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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE

Government of Madras

Public works.

DEPARTMENT

G.O. No.	1685	Press
B.P. No.		Mis.
433-434		
Dated	30. 6.	1873.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
30th June 1873.*

No. 433. Read the following letter from A. C. LAWFORD, Esq., Officiating District Engineer, South Canara, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Mangalore, 20th May 1873, No. 14 :—

At the request of the Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts, Madras, I have the honour to apply for sanction of Government to a charge of Rupees 150-14-0, entered in my contingent bill for March 1873, for printing measurement books, etc., in the German Press at this place. This amount has been passed by the Controller conditionally in anticipation of sanction. On my arrival here I found great want of measurement books, and with a view to put the district into thorough working order, I immediately took measures to procure a number of measurement books for the use of subordinates, the maintenance of proper measurements by all grades, even to the maistries, being most important. The charge does not exceed the total allotment of the district for contingencies. The expenditure incurred by me, when in the Salem District, for similar books printed at the Asylum Press, Madras, was passed by the Controller of Public Works Accounts, and as it was necessary to furnish the books without delay, I adopted a similar course in the present case. I am not aware that the Controller does supply measurement books, though application is always made to him for the ordinary routine forms. Under these circumstances I request that the Government will be pleased to authorize the Controller to confirm the charge conditionally passed by him. I would at the same time request that Government may be pleased to grant permission to the District Engineers to authorize, and the Controller to pass, charges for printing in private presses certain forms which are not supplied by the Controller, and certain forms in case of emergency, provided the total allotment under the head "Contingencies" is not exceeded.

No. 434. ORDER THEREON, 30th June 1873, No. 1,685.

ACCOUNT, No. 34.

UNDER the circumstances the cost of printing the measurement books may be passed by the Controller. The

District Engineer of South Canara will however abstain in future from incurring outlay on work of this nature. Forms may be obtained on application to the Controller, who undertakes their supply to all Range Officers under the provisions of G. O., No. 2,806, dated 22nd September 1865; in cases of emergency there will probably be no difficulty in having printing executed at the District Press.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, South Canara.

" Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts, with one Enclosure.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

Spare Copy.

N^o 14 District Engineer's Office,
South Canara
Mangalore 20 May 1873

From, The Off District Engineer
South Canara
To, The Secretary to Government
S.W. Madras.
Sir,

Enclos. 1. — At the request of the
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Have the honor to be,
Sir,
Yours most obed^t Serv^t!

Alfred Jones
Off^r District Engineer

Proceedings of the Madras Government,
Under date the 187 .

Read the following:—

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The Dy. S. Eng. }
South Canara }
The Secretary to Govt }
1742, 1743 }
Madras }

Recd 20 } May 10/73
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Encl: 1

Respectful attention
of Govt. for the
condition all the
books of 1742 & 1743
for printing certain
forms.

No. 1685-30 Dec 1873

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G.M.W.

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To
The District Engineer
South Canada
Controller. with a copy
to the
District Engineer

No 3060

PUBLIC WORKS.

Mr Robert Clegg
South Jamaica

£168.5

1884/1885

Trans. Passing orders
in letter from the
South Jamaica requesting
sanction to the charge
incurred on account
of printing certain
forms.