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No. 479. Read the following letter from G. J. MELLISS, Esq., Officiating Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Account—Irrigation,) to Major-General G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, dated Fort William, 23rd December 1876, No. 453 A. I:—

THE Accountant-General, Public Works Department, has laid before the Government of India the document noted in the margin, from which it would appear that, in sanctioning the estimates for the repair and improvement of the Poorasay Tank, the Government of Madras have ordered* the prosecution of the works in anticipation of funds for the purpose. On this point I am to remark that the rules of the department require that funds for works should be provided before the works are commenced, and that to incur expenditure in anticipation of provision of grant involves the risk of an excess outlay over grant. The Government of India feel assured that the Government of Madras will agree in the necessity for the prescribed procedure being carried out in the present case, and I am therefore to ask that this may be done.

Proceedings of the Government of Madras, No. 2,849, dated 25th October 1876.

* Paragraph 3 of Resolution.

No. 480. ORDER THEREON, 25th January 1877, No. 246.

IRRIGATION, No. 34.
Account.

ORDERED that the following letter be sent.

(Here enter, No. 247, dated 25th January 1877.)

(True Extract.)

Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.;
Secretary to Government.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
„ Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. A. Grubert.
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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
FORT ST. GEORGE, 25*th January* 1877.

No. 481.

No. 247.

FROM

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL JOHN MULLINS, R.E.,
Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Public Works Department,

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
Public Works Department.

IRRIGATION, No. 55.
Account.

SIR,—In reply to your letter, dated the 23rd December 1876, No. 453 A. I., I am directed to state that funds have been provided to meet the outlay authorized on the Poorasay tank.

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

Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. A. Grubert.
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FORMER CASES.

R. 34 of 1876
No. 231 of 1876
R. 617 of 1876
R. 729 of 1876

Receipt No.
Dated

LATER CASES.

No. of 187
"

Sent to Government with No. W. of 18

Printed with G. O. No. dated

REMINDERS RECEIVED.

No. 1, dated 187
" 2, " "
" 3, " "
" 4, " "
" 5, " "

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No 1179

Cir 23-1-77.

E. I. Form No. 22.

Receipt No.

From

Govt. of India
P.W.D.
18 JAN 77
No. 184

No. 453 A. I.
Dated 23 Dec 76.

Subject:— Outlay in anticipation of Grant.

I. M
D E I

The Dist. called upon to report what amount is required (see 617 W.) has been drawn to & which a reminder required

From to
" " Aug 12-1
" "
" Please to grant R 45 &c. 729 W-1877

Orders and Proceedings in file.

No.	Date.	No.	Date.
W. Office.			
Letter to Madras say- ing that reference to No 617 W. that funds have been provided to meet the outlay authorized on the Famine Fund			
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Sd	16-1		

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No 246 Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 25 Jan 77

Read the following :—

From

The Govt of India (H.E. No 453 A.I. dy 23d Dec 76)

Ordered that the following letter be sent.

(H.E. No 247 dy 25 Jan 77)

No 247

To,

The Secretary to the Govt of India
P.W. Dept.

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Favorably

Govt. Sanct.

Asst. Engr.

Mg. 22/1 22-1

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Chief Engr. for Irrign.

Exr. P. W. Roads

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To The Chief Engr for Irrigation

Dated 26-1-77

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Secretary Irrt Forts Arch

Sir — The Govt of Fort St.
informed of the provision
of funds to meet the outlay
authorised on the —

Intimating that funds have
been provided to meet the
outlay authorised on the
Secretary Irrt Forts
Arch Sir —

Exd Pur Engr