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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
31*st October* 1872.

No. 281. Read the following Proceedings of Government, Public Works Department, dated 19th October 1872, No. 2468 :—

ABSTRACT.—Deciding that Soobroyaloo Naidoo, Overseer employed in connexion with the Palace works at Madura, shall be continued on his present footing of a skilled artisan to be paid from the estimates, and referring to the Financial Department for an allotment on that account of provincial funds.

No. 282. ORDER THEREON, 31st October 1872, No. 1481.

Resolved that an allotment of Rupees 2,480 be made from the balance under Provincial Funds for the purpose stated in the foregoing order.

2. The Accountant-General will transfer the amount to the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

W. HUDLESTON,
Officiating Chief Secretary.

To the Public Works Department.
,, Accountant-General, with G. O., Public Works Department, No. 2468.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

Govt. of Madras.

FINANCIAL.

To

THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated October, 31st.

Read.

G. O., 31st October 1872, No. 1481.

OCTOBER.
Nos. 281-282.

Sanctioning an allotment of Rupees 2,480 from
the balance under Provincial Funds on account o
the pay of the Overseer and petty establishmen
[illegible] with the works at Tiroomal

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 19th October 1872.

No. 343. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Courtallum, 22nd August 1872, No. 2,381:—

One Petition.

IN reference to G. O., 8th August 1872, No. 1,869, directing that Soobroyaloo Naidoo in charge of the Palace works at Madura will be considered as having held the appointment of extra Overseer of the Madura District from the 1st April 1872, I have the honour to make the following representations, and to request the favour of further instructions thereon.

2. In the second of the two letters printed with that G. O., I reported my having appointed Mr. J. W. Jackson as Taluq Overseer, and my having ordered Mahomed Yacob Sahib to revert to his permanent appointment of Local Fund Overseer. It was to fill the vacancy caused by the Sahib's reverting to his Local Fund appointment that Mr. Jackson was nominated by me, and, under existing arrangements, there is therefore no vacancy of the grade of Overseer in the permanent establishment.

3. Seventeen Overseers are sanctioned for this division, namely for the six Taluqs of Madura, six Overseers, and for the nine Taluqs of Tinnevelly, nine Overseers, with two extra Overseers, one to each district.—*Vide* G. O., No. 1,137, dated 28th April 1865.

4. The following list shows the present distribution of the Overseers in the two districts:—

MADURA DISTR

Madura Taluq.—Moothoosawmy Pillay on three months' leave.
Tiroomungalum Taluq.—Mr. Williams.
Meyloor Taluq.—Nagalingum Pillay.
Dindigul Taluq.—Mr. Jackson.
Pulney Taluq.—Mr. Fonseca.
Pereacolum Taluq.—Chinnasawmy Pillay.
Extra Overseer.—Moorooogasa Moodelliar.

TINNEVELLY DISTRICT.

Tinnevelly Taluq.—Moothoocomarasawmy Pillay.
Ambasamoodrum Taluq.—Gunner Sears.
Thenkaray Taluq.—Ruthnasawmy Moodelliar.
Nangunery Taluq.—Narrainsawmy Iyer.
Thenkasy Taluq.—Gunner Murray.
Streevilliputtur Taluq.—Kristnasawmy Moodelliar.
Sunkerninarcoil Taluq.—Driver Patton.
Sattoor Taluq.—Gopaul Pillay.
Ottapidarum Taluq.—Mr. Taylor.
Extra Overseer.—Valoyoothum Pillay doing duty in Madura Taluq, *vice* Moothoosawmy Pillay on three months' leave.

5. A vacancy will however probably soon occur in the Tinnevelly District, inasmuch as Gunner Sears, now attached to the Ambasamoodrum Taluq, is not anxious, as I understand, to remain in the department.

6. This however will scarcely affect Soobroyaloo Naidoo, as it is not advisable to remove him from his present work. The Palace work consists of the ticklish operation of tying up an old building, and then repairing it and decorating it, and the workmen engaged in it require the constant superintendence of an

efficient Overseer. It is out of the question, therefore, for the Overseer in charge of that work to superintend at the same time the whole of the Madura Taluq, though he could well supervise such Government works as are executing in the town of Madura.

7. Under the above circumstances it follows, therefore, that two Overseers are required for the town and taluq of Madura, and that for the works executing in the large Zemindary of Ramnad, now under Government management and in which the extra Overseer has been recently employed, there will not be a single Overseer available. I would refer you in this connection to my letter printed with the G. O. noted marginally.

No. 329, dated 3rd February 1872.

8. I deem it necessary to bring this matter to the notice of Government, in order that they may see how indispensable it is that an additional extra Overseer should be attached to the Madura District, to enable Soobroyaloo Naidoo to be brought on to the strength of the permanent establishment.

9. I have now the honour to request instructions as to the amount of pay to be passed to this Overseer. I have mentioned in my letter No. 2,380, of this day's date, that Soobroyaloo Naidoo has heretofore drawn pay at the rate of Rupees 100 per mensem. I shall be glad to be informed, therefore, if his pay is now to be reduced to Rupees 60 per mensem, that of an Overseer, and whether this reduction is to commence from the 1st April 1872.

10. I take the opportunity to enclose a petition from Soobroyaloo Naidoo (received by me through the Range Officer), requesting that he may be appointed a 1st grade Overseer under the new arrangements to be inaugurated on the 1st October next.

No. 344. ORDER THEREON, 19th October 1872, No. 2,468.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 30.

TAKING into consideration the exceptional circumstances under which Soobroyaloo Naidoo is employed, His Excellency the Governor in Council is of opinion that it will be more convenient to continue him on his present footing of a skilled artizan paid from the estimates of the Palace works, leaving his claim for permanent employment for consideration after its completion.

2. This decision involves re-sanction of the sum of Rupees 1,750 disallowed in paragraph 2 of G. O., No. 1,839 of 5th August, to provide for which and the further excess of Rupees 730 alluded to in the same paragraph, allotment of Provincial Funds will be made in the Financial Department.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, Financial Department.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

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Financial Default

Govt. of {1872} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

8TH DIVISION.

&c., &c., &c.

Dated October 19th.

Recd. — 4 -25. Encl.

G. O., 19th October 1872, No. 2,468.

OCTOBER.

Nos. 343-344

Rs 2179

Overseer Soobroyaloo Naidoo.—Passing orders on letter from the Superintending Engineer of the 8th Division forwarding, with remarks, petition from Overseer Soobroyaloo Naidoo praying that he may be appointed a 1st grade Overseer and be brought on the permanent establishment.

With an order

Acted 31st Oct 1872 No 1681.

Resolved that an allotment of Rs 2,400 be made from the balance under Provincial funds for the purpose stated in the preceding order.

The Accountant General with transfer the amount to the Public Works Department.

To

The Public Works Department

The Accountant General

with P.W.S. G.O. No 2068. 6

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To the Public Works Dept:

Dated Oct. 31.
Recd.

Encl.

G. O. 31 Oct. , 1872, No. 1481.

Nos. 281. 282.

Sanctioning an allotment of Rs. 2480 from the balance under Work funds on acct. of the pay of the overseer & Peth Estab.t employed in connection with the works at Tirumbla Naicks Palace Madura