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PART I.

## ADMINISTRATION.

1. This report deals with the operations of the Survey of Iullia for the year ending 30th September 1911.
2. The Honorable Colonel F. B. Longe, C.B., R.E., A.D.C., administered the Department till the 24 th October, when he went on leave pending retirement, and Colonel S. G. Burrard, C.S.I., R.E., F.R.S., officiated as Surveyor General for the remainder of the year.
3. In January 1911 the N. W. Frontier Drawing Office was transferred to Simla, and in April the drawing office of the Chief of the General statf was amalgamated with it, under, the name of the "Simla Drawing Office."
4. The Burma Drawing Office was amalgamated with the office of the Superintendent, Eastern Circle.
5. No new Imperial Officers wera appointed during the year under report, but 4 probationers were appointed to the Provincial Service (new).
6. No. 9 Party although nominally in the Eastern Circle continued to work under the direction of the Superintendent, Northern Circle; it will, however, in future, be under the Superintendent, Eastern Circle.
7. The cost of the department for the financial year ending :31st March 1911, was Rs. 33,47,212, against an estimated cost of Rs. 34,50,050.
8. The distribution of the officers in the various offices and parties is shown in the accompanying list.

1910-11.


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| No. 2 Party ... | Panjab . .. | Bt.-Major E.ITT. Rich, R.E., Cupt. M. N. MacLeod, R.E., Lieut. J. D. Camphell, R.E., Lieut.C.M.Thompson, I.A. | Messrs. T. W. Bahonau, F. B. Powelt, W. Newland, Suladar Kamak Kingh, Messrs. R. E. Suubolle, E. C. O'Sullivan, J. McCraken, Jiya Lal. | Chuni Lal Knpur, Mahindar Singh. | fil Survyorn, Su. |  |
| No. 3 Party ... | Punjab and U. P. | Capt. A. A. McHarg, R.E., Lieut. A. A. Chase, R.E., Lieut, R. S. Wahab, I.A. | Messrs. B. M. Berrill, A. C. Bose, P. A.T. Kemy, H. C. W. Stote'shary, B. C. Newland, A. J. A. Irake, F. H. Grant, F. J. Grice, J. A. Calvert. | Mahomed Lutf Ali. | 4. Survoyort, de. |  |
| No. 4 Party ... | United Provinces | Captain L. C. Thuillier, I.A., Lieut. F. B. Scott, I.A. | Messis. G. J. S. Itae, H. W. Jiggie, C. E. C. French, A. B. Hunter, G. E. R. Coojer, F. E. R. Calvert, Moqimuddin. | Vidya Nith Suri, Mohammad Husain Khan. | Gos Surveyorn, Xe. | Intintingrental)lishnurnt of Chutomin'int Nuction No. 1. |
| No. 9 Party ... | Punjah ... | Major G. A. Beazaluy, R.E. | Mensrs. J. A. Freman, W. Newland, Dhani ham, F. Hyrne, P. A. T. Kenny, H. C. W. Stotenbury, D. K. Kemick, J. McCraken, A. K. Mitra, A. J. A. Drake, Abdul Ariz, II. II. P. Butterfield, W. P. Hales, $\mathbf{F}$. J. Grice. | Gopal Singh, J. 13., Inallir lai. | 60 Nurviyom, de. | Thin l'aity win trusinforrod ts) Vintern (Jirclag from Int April 1/111. |
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## PART II.

## SURVEY WORK IN THE FIELD.

## I.-TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEYS.

## NORTIIERS CIRCLE ( ride index map No. 1 ).

9. No. 1 Part!- -This party remained in recess quarters at Mussoorie during the winter, and left for the tield in Kishmir in Mirreh. Fieh work was started ahout the middle of the month, and by the end of soptember an area of 3,514 square miles ham been surveyed on the 1 -inch scale in the Jhelum Valley; the country surveyed varring from the level swampy valley, to the high ranges of the l'ir Panjil and Kaj Nais.
10. No. $2 J^{\prime}$, 1 f! - No. 2 party surveged an area of $1,0.06$ spure milos on the 2 -inch scale in the Salt hange, and one of 4,971 spuare miles on the 1-inch seale in the Attock, Thelom, Shithpur, Gujrinwilal, (Gujait ami Sialkot districts of the Punjals and in the native state of Jammm. With the exception of the Salt hange, the comntry smeved lay in level platus, well cultivated, and interseded by the Thelm, (Senáb and havi rivers, and hy mumerous irrigation camals.
11. No. 3 Part! - This party surveyed a total area of $6,2 s 2$ suare miles, of which 5,955 square miles were 1 -inch revision surver, 65 sputre miles 2 -inch revision survey and 262 square miles 1 -inch supplementary survey. The 2 -inch survey comprised the eity of Delhi and its environs, and a special guide map of this area has been drawn on that scale. The 1 -inch survey comprised parts of the Delhi amd Gurgan districts of the Punjab, and parts of the Meerut, Aligarl, Moradiahidl, Budaun and the whole of the Bulamdshahe districts of the United Provinces. With the exception of the Ridge at Delhi and its continuation to the south, the country was flat, with a gradual slope of about 18 inches to the mile and an average height of 650 feet above sea level ; between the Jumma and Ganges rivers it was mach cut up by camals. In both methods of 1 -inch survey, every use was mado of the oht 1 -inch maps based on cadastral surveys, and the majority were found extremely good. Their use greatly facilitated progress, and the resulting maps show a large amount of detail.
 the districts of Lucknow, Lnao, ('awnoore and Etawalh, with portions of districts Mardoi, Rái Baréli, Farmkháláel, Mainpuri, Agra, Mamípur, Jalaun and of (iwalior State. The comotry surveged consisted chiefly of that phains, well cultivated and covered with an athmiance of artificial groves. The rivers Ganges, Jumna and C'hambal ran through portions of the work, and there the country was much cut up ly deep ravines. Atraverse section of this
 miles. The Cantonment Section surveyed the Cantonments of Dirgai, Malakand, Chakdara, Hyderáhad (Sind), and Lo rabai, and additions were made to previous survegs of Risalpur and Allaháhad. Majes of eight Cantonments were sent for publication, riz., Dum Dum, Meerut, Lucknow, Fort Sandeman, Dargai, Malakand, Chakdarra and Alláháhaíd.

Proofs of eight cantonment maps were received for colouring, riz. Dharmsála, Shillong, Dum Dum, Mcerut, Dargai, Malakand, Chakdarra and Lucknow.
13. No. 9 Parly--No. 9 party surveyed an area of 5,687 square miles ou the 1 -inch scale in the Jhang, Miainwaili, Shaíhpur, Lyallpur, Gujraínwála, Lahore and Montgomery districts of the Punjah. The country surveyed was generally flat, and varied from low rolling sand-hills covered with scanty scrub and a fow

[^0]stunted trees, to the fertile, well watered and closely cultivated lands of the Chenáh colony in the Lyallpur district. In this party considerable use was made of the patwari's maps, which were pantographed down, and the reductions transferred to the plane-table sections.
14. The Punjab Riverain Detachment.-This detachment continued the work of traversing and laying down base lines for the future demarcation and survey of riverain boundaries, and for the general co-ordination of the cadastral surveys of the Punjab Government. The original programme was modified, and traversing was carried out for cadastral surveys on the rivers Sutlej, Beás, Thelum, and Chenáb, and for riverain boundaries on the Jumna and Indis. $4: 36$ linear miles of main traverse and 1,844 miles of minor traverse were completerl along these rivers and 456 base lines were laid down with permanent mark-stones.
15. 1,806 "musuris" were plotted, in addition to 372 which showed riverain boundaries. 1014 -inch sheets were traced and 21 were compiled.
16. The above were for the Scttlement Department, and for the riverain, 54 -inch shects were compiled, $21 \frac{1}{2}$ finally examined, and $9 \frac{3}{4}$ typed. This detachment also carried out a special survey on the scale of 4 inches to the mile, at the refuest of the Assistant Commanding Royal Engineer, along the Indus near Dera Ismail Khán-an area of 53 square miles being traversed and plano-tabled, and the work being completed with some difficulty on the 22nd October 1911.
17. About the middle of January 1911, orders were received from the Punjab Government for the resumption of the Lower Bári Doáb 25-acre Rectangular Survey, which had been in abeyance since 1909. Work was started on the 14th February, closed on the 10th June, and re-started on the 1 st September with an increased staff. In all 4,164 rectangles were broken and 140 linear miles of traversing were completed. The operations will extend over an area of some 2,500 square miles, which will eventually be commanded by the Lower Bári Doáb canal.

## SOUTHERN CIRCLE (vide index map No. 2).

1.K. No. $\varepsilon$ Purty.-No. 5 Party surveyed an area of 5,166 square miles in tho Juhhulpore, Damoh, Saugor, Narsinghpur, Seoní, Mandlá and Hoshangábád districts of the Contral Provinces and in the Bhopál State of Central India; and triangulated 2,512 spuare miles in the Narsinghpur, Hoshangábád, Chhindwát"i and Betúl districts of the Central Provinces and in the Gwalior and Bhopail States of Central India. The nature of the country surveyed variod from the cultivated plains in the neighbourhood of the Narbadá River to the densely wooded slopes ascending to the Pachmarhí plateau.
19. No. $6 P^{\prime} u \cdot l!$ - No. 6 Party surveyed an area of 3,074 square miles in the East Khándesh district of Bombay, in the Wardha and Chinda districts of the Contral Provinces, in the Yeotmal district of Berár and in the Aurangribaíl and Adilábád districts of Hyderábád ; it triangulated an area of 3,360 spuare miles in the Yeotmíl and Akola districts' of Berár and in the Adihíhád and Parbhani districts of IIyderábád, and it traversed 804 linear miles of forest boundarios and in the Santa Cruz Cantonment.

The country surveyed was of a varied nature, a large proportion being farly onon and easy : certain areas were however covered with dense scrub junglo, and here work was necessarily slow.
20. Vo. 7 Part!.-No. 7 Party surveged an area of 3,628 square miles in the North Kanara listrict of Bombay, in the South Kanara district of Madras, in Mysore and in Coorg, and triangulated an area of 1,769 square miles in the Coimbatore aud silem districts of Madras. The country surveyed was very varied in character; the low-lying and intricate coast line was connected by undulating ground with the high Western Ghats, beyond which was the Mysore plateau. The country was on the whole difficult to work in.
21. No. $s$ Party.-No. 8 Party surveyed an area of 1,287 square miles in the Malabar district and in the Cochin and Travancore States of Madras, and triangulated an area of 279 square miles and traversed 84 linear miles in the

Travancore State of Madras The country survered in the plains consisted of paddy fields surrounded by dense groves of palms, and in the hills, of forest which became denser as the elevation increased. Survey work was slow, laborious and expensive.

## EASTERN CIRCLE (ride index map No. 3).

22. No. 9 Party-No. 9 larty was transferred to the Eastern Circle from 1st April 1911, and triangulated an area of $3.5 \overline{7}$ square miles in the Singhhhum district of Bengal for the detail surver of next season on the 1 -inch scale. The country was for the most part hilly and covered with dense forest.
23. No. 10 Party.-No. 10 Party surveyed an area of 2.798 square miles in the districts of Bhamo and Myitkyini, and in Möngmit State of lyper Burma, including 75 miles of the Burma-Yiunnan frontier; 290 spuare miles of country beyond the frontier were sketched. $\mathbf{3 , 6 2 5}$ square miles were triangulated and traversed in the Kathai, Bhamo, and Myitkyina districts. The country lay in the valley of the Irrawaddy, near the gorges of the third defile, and extended eastwards through the Kachin hills to the Chinese frontier. The hills though high and wooded were not difficult to surver, but in the low valleys heavy mist in the early morning and the thickness of the jungle delayed progress.
24. The cantonment section completel the surver of Rangoon cantomment and the mapping of all cantonments which was in ham at the close of last season; it was disbauded at the end of May 1911. having completed all the cautonment surveys that had been asked for.
25. The Land Reconds Traininge Section continued its work of giving practical training in cadastral surveying to superintendents of the burma Land Records Department, and to probationers who had already gone through a preliminary course of instruction at Dehra Dun. The course lasted 9 months for superintendents and 12 months for probationers, during which period the pupils carried out traversing, 16 -inch cadastral survey, and 64 -inch town survey, as well as the computations, mapping, and area calculations involved.
26. Three surveyors of No. 10 party were attached to political missions, and carried out reconnaissance surveys of 3,785 square miles on the 1 -inch and $\frac{1}{4}$-inch scales. The work was fair-drawn during the recess, partly liy the party and partly by the Simla Drawing Office.
27. No. 11 P'arty.-No. 11 Party surveyed an area of 3,229 square miles in the southern portion of the Shan States of Mïng l'an and Mawkmai, and in the Karenni State of Kantariwadi. Work lay mostly heyond the Salween and was limited towards the south and east by Siam. Triangulation was completed over an area of 1,100 sfuare miles in Möng Pai and Mawkmai States and in Karenni, and also over 750 square miles in the Salween district.

The country was very steep, rough and rocky, communications were difficult, and inhabitants and supplies scarce. The hills were not heavily wooded except in a few patches.
28. No. 12 Party.-No. 12 Party surveyed an area of 3,191 sfuare miles in the Khási and Jaintia Hills, Sylhet and Kimrúp districts of Assam, and carried out triangulation and traversing over an area of 4,040 square miles. The above area includes 26 sfuare miles of reserved forest surveyed on the 2 -inch scale. The country under survey consisted mainly of ojen, grassy, undulating hills with occasional pine forests; the lower slopes of these hills were as a rule thickly wooded; the remainder of the area comprised flat and cultivated plains, here and there covered with dense grass and tree jungle.

## TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEYS.

Table showing Outturns and Costs.
1910-1911.

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\hline \& \& \& \& \& \& St. miles. \& Sq. miles. \& Sq. miles. \& St, miles. \& Rs. \& R. \& \\
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\text { wooded hills. }
\end{array}\right.
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\text { und Hyderábád. }
\end{array}\right.
$$ \& $\begin{cases}\text { Dense scrul, jungle } & \ldots \\ \text { Varied } & \ldots\end{cases}$ \& $\left\lvert\, \begin{array}{cr}\text { Survey } & \ldots \\ \left\{\begin{array}{cr}\text { Survey } \\ \text { Revision } \\ \text { vey, }\end{array}\right. & \text { Sur- }\end{array}\right.$ \& 2 inch

1
1 inch
1 iuch \& $\left.\begin{array}{r}81 \\ 2,293 \\ 770\end{array}\right\}$ \& 3,348 \& 3,074 \& -2,926 \& 1,13,507 \& 36.9 \& <br>
\hline
\end{tabular}



Table shewing progress of Topographical Surveys, 1905 to 1911.

Outturns in square miles.


Note.-The question of reducing the scalo of Survey in certain regions is under consideration. If it is found that the scale can be sufoly reduced for any considerablo areas, the completion of the topographical programme within the settled period of 25 years from 1005 will become moro probable.

## II.-FOREST SURVEYS.

29. The Forest Surveys of the rear were carried out, in every case, by the particular topographical parties in whose spheres of operations the forests lay. The surveys were for the most part on the - -inch scale; but some were on the 1 -inch scale, and forest boundary survers on the 4 -inch scale were carried out over a considerable area.

## Vorther" Circh.

30. Punjab.-No. 2 Party surveyed an area of 219 square miles of forests, including reserved, unclassified forests, and "rakhs," in the districts of Shelum, Attock, Shaihpur, Sialkot, and Gujrait. These were partly on the 2 -inch and partly on the 1 -inch scale.
31. No. 9 Party surveyed an area of 326 square miles on the 1 -iuch scale in the Shíhpur, Lahore, Montgomery, Gujranwala, and Lyallpur districts. The country surveyed was quite flat, and the forests consisted of open forest or scrub jungle; while in the Sháhpur district rolling sand hills predominated. No boundary traverses were run.

## Southern Circle

32. Central Protinces. (Berar Circle).-In the course of the topographical survey of Berár, No. 6 Party surveyed on the 2 -inch scale 81 square miles of $A, B, \& C$ class forests falling in the Veotmal district. The boundaries of all the above forests had previously been rigorously traversed by theodolite and plotted on the 4 -inch scale. In addition $\mathbf{5} 66$ linear miles of theodolite boundary traverse of $\mathrm{A}, \mathrm{B}, \mathbb{\mathrm { C }} \mathrm{C}$ chass forests were traversed in advance for next year's survey; 41 linear miles traversed last year will also be available.

## Eastern Circle.

33. Burma.-No. 10 Party.-The following twelve forest reserves fell within the area under survey, and were surveyed on the 2 -inch scale: Taungbalaung and Vya Hatha in the Myitkyina forest division; and in the Rhamo forest division J3um Sawn, Teinthaw, Moman, Singlum, Lungyā, Kadawtaung, Si-u, Namik, Namkao, and the proposed reserves of Naunghu and Namme. The Naunghu reserve was settled so recently that traverse operations were hampered through lack of proper demarcation, and as the Namme reserve had not yet been settled or demarcated, considerable difficulty was met with, both by traversers and detail surveyors, in locating the proposed boundary. The total area surveyed by No. 10 Party amounted to 183 square miles.
34. No. 11 Party carried out 70 linear miles of theodolite boundary traverse of the Tambpak forest in the Southern Shan State of Hsa-htung.

The detail survey of this forest will be executed next year on the 2 -inch scale.
35. Eastern Bengal and Assam.-The survey on the 2 -inch scale of the Nongkyhllem reserve, situated in the Khási and Jaintia Hills division, was taken up and completed by No. 12 Party. This reserve embraces an area of 26 square miles, and contains a fair amount of Sal timber. In parts very dense and high grass jungle was encountered, which retarded the work.

## III.-TRIGONOMETRICAL SURVEYS.

## gEODETIC SURVEY.

## (a).-Astronomical Latitudes.

36. No. 13 Party.-No. 13 Party was employed on latitude observations Of the ten stations visited, six were situated in Baluchistán and Sind, Khojak being the most northerly and Sultán ka Gót near Shikárpur, the most southerly: the remaining four were situated in the Siwaliks. The results of the observations are given in the following table:-

| Station. |  |  |  | Height. | Longitude. | Geodetic latitude. | Astronomical latitude. | A-G. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 品 |  |  |  | Ft. |  | - " | " | " |
|  | [Khojak | $\ldots$ | . | 7,851 | $66 \quad 37$ | $\begin{array}{lll}30 & 51 & 24 \cdot 85\end{array}$ | $20.21 \pm 0.061$ | $-4 \cdot 64$ |
|  | Quetta |  |  | 5,500 | 67 3 | 11 57 <br> 17  | $55.91 \pm 0.098$ | $-1 \cdot 46$ |
|  | Mach | ... | . | 3,522 | $67 \quad 21$ | $\begin{array}{lll}29 & 52 & 31 \cdot 51\end{array}$ | $20 \cdot 46 \pm 0 \cdot 058$ | -11.05 |
|  | Dasti |  | ... | 316 | $67 \quad 56$ | $0 \quad 29.93$ | $27 \cdot 61 \pm 0.058$ | -2.32 |
|  | Dumb | ** | - | 183 | $68 \quad 17$ | $\begin{array}{lll}28 & 15 & 21.09\end{array}$ | $18 \cdot 30 \pm 0 \cdot 048$ | -2.79 |
|  | Sultán-ka-Göt |  | ... | 213 | $69 \quad 39$ | $4 \quad 9 \cdot 41$ | $8.05 \pm 0.045$ | $-1.36$ |
|  | Luchkia |  | ... | 2,674 | $78 \quad 2$ | $\begin{array}{lll}30 & 4 & 34 \cdot 24\end{array}$ | $5.34 \pm 0.050$ | -28.90 |
|  | Hatui | .. | ... | 3,096 | $77 \quad 59$ | $13 \quad 1.52$ | $31.93 \pm 0.096$ | -29-59 |
|  | Bullawalla |  | ... | 2,432 | $77 \quad 49$ | $6 \quad 51.29$ | $22 \cdot 32 \pm 0.058$ | -28.97 |
|  | (Shorpur | $\cdots$ | ... | 2,816 | $77 \quad 58$ | $13 \quad 44 \cdot 43$ | $15 \cdot 30 \pm 0 \cdot 073$ | $-29 \cdot 13$ |

A negative value of (A-G) denotes a northerly attraction of the plumb-line.
37. The noteworthy features of the results are the smallness of the values of $(\Lambda-G)$ at all the Baluchistán and Sind stations; and the equality of the values at the four Siwilik stations. There is a visible excess of mass to the immediate north of the first three Siwálik stations, and no such excess in the case of the fourth station.

## (b.)-Pendulum Operations.

38. No. 14 Party.-No. 14 Party carried out pendulum operations in Burma, at eloven stations, fairly evenly distributed between Mogok in the north and Rangoon and Bassein in the south.

In the table bolow are shown the stations visited and the results obtained. The usual procedure was followed in carrying out the observations, four pendulums being swung at each place, and as a rule four complete sets of night and day observations were made, each set being preceded and followed by star observations for the determination of clock rate.

Table.

|  | Stat |  |  | Latitude. | Longitude. | Height above M. S. L. | Observed ! | Correction for Height | Correction for Mass. | Correction for Terrain. | Corrected for Height only. \% | Corrected for Height and Mass. | Corrected for Height Mase nad 'Iorrain. $g^{\prime \prime}$ 。 | $\gamma$ 。 | $n_{n}-\%_{0}$ | $g_{n}^{\prime \prime}-\gamma_{\text {c }}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | - ' " | - | feet. | rm. | cm. | cm. | cm. | cm. | cm . | cm. | rm . | cm. | rm. |
| Rangoon | ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 16475 | $\begin{array}{llll}96 & 9 & 8\end{array}$ | 164 | 978.467 | $+0.015$ | -0.006 | 0 | 978'482 | 978.470 | 978.476 | 978434 | +0.0.98 | +0.0.12 |
| Prome | ... | ..' | ... | 184940 | 951340 | 101 | 978.543 | +0.009 | -0.00-4 | 0 | 978.552 | 978.548 | 078.548 | 976.041 | +0.011 | +0.007 |
| Henzada | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | ... | 173917 | 95 <br> 27 | 46 | 978.481 | +0.00t | -0.002 | 0 | 978.185 | 978.483 | $978 \cdot 183$ | 978.478 | +0.007 | +0.006 |
| Basscin | $\cdots$ | ... | ... | 164711 | $9444 \quad 6$ | 23 | 978.475 | $+0.002$ | $-0.001$ | 0 | $978 \cdot 477$ | 978.476 | 078.476 | $978 \cdot 433$ | +0.044 | +0.0.13 |
| Toungoo | $\cdots$ | $\cdots$ | ... | 185550 | 96273 | 159 | 978.508 | +0.015 | -0.006 | 0 | 978.573 | 078.667 | 078. 367 | 978.647 | +0.020 | +0.620 |
| Pyinmaná | ... | ... | ... | 194425 | 9611156 | 409 | 978.578 | $+0.038$ | -0.014 | +0.001 | 978.616 | 978.602 | 978.603 | 9:8.093 | +0.023 | +0.010 |
| Meiktila | ... | ... | ... | 205126 | $95 \quad 5158$ | 799 | $988 \cdot 617$ | $+0.074$ | -0.02x | 0 | 978.691 | 078.663 | 078.663 | 078.6isk | +0.03:3 | +0.00\% |
| Mandalay | ... | ... | ... | 215944 | $96 \quad 628$ | 244 | 978.714 | +0.023 | -0.009 | $+0.001$ | 978*737 | 978.728 | $978 \cdot 720$ | 678.728 | +0.000 | +0.001 |
| Maymyo | - | ... | ... | $22 \quad 113$ | 962824 | 3,495 | 978.490 | +0:326 | -0.122 | 0 | 978.818 | 078.694 | 978.69.4 | 978.730 | +0.088 | -0.038 |
| Mogok | ... | ... | ... | 22 \%4 51 | 962951 | 3,685 | 978.539 | +0.343 | $-0.129$ | +0.003 | 978-882 | 978.783 | 978.756 | 978.787 | +0.00\% | -0.031 |
| Myingyan | ... | ... | ... | 2128 J 6 | 952350 | 248 | 978.690 | $+0.023$ | $-0.009$ | 0 | 978.713 | 978.704 | 978.704 | 978.0015 | +0.017 | +0.008 |

## TRIANGULATION (rirle index map No. 12 ).

39. The work of No. 15 Party included principal and secondary triangulation and the selection of sites for base lines.

> (a).-Principul Triangulation.
(i)-The Uיper Irraupuld!y Siries was continued from the side MarauMatu Bum in a northerly direction up to parallel $25^{\circ} 30^{\prime}$, where it bent eastward. Owing to bad weather conditions, the intention of making a junction with the Mandalay meridional series has had to the postponed (ride index chart Great Trigonometrical Survey).
(ii).-The Gireat Salwern Series. Work on this series had been in abeyance since April 1909. It was continued this season from the side Loi Lung-Loi Danwa, first casterly and then south-easterly, following the eastern boundary of Burma.
(iii).-T'lo Kashmir Jriucipal Sorirs was extended from the base Choti-wála-hatha Pahar towards the north. After completion of the triangulation, reconnaissance was carried out, to decide on the route by which the Indian triangulation should be joined up with that of Russia. Three routes were examined, and the one selected was through the Hunza valley.
(in).-Rerision of hrights on the Gireat Arr Series. Some discrepancies of heights having been found to exist on this series, it was decided to commence a revision of all stations south of latitude $24^{\circ}$. Obervations were carried out at 12 stations and the heights of 10 old ones revised.

In addition 3 of the stations which were found to have been destroyed were rebuilt.

> (b).-Secomilary Trinuyulation.
(v).-The Mawhimai Series ruming through the Southern Shan States was completed during the year; it closed on the Monghsat Secondary Series.
(vi).-The Gáro Hills Series emanates from the Brahmaputra Meridional Series and was intended to be a westward extension of the Khási Hills Series. Owing, however, to bad weather and sickness, the junction was not effected.
(rii).-The Juintia IIills Series is a continuation of the Khási Hills Series eastward.
(riii).-Secmulary work in Kashmir. In order to locate the peak Teram Kangri and to determine its height, a short length of triangulation has been run from Montgomeric's Kashmír Series, northwards up the Nubra valley.

This triangulation places Teram Kangri 3 miles south-east of the position assigned to it by Dr. Longstaff. The height obtained from observations of vertical anrles is approximately 24,500 feet, and is smaller than Dr. Longstaff's value by over 2,000 feet.
(c)-Buse Lines.
( $i x$ ). -Two sites for the measurements of base lines were selected and prepared, one near Bhamo about 9 miles along, and another at Prome 13 miles long.

ABSTRACT OF TRIANGOLATION.


TIDAL OPERATIONS.
40. Ni, 16 Part!.-Observations were taken by means of self-registering tide-gauges during the year, at the stations eummerated in the following list:-

41. In addition to the above, readings to tide-poles were taken at Bhávoagar, Chittagong, and Akyab.
42. The 9 tidal observatories at work were inspeeted during the year, and the registrations have been satisfactory.
43. In the following tables are given the annual and decalal percentages of the predicted time and height errors of high and low waters at open cuast and riverain stations.
Percentage of errors in Predicted Times and Heights at opr"t coast stations from Automatic liegistrations.


Percentage of errors in Predirted Tims: and Heights at riverain stations from Automatic Registrations.

|  |  |  |  |  | IN |  |  | In | ehout. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Within of a | minutes <br> uals. | Within of $n$ | inches mals. | Within range | $f \mathrm{~m}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  | H. W. | L. W. | H. W. | L. W. | H. W. | L. W |
| 1901 | $\therefore$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\underline{2}$ | 63 | 65 | 70 | 59 | 90 | 92 |
| 1912 |  | ... | $\ldots$ | 2 | 63 | 54 | 76 | 53 | 96 | 90 |
| 1903 |  | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 2 | 55 | 61 | $7{ }^{19}$ | (6) | 88 | 87 |
| 1904 |  | ... | ... | 2 | 45 | 61 | 72 | $6{ }^{6}$ | 94 | 95 |
| 1905 |  | ... | ... | 2 | 52 | 62 | 72 | 67 | 明 | 92 |
| 1906 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 59 | 53 | 74 | 64 | 92 | 95 |
| 1907 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 58 | 47 | 78 | 60 | 96 | 9 |
| 1908 | ... | ... | ... | 2 | 58 | 52 | 77 | 60 | 97 | 92 |
| 1910 |  | ... | ... | 3 | 61 | 59 | 69 | $6{ }^{6}$ | 93 | 82 |
|  | $\ldots$ | ... | ... | 3 | 57 | 52 | 63 | 71 | 89 | 94 |
| Average of 10 years |  | ... | ... | $\ldots$ | 57 | 57 | 72 | 61 | 93 | 92 |

## LEVELLING OPERATIONS.

44. No. 17 Partly.-Three detachmemts were employed as in the preceding years.
(i). No. I was employed in the Bombay Presidency, between Bombay and Dhárwár; its outturn amounted to 376 miles, and it laid down and connected 114 benchmarks. The circuit Mormugao, Belgaum, Hubli, Kárwár, Mormugao was completed, closing with an error of 308 feet.
(ii). No. "2 detachment levelled from Gauhati to Dibrugarh and from Gauhati to Dumpep. The total length levelled was $362 \frac{3}{4}$ miles, and the heights of 111 benchmarks were determined.
(iii). No. 3 levelling detachment was employed on levelling from Ambála to Solon in the Himalayas, from Dera Ismail Khán to Chunda on the Bannu Roall, from Dargá Khán via Rawalpindi to Murree, and from Nowshera to Pisalpur cantonment. The outturn amounted to 408 miles, and 107 benchmarks were connected.
45. Bench-marks have now been fixed on the Lesser Himalayan Range on seven different lines: namely-

| Tindharia, | Mussoorie, |
| :--- | :--- |
| Naini Tal, | Solon, |
| Lansdowne, | Dharamkot, |

Murree,
and the new line from Dera Ismail Khán to Chunda gives a valuable connection with the Trans-Indus mountains.

## MAGNETIC SURVEY.

46. No. 18 Party.-Four detachments, each under a Provincial officer, were employed.
47. One dotachment was employed in re-observing a number of selected old fich stations, the sites of which were permanently marked for future occupation. A second detachment carried out a detailed survey of the Bengal coal fiold, in response to numerous requests for accurate values of magnetic declination. The third detachment had been allotted to the magnetic survey of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, for which the census operations appeared to offer a favourable opportunity. The arrangements, however, fell through, and after observing at Port Blair and 3 new stations in the Andamans, the dotachment was employed on detail survey in Bengal. The fourth detachment was employed on office duties during the cold season and proceeded to Kashmir in April 1911. 29 new stations were observed, the detachment returning to recess in July.
48. The officer in charge observed at 22 repeat stations and made comparative observations at the 4 survey base stations and at Alibag magnetic observatory. During the season full sets of magnetic observations were taken at 109 new stations, while 56 old field stations and 23 repeat stations were re-occupied.
49. Work during recess.-The computation of the previous season's field work and the reduction and tabulation of the base station results for 1910 have been completed. The computation of a new series of selected quiet days, for which traces are available at all the survey base stations, has also been completed.

The investigation of the instrumental differences from the standard in H. F. has been continued but is not yet completed.
50. The mean values of the magnetic elements at the various observatories for 1910 are as follows:-

| Observatory. | Latitude. | Longitude. | Dip. | Declination. | H. F. | V. F. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | - " | - , - | - - |  | C. G. S. | C. G. S. |
| Dehra Dún | $\begin{array}{lll}30 & 19 & 19\end{array}$ | 7S 319 | N 43 5ids | E 231.9 | -3325 | -39019 |
| Barrackpore | $\begin{array}{lll}22 & 46 & 29\end{array}$ | SS 2139 | N 3042.2 | E 035.5 | -373:9 | $\because 2168$ |
| Toungoo | $\begin{array}{llll}18 & 55 & 45\end{array}$ | $96 \quad 27 \quad 3$ | N 232.1 | E 024.9 | -38501 | -16498 |
| Kodaikánal | $\begin{array}{lll}10 & 13 & 50\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{lll}74 & 27 & 46\end{array}$ | N 345.2 | W 0550 | -3i485 | -02459 |

## PART III.

## OFFICE WORK.

## I.-HEADQUARTERS OFFICES.

## MAP PLBLICATION (vide index maps at eud).

51. The classes of maps for the publication of which the office is responsible may be enumerated as follows:-
(a)-The map of India on the scale of 1 inch $=1$ mile.
(b)-The map of India on the scale of $\frac{\mathrm{inch}}{\mathrm{a}}=1 \mathrm{mile}$.
(c)-Geographical maps on the one-millionth scale.
(d)-Small scale geographical maps.
(e)-Special maps.
52. The first duty of the office is to reproduce and print the 1 -inch and $\frac{1}{4}$-inch maps of India, prepared by the fiell parties and circle offices from the topographical surveys now in progress.
53. (a) The map of India on the scale 1 inch $=1$ mile.-During the year 111 sheets of the new 1 -inch map have been received from Circle Ollices for publication, and 115 have been reproduced and printed.
54. Index maps Nos. 4, 5, and 6 at the end of this report show the progress of the publication of the 1 -inch map, and the table below gives the annual outturn of its sheets since the modern survey was begun.

55. In addition, 30 sheets based on revenue surveys or on topographical surveys executed before 1st October 1905 have been received from the Northern Circle and Bengal Drawing Office for publication and 26 have been published as preliminary editions in modern form during the year, ride index maps Nos. 7,8 , and 9 .
56. To maintain the existing stock of 1 -inch sheets, or to give effect to important alterations due to the development of communications, 114 sheets on the 1 -inch scale have been reprinted with minor alterations.
57. (b) The map of India on the scale of $\frac{1}{4}$ inch $=1$ mile. -Of the sheets of the new $\frac{1}{4}$ inch map of India in "degree sheet" form, only two were received for publication in 1910-11; both of these required certain references and alterations and could not be published before the close of the year, cide index map No. 10.

[^1]58. Each "degree sheet" includes the area covered by 16 one-inch sheets, and its preparation is necessarily delayed until the component 1 -inch sheets are available. A considerable number of the sheets are however now in course of preparation in the circle offices, and material for the preparation of all degree sheets of which the component 1 -inch sheets have been received, has been supplied to the circle drawing offices.
59. Pending the preparation of the new map, 16 sheets on the scale of $\frac{1}{4}$ inch $=1$ mile have been prepared and published at headquarters from the maps of old surveys. Five of these were printed during the year.
60. (c) Geoyraphical maps on the one-millionth scale.-Next to the duty of publishing the immediate results of the topographical surveys, the most important work of the offices consists in the preparation of the Map of India and Adjacent Countries on the scale of $\frac{1}{1, \frac{1}{10.000}}$ and of the general small-scale maps.
61. Index map No. 11 at the end of this report shows the progress made as regards the $\frac{1,0 \text { ini,uwio }}{\text { sin }}$ sheets; four new sheets have been published and reprints with minor alterations made of six sheets.
62. (d) Small scale Geographical maps.-A new "Railway, Road and Canal Map of India" on the scale of 32 miles $=1$ inch has been prepared and published at the instance of the Railway Board. It was based upon the fourth edition of the Map of India and Adjacent Countries ( $\mathbf{3 2}$ miles $=1$ inch).
63. The compilation and engraving of the new Map of India and Adjacent Countries on the scale of 32 miles $=1$ inch has made fair progress. As mentioned in last year's general report, the decision to include llibet and other north-eastorn areas las necessarily postponed the completion of the map, but 11 out of the 12 sheets are now almost finished.
64. The new engraved index maps are in hand; of 42 which cover the Indian area two have been completed during the year, and twenty are being compiled and engraved, leaving eighteen still to be taken up.
65. (e)-Special Maps.-A large number of special maps have been prepared for the different departments of the Indian Government. Among these may be mentioned the new 64-mile Railway Administration Map which will be revised and pullished annually and a railway map for the Coronation Durbar, of which 150,000 copies were printed.
66. Towards the close of the year several maps for census purposes and a considerable number of maps and plans for the Coronation Durbar have been put in hand.

## DRAWING AND ENGRAVING OFFICES.

67. These offices have made fair progress in the compilation, drawing, examination and engraving of the geographical maps and special maps.
68. Tho drawing office dealt with 97 one-inch and $\frac{1}{4}$-inch modern sheets which required slight additions or corrections before publication, and prepared 150 old 1 -inch and $\frac{1}{4}$-inch sheets for reprinting.
69. Among the maps, the engraving of which has been completed during the year, are the plans of Calcutta on the scale of 6 inches $=1$ mile, in four sheets.
70. The number of copper-plate impressions pulled has been 36,432 , and the electrotype section has dealt with 247 plates.

## PHOTO.-LITHO. OFFICE.

71. The experiments with three-colour photography as described in last year's report are still in progres. It is helieved that the method mar prove of use in the production of "layered" maps, which show heights above sea level by means of lavers of different shades of colour.
72. During the year onlr $1+1$ sheets in modern standard form were published; this is a decrease of $\overline{7}$ - from 1909-10. The decrease was due to a falling off in the number of sheets received from circle offices for publication, which accounts for the diminished outturn of the oflice.
73. There has been a small increase in the number of extra-departmental maps, \&c., received for publication, but the oftice could still deal with a considerably larger number.

The office sent an exhibit to the United Provinces Exhibition at Allahabad during the cold weather and was awarded the 'Grand Prix' for "Photo.-mechanical Printing Processes and Maps."
74. The following table shows the cost and outturn of the office for the past three years :-


## MAP RECORD AND ISSUE OFFICE.

75. The gross face value of the maps received from the priuting ollices during the year amounted to Rs. 2,27,431. This sum includes Rs. 16,214-8-0 and Rs. 15,238-8-0, the values of maps printed in the Engraving Office and at Dehra Dún respectively.
76. The following table shows the maps printed and received and their face values.

| Class of maps. | Scale. | Number of different maps of each class received. |  | Value. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\left\|\begin{array}{c} \text { New publications } \\ \text { and } \\ \text { New Editions. } \end{array}\right\|$ | Reprints. |  |
|  |  |  |  | Rs. |
| Geographical maps ... | Small | 3 | 2 | 8,985 |
| India and Adjacent Countries ... | 1 | $6{ }^{\circ}$ | 6 | 4,700 |
| Degree sheets, \&c. ... ... | 1 inch $=4$ miles | 24 | .... | 10.200 |
| Standard sheets (in modern form)... | 1 inch $=1$ mile | 141 | ...... | 17,469 |
| Provincial maps ... ... | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}1 \text { inch }=16 \text { miles } \\ 1 \text { inch }=32 \text { miles }\end{array}\right.$ | \} ..... | 1 | 1,850 |
| District maps ... | 1 inch= 4 miles | 6 | 4 | 3,300 |
| Atlas sheets $\quad .$. | 1 inch $=4$ miles |  | 168 | 26.461 |
| Standard sheets (old style) ... | 1 inch $=1$ mile | 29 | 85 | 47,245 553 |
| Administration Report maps ... | 1 inch $=8$ miles | 15 | 3 | 15,755 |
| Plans of Cities and Cantonments ... | Various | 44 | $J$ | 1,120 |
| Triangulation and traverse charts... | Various | 12 | 4 | 1,690 |
| Index maps ... .. <br> Miscellaneous maps ...  | Various | 256 | 16 | 24,103 |
| Totals for 1910-11 | ...... | 541 | 325 | 2,17,431 |
| Corresponding totals for 1909-10 | ...... | 482 | 412 | 3,40,000 |

- Includes engraved editions of two aheets formerly published as helio'd editions.

77. The total number of printed maps issued during the year was $2,30,948$ of an aggregate value of R.s. 1,27,167. The details of the sales were as follows:-

| Saleatos |  |  |  | Number of maps. | Talue. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 1 |  | his. |
| Goveruinent officialm | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | $\ldots$ | 151,790 | 46,628 |
| India Sffice . ... | ... | ... | 1 | 2,46s | 3,509 |
| Ifpartmental jname* | $\ldots$ | ... | $\ldots$ | 39.589 | 46,772 |
| Privata individuals | ... | $\ldots$ | ... | 31.661 | 23,8:34 |
| Agents $\quad .$. | ... | ... |  | 6,449 | 6,424 |
| Totals for 1910.11 |  |  |  | 230,048 | 1,27,167 |
| Corresponding totaly for 1909-10 |  |  | $\ldots$ | 142,421 | 1,94,858 |

## MATHEMATICAL INSTRUMENT OFFICE.

78. During the last year there was an increase in the demands made by Government departments on the store and workshop sections into which this office is divided. The result of the increased demand is that the store section shows a loss of Lis. 6,891 as compared with a loss of Rs. 20,176 last yoar and the workshop section shows a profit of Rs. 10,673 as compared with a loss last year of Iis. 15,270 .
79. It must be borne in mind that this office is some what similar to a retail establishment with the difference that it issues stores to Government departments at their net value and in its yearly profit and loss account it takes as a credit 25 per cent. of the value of the stores issued, whereas a commercial firm would charge double this percentage in order to cover the costs of supervision, rent, interest or plant and stores, depreciation and clerical labour. The Mathematical Instrument Office therefore in its yearly profit and loss accounts shows a total loss or profit according to whether the domands made on it by Government departments have been small or great, as the percentage charged on the net value of the stores issued are not sufficient to cover the standing charges in bad years. A full statement of the accounts is given in the Volume "Records of the Survey of India, 1910-11."
80. A new price list revised and corrected up to April 1st, 1911 has been issued.

Apart from ordinary repairs and manufactures, the following special works were comploted :-
(1) A metal stand for a new $36^{\prime \prime} \times 36^{\prime \prime}$ camera.
(2) $\Lambda$ transparency carrier for use with the above camera.
(3) $\Lambda$ new system of collimating and adjusting of telescopes and binoculars has been finally introduced during the year, and has proved satisfactory.
(4) A second small motor has been attached to the scale dividing machine, to drive a small circular saw of fine gauge, as a substitute for the ordinary point dividing tool. This has proved very successful.
(5) A light field litho. press was designed... and constructed. It has been favorably reported on but has not yet been finally sanctioned.

## II.-DEHRA DÚN OFFICES.

## SPECIAL OPERATIONS.

81. During the year the building for the base line observatory and seismograph house was completed. The main part of the building now awaits the arrival of the new standards and comparators from England. In a smaller room an Omori horizontal pendulum seismograph has been installed; but considerable difficulty has been met with in the working of this instrument owing to its extreme sensitivity. It is hoped though that when a proper protective case, to keep off air currents and insects, has been fitted, it will prove satisfactory. The zero of the instrument so far has not remained steady.
82. The clockwork for rotating the drum did not work well, and a tidegauge clock has now been fitted with satisfactory results. Records are now being taken daily and several small earthquakes have been recorded.
83. Photographs of the sun were taken on 328 days of the year, the sun being obscured by clouds on the remaining days.
84. Meteorological observations have been continued throughout the year.

## COMPUTING SECTION.

85. The chief points of interest in the work of this section are as follows :-

## Gerdetic work.

86. The final deduction of heights of all bench-marks in India has been completed and the results incorporated in Volumes XIX. A and XIX. B. These volumes together with Volume XIX have been distributed. The proparation of pamphlets giving all bench-marks falling in $4^{\circ}$-squares of latitude and longitude has been taken up, and two of these pamphlets have been completed and distributed.
87. Mr. Shaw's Professional Paper on Refraction has been printed.

## Geographical work.

88. Numerous computations in connectiou with Trans-Frontior Degreo Triangulation Charts have been made, and Captain Robinson's triangulation computations have been completed.
89. A large amount of topographical triangulation has been adjusted.
90. Barometric heights and latitudes observed by several travellers and explorers have been worked out.
91. Papers on Rectangular Co-ordinates by Mr. Eccles, and on Barometers by Mr. Hunter have been printed, and tables computed for thom. Experimental computations in connection with refraction and with the variation of magnetic elements with geographical position have been made.

## Preservation of triyonometrical stations.

92. 924 Stations were repaired by the district officers at a cost of Rs. $5,724-1-11$. Out of 340 districts from which reports are annually due, 11 failed to make returns.

## DRAWIVG SECTION.

93. The following table shows the volume of work undertaken:-

| Clask of map. |  | Number of sheets in hand. | Number of sheets drawn and sent to press. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \&eientific diagrams and clarta | $\ldots$ | Nil | 2 |
|  | $\cdots$ | 5 | 2 |
| Do. do. mmaller scale. | ... | 2 | 0 |
| Miscellancous inderes and plans ... | ... | 6 | 13 |
| Triangulation Charta ... | $\ldots$ | 42 | 71 |
| Levelling Cbarts | $\ldots$ | 8 | 2 |
| Specinl maps for Doctor Stcin | ... | 17 | 77 |
| Total | ... | 80 | 167 |

PHOTO.-ZINCO. SECTION.
94. 1,844 maps and diagrams were photographed, against 1,750 in 1909-10.

The number of impressions pulled was 294,118 against 302,909 in the previous year. The lithographic machine was employed throughout the year printing the maps of Doctor Stein's exploration, cantonment maps, forest maps, and triangulation and levelling charts.

## FOREST MAP OFFICE.

95. The number of maps issued to Forest and other officials and to the public during the year was 17,312 , which is an increase of 7,750 over last year. The amount realized by sales amounted to Rs. 1,724 against Rs. 1,555 in the previous year. Of this amount Rs. 1,060 was adjusted by book debit and Rs. $66+$ acerued from sales to private individuals and trading companies.
!f. The following table shows in abstract form the work dealt with by the oflice:-


## III.-CIRCLE AND LOCAL DRAWING OFFICES.

## SORTHERS CIRCLE DRAWING OFFICE.

97. The normal main work of the office was the examination of standard sheets drawn by the varions parties, the drawing and examination of sheets which the parties (either from insufficient establishment or owing to a short recess season) had been unable to undertake, the preparation of special editions of standard sheets, and the drawing of degree sheets. The office also undertook the drawing of certain sheets of the $-\frac{1}{M}$ series, until the lst of January when they were made over to the Simla Drawing Ottice; and the examination of standard sheets prepared in the United Provinces Drawing Office.
98. The following is a summary of the work in hand and sent to press :-


## UNITED PROVINCES DRAWING OFFICE.

99. This office, also under the Superintendent, Northern Circle, continued its work of compiling and drawing 2 -inch standard m'ps, for reduction to 1-inch, from old cadastral surveys, and in preparing traverse charts. Sheets were drawn in both the old and new styles. In all 19 sheets were compiled and submitted for publication, and 26 traverse charts were completed. 7 standard sheets and 21 traverse charts remain to be completed.

## SOUTHERN CIRCLE DRAWING OFFICE.

100. The final examination of 35 standard sheets was completed, and the fair drawing of 6 degree sheets was commenced. Considerable assistance was given to the parties, with a view to enabling them to complete their current mapping.
101. The Photo.-zinco. section undertook all the photographic and Vandyke work required by the parties.

## EASTERN CIRCLE DRAWING OFFICE.

102. This office was formed at the commencement of the season under report, having hitherto formed part of what is now the Southern Circle Drawing Office. It was transferred from Bangalore to Shillong in September 1910.
103. The following table shows the work performed during the year. Owing to the large number of 1 -inch standard sheets submitted in an unfinished state by the field parties, and to the want of sufficient trained establishment, the mapping of degree sheets has been in abeyance.

## PART III.

S'tandurd sheetx, \&er, received from field parties, surveyed in season 1909-10.


BENGAL DRAWING OFFICE.
(Standard Mapping Section).
104. The standard mapping section of this office continued its work of compilation of standard sheets from modern cadastral surveys for publication as preliminary editions.
105. 79 standard sheets were dealt with, and 25 have been sent for publication. Of these 16 were compiled specially for supplementary survey by No. 9 P'arty during the coming field season.
106. A certain amount of work was done for the Map Publication Office, namely:-
(a) Fiscal limits and cultivation were colored on 19 black prints;
(I) 9 uncorrected proofs were examined and corrected;
(c) 15 published proofs of standard sheets not printed in colours were coloured as office copies.

## PART IV.

## WORK FOR OTHER GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS.

107. As usual during the year much special work was done for other departments. Instances already mentioned in this report are:-Forest Surreys (page 13), Riverain work in the Punjab (page s), (antonment Survers (pages $\overline{7}, 8,9,27$ ).

The Mathematical Instrument Office supplies and repairs certain classes of instruments for every Government department in India including the Army Department.
108. Surveyors from several parties were attached to missions on the North-western and Eastern frontiers, and executed reconnaissance surveys for the Foreign and Army Departments.
109. In Travancore State the Periyár catchment area was surveyed for irrigation purposes on the 2 -inch scale.
110. The reproduction for other departments of maps, plans and illustrations that do not require redrawing, does not interfere with the normal work of the Survey of India and is always undertaken when asked for. On the other hand the amount of drawing and compilation that can be done for extra-departmental purposes is limited and is necessarily confined to urgently required and important maps.
111. During the year special drawing and compilation has been done for the following:-

The Government of India, chiefly for the Foreign Department.
Local Governments.
The Chief of the General Staff.
The Coronation Durbar Committce.
The Railway Board.
The Census Commissioners and Local Census Superintendents.
The Post Master General.
The Director of Meteorological Observatories.
Maps, plans, or illustrations were reproduced for the following in addition:-

The Forest Department.
The Department of Agriculture.
The Government Architect.
The Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India.
The Geological Survey.
The Telegraph Department.
The Military Works Services.
The Indian Museum.
112. Some work was also done for societies such as the Astronomical Society of India, the Asiatic Society of Bengal and the Photographic Society of Bengal.
113. The preparation of the maps on the scale of 4 miles $=1$ inch of Dr. Stein's explorations in Chinese Turkestan and Western China, 1906-08, is in hand at Dehra Dún.
114. A section of the Simla Drawing Office is employed solely on miscellaneous work for the Chief of the Staff, and has turned out a large number of maps and sketches.




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[^1]:    - The figures shown in the similar table on page 20 of the General Report for 1909-10 have been altered as certain sheets had been omitted from that report.

