Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
21st December 1874.

No. 445 Read the following endorsement of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Suramungalum, 5th December 1874, No. 41 :—

From J. H. LATHAM, Esq., Chief Engineer and Manager of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, to Lieutenant-Colonel J. MULLINS, R.E., Chief Engineer for Irrigation and Joint Secretary to Government, dated Kurnool, 27th November 1874, No. 147.

WITH reference to your letter No. 44 of 17th instant, I have the honor to forward herewith* the following returns, viz. :—

* Per Book Post.

Statement of expenditure (Loan and Capital) in comparison with Budget allotment from December 1873 to March 1874 (eight sheets).

Revised do. do. do. from April 1873 to November 1873 (16 sheets).

2. Upon going over the returns, as already furnished, it was found that certain items under the head Miscellaneous Advances had been improperly taken to account; these have been corrected in the revised returns now submitted.

3. The excess expenditure under the head "Conservancy work contingencies," noticed in your letter No. 23 of 18th July 1874, is chiefly due to expenditure on bankers' uniform Rupees 589-2-0, and for which sanction was accorded in G. O., No. 1,661, of 26th June 1873, to the amount of Rupees 875.

4. The excesses under the two contingent heads, amounting to Rupees 1,212, at the end of the official year 1873-74, I beg to suggest may be covered by transfer from the savings under the head Conservancy staff, amounting to Rupees 27,874.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government.

2. It does not appear to be necessary now to make transfers in adjustment of excess expenditure on contingencies in 1873. Such transfers would have been proper to meet expenditure had application to that effect been made within the year. The actual expenditure incurred may be treated as though it had been covered by Budget provision. It will be observed that the total outlay on Revenue Account was but little more than three-fourths of the Budget Estimate.

(Signed) JOHN MULLINS, Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

No. 446. ORDER THEREON, 21st December 1874, No. 3,597.

IRRIGATION, No. 34.

THE arrangements suggested by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation are approved.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" " and Manager, Madras Irrigation and Canal Company.
" Examiner, Madras Irrigation and Canal Company.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

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Madras Irrigation & Canal Company
Manager's Office
Kurnool 27th November 1874

No 147

To

The Chief Engineer for Irrigation
And joint Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George.

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The Excesses under the two contingent heads amounting to Rupees 1212-0-0 at the end of the official year 1873-4 I beg to suggest may be covered by transfer from the saving under the head Conservancy Staff amount=ing to Rupees 2787-0-0.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obdt Servant
John Hathorn
Chief Engineer & Manager

Acting Chief Accountant and
General Storekeeper

No 41

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Submitted for the information of Government.

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Vizianagaram
December 1874

H Chamberlain Lieut. Col R.E.
Chief Engineer for Irrigation

To
The Secretary to Government
P.W.D.

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Proceedings of the Madras Govt:

Read the following-

From

The Chief Engineer for Irrigation } (Dl. No. 41 d/5th Dec/74)
35-97

Order thereon -

The arrangements suggested by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation are approved.

Mg. 7/12/74

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11/12

Chief Engr for Irrs
" and Manager Mc. Irrs & Co
Examiner Mc. Irrs & Co
Despd to all 23/12/74.

P. Wks. Revd. 18th Dec. 1874
No. 7700
From
The Chief Engineer for Irrigation
To the Secretary to Govt. P.W.D.

Duties
Revised
Quality.

Estimate for expenditure
Statements of Expenditure
incurred by the Revenue
& from Decr/73 to March
1874 as also the revised
ones from April & Decr/74.

Dl. No. 357 d/21-12-74.

Chd 11-12-74

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Govt. of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

The Chief Engr. for Irrigation

Dated

Recd. Encl. /

G. O. 21 Dec. 1874, No. 3579

Nos. 445-446.

Madras Irrigation & Canal Company

The arrangements suggested by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation regarding the proposed transfers to adjust the excess expenditure on Contingencies in 1873 incurred by the ——— approved —

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Ex 8-12-74