

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
30th August 1875.*

No. 517. Read the following letter from Captain L. CONWAY GORDON, R.E.,
Controller of Public Works Accounts, to Major-General G. W. WALKER,
R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St.
George, 20th August 1875, No. 73 W :—

I HAVE the honor to submit, for the orders of Government, the accompanying
1 Contingent bill with three accompaniments. office contingent bill of the Superintend-
ent, Madras Harbour Works, for July
1875, and, with reference to the item relating to the cost (Rupees 53-2-0) of a telegram
sent to Mr. Parkes, London, to request that you will be good enough to inform me
whether future charges of the same description may be admitted without the special
sanction of Government.

	Cost of Office Establishment.	
	RS.	
1 Superintendent of Works ...	171	2. The total amount authorized in
1 European Assistant ...	91	G. O., No. 1,433, of the 25th May 1875,
2 Natives or East Indian do., 1 at	39	for the contingent charges of the four
1 at	27	offices of the Superintendent of Works is
		Rupees 50 a-month.

No. 518. ORDER THEREON, 30th August 1875, No. 2,475.

ACCOUNT, No. 20.

THE charges are sanctioned. The
cost of telegrams may be passed in future,
provided the total amount of contingent
charges does not exceed an average of Rupees 50 per month from date of commence-
ment of work.

(True Extract.)

Major-General, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Controller of Public Works Accounts, with enclosures.
,, Superintendent of Works, Madras Harbour.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
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Comptroller of Public Works

FROM

THE CONTROLLER,
PUBLIC WORKS ACCOUNTS,

TO

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

FORT SAINT GEORGE, 20 August 1875.

Sir,

I have the honor to submit for the orders of Government the accompanying Office Contingent Bill of the Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works for July 1875, and with reference to the item relating to the cost (Pmpees 53-2-0) of a telegram sent to Mr. Parkes, London, to request that you will be good enough to inform me whether future charges of the same description may be admitted without the special sanction of Government.

2. The total amount authorized in G.O. No. 1433 of the 25th May 1875 for the Contingent

Cost of Office Establishment.	Charges of the four
1 Superintendent of works Rs - 171	Offices of the Superintendent of works is
1 European Assistant - 91	
2 Native or Indian Assistants 21@ - 39	
4 1@ - 27	

Pmpees 50 a month.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

Lowry-Jordan

Controller of Public Works

1875
Sept. 1875 Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

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Dated
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G. O. 30th Sept 75. No. 2475-

Nos. 577-518

- Continued Bill of the
Sup^{Madras} & Harbours works for
July 1875. - The charges have
forward in the - sanctioned
with remarks.