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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
23rd October 1873.*

No. 392. Read the following endorsement of the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Ootacamund, 26th September 1873 :—
Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 3rd September 1873, Miscellaneous No. 5,631.

From G. D. LEMAN, Esq., Collector of the Kistna District, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Masulipatam, 2nd August 1873, No. 815.

WITH reference to G. O., No. 1,689, dated 30th June last, communicated with the Board's endorsement dated 18th July, Miscellaneous No. 4,501, I have the honour to report that the two last cheques for Rupees 935 and 385 were received from the Department Public Works on the 1st and 11th of February.

2. The sums to be disbursed to individuals were large, and it was necessary to order their attendance at the Huzur Cutcherry and those of Divisional Officers. They did not attend to the orders to appear until the year was over, when the money could not be paid them having lapsed.

3. Many of the payees are Inamdars, wandering Brahmins, whose attendance it is always difficult to secure, more especially as we have no power of compelling it.

SUBMITTED to Government, with reference to Government Order, 30th June 1873, No. 1,689, Public Works Department.

(True copy and Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

TRANSFERRED to the Public Works Department.

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

No. 393. ORDER THEREON, 23rd October 1873, No. 2,597.

ACCOUNT, No. 26.

ORDERED to be recorded.

2. It would appear to His Excellency the Governor in Council that if prompt measures were adopted for informing payees that their compensation money was ready for them there would not be much delay on their part in coming forward to claim it.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Revenue Department.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
Spare Copies.

L.D. 12 July/73 N^o 4, M^o

P. P. 1873 Sept.
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Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue

Dated 3^o September 1873
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1873.

Transferred to the Public
Works Department.

M. H. M. H.
As Secy. to Govt.

Cotacumund
26th Sept/73

Submitting letter
from Coll^y of Lachin
stating that com-
-pensation sanctioned
for lands taken up for
public purposes was
not paid wholly by
-for close of official
year owing to non-
attendance of par-
-ties concerned.
transferred

N^o 372.93

As Secy. to Govt.

As Secy. to Govt.

N^o 2597

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To the Rev. Secy.

S. C. signed 4/11/73

No. 5366

Govt. of {1873} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To *The Revenue Dept.*

Dated

Recd.

Encl.

G. O. *23rd Aug 1873*, 2597

Nos. 372139³

Land. Pro. of the 15th

*of Rev. Submitting ex-
planation of the delay
in the disbursement
of the compensation for
lands taken for irrigation
works in the District
worked with levies.*