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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public Works

DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	255	(9)	Press
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Dated	26	/	1877

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
26th January 1877. No. 255.*

No. 496. 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. 455 A. I.:—

I AM directed to bring to the notice of the Government of Madras that, from a note by the Accountant-General, Public Works Department, No. 291 I, of the 5th instant, it would appear that irregular expenditure, as marginally noted, has been incurred on irrigation works in Madras, and appears in the books for August 1876. The Government of India desire that early steps should be taken to provide for the expenditure being removed from the Objectionable Item Book, and I am to request that this may be done.

2. I am to add that the works for which the large outlay of Rupees 88,517 has been incurred, without any appropriation, should not have been commenced before the necessary funds had been provided for them.

No. 497. ORDER THEREON, 26th January 1877, No. 255.

IRRIGATION, No. 56-A.

RECORDED with reference to G.O.,
No. 3,020, dated 10th November 1876.

(True Extract.)

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

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

Exd. A. Grubert.
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Government of India letter no 334 dated 31 August 1906
 Objectionable items in the accounts for March 1906.
 Schedule.

No.	Nature of objection	Amount	Explanation of circumstances under which outlay was incurred.
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No Estimate.

1. Filling deep scour in front of Dowlaishwaram branch Kodavery canal. — 7750

This is a repair work. An estimate amounting to Rs 12,010 has been sanctioned.

2. Lowering the crest of the canal at Kesaveram compensation for land. 26452
 (for the whole project for Kesaveram branch)

An amount to cover the expenditure is provided in the revised estimate for Chumbham branch. The action is for the whole project.

3. Excavating Golgaumdi Channel — 7300

The estimate is provided in connection with that of the Survaipelly Project.

No appropriation

4. Filling deep scour in front of Dowlaishwaram branch Kodavery canal. — 7750

Work urgent and no funds available for appropriation.

5. Constructing groynes with stone in the hole below head of canal and filling with sand. 7586

Do. Do.

Excess over appropriation
Lengthening the ancient
near Trichalore

The work could not be
delayed without danger.

22413 Funds were appropriated
but the fact was not known
till by inspection to the District
Engineer and they were

7. Doolaiswaram under
Sluice

Funds were appropriated
for this work to the extent
of Rs 6075 but no funds
were available.

8. Emergent repairs to
Sengamalai Tank

No funds were available
for appropriation.

9. Annual repairs to
Sengamalai Channel

Do Do

10. Constructing an under-
tunnel at Channarayana

Expenditure was incurred
under the impression that
extraordinary funds would
be available for the work.

11. Chemburankam Tank
Project

Funds were appropriated
on the 30th March 1906.

12. Improving Nandial
Tank

Do Do

13. Extension of Pennair
ancient

Funds were appropriated
to the extent of Rs 10,500
but the fact was not known
till by inspection to the District
Engineer and they were

14. Extending South weir,
Constructing a sluice &
raising pavement of
Polgar Tank

Funds were appropriated
on 30th March

6368

15. Raising river embank-
ments from Provincial
School House at the
Range Rajamundry to
its end near the Town.

Do Do

13312

16. Raising and widening
South bank of
Coleroon

Funds were appropriated
from the grant for
Repairs.

8953

Excess

ml

Under
the office great attention

Journal rules under
his hand for the future.

Reference to the particular
cases specified by the

Gov. of Michigan in these

the under reply I am

~~gladly~~ ~~that the following~~
write ~~you~~ a reference

~~to the works of the~~
to a ~~the~~ schedule

with accompanying this

the which contains

elaborately remarks of facts

and then so far as they

be afforded

I know

exp. 20/12/76

The Schedule
is not in file
Accd
25-11

Recd
 12-10-09
 With reference to your
 letter No 334 P 7 dated
 31 August 1876
 and desire to state
 that the allegations of the
 Govt. has been directed
 to the perusal of
 irregularities on the
 part of Officers of the
 Mr. Jeff. in carrying
 on work without estimates
 as a preliminary in
 cases of extra & that
 measures have been
 taken to enforce

All communications
 should be addressed
 to the Secretary.

No. 455 A. I.
 GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
 PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
 ACCOUNT.
 Irrigation

The Secretary to the Government of
 Madras
 Public Works Department
 Irrigation Branch
 Fort William 23 December 1876.

Sir

I am directed to bring to the notice
 of the Government of Madras that, from
 a note by the Accountant General, Public
 Works Department, No 2912 of the 5th Instant,
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 as marginally noted, has
 been incurred on Irrigation
 works in Madras, and
 appears in the books for
 August 1876. The Government

No. of Works	Amount of Irregularity
No Estimates — 159 —	Rs 165,819
Excess over de jure amount of Estimates (Rs 508,964) — 37 —	69,625
No appropriation — 54 —	88,517
Excess over de jure amount of appropriation (Rs 64,982) — 23 —	36,041

of India desire that early steps should be taken to provide for the expenditure being removed from the objectionable item-book, and I am to request that this may be done.

CHIEF ENGINEER
28 DEC
1876
FOR IRRIGATION
P.W.D.
22 JAN 77
No 600

I am to add that the works for ~~the~~ ^{the Govt of India} which the large outlay of Rs 88,514 has been incurred, without any appropriation, should not have been commenced before the necessary funds had been provided for them.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt Servt

Yours
Offg Secy to the Govt of India

600
22/12/76

Go. No 3020 d/10th Nov/76
20-4th Dec/76 min.
No 196
Cin 23-1-77. 14 25-1-77

No 255 Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 26 Jan/77
Read the following:—

Letter from the Secy to Govt of India (H. E. No 455 A. I. 2/23 Dec/76)

Recorded with
reference to G.O No 3020
dated 10 November 1876.

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H. B. A.
Ch. Secy

Detd 3-2-77

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Ch. 109.

Govt. of 1877: Sydney.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To the Govt of P. W. A.

Dated

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 25th Jan 1877, No. 255-

Nos. 4-96-277

Irregular Expenditure
incurred on certain Bri-
-dation works in the New
Presidency - Letter fr-
the Govt of India request-
-ing that steps may be
taken to provide for the
— being removed
from the objectionable
items for August 1876;
revised.

Ch. 109.