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Government of Madras.

Public works DEPARTMENT.

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

No. 664. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp at Jagadavooptt, 10th March 1871, No. 175:—

I HAVE the honour to report that, between December 1865 and January 1867, Rupees 210, in small amounts, were advanced by the Officers in charge of the 2nd Range, Kistna District, under authority of the late Superintending Engineer, to certain people for digging limestone at Guntoor.

2. Lieutenant A. C. Smith endeavoured to procure it from the people in labour in any form agreeable to themselves, as they complained that they had been thrown out by severe illness, and he succeeded in recovering Rupees 89-4-3; but the balance, Rupees 120-11-9, is still outstanding.

3. The Sub-Magistrate of Ponnore ordered them to pay by small instalments, but apparently this order has had no effect. Lieutenant Campbell, who succeeded Lieutenant A. C. Smith, has reported his failure to me. I regret that I cannot find any means of procuring a settlement, and therefore request the permission of Government to write off the loss.

No. 665. ORDER THEREON, 28th March 1871, No. 920.

ACCOUNT, No. 85.

UNDER the circumstances brought to notice in this letter the Government will not object to the writing off to

Profit and Loss of the sum of Rupees 120-11-9 remaining unrecovered from certain advances made to work-people at Guntoor between December 1865 and January 1867.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Division.
.. Controller of Public Works Accounts.

No 175
From
Superintending Engineer
Office 2nd Division
Camp Jagadwarpett
10 March 1871
Colonel J. J. Mohrly R.E.
Superintending Engineer
2nd Division
To
Colonel C. A. Orr R.E.
Secretary to Government
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GOLD OF 1871 3/4 DOLLARS.

PUBLIC WORKS,

The Superintendent Engr.
2nd Division

Engr.

Engr.

28 March 1871 No. 920.

Nos. 664-665

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