

- (1) பக்கங்களின் எண்ணிக்கை 14.
 (2) புதுக்கித் திருப்பிய நாள் செப்டம்பர் 1988
 (3) ஆதாரங்குறிப்பவர் சுருக்கொப்பம் சாஸ

தமிழ்நாடு ஆவணக் காப்பகம்.

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 P. W. D. செப்டம்பர்
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அரசாணை எண். 2950. W. அச்சகம்
 மு. கோப்புத் தாள் எண். பலவகை

நாள் : 7. 11. 1887. 1987.

R. M. கிருஷ்ணன்.

மடிக்கவோ கண்டபடி கையாளவோ கூடாது

7TH NOVEMBER 1887, No. 2950 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Establishment.

LETTER—from

COLONEL J. O. HASTED, R.E.,

*Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Public Works Department,*

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

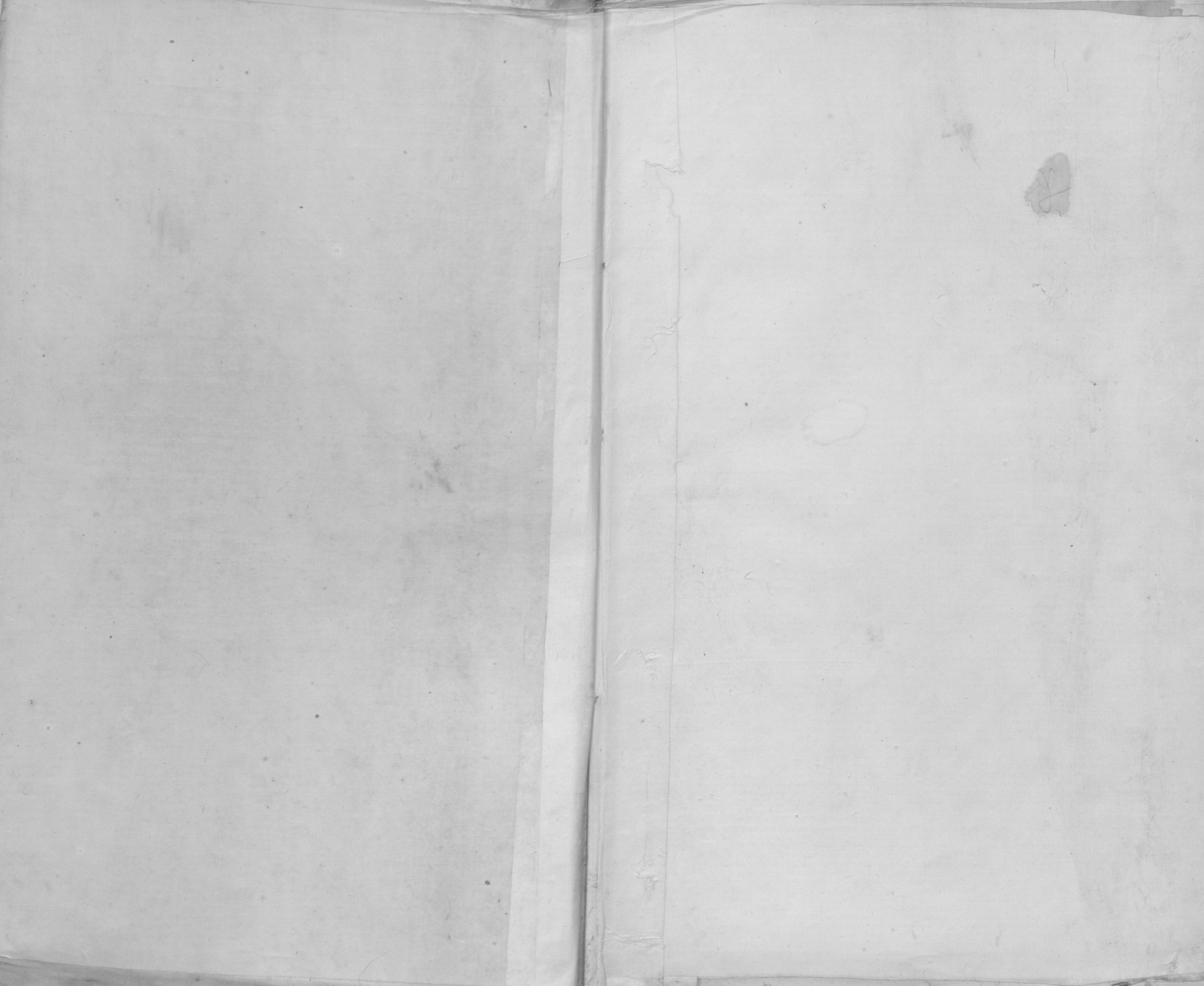
In forwarding, for the information of the Government of India, copies of the accompanying correspondence on the subject of the inconvenience experienced by the Public Works staff employed on the Periyár project in drawing their salaries from the nearest treasury, some fifty miles distant from head-quarters, I am to request that, under the circumstances represented, authority may be communicated to a certain proportion of the salaries being paid at Madras, the Examiner having reported that the arrangement requires the sanction of the Government of India.

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

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

FORT ST. GEORGE,
7th November 1887.

Exd. J. Moses.
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Dated November, 7th.

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7th Nov. 1887, No. 2950 W.

NOVEMBER.

Periyar Project

Salaries of the Public Works staff employed on the —. The Government of India requested to authorise a proportion of the — being paid at Madras.

N. 31.P

Periyar Project Office
Camp. Thekkumalai
Dated 28th September 1887
Despatched 1st October 1887

From, N. S. Taylor Esquire
Executive Engineer
Periyar Project Division.
To The Superintending Engineer
M Circle.

I have the honor to request that Government may be moved to allow some concession to be made with regard to the drawing of salaries of the Officers and upper Subordinates of this Division.

2. The great inconvenience of drawing money at, and making remittances from the nest treasury which is Paracolam nearly 50 miles away from our Head Quarters is so sufficiently obvious as hardly to require any further explanation of my reason for asking for some sort of concession under the special circumstances.

3. Under existing rules the salary cheque for the division must be drawn at Paracolam, an Officer having received his cheque, has to send it 50 miles to the treasury. He then probably wants to remit most of the money elsewhere, as the current expenses are naturally not great at the spot.

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He therefore has to send a series of money orders which entails the risk of constant carriage of money backwards and forwards besides the loss by commission.

4 As it would probably be most convenient to all to have their salaries at their disposal in Madras. I would suggest that a whole or a portion of the salary of each member of the Officers and upper Subordinate Establishment who wished it and of the Clerks also if they wished it be drawn in the Presidency Division and debited in transfer to this Division.

5 The simplest manner of doing this which occurs to me is for the salary bill to be made out on the 1st of each month in this Division, bearing on it the amount to be paid locally and that to be paid in Madras. The latter for convenience sake might be a fixed proportion. The portion paid in Madras would be drawn by ordinary Cheque and paid into the Bank or to Agents, or drawn by power of attorney by the representative of the payee.

6 In my case I beg that the proposed may be considered and that if possible this constantly recurring

recurring inconvenience due to our isolated position, may be removed.

I have &c &c
Signed/ H. S. Taylor
Executive Engineer
Peria Division.

/True Copy/

N^o. 240 P.R. Submitted to the Chief Engineer P.W.D. for favourable Consideration.

2 I cannot too strongly urge the advisability of some such concession as that asked for by Mr. Taylor; personally I do not feel the inconvenience complained of as I can draw my salary at any treasury in the Circle and my agents have representatives in Tanjore Trichinopoly and Madras to whom money can be paid, but I know from former experience how serious the inconvenience is.

3 In 1868/69 a similar request was preferred on behalf of the officers then employed on the Peria investigations but rejected on grounds which if my memory does not fail me amounted practically to no more than that compliance would entail a little extra trouble on the account of

department

department. It is hoped that a different
view will now be taken.

4. It must be borne in mind that
the local expenditure of officers and
subordinates in the Periar Valley is almost
nil, even bread having to be obtained
from a distance of forty-nine miles
and that some means for the transfer
of money is therefore a necessity.

5. The arrangement suggested in para
5 of Mr Taylor's letter seems as con-
venient as any but the exact details
of the course to be followed could be
settled without difficulty in commu-
-nication with the Examiner P.W. Accounts.

6. When a treasury is re-established
at Ottamapallicham the inconvenience
now suffered will of course be diminished,
but only to a very slight extent.

J. B. — J. L. C. C. P. E.
Superintending Engineer C. Circle.

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8th October 1887

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To W.

Orders of the Government
of India will be necessary, and if
the proposal is approved, the
simplest plan will probably be to
give the Executive Engineer Periyar
a credit at the Madras Bank Treasury.

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From

The Supg. Engineer
W. Circle

To

The Chief Engineer
P. W. D.

No. 240 P.A.

Dated 8th October 1887.

R. 26/10/87

Submits for orders letter
from the Ex. Engr Periyar
D. No. 3 P.P. 2/26-9-87. re-
questing sanction to draw
pay. for officers and
subordinates, at the Presi-
dency D.

No. 35372 of 17th Oct 1887
To C

For remarks.

W. E.
15.10.87

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the

Read the following

From the Superintending Engineer W. Circle No. 240 P.A. of 8th October
Office note from the Ex. P.W. Accounts No. 893 of 25th October

Ordered that the
Government of India be
addressed.

To The Supg. Engr W. Circle
Ex. P.W. Accts

No. 1001
W. E.

The Secy to the Govt of India
P. W. Dept.

P. W.
5 Nov

Sir,

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of India.

per *[Signature]*
19/11 27.10.57

[Signature]
3/11/57

[Signature]
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Circ. 4

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Drawing of salaries
of officers & subordinates
employed on the Per
Works at Madras

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PUBLIC WORKS.

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G.O. 7th Nov. 1887 No. 2949

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Periyar project

Salaries of the Public
works staff employed
on the —

The Govt. of India to be
addressed with regard
to the proposal to authorize
a proportion of the —
being paid at —

Periyar project

Salaries of the Public
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10/11/87