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No. 14. Read the following Proceedings of Government in the Revenue Department, dated 31st January 1865, No. 160.

Sanctioning the revised Budget of works to be executed from the Local Funds in the Godavery District. (Vide Proceedings, Revenue Department, dated 31st January 1865, Nos. 329 & 330.)

No. 15. ORDER THEREON, 9th February 1865, No. 83.

To be recorded.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

Ezd. J. Tulloch.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 31st January 1865.

No. 329. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 22nd December 1864, No. 8,209.

Read the following letter from J. FRASER, Esq., Officiating Collector of the Godavery District, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cocanada, 30th August 1864, No. 221:—

1. With reference to Mr. Newill's letter, No. 76, dated 23rd March last, forwarding revised Budget Estimates of Local Funds for the current official year, I have the honor to state that on my arrival in the District, I found it necessary to revise the Estimates, as there was a larger actual balance on 30th April 1864 than was anticipated, and as a re-distribution of the funds on different works and for ferry boats was desirable. I beg to forward now, with the counter-signature of the Superintending Engineer, seven fresh Estimates prepared in the prescribed forms, together with a Memorandum, shewing the balance on 30th April 1864, and the Estimate of Income and Charges in the year called for in the Board's Miscellaneous Circular No. XVI, dated 22nd February last.

2. The Works Nos. 2 and 9 in Part I. have been now proposed by the Superintending Engineer to be undertaken in the current year, and are approved of by me. The other works are the same as contained in the former Budget. Plan and Estimate for Work No. 1, and Estimates for those Nos. 4, 7, and 8, will be submitted shortly for the formal sanction of Government as soon as they are furnished by the Superintending Engineer, agreeably to Rule XIII. of A. for the Administration of the District Road Fund.

3. In Part II., a sum of Rupees 1,400 has been already provided by Mr. Newill on account of the Municipal Association at Cocanada and Jaganaikapuram. This amount is now doubled to include the Association at Rajahmundry, as stated in my letter of the 27th ultimo, No. 191. Provision has been made to the extent of Rupees 6,000 for the construction and maintenance of ferry boats throughout the District, the necessity of which was strongly advocated in paragraph 10 of my letter No. 150 of the 21st June last. The sanction of Government must be obtained for this item.

4. The sum of Rupees 4,763 and Rupees 2,736, provided on account of Establishment and Reserve, has been calculated at ten per cent. on the estimated expenditure and the estimated income of the year respectively, as directed in Rules XXIII. and XXV. above alluded to.

5. It will be observed that the Jungle Conservancy Fund is separately exhibited in the Abstract of Receipts and Disbursements, and that a sum of Rupees 3,500 is provided in Part II. to be laid out in planting trees on the channel banks and avenues.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 1 to 7.—Budget Estimates of Local Funds.

ENCLOSURE No. 8.

ABSTRACT.—Memorandum of Balance on 30th April 1864.

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1. As the Collector states that the revised Budget submitted with the above letter has been prepared with the concurrence of the Superintending Engineer of the Division, the Board resolve to submit it for the approval of Government. There are five works for which the plans and estimates, when received, will be submitted for further sanction, as the cost of each of them exceeds 2,000 Rupees. The Collector will be requested to forward these papers without delay.

2. The revised Budget on account of repairs, in which Rupees 6,000 have been provided on account of the construction and maintenance of ferry boats, will also be submitted for the sanction of Government.

3. The actual balance on the 30th April last, together with the income expected to be realized during the current year, amount to Rupees 53,765. Out of this sum, the expenditure now proposed to be incurred is shewn below :—

Original Works.

	RS.
Balance available out of last year's grant	3,806
Further amount required in 1864-65	27,994
Repairs	13,100
Establishment	4,763
Reserve	2,736
Total ...	52,399

4. The Officiating Collector has forwarded eight Statements with his letter in different forms, which appear to be those prescribed for the Public Works Budget. Parts I. and II. alone will be sufficient in future for the Local Fund Budget.

No. 330.

ORDER THEREON, 31st January 1865, No. 160.

Local Funds.

1. The revised Budget of works to be executed from the Local Funds submitted with these Proceedings, is sanctioned in lieu of the one already approved for the Godavery District.

2. The estimates and accounts connected with the Jungle Conservancy Fund should be kept separate.

(True Extract.)

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Public Works Department.
„ the Accountant General.
„ the Financial Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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