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From A. H. GARRETT, Esq., Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Coimbatore, 16th February 1899, No. 79 W.

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2. The libraries in Circle offices are always very scantily furnished, and I strongly recommend the purchase of Mr. Larminie's volumes, which form a most valuable encyclopedia of Engineering and one by no means easy to acquire.

Enclosure.

From J. C. LARMINIE, Esq., Superintending Engineer, Bhaváni Investigation, to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, dated 15th February 1899.

I have the honour to inform you that having been a member of the Institute, Civil Engineer, since 1877, I have in my possession some 84 volumes of the Proceedings from 1877 to the end of last year. As my approaching furlough will carry me to the end of my service, I am not likely again to have any use for these books, so could I obtain a reasonable valuation for them I would be willing to dispose of them. They constitute in themselves a most comprehensive Engineering library, embracing papers on every possible subject, too numerous to detail, but docks, harbours, water-works, canals, bridges, railways, ship-building may be mentioned as some of the subjects treated.

It occurs to me that such a collection would form a most useful library of reference in any Circle office. So possibly Government might be disposed to purchase them. Rupees. 3 per volume would be a very moderate valuation, or Rs. 252 for the lot. I would be willing to accept Rs. 200.

Should you agree with me in thinking that the books would be useful, be so good as to request Government to sanction their purchase. I would include with them a number of copies of Cassier's Magazine on Engineering illustrated journal of much interest.

Office-note from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, dated 9th March 1899, No. 303 A./A.

Under paragraphs 3 and 7, Appendix H, Volume I of the Public Works Code, there appears no audit objection to the purchase of the proceedings books from Mr. Larminie being sanctioned by Government.

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2. As the libraries of Circle offices are reported to be very scantily furnished with professional works of reference, it is desirable that they should be made more useful than they are at present. Sanction is therefore accorded to the purchase of professional books up to a limit of Rs. 200 for each Circle office. Superintending Engineers will submit, for the approval of the Chief Engineer, lists of books which they propose to purchase.

(True Extract.)

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.
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To
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