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## Government of Madras.

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7th February 1867.*

No. 130. Read the following letter from the Controller of Public Works Accounts, to the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Madras, 28th January 1867, No. 3,484:—

With reference to paragraph 9 of G. O. of the 24th instant, No. 242, I beg very respectfully to explain, it was far from my intention to question my position under this Government, or to dispute, in any wise, their authority; I merely laid this matter of accounts before the Accountant General, as a subject on which it was, as well, I thought, to obtain his views, and when these were obtained, I at once submitted the whole for the consideration and orders of Government, as stated in my letter of the 22nd November last, No. 2,765, and it was, therefore, with great regret I learnt such disrespect was imputed to me; but I can sincerely disclaim having had any ideas of the kind.

No. 131. ORDER THEREON, 7th February 1867, No. 384.

ACCOUNT, No. 21.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

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

*Exd. S. T. Augustin.*

No. 3484.

Office of the Controller of  
P.W. Accounts.

Madras, 28<sup>th</sup> January 1864.

From, The Controller of P.W. Accounts.

To, The Secretary to Government, D.P.W.  
Fort St. George.

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I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedt. Servant.

Captain R.

Controller of P.W. Accounts

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masters of account  
before the Accountant  
General of the Department  
in which the Government  
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