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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following paper:—

From Colonel H. SMALLEY, R.E., Superintending Engineer, III Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Bellary, 8th September 1888, No. 1214.

[Para. 3 of G.O., No. 2565 W., dated 20th August 1888.]

I have the honor to report that, in my opinion, it is perfectly unnecessary to continue to maintain Public Works hospitals at Kurnool and Cuddapah for the Kurnool-Cuddapah canal.

2. Matters are much changed on the canal since these hospitals were established. The number of employes has been much reduced and dispensaries have been introduced in different parts of the two districts, so that the canal employes now are nowhere very far from a dispensary. All that is wanted in my opinion in this line is for the Executive Engineer and his Sub-Divisional officers to have a small medicine chest which they might either always carry about with them or leave in charge of an Overseer on some work as might be most expedient at their discretion.

3. I understand that the disestablishment of these hospitals entails the transfer of the services of the two Hospital Assistants and two attenders attached to them from the canal service to other duty.

ORDER—dated 22nd September 1888, No. 2978 W., Public Works.

The Public Works hospitals at Cuddapah and Kurnool will be closed and the medical subordinates replaced at the disposal of the Surgeon-General.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, III Circle.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Public Department.

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SEPTEMBER.

Public Works Hospitals at
Cuddapah and Kurnool

Orders closing the — and replacing the
services of the medical subordinates at the
disposal of the Surgeon-General.

20TH AUGUST 1888, No. 2565 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following paper:—

Office Note from the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, dated Madras, 27th
July 1888, No. 1977.

In continuation of my Office Note No. 900, dated 20th December 1887, and with reference to G.O. No. 156 W., dated 12th January 1888, I beg to state that the Executive Engineer, Kurnool Division, preferred a claim, amounting to Rs. 284-5-9, on account of medical stores supplied to the Public Works Department hospital. The charge has been admitted in accordance with previous practice, but as there is no rule in the Public Works Department Code fixing the limit up to which such charges can be sanctioned by the Superintending Engineer, it seems desirable that some limit should be laid down by Government within which such charges can be admitted by this office without objection.

2. In para. 6 of my Office Note above quoted, I overlooked the fact that there are Public Works Department hospitals not connected with any particular work or system of works, and I would suggest that in such cases the charge for medical stores should be debited to "Establishment Contingencies;" but it is, I think, for Government to consider, from time to time, whether with reference to the existing provision of municipal and local fund hospitals, it is really necessary to continue the maintenance of separate Public Works Department hospitals at such places as Cuddapah, Kurnool, Dowlaiswaram and Duggirala.

3. Charges for medical stores, if debited to works, must be debited to some individual sub-head of the estimate on account of the work or system. In the case of ordinary works this would be a distinct sub-head, and in the case of systems of irrigation works, it might be the sub-head which is usually largest, i.e., "earth-work."

4. When such charges are debited to "Establishment Contingencies," they should be disregarded for the purpose of applying the rule as to the maximum charge of Rs. 500 in any one month under Public Works Department Code para. 352 B. This will obviate the necessity for frequent references to Government.

ORDER—dated 20th August 1888, No. 2565 W., Public Works.

With respect to the limit up to which Superintending Engineers may sanction charges on account of medical stores supplied to Public Works hospitals, the Government consider that it will be sufficient if the countersignature of the District Surgeon be obtained to the indents for such supplies.

2. The Examiner's proposals with respect to the adjustment of charges on account of medicines are approved.

3. The Superintending Engineer, III Circle, will report his opinion as to the necessity for the continued maintenance of the Public Works hospitals at Cuddapah and Kurnool.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Public Department.

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Dated August, 20th.

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G.O., 20th Aug. 1888, No. 2565 W.

AUGUST.

Medical Stores

Passing orders with respect to the limit up to which Superintending Engineers may sanction charges on account of — supplied to Public Works hospitals; and approving of the Examiner's proposals regarding the adjustment of such charges.

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Superintending Engineer's Office,

3RD CIRCLE

Bellary 8 September 1888.

FROM Colonel A. Smalley R.E.
THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

IIIrd CIRCLE.

To

THE

Chief Engineer

P.W. Dept.

Madras

Sir,

Enclosures.

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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt servant

H. Smalley C.E.
Suptg Engineer
B. Cole

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Civil Works

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The Suptg Engr. III. Secy.
Chief Engr. for Engrs.
Engrs. P. W. Secy.
Public Dept.

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From
The Superintending Engineer,
IIIrd Circle.

To
The Chief Engineer
P. W. Deptt
Madras

Dated 8th }
Received 12 } September 1888.

Enclosures.

P. W. Department.
126630. Calcutta 15th Sept 1888

To
E. I.
With a copy of G. O. 2565 W.
of 20. 8. 88.
For favor of remarks—
13. 9. 88

See
14/9/88 W.

I agree with Mr. R. D. III
that there is now
no necessity for maintaining
the P. W. Hospitals at
Kurnool & Huddapah
M. H.
17/9/88

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Public Works Hospitals
at Kurnool & Huddapah
for the Kurnool-Huddapah
Canal

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