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Government of Madras.

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No. 348. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 1st February 1870, No. 706:—

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ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Statement showing the total Mileage and other particulars connected with Imperial roads in the Madras District, as mentioned in paragraph 11 of the Government Order, dated 11th November 1868, No. 2,831, prepared with reference to the Board's Official Memorandum, No. 955, dated 10th September 1869.

Number of the road as given in paragraph 9 of Government Order, No. 2,831, dated 11th November 1868.	Name of the road.	Total length in miles in this district.	During 1868-69.				Remarks.
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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I.	Great Northern road from Madras to Bengal frontier.	28¼	27	.....	1¼	.....	The 1¼ mile incomplete is a raised embankment across the Penangadi backwater. This is a completed line, but is being improved for rapid wheel traffic.
II.	Great Southern road from Madras to the Travancore frontier.	53½	53½	.....	.....	.....	This is a completed line, though it still needs a few masonry works on the portion in No. 3 Range. An estimate for re-metalling the latter ten miles of the portion in No. 4 Range was sanctioned by Government. Two miles have been completed out of the ten.
III.	Great Western road from Madras to Calicut.	50	50	.....	.....	.....	A completed line, but needs a few masonry works.

Statement showing the total Mileage and other particulars connected with Imperial roads, etc.—(Concluded.)

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	Extension of Cheyoor Salt road from Chotapaukum towards Wandiwash.	6½	.....	5	1	½	This road has not yet been metalled or gravelled.
	Road from Chunamboo Colum to Trunk Road No. 1 in the 32nd mile.	M. 4 Yds. 1,076	.....	.....	M. 3 Yds. 832	M. 1 Yds. 214	Two tunnels have been built and road formed with earth, 3 miles 832 yards in length.

MADRAS,
15th December 1869.

(Signed) J. BEAN, Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
Acting Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) W. T. BLAIR,
Acting Collector.

No. 706.

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MADRAS,
15th December 1869.

(Signed) J. BEAN, Lieutenant-Colonel, R.E.,
Acting Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) W. T. BLAIR,
Acting Collector.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government, in continuation of Board's Proceedings, dated 8th October 1869, No. 7,475.

(True Copies and Extract.)

Sub-Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works.

Copy to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

" to the Acting Collector of the Madras District.

Rd. G. A. Turton.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Superintending Engr.
" " Circuit

Dated

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Nos. 3 & 8-3 & 7

Imperial roads. Cost of the M & P and Ranc submitted with statement showing the Miles & Chains now the Miles of new road made in 1868-69, and of Bridges now & Bridges made in 1868-69, & Returns.

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Board of Revenue,

MADRAS. No. 527

PROCEEDINGS, 1ST FEBRUARY 1870, No. 706.

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No. 706.

Imperial road,—Letter from Collector of Madras forwarding Statement showing number of miles of, in District maintained in good order during 1868-69, number of miles of new road which has been completed during same period, as well as mileage still under construction and that not commenced upon, submitted to Government.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 17th February 1870.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government, in continuation of Boards' Proceedings, dated 8th October 1869, No. 7,475.

No. 349. ORDER THEREON, 17th February 1870, No. 555.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 43.

ORDERED to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

Govt. of [1870] Madras

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To

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

4TH DIVISION

&c., &c.,

Dated February, 1870.

Read. Exp.

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