1/5/85 No 289 Mis Edul.

No 894W. 15.4.85.

No 1598.

Transferred to the Public Works Dept for disposal.

(By Order)

M Hammick
Ag: Under Secretary

Ootacamund
5th Septr/85.

No 2179 W a/17th Septr/85

There are no funds available with Govt

The S.E. will (if possible) propose a transfer of funds required for constructing a permanent Shed for use of the blacksmithing branch of the Industrial School at Madras.

CW.
10.9.85

14.9.85

The Supdg. Engr: V Circle

Educational Dept.

Desp'd

Apl. 22/9.

Recorded W D C. 11.9.85

Educational

1885.

CURRENT NO. 569

Public Instruction,

MADRAS.

Mch 7926

To

The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George.

Dated

Despatched

Received 22.8.85
Rec 10/9/85

Dated 19th August/85.

No. 5585

No. 2179 W a/17th Septr/85

ENCLOSURES.

Subject.

Madras Industrial School

Requesting that funds may be placed at the disposal of the Superintending Engineer for the Construction of a permanent Shed for the use of the Blacksmithing branch of the —

With Endorsement

Office of the Director of
Public Instruction,
Madras, 19th August 1885.

No. 5585.

From

H. B. GRIGG, Esq., M.A.,
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras,

To

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

In their order dated 15th April 1885 No. 894 W. Public Works, the Government were pleased to sanction an Estimate amountin to Rs 826 for constructing a permanent shed for the use of the blacksmithing branch of the Madras Industrial school. The work has not, however, been commenced as yet. The Superintending Engineer, 5th Circle, report that he has no funds available for the purpose. As the shed is most urgently required, I beg to request that funds may be placed at the disposal of the Superintending Engineer for constructing it at an early date.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servan

H. B. Grigg
Director of Public Instruc

Ex. 26th.

C. No. 7926 *P. W. Secretariat.*

Note by Budget Section.

Work Cons. a permanent shed for the use of the blacksmithing branch of the Industrial School at Madras

Remarks and References.

Fund Provincial

Service Head Civil Buildings

Departmental Head Original Works

Amount of Estimate	Rs.	826
Expenditure in previous year ...	"	"
Allotment in current year	"	"
Balance required to complete ...	"	"
Total Rs...		826

Note of available funds.

The S. E. may be asked to propose a transfer of funds required for the work, the balance of reserve with Govt. being Rs 473 only

10th September 1885.

Budget Clerk.

BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of {1885} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated April, 15th.

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 15th April 1885, No. 894 W.

APRIL.

Industrial School, Madras

Estimate for a permanent shed for use of the blacksmithing branch of the —, sanctioned.

15TH APRIL 1885, No. 894 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following letter from H. B. GRIGG, Esq., M.A., Director of Public Instruction, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 23rd March 1885, No. 1862 :—

I have the honor to submit, countersigned, a plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 826, for constructing a permanent shed for the blacksmithing branch of the Madras industrial school, and to request that orders may be passed for the carrying out of the work at an early date.

No. 755, Educational.

Approved and transferred to the Public Works Department.

(By Order.)

(Signed) R. S. BENSON,
Ag. Under Secretary.

1st April 1885.

ORDER—dated 15th April 1885, No. 894 W., Public Works.

The estimate, amounting to Rs. 826, for constructing a permanent shed for use of the blacksmithing branch of the industrial school at Madras, is sanctioned.

2. This sanction is registered as Provincial No. 6 W. of 1885-86, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, with two enclosures.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Educational Department.

Exd. E. Fernandez.
Spare Copies

B. No 382 W. 16.2.85.
G. O. No 589 W. 12.3.85.
" " 891 W. 15.4.85.
P.W. Desp. No 5/891 W 15.4.85

No. 2183 W d/ 17th Septr/85
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Comd to the
Supt. M. H. Works and
the S.E. V Circle with
reference to G. O.
No. 891 W d/ 15.4.85

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14.9.85

S. M. H. W. ✓
Supt Wks
S. E. V Circle ✓
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(17) Ind. 7928

Govt. of (188) Madras.

To

The P.W.D.

Iw 10/9/85.

Proceedings, dated 1st Sept 1885.
No. 579 hn

Subject.

No. 2183 W d/ 17th Septr/85

Comg copy of desp. sanctioning compliance with the indent for stores.

Educational Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

Despatch from the Secretary of State for India, dated 30th July 1885 No. 12.

+4/589 W

Madras Public Works letter No. 5/891w dated 15th April 1885 (Files for Madras Harbour Works.)

Letter from Secy. to Govt. of Madras in the Edul. Department No. 240 d/17 April 1885 (Stores for Civil Engineering College, Madras.)

With reference to the letters noted in the margin, I have to inform your Excellency that I have sanctioned compliance with the Indents for stores therewith forwarded.

Order thereon 1st September 1885 No. 579 Mis:—

Communicated to the Public Works Department and to the Director of Public Instruction.

(True Extract)

J D Rees

Under Secretary

To

The Public Works Department &
& Director of Public Instruction

2/4th J.D.

GOVT. OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Letter to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India.

No. 5/891 W., dated 15th April 1885.

Requesting that the files included in the indent of the 12th March may be supplied.

Educational Department.

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Order thereon 1st September 1885 No 519 Mis:—

Communicated to the Public Works Department and to the Director of Public Instruction.

(True Extract)

J. D. Rees

Under Secretary

To

The Public Works Department
& Director of Public Instruction

I.D

12TH MARCH 1885, No. 589 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following letter From W. B. DE WINTON, Esq., General Superintendent, Public Works Stores, to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, dated Madras, 2nd March 1885, No. 1396 S. :—

I have the honor to forward, for submission to Government, indent, in triplicate, for stores required from England by the Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works, for use in reconstructing the damaged portions of the harbour, together with explanatory note.

2. None of the articles required by the Superintendent are available in the Public Works Stores, neither do they appear in the lists of surplus stock of the Madras or South Indian Railways.

3. I beg to invite attention to paragraphs 2 and 3 of Mr. Thorowgood's letter No. 4 S., of the 24th instant (copy enclosed), in which he states that it may be possible to obtain many of the files now indented for from the Colombo harbour works, to which he has applied. In the event of his doing so, the files will have to be struck out of this indent.

ENCLOSURES.

EXPLANATORY note to accompany indent from Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works.

Files of sorts.—These are not made in India but are obtainable in the local market of Europe manufacture of bad quality.

Portland cement.—That made at the Madras cement works cannot be supplied in sufficiently large quantities of undoubted good quality to admit of its being substituted for English cement. Much cement is, however, being received from the local works. English Portland cement can be purchased locally at Rs. 42 per ton, and the country-made cement at Rs. 40 per ton.

Leather belting.—Can be had of local manufacture but of hide imported from Europe. Country hide belting soon becomes unserviceable, and twists and warps when dried after wetting in the rain. English made leather belting preferable both on account of economy and durability.

(Signed) W. B. DE WINTON,
General Superintendent, Public Works Stores.

From F. N. THOROWGOOD, Esq., M. INST. C.E., Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works, to the General Superintendent, Public Works Stores, dated Madras, 24th February 1885, No. 4 S.

I have the honor to forward, herewith, an indent upon England for cement and other articles required upon these works, which indent is supplemental to that of 15th October 1884.

2. Items No. 1 to No. 39 are simply files, which I find very hard to get of good quality here in Madras; but I would ask a special note to be made that, possibly, the necessary files may be obtained from Colombo harbour works, and I only await a report as to whether what is for sale at Colombo is of a new and serviceable quality.

3. I apprehend it will not be difficult to cancel a portion of this indent if it be afterwards found that the necessary files are obtainable from Colombo.

GENERAL.
ACCOUNT.

Govt. of 1885 Madras

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated March, 12th.

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 12th March 1885, No. 589 W.

MARCH.

Madras Harbour Works

Supplemental indent for stores for the —, ordered to be forwarded to the Home Government.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

Read—the following letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated 27th March 1885, No. 31 :—

With reference to your letter No. 382 W., of the 16th ultimo, I am directed by the Governor of Ceylon to state, for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor of Madras in Council, that on further inquiry it has been ascertained that the articles in question are all either second hand or deteriorated and not in a condition to make it worth the while of your Government to purchase them.

2. I regret that you should have been troubled with a reference on the subject.

Order—dated 15th April 1885, No. 891 W., Public Works.

Communicated to the Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works, with reference to his letter, No. 36 W., dated 10th February 1885.

2. Adverting to G.O. No. 589 W., dated 12th March 1885, the Secretary of State for India will now be requested to supply the files included in the indent recently forwarded to England.

(Here enter No. $\frac{5}{891\text{ W.}}$, dated 15th April 1885.)

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works.
„ Superintending Engineer, V Circle.

Exd A. Grubert.
Spare Copies

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P. W. DEPARTMENT.

Current No. 8117

From
Public Department

Enclos.—

No. 2076 A.Miss
Dated 5th Sept 1885
Received 17th Sept 1885

Subject.

Reports on Native News-papers for the month of July 1885.

Disposal.

No. 2184.W Dated 17th Septr 1885

Recorded

(Sd.) J. S. S.

GENERAL.
ACCOUNT.

Govt. of {1885} Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated April, 15th.

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 15th April 1885, No. 891 W.

APRIL.

Files

Orders on letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, stating that the — required from the surplus stores of the harbour works are not in good condition.

15th April 1885, No. $\frac{5}{891\ W.}$, Public Works.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Letter—to

The Right Honorable the SECRETARY of STATE for INDIA.

My Lord,

With reference to our despatch No. $\frac{4}{589\ W.}$, dated 12th March 1885, we have the honor to state that the surplus stores at the Colombo harbour works are now reported to be much deteriorated, and to request that the files included in our indent of the 12th March 1885 may be supplied.

We have the honor to be,
My Lord,
Your Lordship's most obedient, humble servants.

Ootacamund,
15th April 1885.

Exd. A. Grubert.

GOVT. OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Letter to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India.

No. $\frac{5}{891\ W.}$, dated 15th April 1885.

Requesting that the files included in the indent of the 12th March may be supplied.

No. 2187 w a/ 18th Septr/85

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Communicated to Supdg. Engrs. for information.

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Supdg. Engrs. ✓

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S. E. I. M. Scheme ✓

Ex. E. P.W.A. ✓

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Govt. of [1885] Madras.

MILITARY.

To
The ADJUTANT-GENERAL,
&c., &c., &c.

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Dated September,

Issued

Recd. 16/9/85 *Encl.*

G.O., 11th September 1885, No. 4989.

No. 2187 w a/ 18th Septr/85

SEPTEMBER.

Nos.

Furlough—Warrant Officers.

Ruling of the Government of India regarding the grant of leave to Warrant Officers in civil employ, communicated to departments concerned.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

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11 September 1885, No. 4989.

Furlough—Warrant Officers.

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No. . *Office Memorandum from J. F. FINLAY, Esq., Officiating Under Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department; dated Simla, 17th August* 1885, *No.* 2499.

In reply to Office Memorandum from the Public Works Department, No. 1229-G., dated 8th August 1885, the undersigned is directed to state that Warrant Officers holding Honorary Commissions in civil employ are subject to the same restriction as regards the grant of general leave as commissioned officers, but that Warrant Officers not holding Honorary Commissions are entitled to any leave that is admissible to them under the military rules to which they are subject other than the leave mentioned in Section 2 of the Civil Leave Code, which is granted under civil rules.

Copy forwarded to the Military Department for information.

No. 1201-A.

Furlough—Warrant Officers.

Copy of the foregoing forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Military Department.

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(By Order.)

(Signed) A. CROOKSHANK, Colonel,
Depy. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

SIMLA,
25th August 1885.

No. . ORDER THEREON, 11 September 1885, No. 4989.

Communicated to the Provincial Commander-in-Chief, the Public Works Department and the Controller of Military Accounts.

(True Extract.)

A Kenney Herbert Lt.-Col.,
Offg. Secretary to Government.

To the Adjutant-General.
" Public Works Department. with 20 s/c
" Controller of Military Accounts.

Exd. A. F. Aaron.

No. 2187 Wd/ $\overset{15}{18}$th Septr/85.

Communicated to Suptg: Engineers for information.

(Signed) J.H.S.

Suptg. Engrs.
C. A. to Govt.
S. E. T. M. Scheme
Ex. E. P. W. Accts.

P. W. D.

Govt. of {1885} Madras.

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To

THE ADJUTANT-GENERAL,
&c., &c., &c.

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Offg. Secretary to Government.

To the Adjutant-General.
„ Public Works Department.
„ Controller of Military Accounts.

Exd. A. F. Aaron.

G. O. No 1055 W. 28. 4. 82.

Incl. 7/879

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No. 2188 W d/ 18th Septr/85

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Communicated to the
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Exd. A. F. Aaron.

No. 193/M D. P. W.

North Arcot Division Office
Vellore 4th July 1885.

From
The Executive Engineer
North Arcot Division

To
The Collector of
North Arcot

Sir.

In accordance with your letter No. 96 dated 2nd May 1885, I inspected the Huzur Treasury at Chittoor on the 2nd Instant, and regret that I cannot give the Certificate asked for.

2. I forward copy of G. O. No 1055 W/28-4-82 which lays down the Conditions of a safe treasury, and I think you will agree with me that the Treasury rooms at Chittoor don't fulfil Condition No 1.

3. I am of opinion that, pending the sanction and execution of an estimate for such alterations as may be necessary to make the Treasury safe in the light of G. O. No 1055 W dated 28th April 1882, the special permission of Government

for

for the continued use of the Building as a Treasury, should be obtained.

4. I will forward an estimate of the alterations I consider necessary at an early date.

I have &c. &c.

(Signed) J. P. Davidson
Ex Engineer N. Arcot
Dn.

(True Copy)

(Signed) W. H. Glenny
Ag Collector

(True Copy)

C. Unwin
Major R.E.
for Acting Secretary to Govt.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st August 1885, No. 7715 Mis, on letter from the Collector of North Arcot, dated 15th July 1885, No. 245.

With reference to G. O. No. 1055 M, dated 28th April 1882, I have the honor to enclose copy of a +letter from Mr. Davidson Executive Engineer, North Arcot, regarding the Chittoor Huzur Treasury.

+attached.

2. Mr Davidson I think had no choice but was obliged to refuse the certificate as he is bound by the G. O. he quotes.

3. But I think I am on my part at liberty to submit on my own responsibility an opinion on the practical question whether the Treasury, all things considered, is sufficiently secure without alteration

4. Decidedly I think it is.

5. We must look to such circumstances as the surroundings of the Treasury, its proximity to, or distance from Police Sta=tions, the sums of money kept in it, and so forth.

6. For instance; I turned the Huzur

Kurnool Treasury into quite a fortress. This was because it is on the frontier, is nearly surrounded by fields, swamps wooded ground, — in fact, cover of all sorts; and unavoidably contains occasionally very large quantities of Coin.

7. None of these circumstances exist at Chittoor, I therefore think that it would be an error to set about expensive alterations merely to carry out in its entirety the theory that the sentry must be able to command the Treasury throughout both its length and breadth by a glance in either direction.

The sentry can see across the Treasury and through it, it would be quite impossible for any one to get near the boxes or almirahs without being seen.

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Resolution

Submitted for the orders of Government with reference to para 2 of the resolution of the Government of India communicated with G. O. dated 18th November 1881, No. 2263 R. D.

2. The last paragraph of the Collector's letter shows that the conditions laid down in G. O. dated 28th April 1882, No. 1055 W, are practically satisfied in the case of Chittoor Huzur Treasury, and the Board therefore recommend that the use of the building for the purposes of a Treasury may be formally sanctioned.

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Order thereon, 28th August 1883, No. 4575

The Board's recommendation is accepted.

(True Extract)

C. Howen Major R.E.

for Acting Secy to Govt.

To

The Board of Rev:
" Acctt General
" Public Works Department & with One Encl.

G. O. No 1055 W. 28. 4. 82.

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Communicated to the Supty Engineer IV Circle

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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
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Govt. of [1882] Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEERS,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated April, 28th.

Issued

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 28th *April* 1882, *No.* 1055 *W.*

APRIL.
Nos. 93-94.

Strong Rooms for the storage of Coins.— Directs measures to be taken for putting in force certain general principles in respect to —.

11-9-85 16-9-85

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28th April 1882, No. 1055 W., Public Works.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

No. 93.

Read—again—

Resolution of the Government of India in the Department of Finance and Commerce, No. 4028, dated 4th November 1881, recorded with G.O., No. 77 W., dated 11th January 1882, on the subject of strong rooms for the storage of coins.

No. 94.

Order—dated 28th April 1882, No. 1055 W., Public Works.

The application of the rules laid down by the Government of India for the storage of coins in strong rooms has led to a proposal for the construction of new Huzur Treasuries throughout the country. While the Government cannot entertain a proposal of this character, it is thought that, with a view to safety, the two following general principles should be put in force in all cases, and the requisite measures will be taken as soon as possible for carrying them into effect :—

(1.) All strong rooms should be so exposed in all their parts to the sentry on duty that no one can enter them without being exposed to view.

(2.) The roofs or ceilings of such rooms should in all cases consist of solid terracing.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Consulting Architect to Government.
" Financial Department.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.
Spare Copies

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" 1614 W. 27.6.84

P. W. C. [illegible] 7960

Superintending Engineer's Office
No. 241 B.C.
26 AUG. 85
P. W. D.
Second Circle

(18)

No. 244 B.C.

Forwarded in original (requesting the favor of its being returned) to the Chief Engineer for Sanction.

John Morant Lt. Col. R.E.
Supt. of Works in ch: of 2nd Circle.

Commamur Canal
31st August 1885

No. 2190 W a/ 18th Septr/85

B

Sanction is accorded to the adjustment of the charge amounting to Rs 37-12-9.

C.S.
11.9.85

S. E. II C. ✓

with the bill

Ex. P. W. A. ✓

W.S.
14.9.85

19/9/85

J.D. 28/9

A.G.S. 24/9.

A. 11.9.85 R. 16.9.85

From

The Executive Engineer
Buckingham Canal Dn
Pulicat

To

The Superintending Engineer
2nd Circle
Masulipatam

No. 2190 W a/ 18th Septr/85

Dated 21st August 1885

Received 11th Sep:

E. 1.

No. 1614

Enclosure 1 to be returned.

Charges for advertising sale of Canal land at Mylapore.—

Requesting to obtain sanction of Government for the adjustment of—.

With an Endorsement on the Reverse No. 244 B.C
31-8-85

28th April 1882, No. 1055 W., Public Works.

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The application of the rules laid down by the Government of India for the storage of coins in strong rooms has led to a proposal for the construction of new Huzur Treasuries throughout the country. While the Government cannot entertain a proposal of this character, it is thought that, with a view to safety, the two following general principles should be put in force in all cases, and the requisite measures will be taken as soon as possible for carrying them into effect:—

(1.) All strong rooms should be so exposed in all their parts to the sentry on duty that no one can enter them without being exposed to view.

(2.) The roofs or ceilings of such rooms should in all cases consist of solid terracing.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Consulting Architect to Government.
„ Financial Department.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.
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No. 1614 Buckingham Canal Dn. Office
Pulicat 21st Augt/85

From
The Executive Engineer
Buckingham Canal Dn.

To
The Superintending Engineer
2nd Circle
Masulipatam.

Sir,

Enclosure 1 to be returned.

With reference to G.O. No. 1614 W. dated 27th June 1884 accepting the bid of Sir T. Madhava Row for Rs. 65-4-0 for certain plots of Government land belonging to the Buckingham Canal I have the honor to inform you that I have this day received from the Examiner of P.W. Accounts a transfer advice of exchange account items for charges incurred in the Revenue Department on on account of advertizements &c. as per Bill received from Messrs Frank & Co. for Rs 37-12-9 and request that you will be so good as to obtain the Sanction of Government in the Public Works Department for adjustment of the charge vide para 281(8) of the P. W. Code.—

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obed^t Serv^t

Major R.E. A.S.C.C.
Executive Engineer B.C. Div^n

(B.R. [illegible] 7th [illegible] 2.84
n. 1614 W. 27.6.84

No. 244 B.C.

Forwarded in original (requesting the favor of its being returned) to the Chief Engineer for Sanction.

J. H. Morant Lt. Col. R.E.
Supt. of Works in ch:
of 2nd Circle.

Commamur Canal
31st August 1885

No. 2190 W d/ 18th Septr/85

Sanction is accorded to the adjustment of the charge amounting to Rs 37-12-9.

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with the bill

Ex. E. P. W. A.
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SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE
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SECOND CIRCLE

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From
The Executive Engineer
Buckingham Canal Dn.
Pulicat

To
The Superintending Engineer
2nd Circle
Masulipatam

No. 2190 W d/ 18th Septr/85

Dated 21st August 1885
Received 11th Sep:

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No. 1614
Enclosure 1 bill returned.

Charges for advertising sale of Canal land at Mylapore.—

Requesting to obtain sanction of Government for adjustment of —.

With an Endorsement on the Reverse No. 244 B.C.
31-8-85

No: 1614 W d/ 27th June/84

Communicated to the Supdg. Engineer V Circle, in continuation of G.O. 509 W. d/ 22 Feby. 1884.

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Govt. of (1884) Madras.

REVENUE.

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
18 JUN 84
P.W. DEPARTMENT MADRAS

Issued

Recd. 20/6/84 Encl.

G.O., 7th June 1884, No. 719.

No. 1614 W d/ 27th June/84

JUNE.

Government Land.

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7TH JUNE 1884, No. 719, REVENUE.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 23rd May 1884, No. 1741:—

Read—the following letter from J. LEE-WARNER, Esq., Acting Collector of Madras, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 10th May 1884, Reference on No. 388 of 1884:—

With reference to Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1567, dated 20th February 1884, communicating G.O., No. 193, Revenue Department, of 7th idem, I have the honor to state that, on the day fixed for the sale, Messrs. Franck and Co. declined to knock down the land because only one bidder appeared, and it did not appear to them advisable under these circumstances to sell. I am advised by the Government Solicitor that Messrs. Franck and Co.'s action in this respect was not illegal. Sir T. Madhava Rao, the only bidder who appeared, however, contends that he ought to have had the land as his bid was above the upset price.

2. I propose now to publish an advertisement for the sale of the land on some date in next month; but I wish to know whether I am bound to adhere to the principle laid down in G.O., No. 419, dated 22nd April 1873, establishing the upset price at 25 times the quit-rent. Under the special circumstances, I am of opinion that it would be advisable to fix the upset price at Rs. 65-4-0, being three-fourths the price at the rate per ground at which the adjoining lands were purchased by Sir T. Madhava Rao. If the Government is pleased to approve of my suggestion in this case, I would respectfully urge the amendment of the Government Order referred to, by the insertion of the words "not less than" between "of" and "25."

Resolution—dated 23rd May 1884, No. 1741.

Submitted for the orders of Government.

2. The Board agree with the Collector.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) E. GIBSON,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
Copy to the Collector of Madras.

ORDER—dated 7th June 1884, No. 719, Revenue.

Land Revenue, No. 78.

The Government consider that as the land was put up to public auction, and as Sir T. Madhava Rao's bid was above the upset price, it should be accepted, and the land should be made over to him.

2. On the general question of upset price, the Government are pleased to give the Collector the discretion of fixing it at not less than twenty-five times the quit-rent in all cases in which he is competent to order sale. In cases requiring the sanction of Government, he should, when applying for it, state the upset price he would propose and his reasons therefor for the orders of Government.

(True Extract.)

H. E. Stokes
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Public Works Department.

Exd. W. H. French.

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Docket 5282

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No: 1614 W d/27th June/84

Communicated to the Suptg Engineer V Circle, in continuation of G.O. 509 W. d/22 Feby. 1884.

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Govt. of {1884} Madras.

REVENUE.

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT P.W. DEPARTMENT MADRAS
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Dr 27/6/84

S. E. V Circle

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P.W. Deptt.

Govt. of {1884} Madras.

REVENUE.

No. 509 W d/22nd Feby/84

Communicated to the Suptg: Engr: V Circle.

(Signed) WS

Issued

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 7th February 1884, No. 193.

No. 509 W d/22nd Feby/84

FEBRUARY.

S. E. V Circle.

Government Land

on the margin of the Buckingham Canal in St. Thomé.—Proposals to dispose of certain plots of — by auction, sanctioned.

With order

3. I have the honor to request you will be so good as to bring those bits of land to sale by public auction under the rules for the sale of such lands in towns and villages.

Enclosure No. 2.—Sketch Map.

Resolution—dated 28th January 1884, Mis. No. 724.

Submitted for the sanction of Government.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. GIBSON,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, with original letter and two enclosures to be returned.

Copy to the Collector of Madras.

Order—dated 7th February 1884, No. 193, Revenue.

Land Revenue, No. 27.

Sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with three enclosures.
,, Public Works Department.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

60 Copies.

7th February 1884, No. 193, Revenue.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 28th January 1884, Mis. No. 724:—

Read—the following letter from L. R. BURROWS, Esq., Acting Collector of Madras, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 19th January 1884, No. 32:—

		Survey No.	Extent.		
			C.	G.	S. FT.
*A	... ...	1756	0	7	585½
B	... ...	1767	0	2	168

I have the honor to forward the enclosed application, dated the 3rd December 1883 (to be returned when no longer required) from Sir T. Madhava Row, K.C.S.I., for two plots* of land on the margin of the Buckingham Canal in the village of St. Thomé respectively marked A and B in the sketch herewith sent, and, with reference to paragraph 4 of G.O., No. 248, dated the 21st February 1883, to request that the orders of Government as to the disposal of plot A, which measures more than four grounds, may be obtained.

2. The Deputy Collector reports that, in reply to a reference made by him, the Executive Engineer, Buckingham Canal, has stated that the blocks of land in question are not required for the purposes of the canal, and adds that from their situation they cannot be useful for any other purposes of Government. He therefore recommends that they may be sold at public auction.

3. Plot B measures only gds. 2, sq. ft. 168 and adjoins a piece of land which is now the property of Sir T. Madhava Row, purchased by him at auction held with reference to paragraph 3 of this office letter recorded in G.O., No. 579, Revenue, dated 10th May 1883, communicated with the Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4145, dated 21st May 1883. With reference to paragraph 4 of the Government Order quoted, I might have ordered its sale at a public auction without a reference to Government, but under the circumstances, I beg that their sanction may be obtained for the sale of plot B as well as plot A.

Enclosure No. 1.

Letter from Rajah Sir T. MADHAVA ROW, K.C.S.I, to the Collector of Madras, dated Mylapore, 3rd December 1883.

I am desirous of having the opportunity of securing two bits of Government waste land in Mylapore and situated south of my residence, No. 1, Luz Church Road.

2. Further particulars will be found noted in the annexed rough sketch to which I beg your reference.

Original – [illegible] 7769

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P. W. D. Form.
No. M 112.

Reference to Madras P. W. D. Code.
Paras. 2362 to 2365.

G. O. No 1639 W. 20. 6. 85.
B. No 1797 W. 31. 7. 85
" 1695 W. 21. 7. 85
" 1979. W. 25. 8. 85.

CENTRAL OFFICE OF ACCOUNTS.

Circle 6th

Fund Provincial and Imperial Civil Buildings Roads and Services.
Recd 4/9/85 in duplicate

Provincial Statement of Objectionable Items in the Accounts of Executive Engineers for the Month of ~~June~~ July 1885.

No.

Madras,
Dated 3d September 1885.

Forwarded for orders to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Madras.

No 2193 W. of 18th Septr/85

D. C. Currey

Examiner of P. W. Accounts,
Madras.

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With Order

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	Provincial *Madura Division* *Want of Estimate*										No 2193 W a/ 18th Septr/85
1	Compensation for land taken up around the Tirumal Naick's Palace work	May/85		12,388	12,388					Estimate under preparation by the Consulting Architect Vide G. O. No 728 W dated 23rd March 1885. Para 5.	This item will be included in the revised Estimate which the Supdg Engineer VI Circle has been directed to submit in G.O. No 2055 W a/ 4th Septr 1885 4th September 1885 x Impress
	Excess over Estimate										
2	Constructing Deputy Tahsildar's Cutchery at Kodaikanal	Do	11,160	11,691	531					A Completion Report has been received ~~from~~ for this work and the excess will be passed.	Noted Noted
	Tinnevelly *No Appropriation*										
5	Sub Collector's Bungalow and its outhouses at Tuticorin Repairing the	June/85	1578	661	-	-	661	661	66	The Executive Engineer states that funds have been applied for. Reported pending allotment.	The cause of objection to this item should be removed without delay.

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	Imperial Want of Appropriation Trichinopoly Division										
4.	Constructing Post Office at Musari	June/85	2495	„	„	—	801	801	4	Want of appropriation is brought to notice.	A sum of Rs 1022 has been appropriated for the work in G.O. No. 1563 Wdy. 6th July 1885
	Provincial Excess over Appropriation Trichinopoly Division										
5.	Provincial Civil Buildings Repairs	Do				1000	1512	512	1142	This excess over appropriation is brought to notice.	The cause of objection to this item should be removed without delay.
	Ramnad Miscellaneous Irregularities										
6.	Over-drawal of Credit at the Treasury by the Executive Engineer Ramnad Division	June/85				Amount Over drawn			1142	The Executive Engineer states that sanction to Estimate was received late and that contractors sent in their Bills on the 29th and 30th of the month when it was too late to apply for further credit. The Executive Engineer's	The Supdt. Engineer will report especially on this subject.

Provincial Statement of Objectionable Items in the Accounts of Executive Engineers for the Month of *June* 188*5* requiring the orders of Government.

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										explanation is not satisfactory; knowing that he had not sufficient money in the Treasury to meet them, it was very irregular to draw the cheques. Brought to the special notice of Government.	
	Provincial Negapatam Miscellaneous Irregularities Miscellaneous Advances.										
7	Pay of the Water Regulation Establishment employed on Sarangulam	Jan/85		307					90	Reported again pending early sanction of Government to the entertainment of this Establishment.	A proposition statement for sanction to entertain this establishment has been received and is under disposal.

D. C. Carnon[illegible]

Examiner, P. W. Accts.
Madras.

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To Sept
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The Supdtg. Engr. IV Circle
thro' The Exr. P. W. Accounts

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Examiner of P. W. Accounts,
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Reference to Madras P. W. D. Code.
Paras. 2362 to 2365.

P. W. D. Form.
No. M 112.

CENTRAL OFFICE OF ACCOUNTS.

Circle VI

Fund Provincial

Rec 3/7/85 In duplicate

Provincial Statement of Objectionable Items in the Accounts of Executive Engineers for the Month of April 1885.

No.

Madras,
Dated 2nd July 1885.

Forwarded for orders to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Madras.

No 1395 W. d/ 21st July 1885

D. C. Lemon

Examiner of P. W. Accounts,
Madras.

Sd 21/7 21/7 22/7 With Order

C. A. W.

Please let me know the circumstances connected with the large unauthorised expenditure in item W. 1.

W
16.8.85

To W

Please see para 8 of Col. Mead's letter of 4.2.85, printed with Pros. of 23.3.85 No. 728 W –

The amount is objectionable, not from ~~[illegible]~~ want of appropriation, but from want of sanctioned estimate – The outlay was met from last year's grant for the Madras Palace Works, & the land was taken up in accordance with the recommendations of the Committee of 1883.

Mr. Chisholm should have included the item in his estimates for locating the Rev. Offices, now under disposal, but he omitted it, & Col. Mead has pointed this out in his report on Mr. Chisholm's proposals.

No objection will be raised when the estimates for locating Offices have been disposed of.

Ch
19.8.85

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REFERENCE TO MADRAS P. W. D. CODE.
PARAS. 2362 TO 2365.

P. W. D. FORM
No. M 112.

G. O. No 1439 W. 20.6.85
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CENTRAL OFFICE OF ACCOUNTS.

CIRCLE VI

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Provincial Statement of Objectionable Items in the Accounts of Executive Engineers for the Month of May 1885.

No.

MADRAS,
Dated 1st August 1885.

FORWARDED for orders to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Madras.

No. 1979 W d/ 25th August 1885

D. C. Gordon

Examiner of P. W. Accounts,
Madras.

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2	Repairing damages done to Gudalur Peermade Ghat Road	March 1885	-	936	936	-				Reported pending sanction to Estimate which it is understood is under consideration with Government.	The estimate was sanctioned in G. O. No 1804 W d/ 3d August 1885 The estimate was sanctioned in G. O. No. 1801 W d/ 3rd August 1885 × In press ([illegible])
	Excess over Estimate										
3	Constructing Dy. Tahsildar's Cutcherry at Kodaikanal	do	11,160	11,691	531	-	-	-	14	The non submission of a Completion Report for this work, which has been reported as completed is brought to notice.	The S. E. will see that the completion report for this work is forwarded to the Examiner of P. W. Accounts without further delay The S. E. will see that the completion report for this work is forwarded to the Examiner of P. W. Accounts without further delay

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	Non submission of Completion Reports										
6	Sub Jail & outhouses to Taluq Cutchery at Sankaranainarkoil - Adding	March 1885	3900	3415						The non submission of Completion Reports for these works reported completed by the Executive Engineer is again brought to notice.	The S. E. will see that the completion reports for these works are forwarded to the Examr. P. W. Accounts without delay. The S. E. will see that the completion reports for these works are forwarded to the examiner P. W. Accts without delay
7	Sub Registrar's Office at Tuticorin - Constructing	do	2290	2075							
8	- Do - Do - at Ottapidaram - Constructing	do	2090	2043							
			Negapatam Division								
	Miscellaneous Irregularities Advance Outstanding for more than 3 months										
9	Pay of the water Regulation Establishment employed on Serangolum Dam	Jany 1885		27						The pay of this Establishment has been debited to Miscellaneous Advances pending the early sanction of Government to the same under "Establishment."	The S. E. will submit an application in the prescribed form for sanction. The S. E. will submit an application in the prescribed form for sanction

J. C. Carmon

Examiner of P. W. Accounts,
Madras.

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To
The Supdg. Engr. III Circle
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The Supg. Engr. VI Circle
thro the examiner P.W. Accts

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J. C. Carroll
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Provincial Statement of Objectionable Items in the Accounts of Executive Engineers for the Month of April 1885.

No.

MADRAS,
Dated 2nd July 1885.

FORWARDED for orders to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Madras.

No 1395 W. of 21st July 1885

Examiner of P. W. Accounts,
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Provincial Statement of Objectionable Items in the Accounts of Executive Engineers for the Month of *April* 188*5* requiring the orders of Government.

Item No.	Particulars of each Item.	Month in the Accounts of which Objectionable Expenditure first appeared.	Comparison with Estimate.			Comparison with Appropriation of the Year.			Expenditure during the Month.	Opinion of the Superintending Engineer, with final Remarks by Examiner.	Orders by Government.
			Amount of Estimate.	Expenditure up to Date.	Excess over Estimate.	Amount of Appropriation.	Expenditure of the Year.	Excess over Appropriation.			No 1695 W of 21st July 1885
	Madura										
√	Want of Estimate										
1	Repairing damages done to the Gudalur Seerwadi Ghaut Road	March 1885	..	936	936	..	..	..		This is a work carried out by the Local Fund Department. The Executive Engineer states that no intimation of sanction to an estimate has been received.	The Estimate is under consideration The Estimate is under Consideration
	Ramnad										
√ 2	Purchasing Scientific Instruments for the use of the Ramnad Division	March 1885		1489	1489				40	Executive Engineer states that an estimate has been sent to Superintending Engineer for sanction.	Steps should be taken for early sanction of an estimate to this work. Steps should be taken for early sanction to this work.
	Madura										
√	Excess over Estimate										
3	Constructing Deputy Tahsildar's Cutcherry at Koodaikanal	March 1885	11,160	11,678	518	"	"	"	154	The Executive Engineer states that the work has been completed. Completion report called for –	Noted. Noted
	Ramnad										
√	No Appropriation										
4	Outlay on works Rs 1,232/ Establishment Rs 710/ Tools & Plant Rs 40/	April 1885	-	-	-	-	1,982	1,982	1,982	Want of Appropriation brought to Superintending Engineer's notice. Early allotment of funds from Wards Estates should be arranged for	The question of funds is under reference to the Revenue Department The question of funds is under reference to the Revenue Dept

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	Tinnevelly										
✓	No appropriation										
5	Head Assistant Collector's Office Sheraadevi - Constructing	April 1885	..	..	-	-	706	706	706	Reported pending allotment of funds	Funds were allotted vide G. O. No: 1533 W of 1st July 1885
	Tanjore - Nil -										
✓	Completed works for which Completion Reports are due										
6	Improving Old Taluq Cutcherry at Shealy	April 1885	2,360	2,376	-	-	-	-	-	The work has been reported by Executive Engineer as Completed, the early submission of a Completion Report is awaited	The S.E. will see that the documents referred to by the Examiner P.W. Accts are forwarded without delay
	Cauvery & Vennar Regulators ✓										
	- Nil -										
	Trichinopoly ✓										
	- Nil -										
	Madura										
✓	Non-submission of Work Vouchers										
7	Constructing Deputy Tahsildars Cutcherry at Kodaikanal	April 1885	11,160	11,678	-	-	-	-	154	The non-submission of a work Voucher for this work for April 1885 is brought to notice.	

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	Tinnevelly Miscellaneous Irregularities Non-Submission of Completion reports										
8	Sub Jail and Out houses to Taluq Cutcherry at Sawaranaivar Covil additions	April 1885	3,900	3415	..	..	..	..	..	The non-submission of Completion reports for these works reported Completed by Executive Engineer is brought to notice It would facilitate matters if the dates on which the works were reported completed were entered. CJ 16.7	The S. E. will see that the completion reports for these works are forwarded to the Examiner without delay. The S.E. will see that the completion reports for these works are forwarded to the Examiner without delay
9	Sub Registrar's office at Satur Constructing	April 1885	2,070	2,037	..	..	..	..	..		
10	Do — Do at Tenkasi	April 1885	1,960	2,012	..	..	..	..	..		
11	Do — Do at Tuticorin	April 1885	2,290	2,075	..	..	..	..	..		
12	Do — Do at Ottapidaram	April 1885	2,090	2,043	..	..	..	..	..		
	Negapatam Miscellaneous Irregularity advances Outstanding for more than three months										
13	Pay of Water Regulation Establishment employed on Surangalam Dam	January 1885		217	..	..	..	..	60	The pay of this Establishment has been debited to Miscellaneous advances, pending the early sanction of Government to the same under "Establishment"	The S.E. will submit an application in the prescribed form for sanction. The S.E. will submit an application in the prescribed form for sanction of this Establishment

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D. C. Gordon
Examiner of P. W. Accounts,
Madras.

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Despd. 21.7.85.

Please look over your attached note again – & compare it with the history of Major Clarke's services, as printed.

From the latter, he appears to have attained the 3d grade (not the 2d) in the Mysore Dept. on 1-9-71, — also that he was gazetted to the 3d grade (not the 2d) in the Madras Dept. on 5-12-76.

Please check these figures, & return to me by next post.

7-7-85

Vol.

I cannot think what led me to misread "promoted to Executive Engineer, 3d grade, 1st September 1871" in the History of Services of Major Clarke, & make him 2nd grade on that date – a mistake intensified further on by my saying he attained the 2nd grade on 5.12.76.

On checking his services I put the blue pencil figures, 1.9.71, below the date given in your note, 5.12.76, as that of his getting the 3d grade.

The following is correct & what I ought to have given:–

3d grade, in Mysore —— 1.9.71
– do – reappointed Madras – 5.12.76
2d grade – India list —— 1.1.80
1st grade – do ——— 1.6.80

I do not think this affects the argument that, in justice to Mr Walch, Col. Fraser, & Major Brockman, Major Clarke's position as 1st grade should be that he would have held on Madras list as 2nd grade – with reference to them – had he not been transferred to the Indian list on which he attained the 1st grade long before they attained that grade in this Presidency.

Had Major Clarke continued to serve in Madras from 5.12.76, the question might have arisen as to relative claims of Major Clarke & Major A. C. Smith to the first step to 2nd grade, but Major Clarke is now a 1st grade whilst Major Smith is still a 2nd grade, & it is useless now to suppose what might have been their relative gradation in different circumstances.

C.H.

9.7.85

To D.W.

It seems to me highly necessary to consider the subject of Major J. C. Clarke's position in Gradation List, with relation especially to that of Mr. Walch, but also of other officers.

From History of Services, I gather that the following officers reached the 3d. grade on the dates named:—

1. Lt. Col. Fraser —— 1-9-68 ✓
2. Mr. Walch —— 1-4-73 ✓
3. Major Brockman —— 3-3-74 ✓
4. Major G. C. Smith —— 1-9-76 ✓
5. Major J. C. Clarke —— 5-12-76 1.9.71

They reached the 2d. grade as follows:—

1. Mr. Walch —— 1-9-75 ✓
2. Lt. Col. Fraser —— 29-10-75 ✓
3. Major Brockman —— 1-3-76 ✓
4. Major Clarke —— 1-1-80 ✓
5. Major Smith —— 1-4-80 ✓

Major Clarke getting his promotion after transfer to the India list, — in which list he, within 5 months, (on 1-6-80) reached the 1st grade. He was subsequently retransferred to this Residency; & coming back in the 1st grade, ~~[illegible]~~ passed over the heads of 3 officers to whom he was junior when transferred to India on 1-11-79.

Please check the dates given

above, and favour me with your opinion on the proper positions to be assigned to these 5 officers on Gradation List.

It seems to me that the name of W. Walch should certainly stand before that of Major Clarke — if the latter should not also stand below Lt. Col: Fraser.

22-6-83

I am anxious that this matter should be corrected (if correction be necessary) in next issue of Gradation List.

W.

It seems to me the most reasonable way of dealing with this is to assign to Major Clarke the position which he held on the Madras Gradation List, with reference to the other officers concerned, prior to his transfer to the India list.

Had he remained on the Madras list that would now be his position, & in fairness to the other officers concerned, he should not stand on our list higher than they, through the accident of quick promotion on a list with which they had nothing to do. —

The order in which these officers reached the 2nd grade, as correctly shown in your note, should then be carried forward into the 1st grade. —

I must note with reference to Major Clarke that he actually attained the 3 2nd grade on 1.9.71. He then left India ? on a tour of home service, & when he returned to Madras in 76, was made a 3rd grade only, attaining the 3 2nd grade on ? Madras list on 5-12-76.

My opinion then is that the officers named should be promoted S.Es. in the order of their 2nd grade, "caeteris paribus."

I say "caeteris paribus" advisedly, for, a circle being vacant, it rests with Govt to select for the charge the officer best fitted, in their opinion, to hold it, irrespective of the exact position of that officer on the list.

There must always be a difficulty in deciding on the rival claims of officers transferred from other lists and of those who have served permanently on the one list, and it is a pity, in my mind that this difficulty was not fully anticipated & fairly faced at the outset, and some "modus operandi" satisfactory to all parties definitely fixed on.

Cd.
6. 7. 85

GOVT. OF MADRAS. } 1885. { P. W. DEPT.

SECRETARY.

No. 367 E, Ooty, July 15th 1885.

OFFICE NOTE.

To E. I.

Kindly favour me with your opinion upon the subject of the accompanying notes which have passed between myself & D. W. respecting the positions on the Gradation List to be assigned to certain E. E.s of the 1st grade.

15. 7. 85

To IV.

I quite agree that the officers named should be graded in the ~~[illegible]~~ order in which they reached the 2nd Grade.

I had some discussion with Genl. Sankey on this subject, in consequence of my objecting most strongly to Mr. Walch being superseded by Major Clarke who got his promotion in another Dept.

So far as I recollect Genl. Sankey intended that the order of these should be changed ~~[illegible]~~ later Mr. Walch was selected to

A. G. 59/7.

S.E. mean while.

Dh
15/7/85.

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The change should be made in next issue of Gradation List.

15-9-85

A.G. 42/9.

Hon: C. G. Master

~~Hon: H. E. Sullivan.~~

With advertence to the circumstances explained in the accompanying notes, I beg to suggest that, in the next issue of the Gradation List, Major Clarke's name should stand below the names of Mr. Walch and Lt. Colonel Fraser –

Owing to his services having been placed at disposal of Govt. of India in November 79, (at the time of the reduction of establishment,) Major Clarke had the great good fortune to reach the 1st grade of Executive Engineers some five years earlier than he would otherwise have done, — but that is no reason why he should supersede other officers in perpetuity.

As remarked by Colonel Hasted, Mr. Walc has already been selecte to act as Superinten Engineer in preferen

Major Clarke, — and what I now propose will only give effect to the decision at which General Lankey is understood to have arrived some years ago:

Marc Stuart

10. 9. 85

I think this is
only fair – but
circulate to the Hoble
W. Masters
H.O.

ECC 12/9

GO 2195 W
19-9-85

Wanting

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order
No. 2194 W a/18th Septr/85

The Gradation List will be corrected accordingly

W.
15-9-85

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No. 2197 W a/19th Septr/85

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G.O., 3rd September 1885, No. 1101.

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SEPTEMBER.

Gratuity.

Sanctioning payment of an extraordinary — of Rs. 50 to C. Somigadu, widow of C. Peda Viradu, late a cooly who was killed in the execution of Gunnaram aqueduct works, Godávari.

With disposal

R. 16-9-85