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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 5th May 1857.

No. 82. Read the following Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Judicial Department, dated 6th February 1857, No. 160.

Read the following letter from the Inspector of Prisons, Madras.

In forwarding correspondence and Bills from the Sessions Judge of Trichinopoly, for feeding Bullocks, employed in aid of Convict labor, for repairing the roads, begs that Government may sanction the outlay if deemed expedient, but not as a Prison's charge. } (Here enter 28th January 1857, No. 31.)

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the expense incurred in October and November 1856, for the attendants on and feeding the Bullocks, employed in connection with the Convicts upon the roads of the Trichinopoly Cantonment, &c., amounting to Rupees (231-7-7) two hunderd and thirty-one, annas seven and pice seven, as specified in the margin. The Government, however observe that, as observed by the Inspector, this does not appear to be a charge belonging to the Prison Department. Instructions will therefore be issued from the Public Works Department, as to how the charge should be debited in the accounts of that Department, and as to the course to be adopted for the future for maintaining the Cattle and consequent Establishment. Meanwhile and until definite orders be passed on this head, the Judge will continue to arrange for the keep of the Bullocks and pay of Establishment that the roads may not suffer.

	Feeding.			Attendts.			Total.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Octr. 1856...	70	14	1	46	0	0	116	14	1
Novr. „	68	9	6	46	0	0	114	9	6
Total.....	139	7	7	92	0	0	231	7	7

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

No. 83. ORDER THEREON, No. 851; dated 2nd May 1857.

Ordered that the sum of Rupees 231-7-7 sanctioned in the Judicial Department as the expense incurred in October and November 1856 for attendants and for feeding the Bullocks employed to aid the Convicts in repairing the roads of the Trichinopoly Cantonment, be debited to "Repairs of roads," in the accounts of the Public Works Department. Future charges of a similar nature must be met from the annual allowances sanctioned for the maintenance of the Cantonment roads, and pending a final settlement of the question of Superintendence in Military Cantonments referred to in Minutes of Consultation of this day's date No. 850. The District Engineer of Trichinopoly will make arrangements for the repair of the Cantonment roads and for the discharge of all necessary expenses.

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 160.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 6th February 1857.

Read the following letter from the Inspector of Prisons, Madras.

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(Here enter 28th January 1857, No. 31.)

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the expense incurred in October and November 1856, for the attendants on and feeding the Bullocks, employed in connection with the Convicts upon the roads of the Trichinopoly Cantonment, &c., amounting to Rupees (231-7-7) two hundred and thirty-one, Annas seven and Pice seven, as specified in the margin. The Government, however observe that, as observed by the Inspector, this does not appear to be a charge belonging to the Prison Department. Instructions will therefore be issued from the Public Works Department, as to how the charge should be debited in the accounts of that Department, and as to the course to be adopted for the future for maintaining the Cattle and consequent Establishment. Meanwhile and until definite orders be passed on this head, the Judge will continue to arrange for the keep of the Bullocks and pay of Establishment that the roads may not suffer.

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(A true Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector of Prisons,
with 2 Original Bills,
and 2 Nominal Rolls.

„ Accountant General.

„ Civil Auditor.

„ Public Works Department. X
with 2 spare copies

Exd. F. Cartledge.

N° 857

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 2d May 1857.

Read the following
Extract from the Minutes
of Cons: in the Judicial
Department.

Here enter 6th Feby 57 N° 160/

Ordered that the
sum of Rupees 231-7-7 —
sanctioned in the Judicial
Department as the expense
incurred in October and
November 1856 for —
attendants on and for feeding
the Bullocks employed
to aid the convicts in
repairing the Roads of
the Trichinopoly Cant:
ment be debited to
Repairs

Ellis's Pro. 6th 1857 Dept. 7th
Do Cons: 5th March
Pp. 2 Slips.

Extract from the Proceedings
of Govt. in the Judicial
Department

Dated the 2d February
Received 9th Ditto

N° 160.

Sir, I am directed by the Hon'ble
Court to acknowledge the receipt of
your letter No 856 of the 26th ultimo and
forward the Bullock Gang
Keeping the Bullocks employed
during the month of October
and November last, amounting
to Rupees 231-7-7 and to request
that the same may be debited to
the Repairs of the Roads in the
Trichinopoly District.

I have &c
(Signed) C. Lushington
Secy to Govt

No 82.

C19 Chunder Roy Esq. Trichy
27th Ult. No 30.

"Repairs of Roads," in the accounts of the Public Works Department, ~~the Executive Engineer forwards a part of the Pioneer charges~~. Future charges of a similar nature must be met from the annual allowances ~~placed at the disposal of the Conservancy Committee~~ sanctioned for the maintenance of the Cantonment Roads, and the funds required for the purpose may be drawn by the station staff officer from the District Engineer in the manner pointed out in the Extract Mil. Cons. dated 22nd January 1857, No. 157. The charges will of course be brought in the Engineers' accounts and pending a final settlement of the question of superintendence in Mil. Cantonments to be determined in Genl. & Mil. Engr. & Architect Dept. arrangements for repairs of roads, and for the discharge of all accounts connected

and the Senior Judge will accordingly transfer the care of the Bullock to the station staff Officer.

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Public Works 1857 Dept.
Dis Cons: 5th May.

No 851.

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employed to aid the can-
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in the accounts of the P. W. D.
& future charges of a simi-
lar nature to be met from
the annual allowances
sanctioned for the maint-
enance of the Cantonment
roads, & the District Engr
to make arrangements for
the

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the repair of Cantonment
roads & for the discharge
of all necessary expenses.

Cfy Mundy Actg Sec. Govt
25th May 1857