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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
31st October 1873.*

No. 534. Read the following endorsement of the District Engineer, Madura, dated Madura, 10th October 1873, No. 2,955 :—

From J. M. HAWKSWORTH, Esq., Assistant Engineer in charge of No. 2 or Dindigul Range, to Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. ROBERTS, R.E., District Engineer, Madura, dated Camp at Periakolum, 4th October 1873, No. 407/620.

It is with great pain that I have perused the G. O. of 23rd August 1873, No. 2,109, refusing to recognize my claims to travelling allowance whilst joining the Madura District from the Salem Range.

2. You are well aware that under the peculiar circumstances of the case it was a matter of urgency for me to leave the Salem District at as early a date as practicable, and I received an assurance from the Chief Engineer that my leave would be granted on the receipt of my official application for the same.

3. Major Vertue, the District Engineer, has since informed me that he recommended my privilege leave on my finishing the work or handing over the same to the satisfaction of my successor.

4. Under these circumstances, having handed over to my successor the work in question, and duly obtained his receipt for the same in due form, I submit that I had every reason to consider myself justified in taking the leave as granted, and in starting, as I did, under the emergent circumstances of the case. I only applied for the leave in case I should be over the allotted joining time.

5. It cannot be urged that my own convenience or family arrangements had anything to do with my going to the Madura District, and as I did join that district as ordered by the Government without undue delay, I consider that I have a legitimate claim to my travelling allowances being passed at the usual mileage rate for the actual distance that has to be travelled between the two districts. I trust therefore that the Government will be pleased to authorize the Controller to pass me the mileage allowance in question.

FORWARDED for the favourable consideration of Government, as it would appear that Mr. Hawksworth is equitably entitled to the travelling allowance due to the mileage by the nearest route between the two districts of Salem and Madura.

Say, from Salem to Trichinopoly by rail, 116 miles, at 3 As. per mile ...	RS. A. P.
from Trichinopoly to Madura by road, 83 miles, at 8 As. per mile ...	21 12 0
	41 8 0

Total... 63 . 4 0

(Signed). R. A. ROBERTS, Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
District Engineer, Madura.

No. 535. ORDER THEREON, 31st October 1873, No. 2,666.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 38.

His Excellency the Governor in Council regrets that the District Engineer of Madura should again have

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countenanced his Assistant's demands, and asserted him to be equitably entitled to have them satisfied, after the orders of Government had twice been elicited on the subject, and were decidedly adverse to those claims.

2. Mr. Hawksworth left Salem as precipitately as he left South Arcot, as animadverted on in G. O., No. 1,854, of 6th August 1872, and must learn to act with more circumspection.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,

Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Madura.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

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Assistant Engineer's Office,
No. 407
Camp. Perakulam 4; Oct. 1873

From

The Assistant Engineer
in charge of Salem District Range

To

The District Engineer
Madura

Sir,

It is with great pain that I have perused the G. O. of 29th August 1873 No. 2109 refusing to recognize my claims to Travelling allowance whilst going to the Madura District from the Salem Range.

2. You are well aware that under the peculiar circumstances of the case it was a matter of urgency for me to leave the Salem District as early a date as practicable and I received an assurance from the Chief Engineer that my

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3. Major Verbe, the District Engineer, has since informed me that he recommended my privilege leave on my finishing the work, or handing over the same to the satisfaction of my successor.

4. Under these circumstances having handed over to my successor the work in question, and duly obtained his receipt for the same in due form I submit that I had every reason to consider myself justified in taking the leave as granted, and in starting as I did under the emergency circumstances of the case. I only applied for the leave in case I should be over the allotted joining time.

5. It cannot be urged that my own convenience or family arrangements

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I have &c

/Sigs/ J. M. Hawksworth

Asst. Engr. Dindigul Range

No. 2955 (True copy)

Forwarded for the favorable consideration of Government, as it would appear that Mr. Hawksworth is equitably entitled to

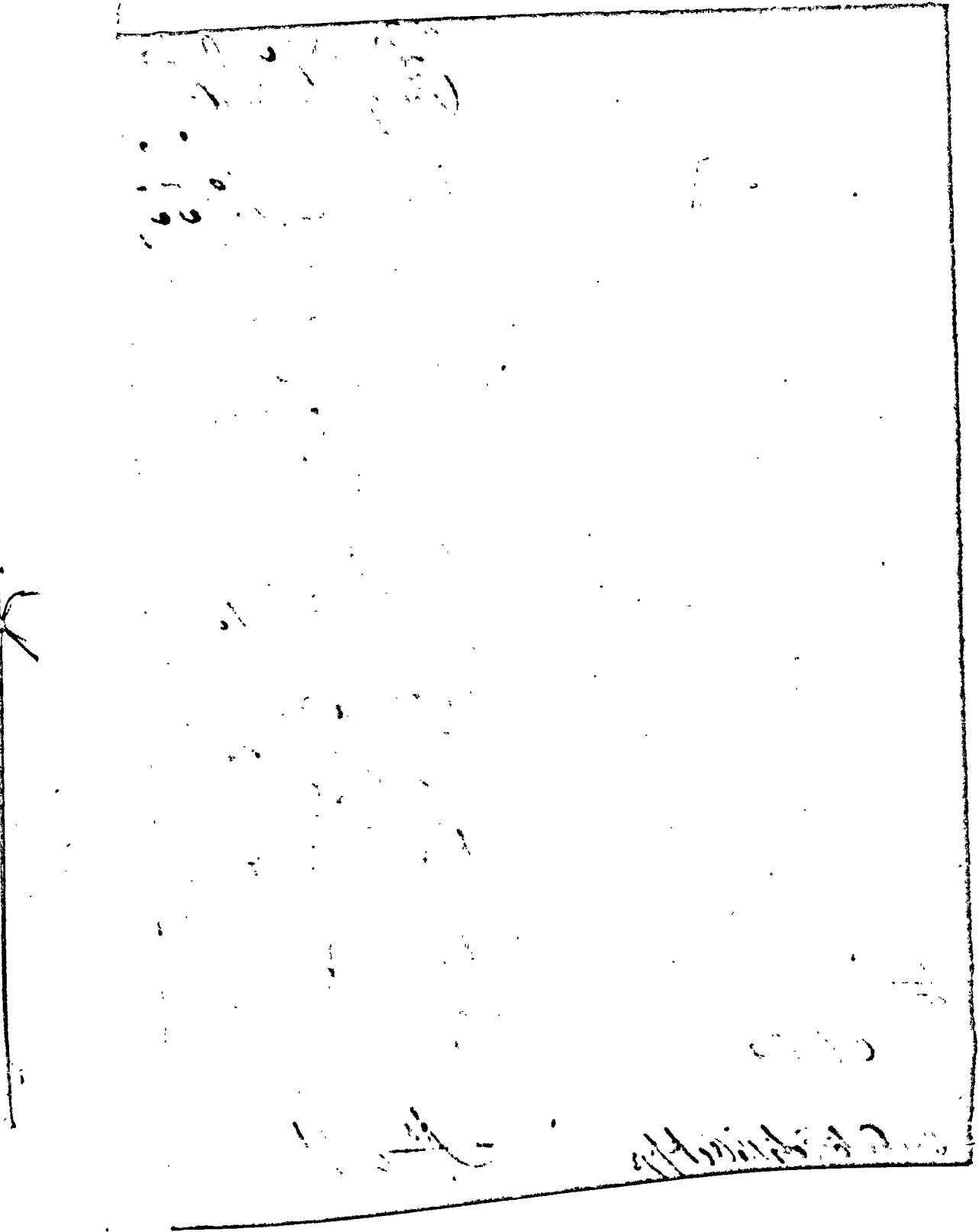
to the travelling allowance due
to the mileage by the nearest
route between the two Districts
of Salem and Madurai.

Say from Salem to
Trichinopoly, by rail } Rs. 21.12.0
116 miles @ 3 as per mile.

From Trichinopoly to
Madurai, by road. } Rs. 41.8.0
83 miles @ 8 as per mile.

Total, Rs. 63.10.0

Madurai }
10 Oct/73 }
District Engineer, Madurai



4/10/73

P. N. 1843 Depart.
P. N. of Govt for Act.
N. 2955

From No 5573.
The District Engineer
Madura

The Secretary to
Government P. N.

Dated 10 October 1873.
Received 13 - do

Forwards for the
forwards consideration
of Govt a letter
from Mr Hankworth
applying for
the travelling
allowance due
to him -

No 2666-31 Oct 73.

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29 Oct 73
Recd to C. 11 Oct 73

Public Works Dept.
No 2666
Proceedings of the Madras Govt.
Under date the 10 Oct 73
Read the following
From the D. Engineer
Madura (Here entered 2955-7
10 Oct 73)

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cil regrets that the
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cumspection.

G.M.W.

To the St. Eugene Madras

S. C. sub 7/1/73

M-5573
Govt. of Madras
PUBLIC WORKS.

To The District Engineer
Madras

Dated

Recd.

Encl.

G. O. 31st Dec 1873, No. 2666.

Nos. 534 & 535

Mr. Asst. Eng. Hanksen.

Deeking to admit the
claim of Mr. Hanksen
to travelling allowance
while joining the Madras
at from the Salem
Range.