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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,  
14th June 1873.*

No. 202. Read the following letter from Captain H. M. VIBART, R.E., District Engineer, Bangalore, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Bangalore, 19th May 1873, No. 52:—

With reference to G. O., No. 1, of 1st May 1873, I have the honour to report that previous to September all the works were carried out by contract, and payments made by Executive Engineer direct to Contractors by cheques, but since that date a number of the works have been carried out departmentally. The workmen have been paid weekly. The daily report has been hitherto kept on the works and the station books made out from them by the Overseers and their writers, and this plan has been found to answer.

2. In future the daily reports (Form D.) will be sent into my office.

3. Mr. Mechanical Engineer Smith has been engaged for some months past in laying down pipes in the Parade Barracks Square, and it has been necessary for him to have complete control over the workmen and coolies engaged under him. It was therefore considered desirable to advance to him sums from time to time.

4. This is only a temporary arrangement, and will cease as soon as the system of pipes in those barracks is complete.

No. 203. ORDER THEREON, 14th June 1873, No. 1,568.

ACCOUNT, No. 14.

ORDERED to be recorded.

2. The temporary arrangement whereby Mr. Smith is made a Public Works Disburser is unobjectionable.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,  
*Secretary to Government.*

To the District Engineer, Bangalore.

„ Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.

No 52 ..... District Engineer's Office  
From Bangalore 52 May / 43

The District Engineer  
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To  
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PUBLIC WORKS.

To *The District Commr*  
*Madras*

Dated

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G. O. 14 June 1873, N/568.

Nos. 202 & 203

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