GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

ORDER—dated 12th January 1892, No. 37, Revenue.

Miscellaneous.

His Excellency the Governor in Council being satisfied that the distress in parts of the districts of Nellore, Bellary, Kurnool, Anantapur, Cuddapah and Salem is sufficiently severe, or will very shortly become so, to warrant the opening of relief works, is pleased to declare those districts to be distressed districts for the purposes of the Famine Relief Code.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (Settlement Department).
- Public Works Department.
- Local & Municipal Dept.

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2th January 1892, No. 37.

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Distressed districts.

Declaring Nellore, Bellary, Kurnool, ...pur, Cuddapah and Salem to be — for ...poses of the Famine Code.

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OFFICIAL PAPERS.

ABSTRACT OF SEASON ...PORTS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 18...UNE 1892.

RAINFALL AND PR... OF FOOD-GRAINS.

Districts.	Rainfall in inches			Prices of Seers (of 80 tolas) per Rupee											
		Up to the end of the week from 1st April		Rice.			Cholum.		Ragi.			Cumbu.			
	In the week.	1892.	Average of 30 years for corresponding period.	Average for June.	Last week.	This week.	Last week.	This week.	Average for June.	Last week.	This week.	Average for June.	Last week.	This week.
Ganjam ..	1·10	6·28	5·75	18·9	10·8	11·0	15·5	15·5	32·9	18·3	18·3	33·2	21·6	21·1
Vizagapatam. Agency.	2·34	6·68	7·94	16·2	9·9	9·9	14·4	14·2	28·6	15·8	16·1	29·6	16·7	16·7
Vizagapatam. Littoral.	1·21	4·45	6·36											
Godavari ..	1·09	4·47	4·38	16·4	10·6	10·6	16·3	16·8	31·2	16·5	16·8	28·9	15·2	15·8
Kistna ..	·95	4·14	4·25	15·5	10·8	10·9	16·0	16·4	31·4	17·8	18·2	23·8	14·3	14·3
Kurnool ..	·93	3·87	3·27	13·1	9·1	9·0	14·4	14·4	31·0	15·1	14·2	24·0	12·6	12·2
Bellary ..	·10	2·54	4·35	13·8	8·6	8·5	14·7	14·5	34·8	16·3	16·5	24·8	12·5	12·2
Anantapur.	·22	2·23	4·18	15·6	8·9	8·9	15·8	15·8	34·0	16·0	16·1	26·7	12·7	12·7
Cuddapah ..	1·49	4·42	3·71	15·5	8·4	8·4	14·2	14·3	33·5	16·6	16·6	29·0	12·8	12·9
Nellore ..	·36	1·40	2·82	15·4	9·3	9·4	13·6	13·5	30·1	14·3	14·3	23·7	12·4	12·4
Chingleput.	2·09	3·22	4·56	16·4	9·8	9·7	12·5	12·5	26·6	13·9	13·8	21·1	..	..
Madras ..	1·10	3·23	3·99	14·1	8·6	9·0	13·9	13·7	27·2	14·7	14·7	24·0	10·9	11·4
South Arcot.	1·16	3·76	5·22	16·5	11·1	11·1	17·4	16·7	28·5	16·1	16·1	27·3	16·2	16·1
North Arcot.	1·75	5·02	5·62	16·4	9·6	9·6	13·3	13·2	31·0	15·2	15·1	25·5	11·8	11·8
Salem ..	·72	7·95	7·88	15·3	9·5	9·6	14·3	14·5	30·8	15·8	15·9	25·5	13·2	13·3
Coimbatore.	·18	7·01	7·36	14·7	10·1	10·0	14·4	14·4	30·2	16·4	16·7	28·8	15·7	15·9
Trichinopoly	·25	3·00	6·51	15·3	9·7	9·7	15·4	16·1	29·8	15·7	15·7	27·2	16·0	16·0
Tanjore ..	·41	3·62	5·09	16·3	10·7	10·7	..	..	29·2	15·4	15·1	23·9	13·0	13·0
Pudukota ..	·39	2·57	..	..	9·0	8·6	18·7	19·7	..	16·3	15·5	..	16·9	18·1
Madura ..	·36	4·94	·27	15·4	10·3	10·4	15·1	14·5	30·6	15·7	15·6	28·8	15·9	15·3
Tinnevelly.	·04	6·30	4·66	14·2	10·6	10·2	17·9	17·8	27·0	15·6	15·5	23·3	15·5	14·3
Nilgiris ..	1·09	14·40	15·92	11·8	8·3	8·4	13·6	15·3	21·8	13·4	15·0	17·4	11·9	12·3
Malabar ..	1·71	33·18	31·44	13·8	10·4	10·1	..	..	22·8	17·6	17·6	..	..	..
South Canara	2·01	33·16	31·95	14·3	12·1	12·1	..	..	19·9	15·4	15·4	..	..	..
Travancore.	·66	18·48	..	..	7·8	8·5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

DISTRICT

GA

Paddy, ragi, gingelly, red-gram, sugarcane ar
sufficient except Narsannapet and Tekkali;
freely everywhere; freshes in Rushikulya,

VIZA

Gingelly, cumbu, ragi, *vuda*, korra, cotton, c
transplanted; standing crops reviving; catt
tion in Golgonda; water-supply for drinki
but insufficient for agriculture in five talu
fodder insufficient.
Harvest.—Paddy middling.

GO

Paddy, gingelly and cumbu being sown and trar
cane good; pasture scanty but sprouting; f
taluks and Tuni and Pittapur divisions; wa
division, but recent rainfall greatly improve

K

Agricultural operations commencing in parts;
being sown; green fodder sprouting in par
Bapatla, Palnad, Nandigama and Vinukond

KI

Korra, yellow jonna, arika, lamp-oil seed, sajja
kuntla and Markapur; standing crops, garc
betel and sugarcane gardens under Nand
Cumbum doing badly; jonna, sajja, and la
to have grown half a span high; fodder ge
pasture improving; water-supply generall
south-west of Pattikonda; in Markapur f
month's supply; in Nandikotkur tanks ha
in many of the rivers.

BE

Cholum, oil-seeds, gingelly and pulses and rag
standing dry crops good in Kudligi and we
off than others; in latter, showers not as ge
local supply almost *nil* and prices rising; h
much used as fodder; some tanks received
Harvest.—Paddy, 6 to 10 annas.

ANA

Dry lands being ploughed; ragi and cholum b
in two taluks; crops under wells and nala
fodder scarce; hill grass, roots, date and *ch*
and Kalyandrug; one tank received two
20 days' supply of water; water-supply su
in Hindupur and diminishing elsewhere.
Harvest.—Cholum, korra, ragi, paddy, 4 to 12 a

CU

Ploughing in progress throughout; korra, cum
in parts, and paddy and ragi being transp
channels and wells fair; heavy freshes i
Sidhout, Proddutur, Rayachoti, Kadiri an
condition of cattle improved to a certain ex
and Kadiri taluks; fodder scanty in Badvel
improving after recent rains.
Harvest.—Sugarcane, 12 annas.

N

Ploughing going on generally; cumbu being s
in Polur and withering in Kota; pasture
able in southern taluks and to some extent
being fed on leaves in parts of Udayagiri
rain, but insufficient or scarce except in pa
Harvest.—Cholum and cumbu, 4 annas; kesari

EPORTS.

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M.

mbu sown in places; drinking water generally
fodder generally scarce, but green grass sprouting
sadara and Lingula.

PATAM.

a and paddy sown, and ragi and sugarcane
eak for want of fodder, and some died of starva-
insufficient in three taluks, improving elsewhere,
and improving elsewhere; pasturage improving;

VARI.

anting paddy commenced in parts; standing sugar-
er available, but dear in Rajahmundry, Peddapur
of water felt in Yernagudem taluk and Pittapur
ater-supply; Godavari above anicut.

NA.

ddy, maize, cholum, cumbu, indigo and gingelly
dry fodder generally procurable except in parts of
Kistna 5·90 feet over anicut.

NOOL.

eing sown in Sirvel, Nandikotkur, Nandyal, Koil-
crops and vegetables under wells in Nandikotkur;
l tanks are in good condition; betel gardens in
-oil seeds, already sown in Markapur, are reported
ally insufficient except in Sirvel and Nandikotkur;
mproved; rainfall fairly general, but more wanted
tanks received full supplies and three about one
received supplies here and there; slight freshets

LARY.

eing sown under wells and paddy under channels;
air under channels and wells; western taluks better
ral as at first reported; fodder is of poor quality and
grass less used and prickly-pear and various leaves
rtial supplies.

TAPUR.

ig sown under wells in parts and ragi transplanted
fair except in Yadiki; *drupair* in Hindupur fresh;
ura leaves used as fodder, also prickly-pear in Gooty
aths, two received one month and some others 10 to
cient for drinking and in irrigation wells sufficient

nas.

DDAPAH.

i, cholum, turmeric, oil-seeds, paddy, arika being sown
nted under canal in Cuddapah; standing crops under
the Pennar and slight in the Sagiler; some tanks in
Cuddapah taluks received some supply of water;
ent in Vayalpad and improving in Rayachoti, Sidhout
and deficient in parts of Cuddapah and Pullampet, but

ELLORE.

wn in Nellore; dry crops thriving, but paddy thriving
insufficient or scarce except in Polur; fodder avail-
n Kavali; insufficient or scarce elsewhere, and cattle
nd Kandukur; drinking-water improving after recent
ts; freshets in some of the villages.
addy, 2 annas.

CHIN

Gingelly and cumbu sown in some parts of Mad
wells in Conjeeveram, and ragi in parts of C
growing under wells, some river channels an
slightly improved after recent rain; fodder a
cient for men and cattle; some of the tanks
5 to 20 days' supply from recent rain; seas
should encourage agricultural operations and

MA

Food-grains imported during the week, 527 tons.

NORTH

Ploughing in progress and dry crops being sown
generally good; water-supply scanty for agricu
ten days to one or one and a half month's supp
and cattle in Gudiyatam are getting weak; d
Harvest.—Paddy, cholum and gingelly, bad to mid

SOUTH

Ploughing and manuring in progress in parts, an
taluks; standing crops generally good, but onl
Pennar and Manimuktanadi; almost all the ta
of cattle good.
Harvest.—Indigo and gingelly, 8 annas.

SA

Agricultural operations proceeding; paddy, cumbu,
in parts; standing crops good in parts and
Tiruchengod; condition of cattle generally go
and fodder available throughout; water-supply
cultivation, but insufficient for wet cultivation i
Harvest.—Cumbu, cholum, samai, gingelly and varag

COIMBA

Cumbu, ragi, chillies, cummin-seed, coriander, pad
standing crops fair in three taluks and good el
in parts of Karur and Erode where it is insu
have a small supply of water; condition of ca
less in all taluks.
Harvest.—Paddy, 16 annas.

TRICHI

Ploughing in all taluks; paddy, ragi and cholum so
sugarcane planted in Perambalur and Kilapalu
Musiri and Kulitalai; pasture insufficient in
laiyam; fodder and water-supply for drinking
poly and to 4 feet 3 inches at Musiri at the en
Harvest.—Cholum, 4 to 16 annas.

TA

Crops generally in good state except in Patukota
except in Mannargudi and Patukota; wat
purposes.
Harvest.—Paddy up to average.

PU

Standing dry and garden crops good. Varagu
and partial.
Harvest.—White cholum, 2 annas.

M

Pasture sufficient except in Palni; locusts destro
Harvest.—Cholum and cumbu, 8 to 12 annas;

TIN

Agricultural operations continue; standing cr
nainarkoil; Tambraparni low; tank-supp
fodder generally sufficient.
Harvest.—Paddy and gingelly, 4 to 8 annas;

Weeding general; ploughing in Ootacamun
good; pasture and water supply sufficie

n; kar and ragi transplanted under private
t, Tiruvallur and Saidapet; paddy and ragi
ntakam tank; pasture generally scanty, but
condition of cattle good; water-supply suffi-
veram and Chingleput taluks have received
ects not materially changed, but recent rain
pasture.

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parts after the recent rain; standing crops
erations, but some tanks have received from
sture still scanty in some parts of the district
r continues to be dear.

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gingelly and cumbu sown in parts of a few
Tindivanam; there were slight freshes in
y; pasture and fodder sufficient; condition

m, samai, gingelly and varagu being sown
others, but dry crops beginning to fade in
improving in the affected parts; pasture
lly sufficient for drinking purposes and dry
parts.
o 12 annas.

mbu and gingelly being sown in parts;
e; water-supply in wells fair or good except
; some tanks in all taluks except Pollachi
erally good and pasture available more or

Y.

rts and ragi transplanted in Perambalur and
nding; wet crops good in parts of Trichinopoly,
and parts of Perambalur and Udayarpa-
t; Cauvery rose to 4 feet 1 inch at Trichino-
week.

ain is wanted; pasture generally sufficient
fair for irrigation and good for drinking

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n sown; ragi transplanted; showers scanty

ng dry crops in Tirumangalam; rain wanted.
y, 8 annas.

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locusts appeared in some parts of Sankara-
except in parts of three taluks; pasture and

as; cumbu, 8 annas; cholum, 8 to 12 annas.

lanting paddy in Gudalur; crops generally

Transplanting first crop in progress; sowing
generally; pasture improving.

SOU

Transplanting first crop in progress; crop ge
upland cultivation; pasture sufficient.

T

Paddy growing.

SEASON TELEGRAM TO THE G
AGRICULTURA

Week ending 18th June. Rainfall goo
only few showers Anantapur, Bellary and w
eastern taluks except Bellary and northern p
good rain fell in part of affected area; goo
adjoining part Cuddapah; cultivation proceed
generally improved, but deficient parts An
rather easier Circars, but slightly dearer
Carnatic 25,638, Central 7,350; total 91,06
owing to delay in rains, decrease Salem. G
total fed 1,055 against 1,037 last week.
Central 986 thousand rupees; wells comple
repair 5,750, 1,868 and 6,850 respective bloc
in each block.

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Blocks.	Districts.	Numbers on Relief works.	Gratuitous relief. Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
Deccan.	Kurnool	25,560	79	91	22	592
	Bellary	19,765	11	5	23	39
	Anantapur ..	1,173	1	15	29	45
	Cuddapah ..	11,579	17	2	38	83
	Total ..	58,077	108	13	512	759
Carnatic.	Nellore	25,638	13	2	44	83
	Chingleput ..	..	..	..	..	..
	Total ..	25,638	13	2	44	83
Central.	North Arcot ..	1,703	..		42	44
	Salem	4,952	20	9	90	169
	Coimbatore ..	695	..	..	..	..
	Total ..	7,350	20	6	132	213
	Grand Total ..	91,065	141	226	688	1,055

Loans from 1st April 1891							
For construction and repair of wells.						Under Agriculturists' Loans Act.	
Amount		Wells					
Granted.	Disbursed.	Constructed.	Under construction.	Granted.	Disbursed.		
RS.	RS.					RS.	RS.
2,26,216	1,18,959	11	690	15,670	15,378		
* 1,50,336	* 82,039	* 6	* 497	* 39,540	* 39,120		
61,870	42,460	18	242	2,660	2,205		
6,73,835	4,50,975	535	4,321	9,391	8,291		
11,12,257	6,94,433	570	5,750	67,261	64,994		
34,990	29,995	30	117	53,315	43,670		
5,20,310	3,77,899	1,876	1,751	21,606	21,606		
5,55,300	4,07,894	1,906	1,868	74,921	65,276		
4,87,998	3,33,387	730	2,343	1,909	1,909		
1,55,598	1,36,233	210	1,049	9,308	9,003		
7,29,112	5,16,698	275	3,458	60,431	54,610		
13,72,708	9,86,318	1,215	6,850	71,648	65,522		
30,40,265	20,88,645	3,691	14,468	2,13,830	1,95,792		

* Last week's figures.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(REV. SETT., L. RECORDS AND AGRI.),
21st June 1892.

P. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Secretary.

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LABAR.

in Cochin; crops sprouting to one or two feet high

CANARA.

lly in good condition; water-supply not sufficient for

ANCORE.

ERNMENT OF INDIA, REVENUE AND
DEPARTMENT, SIMLA.

ircars, parts Carnatic and Central, light West Coast;
n portion Kurnool; rainfall to date good throughout
on Anantapur, and until end of week in Nellore, when
ain subsequently affected portion North Arcot and
actively where rain fallen; water-supply and pasture
pur, Bellary and Nellore; prices nearly stationary,
ura and Tinnevelly. Relief works—Deccan 58,077,
ainst 86,885 last week; increase Bellary and Nellore
uitous relief—Deccan 759, Carnatic 83, Central 213;
ns for wells—Disbursed: Deccan 694, Carnatic 408,
570, 1,906 and 1,215; wells under construction or
Agriculturists' loans—Disbursed 65 thousand rupees

PENDIX.

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Govt. of {1892} Madras.

REVENUE.

Issued

Recd. Encl.

G.O., 25th January 1892, No. 85.

JANUARY.

Temporary Overseer.

The appointment of a — on Rs. 35 for a period of 3 months in the Cuddapah district, sanctioned.

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To the Sr. III circle
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No. 1760 G.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 1st July 1891.

Issue of furlough certificates in the cases of Honorary Commissioned and Warrant Officers.

The following is forwarded to the Local Governments, Administ- Officer d/ 4th Febry: 1892 marg- ation -icated to the - circle

The Governments of Madras and Bombay, Public Works Department, General and Railway Branches.
The Governments of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, and the Punjab.
The Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces, Burma, Assam, and Coorg.
The Resident at Hyderabad.
The Agents to the Governor General for Central India, Rajputana, and Baluchistan.
The Accountant General, Public Works Department.
The Director General of Railways.
The Director General of Telegraphs.

By order,

G H Walker
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Furlough and Leave.

No. 333 G., dated 11th May 1891.

From—The Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department,

To—The Director General of Military Works.

In reply to your letter No. 849-A, dated the 18th February 1891, I am directed to say that the issue of furlough certificates to military officers in civil employ proceeding on furlough under the regulations of 1875 is confined to those holding civil appointments of a limited tenure; but as it has now been represented that the non-issue of furlough certificates in the cases of officers employed in the Military Works Department, whether commissioned, honorary commissioned or warrant, and of the honorary commissioned and warrant officers of the Public Works Department, subject to the regulations of 1875, causes some difficulty in the preparation of their final last-pay certificates, the Government of India have decided that furlough certificates in Form 5-A or 5-B, as the case may be, shall in future be issued in all such cases as soon after their furlough is gazetted as possible.

2. In regard to warrant officers subject to the regulations of 1868, whose cases have also been considered in this connection, the Government of India do not think that furlough certificates are necessary, inasmuch as they are only entitled to furlough on medical certificate, which is neither regulated by length of service nor governed by any furlough previously taken.

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The Public Works Department, for information.

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To The Secretary to the Govt of Madras
P.W. Dept Railway branch

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No. 1739 G.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 30th June 1891.

Privilege leave to Native* Engineers of the Public Works Department proceeding to England for a course of practical training.

Read again—

Public Works Department Resolution No. 116 G., dated the 16th January 1888, on the subject of practical training of Native Engineers in England.

Read—

Public Works Department Circular No. VIII P.W., dated 31st July 1888.

RESOLUTION.—The Government of India is pleased to lay down the following rules in regard to the privilege leave of Native* Engineers of the Public Works Department proceeding to England for a course of practical training under the conditions of Public Works Department Resolution No. 116 G., dated the 16th January 1888:—

I.—The time spent in England does not interrupt privilege leave previously earned but does not count for further privilege leave.

II.—Privilege leave may be taken either—

(*a*) between the date of giving over charge in India and joining in England; or

(*b*) between the date of completing the practical course in England and embarking for India.

III.—In case (*a*) officers will be required to defray the expenses of their journey to England; and in case (*b*) from England, the Rs. 1,000 which they receive for these expenses being reduced by Rs. 500.

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Local Governments, Administrations and Officers noted on the margin, for information and guidance.

- The Governments of Madras and Bombay, Public Works Department, General and Railway Branches.
- The Governments of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, and the Punjab.
- The Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces, Burma, Assam, and Coorg.
- The Resident at Hyderabad.
- The Agents to the Governor General for Central India, Rajputana, and Baluchistan.
- The Accountant General, Public Works Department.
- The Director General of Railways.
- The Consulting Engineers to the Government of India for Railways, Calcutta, Central Division, and Lucknow.

G. H. D. Walker

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.

* This term includes Europeans and Eurasians whose domicile is in India and who are therefore Natives of India, under the Statute (Act 33 Victoria, Chapter 3, Section 6).

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

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General. Account.

READ—the following paper:—

EXTRACT (paras. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 31, 32, 33, 39, 44, 45 and 54) from report of an inspection of the accounts of the North Arcot Division, made by I. S. Sherlock-Hubbard, Esq., Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Madras, on the 5th to 8th December 1892, dated 10th December 1892.

Date of last inspection.—8th to 11th June 1891.

2. *By whom last inspected.*—Mr. M. H. Gaynor, Officiating Deputy Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

3. *Orders of Government on last inspection report.*—G.O., No. 2011 W., dated 24th July 1891.

4. *Divisional Officers*—

Major C. C. Rawson, R.E., Executive Engineer, 1st grade, from June 1891 to 9th March 1892.

Mr. J. F. Handcock, Assistant Engineer, 1st grade, from 10th to 15th March 1892.

Major A. W. Smart, R.E., Executive Engineer, 1st grade, from 16th March to 10th August 1892.

Mr. J. M. Lacey, Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, from 11th August to 10th November 1892.

Major A. W. Smart, R.E., Executive Engineer, 1st grade, since 11th November 1892.

5. *Divisional Accountants*—

A. Yuvarangam Naidu (old), 5th grade, from June 1891 to 11th June 1892.
M. Govindarajulu Naidu (new), 6th grade, since 12th June 1892.

6. *Constitution of the Division*—

Name of sub-division.	Name of sub-divisional officer.	Rank and grade.	Amount of imprest.	Remarks.
			Rs.	
Vellore ..	Mr. J. Mahony	Sub-Engineer	..	Is a disburser.
	Sergeant E. Price	Overseer, 1st grade	100	
	A. Loganatha Mudaliar ..	Clerk	10	
Ranipet ..	Mr. J. M. Lacey	Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade.	..	Is a disburser.
	S. K. Govinda Row	Supervisor, 1st grade ..	100	
	S. K. Ramachendra Sastri ..	Overseer, 1st grade ..	200	
	R. Veerasawmy Iyengar ..	Temporary Supervisor, 2nd grade.	200	
	B. Subba Row	Clerk	20	
Arni ..	C. R. Chinnasawmy Iyengar ..	Supervisor, 2nd grade ..	..	Is a disburser.
	P. M. Arumugam Pillay ..	Overseer, 2nd grade ..	500	
	W. Ethiraja Mudaliar ..	Temporary Overseer, 2nd grade.	100	
	S. Panchapakesa Iyer	Overseer, 3rd grade, sub. *pro tem.*	100	
	M. Mooroogesa Mudaliar ..	Head Clerk, Divisional office ..	25	
	J. M. Bell	Executive Engineer ..	100	To be withdrawn in consequence of transfer of No. 4 Party, Tank Restoration Scheme, to Patukóta taluk, Tanjore district.

7. The accounts for September 1892 were test-audited, but I had not the opportunity of discussing any of the points noticed in this report with the Executive Engineer who was unavoidably absent from head-quarters.

19. *Non-submission of vouchers.*—This point was noticed by the Deputy Auditor-General in his recent inspection of the Examiner's office, and the Comptroller-General's orders upon it were stringent. The following vouchers up to 30th September 1892 are still due from this division :—

No.	Month to which relates.	Central office voucher No.	Amount.	From whom due.
			RS. A. P.	
1	February 1892	15	30 0 0	Arni sub-division.
2	April ,, ...	152	10 0 0	Do.
3	,, ,, ...	153	13 8 9	Do.
4	May ,, ...	286	3 7 2	Ranipet sub-division.
5	,, ,, ...	131	272 3 2	Do.
6	June ,, ...	80	15 0 0	Do.
7	,, ,, ...	96	19 8 0	Do.
8	,, ,, ...	298	5 4 0	Do.
9	July ,, ...	379	94 0 0	Do.
10	August ,, ...	15	300 0 0	Arni sub-division.
11	,, ,, ...	117	23 0 0	Do.
12	,, ,, ...	370	45 0 0	Do.
13	September 1892	44	15 7 9	Ranipet sub-division.
14	,, ,, ...	161	12 0 0	Do.
15	,, ,, ...	272	10 0 0	Do.
16	,, ,, ...	311	46 13 0	Arni sub-division.

Their submission should be expedited and measures adopted to ensure that a voucher is always obtained before a payment is made.

24. *Completed measurement books.*—A register has been opened with reference to G.O., No. 1698 W., dated 4th June 1892, for all books issued since May 1892, and it provides a column for the dates of their return to the Divisional office duly completed, but no steps appeared to have been taken to call in completed books previously issued. This is necessary under the Government Order in question and also under Government of India Code, volume I, chapter XII, para. 96 G.

25. The "personal ledger" of the above register is not, in my opinion, convenient. It does not show, without the turning over of several pages, where each measurement book is, and to secure this the following form is suggested in preference to it as showing what is required in one line :—

No. of book.	Date of receipt.	Date of issue.	To whom issued.	Date of return duly completed.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6

Columns 1 and 2 should be posted immediately on receipt of the books, concurrently with the entry, "received from the Superintendent, Government Press, Madras," in the form suggested in the following paragraph and the remaining columns as each transaction takes place.

26. No record whatever is kept of measurement books *received* or of the balance in hand on any date, and it is suggested that, in addition to the above form of register (by means of which the return of the books can be checked), a combined form for receipts, issues, and balance such as that described in para. 2 of my office-note No. 738 S.A., dated 29th May 1892 (published with the Government Order above quoted) should be brought into use in every division. It is in fact a stock book (showing receipts, issues and balance) and combines with it forwarding letter and acknowledgment which are at present written on separate sheets of paper.

27. The "balance" as shown in this form should always agree with the total of un-issued books as entered in the form described in the preceding paragraph.

28. I beg that orders on these three paragraphs may be communicated to the department generally, on receipt by me of which both forms will be printed.

31. Payments on account to contractors above Rs. 500 each and all final payments are made by the Executive Engineer, and as a rule no undue delay appears to take place between date of measurement and payment (whether by the Divisional office or by the Sub-divisional officers); but it is worthy of consideration whether Sub-divisional officers may not be allowed to make *all* "payments on account," even above Rs. 500, as authorized in G.O., No 2668 W., dated 26th September 1892. This would avoid the delay that now occurs from such bills having to be sent to the Divisional office for payment.

32. The following instances were noticed in which some delay did occur :—

Sub-division.	Central office voucher No.	Date of measurement.	Date on which measurement was checked or work inspected.	Date of payment.	Amount.
					RS. A. P.
1. Vellore	129	21st January 1892.	24th July 1892 ..	24th September 1892.	59 8 3
2. Do.	192	27th November 1891.	7th February 1892.	22nd ,,	27 4 1
3. Do.	231	27th February 1892.	26th August 1892 ..	26th ,,	34 8 5

Payment of item 2 was apparently delayed in consequence of the contractor's refusal to accept the measurements allowed. There is another case of this kind in which contractors Theruvangadasamy Mudaliar and Co. claim about Rs. 7,000 more than that admitted. The work was measured on 20th July 1892 by the Sub-divisional officer, Ranipet, who submitted the bill to the Divisional office on 15th August 1892. The contractors subsequently submitted an appeal to the Superintending Engineer, who, in his No. 572/N.A., dated 8th October 1892, ordered that the claim "should be settled in strict accordance with the provisions of their agreement." The matter is still unsettled owing to a dispute between the two partners of the firm.

33. In addition to the foregoing, the following is a lengthy list of unsettled claims. The Divisional office appears only recently to have taken steps for the settlement of these balances, but something more than this appears urgently called for :—

Month from which outstanding.	Sub-division.	Name of contractor.	Amount.
			RS. A. P.
December 1890 ..	Ranipet	K. Appaji Row	0 7 0
March 1891 ..	Do.	Do.	24 11 4
July 1891 ..	Do.	A. Nageswara Iyer	4 9 6
Do. ..	Do.	S. Streenivasacharry	31 14 11
Do. ..	Arni	A. Balasundra Mudaliar	* 30 8 0
Do. ..	Do.	P. Ramasawmy Iyer	17 4 6
Do. ..	Do.	Do.	148 8 2
Do. ..	Do.	W. Ragavacharry	* 13 8 11
Do. ..	Do.	P. Ramasawmy Iyer	405 1 6
August 1891 ..	Do.	Elayaperumal Odayar	7 15 7
September 1891 ..	Do.	A. Theperumal Mudaliar	35 7 10
Do. ..	Do.	Do.	58 6 5
Do. ..	Do.	P. Ramasawmy Iyer	108 0 4
October 1891 ..	Do.	W. Ragavacharry	* 143 12 2
Do. ..	Do.	Ramakrishna Naidu	* 61 15 10
Do. ..	Do.	Appasawmy Mudaliar	33 2 8
November 1891 ..	Ranipet	Ramakrishna Naidu	* 79 12 5
Do. ..	Arni	Subba Reddi	28 9 0
December 1891 ..	Do.	Ramanjulu Chetty and Ramiah Naidu	7 5 3
Do. ..	Do.	Vasupala Nainar	116 2 5
January 1892 ..	Do.	K. Subramania Iyer	133 14 1
Do. ..	Do.	Balakrishna Odayar and Theruvengadachary ..	56 12 0
Do. ..	Do.	Do. do. ..	66 9 11
Do. ..	Do.	Chenganna Chetty	30 13 0
February 1892 ..	Ranipet	Murthy Naicker and Streenivasacharry	157 5 8
March 1892 ..	Do.	P. Kesava Mudaliar	4 0 3
April 1892 ..	Do.	Govindaraju Pillai	11 3 10
Do. ..	Do.	S. M. Visvanatha Iyer	4 5 4
Do. ..	Do.	Ramarunga Iyengar	14 14 3
Do. ..	Do.	Veerasawmy Iyer	55 15 6
May 1892 ..	Do.	Do.	152 13 10
Do. ..	Do.	P. Ramasawmy Mudaliar	58 6 3
Do. ..	Arni	Kalasti Raja	14 9 9
June 1892 ..	Ranipet		

Month from which outstanding.	Sub-division.	Name of contractor.	Amount.
			Rs. A. P.
June 1892 ..	Ranipet	P. Visvanatha Iyer and Ramarunga Iyengar ..	177 0 0
Do.	Do.	Kommathay Mudaliar	0 3 8
Do.	Do.	Do.	0 0 3
Do.	Do.	S. M. Visvanathiar	20 0 2
Do.	Arni	Do.	5 6 9
Do.	Do.	Anantha Sesha Sastri	11 5 11
Do.	Do.	Subbrayer	2 15 4
Do.	Ranipet	W. K. Ramasawmy Naidu	24 4 3
Do.	Do.	Ramachendra Mudaliar	5 11 3
Do.	Arni	Subramania Mudaliar	17 13 3
Do.	Do.	Ramasawmy Thekshadar	*17 1 3
Do.	Do.	Arunachella Mudaliar	17 11 4
Do.	Ranipet	Do.	12 5 11
July 1892 ..	Do.	Ramarunga Iyengar	36 5 0
Do.	Do.	Do.	11 4 0
Do.	Do.	A. Nageswara Iyer	12 1 3
Do.	Do.	Velumuruga Mudaliar	48 12 10
Do.	Do.	Achama Naidu	23 3 11
Do.	Do.	Muthu	34 8 11
Do.	Do.	Do.	65 13 1
Do.	Do.	Swami Iyer	54 3 11
Do.	Do.	Chinnaya Mudaliar	6 4 3
Do.	Do.	Do	4 5 7
Do.	Do.	Chengama Raju	27 11 9
Do.	Do.	Do.	5 6 7
Do.	Do.	Do.	2 5 9
Do.	Do.	Kothandarama Naidu	92 12 11
Do.	Arni	Appasawmy Mudaliar	16 13 7
Do.	Do.	Meeramodeen Sahib	35 15 9
Do.	Do.	Denapala Nainar	40 1 2
Do.	Do.	Ramachendra Mudaliar	18 7 7
Do.	Ranipet	Do.	11 4 3
Do.	Do.	Papa Rajagopala Charriyar	12 15 2
Do.	Arni	Do.	30 7 2
Do.	Do.	Arunachella Mudaliar	85 0 0
Do.	Do.	Balakrishna Iyer and Theruvengada Charry	110 6 3
Do.	Do.	Do. do.	97 1 10
Do.	Do.	Narasimha Ragavacharri and Narasimhacharri ..	75 5 4
Do.	Do.	Veerasawmy Naidu and Ramachendra Mudaliar ..	9 3 8
		Do. do.	73 13 4

The Sub-divisional officer, Arni, in his letter, No. 579 E.E., dated 30th November 1892, stated that final bills for the six works marked above with an asterisk, which were in course of preparation, would be submitted soon and that as there was water in other tanks final bills for the remaining works in his sub-division could not be submitted until the works are completed.

39. The following are noticed as a few instances of works on which no expenditure has been recorded for more than three months :—

Name of work.	Amount of estimate.	Outlay to 31st October 1892.	No outlay recorded.
	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	
Poythanellore large Puderi tank, constructing sluice	340	310 8 3	Since 1st April.
Vellambi tank, constructing L. L. sluice	720	713 3 7	,, 1st May.
Do. constructing an escape	360	302 6 5	,, 1st June.
Do. do. a sluice and a regulator	280	57 5 2	,, 1st May.
Kahanam tank, constructing 1 and 2 weirs	2,070	1,815 7 10	,, 1st August.
Poythanellore Puderi small tank, repairs	2,330	1,911 12 7	,, 1st May.
Vellambi tank, repairs	2,000	1,900 1 6	,, 1st June.
Poiney channel, cutting pathways in	460	190 0 0	,, 1st May.
Poiney anicut, eastern main channel, petty repairs	2,565	2,418 2 5	,, 1st ,,
Kukundi branch channel, drop. No. 6	830	723 8 9	,, 1st June.
Kávéripák tank bund, constructing superintendent's quarters at ..	410	12 0 0	,, 1st April.
Tennampatter channel from Mecherri weir and sluice, clearing ..	1,950	1,865 7 4	,, 1st June.
Manamathurai tank and channel, providing	585	536 13 0	,, 1st August.
Kiekalathur tank, constructing head sluice to the channel	900	694 15 7	,, 1st July.
Muddur Hissa tank, repairs to weir and raising and strengthening the bund.	2,900	2,994 12 2	,, 1st August.

If the works have been abandoned or completed, it is desirable that the accounts for them should be closed.

44. *Comparison of actual outlay with estimated expenditure.*—Sufficient attention does not appear to have been paid to the instructions given in paras. 4 and 5 of Examiner's cricular No. 7, dated 13th August 1892, with a view to securing close approximation of actual outlay to forecasts of expenditure in applications for letters of credit. Each Sub-divisional officer applies for lump sum credits on different treasuries and their applications appear to undergo no scrutiny whatever in the Divisional office. For expenditure in December lump sum applications were received from all the Sub-divisional officers. Sub-divisional applications for funds for December bear no indication of having been even seen by the Executive Engineer.

45. The subject is one to which my attention has been directed by the Accountant-General, Public Works Department, and it is very necessary that its importance, as explained in para. 2 of the circular quoted above, should be fully recognized by all Divisional and Sub-divisional officers and it is most desirable that the matter should be emphasized by a general order of Government.

54. *Records.*—The destruction of valueless records in accordance with Government of India Code, volume I, chapter VI, para. 40, calls for attention.

No. 5 A.

Submitted to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, for favour of orders.

MADRAS,
17th January 1893.

(Signed) I. S. SHERLOCK-HUBBARD,
Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Madras.

ORDER—dated 4th February 1893, No. 282 W., Public Works.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.

2. The submission of the vouchers referred to in para. 19 should be expedited, and the attention of the Executive Engineer, North Arcot division, should be drawn to the remarks in paras. 31 and 32.

3. The Superintending Engineer will report what steps have been, or are about to be, taken to adjust the unsettled claims enumerated in para. 33 and will explain the circumstances which have led to the excessive delay in payments.

4. The Examiner's suggestions in paras. 39 and 54 should receive the Superintending Engineer's consideration.

5. The proposals in paras. 24 to 27 are approved for general adoption, and steps will be taken by the Examiner to issue the necessary forms.

6. The attention of all officers of the department is drawn to the remarks in paras. 44 and 45.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. T. WALCH,
Ag. Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.
,, other Superintending Engineers.
,, the Consulting Architect to Government.
,, the Superintendent of Works, Periyár Project.
,, the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
,, the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

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G.O., 4th Feb. 1893, No. 282 W.

FEBRUARY.

Inspection Report of the North Arcot Division

Passing orders on the — by the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, and drawing the attention of all officers of the department to his remarks in paras. 44 and 45 thereof.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 16th March 1891, No. 1247, Mis. :—

MR. CLOGSTOUN.

Read—the following telegram from the Collector of Chingleput, dated 12th March 1891 :—

To-day after weeks effort loyally seconded by Burlton not one P.W. cooly is working in the whole Pariapalayam tract including Kagavakkam and Kanripper, the contract system is at fault, another overseer should at once be given to execute departmentally Vadamadure and other large works successively or I will not be responsible for the result. Please arrange immediately with Public Works.

Resolution—dated 16th March 1891, No. 1247, Mis.

Submitted for the consideration and early orders of Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings, dated 10th current, No. 132.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) P. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Secretary.

ORDER—dated 18th March 1891, No. 213, Revenue.

Miscellaneous.

Transferred to the Department of Public Works in continuation of G.Os., dated 9th and 17th March, Nos. 175 and 212, in view to arrangements being made for starting some large irrigation works in the Pariapalayam tract of the Tiruvallúr taluk with the least possible delay and carrying them out departmentally, wages being paid daily.

2. The difficulty has arisen owing to the failure to draw up a definite programme of works which could be put in hand in each taluk in case of necessity. As soon as it become apparent that employment would have to be provided for the people in certain localities, the Collector should have selected, in communication with the Department of Public Works, a sufficient number of works to afford employment to the maximum number of laborers likely to require it and should have taken steps to get estimates prepared for the works so selected so that there might be no delay in

determining at short notice what works should be taken up and in starting them. This should now be attended to at once and a programme should be submitted for the approval of Government.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department.
,, the Collector of Chingleput.
,, the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture.

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G.O., 18th March 1891, No. 213.

MARCH.

Pariapalayam tract.

Board's Proceedings on telegram from the Collector of Chingleput complaining that no P.W. cooly is working in the — of the Tiruvallúr taluk, transferred to the Public Works department, in view to arrangements being made for starting some large irrigation works in the tract with the least possible delay and carrying them out departmentally, wages being paid daily, and the Collector directed to prepare at once, in consultation with the Public Works officers, a programme of works suitable for famine relief.

Communicated in continuation of G.O. No. 208 W. dt/19th March 1891 to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation for issue of the necessary instructions.

2. Arrangements will be made at once to post another Overseer to the Chingleput Division.

(Sd) J.P.

To the Chf. Engr. for Irrn.
" Supdg. Engr. Ntwde

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following paper:—

G.O., dated 16th March 1891, No. 496, Judicial.

Read—the following papers:—

From the Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam district, dated 7th January 1891, No. 7.

From the Inspector-General of Jails, dated 19th February 1891, No. 68.

Order—dated 16th March 1891, No. 496, Judicial.

The question now raised cannot be satisfactorily disposed of until the cost of carrying out those improvements in the Párvatipur hill jail, which have already been approved, is known; the plans and estimates called for in G.O., dated 11th December 1890, No. 1974, Judicial, should, therefore, be expedited.

2. It is, moreover, essential that the exact effect of the Agent's proposals should be ascertained. From the "general summaries" attached to the Jail administration reports for the four years ending 1889, it appears that the daily average population of male prisoners during that period in the Párvatipur hill jail was 164·89, which means an average excess of population over accommodation, amounting to 44·89; but during the above period the annual admissions of male convicts numbered 373, and, of these, 104 or nearly 28 per cent. were on the average men sentenced to terms of imprisonment not exceeding 3 months; from this it may perhaps be deduced that, out of a daily average strength of 165 convicts, 46 would be prisoners under sentences of not more than 3 months' imprisonment. Mr. Willock's scheme would detain all such prisoners at Koraput, so that the extension of the subsidiary jail at that place would reduce the average daily strength of the Párvatipur hill jail to 119, a population for which the present accommodation is just sufficient. It is no doubt necessary to provide room for considerably more than the daily average strength, but the above figures suggest that the adoption of Mr. Willock's proposals will render possible a large reduction in the amount of additional accommodation, which it is at present proposed to provide for the Párvatipur hill jail.

3. It is, however, desirable that exact statistics should be procured and the Inspector-General of Jails will, therefore, be requested to report at an early date the precise figures in respect of the average daily population of convicts, male and female, undergoing sentences of 60 to 90 and of 90 to 120 days in the Párvatipur hill jail, the prisoners from above ghâts being distinguished from those belonging to the low-lands; for this purpose an examination of the rolls for the 1st of each month for a few years will be sufficient.

Meanwhile, the elaborated proposals which it is understood that Mr. Willock intends to submit after his visit to Koraput are awaited.

(True Extract.)

A. BUTTERWORTH,
Acting Under-Secretary.

ORDER—dated 23rd March 1891, No. 844 W., Public Works.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, for information and guidance, in continuation of G.O., No. 49 W., dated 7th January 1891, the plans and estimates required by which should be submitted as soon as possible.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, I Circle.

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G.O., 23rd Mar. 1891, No. 844 W.

MARCH.

Parvatipur Hill Jail

Proceedings, Judicial Department, passing orders regarding improvements to the — and to the sub-jail at Koraput, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, with instructions.

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The Government of India addressed ...	1st Dec. 1891, No. 3222 W.	.....
Madras College of Engineering.—Proceedings in the Educational Department stating that the stipends and allowances of soldier students of the — during their practical courses should continue to be debited to the Public Works Department, and directing that the words "from the College" be struck out of para. 101 of the Public Works Code, communicated to the officers of the department for information and guidance.	2nd do. do. No. 3223 W.	.....
Police lines at Arni.—Letter from the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, stating that the estimate of Rs. 4,990 for — has been forwarded to the Inspector-General of Police for countersignature but has not yet returned, communicated to the Judicial Department.	2nd do. do. No. 3224 W.	14th Nov. 1891, No. 3045 W.
Cuintz purchased for Government House, Madras.—The Examiner authorised to arrange for the payment as a special case to Messrs. Maple and Company, England, of the — and the Government of India addressed separately regarding the desirability of placing the furniture fund entirely at the discretion and disposal of His Excellency the Governor.	2nd do. do. No 3225 W.	12th Sept. 1887, No. 2451 W. 25th April 1888, No. 1221 W. 2nd Aug. 1890, No. 2105 W. 8th Aug. 1890, No. 3332 C 13th Sept. 1890, No. 786 D. 19th Sept. 1890, No. 3812 C. 9th Oct. 1890, No. 4070 C. 24th Oct. 1890, No. 4323 C. 28th Oct. 1891, No. 2863 W.
The Government of India addressed	2nd do. do. No. 3226 W.	.....
Theft committed in the Ganjam Division Office.—Report of the result of the Police inquiry of the —, recorded.	2nd do. do. No. 3227 W.	16th Oct. 1891, No. 2744 W.
Police huts at Muchukota.—Report from Superintending Engineer, III Circle, that the allotment of Rs. 1,577 for seven — is not required, recorded.	2nd do. do, No. 3229 W.	23rd Oct. 1891, Nos. 2795-96 W.
Executive Engineer's bungalow at Dumagudiem.—The use of the — as a school till the end of March next as requested by the Reverend Mr. Cain, approved.	2nd do do. No. 3231 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Warm clothing.—Declining to reconsider the orders passed in G.O., No. 3626 W., dated 20th December 1889, regarding supply of — for lascars in the Rushikulya division.	2nd Dec. 1891, No. 3232 W.	20th Nov. 1889, No. 5404 C. 20th Dec. 1889, No. 3626 W.
Suit.—The Examiner authorised to admit the law charges, amounting to Rs. 46-6-0, incurred on account of the — instituted by the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, against S. Venkatasawmi Naidu for the recovery of cement lost.	2nd do. do. No. 3233 W.	15th May 1888, No. 1890 C. 8th June 1888, No. 1697 W. 20th Sept. 1888, No. 2962 W. 13th Oct. 1888, No. 3255 W. 17th Dec. 1889, No. 3589 W. 8th Aug. 1891, No. 2124 W.
Famine Code.—Proceedings in the Revenue Department ordering the supply of 15 copies of the — for the use of the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, communicated to the Superintending Engineer.	2nd do. do. No. 3234 W.	15th Aug. 1891, No. 714 D. 15th Oct. 1891, No. 4525 C. 29th Oct. 1891, No. 4774 C. 20th Nov. 1891, No. 5184 C.
Racquet Court at Kurnool.—Proceedings in the Revenue Department stating that the custody of the old — should rest with the Public Works Department but that public funds should not be spent on its repair, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, for information and guidance.	2nd do. do. No. 3235 W.	14th Oct. 1891, No. 4486 C. 11th Nov. 1891, No. 4974 C.
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — for period ending 31st August 1891, III Circle.	2nd do do. No. 3236 W.	27th Nov. 1888, No. 3742 W. 17th July 1888, No. 2164 W. 21st Mar. 1889, No. 851 W. 10th Aug. 1891, No. 663 D. 20th Nov. 1891, No. 3130 W.
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — for period ending 31st August 1891, IV Circle.	3rd do do. No. 3237 W.	8th Sept. 1891, No. 2395 W. 11th Aug. 1891, No. 2151 W. 10th Oct. 1891, No. 2689 W. 27th Oct. 1891, No. 2839 W.
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — for period ending 31st August 1891, II Circle.	3rd do. do. No. 3238 W.	26th May 1891, No. 1440 W. 11th Aug. 1891, No. 2164 W.
Statement of objectionable Items.—Orders on the — for period ending 31st August 1891, V Circle.	3rd do. do. No. 3239 W.	11th Aug. 1891, No. 2149 W.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Statement of objectionable items.—Orders on the — for period ending 31st August 1891, I Circle.	3rd Dec. 1891, No. 3240 W.	19th Feb. 1891, No. 486 W. 22nd May 1891, No. 1396 W. 11th Aug. 1891, No. 2163 W.
Budget estimates.—Proceedings in the Financial Department fixing the estimates under Local Funds Act V of 1884 and adjusting heads (Provincial) for 1892-93, recorded.	3rd do. do. No. 3242 W.	.....
Budget estimate.—Proceedings in the Financial Department accepting the estimate of receipts in the General Branch of the Public Works Department under Provincial Civil Works for 1892-93 and deferring orders regarding the grant for expenditure until December next, communicated to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	3rd do. do. No. 3243 W.	.....
Travelling allowance journals.—Notes of the examination at Coimbatore on 19th November 1891 of the — of the members of No. IV Party, Tank Restoration Scheme, by the inspecting accounts officer, recorded.	3rd do. do. No. 3244 W.	.....
Mr. W. B. de Winton.—Endorsement of the Government of India, Military Department, forwarding copy of its telegram to the Director-General of Military Works intimating that — should report himself to the Public Works Department, Madras, not later than the 15th December, recorded.	3rd do. do. No. 3245 W.	10th Nov. 1891, No. 4961 C. 26th Nov. 1891, No. 5315 C. 24th Nov. 1891, No. 5270 C. 26th Nov. 1891, No. 5316 C. 3rd Dec. 1891, No. 3245 W.
School building at Coimbatore.—Proceedings in the Educational Department recording, with remarks, G.O., No. 3071 W., dated 16th November 1891, regarding rent for the — engaged by the Coimbatore All Souls' Church Committee, recorded.	3rd do. do. No. 3246 W.	10th Dec. 1890, No. 3283 W. 3rd Feb. 1891, No. 317 W. 15th April 1891, No. 2089 C. 23rd April 1891, No. 2219 C. 16th Nov. 1891, No. 3071 W.
Local Fund Supervisor's office at Tindivanam.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department recording letter from the President, District Board, South Arcot, explaining the circumstances under which the estimate for constructing a — and certain other works were sent to the Superintending Engineer for scrutiny, recorded.	3rd do. do. No. 3247 W.	5th Jan. 1891, No. 13 W. 14th Feb. 1891, No. 423 W. 23rd Feb. 1891, No. 525 W. 9th June 1891, No. 1570 W. 8th July 1891, No. 1880 W.

Subjects.	Number and date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Colonel H. Smalley, R.E., Superintending Engineer.—A final last pay certificate of —, who has proceeded to Europe on furlough for one year and three days, ordered to be forwarded to the Home Government.	3rd Dec. 1891, No. 3248 W.	.....
Forwarded	3rd do. do. No. 3249 W.	.....
Kálahasti zemindari.—Proceedings in the Revenue Department passing orders on petitions from certain ryots praying for the assistance of Government for the repairs of their tanks, wells, &c., in the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.	3rd do. do. No. 3250 W.	.....
Pennér and Gadilam bridges.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department approving of proposals that the South Arcot District Board has charge of the — on the understanding that the Municipal Council of Cuddalore, who have agreed to take charge of the roadway over the latter bridge should contribute to the District Board annually the cost of the maintenance of that bridge, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, for information.	3rd do. do. No. 3251 W.	29th April 1889, No. 1137 W. 25th Aug. 1891, No. 2291 W. 15th Sept. 1891, No. 2476 W.
Ganjam maliahs.—Proposal of the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, to be permitted to make advances to the extent of Rs. 1,000 to petty contractors on —, sanctioned as a special case.	3rd do. do. No. 3252 W.	3rd July 1890; No. 1833 W. 9th Aug. 1891, No. 2171 W. 11th Oct. 1891, No. 2679 W.
Contribution works.—The execution of certain — by the Public Works Department noticed in the objectionable items statement for period ending 31st May 1891, IV Circle, sanctioned.	3rd do. do. No. 3253 W.	.....
Godávari left embankment.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department sanctioning from the District Board's reserve the allotment applied for by the Godávari District Board for widening and gravelling a portion of the —, and requesting the Accountant-General to place the amount at the disposal of the Public Works Department, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle.	3rd do. do. No. 3254 W.	23rd April 1891, Nos. 1126–27 W. 14th Sept. 1891, No. 873 D. 10th Oct. 1891, No. 2694 W.
Statement of unauthorized appropriations.—Orders in the — made during October 1891.	4th do. do. No. 3256 W.	6th Aug. 1891, Nos. 2104-5 W. 3rd Oct. 1891, No. 2653 W. 30th Oct. 1891, No. 2908 W. 7th Nov. 1891, No. 2977 W. 5th Nov. 1891, No. 2955 W. 13th Oct. 1891, No. 2700 W.
Forwarded to the Accountant-General, Public Works Department.	4th do. do. No. 3257 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Sub-Registrar's office at Tenkarai.—The Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, directed to prepare an estimate for the construction of a new —	4th Dec. 1891, No. 3258 W.	.....
Statement of demands and surrenders.—Orders on the — for 1891–92 in Kurnool division.	4th do. do. No. 3259 W.	26th June 1891, No. 1716 W.
Printing charges.—Declining to raise the limit of — of the Godávari Eastern and Western Divisions as proposed by the Superintending Engineer, and sanctioning the excess of Rs. 24 incurred in the Godávari Eastern Division subject to countersignature of the bill by the Superintendent, Government Press.	4th do. do. No. 3260 W.	3rd July 1891, No. 1812 W. 14th Aug. 1891, No. 3703 C. 16th Nov. 1889, No. 3239 W. 29th Oct. 1891, No. 2883 W. 24th Nov. 1891, No. 5281 C. 14th Sept 1891, No. 2460 W. 27th Oct. 1891, No. 2859 W.
Stores.—The local purchase of certain articles of European — required for Tirumal Naick's Palace at Madura in the VI Circle, sanctioned under the explanation afforded.	4th do. do. No. 3261 W.	.....
Petition rules.—Proceedings in the Public Department communicating notification of the Government of India adding a clause to rule 3, section III, of the rules for submission of petitions to that Government, communicated to officers of the Public Works Department.	4th do. do. No. 3262 W.	4th Nov. 1884, No. 2730 W. 27th June 1888, No. 544 R. 7th Dec. 1889, No. 3492 W. 23rd Jan. 1890, No. 218 W. 5th Nov. 1890, No. 3155 W.
Register of Pensioned Native Soldiers.—List of corrections to be made in the — who are desirous of employment in civil capacities and also list of pensioned native soldiers in the Punjab, Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, Central India and Afghanistan, desirous of employment in civil capacities, communicated to officers of the Public Works Department.	4th do. do. No. 3263 W.	.....
Notes of inspection of No. I Periyár Division.—Remarks by the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, on explanation of the Superintendent of Works, Periyár Division, on certain points noticed in the —, communicated to the Superintendent of Works with instructions.	4th do. do. No. 3264 W.	23rd July 1890, No. 2010 W. 16th Oct. 1890, No. 2736 W. 28th Oct. 1890, No. 4395 C. 1st Dec 1890, No. 3188 W. 17th Dec. 1891, No. 3081 W. 12th Nov. 1891, No. 4986 C. 1st Dec. 1891, No. 5390 C.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Accounts.—The sum of annas 2, being the arrears due to contractor Balajee Row, &c, outstanding in the — of the Chingleput division credited to provincial revenue.	4th Dec. 1891, No. 3265 W.	.....
Shutters of Kadamurti-Tirumalrajenqur regulators, Tanjore district.—Lieutenant-Colonel Drake Brockman permitted to inspect the — at the public expense in order to guide him to draw up similar designs for the Pálár and Poiney anicut under-sluice shutters.	5th do. do. No. 3266 W.	.....
Police hospital at Párvatipur.—The Examiner authorized to admit the charges already incurred for special repairs by the Public Works Department to the tiled roof of the —, but attention called to the prior sanction of Government being applied for in future for works of this character.	7th do. do. No. 3267 W.	.....
Road No. 63 in the 7th and 8th miles of Tiruturaipúndi taluk.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department sanctioning an allotment for raising —, and authorizing the Accountant-General to place the amount at the disposal of the Public Works Department, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	7th do. do. No. 3268 W.	.....
Madras General Post office.—Letter from the Director-General of the Post office of India allotting a further sum of Rs. 9 for certain alterations and improvements to the Postmaster-General's stock depôt &c., in the —, communicated to the Consulting Architect to Government and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	7th do. do. No. 3269 W.	30th Nov. 1891, No. 3206 W.
Madras General Post office.—Letter from the Director-General of the Post office of India allotting a further sum of Rs. 4 for constructing a counter for the stamp vendor in the —, communicated to the Consulting Architect to Government and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	7th do. do. No. 3270 W.	11th Nov. 1891, No. 3018 W.
Statement of payments made in England.—The — on account of stores and freight, &c., during October 1891, Madras—Provincial and Local Funds, Public Works, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	7th do. do. No. 3271 W.	9th June 1891, No. 1569 W. 5th Aug. 1891, No. 2100 W. 15th Sept. 1891, No. 2466 W. 3rd Oct. 1891, No. 2654 W. 2nd Nov. 1891, No. 2938 W.
Machinery.—Correspondence regarding the — required for the proposed temporary workshop for the College of Engineering and its erection by the college authorities, recorded.	7th do. do. No. 3272 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Memorial Rules.—Addition to section III of the — regarding submission of petitions to the Government of India, recorded.	7th Dec. 1891, No. 3273 W.	.....
Land.—Notification for the acquisition of — required for the Hindupur Taluk Cutcherry, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*	7th do. do. No. 3276 W.	.....
Mustafa Ali.—Proceedings in the Educational Department exempting clerk — from Examination Rules so long as he holds his temporary appointment in Kálahasti Sub division, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.	7th do. do. No. 3277 W.	28th Sept. 1891, No 4252 C. 23rd Oct. 1891, No. 4642 C. 13th Nov. 1891, No. 5026 C
Sub-Registrar's office at Badvél, Cuddapah District — Rs. 500 allotted from the reserve for the construction of a —.	7th do. do. No. 3278 W.	10th Nov. 1891, No. 2985 W.
Kallikót and Atagada Estates, Ganjam District.—Resolution of the Board of Revenue directing the Collector to place Rs. 492 at the disposal of the Public Works Department from the funds of the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	7th do. do. No. 3279 W.	28th Oct. 1891, No. 2867 W.
A. V. Subrahmanya Aiyar.—Proceedings in the Revenue Department prohibiting the re-employment in the public service of —, late No. V Party, Malabar, for making false entries in survey records, communicated to officers of the Public Works Department.	7th do. do. No. 3280 W.	.....
Lists of works proposed for execution by the Public Works Department during 1892–93 from Incorporated Local Funds—Proceedings, in the Local and Municipal Department, communicating to Presidents of District Boards concerned for early remarks two —, recorded.	7th do. do. No 3281 W.	22nd Nov. 1890, No. 4847 C. 25th Nov. 1891, No. 5297 C.
Return showing dates of receipts of accounts for October 1891 in the office of the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, recorded.	7th do. do. No. 3282 W.	13th May 1891, No. 1312 W. 10th June 1891, No. 1586 W. 8th July 1891, No. 1871 W. 11th Aug. 1891, No. 2153 W. 10th Sept. 1891, No. 2428 W. 6th Oct. 1891, No. 2671 W. 7th Nov. 1891, No. 2973 W.
Sub-Registrar's Office at Koilpati, Tinnevelly District.—The Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, directed to prepare necessary estimate for the construction of a —.	7th do. do. No. 3283 W.	13th May 1891, No. 1320 W.
Sub-Registrar's Office at Mudabidre, South Canara District.—The Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, directed to prepare necessary estimate for the construction of a —.	7th do. do. No. 3284 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Sub-Registrar's Office at Kadayam, Tinnevelly District.—The Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, directed to prepare necessary estimate for the construction of a —.	7th Dec. 1891, No. 3285 W.	.....
Stores.—Letter from the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, stating that certain articles marked 2 in the list of surplus — available for transfer in the Bombay Presidency for quarter ending 31st March 1891 may be required hereafter and will be indented for if necessary, recorded.	8th do. do. No. 3292 W.	27th June 1888, Nos. 1924–25 W. 6th Sept. 1888, No. 2763 W.
Schedule of requirements for original Telegraph Department buildings and works.—Letter from the Director-General of Telegraphs forwarding the — for 1892–93, recorded.	8th do. do. No. 3293 W.	9th Dec. 1889, No. 3506 W. 14th Jan. 1890, No. 945 W. 11th Feb. 1890, No. 442 W. 24th July 1890, Nos. 2530–31 W. 9th May 1891, No. 1282 W. 29th July 1891, No 2040 W. 17th Nov. 1891, No. 5109 C. 26th Nov. 1891, Nos. 3160–61 W.
Chemical Laboratory, Presidency College, Madras.—Rs. 12,000 appropriated from the reserve for carrying out additions to the —.	8th do. do. No. 3294 W.	16th Oct. 1891 No. 2736 W. 18th Nov. 1891, Nos. 3098–99 W.
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — in the accounts of Executive Engineers for period ending 30th September 1891 in the I Circle.	8th do. do. No. 3295 W.	18th Mar. 1891, No. 789 W. 23rd Sept. 1891, No. 2556 W.
Municipal Works.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department directing the Accountant-General to recover Rs. 44 due from the Municipal Council, Vellore, on account of scrutiny of estimates for — and to place the same to the credit of the Public Works Department, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	8th do. do. No. 3296 W.	30th July 1891, No. 607 D. 22nd Sept. 1891, No. 2538 W. 26th Oct. 1891, No. 4699 C.
C. Mooroogesa Mudaliar, Draftsman—The action of the Chief Engineer in entertaining — in the Public Works Secretariat on Rs. 80 per mensem in place of the special draftsman temporarily deputed for duty under Mr. Cousins, confirmed, and the question of relaxing the Examination Rules in Mooroogesa Moodaliar's favour who holds a second-class certificate, referred to the Educational Department for consideration.	8th do. do. No. 3297 W.	7th Nov. 1891, No. 2975 W. 24th Nov. 1891, No. 5250 C. 19th Nov. 1891, No. 5154 C.
Grass on land round Marliamund reservoir.—Cancelling the Government Order granting Mrs. Morgan to cut — it being ascertained that this portion of the land is not under the control of Government.	8th do. do. No. 3298 W.	10th Oct. 1891, No. 2687 W 11th Nov. 1891, No. 4975 C.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Mr. J. R. Hendricks, Supervisor.—The grant of daily allowance from 16th September and 8th October 1891 to — during his halt at Asoomboo Hills, sanctioned as a special case.	8th Dec. 1891, No. 3299 W.	22nd Oct. 1891, No. 2783 W.
Jail Administration.—Proceedings, in the Judicial Department, passing orders on Colonel J. M. Smith's report on certain questions of—, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.	8th do. do. No. 3300 W.	.....
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — in the accounts of Executive Engineers for period ending 30th September 1891 in the IV Circle.	9th do. do. No. 3309 W.	23rd Sept. 1891, No. 2553 W. 27th Nov. 1891, No. 3182 W. 8th Aug. 1891, No. 2113 W.
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — in the accounts of Executive Engineers for period ending 30th September 1891 in the V Circle.	9th do. do. No. 3310 W.	12th May 1891, No. 1301 W. 3rd Mar. 1891, No. 591 W. 20th Dec. 1890, Nos. 3398–99 W. 19th Dec. 1889, Nos. 3607–08 W. 20th Oct. 1890, No. 2770 W. 13th Feb. 1890, No. 473 W. 22nd May 1891, No. 2612 C. 17th June 1891, No. 1647 W. 23rd Sept. 1891, No. 2555 W.
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — in the accounts of Executive Engineers for period ending 30th September 1891 in the III Circle.	9th do. do. No. 3311 W.	.....
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — in the accounts of Executive Engineers for period ending 30th September 1891 in the II Circle.	9th do. do. No. 3312 W.	23rd Sept. 1891, No. 2554 W.
Charges incurred on account of work done by the Presidency Public Works Workshops for the Rev. S. Dominie.—Approving of certain suggestions of the Examiner in regard to the debit of —.	9th do. do. No. 3313 W.	28th July 1885, No. 1732 W. 6th Feb. 1886, No. 328 W. 5th May 1886, Nos. 1128–29 W. 22nd Dec. 1886, No. 3374 W. 24th June 1887, No. 1701 W. 21st Nov. 1887, No 3147 W. 17th May 1888, No. 1932 C. 13th June 1888, No. 1756 W. 28th June 1888, No. 2455 C. 26th Oct. 1888, No. 4143 C.

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		(*Continued.*) 20th Nov. 1888, No. 4599 C. 17th Dec. 1888, Nos. 3934-35 W. 10th Jan. 1889, No. 108 C. 5th Feb. 1889, No. 319 W. 18th Feb. 1889, No. 488 W. 17th April 1889, No. 1053 W. 17th May 1889, No. 1213/A W. 12th May 1889, No. 1287 W. 1st June 1889, No. 1456 W. 22nd Aug. 1889, No. 2309 W. 5th Sept. 1891, No. 2366 W. 25th Sept. 1891, No. 4247 C. 30th Sept. 1891, No. 2607 W. 2nd Nov. 1891, No. 2939 W. 7th Nov. 1891, No. 4912 C. 20th Nov. 1891, No. 3137 W.
Mr. W. E. Newman.—Appointed Temporary Overseer for three months on Rs. 80 per mensem and posted to the III Circle, Bellary Division.	9th Dec. 1891, No. 3318 W.	21st Nov. 1891, No. 3138 W. 27th Nov. 1891, No. 3187 W. 2nd Dec. 1891, No. 5418 C. 3rd Dec. 1891, No. 5442 C.
Mr. J. Inglis, Assistant Engineer.—Declining to cancel the furlough already granted to —.	9th do. do. No. 3319 W.	14th Nov. 1891, No. 5061 C. 26th Nov. 1891, No. 5314 C.
Printing Charges.—Sanctioning an expenditure of Rs. 24 incurred by the Executive Engineer, Rushikulya Division, for printing forms in the press at Berhampore for the use of his division.	10th do. do. No. 3320 W.	14th Sept. 1891, No. 2460 W. 27th Oct. 1891, No. 2859 W. 3rd July 1891, No. 1812 W. 14th Aug. 1891, No. 3703 C. 14th Sept. 1891, No. 2460 W. 16th Nov. 1889, No. 3239 W. 29th Oct. 1891, No. 2883 W.

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		(*Continued.*) 24th Nov. 1891, No. 5281 C. 4th Dec. 1891, No. 3260 W.
Mr. W. Hughes.—The powers conferred on — in G.O., No. 884 W., dated 25th March 1889, to be again exercised by him on his appointment as Superintending Engineer, III Class, temporary rank.	10th Dec. 1891, No. 3321 W.	12th Mar. 1888, No. 810 W. 21st Dec. 1888, No. 3999 W. 8th May 1888, No. 1349 W. 8th May 1888, No 1350 W. 11th Nov. 1889, No. 3205 W. 24th April 1890, No. 1222 W. 10th Mar. 1891, No 687 W. 7th April 1891, No. 974 W. 16th April 1891, No. 1054 W. 28th April 1891, No. 2287 C. 11th June 1891, No. 1590 W. 25th Mar. 1889, No. 884 W.
Lending tools to contractors and others.—The attention of the Local and Municipal Department drawn to Madras Public Works Code, para. 1372-A showing the practice in the Public Works Department in regard to —.	10th do. do. No. 3322 W.	.....
Stores.—The local purchase of coal tar for the Kistna Eastern Division, sanctioned.	10th do. do. No. 3323 W.	.....
Stores.—The local purchase of a rolled iron girder bridge for erection at Kuchipudi lock, Nizampatam canal, sanctioned.	10th do. do. No. 3324 W.	25th Jan. 1886, No. 202 W. 2nd July 1886, No. 1679 W. 6th Nov. 1891, No. 2959 W.
Mr. Jopp, Executive Engineer.—Sanctioning the permission accorded by the Superintending Engineer to allow — to proceed to Dowlaishweram to inspect certain machinery proposed to be transferred for the clearance of the main canal, Kistna Western Delta.	10th do. do. No. 3325 W.	.....
Report on native newspapers for fortnight ending 31st October 1891.	10th do. do. No. 3326 W.	.....
Ponniar Bridge.—Inspection Report of the —, recorded.	10th do. do. No. 3327 W.	13th Nov. 1891, No. 3 39 W. 13th Nov. 1891, No. 5038 C.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Store-room on the Light house Esplanade.—Proceedings in the Military Department declining to sanction the application to erect a — for the storage of gymnastic and cricket materials belonging to the Madras Christian College, recorded.	10th Dec 1891, No. 3328 W.	.....
Administration Report.—Supplement to the — of Civil Works of the Public Works Department, General Branch, Bombay Presidency, for 1890-91.	10th do. do. No. 3329 W.	12th Sept. 1890, No. 2448 W. 13th Aug. 1891, No. 2203 W. 3rd Sept. 1891, No. 2346 W.
Funds.—The sum of Rs. 1,50,000 replaced at the disposal of the Financial Department from the Public Works Department reserve.	10th do. do. No. 3330 W.	.....
Inspection notes of the Tinnevelly Division.—The Superintending Engineer's explanation of certain items in the Examiner's summary of —, recorded.	10th do. do. No. 3332 W.	21st Oct. 1890, No. 2800 W. 12th May 1891, No. 2472 C. 21st Aug. 1891, No. 3785 C. 9th Sept. 1891, No. 4017 C. 10th Sept. 1891, No. 4024 C. 26th Oct. 1891, No. 2832 W. 1st Dec. 1891, No. 5377 C.
Syed Yacoob, late lascar, Raja Voikal, Public Works Department.—Orders on petition from — appealing against his dismissal.	10th do. do. No. 3333 W.	1st June 1891, No. 2743 C. 3rd Sept. 1891, No. 3912 C. 5th Oct. 1891, No. 4352 C.
Indents.—Letter from the Government of India stating that copies of — for stores for Provincial Services which are subject to final adjustment in India against Imperial grants are not required, recorded.	10th do. do. No. 3334 W.	3rd Aug. 1891, Nos. 2085-86 W. 15th Sept. 1891, No. 2469 W. 7th Oct 1891, No 4377 C. 11th Nov. 1891, Nos. 3013-14 W.
Seal.—Letter from the Collector and Magistrate of Salem requesting that a — may be supplied for the use of the Special Third-class Magistrate at Thathiengarpett, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, with instructions.	10th do. do. No. 3335 W.	22nd Sept. 1886, No. 2434 W. 16th Feb. 1888, No. 540 W. 1st Oct. 1891, No. 2632 W.
Hebbagodi-Anaikal Road.—The Mysore Government addressed in the Political Department regarding the terms under which that Government was allowed to take the — through Salem district.	10th do. do. No. 3336 W.	.....
Stores.—Sanctioning, with remarks, the local purchase of certain articles of European manufacture for the use of works in the Rushikulya Project.	10th do. do. No. 3337 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Budget Grants.—Proceedings in the Financial Department directing certain alterations to be made in the — as already sanctioned for 1892-93 under certain heads, recorded.	10th Dec. 1891, No. 3338 W.	.....
Soldiers' and Sailors' Home.—Proceedings in the Military Department informing the Rev. Mr. Whitamore that negotiations concerning the plot of ground on the Monument Esplanade intended to be allotted for the erection of a — must be considered at an end owing to public exigencies.	10th do. do. No. 3339 W.	.....
Dockworks at Kedderpore.—Letter from the Government of Bengal forwarding copy of a report of the 17th quarterly inspection of the —, which are being carried out by the Commissioners of the port of Calcutta, communicated to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, for information.	10th do. do. No. 3340 W.	26th May 1891, No. 1423 W.
Accountants.—Posting and transfers of certain — consequent on the re-organization of the Public Works Department accountant establishment, Madras, proposed by the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, sanctioned.	10th do. do. No. 3341 W.	.....
Remittance to Ceylon.—Copy of letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, to the Auditor-General, Colombo, regarding the — of Rs. 18,000 on account of the tunnel drilling machinery purchased from the Ceylon Government, recorded.	10th do. do. No. 3343 W.	10th Nov. 1891, Nos. 866-67 I.
Newtilan crane, Madras Harbour Works.—Proceedings, in the Marine Department, communicating report of the erection of the — by Messrs. Pogson and Gunther, recorded.	11th do. do. No. 3344 W.	19th Nov. 1891, Nos. 3118-19 W.
Manuals, Codes, &c.—Proceedings in the Public Department communicating letter from the Government of India requesting to be supplied regularly with any new or revised — on any subject which may hereafter be issued, recorded.	11th do. do. No. 3345 W.	.....
N. Manickavasagam Pillay.—Appointed Temporary Overseer on Rs. 60 per mensem and posted to IV Circle.	11th do. do. No. 3347 W.	21st Nov. 1887, No. 3144 W. 20th Aug. 1887, No. 2800 C. 24th Oct. 1887, No. 3699 C. 9th Dec. 1887, No. 4552 C. 10th Aug. 1891, No. 3638 C. 7th Sept. 1891, No. 3966 C. 18th Sept. 1891, No. 4147 C. 16th Oct. 1891, No. 4548 C. 30th Oct. 1891, No. 4811 C. 17th Nov. 1891, No. 5104 C.

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		(*Continued.*) 20th Nov. 1891, No. 5187 C. 1st Dec. 1891, No. 5392 C. 8th Dec. 1891, No. 5504 C. 1st May 1891, No. 2329 C. 11th July 1891, No. 3286 C. 1st Dec. 1891, No. 5393 C.
Report on native newspapers for fortnight ending 15th November 1891, recorded.	11th Dec. 1891, No. 3348 W.	.....
Rope.—The purchase of a coil-tarred hemp — by the Executive Engineer, Vizagapatam Division, from the Presidency Public Works Stores, sanctioned.	11th do. do. No. 3349 W.	.....
Mountstuart Buildings, Ootacamund.—Letter from the Government of India requesting to be furnished with the sanctioned estimates of the new works which are being carried out in connection with the — together with a statement showing the rent proposed to be charged in addition to Rs. 3,600 per annum now paid, communicated, with instructions, to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.	12th do. do. No. 3350 W.	29th Jan. 1891, No. 517 C. 17th Mar. 1891, Nos. 767-68 W. 29th Oct. 1891, No. 2885 W. 19th Oct. 1888, No. 3335 W. 17th June 1885, No. 1437 W. 8th Feb. 1890, No. 423 W. 22nd April 1890, No. 1194 W. 17th Mar. 1891, Nos. 767-68 W. 13th Oct 1891, No. 4464 C. 2nd Nov. 1891, Nos. 2936-37 W.
Funds.—Orders on the surrender of funds from the grant for reconstructing tread mills at the Madras Penitentiary.	12th do. do. No. 3351 W.	10th Feb. 1891, No. 374 W. 13th Oct. 1891, No. 2704 W.
Menial Establishment in office of Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Madras.—Proposed revision of the scale of —, sanctioned with effect from 1st December 1891.	12th do. do. No. 3352 W.	6th Nov. 1885, No. 2522 D. 17th Dec. 1885, No. 2844 D. 5th Jan. 1886, No. 30 C. 1st Feb. 1886, No. 424 C. 2nd Mar. 1886, No. 550 W. 4th Mar. 1886, No. 887 C. 12th Mar. 1886, No. 1014 C. 16th April 1886, No. 997 W.

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		(*Continued.*) 26th April 1886, No. 1595 C. 4th May 1886, No. 1696 C. 5th July 1886, No. 342 D. 6th Sept. 1886, No 618 D. 24th Mar. 1887, No. 907 W. 18th May 1887, Nos. 1370–71 W. 29th June 1887, No. 2163 C. 8th Aug. 1887, Nos. 2118-19 D. 20th Jan. 1888, No. 241 W. 1st May 1888, No. 1265 W 26th Nov. 1891, Nos. 3173-74 W. 14th Feb. 1890, Nos. 480–81 W. 23rd June 1890, No. 1748 W. 21st Aug. 1890, Nos. 2261–62 W. 21st Mar. 1891, No. 841 W.
Indian Atlas sheets.—The purchase of certain — from the Survey of India Department, Calcutta, for the use of the Executive Engineer, Buckingham canal division, sanctioned.	12th Dec. 1891, No. 3353 W.	6th May 1891, No. 2408 C.
Funds.—Rs. 2,000 allotted from the reserve for the Bellary division.	12th do. do. No. 3354 W.	.....
Blasting powder.—Proceedings in the Military Department communicating letter from the Inspector-General of Ordnance stating that the indent for — from the Executive Engineer, Godávari Eastern division, cannot be complied with as there is no stock in the Madras Arsenal, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle.	12th do. do. No. 3355 W.	14th Aug. 1885, No. 1878 W. 14th Aug. 1885, No. $\frac{9}{1878}$ W. 28th Aug. 1885, No. 2003 W. 28th Aug. 1885, No. $\frac{11}{2003}$ W. 1st July 1885, No. 1534 W. 15th Jan. 1886, No 121 W. 30th June 1886, No. 2314 C. 27th Nov. 1891, No. 5329 C.
Funds.—Rs. 2,000 surrendered from the grant for the police lines at Arni, resumed and credited to the reserve.	12th do. do. No. 3356 W.	29th Sept. 1891, No. 2599 W.

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		(*Continued.*) 14th Nov. 1891, No. 3045 W. 2nd Dec. 1891, No. 3224 W.
Sub-overseers for famine relief works.—The employment of four — in the Bellary division for six months, sanctioned.	12th Dec. 1891, No. 3357 W.	10th Dec. 1891, No. 5567 C.
Funds.—Letter from the Government of India stating that the transfer of — proposed from telegraph to postal repairs to meet the requirements of the Coimbatore and West Coast divisions is within the powers of the Government of Madras, recorded, and sanctioning the proposed transfer.	12th do. do. No. 3358 W.	7th Nov. 1891, No. 2977 W 17th Nov. 1891, No. 3083 W.
A. Dorasawmi Mudaliar, Sub-overseer.—Declining to grant a higher rate of horse allowance to — attached to Ranipet sub-division of North Arcot district.	12th do. do. No. 3359 W.	.....
Programme of a proposed tour to be made by His Excellency the Governor during December 1891, communicated to officers concerned.	12th do. do. No. 3360 W.	.....
Periodicals.—Proceedings in the Financial Department ordering the payment of £248--10-7 on account of — supplied by Messrs. Baker and Company during the first half of 1891, recorded.	14th do. do. No. 3361 W.	26th Jan. 1888, No. 314 W. 8th Jan. 1888, No. 452 W. 20th Mar. 1888, No. 1177 C. 11th May 1888, No. 1852 C. 28th June 1888, No. 2452 C. 15th Sept. 1888. No. 2852 W. 10th Oct. 1890, No. 4105 C. 3rd Sept. 1891, No. 814 D. 27th Oct. 1891, No. 2850 W.
Correspondence.—Ordered that copies of papers be supplied to the Madras Harbour Trust Board from the formation of the Trust to the 14th October 1890, the date on which the records of the Board were destroyed by fire.	14th do. do No. 3362 W.	.....
Statement showing the names of officers who have already attained or who will attain the age of 50 years in the next two calendar years, ordered to be forwarded to the Government of India.	14th do. do. No. 3363 W.	17th Oct. 1887, No. 2766 W. 21st Oct. 1887, No. 2823 W. 6th May 1889, No. 1200 W. 13th Sept 1889, No. 2549 W. 1st Oct. 1889, No. 2740 W. 24th Nov. 1887, Nos. 3200–1 W.

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		(*Continued.*) 9th Dec. 1887, No. 3380 W. 9th Jan 1888, Nos. 67–68 W. 19th Mar. 1888, No. 892 W. 17th Jan. 1889, Nos. 122–23 W. 4th July 1889, No. 1763 W. 14th Aug. 1889, No. 2199 W. 5th Oct. 1889, Nos. 2785–86 W. 21st Dec. 1889, Nos. 3650–51 W. 9th Dec. 1890, Nos. 3266–67 W.
Forwarded	14th Dec. 1891, No. 3364 W.	.....
Pension.—Grant of a — to Sombari Gowdo, late conservancy lascar, Boary reservoir, Ganjam division.	14th do. do. No. 3365 W.	.....
Rain-making experiments at Bellary.—The services of 1 Serjeant and 4 men of the Royal Artillery placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department for —.	14th do. do. No. 3366 W.	.. ...
Erroneous entry in budget for 1891–92.—Explanation from the Executive Engineer, West Coast division, regarding a certain —, recorded.	14th do. do. No. 3367 W.	22nd Oct. 1891, No. 2778 W.
Mr. A. T. Mackenzie, Assistant Engineer.—Proposal to promote — to the rank of Executive Engineer, 4th grade, as a supernumerary until such time as he would be promoted to the latter grade in ordinary course, negatived by the Government of India.	14th do. do. No. 3368 W.	16th June 1890, No. 333 I. 18th Aug. 1890, No. 3428 C. 11th June 1891, No. 2867 C. 20th June 1890, No. 1729 W. 6th Nov. 1891, Nos. 2963-64 W.
Major W. L. C. Baddeley, R.E.—Letter from — stating that he has applied to the Secretary of State for one year's furlough from 1st December 1891, and submitting certain information for the preparation of his last pay certificate with note thereon by the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, recorded.	14th do. do. No 3369 W.	5th April 1890, No. 1053 W. 8th Nov. 1890, No. 2966 W. 17th Dec. 1890, No. 3369 W. 25th Feb. 1890, No. 599 W. 18th Dec. 1890, No. 3321 W. 17th Dec. 1890, No. 3361 W. 16th Jan. 1891, No. 231 C. 22nd Jan. 1890, No. 370 C. 27th Jan. 1891, No. 470 C.

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		(*Continued.*) 5th Feb. 1891, No. 332 W. 3rd Feb. 1891, No. 589 C. 30th Sept. 1891, No. 4292 C. 3rd Dec. 1891, No. 5430 C. 18th Nov. 1891, Nos. 3100–3101 W.
Clothing.—The Examiner authorised to admit the expenditure incurred in the Public Works Secretariat on account of — of menial servants in 1891–92.	14th Dec. 1891, No. 3370 W.	6th Jan. 1890, No. 9 W. 14th July 1890, No. 1890 W. 6th Aug. 1890, No. 2134 W. 4th Sept. 1890, Nos. 2382-83 W. 7th Feb 1891, No. 678 W.
Demarcating lands attached to Government buildings in Trichinopoly district.—Estimates of Rs. 1,715 for —, approved and returned to Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, for sanction and execution.	14th do. do. No. 3372 W.	8th Dec. 1890, No. 5104 C. 18th Dec. 1890, No. 5307 C.
Roadway of Singaram irrigation sluice.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department authorising the Accountant-General to place Rs. 250 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for widening —, Godávari district, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	14th do. do. No. 3373 W.	.....
Report on native newspapers for fortnight ending 30th November 1891, recorded.	14th do do No. 3374 W.	.....
Rewards.— Orders on the grant of — to Mrs. Romilly and Ingles for having passed the 3rd-class test in Telugu.	14th do. do. No. 3375 W.	10th Aug. 1891, No. 3634 C. 7th Sept 1891, No. 3955 C.
N. Venkata Row, Overseer.—Presidency allowance to — temporarily attached at Architect division, sanctioned.	14th do. do. No. 3376 W.	.....
Police huts at Puttur, North Arcot division.—The execution of ten — by the Agency of the Public Works Department, sanctioned.	14th do. do. No. 3377 W.	.....
Mr. Pereira, Temporary overseer.—Transit pay of — transferred from Bellary to the Kurnool division for 19th and 20th September 1891, sanctioned.	15th do. do. No. 3378 W.	.....
Mr. F. J. Wilson, Executive Engineer.—Orders placing the services of — at the disposal of the Marine Department for employment as Officiating Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works.	15th do. do. No. 3379 W.	5th Dec. 1891, No 5470 C. 8th Dec. 1891, No. 5511 C.

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Primary School Examination Notification.—Proceedings in the Educational Department directing the substitution of a rule for rule 16 of the — and extending the powers of heads of departments in certain districts in regard to employment of unpassed men, communicated to officers of the Public Works Department.	15th Dec 1891, No. 3380 W.	14th Aug. 1888, No. 528 D. 1st Feb. 1889, No. 275 W. 17th July 1889, No. 1927 W. 10th Feb. 1890, No. 718 C. 17th July 1890, No. 469 D. 20th Nov. 1890, No. 4771 C. 13th Dec. 1890, No. 5203 C. 20th Dec. 1890, No. 5387 C. 16th Jan. 1891, No. 214 C. 15th April 1891, No. 2094 C. 29th May 1891, No. 1464 W. 8th June 1891, No 1562 W. 29th Sept. 1891, No. 4271 C.
Presidency Port Office Buildings.—Proceedings in the Financial Department authorising the Accountant-General to place Rs. 123 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for repairing the signallers' quarters forming part of the —, communicated to the Consulting Architect to Government and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	15th do. do. No. 3383 W.	.....
Thalavasal Bridge.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department authorising the Accountant-General to place Rs. 61 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for completing the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	15th do. do. No. 3384 W.	23rd Mar. 1887, No. 881 W. 1st July 1891, No. 1788 W. 11th Aug. 1891, No. 2161 W. 26th Oct. 1891, No. 4693 C. 5th Nov. 1891, No. 4879 C. 27th Nov. 1891, No. 3182 W.
Indents.—Proceedings in the Financial Department, transferring despatch from the Secretary of State sanctioning compliance of certain —, recorded.	16th do. do. No. 3385 W.	27th July 1891, Nos 2016—18 W. 31st July 1891, Nos. 2063—5 W.
Statement showing disallowance items outstanding in the accounts for August 1891.—Orders on the —.	16th do. do. No. 3386 W.	17th Jan. 1891, No. 156 W. 20th Mar. 1891, No. 817 W. 6th April 1891, No. 954 W. 21st May 1891, No. 1380 W. 25th June 1891, No. 1704 W. 29th June 1891, No. 3087 C.

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		(*Continued.*) 3rd July 1891, No 3146 C. 14th July 1891, No. 1949 W. 22nd Aug. 1891, No. 2275 W. 17th Sept. 1891, No. 2493 W. 21st Oct. 1891, No. 2760 W. 18th Nov. 1891, No. 3095 W.
Registration Office at Guntúr.—Proceedings in the Judicial Department approving of proposal to construct a —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, for preparation of the required estimate.	16th Dec. 1891, No. 3387 W.	13th May 1891, No. 1320 W.
Calicut Light-house.—Proceedings in the Financial Department authorising the Accountant-General to place Rs. 188 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for providing additional ventilation for the lantern of the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	16th do. do. No. 3388 W.	.....
Sub-Registrars' Offices at Pápanásam, Melattur, Adichapuram, Kuttalam and Nagore in the Tanjore district.—Proceedings in the Judicial Department approving of the construction of —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, for preparation of the required estimates.	16th do. do. No. 3389 W.	.....
Railways.—List showing names of— (including State Railways) which have lately been constructed, in course of construction, or have been sanctioned by Government during 1891, ordered to be forwarded to the Surveyor-General.	16th do. do. No. 3390 W.	27th Jan. 1891, Nos. 260-1 W.
Forwarded	16th do. do. No. 3391 W.	.....
Funds.—Proceedings in the Financial Department requesting the Chief Engineer for Irrigation to state what further grant is now required in connection with certain Minor Works and Navigation, communicated with instructions to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.	16th do. do. No. 3392 W.	23rd Nov. 1891, No. 901 I.
Budget estimates.—Proceedings in the Revenue Department reviewing the — (Land Revenue) for 1892–93, recorded.	17th do. do. No. 3393 W.	.....
Funds.—Sanctioning certain transfer of — to meet demands for works.	17th do. do. No. 3394 W.	.....
Rent.—Proceedings in the Judicial Department directing that the Special Assistant Agent, Godávari, be relieved from payment of — for the bungalow at Kannavaram from the date of transfer of headquarters from that station, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle.	17th do. do. No. 3397 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Correspondence.—Copies of Part III of Appendix M., Bengal Barrack Regulations, relating to accommodation authorised for a regiment of Native Infantry in the plains, forwarded by the Director-General of Military Works, communicated to officers concerned.	17th Dec. 1891, No. 3401 W.	4th Mar. 1891, No. 616 W. 20th Mar. 1891, No. 1604 C. 23rd April 1891, No. 2217 C. 6th May 1891, No. 1256 W. 19th Nov. 1891, No. 3110 W. 7th Dec. 1891, No. 5478 C.
Appointment.—From the Consulting Architect to Government regarding application for an — (Confidential).	17th do. do. No. 3402 W.	.....
Funds.—Allotting — from the reserve for the Trichinopoly and Tinnevelly Divisions under Imperial Civil Works, Postal Repairs.	17th do. do. No. 3403 W.	10th Nov. 1890, No. 2979 W.
Funds.—Allotting — from the reserve for the Madura Division under Imperial Military Repairs.	17th do. do. No. 3404 W.	8th Sept. 1887, No. 2426 W. 25th June 1891, No. 1707 W. 29th June 1891, No. 1740 W. 12th Aug. 1891, No. 2172 W.
Lime kilns at Vadheswaram in Kistna Western Division.—Estimate of Rs. 5,000 for carrying out certain improvements to the —, sanctioned with remarks.	17th do. do. No. 3406 W.	14th Oct. 1886, No. 686 I. 26th July 1888, No. 2289 W. 9th Feb. 1891, No. 713 C. 4th Mar 1891, No. 614 W.
Funds.—A further sum of Rs. 30,000 replaced at the disposal of the Financial Department from the Public Works reserve under 45. Provincial Civil Works.	17th do. do. No. 3407 W.	10th Dec. 1891, No. 3330 W.
Messrs. Borham and Company, Madras.—Letter from — submitting for inspection a set of photographs showing the different views of their foundry, &c., and asking for patronage, recorded with remarks.	17th do. do. No. 3408 W.	21st Aug. 1891, No. 2268 W.
Mr. M. H. Gaynor, Accountant, 1st grade, and Officiating Deputy Examiner.—Office-note from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, requesting the grant of an increment of Rs. 50 to — from 1st January 1892, ordered to be forwarded to the Government of India for information whether the increment is admissible.	17th do. do. No. 3409 W.	.....
Forwarded	17th do. do. No. 3410 W.	.....

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Funds.—Orders on the statement of surrenders under Imperial Civil Works and Provincial during 1891–92 submitted by the Superintending Engineer, I Circle.	17th Dec. 1891, No. 3411 W.	30th July 1890, No. 2070 W. 5th Jan. 1891, No. 9 W. 6th May 1891, No. 1255 W. 10th July 1891, No. 1896 W. 8th Aug. 1891, No. 2132 W. 7th Nov. 1891, No. 4928 C. 26th Nov. 1891, No. 3171 W.
Annual Return of Expenditure on Stores in the Madras Public Works Department.—The — for 1890–91, ordered to be forwarded to the Government of India.	17th do. do. No. 3412 W.	25th Aug. 1890, No. 2300 W. 20th Sept. 1890, No. 3822 C. 3rd Nov. 1890, No. 4506 C. 20th Nov. 1899, No. 4773 C. 20th Jan. 1891, No. 330 C. 26th Jan. 1891, No. 430 C. 23rd Feb. 1890, Nos. 522-23 W. 2nd Mar. 1891, No. 570 W. 24th Oct. 1891, No. 4676 C. 23rd Nov. 1891, No. 5239 C. 8th Dec. 1891, No. 5519 C.
Forwarded	17th do. do. No. 3413 W.	.....
Funds.—Rs. 715 allotted to the West Coast Division under Imperial Military Repairs.	18th do. do. No. 3415 W.	7th Aug. 1891, No. 2108 W.
Statement of unauthorised appropriations.—Orders on the — during November 1891.	18th do. do. No. 3416 W.	6th Aug. 1891, Nos. 2104-5 W. 3rd Oct 1891, No. 2653 W. 30th Oct. 1891, No. 2908 W. 7th Nov. 1891, No. 2977 W. 5th Nov. 1891, No. 2955 W. 13th Oct. 1891, No. 2700 W. 4th Dec. 1891, No. 3257 W.
Above forwarded to the Accountant-General...	18th do. do. No. 3417 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Funds.—Replacing at the disposal of the Financial Department the sum of Rs. 15,000 surrendered from the budget grant for Provincial establishment.	18th Dec. 1891, No. 3418 W.	5th Dec. 1891, No. 5471 C. 2nd Mar. 1891, No. 580 W. 24th Mar. 1891, No. 1672 W.
Mr. Collins and C. Mahapati Rao.—Proceedings in the Educational Department declining to exempt —, clerks in the office of Examiner, Public Works Accounts, from Examination rules, communicated to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	18th do. do. No. 3419 W.	9th May 1885, No. 1085 W. 19th April 1887, No. 1088 W. 1st Dec. 1890, No. 4956 W. 24th Jan. 1891, No. 237 W. 4th Dec. 1891, No. 5449 C.
Correspondence.—Letter from the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, Madras, returning papers in connection with Mr. Cecil Scott's proposal for constructing a dock upon the site now occupied by the new High Court buildings, recorded.	18th do. do. No. 3420 W.	.....
Madras Port Department.—Proceedings in the Marine Department substituting a revised paragraph 4 in Government Order reviewing the Administration report of the — for 1890–91, recorded.	18th do. do. No. 3421 W.	19th Nov. 1891, No. 3117 W.
Telegraphic message.—The Examiner authorised to admit the charge of a — sent by the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, to the Port Officer at Colombo.	18th do. do. No. 3422 W.	.....
Water Regulation establishment, Godâvari district.—Declining to grant certain concessions proposed to be given to certain clerks under the —.	18th do. do. No. 3423 W.	8th April 1891, No. 283 W. 6th May 1891, No. 2401 C. 19th Aug. 1886, No. 2088 W. 25th May 1891, No. 1416 W.
Publications.—Proceedings in the Financial Department directing copies of the "Indian Directory" for 1892 to be supplied to certain officers, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle.	18th do. do. No. 3424 W.	14th Sept. 1891, No. 2119 R. 7th Feb. 1890, No. 655 C.
Mr. Thompson.—Proceedings in the Marine Department stating what acting allowance will be given to — while in charge of the Madras Harbour Works, recorded.	18th do. do. No. 3425 W.	5th Dec. 1891, No. 5470 C. 15th Dec. 1891, No. 3379 W. 15th Dec. 1891, No. 5648 C.
Opening of the Male Asylum road at Egmore.—Orders on petition from Vencataramanuja Pillai praying that the asylum Sergeant's quarters may be purchased by Government in view to the —.	18th do. do. No. 3426 W.	30th Nov. 1871, No. 3030. 19th Aug. 1871, No. 2134. 25th Oct. 1872, No. 2518 W.

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		(*Continued.*) 19th Sept. 1873, No. 2325. 20th Dec. 1888, No. 5153 C. 15th Jan. 1889, No. 183 C. 25th Jan. 1889, No. 385 C. 30th Sept. 1890, No. 2573 W. 2nd Feb. 1891, No. 302 W. 3rd June 1891, No. 1518 W. .....
Bachappa Bridge, South Canara District.—Letter from the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, forwarding a comparative statement for the renewal of the fallen abutment of —, and stating what the percentage charge for scrutinising the revised estimate should be, communicated to the Local and Municipal Department.	18th Dec. 1891, No. 3427 W.	
Additional establishment required for the Kistna Western Division.—Orders on the —.	18th do. do. No. 3428 W.	10th April 1891, No. 1004 W. 15th June 1891, No. 1615 W. 12th Sept. 1891, No. 4048 C. 23rd Sept. 1891, No. 4203 C. 7th Oct. 1891, No. 4380 C.
Relief Works in Bellary District.—The Superintending Engineer, III Circle, directed by telegram that nothing should interfere with the execution of — and that urgent application for any additional allotments required should be submitted.	18th do. do. No. 3429 W.	14th Dec. 1891, No. 5638 W.
Daily allowance.—Ordered that the Government of India be addressed relative to the grant of increased — to inferior servants in the Coimbatore, West Coast and Bellary divisions.	19th do. do. No. 3434 W.	.....
The Government of India addressed	19th do. do. No. 3435 W.	.....
Messrs. Hutton and Morin.—Letter from the Government of India stating that — have been appointed Assistant Engineers, 2nd grade, by the Secretary of State, and that they will be posted to Madras after undergoing their course of practical training for one year in England, recorded.	19th do. do. No. 3436 W.	.....
Light-house at Manapad.—Proceedings in the Financial Department authorising the Accountant-General to place Rs. 34 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for providing iron structures for the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, and the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.	19th do. do. No. 3437 W.	.....

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Accounts.—Sanctioning certain sums due on the work, Ulavapalla branch channel excavation and banking, Nellore division, being credited to Provincial Revenues.	1st Dec. 1891, No. 3215 W.	.....
Establishment.—Ordered that the Government of India be addressed on the subject of the proposed permanent scale of 179 Upper Subordinates for the Madras Public Works Depertment and the permanent transfer from 1st April 1890 of 6 Military Upper Subordinates from the Madras Public Works Department to the Military Works Department.	1st do. do. No. 3221 W.	31st May 1888, Nos. 1583-84 W. 10th Dec. 1888, No. 3884 W. 3rd Jan. 1890, No. 8 C. 17th Jan. 1890, No. 135 W. 21st April 1890, No. 1180 W. 24th April 1890, No. 1226 W. 28th April 1890, No. 1234 W. 17th July 1890, No. 3080 C. 23rd July 1890, No. 3147 C. 17th July 1890, No. 1945 W. 6th Aug. 1890, No. 584 D. 22nd Aug. 1890, No. 667 D. 26th Aug. 1890, No. 698 D. 27th Oct. 1890, Nos. 2835-36 W. 13th Nov. 1890, Nos. 3021-22 W. 20th Nov. 1890, No. 4791 C. 21st Nov. 1890, No. 4827 C. 23rd Dec. 1890, Nos. 3414-15 W. 17th Jan. 1891, No. 269 C. 29th Jan. 1891, No. 532 C. 29th Jan. 1891, No. 535 C. 5th Feb. 1891, No. 334 W. 3rd Mar. 1891, No. 1149 C. 9th Mar. 1891, No. 1290 C. 16th April 1891, No. 2097 C. 24th Feb. 1891, No. 539 W. 13th Mar. 1891, No. 1435 C. 21st May 1891, No. 240 D. 11th June 1891, No. 1587 W.

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		(*Continued.*) 13th Aug. 1891, No. 3701 C. 10th Oct. 1891, No. 4450 C.
The Government of India addressed ...	1st Dec. 1891, No. 3222 W.	.....
Madras College of Engineering.—Proceedings in the Educational Department stating that the stipends and allowances of soldier students of the — during their practical courses should continue to be debited to the Public Works Department, and directing that the words "from the College" be struck out of para. 101 of the Public Works Code, communicated to the officers of the department for information and guidance.	2nd do. do. No. 3223 W.	.....
Police lines at Arni.—Letter from the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, stating that the estimate of Rs. 4,990 for — has been forwarded to the Inspector-General of Police for countersiguature but has not yet returned, communicated to the Judicial Department.	2nd do. do. No. 3224 W.	14th Nov. 1891, No. 3045 W.
Cuintz purchased for Government House, Madras.—The Examiner authorised to arrange for the payment as a special case to Messrs. Maple and Company, England, of the — and the Government of India addressed separately regarding the desirability of placing the furniture fund entirely at the discretion and disposal of His Excellency the Governor.	2nd do. do. No 3225 W.	12th Sept. 1887, No. 2451 W. 25th April 1888, No. 1221 W. 2nd Aug. 1890, No. 2105 W. 8th Aug. 1890, No. 3332 C 13th Sept. 1890, No. 786 D. 19th Sept. 1890, No. 3812 C. 9th Oct. 1890, No. 4070 C. 24th Oct. 1890, No. 4323 C. 28th Oct. 1891, No. 2863 W.
The Government of India addressed	2nd do. do. No. 3226 W.	.....
Theft committed in the Ganjam Division Office.—Report of the result of the Police inquiry of the —, recorded.	2nd do. do. No. 3227 W.	16th Oct. 1891, No. 2744 W.
Police huts at Muchukota.—Report from Superintending Engineer, III Circle, that the allotment of Rs. 1,577 for seven — is not required, recorded.	2nd do. do, No. 3229 W.	23rd Oct. 1891, Nos. 2795-96 W.
Executive Engineer's bungalow at Dumagudiem.—The use of the — as a school till the end of March next as requested by the Reverend Mr. Cain, approved.	2nd do do. No. 3231 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Warm clothing.—Declining to reconsider the orders passed in G.O., No. 3626 W., dated 20th December 1889. regarding supply of — for lascars in the Rushikulya division.	2nd Dec. 1891, No. 3232 W.	20th Nov. 1889, No. 5404 C. 20th Dec. 1889, No. 3626 W.
Suit.—The Examiner authorised to admit the law charges, amounting to Rs. 46-6-0, incurred on account of the — instituted by the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, against S. Venkatasawmi Naidu for the recovery of cement lost.	2nd do. do. No. 3233 W.	15th May 1888, No. 1890 C. 8th June 1888, No. 1697 W. 20th Sept. 1888, No. 2962 W. 13th Oct. 1888, No. 3255 W. 17th Dec. 1889, No. 3589 W. 8th Aug. 1891, No. 2124 W.
Famine Code.—Proceedings in the Revenue Department ordering the supply of 15 copies of the — for the use of the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, communicated to the Superintending Engineer.	2nd do. do. No. 3234 W.	15th Aug. 1891, No. 714 D. 15th Oct. 1891, No. 4525 C. 29th Oct. 1891, No. 4774 C. 20th Nov. 1891, No. 5184 C.
Racquet Court at Kurnool.—Proceedings in the Revenue Department stating that the custody of the old — should rest with the Public Works Department but that public funds should not be spent on its repair, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, for information and guidance.	2nd do. do. No. 3235 W.	14th Oct. 1891, No. 4486 C. 11th Nov. 1891, No. 4974 C.
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — for period ending 31st August 1891, III Circle.	2nd do do. No. 3236 W.	27th Nov. 1888, No. 3742 W. 17th July 1888, No. 2164 W. 21st Mar. 1889, No. 851 W. 10th Aug. 1891, No. 663 D. 20th Nov. 1891, No. 3130 W.
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — for period ending 31st August 1891, IV Circle.	3rd do do. No. 3237 W.	8th Sept. 1891, No. 2395 W. 11th Aug. 1891, No. 2151 W. 10th Oct. 1891, No. 2689 W. 27th Oct. 1891, No. 2839 W.
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — for period ending 31st August 1891, II Circle.	3rd do. do. No. 3238 W.	26th May 1891, No. 1440 W. 11th Aug. 1891, No. 2164 W.
Statement of objectionable Items.—Orders on the — for period ending 31st August 1891, V Circle.	3rd do. do. No. 3239 W.	11th Aug. 1891, No. 2149 W.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Statement of objectionable items.—Orders on the — for period ending 31st August 1891, I Circle.	3rd Dec. 1891, No. 3240 W.	19th Feb. 1891, No. 486 W. 22nd May 1891, No. 1396 W. 11th Aug. 1891, No. 2163 W.
Budget estimates.—Proceedings in the Financial Department fixing the estimates under Local Funds Act V of 1884 and adjusting heads (Provincial) for 1892–93, recorded.	3rd do. do. No. 3242 W.	.....
Budget estimate.—Proceedings in the Financial Department accepting the estimate of receipts in the General Branch of the Public Works Department under Provincial Civil Works for 1892–93 and deferring orders regarding the grant for expenditure until December next, communicated to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	3rd do. do. No. 3243 W.	.....
Travelling allowance journals.—Notes of the examination at Coimbatore on 19th November 1891 of the — of the members of No. IV Party, Tank Restoration Scheme, by the inspecting accounts officer, recorded.	3rd do. do. No. 3244 W.	.....
Mr. W. B. de Winton.—Endorsement of the Government of India, Military Department, forwarding copy of its telegram to the Director-General of Military Works intimating that — should report himself to the Public Works Department, Madras, not later than the 15th December, recorded.	3rd do. do. No. 3245 W.	10th Nov. 1891, No. 4961 C. 26th Nov. 1891, No. 5315 C. 24th Nov. 1891, No. 5270 C. 26th Nov. 1891, No. 5316 C. 3rd Dec. 1891, No. 3245 W.
School building at Coimbatore.—Proceedings in the Educational Department recording, with remarks, G.O., No. 3071 W., dated 16th November 1891, regarding rent for the — engaged by the Coimbatore All Souls' Church Committee, recorded.	3rd do. do. No. 3246 W.	10th Dec. 1890, No. 3283 W. 3rd Feb. 1891, No. 317 W. 15th April 1891, No. 2089 C. 23rd April 1891, No. 2219 C. 16th Nov. 1891, No. 3071 W.
Local Fund Supervisor's office at Tindivanam.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department recording letter from the President, District Board, South Arcot, explaining the circumstances under which the estimate for constructing a — and certain other works were sent to the Superintending Engineer for scrutiny, recorded.	3rd do. do. No. 3247 W.	5th Jan. 1891, No. 13 W. 14th Feb. 1891, No. 423 W. 23rd Feb. 1891, No. 525 W. 9th June 1891, No. 1570 W. 8th July 1891, No. 1880 W.

Subjects.	Number and date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Colonel H. Smalley, R.E., Superintending Engineer.—A final last pay certificate of —, who has proceeded to Europe on furlough for one year and three days, ordered to be forwarded to the Home Government.	3rd Dec. 1891, No. 3248 W.	.....
Forwarded	3rd do. do. No. 3249 W.	.....
Kálahásti zemindari.—Proceedings in the Revenue Department passing orders on petitions from certain ryots praying for the assistance of Government for the repairs of their tanks, wells, &c., in the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.	3rd do. do. No. 3250 W.	.....
Pennér and Gadilam bridges.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department approving of proposals that the South Arcot District Board has charge of the — on the understanding that the Municipal Council of Cuddalore, who have agreed to take charge of the roadway over the latter bridge should contribute to the District Board annually the cost of the maintenance of that bridge, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, for information.	3rd do. do. No. 3251 W.	29th April 1889, No. 1137 W. 25th Aug. 1891, No. 2291 W. 15th Sept. 1891, No. 2476 W.
Ganjam maliahs.—Proposal of the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, to be permitted to make advances to the extent of Rs. 1,000 to petty contractors on —, sanctioned as a special case.	3rd do. do. No. 3252 W.	3rd July 1890, No. 1833 W. 9th Aug. 1891, No. 2171 W. 11th Oct. 1891, No. 2679 W.
Contribution works.—The execution of certain — by the Public Works Department noticed in the objectionable items statement for period ending 31st May 1891, IV Circle, sanctioned.	3rd do. do. No. 3253 W.	.....
Godávari left embankment.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department sanctioning from the District Board's reserve the allotment applied for by the Godávari District Board for widening and gravelling a portion of the —, and requesting the Accountant-General to place the amount at the disposal of the Public Works Department, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle.	3rd do. do. No. 3254 W.	23rd April 1891, Nos. 1126-27 W. 14th Sept. 1891, No. 873 D. 10th Oct. 1891, No. 2694 W.
Statement of unauthorized appropriations.—Orders in the — made during October 1891.	4th do. do. No. 3256 W.	6th Aug. 1891, Nos. 2104-5 W. 3rd Oct. 1891, No. 2653 W. 30th Oct. 1891, No. 2908 W. 7th Nov. 1891, No. 2977 W. 5th Nov. 1891, No. 2955 W. 13th Oct. 1891, No. 2700 W.
Forwarded to the Accountant-General, Public Works Department.	4th do. do. No. 3257 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Sub-Registrar's office at Tenkarai.—The Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, directed to prepare an estimate for the construction of a new —	4th Dec. 1891, No. 3258 W.	.....
Statement of demands and surrenders.—Orders on the — for 1891-92 in Kurnool division.	4th do. do. No. 3259 W.	26th June 1891, No. 1716 W.
Printing charges.—Declining to raise the limit of — of the Godávari Eastern and Western Divisions as proposed by the Superintending Engineer, and sanctioning the excess of Rs. 24 incurred in the Godávari Eastern Division subject to countersignature of the bill by the Superintendent, Government Press.	4th do. do. No. 3260 W.	3rd July 1891, No. 1812 W. 14th Aug. 1891, No. 3703 C. 16th Nov. 1889, No. 3239 W. 29th Oct. 1891, No. 2883 W. 24th Nov. 1891, No. 5281 C. 14th Sept 1891, No. 2460 W. 27th Oct. 1891, No. 2859 W.
Stores.—The local purchase of certain articles of European — required for Tirumal Naick's Palace at Madura in the VI Circle, sanctioned under the explanation afforded.	4th do. do. No. 3261 W.	.....
Petition rules.—Proceedings in the Public Department communicating notification of the Government of India adding a clause to rule 3, section III, of the rules for submission of petitions to that Government, communicated to officers of the Public Works Department.	4th do. do. No. 3262 W.	4th Nov. 1884, No. 2730 W. 27th June 1888, No. 544 R. 7th Dec. 1889, No. 3492 W. 23rd Jan. 1890, No. 218 W. 5th Nov. 1890, No. 3155 W.
Register of Pensioned Native Soldiers.—List of corrections to be made in the — who are desirous of employment in civil capacities and also list of pensioned native soldiers in the Punjab, Bengal, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, Central India and Afghanistan, desirous of employment in civil capacities, communicated to officers of the Public Works Department.	4th do. do. No. 3263 W.	.....
Notes of inspection of No. I Periyár Division.—Remarks by the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, on explanation of the Superintendent of Works, Periyár Division, on certain points noticed in the —, communicated to the Superintendent of Works with instructions.	4th do. do. No. 3264 W.	23rd July 1890, No. 2010 W. 16th Oct. 1890, No. 2736 W. 28th Oct. 1890, No. 4395 C. 1st Dec 1890, No. 3188 W. 17th Dec. 1891, No. 3081 W. 12th Nov. 1891, No. 4986 C. 1st Dec. 1891, No. 5390 C.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Accounts.—The sum of annas 2, being the arrears due to contractor Balajee Row, &c., outstanding in the — of the Chingleput division credited to provincial revenue.	4th Dec. 1891, No. 3265 W.	.....
Shutters of Kadamurti-Tirumalrajenaur regulators, Tanjore district.—Lieutenant-Colonel Drake Brockman permitted to inspect the — at the public expense in order to guide him to draw up similar designs for the Pálár and Poiney anicut under-sluice shutters.	5th do. do. No. 3266 W.	.....
Police hospital at Párvatipur.—The Examiner authorized to admit the charges already incurred for special repairs by the Public Works Department to the tiled roof of the —, but attention called to the prior sanction of Government being applied for in future for works of this character.	7th do. do. No. 3267 W.	.....
Road No. 63 in the 7th and 8th miles of Tiruturaipúndi taluk.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department sanctioning an allotment for raising —, and authorizing the Accountant-General to place the amount at the disposal of the Public Works Department, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	7th do. do. No. 3268 W.	.....
Madras General Post office.—Letter from the Director-General of the Post office of India allotting a further sum of Rs. 9 for certain alterations and improvements to the Postmaster-General's stock depôt &c., in the —, communicated to the Consulting Architect to Government and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	7th do. do. No. 3269 W.	30th Nov. 1891, No. 3206 W.
Madras General Post office.—Letter from the Director-General of the Post office of India allotting a further sum of Rs. 4 for constructing a counter for the stamp vendor in the —, communicated to the Consulting Architect to Government and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	7th do. do. No. 3270 W.	11th Nov. 1891, No. 3018 W.
Statement of payments made in England.—The — on account of stores and freight, &c., during October 1891, Madras—Provincial and Local Funds, Public Works, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	7th do. do. No. 3271 W.	9th June 1891, No. 1569 W. 5th Aug. 1891, No. 2100 W. 15th Sept. 1891, No. 2466 W. 3rd Oct. 1891, No. 2654 W. 2nd Nov. 1891, No. 2938 W.
Machinery.—Correspondence regarding the — required for the proposed temporary workshop for the College of Engineering and its erection by the college authorities, recorded.	7th do. do. No. 3272 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Memorial Rules.—Addition to section III of the — regarding submission of petitions to the Government of India, recorded.	7th Dec. 1891, No. 3273 W.	.....
Land.—Notification for the acquisition of — required for the Hindupur Taluk Cutcherry, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*	7th do. do. No. 3276 W.	.....
Mustafa Ali.—Proceedings in the Educational Department exempting clerk — from Examination Rules so long as he holds his temporary appointment in Kálahasti Sub division, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.	7th do. do. No. 3277 W.	28th Sept. 1891, No 4252 C. 23rd Oct. 1891, No. 4642 C. 13th Nov. 1891, No. 5026 C
Sub-Registrar's office at Badvél, Cuddapah District — Rs. 500 allotted from the reserve for the construction of a —.	7th do. do. No. 3278 W.	10th Nov. 1891, No. 2985 W.
Kallikót and Atagada Estates, Ganjam District.—Resolution of the Board of Revenue directing the Collector to place Rs. 492 at the disposal of the Public Works Department from the funds of the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	7th do. do. No. 3279 W.	28th Oct. 1891, No. 2867 W.
A. V. Subrahmanya Aiyar.—Proceedings in the Revenue Department prohibiting the re-employment in the public service of —, late No. V Party, Malabar, for making false entries in survey records, communicated to officers of the Public Works Department.	7th do. do. No. 3280 W.	.....
Lists of works proposed for execution by the Public Works Department during 1892–93 from Incorporated Local Funds —Proceedings, in the Local and Municipal Department, communicating to Presidents of District Boards concerned for early remarks two —, recorded.	7th do. do. No 3281 W.	22nd Nov. 1890, No. 4847 C. 25th Nov. 1891, No. 5297 C.
Return showing dates of receipts of accounts for October 1891 in the office of the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, recorded.	7th do. do. No. 3282 W.	13th May 1891, No. 1312 W. 10th June 1891, No. 1586 W. 8th July 1891, No. 1871 W. 11th Aug. 1891, No. 2153 W. 10th Sept. 1891, No. 2428 W. 6th Oct. 1891, No. 2671 W. 7th Nov. 1891, No. 2973 W.
Sub-Registrar's Office at Koilpati, Tinnevelly District.—The Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, directed to prepare necessary estimate for the construction of a —.	7th do. do. No. 3283 W.	13th May 1891, No. 1320 W.
Sub-Registrar's Office at Mudabidre, South Canara District.—The Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, directed to prepare necessary estimate for the construction of a —.	7th do. do. No. 3284 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Sub-Registrar's Office at Kadayam, Tinnevelly District.—The Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, directed to prepare necessary estimate for the construction of a —.	7th Dec. 1891, No. 3285 W.	.....
Stores.—Letter from the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, stating that certain articles marked 2 in the list of surplus — available for transfer in the Bombay Presidency for quarter ending 31st March 1891 may be required hereafter and will be indented for if necessary, recorded.	8th do. do. No. 3292 W.	27th June 1888, Nos. 1924–25 W. 6th Sept. 1888, No. 2763 W.
Schedule of requirements for original Telegraph Department buildings and works—Letter from the Director-General of Telegraphs forwarding the — for 1892–93, recorded.	8th do. do. No. 3293 W.	9th Dec. 1889, No. 3506 W. 14th Jan. 1890, No. 945 W. 11th Feb. 1890, No. 442 W. 24th July 1890, Nos. 2530–31 W. 9th May 1891, No. 1282 W. 29th July 1891, No 2040 W. 17th Nov. 1891, No. 5109 C. 26th Nov. 1891, Nos. 3160–61 W.
Chemical Laboratory, Presidency College, Madras.—Rs. 12,000 appropriated from the reserve for carrying out additions to the —.	8th do. do. No 3294 W.	16th Oct. 1891 No. 2736 W. 18th Nov. 1891, Nos. 3098–99 W.
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — in the accounts of Executive Engineers for period ending 30th September 1891 in the I Circle.	8th do. do. No. 3295 W.	18th Mar. 1891, No. 789 W. 23rd Sept. 1891, No. 2556 W.
Municipal Works.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department directing the Accountant-General to recover Rs. 44 due from the Municipal Council, Vellore, on account of scrutiny of estimates for — and to place the same to the credit of the Public Works Department, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	8th do. do. No. 3296 W.	30th July 1891, No. 607 D. 22nd Sept. 1891, No. 2538 W. 26th Oct. 1891, No. 4699 C.
C. Mooroogesa Mudaliar, Draftsman—The action of the Chief Engineer in entertaining — in the Public Works Secretariat on Rs. 80 per mensem in place of the special draftsman temporarily deputed for duty under Mr. Cousins, confirmed, and the question of relaxing the Examination Rules in Mooroogesa Moodaliar's favour who holds a second-class certificate, referred to the Educational Department for consideration.	8th do. do. No. 3297 W.	7th Nov. 1891, No. 2975 W. 24th Nov. 1891, No. 5250 C. 19th Nov. 1891, No. 5154 C.
Grass on land round Marliamund reservoir.—Cancelling the Government Order granting Mrs. Morgan to cut — it being ascertained that this portion of the land is not under the control of Government.	8th do. do. No. 3298 W.	10th Oct. 1891, No. 2687 W 11th Nov. 1891, No. 4975 C.

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Mr. J. R. Hendricks, Supervisor.—The grant of daily allowance from 16th September and 8th October 1891 to — during his halt at Asoomboo Hills, sanctioned as a special case.	8th Dec. 1891, No. 3299 W.	22nd Oct. 1891, No. 2783 W.
Jail Administration.—Proceedings, in the Judicial Department, passing orders on Colonel J. M. Smith's report on certain questions of—, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.	8th do. do. No. 3300 W.	.....
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — in the accounts of Executive Engineers for period ending 30th September 1891 in the IV Circle.	9th do. do. No. 3309 W.	23rd Sept. 1891, No. 2553 W. 27th Nov. 1891, No. 3182 W. 8th Aug. 1891, No. 2113 W.
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — in the accounts of Executive Engineers for period ending 30th September 1891 in the V Circle.	9th do. do. No. 3310 W.	12th May 1891, No. 1301 W. 3rd Mar. 1891, No. 591 W. 20th Dec. 1890, Nos. 3398–99 W. 19th Dec. 1889, Nos. 3607–08 W. 20th Oct. 1890, No. 2770 W. 13th Feb. 1890, No. 473 W. 22nd May 1891, No. 2612 C. 17th June 1891, No. 1647 W. 23rd Sept. 1891, No. 2555 W.
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — in the accounts of Executive Engineers for period ending 30th September 1891 in the III Circle.	9th do. do. No. 3311 W.	.....
Statement of Objectionable Items.—Orders on the — in the accounts of Executive Engineers for period ending 30th September 1891 in the II Circle.	9th do. do. No. 3312 W.	23rd Sept. 1891, No. 2554 W.
Charges incurred on account of work done by the Presidency Public Works Workshops for the Rev. S. Dominie.—Approving of certain suggestions of the Examiner in regard to the debit of —.	9th do. do. No. 3313 W.	28th July 1885, No. 1732 W. 6th Feb. 1886, No. 328 W. 5th May 1886, Nos. 1128–29 W. 22nd Dec. 1886, No. 3374 W. 24th June 1887, No. 1701 W. 21st Nov. 1887, No 3147 W. 17th May 1888, No. 1932 C. 13th June 1888, No. 1756 W. 28th June 1888, No. 2455 C. 26th Oct. 1888, No. 4143 C.

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		(*Continued.*) 20th Nov. 1888. No. 4599 C. 17th Dec. 1888, Nos. 3934-35 W. 10th Jan. 1889, No. 108 C. 5th Feb. 1889, No. 319 W. 18th Feb. 1889, No. 488 W. 17th April 1889, No. 1053 W. 17th May 1889, No. 1213/A W. 12th May 1889, No. 1287 W. 1st June 1889, No. 1456 W. 22nd Aug. 1889, No. 2309 W. 5th Sept. 1891, No. 2366 W. 25th Sept. 1891, No. 4247 C. 30th Sept. 1891, No. 2597 W. 2nd Nov. 1891, No. 2939 W. 7th Nov. 1891, No. 4912 C. 20th Nov. 1891, No. 3137 W.
Mr. W. E. Newman.—Appointed Temporary Overseer for three months on Rs. 80 per mensem and posted to the III Circle, Bellary Division.	9th Dec. 1891, No. 3318 W.	21st Nov. 1891, No. 3138 W. 27th Nov. 1891, No. 3187 W. 2nd Dec. 1891, No. 5418 C. 3rd Dec. 1891, No. 5442 C.
Mr. J. Inglis, Assistant Engineer.—Declining to cancel the furlough already granted to —.	9th do. do. No. 3319 W.	14th Nov. 1891, No. 5061 C. 26th Nov. 1891, No. 5314 C.
Printing Charges.—Sanctioning an expenditure of Rs. 24 incurred by the Executive Engineer, Rushikulya Division, for printing forms in the press at Berhampore for the use of his division.	10th do. do. No. 3320 W.	14th Sept. 1891, No. 2460 W. 27th Oct. 1891, No. 2859 W. 3rd July 1891, No. 1812 W. 14th Aug. 1891, No. 3703 C. 14th Sept. 1891, No. 2460 W. 16th Nov. 1889, No. 3239 W. 29th Oct. 1891, No. 2883 W.

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		(*Continued.*) 24th Nov. 1891, No. 5281 C. 4th Dec. 1891, No. 3260 W.
Mr. W. Hughes.—The powers conferred on — in G.O., No. 884 W., dated 25th March 1889, to be again exercised by him on his appointment as Superintending Engineer, III Class, temporary rank.	10th Dec. 1891, No. 3321 W.	12th Mar. 1888, No. 810 W. 21st Dec. 1888, No. 3999 W. 8th May 1888, No. 1349 W. 8th May 1888, No 1350 W. 11th Nov. 1889, No. 3205 W. 24th April 1890, No. 1222 W. 10th Mar. 1891, No. 687 W. 7th April 1891, No. 974 W. 16th April 1891, No. 1054 W. 28th April 1891, No. 2287 C. 11th June 1891, No. 1590 W. 25th Mar. 1889, No. 884 W.
Lending tools to contractors and others.—The attention of the Local and Municipal Department drawn to Madras Public Works Code, para. 1372-A showing the practice in the Public Works Department in regard to —.	10th do. do. No. 3322 W.	.....
Stores.—The local purchase of coal tar for the Kistna Eastern Division, sanctioned.	10th do. do. No. 3323 W.	.....
Stores.—The local purchase of a rolled iron girder bridge for erection at Kuchipudi lock, Nizampatam canal, sanctioned.	10th do. do. No. 3324 W.	25th Jan. 1886, No. 202 W. 2nd July 1886, No. 1679 W. 6th Nov. 1891, No. 2959 W.
Mr. Jopp, Executive Engineer.—Sanctioning the permission accorded by the Superintending Engineer to allow — to proceed to Dowlaishweram to inspect certain machinery proposed to be transferred for the clearance of the main canal, Kistna Western Delta.	10th do. do. No. 3325 W.	.....
Report on native newspapers for fortnight ending 31st October 1891.	10th do. do. No. 3326 W.	.....
Ponniar Bridge.—Inspection Report of the —, recorded.	10th do. do. No. 3327 W.	13th Nov. 1891, No. 3 39 W. 13th Nov. 1891, No. 5038 C.

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Store-room on the Light house Esplanade.—Proceedings in the Military Department declining to sanction the application to erect a — for the storage of gymnastic and cricket materials belonging to the Madras Christian College recorded.	10th Dec 1891, No. 3328 W.	.....
Administration Report.—Supplement to the — of Civil Works of the Public Works Department, General Branch, Bombay Presidency, for 1890–91.	10th do. do. No. 3329 W.	12th Sept. 1890, No. 2448 W. 13th Aug. 1891, No. 2203 W. 3rd Sept. 1891, No. 2346 W.
Funds.—The sum of Rs. 1,50,000 replaced at the disposal of the Financial Department from the Public Works Department reserve.	10th do. do. No. 3330 W.	.....
Inspection notes of the Tinnevelly Division.—The Superintending Engineer's explanation of certain items in the Examiner's summary of —, recorded.	10th do. do. No. 3332 W.	21st Oct. 1890, No. 2800 W. 12th May 1891, No. 2472 C. 21st Aug. 1891, No. 3785 C. 9th Sept. 1891, No. 4017 C. 10th Sept. 1891, No. 4024 C. 26th Oct. 1891, No. 2832 W. 1stDec. 1891, No. 5377 C.
Syed Yacoob, late lascar, Raja Voikal, Public Works Department.—Orders on petition from — appealing against his dismissal.	10th do. do. No. 3333 W.	1st June 1891, No. 2743 C. 3rd Sept. 1891, No. 3912 C. 5th Oct. 1891, No. 4352 C.
Indents.—Letter from the Government of India stating that copies of — for stores for Provincial Services which are subject to final adjustment in India against Imperial grants are not required, recorded.	10th do. do. No. 3334 W.	3rd Aug. 1891, Nos. 2085-86 W. 15th Sept. 1891, No. 2469 W. 7th Oct 1891, No 4377 C. 11th Nov. 1891, Nos. 3013-14 W.
Seal.—Letter from the Collector and Magistrate of Salem requesting that a — may be supplied for the use of the Special Third-class Magistrate at Thathiengarpett, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, with instructions.	10th do. do. No. 3335 W.	22nd Sept. 1886, No. 2434 W. 16th Feb. 1888, No. 540 W. 1st Oct. 1891, No. 2632 W.
Hebbagodi-Anaikal Road.—The Mysore Government addressed in the Political Department regarding the terms under which that Government was allowed to take the — through Salem district.	10th do. do. No. 3336 W.	.....
Stores.—Sanctioning, with remarks, the local purchase of certain articles of European manufacture for the use of works in the Rushikulya Project.	10th do. do. No. 3337 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Budget Grants.—Proceedings in the Financial Department directing certain alterations to be made in the — as already sanctioned for 1892–93 under certain heads, recorded.	10th Dec. 1891, No. 3338 W.	.....
Soldiers' and Sailors' Home.—Proceedings in the Military Department informing the Rev. Mr. Whitamore that negotiations concerning the plot of ground on the Monument Esplanade intended to be allotted for the erection of a — must be considered at an end owing to public exigencies.	10th do. do. No. 3339 W.	.....
Dockworks at Kedderpore.—Letter from the Government of Bengal forwarding copy of a report of the 17th quarterly inspection of the —, which are being carried out by the Commissioners of the port of Calcutta, communicated to the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, for information.	10th do. do. No. 3340 W.	26th May 1891, No. 1423 W.
Ac ountants.—Posting and transfers of certain — consequent on the re-organization of the Public Works Department accountant establishment, Madras, proposed by the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, sanctioned.	10th do. do. No. 3341 W.	.....
Remittance to Ceylon.—Copy of letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, to the Auditor-General, Colombo, regarding the — of Rs. 18,000 on account of the tunnel drilling machinery purchased from the Ceylon Government, recorded.	10th do. do. No. 3343 W.	10th Nov. 1891, Nos. 866-67 I.
Newtilan crane, Madras Harbour Works.—Proceedings, in the Marine Department, communicating report of the erection of the — by Messrs. Pogson and Gunther, recorded.	11th do. do. No. 3344 W.	19th Nov. 1891, Nos. 3118-19 W.
Manuals, Codes, &c.—Proceedings in the Public Department communicating letter from the Government of India requesting to be supplied regularly with any new or revised — on any subject which may hereafter be issued, recorded.	11th do. do. No. 3345 W.	.....
N. Manickavasagam Pillay.—Appointed Temporary Overseer on Rs. 60 per mensem and posted to IV Circle.	11th do. do. No. 3347 W.	21st Nov. 1887, No. 3144 W. 20th Aug. 1887, No. 2800 C. 24th Oct. 1887, No. 3699 C. 9th Dec. 1887, No. 4552 C. 10th Aug. 1891, No. 3638 C. 7th Sept. 1891, No. 3966 C. 18th Sept. 1891, No. 4147 C. 16th Oct. 1891, No. 4548 C. 30th Oct. 1891, No. 4811 C. 17th Nov. 1891, No. 5104 C.

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		(*Continued.*) 20th Nov. 1891, No. 5187 C. 1st Dec. 1891, No. 5392 C. 8th Dec. 1891, No. 5504 C. 1st May 1891, No. 2329 C. 11th July 1891, No. 3286 C. 1st Dec. 1891, No. 5393 C.
Report on native newspapers for fortnight ending 15th November 1891, recorded.	11th Dec. 1891, No. 3348 W.	.....
Rope.—The purchase of a coil-tarred hemp — by the Executive Engineer, Vizagapatam Division, from the Presidency Public Works Stores, sanctioned.	11th do. do. No. 3349 W.	.....
Mountstuart Buildings, Ootacamund.—Letter from the Government of India requesting to be furnished with the sanctioned estimates of the new works which are being carried out in connection with the — together with a statement showing the rent proposed to be charged in addition to Rs. 3,600 per annum now paid, communicated, with instructions, to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.	12th do. do. No. 3350 W.	29th Jan. 1891, No. 517 C. 17th Mar. 1891, Nos. 767-68 W. 29th Oct. 1891, No. 2885 W. 19th Oct. 1888, No. 3335 W. 17th June 1885, No. 1437 W. 8th Feb. 1890, No. 423 W. 22nd April 1890, No. 1194 W. 17th Mar. 1891, Nos. 767-68 W. 13th Oct 1891, No. 4464 C. 2nd Nov. 1891, Nos. 2936-37 W.
Funds.—Orders on the surrender of funds from the grant for reconstructing tread mills at the Madras Penitentiary.	12th do. do. No. 3351 W.	10th Feb. 1891, No. 374 W. 13th Oct. 1891, No. 2704 W.
Menial Establishment in office of Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Madras.—Proposed revision of the scale of —, sanctioned with effect from 1st December 1891.	12th do. do. No. 3352 W.	6th Nov. 1885, No. 2522 D. 17th Dec. 1885, No. 2844 D. 5th Jan. 1886, No. 30 C. 1st Feb. 1886, No. 424 C. 2nd Mar. 1886, No. 550 W. 4th Mar. 1886, No. 887 C. 12th Mar. 1886, No. 1014 C. 16th April 1886, No. 997 W.

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		(*Continued.*) 26th April 1886, No. 1595 C. 4th May 1886, No. 1696 C. 5th July 1886, No. 342 D. 6th Sept. 1886, No 618 D. 24th Mar. 1887, No. 907 W. 18th May 1887, Nos. 1370–71 W. 29th June 1887, No. 2163 C. 8th Aug. 1887, Nos. 2118-19 D. 20th Jan. 1888, No. 241 W. 1st May 1888, No. 1265 W 26th Nov. 1891, Nos. 3173-74 W. 14th Feb. 1890, Nos. 480–81 W. 23rd June 1890, No. 1748 W. 21st Aug. 1890, Nos. 2261–62 W. 21st Mar. 1891, No. 841 W.
Indian Atlas sheets.—The purchase of certain — from the Survey of India Department, Calcutta, for the use of the Executive Engineer, Buckingham canal division, sanctioned.	12th Dec. 1891, No. 3353 W.	6th May 1891, No. 2408 C.
Funds.—Rs. 2,000 allotted from the reserve for the Bellary division.	12th do. do. No. 3354 W.	.....
Blasting powder.—Proceedings in the Military Department communicating letter from the Inspector-General of Ordnance stating that the indent for —, from the Executive Engineer, Godávari Eastern division, cannot be complied with as there is no stock in the Madras Arsenal, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle.	12th do. do. No. 3355 W.	14th Aug. 1885, No. 1878 W. 14th Aug. 1885, No. $\frac{9}{1878}$ W. 28th Aug. 1885, No. 2003 W. 28th Aug. 1885, No. $\frac{11}{2003}$ W. 1st July 1885, No. 1534 W. 15th Jan. 1886, No 121 W. 30th June 1886, No. 2314 C. 27th Nov. 1891, No. 5329 C.
Funds.—Rs. 2,000 surrendered from the grant for the police lines at Arni, resumed and credited to the reserve.	12th do. do. No. 3356 W.	29th Sept. 1891, No. 2599 W.

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		(Continued.) 14th Nov. 1891, No. 3045 W. 2nd Dec. 1891, No. 3224 W.
Sub-overseers for famine relief works.—The employment of four — in the Bellary division for six months, sanctioned.	12th Dec. 1891, No. 3357 W.	10th Dec. 1891, No. 5567 C.
Funds.—Letter from the Government of India stating that the transfer of — proposed from telegraph to postal repairs to meet the requirements of the Coimbatore and West Coast divisions is within the powers of the Government of Madras, recorded, and sanctioning the proposed transfer.	12th do. do. No. 3358 W.	7th Nov. 1891, No. 2977 W 17th Nov. 1891, No. 3083 W.
A. Dorasawmi Mudaliar, Sub-overseer.—Declining to grant a higher rate of horse allowance to — attached to Ranipet sub-division of North Arcot district.	12th do. do. No. 3359 W.	.....
Programme of a proposed tour to be made by His Excellency the Governor during December 1891, communicated to officers concerned.	12th do. do No. 3360 W.	.....
Periodicals.—Proceedings in the Financial Department ordering the payment of £248--10–7 on account of — supplied by Messrs. Baker and Company during the first half of 1891, recorded.	14th do. do. No. 3361 W.	26th Jan. 1888, No. 314 W. 8th Jan. 1888, No. 452 W. 20th Mar. 1888, No. 1177 C. 11th May 1888, No. 1852 C. 28th June 1888, No. 2452 C. 15th Sept. 1888. No. 2852 W. 10th Oct. 1890, No. 4105 C. 3rd Sept. 1891, No. 814 D. 27th Oct. 1891, No. 2850 W.
Correspondence.—Ordered that copies of papers be supplied to the Madras Harbour Trust Board from the formation of the Trust to the 14th October 1890, the date on which the records of the Board were destroyed by fire.	14th do. do No. 3362 W.	.....
Statement showing the names of officers who have already attained or who will attain the age of 50 years in the next two calendar years, ordered to be forwarded to the Government of India.	14th do. do. No. 3363 W.	17th Oct. 1887, No. 2766 W. 21st Oct. 1887, No. 2823 W. 6th May 1889, No. 1200 W. 13th Sept 1889, No. 2549 W. 1st Oct. 1889, No. 2740 W. 24th Nov. 1887, Nos. 3200–1 W.

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		(Continued.) 9th Dec. 1887, No. 3380 W. 9th Jan 1888, Nos. 67–68 W. 19th Mar. 1888, No. 892 W. 17th Jan. 1889, Nos. 122–23 W. 4th July 1889, No. 1763 W. 14th Aug. 1889, No. 2199 W. 5th Oct. 1889, Nos. 2785–86 W. 21st Dec. 1889, Nos. 3650–51 W. 9th Dec. 1890, Nos. 3266–67 W.
Forwarded	14th Dec. 1891, No. 3364 W.	.....
Pension.—Grant of a — to Sombari Gowdo, late conservancy lascar, Boary reservoir, Ganjam division.	14th do do. No. 3365 W.	.....
Rain-making experiments at Bellary.—The services of 1 Serjeant and 4 men of the Royal Artillery placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department for —.	14th do. do. No. 3366 W.	.. ...
Erroneous entry in budget for 1891–92.—Explanation from the Executive Engineer, West Coast division, regarding a certain —, recorded.	14th do. do. No. 3367 W.	22nd Oct. 1891, No. 2778 W.
Mr. A. T. Mackenzie, Assistant Engineer.—Proposal to promote — to the rank of Executive Engineer, 4th grade, as a supernumerary until such time as he would be promoted to the latter grade in ordinary course, negatived by the Government of India.	14th do. do. No. 3368 W.	16th June 1890, No. 333 I. 18th Aug. 1890, No. 3428 C. 11th June 1891, No. 2867 C. 20th June 1890, No. 1729 W. 6th Nov. 1891, Nos. 2963-64 W.
Major W. L. C. Baddeley, R.E.—Letter from — stating that he has applied to the Secretary of State for one year's furlough from 1st December 1891, and submitting certain information for the preparation of his last pay certificate with note thereon by the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, recorded.	14th do. do. No 3369 W.	5th April 1890, No. 1053 W. 8th Nov. 1890, No. 2966 W. 17th Dec. 1890, No. 3369 W. 25th Feb. 1890, No. 599 W. 18th Dec. 1890, No. 3321 W. 17th Dec. 1890, No. 3361 W. 16th Jan. 1891, No. 231 C. 22nd Jan. 1890, No. 370 C. 27th Jan. 1891, No. 470 C.

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		(*Continued.*) 5th Feb. 1891, No. 332 W. 3rd Feb. 1891, No. 589 C. 30th Sept. 1891, No. 4292 C. 3rd Dec. 1891, No. 5430 C. 18th Nov. 1891, Nos. 3100-3101 W.
Clothing.—The Examiner authorised to admit the expenditure incurred in the Public Works Secretariat on account of — of menial servants in 1891-92.	14th Dec. 1891, No. 3370 W.	6th Jan. 1890, No. 9 W. 14th July 1890, No. 1890 W. 6th Aug. 1890, No. 2134 W. 4th Sept. 1890, Nos. 2382-83 W. 7th Feb 1891, No. 678 W.
Demarcating lands attached to Government buildings in Trichinopoly district.—Estimates of Rs. 1.715 for —, approved and returned to Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, for sanction and execution.	14th do. do. No. 3372 W.	8th Dec. 1890, No. 5104 C. 18th Dec. 1890, No. 5307 C.
Roadway of Singaram irrigation sluice.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department authorising the Accountant-General to place Rs. 250 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for widening —, Godávari district, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	14th do. do. No. 3373 W.	.....
Report on native newspapers for fortnight ending 30th November 1891, recorded.	14th do do No. 3374 W.	.....
Rewards.— Orders on the grant of — to Mrs. Romilly and Ingles for having passed the 3rd-class test in Telugu.	14th do. do. No. 3375 W.	10th Aug. 1891, No. 3634 C. 7th Sept 1891, No. 3955 C.
N. Venkata Row, Overseer.—Presidency allowance to — temporarily attached at Architect division, sanctioned.	14th do. do. No. 3376 W.	.....
Police huts at Puttur, North Arcot division.—The execution of ten — by the Agency of the Public Works Department, sanctioned.	14th do. do. No. 3377 W.	.....
Mr. Pereira, Temporary overseer.—Transit pay of — transferred from Bellary to the Kurnool division for 19th and 20th September 1891, sanctioned.	15th do. do. No. 3378 W.	.....
Mr. F. J. Wilson, Executive Engineer.—Orders placing the services of — at the disposal of the Marine Department for employment as Officiating Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works.	15th do. do. No. 3379 W.	5th Dec. 1891, No 5470 C. 8th Dec. 1891, No. 5511 C.

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Primary School Examination Notification.—Proceedings in the Educational Department directing the substitution of a rule for rule 16 of the — and extending the powers of heads of departments in certain districts in regard to employment of unpassed men, communicated to officers of the Public Works Department.	15th Dec 1891, No. 3380 W.	14th Aug. 1888, No. 528 D. 1st Feb. 1889, No. 275 W. 17th July 1889, No. 1927 W. 10th Feb. 1890, No. 718 C. 17th July 1890, No. 469 D. 20th Nov. 1890, No. 4771 C. 13th Dec. 1890, No. 5203 C. 20th Dec. 1890, No. 5387 C. 16th Jan. 1891, No. 214 C. 15th April 1891, No. 2094 C. 29th May 1891, No. 1464 W. 8th June 1891, No 1562 W. 29th Sept. 1891, No. 4271 C.
Presidency Port Office Buildings.—Proceedings in the Financial Department authorising the Accountant-General to place Rs. 123 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for repairing the signallers' quarters forming part of the —, communicated to the Consulting Architect to Government and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	15th do. do. No. 3383 W.	.....
Thalavasal Bridge.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department authorising the Accountant-General to place Rs 61 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for completing the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	15th do. do. No. 3384 W.	23rd Mar. 1887, No. 881 W. 1st July 1891, No. 1788 W. 11th Aug. 1891, No. 2161 W. 26th Oct. 1891, No. 4693 C. 5th Nov. 1891, No. 4879 C. 27th Nov. 1891, No. 3182 W.
Indents.—Proceedings in the Financial Department, transferring despatch from the Secretary of State sanctioning compliance of certain —, recorded.	16th do. do. No. 3385 W.	27th July 1891, Nos 2016—18 W. 31st July 1891, Nos. 2063—5 W.
Statement showing disallowance items outstanding in the accounts for August 1891.—Orders on the —.	16th do. do. No. 3386 W.	17th Jan. 1891, No. 156 W. 20th Mar. 1891, No. 817 W. 6th April 1891, No. 954 W. 21st May 1891, No. 1380 W. 25th June 1891, No. 1704 W. 29th June 1891, No. 3087 C.

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		(*Continued.*) 3rd July 1891, No 3146 C. 14th July 1891, No. 1949 W. 22nd Aug. 1891, No. 2275 W. 17th Sept. 1891, No. 2493 W. 21st Oct. 1891, No. 2760 W. 18th Nov. 1891, No. 3095 W.
Registration Office at Guntúr.—Proceedings in the Judicial Department approving of proposal to construct a —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, for preparation of the required estimate.	16th Dec. 1891, No. 3387 W.	13th May 1891, No. 1320 W.
Calicut Light-house.—Proceedings in the Financial Department authorising the Accountant-General to place Rs. 188 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for providing additional ventilation for the lantern of the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	16th do. do. No. 3388 W.	.....
Sub-Registrars' Offices at Pápanásam, Melattur, Adichapuram, Kuttalam and Nagore in the Tanjore district.—Proceedings in the Judicial Department approving of the construction of —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, for preparation of the required estimates.	16th do. do. No. 3389 W.	.....
Railways.—List showing names of—(including State Railways) which have lately been constructed, in course of construction, or have been sanctioned by Government during 1891, ordered to be forwarded to the Surveyor-General.	16th do. do. No. 3390 W.	27th Jan. 1891, Nos. 260-1 W.
Forwarded	16th do. do. No. 3391 W.	.....
Funds.—Proceedings in the Financial Department requesting the Chief Engineer for Irrigation to state what further grant is now required in connection with certain Minor Works and Navigation, communicated with instructions to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.	16th do. do. No. 3392 W.	23rd Nov. 1891, No. 901 I.
Budget estimates.—Proceedings in the Revenue Department reviewing the — (Land Revenue) for 1892–93, recorded.	17th do. do. No. 3393 W.	.....
Funds.—Sanctioning certain transfer of — to meet demands for works.	17th do. do. No. 3394 W.	.....
Rent.—Proceedings in the Judicial Department directing that the Special Assistant Agent, Godávari, be relieved from payment of — for the bungalow at Kannavaram from the date of transfer of headquarters from that station, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle.	17th do. do. No. 3397 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Correspondence.—Copies of Part III of Appendix M., Bengal Barrack Regulations, relating to accommodation authorised for a regiment of Native Infantry in the plains, forwarded by the Director-General of Military Works, communicated to officers concerned.	17th Dec. 1891, No. 3401 W.	4th Mar. 1891, No. 616 W. 20th Mar. 1891, No. 1604 C. 23rd April 1891, No. 2217 C. 6th May 1891, No. 1256 W. 19th Nov. 1891, No. 3110 W. 7th Dec. 1891, No. 5478 C.
Appointment.—From the Consulting Architect to Government regarding application for an —(Confidential).	17th do. do. No. 3402 W.	.....
Funds.—Allotting — from the reserve for the Trichinopoly and Tinnevelly Divisions under Imperial Civil Works, Postal Repairs.	17th do. do. No. 3403 W.	10th Nov. 1890, No. 2979 W.
Funds.—Allotting — from the reserve for the Madura Division under Imperial Military Repairs.	17th do. do. No. 3404 W.	8th Sept. 1887, No. 2426 W. 25th June 1891, No. 1707 W. 29th June 1891, No. 1740 W. 12th Aug. 1891, No. 2172 W.
Lime kilns at Vadheswaram in Kistna Western Division.—Estimate of Rs. 5,000 for carrying out certain improvements to the —, sanctioned with remarks.	17th do. do. No. 3406 W.	14th Oct. 1886, No. 686 I. 26th July 1888, No. 2289 W. 9th Feb. 1891, No. 713 C. 4th Mar 1891, No. 614 W.
Funds.—A further sum of Rs. 30,000 replaced at the disposal of the Financial Department from the Public Works reserve under 45. Provincial Civil Works.	17th do. do. No. 3407 W.	10th Dec. 1891, No. 3330 W.
Messrs. Borham and Company, Madras.—Letter from — submitting for inspection a set of photographs showing the different views of their foundry, &c., and asking for patronage, recorded with remarks.	17th do. do. No. 3408 W.	21st Aug. 1891, No. 2268 W.
Mr. M. H. Gaynor, Accountant, 1st grade, and Officiating Deputy Examiner.—Office-note from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, requesting the grant of an increment of Rs. 50 to — from 1st January 1892, ordered to be forwarded to the Government of India for information whether the increment is admissible.	17th do. do. No. 3409 W.	.....
Forwarded	17th do. do. No. 3410 W.	.....

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Funds.—Orders on the statement of surrenders under Imperial Civil Works and Provincial during 1891–92 submitted by the Superintending Engineer, I Circle.	17th Dec. 1891, No. 3411 W.	30th July 1890, No. 2070 W. 5th Jan. 1891, No. 9 W. 6th May 1891, No. 1255 W. 10th July 1891, No. 1896 W. 8th Aug. 1891, No. 2132 W. 7th Nov. 1891, No. 4928 C. 26th Nov. 1891, No. 3171 W.
Annual Return of Expenditure on Stores in the Madras Public Works Department.—The — for 1890–91, ordered to be forwarded to the Government of India.	17th do. do. No. 3412 W.	25th Aug. 1890, No. 2300 W. 20th Sept. 1890, No. 3822 C. 3rd Nov. 1890, No. 4506 C. 20th Nov. 1899, No. 4773 C. 20th Jan. 1891, No. 330 C. 26th Jan. 1891, No. 430 C. 23rd Feb. 1890, Nos. 522-23 W. 2nd Mar. 1891, No. 570 W. 24th Oct. 1891, No. 4676 C. 23rd Nov. 1891, No. 5239 C. 8th Dec. 1891, No. 5519 C.
Forwarded	17th do. do. No. 3413 W.	.....
Funds.—Rs. 715 allotted to the West Coast Division under Imperial Military Repairs.	18th do. do. No. 3415 W.	7th Aug. 1891, No. 2108 W.
Statement of unauthorised appropriations.—Orders on the — during November 1891.	18th do. do. No. 3416 W.	6th Aug. 1891, Nos. 2104-5 W. 3rd Oct 1891, No. 2653 W. 30th Oct. 1891, No. 2908 W. 7th Nov. 1891, No. 2977 W. 5th Nov. 1891, No. 2955 W. 13th Oct. 1891, No. 2700 W. 4th Dec. 1891, No. 3237 W.
Above forwarded to the Accountant-General...	18th do. do. No. 3417 W.	.....

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Funds.—Replacing at the disposal of the Financial Department the sum of Rs. 15,000 surrendered from the budget grant for Provincial establishment.	18th Dec. 1891, No. 3418 W.	5th Dec. 1891, No. 5471 C. 2nd Mar. 1891, No. 580 W. 24th Mar. 1891, No. 1672 W.
Mr. Collins and C. Mahapati Rao.—Proceedings in the Educational Department declining to exempt —, clerks in the office of Examiner, Public Works Accounts, from Examination rules, communicated to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	18th do. do. No. 3419 W.	9th May 1885, No. 1085 W. 19th April 1887, No. 1088 W. 1st Dec. 1890, No. 4956 W. 24th Jan. 1891, No. 237 W. 4th Dec. 1891, No. 5449 C.
Correspondence.—Letter from the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, Madras, returning papers in connection with Mr. Cecil Scott's proposal for constructing a dock upon the site now occupied by the new High Court buildings, recorded.	18th do. do. No. 3420 W.	.....
Madras Port Department.—Proceedings in the Marine Department substituting a revised paragraph 4 in Government Order reviewing the Administration report of the — for 1890–91, recorded.	18th do. do. No. 3421 W.	19th Nov. 1891, No. 3117 W.
Telegraphic message.—The Examiner authorised to admit the charge of a — sent by the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, to the Port Officer at Colombo.	18th do. do. No. 3422 W.	.....
Water Regulation establishment, Godávari district.—Declining to grant certain concessions proposed to be given to certain clerks under the —.	18th do. do. No. 3423 W.	8th April 1891, No. 983 W. 6th May 1891, No. 2401 C. 19th Aug. 1886, No. 2088 W. 25th May 1891, No. 1416 W.
Publications.—Proceedings in the Financial Department directing copies of the "Indian Directory" for 1892 to be supplied to certain officers, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle.	18th do. do. No. 3424 W.	14th Sept. 1891, No. 2119 R. 7th Feb. 1890, No. 655 C.
Mr. Thompson.—Proceedings in the Marine Department stating what acting allowance will be given to — while in charge of the Madras Harbour Works, recorded.	18th do. do. No. 3425 W.	5th Dec. 1891, No. 5470 C. 15th Dec. 1891, No. 3379 W. 15th Dec. 1891, No. 5648 C.
Opening of the Male Asylum road at Egmore.—Orders on petition from Vencataramanuja Pillai praying that the asylum Sergeant's quarters may be purchased by Government in view to the —.	18th do. do. No. 3426 W.	30th Nov. 1871, No. 3030. 19th Aug. 1871, No. 2134. 25th Oct. 1872, No. 2518 W.

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		(*Continued.*) 19th Sept. 1873, No. 2325. 20th Dec. 1888, No. 5153 C. 15th Jan. 1889, No. 183 C. 25th Jan. 1889, No. 385 C. 30th Sept. 1890, No. 2573 W. 2nd Feb. 1891, No. 302 W. 3rd June 1891, No. 1518 W.
Bachappa Bridge, South Canara District.—Letter from the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, forwarding a comparative statement for the renewal of the fallen abutment of —, and stating what the percentage charge for scrutinising the revised estimate should be, communicated to the Local and Municipal Department.	18th Dec. 1891, No. 3427 W.	.....
Additional establishment required for the Kistna Western Division.—Orders on the —.	18th do. do. No. 3428 W.	10th April 1891, No. 1004 W. 15th June 1891, No. 1615 W. 12th Sept. 1891, No. 4048 C. 23rd Sept. 1891, No. 4203 C. 7th Oct. 1891, No. 4380 C.
Relief Works in Bellary District.—The Superintending Engineer, III Circle, directed by telegram that nothing should interfere with the execution of — and that urgent application for any additional allotments required should be submitted.	18th do. do. No. 3429 W.	14th Dec. 1891, No. 5638 W.
Daily allowance.—Ordered that the Government of India be addressed relative to the grant of increased — to inferior servants in the Coimbatore, West Coast and Bellary divisions.	19th do. do. No. 3434 W.	.....
The Government of India addressed	19th do. do. No. 3435 W.	.....
Messrs. Hutton and Morin.—Letter from the Government of India stating that — have been appointed Assistant Engineers, 2nd grade, by the Secretary of State, and that they will be posted to Madras after undergoing their course of practical training for one year in England, recorded.	19th do. do. No. 3436 W.	.....
Light-house at Manapad.—Proceedings in the Financial Department authorising the Accountant-General to place Rs. 34 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for providing iron structures for the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, and the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.	19th do. do. No. 3437 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Foreshore at Cochin.—Proceedings in the Financial Department authorising the Accountant-General to place Rs. 598 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for constructing a revetment for the protection of the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, and the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.	19th Dec. 1891, No. 3438 W.	
Examiner's position and relation to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.—Correspondence regarding the —, recorded.	19th do. do. No. 3439 W.	5th Jan. 1877, No. 49. 29th Oct. 1879, No. 2721 W. 6th Mar. 1880, No. 543 W. 4th Nov. 1880, No. 2537 W. 17th June 1881, No. 1519 W. 8th Feb. 1883, No. 416 W. 22nd Mar. 1882, No. 765 W. 1st June 1889, No. 261 D. 17th Nov. 1890, No. 3066 C. 20th Dec 1890, No. 5362 C. 16th Jan. 1891, No. 195 C. 13th Feb. 1891, No. 282 C. 10th Mar. 1891, No. 1319 C. 6th Mar. 1891, No. 1234 C.
Titles.—Proceedings in the Political Department directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the Government of India recognising the claim of the emindar of Ramnad to the title of rajah, and stating that there is no objection to the use of the title *Setupati* as a complimentary form of address, recorded.	19th do. do. No. 3441 W.	.....
Dowlaishweram Hospital.—The lascar and sweeper attached to the — to be regarded as supernumerary in the Godávari Eastern Division of the Public Works Department, and absorbed on the occurrence of vacancies from the date the hospital is taken over by the Taluk Board.	19th do. do. No. 3443 W.	28th Nov. 1890, No. 4947 C. 9th Dec. 1890, No. 5127 C. 30th Mar. 1891, No. 1752 C. 7th April 1891, No. 13 D. 6th Aug. 1891, No. 2106 W. 24th Sept. 1891, No. 2576 W.
Overseer's temporary quarters at Ralli, Godávari Western Division.—The sale of the materials of the —, by public auction, sanctioned.	19th do. do. No. 3444 W.	10th April 1891, No. 1005 W. 20th Aug. 1891, No. 2252 W.

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		(*Continued.*) 1st June 1891, No. 1499 W. 3rd June 1891, No. 1517 W.
G. Ramayya, Store-keeper, Bellary Division.—Proceedings in the Educational Department exempting —, from the Upper Secondary examination so far as his present post on Rs. 50 is concerned, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	19th Dec. 1891, No. 3445 W.	.....
Funds.—Certain sums of money outstanding in the accounts of the VI Circle, ordered to be credited to Provincial revenues.	19th do. do. No. 3446 W.	1st Dec. 1891, No. 3215 W.
Stable.—The purchase of the — built by Sergeant Hambley in the workshop compound at Bezváda, sanctioned.	19th do. do. No. 3447 W.	.....
Quarters.—The hiring of — for Sergeant Burke at Ootacamund at a rental exceeding the authorised scale, sanctioned with remarks.	19th do. do. No. 3448 W.	16th May 1889, No. 1302 W. 30th May 1890, No. 1519 W. 28th Mar. 1891, No. 888 W. 19th June 1891, No. 1655 W. 29th Oct. 1891, No. 2894 W.
Messenger Karuppan.—Sanction accorded to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, having taken — on his visit to Tanjore.	19th do. do. No. 3449 W.	5th Dec. 1891, No. 3266 W.
Sub-Conductor F. Heinig — granted a deputation allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem from 18th November to 4th December 1891, during which period he was employed on rain-making experiment at Bellary.	19th do. do. No. 3450 W.	5th Dec. 1891, No. 5466 C.
Printing forms.—Sanctioning Rs. 40, being the cost of — in the Nellore Division subject to the countersignature of the bills by the Superintendent, Government Press.	19th do. do. No. 3451 W.	19th Aug. 1887, No. 2213 W. 9th Feb. 1889, No. 666 C. 17th Sept. 1891, No. 2491 W. 14th Sept. 1891, No. 2460 W.
Signallers' quarters at Trichinopoly.—Endorsement by the Deputy Director-General of Telegraphs forwarding copy of a note stating what allotment has been made for constructing bath-rooms for the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	19th do. do. No. 3452 W.	.....
Correspondence.—Letter from the Secretary, Public Works Department, India Office, stating what communications from the Public Works Department to the address of the Secretary of State have been received, recorded.	19th do. do. No. 3453 W.	25th May 1891, No. 140 P.W.

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District Munsif's Court at Salem.—The order of 19th May 1891, No. 1359 W., directing the sale of the —, ordered to be rescinded if not already acted on —.	21st Dec. 1891, No. 3454 W.	19th May 1891, No. 1359 W.
Engineers required in Burma.—The Government of India informed by telegram that no officers from this Presidency can be spared for duty as — until famine troubles are over.	21st do. do. No. 3455 W.	.....
Nominal Muster Rolls.—Intimation from the Executive Engineer, Bellary Division, that certain — have now been completed, recorded.	21st do. do. No. 3456 W.	7th April 1891, No. 1951 C. 17th Mar. 1891, No. 1489 C. 17th Jan. 1891, No. 241 C. 9th Dec. 1890, No. 5114 C. 17th Nov. 1890, No. 3056 W. 29th Sept. 1890, No. 3920 C. 2nd Aug. 1890, No. 3262 C. 18th July 1890, No. 1959 W. 17th June 1890, No. 1679 W. 30th May 1890, No. 2431 C. 16th May 1890, No. 2271 C. 20th Mar. 1890, No. 912 W. 18th Feb. 1890, No. 533 W. 12th Aug. 1889, No. 3621 C. 20th May 1889, No. 1343 W. 10th Dec. 1891, No. 5551 C. 14th Dec. 1891, No. 5617 E.
Notes of Inspection.—Remarks of the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, on replies by the Executive Engineer, Kurnool Division, to the — by the Deputy Examiner of the Kurnool Division office, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	22nd do. do. No. 3460 W.	13th April 1891, No. 1035 W. 30th Sept. 1891, No. 2615 W. 2nd Dec. 1891, No. 5411 C.
Revised estimates.—Proceedings, Financial Department, recording resolution of the Government of India fixing the dates for submission of the — for 1891–92 and the budget estimate for 1892–93, recorded.	21st do. do. No. 3457 W.	17th Dec 1890, No. 3362 W

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Government-houses.—Letter from the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor stating that he has handed over charge of the Furniture Allotment Fund for — to Captain the Honorable R. T. Lawley, who will administer the fund in future, and that all communications regarding furniture should be addressed to the latter officer in future, communicated to officers concerned for information and guidance.	21st Dec. 1891, No. 3458 W.	.....
Flagstaff at Mangalore.—Proceedings in the Financial Department authorizing the Accountant-General to place Rs. 1,121 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for repairing the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, and the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	22nd do. do. No. 3459 W.	26th Nov. 1891, No. 3163 W.
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Police station at Periah, Malabar District.—Proceedings in the Judicial Department approving of proposal of the Inspector-General of Police for the removal of the — to a site near the present public road, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.	22nd do. do. No. 3461 W.	.....
Hospital building at Nándyal.—Proceedings in the Board of Revenue regarding delay in replying to certain reference on the relinquishment of the site of the —by the Southern Mahratta Railway, recorded.	22nd do. do. No. 3462 W.	20th Oct. 1890, No. 2771 W. 15th May 1891, No. 217 D. 8th Oct. 1891, No. 4397 C. 15th Oct. 1891, No. 4529 C. 17th Nov. 1891, No 5118 C. 21st Nov. 1891, No. 5208 C. 8th Dec. 1891, No. 3291 W.
Plan of Bellary roads.—Proceedings in the Local and Municipal Department recording memo. from Public Works Department calling for the return of the —, recorded.	22nd do. do. No. 3463 W.	.....
Funds.—The distribution of grants under 45, Provincial Civil Works proposed by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, approved with remarks.	23rd do. do. No. 3464 W.	11th Dec. 1890, No. 3291 W. 12th Nov. 1891, No. 4997 C. 3rd Dec. 1891, No. 3243 W. 10th Dec. 1891, No. 3338 W.

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Funds.—Appropriations made from the reserve for certain works in Negapatam and Chingleput Divisions.	24th Dec. 1891, No. 3465 W.	2nd Mar. 1891, No. 580 W. 24th Mar. 1891, No. 1672 C. 27th Oct. 1891, No. 2848 W. 5th Dec. 1891, No. 5471 C. 8th Dec. 1891, No. 5199 C. 18th Dec. 1891, No. 3415 W.
Lands.—Notification for the acquisition of certain — required for the Sub-Registrar's office building at Kodumudi in Erode taluk, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*	28th do. do. No. 3466 W.	.....
Mrs. E. Scott Taylor.—Application from — for a pension or gratuity in consideration of the circumstances attending her late husbands' death, ordered to be forwarded to the Government of India.	28th do. do. No. 3467 W.	30th Oct. 1891, No. 2910 W.
The Government of India addressed	28th do. do. No. 3468 W.	.....
Mr. Thorowgood, C.E.—Decision of the Government of India that the market rate of the day is the fair rate of exchange to be allowed on the advance of £100 to be made to — on or about the 15th January 1892, communicated to Mr. Thorowgood and the Marine Department for information.	28th do. do. No. 3469 W.	10th Nov. 1891, No 2982 W. 23rd Oct. 1891, No. 2787 W.
Lands.—Notification for the acquisition of certain — required for the construction of a taluk cutcherry in Hindupur, ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*	31st do. do. No. 3471 W.	.....
Major C. H. P. Christie, R.E.—Copy of Notification by the Government of India attaching temporarily the services of — to the office of the Accountant-General, Public Works Department, on his return from special leave, recorded.	31st do. do. No. 3472 W.	.....

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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Order thereon: 25 January 1892 No. 94

Recorded

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(True Extracts)

G. J. Clifton
Secretary to Govt

To

The Commr of RS, LR & a

— Public Works Dept. (2) ✓

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Sir

P. W. CURRENT No. 857

Govt. of {1892} Madras.

REVENUE.

To

The Public Public
Dept: (Irrigation)

Dated

Rcd. 27-1-92 Encl. 1

Mis. G.O., 25 January 1892, No. 94

SUBJECT.

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MR. CLOGSTOUN.

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Total ..	26,67,773	5,75,885	35,04,881	2,88,205

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) P. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with lists in original.
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Exd. W. H. French.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

1892.

Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture),

MADRAS.

Printed January 19th.

Proceedings, 11th January 1892, No. 20.

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Podili division	1,05,500	56,600	1,62,100	4,650
Darsi do.	1,28,300	38,372	1,66,672	5,842
Total ..	26,67,773	5,75,885	35,04,881	2,88,205

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Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with lists in original.
" Collector of Nellore.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

Exd. W. H. French.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture).

Dated 3rd February 1892.

No. 173 Rev.

READ ..... Memorandum dated 2nd February 1892 No. one from the Government Public Works department requesting to supply 7 spare copies of Board's Proceedings No. 20 dated 11th January 1892.

Resolution:

Ordered accordingly

(True Extract)

Secretary

To The Secretary to Government Public Works department.

with 7 spare copies of B. P. No 20 dated 11th January 1892.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE

(REVENUE SETTLEMENT, LAND RECORDS AND AGRICULTURE).

MR. CLOGSTOUN.

READ—the following letter from C. D. MACLEANE, Esq., Collector of Nellore, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated 21st November 1891, No. 3381-Ver. :—

I have the honour to forward herewith a revised 12-month programme of famine relief works for 1891–92 (enclosure No. 1) drawn up as per the Board's instructions in the marginal Proceedings together with two abstract statements (enclosures 2 and 3).

1. Board's Proceedings, dated 10th August 1891, Mis. No. 4193.
2. Board's Proceedings, dated 1st October 1891, No. 621.
3. Board's Proceedings, dated 8th October 1891, No. 640.
4. Board's Proceedings, dated 22nd October 1891, Mis. No. 6055.

2. Following the Board's expression "Major and Minor" in Proceedings, dated 23rd July 1891, No. 450, some irrigation works named by the Executive Engineer have been taken in—*vide* the talukwar lists and column 3 of enclosure 1. These give 7¾ lakhs. I do not know precisely on what footing this part of the programme rests. Famine Code, section 27, speaks of the Public Works Department maintaining a number of works of a certain class in its "budget," which is possibly a slip, for a programme is a different thing from a budget and does not for one thing necessarily consist exclusively of works wholly estimated for. Board's Proceedings, No. 640, dated 8th October 1891, on the other hand, speaks of the department furnishing separate "lists," though to whom those are rendered I do not know. However this matter may be, I am of opinion that the process here indicated by column 3 of my enclosure 1 should be extended so as not only to contain works of the Public Works Department to a greater value than is there shown but also works of other departments as, for instance, Salt. If the Collecto r is, when the critical time arrives, to occupy the position indicated in several sections of the Famine Code, his office should in advance be the repository of a complete programme.

3. Under the restriction contained in the penultimate sentence of paragraph 4 of Board's Proceedings, dated 22nd October 1891, Mis. No. 6055, the whole of the Engineer's list has been left out of consideration in calculating and endeavouring to work up to the 5 per cent. of population minimum figure in each taluk. This has, however, necessitated much recourse to new roads of the desirability of executing which as famine works I am not assured. The country does not need roads so much now as it did 12 years ago, and the more pressing requirement seems to me to be irrigation. The necessity for the "Civil Agency" works alone to work up to the 5 per cent. rule calls perhaps for further consideration in the superior offices.

4. The total cost of civil agency works proposed is Rs. 35,04,881, which can employ theoretically, and, with the proviso below, 76,819 persons or 5¼ per cent. of the district population at an average daily wage of 2 annas per head. The above figure has been as usual calculated by simple division (*vide* columns 4 and 6), but the whole of the estimate, including as it necessarily does the charges for establishment, &c., cannot afford relief labour when calculated in that way. The provision in Udayagiri, Nellore, and Gúdúr, taken singly, is less than 4 per cent. I have not been able to get beyond these figures.

5. The different lists received from Divisional officers, Presidents of Local Boards, Chairmen of Municipalities and other officers have been exhaustively scrutinized and manipulated by this office.

6. This programme would have been submitted a considerable time ago but for the change mentioned in paragraph 3 above.

7. Column 6 of the lists is already out of date owing to the same cause. At present date there are known to be ready (though details not forthcoming) estimates for 724 works costing Rs. 4,62,000. A fortnightly return in gross figures on this head is being received from all departments concerned and reviewed in this office.

RESOLUTION—dated 11th January 1892, No. 20.

The list of works suitable for famine relief in the Nellore district for 1891–92, revised with reference to the instructions issued in Board's Proceedings, No. 6055, dated 22nd October last, will be submitted for the information of Government.

2. The following abstract shows the provision made for each taluk under the major and minor heads and the amount for which estimates are ready:—

Taluks.	Revenue Department.		Forest Department.		Municipalities.	
	Rs. 5,000 and above.	Below Rs. 5,000.	Rs. 5,000 and above.	Below Rs. 5,000.	Rs. 5,000 and above.	Below Rs. 5,000.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Nellore	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Gúdúr	..	1,790	..	8,725	36,030	14,365
Rápúr	..	5,910	..	8,398	..	..
Venkatagiri division	..	7,628	5,135	16,729	..	..
Pólúr division	..	150	..	..	..	..
Atmakúr	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kávali	..	5,928	..	..	..	..
Udayagiri	..	12,800	..	2,950	..	..
Ongole	..	5,235	..	..	..	..
Kandukúr	5,000	35,100	6,698	8,518	..	..
Kanigiri	..	34,650	..	2,472	..	..
Podili division	..	3,000	..	..	8,000	20,000
Darsi do.	..	..	..	6,012	..	..
	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	5,000	1,12,191	11,833	53,804	44,030	34,365

Taluks.	District and Taluk Boards.		Total.	Amount for which estimates are ready.
	Rs. 5,000 and above.	Below Rs. 5,000.		
	8	9	10	11
Nellore	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.
Gúdúr	2,00,200	37,747	2,98,857	33,439
Rápúr	2,09,000	26,766	2,50,074	29,974
Venkatagiri division	1,27,100	38,234	1,94,826	50,686
Pólúr division	2,14,254	41,399	2,55,803	59,259
Atmakúr	64,800	53,968	1,18,768	12,714
Kávali	1,78,400	15,172	2,02,450	29,102
Udayagiri	1,32,000	12,050	1,56,850	8,700
Ongole	92,700	13,265	1,26,416	31,351
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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

1892.

Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture),

MADRAS.

Printed January 19th.

Proceedings, 11th January 1892, No. 20.

Submitting to Government, with remarks, the *revised* list of *Famine Relief Works* for 1891–92 received from the Collector of *Nellore*.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 29th December 1891, No. 830 :—

MR. CLOGSTOUN.

Read—the following letter from R. SEWELL, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated Bellary, 3rd December 1891, Index No. 1476 :—

In continuation of my letter No. 1398 (Indexed), dated 16th November 1891, I have the honour to forward a printed list of works in each taluk and under each Department, for which detailed estimates are ready.

2. The omissions, alterations and additions as compared with the list forwarded to Government with Board's Proceedings, No. 430, dated 17th July 1891, are noted below. The works against which no entry is made in column headed "Amount of original estimate" are all additions :—

BELLARY TALUK.

Omissions.

	RS.	*Reasons.*
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the road side from Bellary to Aspari.	40,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stones for the abutment of three bridges between Bellary and Siruguppa.	12,000	
Collection of stones for the abutment of three bridges between Moka and Halaharvi.	4,000	
Municipality—		
Deepening and clearing Bellary tank.	22,500	Municipal Council removed this work from the list (*vide* Chairman's letter, No. 4118, dated 19th November 1891).

Alteration.

Local Boards.

	RS.	*Proposed in its place.*
Original work—		
Construction of road from Siruguppa to Yemmiganúr *viâ* Kuragodu.	10,000	Collection of gravel and metal from Yemmiganúr to Kuragagodu, 18,018.

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Constructing a weir to Gundiganur tank.	1,545	Estimate prepared and sanctioned, Superintending Engineer's No. 2337, dated 25th November 1891.

	Rs.	
Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall—		
Bellary reserve	16,262	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 6600, 16th November 1891.
Minchery reserve	11,933	
Tornagal „	2,957	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal from Bellary to Kurnool *viâ* Moka.	17,760	
Collection of gravel, Bellary to Sovenahally.	4,455	
Collection of gravel, Bellary to Siruguppa.	9,009	
Collection of gravel, Bellary to Mysore frontier.	3,603	
Collection of metal, Bellary to Rapanagudi.	18,532	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 2669-L, dated 28th October 1891.
Repair of road from junction of Joladarasi to Anantapur.	5,406	
Repairing Veerapur Railway feeder road.	3,604	
Repairing Kudutani Railway feeder road.	2,700	
Repairing Hagari Railway feeder road.	1,803	
Repairing Nittur-Tekkalakota road...	1,803	
Repairing Sirugappa-Adóni road ...	9,009	
Municipality—		
Sinking new wells	5,000	
Sinking well and constructing tank house and laying pipes and hydrant in connection with drainage.	20,000	Estimates returned with G.O., No. 1887, dated 29th October 1891.
Improving Katiguddam tank ...	5,000	
Removing silt from Vadrabanda and improving the same.	8,000	
Improving the nulla near the Municipal office.	2,000	Returned with G.O, No. 1887, dated 29th October 1891.
Improving the supply channel of Mainwaring tank.	4,000	
Removing silt from Fort ditch.	2,000	

RAYADRUG TANK.

Omissions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing supply channel of the tank at Settur.	500	The village has been transferred to Anantapur district.
Local Boards—		
Laying a road from Malyam towards Kalyándrúg *viâ* Bellaguppa and Gangavaram.	19,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stones for abutment of a large bridge near Badanhal.	12,000	
Collection of stones for three large bridges over the Chinna Hagari.	36,000	
Collection of stones for two small bridges on the Ráyadrug road.	8,000	

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Strengthening the rear bund of the tank at Srirangapuram.	930	Returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6119, dated 26th October 1891.

	Rs.	
Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall—		
Minchery reserve	3,168	Returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Mysore frontier near Ráyadrúg to Kudair *viâ* Bellaguppa.	54,054	Returned with G.O., Mis No. 2669-L, dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from junction of Kudiar road near Ráyadrúg towards Kalyándrúg to boundary of Ráyadrúg taluk.	21,621	
Collection of metal from Ráyadrúg to Kanekal.	27,800	
Collection of metal from Ráyadrug to Yeradakera.	23,166	
Repairing road, Bellary *viâ* Bommanahali to Kalyándrúg frontier.	45,045	
Repairing road, Bellary to Ráyadrúg.	37,836	

HOSPET TALUK.

Omissions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing the tank at Papinaikanahally.	500	Estimates have not yet been received from Tahsildar.
Raising the bund of the tank at Vaddigiri.	1,000	
Repairing the tank at Malpanagudi.	500	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal for the abutment of a small bridge near Kampli.	4,000	Estimates have not been received.
Do. large bridge near Ittigi.	12,000	
Do. do. near Gowripuram.	12,000	
Do. do. near Yettinabathi.	12,000	
Do. do. near Timmalapuram.	4,000	

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Byalakundi tank	1,320	Estimates ready, Superintending Engineer's No. 2263, dated 11th November 1891.
Ioorta channel	24,131	Estimates ready, Superintending Engineer's No. 2316, dated 23rd November 1891.
Ramasagar channel	32,900	
Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall, Bellary reserve.	7,392	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Building a dry masonry wall, Tornagal reserve.	4,224	
Building a dry masonry wall, Sivapuram reserve.	5,069	
Building a dry masonry wall, Bundri reserve.	12,672	
Building a dry masonry wall, Sándúr leased forests and the adjoining reserves.	92,083	
Estimates for constructing a well near Joga.	150	

	RS.	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Gowripur to Kúdligi.	16,389	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th December 1891 (G.O., Mis. No. 2669-L.), dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from Hospet to Husur.	6,177	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Mariyemmanahally to Ballahoonsi.	10,811	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Tornagal to Yettinhatty.	10,811	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Hospet to Kalhalli.	9,267	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Devalapur to Kamalapur.	18,532	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Kamalapur to Hampi.	3,860	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Kampli to Muddapur.	3,188	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Budrasettibunda to Hampi.	3,860	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Gowripur-Hospet to Bellary.	54,054	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Gowripur to Duggavatty.	10,825	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Kudatani to Kampli.	25,224	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Hospet Railway Feeder road.	1,803	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Chitwadigi Feeder road.	1,803	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Hirekanavi to Chitwadigi.	3,603	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Hospet to Jambonatham.	3,603	

KUDLIGI TALUK.

Omissions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing the calingula and sluice of the tank at Gundenhola.	400	Sanctioned out of allotment for minor irrigation works, 1891–92 and 1892–93
Constructing a dam to the supply channel of the tank at Saslavada.	470	Completed in 1886–87.
Repairing the calingula of the tank at Kottur.	1,500	Repaired by the Public Works Department.
Local Boards—		
Collection of stones for the abutment of a large bridge near Kottur.	12,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stones for the abutment of a bridge.	4,000	

Additions.

Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall, Sunkadcal reserve.	17,741	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Building a dry masonry wall, Chiribi reserve.	8,448	
Building a dry masonry wall, Sivapuram reserve.	9,082	
Building a dry masonry wall, Gollalingamanahalli, reserve.	9,293	
Building a dry masonry wall, Tummorguddi reserve.	11,405	
Building a dry masonry wall, Bundri reserve.	8,448	
Building a dry masonry wall, Somalapuram reserve.	10,137	

	RS.	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal, Oojini to Sovenahally.	26,719	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 2669-C., dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal, Kúdligi to Gudikota.	30,888	
Collection of metal, Kúdligi to Harpanahalli *viâ* Kottur.	18,532	
Collection of gravel, Kúdligi to Oojini.	21,621	
Collection of metal and gravel from Chornoor to Heraihal.	32,433	
Collection of metal and gravel from Gudaikota to Hosahalli.	36,036	
Collection of metal, Kúdligi to Hosahalli.	34,233	
Repairing road from Kúdligi to Gowripur.	23,424	
Repairing road from Kúdligi to Chornoor.	18,018	
Collection of metal, Kúdligi to Somalapur.	18,532	

HADAGALLI TALUK.

Omissions.

Irrigation works—		
Completing the famine tank at Timmalapuram.	3,000	Made over to Sreenivasa Row for private enterprize.
Repairing Hondam at Holal ...	500	Estimate not received. It is a Local Fund and not irrigation work.
Local Boards—		
Collection of stones for the abutment of 2 bridges near Hampasagaram.	8,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stones for the abutment of 2 bridges near Bannikal.	4,000	
Collection of stones for the abutment of 2 bridges near Hirabadagally.	4,000	
Collection of stones for the abutment of 2 bridges near Hampapatnam.	4,000	

Additions.

Forest works—		
Building a masonry wall, Sivapuram reserve.	3,612	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Building a masonry wall, Harada reserve.	23,655	
Building a masonry wall, Soji reserve.	4,646	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Sovenahally to Bellary *viâ* Hampasagar, Gowripur and Hospet.	37,065	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 2669-L., dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from Mylar to Hadagalli.	35,521	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Hadagalli to Magalam.	10,811	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Hadagalli to Mundrigi.	10,811	
Repairing road from Gowripur to Duggavatti.	41,442	
Repairing road from Tambrahalli to Hadagalli.	30,630	
Repairing road from Harpanahalli to Hampasagar.	29,728	
Repairing road from Oojini *viâ* Kottur to Sovenahally.	36,937	
Repairing road from Hirahadagalli to Magalam.	12,612	

HARPANAHALLI TALUK.

Omissions.

	RS.	
Local Boards—		
Collection of stones for abutment of small bridge between Bagali and Maslavada.	4,000	Estimate has not been received.

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing the revetment, calingula, &c., of Nichapur tank.	3,320	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 633, dated 6th October 1891.
Repairing the Vaddinadadapuram tank.	785	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 641, dated 6th October 1891.
Clearing bushes, &c., Neelagunda tank.	680	Estimates ready, Superintending Engineer's No. 2265, dated 17th November 1891.
Repairing Matharakatta tank ...	830	Executive Engineer's No. 4136, dated 26th November 1891.
Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall, Harada reserve.	21,543	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Building a dry masonry wall, Soji reserve.	9,715	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Duggavatti *viâ* Harpanahalli to Gowripur.	43,243	Estimates returned with G.O., No. 2669, dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from Harpanahalli to Hampasagar.	18,531	
Collection of gravel and metal from Arsikera to Oochangidrug.	21,621	
Collection of gravel and metal from Harpanahalli to Holal.	28,828	
Repairing road from Kúdligi *viâ* Kottur to Harpanahalli.	30,630	
Repairing road from Harpanahalli to Arsikera.	18,018	

ALUR TALUK.

Omissions.

Local Boards—		
Collection of stone for the abutment of a large bridge near Santekudlur.	12,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of three small bridges between Alúr and Chippagiri.	12,000	

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Raising the bund of Kuruvalli tank.	1,300	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 633, dated 6th October 1891.
Repairing Pedda Hothur tank ...	600	
Deepening the supply channel of Alúr tank.	1,300	

	RS.	
Local Boards—		
Collecting metal on the side of road from Alúr to Moodangira.	9,267	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 2669-L., dated 28th October 1891.
Repairing the road from Madhavaram *viâ* Adóni to Aspari.	10,834	
Repairing the road from Adóni to Alúr	13,518	
Repairing Nuncherla Railway feeder road.	5,406	
Repairing Buntanhal Railway feeder road.	4,504	
Repairing main road to Arikera ...	1,803	
Repairing Aspari Railway feeder road.	1,803	
Repairing Bellary *viâ* Moka to Kurnool frontier.	43,242	

ADONI TALUK.

Omissions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing the bund of Yenagabal tank.	1,500	Repaired by Tank Restoration party.
Repairing Balasaldoddi tank ...	4,000	
Gravelling the bund of Chinna Tumbalam tank	1,000	
Repairing the bund of Halaharvy tank.	1,454	Repairs completed—*vide* Executive Engineer's list A. received with No. 3882, dated 14th November 1891.
Local Boards—		
Collection of stone for abutment of a large bridge near Madhavaram.	12,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stone for abutment of a small bridge near Naranapuram.	4,000	
Collection of stone for abutment of a small bridge near Halvy.	4,000	
Collection of stone for abutment of a small bridge near Nandavaram.	4,000	
Collection of stone for abutment of a small bridge near Halaharvy.	4,000	

Additions.

Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Madhavaram, *viâ* Adóni to Aspari.	50,965	Estimates returned with G.O., No. 2669, dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from Halvy-Kosagi road.	23,116	
Collection of metal on the side of main road to Kowtalam.	12,355	
Repairing road from Yemmiganur to Kosagi.	32,433	
Repairing road from Kuppgal Railway feeder road.	3,603	
Municipality—		
Sinking a well near Kowtalpett ...	4,574	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 1916-L., dated 3rd November 1891.

3. Some of these omissions and additions having taken place subsequent to the despatch of my letter No. 1398, dated 16th November 1891. Indexed, to the Board, the figures in it require alteration to the extent noted below.

		RS.
Total cost of works of Revenue Department as given in the above letter	1,98,392 1,440	
		1,99,832
Deduct the amount excluded for reasons noted below *		31,874
		1,67,958
Add to this the amount particularized below †		62,645
		2,30,603

	RS.	
Total of Municipalities as given in the above index...	1,16,574 75,373	
		1,91,947
Deduct as particularized below—		
Municipal Council, Bellary, withdraws the following works—		
Clearance of prickly-pear	16,875	
Extending the street drains.	5,625	
Deepening and clearing Bellary tank.	22,500	
	45,000	
		1,46,947

4. There is no change in the amounts of estimates of the Local Fund and Forest Departments.

	RS.	RS.
** Rayadrug Taluk.*		
Chikkanvadir tank—		
Estimated by Revenue Department	9,250	
Do. Public Works Department	9,230	
		— 20
Alúr Taluk.		
Constructing a tank at Nitravatti. Necessary repairs having been proposed by the Public Works Department and estimate prepared accordingly by them for Rs. 1,530, this is unnecessary		21,900
Adóni Taluk.		
Repairing the bund of Halaharvy tank. This work is completed		1,454
Repairing Mandigiri tank for reasons given against Nittravatti tank..		8,500
		31,874
†Bellary Taluk.		
Constructing a weir to Gandiganur tank. Estimate prepared and passed by Public Works Department—*vide* Superintending Engineer's No. 2337, dated 25th November 1891		1,545
Repairing the tank at Dhanaikankery—		
Estimate by Revenue Department	1,000	
Do. Public Works Department	1,508	
		+ 508
Repairing Byalkundi tank—		
Estimate by Revenue Department	1,500	
Do. Public Works Department	2,126	
		+ 626
Original work of Byalkundi tank—		
Estimated by Public Works Department		1,320
Toorla channel		24,131
Ramasagaram channel		32,900
Harpanahalli Taluk.		
Clearing bushes, &c., Neelagunda tank		680
Bellary Taluk.		
Repairing the supply channel and strengthening the bund of Kurugodu tank—		
Estimate by Revenue Department	1,300	
Altered by Public Works Department when sent for check	1,405	
		+ 105
Harpanahalli Taluk.		
Repairing the Matharikotta tank—		
Estimated by Public Works Department		830
		62,645

5. The figures according to the above explanation stand as follows :—

	As given in letter No. 1398, 16th Nov. 1891.	As revised.
	RS.	RS.
Revenue Department	1,99,832	2,30,603
Forest do.	2,93,635	2,93,635
Local Fund	21,78,747	21,78,747
Municipal	1,91,947	1,46,947
Total ...	28,64,161	28,49,932

Thus the grand total for the district in all departments is Rs. 28,49,932 as revised, showing a decrease of Rs. 14,229.

Read—the following letter from R. SEWELL, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated 12th December 1891, Index No. 1514:—

With reference to the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, Mis. No. 6999, dated 4th December 1891, I have the honour to report that the printed list of works therein referred to has been forwarded with my letter No. 1476 (Indexed), dated 5th instant. The particulars of variations are given in the body of the above letter, from which it will be observed that the cost of works for which estimates are not ready is Rs. 2,69,500 as particularized below :—

—	Irrigation works.			
	Revenue Department.	Local Boards.	Municipality.	Forest.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Bellary taluk	..	56,000	..	..
Rayadrug	..	75,000	..	..
Hospet taluk	2,000	44,000	..	..
Kúdligi	..	16,000	..	..
Hadagalli	..	20,500	..	..
Harpanahalli	..	4,000	..	..
Alúr taluk	..	24,000	..	..
Adóni	..	28,000	..	..
Total ..	2,000	2,67,500	..	..

2. The Tahsildars have been directed to propose and submit estimates for more irrigation works.

Read—the following letter from R. SEWELL, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated Bellary, 17th December 1891, Ref. on No. 5506 :—

Referring to the printed list of famine relief works of this district, I have the honour to state that the marginally-noted irrigation works of Alúr taluk are reported by the Divisional officer not to be sufficiently remunerative to justify the expense that would be incurred in putting them in order, and I therefore request the Board's permission to strike them off the list of famine works.

1. Putting in order the Summatagiri ruined tank.
2. Putting in order Chikkahyati tank.
3. Improving the bund of Hirahyati tank.
4. Do. tank at Niraniki.

Resolution—dated 29th December 1891, No. 830.

With the letter first read above, the Collector of Bellary submits a revised programme of famine relief works for 1891–92 for each taluk in his district for which detailed estimates are ready.

In the second letter he reports the probable cost of the works for which detailed estimates are not ready. These lists will be submitted for the information of Government in continuation of those forwarded with Board's Proceedings, No. 430, dated 17th July last. The Collector adds explanatory notes showing why it has been found necessary to add or omit works mentioned in his former lists. The four works alluded to in the third letter read above as well as the Billehal and Nitharath tanks in Alúr, which are not considered suitable, have been struck off the lists.

2. The following abstract shows the provision made under each major and minor head in each taluk :—

Taluks.	Revenue Department costing		Forest Department costing		Local Board costing	
	Rs. 5,000 or more.	Less than Rs. 5,000.	Rs. 5,000 or more.	Less than Rs. 5,000.	Rs. 5,000 or more.	Less than Rs. 5,000.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Adóni	..	5,620	..	..	2,90,202	19,994
Alúr	..	3,200	..	..	2,53,447	24,017
Bellary	5,620	9,447	28,195	2,957	2,64,506	32,007
Ráyadrug	9,230	3,180	..	3,168	2,18,531	15,101
Kudligi	5,300	7,592	74,554	..	2,86,908	9,781
Hospet	94,411	20,624	1,17,216	4,374	1,97,224	35,520
Hadagali	35,000	6,000	23,655	8,258	2,75,230	3,602
Harpanahalli	..	11,196	31,258	..	2,49,587	3,090
Total ..	1,49,561	66,859	2,74,878	18,757	20,35,635	1,43,112

Taluks.	Municipal costing		Total cost of works for which estimates are		Total.
	Rs. 5,000 or more.	Less than Rs. 5,000.	Ready.	Not ready.	
	8	9	10	11	12
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Adóni	10,500	34,074	3,60,390	28,000	3,88,390
Alúr	..	..	2,80,664	24,000	3,04,664
Bellary	89,873	12,500	4,45,105	56,000	5,01,105
Ráyadrug	..	..	2,49,210	75,000	3,24,210
Kudligi	..	..	3,84,135	16,000	4,00,135
Hospet	..	..	4,69,369	46,000	5,15,369
Hadagali	..	..	3,51,745	20,500	3,72,245
Harpanahalli	..	..	2,95,131	4,000	2,99,131
Total ..	1,00,373	46,574	28,35,749	2,69,500	31,03,249

3. Detailed estimates are ready for works to cost Rs. 28,35,749, a sum sufficient to provide work for one year to 6·85 per cent. of the population of the district excluding Sandur, and that other works to cost Rs. 2,69,500 can be estimated for if required.

4. The Collector will be requested to send two spare copies of the printed lists for the use of the Board.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) P. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, with a printed list.
Copy to the Collector of Bellary.

Read—also Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 4th January 1892, Mis. No. 16.

Abstract.—Stating that all the famine relief works referred to by the Collector of Bellary should be struck off the list except certain numbers, and remarking on the retention of certain works of an unprofitable nature in the famine works programme.

Order—dated 12th January 1892, No. 38, Revenue.

Miscellaneous.

It is not sufficient for Collectors merely to submit long lists of works which are suitable for purposes of relief; paragraph 35 of the code requires that, as soon as it is apparent that scarcity is deepening into famine, Collectors of affected districts should submit to Government a special report furnishing particulars as to the numbers likely to require relief, recommending the opening of such works selected from the programme of the district as may appear necessary and applying for such funds as may be required. This procedure has not hitherto been followed and consequently there has been doubt as to what works should be classed as "famine relief works" and what expenditure has been authorised. The proper course is for Collectors to make a selection from the district list of works suitable for famine relief to meet the requirements of each taluk for such period as distress is likely to continue in each and with reference to the numbers likely to require employment and to obtain sanction for starting the works so selected as occasion arises. No works other than those approved by Government should be treated as relief works without special sanction and only those works to which the provisions of the Famine Code in respect of tasks, wages, &c., are applied should be so classed. The labourers employed on the ordinary irrigation and Local Fund works should not be included in the numbers on relief works. Application should also be made for grants for works and gratuitous relief and timely measures should be taken to obtain supplemental allotments before funds are exhausted.

2. The Commissioner of Settlement will issue the necessary instructions to the Collectors of districts * classed as distressed for early compliance with paragraph 35 of the code.

* *Vide* G.O., No. 37, dated 12th January 1892.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture).

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G.O., 12th January 1892, No. 38.

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Famine relief works.

Passing orders on Board's Proceedings submitting a revised programme of — for 1891-92 for each taluk in Bellary district.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 29th December 1891, No. 830 :—

MR. CLOGSTOUN.

Read—the following letter from R. SEWELL, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated Bellary, 3rd December 1891, Index No. 1476 :—

In continuation of my letter No. 1398 (Indexed), dated 16th November 1891, I have the honour to forward a printed list of works in each taluk and under each Department, for which detailed estimates are ready.

2. The omissions, alterations and additions as compared with the list forwarded to Government with Board's Proceedings, No. 430, dated 17th July 1891, are noted below. The works against which no entry is made in column headed "Amount of original estimate" are all additions :—

BELLARY TALUK.

Omissions.

	RS.	*Reasons.*
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the road side from Bellary to Aspari.	40,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stones for the abutment of three bridges between Bellary and Siruguppa.	12,000	
Collection of stones for the abutment of three bridges between Moka and Halaharvi.	4,000	
Municipality—		
Deepening and clearing Bellary tank.	22,500	Municipal Council removed this work from the list (*vide* Chairman's letter, No. 4118, dated 19th November 1891).

Alteration.

Local Boards.

	RS.	*Proposed in its place.*
Original work—		
Construction of road from Siruguppa to Yemmiganúr *viâ* Kuragodu.	10,000	Collection of gravel and metal from Yemmiganúr to Kuragagodu, 18,018.

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Constructing a weir to Gundiganur tank.	1,545	Estimate prepared and sanctioned, Superintending Engineer's No. 2337, dated 25th November 1891.

	Rs.	
Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall—		
Bellary reserve	16,262	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 6600, 16th November 1891.
Minchery reserve	11,933	
Tornagal „	2,957	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal from Bellary to Kurnool *viâ* Moka.	17,760	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 2669-L, dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of gravel, Bellary to Sovenahally.	4,455	
Collection of gravel, Bellary to Sirugappa.	9,009	
Collection of gravel, Bellary to Mysore frontier.	3,603	
Collection of metal, Bellary to Rapanagudi.	18,532	
Repair of road from junction of Joladarasi to Anantapur.	5,406	
Repairing Veerapur Railway feeder road.	3,604	
Repairing Kudutani Railway feeder road.	2,700	
Repairing Hagari Railway feeder road.	1,803	
Repairing Nittur-Tekkalakota road...	1,803	
Repairing Sirugappa-Adóni road ...	9,009	
Municipality—		
Sinking new wells	5,000	Estimates returned with G.O., No. 1887, dated 29th October 1891.
Sinking well and constructing tank house and laying pipes and hydrant in connection with drainage.	20,000	
Improving Katiguddam tank ...	5,000	
Removing silt from Vadrabanda and improving the same.	8,000	
Improving the nulla near the Municipal office.	2,000	Returned with G.O., No. 1887, dated 29th October 1891.
Improving the supply channel of Mainwaring tank.	4,000	
Removing silt from Fort ditch.	2,000	

RAYADRUG TANK.

Omissions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing supply channel of the tank at Settur.	500	The village has been transferred to Anantapur district.
Local Boards—		
Laying a road from Malyam towards Kalyándrúg *viâ* Bellaguppa and Gangavaram.	19,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stones for abutment of a large bridge near Badanhal.	12,000	
Collection of stones for three large bridges over the Chinna Hagari.	36,000	
Collection of stones for two small bridges on the Ráyadrug road.	8,000	

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Strengthening the rear bund of the tank at Srirangapuram.	930	Returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6119, dated 26th October 1891.

	Rs.	
Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall—		
Minchery reserve	3,168	Returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Mysore frontier near Ráyadrúg to Kudair *viâ* Bellaguppa.	54,054	Returned with G.O., Mis No. 2669-L, dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from junction of Kudiar road near Ráyadrúg towards Kalyándrúg to boundary of Ráyadrúg taluk.	21,621	
Collection of metal from Ráyadrúg to Kanekal.	27,800	
Collection of metal from Ráyadrug to Yeradakera.	23,166	
Repairing road, Bellary *viâ* Bommanahali to Kalyándrúg frontier.	45,045	
Repairing road, Bellary to Ráyadrúg.	37,836	

HOSPET TALUK.

Omissions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing the tank at Papinaikanahally.	500	Estimates have not yet been received from Tahsildar.
Raising the bund of the tank at Vaddigiri.	1,000	
Repairing the tank at Malpanagudi.	500	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal for the abutment of a small bridge near Kampli.	4,000	Estimates have not been received.
Do. large bridge near Ittigi.	12,000	
Do. do. near Gowripuram.	12,000	
Do. do. near Yettinabathi.	12,000	
Do. do. near Timmalapuram.	4,000	

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Byalakundi tank	1,320	Estimates ready, Superintending Engineer's No. 2263, dated 11th November 1891.
Ioorta channel	24,131	Estimates ready, Superintending Engineer's No. 2316, dated 23rd November 1891.
Ramasagar channel	32,900	
Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall, Bellary reserve.	7,392	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Building a dry masonry wall, Tornagal reserve.	4,224	
Building a dry masonry wall, Sivapuram reserve.	5,069	
Building a dry masonry wall, Bundri reserve.	12,672	
Building a dry masonry wall, Sándúr leased forests and the adjoining reserves.	92,083	
Estimates for constructing a well near Joga.	150	

	Rs.	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Gowripur to Kúdligi.	16,389	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th December 1891 (G.O., Mis. No. 2669-L.), dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from Hospet to Husur.	6,177	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Mariyemmanahally to Ballahoonsi.	10,811	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Tornagal to Yettinhatty.	10,811	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Hospet to Kalhalli.	9,267	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Devalapur to Kamalapur.	18,532	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Kamalapur to Hampi.	3,860	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Kampli to Muddapur.	3,188	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Budrasettibunda to Hampi.	3,860	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Gowripur-Hospet to Bellary.	54,054	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Gowripur to Duggavatty.	10,825	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Kudatani to Kampli.	25,224	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Hospet Railway Feeder road.	1,803	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Chitwadigi Feeder road.	1,803	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Hirekanavi to Chitwadigi.	3,603	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Hospet to Jambonatham.	3,603	

Kudligi Taluk.

Omissions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing the calingula and sluice of the tank at Gundenhola.	400	Sanctioned out of allotment for minor irrigation works, 1891–92 and 1892–93
Constructing a dam to the supply channel of the tank at Saslavada.	470	Completed in 1886–87.
Repairing the calingula of the tank at Kottur.	1,500	Repaired by the Public Works Department.
Local Boards—		
Collection of stones for the abutment of a large bridge near Kottur.	12,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stones for the abutment of a bridge.	4,000	

Additions.

Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall, Sunkadcal reserve.	17,741	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Building a dry masonry wall, Chiribi reserve.	8,448	
Building a dry masonry wall, Sivapuram reserve.	9,082	
Building a dry masonry wall, Gollalingamanahalli, reserve.	9,293	
Building a dry masonry wall, Tummorguddi reserve.	11,405	
Building a dry masonry wall, Bundri reserve.	8,448	
Building a dry masonry wall, Somalapuram reserve.	10,137	

	Rs.	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal, Oojini to Sovenahally.	26,719	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 2669-C., dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal, Kúdligi to Gudikota.	30,888	
Collection of metal, Kúdligi to Harpanahalli *viâ* Kottur.	18,532	
Collection of gravel, Kúdligi to Oojini.	21,621	
Collection of metal and gravel from Chornoor to Heraihal.	32,433	
Collection of metal and gravel from Gudaikota to Hosahalli.	36,036	
Collection of metal, Kúdligi to Hosahalli.	34,233	
Repairing road from Kúdligi to Gowripur.	23,424	
Repairing road from Kúdligi to Chornoor.	18,018	
Collection of metal, Kúdligi to Somalapur.	18,532	

Hadagalli Taluk.

Omissions.

	Rs.	
Irrigation works—		
Completing the famine tank at Timmalapuram.	3,000	Made over to Sreenivasa Row for private enterprize.
Repairing Hondam at Holal ...	500	Estimate not received. It is a Local Fund and not irrigation work.
Local Boards—		
Collection of stones for the abutment of 2 bridges near Hampasagaram.	8,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stones for the abutment of 2 bridges near Bannikal.	4,000	
Collection of stones for the abutment of 2 bridges near Hirahadagally.	4,000	
Collection of stones for the abutment of 2 bridges near Hampapatnam.	4,000	

Additions.

Forest works—		
Building a masonry wall, Sivapuram reserve.	3,612	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Building a masonry wall, Harada reserve.	23,655	
Building a masonry wall, Soji reserve.	4,616	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Sovenahally to Bellary *viâ* Hampasagar, Gowripur and Hospet.	37,065	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 2669-L., dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from Mylar to Hadagalli.	35,521	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Hadagalli to Magalam.	10,811	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Hadagalli to Mundrigi.	10,811	
Repairing road from Gowripur to Duggavatti.	41,442	
Repairing road from Tambrahalli to Hadagalli.	30,630	
Repairing road from Harpanahalli to Hampasagar.	29,728	
Repairing road from Oojini *viâ* Kottur to Sovenahally.	36,937	
Repairing road from Hirahadagalli to Magalam.	12,612	

Harpanahalli Taluk.

Omissions.

	Rs.	
Local Boards—		
Collection of stones for abutment of small bridge between Bagali and Maslavada.	4,000	Estimate has not been received.

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing the revetment, calingula, &c., of Nichapur tank.	3,320	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 633, dated 6th October 1891.
Repairing the Vaddinadadapuram tank.	785	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 641, dated 8th October 1891.
Clearing bushes, &c., Neelagunda tank.	680	Estimates ready, Superintending Engineer's No. 2263, dated 17th November 1891.
Repairing Matharakatta tank ...	830	Executive Engineer's No. 4136, dated 26th November 1891.
Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall, Harada reserve.	21,543	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Building a dry masonry wall, Soji reserve.	9,715	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Duggavatti *viâ* Harpanahalli to Gowripur.	43,243	Estimates returned with G.O., No. 2669, dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from Harpanahalli to Hampasagar.	18,531	
Collection of gravel and metal from Arsikera to Oochangidrug.	21,621	
Collection of gravel and metal from Harpanahalli to Holal.	28,828	
Repairing road from Kúdligi *viâ* Kottur to Harpanahalli.	30,630	
Repairing road from Harpanahalli to Arsikera.	18,018	

Alur Taluk.

Omissions.

Local Boards—		
Collection of stone for the abutment of a large bridge near Santekudlur.	12,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of three small bridges between Alúr and Chippagiri.	12,000	

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Raising the bund of Kuruvalli tank.	1,300	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 633, dated 6th October 1891.
Repairing Pedda Hothur tank ...	600	
Deepening the supply channel of Alúr tank.	1,300	

	Rs.	
Local Boards—		
Collecting metal on the side of road from Alúr to Moodangira.	9,267	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 2669-L., dated 28th October 1891.
Repairing the road from Madhavaram *viâ* Adóni to Aspari.	10,834	
Repairing the road from Adóni to Alúr	13,518	
Repairing Nuncherla Railway feeder road.	5,406	
Repairing Buntanhal Railway feeder road.	4,504	
Repairing main road to Arikera ...	1,803	
Repairing Aspari Railway feeder road.	1,803	
Repairing Bellary *viâ* Moka to Kurnool frontier.	43,242	

Adoni Taluk.

Omissions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing the bund of Yenagabal tank.	1,500	Repaired by Tank Restoration party.
Repairing Balasaldoddi tank ...	4,000	
Gravelling the bund of Chinna Tumbalam tank	1,000	
Repairing the bund of Halaharvy tank.	1,454	Repairs completed—*vide* Executive Engineer's list A. received with No. 3882, dated 14th November 1891.
Local Boards—		
Collection of stone for abutment of a large bridge near Madhavaram.	12,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stone for abutment of a small bridge near Naranapuram.	4,000	
Collection of stone for abutment of a small bridge near Halvy.	4,000	
Collection of stone for abutment of a small bridge near Nandavaram.	4,000	
Collection of stone for abutment of a small bridge near Halaharvy.	4,000	

Additions.

Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Madhavaram, *viâ* Adóni to Aspari.	50,965	Estimates returned with G.O., No. 2669, dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from Halvy-Kosagi road.	23,116	
Collection of metal on the side of main road to Kowtalam.	12,355	
Repairing road from Yemmiganur to Kosagi.	32,433	
Repairing road from Kuppgal Railway feeder road.	3,603	
Municipality—		
Sinking a well near Kowtalpett ...	4,574	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 1916-L., dated 3rd November 1891.

3. Some of these omissions and additions having taken place subsequent to the despatch of my letter No. 1398, dated 16th November 1891. Indexed, to the Board, the figures in it require alteration to the extent noted below.

		RS.
Total cost of works of Revenue Department as given in the above letter	1,98,392 1,440	
		1,99,832
Deduct the amount excluded for reasons noted below *		31,874
		1,67,958
Add to this the amount particularized below †		62,645
		2,30,603
	RS.	
Total of Municipalities as given in the above index...	1,16,574 75,373	
		1,91,947
Deduct as particularized below—		
Municipal Council, Bellary, withdraws the following works—		
Clearance of prickly-pear	16,875	
Extending the street drains	5,625	
Deepening and clearing Bellary tank.	22,500	
	45,000	
		1,46,947

4. There is no change in the amounts of estimates of the Local Fund and Forest Departments.

* *Ráyadrug Taluk.*

	RS.	RS.
Chikkanvadir tank—		
Estimated by Revenue Department	9,250	
Do. Public Works Department	9,230	
		— 20

Alúr Taluk.

Constructing a tank at Nitravatti. Necessary repairs having been proposed by the Public Works Department and estimate prepared accordingly by them for Rs. 1,530, this is unnecessary	21,900

Adóni Taluk.

Repairing the bund of Halaharvy tank. This work is completed	1,454
Repairing Mandigiri tank for reasons given against Nittravatti tank..	8,500
	31,874

†*Bellary Taluk.*

Constructing a weir to Gandiganur tank. Estimate prepared and passed by Public Works Department—*vide* Superintending Engineer's No. 2337, dated 25th November 1891		1,545
Repairing the tank at Dhanaikankery—		
Estimate by Revenue Department	1,000	
Do. Public Works Department	1,508	
		+ 508
Repairing Byalkundi tank—		
Estimate by Revenue Department	1,500	
Do. Public Works Department	2,126	
		+ 626
Original work of Byalkundi tank—		
Estimated by Public Works Department		1,320
Toorla channel		24,131
Ramasagaram channel		32,900

Harpanahalli Taluk.

Clearing bushes, &c., Neelagunda tank	680

Bellary Taluk.

Repairing the supply channel and strengthening the bund of Kurugodu tank—		
Estimate by Revenue Department	1,300	
Altered by Public Works Department when sent for check	1,405	
		+ 105

Harpanahalli Taluk.

Repairing the Matharikotta tank—	
Estimated by Public Works Department	830
	62,645

5. The figures according to the above explanation stand as follows :—

	As given in letter No. 1398, 16th Nov. 1891.	As revised.
	RS.	RS.
Revenue Department	1,99,832	2,30,603
Forest do.	2,93,635	2,93,635
Local Fund	21,78,747	21,78,747
Municipal	1,91,947	1,46,947
Total ...	28,64,161	28,49,932

Thus the grand total for the district in all departments is Rs. 28,49,932 as revised, showing a decrease of Rs. 14,229.

Read—the following letter from R. SEWELL, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated 12th December 1891, Index No. 1514:—

With reference to the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, Mis. No. 6999, dated 4th December 1891, I have the honour to report that the printed list of works therein referred to has been forwarded with my letter No. 1476 (Indexed), dated 5th instant. The particulars of variations are given in the body of the above letter, from which it will be observed that the cost of works for which estimates are not ready is Rs. 2,69,500 as particularized below :—

—	Irrigation works.			
	Revenue Department.	Local Boards.	Municipality.	Forest.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Bellary taluk	..	56,000	..	..
Ráyadrug	..	75,000	..	..
Hospet taluk	2,000	44,000	..	..
Kúdligi	..	16,000	..	..
Hadagalli	..	20,500	..	..
Harpanahalli	..	4,000	..	..
Alúr taluk	..	24,000	..	..
Adóni	..	28,000	..	..
Total ..	2,000	2,67,500	..	..

2. The Tahsildars have been directed to propose and submit estimates for more irrigation works.

Read—the following letter from R. SEWELL, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated Bellary, 17th December 1891, Ref. on No. 5506 :—

Referring to the printed list of famine relief works of this district, I have the honour to state that the marginally-noted irrigation works of Alúr taluk are reported by the Divisional officer not to be sufficiently remunerative to justify the expense that would be incurred in putting them in order, and I therefore request the Board's permission to strike them off the list of famine works.

1. Putting in order the Summatagiri ruined tank.
2. Putting in order Chikkahyati tank.
3. Improving the bund of Hirahyati tank.
4. Do. tank at Niraniki.

Resolution—dated 29th December 1891, No. 830.

With the letter first read above, the Collector of Bellary submits a revised programme of famine relief works for 1891–92 for each taluk in his district for which detailed estimates are ready.

In the second letter he reports the probable cost of the works for which detailed estimates are not ready. These lists will be submitted for the information of Government in continuation of those forwarded with Board's Proceedings, No. 430, dated 17th July last. The Collector adds explanatory notes showing why it has been found necessary to add or omit works mentioned in his former lists. The four works alluded to in the third letter read above as well as the Billehal and Nitharath tanks in Alúr, which are not considered suitable, have been struck off the lists.

2. The following abstract shows the provision made under each major and minor head in each taluk :—

Taluks.	Revenue Department costing		Forest Department costing		Local Board costing	
	Rs. 5,000 or more.	Less than Rs. 5,000.	Rs. 5,000 or more.	Less than Rs. 5,000.	Rs. 5,000 or more.	Less than Rs. 5,000.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Adóni	..	5,620	..	..	2,90,202	19,994
Alúr	..	3,200	..	..	2,53,447	24,017
Bellary	5,620	9,447	28,195	2,957	2,64,506	32,007
Ráyadrug	9,230	3,180	..	3,168	2,18,531	15,101
Kudligi	5,300	7,592	74,554	..	2,86,908	9,781
Hospet	94,411	20,624	1,17,216	4,374	1,97,224	35,520
Hadagali	35,000	6,000	23,655	8,258	2,75,230	3,602
Harpanahalli	..	11,196	31,258	..	2,49,587	3,090
Total ..	1,49,561	66,859	2,74,878	18,757	20,35,635	1,43,112

Taluks.	Municipal costing		Total cost of works for which estimates are		Total.
	Rs. 5,000 or more.	Less than Rs. 5,000.	Ready.	Not ready.	
	8	9	10	11	12
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Adóni	10,500	34,074	3,60,390	28,000	3,88,390
Alúr	..	..	2,80,664	24,000	3,04,664
Bellary	89,873	12,500	4,45,105	56,000	5,01,105
Ráyadrug	..	..	2,49,210	75,000	3,24,210
Kudligi	..	..	3,84,135	16,000	4,00,135
Hospet	..	..	4,69,369	46,000	5,15,369
Hadagali	..	..	3,51,745	20,500	3,72,245
Harpanahalli	..	..	2,95,131	4,000	2,99,131
Total ..	1,00,373	46,574	28,35,749	2,69,500	31,03,249

3. Detailed estimates are ready for works to cost Rs. 28,35,749, a sum sufficient to provide work for one year to 6·85 per cent. of the population of the district excluding Sandur, and that other works to cost Rs. 2,69,500 can be estimated for if required.

4. The Collector will be requested to send two spare copies of the printed lists for the use of the Board.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) P. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, with a printed list.
Copy to the Collector of Bellary.

Read—also Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 4th January 1892, Mis. No. 16.

Abstract.—Stating that all the famine relief works referred to by the Collector of Bellary should be struck off the list except certain numbers, and remarking on the retention of certain works of an unprofitable nature in the famine works programme.

Order—dated 12th January 1892, No. 38, Revenue.

Miscellaneous.

It is not sufficient for Collectors merely to submit long lists of works which are suitable for purposes of relief; paragraph 35 of the code requires that, as soon as it is apparent that scarcity is deepening into famine, Collectors of affected districts should submit to Government a special report furnishing particulars as to the numbers likely to require relief, recommending the opening of such works selected from the programme of the district as may appear necessary and applying for such funds as may be required. This procedure has not hitherto been followed and consequently there has been doubt as to what works should be classed as "famine relief works" and what expenditure has been authorised. The proper course is for Collectors to make a selection from the district list of works suitable for famine relief to meet the requirements of each taluk for such period as distress is likely to continue in each and with reference to the numbers likely to require employment and to obtain sanction for starting the works so selected as occasion arises. No works other than those approved by Government should be treated as relief works without special sanction and only those works to which the provisions of the Famine Code in respect of tasks, wages, &c., are applied should be so classed. The labourers employed on the ordinary irrigation and Local Fund works should not be included in the numbers on relief works. Application should also be made for grants for works and gratuitous relief and timely measures should be taken to obtain supplemental allotments before funds are exhausted.

2. The Commissioner of Settlement will issue the necessary instructions to the Collectors of districts* classed as distressed for early compliance with paragraph 35 of the code.

* *Vide* G.O., No. 37, dated 12th January 1892.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture).

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Famine relief works.

Passing orders on Board's Proceedings submitting a revised programme of — for 1891-92 for each taluk in Bellary district.

No. 347 dt. 4th Febuary 1892.

Communicated to officers of the Public Works Department Concerned for information and guidance

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With Order

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 29th December 1891, No. 830 :—

MR. CLOGSTOUN.

Read—the following letter from R. SEWELL, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated Bellary, 3rd December 1891, Index No. 1476 :—

In continuation of my letter No. 1398 (Indexed), dated 16th November 1891, I have the honour to forward a printed list of works in each taluk and under each Department, for which detailed estimates are ready.

2. The omissions, alterations and additions as compared with the list forwarded to Government with Board's Proceedings, No. 430, dated 17th July 1891, are noted below. The works against which no entry is made in column headed "Amount of original estimate" are all additions :—

BELLARY TALUK.

Omissions.

	RS.	*Reasons.*
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the road side from Bellary to Aspari.	40,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stones for the abutment of three bridges between Bellary and Siruguppa.	12,000	
Collection of stones for the abutment of three bridges between Moka and Halaharvi.	4,000	
Municipality—		
Deepening and clearing Bellary tank.	22,500	Municipal Council removed this work from the list (*vide* Chairman's letter, No. 4118, dated 19th November 1891).

Alteration.

Local Boards.

	RS.	*Proposed in its place.*
Original work—		
Construction of road from Siruguppa to Yemmiganúr *viâ* Kuragodu.	10,000	Collection of gravel and metal from Yemmiganúr to Kuragagodu, 18,018.

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Constructing a weir to Gundiganur tank.	1,545	Estimate prepared and sanctioned, Superintending Engineer's No. 2337, dated 25th November 1891.

	Rs.	
Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall—		
Bellary reserve	16,262	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 6600, 16th November 1891.
Minchery reserve	11,933	
Tornagal „	2,957	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal from Bellary to Kurnool *viâ* Moka.	17,760	
Collection of gravel, Bellary to Sovenahally.	4,455	
Collection of gravel, Bellary to Sirugguppa.	9,009	
Collection of gravel, Bellary to Mysore frontier.	3,603	
Collection of metal, Bellary to Rapanagudi.	18,532	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 2669-L, dated 28th October 1891.
Repair of road from junction of Joladarasi to Anantapur.	5,406	
Repairing Veerapur Railway feeder road.	3,604	
Repairing Kudutani Railway feeder road.	2,700	
Repairing Hagari Railway feeder road.	1,803	
Repairing Nittur-Tekkalakota road...	1,803	
Repairing Sirugappa-Adóni road ...	9,009	
Municipality—		
Sinking new wells	5,000	Estimates returned with G.O., No. 1887, dated 29th October 1891.
Sinking well and constructing tank house and laying pipes and hydrant in connection with drainage.	20,000	
Improving Katiguddam tank ...	5,000	
Removing silt from Vadrabanda and improving the same.	8,000	
Improving the nulla near the Municipal office.	2,000	Returned with G.O., No. 1887, dated 29th October 1891.
Improving the supply channel of Mainwaring tank.	4,000	
Removing silt from Fort ditch.	2,000	

RAYADRUG TANK.

Omissions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing supply channel of the tank at Settur.	500	The village has been transferred to Anantapur district.
Local Boards—		
Laying a road from Malyam towards Kalyándrúg *viâ* Bellaguppa and Gangavaram.	19,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stones for abutment of a large bridge near Badanhal.	12,000	
Collection of stones for three large bridges over the Chinna Hagari.	36,000	
Collection of stones for two small bridges on the Ráyadrug road.	8,000	

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Strengthening the rear bund of the tank at Srirangapuram.	930	Returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6119, dated 26th October 1891.

	Rs.	
Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall—		
Minchery reserve	3,168	Returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Mysore frontier near Ráyadrúg to Kudair *viâ* Bellaguppa.	54,054	Returned with G.O., Mis No. 2669-L, dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from junction of Kudiar road near Ráyadrúg towards Kalyándrúg to boundary of Ráyadrúg taluk.	21,621	
Collection of metal from Ráyadrúg to Kanekal.	27,800	
Collection of metal from Ráyadrug to Yeradakera.	23,166	
Repairing road, Bellary *viâ* Bommanahali to Kalyándrúg frontier.	45,045	
Repairing road, Bellary to Ráyadrúg.	37,836	

HOSPET TALUK.

Omissions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing the tank at Papinaikanahally.	500	Estimates have not yet been received from Tahsildar.
Raising the bund of the tank at Vaddigiri.	1,000	
Repairing the tank at Malpanagudi.	500	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal for the abutment of a small bridge near Kampli.	4,000	Estimates have not been received.
Do. large bridge near Ittigi.	12,000	
Do. do. near Gowripuram.	12,000	
Do. do. near Yettinabathi.	12,000	
Do. do. near Timmalapuram.	4,000	

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Byalakundi tank	1,320	Estimates ready, Superintending Engineer's No. 2263, dated 11th November 1891.
Ioorta channel	24,131	Estimates ready, Superintending Engineer's No. 2316, dated 23rd November 1891.
Ramasagar channel	32,900	
Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall, Bellary reserve.	7,392	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Building a dry masonry wall, Tornagal reserve.	4,224	
Building a dry masonry wall, Sivapuram reserve.	5,069	
Building a dry masonry wall, Bundri reserve.	12,672	
Building a dry masonry wall, Sándúr leased forests and the adjoining reserves.	92,083	
Estimates for constructing a well near Joga.	150	

	RS.	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Gowripur to Kúdligi.	*16,389*	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th December 1891 (G.O., Mis. No. 2669-L.), dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from Hospet to Husur.	*6,177*	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Mariyemmanahally to Ballahoonsi.	*10,811*	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Tornagal to Yettinhatty.	*10,811*	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Hospet to Kalhalli.	9,267	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Devalapur to Kamalapur.	18,532	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Kamalapur to Hampi.	3,860	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Kampli to Muddapur.	3,188	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Budrasettibunda to Hampi.	3,860	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Gowripur-Hospet to Bellary.	54,054	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Gowripur to Duggavatty.	10,825	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Kudatani to Kampli.	25,224	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Hospet Railway Feeder road.	1,803	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Chitwadigi Feeder road.	1,803	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Hirekanavi to Chitwadigi.	3,603	
Repairing road from Sovenahally *viâ* Hospet to Jambonatham.	3,603	

KUDLIGI TALUK.

Omissions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing the calingula and sluice of the tank at Gundenhola.	400	Sanctioned out of allotment for minor irrigation works, 1891–92 and 1892–93
Constructing a dam to the supply channel of the tank at Saslavada.	470	Completed in 1886–87.
Repairing the calingula of the tank at Kottur.	1,500	Repaired by the Public Works Department.
Local Boards—		
Collection of stones for the abutment of a large bridge near Kottur.	12,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stones for the abutment of a bridge.	4,000	

Additions.

Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall, Sunkadcal reserve.	17,741	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Building a dry masonry wall, Chiribi reserve.	8,448	
Building a dry masonry wall, Sivapuram reserve.	9,082	
Building a dry masonry wall, Gollalingamanahalli, reserve.	9,293	
Building a dry masonry wall, Tummorguddi reserve.	11,405	
Building a dry masonry wall, Bundri reserve.	8,448	
Building a dry masonry wall, Somalapuram reserve.	10,137	

	RS.	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal, Oojini to Sovenahally.	26,719	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 2669-C., dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal, Kúdligi to Gudikota.	30,888	
Collection of metal, Kúdligi to Harpanahalli *viâ* Kottur.	18,532	
Collection of gravel, Kúdligi to Oojini.	21,621	
Collection of metal and gravel from Chornoor to Heraihal.	32,433	
Collection of metal and gravel from Gudaikota to Hosahalli.	36,036	
Collection of metal, Kúdligi to Hosahalli.	34,233	
Repairing road from Kúdligi to Gowripur.	23,424	
Repairing road from Kúdligi to Chornoor.	18,018	
Collection of metal, Kúdligi to Somalapur.	18,532	

HADAGALLI TALUK.

Omissions.

Irrigation works—		
Completing the famine tank at Timmalapuram.	3,000	Made over to Sreenivasa Row for private enterprize.
Repairing Hondam at Holal ...	500	Estimate not received. It is a Local Fund and not irrigation work.
Local Boards—		
Collection of stones for the abutment of 2 bridges near Hampasagaram.	8,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stones for the abutment of 2 bridges near Bannikal.	4,000	
Collection of stones for the abutment of 2 bridges near Hirahadagally.	4,000	
Collection of stones for the abutment of 2 bridges near Hampapatnam.	4,000	

Additions.

Forest works—		
Building a masonry wall, Sivapuram reserve.	3,612	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Building a masonry wall, Harada reserve.	23,655	
Building a masonry wall, Soji reserve.	4,616	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Sovenahally to Bellary *viâ* Hampasagar, Gowripur and Hospet.	37,065	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 2669-L., dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from Mylar to Hadagalli.	35,521	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Hadagalli to Magalam.	10,811	
Collection of metal on the side of road from Hadagalli to Mundrigi.	10,811	
Repairing road from Gowripur to Duggavatti.	41,442	
Repairing road from Tambrahalli to Hadagalli.	30,630	
Repairing road from Harpanahalli to Hampasagar.	29,728	
Repairing road from Oojini *viâ* Kottur to Sovenahally.	36,937	
Repairing road from Hirahadagalli to Magalam.	12,612	

Harpanahalli Taluk.

Omissions.

	Rs.	
Local Boards—		
Collection of stones for abutment of small bridge between Bagali and Maslavada.	4,000	Estimate has not been received.

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing the revetment, calingula, &c., of Nichapur tank.	3,320	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 633, dated 6th October 1891.
Repairing the Vaddinadadapuram tank.	785	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 641, dated 8th October 1891.
Clearing bushes, &c., Neelagunda tank.	680	Estimates ready, Superintending Engineer's No. 2265, dated 17th November 1891.
Repairing Matharakatta tank ...	830	Executive Engineer's No. 4136, dated 26th November 1891.
Forest works—		
Building a dry masonry wall, Harada reserve.	21,543	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 6600, dated 16th November 1891.
Building a dry masonry wall, Soji reserve.	9,715	
Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Duggavatti *viâ* Harpanahalli to Gowripur.	43,243	Estimates returned with G.O., No. 2669, dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from Harpanahalli to Hampasagar.	18,531	
Collection of gravel and metal from Arsikera to Oochangidrug.	21,621	
Collection of gravel and metal from Harpanahalli to Holal.	28,828	
Repairing road from Kúdligi *viâ* Kottur to Harpanahalli.	30,630	
Repairing road from Harpanahalli to Arsikera.	18,018	

Alur Taluk.

Omissions.

Local Boards—		
Collection of stone for the abutment of a large bridge near Santekudlur.	12,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of three small bridges between Alúr and Chippagiri.	12,000	

Additions.

Irrigation works—		
Raising the bund of Kuruvalli tank.	1,300	Estimates returned with Board's Proceedings, No. 633, dated 6th October 1891.
Repairing Pedda Hothur tank ...	600	
Deepening the supply channel of Alúr tank.	1,300	

	Rs.	
Local Boards—		
Collecting metal on the side of road from Alúr to Moodangira.	9,267	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 2669-L., dated 28th October 1891.
Repairing the road from Madhavaram *viâ* Adóni to Aspari.	10,834	
Repairing the road from Adóni to Alúr	13,518	
Repairing Nuncherla Railway feeder road.	5,406	
Repairing Buntanhal Railway feeder road.	4,504	
Repairing main road to Arikera ...	1,803	
Repairing Aspari Railway feeder road.	1,803	
Repairing Bellary *viâ* Moka to Kurnool frontier.	43,242	

Adoni Taluk.

Omissions.

Irrigation works—		
Repairing the bund of Yenagabal tank.	1,500	Repaired by Tank Restoration party.
Repairing Balasaldoddi tank ...	4,000	
Gravelling the bund of Chinna Tumbalam tank	1,000	
Repairing the bund of Halaharvy tank.	1,454	Repairs completed—*vide* Executive Engineer's list A. received with No. 3882, dated 14th November 1891.
Local Boards—		
Collection of stone for abutment of a large bridge near Madhavaram.	12,000	Estimates have not been received.
Collection of stone for abutment of a small bridge near Naranapuram.	4,000	
Collection of stone for abutment of a small bridge near Halvy.	4,000	
Collection of stone for abutment of a small bridge near Nandavaram.	4,000	
Collection of stone for abutment of a small bridge near Halaharvy.	4,000	

Additions.

Local Boards—		
Collection of metal on the side of road from Madhavaram, *viâ* Adóni to Aspari.	50,965	Estimates returned with G.O., No. 2669, dated 28th October 1891.
Collection of metal on the side of road from Halvy-Kosagi road.	23,116	
Collection of metal on the side of main road to Kowtalam.	12,355	
Repairing road from Yemmiganur to Kosagi.	32,433	
Repairing road from Kuppgal Railway feeder road.	3,603	
Municipality—		
Sinking a well near Kowtalpett ...	4,574	Estimates returned with G.O., Mis. No. 1916-L., dated 3rd November 1891.

3. Some of these omissions and additions having taken place subsequent to the despatch of my letter No. 1398, dated 16th November 1891. Indexed, to the Board, the figures in it require alteration to the extent noted below.

		RS.
Total cost of works of Revenue Department as given in the above letter	1,98,392 1,440	
		1,99,832
Deduct the amount excluded for reasons noted below *		31,874
		1,67,958
Add to this the amount particularized below †		62,645
		2,30,603

	RS.	
Total of Municipalities as given in the above index...	1,16,574 75,373	
		1,91,947
Deduct as particularized below—		
Municipal Council, Bellary, withdraws the following works—		
Clearance of prickly-pear	16,875	
Extending the street drains	5,625	
Deepening and clearing Bellary tank.	22,500	
	45,000	
		1,46,947

4. There is no change in the amounts of estimates of the Local Fund and Forest Departments.

* *Ráyadrug Taluk.*

	RS.	RS.
Chikkanvadir tank—		
Estimated by Revenue Department	9,250	
Do. Public Works Department	9,230	
		— 20

Alúr Taluk.

Constructing a tank at Nitravatti. Necessary repairs having been proposed by the Public Works Department and estimate prepared accordingly by them for Rs. 1,530, this is unnecessary	21,900

Adóni Taluk.

Repairing the bund of Halaharvy tank. This work is completed	1,454
Repairing Mandigiri tank for reasons given against Nittravatti tank	8,500
	31,874

†*Bellary Taluk.*

Constructing a weir to Gandiganur tank. Estimate prepared and passed by Public Works Department—*vide* Superintending Engineer's No. 2337, dated 25th November 1891		1,545
Repairing the tank at Dhanaikankery—		
Estimate by Revenue Department	1,000	
Do. Public Works Department	1,508	
		+ 508
Repairing Byalkundi tank—		
Estimate by Revenue Department	1,500	
Do. Public Works Department	2,126	
		+ 626
Original work of Byalkundi tank—		
Estimated by Public Works Department		1,320
Toorla channel		24,131
Ramasagaram channel		32,900

Harpanahalli Taluk.

Clearing bushes, &c., Neelagunda tank	680

Bellary Taluk.

Repairing the supply channel and strengthening the bund of Kurugodu tank—		
Estimate by Revenue Department	1,300	
Altered by Public Works Department when sent for check	1,405	
		+ 105

Harpanahalli Taluk.

Repairing the Matharikotta tank—	
Estimated by Public Works Department	830
	62,645

5. The figures according to the above explanation stand as follows :—

	As given in letter No. 1398, 16th Nov. 1891.	As revised.
	RS.	RS.
Revenue Department	1,99,832	2,30,603
Forest do.	2,93,635	2,93,635
Local Fund	21,78,747	21,78,747
Municipal	1,91,947	1,46,947
Total ...	28,64,161	28,49,932

Thus the grand total for the district in all departments is Rs. 28,49,932 as revised, showing a decrease of Rs. 14,229.

Read—the following letter from R. SEWELL, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated 12th December 1891, Index No. 1514:—

With reference to the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, Mis. No. 6999, dated 4th December 1891, I have the honour to report that the printed list of works therein referred to has been forwarded with my letter No. 1476 (Indexed), dated 5th instant. The particulars of variations are given in the body of the above letter, from which it will be observed that the cost of works for which estimates are not ready is Rs. 2,69,500 as particularized below :—

	Irrigation works.			
	Revenue Department.	Local Boards.	Municipality.	Forest.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Bellary taluk	..	56,000	..	..
Ráyadrug	..	75,000	..	..
Hospet taluk	2,000	44,000	..	..
Kúdligi	..	16,000	..	..
Hadagalli	..	20,500	..	..
Harpanahalli	..	4,000	..	..
Alúr taluk	..	24,000	..	..
Adóni	..	28,000	..	..
Total ..	2,000	2,67,500	..	..

2. The Tahsildars have been directed to propose and submit estimates for more irrigation works.

Read—the following letter from R. SEWELL, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated Bellary, 17th December 1891, Ref. on No. 5506 :—

Referring to the printed list of famine relief works of this district, I have the honour to state that the marginally-noted irrigation works of Alúr taluk are reported by the Divisional officer not to be sufficiently remunerative to justify the expense that would be incurred in putting them in order, and I therefore request the Board's permission to strike them off the list of famine works.

1. Putting in order the Summatagiri ruined tank.
2. Putting in order Chikkahyati tank.
3. Improving the bund of Hirahyati tank.
4. Do. tank at Niraniki.

Resolution—dated 29th December 1891, No. 830.

With the letter first read above, the Collector of Bellary submits a revised programme of famine relief works for 1891–92 for each taluk in his district for which detailed estimates are ready.

In the second letter he reports the probable cost of the works for which detailed estimates are not ready. These lists will be submitted for the information of Government in continuation of those forwarded with Board's Proceedings, No. 430, dated 17th July last. The Collector adds explanatory notes showing why it has been found necessary to add or omit works mentioned in his former lists. The four works alluded to in the third letter read above as well as the Billehal and Nitharath tanks in Alúr, which are not considered suitable, have been struck off the lists.

2. The following abstract shows the provision made under each major and minor head in each taluk :—

Taluks.	Revenue Department costing		Forest Department costing		Local Board costing	
	Rs. 5,000 or more.	Less than Rs. 5,000.	Rs. 5,000 or more.	Less than Rs. 5,000.	Rs. 5,000 or more.	Less than Rs. 5,000.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Adóni	..	5,620	..	..	2,90,202	19,994
Alúr	..	3,200	..	..	2,53,447	24,017
Bellary	5,620	9,447	28,195	2,957	2,64,506	32,007
Ráyadrug	9,230	3,180	..	3,168	2,18,531	15,101
Kudligi	5,300	7,592	74,554	..	2,86,908	9,781
Hospet	94,411	20,624	1,17,216	4,374	1,97,224	35,520
Hadagali	35,000	6,000	23,655	8,258	2,75,230	3,602
Harpanahalli	..	11,196	31,258	..	2,49,587	3,090
Total ..	1,49,561	66,859	2,74,878	18,757	20,35,635	1,43,112

Taluks.	Municipal costing		Total cost of works for which estimates are		Total.
	Rs. 5,000 or more.	Less than Rs. 5,000.	Ready.	Not ready.	
	8	9	10	11	12
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Adóni	10,500	34,074	3,60,390	28,000	3,88,390
Alúr	..	..	2,80,664	24,000	3,04,664
Bellary	89,873	12,500	4,45,105	56,000	5,01,105
Ráyadrug	..	..	2,49,210	75,000	3,24,210
Kudligi	..	..	3,84,135	16,000	4,00,135
Hospet	..	..	4,69,369	46,000	5,15,369
Hadagali	..	..	3,51,745	20,500	3,72,245
Harpanahalli	..	..	2,95,131	4,000	2,99,131
Total ..	1,00,373	46,574	28,35,749	2,69,500	31,03,249

3. Detailed estimates are ready for works to cost Rs. 28,35,749, a sum sufficient to provide work for one year to 6·85 per cent. of the population of the district excluding Sandur, and that other works to cost Rs. 2,69,500 can be estimated for if required.

4. The Collector will be requested to send two spare copies of the printed lists for the use of the Board.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) P. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, with a printed list.
Copy to the Collector of Bellary.

READ—also Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 4th January 1892, Mis. No. 16.

ABSTRACT.—Stating that all the famine relief works referred to by the Collector of Bellary should be struck off the list except certain numbers, and remarking on the retention of certain works of an unprofitable nature in the famine works programme.

ORDER—dated 12th January 1892, No. 38, Revenue.

Miscellaneous.

It is not sufficient for Collectors merely to submit long lists of works which are suitable for purposes of relief; paragraph 35 of the code requires that, as soon as it is apparent that scarcity is deepening into famine, Collectors of affected districts should submit to Government a special report furnishing particulars as to the numbers likely to require relief, recommending the opening of such works selected from the programme of the district as may appear necessary and applying for such funds as may be required. This procedure has not hitherto been followed and consequently there has been doubt as to what works should be classed as "famine relief works" and what expenditure has been authorised. The proper course is for Collectors to make a selection from the district list of works suitable for famine relief to meet the requirements of each taluk for such period as distress is likely to continue in each and with reference to the numbers likely to require employment and to obtain sanction for starting the works so selected as occasion arises. No works other than those approved by Government should be treated as relief works without special sanction and only those works to which the provisions of the Famine Code in respect of tasks, wages, &c., are applied should be so classed. The labourers employed on the ordinary irrigation and Local Fund works should not be included in the numbers on relief works. Application should also be made for grants for works and gratuitous relief and timely measures should be taken to obtain supplemental allotments before funds are exhausted.

2. The Commissioner of Settlement will issue the necessary instructions to the Collectors of districts * classed as distressed for early compliance with paragraph 35 of the code.

* *Vide* G.O., No. 37, dated 12th January 1892.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture).

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JANUARY.

Famine relief works.

Passing orders on Board's Proceedings submitting a revised programme of — for 1891-92 for each taluk in Bellary district.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 22nd January 1892, No. 47 :—

MR. CLOGSTOUN.

Read—the following letter from W. J. H. LE FANU, Esq., Collector of North Arcot, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture, dated Arkónam, 12th January 1892, No. 3-Camp :—

With reference to paragraph 8 of the Board's Proceedings, No. 817, dated the 18th December 1891, I have the honour to submit the following report on the agricultural prospects in Punganúr.

I have already reported how the rainfall from April up to end of November 1891 was extremely deficient, being only 12·88 inches against an average of 25·37 due for the same period, and how even this rainfall, except 4·80 inches of rain which fell in October, was useless for wet cultivation ; and how the tank supply is insufficient to bring the existing crops to maturity. The December rainfall amounted to 1·35 inches which was collected on five days as shown in the margin, and it was insufficient to augment the supply in tanks anywhere in the zemindari. Writing on the 2nd January 1892, the Special Deputy Collector reports that most of the tanks on the western and southern sides contain no water or an insufficient quantity. This was the condition in which I found them at the close of November.

		INCH.
1st December	... ...	0·20
13th "	... ...	0·10
14th "	... ...	0·10
20th "	... ...	0·35
21st "	... .	0·40
	Total ...	1·35

2. Figures of holdings and cultivation have been since obtained, which are exhibited in the subjoined abstract, which compares the statistics for the past four faslis :—

Fasli.	Wet holdings.		Wet cultivation.	
	Extent.	Assessment.	Extent.	Assessment.
	ACS.	RS.	ACS.	RS.
1298	13,636	66,416	8,886	45,598
1299	12,542	62,840	8,253	43,168
1300	13,535	72,473	6,476	33,690
1301	13,535	72,473	2,697	14,492

The above figures represent only ayan lands. They have to be doubled to include inams, for which no statistics are available. Thus, it will be seen that the wet cultivation has been on the decrease for the past three years, and that in this fasli it is extremely backward, being only about a fifth of the total holdings. The crops on nearly one-half of the cultivated area are reported to have withered already or to be expected to wither soon ; and the outturn on the remainder is estimated to range between 4 and 12 annas. The recent rains have enabled the ryots to plough some wet lands for raising dry crops, but the extent so brought under cultivation will not be considerable.

3. The extent of dry cultivation is not much less than usual as the following comparative statement will show :—

HOLDINGS.		CULTIVATION.		
Acres.	Assessment.	Fasli.	Acres.	Assessment.
	RS.			RS.
50,859	63,129	1298	26,603	38,462
		1299	25,104	36,192
		1300	28,306	40,264
		1301	26,561	36,277

It was not possible to begin dry cultivation in most parts until the middle of August, and the ragi and cumbu suffered from the drought of September and November, with the result that the principal food-crop of the country has almost wholly failed.

4. The cultivated area under ayan, both dry and wet, amounts to 29,258 acres, for which *correct* cropwar details are not available, but the zemindari officials have furnished the following particulars, which may be regarded as fairly accurate :—

Crops.	Cultivated area.	HARVESTED AREA.				Area on which crops entirely failed.	Total of harvest or shavi.
		16 annas.	12 annas.	8 annas.	4 annas.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	ACS.		ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.
Paddy	2,000	..	20	30	..	1,700	1,750
Ragi	12,000	..	100	200	200	9,000	9,500
Cholum	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cumbu	4,000	..	200	500	500	2,800	4,000
Others	11,258	..	..	..	..	4,000	4,000
Total ..	29,258	..	320	730	700	17,500	19,250

Crops.	STANDING CROPS AND ESTIMATED AREA.					Total standing crops.
	16 annas.	12 annas.	8 annas.	4 annas.	Expected shavi.	
	9	10	11	12	13	14
		ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.
Paddy	..	50	100	..	100	250
Ragi	..	..	500	1,000	1,000	2,500
Cholum	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cumbu	..	..	..	..	..	..
Others	..	30	400	1,000	4,678	5,508
Total ..	..	80	500	1,000	5,678	7,258
	..	180	1,100	2,000	6,778	10,008

The above figures are, no doubt, given in round numbers, but I do not consider that the estimate framed of the outturn is unduly low. To include inams, these figures must be doubled. I have, however, asked the Special Deputy Collector to verify, as far as possible, the figures relating to the extent on which crops have failed or are expected to fail. At any rate from what I have personally seen and from the reports already received from the Special Deputy Collector, it may be safely said that much of the principal food-crop has been lost. Ragi has been harvested in some parts and the whole of the cumbu has been either harvested or entirely failed. The principal standing crops are horse-gram, dholl, and other pulses and rape-seed. These have been benefited by the rains of December, which saved them from utter destruction to which they were doomed by the break in the weather which prevailed in November.

5. Owing to failure of food-crops, prices have risen very high. Rice sells at 7·99 Imperial measures per rupee and ragi at 13·44 measures. The people who live by cooly complain of high prices which must tell on their constitution sooner or later. Export of ragi has almost ceased, and rice is being imported from Madras and Tanjore. Much of it, however, goes on to Madanapalle.

6. The public health has not yet been affected. Drinking water is procurable for men and cattle, though with some difficulty at Ramasamudram and Punganúr. Though the recent rains have helped the growth of grass to some small extent, people are still anxious to dispose of their draught cattle for fear of further mortality in the ensuing hot weather. The surviving cattle are reported not to have recovered their usual strength, and it is apprehended that many of them will succumb in the hot months. The number that perished from starvation during the past year is estimated at 30,000.

7. Agricultural operations, collection of grass and fuel and maintenance of roads, afford some employment to the labourers. In the southern and western parts agricultural operations are almost at a stand-still, as there is nothing but the harvesting of dry crops to be attended to. There is no more chance of any rain falling, and the prices are not likely to fall for some months to come. In the accompanying rough sketch the portion which is most affected has been marked off from the rest of the zemindari by thick lines of pale ink. It is a tract with Punganúr at its centre, bounded on the east by a line due north and south through Chandepalli, and on the sides by the limits of the zemindari where it touches Cuddapah, Mysore, and Palmanér taluks. The area of this tract is about 300 square miles with a population of 58,793 ; the area and population of the entire zemindari being 648 square miles and 91,852 souls. It is in the above tract, described as most affected, that work ought to be provided for labourers. If the Commissioner signifies his approval, the following works will be started at once as test relief works :—

	RS.
(1) Metalling the road from Punganúr to Chandepalli, estimated cost	6,500
(2) Road from Chandepalli to Kullampalli, *via* Royalpet, estimated cost	15,000
(3) Road from Punganúr to Palmanér-Kólár road, *via* Sankararayelpet, estimated cost	10,020

The last two are old famine roads which are now out of order. It is desirable to restore them. Estimate for No. 2 is under preparation, and the amount entered against it is only approximate. For No. 3, an estimate appears to have been prepared some years ago for Rs. 10,020. It will be revised at once if necessary and the remaining estimates got ready without delay. The first work forms a section of the Punganúr-Kólár road, which it was proposed to metal in 1888 ; but the work has not been pushed on owing to want of rain. The District Board has decided to have it done in three sections, the total estimate being for over Rs. 20,000. Separate estimates for each section have been called for, and two are already ready, one for the portion between Chandepalli and Sadam (Rs. 11,554), and the other for the portion between Sadam and Kólár (Rs. 3,210). The estimate for the other section between Punganúr and Chandepalli which has now to be taken up is under preparation and will be received very shortly. The other two sections can be taken up later on, when relief operations will have to be extended to the eastern parts also. I have also called for an estimate for metalling the road from Punganúr to Ramasamudram which will afford work in the western tract. Other works which have been selected to meet further necessity are :—

	RS.
(1) Road from Chandepalli to Kandur	9,600
(2) Road from Sadam to Kaligiri (this will be a Railway feeder)...	20,000
(3) Road from Samala to Nanjampet	4,500
(4) Road from Sadam to Kandur	18,400

8. The works proposed to be started at first are expected to cost about Rs. 31,520. Assuming that about 2,000 labourers will gather in the first few months, these works

will keep them going for more than four months. Meanwhile if more works are wanted, those on the eastern tract may be gradually opened one by one. The necessity for gratuitous relief may be considered later on.

9. The supervision of the work is an important matter. This is the working season, and the Local Fund Department is fully employed in all directions trying to expend the grant of the year in spite of the failure of rains. I do not think it possible that Mr. Vivian could spare any one for supervision. I would request Government to give me two of the overseers recently employed in Kálahasti zemindari. The men who had charge of the Ragigunta road and the roads near Pennalurpet would be preferred. I would ask for an Engineer if I did not apprehend that Mr. Watson might possibly be sent, and I would prefer to do without any assistance rather than to have to work with that officer again.

10. The Deputy Collector wants an additional establishment for village inspection, drafting coolies to works, establishing kitchens when necessary, &c. The Special Deputy Collector has already in his original charge two taluks and a zemindari with the usual magisterial work and charge of a Taluk Board. The jamabandi is coming on, azmaish has to be made, and I do not think it possible for him to supervise operations in a remote zemindari which would take him entirely away from the Government taluks in his charge. I would ask Government to appoint M.R.Ry. Narayana Aiyar, who has till now been acting as Special Deputy Collector in the Arni division, as Deputy Collector for relief purposes in this tract with supervision over Venkatagirikóta and Kangundi, to which tracts it is possible that distress will extend itself. He ought to have a Deputy Tahsildar or two of the Stock Inspectors from Kálahasti to assist him.

Resolution—dated 22nd January 1892, No. 47.

Submitted for the orders of Government.

2. The Collector of North Arcot in the paper read above reports on the agricultural prospects of the Punganúr zemindari. The unsatisfactory character of the past season in the zemindari has already been brought to the notice of Government—*vide* Board's Proceedings, Nos. 759, 784 and 817, dated 2nd, 9th and 18th December 1891, respectively. The south-west monsoon was light, but in October there was a fair fall of rain at Punganúr. In November, however, there was an almost complete failure of the rains, and though there were some showers during December they were not of any great value agriculturally. Everywhere the tank supply has been insufficient for wet cultivation and most of the tanks are now either dry or contain an insufficient supply. The area of wet land sown this year up to middle of December is only 2,697 acres, or about one-third of the average of the preceding three years, and represents only one-fifth of the total wet holdings, 13,535 acres, whilst the state of the tanks, the majority of which are dry, precludes the hope that any further material extension of wet cultivation is possible. Ninety per cent. of the paddy crop has already or is expected to fail entirely. On the dry land, about the usual area has been cultivated, but on this class of land it is reported that 10,000 out of 12,000 acres of ragi is a total failure and 1,200 acres were very poor, and that out of 4,000 acres of cumbu 2,800 acres have entirely failed and 500 acres more are very poor. Of the other crops raised on the remaining 11,258 acres, 9,678 acres of total failure are estimated and 1,000 acres of poor crop. The standing crops of pulses and oil-seeds have been somewhat benefited by the December rainfall. The estimate of outturn, Mr. LeFanu observes, is given in round figures, but he does not consider that it is unduly low, and though he has asked the Special Deputy Collector to verify, as far as

Rainfall.	Average.	1891.
April to September	15·97	7·48
October	6·44	4·80
November	4·60	·60
December	1·10	1·15
October to December ...	12·14	6·55

possible, the figures relating to the extent on which crops have failed or are expected to fail, he states that from what he has personally seen and from the reports already received from the Special Deputy Collector, it may be safely said that much of the principal food crop has been lost. The Commissioner paid a visit to Punganúr on the 15th instant and held a consultation with the zemindar as to the state of the zemindari. There were but few standing crops to be seen, all the tanks passed on the road between Madanapalle and Punganúr were dry, and the condition of the people, large numbers of whom were seen in Punganúr who had come in from the surrounding villages, left no doubt in the mind of the Commissioner that the zemindari must be suffering from a very serious failure of its crops.

3. Drinking water for men and cattle is still available generally and the recent rain has somewhat improved pasture, but the people are said to be selling off their cattle at low prices in anticipation of the difficulty of feeding them in the ensuing dry weather. The Collector has estimated the losses of cattle in the zemindari at 30,000 head, but this estimate the Board is inclined to consider excessive although there have certainly been severe losses in places.

4. Prices have risen very sharply at Punganúr since October last as shown on the margin, but have since become rather easier, a[illegible]v have generally throughout the N[illegible]ot district, and rice is being [illegible]. Agricultural operations are [illegible] a standstill, although some [illegible]nt of employment for the classes still exists. The latter s, and the Collector considers that f nearly 59,000, is affected and that which lies on the western side of the 2,000 persons will have to be found for commencement. He also names four other road works as suitable for relief if necessity arises. He does not state what the zemindar proposes to undertake for the relief of the people of his zemindari. It is probable that a considerable amount of money might be usefully spent in putting his irrigation works in repair, and the Collector will be requested to urge on him the necessity for undertaking this useful work. If this be done, it is possible that employment will be found for many necessitous persons. The Board considers that work to give employment to the distressed should be commenced on the Punganúr-Chandepalli road and on the road from Punganúr to join the Palmanér-Kolar road, the first and third works mentioned by the Collector. The work should be tasked and wages paid according to the rates prescribed in sections 24 and 185 of the Famine Code. Expenditure on roads should, as required by Government in G.O., dated 7th January 1892, No. 23, Financial Department, communicated in Board's Proceedings, dated 19th idem, No. 605, Mis., be debited to Local Funds in the first instance and passed through the Local Fund accounts, a grant being made from Provincial funds to cover any deficit thus caused.

	Rice.	Ragi.
October	10·34	21·42
November	8·46	18·64
December	7·99	12·76
January 9th	8·93	13 44
Scarcity rates	10·0	13·2

5. It will be necessary, the Commissioner considers, to appoint a Special Deputy Collector for the supervision of relief in the zemindari including the supervision of payments on works. In the event of considerable numbers resorting to the works, and this the Commissioner fears will be the case, it will be necessary to appoint an officer of the Public Works Department for the professional control of the works and the determination and enforcement of tasks. In the first instance, however, the Commissioner considers that the works should be started by the Local Fund Engineer, as has been done in Cuddapah, Bellary, Salem and Kurnool, a special overseer being entertained for each work. A copy of Mr. Stokes' rules drawn up for the control of relief works in Salem and a copy of those drawn up by Mr. Sewell for Bellary are forwarded for the guidance of the Local Fund Engineer. They will be found most useful should the numbers resorting to the works be large.

6. The Stock Inspectors asked for by the Collector are not available, all having been already transferred to other affected districts. The appointment of a Deputy Tahsildar does not seem immediately necessary. To meet the cost of relief in the zemindari, the Commissioner requests that a grant of Rs. 20,000 be made for the present.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) P. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
„ Collector of North Arcot, with copies of rules.
Copy to the Government of India, Revenue and Agricultural Department.

ORDER—dated 4th February 1892, No. 121, Revenue.

Miscellaneous.

The Board's instructions in paragraph 4 are approved.

2. The application for funds will be considered in the Financial Department.

3. A special Deputy Collector will be appointed for relief purposes in the Punganúr zemindari, as recommended by the Board of Revenue in paragraph 5 of its Proceedings. The appointment of a special officer for the professional control of the works and the determination and enforcement of tasks will be considered in the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture.
„ the Financial Department.
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Season, North Arcot.

Approving instructions of the Board of Revenue regarding the kind of works that should be taken up for the relief of the distressed in the Punganúr zemindari, and stating that a special Deputy Collector will be appointed for relief purposes in the zemindari.

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ORDER—dated 19th January 1892, No. 23, Marine.

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MR. CLOGSTOUN.

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Gúdúr	..	5,910	..	8,398	..	..
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Atmakúr	1,78,400	15,172	2,02,450	29,102
Kávali	1,32,000	12,050	1,56,850	8,700
Udayagiri	92,700	13,265	1,26,416	31,351
Ongole	6,07,000	70,333	7,42,955	2,472
Kandukúr	2,75,000	93,600	4,08,250	10,000
Kanigiri	3,33,519	78,329	4,20,860	10,016
Podili division	1,05,500	56,600	1,62,100	4,650
Darsi do.	1,28,300	38,372	1,66,672	5,842
Total ..	26,67,773	5,75,885	35,04,881	2,88,205

3. It will be seen that on civil agency works alone about Rs. 35,04,881 could be spent during the year in case of emergency, a sum that would give employment to 5·25 per cent. of the total population in the district, which was 1,461,881 according to the recent census. It should be observed, however, that the largest portion (Rs. 29,13,505) of the provision made is for road works under the District and Taluk Boards, which it is desirable to execute as famine works only as a last resort. The Collector thinks that the district does not need roads so much now as it did twelve years ago, and that the more pressing requirements seem to be *irrigation* works. The lists in regard to this item under Civil Agency provide for only Rs. 1,08,203, but major works to cost Rs. 7,73,227 have been provided for under Professional Agency. It is not known for how many of these works estimates are ready and how far they could be made available when required. The Board agrees with the Collector in considering that the attention of the Public Works Department should be drawn to the matter, and that as regards the portion of the district situated to the north of the Pennér river it should be called on to state for which of the major irrigation works named by the Collector estimates are ready and on which of the others work could be started at short notice, if necessity should arise, in anticipation of the completion of estimates. It should be stated also whether there are any major irrigation works in need of repair which are not included in the Collector's programme.

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) P. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
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To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
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" Collector of Nellore.
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ORDER—dated 25th January 1892, No. 94, Revenue.

Miscellaneous.

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MR. CLOGSTOUN.

Read—the following letter from C. D. MACLEANE, Esq., Collector of Nellore, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated 21st November 1891, No. 3381-Ver. :—

I have the honour to forward herewith a revised 12-month programme of famine relief works for 1891–92 (enclosure No. 1) drawn up as per the Board's instructions in the marginal Proceedings together with two abstract statements (enclosures 2 and 3).

1. Board's Proceedings, dated 10th August 1891, Mis. No. 4193.
2. Board's Proceedings, dated 1st October 1891, No. 621.
3. Board's Proceedings, dated 8th October 1891, No. 640.
4. Board's Proceedings, dated 22nd October 1891, Mis. No. 6055.

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5. The different lists received from Divisional officers, Presidents of Local Boards, Chairmen of Municipalities and other officers have been exhaustively scrutinized and manipulated by this office.

6. This programme would have been submitted a considerable time ago but for the change mentioned in paragraph 3 above.

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Resolution—dated 11th January 1892, No. 20.

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	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
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Venkatagiri division	..	150	..	..	..	..
Pólúr division	..	..	..	..	..	..
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Kanigiri	..	3,000	..	6,012	..	..
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Darsi do.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	5,000	1,12,191	11,833	53,804	44,030	34,365

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	8	9	10	11
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