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## Government of Madras.

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Public works **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 531 Press Mis.

303-04

Dated 15 2 1870.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 15th February 1870.*

No. 303. Read the following letter from Major R. B. KENNEDY, the Officer in charge of Public Works Operations in Wynaad, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Vythery, 26th January 1870, No. 49 :—

In case that any of the allotments for works in Wynaad, the execution of which is now suspended, should be again available, I beg to recommend the following works as those for which reductions may be made with the least injury :—

*Communications.*

| | Amount of reduction. Rs. | Rs. |
|---|---|---|
| Road to Bowally ... ... ... ... | 5,000 | |
| Culverts on Periah Road ... ... ... | 3,000 | |
| Tambracherry Ghaut ... ... ... ... | 9,000 | |
| Road from Tambracherry Ghaut to Mysore frontier ... ... ... ... ... | 1,000 | |
| Culpathy Bridge ... ... ... ... | 1,000 | |
| Karkoor Ghaut ... ... ... ... ... | 2,500 | |
| Road from Karkoor Ghaut to Goodaloor ... | 2,500 | |
| Road from Goodaloor to Tippacaudoo ... | 1,200 | |
| | | 25,200 |

*Police Buildings.*

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Eight Huts at Manantoddy ... ... ... | 1,000 | |
| Inspector's house at Vythery ... ... ... | 1,000 | |
| Huts at Nadaganny ... ... ... ... | 800 | |
| | | 2,800 |
| Minor Repairs to Civil Buildings ... ... ... | | 1,240 |
| Total... | | 29,240 |

On the other hand, there is a small excess expenditure on certain Police buildings amounting to Rupees 123.

2. I have, moreover, to add that besides the expenditure shown in the Progress Reports for December there will be a considerable amount to be met in the current month for petty contract work executed prior to receipt of G. O. of 29th ultimo,* but not measured up; and also for payments to workmen in arrears for the last week in December; but in drawing out the foregoing statement, I have taken all these into account.

* No. 4,015.

3. The total balances, after making the above reductions, would be as follows :—

| | Rs. |
|---|---|
| Civil Buildings other than Police ... ... ... ... | 2,868 |
| Police Buildings ... ... ... ... ... ... | 4,181 |
| Communications ... ... ... ... ... ... | 27,428 |
| Minor Repairs to Civil Buildings ... ... ... | 386 |
| Total... | 34,863 |

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No. 304. ORDER THEREON, 15th February 1870, No. 531.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 39.

MAJOR KENNEDY will be informed that, looking to the present state of the Public Works assignment, the Government will not be able to authorize the resumption of any of the works referred to with the exception of the Police buildings, the progress of which has been permitted to be continued in G. O., No. 385, of the 2nd February 1870.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
*Secretary to Government.*

To Major R. B. Kennedy.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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Special Exe: Engineer's Office
Wynaad Cutcherry
No 49. 26th January 1870.

From
The Special Executive Engineer
Wynaad

To
The Secretary to Government
Department Public Works
Madras

Sir,

I have the honor to report that any of the allotments for works in Wynaad, the proceeds of which is now suspended, should be again available, they will be commenced on the following works as those for which the money was originally granted can be made with the least delay.

| From | | Amount of Estimate |
|---|---|---|
| Road to Bovally | Rs | 7000 |
| Cutcherry to Perdiah Road | | 3000 |
| Sambracherry Grant | | 9000 |
| Road from Sambracherry Grant to Mudr Pambeall | | 1000 |
| Cuttaka Bridge | | 1000 |
| Karkoor Grant | | 2500 |
| Road from Karkoor Grant to Gordalur Salt | | 2500 |
| Road from Gordalur to Seppacaire | 1200 | 25200 |
| Carried over | | 25200 |

Brought over ... 25200..

Police Buildings

8 Hospital Magazine Body ... Rs 1000..
Inspectors house at Ryberry ... 1000..
Huts at Nadagamy ... 800 ... 2800..
Minor Repairs to Civil Buildings ... 1240..

Total ... 29240..

On the other hand there is a small saving in expenditure on Police Buildings amounting to Rupees 123.

2. I have moreover to add that besides the expenditure shown in the Progress Reports for December there will be a considerable account to be met in the current month for fully contracted expenditure prior to receipt of G.O. of 27th ultimo, but not measured up, and also for payments to several Kandyan Chiefs in arrears for the last week in December, but in drawing out the foregoing Statement I have taken all these into account.

3 The total liabilities of Government making the above deductions stand as follows:

Civil Buildings other than Police ... 2868..
Police Buildings ... 4184..
Communications ... 27428..
Minor Repairs to Civil Buildings ... 386..

Total ... 34,863..

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I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant

Lt. W. Kennedy Major
Special Executive Engineer

Wynaad

P. W. Department.

No. 531.

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Under date the 15th Feby 1870.

Read the following

From The Offg Executive Engineer Wynaad

To Major Kennedy.

Dept. 17/2/70.

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C/H. E. No 49 of 26th January 1870

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By Mr. Secy Stokes Offg
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Genl
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I have the honor to
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Executive Engineer
Wynaad's Report
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Govt. of (1870) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To Major H. D. Kennedy

Dated

Rec'd. Encl.

G. O. 15 Feby 1870. No. 531

Nos. 303 - 304

Read The Offr in charge of Buildings at Ootacamund informed that Compensation will be granted for the resumption of any of Lodges to accommodate Officers until the Erection of the Police Buildings