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Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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5th June 1865.*

Read the following papers :—

No. 108. From Captain J. G. RYVES, R. E., Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Waltair, 5th May 1865, No. 25.

SIR,

1. With reference to the 6th paragraph of the Controller's letter, read in Proceedings under date 10th March 1865, and to the forms of requisitions for funds circulated by the Controller, I have the

the honor to apply for the orders of Government to adopt the forms proposed and circulated by the Controller.

2. In the form for June are two items, "undrawn portion of previous years grants" and "cash balance," under each of the several sub-heads of Local Funds. As I understand the new system, these items will occur only in the Requisition for June, in the Requisition for July the totals available (this year's Budget grants + undrawn balance of previous years' grants + cash balances) will be brought forward as "*amount of Budget grant.*"

3. The limit of expenditure under each of the heads, "Imperial," "Establishment," "District Conservancy," "Income tax," "Jungle Conservancy," and "Educational," will, I imagine, be enforced by means of an Appropriation List for each head, with which the monthly Progress Reports of the works belonging to that head will have to be compared: there will consequently be a separate Progress Report for each of the heads above specified. In short the Accountant General will have to see that not more than Rupees 2,80,866 (taking the figures in the Controller's June form) is drawn by me from the Ganjam Treasury, and it will be the duty of the Superintending Engineers and of the Controller to take care that not more than Rupees 10,100 is expended on District Conservancy works, Rupees 4,050 on Income Tax Works, and so on.

4. I do not know whether the Accountant General will require to have the amounts required from the several Taluqs stated, or whether the distribution of the amount, to be held at the disposal of Range Officers, among the Sub-Treasuries can be left to the Deputy Collectors in charge of District Treasuries, acting of course on instruction from the Superintending Engineer. The form appears to indicate that the Controller, and therefore the Accountant General, will not require the information. The Range Officers' Requisitions must of course specify how much is required in each Taluq.

Referred to the Controller of Public Works Accounts for report.

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,

Fort Saint George,
17th May 1865.

Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

No. 109. From Captain J. F. FISCHER, R. E., Controller of Public Works Accounts, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Madras, 19th May 1865, No. 201.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to return the letter from the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, of the 5th instant, No. 25, forwarded to me for report with your

Enclosure 1. Endorsement of the 17th instant. It appears to me from paragraph 1 of Captain Ryves' letter that the only question to be decided is whether he is to adopt the forms proposed by me, under the orders conveyed in G. O. of the 8th December 1864, No. 3,498. I am not aware that it is necessary for this Office in issuing Circular

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instructions to District Officers to pass them through the Government Offices, unless specially instructed to do so, but from the reference now made to me for report it is as well to have this point determined. Copies of all Circulars issued from this Office have always been sent to the Government Offices, and when no objections have been taken to them; they are considered final.

2. If the new system of accounts, ordered by the Government of India, is to be carried out in this Presidency as far as practicable, the general instructions from this Office will have to be attended to in the same manner by local District Officer as similar orders were when despatched from the late Central Office, otherwise the references to Government will be far more numerous than even at present.

No. 110.

ORDER THEREON, 5th June 1865, No. 1,523.

ACCOUNT, No. 21.

1. The Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, will be informed that Circulars issued by the Controller of Public Works Accounts should be received as authoritative instructions in all matters connected with accounts.

2. The Controller will be held responsible that such instructions are in strict accordance with the principles which have met with the approval of Government.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.
To all other Superintending Engineers.
To the Controller of Public Works Accounts.

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N^o 201.

Office of the Controller of
Public Works Accounts.
Madras 19th May 1865.

From Captain John. F. Fischer, R.E.
Controller of Public Works Accounts.
To Colonel C. A. Orr, R.E.
Secretary to Government, D.W.

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Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

Captain R. E.

Controller of Public Works Accounts.

To Colonel L. A. O. R.
Secretary to Government.

D. P. W.

Fort Saint George.

Comd. M. H.

No 25
 Superintending Engineer's
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 5th May 1865.
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 To Colonel C. A. Orr R.E.
 Secretary to Govt. D.W.

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Sir,

Yours Most Obedient Servant

W. L. Jones. Capt. R. E.

Superintending Engineer, & ^{Secy.} ^{Genl.}

10th March 1865 - 6653

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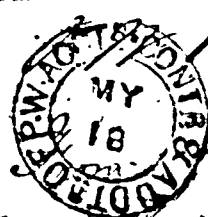
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Secty to Govt. P.W. & S.

For L. P. Jones
17 May/65

No. 108.

Sat 27 May/65



Department
of Public Works and Supplies
New York
1865

Superintending Engineer
P.W. & S.

The Secretary to Government
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Applies for the order of
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funds proposed and circu-
lated by the Controller.

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1523 - 5 June 1865

Account No. 1523
Proceedings of the New York Government
Tender Act the 5th June 1865
Read the following

From the Superintending Engineer

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for funds proposed and circulated
by the Controller.

A.D. 5th May 1865 - No. 25

From the Controller of Public Works.

Refers on letter from the Super-
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issued by this Office about circu-
lating funds for local and im-
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The Supg Engr. 1st Div.
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Jeff. H. Lane

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