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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

19th July 1879, No. 1,908 W.

General.
Account.

Read the following paper :—

No. 116. From Major H. M. VIBART, R.E., Acting Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 2nd July 1879, No. 3,872.

I HAVE the honor to bring to your notice that on the receipt of G.Os., Nos. 558 W and 984 W, dated 4th and 28th February 1878, ordering the execution of the extension of the main drain pipe, Madras, the late District Engineer, Presidency, made arrangements with the Executive Engineer of the Madras Municipality for carrying out the work. These arrangements the District Engineer reported to you in his No. 119, dated 5th April 1878, and requested instructions. In reply he was requested in your memorandum No. 1,826, dated 13th April 1878, to proceed with the work utilizing all available material and adopting the least expensive mode of effecting the object in view, and to submit an estimate of the cost of the work for sanction and appropriation of funds. On the receipt of this memorandum the District Engineer again placed himself in communication with the Executive Engineer of the Municipality and requested him to prepare an estimate. An estimate amounting to Rupees 4,507-11-5 for lengthening the drain 150 feet was submitted on the 26th April 1878 by the latter officer, whose inquiry if he could go on with the staging in anticipation of sanction, was replied to in the affirmative by the District Engineer in his No. 752, dated 8th May 1878. Inquiries were mean time being made as to whether any materials were available in the district and in the Public Works Stores for the work at rates lower than those entered in the Municipal Engineer's estimate, as the materials of Captain Taylor's pier, which it was proposed in G.O., No. 984 W, dated 28th February 1878, to utilize on this work had been found to be unserviceable. No materials, however, were available either from the District or the Public Works Stores, and the work appears to have been proceeded with by the Municipal Engineer till October 1878, when the District Engineer in his letter No. 4,299, dated 21st October 1878, desired that officer to stop it and to supply a statement showing the expenditure incurred up to date. The bills of the cost of work done amounting to Rupees 3,100-3-6 and Rupees 45-2-2 submitted by the Municipal Engineer, are enclosed. The Executive Engineer, Presidency Division, reports that on the date of the stoppage of the work, the pipes had been extended 100 feet; that in December last the staging which cost the greater portion of the money was destroyed; and that the pipes were damaged, and that at present nothing of the work can be seen as all is covered over with sand.

2. - The bills have been checked as far as possible in this office. The rate for casuarina poles is high, and there are no details for the amount charged for labor. Considering the nature of the work, it is not possible to apply any check to the bills.

3. As the Municipal Engineer has applied for the early settlement of bills, I have the honor to request sanction and appropriation of the necessary funds to enable payment of the bills being made to the Municipality.

No. 117. ORDER THEREON, 19th July 1879, No. 1,908 W.

UNDER the explanation furnished, the Superintending Engineer is authorised to disburse the amount of the bills, Rupees 3,145, to the Municipality.

2. As ruled in G.O., No. 558 W, dated 4th February 1878, the charge will be debited to the Harbour Works.

(True Extract.)

Major, R.E.,
Ag. Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Third Circle.
" Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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GENERAL
ACCOUNT.

Gobt. of (1879) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To
The SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
THIRD CLIP

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Dated July 1879.

Amount

Rs.

And

G. O. 10th July 1879, No. 1,908 W.

JULY.

Nos. 116-117.

Madras, Madras—Authorizes the
disbursement to the Municipality of the
cost of extending the — the charge to be
debited to the Harbour Works.

No. 3872

S. C. C. C.
Superintending Engineer's Office.
Chennai
Saint Thomas Mount, 2nd July 1879

From

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER.

Chennai S. C. C. C.

To

The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department

Sir,

Enc 2 Bills

I have the honor to bring to your
notice that on the receipt of G. O.
Nos. 558 W and 984 W dated 4th and 28th
February 1878, ordering the execution
of the extension of the main drain
pipe—Madras—the late District
Engineer's Presidency made arrange-
ments with the Executive Engineer
of the Madras Municipality for
carrying out the work. These arrange-
ments the District Engineer
reported to you in his No. 119, dated
5th April 1878, and requested in-
structions. In reply he was re-
quested in your Memorandum No.
1926, dated 13th April 1878 to proceed
with the work utilizing all available
material and adopting the least
expensive mode of effecting the

object in view - and to submit an estimate of the cost of the work for sanction and appropriation of funds. On the receipt of this Memorandum the District Engineer again placed himself in communication with the Executive Engineer of the Municipality, and requested him to prepare an estimate. An estimate amounting to Rs 4507-11-5 for lengthening the drain 150 feet was submitted on the 26th April 1878 by the latter officer, whose enquiry if he could go on with the staging in anticipation of sanction, was replied to in the affirmative by the District Engineer in his No 752 dated 8th May 1878. Enquiries were meantime being made as to whether any materials were available in the District, and in the P.M. Stores, for the work, at rates lower than those entered in the Municipal Engineer's Estimate - as the materials of Kaptein Enlois pie, which it was proposed in G.O. No 984 N dated 28th February 1878, to utilize on this work had been found to be unserviceable. No materials, however, were available either from the District or the P.M. Stores.

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and the work appears to have been proceeded with by the Municipal Engineer till October 1878, when the District Engineer in his letter No 4299, dated 21st October 1878, desired that officer to stop it, and to supply a statement showing the expenditure incurred up to date. The Bills of the cost of work done, amounting to Rs 3100-8-6 and Rs 45-2-2 submitted by the Municipal Engineer are enclosed. The Executive Engineer Presidency Division reports that on the date of the stoppage of the work, the pipe had been extended 100 feet - that in December last the staging, which cost the greater portion of the money, was destroyed - and that the pipes were damaged - and that at present nothing of the work can be seen as all is covered over with sand.

2. The Bills have been checked as far as possible in this office. The rate for Casuarina poles is high, and there are no details for the amount charged for labor. Considering the nature of the work, it is not possible to apply any check

to the Bills.

3. As the Municipal Engineer has applied for the early settlement of the Bills, I have the honor to request sanction and appropriation of the necessary funds to enable payment of the Bills being made to the Municipality.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obedient servant

Wm. H. V. Major M.C.
As Supr Engineer P. Circle.

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From the Supy Engr 3^d C

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Extension of the Main
Drain pipe Madras
— Requesting
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for payment to the
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to City 5-4

N^o 1908 W Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 19th July/79
Read the following:—

From the Supy Engr 3^d C (N^o 3872 d/2^d July 1879)

Under the explanation
furnished, the Superin-
tending Engineer is
authorised to disburse
the amount of the bills,
Rupees 3,145, to the
Municipality.

2 As ruled in G.O.
N^o 558 W, dated 11th
February 1878, the charge
will be debited to the
Harbour Works.

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Govt. of (1879) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

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G. O. 19 July 1879, No. 1908 W

No. 116-117

Major Genl. Madras

Authorizes the disbursement
to the Municipality of the
Cost of attending the
the charge to be debited
to the Harbour works.