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<i>Transfer of a building.</i> —Sanctioning, with remarks, the transfer to the Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles, at a valuation of Rs. 2,900 of the building at Ootacamund now occupied by the Sergeant-Major of the Corps, and returning to the Superintending Engineer the plan and estimate for constructing two new sets of quarters for Secretariat clerks for resubmission with certain required details.	6th Mar., No. 652 W.	...	No. 4447 C. & its file. 8th Feb. 1897, No. 792 C. 11th Dec. 1896, No. 4806 C. 24th Oct. 1896, No. 3706 C. 3rd Sept. 1896, No. 2559 W. 27th Aug. 1896, No. 2495 W. 7th Aug. 1896, No. 1004 D. & file.
<i>Post and Telegraph office.</i> —Letter from the Superintendent of Telegraphs, East Coast Division, reporting that a third-class combined— has been opened at Jeypore in the Vizagapatam district, recorded.	8th Mar., No. 667 W.	...	
<i>Lighthouse.</i> —Estimate of Rs. 113,240 for constructing a— and subsidiary buildings at False Point, Divi, in the Kistna district, sanctioned and the question of providing funds for the work referred to the Financial Department.	8th Mar., No. 670 W.	...	13th Feb. 1897, No. 935 C. 4th Dec. 1896, No. 4589 C. 27th Nov. 1896, No. 3391 W. 2nd May. 1896, No. 1397 W.

1 Subjects.	2 Numbers and Dates of Proceedings.	3 Date of Report to Secretary of State for India.	4 Numbers and Dates of previous Proceedings.
<i>Sea Customs house.</i> —Estimate of Rs. 20,499 for constructing a new— at Vizagapatam, sanctioned, with remarks, for execution when funds are available.	1897. 9th Mar., No. 680 W.	...	5th Jan. 1897, No. 33 C. 20th Aug. 1896, No. 138 W. & file.
<i>Examination Rules.</i> —Proceedings, Educational Department, stating that persons qualified by the Middle school examination, in the first-class or by the General test, who did not hold an appointment on Rs. 15 or above in the superior service on 1st June 1894, are ineligible for promotion to such post, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, and to other Superintending Engineers.	9th Mar., No. 687 W.	...	25th Jan. 1897, No. 486 C.
<i>Sub-Registrar's office.</i> —Estimate of Rs. 3,050 for constructing a— at Madakasira in Anantapur district, sanctioned for execution when funds are available.	9th Mar., No. 690 W.	...	4th Dec. 1896, No. 4610 C. 2nd Nov. 1895, No. 2779 W.
<i>European officers and subordinates.</i> —Government of India circular requesting that, when— of the Public Works Department, are killed or severely wounded by fanatics or others or meet with sudden or violent death in any very exceptional circumstances, particulars of the occurrence may be telegraphed to the office of that Government, communicated to officers of the Public Works Department for guidance.	10th Mar., No. 693 W.	...	.....
<i>Law Court buildings, Madras.</i> —Government of India letter sanctioning the rent payable by the proprietors of the Scottish Press for the premises occupied by them in the— being fixed at the reduced rate of Rs. 130 per menssem, and stating that the general question of extended powers for Local Governments in connection with the existing rent rules is under the consideration of the Government of India, communicated to officers concerned.	10th Mar., No. 694 W.	...	20th Jan. 1897, Nos. 171-72 W. 14th Dec. 1896, No. 4843 C. 14th Oct. 1896, No. 3579 C. 15th Aug. 1894, No. 2027 W.
<i>Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. Smart, R.E.</i> —Sanctioning, with remarks, Lieutenant-Colonel Smart's request to be permitted to visit Public Works in Northern India at the Government expense for a period of six months, and requesting the Government of India to instruct local officers to afford all needed assistance to that officer.	10th Mar., No. 697 W.	...	8th Feb. 1897, No. 778 C. 4th Jan. 1897, No. 10 I. 26th Dec. 1896, No. 5058 C. 17th Nov. 1895, No. 972 I. 28th Oct. 1896, Nos. 889-90 I. 16th June 1896, No. 514 I. 25th June 1896, No. 535 I.

1 Subjects.	2 Numbers and Dates of Proceedings.	3 Date of report to Secretary of State for India.	4 Numbers and Dates of previous Proceedings.
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The Government of India addressed ..	1897. 10th Mar., No. 698 W.	...	10th June 1896, No. 1736 W. 4th June 1896, No. 473 I. 21st March 1896, No. 273 I.
Old Taluk office at Tenali.—The transfer of the — in the Kistna Western division to the Postal Department, sanctioned.	11th Mar., No. 721 W.	...	25th April 1895, No. 974 W. 9th Sept. 1893, No. 2328 W.
Establishment.—The continued employment, during 1897-98, of the temporary—required, in connection with the preparation of completion estimates for the Cauvery delta, as detailed in the attached proposition statement, sanctioned.	11th Mar., No. 722 W.	...	13th Feb. 1897, No. 923 C. & file.
Local purchase of European Stores.—Desiring that stringent attention be directed to the orders restricting the — in this country, and attaching a revised form to be used in making applications for sanction to the —.	12th Mar., No. 724 W.	...	21st Oct. 1896, No. 3632 C. 3rd June 1896, No. 2425 C.
Exchange Compensation Allowance.—Government of India resolution regarding the calculation of — of officers of the Public Works Department, in foreign service, communicated to officers of the department.	12th Mar., No. 729 W.	...	17th Aug. 1894, No. 2033 W. 7th March 1894, No. 634 W.
District Munsif's Court-houses.—Circulating to officers of the department, with remark, the revised type designs with descriptive specifications and schedules of quantities, for —.	15th Mar., No. 748 W.	...	23rd Feb. 1897, No. 1077 C.W. 11th Jan. 1897, No. 144 C. 11th Jan. 1897, No. 143 C. 3rd Oct. 1896, No. 3502 C. 4th Sept. 1896, No. 2569 W. 20th June 1896, No. 498 D. 10th June 1896, No. 2476 C. 17th Jan. 1896, No. 179 W. 18th Oct. 1895, No. 2555 W.
Police lines at Malappuram, Coimbatore and Masikipatam.—Sanctioning, subject to the approval of the Government of India to the provision made for the construction of certain quarters, estimates for the construction of —.	15th Mar., No. 754 W.	...	17th Feb. 1897, No. 991 C. 7th Dec. 1896, No. 4639 C. 4th Dec. 1896, No. 4610 C.

1 Subjects.	2 Numbers and Dates of Proceedings.	3 Date of Report to Secretary of State for India.	4 Number and Dates of previous Proceedings.
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The Government of India addressed ...	1897. 15th Mar., No. 755 W.	...	10th Sept. 1896, No. 3293 C. 23rd July 1895, No. 2340 C. 1st Nov. 1894, No. 2784 W. 22nd July 1896, No. 843 D. 27th Nov. 1895, No. 3707 C. 24th Jan. 1895, No. 183 W. 14th Nov. 1895, No. 2887 W.
Tower.—Directing that a report be submitted in due course as to the amount of responsibility attaching to the several officers and subordinates concerned in the design and construction of the — of the Connemara Library buildings and that the condition and quality of the brick-work and mortar be carefully noted during the process of demolition.	15th Mar., No. 762 W.	...	
Old District Munsif's Court-house at Cumbum.—Directing that the — be made over to the Cumbum Taluk Board on the usual conditions.	16th Mar., No. 766 W.	...	26th Jan. 1897, No. 520 C. 7th Jan. 1897, No. 94 C. 14th Dec. 1896, No. 3598 W. 21st Sept. 1896, Nos. 2687-88 W.
Executive and Assistant Engineers.—Government of India resolution fixing cadre numbers and limiting scales for regulating the promotions of — for the year 1897, communicated to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	16th Mar., No. 767 W.	...	28th Feb. 1896, No. 731 W. 16th March 1895, Nos. 639-40 W. 13th Oct. 1893, No. 2604 W.
Famine-relief.—Estimates aggregating Rupees 29,550 for road works to be put in hand only in the event of their being required for — in the Trichinopoly district, sanctioned.	16th Mar., No. 768 W.	...	
Reserve stock.—The limit of — in the Kistna Northern division ordered, with remarks, to be increased to Rs. 1,08,900, as a temporary arrangement.	17th Mar., No. 780 W.	...	2nd July 1894, No. 1639 W. 15th Sept. 1896, No. 857 D. 26th Aug. 1891, No. 2297 W. 14th Oct. 1890, No. 2695 W. 12th Aug. 1889, No. 2185 W.

1 Subjects.	2 Numbers and Dates of Proceedings.	3 Date of Report to Secretary of State for India.	4 Numbers and Dates of previous Proceedings.
<i>Land.</i> —Notification for the acquisition of — required for the lake reclamation at Ootacamund, approved as amended and ordered to be published in the <i>Fort St. George Gazette</i> and the proposal in paragraph 3 of the Collector's letter regarding the compensation for the land, sanctioned.	1897. 19th Mar., No. 808 W.	...	19th Dec. 1895, No. 3246 W.
<i>Famine-relief works.</i> —Estimates aggregating Rs. 2,17,918 for road works proposed for famine-relief in the North Arcot district, sanctioned.	20th Mar., No. 814 W.	...	.....
<i>Public Works Provincial budget.</i> —Directing, with remarks, that the necessary alterations proposed by the Chief Engineer in consequence of the reduced budget grant for 1897-98 under 45. Provincial Civil Works, be carried out in the final issue of the —.	20th Mar., No. 817 A W.	...	16th Feb. 1897, No. 451 W.
Copy of the above, forwarded to the Government of India.	20th Mar., No. 817 B W.	...	.....
<i>Military buildings at Arkonam.</i> —The proposals of the Executive Engineer, North Arcot division, with respect to the utilization of the —, approved.	22nd Mar., No. 826 W.	...	11th Dec. 1896, No. 3549 W.
<i>Provision for iron bars to windows.</i> —Directing Superintending Engineers to make — in all estimates for Registration offices.	22nd Mar., No. 827 W.	...	7th Jan. 1897, No. 98 C. 13th May 1891, No. 1320 W.
<i>Military Upper subordinates for Burma.</i> —Letter from the Government of India stating that they agree not to post in future any military men from the College at Roorkee to Burma as recruits for the Upper Subordinate establishment and that the Government of Madras should post military men from the Madras College to fill vacancies as required after the guarantee to the Rangoon College is satisfied, communicated to the Educational Department.	22nd Mar., No. 828 W.	...	21st Dec. 1896, Nos. 3676-77 W. 5th Nov. 1896, Nos. 3158-59 W. 25th Aug. 1896, No. 2461 W. 17th June 1896, No. 1795 W. 25th March 1896, No. 1074 W. 9th Jan. 1896, Nos. 74-75 W. 10th May 1895, No. 1116 W. 24th April 1895, No. 966 W. 3rd Aug. 1894, No. 1934 W.
<i>Old Taluk office building at Gooty.</i> —The transfer of the — in Bellary division to the Forest Department, sanctioned.	23rd Mar., No. 837 W.	...	.....

1 Subjects.	2 Numbers and Dates of Proceedings.	3 Date of Report to Secretary of State for India.	4 Numbers and Dates of previous Proceedings.
<i>Bridle path.</i> —Estimate of Rs. 2,620 for cutting a — from waterfall estate boundary to Peralai on the Anamalais, sanctioned.	1897. 23rd Mar., No. 846 W.	...	17th March 1897, No. 1541 C. 12th March 1897, No. 1448 C. 8th March 1897, No. 1294 C. 24th Feb. 1897, No. 1110 C. 19th Feb. 1897, No. 486 W. 26th Jan. 1897, No. 253 W. 9th Dec. 1896, No. 3527 W. 2nd Dec. 1896, No. 4551 C. 24th Nov. 1896, No. 3377 W. 10th Nov. 1896, No. 3211 W.
<i>Military contribution for water works at Trichinopoly.</i> —The revised estimate of expenditure under Imperial Military for 1896-97, having been fixed, the Examiner directed to explain in the Finance accounts the allotment of Rs. 730 sanctioned by the Government of India towards the —, and the Superintending Engineer ordered to have the contribution paid to the municipality before 31st current.	25th Mar., No. 861 W.	...	.....
<i>Establishment.</i> —Approving, with remark, the lists of appointments made by the Divisional officers of the III Circle during certain period for carrying out relief-works, directing that all additions to the scale of the ordinary subordinate staff of a division on account of famine, be submitted to Government with the concurrence of the Collector of the district and referring to the Educational Department the request of the Superintending Engineer regarding the employment of unpassed men.	26th Mar., No. 876 W.	...	10th March 1897, No. 699 W. 8th Feb. 1897, No. 133, Finl.
<i>Road.</i> —Sanctioning, in anticipation of the receipt of detailed plans and estimates, the rough estimate amounting to Rs. 5,150 for constructing a — from Melathur to Karinarakundu in the Malabar district and directing that the outlay be met from the provision in the preliminary issue of the Provincial budget for 1897-98 for roads in the Mapilla tracts.	29th Mar., No. 879 W.	...	.....
<i>Church at Bezrada.</i> —Approving, with remarks, the suggestion of the Superintending Engineer that a fresh Committee be appointed to select a site for the proposed —.	29th Mar., No. 880 W.	...	4th Dec. 1896, No. 3468 W. 23rd Nov. 1896, No. 4342 C. 19th Oct. 1896, No. 2956 W. 20th Nov. 1894, No. 2976 W.

1 Subjects.	2 Numbers and Dates of Proceedings.	3 Date of Report to Secretary of State for India.	4 Numbers and Dates of previous Proceedings.
			(Continued). 7th Sept. 1894, No. 254 W. 24th Oct. 1893, No. 2691 W. 24th Oct. 1893, No. 2690 W.
<i>Rest-house at Gūdalūr.</i> —Sanctioning the transfer of the Public Works Department — to the Revenue Department.	1897. 29th Mar., No. 881 W.	...	19th Dec. 1896, No. 5012 C. 22nd Aug. 1888, No. 2584 W.
<i>Stationary Sub-Magistrate's office at Nāmakkal.</i> —Supplemental estimate of Rs. 370 for erecting a wire-fence round the compound of the — in the Salem district, sanctioned.	29th Mar., No. 882 W.	...	9th March 1897, 1356 C. No. $\frac{1356}{A}$ & file.
<i>Road.</i> —Estimate of Rs. 7,400 for constructing a feeder — from Yerragudipaud railway station to Kokkatam village, Cuddapah district, sanctioned.	29th Mar., No. 883 W.	...	.....
<i>Incorporated Local Budget estimate.</i> —Directing that certain corrections pointed out by the Government of India be carried out in the final issue of the — for 1897-98, and communicating to the officers of the department for guidance paragraph 3 of that Government letter requesting that the expenditure on roads may be classified in accordance with appendix II, volume II of the Public Works Code.	31st Mar., No. 917 W.	...	.....

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MISCELLANEOUS PROCEEDINGS
AND MATTERS OF ROUTINE,

BUILDINGS AND ROADS,

FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 1897.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Erratum.</i> —In G.O., No. 1826 W., dated 23rd July 1894, sanctioning an estimate for compensation for land taken up in connection with the conservation of the ancient remains at Mahabalipuram.	1st Mar. 1897, No. 572 W.	3rd June 1896, No. 2409 C. 9th May 1896, No. 2203 C. 28th April 1896, No. 1335 W. 23rd July 1894, No. 1826 W.
<i>Water-supply scheme.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, sanctioning the revised estimate of Rs. 3,74,396 for the Cocanada — and requesting the Public Works Department to commence the work in the ensuing official year, communicated to Superintending Engineer, I Circle, with remarks.	1st do. do. No. 573 W.	29th April 1895, No. 1692 C. 19th Aug. 1895, No. 665 I. 27th Aug. 1895, No. 2618 C. 19th Sept. 1895, No. 1010 D. 3rd Feb. 1893, No. 495 C. 25th Jan. 1894, No. 73 I.
<i>Alathūr branch road.</i> —Directing that the Government of India be requested to sanction a special allotment of Rs. 7,507 for 1897-98 for restoring the — near Chunampet in the Chingleput district, and calling on the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, to arrange to start the work with the Rs. 1,500 now sanctioned by the Local and Municipal Department.	2nd do. do. No. 575 W.	1st Feb. 1897, Nos. 300-1 W. 28th Jan. 1897, No. 548 C. 8th Dec. 1896, No. 4688 C. 27th Nov. 1896, No. 3393 W.
The Government of India addressed ...	2nd do. do. No. 576 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning, with remarks, a modification of grants for the VI Circle under Imperial and Provincial funds.	2nd do. do. No. 578 W.	.....
The above forwarded to the Government of India, Military Department.	2nd do. do. No. 579 W.	.....
The above forwarded to the Government of India, Public Works Department.	2nd do. do. No. 580 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Funds.</i> —Orders resuming and crediting to the reserve under Excluded Local, Port —, the sum of Rs. 28,335 surrendered from the grant for the pier at Tuticorin, and making an allotment of Rs. 2,500 for protecting the T head of the pier.	2nd March 1897, No. 581 W.	19th Jan 1897, No. 165 W. 23rd Jan. 1896, No. 280 W. 14th May 1896, No. 1509 W.
<i>Upper and Lower Subordinates.</i> —Ordered that the Government of India be informed that as the resources of the department will be greatly strained to provide the necessary supervision for both ordinary and relief works, it is not possible to spare the services of any amongst the —, for duty in other provinces.	2nd do. do. No. 582 W.	14th Jan. 1897, No. 227 C. 5th Jan. 1897, No. 15 W. 23rd Dec. 1896, Nos. 3678-79 W. 6th Sept. 1883, No. 2502 W.
The Government of India addressed ...	2nd do. do. No. 583 W.	.....
<i>Security.</i> —The grant of imprest without — temporarily to two sub-overseers in the Bellary division, sanctioned.	2nd do do. No. 584 W.	.....
<i>Peddakimedi Palace, Ganjam district.</i> —Revenue endorsement on Proceedings of the Court of Wards submitting, for the necessary orders, letter from the Collector requesting sanction to the preparation of an estimate for constructing compound walls to the — and to the execution of the work by the Public Works Department, communicated to Superintending Engineer, I Circle, for necessary action.	2nd do. do. No. 585 W.	16th Feb. 1897, No. 456 W. 23rd Jan. 1897, No. 437 C. 23rd Dec. 1896, No. 5055 C. 2nd Dec. 1895, No. 3790 C.
<i>Establishment.</i> —Extending for a further period of four months the sanction accorded in G.O., No. 1575 W., dated 22nd May 1896, to the employment of the survey — in connection with the investigation of the Chilakalurpad project in Kistna Northern division.	2nd do. do. No. 586 W.	22nd May 1896, No. 1575 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Government of India letter withdrawing from the current year's grant for Imperial Civil Works the sum of Rs. 16,591 surrendered by this Government, recorded.	2nd do. do. No. 587 W.	5th Feb. 1897, Nos. 360-1 W. 17th Oct. 1896, No. 2950 W.
<i>Mr. P. V. Manicka Nayakar, Apprentice Engineer.</i> —The apprenticeship of — extended to 30th April 1897, as recommended by the Executive Engineer, Coimbatore division.	2nd do. do. No. 588 W.	16th Feb. 1897, No. 955 C. 8th Feb. 1897, No. 386 W. 9th Jan. 1897, No. 90 W. 11th Dec. 1896, No. 4801 C. 8th Aug. 1896, No. 2230 W.
<i>Famine wages.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, stating that a reference will be made to the Government of India as to whether — are to be calculated with reference to the price of husked rice or unhusked paddy where rice is the grain in ordinary use by the labourers and authorizing the Collectors in the meanwhile to adopt the price of rice for calculating wages, communicated to Superintending Engineers.	2nd do. do. No. 589 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Outlay.</i> —Authorizing the Examiner, with remarks to admit in each case the — in excess over appropriations incurred on the works detailed in the statement submitted by the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.	2nd Mar. 1897, No. 590 W.	9th Oct. 1896, Nos. 2893-94 W. 2nd July 1896, No. 1919 W. 14th Aug. 1896, No. 2339 W. 2nd July 1896, No. 1932 W. 6th March 1896, No. 806 W. 22nd June 1895, No. 1541 W.
<i>Land.</i> —Notification for the acquisition of — required for a Sub-Registrar's office at Nellikuppam, South Arcot district, ordered to be published in the <i>Fort St. George Gazette</i> .	2nd do. do. No. 591 W.	7th Nov. 1895, No. 2831 W.
<i>Examination Rules.</i> —Proceedings, Educational Department, sanctioning the temporary exemption of certain unpassed men employed in the Bellary division from the —, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	2nd do. do. No. 592 W.	4th Feb. 1897, No. 716 C. 20th Nov. 1896, No. 3329 W. 26th Oct. 1896, No. 3729 C. 1st Oct. 1896, No. 2814 W. 8th Aug. 1896, No. 3021 C. 17th June 1896, No. 1798 W. 24th Oct. 1895, No. 2620 W. 31st May 1895, No. 1926 C. 1st March 1895, No. 481 W. 13th Feb. 1895, No. 576 C.
<i>Funds.</i> —Appropriating a sum of Rs. 1,900 from the Provincial reserve for the Police station, G. ii, Kilpauk, Madras.	3rd do. do. No. 593 W.	.....
<i>Government vessels.</i> —Endorsement in the Revenue Department transferring Board's Proceedings reporting that no steam boats, launches or other — were constructed or repaired by private firms during 1896, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 331 W., dated 4th February 1897.	3rd do. do. No. 598 W.	4th Feb. 1897, Nos. 331-32 W. 18th Jan. 1897, No. 281 C. 18th Dec. 1886, No. 4953 C. 9th June 1896, No. 1713 W. 24th March 1896, No. 282 I. 10th March 1896, No. 869 W. 20th Feb. 1896, No. 632 W. 6th Feb. 1896, No. 473 W. 26th Nov. 1894, No. 929 I. 12th July 1893 Nos. 1830-31 W.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Date of previous Orders.
<i>Account documents in use in Public offices.</i> —Proceedings, Public Department, approving the proposal of the Accountant-General in regard to the retention of the — for certain periods, recorded.	3rd Mar. 1897, No. 599 W.	23rd Dec. 1896, No. 5040 C. 8th Dec. 1896, No. 4670 C. 10th Nov. 1896, No. 4012 C. & file.
<i>Famine Code.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, passing orders on Board's Proceedings submitting a — for this Presidency, revised with reference to the instructions of the Government of India, recorded.	3rd do. do. No. 600 W.	10th Aug. 1896, No. 2285 W. 17th July 1896, No. 2851 C.
<i>Relief works.</i> —Endorsement from Superintending Engineer, III Circle, reporting that there is no likelihood of any — being required near the town of Cuddapah, recorded.	3rd do. do. No. 601 W.	2nd Feb. 1897, No. 647 C. 26th Jan. 1897, No. 518 C. 8th Dec. 1896, No. 4662 C. 19th May 1896, No. 1550 W. 7th April 1896, No. 1227 W. 1st Feb. 1896, No. 413 W. 24th Jan. 1896, No. 300 W. & file.
<i>Collector's office at Calicut.</i> —Authorising the Examiner, with remarks, to pass the excess outlay of Rs. 23,232 incurred on the —.	4th do. do. No. 602 W.	3rd Feb. 1897, No. 679 C. 8th Dec. 1896, No. 4684 C. 24th Nov. 1896, No. 4361 C. 18th Sept. 1896, No. 2667 W. 5th Aug. 1896, No. 2260 W. 25th March 1896, No. 1060 W. 9th Jan. 1896, No. 64 W. 16th Dec. 1895, No. 4043 C. 8th May 1893, No. 1255 W. 7th Sept. 1892, No. 2491 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning, with remarks, a modification of grants for works in Nellore division.	4th do. do. No. 604 W.	27th Jan. 1897, No. 269 W. 28th Dec. 1896, No. 3693 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning a modification of grants for works in I Circle.	4th do. do. No. 605 W.	.....
<i>Affected districts.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, recording Board's Proceedings submitting to the Government of India the report for January 1897 on the — in the Madras Presidency, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	4th do. do. No. 606 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and dates of previous orders.
<i>Last pay certificate.</i> —Ordered that the — of Sergeant R. Cuthbert, Overseer, be forwarded to the Home Government.	4th Mar. 1897, No. 607 W.	.....
Forwarded	4th do. do. No. 608 W.	.....
<i>Famine.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, recording Board's Proceedings submitting, with remarks, the fortnightly — narrative of the Vizagapatam district for period ending 31st January 1897, communicated to Superintending Engineer, I Circle.	4th do. do. No. 609 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Resuming and adding to the reserve, with remarks, certain surrenders from the grants for V Circle.	4th do. do. No. 610 W.	.....
<i>Reports and returns.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, drawing attention to certain entries in the appendix to G.O., No. 832, Financial, dated 3rd December 1896, and requesting that in the returns shown as due from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, the words "through the Public Works Department" be added to the words "Examiner, Public Works Accounts," recorded.	4th do. do. No. 611 W.	.....
<i>European Stores.</i> —Sanctioning the local purchase of certain — required for use in the Public Works Workshops.	4th do. do. No. 612 W.	.....
<i>Compensation for sittings.</i> —Ordered that the bills amounting to Rs. 538-8-0 presented by the Chaplain of the Wesleyan Chapel at St. Thomas' Mount on account of — provided for soldiers for the years 1885-86 to 1889-90, be forwarded to the Government of India for consideration.	4th do. do. No. 613 W.	7th Jan. 1897, No. 103 C. 6th July 1896, No. 1985 W. 28th Feb. 1896, No. 736 W. 15th Nov. 1895, No. 2910 W. 2nd Oct. 1895, No. 2418 W. & its file.
The Government of India addressed	4th do. do. No. 614 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Declining to accept certain surrender of — made by Superintending Engineer, I Circle.	4th do. do. No. 615 W.	21st Jan. 1897, No. 206 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Appropriating from the reserve under Excluded Local, Port —, a sum of Rs. 300 for works in Godavari Eastern division.	4th do. do. No. 616 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Declining to accept certain surrender of — from the grants for Kistna Eastern division.	4th do. do. No. 618 W.	8th Oct. 1889, No. 2812 W.
<i>Asphalte.</i> —Sanctioning the local purchase of 6½ tons of — required for use in the Tanjore division.	4th do. do. No. 619 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning, with remarks, a modification of grants for works in the Coimbatore division.	4th do. do. No. 620 W.	27th Jan. 1897, No. 271 W. 18th Nov. 1896, No. 3301 W. 27th Jan. 1897, No. 271 W.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Funds.</i> —Appropriating a sum of Rs. 10 from the reserve under Excluded Local Port —, for taking soundings and levels of the Cruz Milagre Dam, Cochin.	4th Mar. 1897, No. 621 W.	19th May 1896, No. 361, Mar. 8th April 1896, No. 246, Mar. 6th March 1896, No. 141, Mar. 22nd Feb. 1896, No. 725 W. 6th Nov. 1895, No. 314, Mar. 31st July 1895, No. 228, Mar. 19th June 1895, No. 1495 W. 25th July 1895, No. 1839 W. 14th Aug. 1895, No. 2062 W. 25th Oct. 1895, No. 2665 W.
<i>Condition of the people.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, passing orders on the Sanitary Commissioner's notes of inspection on the — in Kurnool, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	4th do. do. No. 622 W.	.....
<i>European stores.</i> —Sanctioning the local purchase of certain — required for use in Gódvári Eastern division.	4th do. do. No. 623 W.	.....
<i>Collector's office, Coimbatore.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, transferring Board's Proceedings recommending the preparation of estimates for the proposed extension of the — and for the construction of stables and a latrine in the compound, communicated to Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, for necessary action.	4th do. do. No. 624 W.	.....
<i>Famine Relief.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, authorising the Accountant-General, with remarks, to place certain sums at the disposal of the Public Works Department for expenditure on — in the districts of Bellary and Kurnool, communicated to officers concerned.	5th do. do. No. 625 W.	25th Feb. 1897, No. 1140 C. & file. 23rd Feb. 1897, No. 1095 C. 22nd Feb. 1897, No. 1066 C. 19th Feb. 1897, No. 1009 C. 13th Feb. 1897, No. 932 C. 11th Feb. 1897, No. 876 C. 11th Feb. 1897, No. 875 C. 20th Jan. 1897, No. 176 W. 7th Jan. 1897, No. 67 C. 19th Dec. 1896, No. 3669 W. 14th Dec. 1896, No. 3602 W. 5th Dec. 1896, No. 3492 W. 3rd Dec. 1896, No. 3451 W.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Taluk Office.</i> —Proceedings, Judicial Department, approving the proposed construction of a new — building at Jeypore, communicated to Superintending Engineer, I Circle, with direction, to submit plans and estimates with the least possible delay.	5th Mar. 1897, No. 626 W.	19th Jan. 1897, No. 293 C. 19th Dec. 1896, No. 4993 C. 2nd Dec. 1896, No. 3439 W. 15th June 1896, No. 437 D. 31st Aug. 1896, No. 1187 D. 9th Sept. 1896, No. 1252 D. 9th March 1883, No. 767 W. 16th Feb. 1897, No. 468 W. 29th Jan. 1897, No. 605 C. 23rd Jan. 1897, No. 441 C.
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning a transfer of — in the West Coast division.	5th do. do. No. 627 W.	8th Dec. 1896, No. 3520 W. 16th July 1896, No. 2062 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning a modification of grants for works in I Circle.	5th do. do. No. 628 W.	.....
<i>Detention Hospital.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, ordering that certain entries be made in the final issue of the Civil estimates for 1897-98 under <i>I. Land Revenue Adjustments</i> on account of the —, recorded.	5th do. do. No. 629 W.	6th Feb. 1897, No. 774 C. 16th March 1896, No. 943 W. 12th June 1895, No. 1400 W. 14th May 1895, No. 1140 W. 15th May 1895, No. 1835 C. 4th May 1895, No. 1051 W. 11th March 1895, No. 559 W. 10th Jan. 1895, No. 51 W.
<i>Taluk Office.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, approving the Board's recommendation that sanction be accorded to the demolition of the present — at Analápuram and to the construction on the same site of a new building, according to the standard design, to accommodate the Tahsildar and the Stationary Sub-Magistrate, communicated to Superintending Engineer, I Circle, for submission of the necessary estimate.	5th do. do. No. 630 W.	.....
<i>Huzur Treasury buildings.</i> —Letter from Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, reporting that estimates for extending and improving the — at Chittoor and Salem have been sanctioned by him and that the latter work has been put in hand, communicated to the Revenue Department; and the Superintending Engineer directed to have the work in connection with the Chittoor Treasury put in hand at once and to apply for the necessary funds.	5th do. do. No. 631 W.	2nd Nov. 1896, No. 3137 W. 8th May 1896, No. 1471 W. 13th Aug. 1894, No. 1994 W.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Office for the Stationary Sub-Magistrate at Calicut.</i> —Endorsement in the Revenue Department transferring Board's Proceedings recommending that the work of converting the Civil Debtors' ward into an — be done by the agency of the Public Works Department, communicated to Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, for necessary action.	5th Mar. 1897, No. 632 W.	.....
<i>Establishment.</i> —Stating, with remarks, that His Excellency the Governor in Council is satisfied as to the necessity of certain additional clerks in Kistna Northern division applied for by the Superintending Engineer, and directing that officer to include these men in the statement of temporary establishment for 1897-98.	5th do. do. No. 633 W.	15th Jan. 1897, No. 259 C. 25th June 1894, No. 1571 W.
<i>Presidency Port Office buildings.</i> —Approving and returning to the Consulting Architect, for sanction and execution when funds are available, estimates aggregating Rs. 2,237 for improvements to the — at Madras.	5th do. do. No. 634 W.	3rd Feb. 1897, No. 76 E.
<i>Surveyor.</i> —Sanction accorded to the entertainment, for six months, of a — on Rs. 65 and six lascars on Rs. 7 each per mensem for the preparation of an estimate for a road from Karempadi to Macherla in Kistna Northern division.	5th do. do. No. 635 W.	.....
<i>Office for the Deputy Collector at Srivilliputhur.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, approving the Board's recommendation that an — be constructed, according to the standard design, communicated to Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, for submission of plan and estimate.	5th do. do. No. 636 W.	.....
<i>Mr. W. A. T. Carnduff, Deputy Examiner of Accounts.</i> —Report, from the Examiner, of — having joined his office on the forenoon of 26th February 1897, recorded.	5th do. do. No. 637 W.	.....
<i>Unpassed men.</i> —Proceedings, Educational Department, stating that the case of the — now employed in the Bellary division may be represented on the expiry of the period of exemption which has been sanctioned for each individual and directing that effort be steadily continued to procure the services of passed men, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	5th do. do. No. 638 W.	9th Jan. 1897, No. 120 C. 5th Dec. 1896, No. 3784 W. 20th Nov. 1896, No. 4282 C. & file.
<i>Funds for famine-relief purposes.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, communicating, with remarks, to District Boards, Financial Proceedings in regard to the obtaining and provision of — and laying down the method in which the expenditure already incurred should be dealt with, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 535 W., dated 24th February 1897.	5th do. do. No. 639 W.	24th Feb. 1897, No. 53 W. 28th Jan. 1897, G.O., No. 57, Rev. 1st Dec. 1896, No. 3427 W.
<i>Budget.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, reviewing the Nilgiri District Board — for 1897-98, communicated to Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.	5th do. do. No. 640 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Old Jail wards at Calicut.</i> —Stating that the two blocks of the — having been made over already to the municipality, the Government cannot now claim to resume possession of the buildings and directing that the item be expunged from the list attached to G.O., No. 1463 W., dated 1st June 1893.	5th Mar. 1897, No. 641 W.	1st June 1893, No. 1463 W. 22nd Oct. 1896, No. 3639 C. 5th July 1894, No. 1674 W. 7th April 1894, No. 951 W. 15th Sept. 1893, No. 2380 W. 6th Nov. 1888, No. 1381, Public.
<i>Indents for stores.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating the sanction of the Secretary of State to certain — required for the Public Works Department, communicated to officers concerned.	5th do. do. No. 642 W.	13th Feb. 1897, No. 432 W. 1st March 1895, No. 480 W. 16th Dec. 1896, No. 4873 C. & file.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —Orders on statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of October and November 1896, VI Circle.	6th do. do. No. 643 W.	16th Dec. 1896, No. 3622 W. 13th Nov. 1896, No. 3265 W.
<i>Journey.</i> —Sanctioning the — performed by a peon when he accompanied Mr. Gopala Iyar, Assistant Engineer, Bellary division, to Harpanahalli via Harihar in Mysore territory in October 1896.	6th do. do. No. 644 W.	19th Dec. 1896, No. 3627 W. & file.
<i>Sub-Registrar's Office at Tirupattur.</i> —Proceedings, Judicial Department, approving the Inspector-General's proposal for the construction of a new building for the —, Salem district, communicated to Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, for submission of the necessary estimate.	6th do. do. No. 645 W.	13th May 1891, No. 1320 W.
<i>Standard plan.</i> —Letter from the Director-General of Military Works forwarding for guidance copies of the revised — of Horse Infirmarys, communicated to Superintending Engineers, I, IV and VI Circles.	6th do. do. No. 646 W.	.....
<i>Standard plan.</i> —Letter from the Director-General of Military Works forwarding for guidance copies of the revised — of cook-house table, communicated to Superintending Engineers, I, IV and VI Circles.	6th do. do. No. 647 W.	.....
<i>Standard plan.</i> —Letter from the Director-General of Military Works forwarding for guidance copies of the — of workshop furniture, communicated to Superintending Engineers, I, IV and VI Circles.	6th do. do. No. 648 W.	16th Feb. 1897, No. 463 W. & file.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —Orders on statement of — in the accounts of the Consulting Architect's division for November 1896.	6th do. do. No. 649 W.	8th Jan. 1897, No. 77 W.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —Orders on statement of — in the accounts of the Consulting Architect's division for December 1896.	6th do. do. No. 650 W.	3rd Feb. 1897, No. 316 W. 27th May 1896, No. 1602 W. 5th Feb. 1895, No. 277 W.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Funds.</i> —Withdrawing and crediting to the reserve the sum of Rs. 200 surrendered from the grant to the Coimbatore division under Imperial Civil Works, Postal repairs.	6th Mar. 1897, No. 651 W.	.....
<i>Famine.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, sanctioning, with remarks, the appointment of special clerks for auditing — vouchers in the Bellary and Cuddapah district, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	6th do. do. No. 653 W.	.. ..
<i>Charge allowance.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, recording Public Department Proceedings sanctioning the grant of certain — to hospital assistants deputed to inspect vessels or railway carriages on account of the plague, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 1095 W., dated 27th March 1896.	6th do. do. No. 654 W.	.....
<i>Budget.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, reviewing the South Canara District Board — for 1897-98, communicated to Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.	6th do. do. No. 655 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Allotting a sum of Rs. 800 from the Provincial reserve to the lighthouse division under "Tools and Plant."	6th do. do. No. 656 W.	3rd Oct. 1896, No. 3503 C. 27th July 1896, No. 2156 W. 8th April 1896, No. 245, Mar.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —Orders on statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of October and November 1896, V Circle.	6th do. do. No. 657 W.	3rd Feb. 1897, No. 680 W. 21st Jan. 1897, No. 382 C. 7th Jan. 1897, No. 52 W. 14th Dec. 1896, No. 3579 W. 14th Dec. 1896, No. 3578 W.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —The statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of September 1896, V Circle, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 657 W., dated 6th March 1897.	6th do. do. No. 658 W.	12th Nov. 1896, No. 3241 W. 28th Aug. 1896, No. 3219 W. 28th April 1896, No. 1344 W. 10th Sept. 1896, No. 2626 W. 4th Sept. 1896, No. 2584 W. 19th Aug. 1896, No. 2410 W. 2nd July 1896, No. 1920 W. 22nd Aug. 1896, No. 2096 W.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —The statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of August 1896, V Circle, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 657 W., dated 6th March 1897.	6th do. do. No. 659 W.	7th Jan. 1897, No. 48 W. 7th Oct. 1896, No. 2879 W.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —The statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of August 1896, VI Circle, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 643, dated 6th March 1897.	6th Mar. 1897, No. 660 W.	14th Jan. 1897, No. 120 W. 2nd Nov. 1896, No. 3840 W. 26th Aug. 1896, Nos. 2470-71 W. 17th June 1896, Nos. 1800-1 W. 5th May 1896, Nos. 1421-22 W. 5th Oct. 1895, No. 2531 W. 26th Sept. 1895, No. 1077 W.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —The statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of September 1896, VI Circle, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 643 W., dated 6th March 1897.	6th do. do. No. 661 W.	.....
<i>Drainage of Ootacamund.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, requesting the Municipal Council, Ootacamund, to place the Public Works Department in funds for the execution of works for improving the —, recorded.	6th do. do. No. 662 W.	8th Feb. 1897, No. 378 W. 11th Nov. 1896, No. 3214 W. 9th Nov. 1896, No. 3977 C. 24th Oct. 1896, No. 173 S. 1st Nov. 1895, No. 2768 W. 7th Sept. 1895, No. 948 D. 19th Aug. 1895, No. 2066 W. & file.
<i>Non-Commissioned officers.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, referring, for consideration in the Public Works Department, the question whether pensioned Non-Commissioned officers would not be suitable for employment as sub-maistries and head maistries on relief works, communicated to Superintending Engineers, I and III Circles, for early report.	6th do. do. No. 663 W.	.....
<i>Famine Relief Administration.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, recording circular from the Government of India forwarding a despatch from the Secretary of State regarding — in India, recorded.	6th do. do. No. 664 W.	.....
<i>Famine Relief.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, stating that the enfeebled condition of the labourers of Pattikonda taluk, Kurnool district, and the recommendation of the Sanitary Commissioner for showing them special consideration may be circumstances justifying the temporary exercise of the discretionary powers vested in the Collector under section 107 of the Famine Code, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	6th do. do. No. 665 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Watchman.</i> —The employment of a — on Rs. 5 per mensem for five months to look after the wood work of the Sub-Magistrate's cutcherry at Jeypore, sanctioned.	8th Mar. 1897, No. 666 W.	17th May 1893, No. 1328 W. 14th April 1893, No. 1060 W. 28th March 1893, No. 840 W. 23rd Sept. 1892, No. 2644 W. 28th April 1890, No. 1233 W. 27th Sept. 1892, No. 4270 C.
<i>Letters, &c., addressed to the Government of India, Public Works Department.</i> —Government of India letter issuing instructions regarding the despatch of — after 24th March 1897, communicated to officers concerned.	8th do. do. No. 668 W.	12th March 1896, No. 896 W. 2nd March 1895, No. 498 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Revenue endorsement on Proceedings of the Court of Wards requesting the Collector of Ganjam to place the requisite — at the disposal of the Public Works Department for certain Estate works, communicated to officers concerned with reference to G.O., No. 192 W., dated 21st January 1897.	8th do. do. No. 669 W.	.....
<i>Muthuswami Naidu, late lascar, Trichinopoly division.</i> —Proceedings, Pension Department, granting an invalid pension to —, recorded.	8th do. do. No. 671 W.	.....
<i>Epidemic Diseases Act.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, communicating Government of India letter requesting that copies of all notifications issued by the Madras Government under the — may be forwarded to other Local Governments and Administrations, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 193, Marine, dated 3rd March 1897.	8th do. do. No. 672 W.	3rd March 1897, No. 193, Mar.
<i>Portland cement.</i> —Sanctioning the local purchase of six casks of — by the General Superintendent, Public Works Stores, for supply to the Gódvári Central division.	8th do. do. No. 673 W.	19th Jan. 1896, No. 3658 W. 10th Sept. 1896, No. 2622 W. 10th Sept. 1896, No. 2621 W.
<i>Delay.</i> —Letter from Superintending Engineer, III Circle, explaining the delay which occurred in the taking over, by the Public Works Department, of famine-relief works in Kurnool district, communicated to the Revenue Department, with reference to the order in that department No. 595, dated 2nd February 1897.	8th do. do. No. 674 W.	24th Feb. 1897, No. 1108 C. 16th Feb. 1897, No. 454 W. 13th Feb. 1897, No. 433 W. 3rd Dec. 1896, No. 3451 W.
<i>Settlement Registers and Survey maps.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, agreeing with the Board in considering that no charge need be made for copies of — supplied to other Government Departments, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle, with reference to his letter No. 2074 W., dated 13th October 1896.	8th do. do. No. 675 W.	22nd Oct. 1896, No. 3636 C. 19th June 1896, No. 1333 W. 21st March 1896, No. 1022 W. 15th Nov. 1893, No. 2950 W.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Quarrying stone for the Muniyeru Project.</i> —Ordered that the Resident in Hyderabad be requested to move His Highness the Nizam's Government to grant permission to the Madras Public Works Department to quarry in the villages bordering the Nandigáma taluk, Kistna district, in order to obtain stone for the masonry works of the Muniyeru channel.	8th Mar. 1897, No. 676 W.	.....
The Resident at Hyderabad addressed ...	8th do. do. No. 677 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Appropriating a sum of Rs. 907 from the Provincial reserve for Bandsmen's quarters, Madras.	8th do. do. No. 678 W.	.....
<i>Erratum</i> —in statement sub-joined to paragraph 6 of G.O., No. 511 W., dated 22nd February 1897, regarding estimates of charges under "33. Famine Relief."	8th do. do. No. 679 W.	22nd Feb. 1897, No. 511 W. 22nd Jan. 1897, Nos. 435-36 C. 21st Jan. 1897, No. 389 C. 16th Jan. 1897, No. 126 W. 8th Jan. 1897, No. 82 W.
<i>Government House, Guindy.</i> —Ordered that the Government of India be requested to sanction the admission of certain expenditure incurred on petty works at —.	9th do. do. No. 681 W.	5th Nov. 1896, No. 3162 W. 11th Sept. 1896, No. 2628 W. 9th Sept. 1896, No. 2613 W. 27th Aug. 1896, No. 2476 W. 21st July 1896, No. 2116 W. 12th Feb. 1897, No. 915 C. 16th Feb. 1897, No. 748 C.
The Government of India addressed ...	9th do. do. No. 682 W.	.....
<i>Telegraph system.</i> —Ordered that enquiry be made of the Director-General of Telegraphs as to the minimum income which should be guaranteed in each of certain proposed extensions of the — in Malabar district.	9th do. do. No. 683 W.	4th Feb. 1897, No. 695 C. 18th Dec. 1896, No. 4923 C.
The Director-General addressed ...	9th do. do. No. 684 W.	.....
<i>Famine.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, passing orders on Board's Proceedings regarding the question of fining below the minimum — wage, recorded.	9th do. do. No. 685 W.	.....
<i>Tents.</i> —Estimate of Rs. 660 for the supply of — required for the Assistant Engineer in charge of Famine Works in Anantapur district, sanctioned.	9th do. do. No. 686 W.	30th Jan. 1894, No. 270 W.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Famine Relief.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, recording a statement of sums sanctioned on account of — in the various districts of the Presidency as known up to the end of January 1897, communicated to the officers concerned.	9th Mar. 1897, No. 688 W.	26th Feb. 1897, No. 554 W. 22nd Feb. 1897, No. 521 W. 20th Feb. 1897, No. 509 W. 18th Feb. 1897, No. 480 W.
<i>Executive Engineer's office building at Vellore.</i> —Sanctioning the payment of an extra rent of Rs. 5 per mensem for the out-houses attached to the — and calling for a report as to the use the out-houses can be put to.	9th do. do. No. 689 W.	25th Feb. 1897, No. 1160 C. 20th Jan. 1897, No. 370 C. 19th Dec. 1896, No. 3670 W. 16th Dec. 1896, No. 4882 C. 30th Nov. 1896, No. 3418 W. 29th Oct. 1896, No. 3071 W. 3rd Oct. 1896, No. 1477 D. 15th Sept. 1896, No. 1321 D. 28th Aug. 1896, No. 1173 D. 21st Aug. 1896, No. 3143 C.
<i>Funds.</i> —Withdrawing, with remark, the sum of Rs. 3,000 from the grant for the Taluk office at Proddatur and crediting it to the Provincial reserve, and referring to the Financial Department the question of providing a sum of Rs. 1,800 under "33. Famine Relief" to the Cuddapah division.	9th do. do. No. 691 W.	22nd Feb. 1897, No. 4088 W. & file.
<i>Erratum.</i> —in G.O., No. 534 W., dated 24th February 1897, sanctioning a modification of grants for works in I Circle.	10th do. do. No. 692 W.	24th Feb. 1897, No. 534 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Appropriating a sum of Rs. 355, from the reserve under Excluded Local, Port —, for works on the Vypeen foreshore near the Cruz Milagre Dam, Cochin.	10th do. do. No. 695 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Allotting from the Provincial reserve a sum of Rs. 17,766 to the Public Works Stores division to meet in part the demand of Rs. 20,000 under London supplies, and stating that the required additional allotment will be made before the end of March 1897, if possible.	10th do. do. No. 696 W.	25th Feb. 1897, No. 540 W. 14th Nov. 1896, No. 3275 W. 14th Nov. 1896, No. 3274 W.
<i>Establishment.</i> —The list of subordinate appointments made by the Executive Engineer, Bellary division, during week ending 20th February 1897, in connection with relief works, approved, pending sanction to a formal scale of temporary — for the division.	10th do. do. No. 699 W.	.....
<i>Famine Relief.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, recording Board's Proceedings communicating to Collectors letters from the Accountant-General regarding the classification of expenditure on account of —, communicated to the officers concerned.	10th do. do. No. 700 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Famine.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, recording, with remarks, the fortnightly — narrative of the Anantapur district for the period ending 31st January 1897, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	10th Mar. 1897, No. 701 W.	.....
<i>Relief Works.</i> —Endorsement from Superintending Engineer, III Circle, forwarding a statement showing the dates on which the several — in the Anantapur district were taken over by the Public Works Department, communicated to the Revenue Department with reference to the order in that department, No. 792, dated 10th February 1897.	10th do. do. No. 702 W.	18th Feb. 1897, No. 470 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Directing that a telegram be despatched to Superintending Engineer, I Circle, accepting the surrender of Rs. 500 from the grant for Mahasingi bridge.	10th do. do. No. 703 W.	.....
<i>Famine Relief Works.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, directing that a telegram be sent to the Collector of Ganjam sanctioning Rs. 12,000 for the Surada works and that the amount be met from savings under 5. Salt and debited to "33. Famine Relief," communicated to the officers concerned.	10th do. do. No. 704 W.	26th Feb. 1897, No. 571 W. 22nd Feb. 1897, No. 182 L.
<i>Stone manufacture.</i> —Revised estimate of Rs. 9,170 for — at Bezwada during 1896-97, sanctioned with remarks.	10th do. do. No. 705 W.	5th Feb. 1897, No. 737 C.W & file.
<i>Clerks.</i> —Sanctioning the requests of the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, that clerk Gnana-muthu Pillai be treated as supernumerary up to 12th February 1896 and that the Examiner be authorised to admit the old rate of pay of Rs. 17 to clerk Gangatharam Pillai, and stating that a clerk ordered to Ootacamund on a higher rate of pay will, on reversion to the plains, be permitted to draw his old rate of pay plus the increments which may have fallen due had he continued in the plains.	10th do. do. No. 706 W.	3rd Feb. 1897, No. 688 C. 20th Aug. 1896, No. 2420 W. 22nd July 1896, No. 2891 C. 29th Jan. 1896, No. 353 W. 11th Jan. 1896, No. 202 C. 27th Nov. 1895, No. 3698 C. 5th July 1895, No. 1644 W. 8th June 1895, No. 1978 C. 1st March 1895, No. 770 C. 20th Feb. 1895, No. 669 C.
<i>Office for the Deputy Tahsildar at Perundurai.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, approving and sanctioning the Collector's proposal to construct a new —, Coimbatore district, according to the standard design, communicated to Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, for submission of estimates.	10th do. do. No. 707 W.	19th Dec. 1896, No. 4967 C.
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning from the reserve under Excluded Local, Port —, a further sum of Rs. 100 for works in Gódvári Eastern division.	11th do. do. No. 708 W.	4th March 1897, No. 616 W. 25th Sept. 1896, No. 2772 W.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Deputy Tahsiildar's office at Coonoor.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, transferring approved Board's Proceedings recommending the preparation of an estimate for the proposed improvements to the —, communicated to Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, for necessary action.	11th Mar. 1897, No. 709 W.	.....
<i>Imperial Civil Works.</i> —Government of India letter intimating that the current year's grant for — has been reduced to Rs. 58,281, recorded with reference to G.O., No. $\frac{571}{A}$ W., dated 26th February 1897.	11th do. do. No. 710 W.	26th Feb. 1897, No. $\frac{571}{A}$ W. & file.
<i>Estate works.</i> —Revenue endorsement on Proceedings of the Court of Wards authorising the Collector of Ganjam to place the requisite funds at the disposal of the Public Works Department for the construction of certain works in Bodogodo and Peddakimidi estates, communicated to officers concerned.	11th do. do. No. 711 W.	2nd March 1897, No. 585 W. 16th Feb. 1897, No. 456 W. & file.
<i>Water-supply scheme for the Town of Kurnool.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, sanctioning, with remarks, the revised estimate of Rs. 2,40,555 for the — and the estimate of Rs. 23,112 for certain extensions proposed by the Municipal Council, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle, for information.	11th do. do. No. 712 W.	5th Dec. 1896, No. 4623 C. & file.
<i>Funds.</i> —Orders sanctioning, with remarks, a modification of grants for works in Ward's estates in Ganjam division.	11th do. do. No. 713 W.	19th Feb. 1897, No. 1006 C. & file.
<i>Corundum stones.</i> —Estimate of Rs. 1,500 for quarrying and mining — in the Dalavahalli village, Salem district, returned to Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, for sanction and execution, and a sum of Rs. 1,500 allotted to the Salem division from the Provincial reserve.	11th do. do. No. 714 W.	2nd Feb. 1897, No. 655 C. 21st Jan. 1897, No. 199 W. 6th Jan. 1897, No. 23 W. 2nd Dec. 1896, No. 3430 W. 18th Nov. 1896, No. 4245 C. 12th Nov. 1896, No. 4060 C. 26th Oct. 1896, No. 3027 W. 19th Sept. 1896, No. 2668 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning, with remarks, a modification of grants for works in VI Circle.	11th do. do. No. 715 W.	27th Jan. 1897, No. 271 W.
<i>Taluk Office.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, approving the proposal to construct a new — at Nellore on the type design, communicated to Superintending Engineer, II Circle, for submission of the necessary estimate.	11th do. do. No. 716 W.	.....
<i>Peon.</i> —The employment, during 1896-97, of an additional — on Rs. 9 per mensem in the Civil Agency works sub-division of the Ganjam division, sanctioned.	11th do. do. No. 717 W.	11th Feb. 1897, No. 892 C. & file.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Ramanthiruthi Island.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, transferring Board's Proceedings submitting, in view to the issue of necessary orders, the proposal of the Collector of Malabar that the works necessary for protecting the — from further erosion should be carried out by the Public Works Department, communicated to Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, for submission of an estimate for the works.	11th Mar. 1897, No. 718 W.	.....
<i>Rent.</i> —Directing that — at 5 per cent. of salary be recovered from the Sub-Overseer occupying the rest-house at Muchintala, Kistna Northern division.	11th do. do. No. 719 W.	11th Feb. 1897, No. 884 C.
<i>General Hospital, Madras.</i> —Authorising the Examiner to admit the further outlay of Rs. 49 incurred during 1895-96 on minor additions to the —.	11th do. do. No. 720 W.	11th Feb. 1897, No. 883 C. & file.
<i>European stores.</i> —The local purchase of certain — required for the Gódávári anicut works, sanctioned.	11th do. do. No. $\frac{722}{A}$ W.	20th Jan. 1897, No. 75 I.
<i>Increase of pay.</i> —Sanctioning the — of Rs. 2 each per mensem for the survey lascars employed in connection with the preparation of estimates for constructing tunnels and bridges on the road from Parnasala to Gurrupughari in Gódávári district.	11th do. do. No. 723 W.	11th Feb. 1897, No. 893 C. & file.
<i>Funds.</i> —Stating that the proposed surrender of Rs. 1,500 from the existing grant for constructing Telegraph office at Vizagapatam cannot be accepted, the revised estimate for 1896-97 under Imperial Civil Works having been already fixed.	12th do. do. No. 725 W.	18th Feb. 1897, No. 997 C. & file.
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning a transfer of — in Salem division.	12th do. do. No. 726 W.	.....
<i>Quarters.</i> —Ordered that the request of His Excellency the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces that the Government of India be moved to allot a special grant of Rs. 11,800 for the construction of a block of — to accommodate four families of the British Infantry detachment at West Hill, Calicut, be submitted for the favourable consideration of that Government.	12th do. do. No. 727 W.	3rd Feb. 1897, Nos. 320-21 W. 29th Sept. 1896, Nos. 2786-87 W.
The Government of India addressed ...	12th do. do. No. 728 W.	.....
<i>Advance.</i> —Sanctioning the grant of an — of Rs. 800 to Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. Smart, R.E.	12th do. do. No. 730 W.	.....
<i>Drainage of Malras.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, approving the scheme for the — now proposed by the Commissioners and sanctioning, with remarks, their proposal to undertake at once the drainage of Mylapore on the house connection system and to lay pipe sewers along Ice House road and Sydenham's road, recorded.	12th do. do. No. 731 W.	.....
<i>Lead sheeting.</i> —The local purchase of —, for use in Kurnool division, sanctioned.	12th do. do. No. 732 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Funds.</i> —Surrendering a further sum of Rs. 176 to the Financial Department, in view to the amount being placed at the disposal of the Inspector-General of Prisons, to meet the boat hire and landing charges incurred on the iron railings obtained from England for the Rajahmundry Central Jail.	12th Mar. 1897, No. 733 W.	15th Feb. 1897, No. 446 W. 26th Jan. 1897, No. 257 W. 14th Jan. 1897, No. 112 W. 6th Jan. 1897, No. 34 W. 4th Dec. 1896, No. 3469 W. 19th Nov. 1896, No. 3318 W. 10th Nov. 1896, No. 3210 W. 24th Oct. 1896, No. 3023 W. 18th Nov. 1896, No. 3305 W. 7th July 1896, No. 1993 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning a modification of grants for works in V Circle.	13th do. do. No. 734 W.	10th March 1897, No. 696 W. 4th March 1897, No. 610 W. 25th Feb. 1897, No. 540 W. 14th Nov. 1896, Nos. 3274-75 W.
<i>Periodicals.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, communicating a list of publications supplied under the sanction of Government, corrected up to 31st December 1896, recorded with reference to memo. No. 864 C., dated 10th February 1897.	13th do. do. No. 735 W.	17th Feb. 1897, No. 985 C. & file.
<i>Mr. E. A. Dennys, Examiner of Accounts.</i> —Government of India letter stating that they have appointed — to succeed Mr. D. C. Gordon as Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Madras, recorded.	13th do. do. No. 736 W.	26th Jan. 1897, No. 255 W. 16th Nov. 1896, No. 3286 W. 29th July 1896, No. 2801 W.
<i>Books.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, stating that the indents received in reply to the order circulating a list of — available for distribution in the Secretariat Library will be complied with, as far as possible, recorded.	13th do. do. No. 737 W.	26th Oct. 1896, No. 3724 C. 22nd Sept. 1896, No. 3396 C.
<i>Stationery articles.</i> —The local purchase of certain — for the use of the Famine sub-division in the Cuddapah division, sanctioned as a special case.	13th do. do. No. 738 W.	.....
<i>Famine.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, stating that the Board's presumption, that the Government intended in paragraph 2 of G.O., No. 133, Financial, dated 8th February 1897, to place Collectors under the orders of Government only in the matter of Financial grants for works, is correct, and directing that all communications in Financial matters should, as heretofore, pass through the Board of Revenue and the Revenue Department, recorded.	13th do. do. No. 739 W.	24th Feb. 1897, No. 535 W.

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<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning with remarks, a transfer of — in Kistna-Northern division.	13th Mar. 1897, No. 740 W.	
<i>Native papers.</i> —Report on — for the fortnight ending 31st January 1897, recorded.	13th do. do. No. 741 W.	.....
<i>Letters.</i> —Proceedings, Public Department, communicating the instructions of the Government of India for addressing — to the Military Department, which cannot reach Calcutta on or before the 16th March 1897, recorded.	15th do. do. No. 742 W.	17th March 1896, No. 961 W. 19th March 1895, No. 658 W. 14th March 1894, No. 737 W.
<i>Designation.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, directing that the district, of which Ootacamund is the head-quarters, shall in future be designated as "the Nilgiri district" or "the Nilgiris," communicated to Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.	15th do. do. No. 743 W.	.....
<i>Examination Rules.</i> —Proceedings, Educational Department, sanctioning the temporary exemption from the — of certain clerks in Cuddapah division, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	15th do. do. No. 744 W.	18th Feb. 1897, No. 992 C.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —Orders on statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of October and November 1896, III Circle.	15th do. do. No. 745 W.	2nd March 1897, No. 584 W. 19th Feb. 1897, No. 482 W. & file.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —The statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of August 1896, III Circle, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 745 W., dated 15th March 1897.	15th do. do. No. 746 W.	.....
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —The statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of September 1896, III Circle, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 745 W., dated 15th March 1897.	15th do. do. No. 747 W.	.....
<i>Examination Rules.</i> —Proceedings, Educational Department, extending to certain dates the periods of exemption from the — already granted to S. Joshua and K. V. Parthasarathi Mudaly, temporary clerks, Kurnool division, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	15th do. do. No. 749 W.	11th Feb. 1897, No. 890 C. & file.
<i>Funds.</i> —Withdrawing the allotment of Rs. 360 made to the Tinnevely division in the Preliminary issue of the Military Works budget estimate for 1897-98.	15th do. do. No. 750 W.	3rd Feb. 1897, Nos. 320-21 W.
<i>Land.</i> —Notification for the acquisition of — required for a new Post office building at Jeypur, Vizagapatam district, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George Gazette.	15th do. do. No. 751 W.	9th June 1896, Nos. 1715, 1715 W. 23rd April 1896, Nos. 1303-4 W. 16th March 1896, No. 944 W. 11th Feb. 1896, No. 520 W.

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		11th Feb. 1896, No. 519 W.
		30th Jan. 1896, No. 530 C.
		5th Sept. 1895, No. 2681 C.
		6th April 1895, No. 861 W.
<i>Establishment.</i> —The continued employment, in the Consulting Architect's division during 1897-93, of the temporary — detailed in the proposition statement, sanctioned.	15th Mar. 1897, No. 752 W.	1st March 1897, No. 1203 C. & file.
<i>Kumbakonam Hostel.</i> —Proceedings, Educational Department, sanctioning, with remarks, a grant of Rs. 25,000 towards the —, communicated to Superintending Engineer, V Circle, for information.	15th do. do. No. 753 W.	.....
<i>"Indian Engineering."</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, restoring the — to the privileges of the Editors' table so far as papers connected with the Public Works Department are concerned, and requesting the Manager of that paper to supply a copy of his publication to certain officers, recorded	15th do. do. No. 756 W.	20th Jan. 1897, No. 175 W. & file.
<i>Examination Rules.</i> —Proceedings, Educational Department, sanctioning the exemption from the — of K. Anjaneyulu, acting clerk, Kistna Western division, for certain period, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	15th do. do. No. 757 W.	11th Feb. 1897, No. 878 C.
<i>Military charges.</i> —Circular from the Quartermaster-General in India on the subject of the debit of the charges incurred by the Civil authorities in the erection of slaughter-houses on encamping grounds and in hiring <i>motes</i> for the purpose of supplying water to the troops passing through a district, communicated to the officers concerned.	15th do. do. No. 758 W.	.....
<i>Rent.</i> —Government of India letter considering it unnecessary that the full rent assessable under Code rules should be recovered from the Eastern Extension Telegraph Company for the premises occupied by it in the General Telegraph office building at Madras, and sanctioning rent at the reduced rate of Rs. 110 per mensem being charged, communicated to officers concerned.	15th do. do. No. 759 W.	6th Jan. 1897, Nos. 26-27 W.
<i>European stores.</i> —Endorsement from Superintending Engineer, II Circle, requesting that early sanction may be obtained to the local purchase of certain — required for use in Kistna Western division, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 464 W., dated 16th February 1897.	15th do. do. No. 760 W.	16th Feb. 1897, No. 464 W. & file.
<i>Funds.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, requesting the Accountant-General to place Rs. 3,560 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for closing breaches on certain roads caused by the late floods in the Trichinopoly district, communicated to officers concerned.	15th do. do. No. 761 W.	3rd Feb. 1897, No. 662 C. 20th Dec. 1895, No. 4123 C.

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<i>Accountants.</i> —Statement from the Examiner showing certain proposed changes in the personnel of the establishment of —, approved.	15th Mar. 1897, No. 763 W.	4th Dec. 1896, No. 3462 W. 21st Nov. 1896, No. 3347 W. 6th Nov. 1896, No. 3177 W. 21st Oct. 1896, No. 2991 W. 4th Sept. 1896, No. 2576 W. 10th June 1896, No. 1717 W. 10th Oct. 1894, No. 2904 W. 19th Oct. 1894, No. 3214 C. 27th March 1893, No. 827 W. 3rd Dec. 1892, No. 3323 W.
<i>Communications intended for the Home Department.</i> —Proceedings, Public Department, communicating the instructions of the Government of India in regard to addressing —, which cannot reach Calcutta by the 25th March 1897, recorded.	16th do. do. No. 764 W.	8th March 1897, No. 668 W. 12th March 1896, No. 896 W. 2nd March 1895, No. 498 W.
<i>Confidential Reports.</i> —Letter to the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command, forwarding — for 1896 on certain Royal Engineer officers and stating that the report on Lieutenant J. A. Close, R.E., will be forwarded on receipt.	16th do. do. No. 765 W.	.....
<i>Loss.</i> —The loss of Rs. 3,540-8-7, due to the reduction of prices of certain surplus stock articles ordered with remarks, to be written off the accounts of the Public Works Stores division.	16th do. do. No. 769 W.	4th Feb. 1897, No. 698 C. 15th Jan. 1897, No. 265 C. 10th April 1896, No. 1254 W.
<i>Estimates for Local Fund works.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, requesting the Accountant-General to make the necessary adjustments in the accounts in communication with the Examiner, with regard to the — scrutinized by the Public Works Department for the quarter ending 30th September 1896, communicated to officers concerned with remarks.	16th do. do. No. 770 W.	9th Jan. 1897, No. 94 W. & file.
<i>Funds.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, resuming the amount (Rs. 64,500) surrendered by the Public Works Department from the grant under 45. <i>Provincial Civil Works</i> and approving, with remarks, the transfer of certain amounts from 45. <i>Civil Works</i> to 33. <i>Famine Relief</i> , recorded.	16th do. do. No. 771 W.	11th March 1897, No. 710 W. 25th Feb. 1897, No. 540 W. 22nd Feb. 1897, No. 514 W. 18th Feb. 1897, No. 480 W. 8th May 1896, No. 1469 W. 17th Jan. 1896, No. 196 W. 17th July 1895, No. 1767 W. 3rd Feb. 1892, No. 330 W.

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<i>Objectionable items.</i> —Orders on statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of October and November 1896, II Circle.	16th Mar. 1897, No. 772 W.	23rd Jan. 1897, No. 223 W. & file.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —Orders on statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of October and November 1896, I Circle.	16th do. do. No. 773 W.	13th Feb. 1897, No. 424 W. & file.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —The statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of September 1896, I Circle, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 773 W., dated 16th March 1897.	16th do. do. No. 774 W.	.....
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —The statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of September 1896, II Circle, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 772 W., dated 16th March 1897.	16th do. do. No. 775 W.	.....
<i>Costume to be worn on public occasions.</i> —Proceedings, Public Department, re-issuing, with certain remarks for the guidance of all officers concerned, G.O., No. 1288 of 1875 on the subject of the —, communicated to officers concerned.	16th do. do. No. 776 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Directing that a telegram be despatched to Superintending Engineer, II Circle, sanctioning Rs. 1,000 for Kistna Northern division office, Bezvada.	17th do. do. No. 777 W.	13th March 1897, No. 1482 C. 9th Dec. 1896, No. 3536 W. & file.
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning a modification of grants for works in Kistna Western division.	17th do. do. No. 778 W.	.....
<i>Additional allotment.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, sanctioning an — of Rs. 37,500 from savings under 5. <i>Salt</i> for the execution of certain ordinary irrigation works and works undertaken in connection with famine-relief operations, communicated to officers concerned.	17th do. do. No. 779 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning, with remarks, a modification of grants for works in the Consulting Architect's division.	17th do. do. No. 781 W.	16th Dec. 1896, No. 4873 C. 25th Nov. 1896, No. 4397 C. 25th Nov. 1896, No. 4396 C. 11th Nov. 1896, Nos. 3216-17 W. 3rd Nov. 1896, Nos. 3151-52 W. 30th Sept. 1896, No. 3482 C. 25th Sept. 1896, Nos. 2752-53 W. 10th Sept. 1896, No. 2622 W. 10th Sept. 1896, No. 2623 W. 10th Sept. 1896, No. 2624 W.

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<i>Fort St. George Gazette.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, authorising the Superintendent, Government Press, to supply the Inspector of Steam Boilers and Prime Movers, with a copy of the — and sheet almanac, as published from time to time, recorded.	18th Mar. 1897, No. 782 W.	3rd March 1897, No. 1229 C.
<i>General Hospital, Madras.</i> —Supplemental estimate of Rs. 647 for constructing matron's kitchen, bath-room and teak partition in the nurses' room at the —, sanctioned with remark for immediate execution, and the estimate of Rs. 2,957 for dividing the Hobart and Argyle and Dufferin wards into cubicles for nurses, returned to the Consulting Architect for resubmission after the Station Hospital has been vacated by the Military authorities.	18th do. do. No. 783 W.	11th Jan. 1897, No. 147 C. 19th Dec. 1896, No. 5016 C. 6th Nov. 1896, No. 3930 C. 21st Oct. 1896, No. 3615 C. 24th Sept. 1896, No. 3432 C. 17th Sept. 1896, No. 3355 C. 2nd Sept. 1896, No. 2537 W. 29th July 1896, No. 2942 C. 2nd July 1896, No. 2698 C. 1st May 1896, Nos. 1386-87 W.
<i>Public Works Department Forms.</i> —Letter to the Superintendent, Government Printing, Calcutta, requesting that 104 copies of the revised edition of Part III of the book of — may be forwarded to the Superintendent, Government Press, Madras, for distribution in this Presidency.	18th do. do. No. 784 W.	4th March 1897, No. 1235 C. & file.
<i>Accountants.</i> —Statement from the Examiner showing certain proposed changes in the personnel of the establishment of —, approved.	18th do. do. No. 785 W.	.....
<i>Conveyance, by rail, of horses.</i> —Sanction accorded to the conveyance by rail at the public expense of four horses belonging to Mr. Somers-Eve, Executive Engineer, from Bellary to Adóni on 22nd January 1897.	18th do. do. No. 786 W.	23rd Feb. 1897, No. 1090 C. 18th Jan. 1897, No. 289 C. 23rd Dec. 1896, No. 5050 C. 14th Nov. 1896, No. 4110 C. 1st Oct. 1896, No. 2822 W. 4th June 1896, No. 1663 W. 22nd Jan. 1884, No. 190 W. 13th Nov. 1882, No. 2984 W. 23rd Sept. 1882, No. 2471 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Endorsement from the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, reporting that the additional grant of Rs. 18 applied for under Excluded Local repairs is for completing the repairs to the light-keeper's quarters, &c., at Calingapatam, recorded with reference to paragraph 2 of G.O., No. 628 W., dated 5th March 1897.	18th do. do. No. 787 W.	5th March 1897, No. 628 W.

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<i>Tank Restoration Scheme Party.</i> —Proceedings of Government, Irrigation Branch, approving the proposals of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation regarding the transfer of the — in Salem district to the Bellary division, recorded.	18th Mar. 1897, No. 788 W.	12th Feb. 1897, No. 144 L.
<i>Watchman.</i> —The employment of a — on Rs. 8 per mensem to look after both Crewe and Ottley Hall at Ootacamund, sanctioned and pay at Rs. 10 per mensem already disbursed, ordered to be admitted by the Examiner.	18th do. do. No. 789 W.	19th Dec. 1896, No. 5020 C. & file.
<i>Constables' huts.</i> —Proceedings, Judicial Department, requesting the issue of orders for the preparation of plans and estimates for converting certain rooms attached to the sub-jail ward at Masulipatam into — and into quarters for a European Head Constable, communicated to Superintending Engineer, II Circle.	18th do. do. No. 790 W.	.....
<i>Stores.</i> —Bi-monthly return of — under provision by the Director-General of Stores for India up to 31st January 1897, communicated to officers concerned and copy ordered to be forwarded to the Government of India.	18th do. do. No. 791 W.	29th Jan. 1897, No. 294 W. & file.
Forwarded	18th do. do. No. 792 W.	.....
<i>Wallajah Taluk office.</i> —Endorsement in the Revenue Department on Proceedings of the Board of Revenue submitting letter from the Collector of North Arcot reporting that the cost of improvements to the — is estimated at Rs. 1,150, recorded with the remark, that there is no provision for the work in the Provincial budget for 1897-98.	18th do. do. No. 793 W.	16th Feb. 1897, Nos. 451-52 W.
<i>Payments in England.</i> —Statement of — on account of stores, &c., under Madras Provincial and Local funds, Public Works, during January 1897, communicated to officers concerned.	18th do. do. No. 794 W.	12th Dec. 1896, No. 3565 W. & file.
<i>Type-writing.</i> —Proceedings, Educational Department, ordering that, from 1st January 1898, candidates for the post of type-writing clerk in Government offices should have passed the Government Technical Examination in —, communicated to officers of the Public Works Department.	18th do. do. No. 795 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Stating that certain surrenders proposed under Imperial funds by the Consulting Architect cannot be accepted, the revised estimate for 1896-97 having been fixed.	18th do. do. No. 796 W.	8th Oct. 1889, No. 2812 W.
<i>Shed for the examination of passengers' baggage at the port of Tuticcrin.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, approving the proposal to erect a —, communicated to Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, for submission of a plan and estimate for the work.	18th do. do. No. 797 W.	16th Jan. 1897, No. 52 M. 23rd Jan. 1896, No. 280 W. 24th July 1895, No. 1823 W. 19th April 1895, No. 111 M. 13th Sept. 1894, No. 2327 W. 2nd Nov. 1893, No. 2794 W.

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<i>Presidency allowance.</i> —Sanctioning the grant of the — of their rank to Honorary Captain J. Lalor, Assistant Engineer, and V. Krishnasami Mudaliar, Supervisor, Buckingham Canal division.	18th Mar. 1897, No. 798 W.	
<i>Works under Excluded Local, Port Funds.</i> —Letter from Superintending Engineer, I Circle, regarding the distribution of certain allotments for — in the Godavari Eastern division, recorded with reference to G.Os., Nos. 616 W. and 708 W., dated 4th and 11th March 1897, respectively.	18th do. do. No. 799 W.	11th March 1897, No. 708 W. 4th March 1897, No. 616 W. 25th Sept. 1896, No. 2772 W.
<i>Loan.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, sanctioning the application of the Cocanada Municipal Council for a — of Rupees 1,18,100 on account of the water-supply scheme, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 573 W., dated 1st March 1897.	18th do. do. No. 800 W.	12th March 1897, No. 1443 C. & file.
<i>Rules for regulating the personal conduct of Government Servants.</i> —Proceedings, Public Department, furnishing the departments of the Secretariat and certain heads of departments with a second edition of the pamphlet containing the —, and directing that application for additional copies of the pamphlet should be made to the Superintendent, Government Press, communicated to officers of the Public Works Department.	18th do. do. No. 801 W.	28th Feb. 1896, No. 738 W. 28th Jan. 1896, No. 346 W. 10th May 1894, No. 1611 C. & file.
<i>Administrative reforms or changes in classification.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, directing all heads of departments and the Accountant-General whenever — are proposed, to bear in mind and report without fail their exact financial effect on Provincial Revenues, recorded.	18th do. do. No. 802 W.	.....
<i>Examination Rules.</i> —Proceedings, Educational Department, exempting Ch. Virayya, acting Embankment Superintendent, Godavari Eastern division, from the — for certain period, communicated to Superintending Engineer, I Circle.	18th do. do. No. 803 W.	12th Feb. 1897, No. 917 C. & file.
<i>"Warrant Officers' quarters," Vellore.</i> —Government of India letter confirming the action of this Government in having sanctioned the rent-free occupation of the — by St. John's school, communicated to the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.	18th do. do. No. 804 W.	16th Feb. 1897, Nos. 460-61 W. & file.
<i>Tower of the Connemara Library.</i> —Approving and confirming the decision of the committee consisting of the officers named to dismantle the —.	18th do. do. No. 805 W.	.....
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —The statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of August 1896, I Circle, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 773 W., dated 16th March 1897.	18th do. do. No. 806 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Directing that a telegram be despatched to Superintending Engineer, I Circle, sanctioning a transfer of Rs. 400 from the grant for the Deputy Tahsildar's office to that for the Sub-Registrar's office at Kotapeta.	18th do. do. No. 806 A W.	

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<i>Mr. A. T. Mackenzie, Executive Engineer.</i> —Sanctioning the withdrawal by — of a sum of Rupees 1,200 from the Civil Engineers' Provident Fund.	19th Mar. 1897, No. 807 W.	11th March 1897, No. 1414 C. 6th March 1897, No. 1283 C. 23rd July 1895, No. 1811 W.
<i>Salem Water-supply Scheme.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, recording, with remark, Public Works Proceedings awaiting the further report promised by Mr. Middlemiss as to whether an artesian well would succeed in the locality proposed in connection with the —, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 501 W., dated 20th February 1897.	19th do. do. No. 809 W.	20th Feb. 1897, No. 501 W. 19th Jan. 1897, No. 147 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Resuming and adding to the Provincial reserve certain sums surrendered by the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, from the grants to the Tinnevely division.	19th do. do. No. 810 W.	2nd March 1897, Nos. 578-79-80 W. 27th Jan. 1897, No. 271 W.
<i>Chart and plan connected with Mr. Thoroughgood's report on the improvement of the Vizagapatam Harbour.</i> —Letter to the Under Secretary of State for India requesting that, if possible, copies of the — may be obtained and forwarded at an early date.	19th do. do. No. 811 W.	25th Feb. 1897, No. 1157 C. 13th March 1893, Nos. 688-89. 22nd Dec. 1892, Nos. 3512-13 W. 28th July 1892, No. 2103 W.
<i>Pensioned Native Non-Commissioned officers.</i> —The Deputy Adjutant-General requested to furnish the Superintending Engineers, I and III Circles, with lists of — (preferably Sappers) suitable and available for employment as sub and head maistries on relief works.	19th do. do. No. 812 W.	6th March 1897, No. 663 W.
<i>Letters and Telegrams to the Government of India.</i> —Proceedings, Public Department, communicating instructions for addressing —, Finance and Commerce and Legislative Departments, which cannot reach Calcutta by certain dates in March 1897, recorded.	19th do. do. No. 813 W.	16th March 1897, No. 764 W. & file.
<i>Famine-relief Works.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department recording Board's Proceedings, calling for a report regarding the classification of nursing mothers in — and expressing the opinion that it will be more in accordance with the Famine Code, if communications come to the Board from the Collector and not from the Superintending Engineer, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	20th do. do. No. 815 W.	1st March 1897, No. 1198 C. 10th Feb. 1897, No. 854 C.
<i>Pier at Mangalore.</i> —Directing the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, with remarks, to submit plans and estimates for a screw pile — giving full details of iron work and other particulars.	20th do. do. No. 816 W.	9th Feb. 1897, No. 398 W. 3rd Feb. 1897, No. 74 E. 9th Feb. 1897, No. 24. 5th Jan. 1897, No. 13. 14th Dec. 1896, No. 672 E.

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		10th Nov. 1896, No. 4004 C. 6th Nov. 1896, No. 765 M. 8th Aug. 1896, No. 542 M. 3rd Feb. 1896, No. 1965 W. 16th June 1896, No. 435 M.
<i>State of the season.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, recording Board's Proceedings submitting a further report on the — in North Arcot up to the middle of February 1897, communicated to Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.	20th Mar. 1897, No. 817 W.	.....
<i>Lighthouse at Calicut.</i> —Appropriating a sum of Rs. 10 from the reserve under Excluded Local, Port Funds for repairs to the wire-fence round the —.	22nd do. do. No. 818 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning, with remark, a modification of grants for works in West Coast division.	22nd do. do. No. 819 W.	10th March 1897, No. 1369 C. 8th Oct. 1889, No. 2812 W. 27th Jan. 1897, No. 271 W. 11th Jan. 1897, No. 102 W.
<i>European stores.</i> —The local purchase of certain — required for use in the Public Works Workshops, sanctioned.	22nd do. do. No. 820 W.	.....
<i>Captain J. Lalor.</i> —Government of India letter communicating with remarks their sanction to — continuing, as a special case, to draw during the period he may be in charge of the Buckingham Canal division, both the Presidency allowance and house-rent which he was in receipt of, prior to his being placed in charge of that canal, communicated to Superintending Engineer, II Circle, and the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.	22nd do. do. No. 821 W.	18th Dec. 1896, Nos. 3635-36 W. 14th Nov. 1896, No. 4122 C. 18th Aug. 1896, No. 2388 W. 6th July 1896, No. 1981 W. 2nd July 1896, No. 1926 W. 2nd June 1896, No. 2399 C. 19th May 1896, No. 2307 C. 30th March 1896, No. 1757 C. 16th March 1896, No. 933 W. 25th Oct. 1895, No. 2651 W.
<i>Conveyance allowance.</i> —The grant of a — of Rupees 30 per mensem each to Conductor C. Smith and Mr. C. J. W. Plummer, sanctioned with effect from the date on which they entered on their duties in the lighthouse division.	22nd do. do. No. 822 W.	16th Feb. 1897, No. 957 C. 16th Jan. 1897, No. 133 W. & file.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —Orders on statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of October and November 1896, IV Circle.	22nd do. do. No. 823 W.	4th March 1897, No. 602 W. & file.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —The statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of August 1896, IV Circle, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 823 W., dated 22nd March 1897.	22nd Mar. 1897, No. 824 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, requesting the Accountant-General to replace at the disposal of the Public Works Department the sum of Rs. 75 from the surrender of Rs. 775 made in G.O., No. 263 W., dated 26th January 1897, communicated to officers concerned.	22nd do. do. No. 825 W.	17th March 1897, No. 1542 C. 6th Feb. 1897, No. 372 W.
<i>Disbursement.</i> —Authorising the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, to disburse certain sums of money in connection with Appeal Suit No. 88 of 1894 brought before the High Court by a contractor for payment for work done on the Periyár channels.	22nd do. do. No. 829 W.	10th Mar. 1897, No. 1374 C. 19th Feb. 1897, No. 1023 C. 12th Feb. 1897, No. 918 C. 6th Jan. 1897, No. 61 C. 23rd Dec. 1896, No. 5046 C. 4th Jan. 1897, No. 8 W. 28th Sept. 1896, No. 3446 C. 22nd Aug. 1896, No. 2694 W. 18th Nov. 1895, No. 2943 W. 16th May 1895, No. 1071 W.
<i>Last Pay Certificate.</i> —Ordered that the — of Mr. A. T. Mackenzie, Executive Engineer, and copy of his medical case, be forwarded to the Home Government.	22nd do. do. No. 830 W.	.....
Forwarded	22nd do. do. No. 831 W.	.....
<i>Allotment.</i> —Stating with remarks that it is too late to arrange for the — for certain buildings for the South Indian Railway Volunteers being utilised in the current official year and requesting the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces to renew his application to the Government of India for a grant-in-aid during 1897-98.	22nd do. do. No. 832 W.	1st Feb. 1897, No. 298 W. 2nd Dec. 1896, Nos. 3436-37. 29th Sept. 1896, Nos. 2786-87. 12th Aug. 1896, No. 2315. 18th July 1896, No. 798 D. 29th May 1896, No. 268 D. 4th April 1896, No. 1843 C. 20th Mar. 1896, No. 1596 C. 19th Feb. 1896, No. 979 C. 13th Feb. 1896, No. 854 C.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Imperial Civil Works.</i> —Government of India letter stating that the grant for — was reduced to Rs. 58,281, and that no further modifications are now practicable, communicated to the Examiner with remarks.	22nd Mar. 1897, No. 833 W.	10th March 1897, No. 1375 C. 16th March 1897, No. 771 & file.
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning certain transfers of — in Nellore division.	22nd do. do. No. ⁸³³ / _A W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Letter to the Director-General of the Post Office of India stating that the sum of Rs. 325 replaced at his disposal in G.O., No. 578 W., dated 2nd March 1897, remains at the credit of the reserve with this Government, the Government of India having intimated that it was too late to accept the transfer.	22nd do. do. No. 834 W.	25th Sept. 1896, No. 2773 W. 11th Feb. 1896, No. 519 W. 11th Feb. 1896, No. 520 W. 17th June 1896, No. 1791 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Replacing at the disposal of the Financial Department the grant of Rs. 30,000 for relief works in Bhadrachalam taluk, Gódvári district, surrendered by the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, and directing that officer to explain the circumstances in which the amount has been surrendered.	22nd do. do. No. ⁸³⁴ / _A W.	20th Feb. 1897, No. 509 W.
<i>Famine.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, authorising the Board of Revenue to call upon the Collectors of North Arcot, Nellore and Kistna to draft suitable hands on the permanent staff of their districts into the Deccan districts for work in connection with the —, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle, and to other Superintending Engineers.	23rd do. do. No. 835 W.	.....
<i>Famine wages.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, communicating Government of India letter approving the action of this Government in the matter of the calculation of — where rice is the grain in ordinary use by the labourers, communicated to Superintending Engineers.	23rd do. do. No. 836 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, approving the transfer of — proposed by Superintending Engineer, V Circle, for improving a village road in Tanjore district, communicated to the officers concerned.	23rd do. do. No. 838 W.	2nd May 1896, No. 1412 W.
<i>Allotment.</i> —Replacing at the disposal of the Financial Department the — of Rs. 12,000 sanctioned in G.O., No. 193, Financial, dated 2nd March 1897, for Suradá works under "33. Famine Relief."	23rd do. do. No. 839 W.	17th March 1897, No. 1513 C. 10th March 1897, No. 704 W. 1st March 1897, No. 215 I. 26th Feb. 1897, No. 571 W. 22nd Feb. 1897, No. 182 I. 20th Feb. 1897, No. 177 I.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —The statement of — in the accounts of Executive Engineers remaining unremedied to end of September 1896, IV Circle, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 823 W., dated 22nd March 1897.	23rd do. do. No. 840 W.	.....

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Funds.</i> —Endorsement from Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, reporting the circumstances under which a surrender of — was proposed from the grant for Stationary Sub-Magistrate's office at Namakkal, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 423 W., dated 13th February 1897.	23rd Mar. 1897, No. 841 W.	13th Feb. 1897, No. 423 W. 6th Feb. 1897, No. 769 C.
<i>Dining Hall for the students of the Teachers' College.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, transferring a sum of Rs. 2,350 from 45. <i>Civil Works</i> to 22. <i>Education</i> for the construction departmentally of a —, communicated to the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.	23rd do. do. No. 842 W.	3rd July 1896, No. 596 D.
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —Orders on statement of — in the accounts of the Light-house division for January 1897.	23rd do. do. No. 843 W.	6th March 1897, No. 656 W. 3rd Oct. 1896, No. 3503 C. & file.
<i>Watchman.</i> —The employment during 1896-97 of a — at Chicacole on Rs. 5 per mensem and one at Lohagudi on Rs. 6 per mensem, sanctioned.	23rd do. do. No. 844 W.	7th Nov. 1896, No. 3197 W. 9th Sept. 1896, No. 1260 D. 21st July 1896, No. 2879 C.
<i>Letters, &c., addressed to the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, Government of India.</i> —Proceedings, Public Department, communicating instructions as to the last day when — will be received in Calcutta, recorded.	23rd do. do. No. 845 W.	19th March 1897, No. 813 W. & file.
<i>Provincial funds.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, recording, with remarks, the accounts and appropriation reports of — for 1895-96 as submitted by the Accountant-General and the Public Works Department, recorded.	24th do. do. No. 847 W.	11th Jan. 1897, No. 151 C. & file.
<i>Funds.</i> —Appropriating a sum of Rs. 250 from the reserve under Excluded Local, Port — for constructing two port boundary pillars at Calicut.	24th do. do. No. 848 W.	14th Jan. 1897, No. 41 Original & file.
<i>Deputy Tahsildar's office at Jeypore.</i> —Proceedings, Judicial Department, communicating letter from the Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam, requesting that an estimate for a new — be prepared and that funds be allotted as soon as possible, communicated in continuation of G.O., No. 626 W., dated 5th March 1897, to Superintending Engineer, I Circle, for early necessary action.	24th do. do. No. 849 W.	8th March 1897, No. 1317 C. 5th March 1897, No. 626 W. & file.
<i>Watchman.</i> —Sanctioning the employment of a — on Rs. 3 per mensem for the old District Munsif's Court-house at Villupuram for a period of six months or such shorter time as may be necessary and directing the Superintending Engineer to report whether the building is required for any public purpose, if not, to submit proposals for its disposal.	24th do. do. No. 850 W.	17th Mar 1893, No. 1328 W. 28th April 1891, No. 1233 W.
<i>Police head-quarter office at Masulipatam.</i> —Proceedings, Judicial Department, communicating letter from the Inspector-General of Police stating that the plans and estimates for repairing the — were returned countersigned to Superintending Engineer, II Circle, for sanction as it was classed under "Repairs," recorded.	24th do. do. No. 851 W.	12th Oct. 1896, No. 3558 C. & file.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Fifty-five years.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, recording the consolidated list of gazetted officers who will attain the age of — or whose extensions of service after attainment of that age will expire during 1897-98, recorded.	24th Mar. 1897, No. 852 W.	9th April 1896, No. 1248 W. 13th Sept. 1894, No. 2326 W.
<i>Physical laboratory and class rooms at the Presidency College.</i> —Withdrawing and crediting to the Provincial reserve the grant of Rs. 16,500 for providing fittings in the — Madras, and requesting the Educational Department to report at once whether there is any probability of the grant being utilized before 31st March 1897.	24th do. do. No. 853 W.	29th Jan. 1897, No. 604 C. P. W. & file.
<i>Establishments.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, stating that the scale of the — employed on, or in connection with, famine relief works should have the approval and countersignature of the Collector, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle, and to other Superintending Engineers.	24th do. do. No. 854 W.	.....
<i>Famine batta.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, directing the grant of — to Government servants in Ganjam in accordance with the provisions of Art. 72 of the Civil Account Code, Volume I, Part I, and addressing the Government of India with a view to the present rule which gives rise to anomalous results being altered, communicated to Superintending Engineer, I Circle, and the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.	24th do. do. No. 855 W.	.....
<i>Combined office for the Deputy Collector and Stationary Sub-Magistrate, Tirucallur.</i> —Directing that, pending sanction to the revised estimate for the —, certain increased rates may be paid to the contractor and that the names of officers responsible for the careless manner in which the original estimate was prepared be reported.	24th do. do. No. 856 W.	11th March 1897, No. 1383 C. & file.
<i>Funds.</i> —Endorsement from Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, forwarding an explanation for certain surrenders of — from the Madura division, recorded.	25th do. do. No. 857 W.	2nd March 1897, Nos. 578-79-80 W.
<i>Officers of the Civil Services.</i> —Proceedings, Public Department, communicating the request of the Government of India to be furnished with a copy of the report made to the Secretary of State in cases where — are killed or severely wounded by fanatics or others or meet with sudden or violent death in any very exceptional circumstances, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 693 W., dated 10th March 1897.	25th do. do. No. 858 W.	10th March 1897, No. 693 W. 15th Jan. 1889, Nos. 189-90-91 W. 14th Jan. 1889, No. 162 C. 5th Jan. 1889, No. $\frac{10}{A}$ C. 10th Dec. 1888, No. 4968 C. 6th Dec. 1888, No. 4906 C. 1st June 1887, No. 1484 W. 15th March 1886, No. 1113 C.

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<i>Confidential Report.</i> —Letter to the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command, forwarding the — Army Form B 194-3, Royal Engineers, on Lieutenant Close, R.E.	25th Mar. 1897, No. 859 W.	24th Sept. 1884, No. 2361 W. 17th March 1883, No. 891 W.
<i>Sea-Customs House, Tranquebar.</i> —Directing the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, with remarks, to carry out certain improvements to the —, from the minor works grant to the Negapatam division for 1897-98.	25th do. do. No. 860 W.	15th Aug. 1896, No. 2366 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Ordered that a telegram be despatched to Superintending Engineer, I Circle, sanctioning certain proposed transfer of — in Gódvári Western division.	25th do. do. No. 861 W.	.....
<i>Famine.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, recording Board's Proceedings submitting the fortnightly — narrative of the Bellary district for period ending 15th February 1897, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	26th do. do. No. 862 W.	2nd Feb. 1897, No. 640 C.
<i>Mr. H. C. Patch.</i> —Appointed temporary overseer on Rs. 60 per mensem for six months.	26th do. do. No. 863 W.	20th Mar. 1897, No. 1628 C. 20th March 1897, No. 1628 C. 20th March 1897, No. 1627 C. 16th Dec. 1896, No. 3619 W.
<i>Communications intended for the Public Works Department.</i> —Letter to the Government of India, Public Works and Military Departments, requesting that all — which cannot reach Madras by the 17th April 1897, be addressed to Ootacamund.	26th do. do. No. 864 W.	23rd April 1896, No. 1307 W. 14th March 1895, No. 613 W. 21st March 1894, No. 807 W.
<i>Asphalte.</i> —The local purchase of 1,308 lb. of— required for use in the South Arcot division, sanctioned.	26th do. do. No. 865 W.	7th April 1893, No. 912 W.
<i>Water-supply Scheme for Salem.</i> —Inviting the attention of the Local and Municipal Department to G.O., No. 147 W., dated 19th January, and No. 501 W., dated 20th February 1897, on the subject of the — and requesting the Chief Engineer for Irrigation to report as to the stage the Muthukolam Project in Coimbatore division has now reached.	26th do. do. No. 866 W.	19th March 1897, No. 809 W. 19th Jan. 1897, No. 147 W. 28th Nov. 1896, No. 4494 C. 21st Sept. 1896, No. 1364 D. 15th July 1896, No. 762 D. 15th July 1896, No. 761 D. 15th July 1896, No. 760 D.

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<i>Central Stamp office.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, approving the construction of an additional room for storing unopened cases of stamp in the —, communicated to the Consulting Architect for submission of the necessary plan and estimate.	24th Mar. 1897, No. 867 W.	10th July 1896, No. 678 D. 27th March 1896, No. 1727 C. 26th March 1896, No. 1702 C. 10th Aug. 1895, No. 1976 W.
<i>Permanent and Temporary Appointments.</i> —Government of India letter requesting to be furnished with an annual return of all appointments permanent and temporary, sanctioned or abolished by the Government of Madras in the Public Works Department, communicated to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, for submission of the required return annually by 1st September.	26th do. do. No. 868 W.	.....
<i>Roads.</i> —Proceedings, Judicial Department, requesting that the Assistant Engineer who is at present preparing estimates for the projected — in East Ernad be directed to submit an estimate for certain other section of road also, communicated to Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, for early necessary action.	26th do. do. No. 869 W.	.....
<i>Excess outlay.</i> —Sanctioning the outlay of Rs. 739 incurred in excess of the estimate of Rs. 4,350 for improving the Police Superintendent's residence at Palamecottah.	26th do. do. No. 870 W.	3rd Dec. 1896, No. 4560 C. 15th June 1896, No. 1761 W. 21st Feb. 1895, No. 438 W. 21st Jan. 1895, No. 152 W. 8th June 1894, No. 1425 W. 9th Dec. 1889, No. 3507 W. 2nd Oct. 1889, No. 2766 W.
<i>Famine expenditure.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, transferring to the Financial Department the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue submitting the revised estimates of — in Gánjam district for 1896-97 and 1897-98, communicated to officers concerned.	26th do. do. No. 871 W.	13th March 1897, No. 739 W.
<i>Budget.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, reviewing the Chingleput District Board — for 1897-98, communicated to Superintending Engineer, V Circle.	26th do. do. No. 872 W.	23rd March 1896, No. 1043 W.
<i>Examiner's office establishment.</i> —Considering that there are not sufficient grounds for an increase to the — and that work should be performed with the aid of the existing establishment at least until the expansion of famine work adds additional executive divisions to the Public Works Department.	26th do. do. No. 873 W.	28th Jan. 1897, No. 277 W. 19th Dec. 1896, No. 5014 C. 19th Nov. 1896, No. 3319 W.

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		27th July 1896, No. 2156 W.
		3rd July 1896, No. 1973 W.
		1st June 1896, Nos. 1639-40 W.
		18th June 1895, No. 1476 W.
		9th May 1895, No. 1106 W.
<i>Soldiers' shed at Paramathy.</i> —Directing that the sum of Rs. 33-4-8 due on account of rent for the —, Coimbatore division, from a person whose whereabouts are not known, be written off the accounts.	26th March 1897, No. 874 W.	12th Feb. 1897, No. 910 C.
<i>Funds.</i> —Letter from the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, stating that the allotment of Rs. 12,000 for Suradā works made in G.O., No. 704 W., dated 10th March 1897, is not necessary as the required amount has already been allotted in G.O., No. 215 I, dated 1st March 1897, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 839 W., dated 23rd March 1897.	26th do. do. No. 875 W.	23rd March 1897, No. 839 W. & file.
<i>Temporary overseers.</i> —Appointing certain individuals as — on Rs. 60 each per mensem for a period of six months.	26th do. do. No. 877 W.	.....
<i>Native papers.</i> —Report on — for the fortnight ending 15th February 1897, recorded.	26th do. do. No. 878 W.	.....
<i>Port of Cocanada.</i> —Letter from Mr. J. R. Bell acknowledging, with thanks, the receipt of G.O., No. 3188 W., dated 7th November 1896, thanking him for his note on the subject of the improvement of the —, recorded.	29th do. do. No. 884 W.	7th Nov. 1896, Nos. 3187-88 W. 30th Sept. 1896, No. 2800 W. & file. 24th Aug. 1896, No. 2445 W.
<i>Unanswered references from the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue).</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, recording, with remarks, list of — for quarter ending 31st December 1896, recorded with reference to G.O., No. 3307 W., dated 18th November 1896.	29th do. do. No. 885 W.	18th Nov. 1896, No. 3307 W.
<i>Lightkeepers' quarters, &c., at Calingapatam.</i> —Letter from Superintending Engineer, I Circle, reporting that the grant of Rs. 18 already sanctioned under "Excluded Local, Port funds," is for completing the repairs to the —, recorded with reference to G.Os., No. 787 W., dated 18th March 1897, and No. 628 W., dated 5th March 1897.	29th do. do. No. 886 W.	18th March 1897, No. 787 W. & file.
<i>Land.</i> —Notification for the acquisition of — required for constructing quarters and out-houses for the Port officer, Vizagapatam, ordered to be published in the <i>Port St. George Gazette</i> .	29th do. do. No. 887 W.	14th Nov. 1896, No. 3278 W.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Steam launch.</i> —Ordered that enquiry be made of the Director, Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, as to whether a — of certain description, required by this Government for the use of the Salt Department on the Buckingham Canal, can be provided by his department.	29th March 1897, No. 888 W.	20th Oct. 1896, No. 842 I. 12th June 1896, Nos. 504-5 I. 29th April 1895, No. 74 D.
The Director, Royal Indian Marine, addressed.	29th do. do. No. 889 W.	.....
<i>Famine.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, passing orders on Board's Proceedings submitting the fortnightly — narrative of the Vizagapatam district for the period ending 28th February 1897, communicated to Superintending Engineer, I Circle, with remarks.	29th do. do. No. 890 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning a modification of grants for works in V Circle.	29th do. do. No. 891 W.	23rd Jan. 1896, No. 273 W. 10th July 1895, No. 1691 W.
<i>Funds.</i> —Withdrawing a sum of Rs. 4,000 from the grant for filling in the Ootacamund lake and adding it to the Provincial reserve.	29th do. do. No. 892 W.	.....
<i>Examination rules.</i> —Proceedings, Educational Department, sanctioning the temporary exemption of certain clerks in the Bellary division from the —, communicated to Superintending Engineer, III Circle.	30th do. do. No. 893 W.	9th March 1897, No. 1347 C.
<i>Railway charge.</i> —The excess — of Rs. 3-10-0 incurred by Mr. Kharegat, Assistant Engineer, when travelling on duty in Kistna Northern division, sanctioned under the explanation afforded.	30th do. do. No. 894 W.	15th March 1897, No. 1493 C.
<i>Temporary promotions.</i> —Ordered that the sanction of the Government of India be requested to — being made in the place of Sub-Conductor S. Hearne, Supervisor, who has been deputed to England for one year to undergo a course of training in the management of electric machinery.	30th do. do. No. 895 W.	10th March 1897, No. 1363 C. 23rd Nov. 1896, No. 3352 W. 24th Aug. 1896, No. 2446 W. 22nd Feb. 1888, No. 625 W.
The Government of India addressed	30th do. do. No. 896 W.	.....
<i>Revenue and expenditure.</i> —Government of India Military Department endorsement forwarding a review of the accounts of —, recorded under the heads "Military Works" and "Special Defence Works" for 1895-96, recorded.	30th do. do. No. 897 W.	1st June 1896, No. 1647 W.
<i>Post and Telegraph office at Periyakulam.</i> —Letter from the Director-General of the Post Office of India requesting that the sum of Rs. 1,690 that has been surrendered from the grant for a combined — may be withdrawn and replaced at the disposal of his department, recorded with reference to paragraph 3 of G.O., No. 578 W., dated 2nd March, and letter, No. 834 W., dated 22nd March 1897.	30th do. do. No. 898 W.	22nd March 1897, No. 834 W. & file.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Date of previous Orders.
<i>Mats and chicks for Military buildings.</i> —The Examiner authorised to admit the charges incurred during 1896-97 in the West Coast division on account of the supply and repair of —.	30th March 1897, No. 899 W.	30th Sept. 1896, No. 2808 W. 18th July 1896, No. 2858 C. 27th March 1893, No. 832 W. 18th Dec. 1896, No. 3640 W. 23rd Aug. 1896, No. 2703 W. 3rd Dec. 1896, No. 3447 W. 2nd Oct. 1896, No. 2841 W. 21st Aug. 1896, No. 2345 W.
<i>Observatory at Kodaikānal.</i> —Proceedings, Public Department, communicating letter from the Government Astronomer stating that the plans of the — need no modification in view of the re-organisation of the Indian Observatories, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle; and the latter officer directed to give the Government Astronomer the necessary information to enable him to be present when the foundations are laid out.	30th do. do. No. 900 W.	22nd March 1897, No. 1646 C. & file.
<i>Ground plate glass.</i> —The local purchase of six sheets of — required for use in the Public Works Workshops, sanctioned.	30th do. do. No. 901 W.	22nd Jan. 1897, No. 402 C., P.W.
<i>Paint.</i> —Sanctioning the local purchase of certain — required for use in the Buckingham Canal division and requesting the Superintending Engineer to report on the quality of paint purchased.	30th do. do. No. 902 W.	.....
<i>Station-house at Madilagam.</i> —Endorsement in the Judicial Department transferring letter from the Inspector-General of Police stating that a site for the construction of a second-class — in the Malabar district has been selected by the Superintendent of Police, communicated to Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, with remark that the necessary plan and estimate should be submitted.	30th do. do. No. 903 W.	28th Oct. 1896, No. 3781 C., P.W. & file.
<i>Excess outlay.</i> —Sanctioning the — of Rs. 713 incurred on improving the Superintending Engineer's office building at Dowlaishweram and directing that the name of the officer who prepared the estimate be reported.	30th do. do. No. 904 W.	7th June 1895, No. 1346 W.
<i>Tools and plant.</i> —Estimate of Rs. 26,950 for purchase and manufacture of — required to replenish the "Famine reserve stock" in the Public Works Stores division, sanctioned.	30th do. do. No. 905 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, requesting the Accountant-General to place Rs. 75 at the disposal of the Public Works Department for the maintenance of the road on right bank of Panguni channel, Trichinopoly district, communicated to officers concerned.	30th do. do. No. 906 W.	28th Feb. 1893, No. 525 W.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning a modification of grants under Provincial for works in the Consulting Architect's division.	30th March 1897, No. 907 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Sanctioning a transfer of — for extending the river jetties at Cocanada.	30th do. do. No. 908 W.	23rd March 1897, No. 1683 C. & file.
<i>Funds.</i> —Directing that a telegram be sent to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, sanctioning certain transfer of — in Kistna Western division.	30th do. do. No. 909 W.	.....
<i>Delay in submission of an application for gratuity.</i> —Proceedings, Pension Department, requesting that the Executive Engineer, Negapatam division, be called on to explain the great delay that was allowed to occur in the submission of an application for an invalid gratuity on behalf of a lascar in the conservancy establishment of that division, communicated to Superintending Engineer, V Circle, with remarks.	31st do. do. No. 910 W.	27th Jan. 1897, No. 530 C., P.W. 19th Dec. 1896, No. 4969 C., P.W. 13th Nov. 1896, No. 4090 C. 23rd Oct. 1896, No. 3678 C.
<i>Funds.</i> —Appropriating a sum of Rs. 20 from the reserve under Excluded Local, Port —, for taking borings near the existing wooden jetty at Mangalore.	31st do. do. No. 911 W.	.....
<i>Wooden racks.</i> —Proceedings, Judicial Department, requesting that estimates for the construction of — for the record-rooms of the District Court of Kistna may be prepared, communicated to Superintending Engineer, II Circle, for necessary action.	31st do. do. No. 912 W.	.....
<i>Objectionable items.</i> —Explanation from the Executive Engineer, Bellary division, of certain point noticed in the statement of — in the accounts of the III Circle for July 1896, with the Superintending Engineer's endorsement and the Examiner's office-note thereon, recorded.	31st do. do. No. 913 W.	15th March 1897, No. 745 W. & file.
<i>Road.</i> —Proceedings, Judicial Department, sanctioning the preparation of an estimate for constructing a — from Anakayam in Malabar to join the Pandikad-Angádipuram road at the Oruvampuram mosque, communicated to Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, for guidance.	31st do. do. No. 914 W.	.....
<i>Legislative Council.</i> —Office-note from the Chief Engineer for Irrigation furnishing information with regard to certain questions asked at the — held on the 9th February 1897, communicated to the Legislative Department.	31st do. do. No. 915 W.	22nd Feb. 1897, No. 522 W. & file.
<i>Allotment of funds.</i> —A grant of Rs. 3,541 allotted from the Provincial reserve to the Public Works Stores division under Civil Buildings, Original Works.	31st do. do. No. 916 W.	16th March 1897, No. 769 W. & file.
<i>Funds.</i> —Surrendering to the Financial Department the available balance under Excluded Local, Port —, viz., Rs. 28,357 in view to a sum of Rupees 23,000 being placed at the disposal of the Presidency Port Officer to meet the charges on the supply of cranes and trucks to the pier at Tuticorin and stating that there are no other demands against the reserve.	31st do. do. No. 916 W. A	16th March 1897, No. 280, Mar.

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<i>Funds.</i> —Withdrawing a sum of Rs. 647 from the grant for minor additions to the General Hospital and adding it to the Provincial reserve.	31st March 1897, No. 918 W.	18th March 1897, No. 783 W. 11th Jan. 1897, No. 147 C., P.W. 19th Dec. 1896, No. 5016 C. 6th Nov. 1896, No. 3930 C. 21st Oct. 1896, No. 3615 C. 24th Sept. 1896, No. 3432 C. 1 st Sept. 1896, No. 3355 C. 2nd Sept. 1896, No. 2537 W. & file.
<i>Famine.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, recording Board's Proceedings submitting the fortnightly — narrative of the Special Assistant Agent's division, Górávari, for the period ending 31st January 1897, communicated to Superintending Engineer, I Circle.	31st do. do. No. 919 W.	.....
<i>Last pay certificate.</i> —An amended — on account of Mr. A. T. Mackenzie, Executive Engineer, ordered to be forwarded to the Home Government.	31st do. do. No. 920 W.	22nd March 1897, Nos. 830-31 W.
Forwarded	31st do. do. No. 921 W.	.....
<i>Public Works Secretariat.</i> —G.O., No. 330 W., dated 4th February 1897, containing the proposition statement sanctioned by this Government introducing certain changes in the establishment of the —, ordered to be forwarded for the information of the Government of India.	31st do. do. No. 922 W.	.....
Forwarded	31st do. do. No. 923 W.	.....
<i>Funds.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, transferring a sum of Rs. 1,800 from 45. <i>Civil Works</i> to 33. <i>Famine-relief</i> , Cuddapah division, communicated to officers concerned.	31st do. do. No. 926 W.	

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