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No. 547. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Revenue Department, dated 17th September 1866, No. 2,499:—

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Kurnool, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Kurnool, 11th September 1866, No. 43.

1. With reference to the Order of Government, dated 4th instant, No. 2,350, I have the honor to state, that since my return to head-quarters I have ascertained that there are not a sufficient number of able-bodied poor in the immediate vicinity of Kurnool wanting employment, to render a special grant from Government necessary. The paupers who are daily relieved in the town are the aged and infirm, and are principally women and children. Coolies and able-bodied laborers stand out for high rates of pay, which shows that there is no lack of employment for them.

2. The Cusbah of this Táluq is distant about 22 miles from Kurnool, and is situated in the town of Ramalkottah. When recently encamped in the vicinity, the Tahsildar and headmen of the neighbouring villages informed me that a number of people had come in from the south-west portion of the District, in search of employment and food, and begged me to recommend the commencement of some public work, which would furnish them with the means of subsistence for the next three or four months.

3. The Cusbah, Ramalkottah, is about five miles off the main road leading from Kurnool to Gooty, which will be the principal railway feeder as soon as the line is opened to the latter place, and it is, therefore, desirable to connect all the principal towns with it. A road connecting Yeldoorty, through which this line of communication passes, with the town of Ramalkottah was commenced when Captain Russell was Officiating Agent to the Governor, but for some reason or other, the work was abandoned, and what little was done soon fell into disrepair. A good road between these two places, without other masonry works than a few road dams, is estimated to cost about Rupees 4,000, and as it is within easy distance of Kurnool, the head-quarters of the Range, it might be carried out by the Executive Engineer, who has charge of the Gooty line, as far as the boundary of the District, about eight miles from Gooty.

4. As the work will be one of considerable public utility, and will give employment to a number of able-bodied poor, I trust that the grant applied for may receive the sanction of Government.

Miscellaneous.

1. The grant applied for (Rupees 4,000) is sanctioned.

2. Orders will be passed in the Department Public Works regarding the execution of the work.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 21st September 1866.

No. 548. ORDER THEREON, 21st September 1866, No. 3,035.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 103.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer of the 3rd Division, who will take measures for the construction of the road referred to, leaving the outlay to be defrayed, under the management of the Collector, from the grant of Rupees 4,000 which has been placed at the disposal of that Officer for the purpose.

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division
„ Revenue Department.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 21st September 1866.

No. 547. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Revenue Department:—

Sanctioning a grant of Rupees 4,000 for a road to connect Yeldoorty with the Town of Ramalkottah, in the Kurnool District, and observing that orders will be issued in the Public Works Department regarding the execution of the work. } (Here enter 17th September 1866, No. 2,499.)

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Communicated to the Superintending Engineer of the 3rd Division, who will take measures for the construction of the road referred to, leaving the outlay to be defrayed, under the management of the Collector, from the grant of Rupees 4,000 which has been placed at the disposal of that Officer for the purpose.

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division.
„ Revenue Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. 397. Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Kurnool, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Kurnool, 11th September 1866, No. 43 :—

1. With reference to the Order of Government, dated 4th instant, No. 2,350, I have the honor to state, that since my return to head-quarters I have ascertained that there are not a sufficient number of able-bodied poor in the immediate vicinity of Kurnool wanting employment, to render a special grant from Government necessary. The paupers who are daily relieved in the Town are the aged and infirm, and are principally women and children. Coolies and able-bodied laborers stand out for high rates of pay, which shews that there is no lack of employment for them.

2. The Cusbah of this Talook is distant about 22 miles from Kurnool, and is situated in the town of Ramalkottah. When recently encamped in the vicinity, the Tahsildar and headmen of the neighbouring villages informed me that a number of people had come in from the south-west portion of the District, in search of employment and food, and begged me to recommend the commencement of some public work, which would furnish them with the means of subsistence for the next three or four months.

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4. As the work will be one of considerable public utility, and will give employment to a number of able-bodied poor, I trust that the grant applied for may receive the sanction of Government.

No. 398. ORDER THEREON, 17th September 1866, No. 2,499.

Miscellaneous.

1. The grant applied for (Rupees 4,000) is sanctioned.

2. Orders will be passed in the Department Public Works regarding the execution of the work.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Collector of Kurnool.
„ the Public Works Department.
„ the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 21st Sept. 1866.

Read the following

Proceedings of the Madras Govt.
in the Revenue Dept. (Here enter No. 2499 dt. 17th Sept. 1866.)

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer of the 3d Division, who will take measures for the construction of the road referred to, leaving the outlay to be defrayed under the management of the Collector, from the grant of Rs. 4,000 which has been placed at the disposal of that Officer for the purpose

To Supt. Engr. 3d Divn
Accts Dept
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No. 151

Proc. of Govt. for September 1866
No. 3035
Proc. of the Madras Govt in the Revenue Dept.

dt. 17th & 19th Septr 66
No. 2499

Sanctioning a grant of Rs. 4,000 for a Road to connect Melkoorky with the town of Ramal Kottah in the Chumool Distt. & directing that orders will be issued in the P. W. Dept. regarding the execution of the work.

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