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[Despatch Abstract.]

Irrigation works.

Recording notes connected with the compilation of a
Manual on ——— by Colonel Ellis.

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Scott 8 (a) - 160,001 - 15-1-17.

Para 2 of letter to the
Govt. of India, No.
518 A - Educational,
dated 2.5.16

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This was already
agreed to in the case
of Mr. Morgan: see
Notes to G.O.'s Nos.
58 & 59 Educational,
dated 19.1.16.

plg fl to 16.3.18

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P.W.D. (2)
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As there seems to be no
prospect of Mr. Morgan's services
becoming available in the near future
for being placed on special duty for
writing the proposed manual on
"Irrigation works", I would suggest
that Col. Ellis be invited to write
the text-book, on the same honorarium
as was proposed to be paid to Mr.
Morgan (Rs 1500). Col. Ellis on
1.4.16 described the proposed work as
'a necessity', and it is in every way
as necessary now as it was two years
ago. Col. Ellis' extensive experience
of irrigation works in this Presidency
should render a text-book on the
subject written by him very valuable,
& I strongly recommend that this
exceptional opportunity be availed of.
Col. Ellis would, I know, accept
the Commission, on the understanding
that he shall have free access to
all plans & records in the office,
that any plans or diagrams required
for the work shall be prepared
under his instructions in the office, &
that he shall be at liberty to
relinquish the work should he feel



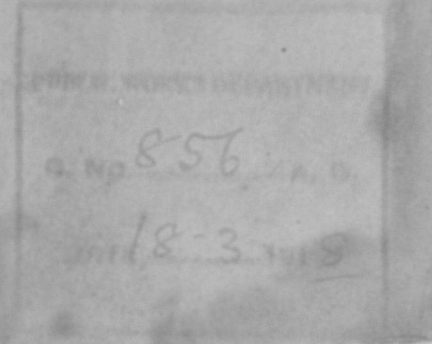
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U. O. No. 1772/18-C

16.3.18

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Kie p. 18 quotes
to 5058-59 etc
of 19.1.16 Hayk

any Employment Connected with the
war, or an opportunity of returning
to England. These stipulations are
reasonable & may be accepted.

Will you kindly take the
necessary further action in the matter?

1/14
15.3.18

Sw. no.

Submitted

If the proposal is approved, the case
may be transferred to Home (Education) for
consideration & issue of necessary orders.
The fee payable on this account to Col Ellis
viz Rs 1500 is debitable to "22 Educational"
It would appear from para 2 of the foot of
Ludra's letter No 1638B of 2.5.1914
printed with go no 260 I of 6 614 that the
local Govt are competent to sanction the
amount of fee.

3. As originally decided on,
Mr. Morgan was also to be
entrusted with the writing
of another book "River Training"
for an honorarium of Rs 500. It
is a point for consideration whether

Col

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^{should also}
~~Ellis~~ ^{Ellis} be entrusted with the
writing of this book ~~for~~ for a further
fee of Rs 500. E.G. may perhaps
be consulted as to this before the
file is sent on to Edl.

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21.3.18

"Irrigation works" will be sent
enough for Colonel Ellis to
undertake

22.3.18

Home (Education) W.



Home (Education) Dept

Submitted for orders as to whether this
department may agree to entrust the writing
a manual on "Irrigation works" to Col. Ellis
for remuneration of Rs 1,500 and subject to the
conditions mentioned on pages 1 & 2a ante. Financial
Dept. will have also to be consulted.

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28/3/18
W.K.
28/3/18

we may agree. The D.P.D. need
not be consulted. Presumably the
Govt. of India's sanction is not necessary
to the new arrangement. P.T.O.

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Ref. to
re. finance
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Pro 856 A.D.T.
22.3.18

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Regd. 22.3.18

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H.E. the Governor

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Financial
Reg: 10.4.18

A draft do. to Col. Ellis is submitted for approval. It may be sent to Financial and P.W.D. for acceptance.

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Financial Dept

For the A.S.

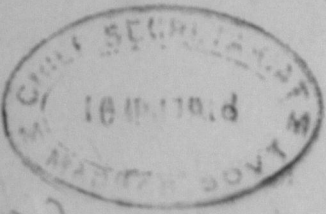
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18.4.18
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The draft allows Col. Ellis to relinquish the work in certain contingencies, I think it should also provide that if the work is relinquished, there will be no claim to any honorarium. ~~Half finished work is submitted~~

Draft accepted

17.4.18



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K.M.D.
W.M.

Final no 3218-1
18-4-18

18 APR 1918
I think it need anti-
cipate a contingency in
which Col. Ellis himself will
be the first to refuse an
honorarium not ~~granted~~
honorably earned

P.W.D. 18.4.18

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The draft b.o. may, it is submitted, be accepted in this dept and the file returned to the Home (Ed.) dept through P.W.D.

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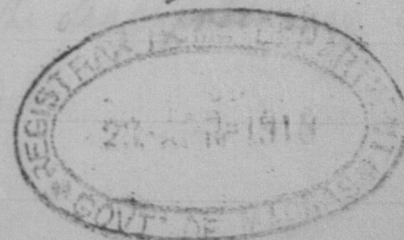
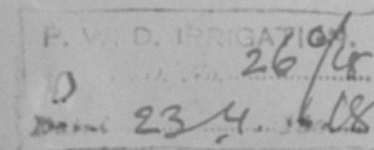
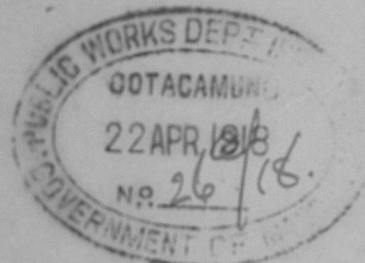
Under Secretary.

The draft o.o. may be accepted and the file passed onto Home (Ed.) u.o.

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Home (Ed.) u.o.



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To Home Ed

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Home (Education) Department

D.O. No. 831A-2, dated 24th April 18.

Dear Col. Ellis,

As you are probably aware, the Government in 1916 approved a suggestion that Mr. F. E. Morgan, Under Secretary, Irrigation Branch, should be entrusted with the duty of writing two manuals—one on 'Irrigation works' and the other on 'River Training' and that he should be paid a consolidated honorarium of Rs. 2,000/- for the work. Mr. Morgan however subsequently represented that he could not find time to write the manuals while attending to his legitimate work. ~~and the proposal was therefore dropped~~ It is now two years since the proposal was made and there appears to be no near prospect of Mr. Morgan's services being available in the near future for being placed on special duty to write the manuals. An up-to-date manual on 'Irrigation works' is ~~much~~ urgently required, and it has been suggested to Government that, as you happen ~~to be in~~ ~~present~~ to be in India, the compilation of the manual could suitably be entrusted to you. I am to inquire whether you are willing to undertake the work for the honorarium originally settled viz. Rs. 1,500/-.

2/ In case you are willing to undertake the work, you will be allowed free

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available
access to all plans and records/in the
Irrigation office. Any new plans or
diagrams required in connection with the
work will be prepared and all copying work
attended to by the establishment of that
office. You will however be at liberty
to relinquish the work in case you get any
employment connected with the war or
secure an opportunity of returning to England.

Yours

W. M. Ellis

To Col. W. M. Ellis, R.E. C.I.E.

*Commercial Hotel,
Madras*

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*CA
8/4/18*

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24/4/18*

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Registrar's remarks in the arrears list
Are we to wait to close this till the publication
is ready?

C.R. - 15.6.18.

Mr. Col. Ellis is already engaged in the work
of the compilation. Submitted that no formal reply
need be called for from him and that the present
file may be *over* *misc.* *Recorded* *no 821* *24.6.18*

2 A note will be made in the call-book of
the *EP*.

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Irrigation work

*Recording notes connected
with the compilation
a manual on
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