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

No. 95. Read the following letter from the Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Account—General,) to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Simla, 18th May 1871, No. 338 A.-G :—

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your application dated 26th April 1871, and, in reply, to convey the sanction of the Governor-General in Council to the re-appropriation of Budget credits therein required of Rupees 15,000, for adapting the Mint buildings at Madras for the use of the Military Clothing Department, and of Rupees 20,000 for the Madras Water Supply Project.

2. As regards this latter work I am to point out that a very considerable time has now elapsed since the submission of a revised estimate was promised* by the Government of Madras, and to request that its transmission may be expedited with as little delay as possible.

3. The date on which this is likely to be done should be reported for the information of the Government of India.

* No. 1,547, dated 28th June 1870.
,, 3,118, ,, 21st Dec. ,,

No. 96. ORDER THEREON, 6th June 1871, No. 1,530.

ACCOUNT, No. 8.

G. O., No. 1,026, dated 13th April 1871.
,, ,, 1,052, ,, 15th ,, ,,

COMMUNICATED to the Superintending Engineer of the 4th Division with reference to the orders marginally noted.

2. The Government of India will be addressed on the subject of paragraph 3.

(Here enter No. 1,531, dated 6th June 1871.)

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, Acting Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
,, Military Department.
,, Financial do.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
FORT ST. GEORGE, 6*th June* 1871.

No. 97.

No. 1,531.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ACCOUNT, No. 9.

SIR,—With reference to the enquiry contained in paragraph 3 of your letter of the 18th May 1871, No. 338 A—G., I am directed to state that this Government is unable at present to give the date on which the revised estimates for the Madras Water Supply Project can be laid before the Government of India. The revised estimates were long since ready, and the question of "Land Revenue," which has hitherto caused the delay, having now been referred to a Committee specially appointed to investigate the financial prospects of the scheme, an early report is anticipated, upon the receipt of which, all practicable despatch will be used in the transmission of the estimates with needful explanations.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

All communications should be addressed to the Secretary

No. 338 A. 4.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ACCOUNT.

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General.

To— The Secretary to the Govt. of Madras,
Public Works Department.

Simla. 18th May 1871.

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No. 154 dated 28th June 1870
No. 3118, dated 21st December 1870.

request

No 15301 Proceedings of the Lieutenant Governor

Read the 1st March 1871

From

The Govt of Sindh

No 338 dated 9th (18th) Feby 1871

Recd the 25th Ditto

Requesting sanction to Rs 1,30,000 being the amount required to be drawn from the Treasury on account of Budget Estimate for the year 1871-72 for the following works in Sindh, viz.

Alterations to the late Mint Buildings	Rs 30,000
Madras Water Supply Project	" 100,000
	Rs 1,30,000

Submitted to the Lieutenant Governor

for sanction

Sd/- W. Leod Innes

Chief Secretary to the Govt of Sindh

Sd/- [illegible]

Under Secretary

Sd/- [illegible]

Chief Engineer

Sd/- [illegible]

Chief Secretary

Sd/- [illegible]

Under Secretary

Sd/- [illegible]

Secretary to Govt

No 15301 Proceedings Public Works Department

From The Chief Engineer & Secretary to the Government of Madras

Read the following Memorandum

From The Govt of India (No 6 Rly dated 8th Jany 1872)

Forwarding for sanction the re-appropriation of Budget credits for alterations to the late Mint Buildings & for the Madras Water Supply Project

Read the following Memorandum

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J. Strachey

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Superintending Engr
4th Division
and
To The Secretary to the Govt.
of India

Dated

Recd. Feb.

G. O. 6th June 1871 No. 1530-1531

Nos. 95-96 & 97