

TABLE NO. 2.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

Showing NET YEARLY EXPENDITURE out of PUBLIC WORKS FUND, 1903-1904 to 1924-25.

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

Description of Services.	Total Net Expenditure to 31st March, 1903.	Expenditure.										
		1903-4.	1904-5.	1905-6.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.
Immigration ..	£ 1,248,000	£ 7	£ 6,481	£ 8,753	£ 14,353	£ 9,132	£ 15,075	£ 17,003	£ 9,441	£ 11,681	£ 14,694	£ 33,914
Public Works, Departmental ..	491,306	16,088	12,814	13,517	16,710	18,219	24,512	41,176	42,733	49,864	57,426	66,650
Irrigation and Water-supply ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,562	2,794	14,689	40,329
Railways ..	19,261,718	828,704	779,891	1,021,265	1,227,880	1,093,535	1,116,183	1,128,400	1,104,071	1,125,905	1,148,832	1,104,897
Payment to Midland Railway Bondholders	..	150,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	Cr. 652	Cr. 6,987	Cr. 29,528	Cr. 5,485
Roads:—												
Miscellaneous Roads and Bridges ..	5,344,153	316,248	202,850	306,065	308,500	285,248	422,174	297,932	229,537	383,511	337,584	353,836
Roads on Goldfields..	587,142	45,594	26,112	45,139	38,970	38,494	47,375	40,830	25,626	41,067	36,761	Cr. 575
Development of Thermal Springs and Natural Scenery ..	16,023	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24,143
Lands Improvement Account*	300,930	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total, Roads ..	6,248,248	361,842	228,962	351,204	347,470	323,742	469,549	338,762	255,163	424,578	374,345	377,464
Development of Mining ..	725,892	16,278	6,258	18,533	11,064	8,633	32,859	18,597	10,845	21,244	10,644	4,889
								Cr. 1,000	Cr. 1,000	Cr. 30	Cr. 1,015	
Purchase of Native Lands ..	1,507,033	5,352	6,281	13,777	9,135	2,190	2,099	30,567	2,976	Cr. 2,466	Cr. 917	Cr. 857
Native Lands Purchase Account ..	491,980	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Cr. 2,286	..	..	..
Total, Land Purchases ..	1,999,013	5,352	6,281	13,777	9,135	2,190	2,099	30,567	690	Cr. 2,466	Cr. 917	Cr. 857
Telegraph Extension ..	1,006,465	47,228	79,298	77,186	114,068	155,491	163,032	123,423	111,867	147,692	251,375	302,648

* Subsequent expenditure under separate class "Lands Improvement," see next page.

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