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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following papers :—

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percentage for establishment and tools and plant being paid by this department.

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(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Col., R.E.,
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ENCLOSURE.

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(True Extract.)

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Communicated to Superintending Engineers concerned for information.

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4. Ordered that a copy of these proceedings be forwarded to the Government of India.

(Here enter No. 3210 W., dated 24th November 1887.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
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To the Superintending Engineer, I Circle.

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" Postmaster-General.

" Political Department.

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Exd. J. Moses.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of (1887) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated November, 24th.

Recd.

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G.O., 24th Nov. 1887, No. ^{3209 W} 3210 W.

NOVEMBER.

Post Office Buildings

Forwarding copy of proceedings issuing orders for the repair of — at certain places by Local Fund Engineers.

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From Colonel J. O. HASTED, R.E., Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, to the Chief Engineer, Travancore, dated 1st July 1887, No. 2195 C.

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From the Chief Engineer, Travancore Government, to the Deputy Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, Chepák, dated Trivandrum, 5th July 1887, No. 4451.

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter, No. 2195 C., of the 1st instant.

2. I shall be happy to have the works mentioned undertaken as desired.

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G.O., 24th Nov. 1887, No. 3209 W.

NOVEMBER.

Post Office Buildings

Orders issued for the repair of — at
certain places by Local Fund Engineers.

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,

V CIRCLE, MADRAS,

Chepak, // September 1889.

No 3890.

From Colonel Robertson R.E.

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

V CIRCLE,

To

THE Chief Engineer
P.W. Department.

SIR,

Enclosures

I have the honor to request that an
allotment of Rs. 100 may be appropriated for
repairing Post Office Buildings at Venkata
gempkōla in addition to the sum of Rs. 100
placed at the disposal of the Executive
Engineer North Arcot Division under Postal
Repairs.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obedient servant
W. Robertson Colonel R.E.
Superintending Engineer V. Circle

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From
P.H.C. No. 8572
THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
V CIRCLE,

To
THE Chief Engineer
J.W. Deptt.

Dated 11th September 1889.
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ENCLOSURES.

No. 2577 W/18-IX-89

No. 3890.

Post Office Buildg.
at Venkatasagircottah
North Arcot Dist.

Requests that an
allocation of Rs 100 may
be appropriated for
repairing —

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No. 2577 W

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 18th Sept. 1889

Read the following

From the Superintending
Engineer V Circle. — No 3890 of 11th September 1889.

A sum of
Rs 100 is allotted to the
North Arcot Division,
under Imperial Civil
Works, Postal Repairs,
from the reserve with
the Government under
that head.

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The
Superintending Engineer V Circle
Examined I.W. Accounts

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SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,

V Circle, Madras,

Chennai, 21 October 1889.

No. 4789

From Colonel W. H. Burton R.E. 3179

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, V CIRCLE,

To THE Chief Engineer
P. W. Department.

SIR,

Enclosures.

With reference to G.O. No. 2577, of 18th September 1889, I have the honor to state that the amount of the estimate sanctioned for Repairs of the Venkatalagherrykota Post Office is Rs 155 and the work is to be executed by the Engineer Establishment of the District Board of North Arcot as per G.O. No. 2577, of 18th September 1889, on the funds placed by the P. W. Department. 8

2. Under the above circumstances I request that the Estimate amount of Rs 155 with usual charges of ²³ per cent an amount of Establishment and ¹² per cent on account of Tools and Plant making in all Rs ¹⁹³ instead of Rs 160 may be appropriated and placed at the disposal

No. 2577 W. H. 18th Sept. 1889

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disposal of the North West District Board
for execution.

I have the honor to be

Dear Sir

Your most obedient servant

Watson Colonel &c
Superintending Engineer V. Circle

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From

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
V CIRCLE,

To

THE Chief Engineer
P. W. Department.

Dated 21 October 1889.
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No. 4739.

Venkatagiri P. W.
Post Office

Requests that Rs 195
may be appropriated
& placed at the disposal
of District Board
for execution of repairs.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following

From the Suptg
Engineer V Circle - No. 4739 d/21 Oct 1889.

With reference
to G. O. No. 3209 W, dated
24th November 1889, the
repairs to the Post office
at Venkatagiri P. W.
will be caused out by
the District Board,
North Arcot and the
Executive Engineer will
pay to the Board a sum
of Rs 195 as shown
below:-

	Rs
Worke ..	155.
Establishment ..	36
Tools and Plant ..	2.
Total Rs	<u>193.</u>

2. The necessary
accounts will be
furnished

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furnished by the Local
Fund Engineer for
incorporation in the
accounts of this
Department.

Received
21.10.89

WCB
31.10.89

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No. 3177 of 8-11-89

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To
The S. E. V. Circle.
" Ex: P. W. Dept.
" Local & M. Dept.
with copy of G.O. of
3209 W of 24 Oct 1889.

To
(The Hon'ble the Chief Secy)
(for favor of counter initials)

On 31.10.89

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