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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
13th December 1862.*

No. 270. Read the following letter from Lieutenant H. TULLOCH, R. E., in charge of the Audit and Account Departments, to Colonel W. I. BIRDWOOD, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 26th November 1862, No. 4,379:—

SIR,

2nd May 1862, No. 913.
26th June 1862, No. 1,486.

1 Original letter dated 15th October 1862, No. 192, with its
Enclosure.
1 Original letter dated 24th January 1861, No. 11.

1. With reference to the Proceedings of Government, dates and Nos. as per margin, I have the honor to submit herewith for their consideration and orders an original letter with its accompaniment from the District Engineer of Malabar of the 15th ultimo, No. 192, report-

ing the results of Mr. Smith's journey to Mysore and Wainád to recover the advances outstanding on the Tambracherry Ghát work and adjusted since 1859-60.

2. It will be observed that of the sum of Rupees 1,085-13-4, which remained unadjusted, Rupees 454-13-4* are stated to have been recovered and credited in the accounts. The latter sum deducted from the former leaves a balance of Rupees 631, which Captain Bean recommends to be written off to "profit and loss," as he states that Mr. Smith had to

make his advances for the Ghát work under peculiarly difficult circumstances.

3. The above sum of Rupees 631 includes also Rupees 162-12-0 mentioned in paragraph 5 of the letter to Government dated 9th April 1862, No. 12,488.

4. I beg to submit that the entire amount spent by Mr. Smith in the year 1859-60 on the Tambracherry Ghát work is Rupees 8,494, as will be seen from the District Engineer's letter dated the 24th January 1861, No. 11.

No. 271. ORDER THEREON, 13th December 1862, No. 2,993.

Considering the peculiar disadvantages with which Mr. Smith had to contend in localities where it would be difficult to carry out works without advances, the Government will not object to authorize the writing off to "profit and loss" of the sum of Rupees 631 shown to be irrecoverable; but they request that Mr. Smith may be enjoined to be in future more circumspect in the matter of making advances, to prevent similar losses to the State.

(Signed.) W. I. BIRDWOOD, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

Central Office of P.W.
C. Leppanck

N^o 4379.

26th November 1862

From

Lieutenant H. Tulloch R.E.

In charge of the Audit and Account Dept.

To

Colonel W. E. Birdwood R.E.

Secretary to Government P.W.D.

Sir,

With reference to the Proceedings of Government dated and Nos as per margin, I have the honor to submit herewith for their consideration and orders an original letter with its accompaniment from the District Engineer of Malabar of the 15th ultimo N^o 192, reporting the results of Mr. Smith's journey to Mysore and Wynad to recover the advances outstanding on the Pambicherry Grant work and unadjusted since 1859/60.

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that Mr. Smith had to make his advances
for the Paint work under peculiarly diffi-
cult circumstances.

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also Rupees 162. 12. mentioned in para 5 of
the letter to Government dated 9th April 1862
N^o 12488.

4 I beg to submit that the entire
Amount spent by Mr. Smith in the year 1859/60
on the Tambracherri Paint work is Rupees 8494.
as will be seen from the District Engineer's
letter dated the 24th January 1861 N^o 11.

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26th November 1862 } I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servt.

H. M. Mucke Esq. R. E.

In Ch. of the Audit & Accounts Dept.

To
The Secretary to Government
G. W. D.

Comd. J. R. R.

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the original letter from
the 26th June 1862.

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Considering the peculiar cir-
-cumstances with which the Smiths had to
-contend in localities where it would be diffi-
-cult to carry out works without assistance,
the Government will not object to authorize
the writing of a report and list of the
-sums of Revenues for whom to be con-
-siderable, but they request that the
-Smiths may be required to be in future
-more circumspect in the matter
of making advances, to prevent similar
-trouble to the State.

13th June.
The Deputy Comptroller of the
-Revenue General
-Office in charge of Smith's account. 1862-1863
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