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## Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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Dated 20-3- 1862

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## *Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 20th March* 1862.

No. 347. Read the following letter from Major H. W. RAWLINS, in charge of the Audit and Account Departments, to Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. HORSLEY, Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 14th March 1862, No. 11,539 :—

SIR,

1. With reference to the Proceedings of Government dated 6th May 1861, No. 903, I have the honor to submit herewith an original letter from the Acting District Engineer Godavery, of the 27th May 1861, No. 151, in the 1st paragraph of which he states that the Bill for Rupees 1,902-2-10 includes all the expenses incurred for fitting up an Armstrong's Canal Dredge, and for forwarding it, and six Punts, to the Kistna District.

2. The above information clears up the doubt entertained as to whether the Bill represented the entire expenditure on account of the fitting up of the Dredge. I request, therefore, that the order under reference may be authorized to be removed from the unanswered list.

3. It will be observed that there has been a great delay in furnishing the above information, which has been caused by a disposal having been made on the Acting District Engineer's letter* in June 1861 in this Office, and hence it was lost sight of until now.

* Dated 27th May 1861, No. 151.

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No. 348. ORDER THEREON, 20th March 1862, No. 504.

Under the explanation afforded, the Orders of Government quoted in paragraph 1 of the foregoing letter will be removed from the list of unanswered references.

(Signed) W. H. HORSLEY, Lieut.-Colonel,
*Secretary to Government.*

No. 11539

Central Office of I. D. 93
Chenhank 14th March 1862

From

Major 2nd Off. Pr. Rawlins
Incharge of the Search and Account Department

To,

Lieut. Colonel W. H. Horsley
Secretary to Government Pr. D.
Fort Saint George

Sir,

With reference to the Proceedings of Government dated 6th ultimo No. 903, I have the honor to submit herewith an original letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly District of the 27th ultimo No. 157, on the 1st Para of which he states that the Bill for Rupees 1902. 2. 10 includes all the expenses incurred for fitting up an Armstrong's Canal Dredge, and for forwarding it, and 6 Punts, to the Nistnah District.

2. The above information clears up the doubt entertained as to whether the Bill represented the entire expenditure on account of the fitting up of the Dredge. I request, therefore, that the order under reference may be authorized to be removed from the Unanswered List.

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Central Office of W.D.
Chelsea 14th March 1862

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
A.W. Rawlins Lieut.
Secretary of the Board of Ordnance

To Lieut. Colonel W. H. Harvey
Secretary to Government W.D.
Fort St. George

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6th May 61 No. 36-37.

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From Major Genl. W.F. Randolph
Secretary to the Govt. of India Mily Dept

Lieut. Colonel W. Hathorn
Secretary to Govt. P.W.D.
Fort William

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Submitting an original letter from the Acting Chief Engineer Pegu in which he states that the Bill for Rupees 1902-2-10 includes all the expenses incurred for fitting up an Armstrong Canal Barge and requesting that the orders of Government stated in Mily. Dept. No. 903 may be authorized to be removed from the unanswered List.

With an Order

No. 504.

Under the explanation afforded, the orders of Government quoted in para 1 of the foregoing letter will be removed from the List of Unanswered References.

W.P.W.

Fort St. George
20th March 1862

To The Officer in charge of the Audit and Accot Depts with Cash Disp. 21 Cs

for Chief Engr