

Executive Engineer's Office
No 4. Tank Division
Camp. Rajapuram
30 July 1886.

No 67

I am

The Executive Engineer
No 4. Tank Division.

To

The Chairman
Municipal Council

Salem.

Sir,

In reply to your letter dated
29th June 1886, I have the honor to
inform you that I have not yet
received any orders respecting my
taking up the work at Salem and
am expecting to see my name in the
Gazette for two months leave from
the 1st August. I would, however,
suggest in the event that I have to
undertake the work, that the water

from the sources of supply proposed.
be sent to the Government Analyst
for report if not done already & if
no plans or levels have been taken
I would try to see you at Salem before
I take my leave to make arrangements
for the necessary levels etc; a good
leveler at \$100 per annum would
be required & when this preliminary
is done I should be in a position to
prepare the plans & estimates which
would take at least one to two
months with the assistance of a
first class draughtsman at \$100
and a tracer at \$40 per annum,
also a Clerk at \$30. the salaries
I mention are 30 per higher than
those given in the D. D. W. but I
doubt good men can be obtained
for less for a short period. As I feel
sure you wish to have the work done
as cheap as possible, I think it

would be very advisable for the
preliminaries to be done before you
have my salary charged to you.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt Servant

(Signed) C. B. Target

Executive Engineer
No. 4. Tenth Division

(True Copy)

Wm. K. M. M.

Chairman

Salem 10th July 1886

Reference No. 59

FROM

MR
 Rao Bahadur K. V. Lakkshman Raifair
 Chairman, Municipal Council,
 Salem.

To

THE

Chief Engineer and
 Secretary to Govt.
 P. W. Department

ENCLOSURE.

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SIR,

As per command
 through the D. O. Salem.

The enclosed is copy
 of a letter in reply to the one I
 had addressed Mr. Target
 Executive Engineer No 4, Tank D.
 desiring him to start for Salem
 in order to commence as early
 as possible the investigation
 of the various schemes proposed

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for supplying the Town with water
for which the Govt were pleased
to lend his services to the Municipality.

2. The Municipality
are under the orders of Govt.
dated 29th June 1882 No 573
Financial, entitling to the gratuitous
services of officers of Govt in the
Medical, Engineering, Educational
& Departments and I do not
presume that the Govt in
their order No 573 M (Mis)
under date the 21st June 1886
would have meant otherwise.

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3. From Mr. Target's letter,
however, it would appear that
he expects to be paid by the
Municipality for his services and
he is perhaps under that
impression in the absence of
definite instructions for his
guidance. The establish-
ment necessary for the prelimi-
nary arrangements will of course
be provided for at the cost of
the Municipality.

4. May I therefore
request the favour of your
kindly giving him necessary
instructions in the matter.

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Sir

Your most obt. Servant

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Chairman

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 " 1923 W. 28.7.82 " 1692 W. 6.7.86
 " 18 W. 5.1.86 " 1653 W. 30.6.86
 B. No 1908 W. 21.11.83 B. No 2082 W. 5.6.86
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 B. No 793 W. 31.3.85



Enclosure

Forwarded to the
 Chief Engineer and
 Secretary to Govt
 Public Works Dept.

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Salem Collection
 Office of 13 July 1886

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P. W. Department
 I.W.C. No 557

From

The Chairman
 Municipal Council
 Salem

To

The Chief Engineer
 & Secretary to Govt
 P. W. Department

C. 84/7. 10.7.86
 Salem

Reference No 59.

Recd: 17.7.86
Subject

Requesting that
 necessary instructions
 may be given to Mr
 Target Esq Engineer to
 take up in the matter
 of investigation as

Mr Hughes was paid by
 the Municipality while employed
 by them but there is nothing
 in the file to show whether
 he received any deputation
 allowance or not.

It is not clear why the Cuddalore
 Municipality should have had
 Major Drab - Prochman's services
 while the Tanjore Municipality
 had to pay Mr Hughes but
 possibly G.O No 244 of 5th Feb
 1885. Financial will throw
 some light on it

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In May 1886 the Chairman of
 the Municipal Board Salem wrote
 to Govt requesting that an
 experienced Engineer might be
 deputed to investigate the various
 schemes proposed for supplying the
 town with water and the reply
 was that the services of Mr CAP
 Target Esq. could be lent
 for the purpose.
 Owing to a letter from Mr Target
 to the ~~President~~ Chairman M. Council
 Salem the question was raised as
 to who should pay Mr Target
 while he was employed on the
 work & the Chairman has referred
 the matter to the Govt in P.W. Dept.
 G.O of Madras (Financial)
 No 598 of 29th June 1882
 it is distinctly laid down
 that Municipalities are entitled
 to the gratuitous services of
 P.W. D Officers when this can
 be given without detriment
 to the public services but in
 the Revised rules for Works
 carried out for Municipalities

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given in Circular N° 13 P. D. W. dated 29th July 1885.

Rule II. lays down that "Provision must be made to cover the cost of establishment & tools & plant at the establishment percentages laid down for the province concerned."

In 1884. the services of Major. Drah-Brockman were lent to the Cuddalore Municipality free of charge and under section 57 Clause (b) (v).

of the Pay & Allowance Code a deputation allowance of 1/5 of salary was allowed him the entire cost of his pay & allowance being borne by the P. C. D.

In June 1885 the Municipal Council of Tanjore applied for the services of Mr W Hughes for investigation of schemes for water supply of that town.

This application was made under C. O. N° 244 of 5th Feb^y 1885.

(The Code is not available.)

In Proceedings of Government of India of 9th June 1882 with this Department G. O. N° 1923 W of 28th July 1882, it is stated (para 6) to the effect that direct D. P. W. supervision and assistance should be freely given without charge if the Local Government decide that this can be done without detriment to the public service.

In the case of Major Brockman it is believed that it was decided that there would be no detriment to public service, and his services were therefore given free; while in the case of Mr. Hughes it was settled that his services could not be conveniently spared and the Tanjore Municipality had therefore to pay for them.

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In the case of Mr. Target, I believe his services can be lent without detriment to the public service and consequently the Salem Municipality need not be charged: but I think they should certainly pay his expenses from Coimbatore and back and also all his travelling expenses while employed on the investigation of the water supply project.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the

7 August/86.

READ the following

Letter from the Chairman, Municipal Council Salem.

N.E. No. 59 of 10 July 1886.

Letter from the Collector Salem -

" " of 13 July 1886.

The services of Mr. C.A.B. Target, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, will be temporarily placed at the disposal of the Municipal Council, Salem, for the investigation of the various schemes proposed for supplying the town of Salem with water.

2. Mr Target has been granted two months privilege leave with effect from 2nd August 1886, or date of departure; and on its expiration he will report himself to the President Municipal Council, Salem, for the duty in question.

3. During his deputation, Mr Target's pay will, with advance to G.O. dated 29 June 1882,

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1882, N^o 598 Imancia C,
be met by the Government,
but it is considered that his
travelling expenses during
that period should be
disbursed by the Municipality

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Mr. Am. H. J. Sullivan



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To The Supt. works ✓
Bank Maintenance Scheme.
for communications to Mr. Sargent
an Enam. P.W.A. ✓
as Imancia Dept.

To The Chief Secretary ✓
for countermeasures. 7/8/86

Aug. 84/7. Cui 4/8-10-86
Cui
Oct. 24-7-86

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