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Read the following papers:—

No. 206. From the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.
(Here enter No. 1,815, dated 5th September 1871.)

No. 207. From do. do., 1st Division.
(Here enter No. 1,975, dated 25th September 1871.)

No. 208. From do. do., 2nd Division.
(Here enter No. 78, dated 29th September 1871.)

No. 209. From do. do., 3rd Division.
(Here enter No. 1,185, dated 22nd September 1871.)

No. 210. From do. do., 4th Division.
(Here enter No. 2,546, dated 18th September 1871.)

No. 211. From do. do., 5th Division.
(Here enter No. 149, dated 28th September 1871.)

No. 212. From do. do., 6th Division.
(Here enter No. 603, dated 4th October 1871.)

No. 213. From do. do., 7th Division.
(Here enter No. 119, dated 20th September 1871.)

No. 214. From do. do., 8th Division.
(Here enter No. 2,535, dated 11th October 1871.)

No. 215. ORDER THEREON, 10th November 1871, No. 2,863.

ACCOUNT, No. 18.

THE papers recorded above are the replies of the Superintending Engineers to an Order, No. 135 of the 14th September, calling upon them to state what sums they were able to surrender or what extra sums they required on account of Agricultural Repairs in 1871-72.

2. It appears that Rupees 10,000 can be surrendered in the 8th Division, and this sum will be transferred to the 6th Division to meet the cost of the restoration of the Teroomungalum Dam in the Trichinopoly District. The allotment for the Trichinopoly District will thus be raised to Rupees 81,000, and that for the 8th Division will now be Rupees 1,20,900.

G. O., No. 2,263, 5th September 1871, and No. 2,674-A., 20th October 1871.

3. Extra grants are stated to be required in the districts noted in the margin. The Government regret their inability to supplement the grants for these districts. They observe, however, that the expenditure in several districts for the first half of the year bears a very small proportion to the allotment and direct that statements of probable requirements and surrenders may again be submitted early in February when, if possible, the grants to the districts noted above will be augmented.

	Rs.
Ganjam	2,500
Vizagapatam	2,500
Godavery	45,000
Kistna	20,000
Nellore	16,000
South Arcot	7,000

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4. As large amounts are required in some districts the Superintending Engineers should be careful to estimate their expenditure rather below their actual requirements, as any balances due for work completed may be paid early in April from the allotment of 1872-73.

5. The Superintending Engineer of the 1st Division is informed that his proposition to transfer Rupees 4,000 to Minor New Works from the grant for the Telegraph Office at Cocanada cannot be sanctioned, as the assignments made to the Telegraph Department cannot be transferred to other heads.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE, 1ST DIVISION.
DOWLAISHWARUM, 5 September 1871

No. 1815

From

Major J. T. Fischer R.E.
Acting Superintending Engineer
1st Division

To

Colonel J. Carpendale R.E.
Secretary to Government D. P. W.
MADRAS

SIR,

I have the honor to bring to your notice that, out of the year's allotment for the Godavery District, under the head "Repairs Agricultural," Rupees 1,54,520 have been already appropriated on regularly sanctioned Estimates, leaving a small balance of only Rs: 480 available for further appropriations.

Rupees 155000

2 Of the appropriations made by me, Rs: 70,932 have been actually spent on works upto end of July 1871, and the balance, will, I believe, be fully utilized long before the close of the Official year.

3 Under these circumstances, and as the small available balance of the grant will not at all be sufficient to meet the requirements of Range Officers, I request that Government will be pleased to supplement it by Rs: 50000 by

enormous

of transfers from other Divisions.

4. In the event of this request of mine being complied with, I beg the requisite funds may be placed at my disposal in time, so that Range Officers may have timely notice of further allotments being available for outlay in this year. In the last official year, had to reject so many Estimates on account of the insufficiency of funds, a large amount of work remained to be taken up in this year, and in point of fact, I may say, we have to do 1½ years' work with only one year's grant.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obt. Servant

Lewis Tuchin Major R.E.
Off. Supt. Engineer 1st Division

Superintending Engineer's Office, 1st Division.

Dowlaishwaram, 25 September 1871

No. 1975

From

Major P. T. Pescher R.E.

Offg. Superintending Engineer

1st Division

To

Colonel P. Carpendale R.E.C.

Secretary to Government D. P. W:

MADRAS

SIR,

With reference to G.O. No. 135 dated the 11th Instant, I have the honor to note in the margin the Amounts which have been appropriated upto date from the Agricultural Repair Grants placed at my disposal for the Current Fasli year.

2. I will be seen from my letter to Government of the 5th Instant No. 1815 that I there stated that the amount appropriated upto that date from the grant for Repairs Agricultural of the Godavery District was 151520 and that only Rupees 1480 remained for further appropriation. This balance has also now been appropriated, and as several demands

Connt. Appropriated Balance

Tanjam 22500-22147-353

Vizagapatam 8500-8287-213

Godavery 155000-155000--

P. No. 1871 Dept.

Dpy. Secretary's No. 1314.

Read.

The Offg. Supdg. Engineer

1st Division

To

The Secretary to Government

D.P.W. Department

Madras

Dated 5th September 1871

Read. No. 1815

Enclosure Four.

Requests that the Government will be pleased to supplement the grant for Repairs Agricultural by Rs. 50,000 by transfers from other Divisions as the amount balance now available is not sufficient to meet the requirements of the Range Officers.

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No 206

demands from Range Officers of this District for additional funds, cannot be met. I must solicit Government to place at my disposal at an early date, the supplemental grant asked for by me in the above letter.

3. The balances available for the Ganjam and Vizagapatam Districts, it will be observed, are very small. Six months of the present Official have to be succeeded over with only these trifling sums at my disposal, but as I have received further applications for funds from the Range Officers of these Districts, I must ask the Government to supplement the grants of these Districts by Rupees 2500, which I have every hope of being fully and properly utilized before the close of this Official year.

I have the honour
to be
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
Wm. Thuillier Major R.E.
Acting Superintending Engineer
1st Division

15th Septr 71 No 135 Jail.

Dept of Agriculture

From Major F. R. Fischer RE
Actg Superintending Engr
4th Division

To Colonel J. Carpendale RE
Secretary to Government
Madras

Dated 25th September 1871
Received 2nd October 71.

No 1975

States the amounts appropriated & paid from the Agricultural Repair grants placed at his disposal for the Current Official year and requests a further grant of Rupees 2500 to meet demands during the unexpired portion of the year in each of the Districts of Ganjam & Vizagapatam

No 2863 - 10 Nov 71

No 207

Superintending Engrs Office

No 78 Bezawada, 11B

29 September 1871

From Colonel F. J. Moberly RE
Superintending Engineer 2nd D.

To Colonel J. Carpendale RE
Secretary to Government
P.W.D.

Sir,

With reference to G.O. No 135 - 14th inst.
I have the honor to subjoin a memo shewing the sums appropriated up to 31st August 1871 from the Agricultural Repair grants of the current year. The balance left unappropriated on 1st September is very small and will be fully utilized before 31st March next.

2 I take the opportunity of pointing out to Government the necessity of increasing the current year's grant, under the above head both in the Kistna and Nellore Districts. In the former we require an additional grant of at least 20,000 Rs. for the clearance of the main canals in the Delta which are more silted than usual this year & consequently will need to be closed at an earlier date. The Executive Engineer in charge of the Eastern Delta has already sent in an Estimate amounting to Rs 3400 for dredging out the lead

Memorandum

head of the Drain Canal on Emergency for the
proper supply of water for irrigation - a sand
bank 1000 yards by 5 feet deep having been
apparently washed into the Canal - In Nellore
Rs 16000 were applied for in my letter No 3
13 April last - printed in G. O. No 1183. 28 idem
for the repairs of the Pennair Anicut - the
Executive Engineer of the work has again lately
reported that Rs 10000 are emergently needed -

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obt Servant

Lieut Colonel RE
Supt Engineer 2nd Dn

Memo

Agricultural Repairs -

	Allotment for 1870/72	Appropriated up to 31st Augt/71	Balance
Kistna	75000	70581	4419
Nellore	56000	53246	2754

Lieut Colonel RE
Supt Engineer 2nd Dn