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24th June 1873.*

No. 354. 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, 3rd June 1873, No. 64:—

I HAVE the honour to forward at the request of Authemoola Moodelly, Contractor, his claim for compensation for extra work entailed on him owing to the stoppage of the Dhobys' wells in January last.

2. In the statement sent in by him he claims Rupees 666. I have investigated his demands and have come to the conclusion that Rupees 422 will be sufficient to compensate him for his loss.

3. At the time of the stoppage the wells were proceeding satisfactorily, and the stone work would have been shortly commenced. Owing to the order for stoppage the water rose in the wells and thoroughly saturated the sides of the excavation, causing extensive slips. This soil had to be removed and during the progress of this work other slips occurred, and the excavations for the wells were very considerably enlarged, so that not only was his expenditure much increased, but the work caused him considerable delay and anxiety.

4. The work of the three eastern wells was commenced on the 13th January, after having been stopped for a fortnight; but the slips, especially in No. 1 well, caused so much trouble that it was not till the 7th February that the stone work was commenced in No. 1 well, twenty-five days afterwards.

5. During this time I visited the works every second day, and am therefore in a position to vouch for the very great difficulties experienced by the contractor, and I therefore request you will give me authority to make a payment of Rs. 422 to the contractor as compensation for his loss of time and money.

No. 355. ORDER THEREON, 24th June 1873, No. 1,643.

ACCOUNT, No. 26.

THE compensation allowed by the District Engineer is sanctioned and will be charged against the estimate for the work.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Bangalore.

„ Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Erd. E. C. Shunker.

Li-64 District Engineer's Office
Mangalore 3rd June 1878.
From

The District Engineer
Mangalore

The Chief Engineer
Public Works Dep^t.

Sir,

I have the honour to forward
at the request of Anthenoola Dooty
Contractor, his claim for compensation
for extra work entailed on him owing
to the stoppage of the Dhaby Wells in
January last.

In the statement sent in by
him, he claims Rupees 666. I have
investigated his demand and have
come to the conclusion that Rupees 222
will be sufficient to compensate
him for his loss.

At the time of the stoppage, the
wells were proceeding satisfactorily
and the stone work would have been
shortly commenced -

Yours
Owing

Due to the order for stoppage
the water rose in the wells, and the
roughly saturated the sides of the
excavation, causing extensive slips.
This soil had to be removed and
during the progress of this work other
slips occurred, and the excavations
for the wells were very considerably
enlarged, so that not only was the
expenditure much increased, but
the work caused him considerable
delay and anxiety.

The work for the 3 eastern wells
was commenced on the 13th January
after having been stopped for a
fortnight, but the slips especially
in No 1 Well caused so much trouble
that it was not till the 7th February
that the stone work was commenced
in No 1 well, 25 days afterwards.

During this time, I visited
the works every second day, and
am therefore in a position to vouch
for the very great difficulties ex-
perienced by the Contractor, and

I therefore request you will give
me authority to make a payment
of Rupees 422 to the Contractor as
compensation for his loss of time &
money.

I have the honour to be
Sir,

Your obedient servant.

Henry W. Vincent
Captain R.E.
District Engineer, Bangalore

P. D. 1873/2066 paid

June 20th 1873 No 3248.

The said sum

of money

is paid to the

of the

date of 30th Dec 1873

June 11th 1873

1873

Requesting authority
to make payments
of No 122 to the
W. L. Condon & Co.
of New York
and also to the
of New York
and also to the
of New York

The compensation allowed by the District
Engineer is questioned, and will be changed
The amount of estimate for the work.

H. H. Thompson
Contractor No 12/73

No 354.53

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PUBLIC WORKS.

The District Engineer,
Bengalore

24 June 1843.

No. 3524855 -

Compensation. The
payment of Rs. 422 to
the Shikhy Wells
Contractor ~~Wells~~
as compensation
for loss of time and
money, sanctioned.