

(1) Number of pages _____

(2) Date of repair _____

(3) Initials of the Referencer _____

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE

Government of Madras

Public Works

DEPARTMENT

G.O. No.	<i>2164</i>	Press
B.P. No.		Mis.
Dated	<i>18. 5. 195</i>	

Not to be folded or roughly handled

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
18th August 1876. No 2,169*

Read the following papers —

No 427. From Lieutenant-Colonel R B KENNEDY, District Engineer, Malabar, to Major-General G W WALKER, R E, Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Calcut, 5th July 1876, No 77.

In continuation of my letter, No 68, dated 19th June last, I have the honor to state that Mr Grimes has also sent in a claim for charge allowance for being in charge of Cochin range as per G O, No 1,044, dated 15th April 1875, in addition to Palghaut range, which I recommend for favorable consideration

No 427-A From the same Officer, dated Camp at Tellicherry, 1st August 1876, No 92

REFERENCE No 1,059, dated 11th July 1876

I have the honor to forward a list of works carried out by Mr Grimes in the Cochin range since he relieved Mr Harris

* No 132, dated 26th July 1876

The Draftsman he alludes to as having been detained at Calcut was sent back to his proper post soon after my taking charge

From J GRIMES, Esq, Assistant Engineer in charge of Cochin Range, to Lieutenant-Colonel R B KENNEDY, District Engineer, Malabar, dated Palghaut, 26th July 1876, No 132

With reference to your letter, No G, dated 15th instant, I have the honor to forward herewith a statement showing the works executed in the Cochin range since I relieved Mr Harris, Executive Engineer, in April 1875

2 Besides these works, I have done survey and sounding work at the Cruz Milagre Lagoon, and several plans and estimates to make, without the assistance of the Draftsman who was detained at Calcut I have had to go to Cochin frequently, and you are aware how expensive a journey that is

3 I observe that no mention is made of the time I had charge of the Calcut range
4 If the allowance is not given to me it ought, I think, to go to Mr Harris, for whom, and by whose orders, I held charge of the range
5 I therefore request you will be pleased to recommend as you may deem proper

No 428 ORDER THEREON, 18th August 1876, No 2,169

ESTABLISHMENT, No 23

It is observed with reference to this claim, that originally Cochin did not exist as a separate range, but was the charge of an extra officer who was employed sub-divisionally on Backwater works

2 In order to enable Mr Harris to take up the West Coast Canal Project, his establishment was subsequently raised, by exchange with the Godavery District, to the strength of a special establishment, by the aid of which Mr Harris was employed in carrying out all works along the Backwater between Tinor and Cochin But these works really belonged to the Palghaut range, and when Mr Grimes took charge he had nothing to do with the Canal Project Practically the West Coast Canal range

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
18th August 1876. No 2,169

ceased to exist when Mr Harris was appointed to act as District Engineer, and the preparation of the survey and estimates was suspended Under these circumstances, Mr. Grimes is not, in the opinion of the Governor in Council, entitled to the charge allowance claimed

(True Extract)

Colonel,

Offg Under Secy to Govt, P.W.D

to the District Engineer, Malabar

Statement shewing the works executed in Cochin Range since Mr Grimes taking charge of it on 30th April 1875.

Works	Amount Estimated	Amount Expended	Remarks
<u>Works executed in 1875-76.</u>			
Repairing the Yamunakil dam	910	909 5 7	Of this Rs 29.3 was disbursed by Mr Harris in April 1875.
~~No~~ <u>Tratel do</u>	800	798 12 8	No Rs 10.12 do
Repairing Sub Judge's Court at Cochin	275	275	
No Sea Custom Office at do	250	250	
No Lepa Hospital at Calicut	240	240	
Reiling the record room of Sub Judge's Court at Cochin	100	100	
Repairing premises at Cochin	100	94	
No Protestant Church at do	190	190	
No and whitewashing the dead house at Cochin	11	10 13 2	
Maintenance to the Pruz Mla			
gr dam	800	588 2 3	
Canal from Ponany to Cochin	6,600	6,599 4 9	Of this Rs 2032.4 was spent by Mr Harris in April 1875.
Repairing tools & plant	124	123 1 3	
Total	10,400	10,178 7 8	

Cochin Range Office,
Palghat, 26th July 1876

132.

From

The Assistant Engineer
In Charge of Lochinvar Ry.

To The District Engineer,
Malabar,

his,

With reference to your letter
N. G., dated 15th Instant, I have the
honor to forward herewith a statement
showing the Work executed in the Cochise
Range since I relieved Mr. Harris, Ex-
ecutive Engineer, in April 1875.

Besides these works I have done Survey and Sounding Work at the Cruz Milagre Lagoon, and several Plans & Estimates to make, without the assistance of the Draftsman who was detained at Salicut. I have had to go to Cochin frequently and you are aware how expensive a journey that is.

Observe that no mention is made of the time I had charge of the Calicut Range.

If the Allowance is not given to me it ought, I think to go to Mr. Harris, for whom & by whose orders I hold charge of the Range.

I therefore request you will

17.5597/96.

Works in progress in 1876-77		1877-5597/96.	
Repairing Yennamakil dam	990	352	5. 3.
Do Vatal do	960	546	14
Repairing Subjudge's Court at Cochin	127		
Do Jailor's quarters do	17	15	
Whitewashing the Lepet Hospital at Collipost	110	88	
Repairing Master Attendants' Office at Cochin	405	385	
Maintenance to the Ang Melagre dam	500	701	6. 4.
Emergent repairs to do	1,000	922	15. 9.
Canal from Conany to Cochin	6,600	2,057	14. 1.
Total up to date	10,709	4,463	7. 5.

Cochin. }
24th July 1876 }
Signed & Sealed
Appt. Engr. D. H.
True Copy

/ True Copy /

R. S. K. K. K. Lt Colonel,
 District Engineer, Malabar

will be pleased to recommend as you
may deem proper.

Mr. 5592/76
2/76

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Signed J. Grimes
Asst. Engineer D.O.H.

/ True Copy /

W. H. Kumer, Lt Colonel,
District Engineer, Malabar.

Copy to Mr. Grimes
forwarding a list of
works executed by him
in the Cochin Range
since he relieved Mr. Harris

Letter from the District
Engineer, Malabar, to the
Chief Engineer, D.O.H.
was now, rather than
1876, 1892

Malabar District Engineer's Office,
Camp Tellicherry, 1st August 1876
From The District Engineer,
Malabar,

To The Chief Engineer D.O.H.
Madras.

Sir,
Reference No. 1059, dated 11th July 1876

* 12.132.2/26th
July 1876.

I have the honor to forward a
list of works carried out by Mr.
Grimes in the Cochin Range since
he relieved Mr. Harris in March
1875, with copy of his letter. The
Draftsman he alludes to as having
been detained at Calicut, was sent back
to his proper post soon after my taking
charge.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your Most Obedient Servant,
W. H. Kumer, Lt Colonel,

District Engineer, Malabar.

176 Deph
No. 5597

[Faint handwritten text, possibly a letterhead or address, mostly illegible due to fading and bleed-through.]

[Extensive handwritten text, likely the body of a letter, written in a cursive script. The text is mostly illegible due to fading and bleed-through.]

From
The District Engineer
Calcutta

427CL

Ci-16.8.76 Mtd 18.8.76
Despatched 8-8-76

Calcutta Dist. Engg. Office
Calcutta, 6 July 1876

No. 77
From
The District Engineer
Calcutta

To,
The Secretary to Government
P. P. Works. Calcutta

Sir,

In continuation of my
letter No. 68 dated 19th June last, I
have the honor to state that
Mr. Green has also sent in a
claim for charge allowance for
being in charge of Cochin Range
as per G. O. No. 1044 dated 15th April
1875 in addition to Palghat Range
which I recommend for favor-
able consideration.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt Servant
W. W. Kennedy Lt. Col.
Dist. Engg. Calcutta

2015-4-75 No 1044

2015-4-75 No 1044
1896 Sept.
No: 4835

From
The B. & C. Engineers
Malabar
Shree. S. S. S. S.
D. S. S. S. S.
Dated 30 July
No. 27 in 3
1895
Deposited with the
Registrar for
Change of Name

Memo 1059. 11 July 1876-

With reference to his letter
No. 77 dated 5 July 1876 the D. S.
Malabar will be good enough
to submit the former application
in which the grounds of his claim
are fully stated. It is not under-
stood that till lately any Executive
or other work has been in hand

By G. W. M.

W. H.
8.7.76

Asst. Commr
11 July 76

D. S. Malabar No 427

Cri - 16.8.76 Ptd 18.8.76
Resd 15.8.76

Is put up with Chos. II
4835 45397.

- Is 12 June 1892. No 1449.
- 1 July - 1586
- 1 October / 73 - 2401.
- 28 - 2636
- 15 April / 95 - 1044
- 31 Dec / 95 - 3643
- 26 June / 96 - 1895

no strength of a special
detachment,

SD15-4-75 No 1044

RW. 1896 Decr.

134

No 2169

Public Works Department

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 18th Aug/76

Read the following —

From
The District Engineer,
Malabar } (A.E. No 47 of 5th July 1876)
Do — Do — (" " 92 " 1st Aug ")

It is observed with
reference to this claim that
originally Cochim did not
exist as a separate Range
but was the charge of an
Extra Officer who was em-
ployed subdivisionally
on Backwater works.
2. In order to enable

Establishment, by the
act of which Mr. Harris
was employed in carry-
ing out all works along
the Backwater between
Tiruvor and Cochin. But
these works really belonged
to the Paleyphant Range and
when Mr. Grimes took
charge he had nothing
to do with the Canal
Project. Practically
the West Coast Canal
Range ceased to exist
when Mr. Harris was
appointed to act as
District Engineer, and
the preparation of the
Survey and Estimates
was suspended. Under
these circumstances Mr.
Grimes

15-5-
Grimes is not, in the
opinion of the Governor
in Council, entitled
to the Charge allowance
claimed.

Grimes

District Engineer,
Malabar. Dated 2/9/81

X^o A. H. S.

5597
4835
17
Govt. of Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To
The M. E. Kalahar

Date

Issued

Recd

Encl

G. O. 18th April 1876, No. 2109

No. 427-628
Sub. No. 17-95

M. A. Astant D. J.
Trines. Malabar
D. Declining with
remarks to grant a
charge allowance to
— for being in
charge of the Cochin
Range in addition to the
Palghat Range