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22ND JULY 1886, No. 1861 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

READ—the following letter from Major D. McN. CAMPBELL, R.E., Superintendent of Works, Tank Maintenance Scheme, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepak, 15th July 1886, No. 2241 T. :—

The Examiner of Public Works Accounts has disallowed the sub-divisional allowance to the upper subordinates in charge of the sub-divisions in No. 4 Tank division, and the pay of the clerks and lascars attached to them, on the grounds that it requires the sanction of Government. I have therefore the honor to request that you will be so good as to obtain the sanction of Government to the formation of the sub-divisions noted in the margin, with their headquarters entered against each, with retrospective effect from 1st May 1886.

No. I Sub-division, Karur.
No. II Do. Chinnadarapuram.
No. III Do. do.

ORDER—dated 22nd July 1886, No. 1861 W., Public Works.

Sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintendent of Works, Tank Maintenance Scheme.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

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G.O., 22nd July 1886, No. 1861 W.

JULY.

No. IV Tank Division

Formation of three sub-divisions in —,
sanctioned with effect from 1st May 1886.

25th FEBRUARY 1886, No. 512 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General
Establishment.

READ—the following paper —

No. 34 L.

Note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

The sanction accorded by the Government of India in their letter, No. 229 G., dated 11th February 1885, printed with G.O., No. 543 W., dated 9th March 1885, to the temporary engineering establishment required for the Tank Maintenance Scheme will expire by the end of the current official year, and requires to be renewed for next year. Sanction to three Engineers on Rs. 550, 450 and 350 per mensem, required to start another Tank division during the ensuing year, in accordance with the programme approved by the Government of India in their letter, No. 40 L., dated 20th January 1883, has also to be applied for. Tank maintenance operations extend at present over an area of 4,775 square miles in the Madurai, Chingleput and Kurnool districts and that portion of the Coimbatore district within the Amaravati river minor basin. Up to the end of July 1885, 429 estimates, amounting to Rs. 2,33,914, were sanctioned, 78 estimates, amounting to Rs. 27,415, were prepared, and 272 estimates, amounting to Rs. 1,73,359, were under preparation, making in all 779 estimates, amounting to Rs. 4,34,588, while the probable expenditure on the execution of tank maintenance works to the end of 1886-87 is estimated at Rs. 5,67,325. In paragraph 3 of their letter, No. 11 A.L., dated 1st February 1886, printed with G.O., No. 146 L., dated 13th February 1886, the Government of India expressed an opinion that it is not desirable to expend any large amount on the investigation of new projects while works already investigated cannot be commenced or pushed on vigorously from want of adequate allotments, but as the Tank divisions deal with the restoration of existing tanks, and as sufficient number of estimates have to be prepared by the Tank divisions and sanctioned in time to admit of the tank maintenance works being carried out to the extent to which funds can be made available, it is considered undesirable that the formation of No. 4 Tank division should be deferred. This division will work in the Coimbatore district outside the Amaravati river minor basin, which overlaps the boundary between the Madurai and Coimbatore districts. The necessity for the employment of a special officer of sufficient standing, with the powers of a Superintending Engineer, to control the operations of the Tank divisions still continues.

CHIEF ENGR.
22nd February 1886.

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

To the Joint Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch.

ORDER—dated 25th February 1886, No. 512 W., Public Works.

The Government of India will be requested to renew the existing sanction of the temporary establishment for the Tank Maintenance Scheme, as noted in the margin, and to accord sanction to the establishment required for the No. 4 Tank division.

Local Allowance to the Superintendent of Works ..	150
Two Engineers at Rs. 650 each ..	1,300
One Engineer ..	550
Three Engineers at Rs. 450 each ..	1,350
Three " at " 300 " ..	900
Total ..	4,350

2. Ordered that the following letter be sent to the Government of India:—

(Here enter No. 512 W., dated 25th February 1886.)

(True Extract.)

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

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Superintending Engineer, Tank Maintenance Scheme.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Revenue Department.

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G.O., 25th Feb. 1886, No. 512 W.

FEBRUARY.

Temporary Establishment for
the Tank Maintenance
Scheme

Ordered that the Government of India be
requested to renew the existing sanction of
the — and to accord sanction to the estab-
lishment required for No. 4 Tank division.

25th FEBRUARY 1886, No. 512 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

LETTER—from

COLONEL J. SHAW-STEWART, R.E.,

Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Public Works Department,

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sir,

In forwarding a copy of the proceedings of Madras Government, No. 512 W., dated 25th February 1886, I am directed to request that the Government of India will be so good as to renew the existing sanction for the temporary engineering establishment for the Tank Maintenance Scheme, and to accord sanction to the entertainment of three temporary Engineers, on Rs. 550, 450 and 300 per mensem, required to start, early next year, another Tank division to work in the Coimbatore district outside the Amaravati river minor basin which overlaps the boundary between the Madras and Coimbatore districts.

2. As the necessity for submitting this application three months before the expiration of the existing sanction was lost sight of, I am to request that the sanction of the Government of India may be communicated by wire to save delay.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

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

Fort St. George,
25th February 1886.

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Dated February, 25th.

Recd.

Encl.

25th Feb. 1886, No. 513 W.

FEBRUARY.

Temporary Establishment for
the Tank Maintenance
Scheme

Requesting to renew the existing sanction
for the — and to sanction the establishment
required for the No. 4 Tank division.

2ND MARCH 1886, No. 537 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

READ—the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. PENNYCUICK, R.E., Superin-
tending Engineer, Tank Maintenance Scheme, to the Chief Engineer, Public
Works Department, dated Chepāk, 24th February 1886, No. 494 T.—
Through the Chief Engineer for Irrigation :—

I have the honor to request sanction to the formation, from the 1st April next, of
a new Tank Maintenance division, with three sub-divisions, to be styled No. IV division,
with its head-quarters, for the present, at Coimbatore and to work in the Coimbatore
district.

2. Proposals for the appointment of the establishment for this division have
already been submitted; but, by an oversight, sanction to the formation of the division
itself has never been asked for.

No. 24 E.W.

Forwarded to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.

CHEPĀK.
26th February 1886.

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

ORDER—dated 2nd March 1886, No. 537 W., Public Works.

Ordered to be forwarded for the sanction of the Government of India, in con-
tinuation of letter, No. 513 W., dated 25th February 1886.

(Here enter No. 538 W., dated 2nd March 1886.)

(True Extract.)

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

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Superintending Engineer, Tank Maintenance Scheme.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

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Dated March, 2nd.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 2nd March 1886, No. 537 W.

MARCH.

Tank Maintenance Scheme

Letter from the Superintending Engineer,
—, requesting sanction to the formation of
a new division, with head-quarters at
Coimbatore, to be styled No. IV division,
ordered to be forwarded for the sanction of
the Government of India.

29TH MARCH 1886, No. 847 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General
Establishment.

READ—the following papers:—

Telegram from the Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Depart-
ment, Calcutta, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works
Department, Madras, dated 24th March 1886.

Your telegram, 19. No objection to formation of fourth Tank division if your
financial position admits of it.

Office note from the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated 26th March 1886.

ORDER—dated 29th March 1886, No. 847 W., Public Works.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, Tank Maintenance Scheme, with
advice to G.O., No. 537 W., dated 2nd March 1886.

2. The formation of a fourth Tank division may be proceeded with.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, Tank Maintenance Scheme.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

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Dated March, 29th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 29th Mar. 1886, No. 857 W.

MARCH.

Fourth Tank Division.

Sanction of the Government of India to the formation of a — communicated to the Superintending Engineer, Tank Maintenance Scheme.

3RD JUNE 1885, No. 1287 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

READ—the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. PENNYCUICK, R.E., Superintendent of Works, Tank Maintenance Scheme, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepak, 23rd May 1885, No. 1096 T. —

I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to obtain the sanction of Government under paragraph 326 of the Public Works Code to the formation of two sub-divisions in the No. III tank division, with the head-quarters fixed for the present at Kurnool and Nandyal, respectively, with effect from 1st April 1885.

ORDER—dated 3rd June 1885, No. 1287 W., Public Works.

Sanction is accorded to the formation of two sub-divisions in the No. III tank division, as proposed.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintendent of Works, Tank Maintenance Scheme.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

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Dated June, 3rd.

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G.O., 3rd June 1885, No. 1287 W

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JUNE.

No. III Tank Division

Formation of two sub-divisions in the
sanctioned.

OFFICE OF THE SUPR. ENGINEER,

TANK MAINTENANCE SCHEME,

Chennai, 15th July 1886.

No. 22417

From

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

TANK MAINTENANCE SCHEME,

To

THE

Chief Engineer
P.W. Department

Enclosures.

Sir,

The Examiner of P.W.
Accounts, has disallowed the Sole
Divisional allowance to the Upper
Subordinates in charge of the Sole Division,
in No. 4 Tank Division, and the
pay of the Clerks and Lagers
attached to them on the grounds that
it requires the sanction of Government.
I have therefore the honor to request
that you will be so good as to obtain
the sanction of Government to the
formation of the Sole Divisions,
noted in the margin with
this



Yours most obedt servt

The same is in your
 report of the same.

6.6. No 1237 W. 3.6.83
" " 547 W. 29.3.86
" " 537 W. 2.3.86
" " 513 W. 25.10.86
" " 512 W. 25.2.86

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From

The Supt. of Works
J. M. Schene

No 1261 W. 4/22 July 1886

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To

The Chief Engineer
R.W.D.

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No. 22417
Dated 15th July 1886
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Enclosure
Nil

Subject

Requests sanction to the
formation of the 3 sub-divisions
of No. 16 Bank Branch at the place
noted within.

L. M. T. M. S. 1/10/86
Adv. S. for bridge
Engineer R.W.D.

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Formation of three
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