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17th October 1865.*

No. 383. Read the following letter from the Consulting Engineer for Irrigation and Canal Company, to the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Kurnool, 27th September 1865, No. 91 :—

1. I have the honor to transmit
1 Letter in original from Agent, General for the orders of Government a letter,
No. 529. No. 332, of the 20th instant, from the

Agent and Manager Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, bringing to notice that sums amounting to Rupees 1,634 were expended by the late Chief Engineer of the Company in 1860, for the purchases noted in the margin,* that, in consequence of

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* Carpenter's tools...	142	the absence of the requisite vouchers, the
Carts and bullocks ...	517	amount has remained in suspense ever
Tents ...	725	since, and that the enquiries made have
Transit coach ...	250	failed to elicit any information as to the
	1,634	circumstances under which the expendi-
		ture was incurred.

2. Mr. Henslowe, therefore, asks for instructions as to how the amount is to be adjusted, and as there seems to be no probability of any exact information being forthcoming, I see no alternative to the debit of the amount to "Contingencies," "General Management," "Chief Engineer's Department." The first item, for carpenter's tools, cannot properly belong to this head of account, but unless it were arbitrarily debited to one of the estimates for works, there would be some difficulty in disposing of it, and as the item is small, the simpler the adjustment the better perhaps.

From the Agent and Manager, Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, to the Consulting Engineer, Irrigation and Canal Company, dated Madras, 20th September 1865, No. 332.

1. I have the honor to inform you that I have been in correspondence with the Provisional Chief Engineer, with reference to the vouchers for a sum of Rupees 1,634, disbursed by the late Chief Engineer, and which have been allowed to remain in suspense ever since 1860; but I regret to say I have been unable to arrive at any satisfactory result, in as far as the books kept at Kurnool do not contain any record of the transactions.

2. I enclose copy of the Provisional Chief Engineer's last letter on the subject, and I will thank you to say how the amount shall be disposed of, in order that it may be removed from inefficient balance.

3. There can be no doubt that the articles purchased were appropriated to the Company's service, though how, or where, it is impossible now to say. This being so, there can, I think, be no impropriety in making the expenditure in some way a charge against the works.

From the Provisional Chief Engineer, to the Agent and Manager, Madras, dated Kurnool, 29th August 1865, No. 661.

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your No. 431 of 4th instant.

2. The vouchers you enclose are worded :—

1st.—For the Irrigation Company.

Date of purchase 7th April 1860, Carpenter's Tools ...	rs. 142
5th to 7th April 1860, four carts and bullocks... ..	517
	659

2nd.—What for not stated.

4th January 1860, tents purchased by Colonel Cotton ...	225
7th April 1860, do. do. do. ...	500
20th March do. transit coach purchased by Mrs. Colonel Cotton ...	250
	975

Total... 1,634

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3. I can give no information about any of these vouchers. My central office accounts commence on 19th July 1860, all previous cash records having been sent by the then Agent's desire to Madras.

4. Carts, bullocks, and tents must have been purchased, somewhere, about that time for the Company's use at Bowanassy and elsewhere for Overseers' tents, store tents, &c.

5. I believe that the Chief Engineer at that time had his actual expenses paid, and since it is now difficult, and was then more so, to hire a transit coach to come to Kurnool from Bangalore, he may have bought one to sell again after arriving here.

6. I return the vouchers.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) F. H. HENSLOWE,
Agent and Manager.

No. 384.

ORDER THEREON, 17th October 1865, No. 3,035.

ACCOUNT, No. 50.

Under the circumstances explained, the Governor in Council grants authority for the purchases, amounting to Rupees 1,634, made by the late Chief Engineer of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, being debited to "Contingencies, General Management, Chief Engineer's Department," as recommended by the Consulting Engineer.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Consulting Engineer Madras Irrigation and Canal Company.
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Exd S. T. Augustin.

Consulting Engineer's Office,
Irrigation and Canal Company,
Kurnool 27th September 1865.

N: 91
From Captain John Mullins R.E.
Comdng for I.C.C.
To the Secretary to Government.
Dept. of Public Works.

Sir: I have the honor to transmit for the orders of Government a letter, N: 332 of the 20th Instant, from the Agent & Manager Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, bringing to notice that sums amounting to Rupees 1,634 were expended by the late Chief Engineer of the Company in 1860 for the purchases noted in the margin, that, in consequence of the absence of the requisite vouchers, the amount has remained in suspense ever since, and that the enquiries made have failed to elicit any information as to the circumstances under which the expenditure was incurred.

2. Mr. Henslowe therefore asks for instructions as to how the amount is to be adjusted, and as there seems to be no probability of any exact information being forthcoming, I see no alternative to the debit of the amount to "Contingencies, General Management" "Chief Engineer's Department." The first item, for Carpenter's tools, cannot properly belong to this head of account, but unless it were arbitrarily debited to one of the estimates for

x
Carpenter's tools. 1142
Carts & bullocks. 517
Tents. 725
Transit Coach. 250
1634

(One Year for 7-8-02)

Account Public Works Department.

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Under date the 17th October 1866
Read the following*

From the Consulting Eng^r
J H C. Co.

transmits for the order
of Secy a letter No 332 of the
20th March from the Agent bring-
ing to notice that sums ex- (Here enter 27 Sept/65 Negl)
amounting to Rs 1634 were
expended by the late Chief
Eng^r in 1866 for the purchase
of tools within and requests instruc-
tions as to how the amount is
to be adjusted for year.

Under the circum-
stances explained, the
Governor in Council ^{Sanctified}
authority for the purchases
amounting to Rs. 1634
made by the late Chief
Engineer of the Madras
Irrigation and Canal Com-
pany being debited to
"Contingencies, General
Management, Chief Engineer's

What can the
Soc. have to do with
a Bullback carriage
man in a day

Wm. Cotton

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examined for the order of
Lyons & Co. of \$332 and 50 cts.
from the 19th of January to notice
that same is important to 18th 1864
were examined by the late and
Garrison in 1860 for the purpose
noted within the present notice.
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 the adjustment mended by the Con-
 pulling Engineer.

W.H.

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to be adjusted Pacific

To
 4 The Cong. Eng. & M. & C. Co. Letter
 4

Sept. 19th October.

W. H. $\frac{18}{3}$

Wm. Lloyd Garrison

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Spending the Sabbath evening
at my dear father's

Bureau Building City
 Authority of Architects & the
 Charles Cunningham
 March 24th 1880
 Sir,
 We have the honor to acknowledge
 the receipt of your letter of the 18th
 inst. in relation to the proposed
 building for the Bureau of
 the City of New York.
 We are sorry that we cannot
 give you a more definite answer
 at this time, but we are
 sure that we will be able to
 do so in the near future.
 Very respectfully,
 Charles Cunningham

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