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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	2143	Press
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Dated	18	65

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[Signature]

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,

25th July 1865.

No. 630. Read the following letter 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
July 1865, No. 776 :—

SIR,

1. With reference to G. O. of the 17th instant, No. 2,047, paragraph 1, I beg
to observe that I am not aware when I ascertained that water rents from irrigation
works, tanks, and channels, had no existence in this Presidency; in my letter to
your address No. 455, dated 16th June

* In G. O. 8th July 1865, No. 1,919.

1865,* I stated there was not a tank or
channel in the Districts now yielding

Nunjah revenue to the Government which did not come under the conditions laid
down by the Government of India, regarding the accounts to be kept up in this
Office.

2. I beg again respectfully to point out, the question is not one of Public
Works Revenue realized by Public Works Officers, but, as laid down in the second
sentence of paragraph 1, Section 5, Chapter XX. of the new system of accounts,
“the following rules refer principally to the accounts of revenue, such as the
“water rent from canals and other irrigation works, which is realized in the Civil
“Department.” If the Registers ordered to be maintained in former years of these
irrigation works have been kept up, the information required by the Government
of India can be at once supplied from them, and at the same time any short-coming
of revenue realizations, as required by paragraph 6 of the same Section and Chapter,
can be noted in this Office and duly brought to notice.

3. I would add that by a recent Bill of this Government, No. 8 of 1865,
(entitled a Bill to enable the Government to levy a separate cess for the use of
water supplied for irrigation purposes in certain cases) the Government of this
Presidency are to have the powers granted to them to levy a cess or water-rent on
lands irrigated from Government works, and in the statement of the objects and
reasons of the Bill, appended thereto, it is expressly declared that by recent orders
from the Home authorities, a distinct account of such rents is to be kept in future.
An estimate of the receipts credited hitherto in the books of this Office will be for-
warded as required by Government.

No. 631.

ORDER THEREON, 25th July 1865, No. 2,143.

ACCOUNT, No. 100.

Ordered to be recorded.

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

Secre^y to Govt.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Rules refer principally to the accounts

Office of the Controller of
Public Works Accounts.
Madras 19th July 1865.
N^o. 776. 3

From

Captain J. F. Frisner, P.E.

Controller of Public Works Accounts.

To

Colonel C. N. Orr, P.E.

Secretary to Government, D. P. W.

Sir,

With reference to G. O. of the 17th Instant N^o. 2047 para: 1, I beg to observe that I am not aware when I ascertained that water rents from irrigation works have no channels - had no existence in this Presidency: - in my letter to your address N^o. 455 dated 16th June 1865, I stated there was not a kuth or channel in the District now yielding Irrigation Revenue to the Government which did not come under the conditions laid down by the Government of India regarding the accounts to be kept up in this Office.

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Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

W. F. R. L. Capt. R. R.
Controller of Public Works Accounts.

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Deane

Stout & George
25th July 1865

22nd July 1865
The Journal of Mr.
Deane
to the Secretary
to the Admiralty

21st July 1865

Started 19th July 1865
Recd. 20th July 1865

Dec. 19th 76

Refers to the
remains of part of the
carriage of water sent
to be brought into the
Cable Works. Deane to.

21st July 1865

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