

Table No. 12.

PUBLIC WORKS FUND.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE NET EXPENDITURE UNDER APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1931, COMPARED WITH THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1930.

Vote	Year ended 31st March, 1931.	Year ended 31st March, 1930.	Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£	£	£
Public Works, Departmental	131,816	132,527	..	711
Railway-construction	1,478,689	1,452,860	25,829	..
Additions to Open Lines	508,507	359,661	148,846	..
Public Buildings—				
General	100,927	28,748	72,179	..
Courthouses	19,572	15,765	3,807	..
Prison Buildings and Works	2,504	18,814	..	16,310
Police-stations	8,360	8,442	..	82
Postal and Telegraph	138,670	104,157	34,513	..
Agricultural	1,509	2,963	..	1,454
Mental Hospital Buildings	134,140	152,096	..	17,956
Health and Hospital Institutions	17,338	16,651	687	..
Timber-supply and Sawmills, &c. ..	<i>Cr.</i> 2,271	<i>Cr.</i> 3,608	..	<i>Cr.</i> 1,337
Acquisition and Operation of Quarries..	4,219	329	3,890	..
Lighthouses	4,103	4,460	..	357
Harbour-works	6,742	10,736	..	3,994
Development of Tourist Resorts	60,288	20,547	39,741	..
Department of Immigration	33,544	41,756	..	8,212
Roads, &c.	1,379,810	1,005,329	374,481	..
Roads to give Access to Outlying Districts	91,126	53,693	37,433	..
Roads on Goldfields	4,587	1,885	2,702	..
Telegraph Extension	419,756	594,383	..	174,627
Contingent Defence	13,812	46,766	..	32,954
Lands, Miscellaneous	70,534	79,454	..	8,920
Irrigation, Water-supply, and Drainage	62,614	69,657	..	7,043
Plant, Material, and Stores	<i>Cr.</i> 44,772	<i>Cr.</i> 31,813	<i>Cr.</i> 12,959	..
Transfer to Main Highways Account, Construction Fund	..	200,000	..	200,000
Services not provided for	..	257	..	257
			731,149	471,540
			471,540	
Totals	4,646,124	4,386,515	259,609	