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Read the following paper :—

No. 46. From L. C. PROBYN, Esq., Accountant-General, to the Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 24th May 1877, No. 215.

Audit Department.

In reference to G.O., No. 1440, dated 8th May 1877, I have the honor to remark that, as this office does not maintain a record of the authorized scale either of Provincial or Imperial Public Works Establishment—a duty which is performed by the Examiner of Public Works Accounts—the necessity for its being made cognizant of the orders passed by Government increasing or decreasing those scales is not apparent. This office merely deals with lump sums budgeted for, and spent by, the Public Works Department, and it is most respectfully submitted that ordinarily no sanctions should be accorded in that department which cannot be met from savings in its own Budget provision.

2. I gather from paragraphs 2 and 3 of the Order that the question whether a charge—Imperial or Provincial—is never to be left for future determination. This is of course manifestly correct. The rules regarding the sanction of Imperial are so different from those regarding the sanction of Provincial, charges that there should be no room for doubt as to under which any orders are passed. Should any department of the Secretariat be doubtful whether it should deal with any application as Provincial or Imperial, a reference could be made to this office in anticipation of the issue of orders.

No. 47. ORDER THEREON, 9th June 1877, No. 1663.

Communicated to the Revenue and Public Works Departments with reference to the Government Order quoted by the Accountant-General.

(True Extract.)

[Signature]
Offg. Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
" Public Works Department.

Exd. J. Wright.

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