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PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Offg Controller of Pr. Accounts

& The Secretary to the Govt of India

Dated

Recd. Encl.

G. O. 27th Jany 1874, No. 180/81

Nos. 358-359/360

Copper. Papers relative to letter from the Pr. Acct. intimating that the value of the copper proposed to be transferred to the Calcutta Mint is not included in the ordinary Stock balance of the Store Dept.—

17 Jany 1874. 20

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Read the following letters:—

No. 355. From Colonel F. J. MOBERLY, R.E., District Engineer, Chingleput, to Lieutenant-Colonel J. MULLINS, R.E., Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Guindy, 17th December 1873, No. 2,589.

Two Estimates and three Section Plans.

I HAVE the honour to forward herewith, for your sanction, the estimates for the works as follows:—

| | RS. |
|---|---|
| Constructing an embankment along the eastern bank of Boosykal stream from Kullicoopum Village towards the high ground of the same village in continuation of Boosykal Diversion Channel ... | 1,260 |
| Cutting Channel to draw water from the pits in rear of Cholaveram tank bund ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... | 1,030 |

No. 356. From the same Officer, dated Guindy, 20th December 1873, No. 2,613.

IN continuation of this Office No. 2,589, of 17th December 1873, I have the honour to forward the Survey Plan of the ground through which the channel to drain the water from the pits in rear of the Cholaveram tank bund runs.

No. 357. ORDER THEREON, 26th January 1874, No. 179.

IRRIGATION, No. 37.

THE following estimates received with the above letters from the District Engineer, Chingleput, are sanctioned:—

| | RS. |
|---|---|
| Raising embankment across the old course of the Boosykal ... ... | 1,260 |
| Draining pits in rear of Cholaveram tank bund ... ... ... ... | 1,030 |

2. The first is required to prevent a recurrence of the breach which took place in November 1872, and the second is intended to secure the stability of the rear slope of the Cholaveram tank bund by preventing the saturation of the soil on which it rests. Both estimates will be charged against Revenue in the accounts of the Madras Water Works, and the outlay will be met from the allotment for Repairs, Agricultural.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
*Secretary to Government.*

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
,, District Engineer, Chingleput, with two Estimates.

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The Controller of Stores
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Presidency

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Proc. requesting that, although
the value of the copper therein
referred to is within the
ordinary balance of the
Store Dept, the purchase
of the timber required for
Stock at the Presidency
may be authorized.

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Office of the Controller of Pr. Accounts
Fort Saint George 14th Jany 1874
No. 6585.

From

The Offg. Controller of Public Works Accounts

To

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
Fort Saint George

Sir

With reference to my letter No. 5099 of the 10th December 1873 I have the honor to report that owing to a special arrangement (of which I was not aware when I wrote) the value of the Copper therein referred to is not included in the ordinary Stock balance of the General Store Department and therefore, as the suggested transfer of the Copper would not affect (reduce) the Stock balance, the purchase of other stock in substitution of the Copper, as mentioned in the 3rd para of my letter above quoted will not be practicable. This however

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No. 358. Read the following letter from T. MOSS, Esq., Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 14th January 1874, No. 6,585 :—

WITH reference to my letter, No. 5,899, of the 10th December 1873, I have the honour to report that, owing to a special arrangement (of which I was not aware when I wrote), the value of the copper therein referred to is not included in the ordinary *stock balance* of the General Store Department, and therefore, as the suggested transfer of the copper would not affect (reduce) the stock balance, the purchase of other stock in substitution of the copper, as mentioned in the 3rd paragraph of my letter above quoted, will not be practicable. This, however, does affect the proposal to transfer the copper, if possible.

No. 359. ORDER THEREON, 27th January 1874, No. 180.

ACCOUNT, No. 31.

ORDERED that this letter be forwarded to the Government of India in continuation of docket No. 3,083, dated 30th December 1873, with an expression of the opinion of His Excellency the Governor in Council that the circumstance now reported should not affect the purchase of the stock of timber referred to, the want of which is much felt.

(True Extract.)

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

No. 360. DOCKET No. 181, dated 27th January 1874.

COPY of the above forwarded to the Government of India.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
*Secretary to Government.*

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