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No. 156. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 29th October 1874, No. 3124 :—

Read the following letter from H. W. BLISS, Esq., Acting President of the Local Fund Boards, Madura, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Shivægungah, 28th September 1874, No. 97 :—

I HAVE the honor to forward, for the sanction of the Board and Government, an estimate, amounting to Rupees 13,880, for the earthwork and gravelling required for the construction of Road No. 32 from Dindigul to Aravakurchi, in the Coimbatore District, *viâ* Vedasendur.

1 Detailed Estimate of Rupees 13,880.
1 Abstract Estimate.
1 Specification.

2. The estimate has been passed by the Local Fund Board in their Proceedings, No. 144 of 1874, copy of which is enclosed, and which show why the road is required. It is a mere bandy-track, and has never been made into a regular road, I should explain, though entered in the list of District Roads, and though a small annual allowance has lately been made for keeping it passable. When put into proper order, it will be most useful as connecting the important tobacco mart of Vedasendur and the south of the Caroor Taluq with the railway.

3. The District Engineer has been requested to revise and re-submit the masonry estimates, of which, in their present shape, the Local Fund Board did not approve. In the mean time, the earthwork may as well be put in hand as funds are available.

4. I request also sanction to the allotment to this work of Rupees 5,000 from Road Fund Balance proposed by the Local Fund Board.

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ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Abstract Estimate.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Specification Report.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.—Extract from Proceedings of the Local Fund Board.

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2. The Local Fund Board have asked for a revision of the estimate for masonry works (Rupees 2,120), and the revised estimate will be forwarded in due course.

3. The application for an allotment of Rupees 5,000 from the Road Fund Reserve will be disposed of when the orders of Government are received.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Secretary.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
27th November 1874.

Referred to the Chief Engineer for his opinion.

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Chief Secretary.

7th November 1874.

NOTE.

No. 156-A. The papers have been examined and call for no remark.

COONOOR, (Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Chief Engineer, D.P.W.
10th November 1874.

No. 157. ORDER THEREON, 27th November 1874, No. 1972.

The estimate, amounting to Rupees 16,000, is sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Chief Secretary.

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

Exd. J. H. Burns.

Govt. of 1874 29th Octr.

FINANCIAL.

To

The Board of Revenue,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated November, 27th.

Read.

G.O., 27th November 1874, No. 1972.

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Dindigul Circle.—The estimate for constructing and improving the road between Dindigul and Aravakurchi, amounting to Rupees 16,000, sanctioned.

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No. 3,124.

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

J Grose

Secretary.

To the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department,
with four enclosures.
,, the President of the Local Fund Boards, Madura District.
,, the District Engineer, Madura.
,, the Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. W. H. French.

Financial Department
(Road Fund)

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Road or Bandy-track—between Dindigal and Aravakurchi, in Madura District.—Estimate amounting to Rupees 16,000, for construction and improvement of —, submitted for orders of Government after reference to the Chief Engineer with remark that the revised estimate will be forwarded in due course. Application for an allotment of Rupees 5,000 from the Road Fund Reserve will be disposed of when the orders of Government are received.

Referred to the Chief Engineer for his opinion
by Command
of the Chief Secretary
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The estimate amounting to Rs 16000 is sanctioned.
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To

The Board of Revenue.

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Dindigul Circle. The Estn for constructing & improving the road between Dindigul & Aravakurichi, amtg to Rs 16,000 sanctd.