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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, 24th April 1863.

No. 208. Read the following Proceedings of Government in the Public Works Department, dated 17th April 1863, No. 942.

Directing the early submission of the Estimate for completing the repairs of the road between the Poothanoor Railway Station and the foot of the Coonoor Ghát, the amount of which Estimate the Deputy Chief Engineer, Southern Circle, remarks has to be increased to cover the charge for Superintendence of Convicts, &c.

(Vide Proceedings Public Works Department, dated 17th April 1863, Nos. 270 & 271.)

No. 209. ORDER THEREON, 24th April 1863, No. 634.

To be recorded.

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

Exd. T. O'Connor.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. OUCHTERLONY, R. E., Deputy Chief Engineer, Southern Circle, to Colonel W. I. BIRDWOOD, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Ootacamund, 28th March 1863, No. 521 :—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to inform you that I have received from the District Engineer of Coimbatore, an estimate for completing the thorough repair of the road between Pothanoor Railway Station and the foot of the Coonoor Ghát. It amounts (subject to correction) to Rupees 22,586, but this sum will have to be increased somewhat to cover a charge for superintendence of Convicts, &c.

2. As I intend in a few days to inspect the road carefully and to scrutinize the estimate on the spot, I do not submit it at present; but in the meantime I have to solicit the confirmation by Government of an Order which I have taken it upon myself to give "for the continuation of Lieutenant Trail's operations on the road in anticipation of sanction by Government of the new estimate."

3. This authority I gave because Lieutenant Trail stated that "only a small balance was left in hand out of the grant of Rupees 30,000 sanctioned in August last," and I knew Government would not desire that the repair of this important Railway feeder should be interrupted at the present season for a moment.

ORDER THEREON, 17th April 1863, No. 942.

The Government approve of the proceedings of the Deputy Chief Engineer, Southern Circle, reported in the foregoing letter. The estimate referred to should be submitted at an early date.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Deputy Chief Engineer, Southern Circle.
" Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.
" Accountant General.
" Judicial Department, with reference to Memorandum, dated 2nd March 1863, No. 51.

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