

P. W. DEPARTMENT—1881-82.

MEMORANDUM.

Current No. 6529.

Rev. Pro^r Letter Number 2511.

dated the 27th October, 1881,

from the Board of Revenue,
~~Supg. Engineer of~~

Note of Remarks.

The Revised Estimate & Comparative Statement with Specification for completing the Road from Perur to Pandamangalam in the Trichinopoly Division, amounts to Rs. 7580. or Rs. 2880, less than the Original Estimate Rs. 10460. Sanctioned in P.W. Dept. No. 302 dated 27th January 1879.

The Cause of the decrease is explained in Para 2 of the President's letter & in the remarks Column of the Comparative Statement.

The Estimate provides for Earth work including leveling & tamping, Constructing Bridges & tunnels & fixing Mile stones.

The Rates agree with the rates of the sanctioned Estimate.

The Estimate has been approved of & Committee signed by the President Local Fund Board.

11th Nov 81.

[12th September 1881, No. 1,850.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 12th September 1881.

No. 1,850.

Read—the following letter from H. SEWELL, Esq., President of the Local Fund Board, Trichinopoly, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—List of Local Fund Incomplete Works.

Letter—dated 19th May 1881, No. 300.

I HAVE the honor to forward the list showing the works which were incomplete at the end of the last official year 1880-81, and request that the Board of Revenue will be good enough to sanction allotments for the same.

ROAD FUND.—This contains seventeen items, with an aggregate amount of Rs. 19,013. The estimated cost of Supervision at 25 per cent. is Rs. 4,100 and Tools and Plant at 2½ per cent. is Rs. 410. Total amount chargeable to Road Fund is Rs. 23,523.

Item No. 7.—This work was completed but payment deferred for want of funds as the List of Incomplete Works for 1879-80 was only sanctioned by the Board of Revenue on 31st March 1881, and this order was not received in this office till 29th April 1881.

Item No. 11.—This village road was sanctioned by the Board of Revenue in their No. 236, dated 12th January 1881, and the work is nearly completed by the headman of the village. It was not paid for during that year. Hence these two items require revival of sanction. The other items in the list are all incomplete works and require no special remarks. The whole Road Fund Reserve has already been applied for for certain emergent works (*vide* my letter, No. 228, dated 11th April 1881). The charge of Rs. 23,523 now required can be met from the current year's Road Fund Balance.

GENERAL FUND.—There is only one item under this head and the amount of Rs. 140, including Supervision and Tools and Plant, can be met from the current year's General Fund Reserve.

ENDOWMENT FUND.—This contains four items amounting to Rs. 4,270

Supervision	...	...	...	Rs. 1,067
Tools and Plant	...	...	...	107

Total 5,444

The List of Incomplete Works for 1879-80 was sanctioned on the 31st March 1881. Hence no works were carried out during that year. A fresh allotment of Rs. 5,444 is now required from the current year's Endowment Fund Balance.

The present allotments asked for are well within our balances, I would therefore earnestly request the Board to give their sanction without waiting for the Accountant-General's correct figures for the closing balance of 1880-81. The result of the delay last year was that many new works were untouched and the payment for works, which had to be carried out emergently, has been greatly delayed. The Board will, I am sure, understand how seriously delay of this kind interferes not merely with the settlement of accounts but also with the actual execution of works. If coolies are not paid promptly it increases enormously the difficulty of getting labour, and opens a door to any amount of fraud and speculation on the part of subordinate officials who have to make payments.

Resolution—

THE List of Incomplete Works of 1880-81, with an aggregate allotment of Rs. 29,172, is sanctioned from the undermentioned sources:—

Communications—

For Works—	{ By Public Works Department.	16,398
	{ By Other Agency ...	2,615
Cost of Public Works Supervision ...		4,100
Tools and Plant ...		475

Total ... 23,588 from the Road Fund Balance.

Civil Buildings—

For Works—By Public Works Department.	4,270
Cost of Public Works Supervision ...	1,067
Tools and Plant ...	107

Total ... 5,444 from the Endowment Fund Balance.

For Works—By Public Works Department.	110
Cost of Public Works Supervision ...	30
Tools and Plant ...	

Total ... 140 From the General Fund Reserve.

2. The Accountant-General having recently (in July 1881) notified the approximate Local Fund Balances on the 31st March 1881, and as there are ample funds available from the Road Fund Balance of the Circle the Board have sanctioned from this source the allotment required for road works.

3. The Accountant-General is requested to place Rs. 29,172 at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

4. The list as modified in this office will be printed and circulated.

APPENDIX No. I.
Trichinopoly District.

STATEMENT showing the sanctioned Works actually in progress and omitted from the Budget of 1881-82 under the expectation that they would be completed during the year 1880-81, but not so completed.

No.	Description of Work.	Amount of Estimate.	Actual Expenditure from commencement to 31st March 1881.	AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR 1881-82.			Remarks.
				By Public Works Department.	By Other Agency.	Total.	
COMMUNICATIONS.							
New Works.							
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
1	Kolattur Railway feeder from 3rd quarter, 12th mile-stone, Dindigul road to Kolattur Railway station.	4,700	3,515	1,185	..	1,185	Item No. 7 in Part I of the Budget of 1880-81. Board's Proceedings, No. 1,898, dated 3rd March 1876.
2	Forming road from Silapalputtur to Kattuputtur.	6,160	3,336	2,824	..	2,824	Item No. 4 in Part I of the Budget of 1880-81. G.O., Public Works Department, No. 1,652-W, dated 13th July 1880.
3	Forming road along Wyacondan left bank from Allitorai to Mulicaramboor.	5,645	4,784	461	..	461	Item No. 3 in the List of Incomplete Works of 1879-80. G.O., No. 1,344, dated 28th July 1876.
4	Extending Road No. 15 from Vengalur to Salem frontier at Udumbiam.	7,650	6,799	851	..	851	Item No. 6 in Part I of Budget of 1880-81. G.O., No. 1,640, dated 8th September 1876.
5	Completing the road from Perur to Pandamungalum.	10,460	4,266	6,234	..	6,234	Item No. 2, Part I, of Budget of 1880-81. G.O., Public Works Department, No. 302, dated 27th January 1879.

[12th September 1881, No. 1,850.

Statement showing the sanctioned Works actually in progress, &c.—(Continued).

No.	Description of Work.	Amount of Estimate.	Actual Expenditure from commencement to 31st March 1881.	AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR 1881-82.			Remarks.
				By Public Works Department.	By Other Agency.	Total.	
6	Sanding or gravelling road from Ariyalur to Toramungalum and continuation to Road No. 4.	14,100	6,504	2,496	..	2,496	G.O., Public Works Department, No. 1,993, of 30th July 1879, in addition to the allotment of Rs. 5,100 in Part I of the current year's Budget, Item No. 1.
7	Providing guard stones to the masonry works on Road No. 7.	380	..	380	..	380	Item No. 5 in the List of Incomplete Works for 1880-81.
8	Constructing road dam on 16th mile of Road No. 15.	170	141	29	..	29	Revenue Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 12,909, dated 22nd November 1880.
9	Forming road from Puttanattam to Toverenkurichi.	5,700	4,200	..	1,500	1,500	Item No. 1, Part I, of Budget of 1880-81. G.O., No. 2,021, dated 1st August 1879.
10	Forming road from Road No. 15 to Arambavur.	650	..	..	650	650	Board's Proceedings, No. 236, dated 12th January 1881.
11	Forming Vidiadangam village road.	300	135	..	165	165	Item No. 1, Appendix to Part I, of Budget of 1880-81.
12	Forming road from Andimadam to Strimustam.	600	300	..	300	300	Board's Proceedings, dated 12th January 1881, Mis. No. 236.
Total ..		..	..	14,460	2,615	17,075	
Repairs.							
13	Closing breaches on the 14th mile of Road No. 4.	450	324	126	..	126	Revenue Board's Proceedings, dated 2nd June 1881, Mis. No. 5,496.
14	Closing breaches on Road No. 21 from Samiavaram to Erungalur.	460	404	56	..	56	Do. do. do.
15	Closing breaches and repairing damages on Road No. 3.	2,700	1,757	943	..	943	Do. do. do.
16	Repairing damages on the Perur road.	190	36	154	..	154	Do. do. do.
17	Repairing breaches on the 1st and 2nd miles of Road No. 23 from Trichinopoly to Allithorai.	1,425	766	659	..	659	Do. do. do.
Total ..		..	..	1,938	..	1,938	
Total Road Fund ..		..	..	16,398	2,615	19,013	
CIVIL BUILDINGS.							
New Works.							
18	Constructing a chattram at Togamalli.	3,500	2,976	524	..	524	Item No. 11 in the List of Incomplete Works of 1879-80. Board's Proceedings, No. 146, dated 28th January 1880.
19	Constructing chattram for the use of Pariah travellers at Padalur.	920	155	765	..	765	Item No. 10 in the List of Incomplete Works of 1879-80. Board's Proceedings, No. 9,843, dated 24th September 1878.
20	Constructing chattram at Kistnapuram.	2,335	..	2,335	..	2,335	Item No. 12 in the List of Incomplete Works of 1879-80. Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4,719, dated 6th May 1881.
Repairs.							
21	Repairing chattram at Padalur.	1,200	554	646	..	646	Item No. 13 in the List of Incomplete Works of 1879-80. Board's Proceedings, dated 24th September 1878, No. 9,843.
Total ..		..	..	4,270	..	4,270	
22	Repairing travellers' bungalow at Kannanore.	110	..	110	..	110	Board's Proceedings, dated 19th March 1881, No. 2,932.
Grand Total ..		..	..	20,778	2,615	23,393	

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed)

C. D. MACLEAN,
Acting Sub-Secretary.

To the President of the Local Fund Board, Trichinopoly Circle.
" Superintending Engineer, 3rd Circle.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Accountant-General.

Copy to the Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department.

Exd, J. Tulloch.

1881.
Board of Revenue,
MADRAS.

To

THE PRESIDENT OF THE
LOCAL FUND BOARD,

Trichinopoly.

&c., &c., &c.

Printed September 15th.

Received

PROCEEDINGS, 12TH SEPT. 1881, No. 1,850.

SANCTIONING the list of *Local Fund Incomplete Works* in the Trichinopoly Circle for 1880-81.

[27th October 1881, No. 2511.]

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 27th October 1881.

No. 2511.

Read—again the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 29th August 1881, No. 8116, Miscellaneous.

Read—the following letter from H. SEWELL, Esq., President of the Local Fund Board, Trichinopoly, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

PROCEEDINGS of the Local Fund Board, Trichinopoly, at a Meeting held on the 27th April 1881.

Proceedings, No. 65 of 1881.

Read letter from the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Circle, No. 74, of 4th instant, forwarding for sanction a revised estimate, amounting to Rs. 18,400, for forming road from Perur to Pandamangalam.

The increase in the estimate is owing almost entirely to the enhanced rate of gravelling. The Board consider that this part of the work must be omitted for the present. The road should be completed otherwise with earth-work, culverts, &c. The necessity for gravelling will be considered next year. The Superintending Engineer will be requested to revise the estimate accordingly. The Divisional Officer will be requested to inspect the road and give his opinion about it.

PROCEEDINGS of the Local Fund Board, Trichinopoly, at a Meeting held on the 27th July 1881.

Proceedings, No. 136 of 1881.

Read letter from the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Circle, No. 545, dated 18th instant, forwarding for Board's approval a revised estimate, amounting to Rs. 7,580, for completing the road from Perur to Pandamangalam.

The revised estimate is approved and will be submitted to the Board of Revenue. As the ryots agreed at first to give land for the road and earth from their fields the Board do not consider they can now put forward any claim for compensation. The Temporary Deputy Collector will be requested to see about this matter.

Letter—dated 3rd August 1881, No. 458.

AN estimate, amounting to Rs. 10,460, was sanctioned by Government in their Order, No. 302-W, dated 27th January 1879, for forming road from Perur to Pandamangalam.

2. The work appears in the list of incomplete works for 1880-81 submitted with this office letter, No. 300, dated 19th May 1881, (*vide* Item No. 5.) The Superintending Engineer, 3rd Circle, had submitted a revised estimate for the same work for Rs. 18,400, attributing the excess charge over the original estimate to the enhanced rate for gravelling. The Local Fund Board had resolved to postpone the gravelling work for the present and requested the Superintending Engineer to revise the estimate accordingly. He has now submitted a revised estimate for Rs. 7,580, which was approved of by the Local Fund Board at their Meeting held on the 27th July 1881.

3. Copies of the Local Fund Board's Proceedings on the subject are herein enclosed.

4. As there is a saving of Rs. 2,880 by this revision I intend to transfer the amount to some other works whose execution is delayed for want of funds and will submit proposals accordingly.

5. The revised amount being within the allotment originally sanctioned the estimate was not sent.

Resolution—

THE President should submit the revised estimate for the sanction of Government.
—Vide Clause 4, No. 26, of the Local Fund Rules.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) C. D. MACLEAN,
Acting Sub-Secretary.

To the President of the Local Fund Board, Trichinopoly Circle.

Read—the following letter from H. SEWELL, Esq., President of the Local Fund Board, Trichinopoly, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Revised Estimate for completing the Road from Perur to Pandamangalam.

Letter—dated 26th September 1881, No. 558.

WITH reference to the Board's Proceedings, No. 8116, of 29th ultimo, I have the honor to submit for sanction of Government the revised estimate for completing the road from Perur to Pandamangalam as called for therein.

Resolution—

THE revised estimate, amounting to Rs. 7,580, for completing the road from Perur to Pandamangalam is submitted for the sanction of Government.

2. The estimate in question is Rs. 2,880 less than the original one (for Rs. 10,460) sanctioned in G.O., Public Works Department, dated 27th January 1879, No. 302. The cause of the decrease is explained in paragraph 2 of the President's letter recorded in the Proceedings read above.

3. The work appears as Item No. 5 in the list of incomplete works of 1880-81, sanctioned in Board's Proceedings, dated 12th September 1881, No. 1850, with an allotment of Rs. 6,234, which will have to be reduced to Rs. 3,354 in the event of sanction being accorded to the above estimate.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

E. G. G. G.
Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department,
with one enclosure in G.R., No. 7116 of 1881, in original, to be returned,
and copy of Board's Proceedings, 12th September 1881, No. 1850.

Copy to the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Circle.

" " Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

" " Accountant-General.

" " President of the Local Fund Boards, Trichinopoly Circle.

[27th October 1881, No. 2511.]

1881.
Board of Revenue,
MADRAS.

To
THE SECRETARY TO GOVT.,
P. W. DEPARTMENT,
&c., &c., &c.

Printed October st.

Received

PROCEEDINGS, 27TH OCTOBER 1881, No. 2511.

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Ab. do. 202 W. 27-1-79

SUBMITTING for the sanction of Government
estimate for completing the road from Perur
to Pandamangalam in Trichinopoly District.

P. to B. No 6529

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Med. q. Nov. 81

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No 2861 W

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the *15th Nov-1881*

Read the following:—

To. B. of Revenue

*} N. E. No. 2511 of 27th
Oct 1881*

The revised estimate
amounting to Rs. 7580
for completing the road
from Perur to Pandamangalam in the
Trichinopoly Circle is
sanctioned.

2. This sanction has
been registered as Local
No. 38 W of 1881-82 and
cancels Local No. 226 B
of 1878-79.

*To The B. of Rev with
Encls.*

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Recd. Encls.

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12-11-81

No. 6211

FROM

THE SUPERINTENDENT,
MADRAS HARBOUR WORKS,

TO

Colonel R.H. Sankey, C. B. & Co.
Secretary to Government, Mr. Secy
Fort Saint George

MADRAS, 15 November 1881.

Sir,

I have the honor to state that it appears possible that the relatives of the late Mr. A. G. Berlie, who was in charge of the two steamers that were lost on the 12th, may set up a claim for heavy damages. -

2. I therefore ask that the Government Solicitor may be permitted to watch the case, if necessary, at the Coroner's Inquest upon the bodies that have come ashore. -

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant

G. H. Hurrey
Superintendent
M. H. Works

B. N. 2860 Waf 15-11-81.

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Communicated to
the Government Solicitor
who will be requested
to watch the case in behalf
of Government.

Att

15/11/81

The Hon. & Mr. Solicitor ✓
S. S. M. P. Works ✓

Under 15/11

15/11/81

From
The Superintendent
Madras Harbour Works

N. 6211

Dated 15th November 1881

No of enclosures nil

N. 2860 Waf 15-11-81
B.

Entd. in Receipt Book

3:0 P.M. 15-11-81

Advise that the Govt Solicitor
may watch a case for damages
which may probably arise
on behalf of the late Capt
Berlie.

Work Order