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No. 61. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th November 1872, No. 2158:—

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I HAVE the honour to state, for the information of the Board of Revenue, that my predecessor, Mr. Webster, ordered the construction of a bridge* on the Manjetty hallah on the road from Beltangady to Nagore and Mallody out of the annual maintenance allowance for the above road. Mr. Webster, it seems, was of opinion that the bridge could be gradually completed from this source, especially as the then state of the road did not demand the full amount of maintenance grant being spent on it.

* Originally estimated to cost a small sum, but which from the clayey nature of the soil and other causes was eventually found to require as large a sum as Rupees 1,900.

2. A sum of Rupees 484-10-9 was thus spent on this bridge up to the end of the past official year 1871-72, and further work, to the amount of Rupees 510-4-1, has since been executed. The work has now been stopped for want of funds.

3. Out of the above amount of Rupees 510-4-1, Rupees 210 have been paid from the savings in the current year's maintenance grant for the road in question, and Rupees 300-4-1 remain undisbursed.

4. The Tahsildar reports that, besides the above demand, Rupees 233-15-4 will still be required to complete the masonry work by the end of the current official year, while the balance† of the estimate can conveniently be reserved for expenditure in the ensuing official year.

† Rupees 671-1-10.

	Rs.	A.	P.
‡ Work already done and to be paid for	300	4	1
Further requirement	233	15	4
	534	3	5
	Rs.	A.	P.
§ Allotment for coast road ...	3,000	0	0
Amount already placed at the disposal of Tahsildars for the repairs of the road	2,295	0	0
Balance...	705	0	0
Probable further requirements.	170	12	7
Balance available for transfer to the road from Beltangady to Nagore and Mallody ...	534	3	5

5. Under these circumstances I propose to transfer the amount required for expenditure in the current year, viz., Rupees 534-3-5,‡ from savings as marginally§ noted in the current year's allotment of Rupees 3,000 for the maintenance of the coast road, and trust that the Board of Revenue will be pleased to sanction the measure.

THE Board observe that the diversion of a portion of the maintenance grant for the road from Beltangady to Nagore and Mallody towards the construction of a bridge on the Manjetty hallah, at an estimated cost of Rupees 1,900, without the sanction of competent authority was highly irregular. This involved a transfer of funds from a repair to a new work, and the sanction of Government should have been obtained through the Board prior to carrying out the transfer. *Vide* Clause 11, No. 30, of the Local Fund Rules.

2. An expenditure of Rupees 484-10-9 is stated to have been incurred in 1871-72 on account of the bridge out of the maintenance grant* of Rupees 560 for the road from Beltangady to Nagore and Mallody, as also a further sum of Rupees 510-4-1 in the current year. Of the latter amount Rupees 210 have been paid from the savings in the current year's allotment† for the repair of the road in question; the remainder, Rupees 300-4-1, being still undisbursed. Rupees 233-15-4 is further required to complete the masonry works before the close of this year, so that the sum now required is Rupees 534-3-5, which the President proposes to transfer from the maintenance grant‡ for the coast road.

* Item No. 5, Appendix to Part II., Budget of 1871-72.

† Item No. 4, Appendix to Part II., Budget of 1872-73, Rupees 560.

‡ Rupees 3,000, Item No. 12 in Part II. of the Road Fund Budget of 1872-73.

3. The sanction of Government is solicited to the proposed transfer.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Secretary.

No. 62. ORDER THEREON, 19th November 1872, No. 1538.

Transfer sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

W. HUDLESTON,
Officiating Chief Secretary.

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

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

Govt. of India, Financial.

To

The Board of Revenue, &c., &c.

Dated November, 18th.

Read,

G. O., 19th November 1872, No. 1538.

NOVEMBER.
Nos. 61-62.

Sanctioning the proposed transfer of funds towards the construction of the bridge on the Manjetty hallah, in the South Canara District.

No. 2,158.

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Secretary.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department.
,, the President of the Local Fund Board, Canara Circle.
,, the Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, the Accountant-General.
" Superintending Engineer, 1st Division

Exd. J. Tulloch.

Read 1872.

Board of Revenue,
MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS, 8TH NOVEMBER 1872, No. 2,158.

Received 4th Nov. 1872.

NOVEMBER.
No. 2,158.

Bridge — across Manjotty hallah on road from Beltangandy to Nagore and Mallody in South Canara District.—Sanction of Government requested for transfer of Rupees 534-3-5 from maintenance grant for coast road towards construction of —. Collector informed that funds should not have been spent on bridge from allotment for former road without previous sanction.

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Govt. of {1872} Madras.

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To the Board of Revenue.

&c.

Dated Govt 19.
Read. } &c.

G. O. 19 Nov. 1872, No. 1538.

Nos. 61-62.

Sanctioning the proposed transfer of funds towards the construction of the bridge on the Manjatta halla, in the South Canara Civil Div.