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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
6th May 1864.*

No. 134. Read the following letter from J. W. B. DYKES, Esq., Collector of Nellore, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Vencatagherry, 12th April 1864, No. 20:—

SIR,

- * Proceedings of Government. 1. Some time ago the Government were pleased to accede* to the request of the Zemindar of this place, that such portion of the 1 per cent. Income Tax as should be allotted for his Zemindary, should be laid out in constructing a road from Vencatagherry to the Railway.
2. The road would not only be good for the Zemindari, but a good feeder for the Railway.
3. And, on arriving here this morning, I was sorry to find no progress had yet been accomplished in respect to this road, as regards actual construction.

4. The greater part of the road to be made, lying in North Arcot, the construction of the road was entrusted to the Public Works Department of that District.† I therefore do myself the honor to solicit further orders from Government on the subject, as, apparently the whole question has been lost sight of, and no provision, as far as I can see, having been made for it in the Budget of 1864-65, without the assistance of Government the coming year will see us at its close in the same unsatisfactory state we are in at present.

P. S.—The Government Proceedings referred to have been unfortunately mislaid, and cannot therefore be specified. The search for them is the cause of the delay in the despatch of this letter.

No. 135. ORDER THEREON, 6th May 1864, No. 1,311.

1. The Government observe that in Proceedings dated 31st December 1861, No. 2,436, they referred for the opinion of the Chief Engineer, a letter from the Collector of Nellore on the subject of the construction of a road from Vencatagherry to Kurcumbaddy.

2. In the papers‡ noted in the margin an Estimate for the proposed road was promised to be submitted by the late District Engineer North Arcot, but it has not yet been received.

The Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, will be requested to ascertain what steps have been taken in the matter, and when the Estimate may be expected.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Division.
" Do. do. 4th Division.
" Collector of Nellore.

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No 20

Kelowna, Collector Office,
Van Katsigini,
12th April 1884.

To
Mr. A. W. B. Dyke Esquire,
Collector of Kelowna.

To
Lieutenant Colonel C. A. Barr Esq.
Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Fort Saint George.

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Yours most obedient servant,
W. B. Day Re
Collector

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29th July
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 Dear Mr. Norton
 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th inst. and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.
 I am, Sir, very respectfully,
 Your obedient servant,
 J. W. Norton

2nd Fellow
Secretary to

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