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No. 703. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Revenue Department, dated 24th January 1866, No. 203 :—

Read also the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department, dated 17th January 1866, No. 192.

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(Signed) J. GROSE,
Acting Under Secretary to Government.

No. 704 ORDER THEREON, 29th January 1866, No. 334.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 111.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer of the 4th Division.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.

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No. 398. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 28th December 1865, No. 3,410:—

1 Estimate (abstract).
1 Traffic Return.

That part of the Arnee, Chetput, and Ginjee road which lies between Arnee and Vennamangalum in the North Arcot District, a distance of eight miles, has been made out of Local Funds, but as it lies in Zemindary limits the Collector of the District objects to giving Local Funds for its maintenance, and the road is going to ruin. Had the Income Tax continued it was my intention to have applied for a sum of money out of these funds. I am now compelled to apply for a grant from Imperial Funds, and have the honor to forward an estimate for 1,200 Rupees for the up-keep for one year, which I request that the Government will be pleased to sanction. It is true that only four months of the year remain, but the whole sum, Rupees 1,200, can be most advantageously spent, considering the state into which the road has been allowed to fall. I regret that I cannot suggest any savings which can be diverted to meet the funds applied for.

No. 399. ORDER THEREON, 17th January 1866, No. 192.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 69.

No. 99, dated 16th October 1865, circulated with G. O. No. 3,468, dated 17th November 1865.

Under the views which are expressed in the Orders of the Government of India marginally noted, His Excellency in Council is unable to sanction a grant from Imperial Funds for the maintenance of the portion of the Arnee and Ginjee road which is referred to in the foregoing letter. Arrangements should therefore be made for the cost of its annual repair being defrayed from the Local Funds of the North Arcot District.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, with two Enclosures.
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Order thereon 24th January 1866 No. 203.

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Actg Under Secy to Govt

To

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Taking orders on G.O. Pro. No. 192 of 1866, intimating that arrangements should be made for the annual cost of the repair of the road between Arnee and Vennamangalum being defrayed from the Local Funds of the North Arcot Dist.
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