

TABLE NO. 2.
GENERAL SUMMARY.

Showing NET YEARLY EXPENDITURE out of PUBLIC WORKS FUND (GENERAL PURPOSES ACCOUNT), 1914-15 to 1935-36.

N.B.—The figures in italics, prefixed by “Cr.,” are either recoveries on account of services or receipts-in-aid applied in reduction of expenditure.

Description of Services.	Total Net Expenditure to 31st March, 1914.	Expenditure.										
		1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.	1919-20.	1920-21.	1921-22.	1922-23.	1923-24.	1924-25.
Immigration ..	£ 2,288,523	£ 33,219	£ 10,010 <i>Cr. 10</i>	£ 6,533	£ 3,856	£ <i>Cr. 12,018</i>	£ <i>Cr. 62,561</i>	£ <i>Cr. 7,806</i>	£ 247,528	£ 90,611 <i>Cr. 140</i>	£ 92,600 <i>Cr. 1,267</i>	£ 136,353 <i>Cr. 16</i>
Public Works, Departmental ..	880,745	100,719	111,489	131,701	127,962 <i>Cr. 2,662</i>	115,419 <i>Cr. 4,119</i>	121,677	143,280 <i>Cr. 6,280</i>	128,002 <i>Cr. 525</i>	111,367 <i>Cr. 131</i>	110,445 <i>Cr. 69</i>	127,556 <i>Cr. 19</i>
Irrigation and Water-supply ..	69,864	32,090	29,874	28,754	11,650 <i>Cr. 18,451</i>	22,919	34,115	55,345 <i>Cr. 9,854</i>	83,313	58,131	95,467	127,995
Railways ..	30,898,630	1,146,753 <i>Cr. 6,022</i>	1,065,171 <i>Cr. 4,633</i>	620,947 <i>Cr. 4,845</i>	495,771 <i>Cr. 170</i>	387,923 <i>Cr. 4,924</i>	748,649 <i>Cr. 105,196</i>	1,365,466 <i>Cr. 388</i>	3,133,200 <i>Cr. 751</i>	2,110,859 <i>Cr. 3,171</i>	1,776,413 <i>Cr. 1,167</i>	1,878,729 <i>Cr. 37,924</i>
Payment to Midland Railway Bondholders ..	150,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Roads :—												
Miscellaneous Roads and Bridges ..	8,787,127	484,365	400,062	203,746	128,730 <i>Cr. 6 00</i>	221,887 <i>Cr. 997</i>	376,097 <i>Cr. 603</i>	527,854 <i>Cr. 81</i>	552,895 <i>Cr. 197</i>	643,156 <i>Cr. 244</i>	751,370 <i>Cr. 188</i>	603,968 <i>Cr. 231</i>
Roads on Goldfields..	997,251	30,065	24,432	17,099	6,912	4,186	12,465	11,050	11,264	4,850	2,867	2,755
Development of Thermal Springs and Natural Scenery ..	16,023	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lands Improvement Account*	300,930	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total, Roads ..	10,101,331	514,430	424,494	220,845	135,042	225,076	387,959	538,823	563,962	647,762	754,049	606,492
Development of Mining ..	882,691	2,384 <i>Cr. 255</i>	6,602	4,592	27 <i>Cr. 6,545</i>	518 <i>Cr. 1,000</i>	1,173 <i>Cr. 7,008</i>	2,153 <i>Cr. 1,606</i>	2,130 <i>Cr. 51</i>	<i>Cr. 98</i> <i>Cr. 1,785</i>	1,363 <i>Cr. 2,310</i>	..
Purchase of Native Lands ..	1,572,883	<i>Cr. 1,060</i>	<i>Cr. 972</i>	<i>Cr. 868</i>	<i>Cr. 57</i>	..	<i>Cr. 57</i>	<i>Cr. 59</i>	<i>Cr. 52</i>	..	..	..
Native Lands Purchase Account ..	491,980	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total, Land Purchases ..	2,064,863	<i>Cr. 1,060</i>	<i>Cr. 972</i>	<i>Cr. 868</i>	<i>Cr. 57</i>	..	<i>Cr. 57</i>	<i>Cr. 59</i>	<i>Cr. 52</i>	..	..	..
Telegraph Extension ..	2,669,772	288,395	249,554	203,311	213,955	198,611	249,379	336,468	590,981	512,657 <i>Cr. 11,082</i>	717,409	957,294

* Excludes expenditure subsequent to 1900 included under separate class “Lands Improvement.”

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