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Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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Dated	19 - 1 -	1877.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
19th January 1877. No. 184.*

Read the following letters:—

No. 358. From Major H. M. VIBART, R.E., Officiating District Engineer, Presidency, to Major-General G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 13th January 1877, No. 5,258:—

WITH reference to G.O., No. 3,238, dated 1st December 1876, Item 2, I have the honor to report that no repairs at a cost of Rupees 1,369 were carried out to the District Engineer's office, Presidency, but to the District Engineer's quarters. The expenditure on this work as well as upon repairs to fortification of Fort St. George was permitted in anticipation of sanction to the estimates.

2. These estimates were not completed before the official year had expired, as the time of the executive officers and subordinates had been fully taken up in the execution of several important works on emergency on account of the visit of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.

No. 358-A. From the same Officer, dated Fort St. George, 16th January 1877, No. 5,304.

IN continuation of my letter No. 5,258, dated 13th January 1877, I have the honor to report that expenditure upon repairs to fortifications of Fort St. George, viz., Rupees 7,527, was not allowed in excess of appropriation as pointed out by the Examiner, the allotment being Rupees 7,530.

No. 359. ORDER THEREON, 19th January 1877, No. 184.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 22.

HIS GRACE the Governor in Council is surprised to learn that besides the unauthorized expenditure of Rupees 544

on alterations to the District Engineer's quarters in Fort St. George, subsequently passed in G.O., No. 1,948, of 1st August 1876, that officer should also have considered himself justified in spending Rupees 1,369 in repairs to the same building without any estimate or sanction. No amount of extra work in hand up to December 1875 can excuse the subsequent inordinate delay in submission of estimates for so many works at the Presidency. His Grace the Governor in Council considers Major Ross Thompson to have been greatly to blame in the matter; and insists that such neglect shall not be again allowed to occur.

(True Extract.)

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

To the District Engineer, Presidency.
~~To Major Ross Thompson, R.E.~~ ✓

Exd. S. T. Austin.

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No. 5304
From,

The Offg. District Engineer,
Presidency.

To,

The Chief Engineer, and
Secretary to Govt. P. W. D.

Sir,

In continuation of my letter
No. 5258 dated 13 January 1877, I have
the honor to report that expenditure
upon Repairs to Fortifications of Fort
St. George vizt; Rs 7527 was not allowed
in excess of appropriation as pointed
out by the Examiner - the allotment
being Rs 7530.

I have the honor to be.

Sir,

Your most obedient servant
Hendrickus Baal - Major.
Offg. District Engineer,
Presidency.

Fort St. George: 3
16 Jan'y 1877. 3
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No: 5258

From

The Offg. District Engineer
Presidency

To,

The Chief Engineer, and,
Secretary to Govt. P. W. D.

Sir,

With reference to G. O. No. 3238 dated
12 December 1876, I have the honor
to report that no repairs at a cost of
Rs 1369 were carried out to the District
Engineer's Office Presidency but to the
District Engineer's quarters. The expenditure
on this work as well as upon repairs
to Fortification of Fort St. George was
permitted in anticipation of sanction
to the estimates.

2. These estimates were not completed
before the official year had expired,
as the time of the Executive Officers
and subordinates had been fully
taken up in the execution of several
important

From,

The District Engineer
Presidency

The Chief Engineer

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Dated 10 3 May 77

No 5258

Reference to G. O. No. 3238

Presidency report to Govt. P. W. D.

to Fortification of Fort St. George

Rs 1369

Manufactured in
Government Press

important works in emergency on
account of the visit of H.R.H. the
Prince of Wales.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Herbert M. West major.

Offg. District Engineer

Residency

Fort St. George

13 Jan'y 1877

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of

Received
of the
District Engineer
at Fort St. George
13 Jan'y 1877
Herbert M. West
Major
Offg. District Engineer
Residency

G.O. No 1948-9 1-8-76
No 3238-9-1-12-76

P.W.D.
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No 332

Explaining
the expenditure
incurred upon certain
repairs to the before
purchase of materials

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No 5258

The Chief Engineer
Salem

From
The Chief Engineer
Salem

No 558

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Public Works Department

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT

Under date the 19 Jan 77
Read the following:-

From

The Chief Engineer
Presidency
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Ho. No 5258 of 13th Jan 77
5302-16-77
His Grace the Governor
in Council is pleased to
order that besides the
unauthorised expenditure
of Rs. 541 on alterations
to the District Engineer's
quarters in Fort St. George
subsequently passed in
G.O. No. 1948 of 1st August
1976, that Officer should
also have considered
himself justified in
spending Rs. 1369 in
repairs to the same

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Govt. of 1877 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To the P. & C. Presidency

Dated

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Encl.

G. O., 19th Jan. 1877, No. 184

Nos. 358 & 359

District Engineer's Quarters

Fort St. George

Presidency. Drawing orders on the
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considers Major P. P. on the

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