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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. <u>1193</u>	Press Mis.
<u>464-465</u>	
Dated <u>28</u> - <u>4</u> - <u>1871</u>	

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
28th April 1871.*

No. 464. Read the following letter from the Consulting Engineer for the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 14th April 1871, No. 8 —

I HAVE the honour to submit the letter as per margin from the Agent and Manager, Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, giving cover to estimates, amounting to Rupees 400 and 1,240, called repair estimates for the 4th and 5th Sections, Main Canal, for the season of 1871, and which it is proposed shall be charged to Revenue; some items, such as clearing silt from culverts, and small repairs to masonry works that had been finished, are fairly debitable to Revenue, but the proper head to which others are chargeable is not so clear. Fixing English raising gear to sluices is manifestly necessary to put them in proper working order, and the cost ought to have been met from Capital. There are several items for metalling roadways of bridges, and repairing approaches to them, but I doubt if any one work of this nature had ever been fully completed according to the original estimates. Slips in the upper bank, and renewing the revetments, is more probably due to want of proper completion and good work than to fair wear and tear, but as it would not be possible to discriminate between the causes, and the whole amount is small, it seems expedient as proposed by the Agent to debit the amounts to Revenue.

From the Agent and Manager of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, to the Consulting Engineer for the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, dated Madras, 29th March 1871, No. 145.

I HAVE the honour to forward herewith two estimates, amounting to Rupees 1,640, chargeable to Revenue for the repairs needed to the 4th and 5th Sections for season 1871, and I request you will be good enough to obtain sanction of Government to the same

4th Section	Rs
5th do.	400
	1,240
Total	1,640

No. 465. ORDER THEREON, 28th April 1871, No. 1,193.

IRRIGATION, No. 31.

THE Government concur with the Consulting Engineer for the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company in the opinion that looking to the difficulty of allocating the charges included in the estimates submitted with this letter for works in the 4th and 5th Sections of the canal, the amount (Rupees 1,640) may be debited to Revenue.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Consulting Engineer for the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company.
.. Agent and Manager for do. do.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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Consulting Engineers Office
Irrigation and Canal Co.
Madras 14th April 1871.

From

Colonel J. Carpendale R.E.
Consulting Engineer I. & C. Co.
Colonel C. A. Orr R.E.
Secretary to Government P. W. D.

Sir,

N^o 145-29th March
1871.

I have the honor to submit the letter as per margin from the Agent and Manager Madras Irrigation and Canal Company giving cover to estimates amounting to Rupees 400 and 1240, called repair estimates for the fourth and fifth Sections Main Canal for the season of 1871, and which it is proposed shall be charged to Revenue; some items, such as clearing silt from Culverts, and small repairs to masonry works that had been finished, are fairly debitable to Revenue, but the proper head to which others are chargeable is not so clear. Fixing English raising gear to Sluices is manifestly necessary to put them in proper working order and the cost ought to have been met from Capital. There are several items for metaling roadways of bridges, and repairing approaches to them, but I doubt

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant
J. G. [Signature] Colonel R. E.
Consulting Engineer J. H. & Co.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 28 April 1871
Read the following

From the Consulting Engr. H. C. / The letter No 8 of 14 April 1871

The Government
concur with the Consulting Engineer for
the Madras Irrigation
and Canal Company
in the opinion that
looking to the difficulty
of allocating the charges
included in the esti-
-mates submitted with
this letter for works in
the 4th and 5th sections
of the Canal, the amount
(Rs 1640) may be debited
to Revenue.

The Commr. Engr. Mr. J. H. C. with
three enclosures
Agent & Manager - Do -

Recd 1/5/71

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Public Works Dept
No 8 of 14 April
From
The Commr. Engr. J. H. C.
The Secretary to Govt.
P. H. D.

Dated 14 April 1871
Recd 18 April
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Submitted for sanction.
Estimates amounting to Rs.
400 & 240 for the repairs
needed to the 4th & 5th sections
of the main Canal for the
Season 1871—

No 464
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PUBLIC WORKS.

1. The Consulting Engineer
for the Madras District
and Canal Company.

Date:

Recd

G. O. 28 April, A. 1195.

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