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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
19th June 1867.*

No. 416. Read the following letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Tanjore, 7th June 1867, No. 369 :—

I have the honour to submit a bill for Rupees 62 for stationery, &c., purchased by the Officer in charge of No. 1 Range, Trichinopoly, during December 1864.

Enclosure 1.

Captain Palmer, in November 1864, reported to this Office that the amount, viz., Rupees 10, allowed for Office Contingent charges was quite inadequate for the wants of his range, and that Overseers and others had to purchase from their private purse a great part of the stationery required for use on works, and requested that the amount for contingencies may be increased to Rupees 20. In reply Captain Palmer was told that his contingent Bill will not be passed if it exceeds Rupees 10, but that he is at liberty to submit a supplemental bill, as there was then a large balance between the Budget allotment and the amount of contingencies received and passed for the division against which the bill may be entered as a set off, but this was not done; the amount is still entered under the head of Advances in the Range Accounts, and the permission of Government is now solicited for charging the amount to the current year's allotment for contingencies for this division.

No. 417. ORDER THEREON, 19th June 1867, No. 1,832.

ACCOUNT, No. 30.

Permission granted as requested, it being understood that the total allotment for "Contingencies" for the 6th Division is not exceeded.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, with one Enclosure.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Frd. S. T. Augustin.

No 369-

Superintending Eng^g Office at S^t.
Lampire 7th June 1867

From

Sir^{ts} Colonel P. T. O'Connell R.E.

As Superintending Engineer at S^t.

To

Colonel C. A. Orr R.E.

Secretary to Government at S^t.

Sir,

I have the honor to submit
a Bill for Rs. 62 for Stationery & pur-
chased by the Officer in Charge of
No 1 Range Trichinopoly during De-
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to the Current year's allotment for
Contingencies for this Division. -

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most Obedt Servt

Manuel Lint. Col. R.E.

Asg. Super Engineer B. S. S.

17th 1864 Sept
 From A. 21/88
 The Adjutant General
 To the Secretary to Govt.
 P. O. D.

Dated 7th June 1867
 Recd 11th June 1867

Ca. no. 369

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Forwarding Bill No 62, on
 account of four urgent charges
 incurred by Captain Palmer
 in Decr 1864 - and requesting
 permission to charge the
 amount to Current year's
 allotment for contingencies
 for the Division

W. H. A. B. D.

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EW 1832

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 that the total allotment for Contingencies
 for the 6th Div is not exceeded

To SSB for with me
 Contingencies
 19th June 1867

W. H. A. B. D.

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