoidable work.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient St.

C. I. Walch

Sup^r Engineer 1st Circle.

L.O. No 1969, 1970 W. 2. 7. 88

FROM,

G. I. Naleh Esq.
THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER

(13) FIRST CIRCLE.

TO,

THE CHIEF ENGINEER

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

DATED 24th
DESPATCHED 29th } August 1888
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No. 509 Cu.

ENCLOSURES.

SUBJECT.

Request to obtain the
sanction of Government
for an additional allotment
of Rs 420 under Repairs
Military work Ganjam
Dist.

No 13785 Wd/s Sept 1888

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