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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
11th April 1870.*

No. 168. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Coonoor, 14th March 1870, No. 221 —

I HAVE the honour to submit, for the orders of Government, a request that the "Hill Road" allotment of Rupees 1,500 granted for the Neilgherries ever since Lord Dalhousie's time, (see my letter, No 77, of 30th June 1868, paragraph 2,) may be specially exempted from the operation of paragraph 15 of G O, No 3,916, of 15th December 1869, abolishing all allotments for "Special Repairs of Roads." The peculiar nature of the allotment for maintenance and improvement of the numerous bridle-paths on the Neilgherries was evidently lost sight of on its being merged under the general heading of "Special Repairs" in my letter, printed with G. O, No 1,350, of 23rd April 1869, under which order a sum of Rupees 1,610 was made available last year. I believe I have only to point out the exceptional nature of the grant to which I allude to have it restored, especially as the local resources of the Neilgherries are so small.

No. 169. ORDER THEREON, 11th April 1870, No. 1003.

ACCOUNT, No. 9.

As the Government are opposed to the transfer of roads from the Local to the Imperial list, they are unable to

accede to the recommendation contained in this letter.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

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Supy Engineer's Office 7th Lⁿ
Coonor 14th March 1870

From,

Colonel G. W. Walker R.E.

Supy Eng^r 7th Lⁿ

To,

Colonel C. F. Orr R.E.

Secretary to Govt S.P.W.

Sir,

I have the honor to submit for the Orders of Government a request that the "Hill Road" allotment of Rs. 1,500 granted for the Kelgheries, ever since Lord Dalhousie's time, (see my letter N^o 77 of 30th June 1868 para 2) may be specially exempted from the operation of para 15 of G. O. N^o 3916 of 15th December 1869, abolishing all allotments for "Special Repairs of Roads". The peculiar nature of the allotment for maintenance and improvement of the numerous Bridlepaths on the Kelgheries was evidently lost sight of on its being merged under the general heading of "Special Repairs" in my letter printed with G. O. N^o 1350 of 23rd April 1869; under which order a sum of Rs. 1610 was made available last year. I believe I have only to point out the exceptional nature of the grant to which I allude, to have it restored, especially as the local resources of the Kelgheries are so small.

I have the honor to be
Your most obed^t servant
G. W. Walker Col R.E.
Supy Eng^r 7th Lⁿ

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