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HAVE THE PLEASURE TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE MADE ARRANGEMENTS TO PUBLISH ON

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[P. T. O.]

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W. NEWMAN & Co., "Limited."  
4, DALHOUSIE SQUARE,  
Calcutta, February 1886.

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Messrs. W. Newman & Co., "Limited,"

PRINTERS & PUBLISHERS,

4, DALHOUSIE SQUARE,

CALCUTTA.

Dear Sirs,

Please register my name as a Subscriber for one year to  
"THE INDIAN ENGINEER," for which I send per the sum of Rs. 20.

Yours faithfully,

Name .....

Address .....

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N<sup>o</sup> 1506 G of 16<sup>th</sup> April 1886

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Messrs W. Newman & Co. 120/  
4, Rathbone Square  
Calcutta.

Sirs,

I have to acknow-  
ledge, with thanks, receipt  
of the first number of  
the "Indian Engineer",  
and to request you will  
supply the Public Works  
Secretariat Office, Madras,  
with a copy regularly.

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Messrs W. Newman  
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4. Dalhousie Square  
Calcutta.

Sirs.  
With reference  
to this office No.  
1506. C. dated 16<sup>th</sup>  
April 1886, I am  
directed to request  
that the copy of  
the "Indian Engineer"  
intended for the  
Public Works Secre-  
tariat office, Madras,  
may in future be  
addressed to:-

The Chief Engineer  
Public Works Dept.  
Madras.

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4, DALHOUSIE SQUARE.

"The Indian Engineer."

Calcutta, 15th Nov 1886



The Chief Engineer

P.W.D. Madras

Madras 14/26

Dear Sir, The last issue of the "Indian Engineer" has already been despatched. We shall however address all future issues in the way in which you desire.

Yours faithfully,  
For W. NEWMAN & CO. LIMITED,

Secretary & Manager

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W. HEWMAN & CO., LD.,  
4, DALHOUSIE SQUARE,

"The Indian Engineer."

Calcutta, March 5 1887.

Mr. H. Engineer

may be Mr. P. H. D. 1826  
Madras  
Dear Sir:-

As the period for which  
you subscribed to "The Indian Engineer"  
will expire on the 31 April  
we write to solicit the favor of your  
kindly allowing us to continue your  
name on the list of subscribers.

The journal has now  
been published fortnightly for  
nearly a year, and from the far-  
orable comments of the press, and  
the recent increase in the number  
of its subscribers, we infer that  
it has fulfilled the promise of  
usefulness which was held out.



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Hoping to hear from  
you at an early date.

We are, Dear Sir  
Yours faithfully  
For W. Newman & Co. Ld.

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P. W. Department

Memo 7/4/26

The undersigned has  
the honor to forward here=  
with Rupees twenty and  
requests that the Secretary  
to the Bank of Madras  
will be <sup>so</sup> good as to issue a  
<sup>Reimbursement</sup>  
~~Service~~ Transfer Receipt for  
the amount payable to  
Messrs. W. Newman and Co  
Printers and Publishers of the  
"Indian Engineer" <sup>at Calcutta</sup> being  
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journal for one year com=  
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To  
The Secy to the  
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To  
Messrs W. Newman & Co. L<sup>ds</sup>  
Proprietors, "The Indian Engineer,"  
4 Dalhousie Square  
Calcutta

Dear Sir,

Yours letter of 5. March 1887.

Please enrol my name as a subscriber  
to the "Indian Engineer" from 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1887 for a  
period of one year for which I forward  
Rs. 20/- by Remittance Transfer receipt.

An acknowledgment will oblige.

Yours faithfully

24) N. L. C. Barclay, drafts RH

G. Schiefinger: P.W.D.

Address

The Chief Justice, P. W. D.

Madras

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Public Works Department .

Proceedings of the Madras Government

Read the following :-

No 12924.

Government of India

Public Works Department

General .

Simla the 2nd June 1888.

The following is forwarded to the Government of Madras, with the request that arrangements may be made for the distribution of the number of copies allotted in any manner which may appear expedient .

By Order,

(Signed) G.H.W. Walker

Under Secretary to the Govt of India.

No 1291 G dated the 2nd June 1888.

From - The Secy: to the Govt: of India P.W. Deptt.

To - Messrs Newman and Co, Publishers Calcutta .

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 7th January last on the subject of the professional paper "The Indian Engineer".

2. The facts and circumstances referred to in your letter have been duly considered and I am authorised to say that it has been decided that the journal in question is one which has



the support and encouragement of the Government of India.

3. I am to say that 200 copies of the Indian Engineer will be taken with effect from the 1st July next for a period of one year. Before the expiration of that period it will be considered whether the manner and ability with which the journal has been conducted will justify the continuance of Government support.

4. The enclosed list shows the proposed distribution of the 200 copies. The Secretaries to the various Local Governments and Administrations and the various officers named in the list should be addressed by you in order that you may obtain detailed instructions as to the particular addresses to which the various copies are to be sent.

5. The bill for the 200 copies should be submitted quarterly to the Secretary to the Government of India in this Department.

Enclosure to Public Works Department No 1291 dated 2nd June  
Extract from Distribution list of the 200 copies of the  
"Indian Engineer" subscribed for by the Government of India  
in the Public Works Department

Government of Madras

Consulting Engineer for Railways, Madras

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1426  
From Messrs Newman & Co dated 13th June 1888.

Order thereon No 1951 W dated 29th June 1888.

The 20 copies of the "Indian Engineer" allotted to Madras will be distributed as follows :-

|                                          |           |
|------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Chief Engineer Public Works Dept.        | 1 copy    |
| Chief Engineer for Irrigation            | 1 copy    |
| Do Do for Tank Restoration Scheme        | 2 copies  |
| Superintending Engineers (2 copies each) | 12 copies |
| Superintending Engineer Periyar Project  | 2 copies  |
| Consulting Architect to Govt.            | 1 copy    |
| Madras College of Engineering            | 1 copy    |

20 Copies

2. Messrs Newman & Co will be instructed to forward the publication direct to the officers named.

4. The Consulting Engineer for Railways will address Messrs Newman & Co with respect to the copy allotted to his office.

(True Extract)

*W. B. Boddley*

Captain R.E.

Under Secretary to Government P. W. D.

To The Chief Engineer for Irrign.  
Consng. Engineer for Rys.  
Suptg. Engineers.  
Suptg. Engineer Periyar Project.  
Consng. Archt to Govt.  
Educational Dept.

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THE INDIAN ENGINEER.

4, Dalhousie Square,

Calcutta, 5<sup>th</sup> July 1884.

To

The Secretary to the Government,  
Public Works Dept.,  
Madras.

Sir,

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your No. 1952 H. of the 29<sup>th</sup> ultimo, and to state that your instructions in regard to the distribution of the limited copies of the "Indian Engineer," allotted by the Government of India for the Madras Government, has been carried out.

We have the honor to be,

Sir,  
Yours faithfully,

W. NEWMAN & CO. LIMITED,

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Secretary & Manager.



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THE INDIAN ENGINEER.

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4, Dalhousie Square,

Calcutta, 4<sup>th</sup> September 1888

The Chief Engineer,

Government of Madras, P. O. St.  
Madras.

Sir,  
Your Department having been  
brought on the List of the Government of India  
from the 1<sup>st</sup> of July, for the supply of the  
"Indian Engineer", we have the honor to state  
that we discontinued sending you, from the  
30<sup>th</sup> of June last, the copy of the Journal for  
which the Government of Madras subscribed  
by order of the Under Secretary, in the P. O. Dept.  
No. 1506C, of the 16<sup>th</sup> April '86.

We beg to submit, overleaf,

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a statement of your Subscription account,  
to the end of June 1888.

We have the honor to be,

Sir,  
Your Obedient Servants,

FOR WHEWMAN & CO LIMITED.

*Whewman*  
Secretary & Manager

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 to end of June 1888  
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P. W. DEPARTMENT

Current No.

From

Mexico Newman & Co  
Calcutta

ENCLOS.

No.

Dated 4.9.88

Received 11.9.88

SUBJECT.

"The Indian Engineer" Submitting  
a statement of subscription  
due on account of the  
to the end of June 1888

DISPOSAL.

No. 3543 C Dated 19 Sept. 1888

9078

C.K.

In your note attached  
to No 1951 W of 29.6.88  
you stated that the  
Indian Engineer had  
been subscribed for  
up to 31.12.88 -

The proprietors now  
bring us in due Rs 26  
to them.

How is this?

Cu  
12.9.88

S.A.R.

A draft drawn with  
its fair copy is here with  
submitted.

The amount claimed  
by Messrs H. Newman & Co.  
is correct.

R.H.R.  
19.9.88.  
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Memo.

The Secretary & Treasurer  
Bank of Madras is requested  
to be so kind as to forward to this  
office a Remittance Transfer  
Receipt for the accompanying  
sum of Rs. 26/- payable to Mr  
Messrs. Newman & Co. at Calcutta  
being subscription to the "Indian Engineer"  
for 15 months from April 1887  
to the end of June 1888.

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19.7.88  
S.H.

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To  
The Secretary & Treasurer  
Bank of Madras.

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P. H. Department

Memo

From Messrs W. Newman & Co.

In reply to ~~their~~ letter, dated  
 4<sup>th</sup> September 1888, the undersigned  
 has the honor to forward herewith  
 a Remittance Transfer Receipt  
 for Rs 26/- ~~to Messrs W. Newman & Co.~~  
~~less of balance~~ being sub-  
 scription to the "Indian Engineer"  
 for 15 months from April 1887  
 to the end of June 1888, and  
 to request its early acknowledgment.

Wm  
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Messrs W. Newman & Co.

4 Dalhousie Square, Calcutta.

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THE INDIAN ENGINEER

4, Dalhousie Square,

Calcutta, 28<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1888

To

The Chief Engineer

Government of Madras

P. W. Dept.

Chepauk.

Sir,

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Memorandum No. 3540 C, of the 22<sup>nd</sup> instant forwarding a Remittance Transfer Receipt for Rs. 26 being subscription to the "Indian Engineer" from April 1887 to the end of June/88.

We have the honor to be,

Sir,  
Your obedient Servants

For W. NEWMAN & CO. LIMITED,

G. Smith

Secretary & Manager

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No. 3590C of 22-9-88  
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No. 3759C of 6 Oct. 1888

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P. H. Dept.

No. 3840C of 11 October 1888

Memo 14/10

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In reply to letter from  
 Messrs H. Newman & Co. dated  
 28<sup>th</sup> September 1888 acknowledging  
 receipt of Rs. 26, the under-  
 signed has the honor to request  
 that ~~they may be so good~~  
~~as to forward to this Office~~  
 a duly stamped receipt for the  
 sum in question may be  
 forwarded to this Office

Wm  
 9.10.88  
 D.H.

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To

Messrs H. Newman & Co.  
 4 Dalhousie Square, Calcutta.

Remitted dated 20/10/88

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No. 907 G.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

To

THE GOVERNMENTS OF MADRAS, BOMBAY, BENGAL, THE NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND THE OUDH AND THE PUNJAB.

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CENTRAL PROVINCES, BURMA, ASSAM.  
THE RESIDENT AT HYDERABAD.

THE AGENTS TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL FOR CENTRAL INDIA AND RAJPUTANA.

THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF MILITARY WORKS

THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILWAYS.

THE CONSULTING ENGINEERS TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FOR RAILWAYS, CALCUTTA, CENTRAL DIVISION AND LUCKNOW.

Calcutta, the 27th March 1889.

SIR,

With reference to Public Works Department No. 1292 G., dated the 2nd June 1888, regarding the *Indian Engineer* obtained through Messrs. Newman & Co., Calcutta, I am directed to enquire whether it is thought that the Engineering Staff, to whom the paper has been supplied, appreciate its circulation, and whether it is considered that Government has, in any way, been remunerated for the expenditure incurred.

I am to request that the opinions of a few selected officers may be obtained on this point.

An early reply is requested.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

G. M. A. Chatterjee

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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To The Secretary to the Govt. of Madras  
P. W. Department

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Mr. Cus: 3172

1012 W d/H April 1859

The undermentioned  
The undermentioned  
officers will be request-  
ed to report at an  
early date on the  
points raised by the  
Govt. of India:-

- The Chief Engineer
- The Chief Engineer
- The Chief Engr. for Insp.
- The Chief Engr. for Brig.
- The Insp. Engr. P. Project
- The Insp. Engr. II Circle
- The Insp. Engr. I Circle
- The C.A. to Insp.
- The C.A. to Govt.

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Please see 1957. IV. § 29.6.00  
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Engineer". The other S. Es  
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furlough since the paper  
was introduced.

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12/4/89

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER

FOR IRRIGATION,

FOR IRRIGATION,  
*Costa Rica*  
 Chapak,

29 April 1889

From *G. J. Walch Esq*  
*Ag* THE CHIEF ENGINEER FOR IRRIGATION,

To  
THE Chief Engineer  
General & Roads & Buildings Branch  
and Joint Secy to Govt. P. W. & I.

*Enclosures*

SIR,

SIR,  
With reference to G.O. N° 1013. W.  
dated 11 April 1889 I have the honor  
to say that though I believe the  
Engineering Staff to whom the  
"Indian Engineer" has been supplied  
appreciate its circulation, I do  
not think Government has  
been in any way remunerated  
for the expenditure incurred

I have the honor to be,  
Sir,

Your most obedt servant

Ag. Chief Engineer for Foreign

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From

THE CHIEF ENGINEER FOR IRRIGATION,

To

THE

Chief Engineer  
P.W.D.

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Dated

29-4-89

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ENCLOSURES.

Subject.

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Engineering Staff when  
the "Indian Engineer"  
has been supplied appe-  
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he does not think that  
has been in any way  
remunerated for the  
incurred.

Comptroller

No. 28 G.L. Suptg. Engineer's Office,  
2nd Circle, Bellur  
17th April 1889.

From,

Mr 26 J. Hannan Esquire,  
Superintending Engineer,  
II Circle.

To,

The Chief Engineer,  
Public Works Dept.,  
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to G.O. No. 1013.W.  
of the 11th Instant, I have the  
honor to state that I consider  
the "Indian Engineer" worth  
circulating to the Officers of  
the Department, as it occa-  
-sionally contains some useful  
information, and on the whole  
merits Government patronage.

I have the honor to be,  
Sir,

Your most Obedt. Servt.,

26 J. Hannan  
Superintending Engineer  
II Circle.

H.

16/4/89



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Pres. 3683

From

The Supts Engineer  
The Circle

To

The Chief Engineer  
D. W. Dept

Dated 17<sup>th</sup> April 89

No 28 G. L.

The Indian Engineer-  
Reporting on the  
utility & remuneration  
to Government by the  
circulation of

Comptroller  
22.4.89  
J. W.

No 640 P.R

Office of the Supt Engineer  
Suiyar Project Works.  
Kodakaul 20 April 89  
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From

1426  
Colonel J. Pennycook R.E.  
Superintg Engineer,  
Suiyar Project.

To

The Chief Engineer  
I. W. Department.

Sir.

In reply to G. L. No 1013 W  
of 11<sup>th</sup> instant, I have the honor to  
state that I consider that the  
paper in question is appreciated by  
the officers to whom it is supplied  
and that Government is fairly  
remunerated for the expenditure  
incurred.

I have the honor to be,  
Sir,

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Your most obedt Servt,

J. Pennycook

Col R.E.

Supt Engr Suiyar Project.



P.W.D. 3743

No. 640, P.R.

From,

The Super Engineer  
Periyar Project

To,

The Chief Engineer  
P.W.D.

Dated 20: April 1889.

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Indian Engineer obtained  
through Messrs. Newman  
and Co. Calcutta.

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that Government is fairly  
remunerated for the  
expenditure incurred —

P. W. D.

Consulting Architect's Office,

Chepauk, Madras,

16<sup>th</sup> April 1889.

No. 103.

From

J. W. Brassington, Esq.,

File 26

Consulting Architect

to the Government of Madras,

To

The Chief Engineer

Public Works Department

Sir,

Enclosure.

With reference to G. O. No. 1013 of  
dated the 11<sup>th</sup> April 1889, I have the honor to report  
that the "Indian Engineer" is read and appreciated  
by the staff connected with this Division

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient servant

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J. W. Brassington  
Consulting Architect to  
Government.



P.W.C. 3580  
Public Works Department.

From

THE CONSULTING ARCHITECT

TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

The Chief Engineer  
P. W. D.

No. 103

Dated 16<sup>th</sup> April 1889

Received

No. of ENCLOSURES.

Subject.

Reporting that the "Indian  
Engineer" is read and  
appreciated by the  
Staff connected with the  
Architects Division

Comptroller  
P.W.D.  
8.4.89

await  
their replies. C.No 3172  
The Indian Engineer  
is the off. b. of India  
letter dated 27 Mar/89  
I am of opinion that the  
publication in question is  
a useful publication, and  
that its perusal has been  
of benefit to those officers  
to whom it has been circu-  
lated. These officers have  
always spoken well of  
the paper -

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Approved  
8.4.89 W.



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The Indian Engineer

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of India's letter dated  
29th March 1889, I am of  
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in question is a useful  
publication, and that its  
perusal has been of benefit to  
those officers to whom it  
has been circulated. These  
officers have always spoken  
well of the paper.

2. I consider that it brings  
the officers to whom it is  
circulated acquainted with  
many matters connected  
with the Indian & home  
engineering at a small  
cost, and in this way Gen  
has to some extent gained  
by patronising the

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P. W. DEPARTMENT

Current No. 4069

From

The Chief Engineer  
P.W.D.

ENCLOS.—

No.

Dated 8-4-89  
Registered  
Received

SUBJECT.

Report on the  
Indian Engineer

DISPOSAL.

No.

Dated

publication

Predator. Buchanan

St. C. K. E.

Acting Chief Engineer, P.W.D.

4/11/89

Atacamano  
8th May 1889

is the handwritten  
The form of this  
to be to require  
direction as shown in  
encil in para 1.

The communication  
should issue from the  
Genl.

Para 3 should apparently  
form a part of your  
on note d/ 8. 10. 89,  
which has accordingly  
been fair copied with  
this addition.

R.S.  
8. 10. 89

H.C.

Clear the  
draft, and send  
to the H.M.

R.S.

M. R.

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Done. Send to

H.M.

R.S.

8. 10. 89



No. 907 G.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.  
GENERAL.

14/26

To

THE GOVERNMENTS OF MADRAS, BOMBAY, BENGAL, THE NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND THE OUDH AND THE PUNJAB.  
THE CHIEF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CENTRAL PROVINCES, BURMA, ASSAM.  
THE RESIDENT AT HYDERABAD.  
THE AGENTS TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL FOR CENTRAL INDIA AND RAJPUTANA.  
THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF MILITARY WORKS.  
THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILWAYS.  
THE CONSULTING ENGINEERS TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FOR RAILWAYS, CALCUTTA, CENTRAL DIVISION AND LUCKNOW.

Calcutta, the 27th March 1889.

SIR,

With reference to Public Works Department No. 1292 G., dated the 2nd June 1888, regarding the *Indian Engineer* obtained through Messrs. Newman & Co., Calcutta, I am directed to enquire whether it is thought that the Engineering Staff, to whom the paper has been supplied, appreciate its circulation, and whether it is considered that Government has, in any way, been remunerated for the expenditure incurred.

I am to request that the opinions of a few selected officers may be obtained on this point.

An early reply is requested.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

G. H. D. WALKER,

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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Order there on No 1013 N<sup>o</sup> 111

April 1889.

The undermentioned  
officers will be requested to  
report at an early date  
on the point raised by the  
Government of India.

The Chief Engineer

The Chief Engineer for Irrigation

The Subg. Engr. Periyar Project

The Subg. Engr. II Circle

The Comdg. Architect to Govt.

/ True Extract /

M Baddar

Capt. Rk.  
Under Secy to Govt. M.D.

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The Chief Engr. M.D.

" Chief Engr. for Irrig.

" Subg. Engr. P. Project

" Subg. Engr. II Circle

" Comdg. Architect

PWC N<sup>o</sup> 3425

Ry 11.4.89

W. 7/26

I have made careful  
enquiries and read several  
papers on records and  
obtained the information  
you wanted regarding the  
payment of a subscription  
for the supply of the journal  
called "The Indian Engineer".

There are three journals  
very nearly allied in name  
which are received by this  
office, and they are:-

1) "The Engineer" received  
from London whose cost  
is adjusted in the Exchange  
Account by the Examiners  
P.W. accounts.

2) "The Indian Engineering"  
edited by P. H. Doyle C.E.  
Calcutta, for which sub-  
scription is paid in  
advance by this office.

3) "The Indian Engineer"  
published by Messrs  
Newman & Co., Calcutta.

This journal was first  
obtained in April  
1886 directly from the  
publishers vide N<sup>o</sup>  
1506 C dated 16 April  
1886 and the subscription  
for it was paid to the  
end of June 1888 from

Rs 25 which



which date this Dep<sup>t</sup>  
 was brought on the list  
 of the Government of  
 India vide letter from  
 Messrs. Newman & Co.  
 dated 4<sup>th</sup> September 1888  
 and No. 3590C dated  
 22<sup>nd</sup> September 1888. Please  
 also see F.O. No. 1957W  
 dated 29<sup>th</sup> June 1888 and  
 the file connected there-  
 with. No payment  
 has been made by  
 this office for the  
 supply of the journal  
 from 1<sup>st</sup> July 1888 nor  
 has there been any  
 adjustment of cost  
 in the Examiner's office.  
 It is therefore manifest  
 that the remark of  
 the H. M. is correct.

Maj 14/5

1 letter thus Indian Engrs.

now  
 by this  
 RS  
 9-5-89

verified

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Wm  
 6.5.89

3. The interest advantage  
 gained by making this office  
 of the Dep<sup>t</sup> acquainted with subjects relating  
 to Home & Indian Engineering is considered of this sort as

To  
 The Secretary to the Govt  
 of India P.W.D

Sir-

In reply to your No.  
 907 G, I have the honor  
 to forward copies of the  
 replies received from the  
 officers whose opinions were  
 asked regarding the "Indian  
 Engineer".

2. It will be observed  
 that the opinions expressed  
 are generally in favor of  
 the publication.

3. I consider that it brings  
 the office to know it is circulated  
 acquainted with many matters  
 connected with Home & Indian  
 Engineering at a small cost,  
 and in this way Government  
 has some extent gained by  
 publishing the publication.

Wm  
 8.5.89



a fair set off against the  
small cat specimen in  
taking in the Indian Empire.

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8.5.89

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letter to India

No. 1300 W.D./S. - 14 May 1889

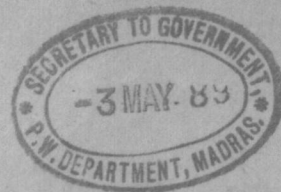
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No. 907 G.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

TO

14.26

THE Secretary to the Govt. of Madras,  
Public Works Department.

14.26

Simla, the 25<sup>th</sup> April 1889.

The undersigned is directed to invite attention  
to the letter noted below, and to request that the  
reply may be expedited.

G. H. Walker

Under-Secretary.

Returned to Madras  
with answer on 8th April.  
The paper is still in the file.  
3.5.89

P. W. D. No. 907 G, dated the 27<sup>th</sup> March  
1889 enquiring whether it is thought  
that the Engineering Staff to whom  
the Indian Engineer has been  
supplied appreciate its circulation  
and whether it is considered that  
Government has, in any way,  
remunerated for the expenditure  
incurred.

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Enquiring whether it is thought that the "Engineering staff to whom the "Indian Engineer" has been supplied appreciate its circulation and whether it is considered that Government has, in any way, been remunerated for the expenditure incurred

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P. W. Cho.

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J. M. V. 4865

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Recorded with reference  
to letter No. 1300 W of 15. Aug. 1889

Quid  
27. 5. 89

John filled in at Madison

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1013 W 7/14/89  
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not wanted  
RK

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