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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

12th January 1878, No. 167 W.

General.
Establishment.

Read the following paper:—

No. 106. From W. S. HARRINGTON, Esq., District Engineer, Madura, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp, Dindigul, 5th January 1878, No. 294.

I HAVE the honor to forward, for the information of Government, the enclosed copy of the Madura Range Officer's No. 3,511, dated 1st instant, attached to Mr. Supervisor Prout's No. 328, of the 20th ultimo, reporting the loss of his office records by floods in the Vigay River.

From Mr. J. E. PROUT, Supervisor, Zemindary Sub-Division, to H. B. HUTCHINGS, Esq., Assistant Engineer, Madura Division, dated Ramnad, 20th December 1877, No. 328.

In continuation of my telegram I beg to state that all records have been recovered from ruins of Mana Madura travellers' bungalow, except one bundle containing printed forms, stationery and Government Orders for last and current year, which appears to have been washed away by the water; the above were tied in a cloth covered with a piece of tarpaulin from insufficiency of room in the two office-boxes, as on my last tour of inspection I was obliged to carry all old records, &c., with me to meet Overseer Mr. Fonseca's wishes of preparing the statements. I left the office-boxes, together with my tent, &c., at the travellers' bungalow at Mana Madura under the charge of a lascar, as I had to travel light, having to proceed across country to inspect the granaries at Narigoody, Natur and Durmam. My tent, &c., has been completely destroyed. All precautions, &c., necessary, as I beg will be seen, were taken by me, and the unusually high fresh in the Vigay was an accident never known to the oldest inhabitants of this Zemindary, and the travellers' bungalow referred to was built on a much higher level than any known fresh in the river.

FORWARDED to the District Engineer, Madura, for information.

MADURA,
1st January 1878.

(Signed) H. B. HUTCHINGS,
Assistant Engineer, Madura Division.

No. 107. ORDER THEREON, 12th January 1878, No. 167 W.
ORDERED to be recorded.
(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

To the District Engineer, Madura.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
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To
THE DISTRICT ENGINEER,

MADRAS.

Dated January 12th.

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G. O., 12th January 1878, No. 107 W

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Nos. 106-107.

Office Records—Letter from the District Engineer, Madras, submitting report of the loss of — of the sub-division office by the recent flood, recorded.

No. 328

From,

The Supervisor, J. P. W.

Jemindary Sub. Division.

To,

The Assistant Engineer,

Madura Division.

Sir,

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I beg &c

(Signed) J. E. Prout

Supervisor J. P. W.

N^o 3511

(True copy)

Madura Division office

1st January 1878.

Forwarded to the District Engineer,
Madura for information

(Signed) A. B. Hutchings

Assistant Engineer

Madura Division

(True copy)

W. Swinerton

District Engineer

Enclo: 1. in a letter from the Dist
Eng^r Madras to the Secy to
Govt. P. W. D. Madras No 294.
dated 5th January/78.

Copy of Mr. Prout's
letter.

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No 294.

From W. S. Harrington Esq^r.

District Engineer,

Madura

To Colonel C. A. Ford R. C.

Secretary to Government, P. W. D.

Madras

Sir, I have the honor to forward for the information of Government the enclosed copy of the Madura Range Officer's No 3511 dated 1st Instant attached to Mr Supervisor Prout's No 328 of the 20th ultimo reporting the loss of his office records by floods in the Vijay river.

I have the honor to be,

Sir

Your most obedient servant

W. Harrington

District Engineer

Hon. Mr. Huntington
— E. H. D.

From

The District Engineer,
Madras

To, The Secretary to Govt.
P. W. Dept.
Madras.

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S. R. Madras
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G. O., 17 Jan 1878, No. 1076

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