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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

13th January 1879, No. 171 W.

General.
Account.

Read the following paper:—

No. 151. From Colonel P. O'CONNELL, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 21st December 1878, No. 4,991.

I HAVE the honor to forward for orders letter, No. 165, S.E., 3rd, dated 16th December 1878, and its enclosures, received from the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, relative to rent due for a Government building at Ranipet lately in the occupation of Mr. Cox, Head Assistant Collector, North Arcot. It will be observed that Mr. Cox refuses to pay rent for the building subsequent to the date of his leaving it, but as it would appear that his furniture was kept in the building after he left it it seems but right that he should pay rent for it until such time as his furniture was removed.

From Lieutenant R. E. HAMILTON, R.E., Acting Executive Engineer, Vellore Division, to the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, dated Vellore, 2nd December 1878, No. 158.

I HAVE the honor to forward certain correspondence relative to the non-payment of rent for the Government building at Ranipet occupied by the Head Assistant Collector.

2. This rent was paid up to end of September by Mr. Cox, but when that gentleman went to Vellore to act as Sub-Collector and had to pay rent for Sub-Collector's house there he declined to pay rent for the house here as well.

3. As his furniture was in the house I thought he ought to pay the rent and wrote to the Collector on the subject who, in reply, endorsed the opinion of Mr. Cox.

4. No rent therefore has been paid for the house for October and November, and as such is Government property it would appear that the rent must either be paid by Mr. Cox or by Mr. Laffan who is acting as Head Assistant Collector, but living at Chittur.

5. I request your orders on the matter.

No. 152. ORDER THEREON, 13th January 1879, No. 171 W.

The claim will be waived by Government.

(True Extract.)

E. A. M. Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Third Circle.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Revenue Department.

Exd. C. Howarth.

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