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No. 110. Read the following letter from Captain L. CONWAY-GORDON, R.E., Examiner of Public Works Accounts, to Major-General G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 21st December 1876, No. 1347 W:—

I HAVE the honor to suggest the desirability of making formal appropriations to cover all items of sanctioned Imperial expenditure for which funds have not as yet been provided.

2. The items in question are referred to hereunder:—

I.—Post-office at Gudur, Rupees 4

In G.O., No. 2,142, dated 16th August 1876, an appropriation of Rupees 445 was promised for this work, and this amount, subject to the confirmation of the Government of India, might now be transferred at once from Budget Item No. 51, Post-office at Tellicherry. To end of October, however, no expenditure had been incurred on the Post-office at Gudur.

II.—Formal appropriations are required, 1st, for two sums of Rupees 757 expended on Budget Item No. 17, and Rupees 882 on Budget Item No. 18 alluded to in G.O., No. 3,151, of the 24th November 1876; expended without an appropriation on the Royal Artillery plunge-bath at Cannanore—*Vide* Item No. 7 of the Objectionable Item Statement of September 1876; and 3rdly, for a sum of Rupees 1,810 for certain Puthuts at Viziapatty.

3. To cover all these items, definite appropriations are suggested in the accompanying statement. Appropriations provided by Government would remove nearly all items now appearing in Part II. of the Objectionable Item List.

4. Against anticipated reductions of stock balances, Government have already made the following appropriations:—

|                                      | RS.   |
|--------------------------------------|-------|
| G.O., No. 2,685, of 5th October 1876 | 3,000 |
| " " 2,984, of 6th November "         | 2,145 |
| " " 2,552, of 23rd September "       | 4,240 |
| " " 3,329, of 9th December "         |       |
| Total ...                            | 9,385 |

To end of September (last accounts available) there has been an actual reduction of stock balance to the extent of Rs. 1,700 that the appropriations to date are within the amount available.

5. Against anticipated recoveries of 'converting the Chepauk Workshops' Government have already appropriated the following sums, viz.:—

|                                   | RS.    |
|-----------------------------------|--------|
| G.O., No. 3,080, of 18th November | 1,700  |
| " " 3,292, of 5th December        | 7,498  |
| " " 3,151, of 24th November       | 20,855 |
| Total ...                         | 30,053 |

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The actual recoveries to date have been only Rupees 17,663, so that Government has appropriated Rupees 12,390 in excess of the actual recoveries. I understand that the District Engineer, Presidency, will in all probability recover the remaining amount before the close of the official year, but there is of course a certain amount of financial risk involved in appropriating moneys before they have been actually realized.

No. 111. ORDER THEREON, 6th January 1877, No. 59.

ACCOUNT, No. 6-B.

of Rupees 445 was made for this work in 1876, by transfer from Budget Item Examiner the existing grant for the

G.O., No. 3,213, dated 28th November 1876  
" " 3,346, " 9th December " "

Rupees 230 and Rupees 2,325, leaving Rupees 445 only at the credit of the work.

The last-mentioned amount was transferred to the Gudur Post-office.  
Canteen and Recreation-room at Cannanore  
were provided for to the required extent.  
Royal Artillery Plunge-bath at Cannanore

\* G.O., No. 3,084, dated 20th November 1876.  
Objectionable Item Statement for July 1876.  
The supplemental estimate the transfer made in anticipation of the confirmation are accordingly transferred from stock at Cannanore.

2. The total appropriation for the work balances to date will now stand as follows:—

G.O., No. 2,685, dated 5th October 1876  
" " 2,984, " 6th November 1876  
" " 2,552, " 23rd September 1876  
" " 3,329, " 9th December 1876  
Budget Items 18 and 17—Vid. 1876  
Plunge-bath at Cannanore

Rupees 1,137 still available for Police Huts at Viziapatty.—The Police huts at Viziapatty is also confirmation of the Government of

From Salt Superintendent's Cutcherry at Viziapatty, Vizagapatam District ...

It is observed as follows with reference to the Examiner's suggestions:—

Post-office at Gudur.—An appropriation in G.O., No. 3,449, dated 16th December 1876. In the statement submitted by the office at Tellicherry is given as Rs. 2,770.

A reference to the Proceedings quoted in the margin will however show that the grant has been reduced by two sums of Rupees 445 only at the credit of the work.

to the Gudur Post-office.  
Budget Items 17 and 18.—These works in G.O., No. 3,393, dated 13th December 1876. A supplemental estimate is required for this work, and the District Engineer has been called on in the orders\* on the explain its necessity. Pending receipt of funds proposed by the Examiner will be the Government of India. Rupees 608 are to the plunge-bath for Royal Artillery

balances to date will now stand as follows:—

|                               | RS.             |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| ...                           | 3,000           |
| ...                           | 2,145           |
| ...                           | 4,240           |
| G.O. 3,393, dated 13th Decem. | 1,615           |
| ...                           | 608             |
| Total ...                     | 11,608, leaving |

and transfer to meet the outlay on the and sanctioned in anticipation of the

To Police huts at Viziapatty, Tinnevely District ... 1,760

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3. Adverting to paragraph 5 the District Engineer, Presidency, will report as to the anticipated recoveries on the conversion of the Chepauk Workshops into a Hospital. He will explain the nature of the recoveries and the probable periods at which they will be made.

(True Extract.)

Major-General, R.E.,  
Secretary to Government.

To the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.  
To the District Engineers, Presidency, Nellore, Malabar, Tinnevely.  
Revenue Department.

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The following is a list of the  
expenditure of the Public Works  
Department for the year 1906-07.  
The total expenditure was Rs. 1,00,000.  
The expenditure was divided into  
General expenditure and Special  
expenditure. The General  
expenditure was Rs. 80,000 and  
the Special expenditure was Rs. 20,000.

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