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Government of Madras.

Public works **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 6th December 1872.

No. 133. Read the following Endorsement of the Controller of Public Works Accounts, dated Fort St. George, 30th October 1872, No. 1,723:—

From the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, (through the Controller of Public Works Accounts), dated Coimbatore, 26th October 1872, No. 167.

In forwarding, herewith, two letters as per margin, received from the Officer in charge of Cannanore Range, on the subject of the irrecoverable advance of Rupees 120-9-2 made on account of timber for the construction of the Central Jail at Cannanore, estimate Rupees 3,72,000 (Item No. 91 of the current year's Budget), I have the honour to request that Government will be pleased to authorize the above amount of Rupees 120-9-2 being written off to Profit and Loss to the credit of the work.

No. 483 of 2nd September and No. 635 of 17th October 1872.

2. Every endeavour was made to find out the whereabouts of the liquidator for the recovery of the amount, but without success.

From the Executive Engineer in charge of Cannanore Range, Malabar, to the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, dated Cannanore, 2nd September 1872, No. 483.

In March 1867 advances were made to the Madras Saw Mills Company on account of timber for the Central Jail at Cannanore of which Rupees 120-9-2 still remains unadjusted.

2. The Company went into voluntary liquidation in 1869 and I have since received the following instalments:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
In April 1869	1	1	0
,, May ,, ...	36	14	6
,, June ,, ...	10	2	0
Total ...	48	1	6

from an original balance of Rs. 168-10-8 due, leaving the amount Rupees 120-9-2 shown above.

3. I have applied since the receipt of the last instalment to the liquidator William Miller, Esquire, on the subject, but have not received any reply from him; I therefore bring the matter to your notice in order that, as there is no chance of further payment, authority may be obtained for writing off the balance to Profit and Loss.

4. The advances were made to the Company on the application of the Manager at Beypoor, and in his representation that the timber was really to be despatched as soon as freight could be obtained.

5. Believing that the Company was a respectable one, I had no hesitation in accepting the Manager's statement; it is, however, almost the only instance in which I have been unable to get my advances adjusted.

From the same Officer, dated Cannanore, 17th October 1872, No. 635.

With reference to your letter No. 265, dated 10th ultimo, I have the honour to report that having sent a registered letter as ordered, it has been returned from the Dead Letter Office with the remark that the addressee cannot be found.

Cover of letter enclosed.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 6th December 1872.

SUBMITTED for the orders of Government.

2. Paragraph 13 E Section 2, Chapter XVII. of the Public Works Code of the Government of India, and Standing Order No. II. of 1867 of that Government provide that charges to the head "Profit and Loss" should be restricted to "Losses in the balances of cash and stock, caused by robbery, fire, storm, flood or any other extraordinary occurrence." Such an item of loss as that now reported is not, therefore, properly chargeable to "Profit and Loss," and it is accordingly suggested that the amount of loss, namely, Rupees 120-9-2, be debited to the work for which the advance was made.

(Signed) S. BROCK,
Controller of Public Works Accounts.

No. 134. ORDER THEREON, 6th December 1872, No. 2,878.

ACCOUNT, No. 14.

ORDERED that the irrecoverable balance of Rupees 120-9-2 be charged against the new Jail at Cannanore.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Malabar.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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No. 483 Cannanore 2nd September 1872

From

The Executive Engineer
Cannanore Range Malabar

To

The Superintending Engineer
7th Division. P.W.D.

Sir.

In March 1869 advances were made to the Madras Jail Mills Company on account of Timber for the Central Jail at Cannanore of which Rupees 120. 9. 2 still remains unadjusted.

The Company went into voluntary liquidation in 1869 and I have since received the following instalments:

In April 1869. Rs 1. 1. "
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" June " " 10. 2. "
48. 1. 6

from an original balance of Rupees 168. 10. 8 due leaving the amount Rs 120. 9. 2 shewn above.

I have applied since the receipt of the last instalment to the Liquidator William Miller Esquire on the subject but have not received any reply from him. I therefore bring the matter to your notice for order that if there is no chance of further payment

Through the Controller of P.W. Accts

No 167

Supt. Engineer's Office
Coimbatore 26th October 72

From

Lieut.t Colonel W. Farewell R.E.
Superintending Engineer
7th Division

To

The Secretary to Govern.t
Public Works Depart.t
Madras.

Sir,

In forwarding herewith 2 letters, as per margin, received from the Officer in charge of Cannanore Range, on the subject of the irrecoverable advance of Rs 120–9–2 made on account of Timber for the Construction of the Central Jail at Cannanore-Estimate Rs 3,72,000, Item No 91 of the current year's Budget), I have the honor to request that Govern.t will be pleased to authorize the above amount of Rs 120–9–2 being written off to Profit and Loss A/c the credit of the work.–

2. Every endeavour was made to find out the whereabouts of the liquidator for the recovery of the amount, but without success.

Enclosures.

No 483 of 22 Sept.r
& No 635 of 17th October 1872.

authority may be obtained for writing off the balance to profit & loss.

The advances were made to the Company on the application of the Manager at Beypoor and on his representation that the Timber was really to be despatched as soon as freight could be obtained.

Believing that the Company was a respectable one & no hesitation in accepting the Manager's statement it is however almost the only instance in which I have been unable to get my advances adjusted.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obed.t Servant

W. Bailey Captain
Executive Engineer Malabar.

No 483 of 22nd Sept.r 1872.

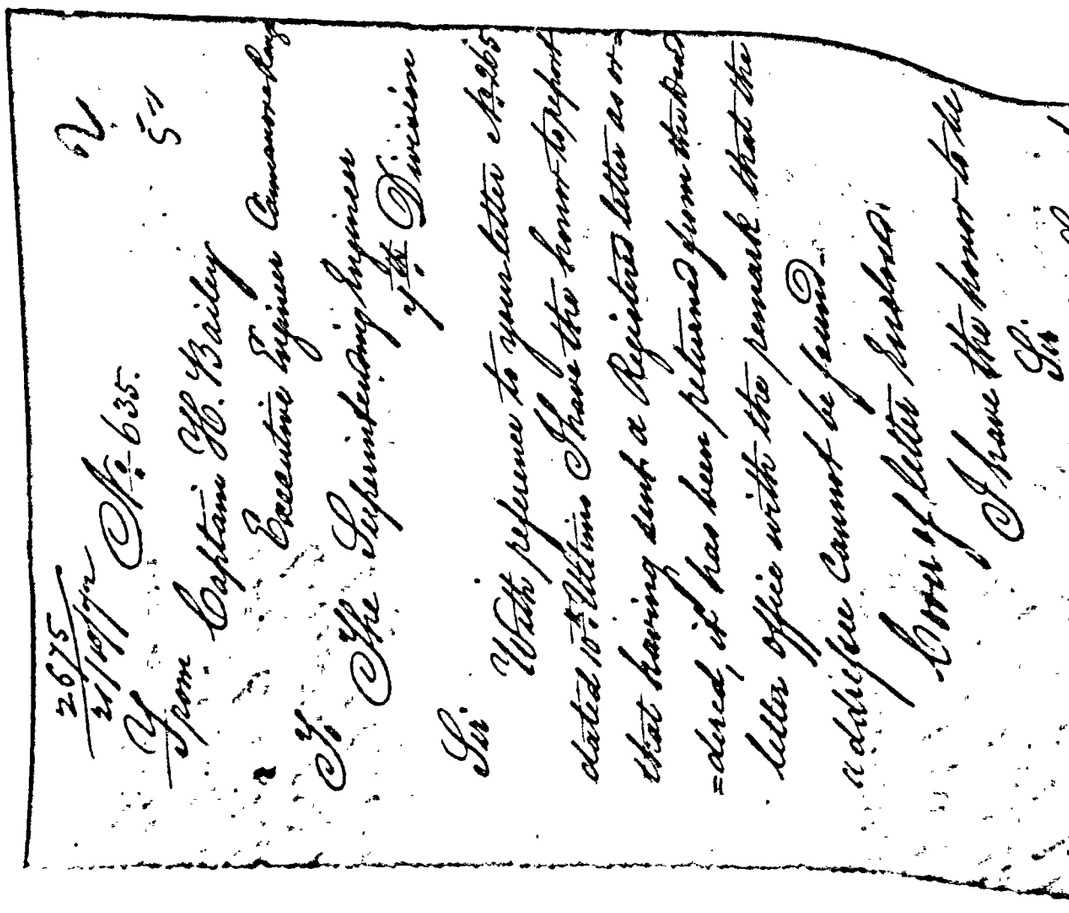
From the Executive Engineer
To Lieut.t Col.l Farewell R.E.
Dated Cannanore 22nd Sept.r 1872.

Transmits a letter from the Liquidator of the late Company's Bank at Tellicherry No 635 of 17th Inst.t requesting that the balance of Rs 120–9–2 due to the Bank for Timber supplied for Central Prison Cannanore may be written off as irrecoverable.

success.—

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t

Wheeler Lt. Lieut. R.E.
Supg. Engineer 7.th Division.



26/5
21/10/72 No. 635.
From Captain H. Bailey
Executive Engineer Cannanore
To The Superintending Engineer
S.W. Division

Sir

With reference to your letter No. 965
dated 10th Octr. I have the honor to report
that having sent a Requisition letter as re-
=direct, it has been returned from Madras
letter office with the remark that the
address cannot be found.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obdt Servant
H. Bailey Captain
Exec. Engr. Cannanore.

Cannanore
26th October 1872

From
The Supg Engineer
S.W. Division
Thro' The Controller
of P.W. Accounts
To The Secretary to Govt.
P.W. Dept.
Madras

No. 167
Dated 26th
Recd 30th Octr 1872

Enclosures

Requests to be authorized to write off to Profit and Loss Rs. 120-9-2 being the irrecoverable advance made for Timber for the Construction of the Central Jail at Cannanore.

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Submitted for the
orders of Government.

2. Para 13 E Sections
Chapter XVII of the Public
Works Code of the Govern-
ment of India, and
Standing order No 11 of 1867
of that Government pro-
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head "Profits and Loss"
should be restricted to
"Losses in the balances
of Cash and Stock
caused by robbery, fire,
storm, flood or any other
extraordinary occurence"-
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In a letter from the Supt Engineer W.P. to the Secretary to Govt P.W.D. No 1679 26 October 1872.

Jaimanore Range letter No 625 of 17th October 1872 reporting that the registered letter sent to the party was advanced Rs 120-9-2, was returned from the Dead Letter Office-

Such an item of loss as that now reported is not, therefore properly chargeable to "Profit and Loss", and it is accordingly suggested that the amount of Loss, viz Rupees 120-9-2 be debited to the work, for which the advance was made.

Office of the Controller of Public Works Accounts
Fort Saint George, 30th October 1872

J. Thorold
Controller of P.W. accounts

To,
The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Fort Saint George.

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P. W. 1872 Sept.
No 5245

From,
The Controller of P.W. Accounts
To.
The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Fort St. George.

Dated 30
Rec'd 31 } October 1872.

No 1723

Suggesting that the amount referred to within be debited to the work concerned.

No 2878 - 6 Dec 72.

With orders

Ordered that the irrecoverable balance of Rupees 120-9-2 be charged against the new jail at Tanjore.

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Govt. of [1872] Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To The District Engr
Malabar

Dated

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G. O. 6th Decr 1872 2878.

Nos. 133 & 134

Central Jail at Cannanore.

Rs. 120. q. 2, the irrecoverable balance of the advance made to the Madras Saw Mills Company on account of timber for the Cannanore Jail ~~ordered to be~~ charged against the work.