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Government of Madras

Public Works DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
14th December 1875.*

No.. 238 Read the following letter from T. D. HARRIS, Esq., Officiating District Engineer, Malabar, to Major-General G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp at Cannanore, 26th November 1875, No. 131 :—

I HAVE the honor to forward copies of letters, No. 438, dated 9th instant, to the Superintendent of Public Works Stores, and his reply, No. 3,487, dated 22nd idem, upon the subject of a charge, Rupees 1,082-1-0, for copper strips for the use of the lightning conductors to be provided to the Jail buildings at Cannanore; my estimate of Rupees 1,600, sanctioned in G.O., No. 2,526, dated 7th September, is exclusive of the value of the copper, as directed in memorandum No. 142, dated 30th June last,*

but the General Superintendent of Public Works Stores maintains that the value of the copper must be included; if this has to be met from the estimated amount I will not be able to complete the work without an excess of nearly Rupees 700. I therefore submit the case for your orders, as to whether the value of the copper should be paid and the estimate supplemented to that amount.

From T. D. HARRIS, Esq., Officiating District Engineer, Malabar, to J. N. GRAINGER, Esq., General Superintendent, Public Works Workshops and Stores, Madras, dated Calicut, 9th November 1875, No. 438.

With reference to your bill* for Rupees 1,116-10-9, sent to the Range Officer at Cannanore,

* Dated 30th October 1875.

on account of 2,284 running feet of copper strips, I have the honor to state that the Under Secretary to Government, in his memorandum No. 142, dated 30th June last, states that "there is in the store at Madras a large quantity of copper sheet $\frac{1}{8}$ th inch thick, which can be supplied at a rate excluding the intrinsic value of the metal and simply covering the cost of cutting rivet holes and nails, since it was received free of charge from the Mint," for this the Under Secretary to Government allows Rupees 12 per 100 running feet, and I have allowed Rupees 14 per 100 feet, including labor and fixing, in the estimate for providing lightning conductors to the Central Jail at Cannanore, and the estimate was accordingly sanctioned by Government; but if 2,284 running feet are taken against Rupees 1,082 charged by you, the rate per 100 running feet is Rs. 43-6-11, which is a good deal more than that allowed in your bill, which cannot be adjusted without a reference to Government, as it will exceed the estimate to an extent of nearly Rupees 700. I cannot afford to pay you more than Rupees 10 per 100 running feet, viz., 2,284 feet of copper strips and Rupees 65 for the 800 running feet at Rupees 8-12-0 per 100 running feet, as fixed by the Under Secretary to Government.

From J. N. GRAINGER, Esq., General Superintendent, Public Works Workshops and Stores, to T. D. HARRIS, Esq., Officiating District Engineer, Malabar, dated Madras, 22nd November 1875, No. 3,487.

With reference to your letter No. 438, dated 9th November 1875, I have the honor to state that the copper and other articles of stock received from the Madras Mint were brought on the books at a valuation in March 1875, and consequently the copper sheet in strips issued* to you under orders from the Under Secretary to Government, communicated to me by the

* In July 1875.

District Engineer, Presidency, had to go at money value.

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No. 239. ORDER THEREON, 14th December 1875, No. 3,532.

ACCOUNT, No. 8-A.

THE value of the copper used for the Jail at Cannanore having been debited to the Stock Account under Imperial, Ordinary, since the estimate in question was framed, it will be necessary to refund to Imperial by an allotment from Provincial Funds, which will be made if practicable from savings later in the year. The charge made by the General Superintendent will be met by the District Engineer.

(True Extract.)

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

To the District Engineer, Malabar.
" Financial Department.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" District Engineer, Presidency.

Malabar Dist. Engin. Office
No. 1315. Cannanore 26th Nov. 1875

From
The Offg. District Engineer
of Malabar. D.P.W.

To
The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
Madras.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward copies of letters No. 438 dated 9th instant to the Supt. of Public Works Stores, and his reply No. 3487 dated 22nd idem upon the subject of a charge Rs. 1082. 1 for copper strips for the use of the lightning Conductors to be provided to the jail building, at Cannanore. My estimate of Rs. 1600 sanctioned in G.O. No. 2526 dated 7th September is exclusive of the value of the Copper, as directed in Memo No. 142 dated 30th June last, but the General Supt. of P.W. Stores maintains that the value of the Copper must be included, if this has to be met from the estimated amount. I will not be able to complete the work without an excess of nearly Rs. 700. I therefore submit the case for your orders, as to whether the value of the Copper should be paid, and the estimate

* from the under
Secretary to Govt.

Supplemented to that amount.
I have the honor to be
Sir,

Your most obdt. servant

[Signature]

Offg. Distt. Engineer of
Malabar

P. W. 18.75 Defect
from
the Offg. Distt. Engineer
Malabar
No 7605
The Secretary to Govt.
R. P. W. Madras

Noted & referred to
R. P. W. Madras

No 181
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Submitting for order
Copies of correspondence
on the subject of a charge
of Rs 1002-1-0 for copper
strips for the use of
the lightning conductors
on the Central
Jail at Cannanore.

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11- June 1912-193
12- Augt - 246-247.
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Under date the 14 Dec 75.
Read the following:—

From:
The offg. District Engg } (H. E. No 131 of 26 Nov 75)
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To S. E. Malabar.

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Lightning Conductors to Central
Rail at Cannanore, Malabar
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-rected to meet the charges
made by the local Supt. P. W. Dept.
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