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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

19th February 1879, No. 466 W.

General.  
Account.

Read the following paper :—  
No. 131.

IMPERIAL, BUILDINGS AND ROADS.  
PART I.—Irregularities with respect to Estimate.

| Item Number. | Particulars.                                                                                  | Number of Appearances in Statements of Objectable Items. | Month in the Accounts of which Objectable Expenditure first appeared. | 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.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
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| 1.           | WITHOUT ESTIMATE.<br><i>Chingleput.</i><br>New Barracks at Poonamallee                        | 14                                                       | Sept. 1877.                                                           | Rs. ..              | Rs. 6,589               | Rs. 5,589             | 10                        | Specially reported to Government in letter No. 13 B, dated 4th October 1878. It is stated in G.O. No. 3,480 W, dated 2nd September 1878, that the orders of the Government of India on Proceedings, No. 2,317, dated 28th May 1878, must be awaited.                                                                                                                                                                              | No. 132. ORDER THEREON, 19th February 1879, No. 466 W.<br><br>Vide paragraph 1 of G.O., No. 343 W, of 1st February 1879.                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 2.           | <i>Original.</i><br>Making road from Trunk road near Kavalli to Salt platform.                | 24                                                       | Nov. 1875.                                                            | ..                  | 14,766                  | 14,766                | 20-                       | Specially reported to Government in letter No. 13 B, dated 4th October 1878. Expenditure is still going on without an estimate.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 2. Vide paragraph 2 of the Government Order quoted above, and paragraph 3 of G.O., No. 4,874, dated 31st December 1878.                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 3.           | EXCESS OVER ESTIMATE.<br><i>Presidency.</i><br>Making improvements to the Gun Powder Factory. | 3                                                        | Sept. 1875.                                                           | 54,010              | 57,169                  | 3,159                 | 1,921                     | The Superintending Engineer of the Third Circle reports under date the 13th December 1878, that a revised estimate is now under preparation and will be submitted to Government for sanction shortly. The normal value of the famine relief entrelay which is not known, as the completion report has not come to hand, should be included in the expenditure here shown and be taken account of in framing the revised estimate. | 3. Vide paragraph 4 of G.O., No. 343 W, dated 1st February 1879. It is observed that two months have elapsed since the date (15th December) of the Superintending Engineer's promise to submit the revised estimate to Government. He will be good enough to state definitely when the revised estimate will be ready for submission to Government. |

PART I.—Irregularities with respect to Estimate—continued.

| Item Number | Particulars                                                                                       | Number of Accounts in which Statements of Objectable Items | Month in the Accounts of which Objectable Expenditure first appeared. | 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.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
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| 4.          | Excess over Estimate—continued.<br><i>Contor.</i><br>Repairing the shed at hay yard, Muldagherry. | 9                                                          | Feb. 1878.                                                            | 1,862<br>56,872     | 2,064<br>69,283         | 232<br>3,391          | ..<br>1,921               | The District Engineer reports, under date the 18th September 1878, that an additional estimate will be disposed of shortly. Expenditure was last incurred in June 1878. It is still more unsatisfactory that a further period of more than two months should have elapsed without any report having been received from the Superintending Engineer of the action taken by him. | 4. <i>Vide</i> paragraph 5 of the Government Order quoted in paragraph 1 above, and paragraph 6 of G.O., No. 4,874, dated 31st December 1878. It is still more unsatisfactory that a further period of more than two months should have elapsed without any report having been received from the Superintending Engineer of the action taken by him. |

## Miscellaneous Irregularities.

| Division.  | Name of Work, &c.                                                                 | Number of Accounts in which Statements of Objectable Items. | Month in the Accounts of which Objectable Expenditure first appeared. | Number of Works. | Amount of Estimate. | Amount Expended. | Remarks by Examiner.                                                                                                                                  | Orders by Local Government.                                                                                       |
|------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Chingapat  | Works completed without Estimate.<br>Re-roofing the old hospital at Poona-mallee. | 9                                                           | Feb. 1878.                                                            | 1                | ..                  | Rs. 4,456        | The sanction of Government is requested to enable this office to pass the expenditure. The work was reported complete in the month of September 1878. | 5. <i>Vide</i> paragraph 6 of G.O., No. 343 W, of 1st February 1879.                                              |
| Presidency | Minor repairs to the building of the Gunpowder Factory.                           | 7                                                           | Feb. 1878.                                                            | 1                | ..                  | 698              | The second work is within the Superintending Engineer's power of sanction.                                                                            | 6. The Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, will take steps for the removal of the item from future statements. |

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| Bengalore  | Completion Reports not submitted to Examiner. Works above Rs. 2,500.                                            | .. | .. | .. | 1  | 6,460  | 6,459  | Completed in August 1878 ..                                                                                                                                                                     | 7. <i>Vide</i> paragraph 8 of G.O., No. 1,874 W, of 31st December 1878.        |
| Tindivanam | Repairing the roof of the Cavalry Stables.<br>Excavating Palind drainage channel and building a bridge over it. | .. | .. | .. | 1  | 4,985  | 4,094  | Do. in November 1878.                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                |
| Bengalore  | Works below Rs. 2,500.                                                                                          | .. | .. | .. | 2  | 10,445 | 9,493  |                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                |
| Bengalore  | ..                                                                                                              | .. | .. | .. | 11 | 5,185  | 3,957  | Government are particularly requested to impress upon the Superintending Engineers the importance of a more punctual submission of completion reports.                                          | 8. <i>Vide</i> paragraphs 8 and 9 of G.O., No. 4,874 W, of 31st December 1878. |
| Bengalore  | ..                                                                                                              | .. | .. | .. | 1  | 256    | 196    |                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                |
| Bengalore  | ..                                                                                                              | .. | .. | .. | 3  | 219    | 243    |                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                |
| Bengalore  | ..                                                                                                              | .. | .. | .. | 1  | 235    | 238    |                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                |
| Bengalore  | ..                                                                                                              | .. | .. | .. | 1  | 745    | 745    |                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                |
| Bengalore  | ..                                                                                                              | .. | .. | .. | 3  | 1,608  | 1,346  |                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                |
| Bengalore  | ..                                                                                                              | .. | .. | .. | 1  | 265    | 265    |                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                |
| Bengalore  | ..                                                                                                              | .. | .. | .. | 18 | 11,021 | 10,484 |                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                |
| Bengalore  | ..                                                                                                              | .. | .. | .. | 39 | 19,643 | 17,524 |                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                |
| Bengalore  | Work Abstracts for Works above Rs. 10,000 not submitted to Examiner.                                            | .. | .. | .. | 1  | 44,600 | 2,162  | Without these monthly abstracts of work done this office is unable, by an examination of the rates at which the Executive Engineers are working, to check an impending excess over an estimate. |                                                                                |
| Bengalore  | Constructing a 4th-class Gymnasium.                                                                             | .. | .. | .. | 1  | 28,350 | 14,766 |                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                |
| Bengalore  | Road from Trunk road near Kavali Salt platform.                                                                 | .. | .. | .. | 1  | 10,330 | 6,796  |                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                |
| Bengalore  | Lawrence Asylum at Ooty ..                                                                                      | .. | .. | .. | 3  | 83,280 | 23,724 |                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                |

(True Extract.)

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Objectionable Items.—Orders on Statement  
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for November 1878 under Imperial Build-  
ings and Roads.

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Public Works Accounts,

To

The Secretary to Government,  
Public Works Department,  
Fort Saint George.

Dated 7 February 1879.  
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Forwards for the orders of the Local  
Government a Statement of Objectionable  
Items in the Accounts of Executive Officers for  
the month of November 1878,  
under Imperial, Buildings and Roads.

L. M. Gordon

Examiner, P. W. Accounts.

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10 1-2-77 No 34316.  
31-12-78 - 4874 W.  
25-5-78 - 5288.  
2-9-78 - 3488 W.  
28-5-78 - 2017 W.

100919-2-77

## Imperial, Buildings and Roads.

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| 2        | Without Estimate<br>Chingleput | 147                                                                             | 4                   | 4                       | 4                     | 4                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                     |
| 1.       | New Barracks at<br>Panamallee  | 14 Sept 77.                                                                     | "                   | 6589                    | 6589                  | 10.                       | Special Report to Government in letter No 18 B, dated 11 October 1878. It is photoed in O. A. No 3480 W. dated 25 September 1878, that the orders of the Government of India on Proceedings No 2317, dated 28 May 1878 must be awaited. | Vide para 1 of O. A. No 343 W of 1st February 1879. |

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2. Making roads from  
Frank road near  
Kavalli to Salt plat-  
form

24 Nov 76 " 14766 14766 20

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Excess over Estimate

Presidentency

3. Making Improvements  
to the Gun Powder  
Factory

3 Sep 73 54010 57169 5169 1921.

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good enough to state  
definitely when the period  
terminable will be ready  
for submission to Govt.

Specially reported 2. Vide para 2  
to Government of the above R.O.  
in letter No 18 B  
dated 11 October  
1878. Expenditure is  
still going on  
without an  
estimate.

The Superintendent 3. grows more and more  
inquisitive of the  
Government. He has observed  
that this month  
15 December 1878  
that a revised  
estimate is now  
under  
re-estimate to Govt.

Number which in the  
appear accounts  
in which the  
Statement, in which  
of objects, expenditure  
is made to appear  
Items.

Particulars.

Item No.

Amount  
of  
Estimate.

Expendi-  
ture up  
to date.

Excess  
over  
Estimate.

Expendi-  
ture  
during  
month.

Opinion of the District  
Engineer, with special remarks  
by Examiner.

Orders by Local Government.

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account of in  
forming the revised  
Estimate.

Excess per Estimate (Contd)  
Roorkee

4. Repairing the shed  
at Bay and Mudda.  
-sherry

9 Feb 78

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The District Engineer, vide para 5  
reports under  
date the 18<sup>th</sup>  
September 1878,  
that an additional  
Estimate will be  
disposed of shortly.  
Expenditure was  
not incurred in  
June 1878.

55872 59263 3391 1921

768  
51

para  
No 4874  
Dec 1878

Opinion of the District  
Engineer, with final remarks  
by Examiner.

Expenditure during month.

Excess  
over  
Estimate.

Expenditure up to date.

Amount  
of  
Estimate.

Particulars.

Item No.

Orders by Local Government.

Miscellaneous Irregularities.

Completion reports not  
submitted to Examiner.  
Wetmore, No 2500

Wer No above No 2500.

Bangalore—<sup>a</sup> repairing the roof of the  
Lecobin Hall's.

Indian name - Gawaating, called Drunag.  
Chal-building a bridge over it.

1 5460 5459 completed in August 1878. Vido paras  
of L.O. No 4874  
— do in November — of 31.22 Dec 1878

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| 1 | 4985  | 110311 |
| 2 | 10445 | 9493   |



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Orders in statement  
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of Executive Officers for  
the 1878 under Imperial  
Buildings & Road

By the Sec P W a  
in S. 1879 1st 2nd  
3rd, 4th, 5th — C. 1196

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