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GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

15th March 1882, No. 668 W.

General.
Account.

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To Superintending Engineers.
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GENERAL.
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Govt. of (1882) Madras

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated March, 15th.

Issued

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 15th March 1882, No. 668 W.

MARCH.
Nos. 100-101.

Famine Tools.—Orders passed regarding the disposal of —.

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Rd. H. Sankey
Col. R.E.
Secy to Govt. P.W.D.

Exd.
C.l. Cor 4/2

No. 491.

Supdg. Engr's. Office
Bellary 27th Feby /82

From
Major J. Pennycuick R.E.
Superintending Engineer
3rd Circle

To
The Chief Engineer
Public Works Dept.
Madras

Sir,

Enclosure
G.O. No. 324 R.D.
with 3 Encls.

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Your most obdt. servant
Jno Pennycuick Major R.E.
Superintending Engineer
3rd Circle

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Statement showing the amount required for the Pay of Watchers employed on Famine Tools.

Name of Talugs.	April 1880	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	January 1881.	February 1881	March 1881.	Total.
Voilpaud	.	.	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	50.
Kudiri	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	60
Madhanapully	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	60
Rayachoty	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	60
Sidhout	.	.	.	6	6	6	4	4	4	4	4	4	42.
Jammelmadorgoo	6	6	6	6	6	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	58
Proddatore	6	6	6	6	6	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	58
Cuddapah	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
Rajampett	6	6	6	6	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	56
Wontimettah	6	6	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	52
Pulivendlah	6	6	6	6	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	56
Budwail	.	6	6	6	6	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	52
												Total Rs.	610*

* Of which Rs 333 have been paid already and Rs 277 remain to be paid

WHM.

Cuddapah
22nd March 1881.

W.H. Mulligan
Executive Engineer

From P. W. C. No. 1287

The Superintending Engineer
3rd Circle.

To

The Chief Engineer
Public Works Dept.
Madras.

Of 27th February 1882.

Recd. ~~28~~

No. 491

Famine Tools Cuddapah District.

Reporting on the —

G.O. 915 W. 4-4-81
" 1838 W. 27-7-81
" 1839 W. 27-7-81
" 2761 W. 8-11-81
" 230 W. 27-1-82
" 368 C. 10-2-82

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No. 3577

Supg. Engr's. Office 1st C.
Madras
Chepauk 24th March /80

From

The Superintending Engr.
1st Circle

To,

The Chief Engineer
P.W.D.
Madras

Sir,

I have the honour to request that an appropriation of Rs. 610 may be sanctioned, with a view to the adjustment of the pay of watchers employed to look after the Famine Tools which were taken over from the Revenue Department under G.O. No. 2169 R of the 19th August 1879.

2. The details of the charges incurred by the Executive Engineer of the Cuddapah Division are given in the enclosed statement. The roads have

been in the hands of the Local Fund Boards, and with only 2 Overseers in the District there was no one available to look after the tools; and hired watchers were necessarily obtained

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obedt. Servt.
Alexr Prendergast
Lt. Col. R.E.
Superintending Engineer
1st Circle

I.W. C.R. 1877

P.O. 20. 2169 W. 15-8-79.

From,
The Supdg Engineer
1st Circle

To,
The Chief Engineer
P.W.D.
Madras.

Dated 24th March/81
Recd. 25th

No. 3577

Watchers employed to look after famine tools.

Requesting to allot R. 610 to meet the charges for—

25-3. R. 28-3.

No. 848 W

668/12

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 29th March/81.

Read the following :—

From,
The Supdg Engineer
1st Circle } (H.C. No. 3577 of 24th March/81.)

An appropriation of Rs. 610 is made from the Provincial Reserve to meet the charges in question.

2. This sanction is registered as Provincial No. 60 W of 1880-81 and classified as Establishment.

25/3

To
The Supdg Engr. 1st Circle ✓
" Exr. P.W. Accts: ✓

Despd
29-3-81

R.S.

B.A. 848W/29- March/81

C. 25.3. N 282

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
MADRAS,

No. 658

Chepauk, 20th June 1881.

668/13

From Lt. Col. H. L. Prendergast R.E.
~~THE~~ SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
1ST CIRCLE,

To

THE Chief Engineer
Public Works Department.

Enclosures.
1 Estimate.

SIR,

I have the honor to submit for sanction and allotment of funds an estimate of Rs. 360/ for watchers to look after the Famine tools which were taken over from the Revenue Department in the Cuddapah District. In G. O. No. 848 W of 29th March 1881, Rs. 610 were appropriated from the Provincial Reserve to meet similar charges in 1880-81.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
H. L. Prendergast
Lt. Col. R.E.
Superintending Engineer 1st Circle

B.N. 848 W. d/ 29th March 1881

From P.W.C. No. 3

The Superintending Engineer,

1st Circle,

To

The Chief Engine

Public Works Departm

Dated 20th } June 188
Recd. 21st }

ENCLOSURES. 1 Estimate

No. 658

Watchers to look after Famine tools in the Cuddapah District. Submits an estimate for — for sanction and allotment of funds.

G. 24.6.81. R. 1.7.81

No. 1634 W

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 2nd July 1881

Read the following:—

From the Supdg Engr 1st Circle — } No. 658 d/20 June/81

The Estimate is sanctioned, and the sum of Rs 360 is appropriated from the grant made in the Provincial Budget for 1881/82 for temporary Establishment.

2. This sanction is registered as Provincial No. 17 W of 1881-82 and classified as Establishment—

The Supdg Engr 1 Circle & Exr P. W. Accts with estimate

Sd/- 2-7-81

B. N. 848 W. of 29th March 1881

B. N. 1634 W. of 2nd July 1881

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List of Serviceable Famine Tools remaining in the District of Cuddapah -

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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
Axes hand —	"	"	6	31	"		.	60	"	"	6	93
Do Pick Europe —	5038	1290	360	2669	3004	190	3383	7890	4708	6788	4641	39961
Mamaties —	6164	2500	2600	3320	780	113	2749	4473	6438	8142	6001	43280
Do Country —	"	57	"	-	.	-	.	-	-	-	.	57
Crowbars —	5328	250	31	167	26	304	610	376	236	765	849	8830
Stone Hammers —	3676	2200	550	"	2844	1548	3968	244	3130	11693	4206	34069
Handles of Pick Axes	2800	"	"	"	2064	190	-	-	-	-	-	5054
Hammers —	"	"	"	2855	2000	-	-	-	-	.	-	4855
Jumpers —	1331	18	15	30	"	.	82	34	24	480	59	2076
Sledge Hammers —	70	55	10	103	"	600	313	2	1	416	208	1678
Felling Axes —	"	37	"	-	.	.	3	12	-	-	.	52
Bill hooks —		9	"	"	"	.	20	158	108	235	168	811
Do Country —		5	"	"	"	.	.	"	"	.	"	5
Picks —	"	50	150	"	"	.	1206	"	.	248	250	2190
Jumping bars —		"	1	"	.	.	"	.	.	.	"	1
Mining ...			1	"	.	.	"	"	.	.	.	1

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ing Iron			12	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	12
ns Axes			3	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3
Iron Rammers		5	"	"	"	"	"	48	75	"	83	251
Do Rollers		6	"	"	"	"	"	20	20	14	10	70
Country Axes		5	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	6
Wooden Rammers	"	"	310	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	310
Helves	3049	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3049
Weights 56 lbs	173	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	173
Do — 28 Do	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	8
Do — 14 Do	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	8
Do — 7 Do	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	8
Do — 4 Do	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	8
Do — 2 Do	10	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	10
Do — 1 Do	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	8
Prickers for fodders	52	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	52
Doing	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Beams	6	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	6
Chains	12	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	12
Plates	12	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	12
Small measures	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3
Iron triangle	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Brass scale	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Copper Do	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Brass weights 4 lbs	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Do 2	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2
Do 1	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3
Do 1/2	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Brass 1 [illegible]	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Do 1/2	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Do 1/4	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Do 1/8	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Do 8 oz	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2
Do 6	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Do 4	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2
Do 2	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1
Do 1	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2
Do 1/2	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2

× Of these 417 are stored in Badul Zalik Cutchery –

C. R. [illegible]

Acting Collector

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Executive Engineer's Office
Cuddapah 22nd October 1881.
Despd 23rd.

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From The Executive Engineer
Cuddapah Division.

To The Collector
of Cuddapah.

Sir,

Encl 1.

With reference to your letter No. 3052 dated 11th Instant, I have the honour to inform you that there is no Government Order under which my predecessor considered himself debarred from taking charge of the Famine Tools in the Pullumpett Taluk.

x Nos. 126 & 1780 dated 14th April and 1st September 1880

2. I enclose Copies of letters[x] from the Superintending Engineer 1st Circle. Conveying instructions to the Executive Engineer under which he was precluded from taking charge of Famine Tools.

I have &c.

(Signed) Jackson Captain
Assistant Engineer.
In charge Cuddapah Dn.

(True Copy)

Acting Collector

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Copy of letter No. 126 dated 14th April 1881
from the Superintending Engineer 1st Circle
to the Executive Engineer, Cuddapah Division

With reference to your endorsement No. 7 dated 5th Instant, I have the honour to inform you that I have represented to the Chief Engineer that the present reduced Public Works Department is unable to keep charge of famine tools and I have recommended that the Collector should take them back and provide for their Custody –

Copy of Memo No. 1780 dated 1st September/81
from the Superintending Engineer, 1st Circle
to the Executive Engineer, Cuddapah Division

Has the honour to inform him, that no orders have yet been received regarding the transfer of the charge of Famine Tools to the Collector –

The Executive Engineer cannot pay any rent at all for the buildings at Pulivendala –

(True Copies)

(Signed) Jackson Captain
Assistant Engineer
In ch: Cuddapah Division –

(True Copy)

W. R. Dunn
Acting Collector

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the

Read the following :—

Pros. of Govt. Rev. Dept H. G. No 324 d/ 31st Jany 82
From the S. E. 3rd Circle " " 491 d/ 27th Feby 82

Ordered that the letter from the Supdg Engr 3rd Circle above recorded be communicated to the Rev. Dept.

2. Pros. of Govt. in the Rev. Dept No 995 d/ 21st August 1880 were sent to the Committee appointed in G.O. No 2276 W d/ 1st Octr 80, & so were not communicated at the time to Supdg Engr. The Committee's proposals with respect to the disposal of famine tools

JH

I suppose the Fam. Code Coms. Report will deal with this subject.

WH

tools are given in para 42 of their report embodied in G.O. No 914 W d/ 4 April 1881, but the Govt. of India subsequently, in their letters as per margin, approved the course proposed in the Rev. Dept. order of the 21 Augt 1880.

3 These papers will now be communicated to all Supply Engrs for information & Guidance.

Cy

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Original draft superseded

No 95, Home &c dept. d/ 10 Sept 1880, recorded in Rev. Pros. No 1224 of the 23d idem.

No 225 A.G., Public W. Dept. d/ 29 June 1881.

Superseded

6.6.82

To the Rev. Dept. with copies of Pros.
No 914 W d/ 4.4.81 & ~~[illegible]~~
~~8.11.81~~ 230 W d/ 27.1.82.

Supply Engrs

Secy of P. W. [illegible]

C.A.W.

The Famine Code Committee will not deal with the question of tools in detail and the order I have initialed may at once issue so as to bring the whole question within compass for future disposal.

I shall subsequently make definite proposals to Govt. about Famine tools.

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W

Please see the
vised draft proposed
which the instructions
reproduced. This

of famine tools are

File relating to custody & disposal of famine tools —

To W.

A revised draft which will save printing, is submitted for approval.

With reference to the H. H.'s re-mark on the original draft order, it is presumed that the Famine Code Comittee will deal with general principles & not with details such as these?

The order may perhaps issue at once?

Cy

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This is very much clearer than the original draft in which Supply: Engrs are referred to numbers & dates of orders for the instructions necessary for their guidance. The "revised" will supersede the "original" draft.

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C A W

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No. 668 W.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 15th March 1882

Read the following:—

Pros. of Govt. Rev: Dept. A.E. No. 324 d/31 Jany/82
From the S.E. 3d Circle " " 491 d/27 Feby/82.

Ordered that the letter from the Suptg. Engr. 3d Circle above recorded be communicated to the Revenue Dept.

2. Pros: of Govt. in the Rev: Dept. No. 995 d/21 August 1880 were sent to the Committee appointed in G.O. No. 2276 W d/1st Octr/80, and so were not communicated at the time to Suptg. Engrs. The Committee's proposals with respect to the disposal of famine tools are given in

in para 42 of their report embodied in G.O. No. 914 W of 4th April 1881, but the Govt. of India subsequently in their letters as per margin, approved the course proposed in the Rev: Dept Order of the 21st August/80 which runs as follows:—

No. 95, Home &c depts of 10th Septr./80, recorded in Rev: Pros No. 1224 of the 23rd idem

No. 225 A.G. P.W. Dept, of 29th June/81.

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(2) The Govt. now direct that all serviceable articles of the kinds marginally noted should be stored, wherever practicable without much expense, at the Taluk or Huzur Cutcherries or in Public Works stores in the various districts as may be most convenient.

Axes
Crowbars
Jumpers
Hammers
Ring Gauges

Mamoties
Picks
Pick-axes
Rammers-iron

(3) All unserviceable tools of the nature specified, as well as the remaining articles named in the lists received from districts, should be sold by auction and proceeds credited to famine recoveries.

(4) Such things, however, as

Chains
Tapes, measuring

Telescopes
Levels and Staffs.

which are not properly famine tools, should be returned to Public Works stores for repair in the first instance.

(5) When these instructions have been carried out, Collectors will send in a return in the form accompanying Circular Memorandum, dated 5th January/80, No. 1, showing what tools are left and where stored.

(6) In those districts where buildings are rented for purposes of storage, endeavour will be made to deposit all tools as directed in paragraph 2 above, or otherwise to reduce cost of keeping.

(7) The Government do not consider that any expenditure should be incurred for the custody or charge of the tools stored away in Cutcherries or Govt. buildings.

(8) The instructions now given do not apply to the Presidency Division. The return* which has been sent in by the officer in charge will be transferred to

* Dated 3rd March 1880 No. 4905.

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the Public Works Dept for disposal, with the remark that the majority of the articles described are not famine tools, and must appertain to the Public Works Dept, and be dealt with accordingly by that Department.

3. These instructions will now be communicated to all Suptg. Engrs. for information and guidance. With regard to the Presidency Division, the Suptg. Engr. 5th Circle will report whether there are now in it any, & if so what, exce

tools for the disposal
of which Specific
orders are needed.

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Revised Draft

To

The Rev Dept with copies
of Pros: No 914 W a/
4/4/81 & 230 W a/27/1/82
" Suptg: Engrs
" Exr of P. W. Accts.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To

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Dated

Issued

Recd. Encl.

G. O., 15th March 1882, No. 668W

Nos. 100 to 101.

Famine Tools.

Orders passed regard

the disposal of