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No. 86. Read the following letter from Lieut.-Colonel J. GODDARD, R.E., District Engineer, Presidency, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 18th April 1874, No. 278.—(Forwarded through the Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts, 21st April 1874, 606.)

WITH reference to paragraph 2 of G. O., No. 2,232, dated 10th September 1873, I have the honour to submit the statement of outstanding bills for the quarter ending 31st March 1874, and to recommend that the bad debts noted in the margin may be ordered to be written off.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Private.			
Mr. L. I. Wilmot (insolvent) ...	13	11	5
Mr. Wright (cannot be found) ...	0	15	6
Madras Traction Engine Co. (insolvent)	3	3	9
Total...	17	14	8

PUBLIC WORKS WORKSHOPS.

Statement of Bills outstanding for the Quarter ending 31st March 1874.

On Whom.	No. and Date of Bill.	Adjustment.	Cash.	Nature of Claim.	Remarks.
		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.		
Public Works Department.					
1873-74.					
District Engineer, Presidency ...	No. 247, 15th Oct. ...	1,904 0 6	.....	Work done and materials supplied to Pier Works.	Not yet adjusted from want of funds.
		1,904 0 6	.....		
Other Departments, Public.					
1871-72.					
Superintendent, Revenue Survey...	,, 361, 13th Feb. ...	28 10 0	.....	Repairing a theodolite ...	Explanation furnished to the District Engineer on 7th February 1874, No. 2,922.
Do. do. ...	,, 492, 21st March.	16 13 7	.....	Converting 4 Gunter's chains to 8 chains of 50 links.	
Do. do. ...	,, 494, 21st ,,	132 5 6	.....	Repairing 2 eidographs and a theodolite.	Do. do. do.
1872-73.					
Officer Commanding Trichoor ...	,, 38, 2nd July ...	17 8 0	.....	Letter-weighing scale ...	Submitted to Government for orders through the District Engineer—*Vide* No. 3,717, dated 25th March 1874.
Superintendent, Revenue Survey...	,, 105, 11th ,, ...	.....	1 13 2	Repairing a theodolite ...	
Do. do. ...	,, 128, 15th ,, ...	315 0 10	.....	Repairing and adjusting 8 theodolites, 6 prismatic compasses, 2 levels, and 1 circumferentor.	Explanation furnished to the District Engineer on 7th February 1874, No. 2,922.
1873-74.					
Superintendent, Revenue Survey...	,, 50, 19th June ...	.....	32 3 8	Repairing two theodolites.	
Government Astronomer ...	,, 77, 30th ,, ...	53 0 8	.....	Repairing instruments, etc.	Requested bills to be detailed for work done to Observatory and Meteorological Departments, and on account of Revenue Board on the 31st March 1874, which has been submitted.
Do. do.	,, 86, 30th ,, ...	135 12 10	.....	Repairing mathematical instruments, etc.	
Deputy Superintendent, Great Trigonometrical Survey of India, in charge of No. 1 Party, Bangalore.	,, 134, 26th July ...	59 15 8	.....	A reversing apparatus for a transit telescope made and 6 zinc cells supplied.	In a letter, dated 29th March 1874, No. 77, received from the Officer in charge of Madras Party, he states to await Captain Herschel's arrival from furlough at Bangalore in June 1874 for the adjustment of the bill.
		759 3 1	34 0 10		
Private.					
1869-70.					
Mr. L. I. Wilmot	,, 95, 14th July ...	.....	13 11 5	Fitting and repairing a sewing machine.	Bad bill, will be written off to Profit and Loss in the accounts for 1873-74.
,, F. Nelson	,, 338, 4th Dec. ...	.....	28 0 7	Repairing a theodolite and a level.	In England, copy of bill sent in February through Mr. Dodgeet.
F. Fletcher, Esq., Civil Surgeon, Cannanore.	,, 481, 25th Jan. ...	.....	60 12 0	Repairing an ice machine.	In a letter dated 2nd March 1874 : intimates will be down in Madras to settle the accounts.
Captain J. G. Lindsay, R.E. ...	,, 625, 21st March.	.....	6 14 4	One teakwood box and repair of a coffee box.	Five reminders sent, 16th June 1873, 12th August 1873, 10th February 1874. 25th Feb. 1874, and 10th March 1874. No reply received.
1870-71.					
G. W. Forbes, Esq.	,, 71, 4th June ...	.....	4 8 0	Three flat sided shear heads.	Gone to England. Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co. have been requested to communicate with Mr. Forbes on the subject.
Do.	,, 131, 6th July ...	.....	4 9 6	Three spear heads with bamboo handles.	
Mr. Wright	,, 148, 27th ,, ...	.....	0 15 6	Repairing a patent enema.	Bad bill, will be written off to Profit and Loss.
W. Fraser, Esq.	,, 176, 4th Aug. ...	.....	41 5 5	Repairing a levelling instrument and painting levelling staves.	Requested certain details, which were sent on the 26th March 1874.
Madras Traction Engine Company.	,, 397, 29th March.	.....	3 3 9	Turning four cast-iron knaves.	Bad bill, will be written off to Profit and Loss.
1871-72.					
W. H. Roberts, Civil Surgeon, Calicut.	,, 157, 22nd July ...	.....	40 14 0	Repairing an ice machine.	Intimation has been received from the District Engineer, Malabar, that Dr. Roberts has paid to him the money, and will be sent through the District Engineer, Presidency.
Mr. H. Tate	,, 472, 18th March.	.....	203 7 10	American axles, and axle-arms, etc., supplied.	Legal proceedings to be taken against Mr. Tate.

Statement of Bills outstanding for the Quarter ending 31st March 1874.—(Concluded.)

On Whom.	No. and Date of Bill.	Adjustment.	Cash.	Nature of Claim.	Remarks.
		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.		
Private.—(Concluded.)					
1872-73.					
W. Arbuthnott, Esq.	No. 111, 11th July...	.....	2 6 0	Repairing two telescope supports.	Cannot trace whereabout this gentleman resides.
Captain C. J. Smith, R.E. ...	,, 506, 1st March...	.....	42 7 2	Repairing an ice machine.	Gone to England on leave.
1873-74.					
Brooke Leggatt, Esq., Deputy Collector, South Canara.	,, 125, 24th July ...	.....	12 0 0	One steel seal with movable types and dates supplied.	Three reminders sent, 10th February 1874, 25th February 1874, and 10th February 1874. The District Engineer, South Canara, has been requested to communicate with this gentleman and recover the amount.
Major C. A. Benson	,, 168, 28th Aug....	.....	136 5 0	Two force and lift pumps and two pipes supplied.	Gone to England.
Colonel Batten, Commandant, 17th Regiment Native Infantry.	,, 261, 22nd Oct. ...	.....	1 8 8	Repairing a tin-box ...	
		.....	603 1 2		
Abstract.					
Public Works Department ...	.....	1,904 0 6	.....		
Other Departments, Public ...	.....	759 3 1	34 0 10		
Private	.....	.....	603 1 2		
Total...	.....	2,663 3 7	637 2 0		

13*th April* 1874.

(Signed) J. N. GRAINGER,
Genl. Supdt. P. W. Workshops & Stores.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 5th June 1874.

No. 87. ORDER THEREON, 5th June 1874, No. 1,479.

ACCOUNT, No. 10.

IT is presumed that the first item in this list has been adjusted by the transfer of funds authorized in G. O., No. 902C, of 31st March 1874.

2. The bad debts referred to in the District Engineer's letter have already been authorized to be written* off to Profit and Loss. His Excellency the Governor in Council is now satisfied that measures are being promptly taken for the recovery of the Workshop debts; and trusting to the District Engineer and General Superintendent not to relax in their endeavours to prevent their too long outstandings, he will not require submission of future lists oftener than once in the half-year.

* G. O., No. 1,066, dated 24th April 1874.

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

To the District Engineer, Presidency.
,, Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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From The District Engineer
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To The Chief Engineer and
Secretary to Govt P.W.D.
thro' the Controller of Accts

Sir

With reference to para
2 of G.O. N.2232 dated 10 Sept 73,
I have the honor to submit
the Statement of outstanding
bills for the quarter ending
31st March 1874, and to recommend
that the bad debts noted
in the margin may
be ordered to be
written off.

Enc. 1
1 Statement.

Private
Mr. L.L. Helmet (Insolvent) Rs 13-11-5
Mr. Wright (cannot be found) Rs 0-15-6
Madras Jaggery Coy (Insolvent) Rs 3-3-9
Rs 17-14-8

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt

N.606

Dated 21st April 1874

For Chief Engineer
18 April 1874

District Engineer Cheseidency

On Whom.	No. and date of Bill.	Adjustment.	Cash.	Nature of Claim.	Remarks.
15	10	6	6	12	18
Public Works Department 1873/74					
District Engineer Prov.	21 Feb 1874	1904 - 6	" "	Work done and Materials supplied to Pier Karli	Not yet adjusted from want of Funds
		1904 - 6	" "		
Other Departments Public 1871/72					
Supt Revenue Survey	361 15 July	28 10 "	" "	Repairing a Theodolite	Explanation furnished to the Dist Engineer 6th & 7th Feby 1874 - No 2922
Do Do	1922 21 March	16 13 4	" "	Converting 4 Gunters chains to 8 chains of 50 links	
		45 4 4			

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On whom.	No. and date of Bill.	Adjustment.	Cash.	Nature of Claim.	Remarks.
Other Departments Contd.		745 / /	. . .		
Supdt Revenue Survey	494 22 Mch 74	132 5 6	. . .	Repg 12 Heliographs and a Theodolite	Explanation furnished to the Dist Engineer on 7th Feby 1874. No 2922
1872/73					
Offr Comg Trichoor	38 2 July	17 8 .	. . .	Repairing a Scale	Submitted to Govt for Orders, thro' the Dist
Supdt Revenue Survey	105 11 July	. . .	1 13 2	Repairing Theodolites	Govt Vide No 3744 dated 25th March 1874 Explanation furnished to the District Engineer on 7th Feby 1874 - No 2922
Do Do	126 15 July	315 . 10	. . .	Repg and Fitting 6 Theodolites 6 Prismatic Compasses 2 Pocket and 1 Circumferenter	Do Do Do
1873/74					
Supdt Revenue Survey	50 19 June	. . .	32 3 8	Repairing two Theodolites	Do Do Do
Government Astronomer	77 30 June	53 . 8	. . .	Repairing Instruments &c	Requested Bills to be detailed for.
Do Do	86 30 June	135 2 10	. . .	Rep & Mathl Instruments &c	work done to Chronometers and Astronl Instrt Department and on account of Previous Stand on the 31st March 1874, which has been Submitted.
Deputy Supdt G. T. Survey of India in Charge of 1st Party Bengal	134 8 July	39 1 8	. . .	2 Prismatic Compasses for a Transit & Accessories and 6 Zinc Cells supplied Party	Letter dated 22nd March 1874 Received from the Officer in Charge of Madras Party to Make do until Captain Hesketh's Arrival from Trichinopoly at Bangalore in June 1874 for the adjustment of the Bill.
		759 3 1	96 . 10		
Private 1869/70					
Mr L. S. Kilmer	95 14 July	. . .	13 11 5	Filling and Repairing a Sewing Machine	Bad bill Will be written off the Profit and Loss on the accounts for 1873/74.
Mr H. Nelson	335 4 Dec	. . .	28 . 7	Repairing a Theodolite and a Level	In England. Copy of bill sent in Feby. Mess. Mr Dodgeret.
F. Fletcher Esqre Civil Surgeon Canara &c	481 25 Jany	. . .	60 12 .	Repairing an Ice Machine	In a letter dated 2nd March 1874 intimates will be down in Madras to settle the account
Captain J. C. Lindsay RE	625 21 March	. . .	6 14 10	One Teakwood for & Repair of a Coffee Box.	5 Reminders sent 16-6-73-12-8-73-10-2-74 25-2-74-10-3-74. No Reply Received.
		. . .	109 6 4		

On whom.	No. and date of Bill.	Adjustment.	Cash.	Nature of Claim.	Remarks.
Private Continued. 1870/71			109 6 4		
G. H. Forbes Esqre	71 4 June		4 8	3 Flat Sided Spear heads	Gone to England. Mr Arbuthnot Has been requested to Communicate with Mr Forbes on the Subject.
Do Do	131 6 July		4 9 6	3 Spear heads with Bamboo Handles	
Mrs Wright.	148 27 July	" " "	1 5 6	Repairing a Patent Enema	Bad bill will be written off to Profit & Loss.
W. Farrell Esqre	176 4 Sept	" " "	41 5	Repair Levelling Instrument and painting Levelling Staves	Request Certain Articles which were sent on the 26th March 1874.
Madras Traction Engine & Co 1871/72	39 29 Sept		3 3 9	Turning Cast Iron Knives	Bad bill will be written off to Profit & Loss.
W. H. Roberts Civil Surgeon Calicut.	157 22 July		40 14	Repairing an Ice Machine	Intimation has been received from the Dist. Engineer Malabar that Dr Roberts has paid in the money and will be remitted to the District Engineer Presidency.
Mr D. Yate	172 18 Sept		20 7 10	Amount	
				Axle and axle arms &c Supplied	Legal Proceedings to be taken against Mr Yate.
1872/73					
W. Arbuthnot Esqre	111 11 July		2 6	Repairing Spear Heads Supports	Cannot trace where about this Gentleman resides.
Captain C. J. Smith P.C. 1873/74	506 1 Sept		62 7 2	Repairing an Ice Machine	Gone to England on leave.
Lt Col. H. Leggatt Esqre D.C. Collector South Canara	125 24 July		12	Cop Steel Seal with moveable types & Dates Supplied	3 Reminders dtd. 10-2-74-25-2-74-10-3-74. The District Engineer South Canara has been requested to Communicate with this Gentleman & recover the Amount
Major C. A. Benson	168 28 Aug		136 5	2 Force and Lift pumps and 2 Pipes Supplied	Gone to England.
Col. Batten Comdg 17th Regt N. I.	261 22 Oct		1 8 8	Repairing a Tin box	Gone to England.
			603 12		
Public Works Dept		1904 6	" "		
Other Depts Public		759 3 1	34 " 10		
Private			603 12		
		2663 3 1	637 2		

13th April 1874

J. Yeates
Genl Supdt P. W. Workshops and Stores.

Bridge & Road/74

P. Works Workshop.

Statement of Bills outstanding for the Quarter ending. 31st March 1874.

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Read the following :—

From the Director of Public Works } (P.W. No. 278 of 18th April 1874)

It is presumed that the first item in this list has been adjusted by the transfer of funds authorized in G.O. No. 902 of 31st March 1874.

The bad debts referred to in the Director of Public Works Engineers letter have already been written off to Profit and Loss. His Excellency the

× G. Nos. 1086 of 24 April 74

Nil
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the Governor in Council is now satisfied that measures are being promptly taken for the recovery of the Workshop debts and trusting to the Engineer and General Superintendent not to relax in their endeavours to prevent their too long retaining duties, he will not require submission of future Lists oftener than once in the half year.

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To the A.G. President
Controller & Board of Works
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Govt. of 1874 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

H.E. M. Sngr. Presy.

Dated

Recd. Encl. 1

G. O., 5th June 1874., No. 1479

Nos. 86-87.

~~Inflence these once a~~
~~the half yearly is~~
~~required~~ — sufficient

Outstandings - Public
Works Workshops

~~Expressing satisfaction~~
Noticing with satisfaction
the measures taken for
the recovery of the Workshops
debts, and ~~trusting~~ to the Dr
Engr & Genl. Supdt. not to
relax in their endeavours
to prevent their too long out-
standing ~~stating~~ that the
submission of future lists