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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
6th November 1874.

No. 46. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 15th October 1874, No. 2991 :—

Read the following letter from A. MACGREGOR, Esq., President of the Local Fund Boards, Malabar, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Calicut, 26th September 1874, No. 256 :—

I HAVE the honor to submit a list of incomplete works of the Calicut Circle of the past year, amounting to Rupees 14,946, of which the sum to be placed at the disposal of the Special Executive Engineer is Rupees 2,541 and the remainder at the disposal of the District Engineer, including Rupees 700 required for the construction of the public latrine at Beypore, which is to come out of the General Fund.

2. The list contains twenty items ; the first fourteen appertain to New Works and the next five to Repairs.

3. None of the New Works call for any remarks.

4. Under Repairs the work No. 15 is that directed by the Board in their Order dated 11th April 1874, No. 2,423, to be included in this list. The District Engineer has put in Rupees 1,076, the balance of the original estimate, instead of Rupees 4,136. The revised estimate amounts to Rupees 5,170.

5. With reference to the work No. 17 the District Engineer states that it was commenced before the end of the last official year and that most of the required timber was purchased although no payment had been made.

6. Work No. 20 relates to Miscellaneous Public Improvements. It was provided in the last year's Budget with an allotment of Rupees 700, which was not spent for want of suitable site. The difficulty has now been overcome, and the District Engineer proposes to carry out the work funds being allotted.

7. The funds required for roads are to be met from the following sources :—

	Rs.
1 and 2, from Items Nos. 7 and 9, Part II.	1,760
3, Road from Collengode to Coimbatore Frontier	6,000
4, Do. to Cochin Frontier...	3,600
5, Putting up land bays to Peruvanneh Toder Bridge	2,460
6, Item No. 4, Part II., Appendix	380
Reserve	746
Total...	14,946

8. The transfer of Rupees 1,760 is owing to a certain portion of the roads lying within the Calicut Municipality having been made over to the Commissioners. Items 3 and 4 are those surrendered by the District Engineer. The sum of Rupees 2,460 opposite the Item No. 5 sanctioned in the Board's Proceedings dated the 27th May 1874, No. 3,497, has not been utilized the bridge having fallen down. The District Engineer has submitted an estimate of Rupees 11,870 for its reconstruction.

9. The sum of Rupees 746 allotted from the Reserve is really in excess of the Budget amount.

10. The repeated failure of bridges on roads handed over from Imperial and supposed to be permanently bridged has reduced the Road Fund to the verge of insolvency; and, if the resolution is persevered in to extract from Malabar an enormous profit under the plea of cost of establishment for the benefit of the rest of the Presidency, I know not what is to be done.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Statement showing List of Incomplete Works of 1873-74 *in the Calicut Circle.*

—	Amount of Estimate.	Actual Expenditure during the commencement of the Work to 31st March 1874.	Amount required for 1874-75.			Remarks.
			By P. W. D.	By Other Agency.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
COMMUNICATIONS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
New Works.						
1. Iron superstructure over the Cherupoya Bridge on the road below Karkoor Ghaut.	15,000	14,500	500	...	500	Item No. 5 in Part I. of the Budget of 1873-74. G.O., F.D., 4th April 1872, No. 401.
2. Road from Mangalom Bridge, near Vatakanjeri, to Cochin Frontier.	8,000	7,664	336	...	336	Item No. 10 in Part I. of the Budget of 1873-74. G.O., R.D., 4th June 1871, No. 1,815.
3. Road from Shoranore Bridge to Padinharangadi on the salt line from Ponnani to Pattambi.	32,500	31,146	1,354	...	1,354	Item No. 12 in Part I. of the Budget of 1873-74. G.O., R.D., 6th August 1870, No. 1,173.
4. Covering with granite covering stone of wooden bridge on the road from Condotty to the foot of Karkoor Ghaut.	460	153	307	...	307	Board's Proceedings, 28th April 1873, Miscellaneous No. 2,558.
5. Constructing tunnels on the road below Karkoor Ghaut from 45th to 53rd mile.	1,160	365	795	...	795	Do. 27th June 1873, Miscellaneous No. 3,985.
6. Converting a wooden bridge of twenty feet span into an arched one on the 24th mile of the Karkoor Ghaut Road.	500	290	110	...	110	Do. do. do.
7. Constructing land bays to Keranullore Bridge on the road from Parpangady to Malliapuram.	1,400	935	465	...	465	Do. 29th Dec. 1873, Mis. No. 8,761.
8. Metalling approaches to Edakara Bridge...	1,800	679	1,121	...	1,121	Do. 19th Mar. 1874, ,, ,, 1,906.
9. Reconstructing Culvert No. 1 on 21st mile on the road below Karkoor Ghaut.	550	172	378	...	378	Do. 9th Oct. 1873, ,, ,, 6,832.
10. Constructing five vent tunnels over Kurungathode on the road from Palghaut to Coimbatore.	1,400	800	600	...	600	Do. 3rd Oct. 1873, ,, ,, 6,619.
11. Reconstructing No. 9 Bridge on the road from Vythery to Terriote.	1,360	135	1,225	...	1,225	Do. 8th Sept. 1873, ,, ,, 5,746.
12. Retracing a portion of the Terriote Road between Atchoor and Terriote.	960	116	844	...	844	Do. 22nd Aug. 1873, ,, ,, 5,347.
13. Reconstructing Molena Bridge	550	78	472	...	472	Sanctioned by the Local Fund Board.
14. Petty new works	...	...	500	...	500	
	...	...	9,007	...	9,007	
Repairs.						
15. Repairing and reconstructing certain bridges on the road from Calicut to Tameracherry Ghaut.	5,170	1,034	1,076	...	1,076	G.O., Financial Department, 21st April 1874, No. 650.
16. Repairing Elathoor Bridge	2,710	1,729	981	...	981	Board's Proceedings, 9th October 1873, Miscellaneous No. 6,832.
17. Repairing the wooden girder bridge over Collengode River on Paumben Road.	1,010	...	1,010	...	1,010	Do. 10th Jan. 1874, No. 28.
18. Repairing the wooden girder bridge over the Mangalore River on the road from Palghaut *vid* Alathoor and Vadakanjeri to Vamampara.	1,010	338	672	...	672	Do. do. do.
19. Petty repairs	...	...	1,000	500	1,500	
	...	...	4,739	500	5,239	
	...	...	13,746	500	14,246	
SANITARY AND MISCELLANEOUS.—*New Works.*						
20. Constructing latrine at Beypore	...	...	700	...	700	Item No. 11 in Appendix to Part I. of the Budget of 1873-74. G.O., P. W. D., 21st December 1867, No. 3,958.
	...	...	14,446	500	14,946	

CALICUT,
26th September 1874.

(Signed) A. MACGREGOR,
President.

THE list of incomplete works of the Calicut Circle with an aggregate allotment of Rupees 14,946 is sanctioned.

2. The President proposes to provide the amount from the following sources:—

	Savings. Rs.
Maintenance of the road from Beypore to Mangalore. Allotment Rs. 3,300. Item No. 7 in Part II. of the current year's Budget. Maintenance from Calicut to Mysore Frontier. Allotment Rs. 5,720. Item No. 9 in Part II. of the current year's Budget.	1,760
Road from Collengode to Coimbatore Frontier. Allotment Rs. 7,080. Item No. 10 in Part I. of the current year's Budget	6,000
Road from Collengode to Cochin Frontier. Allotment Rs. 7,400. Item No. 15 in Part I. of the current year's Budget	3,600
Putting up land bays to the Peruvanneh Bridge. Allotment Rs. 2,460. Sanctioned in Board's Proceedings, dated 27th May 1874, Miscellaneous No. 3,497	2,460
Repairs to bridges, *etc.* Allotment Rupees 380. Item No. 4 in the Appendix to Part II. of the current year's Budget	380
	14,200
Reserve	746
Total...	14,946

3. Of the total proposed allotment of Rupees 14,946, Rupees 700 for a latrine at Beypore should be charged to the General Fund, leaving Rupees 14,246 to be provided for. The total saving to be effected out of the sums allotted for works is Rupees 14,200, which falls short of the actual amount required by Rs. 46. This sum is now sanctioned from the Road Fund Reserve.

4. As the proposal detailed above involves transfer of funds from certain New Works to Repairs the sanction of Government is solicited to the transfer.

5. The Accountant-General is requested to place Rupees 746 at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

6. The President ought to have distinguished all the works in the list which appertain to the Wynaad Division.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Secretary.

No. 47. ORDER THEREON, 6th November 1874, No. 1892.

The transfers in question are sanctioned.

2. With reference to paragraph 10 of the President's letter the Government would observe that the grant from Provincial Funds to Road Funds of the Malabar District is exceptionally large, being 14·6 of the whole grant to the various Road Funds of the Presidency, while the area of Malabar is only 4·3 per cent. of the total area.

(True Extract.)

D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Chief Secretary.

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

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

Govt. of {1874} Madras.

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To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated November, 6th.

Recd. *Read.*

G.O., 6th November 1874, *No.* 1892.

NOVEMBER.
Nos. 46-47.

Incomplete Local Fund Works in Calicut Circle.—The proposed transfers of funds on account of these works, sanctioned with the observation that the grant from Provincial Funds to Road Funds of the Malabar District is exceptionally large.

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OCTOBER.

No. 2,991.

Local Fund Works—Incomplete—of Calicut Circle.—Orders passed on list of — for 1873-74. Accountant-General requested to place Rupees 746 at the disposal of the Public Works Department on account of certain works in the list.

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The transfer in question was sanctioned with reference to Para 10 of the Rules for Local Funds which observes that the grant from Provincial Funds to Local Funds of the balance which may be found to exist annually after paying 14·0 of the whole grant for various Road Funds of the Presidency, which the area of Malabar is only 4·3 per cent of the total area.

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To
The Board of Revenue
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