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Government of Madras.

Public Works **DEPARTMENT.**

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Dated 13 — 6 — 1863.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 13th June 1863.

No. 299. Read the following letter from Captain H. L. PRENDERGAST, R. E., Acting Superintending Engineer 4th Division, to Colonel W. I. BIRDWOOD, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 29th May 1863, No. 396 :—

SIR,

Agreeably to the request contained in the Orders of Government, No. 1,298, dated 22nd May 1863, I have the honor to forward herewith the original papers relating to the Steamers and Machinery on the Upper Godavery, which were returned to the Deputy Chief Engineer, Northern Circle, with the Proceedings of Government No. 858, dated 10th April 1863.

1 Telegram.
1 Letter with Statement.

From Captain F. T. HAIG, District Engineer, Upper Godavery, to the Deputy Chief Engineer, Northern Circle, dated Dumagudiem, 10th March 1863, No. 413.

SIR,

1. With reference to your letter of 21st ultimo, No. 364, I have the honor to forward a list of the Steamers which I propose to transfer to the Public Works Department of the Central Provinces, with their value, so far as it can be ascertained from the records of this Office.

2. With reference to the Machinery and plant to be transferred I regret to say that I find it quite impossible to furnish lists in time. Nor does it appear necessary to do so, as the *whole* of the Machinery, plant, tools, and stores in the District has been paid for out of the Estimates. No part of it belongs to the General Stores of the Public Works Department of Madras, and the whole must pass in the lump, with the works to which it belongs, to the Central Provinces.

No. 300. ORDER THEREON, 13th June 1863, No. 1,526.

Ordered that the following letter be despatched to the Government of India :—

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

Ordered that the following letter be despatched.

No. 301. From Colonel W. I. BIRDWOOD, R. E., Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, Public Works Department, to the Secretary to the Government of India, dated 13th June 1863, No. 1,527.

SIR,

1. In continuation of my letter dated 21st April 1863, No. 978, I am directed to forward the correspondence, as per margin, having reference to the Steamers and Machinery which have been transferred to the Public Works Department of the Central Provinces consequent on the Upper Godavery Navigation Works having been placed under the control of that Government.

Procs. of Govt. 10th April 1863, Nos. 104, 105.
Do. 27th do. ,, ,, 482, 483.
Do. 22nd May ,, ,, 1,298.
From Superintending Engineer 4th Division 29th May 1863, No. 396, with enclosures.

2. From the papers submitted it will be observed that the following Steamers have been transferred. Their value, as entered in the Books of the late Central Office, is also shown :—

	RS.	A.	P.
"Prince"	50,882	11	1
"Trevelyan"...	68,000	0	0
"Arthur Cotton"	30,709	7	0
"Queen"	15,522	7	10
"Rose"	16,805	6	11
"May Flower"	13,525	7	5
"Shamrock"...	16,805	6	11
"Hope"*	10,400	0	0

* The value entered does not include that of the engine, which was taken from one of Forrester's Canal Tugs.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 13th June 1863.

3. The cost of Machinery supplied to the Upper Godavery, as per Statement accompanying Colonel Ludlow's letter, dated 8th May 1863, No. 19, amounts to Rupees 74,966-11-2, and of this sum Rupees 37,992-4-4 have been paid, leaving a balance of Rupees 36,974-6-10 remaining unadjusted by Captain Haig. Since the date of Colonel Ludlow's letter, however, Captain Haig remitted a further sum of Rupees 2,000, which reduces the balance against him to Rupees 34,974-6-10.

No. 443 Dist. Cor. 22 1863

Memo

Amount due by Capt. Haig on 1st May 1863. Rs. 36974-6-10

Deduct

Amount paid - 19th May 1863 — " 2000-0-0

Balance due 30th May 1863. 34,974-6-10

Cheque 1st June 1863

J. Ludlow
Supt. Public Works

[For the Superintendent's Office.] NO. 151.

COPY OF SERVICE MESSAGE BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

FROM Govt Aviceraun. | TO Madras

FROM Major Stoddard | TO Colonel Ludlow

WORDS 305 11

As far as my Records show, "Hope" sent ten thousand four hundred exclusive of Palmer Engine which was taken from one of Forrester Canal Tugs.—

21st 13.16.—

Commenced. *Finished.*

Recd by ..... at ..... From .....

Forwd. by ..... at ..... to .....

Station recd. from Madras. Station forwd. to Bangalore

Electric Telegraph Office,

The 21st March 1860. J. Boyle *In Charge.*

To Govt. Ord 29/233 March 1863 No 387

List of Steamers proposed to be transferred from the Madras D. P. W. to the administration of the Central Provinces. 7

Name of Steamers	Value as borne in the Books of the Central Office	Amount disbursed from the Funds of the M.G. District for putting together and fitting	Remarks.
Prince	50,882—11—1	16,620—11—2	
Thomelyan	[illegible]	11,025—9—9	The information required to fill the blanks in the preceding Columns cannot be published from the records of this District, and must be obtained in the Central Office P.W.
Arthur Cottow	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Queen	[illegible]	[illegible]	
Rose	16,805—6—11	[illegible]	
May Flower	13,525—7—5	817—13—10	
Hope	[illegible]	11650—[illegible]—9	
Shamrock	16,805—6—11		

Upper Godavery District Engrs. Office
Dum a pudiem
10th March 1863.
Commanding

Lieut. Capt. and
District Engr. M.G.

16,805/11

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To Govt. No. 287/23 Dated 1863 No. 387.

1635
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Upper Godaveryn
No. 443 Dist. Engrs. Office
Dumagudiem
10th March 1863.

From
Captain T. T. Haig
District Engineer U.G.

To
The Deputy Chief Engineer
Northern Circle
D. P. W.
Madras

Sir,

1. With reference to your letter of 21st ultimo No. 364, I have the honor to forward a list of the steamers which I propose to transfer to the P. W. Department of the Central Provinces, with their value, so far as it can be ascertained, from the records of this office.

2. With reference to the Machinery and Plant to be transferred I regret to say that I find it quite impossible to furnish lists in time. Nor does it appear necessary to do so, as the whole of the Machinery →

machinery, plant, tools, and Stores, in the District has been paid for out of the estimates. No part of it belongs to the General Stores of the P. W. Department of Madras, and the whole must pass in the lump, with the works to which it belongs, to the Central Provinces.

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T. Craig. Capt.
District Engr. Wly.

Commissioner
Nagpur.
D. E. Office

machinery, plant, tools, and Stores, in the District has been paid for out of the estimates.

Pro: 22nd May 63 No 1298.

PW 1863. Departt
Pro: of Govt for Irene.
No 1635

From
The Acting Supt Engr 4th Dn

To
The Secretary to Govt PWD

dated 29th May 1863.
Rec'd 1st June. Three.

Forwards Original papers relating to the Steamers and Machinery on the Upper Godavery called for in Pro: of Govt No 1298 dated 22nd May 1863.

No 299. to 300.

No 1526 - 13th June.

With an order.

C. 6th June 63. R. 8th

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No 1527.

To

The Secretary to the Government of India

Sir,

In continuation of my letter of 27th March last, I am directed to forward the correspondence, as per margin, having reference to the Steamers & Machinery which have been transferred to the Public Works Dept. of the Central Provinces consequent on the Upper Godavery Navigation Works having been placed under the Control of that Government.

From the papers submitted it will be observed that the following Steamers have been transferred. Their values, as entered in the Books of the Lake Central Office, are also shown.

Prince	Rs.	50082	11 1
Prophetess	"	68000	- -
Sir Arthur Cotton	"	30709	7 -
Queen	"	15522	7 10
Rose	"	15805	6 11
Mary Flower	"	13525	7 8
Shamrock	"	10835	6 11
*Nasser	"	10400	- -

The cost of Machinery supplied to the Upper Godavery,

Rec'd Mar. 10 April 63 - 104-105.
Do 27. Do - 482-483
Do 22d May " - 1298
From Lahej Engr 4th Dec 62 Mar 63 - 396 with Enclo.

*The value entered does not include that of Engine which was taken from one of Jones's Canal Engs.

Secretary's Letter No 288 of 1863

From Lt. Col. A. T. Wilson Dist. Engr.
& Ag. Executive Engr
Upper Godavery

To The Secretary to Govt.
Public Works Dept.

Dated Jo. 30th March 1863
Rec'd 16th April

Forwards a list of Steamers & Launches transferred to the Public Works Department of the Central Provinces.

Rec'd 16th April 63

as per Statement accompanying
Col: Ludlow's letter of 8 May
1863, No 19, amounts to Rs 74962-11-2
& of this sum Rs 37992-4-4
have been paid, leaving a Balance
of Rs 36,974-6-10 remaining
outstanding by Lieut Fitz
Gerald, the late of Col. Ludlow's
Detachment, Captn Craig remitted
a further sum of Rs 2000, which
reduces the Balance against him
to Rs 34,974-6-10.

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13th June 1863

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No 1526.

Ordered that the following letter be despatched to the Government of India.

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Chief Secretary
13th June 1863

Public Works 1863 Separate
Pros: of Govt for June.

No 1527.

To
The Secretary to the
Government of India.

Dated 13th June 1863.

Papers relating to the steamers and machinery of the Upper Godavery district have been transferred to the P.W.D. of the Central Provinces.

2 Encl. 301.

In June 1863. No 8.

Pl. Comm. 1869. Bl. 8½.