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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 29th April 1864.

No. 683. Read the following letter from Colonel A. J. M. BOILEAU, R. E., Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 16th April 1864, No. 6,300:—

SIR,

1. In December last, the Deputy Collector in charge of the Treasury Madras District, forwarded to me a Statement showing the compensation paid by the Revenue Department for land taken up for public purposes in 1861-62 and 1862-63, and requested to be furnished with cheques for the amounts for each year separately to enable him to effect the necessary adjustment in his accounts.

1 Letter from Deputy Collector, Madras, No. 474, dated 8th December 1863, with Statement.
1 Do. to do. No. 4,278, dated 26th December 1863.
1 Do. from do. No. 81, dated 26th February 1864, with 4 accompaniments.
1 Do. to do. No. 5,674, dated 14th March 1864.
1 Do. from do. No. 133, dated 31st March 1864.

2. In a further communication, Mr. Locke at my request furnished the information subjoined:—

Years.	High Western Trunk Road.				Northern Trunk Road.				Adyar Canal.				Saint Thomé Cemetries.			
	Cawnies.	Annas.	Chittongs.	Amount.	Cawnies.	Annas.	Chittongs.	Amount.	Cawnies.	Annas.	Chittongs.	Amount.	Cawnies.	Ground.	Square feet.	Amount.
				Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.
1861-62...	116	13	4	2,097 12 0	79	9	14	3,885 8 0	11	7	8	1,655 10 9	9	13	1,490	1,202 6 0
1862-63...				344 3 3				621 1 0								
Total...	116	13	4	2,441 15 3	79	9	14	4,506 9 0	11	7	8	1,655 10 9	9	13	1,490	1,202 6 0

3. These several sums, amounting in the aggregate to Rupees 9,803-9-0, were disbursed between December 1861 and February 1863.

Vide Accountant General's letter No. 3,483, dated 5th February 1864, and Deputy Collector's Statement dated 31st March 1864.

4. As respects the High Western and Northern Trunk Roads, the orders of Government relating thereto are not, the Deputy Collector states, traceable in his Office; but the land, he observes, appears to have been taken up some time in 1848; and he refers me to the records of my own Department for the Proceedings of Government sanctioning the disbursement; I cannot, however, find any trace of such orders.

5. The land for the Adyar Canal is represented to have been taken up under the orders of Government, Public Works Department, No. 544, dated 25th March 1862, but the amount there stated as proper to be given, is Rupees 1,564-7-3 or Rupees 91-3-6 less than the sum Rupees 1,655-10-9 reported by the Deputy Collector to have been paid.

6. The payment Rupees 1,202-6-0 on account of the Saint Thomé Cemetery is reported to have been sanctioned in the Proceedings of Government, Ecclesiastical Department, No. 5, dated 8th January 1864.

7. Application for the payment by this Department of the abovementioned sum Rupees 9,806-9-0 appears to have been made to me by the Deputy Collector in accordance with the Accountant General's Circular No. 131, dated 30th June 1862, which directs that whenever monies authorized by Government are disbursed by Collectors on account of compensation for lands taken up for public purposes, application for the necessary funds should be made to the District Engineer who will, if provision for the work has been sanctioned in his Budget, make the payment in accordance with the Rules of the Public Works Department.

8. No provision has been made in this year's Budget for the item "compensation for lands" for the roads, &c., in question. I therefore recommend that the savings effected on the allotment for the following works be set apart to meet the required amount.

	Estimate.	When and by whom sanctioned.	Expenditure up to 30th April 1863.	Current year's allotment.	Expenditure in 1863-64.	Saving on allotment.	
MADRAS.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Palaur extension project	2,93,273	G. O. No. 1,667, dated 20th Dec. 1851.	1,26,413	51,000	48,300	*5,465	* The balance Rupees 235 has been recommended to be transferred to another work.
NORTH ARCOT.							
Improving Dusi Main Channel	17,500	Do. No. 452, dated 17th Mar. 1862.	14,635	2,815	...	†2,563	† The remaining sum of Rupees 277 was transferred to another work in G. O. No. 927, dated 4th April 1864.
Poiney Anicut Southern Channel from Lalpet to Surpentangle.	19,300	Do. No. 3,637, dated 9th Dec. 1863.	2,963	16,332	13,906	‡1,774 9,807	‡ The balance Rupees 652 is included in Statement No. 1 of savings called for in G. O. No. 20, dated 7th March 1864.

No. 684. ORDER THEREON, 29th April 1864, No. 1,228.

On the understanding that funds are available, the Governor in Council sanctions the appropriation of the savings specified in paragraph 8 of the foregoing letter to the payment of compensation for lands taken up for public purposes in the Madras District in 1861-62 and 1862-63.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.
„ Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.
„ Accountant General.

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Chepauk
29th April 1864

To The Supt. Engr. 4 Divn. W. to b. letters
" Controller & Auditor of P.W. Accounts
" Accountant General.

Desp. 2nd May.

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No. 2.

D.P.W. 1864. No. 11

From

The Deputy Engineer

4th Division

To The Secretary

to Government

D.P.W.

Dated 16th April

Recd 18th " 1864

86. No. 6308

Requests Sanction for Redis-
tribution of certain allot-
ments to meet the Amount
paid by Deputy Collector
as Compensation for Lands
taken up for Western & Northern
Trunk Roads & for Adyar
Canal & Saint Thome
Cemetry.

No. 1228-29th April/64.

With an Order.

No. 683. 684.