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Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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No. 125. Read the following letters:—

From the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Bellary, 19th October 1866, No. 2,241.

1. I have the honor to forward an original letter* from the Assistant Engineer, Military Buildings Range. As it is not possible to procure timber at Bellary, we are obliged to send into the Mysore territory, and purchase such a stock as may be required for the works at Bellary.

* No. 206, dated 10th October 1866, to be returned.

2. In consequence of the reduction of ten per cent. from the Budget grant by Orders of the Government of India, and the transfer of Rupees 10,000 to the works at Mercara, the Budget allotment will not cover the amount we have had to expend for timber.

G. O. No. 3,155, dated 4th October 1866.

3. Some portion will be recovered from the works that have been sanctioned, and others, which will be submitted in a few days, agreeably to G. O. No. 3,156 of 4th instant; but there will still be a balance uncovered, and to prevent our having to stop the works for want of funds, I trust that Government will either grant a sum to be looked upon as an advance for purchase of timber, or sanction the remainder of the estimate† for ten new Wash-houses for the European Regiment at Bellary.

	Rs.
† Amount of Estimate	32,000
Do. of sanction	15,000
Balance...	17,000

No. 126. From the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Bellary, 20th October 1866, No. 2,257.

1. With reference to G. O. No. 3,156, of the 4th instant, I have the honor to submit a Statement showing the works that I would propose should be constructed, during the current year, from the balance of the Budget allotment, and the amounts that are required for each work: the Statement has been prepared in communication with the Officer Commanding the Division.

2. In preparing this Statement, you will observe that I have made my calculation to commence with the whole Budget grant, and then deducting ten per cen. I have done this, because the amount of estimate for the Armourer's Workshop is less than the sum entered in the Budget, even after ten per cent is deducted, and also because I want the full allotment of Rupees 15,000 for the new Wash-houses for the Regiment.

		Rs.
*Total of Part II of Budget for Original Works "Military"		60,980
Deductions.		
Ten per cent., as per Orders of Government of India ...	6,098	
Transfer to the palace in Fort of Mercara—*Vide* G. O. No. 3,155, of 4th October 1866 ...	10,000	
		16,098
Balance available ...		44,882

3. As I have attended to the instructions of Government in the matter of deductions, I trust that the course I have adopted in the preparation of this Statement will meet with approval. The amount remaining, and which I propose to re-arrange, is Rs. 44,882, as shown in the margin.*

instructions of Government in the matter of deductions

Statement of works in order of their importance, recommended for execution from the balance of allotment Part II., Budget 1866-67.

Names of Works.	No. and date of sanction.	Amount of estimate.	Amount of allotment for 1866-67.
		RS.	RS.
1. Armourer's Workshop	No. 2,137 of 6th July 1866.	5,560	5,560
2. Ten new Wash-houses	No. 2,952 of 14th September 1866.	32,000	15,000
3. One swimming bath for men	.....	.....	6,000
4. Shed for sick carts, &c., in Arsenal	No. 2,408 of 31st July 1866.	4,455	4,455
5. Carpenters' and Collar makers' Workshop ...	.....	8,190	6,000
6. Commissariat Godown at Ramandroog ...	No. 2,027 of 27th June 1866.	4,760	2,500
7. Two Apothecaries' quarters for Native Infantry Regiments.	.....	.....	3,500
8. Shoeing shed and forge	.....	3,770	1,867
	.....	.....	44,882

(Signed) A. S. MOBERLY, Major, R. E.,
Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division.

No. 127. ORDER THEREON, 6th November 1866, No. 3,541.

ACCOUNT, No. 8.

22nd October 1866, Nos. 3,364 and 3,376.

1. The Government are unable to assent to the distribution of funds, proposed in the Superintending Engineer's letter of the 20th October 1866, No. 2,257, as, in the Orders as per margin the sum of Rupees 20,132 remaining unappropriated from the Military grant for New Works in Bellary has been credited to the Reserve, from which source specific grants have since been made for works recommended for execution.

2. The demands for funds now submitted amount to Rupees 44,882 for eight works. Of these three are entered in the Budget,* but an estimate for one of them has yet to be submitted; estimates for two others have been sanctioned, but no money has been provided, and for the remaining three, estimates have not yet been received. The works which form Items 2 and 3 in the Budget have already been ordered to be proceeded with, and, as the allotment† for one of these, viz., the Armourer's Workshop, is in excess of the estimate, the difference of Rupees 290 will be credited‡ to the Reserve under "Military." The projects marginally noted may now be put in hand, and a grant of Rs. 6,955 will be made for the purpose from the Reserve under "Military" as recommended-

* Items 2, 3, and 4 of Budget.

	RS.
† Allotment	6,500
Deduct 10 per cent...	650
	5,850
Estimate	5,560
	290

‡ Subject to the sanction of the Government of India.

	Estimate. RS.
Shed for sick carts attached to the Arsenal at Bellary	4,455
Commissariat Godown at Ramandroog...	4,760

No funds can be allotted for the remaining four works, until the estimates for them have been laid before Government and sanctioned. The demands for these amount to Rupees 11,367,* and Major Moberly applies for a further allotment of Rupees 17,000 to cover the cost of timber procured from Mysore, making a total of Rupees 28,367, while only Rs. 12,486 remain to the credit of the Reserve under Military. It will accordingly rest with the Superintending Engineer, in communication with the Military authorities, and with due regard to the adjustment of the value of the Mysore timber, to make an early application for the appropriation of this balance which the Government are unable at present to supplement, but if funds be available later in the year they will be placed at the Superintending Engineer's disposal.

* Exclusive of Rupees 6,000 for Item No. 4.

		RS.
Originally credited to Reserve ...		20,132
Deduct		
In G. O. No. 3,364, 22nd Oct.	627	
Do. No. 3,376, 22nd Oct.	354	
In these Proceedings	6,955	
		7,936
		12,196
Add		
In these Proceedings		290
		12,486

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" Accountant General.
" Military Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

3rd Divn

No. 2257

Supdg. Engrs Office
Bellary 20th Octr 66

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From,

The Superintending Engineer
3rd Division

To,

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
Madras

Sir,

With reference to G.O. No. 3150 of the 4th Instant I have the honor to submit a statement shewing the works that I would propose should be constructed during the current year from the Balance of the Budget allotment and the amounts that are required for each work. The Statement has been prepared in Communication with the Officer Commanding the Division.

2 In preparing this Statement you will observe that I have made my calculations to Commence with the whole Budget grant and then deducting 10 Per Cent. I have done this because the Amount of Estimate for the Armourers' workshop is less than the sum entered in the Budget even after 10 per Cent is deducted and also because I want the full allotment of Rupees 15000 for the new wash Houses for the Regiment.

3. As I have attended to the instructions of Government in the matter of Reductions

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I trust that the course I have adopted in the preparation of this Statement will meet with approval. The amount remaining and which I propose to Re-arrange is Rupees 44882, as shown in the margin.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obdt. Servant

A. Wilbraham Major R.E.
Superintending Engineer
3d Division

× Total of Part II of Budget for Original works & Buildings 60,098
Re. Rs. Rs. 15,216
Deduct as per orders of Government of India 6098
Leaving for the Palace at Fatehgarh, &c. 9118
of Rs. 15,216 to 31st October 1866 15,000
Balance Annulable 216

Statement of Works in order of their importance recommended for execution from the Balance of allotment Part II Budget 1866-67.

Names of Works	No. and date of Sanction	Amount of Estimate	Amount of allotment for 1866/67	Remarks.
1. Armourers' Work shop	No. 2137 of 6th July 66	5,560	5,560	
2. Ten New Ward Houses	2952 of 14th Sept.	32,000	15,000	✓
3. One Swimming bath for men	—	—	6,000	
4. Shed for Gun Carts &c. in Arsenal	2408 of 31st July	4453	4453	✓
5. Carpenters' and Blacksmiths' Workshops	—	8490	6,000	
6. Commissariat Godown at Ramandee	2027 of 27th June 66	4760	2,500	
7. 2 Apothecaries' Quarters for Native Infantry Regiments	—	3770	3500	
8. Shoeing shed and Forge	—		1867	✓
			44,882	

A. Wilbraham Major R.E.
Superintending Engineer 3d Division

No 2241.

From Assistt Surgeon A. S. Mackesy R.E.
Superintending Engineer
Cashmere Division
3rd Division

To Lt Colonel & Garrison Engineer
C. M. Dobbin Esquire
Fort William

Dated Belleary 19th October 1866

Sir I have the honor to forward my original letter from the Commanding Engineer Cashmere Division - Camp - Ootacamund dated 10th May 1865 Building & Grounds Belleary and to state that the works are absolutely necessary for the safety of the Buildings and Grounds and that the Estimate amounts to Rupees 4364 I have the honor to be Sir Your most obedient Servant

Assistant Surgeon
3rd Division

No 2255 dated 10th May 1865
to retain

Recd 1866 Oct 25
Encl 1 Govt Order Nov 4th 1865 No 4364
From Asst Surgeon Engineer
3rd Division

To Lt Colonel & Govt
Fort Bel

No 2257.

Dy 20 October 66
Ry 25 " — do —

Submits for sanction a list of works in order of their importance for execution with reference to unexpended Balance of Part II. Budget 1866-67 vide 3541-650 Cur 1866

No 126.

works at Mercara, the Budget allotment will not cover the amount we have had to expend for timber.

3. Some portion will be recovered from the works that have been sanctioned, and others which will be submitted in a few days, agreeably to G. O. No 3156 of 4th instant, but there will still be a balance uncovered, and to prevent our having to stop the works for want of funds, I trust that Government will either grant a sum to be looked upon as an advance for purchase of timber or sanction the remainder of the Estimate for Ten Newbarrack Houses for the European Regt at Bellary.

Amount of Estt 32000
" Sanction 15000
Balance 17000

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A. Thuillier Major R.E.
Superintending Engineer 3rd Div.

Account

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Public Works Department.

No. 3541

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 6th November 1866.

Read the following

From The Superintending Engineer of the 3rd Division (Here enter No. 2241 of 19th October 1866)

From Do — Do (Here enter No. 2257 dated 20th — " — 1866.)

The Government are unable to assent to the distribution of funds proposed in the S. Engineer's letter of the 20th Oct 66, as, on the orders noted in the margin, the sum of Rs 20,132 remaining unappropriated from the Salary grant for new works in Bellary has been credited to the Revenue, from which sources specific grants have since been made for works recommended for execution.

The demands for funds now submitted amount to Rs 16,882 for eight works.

Do — 2257

22nd Oct 66 — 3364 & 3370

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Rs — 1 A. Supply 111 Rupees 431
" 114 " Tank " 3396-3417
" 1 " Road " 3418-3425

BR 1861/66 Office
Public Works Secretary
Fort St George
Read 31st Oct 1866
Recd by post from
S.E. 3rd Div.

Dated 19th October 1866.
No. 2241.

From
The Superintending Engineer
3rd Division.

To
The Chief Secretary to Government
Public Works Department.

Sir,

I have the honor to submit for the sanction of Government the following estimates for the expenditure of the sum of Rupees twenty thousand one hundred and thirty two, being the balance of the grant of Rupees twenty five thousand for new works in Bellary, which has been credited to the Revenue, and is available for the execution of the works mentioned in the margin.

No. 3541/66 R. 1 of Nov. 1866

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Of these three are entered in the Budget, but are estimate for one of them has yet to be submitted; estimate for two others have been sanctioned, but are money has been provided, and for the remaining three, estimates have not yet been received. The works which form items 1 & 3 in the Budget have already been ordered to be proceeded with, and, as the allotment for one of these, viz the Armourers' Workshops, is in excess of the estimate, the difference of Rs 290 will be credited to the Reserve under "Military". The projects marginally noted may now be put in hand, and a grant of Rs 6955 will be made for the purpose from the Reserve under "Military" as recommended.

× Items 2, 3 & 4 of Budget

Allotment	Rs 6500
Deduct 10%	650
	5850
Estimate	5560
	290

* Subject to the sanction of the Govt of India

	Estimate Rs
Shed for Sick Cart attached to the Arsenal at Bellary	4,655
Commissariat Godown at Ramandrug	6,760

× Exclusive of Rs 6500 for Items 2, 3 & 4.

Originally credited to Reserve	Rs 29,132
Deduct	
G.O. 3304 - 22nd Oct - 627	
3375 - 22 - Oct - 3611	
This Case	6955
	7936
	12196
Add	290
Due these Items	12486

No funds can be allotted for the remaining four works until the estimates for them have been laid before Govt & sanctioned. The demands for these amount to Rs 11,367, and Major Brotherly applies for a further allotment of Rs 17,000, to cover the cost of Timber procured from Mysore, making a total of Rs 28,367, while only Rs 12,196 remain to the credit of the Reserve under Military. It will accordingly be best with the C Engineer, in communication with the Military authorities, and with due regard to the adjustment of the value of the Mysore Timber, to make an early application for the appropriation of this balance which the

No 2 1866 Dated

Govt are unable at present to supplement, but if funds be available labor in the year they will be placed at the Engrs disposal.

Rec'd 7th Novr 65.

Rec'd of Govt for abstract

Rec'd of the Madras Govt

Passing orders on certain correspondence from the Secy Govt applying for certain distribution of funds for Military works at Bellary and for procuring of timber from Mysore.

No 125 - 126 & 127.

To
3 The d Engr 1st Div Arkonam
4 " Controller
" Accountant
" Military Dept