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Government of Madras.

Public works DEPARTMENT.

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Dated	3. 8.	1870.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
3rd August 1870.*

No. 25. Read the following letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Palamcottah, 30th June 1870, No. 824 —

I HAVE the honour to inform you that the cost of repairing breaches in the Tambrapurni River banks, caused by the extraordinary floods of last November, has been estimated at Rupees 13,800. Of this sum Rupees 8,300 are for closing very emergent work to prevent injury by ordinary freshes to the wet cultivation and channels of irrigation. The balance, although not quite so emergent, still merely allows for necessary repairs to smaller and shallower breaches in the artificial embankments, and the work should be carried out before the ensuing north-east monsoon.

2. With the Collector's concurrence I have sanctioned the first item of Rupees 8,300 to be carried out at once from the Agricultural allotment of the current year, but as this allotment* has already

* From Rupees 1,02,000 to 86,500, G. O. No. 813, dated 18th March 1870

been very materially reduced, and is insufficient even for completing emergent repairs to the numerous valuable works of irrigation in the district, I have the honour to request that the whole of the estimated cost of the repairs of the river embankments (Rupees 13,800) may be sanctioned from the Reserve, or the money transferred from some other division, where it may not be so emergently needed.

No. 26. ORDER THEREON, 3rd August 1870, No. 1,842.

IRRIGATION WORKS, No 1.

THE Government regret that they have, at the present time, no funds at their disposal for supplementing the allotment for Agricultural Repairs in the Tinnevely District, but later in the year, should it be found that money can be spared from other divisions, the requirements of Tinnevely will not be overlooked. In the meantime the Acting Superintending Engineer should provide, from the funds already made available, for those repairs to irrigation works which are the most urgently needed.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Acting Superintending Engineer, 8th Division.

Ed S T Augustin,

No 824

From,

Palanesthah
30th June 1870
Major G. M. Payne
Superintending Engineer

To,

8th Division
Colonel C. A. Orr. P. E.
Secretary to Government A. W. S.
Madras

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J. M. Payne Major
Superintending Engineer
8th Division

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With the Collector's concurrence,

1870 Dec 24
From, No 2557.
The Ag. Supt. Engineers
8th Division

To, Secretary to Govt.
P. W. D.

No 1862-3rd Dec 1870
Of 30th June 1870.
Recd. 4th July 1870.

(To be settled by the P. W. D. 1870)
are required for repairing
bridges in the Tinnivelly
District. (The P. W. D. has
been asked to suggest
that, as the bridge
repairs are insufficient
even for completing the
repairs to numerous
valuable irrigation works, a
special

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Special grant may be
made for the repairs
of the river banks.
Despatched 12 July 1870 O. 27

No 1862 P. W. D.

Proceedings of the Madras Govt.

Under date the 3rd Sept

Read the following

From

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Wm. 25/7/72

To
The Agt. Engrs & Dr.
Recd 11/8/70

C/2557

Govt. of 1870 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

to the Superintending Engr
of the District

1st

2nd

3rd

3rd Aug. 1862

Dec. 25-26

Agricultural Repairs in the
Minerelly District. Papers
orders in the letter from the
M. S. Engr. of the District re-
questing sanction to funds
to the amount of Rs. 13,810
in account of Agricultural
Repairs in the Minerelly
District.