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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.**Government of Madras.***Public Works* **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. <i>1527</i>	Press Mis.
<i>89-90</i>	
Dated <i>6-6-</i>	<i>1871</i>

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
6th June 1871.*

No. 89. Read the following letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madura, 22nd May 1871, No. 482:—

IN returning the original statements received with G. O., No. 64, dated 12th May 1871, I have the honour to state that the Appropriation Returns for March 1871, for the Madura and Tinnevely Districts, were despatched by me to the Controller on the 3rd of this month from Palamcottah, and that the necessary funds for the works in question, namely, those undermentioned, are appropriated in the return for Madura:—

Completing a room in the Subsidiary Jail at Ramnad ...	65
Repairing Caroocuttangolum Tank...	1,230

2. The Government are doubtless aware that for the last month of the official year it is not usual for Superintending Engineers to submit to the Controller the Appropriation Returns for that month, until the Progress Reports for the same month have been received from Range Officers. As the Progress Report for March 1871 for the 3rd Range, Tinnevely, was not received in this Office until the 28th April, and must have been received by the Controller about the same date, I cannot but think that he has exercised unbecoming haste in bringing the matter thus frequently and prominently to the notice of Government.

No. 90. ORDER THEREON, 6th June 1871, No. 1,527.

ACCOUNT, No. 6.

SUPERINTENDING Engineers are, by the rules, required to despatch their Appropriation Returns not later than the

15th of the month following that to which the transactions recorded therein appertain, and if punctuality in this respect be observed, and the returns themselves be made thoroughly complete, no outlay is likely to be treated as objectionable *owing to the absence of an allotment.*

2. The papers communicated with G. O., No. 64, dated 12th May 1871, are the Controller's preliminary reports required to be made immediately on the conclusion of the examination of the accounts of each range, the items to which exception is taken being at the same time referred by the Controller for the provision of the Superintending Engineer, and, where necessary, for the provision of funds, and finally, where the objections are not removed, the items are reported to Government in the shape of the usual monthly statements of "Objectionable Items."

3. The audit of expenditure is made upon the transactions recorded in the Progress Reports of Range Officers, supported or otherwise, so far as respects allotments, by the Appropriation Returns of Superintending Engineers. The audit is commenced immediately on the receipt of the accounts of Range Officers, but if, as Lieutenant-Colonel Roberts would appear to suggest, action upon those accounts for the month of March should be delayed till after the receipt of the Appropria.

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tion Returns of Superintending Engineers, it would be impossible to secure punctuality in the submission of the general Accounts of the Presidency.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Acting Superintending Engineer, 8th Division.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF
PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS,
Madras, *6th May* 1871.

From

THE CONTROLLER OF P. W. ACCOUNTS,

To

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,

FORT SAINT GEORGE.

SIR,

FOLLOWING the course prescribed in the Circular of the Accountant-General of the P. W. D., No. 9, dated 13th March 1871, I have the honour to submit (over leaf) a Statement of unauthorized outlay appearing in the Accounts of the Officer in charge of the *Pindigul* District, for the month of Range of the *Madura* *March* 1871.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

S. Hoell

Controller of P. W. Accounts.

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Statement of unauthorized outlay appearing in the Accounts of the
for the month of

Dindigul
March 1871

Range of the *Madura*

District

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Items.	Estimate.	Total Expenditure up to the 31 st March 1871	Grant for 1870-71	Expenditure in 1870-71 up to 31 st March 1871	Expenditure in March 1871	REMARKS.
<i>Repairs Ordinary</i> <i>Agricultural</i> <i>Repairing Harocuttancolum Tank</i>	4,450	1221-4--	600	1221-4--	560-13-3	The expenditure on this work has exceeded its allotment of Rupees 600 by Rupees 621-4-- The Superintending Engineer's Appropriation Return for March 1871 has not yet been received

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF
PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS,
Madras, 6th May 1871.

Colonel

S. Hoell
Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Public Works 1871 Department

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From

The Controller of
Public Works Accounts,

To

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

Dated 6th May 1871.
Received 8th May 1871.

[Signature]

No. 327

Submitting a Statement of unauthorized outlay
in the Accounts of the *Dindigul*
Range of the *Madura* District, for
the month of *March* 1871.

[Signature]

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OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF
PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS,

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Public Works 1871 Report

From

The Controller of
Public Works Accounts,

Encl: 1 In a letter from
the Sup^r Engineer & Co
to the Secretary to Govt
D.W. dated 22nd May
1871 to 1872

P.W. 2377/71

Statement of unautho-
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accounts of the Divi-
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Madura District
for the month of
March 1871.

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OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF
PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS,
Madras, 5th May 1871.

From

THE CONTROLLER OF P. W. ACCOUNTS,

To:

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,

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Range of the *Madura* District, for the month of
March 1871.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

S. Hoel
Controller of P. W. Accounts.

Revised.

Statement of unauthorized outlay appearing in the Accounts of the
for the month of

Shevarajunga
March 1871

Range of the

Madura

District

Items.	Estimate.	Total Expenditure up to the 31 st March 1871	Grant for 1870-71.	Expenditure in 1870-71 up to 31 st March.	Expenditure in March 1871	REMARKS.
<u>Proprietor's Report Original</u>						
<u>Works Imperial Civil Buildings</u>						
6 <u>Completing a room in the Subsidiary Jail at Ramnad</u>		65		65	65	There is no sanctioned Estimate, and no specific allotment for this work. The Superintendent Engr. needs Appropriation Ac- turn for March has not yet been received.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF
PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS,
Madras, 5th May 1871.

R. W. A.

J. Hoell
Controller of Public Works Accounts.

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No. 2051

From
The Controller of
Public Works Accounts,

To
The Secretary to
Government
Public Works
Department
Fort St. George

Dated 5th May 1871.
Received

No. 318

Submitting a Statement of unauthorized outlay
in the Accounts of the *Therapungu*
Range of the *Madura* District, for
the month of *March* 1871.

W. B. G.

No. 482

From
Lieut. Col. A. Roberts & Co
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From

The Controller of
Public Works Accounts,

Enc: 2. In a letter from
the Supy Engineer & Dr
to the Secretary to Govt
DRW dated 22 May/71
No 482

P.W. 2377/71

Statement of minor
unauthorized outlay in the
accounts of the Shera-
qungah Range of
the Madras District
for the month of
March 1871.

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No 482

Madras
22nd May 1871

From

Lieut. Col. A. Roberts & Co
Asy. Superintg. Engineer & Dr

To

Colonel J. Harpendale & Co
Secretary to Government DRW

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mentioned, are appropriated in
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of Government.

I have the honor to be
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your Most Obedient Servant

Rich^d J. Roberts. Lieut. Col. R.E.
Asy. Superintg. Engineer S.D.O.

Public Works Department
 No 1527
 Proceedings of the Madras Government
 Under date the 6 June 1871
 Read the following

From The Asst Engineer 8th Div H. C. No 482 of 22nd May 1871

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Do 12 June 1871 No 482

10th 1871
 From the Asst Engineer
 8th Div
 H. C. No 482

To, The Secretary to Govt
 P. W. D.
 Madras

(Dated 22nd May 1871)
 Received 25th May 1871

Return the original
 statements received with
 H. C. No 64 of 12th May 71
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J. Lane

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To
The Supt of Engrs. 5th Div
in Contr. of P. W. A.

Dec 27/76

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Govt of 1871 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To Mr. Superintending Engineer,
8th Division

Dated

Recd.

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G. O. 6 June 1871, No. 1527.

Nos. 89 & 90

Memorandum

Reference is made to the letter
from the Engineer dated 1871
in relation to the statement of
Account for the work done in the
Madras & the other divisions.
The statement is to be prepared
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7/6/71