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[Despatch Abstract.]

*According to Governor*  
*Monthly Glossary Professor*  
*Report for June 1890.*

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SUBJECT.

circulated. Jan 10/90  
As usual nothing can be got  
out of S. M. He seems however  
to have made some progress. His  
statement however shows the  
work for two months as he  
sent up no progress report  
for long. The Glossary seems  
being sent to G. & a summary  
of all papers taken to the volume  
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6. As regards cost —  
Similarly, if the Govt. of India  
would admit what they spent  
on their literary undertakings  
(all with much more extended  
agency than this) it is believed  
that the Madras work would  
not compare unfavourably.

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undesignated has no control.

4. It must be observed that the figures given are very approximate (vide para 3 of Progress Report for August 1889) and they have not hitherto made any allowance for the final operations at Press.

5. As regards the time occupied over the publication which is no doubt very considerable, it is not so great as that over the Govt. of India Economic Dictionary, the only parallel literary work now in India. That work was begun very long before the present work, but in spite of what is said in accompanying newspaper paragraph no part of it is known yet to have appeared.

his best to take stock of the situation, but must state that he has not the power either to determine date of publication, or to accelerate it by a week. As Editor there are few days in the year when in spite of other duties he has an arrear on his table. The munshis are in their work about 2 months in advance of the Press. The references that lie out to other offices are so arranged that they do not interfere with progress at Press; if they did their results would be sacrificed. If any item occurs in the material collected which would cause delay it is at once sacrificed. It follows that as has been mentioned before the printing power available at Press is the sole ruling factor in the undertaking, and over that the

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Papers to be read in Proceedings :—

Again G.O., dated 188 , No.  
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*Government glossary Progress  
 Report for June 1890 :—*

*The following are figures for  
 June 1890 :—*

*Total estimated columns of the volume, reduced to solid Brevier  
 1800; of which at the end of June.*

| <i>On reference<br/>to Collectors</i> | <i>On reference<br/>to Survey</i> | <i>Under work<br/>with clerical<br/>Establishment</i> | <i>Under work<br/>with printers</i> | <i>Passed as ready<br/>for book-form</i> |
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| 80                                    | 130                               | 410                                                   | 420                                 | 760                                      |

2. *The delay in reporting of  
 late has been caused by the diffi-  
 of determining what reply to  
 make to Chief Secretary's off-  
 note no. 87 dated 19<sup>th</sup> May 1890*

3. *The undersigned has done  
 his*

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FOR FIRST ASSISTANT.

*DR. GEORGE WATT is making good pro-  
 gress with his Dictionary of Economic Products.  
 The third volume is virtually completed, and  
 it is hoped that the fourth, which will include  
 the letter N, may be completed about the  
 end of the month. Drs. Watt and Murray and  
 Mr. J. Duttie are now engaged upon the work.*

*I have not been  
 as fast 2 volumes  
 as if they have not  
 reached the  
 hundred yet. I  
 think it would  
 be desirable to*

*note. All  
 clearance because Rose.  
 Thackerst Co of  
 Bombay were the  
 written they haven't got it yet 1890  
 they will be told of present it*