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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 809

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
23rd March 1869.*

No. 603. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Public Works Department :—

Passing orders on the Proceedings of the Government of India, containing their observations on the Annual Progress Report of Public Works in the Madras Presidency, undertaken from Local Funds during 1867-68. (Here enter 9th March 1869, No. 750.)

No. 604. ORDER THEREON, 23rd March 1869, No. 809.

Local Funds, No. 16.
<i>Accounts.</i>

Ordered to be communicated to the Board of Revenue for their information and guidance.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with Proceedings Public Works Department, No. 750.
,, the Public Works Department.

Edw. G. A. Turton.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
9th March 1869.*

No. 228. Read the following Proceedings of the Government of India in the Public Works Department, (Account,) dated Fort William, 3rd February 1869, No. 97 A :—

Account of expenditure from Local Funds on Public Works in Madras during 1867-68.
Read :—

Letter from the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, No. 3,700, dated 26th November 1868, forwarding Annual Progress Report of Public Works in the Madras Presidency, undertaken from Local Funds during the year 1867-68.

OBSERVATIONS.—The Governor General in Council observes, from the Report submitted, that the expenditure incurred from Local Funds on Public Works in Madras during 1867-68 was as follows, as compared with the Budget grants of the year, and the outlay of the three preceding years :—

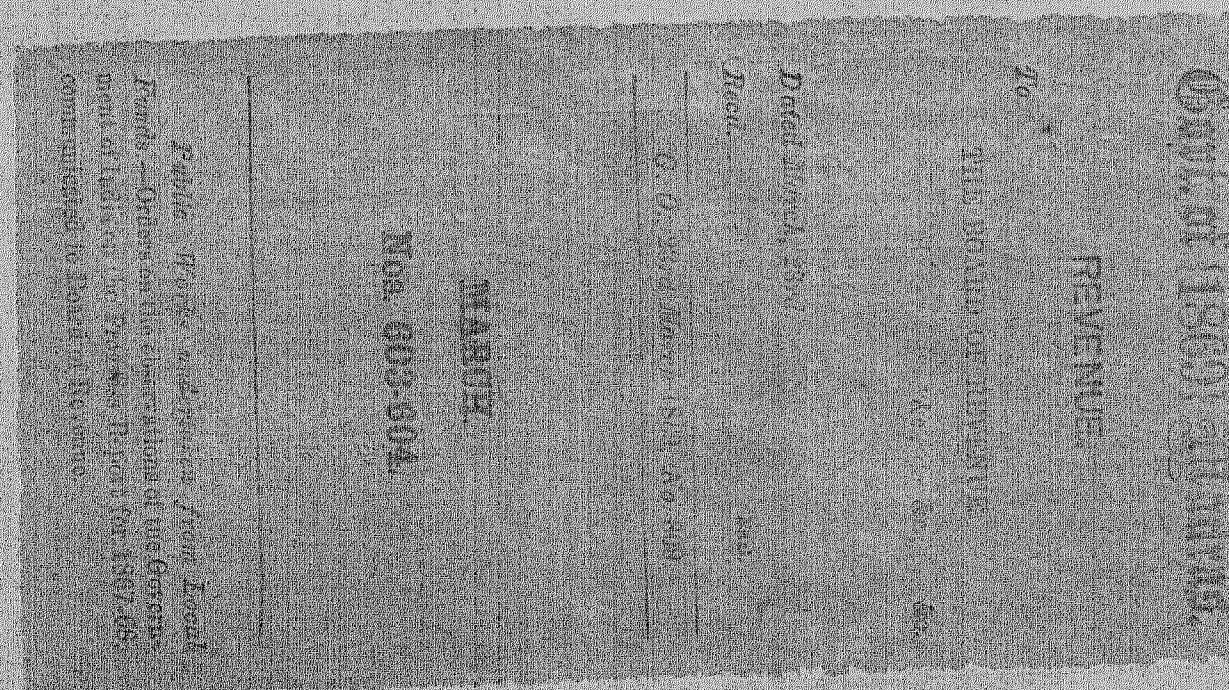
	Original Grant, 1867-68.	Modified Grant, 1867-68.	Outlay, 1867-68.	Outlay, 1866-67. (11 months)	Outlay, 1865-66.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Original Works	5,29,330	16,44,834	11,33,520	6,48,120	4,17,690
Repairs	2,75,624	6,06,346	5,39,474	3,47,750	2,19,177
Establishment	69,677	1,35,032	1,91,741	1,04,424	
Tools and Plant		3,081	2,393	732	70,012
Total	8,74,631	23,89,293	18,67,128	11,01,026	7,06,879

2. The following Table shows the agencies by which the expenditure in 1867-68 and 1866-67 has been incurred :—

	PUBLIC WORKS OFFICERS.		CIVIL OFFICERS.		TOTAL.	
	1867-68.	1866-67. (11 months)	1867-68.	1866-67. (11 months)	1867-68.	1866-67. (11 months)
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Original Works	9,85,346	5,44,775	1,48,174	1,03,345	11,33,520	6,48,120
Repairs	3,35,509	2,02,314	2,03,965	1,43,436	5,39,474	3,47,750
Establishment	1,63,910	95,267	27,831	9,157	1,91,741	1,04,424
Tools and Plant	2,393	732			2,393	732
Total	14,87,158	8,42,088	3,79,970	2,57,938	18,67,128	11,01,026

3. The expenditure shown in the Report as the outlay by Officers of the Public Works Department during 1867-68, differs as follows from the outlay recorded in the accounts rendered by the Controller of Public Works Accounts, to the Accountant General, Public Works Department.

	Present Report.	Accountant General's Account.	Difference.
	RS.	RS.	RS.
Original Works	9,85,346	9,82,406	2,940
Repairs	3,35,509	3,35,076	433
Establishment	1,63,910	1,63,580	330
Tools and Plant	2,393	2,393	
Total	14,87,158	14,83,455	3,703



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An explanation of the discrepancy should be furnished.

4. The expenditure on Original Works and Repairs has been debited to the several Local Funds thus :—

	1867-68.	1866-67.
	RS.	RS.
Pound Funds	7,911	1,679
Income Tax Fund	91,821	1,49,939
District Road Funds	13,27,358	6,44,162
Educational Funds	70,414	75,912
Port Funds	19,678	25,945
Jungle Conservancy Funds	78,679	39,143
Pagoda Funds	15,907	17,775
Canal Funds	17,746	27,017
Endowment Fund	26,301	12,663
Nanal Grass Funds	1,463	
Bungalow Fund	12,922	1,635
Total ...	16,72,994	9,95,870
Establishment to be divided above	1,91,741	1,04,424
Tools and Plant	2,393	732
Total ...	18,67,128	11,01,026

5. From this detail it is observed that the Report rendered does not include the expenditure incurred by Municipalities on Public Works. It is hoped that, under the arrangements that have recently been made by the Government of Madras, it will be found possible to include the expenditure by Municipalities in future Progress Reports.

6. It is noticed that, in the Report furnished, the expenditure of the year has not been classified under the several Budget Sub-heads* of service. It will be convenient if this is done for the future.

7. The chief works undertaken during the year from Local Funds have been as follows :—

	Estimate.	Outlay to end of 1867-68.	Outlay during 1867-68.
	RS.	RS.	RS.
Presidency College, Madras	2,52,763	1,26,295	41,473
Road from Casapathinagram to Parvatipoor	1,23,553	18,725	18,725
" from Cuddapah to Bellary Frontier	1,06,431	1,01,991	5,000
" from Bellary to Cuddapah	1,02,200	1,06,569	3,117
Bridge over the Conum river, Madras	1,43,000	1,35,546	68,161

8. A statement of works of public utility executed by private individuals, which is received from other Provinces, has not accompanied the Madras Local Fund Expenditure Report. Such a statement is necessary in order to complete the record of expenditure on Public Works in India, and it is requested that it may be furnished for the future, if the Government of Madras see no objection to so doing, of which due intimation should be made to the Government of India.

* Military. Communications.
Civil Buildings. Miscellaneous Public Im-
Agricultural. provement.

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ORDER.—Ordered, that these observations be forwarded to the Government of Madras for information and guidance, and to the Financial Department for information.

(Signed) C. H. DICKENS, Colonel, R. A.,
Secretary to the Government of India.

To the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department.

No. 229. ORDER THEREON, 9th March 1869, No. 750.

ACCOUNT, No. 18.

1. Communicated to the Revenue Department and to the Superintending Engineers.

2. The Controller of Public Works

Accounts will furnish an explanation on the discrepancy noticed in paragraphs 3 and 4, and that Officer, as well as the Board of Revenue, will render future statements of Local Fund expenditure on New Works and Repairs under the heads of service noticed in paragraph 6.

3. Orders on the subject of paragraph 5 will be issued in the Public Department.

4. Adverting to paragraph 8, the Government observe that a statement of works of public utility executed by private individuals at their own cost during the year 1867-68, was received from the Controller of Public Works Accounts in June last and published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the 14th July following. A copy of this statement will in due course be forwarded to the Government of India, to which Government future annual returns will be transmitted.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Public Department.

 " Revenue do.

 " Superintending Engineers.

To Major R. B. Kennedy.

To the Controller of Public Works Accounts.

 " Accountant General.

Erd. E. C. Shunkar.

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