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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 5th October 1871.

No. 55. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 5th September, 1871, No. 3,809 :—

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of the Chingleput District, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Sydapet, 15th August 1871, No. 374.

With reference to the Order of Government, Public Works Department, dated 18th ultimo, No. 1,889, communicated with the Board's Miscellaneous No. 2,500, I have the honour to forward the explanation of the Acting Sub-Collector, regarding the delay in the submission of the bills therein referred to, to the Controller of Public Works Accounts.

From the Acting Sub-Collector, to the Acting Collector of the Chingleput District, dated 1st August 1871, No. 532.

In reply to your No. 808, of the 27th ultimo, I have the honour to state that I have been in the habit of forwarding the usual monthly abstracts of receipts and disbursements for raising a corumboo in the Cheyaur river punctually.

2. The Controller of Public Works Accounts called on me for the bills referred to in Government Order No. 1,889, dated 18th ultimo, for the first time, only on the 20th April last. Measures were immediately taken for the preparation of the bills, and the necessary accounts, etc., sent for, and the bills were forwarded to the Controller on the 10th June. This delay was unavoidable.

3. Bills were never asked for in former years, and it was not known in my office, until receipt of the letter of the 20th April last, that their submission was required.

Submitted to Government with reference to Government Order dated 18th July 1871, No. 1,889, Public Works Department.

No. 56. Order thereon, 5th October 1871, No. 2,526.

ACCOUNT, No. 6.

The attention of the Collector of Chingleput will be directed, through the Revenue Department, to the rules and forms of account circulated with Proceedings of Government under date the 21st October 1864, No. 3,023, for the information and guidance of Civil officers entrusted with the disbursement of Public Works funds.

2. Referring to paragraph 3 of the Collector's letter the Government observe that so recently as January of the present year,* the necessity of the punctual and due observance of the rules in question was impressed on all Collectors by the Board of Revenue, while similar intimation was conveyed in the Board's Proceedings of the 17th March 1870, No. 1,824.

* *Vide* Board's Proceedings, No. 183, dated 14th January 1871.

(True Extract.)

Captain, R.E.,
Offg. Joint Secretary to Government.

To the Revenue Department.
" Board of Revenue.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.
Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Public Works Department

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue } (H.E. No 3809 dt 6th Sept 187)

The attention of the Collector of Chingleput will be directed through the Revenue Department to the rules and forms of account circulated with Proceedings of Government under date the 27th October 1864, No 3023, for the information and guidance of Civil Officers entrusted with the disbursement of Public Works

Port to Funds.

Referring to para-graph 3 of the Collec-tor's letter the Govt observe that so recently as January of the pre-sent year the security of the punctual and due observance of the rules in question was impressed on all Collectors by the Board of Revenue while a similar intimation was conveyed in the Board's Proceedings of the 17th March 1870 No. 1824.

Add.l

22nd Sept.

To

The Revenue Departt
Board of Revenue
Controller of P. W. Accts
Accts 6/10/71

Vide Board's Proc. No. 183 of 14th January 1871.

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Govt. of {1871} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Revenue Department

Dated

Recd. Encl.

G. O. 5th October 1871, No. 2526.

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Civil Officers Accounts—

The attention of the Collector of Chingleput called to the Rules & Forms enclosed for the information and guidance of Civil Officers entrusted with the disbursement of Public Works Funds.