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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
3rd September 1863.

Read the following papers:—

No. 5. From Lieutenant JAMES G. LINDSAY, R. E., Acting Deputy Consulting Engineer for Railways in charge; to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 15th August 1863, No. 159.

In acknowledging the receipt, this day, of Order, No. 512, of the 12th instant, I have the honor to report for the information of Government, that I learn that the office of the Consulting Engineer for Railways, is likely to be removed, in about two months hence, from the premises in which it is held on the Mount Road, to the buildings recently purchased by Government on the South Beach near the Chepauk Palace, and as the removal will involve a small outlay, it appears advisable that provision should be made for it at once, in the event of the Acting Deputy Auditor and Accountant General stating that the saving which will be effected from the Budget Estimate from salaries cannot be appropriated for any other purpose.

2. I estimate that the removal of the furniture and records of the Consulting Engineer's Office from the Mount Road to the buildings referred to in the preceding paragraph on the South Beach, will be about 35 Rupees. In addition to this a sum of about 25 Rupees is likely to be required, on account of batta for the Peons and Lascars who accompanied Captain O'Connell on his inspection of the country from Cuddapah viâ Nundial to Hyderabad. No provision was made for this in the Budget Estimate, as it was not expected when that estimate was framed that the inspection would be undertaken.

3. The additional sums that should be added under the "Contingent" head of expenditure for the Consulting Engineer's Department will therefore be —

Budget Estimate for 1863-64.

Already expended.....	Rupees	123	15 0
For removal of Office furniture.....	„	35	0 0
For batta for Peons and Lascars.....	„	25	0 0
	Rupees...	183	15 0

or say in round numbers Rupees (200) two hundred.

4. I beg to correct a clerical error in paragraph 4 of my letter to your address, No. 144, dated the 28th ultimo, viz., for Rupees..... 1,800
read „ 1,000

No. 396.

MEMORANDUM.

Forwarded to the Deputy Auditor and Accountant General in reference to his letter of the 14th instant, No. 161.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
19*th August* 1863.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary to Government.

No. 171.

The undersigned has the honor in returning the present document to state that the further sum of 60 Rupees will be allowed to lie over, likewise till as time goes on it can be ascertained whether it can be met from savings in the Department.

25*th August* 1863.

(Signed) R. W. LODWICK,
Ag. Dy. Audr. and Acct. General.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George.

No. 6. ORDER THEREON, 3rd September 1863, No. 567.

To be recorded.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. T. McMootry.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT. CONSULTING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,

No. 159

From Lieut Jos. G. Lindsay R.E.
Ag Dy Consulting Engineer for Railways,

To A. J. Arbuthnot Esqre
~~T. PYCROFT Esq~~.,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

SIR,

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the furniture and Records of the Consulting Engineers Office from the Mount Road to the buildings referred to in the preceding paragraph on the South Beach, will be about 35 Rupees. In addition to this a Sum of about 25 Rupees, is likely to be required, on account of Batta for the Peons and Lascars who accompanied Captain O'Connell on his inspection of the country from Cuddapah Via Nundial to Hyderabad. No provision was made for this in the Budget Estimate, as it was not expected when that Estimate was framed that the inspection would be undertaken.

3. The additional Sums that should be added under the "Contingent" head of Expenditure for the Consulting Engineer's Department will therefore be.

Budget Estimate for 1863-64.

Already expended	Rupees	123-15
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4. I beg to correct a Clerical error

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Madras
15th August 1863

I have &c.
J. F. Hindsay
M.R.E.
Off. Dy. Consy. Engineer for Rys in charge

To
The Chief Secy. to Government
Fort Saint George

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No. 171.

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Aug: 25th 1863 — Rutherford
Actg Dy Auditor & Acctt Genl

To the Chief Secretary to Government.

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The Consulting Engineer
for Railways.
in charge

To

The Chief Secretary
to Government,
Fort St. George

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Acknowledging the receipt of order No. 512 of 12th August, & bringing to notice the addl outlay that is likely to be required for the Cud. Rly Dept for 1863-

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Forwarded to the Deputy Auditor & Accountant General in reference to this letter of the 14th Instant - No. 161 -

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G. J. Cumberland
Chief Secretary
to Government

To Dy. Auditor & Acctt General dispd 24.