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Government of Madras.

Public works DEPARTMENT.

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No. 643. Read the following letter from the Controller of Public Works Accounts, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 9th March 1872, No. 3,015:—

In continuation of my endorsement and letter marginally noted, I have the honour to forward copy of a letter from the Accountant-General of the Public Works Department and of my reply thereto, on the subject of the adjustment of the value of the work performed by the Sappers and Miners in 1869-70 and 1870-71, and to state that, in addition to the sum of Rupees 3,131-2-1 required to be provided for the charge on the Coonoor ghaut work, Rupees 9,802-3-6 are required on account of debit to the works marginally described for the credit to be afforded to the Military Department. The Superintending Engineer of the 3rd Division has not yet replied to two requisitions from this office regarding the last mentioned charge, but from his endorsement dated 2nd November 1871, it appears that he is in communication with the Commandant of the Sappers and Miners in this matter.

No. 219 G., dated 2nd March 1872, from; and No. 3,016, dated 9th March 1872, to the Accountant-General, Public Works Department.

No. 2,661, dated 31st January 1872.
„ 2,884, „ 24th February „

	1869-70			1870-71		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Allipore tank Cantonment work under Garrison Engineer	5,105	5	0	4,636	11	6

From the Accountant-General, Public Works Department, to the Controller of Public Works Accounts, dated Fort William, 2nd March 1872, No. 219 G.

In continuation of this office letter No. 1,684, of the 23rd October last, and previous correspondence on the subject of the adjustment of charges for Sapper labour employed on works in the Madras Presidency during 1869-70 and 1870-71, I have the honour to request that you will inform me whether the credits for the value of the work actually performed by the Sappers and Miners during those years have yet been credited to the Military Department in the accounts of the current official year, and if so that a statement showing the total amount credited, with any other useful particulars bearing on this matter, may be communicated to this office as early as possible.

2. It perhaps is unnecessary for me to explain that the amount to be credited to the Military Department *is the actual value* of the *work done*, as estimated by the Executive Engineers under whom the Sappers were employed, without reference to the charges of the Company or Companies as disbursed in the Military Department.

3. I shall also be glad to learn what arrangements are in force for adjusting and crediting to the Military Department the value of the Sapper labour employed on Public Works during the current financial year, should any such have been supplied.

4. The information asked for in this letter is required by the Accountant-General, Military Department, and I request the favour of your furnishing it on the earliest possible date.

From the Controller of Public Works Accounts, Madras, to the Accountant-General, Public Works Department, Calcutta, dated Fort St. George, 9th March 1872, No. 3,016.

With reference to your letter No. 219 G., dated 2nd March 1872, I have the honour to inform you that as yet no credits have been afforded to the Military Department in the accounts

of the current year on account of the value of work performed by the Sappers and Miners in 1869-70 and 1870-71. The amounts thus remaining to be adjusted are those marginally noted. I have already addressed the Local Government in the matter of the provision of funds to meet the charge on the Connoor Ghaut work.

	1869-70.	1870-71.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Connoor Ghaut	898 6 1	4,836 12 0
Allipore Tank Cantonment work under Garrison Engineer ...	8,107 5 0	4,735 14 0

As regards the other works the Superintending Engineer of the 3rd Division has called upon the Commandant of the Sappers and Miners for further particulars regarding the charge.

2. The Government will now be again addressed on this subject as regards the provision of funds, and the Superintending Engineers generally will be applied to for the other particulars required in your letter. Immediately on the receipt of replies a further communication will be made to you.

No. 644. ORDER THEREON, 30th March 1872, No. 872C.

ACCOUNT, No. 70.

THE Honourable the Governor in Council resolves to authorize the following transfers of funds towards meeting the cost of the work referred to in the foregoing letter:—

	Rs.
Vizagapatam.—Re-construction of the hospital attached to the 2nd Regiment Native Infantry at Vizagapatam. Estimate Rupees 1,400, sanctioned in G. O., No. 3,040, dated 15th December 1870	100
Do.—Minor New Works, "Military"	260
Godavery— Do. do.	300
Bellary.— Do. do.	40
Tinnevelly.— Do. do.	500
Trichinopoly.—Do. do.	610
Presidency.—Raising the existing boiler in the Government Bakery. Estimate Rupees 800, sanctioned in G. O., No. 1,574, dated 13th June 1871	60
Salem.—Minor New Works, Military	67
Bellary.—Constructing a latrine for the Royal Horse Artillery. Estimate Rupees 2,700, sanctioned in G. O., No. 2,102, dated 29th June 1869. Budget Item No. 6	682*
Presidency.—Alterations, etc., to Mint buildings. Estimate Rupees 15,320, sanctioned, in G. O., No. 1,052, dated 15th April 1871	400
Do.—Certain traverses between the buildings at the Gun-powder Manufactory. Estimate Rupees 2,500, sanctioned in G. O., No. 3,210, dated 20th December 1871. Funds allotted by the Government of India.—See G. O., 5th March 1872, No. 603 ...	800*
Do.—Putting up lightning conductors over the roof of the deposit and press room of the Gun-powder Manufactory. Estimate Rupees 800, sanctioned in G. O., No. 2,671, dated 20th October 1871. Funds allotted by the Government of India.—See G. O., 1st February 1872, No. 311	200*
Presidency.—Repairs, Military	342*
Chingleput.—Do. do.	768*
North Arcot.—Do. do.	390*

* In anticipation of the sanction of the Government of India.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 30th March 1872.

	Rs.
Kistna.—Repairs, Military	100*
Trichinopoly.— Do. do.	521*
Malabar.— Do. do.	560*
South Canara.—Do. do.	200*
	6,900

* In anticipation of the sanction of the Government of India.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. CARPENDALE, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To all Superintending Engineers.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" Military Department.

Ed. S. T. Augustin.

Office of the Controller of
Public Works Accounts
Fort Saint George, 7th March 1872

No. 3015

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

Sir,

In continuation of my Endorsement and letter marginally noted, I have the honor to forward copy of a letter from the Accountant General of the Public Works Department and of my reply thereto, on the subject of the adjustment of the value of the work performed by the Sappers and Miners in 1869-70 and 1870-71,

and

No. 2661, dated 31st January 1872.
" 2881, dated 24th February 1872.

and to make Allowance in addition to the Sum of Rupees 3131-2-1 required to be provided for the Charge on the Coonoor Church Work, Rupees 9302-3-6 are required on account of debt to the works marginally described for the credit to be afforded to the Military Department. The Superintending Engineer of the 3rd Division had not yet replied to two requisitions from this Office regarding the last mentioned charge, but from his Endorsement dated 2nd November 1871, it appears that he is in communication with the Commandant of the Sappers

Allepore, Tanjore Cantonment Work under Garrison Engineers | 1869/0 — 1870/1. | 5105-5-— 1696-11.

Sappers and Miners in this matter.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant,

J. Thorold

Controller of C.W. Accounts.

No 219 G

From,
The Accountant General,
Public Works Department,

To,
The Controller of Public Works Accounts,
Madras.

Fort William, 2nd March 1872.

Sir,

In continuation of this office letter, No. 1684, of the 25th October last, and previous correspondence on the subject of the adjustment of charges for Sapper labor employed on works in the Madras Presidency during 1869-70 and 1870-71, I have the honor to request that you will inform me whether the credits for the value of the work actually performed by the Sappers and Miners during those years have yet been credited to the Military Department in the Accounts of the current official year, and if so, that a Statement showing the total amount credited, with any other useful particulars bearing on this matter may be communicated to

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Dept. No. 1240.

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

Dated Fort William 2nd March 1872.
Rec'd 11th ditto.

No 2115

Forwarding with remarks, copy of a letter from the Accountant General P.W. Department noted thereto, regarding the adjustment of charges for Sapper labor employed on works in the Madras Presidency during 1869-70 and 1870-71.

No 8722. 30 Madras 1/72.

to this office as early as possible.

2. It perhaps is unnecessary for me to explain that the amount to be credited to the Military Department is the actual value of the work done, as Estimated by the Executive Engineers under whom the Sappers were employed, without reference to the charges of the Company or Companies as disbursed in the Military Department.

3. I shall also be glad to learn what arrangements are in force for adjusting and crediting to the Military Department the value of the Sapper labor employed on Public Works during the Current financial year - Should any such have been supplied.-

4. The information asked for in this letter is required by the Accountant General Military Department and I request the favor of your furnishing it on the earliest possible date.-

Have, &c.,

(Signed) J.J. McLeod Innes
Accountant General.

(True copy)

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Controller of P.W. Accounts.

Office of the Controller of
Public Works Accounts
Port Blair, 9th March 1872.

From

The Controller of
Public Works Accounts

To

The Accountant General,
Public Works Department
Calcutta.

Sir,

With reference to
your letter No. 219 G, dated
2nd March 1872, I have the honor
to inform you that as yet
no credits have been afforded
to the Military Department
on the Accounts of the current
year on account of the Value
of work performed by the
Convicts and Prisoners in
1869 70

Enclosure in our Letter No.
the Controller Port Blair
to the Accountant
Public Works Department
Calcutta dated 9th March 1872

Statement showing the Value of work performed by Convicts and Prisoners in 1869 70

Port Blair, the 9th March 1872

Superintendent Public Works

1869-70 and 1870-71. The Amounts
this Remaining to be
expended are those
respectively of

Former Ghaut	898-6-1	2232-12--
Alleppee Jetty & Contingent work under Superintending Engineer	8105-5--	4696-11-6

of the
Local Government in the
matter of the provision of
funds to meet the charge
on the former Ghaut account.
As regards the other works
the Superintending Engineer
of the 3rd Division has called
upon the Commandant
of the Sappers and Miners
for further particulars regard-
ing the charge.

2. The Government will
now be agreeable addressed
on

on this subject as regards the
provision of funds, and the
Superintending Engineer
generally will be apprised
by the then particulars
required in your letter.
Immediately on the receipt
of Reply a further com-
munication will be made
by you.

I have &c.
Sdg J. Hoff
Contrl. 4th Comm.
(True copy)
J. Hoff
Contrl. 4th Comm.

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Estimate for Lunatic Asylum 24 Quebec 1871

Colton— Lunatic Asylum Salary ——— 971

Rollo— Survey & Estimate for the Royal Intercolonial Railway Estimate 2200 Canada, 22 Quebec 212 B 24 Sunbury 1872 Bank of Montreal ——— 652

Freedman— Attendance to Penal Buildings Estimate Rs1520 Canada, 22 Quebec 152 B 12 Sunbury 1872 ——— 400

do Certain Services between the Archbishop of the Lyon Founder & executors Estimate Rs2500 Canada 22 Quebec 250 B 25 Sunbury Foundation by the Govt of Canada 22 Quebec 252 Sunbury 72 1873 ——— 600

do Setting up Lightning Conductors over the roof of the Asylum and Asylum of the Lyon Founder Executors Estimate Rs200 Canada 22 Quebec 250 B 20 Sunbury Foundation by the Govt of Canada 22 Quebec 252 Sunbury 72 1873 ——— 200

Residence Repairs Sunbury ——— 342

Capitol do do ——— 708

Lunatic Asylum do do ——— 1300

Victoria do Secretary ——— 100

Archbishop do Sunbury ——— 321

Galatas do do ——— 500

North Canada do do ——— 250

6900

x See Instructions of the Governor of India

Sir

I have the honor to be
Your Excellency's most obedient
humble Servant

Jno. G. Dalton Capt
P.C. ——— 1874/72

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To All Superintending Engineers.

Dept.

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Dated 30th March No. 8726.

Nos. 643 & 644

Funds. Certain transfers of funds on account of the Alipore Jail Compound work in the Bellary Dt., authorized.