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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, 29th October 1863.

No. 191. Read the following letter from HENRY MORRIS, Esq., Acting Magistrate, Godavery; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Cocanada, 7th October 1863, No. 325.

In reply to your Memorandum of the 28th ultimo, No. 313, I have the honor to inform you that the work has not been commenced. The climate of Rumpa is at this season so extremely unhealthy, that it would be perfect cruelty to send people thither from the plains to undertake or to superintend the construction of the roads until both monsoons are over; and it will be useless to persuade the inhabitants themselves to render any assistance until their harvest has been gathered in. Mr. Robertson and all others who know the country concur in this opinion; and, after much consideration, I have been reluctantly compelled to defer operations until the commencement of the cold season.

No. 192. ORDER THEREON, 29th October 1863, No. 1,704.

To be recorded.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. T. McMoctry.

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