

Table No. 13.

PUBLIC WORKS FUND.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE NET EXPENDITURE UNDER APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1929, COMPARED WITH THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1928.

Vote.	Year ended 31st March, 1929.	Year ended 31st March, 1928.	Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£	£	£
Public Works, Departmental	142,176	130,688	11,488	..
Railway-construction	1,002,872	908,669	94,203	..
Additions to Open Lines	213,405	233,153	..	19,748
Public Buildings—				
General	4,307	42,554	..	38,247
Courthouses	8,387	7,531	856	..
Prison Buildings and Works	12,572	22,359	..	9,787
Police-stations	6,925	5,561	1,364	..
Postal and Telegraph	62,087	77,194	..	15,107
Agricultural	2,808	2,863	..	55
Mental Hospital Buildings	96,782	51,119	45,663	..
Health and Hospital Institutions	19,637	14,361	5,276	..
Timber-supply and Sawmills, &c.	Cr. 5,115	Cr. 6,997	..	Cr. 1,882
Acquisition and Operation of Quarries	Cr. 6,030	Cr. 9,325	..	Cr. 3,295
Lighthouses	2,638	7,979	..	5,341
Harbour-works	14,425	15,891	..	1,466
Development of Tourist Resorts	39,254	36,673	2,581	..
Department of Immigration	50,266	67,157	..	16,891
Roads, &c.	780,990	669,832	111,158	..
Roads on Goldfields	1,005	2,330	..	1,325
Roads to give Access to Outlying Districts	51,582	33,642	17,940	..
Telegraph Extension	624,414	625,540	..	1,126
Contingent Defence	67,652	39,986	27,666	..
Lands, Miscellaneous	85,861	72,898	12,963	..
Irrigation, Water-supply, and Drainage	55,197	49,735	5,462	..
Plant, Material, and Stores	4,594	Cr. 1,288	5,882	..
Transfer to Main Highways Account, Construction Fund	200,000	200,000
Services not provided for	77	264	..	187
			342,502	104,103
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Totals	3,538,768	3,300,369	238,399	