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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

28th March 1879, No. 955 W.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

Read the following paper :—

No. 333. Circular from the Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, Civil Works (Telegraph), to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department (Railway Branch), dated Fort William, 18th March 1879, No. 1 T.

In inviting attention to Public Works Department Circular, No. 1, dated 21st September 1874, I am directed to state, for information and future guidance, that as all Public Works telegrams are paid for out of grants for work or establishment, and such expenditure really means a reduction of work or a reduction of the power of supervising it, it is necessary that care should be taken not to expend money in using the telegraph for messages that could, with equal advantage to the public service, be sent by post.

2. These orders are not intended to prevent the use of the telegraph on any urgent cases, but it is observed that many of the long and expensive telegraph messages received in this office are due to inattention on the part of officers to the orders requiring periodical papers, especially those connected with the budgets, to be submitted in due time.

3. The Government of India considers that this want of foresight, on the part of those responsible for their preparation, causes not only an expense on this department, which should be avoided, but much inconvenience and waste of time in the delay which occurs in the submission to the Government of India and the Secretary of State of periodical reports.

No. 334. ORDER THEREON, 28th March 1879, No. 955 W.

Communicated to all officers of the Department.

The Chief and Superintending Engineers should give their careful attention to the third paragraph, and issue such orders as will insure the punctual submission of all periodical returns.

2. Communicated also to all Departments of Government.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.
for Irrigation.
" Consulting Engineer for Railways.
" Superintending Engineers.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" of Railway Accounts.
" General Superintendent, Public Works Workshops.
" Consulting Architect.
" Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works.
" Departments of Government.

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Govt. of Madras

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THE CHIEF ENGINEER
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

6th March 1879

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G. O. 20th March 1879. No. 333-334.

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No. 333-334

For the Government of India, relative to the
revision of expenditure, as account of—
for the submission of periodical papers
concerning the budgets, communicated to all
officers of the Department, and all Depar-
tments of Government.

Circular No. 1 Telegraph.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
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Telegraph.

To

THE GOVERNMENTS OF MADRAS AND BOMBAY, IN THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
IRRIGATION AND RAILWAY BRANCHES.
THE GOVERNMENTS OF BENGAL, NORTH WESTERN PROVINCES AND OUDH, AND
PUNJAB, IN THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH.
THE CHIEF COMMISSIONERS, CENTRAL PROVINCES, BRITISH BURMAH, MYSORE AND
COORG, AND ASSAM.
THE RESIDENT AT HYDERABAD.
THE AGENTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL FOR CENTRAL INDIA AND RAJPOOTANA.
THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PORT BLAIR, AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER, ANDAMAN AND
NICOBAR ISLANDS.
THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF MILITARY WORKS.
THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
THE DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

Fort William, March 18, 1879.

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SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

J. J. Wolfe

For Secy. to the Govt. of India.

To The Joint Secy to the Govt. of Madras.
P. W. Deptt. Irrigation Branch

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B. R. Cl. Works.
No 955 W Public Works Department.

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UNDER date the 28th March 79

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