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19th February 1877. No. 550.*

No. 446.

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PART I.—Irregularities with respect to Estimate.

Item No.	Particulars.	Amount of Estimate.	Expenditure up to Date.	Excess over Estimate.	Expenditure during Month.	Opinion of the District Engineer, with final Remarks by Examiner.	Orders by Local Government.
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.		No. 447. ORDER THEREON, 19th Feb. 1877, No. 550. ACCOUNT, No. 18.
1	<i>Rescoda.</i> Repairing Traveller's Bungalow at Veyoor.	474	775	301	105	District Engineer's reply awaited.	1. Orders deferred pending District Engineer's reply.
2	<i>Calicut.</i> Repairs to Calicut pier.	..	696	696	12	It has been pointed out to the District Engineer, Malabar, in G.O., No. 3,083, dated 20th November 1876, that there should be no further delay in the preparation of the estimate for this work.	2. No further orders required.
3	<i>Chikkakol.</i> Fixing a lantern on the top of the obelisk at Calingapatam.	900	1,161	261	300	District Engineer's reply awaited.	3. Estimate of Rupees 1,670 sanctioned in G.O., No. 212, of 22nd January 1877.
4	Store-shed at Calingapatam.	4,355	4,584	229	..	The District Engineer states that the excess over estimate will be adjusted by sale of materials.	4. No further orders required.
5	<i>Cambam.</i> Taluk Katcheri and Sub-sidiary Jail at Cambam.	..	14,462	14,462	..	In their orders on the statement of Objectionable Items for July 1876, No. 3,083, dated 20th December 1876, Government state that nothing can at present be decided about public buildings at Cambam.	5. Do. do.
6	<i>Kurambanadu.</i> Repairing Manantoddy Police huts.	..	277	277	..	The Government in their orders on the statement for July request the District Engineer to sanction the estimate without delay.	6. Do. do.
7	<i>Madura.</i> Racket Court, Madura ..	6,630	6,273	643	..	District Engineer's explanation awaited.	7. Orders deferred pending District Engineer's reply.
8	<i>Mangalur.</i> Renewing roof of Sub-court-house, Mangalur.	2,966	3,372	412	..	The District Engineer states that the excess will be reduced to within 5 per cent. by sale of surplus materials.	8. No further orders required.
9	<i>Mount.</i> Maintenance of Guindy Water Project.	..	764	764	..	District Engineer's reply awaited.	9. <i>Fide</i> remarks against Item 7.
10	Beading, gilt, &c., to door frames of Government House, Guindy.	..	230	230	..		
11	<i>Nellore, Southern.</i> Taluk Katcheri at Gudur.	2,910	4,045	1,135	133	The District Engineer states that the amount required will, exclusive of recoveries, be under Rupees 500. Further reference made.	10. Do. do.

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PART I.—Irregularities with respect to Estimate—(Continued).

Item No.	Particulars.	Amount of Estimate.	Expenditure up to Date.	Excess over Estimate.	Expenditure during Month.	Opinion of the District Engineer, with final Remarks by Examiner.	Orders by Local Government.
	<i>Nellore Southern—(Contd.)</i>	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.		
12	Police hospital, Nellore..	6,370	6,926	556	..	The District Engineer states that the revised estimate is under preparation.	11. No further orders required.
	<i>Nilgiri.</i>						
13	Improving the road through Kandal Bazaar.	..	4,121	4,121	126	The District Engineer, Nilgiri, quotes G.O., No. 820, of 23rd March 1875, as the authority conveying sanction to an estimate for this work; but as that order does not specifically convey any such sanction, the District Engineer, Nilgiri, has been asked to apply to Government for the necessary sanction.	12. <i>Vide</i> paragraph 11 of G.O., No. 133, of 15th January 1877.
14	Improvements to the new Coonoor Ghaut.	24,000	25,250	1,250	..	It is suggested that the District Engineer, Nilgiri, be asked to obtain sanction at once to a revised estimate. No outlay incurred since 1874-75.	13. Excess authorized to be passed— <i>vide</i> paragraph 10 of G.O., No. 133, of 15th January 1877.
	<i>Presidency.</i>						
15	Experiments for filling the Cooum river with sea water.	..	2,781	2,781	..	No outlay has been incurred on these works during the current year. It is suggested that the District Engineer, Presidency, be called upon to obtain immediate sanction for each work.	14. <i>Vide</i> paragraph 12 of G.O., No. 133, of 15th January 1877.
16	Repairing St. George's bridge near Government house.	..	911	911	..		
17	Reforming road over Victoria bridge.	..	429	429	..		
18	Parapet walls for the Wallajah bridge.	..	1,927	1,927	..		
19	Keeping open the mouths of the creeks at Mylapur and Triplicane.	..	1,669	1,669	236	The District Engineer states that the work was undertaken under the authority of G.O., No. 43, dated 7th January 1876, and that an estimate will be submitted to Government for sanction.	15. Estimate of Rupees 2,900, sanctioned in G.O., No. 440, of 7th February 1877.
20	Repairing Chepauk railings.	..	946	946	..	<i>Vide</i> remarks against the first four items in the Presidency District.	16. No further orders required.
21	Whitewashing the Grand Jail.	..	240	240	..		
22	Repairing south wing of the building lately occupied by the Public Works Workshop.	..	234	234	228		17. Estimate of Rupees 1,07,000, sanctioned in G.O., No. 491, of 13th February 1877.
23	Constructing settling tank for Chintadrepettah drain.	..	341	341	246	District Engineer's reply awaited.	18. Orders deferred pending District Engineer's reply.
24	Constructing settling tank for Triplicane drain.	..	615	615	471		
25	Taking levels for verifying Major DeHaviland's bench marks.	..	413	413	12	The District Engineer states that an estimate will be submitted to Government for sanction shortly.	19. Estimate of Rupees 408, sanctioned in G.O., No. 474, of 12th February 1877.
26	Improvements to the latrine in Government house.	..	217	217	197	District Engineer's reply awaited.	20. <i>Vide</i> remarks against Items 23 and 24.
27	Conservancy of the Cooum.	..	346	346	123	Work carried out under G.O., No. 1,992, dated 3rd August 1876, paragraph 9. The District Engineer should be requested to submit an estimate.	21. <i>Vide</i> paragraph 15 of G.O., No. 133, of 15th January 1877.
28	Repairing walls of the Black Town Tunnel.	..	357	357	238	District Engineer's reply awaited.	22. Orders deferred pending District Engineer's reply.

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PART I.—Irregularities with respect to Estimate—(Continued).

Item No.	Particulars.	Amount of Estimate.	Expenditure up to Date.	Excess over Estimate.	Expenditure during Month.	Opinion of the District Engineer, with final Remarks by Examiner.	Orders by Local Government.
	<i>Presidency—(Continued).</i>	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.		
29	Repairing the main building and out-houses, Government house.	9,120	10,251	1,131	..	<i>Vide</i> remarks against the first four items in the Presidency District.	23. <i>Vide</i> paragraph 14 of G.O., No. 133, of 15th January 1877.
	<i>Salem.</i>						
30	Putting up a bell in Christ Church at Salem.	75	490	415	415	District Engineer's reply awaited.	24. <i>Vide</i> remarks against Item No. 28.
	<i>Shermadedi.</i>						
31	Divisional Officer's bungalow at Shermadedi.	6,700	7,011	311	..	The District Engineer simply states that the excess is within 5 per cent., and that the work has been completed.	25. No orders required.
	<i>Tinnevely.</i>						
32	New Jail at Palamcottah.	..	5,697	5,697	767	<i>Vide</i> letter from this Office, No. 381, dated 19th January 1877, in which an inquiry has been made as to whether G.O., No. 71, dated 8th April 1876, is to be considered as sanctioning an estimate for this work at Rupees 1,66,000.	26. <i>Vide</i> G.O., No. 332 of 1st February 1877.
	<i>Tirupatur.</i>						
33	Emergent defensive works on the Palar at Vaniambady.	6,525	6,850	325	6,850	The District Engineer states that the work is carried on under the authority of G.O., No. 1,978, dated 3rd August 1876.	27. The estimate sanctioned for this work in G.O., No. 1,978, dated 3rd August 1876, amounted to Rupees 2,970. The authority under which it has been increased to Rs. 6,525 should be reported by the Examiner.
	<i>Vellore.</i>						
34	Tippoo's Mahal, Velur Fort.	2,170	2,549	379	..	The District Engineer states that supplemental estimate has been called for. No outlay since June 1876.	28. <i>Vide</i> paragraph 13 of G.O., No. 133, of 15th January 1877.
	<i>West Coast Canal.</i>						
35	Emergent repairs to the Cruz Milagre dam.	..	992	992	..	This work was commenced under the authority of G.O., No. 1,775, dated 12th July 1876. It is suggested that the District Engineer be called upon to obtain sanction to an estimate for this work.	29. Funds appropriated in G.O., No. 441, dated 7th February 1877. The despatch of the estimate should be expedited.

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PART II.—Irregularities with respect to Appropriation, October, 1876.

Item No.	Particulars.	Amount of Appropriation.	Expenditure of the year.	Excess over Appropriation.	Expenditure during month.	Opinion of the District Engineer, with final remarks by Examiner.	Orders by Local Government.
1	<i>Cuddapah.</i> Taluk Kacheri and Sub- sidiary Jail at Jummul- mudugu.	Rs. 1,835	Rs. 2,562	Rs. 727	Rs. 444	District Engineer's re- ply awaited.	30. Orders deferred pending District Engi- neer's reply.
2	<i>Calicut.</i> Repairs to Calicut pier ..	..	696	696	12	The District Engineer states that this work was carried out on emergency, and that a bill has been sub- mitted to the Master Attendant, Adminis- trative Department, for sanction and appropriation of funds.	31. No orders required.
3	<i>Guti.</i> Constructing Police Huts at Garladenna.	..	504	504	273	District Engineer's re- ply awaited.	32. <i>Vide</i> Item No. 1.
4	<i>Madras Harbour.</i> Madras Harbour Works.	..	5,55,560	5,55,560	94,436	<i>Vide</i> G.O., No. 2,581, dated 27th September 1876, which autho- rizes the continuance of expenditure on this work pending an additional assign- ments of funds.	33. No remarks called for.
5	<i>Madura.</i> New Racket Court at Madura.	..	1,443	1,443	..	The District Engineer states that a sum of Rupees 1,080 was transferred to this work from the appor- portion for Tirumal Naick's Palace; but no orders of Govern- ment have been received in this office to that effect.	34. Rupees 1,080 appor- portioned in G.O., No. 441, of 7th February 1877.
6	<i>Nellore, Northern.</i> Salt road from Koppolu to Biramgunta.	..	1,274	1,274	264	The District Engineer states that application has been made to Government for an allotment of funds.	35. <i>Vide</i> paragraph 7 of G.O., No. 441, of 7th February 1877.
7	<i>Nellore, Southern.</i> Reconstructing Slaughter- house.	..	2,197	2,197	..	The outlay on these three works will be transferred from Provincial to the debit of Civil Department under instructions from Accountant-General, Madras.	36. No orders required.
8	Restoring Dyke's Skew Bridge.	..	506	506	2,559		
9	Dresser's house attached to Civil Dispensary.	..	1,177	1,177	..		
10	Police Hospital at Nellore.	468	979	511	..	The District Engineer states that funds will be applied for when the revised estimate is submitted for sanc- tion.	37. <i>Vide</i> paragraph 5 of G.O., No. 441, of 7th February 1877.
11	Portion of Water Project destroyed.	..	803	803	426	District Engineer's reply awaited.	38. <i>Vide</i> remarks against Item 1.
12	<i>Nilgiri.</i> Constructing Stables and Coach House at Lower Norwood.	..	1,153	1,153	..	In G.O., No. 2,478, dated 16th September 1876, in which the estimate is sanctioned the Financial Depart- ment are requested to provide funds.	39. <i>Vide</i> G.O., No. 204, of 18th January 1877.
13	<i>Presidency.</i> Keeping open the mouths of the creeks at Myla- pore and Triplicane.	..	1,265	1,265	206	<i>Vide</i> remarks in Part I in respect to estimate.	40. Rupees 2,500 appor- portioned in G.O., No. 441, of 7th February 1877.

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PART II.—Irregularities with respect to Appropriation, October, 1876—(Continued).

Item No.	Particulars.	Amount of Appropriation.	Expenditure of the year.	Excess over Appropriation.	Expenditure during month.	Opinion of the District Engineer, with final remarks by Examiner.	Orders by Local Government.
14	<i>Presidency—(Contd.)</i> Pulling punkahs of the General Hospital.	Rs. ..	Rs. 2,802	Rs. 2,802	Rs. 91	The District Engineer states that this work is proceeded with every half-year under the authority of G.O., No. 33, dated 8th May 1874. The out- lay will be transferred to the Civil Depart- ment.	41. No orders required.
15	Renewing the wooden arch over the central opening of St. Mary's Bridge.	..	2,276	2,276	615	In G.O., No. 2,598, dated 27th September 1876, the Government promise a specific appropriation later in the year. Work un- dertaken under G.O., No. 1,654, dated 30th June 1876.	42. <i>Vide</i> paragraph 31 of G.O., No. 133, of 15th January 1877.
16	Improvements to the Washermanpetta Police Station.	..	610	610	150		
17	Constructing settling tank for Triplicane drain.	..	615	615	471	District Engineer's reply awaited.	43. Orders deferred pending District Engi- neer's reply.
18	<i>Salem.</i> Constructing Police huts at the Central Jail, Salem.	4,590	7,750	3,160	2,219	Additional appropri- ation of funds promised in G.O., No. 2,034, dated 7th August 1876.	44. Funds already appor- portioned, <i>vide</i> G.O., No. 88, of 10th January 1877, and No. 441, of 7th February 1877.
19	<i>Tinnevely.</i> Camp Jail at Palamcottah.	..	649	649	2	District Engineer's re- ply awaited.	45. Orders deferred pend- ing District Engineer's reply.
20	<i>Tirupatur.</i> Constructing defensive works to protect the banks of the Inapur at Periapett and the banks of the Palar.	..	2,804	2,804	145	An estimate of Rupees 2,970 was sanctioned for this work in G.O., No. 1,978, dated 3rd August 1876; but no appropriation appears to have been pro- vided.	46. Rupees 2,970 appor- portioned in G.O., No. 88, of 10th January 1877.
21	Emergent defensive works on the Palar at Vaniembaddy.	..	6,850	6,850	6,850	<i>Vide</i> remarks in Part I against this Item.	47. <i>Vide</i> paragraph 27 above, the information called for in which must be supplied before funds can be granted.
22	<i>West Coast Canal.</i> Emergent repairs to the Crus Milagre dam.	..	992	992	..	This work is being proceeded with on emergency under G.O., No. 1,775, dated 12th July 1876.	48. Rupees 1,000 appor- portioned in G.O., No. 441, of 7th February 1877.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. FAREWELL, Colonel,
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To District Engineers concerned.
To the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

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PART II.—Irregularities with respect to Appropriation. *October 1876*

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1.	<i>Gundapur</i>	24	4	4	4		
#1	<i>Salug-Kachari and Subudary Jail at Jumnulundugur</i>	1,835	2,562	727	444	<i>District Engineer's reply.</i>	<i>Orders deferred pending District Engineer's reply.</i>
2.	<i>Calcut</i>		696	696	12	<i>The District Engineer states that this work was carried out in emergency and that a bill has been submitted to the Master Attendant.</i>	<i>No orders required.</i>
	<i>Repairs to Calcut pier</i>					<i>Administrative Department forwarded and appropriation</i>	

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PART I.—Irregularities with respect to Estimate.

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	<i>Beawada</i>						<i>check No 5507/19 Feb 77</i>
1	<i>Repairing Travellers Bungalows at Wagon</i>	474	775	301	105	District Engineer's reply awaited	1. Orders objected pending District Engineer's reply.
	<i>Calicut</i>						
2	<i>Repairs to Calicut pier</i>		696	696	12	It has been pointed out to the District Engineer's satisfaction by O No 3085 dated 20th November 1876 that there should be no further delay in the preparation of the Estimate for the work	2. No further orders required.
	<i>Chikhal</i>						
3	<i>Fixing of lanterns on the top of the abutment at Bellingapatam</i>	900	1161	261	300	District Engineer's reply awaited	3. Estimate of Rs 1650 submitted in O No 3085 of 22 January 1877.
4	<i>Store shed at Bellingapatam</i>	4,355	4,584	229		The District Engineer states that the excess over Estimate will be adjusted by sale of materials	4. No further orders required
	<i>Kambam</i>						
5	<i>Building of Substation at Kambam</i>		44,462	44,462		On their order on the statement of objectable items for July 1876, 24, 2083 dated 20th December 1876, Government state that nothing can at present be decided about	5. Do - do

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	Kurambanadu					Public buildings at Kurambanadu	
6	Repairing Government Buildings		2887 277			The Government have ordered on the statement for July report the District Engineer to sanction the estimate without delay.	6. No further orders required.
7	Painting of Buildings	5830	6273	643		District Engineer's explanation awarded Engineer's report.	7. Orders deferred pending sanction of Engineer's report.
8	Renewing roof of Sub Court house Mangalore	2960	3372	412		The District Engineer has stated that the excess will be reduced to within 5 percent by sale of surplus materials.	8. No further orders required.
	Mount						
9	Maintenance of Quindys water supply		764	764		District Engineer has fully awarded the amount required.	9. No further orders required.
10	Building gift to floor frames of Government house Quindys		280	280			
	Nelluru Southern						
11	Large Kachari at Gudur	2910	4065	1135	133	The District Engineer has stated that the amount required will be within the limit of the Government's estimate.	11. No further orders required.
	Nelluru Northern						
12	Police Hospital Nellore	6370	6926	556		The District Engineer has stated that the revised estimate is under preparation.	12. No further orders required.

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	<i>Nilgiri</i>						
13	Improving the road through Kandal Bazgaon		4,121	4,121	126	The District Engineer has sanctioned Rs. 126 for the improvement of the road through Kandal Bazgaon. The work was completed in January 1917.	13- Vide para 11 of G.O. No. 130 of 15-1-1917.
14	Improvements to the road connecting the two towns of the District	24,100	25,250	1,250		The District Engineer has sanctioned Rs. 1,250 for the improvement of the road connecting the two towns of the District. The work was completed in January 1917.	14- Vide para 12 of G.O. No. 130 of 15-1-1917.
15	Improvements for filling the breach in the wall of the reservoir at the Government House		2,781	2,781		The District Engineer has sanctioned Rs. 2,781 for the improvement of the wall of the reservoir at the Government House. The work was completed in January 1917.	15- Vide para 13 of G.O. No. 130 of 15-1-1917.
16	Repairing the bridge near the Government House		4,29	4,29		The District Engineer has sanctioned Rs. 4,29 for the repair of the bridge near the Government House. The work was completed in January 1917.	16- Vide para 14 of G.O. No. 130 of 15-1-1917.
17	Repairing the bridge near the Government House		1,997	1,997		The District Engineer has sanctioned Rs. 1,997 for the repair of the bridge near the Government House. The work was completed in January 1917.	17- Vide para 15 of G.O. No. 130 of 15-1-1917.
18	Repairing the bridge near the Government House		1,669	1,669		The District Engineer has sanctioned Rs. 1,669 for the repair of the bridge near the Government House. The work was completed in January 1917.	18- Vide para 16 of G.O. No. 130 of 15-1-1917.
19	Repairing the bridge near the Government House		1,669	1,669		The District Engineer has sanctioned Rs. 1,669 for the repair of the bridge near the Government House. The work was completed in January 1917.	19- Vide para 17 of G.O. No. 130 of 15-1-1917.

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