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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
25th May 1871.*

No. 444. Read the following letter from the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 3rd May 1871, No. 17 :—

I HAVE the honour to forward, for the orders of Government, the correspondence marginally noted, relating to a sum of Rupees 46-2-0 due to the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company for repairs done to the punkahs of the Church at Kurnool.

2. The present Lay Trustee of the church states that the charge seems to have been incurred in 1864, and the first notice of it was as far as he can ascertain made only in 1869, and that the money was then entrusted to the Church Clerk for payment, but he had absconded with it and other property and nothing was ever recovered. He recommends that the charge be written off as none of the present community of the church were in any way connected with it, and the funds of the church are not in a state to allow of its being met therefrom.

3. In his letter No. 172, of the 19th ultimo, though the Agent disputing the Lay Trustee's statement that no notice of the charge was given till 1869, states that several applications for its payment were made prior to that period, yet he fears that there is little or no prospect now of recovering the money, and he therefore recommends the item to be written off in the accounts.

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, 19th April 1871, No. 172.

I HAVE the honour to hand you copy of a letter addressed by Mr. Forbes (as Lay Trustee of Kurnool church) to the Chief Engineer, with reference to work done for that church by this Company.

2. Mr. Forbes is in error in stating that no notice of the amount being due was given until 1869. To my knowledge several applications for payment were made prior to that date. Notably an application was made in 1866, when Mr. Badham was at Kurnool, and was met by a promise, not fulfilled, of early payment.

3. I fear there is no prospect now of recovering the money—discreditable as the fact may appear—and I recommend that the amount be written off.

From L. FORBES, Esq., Lay Trustee, to the Assistant to the Chief Engineer of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, dated Kurnool, 6th April 1871.

I HAVE to apologize for delay in replying to your letters dated 26th October 1870, No. 323, and 7th March 1871, No. 75.

2. The charge in question seems to have been incurred so far back as 1864, and it is all the more matter for regret that it was not settled at the time, because the work was undertaken as a matter of courtesy by your department then presided over by Colonel Cotton. As far as I can ascertain, the first notice we had of it after Colonel Cotton left was in 1869, when I was in England. I learn from Mr. Chase that the money was then entrusted to Vyland, the Church Clerk, for payment, but he absconded with that and other property, and nothing was ever recovered.

3. Under the circumstances, and as none of the present community were in any way connected with it, and the funds are not in a sufficiently flourishing state to allow of its being met therefrom, I venture to recommend that the item be written off.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
25th May 1871.*

No. 496.

COPY forwarded to the Agent and Manager in continuation of my No. 1,650, of 29th November 1870.

KURNOOL,
13th April 1871.

(Signed) E. D. MATHEWS,
Assistant to the Chief Engineer.

From the Consulting Engineer for the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, to the Agent and Manager of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, dated 21st April 1871, No. 17.

With reference to your letter No. 172, of the 19th instant, I have the honour to request that you will be good enough to favour me with the particulars of the charge referred to therein.

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, 26th April 1871, No. 191.

In reply to your letter of the 21st instant, No. 17, I have the honour to inform you that the particulars of the charge are for repairs to punkahs of the church amounting to Rs. 46-2-0.

No. 445. ORDER THEREON, 25th May 1871, No. 1,432.

IRRIGATION, No. 24.

UNDER the circumstances brought to notice in these papers the Government authorize the sum of Rupees 46-2-0 due to the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company for repairs executed in 1864 to the punkahs of the Kurnool church to be written off.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Acting Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
.. Agent and Manager of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Office of Chief Engineer
Madras, 3rd May 1871.

No. 17
To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation
The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department.

Have the honour to forward for the order of Government the correspondence marginally noted relating to a sum of Rupees 46-2-0 due to the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company for repairs done to the punkahs of the church at Kurnool.

2. The present Vicar of the church states that the charge seems to have been incurred in 1864 and the first notice of it was as far as he can ascertain made only in 1869 and that the money was then entrusted to the church clerk for payment but he had absconded with it and other property and nothing was ever recovered. He recommends that the charge be written off as none of the present community of the church were in any way connected with it and the funds of the church are not in a state

*done April 17-19 April 17
To do " 17-21-"
From " 19-26-"*

3. In his letter N^o 172 of the 19th ultimo though he does not dispute the Say Trustees' statement that no notice of the charge was given till 1869 states that several applications for its payment were made prior to that period yet he fears that there is little or no prospect now of re-covering the money and he therefore recommends the item to be written off in the accounts.—

Have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
Wm. W. Chapman
Capt. U.S.A.
Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

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 St. Louis, Mo.
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New York

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The Chief Engineer
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From the Chief Eng. for Irrigation / H E No 17 of 3rd May 1871

Under the circum-
stances brought to notice
in these papers the Govt
authorize the sum of Rs
46. 2 due to the Madras
Irrigation and Canal
Company for repairs
executed in 1864 to the
Punkahs of the Kurnool
Church to be written off.

to
The Chief Engr. for Irregular
Lt. Agent to the M. & C. Co. Respt 26/5/77

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To the Asst Chief Engineer
for Irrigation

Dated

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G. O. 25th May 1, No. 1432.

Nos. 444 & 445

Enclosed are two copies of the
report of the Commission
of the Irrigation Commission
to the Secretary of the
Interior, dated May 1, 1871.
The report is written
in English and is
in two volumes.