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Government of Madras.

Public works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
1st May 1867.*

No. 24. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Bellary, 17th April 1867, No. 165 :—

1. With reference to paragraph 3 of G. O. No. 947, of 26th ultimo, I have the honour to submit an original docket*
* No. 4, dated 6th April 1867. (to be returned) from the Assistant Engineer in charge of the Military Buildings Range, from which you will observe that the amount required to complete the channel as far as the Allipore nullah is Rupees 1,100. The work is in progress now from the famine grants, and, after inspecting it this morning, I think it should be completed up to the nullah before the end of the month.

2. The construction of the reservoir is the next which should be put in hand ; and to do this I would propose employing the men of the Sappers and Miners stationed here, as soon as they shall have completed the work on which they are at present engaged. As the distance out is about five miles, I think it would be economical to construct huts for a large working party, who should stay out there when not required for guards, &c.

3. If Government approve of this arrangement, I might at once give orders to collect stone for the masonry works and revetment of the tank, to cover the expenditure of which an allotment might be made later in the year.

No. 25. ORDER THEREON, 1st May 1867, No. 1,304.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 3.

1. In the Order of the 26th March 1867, No. 947, the Government sanctioned an estimate amounting to Rupees 69,300 for improving the supply of water to the Cantonment of Bellary by the construction of an anicut across the Chuttrum nullah, the excavation of a channel from thence to a tank in the Native Infantry Lines at Bellary and the formation of an intermediate reservoir at Allipore.

2. The Superintending Engineer of the 3rd Division now reports, with reference to paragraph 3 of that order, that the proposed channel as far as the Allipore nullah will probably be completed from *famine* funds by the 30th instant, and he recommends that the construction of the reservoir at Allipore, estimated at Rupees 47,045, be next taken in hand, and that the men of the Sappers and Miners stationed at Bellary be employed upon the work.

3. The Government approve of these proposals, and they will be prepared to sanction a small allotment of funds later in the year, on the Superintending Engineer's application.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, with one original Enclosure.

„ Controller of Public Works Accounts.
„ Accountant General.
„ Military Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

N^o 165.

From

Supdy. Engineer's Office.
Bellary 17th April 1867.

The Superintending Engineer
3rd Division
The Secretary to Government.
Public Works Department.

Sir,

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Under date the 1st May 1867.

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[Signature]

To the Supy. Engr. 3^d Divⁿ with one original Encl^r. ✓
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Proc: of the Madras Govt.
of 1st May 1867

The proposal to employ
the men of the Sappers and
Miners at Bellary, in the
construction of Reservoir at
Allipore, in Bellary, approved
and the Supg. Engrs. informed
that funds will be allotted
for the work later in the year.

No. 24-25