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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
5th February 1869.*

No. 149. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Revenue Department:—

Tanjore District Road Fund.—Supplemental
Budget of works to be executed out of the large } (Here enter 18th January 1869, No. 142.)
available balance, sanctioned.

No. 150. ORDER THEREON, 5th February 1869, No. 373.

LOCAL FUNDS, No. 6.

Account.

Communicated to the Superintend-
ing Engineer of the 6th Division.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
18th January 1869.*

No. 295. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 13th November 1868, No. 8,037 :—

Read the following letter from the Collector of Tanjore, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Point Calimere, Tritrapundi Talook, 31st July 1868, No. 167.

I have the honor to submit, for the sanction of the Board and Government, a Supplemental Budget for utilizing the large balance left unexpended at the close of the past Official year, under the District Road Fund.

2. The amount that was thus left, from various causes, was Rupees 2,16,937, to which adding Rupees 14,227 to be refunded by the Public Works Department, * G. O., No. 3,890, of 16th December 1867. being the amount actually expended out of the loan* of Rupees 28,750, made last year on account of the Vedaraniem Canal, make the total assets under this Fund come to Rupees 2,31,164. From this sum, however, has to be deducted Rupees 34,819, as shown below :—

Total available assets	RS. 2,31,164
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Deduct.

Amount for which proposals have been already made in the original Budget of 1868-69	12,430
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Do. sanctioned from the "Reserve" on account of Petty Establishment of Overseers and Maistries, to be charged against this balance.— <i>Vide</i> Board's Proceedings, dated 23rd May 1868, No. 3,818	5,040
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Amount for "Tools and Plant" to be likewise transferred from the Reserve, and debited against this balance ...	2,168
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Public Works Supervision for works recently transferred from the Revenue to Public Works Department.— <i>Vide</i> my letter, dated 7th July 1868, No. 151	15,181
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34,819

Net assets available	1,96,345
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3. Following is an abstract of the works proposed for the appropriation of a portion of the balance above shown :—

	Public Works Department.	Revenue Department.	Total.
	RS.	RS.	RS.
New Works.	54,290	2,000	56,290
Repairs.	25,325	11,710	37,035
Tools and Plant, at one per cent.	79,615 796	13,710 137	93,325 933
Add Public Works Supervision.	80,411	13,847	94,258 7,961
			1,02,219

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Deducting, therefore, this sum from the total available amount, namely, Rupees 1,96,345, there still remains a balance of Rupees 94,126 unappropriated. Regarding this balance Captain Oakes, the Superintending Engineer, writes as follows:—
“It is no easy matter at this season to prepare estimates for roads in the Delta, and hence it will be far from easy to propose works to the amount of the balance available from Local Funds; instead, therefore, of waiting till estimates for the full amount are prepared and submitted, I would suggest that it should be represented to the Board that there is this large balance, and that all estimates should be submitted as they are received, the amount proposed for expenditure within the year being deducted from the balance as each estimate is submitted.” I beg to recommend that the sanction of the Board be accorded to this proposal, as otherwise it is impossible to utilize the funds that are available. There is no fear that by following this course, outlays will be made without proper consideration, for the requirements of the district communications have been carefully ascertained, and all estimates to be prepared will, therefore, be for one or other of the projects included in the scheme forwarded with the letter noted in the margin.

Dated 26th June 1868, No. 145.

4. As regards the works entered in the present Supplemental Budget, the only item requiring remark under “New Works,” is “Minor Works,” for which a sum of Rupees 12,000 is provided. Of this sum Rupees 2,000 are partly for petty emergent works sanctioned by the Superintending Engineer and myself, and partly for re-allotting the unexpended portion of last year's grant, each of such works being below Rupees 250. The balance of Rupees 10,000, therefore, is intended for more minor works, for which estimates are now being prepared, and will be put in hand as each of them receives the sanction of the Superintending Engineer and myself. Under the head “Repairs” there is a similar provision of Rupees 25,000 for the like purpose, and excepting this, there is no other item under this head calling for any remark.

5. From the abstract given in paragraph 3, the Board will observe that the sum to be placed at the disposal of the Superintending Engineer on account of this Supplemental Budget is Rupees 88,372, adding to this the Public Works Supervision, namely, Rupees 15,181, given at the end of paragraph 2, for works recently transferred from the Revenue to the Public Works Department, the total to be placed at the credit of the Public Works Department, amounts to Rupees 1,03,553.

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No.	Description of Works.	Amount of Estimate.	Actual expenditure from the commencement of the work to 31st March 1868.	Amount required for 1868-69.		Remarks and Reference.
				By Public Works Department.	By Revenue Department.	
1	New Works. Railway feeder from Kordachery to Road No. 23	Rs. 12,100	Rs. 10,532	Rs. 2,000	Rs. 2,000	G. O. (P. W. D.) 12th December 1864, No. 3,516. Do. (Revenue Department), 13th September 1866, No. 2,450 Board's Proceedings, No. 1,021, of 11th February 1868. Only Rs. 260 are required to be re-allotted out of the balance of last year's allotment as a sum of Rs. 8,000 is provided in the Budget of 1868-69 — Vide item No. 134, also G. O., dated 22nd April 1868, No. 1,063. Estimate submitted separately.
2	Constructing Tunnels on Road No. 43	880	40	880	...	Vide G. O., No. 500, dated 22nd February 1868. Work not commenced, in 1867-68, owing to funds having been allotted late in the year. Estimate will be submitted shortly.
3	Repairs to Masonry works on Road No. 26 from Valangammy to Mootoopettah.	3,900	...	3,900	...	Do.
4	Road No. 70 along the Coleroon south bank from Anacuron Chuttrum bridge to Lower Anicut.	25,000	...	10,000	...	Do.
5	Do. do. in Combaconum Taluk.	3,750	...	3,750	...	Do.
6	Masonry works on Road No. 51	3,400	...	3,400	...	Do.
7	Improving and widening the Railway feeder from Kordachery to Kodavusel, or Road No. 17	6,380	...	6,000	...	Do.
8	Metalling Road No. 4 from the Jembocavery bridge to Trivadi.	18,000	...	18,000	...	Do.
9	Minor New Works	12,000	...	12,000	...	Do.
10	Repairs.	540	215	325	2,000	Unexpended balance of the last year's allotment to be re-allotted.
11	Repairing Railway feeder from Ammisippen to Kordachery, or Road No. 84	3,470	1,810	...	1,660	Do.
12	Road No. 11, from Combaconum to Odmarpollen on the north bank of Coleroon	5,070	2,620	...	3,040	Do.
13	Road from Ramappa Mandipum to Vallam	4,160	2,142	...	2,010	Do.
14	Road No. 9, from Tanjore to Gandracottai	5,000	...	25,000	5,000	Vide Board's Proceedings, dated 25th Feb'y. 1868, No. 1,401. The expenditure was commenced from 1st April 1868.
15	Minor Repairs	25,000	...	25,825	...	Do.
	Total	...	...	79,615	13,710	
	Tools and Plant, at one per cent	...	...	796	137	
	Public Works Supervision, at ten per cent	...	...	7,961	...	
				88,372	13,847	

For 1868-69.

ENCLOSURE NO. 1.
Tanjore District.
SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET OF THE DISTRICT ROAD FUND.
Works proposed for execution out of the funds at the disposal of the Collector.

(Signed) G. L. MORRIS,
Collector.

Point Calivake,
31st July 1868.

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With the foregoing letter, the Collector submits, for sanction, a Supplemental Road Fund Budget for the current Official year.

2. The Budget contains fifteen items, of which the first nine are for new works, the remaining six being for repairs. The total allotment for both New Works and Repairs is Rupees 93,325, which the Collector proposes to meet from a sum of Rupees 1,96,345 available for distribution.

3. The actual Cash balance of the Fund at the close of the past Official year is given as Rupees 2,16,937, to which is added Rupees 14,227 expected to be refunded by the Public Works Department out of the loan advanced from the Fund for the Vadaraniem Canal, making a total of Rupees 2,31,164. From this amount, the following sums are deducted by the Collectors:—

Amount for which proposals have been already made in the Original Budget of 1868-69	RS.
Amount sanctioned from the "Reserve" on account of Petty Establishment of Overseers and Maistries to be charged against this balance.— <i>Vide</i> Board's Proceedings, dated 23rd May 1868, No. 3,818	12,430
Amount for "Tools and Plant" to be likewise transferred from the Reserve, and debited against this balance	5,040
Public Works Supervision for works recently transferred from the Revenue to Public Works Department.— <i>Vide</i> Collector's letter, dated 7th July 1868, No. 151	2,168
	15,181
Total...	34,819

4. The Board are unable to trace the proposals in the current year's Original Budget to which the first item of Rupees 12,430 refers, and therefore they desire to be furnished with the particulars thereof.

5. The next two items of Rupees 5,040 and 2,168 having been already allotted from the current year's Reserve, it is not apparent why they should now be deducted from the total assets available.

6. The last item of Rupees 15,181, on account of the cost of Public Works Supervision on certain transfers of allotments from the Revenue to the Public Works Department, is the only one which should be deducted from the total assets. But as the amount of the transfers has been reduced in the Board's Office from Rupees 1,51,810 to Rupees 1,19,780, as will be seen from a separate Proceedings, the cost of supervision should be calculated on the latter sum, and would amount to only Rupees 11,980. This sum, together with Rupees 13,000, the anticipated balance of the Fund on the 1st April 1868 shewn in the Budget, should be deducted from the total assets of Rupees 2,31,164. The remaining amount, namely, Rupees 2,06,184, should therefore be considered as the available assets of the year.

7. The Board approve of the works entered in the Budget; but as the information given in the column headed "Remarks and References" is not clear, a revised Budget has been prepared in their Office. An Abstract of the Budget is as follows:—

By Public Works Department	Original works	RS.
	Repairs	54,290
		25,325

By Revenue Department	Original works	79,615
	Repairs	2,000
		11,710

Add—

Cost of Public Works Supervision	7,960
Allotment for Tools and Plant for the Public Works Department	800
Do. do. for the Revenue Department	140

1,02,225

This sum deducted from the net available assets of Rupees 2,06,184, leaves a surplus balance of Rupees 1,03,959.

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Revised Supplemental Budget of Works to be executed out of the District Road Fund, at Tanjore, during 1868-69.

No.	Description of work.	Amount of expenditure up to 31st March 1868.		Amount required for 1868-69.		Remarks.
		RS.	RS.	By Public Works Department.	By Revenue Department.	
1	New Works. Railway feeder from Koradacherry to Road No. 23...	12,100	10,532	880	2,000	Item No. 1 of the Supplemental Budget of 1867-68. G. O., R. D., 13th Sept. 1866, No. 2,450.
2	Constructing Tunnels on Road No. 48.....	880	..	260	..	Item No. 1 of the second Supplemental do. Board's Procs., 11th Feb 1868, No. 1,021.
3	Re-building and repairing bridges on Road No. 26, from Velangany to Muttupettah.	3,900	40	10,000	..	In addition to the sum of Rs. 3,600 provided for in the current year's Original Budget, Item No. 134. G. O., R. D., 22nd April 1868, No. 1,063.
4	Road No. 70, along the Coleroon south bank from Annacren Chuttrum bridge to Lower Anicut.	25,000	..	3,750	..	In addition to the sum of Rs. 2,500 provided for in the current year's Original Budget, Item No. 131. G. O., R. D., 7th Oct. 1867, No. 2,584.—Calling for further information regarding the estimates.
5	Do. do. in Combaconum Talook	3,750	..	3,400	..	Item No. 2 of the second Supplemental Budget for 1867-68. G. O., 22nd Feb. 1868, No. 500.
6	Masonry works on Road No. 51	3,400	..	6,000	..	Estimate will be submitted.
7	Improving and widening the Railway feeder from Koradacherry to Kodavusel, or Road No. 17.	6,380	..	18,000	..	G. O., R. D., 24th Oct. 1868, No. 2,710.
8	Metalling Road No. 4, from the Jembucavery bridge to Trivady.	18,000	..	12,000	..	Estimate will be submitted.
9	Minor new works	12,000	..	54,290	2,000	
	Repairs.			325	1,660	Repair List of the second Supplemental Budget of 1867-68.
	Repairing Railway feeder from Ammiappen to Kordacherry, or Road No. 84	540	215	..	3,040	Repair Lists of the Original and second Supplemental Budget of 1867-68.
	Road No. 11, from Combaconum to Odipolhem on the north bank of Coleroon.	3,470	1,810	..	2,010	
	Road from Ramuppanadapam to Vallam....	5,670	2,620	..	5,000	
	Do. No. 9, from Tanjore to Gaudracottah.....	4,150	2,142	..	..	
	Allotment for Lamine works.....	5,000	..	25,000	..	
	Minor Repairs	25,000	..	25,325	11,710	
	Total			79,615	13,710	Board's Procs., 25th Feb. 1868, No. 1,401.

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8. The Board request that the sanction of Government may be accorded to the proposed expenditure of Rupees 1,02,225.

9. The Board approve of the suggestion of the Superintending Engineer, supported by the Collector, to utilize the large surplus balance of Rupees 1,03,959. The Collector will submit the estimates as they are received, and in doing so, he will first attend to the requirements of Railway feeders in the district.

No. 296. ORDER THEREON, 18th January 1869, No. 142.

Local Funds, No. 5.
Accounts.

Sanction is accordingly granted for the expenditure of Rupees 1,02,225. The Government hope that satisfactory action will be shewn in utilizing the large

balances available in the Tanjore and other Districts.

(True Extract.)

W. A. Turton

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Public Works Department. ✓
„ the Accountant General.

Exd. G. A. Turton.

Govt. of Madras, Madras.
REVENUE. 22/3.

To
THE BOARD OF REVENUE,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated January, 18th

Recd. 20th

G. O., 18th January 1869, No. 142

JANUARY.

Nos. 295-298.

No 373-5- Feb 21/69

received of Local Fund.—Supplement
to be credited out of the large
balance, sanctioned.

With an order

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for 1867-68. Paid by the
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