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14TH MARCH 1884, No. 691 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following letter from Colonel W. S. TREVOR, R.E., Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department (Account—Irrigation), to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Fort William, 6th February 1884, No. 27 A.I. :—

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 1015 I., dated 10th December 1883, applying for an increase of grants under "F. Famine Relief and Insurance—34. Protective Works—Irrigation" for the year 1884-85, for expenditure on the Buckingham canal and on the investigation of projects, and in reply to state that there are no funds at the disposal of the Government of India at present from which the grant of Rs. 3,50,000 already provisionally sanctioned can be increased, and that in consequence the Government of India is not in a position to modify the views expressed in paragraph 2 of this office letter, No. 116 A.I., dated 7th November 1883. Should the accounts of the current year show any lapse of the protective grant, the possibility of increasing the grant to the Buckingham canal will be considered. Meanwhile it is hoped that the full grant promised from Provincial funds will be assigned to this project.

2. I am to express regret that the Government of India is unable to continue the grant from Protective funds for the investigation of projects. Such charges, I am to point out, are met in other provinces from Provincial funds and this procedure may well be followed in Madras.

ORDER—dated 14th March 1884, No. 691 W., Public Works.

The Government of India has already been informed * that the full grant promised from Provincial funds has been assigned to the Buckingham canal for expenditure during 1884-85.

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4. The B. and C. Project divisions will be maintained for the present from Provincial funds, and the Superintending Engineers, III and IV Circles, will submit, at an early date, the report already called for by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation with reference to paragraph 3 of Proceedings of Madras Government, No. 1014 I., dated 10th December 1883.

5. Copy of these Proceedings will be forwarded to the Government of India.

(Here enter No. 692 W., dated 14th March 1884.)

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineers, I, III, IV and V Circles.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Revenue Department.
" Superintending Engineer, Tank Maintenance Scheme.

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ACCOUNT.

Govt. of (1884) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated March, 14th.

Recd.

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G.O., 14th March 1884, No. 691 W.

MARCH.

Buckingham Canal

Passing orders on letter from the Government of India expressing inability to increase the grants for expenditure on the — and on the investigation of projects.

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" Superintending Engineer, Tank Maintenance Scheme.

ENDORSEMENT—dated 14th March 1884, No. 692 W., Public Works.
Forwarded.

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

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PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated March, 14th.

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G.O., 14th March 1884, No. 692 W.

MARCH.

Buckingham Canal

Forwarding copy of Proceedings on letter from Government of India expressing inability to increase the grants for expenditure on the — and on the investigation of projects.

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The clerk & department
turn out by abolition of A &
D project Division & transfer
to Local Divⁿ should
I believe, be declared to have
a line on some permanent post
or any other post their service.
Is this so, & has the matter
been considered? A

To S.W.

G.O. 692 W. d/14
March 84 is the only
action taken in the
matter. Under these
orders the new local
their appointments
on the permanent
Establishment. The
officers under whom
the men are working
should I think
now raise the
question of leave. The
Govt. cannot well
initiate proceedings

Yours
C.A.
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No. 27. A.D.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ACCOUNT.

Irrigation

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Fort William 6th February, 1884.

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"172 Sd/12.2.54
"1015 Sd/10.12.53
"173 Sd/12.2.54

W. H. D. C. S. R.

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

M. C. S. R.

Secretary to Govt of India

12/2/54

Proceedings of the Madras Government under date the Read the following.

Letter from the Government of India - H.E. No. 27 A. S. 6th July/54.

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Tank maintenance
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for Irrigation.

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by the Chief Engineer for
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2 of P. M. C. No 1014 dated 10th Dec. 1883.

5. Copy of these Pro-
ceedings will be forwarded
to the Govt. of India.

*Suppl. Engrs I, III, IV, Circles
Ch. for Engrs
for W. & A. S.
see Dept
Suppl. Tank Maintenance
Scheme.*

(H. E. No. 6 Way)
Forwarded.
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The H. M. Sullivan

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