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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
2nd February 1869.*

No. 60. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Revenue Department:—

Sites of old roads in Malabar District.—
Their sale proceeds ordered to be credited to } (Here enter 21st January 1869, No. 178.)
the District Road Fund.

No. 61. ORDER THEREON, 2nd February 1869, No. 329.

LOCAL FUNDS, No. 1.
Account.

Communicated to the Superintend-
ing Engineer of the 7th Division.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
21st January 1869.*

No. 373. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th January 1869, No. 65 :—

Read the following letter from the Collector of Malabar, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated on circuit at Sultan's Battery, 18th November 1868, No. 329.

1. Some little time ago I called for a Return of the areas of old roads that had been abandoned for new traces or other reasons.

I have just received this Return from the Sub-division.

Of which perhaps 157 Acres may be now occupied as footpaths, shortcuts, &c.

It would appear that there is a total area of about 191 Acres in the three northern talooks formerly occupied by old roadways.

2. I propose having all the lines that may be conveniently retained as public ways, kept as public property.

Also, all such spots as it may seem desirable on careful consideration to retain for gravel pits, supplier of earth for embankments, and such like.

3. But I beg the Board's sanction to sell the remainder to neighbouring Proprietors or Cultivators and carry the proceeds to the District Road Fund. Compensation has almost always to be given for land taken up for new roads now. The new roads will be almost always District Roads, and the District Funds would seem to have the best claim to the proceeds of the sales above recommended.

In the foregoing letter, the Collector requests sanction for the sale of the sites of old roads in the Sub-division, abandoned for new traces or other reasons, and for carrying the proceeds to the credit of the District Road Fund.

2. As the old roads in question are superseded by the new roads, the ground for which has to be bought, it seems to the Board reasonable that whatever sums may be realized for the former may be credited to the Road Fund, which has to pay for the latter. The value of the old site may be taken as a set off against part of the cost of the new ground.

3. The Board accordingly request sanction of Government to the Collector's proposal.

No. 374. ORDER THEREON, 21st January 1869, No. 178.

Local Funds, No. 8.
Account.

Sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

[Signature]
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant General.
,, the Public Works Department.

Exd. G. A. Turton.

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Nos. 373-374.

Sites of old roads in Malabar District.
Their sale proceeds ordered to be credited to the
District Road Fund.

No 329 - 2nd Friday 1869

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