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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
3rd June 1875.*

No. 77. Read the following endorsement of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Ootacamund, 14th May 1875, No. 519-B:—

From Lieutenant-Colonel J. F. FISCHER, R.E., District Engineer of Madura, to Lieutenant-Colonel J. MULLINS, R.E., Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Madura, 5th May 1875, No. 442.

WITH reference to your memorandum, No. 401, of the 24th ultimo, I have the honor to inform you that investigations were not undertaken without some proper authority, inasmuch as the Government had called for a report on the Irrigation works of the Pulney Taluq; whilst looking into this matter it was quite evident that a comprehensive scheme embracing the whole valley of the Shanmuganady could be done at the same time, and the Government have in G. O., of the 3rd March 1875, No. 614, expressed their satisfaction with the results submitted to them; the whole of the lines of levels and surveys were taken under my own personal direction, and the work very satisfactorily done, so that a project could be taken up at any time. Under these circumstances I solicit that the sanction of the Government may be obtained for the outlay incurred. Bills and inspection reports have already been submitted.

SUBMITTED for the consideration of Government with reference to G. O., No. 614, of the 3rd March 1875.

2. The undersigned is unable to find any justification whatever for the entertainment, without previous sanction, of a survey establishment for the investigation of a new project, and he is therefore unable to recommend that the expenditure incurred should be passed, the instances in which Lieutenant-Colonel Fischer has allowed unauthorized expenditure being numerous.

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

No. 78. ORDER THEREON, 3rd June 1875, No. 1,558.

IRRIGATION, No. 5-A.

	RS.	A.	P.
November 1874	87	12	8
December do.	96	0	0
Total	183	12	8

THE Government, in consideration of the circumstances that Lieutenant-Colonel Fischer acted with good intentions, though irregularly, in permitting the employment of the survey establishment referred to, sanction the expenditure incurred in connection with the Shanmuganady Project, but the District Engineer

must not again transgress departmental rules.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Major, R.E.,
Offg. Joint Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Madura, with two Bills.

" Controller of Public Works Accounts.

" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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obtained for the outlay incurred. Bills
and Inspection Reports have already
been submitted.

I have the honor to be--

Yours most obedt servt

W. T. Tucker Esq. Civil Eng. &c.
District Engineer of Madras

18-3 June 1851

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To Government No 519 B
14 May 1875

O. E. No 884
From
The District Engineer
Madras

To
The Chief Engineer
Irrigation
Madras

Dated 5th May 1875
Recd 10th May 1875

Furnishes pertinent
Explanation regarding
his report on the
- unyannidry, P. R. Co.
- per and solicits in-
- tention for the survey in-
- curred on the same.
M. 3525/75

Relia: 21/5/75. O. E. 27/5/75
Relia: 16/5/75. O. E. 20/5/75

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Letter from the Dist. Eng. Madras No 1442
dated 5th May 1875.

Submitted for the consideration
of Govt with reference to G.O. No 814
of the 3rd March 1875.

The undersigned is unable
to find any justification whatever
for the entertainment, without previous
sanction, of a Survey Establishment
for the investigation of a new project,
and he is therefore unable to recom-
mend that the expenditure incurred
should be paid, the instances in
which Lieut. Colonel Fisher has
permitted unauthorized expenditure
being numerous.

Wm. Lindsay Lt. Col. R.E.
Colonel }
14th May 1875 } Chief Eng. for Irrig.

For the Secretary to Government P.W.D.

Watt

P. W. 1875 Dept.
No. 3525.

From

The Chief Engr. for
Irrigation

Dated 14 May 1875.
Recd. 25 May 1875.

E. I. D. No. 519 B.

Submitting with remarks
letter from the St. Engr.,
Madras furnishing certain
explanation regarding his
report on the Shimmuruganady
River Project and soliciting
sanction for the outlay
incurred on the scheme.

Ob. No. 1558. 3-6-75.

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Letter from the District Engineer Madras
No. 442 of 5th May 1875, submitted
by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

Circulated for Orders.

Wundhulim St. Engr. P.E.

Offg. Secy to Govt.
P.W. Dept.

Mr. Fisher acted irregularly,
but with good intentions involving
additional work on himself —
I would not fine him the
cost of the additional work
but point out that he
must not again hamper
departmental duties

14 May 75. P.W.

Public Works Dept.

Proceedings of the Madras Govt.

Read the following:-

From the Chief Engr for Irrigation { H.E. dated 14 May/75/

G.O. no: 1558 dated 3^d June 1875

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November 1874 - 87-12-8
December " 96-12-8
Rs. 183-12-8

Rules.

Wm. 21/5/75-

To the Chief Engr., Madras, with two Billo.

Contd. P.M. Accts.

Chief Engr for Irrigation

SC Billo - 12-6-75

3525/
(Sob. of 1875) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

The Mr. Ingr,
Madras
Sd/-
Sd/-

No. 77-78

Thammuganady Project,
Madras.— Sanctioning
the expenditure incurred
in connection with the
— with the
remark that the District
Engineer must not again
transgress Departmental
Rules.

No 77-78