Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
19th August 1872.

No. 129. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 17th July 1872, No. 1350:—

Read the following letter from R. W. BARLOW, Esq., President of the Local Fund Boards, Chingleput District, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated Saidapet, 12th July 1872, No. 123:—

I HAVE the honour to forward, for the sanction of Government, a plan and supplemental estimate, amounting to Rupees 10,300, for the road from Ponneri to Pulicat in the Saidapet Circle of this district.

2. The original estimate which was sanctioned in G. O., Revenue Department, dated 31st October 1867, No. 2,567, amounted to Rupees 11,500, and provided only for earth-work and some masonry works.

3. A sum of Rupees 15,500 or Rupees 4,000 more than the estimate has been expended on this line from Local and Special Funds as shown in the margin, and the Superintending Engineer ascribed this excess to the higher rate than that estimated at which the earth-work was paid for on the portion of the outlay from Special Funds, which the Government had sanctioned to afford relief to the distressed poor.

Local Funds ...	...	...	Rupees	6,000
Special Funds...	...	...	,,	9,500
				15,500

4. Further 2¼ miles of the road runs across the Pulicat Back-water, and it was considered necessary to increase the height of the old embankment, and provide additional masonry works; but as the cost of these as well as of a few other minor and necessary improvements was calculated at Rupees 24,700, the Local Fund Board looking at the serious outlay involved, and the small amount annually available for new works, wished to be furnished with an estimate, providing only for such work as is absolutely required to keep the road open and prevent deterioration. In pursuance of this resolution the present estimate was prepared and approved of by the Circle Board as per enclosed extract of their Proceedings.

5. I beg, in conclusion, to notice that there is an allotment of Rupees 3,000 for this work in Part I. of the current year's budget Item No. 4.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 1 and 2.—Plans.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Estimate.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.—Specification.

ENCLOSURE No. 5.—Extract from Proceedings of Local Fund Boards.

THE plan and supplemental estimate, amounting to Rupees 10,300, for completing the road from Ponneri to Pulicat (length 12 miles), are submitted for the sanction of Government.

2. The component parts of the estimate are as follow:—

	Rs.
1. Earth-work	2,128
2. Turfing	705
3. Masonry works	7,220
4. Superintendence	247
	10,300

3. The original estimate, amounting to Rupees 11,500, was sanctioned in G. O., Revenue Department, dated 31st October 1867, No. 2,567; but the actual expenditure incurred amounted to Rupees 15,500,* involving an excess of Rupees 4,000, which is stated to be owing to the higher rate paid for earth-work on the portion of the outlay for Special Funds to afford relief to the poor.

	Rs.
* Local Funds	6,000
Special Funds	9,500
	15,500

4. The present estimate is for completing the road by raising the height of the old embankment which runs across the Pulicat Back-water, a distance of 2¼ miles, and by providing such additional masonry works as are absolutely necessary to keep the road open for cart-traffic.

5. A provision of Rupees 3,000 is made for the work in Part I. of the current year's budget of the Saidapet Circle.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Secretary.

No. 130. ORDER THEREON, 19th August 1872, No. 1102.

Sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue, with enclosures returned.
,, Public Works Department.
,, Accountant-General.

Exd. J. Wright.

Financial Department

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Read Report of Executive Engineer dated 19th August 1872 No 1102.

Sanctioned for

Rd. F. R. Bantleman.

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To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

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Dated August, 19th.

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G. O., 19th August 1872, No. 1102.

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Sanctioning the plan and supplemental estimate, amounting to Rupees 10,300, for completing the road from Ponneri to Pulicat.

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The Board of Revenue.

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Dated Augt 19.

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