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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
18th January 1877. No. 158.*

No. 308. Read the following letter from Captain J. L. L. MORANT, R.E., District Engineer, Nilgiris, to Major-General G. W. WALKER, R.E., Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Ootacamund, 6th January 1877, No. 481 :—

IN Public Works G.O., No. 1,287, of the 22nd of May 1876, Rupees 540 were sanctioned for expenditure in connection with the employment of the convicts at Ootacamund. Since that date the convicts have been, under G.O., No. 106, of 19th September 1876, employed on the road through the Government Gardens as well as on the reclamation proper. Their employment on this road has necessitated increased expenditure on repairs of tools and on powder and fuze. I have therefore the honor to submit for sanction a revised estimate, and to request that additional funds, to the amount of Rupees 440, may be provided. There is a saving under Provincial Service Repairs, Miscellaneous Public Improvements, of Rupees 400.

2. I have the honor, in accordance with paragraph 2 of Public Works G.O., No. 1,287, of the 22nd May 1876, to submit an estimate for next official year, amounting to Rupees 540.

No. 309. ORDER THEREON, 18th January 1877, No. 158.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 18-B.

(a) *Heads of Service.*—Provincial.
Fund.—Ordinary.
Class.—Original Works.
Main-head.—Miscellaneous Public Improvements.
Sub-head.—A, Inland Improvement.
Section.—Improvement to Towns.
Name of Work.—Maintaining Convicts on Reclamation,
&c., Works at Ootacamund in 1876-77 and 1877-78.
Amount.—
Rupees 980 for 1876-77, No. 216—W. of 1876-77.
Rupees 540 for 1877-78, No. 217—W. of 1876-77.
To be carried out by the Public Works Department.

THE revised estimate of Rupees 980 for maintaining the convicts on the reclamation works and on the road to Upper Norwood at Ootacamund is sanctioned in lieu of that for Rupees 540 sanctioned in G.O., No. 1,287, dated 22nd May 1876. The difference of Rupees 440 is provided by transfer as follows :—

From Nilgiris—Repairs Miscellaneous Public Improvements, Provincial	Rs. 400
From Reserve—Provincial at the disposal of Government	„ 40
	Rs. 440

2. The estimate of Rupees 540 for maintaining the convicts on the reclamation works at Ootacamund during 1877-78 is also sanctioned; and funds will be provided from the Provincial Reserve of 1877-78 for the work.

3. These sanctions are registered as Provincial Nos. 216 and 217—W. of 1876-77, and cancels No. 43—W. of the current year.

(True Extract.)

Major-General, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Nilgiris.
„ Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
„ Judicial Department.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
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Revised Estimate No. 6 of 1876-77
 - Nilgiri District

Work. Cost of maintaining the Convicts on the Reclamation and on the road to upper Kood during 1876-77.

Particulars	Rate per amount	Total
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Pay of our Convict Superintendent	25 .. Months ..	625 ..
Repairing tools and plant, wheelbarrows & Cost of baskets &c		440 ..
Powder & fuzee		240 ..

Total Estimate Rupees 980 ..
 Deduct amount sanctioned in G.O. No 1287 of 22 May 76 540 ..

Balance requiring sanction 440 ..
 District Engineer's Office
 Ootacamund
 6 January 1876
 J. C. M. M. S. Captain R. C.
 District Engineer

Estimate No. of 1877-78 ³
 - Nilgiri District

Work. Cost of maintaining the Convicts on the Reclamation during 1877-78.

Particulars	Rate per amount	Total
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Pay of our Convict Superintendent	25 .. Months ..	625 ..
Repairing tools and Plant wheelbarrows & Cost of baskets &c	20 ..	240 ..

Total Estimate Rupees 865 ..

District Engineer's Office
 Ootacamund
 6 January 1877
 J. C. M. M. S. Captain R. C.
 District Engineer

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District Engineer Office
Ootacamund 6th January 1877

No 481

The District Engineer
Nilgiris

The Chief Engineer
P. W. D.
Madras

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There is a saving under Provincial Service
Repairs. Miscellaneous Public Improvements
of

The difference of P_{2100}
is provided by transfer
as follows:

From Railways Repairs
Miscellaneous Public
Improvements Provincial Rs 1100
From Reserve Provincial
at the disposal of Govt. Rs 110
Rs 1210

The Estimate of
Rs 510 for maintaining
the Carriels on the
Reclamation road
at Ashtanand during
1877-78 is also sanctioned;
and funds will be
provided from the
Provincial Reserve
of 1877-78 for the work.

These Sanctions are
Registered as Provincial
Nos 216 & 217 of 1876-77 &
cancel No 377 of the
current year 1877-78
13.1.76

B. K. Kishore ✓
L. P. M. A.
Full. Revenue Dept.

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To *The N. & S. Railways*

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G. O. 18th Jan 1877, No. 158

Nos. 2088, 309

Convict Labour - Service
Schematic for maintaining
the Convicts on the Reclam-
-ation Works and on road
to Upper Torwood at
Sotumund, Cutchin

Sub-secy