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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
31st August 1865.*

No. 705. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Marine Department:—

Approving of the appropriation of the
proceeds (Rupees 9,494) of Flotsams
and Jetsams collected in the Nellore
District up to 1861-62, towards the
construction of the roads to the ports
of Pakala and Eskapillay. (Here enter 24th Aug. 1865, No. 185.)

No. 706. ORDER THEREON, 31st August 1865, No. 2,531.

ACCOUNT, No. 97.

1. Communicated to the Superin-
tending Engineer of the 2nd Division,
for information and guidance.

2. The Government observe that a sum of Rupees 11,000 is provided for
the roads in question in the current year's District Road Fund Budget. The total
amount available for expenditure on the works during the current year, is therefore
Rupees 20,494.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,

Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer of the 2nd Division.

„ Revenue Department.

„ Controller of Public Works Accounts.

„ *Marine Department.*

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Marine Department,
24th August 1865.

No. 31. Read the following letter from J. J. FRANKLIN, Esq., Superintendent of Marine, to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Madras, 14th August 1865, No. 2908.

In my letter noted in the margin, I had the honor to lay before Government a Statement of the sums realized from Flotsams and Jetsams on the Coast of this Presidency, and the mode of their disposal. I pointed out that considerable amounts were recovered at or near ports at which no Port Funds were established, and recommended that such amounts should be appropriated to Marine Works in the District in which they were realized. The orders of Government thereon, directing that these moneys should be paid into the Port Fund of the nearest port, reached the office after I had taken my departure for England in 1863, and they still remain to be disposed of.

No. 761, dated 14th March 1863.

2. In December last, I addressed the Collectors of those Districts having ports without Port Funds, at which such sums had been collected, requesting that they would suggest how they could be expended to the best advantage. The Collector of Nellore, in which District the sum of Rupees 9494 has been realized up to 1861-62, states that the great and principal want is roads to the small ports, and recommends, in communication with the Superintending Engineer of the 2nd Division, that it should be expended in supplementing the Budget, which has already been passed in the proper Department, for completing the Roads to the ports of Pakala and Eskapillay, in the proportion of 5000 Rupees to the first, and 4494 Rupees to the latter. Estimates for these works have been sanctioned at 30,000 Rupees and 27,600 Rupees, respectively, but from want of funds they cannot be carried on.

3. I submit that this is a very legitimate mode of appropriating money so realized, and solicit permission to transfer the amount accordingly.

No. 32. ORDER THEREON, 24th August 1865, No. 185.

The Governor in Council approves the appropriation of the proceeds of Flotsams and Jetsams collected in the Nellore District up to 1861-62 towards the construction of the roads to the ports of Pakala and Eskapillay.

(True Extract).

G. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary.

To the Public Works Department.

„ Superintendent of Marine.
„ Collector of Nellore.
„ Accountant General.

Edw. J. H. Burns.

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To the Revenue Department
To the Superintending Engineer
of the 2nd Division
Revenue Department
Controller of P.W. Accounts
Secy 1st September

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No 185

Appropriation of the
proceeds (Rs. 94,941) of
Flotsams and Jetsams
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the construction of the
roads to the ports of
Pattala and Eschappilly.

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(With an order)

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