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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 8th October 1869.

No. 165. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Financial Department :—

Passing orders in regard to the location, charge, &c., of the Mint machinery. } (Here enter 27th September 1869, No. 445.)

No. 166. ORDER THEREON, 8th October 1869, No. 3,257.

ACCOUNT, No. 19.

COMMUNICATED to the General Superintendent of Public Works Stores and Workshops.

2. The Superintending Engineer of the 4th Division will, in communication with Mr. Grainger, prepare and submit the plans and estimates called for in para. 2, with a view to a provision being made for the work in the outgoing Budget.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

No. 65. Read the following letter from the General Superintendent of Public Works Stores and Workshops, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Fort Saint George; dated Chepauk, 2nd September 1869, No. 597.

With reference to G. O., dated 11th August 1869, No. 2645, communicating Proceedings of Government in the Financial Department, 2nd August 1869, No. 342. approving of the measures proposed by the Mint Master for the closing of the Madras Mint, and for the disposal of the machinery and stores, I beg respectfully to bring to the notice of Government that the present limited space in the Public Works Stores will not admit of storage-room for the workshop machinery, recommended for transfer to this Department by Colonel Carpendale, Mint Master, in paragraph 3 of his letter to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 21st July 1869, No. 203. Neither can the machinery in question be utilized in the Public Works Workshops for want of room. Under the above circumstances, I beg to suggest that the machines be left standing where they are, and that, instead of bringing their value on the books of the Public Works Store Department, they be transferred to the charge of the Storekeeper of Machinery, together with all other machinery and steam engines not required by other Departments. If this suggestion be approved of by Government, I beg to propose the following establishment, which will be necessary for keeping the machinery clean and in serviceable order:—

	Rs.	
One Mechanical Fitter	50	per month.
One do. Assistant Fitter	20	do.
Twelve Lascars, at 7 Rupees each	84	do.
Contingent charges for cleaning material, say	30	do.
Total...	184	

2. This establishment, if sanctioned, will do away with the six lascars recommended by the Mint Master for keeping the coinage machinery clean.

3. The present establishment of the Storekeeper of Machinery consists of one clerk on Rupees 50 per mensem, sanctioned in G. O., No. 978, dated 21st September 1865, Public Department.

Referred to the Financial Department, with reference to the orders in that Department, dated 2nd August 1869, No. 342.

(Signed) C. A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secy. to Govt., P. W. D.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
September 1869.

No. 66. ORDER THEREON, 27*th September* 1869, *No.* 445.

For want of space in the Public Works Stores and Workshops, it is proposed in the foregoing letter that the machines belonging to the Mint Workshops be allowed to remain where they now are, and that they be transferred to the charge of the Storekeeper of Machinery, together with all other machinery and steam engines of the Mint not required by other Departments. This is accordingly sanctioned as a temporary measure.

2. In lieu, however, of the establishment proposed for keeping the machinery clean and in serviceable order, the Government sanction one to the extent indicated in the margin, which they consider sufficient for the purpose. Under this arrangement the cost of the establishment recommended by Colonel Carpendale in paragraph 5 of his letter of the 21st July last, No. 203, will be reduced by Rupees 42 per mensem, being the pay of the six lascars intended to be employed for keeping the coinage machinery clean.

	Rs.	
One Mechanical Fitter.....	30	per month.
Six Lascars, at 7 Rupees each	42	do.
Contingent charges for cleaning materials...	20	do.
Total...	92	

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
27th September 1869.

2. With reference to the statement of the General Superintendent that the Public Works Stores and Workshops do not afford sufficient accommodation, the Government direct that the necessary orders be issued in the Public Works Department for the preparation of plans and estimates for such additions to the buildings as may be absolutely necessary.

(True Extract.)

Acty. Secy. to Govt.

To the Public Works Department.
" Assay Master.
" Accountant General.

Exd. J. Wright.

P.W. Dept
Govt. of (1869) Madras.
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THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To the General Superintendent of P.W. Stores & Workshops

Fort William the 8th October 1875

Nos. 165-166

Forwards Abstract of Estimates &c.

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith Abstract of Estimates for the undermentioned Railways, and to request that the necessary orders may be issued for the preparation of Plans & Estimates for such additions to the Workshops & Buildings at those places as may be absolutely necessary for executing the traffic belonging to the said Railways during the year 1876-77.

I have &c.

(Sd) [illegible]

Secretary to the Govt. of India.

To the Agents & Engineers-in-Chief of the undermentioned Railways.

Bengal & Nagpur Railway.

East Indian Railway.

Eastern Bengal Railway.

Great Indian Peninsula Railway.

Madras Railway.

Scinde, Punjaub & Delhi Railway.