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N^o. 1906. - Superintendent of Public Works
Madras 20 September 1865.

From: Captain J. Goddard R.E.
Offg. Sup. Engineer to D.

To: Colonel C. A. Orr. R.E.
Secretary to Government D. W.

Sr. In Government Order of 1865 dated 24 July 1865, a sum of only Rs. 5000 was allotted for expenditure in this year on the work of constructing a step in rear of the Palace Amkash body, while the full balance remaining to be expended of the estimate for the work amounted to Rupees 10,700.

The Executive Agent has carried on work to the extent of Rupees 10200 being only Rs. 500 short of the full amount applied for to complete the work. The work people are clamouring for payment.

I am unable to point out savings to the full extent of the amount required in excess of this year's allotment for the work, and I cannot beg therefore that the sum referred to viz Rs. 5000

May

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
29th September 1865.*

No. 729. Read the following letter from Captain J. GODDARD, R. E., Officiating Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Madras, 20th September 1865, No. 1,906 :—

SIR,

Constructing step in rear of the Palar Anicut body, sanctioned in G. O. No. 465, dated 16th February 1865	RS. 12,700
Expenditure in 1864-65	2,000
Allotment for 1865-66	10,700
	5,700
Balance	5,000

1. In Government Order No. 1,868, dated 4th July 1865, a sum of only Rupees 5,700 was allotted for expenditure in this year on the work of constructing a step in rear of the Palar Anicut body, while the full balance remaining to be expended of the estimate for the work amounted to Rupees 10,700.

2. The Executive Agent has carried on work to the extent of Rupees 10,200, being only Rupees 500 short of the full amount applied for to complete the work. The work people are clamouring for payment.

3. I am unable to point out savings to the full extent of the amount required in excess of this year's allotment for the work, and I would beg, therefore, that the sum referred to, viz., Rupees 5,000 may be given from any funds at the disposal of Government.

No. 730. ORDER THEREON, 29th September 1865, No. 2,898.

ACCOUNT, No. 71.

1. As the Reserve under all heads is exhausted, the Government are unable to grant the additional funds applied for by the Officiating Superintending Engineer of the 4th Division.

2. Captain Goddard will obtain and submit Mr. Booth's explanation of the authority under which the allotment sanctioned in the Proceedings of Government, No. 1,868, dated 4th July 1865, has been so largely exceeded.

3. It will rest with the Superintending Engineer to adjust the unauthorized expenditure by a transfer of funds from other allotments.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. M. SHAW STEWART, Major, R. E.,
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.

may be given from any funds at the
disposal of Government. -

I have the honor to be
Sir.

Your most Obedt servant

Mr. General Pitt Rivers

Offg. Sup. Engineer, D. C.

Received of the Hon. Secy of War
the sum of £1000 00
on account of the purchase of
the sum of £1000 00
of the sum of £1000 00

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The 4th Div
The 4th Div

The Secretary
to Government

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Requesting that the
sum of 5000 be given
to the 4th Div
for carrying out the work
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