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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
1st September 1873.*

No. 23. Read the following endorsement of the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated 24th July 1873:—

Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 16th July 1873, No. 1,297.

From O. B. IRVINE, Esq., Acting Collector of the Chingleput District, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Sydapet, 20th June 1873, No. 236.

DURING the last official year Rupees 72,099-2-6 were placed at the Collector's disposal for the settlement of claims on account of lands taken up for the Madras Water Works Project, in accordance with Deputy Collector Venkatesiah's report, which accompanied my letter to the Board of the 2nd May last, No. 177.

2. The allotment of funds, however, was made so late in the year that at its close several claims remained unsatisfied, and the sum of Rupees 20,815-9-9, being unexpended, lapsed to Government.

3. I have now the honour to request that the Board will procure a re-allotment of this amount, in order to enable me to satisfy the remaining claims.

4. I recently applied to the District Engineer for funds, but was assured that the whole of his Budget allotment will be required for expenditure upon works, and that it is not likely there will be anything to spare for compensation claims.

5. I may add that there are still a few claims in connection with the delivery channel remaining to be reported upon. It is estimated that Rupees 5,000 more or less will be required for these. Assuming this to be so, and the balance of settled claims remaining undischarged, amounting to Rupees 16,212-11-5, it is probable that the sum which remained unexpended at the close of the official year will, if re-allotted, be sufficient to meet the claims in full.

SUBMITTED for the orders of Government.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Secretary.

TRANSFERRED to the Public Works Department.

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

No. 24. ORDER THEREON, 1st September 1873, No. 2,177.

IRRIGATION, No. 3.

THE District Engineer, Chingleput, will in the first instance place at the disposal of the Collector of Madras a sum of Rupees 15,000, out of the current year's allotment for the Madras Water Works Project, to enable the payment of the claims for land compensation to be proceeded with, and further advances can be made from time to time should the Collector be in a position to make use of the money. Funds furnished to the Civil Officers have been so frequently allowed to lapse, thereby causing inconvenience, that for the future the Government must restrict such advances to comparatively small amounts.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
1st September 1873.*

2. The remarks contained in paragraph 15 of Deputy Collector C. Venkatesiah's letter, No. 39, of the 10th March 1873, appear to need explanation. It is there stated that for lands taken up for Railway purposes in the Madura District, the prices paid averaged from 25 to 68 times the annual assessment, and that for the Madras Water Works project 21 to 9½ times the annual assessment were given. This subject will accordingly be referred to the Board of Revenue and to the Consulting Engineer for Railways for report.

(True Extract.)

Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
Joint Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Chingleput.
" Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Consulting Engineer for Railways.
" Board of Revenue.
" Revenue Department.

Ed. S. T. Austin.

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No. 1,297.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 16th July 1873.

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2. The allotment of funds, however, was made so late in the year that at its close several claims remained unsatisfied, and the sum of Rupees 20,815-9-9, being unexpended, lapsed to Government.

3. I have now the honour to request that the Board will procure a re-allotment of this amount, in order to enable me to satisfy the remaining claims.

4. I recently applied to the District Engineer for funds, but was assured that the whole of his Budget allotment will be required, for expenditure upon works, and that it is not likely there will be anything to spare for compensation claims.

5. I may add that there are still a few claims in connection with the delivery channel remaining to be reported upon. It is estimated that Rupees 5,000 more or less will be required for these. Assuming this to be so, and the balance of settled claims remaining undischarged, amounting to Rupees 16,212-11-5, it is probable that the sum which remained unexpended at the close of the official year will, if re-allotted, be sufficient to meet the claims in full.

SUBMITTED for the orders of Government.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

J. Grose

Secretary.

To the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Copy to the Collector of the Chingleput District.

Ed. F. R. Bantleman.

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 Proceedings of the Madras Government
 Res. of the following
 No. 1297 of 16 July 1875
 Pro. of the B. of Res.

L.D.

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Transferred to the Public Works Dept.
 Mr. M. S. S. S. S.
 Mr. S. S. S. S.

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 Board of Revenue,
 MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS, 16TH JULY 1873, No. 1,297.

22nd July 1873.

Received 22nd August 1873.

JULY.
No. 1,297.

Compensation — for lands taken up for Madras Water Works Project.—Application of Collector of Chingleput for re-allotment of Rupees 20,815-9-9, unexpended out of amount placed at Collector's disposal, for payment of — during 1872-73, submitted to Government.

1873-1874
 1875-1876

to make use of the money. Funds furnished to the Civil officers have been frequently allowed to be expended by causing inconvenience, that for the future the Government must restrict such advances to comparatively small amounts.

2. The remarks contained in para 25 of Deputy Collector C. Venkatesaiah's letter No. 39 of the 10th March 1893 appear to need explanation. It is therein stated that for lands taken up for Railway purposes in the Madura District

to District whether the cases admit of comparison - but there can be no harm in enquiring
L.R.

~~X~~ Mr. Venkatesaiah's letter No. 39 of the 10th March 1893 for the purpose of the work has been directed to the work in Madura District.

Anonymous in L.R.

- The Dist. Supt. Chingleput ✓
- Controller of P.W. Dept. ✓
- 21 - - - - - Secy. Dept. ✓
- 5 - - - - - Chief Supt. for M. ✓
- 12 - - - - - Consulting Supt. for Railway ✓

Signed at C. S. 8/9/73

District, the prices paid averaged from 254 to 68 times the annual expenditure, & that for the Madura water works project 21 to 9½ times the annual expenditure were given. This subject will accordingly be referred to the Board of Revenue & to the Consulting Engineer for Railway for report.

by 8/9/73
L.M.W.

C No. 4646 *

Govt. of 1873 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

The District Commr
Chingleput

Dated

Recd.

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G. O. 1 Sept 1873, No. 2177.

Nos. 23 & 24

Compensation for lands taken up
for Madras Water Works Project

The District Commr Chingleput
directed to place at the disposal
of the Collector of Madras a sum
of Rs. 15,000, out of the current
year's allotment for the Madras
Water Works project for the pay-
ment of claims for land com-
pensation to be proceeded with,
and the remarks of Dy. Commr.

C. Venkataswamy relative to the
prices paid for lands taken up
for Railway purposes referred to the
Bd of Rev. and the Commr for Rs.
for reports