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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
22nd November 1865.*

No. 513. Read the following Endorsement of the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, dated Madras, 11th November 1865, No. 2,672:—

Read the following letter from Mr. D. BOOTH, Supervisor in charge of Wallajah Range, North Arcot, to the Officiating Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, dated Raneepet, 12th October 1865, No. 204.

1. With your No. 2,129, dated 7th October 1865, I received the Orders of Government, 29th September 1865, No. 2,898, on constructing a step in rear of the Palar Anicut body. In paragraph 2 of that Order you are to obtain and submit my 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.

2. I most respectfully beg to refer you to the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, Proceedings No. 6,103,* dated 20th March 1865, and to the Statements attached to my letter No. 5, paragraph 2, dated 3rd May 1865; again by my letter No. 133, dated 6th August 1865, you will perceive the work in question was just being completed, when the orders of Government abovementioned was received. The Contractor is quite willing to wait payment of Rupees 500, the work he did on his own responsibility, to save his material, *i. e.*, chunam.

3. The Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, by personal scrutiny satisfied himself, after the flood in November 1864, that in the speedy construction of the step in rear of the body of the Palar Anicut the stability and durability of that large costly work depended, and I am certain Colonel Boileau fully expected funds until too late. I hope when Government are in possession of this correct explanation, they will have a more favorable opinion of the speedy completion of such an important work, on which I did my utmost.

1. Submitted to Government, with reference to paragraph 2 of their Order No. 2,898, dated 29th September 1865.

2. It will be readily understood that a work of this kind, upon which the security of an important anicut greatly depended, could not be deferred, and Mr. Booth is rather to be commended for the activity with which he pushed on the work to completion.

3. In the Statement of works expected to be, but not completed on the 30th April 1865, the Superintending Engineer entered the full balance, Rupees 10,700, as required for expenditure in 1865-66, but this sum was reduced in the Government Office to Rupees 5,700. It is true that the urgent need of the full sum originally entered should have been brought to the notice of Government on the receipt of the G. O. No. 1,868, 4th July 1865.

4. The total expenditure on the work in question in 1865-66 has been Rupees 10,700, deducting from which Rupees 5,700 it is hoped that Government will be able to grant the difference, Rupees 5,000, by transfer from other Districts.

(Signed) A. J. M. BOILEAU, Colonel, R. E.,
Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.

Proceedings of the Medical Government, Public Health Department,
22nd December 1963

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ACCOUNT NO. 24

ACCOUNT, No. 54.

Comptroller's Report on the State of the State for the Year Ending September 30, 1900. (Page 12, 130.)

Under the explanation afforded by the Superintendent Engineer of the 4th Division, the Governor in Council since found a further allotment of \$10,000 for the work noted in the margin from the Reserve under "Agricultural."

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

October 12, 1945

To the Superintendent Engineer, 4th Division.
 .. Accountant General.
 .. Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

A. 204

Wallaja Range Office
Roverett 12th October 1865

From

Mr. D. Booth Supervisor
In charge of Wallaja Range N. A.

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The Off.^o Superintending Engineer
4th Division

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Sir With Your N^o 2129 dated 7th October 1865
I received the orders of Government 29th September 186.
N^o 2898. on Constructing a Step in rear of the Palace
Ancient body. In Para 2. of that order you are
to obtain and submit my explanation of the
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in the Proceedings of Government N^o 1868 dated
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Sir

Wallajah Range office
Mannipatt 12th October
1865

Yours Obedient Servant
J. Booth, Sup^t
In charge of Wallajah Range

N^o. 2642

Submitted to Government with reference
to Para. 2 of their Order N^o 2898 dated
29th September 1865.

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Mr. Booth is rather to be commended for
the activity with which he pushed on the
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3. In the Statement of Work expected to be, but
not completed on the 30 April 1865, the Sup^t
Engr^r entered the full balance N. 10700 as req^d
for expenditure in 1865/66, but this sum was
reduced in the Genl. Office to N. 5700. It is
true that the urgent need of the full sum originally
entered should have been brought to the notice of
Genl. in the receipt of the G.O. N^o 1868, 4 July 1865.

4. The total expenditure on the work in question in 65/66
has been Rs. 10700, deducting from which Rs. 5700, it is hoped that
the Government will be able to grant the balance of Rs. 5000.

North West District
Mallaja Range

From
Superintendent North
Exchange of Mallaja Range
To The Off. Sup. Engineer
1st Division

Dated 12th
Rec^d } October 1865

N^o 204:
Enclosure none

The Shop in rear of the body
of the Palace Ancient was all built
When the order of Government
sanctioning the allotment was
received The Agency Commission
that building being in actual
progress — — — —

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To Mr. V. 1865 Dept
 From Mr. V. 1865
 The Supr Engineer
 To The Secretary to Govt
 Dated 11-3 November 1865
 No. 2672.

Forwards a letter
 from Supr. D. Booth No. 2018
 dated 12 October 1865 and
 applying for the difference
 Rs 5000 for constructing a
 step in rear of the Body
 of Palas Ancient.

No. 573.

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Public Works Department
 No. 3527
 Proceedings of the Madras Government
 Under date 11th November 1865
 Had the following

From the Supr. Engineer
 of the 4th Division

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Constructing a step in rear
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 Dr. Estimate Rs 12700.

"Agricultural"

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 3 to Asst
 4 to Mr. [unclear]

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to 5000 for the construction
of a clock in rear of the lobby
of the building.

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