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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
17th July 1869.*

Read the following papers:—

No. 407. Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Revenue Department:—

Road from Sheally to Panangathangudy in Tanjore District.—Estimate for its construction, sanctioned. (Here enter 9th July 1869, No. 1,987.)

No. 408. Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Revenue Department:—

Road from Codamurty to Thavoor in Tanjore District.—Estimate for its completion, sanctioned. (Here enter 9th July 1869, No. 1,988.)

No. 409. ORDER THEREON, 17th July 1869, No. 2,338.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 58.

COMMUNICATED to the Superintending Engineer of the 6th Division.

2. As no money is at present available in the Public Works Department for appropriation, the consideration of the question of allotting funds from the Imperial Grant to meet half the cost of the masonry works referred to must be deferred.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.;

Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division.
„ the Controller of Public Works Accounts.
„ Revenue Department.

Exl. F. R. Bantleman.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
9th July 1869.*

No. 205. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 26th May 1869, No. 3,746 :—

Read the following letter from the Collector of Tanjore, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Puttucottah, 8th May 1869, No. 84.

I HAVE the honour to submit, for the sanction of the Board and Government, plans and estimates,* amounting to Rupees 12,650, for forming a road from Sheally to Panangathangudy on the Coleroon bank.

* Sent separately.

† To be returned.

2. I enclose also an original letter† from the Superintending Engineer,

explaining the usefulness of the line in question.

3. This estimate is entered in the current year's Local Fund Budget with an allotment of Rupees 8,250.

4. It will be seen that of the amount of the estimate, namely, Rupees 12,650, Rupees 2,485 are debitable to Imperial Funds, leaving Rupees 10,165 to be provided from the District Road Fund.

5. With reference to the last paragraph of Captain Oakes's letter I have informed him that he can commence to collect materials for masonry works, and put the earth-work in hand, in anticipation of the estimate being sanctioned.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From Captain W. F. OAKES, R.E., Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, to the Collector of Tanjore, dated 30th April 1869, No. 149.

I HAVE the honour to enclose an estimate of Rupees 12,650 for the formation of a road from Sheally to the Coleroon bank, (along which a road is now being formed) at Panangathangudy.

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2. The line, as will be observed from the accompanying sketch, taps a very rich portion of the district, namely, that supplied by portions of the South Rajah Voikal, the Muniyaur, and the Palavanaur. As the country is very rich, the line is taken from village to village, and passes near or through seven villages, and is not so straight as could be desired.

Panangathangudy.
Kondal.
Vallavacoorchy.
Ramapuram.
Agathupattam.
Nimthavellore.
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3. The line is 6 miles and 183 yards long; it crosses the Palavanaur by an existing work, namely, the Ooree aqueduct which is arched over. The largest bridge is therefore one of two spans of fifteen feet over the South Rajah Voikal, and this being a channel which has been excavated within the present century, half the cost of the work must be defrayed under the head of Agricultural, under Government Order, No. 870, dated 17th March. In addition to the above, there are eighteen masonry works of various spans, fifteen of which are below 3 feet; and if half their cost is debited to Agricultural, as lately proposed by me to Government, the sum to be provided under the head Agricultural, will be Rupees 2,485, leaving Rupees 10,165 to be provided from Local Funds.

Estimate Rupees 1,590.

4. This work appears as No. 315 in the Budget of 1869-70, and Rupees 8,250 are allotted for it.

5. If the work is put in hand at once bricks may be prepared, and the minor masonry works may be built this season; the large works being put in hand early next year, and being completed, if possible, in the current official year. Much of the earth-work may probably also be executed

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this season, before the cultivating season begins ; I would, therefore, suggest that the work should be put in hand at once, in anticipation of the sanction of the Revenue Board, and I beg that the Tahsildar of Sheally may be called upon to aid the Range Officer in taking up land where it is necessary to do so. A sum of Rupees 652-11-7 is provided for the land which may probably be required.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Estimate.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 3 to 6.—Plans.

THE estimate for making a road from Sheally to Panangathangudy at a cost of Rupees 12,650 will be submitted for the sanction of Government.

2. The expenditure is made up of the following items :—

	RS.
Earth-work, etc.,	4,530
Masonry... ..	8,120

3. Out of the cost of masonry works, Rupees 2,485 is payable from Imperial Funds under Government Order, Revenue Department, dated 11th March 1869, No. 656.

No. 206.

ORDER THEREON, 9th July 1869, No. 1,987.

Miscellaneous.

THE estimate for making the road from Sheally to Panangathangudy (6 miles and 183½ yards), amounting to Rupees 12,650, is sanctioned. The cost of masonry works and bridges amounts to Rupees 8,120.

2. Orders will be issued from the Public Works Department on paragraph 3 of the Board's Proceedings.

(True Extract.)

R. D. Bantleman
Acting Secretary to Government.

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

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

20 August 1869

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Nos. 205-206.

Road from Sheally to Panangathangudy
 in Tanjore District.—Estimate for its construction, sanctioned.

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9th July 1869.

No. 207. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 31st May 1869, No. 3,838:—
 Read the following letter from the Collector of Tanjore, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 26th April 1869, No. 68.
 With reference to the Board's Proceedings, dated 19th February last, No. 1,122, I have the honour to forward for sanction an estimate, amounting to Rupees 3,100, for completing the road No. 85 therein referred to.
 2. This line will join road No. 65, between Keervalore and Cutchanum, now under construction, and will bring into communication with Negapatam all that part of the talook between road No. 65 and the coast.
 3. Through the influence of the earth-work and eight tunnels at their own cost. It is for completing this line and making it uniform in breadth, as well as constructing four masonry tunnels more, that the present estimate is submitted.
 4. Of the amount of the estimate, namely, Rupees 3,100, Rupees 445 appertain to the aforesaid masonry tunnels across irrigating channels, and consequently half of the estimate, or Rupees 222-8-0, will be contributed from Imperial Funds under "Agricultural".
 5. For this work Rupees 6,510* are provided in the Budget of Local Funds for 1869-70; but as will be seen from the above, only Rupees 2,877-8-0 will be required therefrom.

* No. 322.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Estimate.

The estimate for completing road No. 85 from the Codamurty bridge on road No. 36 to Thavoor on the Cutchanum road, at a cost of Rupees 3,100, is submitted for the sanction of Government.
 2. The total is made up of the following items:—

Earth-work, etc.,	...	RS. 2,625
Masonry, ...	...	445
Mile-stones, ...	...	30

 3. Half the cost of the masonry works should, the Superintending Engineer reports, be made from Imperial Funds.

No. 208. **ORDER THEREON,** 9th July 1869, No. 1,988.
 The estimate for completing road No. 85 from Codamurty bridge on road No. 36 to Thavoor on Cutchanum road (5 miles 5 furlongs and 133 yards), amounting to Rupees 3,100, is sanctioned. The cost of masonry works amounts to Rupees 445.
 2. Orders will be passed in the Public Works Department on paragraph 3 of the Board's Proceedings.
 (True Extract.)

Miscellaneous.

J. H. Aylett

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
 .. the Public Works Department.
 .. the Accountant-General.
 Exd. F. B. Bantleman.

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To *The Superintending Engrs*
6th Division

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Roads Pres. Ave. Depd. sanctioning
estimates amounting to Rs 15,750
for making and improving certain
roads in the Tanjore Dist. and
Off. concerned with instructions.