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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following letter from Colonel J. BEATTY, R.E., Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Coimbatore, 7th January 1884, No. 8 W. :—

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2. The manufacture has now been given out on contract, and the bricks, as manufactured, will be purchased by the department from the contractor and brought on stock until issued to work. It is, therefore, necessary to increase the reserve by about Rs. 2,500.

3. I have, therefore, the honor to request you will be good enough to obtain sanction to an increase of the reserve stock sanctioned in G.O., No. 2163 W., of 7th August 1883, from Rs. 15,000 to Rs. 17,500, as a temporary arrangement. As soon as the bakery or church at Wellington is sanctioned, the stock may be considerably reduced by writing off materials in hand to those works.

ORDER—dated 10th January 1884, No. 70 W., Public Works.

Provincial sanction No. 108 W. of 1883-84 is accordingly cancelled.

2. The proposal to increase the limit of reserve stock in the Nilgiri division to Rs. 17,500, as a temporary measure, is approved.

3. The Superintending Engineer will report on the terms of the contract which he has entered into for making bricks on Stonehouse Hill, and will take early steps to close the brickfield there, and to obliterate, so far as possible, the defacement of the hill-side.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

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GENERAL.
ACCOUNT.

Gobt. of (1884) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated January, 10th.

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G.O., 10th Jan. 1884, No. 70 W.

JANUARY.

Reserve Stock, Nilgiri Division

The limit of —, increased to Rs. 17,500, as a temporary measure, and the brickfield on Stonehouse Hill directed to be closed.

16TH OCTOBER 1882, No. 2691 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

No. 92.

READ—the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel H. R. MEAD, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Coimbatore, 28th September 1882, No. 413:—

I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to obtain the sanction of Government for manufacture of reserve stock materials to the extent of Rs. 31,431, as per the undermentioned estimates submitted by the Executive Engineer, Nilgiri Division, who requires a large supply of bench bricks for execution of several works on the Hills:—

	RS.
I. For improvements to brick-fields at Kandal, Stonehouse Hill and Lovedale	30,557
II. For providing the necessary plant for brick manufacture at do. do. ...	723
III. Repairs, &c., to the plant in the brick-fields at do. do. ...	151
Total ...	31,431

I further request that the reserve limit of the division be raised to Rs. 6,000 in place of Rs. 2,000, fixed in G.O., No. 914 W. of 4th April 1881, as it is necessary on the Nilgiri Hills, where bricks can only be made in the months of December to April, to have a large stock in hand, there has been and will be this year considerable delay in the execution of work owing to there being no materials in hand. I need not point out that there are no materials in the public market.

No. 31.

ORDER—dated 16th October 1882, No. 2691 W., Public Works.

The undermentioned estimates amounting to Rs. 31,431, for the manufacture of reserve stock materials in the Nilgiri Division, are sanctioned and registered as shown below:—

	RS.	
(1.) Repairs to the plant in the brick-fields at Kandal, Stonehouse Hill and Lovedale	151	Register No. 134/1 W. of 1882-83.
(2.) Improvements to brick-fields and burning bricks at do.	30,557	" " 134/2 W. "
(3.) Providing the necessary plant for brick manufacture at do.	723	" " 134/3 W. "

2. Under the circumstances stated by the Superintending Engineer, the limit of reserve stock in the Nilgiri Division is raised to Rs. 6,000 for a period of two years, after which the Superintending Engineer will report whether it is necessary to continue the higher limit.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Offg. Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle, with nine enclosures.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts, with one enclosure.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated October, 16th.

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G.O., 16th Oct. 1882, No. 2691 W.

OCTOBER.
Nos. 92-93.

Manufacture of Reserve Stock
Materials in the Nilgiri
Division.

Estimates, amounting to Rs. 31,431, for the
—, sanctioned.

7TH AUGUST 1883, No. 2163 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following letter from J. C. LARMINIE, Esq., Executive Engineer, Nilgiri Division, to the Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle, dated Ootacamund, 21st July 1883, No. 180 :—

I have the honor to bring to your notice that in paragraph 2 of G.O., No. 2691 W., dated 16th October 1882, the limit of reserve stock for this division was fixed at Rs. 6,000 for two years from that date. It is always found difficult to keep the stock balance within that limit, and from the time the Government Order was passed the stock balance has been every month entered in the Objectionable Items Statements. The balance at the end of June 1883 has been Rs. 17,422-2-6, composed of the following items :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Building Materials	14,618	2	7
Miscellaneous	65	2	6
Stock Manufacture, Land and Kilns	2,738	13	5
Total	17,422	2	6

Under the head Building Materials the largest item is bench bricks at Wellington, 529,908 at Rs. 12 per 1,000 = Rs. 6,340-10-10, and looking to the present state of the grant for works during the current official year, it will take some time for these bricks to be all used up.

2. Under these circumstances, I have the honor to request that sanction may be obtained for the reserve being increased to Rs. 15,000 for two years from date of Government Order quoted above.

No. 304 G.W.

Endorsement on the above.

Submitted to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, with a view of obtaining sanction for the limit of reserve stock in the Nilgiri Division being raised from Rs. 6,000 to Rs. 15,000.

2. As no good building materials can be had in the Nilgiris, there should always be a large reserve stock in hand to avoid delay in the execution of sanctioned works.

3. The stock of bricks at Wellington will be useful when the bakery or church is sanctioned.

COIMBATORE,
30th July 1883.

(Signed) J. BEATTY, Colonel, R.E.,
Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle.

ORDER—dated 7th August 1883, No. 2163 W., Public Works.

Sanctioned under the circumstances stated.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Major-General, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle.
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Dated August, 7th.

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G.O., 7th Aug. 1883, No. 2163 W.

AUGUST.

Reserve Stock, Nilgiri
Division

An increase in the limit of —, sanctioned.

4TH SEPTEMBER 1883, No. 2478 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General
Account.

READ—the following letter from Colonel J. BEATTY, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Palár Anicut, 24th August 1883, No. 344 E.W.:—

I have the honor to submit, for the sanction of Government, three estimates, amounting in the aggregate to Rs. 28,920, for the manufacture of stock materials at the following stations for the use of the Nilgiri Division in the current official year :—

	Rs.
(1.) Brick manufacture at the Lake brickfield	10,080
(2.) Do. at Stonehouse	6,580
(3.) Tile and brick manufacture at Wellington	12,260

2. The first two estimates were prepared for the balance of the articles not manufactured up to the 31st March 1883 out of those included in the estimate sanctioned in G.O., No. 2691 W., dated 16th October 1882, and the third for the probable quantity required for the works during the year 1883-84, as well as for a reserve to meet the case of any works that may be sanctioned hereafter.

ORDER—dated 4th September 1883, No. 2478 W., Public Works.

The following three estimates, aggregating to Rs. 28,920, for the manufacture of stock materials for use in the Nilgiri Division, are sanctioned and registered as shown below :—

	Rs.	
(1.) Manufacture of bricks at Lake brickfield	10,080	Provincial No. 107 W. of 1883-84.
(2.) Manufacture of bricks at Stonehouse	6,580	Do. No. 108 W. of 1883-84.
(3.) Manufacture of tiles and bricks at Wellington	12,260	Do. No. 109 W. of 1883-84.

2. The manufacture during 1883-84 should be closed within the official year, and not tend to increase the reserve stock of the Nilgiri Division.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Major-General, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle, with five Enclosures.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts, with three duplicate Abstract Estimates.

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Govt. of 1883 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated September, 4th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 4th Sept. 1883, No. 2478 W.

SEPTEMBER.

Stock Materials

Estimates for the manufacture of — for use
in the Nilgiri Division, sanctioned.

SUPR. ENGINEER'S OFFICE 4TH CIRCLE,

Coimbatore 7th January 1884

No. 8
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From,

The Superintending Engineer,

Fourth Circle.

To,

The Chief Engineer
P. W. Department

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Sir
Your most obt. servt.

L. Beatty. Colonel RE -
Supy. Engineer IV Circle

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2691 on 16.10.83

From

The Supy. Engineer
4th Circle.

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Dated 7th January 1884.
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Reserve Stock in the
Nilgiri Division.

Requests to obtain
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S.E. Fourth Circle
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N^o 70 W S. W. Department.

Proceedings of the Madras Govt,
Under date the 10th January/84,
Read the following:—

From the S.E. Fourth Circle (H.E. N^o 8/W of January 7th/84)

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B. No. 229 W. 7-2-84.

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SE Fourth Circle
Exp. M. A. C. S.