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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 19th October 1858.

No. 67. Read the following letter from Lieut.-Colonel E. LAWFORD, Officiating Chief Engineer; to the Secretary to Government, dated 6th October 1858, No. 4263.

SIR,

With reference to Extract Minutes of Consultation No. 2000, dated 28th September 1858, I have the honor to state for the information of Government that considering the time that has elapsed since my application No. 3412 of the 6th September 1858, was submitted, and the progress since made in closing the accounts of North Arcot, I do not now propose to employ that extra establishment which I then considered necessary, and there is therefore no apparent occasion for the Commission to enquire into that point.

2. From the Statement submitted with my letter of the 30th September 1858, No. 4144, an abstract of which is herewith forwarded, Government will observe the very large proportion which the Collectors share bears to the whole amount of unadjusted expenditure, and as they will be aware that I cannot be held responsible for bringing this to account, I trust they will issue such orders as may ensure its being done, to facilitate which, I beg to submit a form, which, if Government approve, may be filled up by Collectors and returned to this Office.

3. Replies to this communication from Government, might be received by the end of the current month.

Abstract of the Statement shewing the balances of expenditure up to 30th April 1858, remaining to be adjusted by Bills, submitted to Government with the letter from the Officiating Chief Engineer, dated 30th September 1858, No. 4144.

	Balance to be adjusted by Collectors	Balance to be adjusted by Engineer Officers.	Total.	Bills since submitted.	Balance remaining.	Remarks.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Ganjam	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No return regardnig the Collector's expenditure received. It has been called for. There are no balances in the Engineer Department.
Vizagapatam	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Rajahmundry } G. Division	.....	26,870	26,870	.....	26,870	Bills for this balance promised to be shortly submitted.
Masulipatam }	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Guntoor (Kistnah Division.)	.....	58,772	58,772	49,530	9,242	Exclusive of Rupees 46,582, appertaining to the unpassed expenditure regarding which a reference has been made.
Nellore	34,237	1,10,289	1,44,526	1,10,289	34,237	This appertains to the Collector's Department, the Collector has been called upon to adjust the same.
Cuddapah	3,794	1,61,657	1,65,451	167	1,65,284	Bills to the amount of Rs. 1,42,400, has been submitted in adjustment of this balance.
Bellary	1,66,998	46,454	2,13,452	2,13,452	.....	
Kurnool	66,741	2,36,523	3,03,264	613	3,02,651	Vide remarks to the Statement first submitted, the balance under the Head Collector's Department appertains to the Trunk road Department, the Collectors and the District Engineer, North Arcot.
Chingleput	43,594	3,21,654	3,65,248	44,865	3,20,383	Vide para. 4 of the letter to Govt. dated 30th September 1858, No. 4144.
North Arcot	.....	1,53,634	1,53,634	82,129	71,505	The attention of the District Engineer has been directed to the early adjustment of this balance.
South Arcot	8,04,881	96,884	9,01,765	23,137	8,78,628	Vide para. 5 of the letter to Govt. dated 30th September 1858, No. 4144.
Tanjore	.....	93,363	93,363	1,202	92,161	Vide remarks in the first Statement.
Trichinopoly	37,341	3,30,624	3,67,965	28,565	3,39,400	Vide para. 6 of the letter to Govt. dated 30th September 1858, No. 4144.
Coimbatore	37,266	1,18,479	1,55,745	80,077	75,668	Vide remarks in the first Statement.
Salem	27	1,11,268	1,11,295	22,701	88,594	Do. do.
Malabar	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Civil Architect	.....	95,232	95,232	21,717	73,515	Vide remarks in the first Statement.
Garrison Engineer	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
East Coast Canal	.....	3,07,895	3,07,895	.....	3,07,895	Bills for the whole amount received.
Hyderabad	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No returns received since the despatch of the first Statement except for Tinnevelly, and that is an imperfect return.
Madura }	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Tinnevelly }	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Canara	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Total	11,94,879	22,69,598	34,64,477	6,78,444	27,86,033	

(Signed) E. LAWFORD, Lieut.-Col.
Officiating Chief Engineer.

Central Office of Public Works,
Fort Saint George, 6th Oct. 1858.

Statement of the unadjusted balance belonging to the Collector's Department in the District of Tanjore, shewing how much of the amount will be adjusted by Bills by the Revenue Department and the date on which those Bills will be received in the Central Office.

Amount.	Portion thereof that will be adjusted by the Collector.	Date on which the Collector's bills will be fully received in the Central Office.	Remarks.
Rs. 804 881.			

No. 68. ORDER THEREON, No. 2176; dated 15th October 1858.

Ordered to be communicated to the Commissioners for investigating the efficiency of Public Establishments in reference to Extract Minutes Consultation, dated 7th October No. 2073. The Governor in Council does not desire however that they should intermit the examination of these accounts which they have been good enough to undertake.

2. The Government also would be glad to have the opinion of the Commissioners upon the best mode to be pursued for the adjustment of the balances belonging to the Collectors' Departments.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

No 4263

Central Office of PW.
Fort Saint George
6th October 1858.

From
The Officiating Chief Engineer
To
The Secretary to Government
Department of PW.

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Fort St George
6th October 1858

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A Lawford Lieut Colonel
Officiating Chief Engineer.

To
The Secretary to Govt
P.W.D.

Abstract of the Statement shewing the Balances of Expenditure upto 30th April 1858 remaining to be Adjusted by Bills, Submitted to Government with the Letter from the Officiating Chief Engineer dated 30th September 1858 No 4144

	Balances to be Adjusted by Collectors	Balances to be Adjusted by Engr: Officers	Total	Bills since submitted	Balances remaining	Remarks.
Ganjam	"	"	"	"	"	No return regarding the Expenditure received — Has been called for three times & Cadres sent to the Engr Officers
Vizagapatam	"	"	"	"	"	
Rajahmundry						
Masulipatam G. Dt	"	26,870	26,870	"	26,870	Bills for this balance promised to be shortly submitted
Guntoor Kk. Dt	"	"	"	"	"	
Nellore	"	58772	58772	16530	42242	Exclusive of Rs 4,502 appertaining to the unpassed Estimate regarding which a reference has been made
Cuddapah	34237	110289	144526	110289	34237	This appertains to the Collr. Office the Collr has been called upon to adjust the same.
Bellary	3794	161657	165451	167	165284	Bills to the amount of Rs 4,000 has since been submitted in adjustment of this balance
Kurnool	166998	46454	213452	213452	"	
Chingleput	66741	236823	303264	613	302651	Vide remarks in the Statement Sub. The balance under the head Collrs Office appertains to the Board of Revenue & the Engr Officers to the Chief Engr Office
North Arcot	43547	432654	476248	44865	431383	Vide para 4 of the Letter to Govt dated 30th Sept 1858 No 4144
South Arcot	"	153634	153634	82139	71495	The attention of the Dist Engr has been directed to the early adjustment of this balance
Tanjore	80488	96884	177372	23137	154235	Vide para 5 of the Letter to Govt dated 30th Sept 1858 No 4144
Trichinopoly	"	93363	93363	1202	92161	Vide remarks in the first Statement
Coimbatore	37341	330624	367965	28565	339400	Vide para 6 of the Letter to Govt dated 30th Sept 1858 No 4144
Salem	37266	118479	155745	80077	75668	Vide remarks in the first Statement
Malabar	27	111268	111295	22701	88594	
Civil Architect	"	"	"	"	"	
Garrison Engineer	"	95232	95232	21717	73515	Vide remarks in the first Statement
E. C. Corps	"	"	"	"	"	
Hyderabad	"	307895	307895	"	307895	Bills for the whole Amount previously
Madura						
Tinnevelly	"	"	"	"	"	No returns received since the date of the first Statement & that is an imperfect return
Cuddapah						
Mysore						
	1191879	2267598	3464477	678441	2786033	

Chief Office of Engrs
Fort St George

A Lawford Lieut Colonel

No 6 Statement of the unadjusted balance belonging to the Collector's Department in the District of Tanjore shewing how much of the amount will be adjusted by bills by the Revenue Department; and the date on which those bills will be received in the Central Office

Amount Rs 8,04,881.	Portion thereof that will be adjusted by the Collector.	Date on which the Collector's bills will be fully received in the Central Office.	Remarks.

Dawson
S.E.C.

1858 Deptt.

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Enclosure in a letter from the Offg Chief Engineer -

To

The Secy to Govt & Pub.

Dated 6th } October/58
Received }

No 4263
M 2331/58

Abstract of the Statement shewing the Balance of Expenditure up to 30th April 1858 remaining to be adjusted by Bills and Pt Charges with the Collectors

1858 Dept

Enclosure in a letter
from the Offg Chief
Engineer -

To The Lieut Gov.
P.E.I.

Dated 6th
Received } October/58

No. 4263
M 233/58

Statement of
the unadjusted balance
belonging to the C.B.W.C. Dept
in the District of Tanjore
shewing how much of the
amount will be adjusted
by Bills by the Rev Dept
& the date on which these
Bills will be received in Cent
Office -

Dr. 2176

Ordered with communication
to the Commissioners for settling
- ing the efficiency of Public
establishments in Bengal

E. M. C. dated 7 Oct. 1858. with Enclosure
Genl. Abstract
Connect. does not clearly show the Saving effected
Remind the Commissioners that they were directed
Chief Pay Office dated 18 Dec. 1857 to report
Chief Pay Office dated 18 Dec. 1857 to report
Corr. 24 2. the Government also wants
Short Hist. of Geo. 3
15 Oct. 1858

Dr. 1858 Dept. Genl.
Date 19 Oct. No. 2331.
From.
The Offg Chief Engr.
to
The Secretary to Govt.
Public Dept.

Dated 6 Oct. 1858.
Received 7 Oct. 1858.
No 4263

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States that owing to the progress made in the adjustment of the North Arcot accounts he does not now propose to employ the Extra Establishment applied for Rs. 2176 - 15 Oct. Written order

Dr. Cons 28 Oct. 1858 Nos 111-112

To Chief Engr. Pay Office
Comm. for investigating the efficiency of Public Establishments
No 6768.
6 Oct. 58