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28TH SEPTEMBER 1886, No. 1229 L.F., FINANCIAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

From Lieutenant-Colonel P. MONTGOMERIE, R.E., Superintending Engineer, I Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Dowlaishweram, 19th December 1885, No. 1915-G.D.

I have the honor to submit, for the favorable consideration of Government, the accompanying petition from the inhabitants of Dowlaishweram, requesting that a separate and independent municipality may be established at an early date for this town, which has upwards of 9,000 inhabitants.

2. I am fully persuaded that a municipality is the only suitable arrangement for dealing with this place, which is in a very unsanitary and neglected condition. The officers of the Public Works Department, who form the principal portion of the European inhabitants, do what they can to improve the condition of the place, but there are many nuisances and prejudices on the part of the Natives which cannot be dealt with except under the Municipal Act.

No. 87-C.

Transferred, in continuation of No. 2177-C, dated 17th December 1885, to the Financial Department, for consideration.

(By order.)

(Signed) D. McN. CAMPBELL, Capt., R.E.,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

8th January 1886.

No. 41.

Referred to the Collector of Godávari, for report.

(By order.)

(Signed) J. D. REES,
Under Secy. to Govt.

MADRAS,
25th January 1886.

From J. THOMSON, Esq., Acting Collector of Godávari district, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Cocanada, 9th September 1886, No. 25.

I have the honor to reply to endorsement, No. 41, of 25th January last, requiring report on a proposal to erect the village of Dowlaishweram into a municipality. I regret the delay: the matter was not pressing, and till the present time I was unable to attend to it.

2. The proposal emanates from "Public Works Department officials and inhabitants of Dowlaishweram," takes its rise in an idea that Dowlaishweram was to be attached to Rajahmundry municipality (mooted since three years, but laid aside), and is forwarded and supported by the then Superintending Engineer, Colonel Montgomerie. Major Clarke, who succeeded him, held the same opinion as to its desirability. Both

officers objected to the insanitary condition of the place. Mr. Walch is not, I understand, personally in favor of the proposal, but is not prepared to oppose it. He has forwarded to me the accompanying petition of objectors, who do so on the score of poverty and because those who wish for a municipality will not suffer pecuniarily by its institution.

3. The village is mainly a Public Works Department settlement. On its alleged insanitary condition, I have to say that it has been considerably improved within the last year, mainly through the exertions of Mr. Vanstavern, a retired Engineer. A new petta has been carefully laid out, drains cut, and low places filled. The temple people gave up a portion of the temple inam for house sites. The district board have been in the practice of contributing Rs. 500 yearly to the Public Works Department for expenditure on sanitation, and a staff of sweepers is being maintained.

4. I have ascertained that the people do not wish a municipality in the full sense of the word; and they do not require such. They are not much concerned about education, medical relief (there is a Public Works Department hospital assistant stationed there who does not render aid to outsiders), vaccination, or registration; the other purposes of municipal administration—water-supply, repair and construction of streets and buildings, control of offensive and dangerous trades, of slaughter-houses, of markets and latrines, of drainage, of cleansing, of over-crowding, of infectious disease, and of burial and burning grounds—are all, in my opinion, that they might trouble themselves regarding; and what they require is only some funds for expenditure, beyond those they have at present, on general sanitation. A municipality proper would saddle them with an expensive establishment which they could not afford and is actually not wanted.

5. I enclose a sketch. The village is compact enough. The dotted red line is the boundary line projected in view mainly to include buildings; a better one would be the quarry channel for the east boundary. I also enclose a rough estimate of income within the line of boundary I propose. Tolls could not be instituted within so short a distance (5 miles) of Rajahmundry. Taxes at full rates under section 47, Act IV of 1884, will yield, perhaps, over Rs. 3,000. A house-tax and fees on pandals, &c., under sections 57 and 140, Act V of 1884, might yield Rs. 1,450.

6. This latter sum, not to speak of what further money the taluk board of Rajahmundry might choose to grant, ought to do all the sanitation, &c., that Dowlaishweram requires, if it is not squandered. My proposal is to make the village a major union under Act V of 1884, with the Superintending Engineer as chairman of a panchayat of five, of whom Mr. Vanstavern and the village head would be two. They will not have the power which a municipality would have, but the influence three of them could bring to bear would effect, I believe, all that is necessary; the taluk board would not, I think, have cause or wish to interfere with them; and the experience of a union there would, I hope, render that class of public institution acceptable to the district generally.

Order—dated 28th September 1886, No. 1229 L.F., Financial.

The Collector's proposal in paragraph 6 is approved, and the following notification will be published in the Fort St. George and Godávari District Gazettes:—

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 6 of the Madras Local Boards Act V of 1884, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the village of Dowlaishweram, in the Rajahmundry taluk of the Godávari district, to be a major union for the purposes of the said Act, and to direct that the provisions of the said Act regarding panchayats shall come into force in the said union from the date of this notification.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 122 of the aforesaid Act, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the maximum number of members to be appointed to the panchayat of the aforesaid union shall, for the time being, be five, and that they shall all, except the *ex-officio* member, be appointed by the Governor in Council.

2. The President of the district board will submit his recommendations for the appointment of members and chairman of the panchayat.

(True Extract.)

for *Chief Secretary.*

To the Collector of Godávari.
" President, District Board, Godávari.
" Public Works Department.
" Accountant-General
" Director of Public Instruction.
" Sanitary Commissioner for Madras.
" Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.

Exd. A. Raitt.

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G.O., 28th Sept. 1886, No. 1229 L.F.

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SEPTEMBER.

Unions.

Ordering the issue of a notification constituting the village of Dowlaishweram, in the Godávari district, a major union under Act V of 1884, and requesting the President, District Board, to recommend the appointment of members and chairman of the panchayat.

S.E. I Circle Despd. 11.10.86
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Works order

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of Executive Engineers for the Month of *December* **1884**
orders of Government.

Opinion of the Superintending Engineer, with final Remarks by Examiner.	Orders by Government.
	No 912 W d/ 16th April/85.
Result of orders passed by Government in Objectionable Items Statement for November 1884 is awaited.	The S. E will see that an estimate is sanctioned for this work without further delay.
The result of orders passed by Government in Objectionable Items Statement for September and October 1884 is awaited.	Revised estimates Sanctioned in G. O. No 336 I d/ 30th March 1885

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Examiner of P. W. Accounts,
Madras.

To
To the S. E 1st Circle
through the Examr
P. W. Accounts

July 4/3

Provincial Statement of Objectionable Items in the Accounts requiring the

			Comparison with Estimate.			Comparison with Appropriation of the Year.			
Item No.	Particulars of each Item.	Month in the Accounts of which Objectionable Expenditure first appeared.	Amount of Estimate.	Expenditure up to Date.	Excess over Estimate.	Amount of Appropriation.	Expenditure of the Year.	Excess over Appropriation.	Expenditure during the Month.
			Godavari Eastern Division						
	Incorporated Local Want of Estimate								
1	Maintaining sanitary condition of Dowlaisheweram Village	Septr 1884	-	359	359	-	-	-	39
	Other Incorporated Local Want of Estimate								
2	Kovur Manjair junction Canal. Constructing Five Second Class ferry boats	May 1884	-	272	272	-	-	-	-
	Excess over Estimate								
3	Kovur Manjair junction Canal	do	45590	52217	6627	-	-	-	9
	Work for which Revised Estimates are required								
4	Kovur Manjair junction Canal	Feby 1884	45590	52217	-	-	-	-	-

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REFERENCE TO MADRAS P. W. D. CODE.

PARAS. 2362 TO 2365.

B. No 2790 W. d/ 7-11-84
No 2090 D. " 24-11-84
B. No 2920 W. " 25-11-84
No 2103 D. " 26-11-84.
B. No 2956 W. " 1-12-84
G.O. No 621 I. " 1-7-84
B. No 3052 W. " 12-12-84
B. No 124 W. " 14-1-85
B. No 364 W. " 14-2-85
B. No 484 W. " 3-3-85
G.O. No 336 I. " 30-3-85.

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CENTRAL OFFICE OF ACCOUNTS.

CIRCLE *First*

FUND *Local*

Provincial Statement of Objectionable Items in the Accounts of Executive Engineers for the Month of *December* **1884.**

No.

MADRAS,
Dated *5th March* 1885.

FORWARDED for orders to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Madras.

B. No 912 W d/ 16 April /85

O. C. Coraon

Examiner of P. W. Accounts,
Madras.

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Write Order

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No. 302 G.D

FROM,

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER
FIRST CIRCLE.

TO,

THE CHIEF ENGINEER
P.W. Department
~~FOR IRRIGATION~~

Thro' the Examiner
P.W. Accounts

DOWLAISHWARAM, 11th May 1885.

SIR,

With reference to G.O. No 912 W, dated 16th April /85 passing orders on the statement of objectionable items for December /84, I have the honor to state that a reminder has been sent to the President Local Fund Boards Godavari District for early return of the sanctioned estimate for the work noted in the margin.

Maintaining Sanitary Condition of Dowlaishweram village

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt. Servt.
Moncrieff Lieut Col. R.E.
Superintending Engineer
First Circle

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B. No 2790 W. 7.11.84
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G.O. No 3369. 30.3.85
B. No 912 W. 16.4.85
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" 1195 W. 30.5.85

Endorsement No: 117 S.E. 1st dated 21st May 1885.

Forwarded to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.

H. Rainer
Dy: Examiner
For Examiner, P.W. Acctt.
Madras

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B. No 1246 W d/ 29 May/85

~~No [illegible] dated [illegible] May/85~~

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22-5-85

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The subject was again referred to [illegible] No 1195 [illegible]

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EXAMINER
No. 117 Sef
18 MAY 1885
ENCLOSURES
P.W. ACCOUNTS.

FROM,

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER

FIRST CIRCLE.

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Recd 4596

TO,

THE CHIEF ENGINEER DPW ~~FOR IRRIGATION.~~

Thro' the Examiner P.W.A. Madras

DATED 11th
DESPATCHED "
RECEIVED 22
May 1885.

No. 302 G.P.

ENCLOSURES.

B. No 1246 W d/ 29 May/85

~~No [illegible] of 28th May/85~~

Maintaining Sanitary condition of Dowlaiswaram village

States that a reminder has been sent to the President Local Fund Board Godavari District for early return of the sanctioned estimate for —

With order

No. 557 G.P.

FROM,

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER

FIRST CIRCLE.

TO,

Thro the Examiner P.W. Accounts.

THE CHIEF ENGINEER

P.W. Department ~~FOR IRRIGATION~~

DOWLAISHWARAM, 11th June 1885.

Desp. 11th June/85

SIR,

With reference to G.O No 1072 W. of 7th May 1885, passing orders on the statement of objectionable items "Local" for January 1885, I have the honor to inform you that the estimate for maintaining the Sanitary Condition of Dowlaishwaram village for 1884-85 has been sanctioned by the President Local Fund Board.

The work will appear in my supplemental Return of sanctioned estimates for March 1885.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Sr.

Arasnathan Asst. Engr.
For Supdt. Engr. 1st Circle

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Endorsement No. 1805 E.I
d/ 20 June 1885

Forwarded to the Chief Engineer P.W. Department

H. Rawson
Dy Examiner
for Examiner P.W. Accts
Madras

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No 1516 Way 29th June/85

Recorded with refce to G.O. No 1195 W d/ 20/5/85 & previous correspondence

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EXAMINER
No. 1805 E.I
17 JUN 1885
ENCLOSURES
P.W. ACCTS.

No. 2454 85

FROM,

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER
FIRST CIRCLE.

TO,

THE CHIEF ENGINEER
D.P.W.
~~FOR IRRIGATION.~~

Thro' the Examiner P.W.A.

DATED 11th
DESPATCHED 11th
RECEIVED 22
June 1885.

No. 557 G.D.

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No. 1516 Way 29-6-85

Sanitary condition of Dowlaiswaram village for 1884-85

Informs that the estimate for maintaining the — has been sanctioned by the President Local Fund Board

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dated 188 .

P.W.C. No. 7986

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GOVT. OF MADRAS. 1885. P. W. DEPT.

EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

Recd. 12.9th.85

Madras, 11 September 1885.

Recd in Lecture 14/9/85

OFFICE NOTE No. 439

To

W. Encs. —

The Supg. Engineer 1st. Circle sanctioned an Estimate for Rs. 500 for maintaining the sanitary condition of the Dowlaishwaram Village during 1885-86 in the Godavari Eastern Division from Provincial Funds, but as outlay on the same work during previous years was met from ~~the~~ Incorporated Local Funds, I requested the Supg. Engineer to state why the Estimate for the current official year should not be sanctioned from the same Funds. The Supg. Engineer in reply states that the Local Fund Board having resolved to discontinue the grant for the work from this year he has sanctioned the same from Provincial Funds.

2. Judging from the nature of the work, I think it should be carried out by the Local Fund Board, I beg

therefore your early orders on the subject.

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ENGINEER

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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~~PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.~~

~~UNDER date the~~

Memo.

~~READ the following~~

Office note from the Examiner P.W. Accounts. H.E. No: 439 d/11th September 1885

~~Communicated~~ Referred to the Superintending Engineer I Circle, who will report the circumstances under which the Cocanada Local Fund Board resolved to discontinue, from the current official year, the provision of ~~grant~~ funds under Incorporated Local, for maintaining the sanitary condition of the Dowlaishweram village.

15/9/85

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To

The Supdg. Engr. I Circle
~~Examiner P.W. Accounts.~~

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No 20.

Godavari Circle
Local Fund Office
Camp Tanuku, 4 Feb. 1885.

From G. F. T. Power Esquire
Vice President,

To W. S. Foster Esquire
President, Local Fund Board.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No 218 dated 5th December 1884 I have the honour to state that I have not been able to ascertain why the Local Fund Board of the late Cocanada Circle in 1883 resolved to discontinue the payment of the usual contribution towards the improvement of the Sanitary condition of Dowlaishwaram. It was at the Budget meeting held on 25th September 1883 that this resolution was come to but in the minutes of that meeting no reason for the resolution is recorded. I have asked several members of the late Cocanada Circle Board who were present at the Budget meeting for information on this point, but none of them could recollect clearly what reasons were assigned at the time for discontinuing the contribution. I was not a member of the Cocanada Board and was not at the meeting and you were yourself absent from the District at that time. The meeting was presided over by the Acting Collector Mr Happell in whose letter No 110 dated 9th October 1883 to the Board of Revenue submitting the Budget estimates I do not find a clear statement of the reasons why the contribution was stopped. In para 19 of the letter it is said "The Local Fund Board have resolved to stop the annual payment of Rs 500 for the improvement of the sanitary condition of Dowlaishwaram. It is my intention to propose that Dowlaishwaram be joined with Rajahmundry to form a Municipality like Negapatam and Nagore". It may perhaps be inferred from this that the reason for stopping the contribution was that it was considered likely that Dowlaishwaram would before long form part of the Rajahmundry Municipality, but this is not quite clear.

2. Afterwards on 29th July 1884 (about three months after the abolition of the Cocanada Circle)

Circle) the Local Fund Board of the Godavari District Circle, considered an estimate for Rs 500, submitted by the Superintending Engineer for improving the sanitary condition of Dowlaishwaram. I was not at this meeting which was presided over by the Vice President, Mr Cumming, but as far as I can make out the fact that it had been resolved by the late Cocanada Circle Board to stop the contribution for this purpose, was lost sight of. The estimate was sanctioned without remark. The sanction of the Board of Revenue was then applied for in your letter No 74 dated 13 August 1884 (which I have not seen), and the Board of Revenue thereupon asked for the grounds on which it was resolved to stop the contribution in 1883, and the circumstances under which it was afterwards sanctioned. They asked further what steps had been taken for joining Dowlaishwaram with the Rajahmundry Municipality. This ~~Proceedings~~ Reference of the Board of Revenue (G.R. No 6139 of 1884) was laid before the Godavari Circle Board

Board at a meeting held on the 8th October which was presided over by you and at which I was not present. In the minutes of that meeting I found the following resolution recorded "When the new act comes into force the District Board will probably consider the propriety of making Dowlaishwaram a union." Nothing is recorded as to the reason why sanction was given in July 1884 to expenditure which it had been decided to stop in 1883. Afterwards in reply to your letter No 297 of 27 November 1884. I forwarded to you a copy of this resolution and stated that as the Cocanada Circle Board had resolved to discontinue the contribution, there was not allotment from which expenditure on improving the sanitary condition of Dowlaishwaram could be met, and that consequently the estimate could not be passed. This letter was written under a misconception of the facts. I was

not

not aware at the time that the estimate submitted by the Superintending Engineer had actually been passed by the Circle Board.

3. Under all the circumstances it is I think necessary that the sanction of the Board of Revenue should now be obtained for the estimate passed by the Circle Board on 29th July 1884, especially as the Superintending Engineer says that expenditure has already been incurred (Vide Supdg. Engineer's letter to you No 2095 G.D. of 23-11-84). There is so far as I know no likelihood of Dowlaishwaram being joined to the Rajahmundry Municipality, and it is not at all probable that it will be made a union under the Local Boards Act in this official year. It is therefore necessary that the expenditure incurred this year on improving the sanitary condition of Dowlaishwaram be met from Local Funds. Rs 500 can be provided for the purpose from General Fund

Reserve. Application for allotment in the prescribed form is herewith submitted.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
s/ G. Power
Vice President.

(True Copy)

Ag Sub Secretary.

To
The Under Secretary to Govt. P.W.D.

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE
MADRAS.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

Dated 10 March 1885.

No. 1400 Routine.

READ the following letter from the President L. F. Board, Godavari, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 13 August 1884, No 74:—

At their last meeting the Local Fund Board sanctioned a sum of Rs 500 for maintaining the sanitary condition at Dowlaishwarum during the year 1884-85 at the request of the Superintending Engineer and the Vice President asks me to request the Board of Revenue to place the amount at the disposal of the Superintending Engineer through the Accountant General.

No provision was made in the Budget and from paragraph 19 of this office letter No 110 dated 9th October 1883 accompanying the Budget Estimates printed in Board's Proceedings No 1046 dated 22 March last, the Board will find that the Local Fund Board then deliberately resolved to stop the annual payment of this sum and therefore omitted to form the estimate. I cannot therefore support the present resolution of the Board.

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(2) The following Reference on the above dated 1st September 1884:—

The President is requested to report the grounds on which the circle Board resolved in 1883 to discontinue the payment of the contribution, and the circumstances under which they have now sanctioned it. He will also state what steps have been taken for joining Dowlaishwaram with the Rajahmundry Municipality.

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(3) The following letter from the President, L. F. Board, Godavari Circle, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 12 February 1885, No 9:—

I have the honour to submit herewith a letter from the Vice President, L. F. Board, Godavari Circle, furnishing the information called for in Board's reference on G. R. No 6139 of 1884.

It would appear that the Local Fund Board resolved in 1883 to discontinue the annual payment of Rs 500 for maintaining the sanitary condition of Dowlaishwaram, as it was intended "to propose that Dowlaishwaram be joined with Rajahmundry to form a Municipality like Negapatam and Nagore".

This idea could not, however, be realized as the Local Fund Board resolved in 1884 that "when the new Act comes into force, the District Board will probably consider the propriety of making Dowlaishwaram a union", and sanctioned the estimate for Rs 500 sent in by the Superintending Engineer for the purpose.

The Vice President reports that "there is no likelihood of Dowlaishwaram being joined to the Rajahmundry Municipality and it is not at all probable that it will be made a union under the Local Boards Act in this official year", and the Superintending Engineer says that "there has already been an expenditure of Rs 273 on the work up to the end of last month" (October 1884)

An application for allotment of Funds in the prescribed form is herewith forwarded and it is requested that the Board of Revenue may be pleased to accord their sanction to the same.

Resolution

The Board sanction the allotment of Rs 500 from the General Fund Balance for maintaining the sanitary condition of the Town of Dowlaishwaram and request Government to authorize the Accountant General to place the amount at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

(True Copies & Extract)
(signed) C. F. MacCartie
Ag Sub Secretary.

To The President L. F. Board, Godavari
" Chief Secy to Govt. F. D. with letter & enclos in original to be retd
" Acctt Genl with copy of Statement.

(True Copy)

Ag Sub Secretary

To The ~~Under~~ Secy to Govt P. W. D.

1885.

Board of Revenue,

MADRAS.

To

The Under Secretary to Govt.
P. W. Department.

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Copy of

Proceedings, dated 10th March 1885.
No. 1400 Routine

Subject.

Sanctg. an allotment of Rs 500 for maintaining the sanitary condition of the town of Dowlaishwaram & requesting Govt to authorise the Acctt to place funds at the disposal of P. W Dept

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No. 168

Godavari Circle
Local Funds Office 20 Octr/85.

From

Vice President
L. F. Board

To

The Superintending Engineer
1st Circle

Sir,

In reply to your letter No. 1448 A of 6 October/85 addressed to the President, I have the honor to state that I have not been able to ascertain why the Local Fund Board of the late Cocanada Circle in 1883 resolved to discontinue the payment of the usual Contribution towards the improvement of the Sanitary Condition of Dowlaishweram. It was in the Budget meeting held on the 25th September 1883 that this resolution was passed but in the minutes of that meeting no reason for it is recorded. Some of the members of the late Cocanada Circle Board who were present have been asked but none of them could recol-

-lect clearly. At that meeting the Ag. Collector Mr. Happell was present and presided and in his letter No. 110 of 9th October /83 to the Board of Revenue para 19 submitting the Budget Estimate it is said "The Local Fund Board have resolved to stop the annual payment of Rs 500 for the improvement of Sanitary Condition of Dowlaishweram. It is my intention to propose that Dowleshweram be joined with Rajahmundry to form a municipality like Nagapatam and Nagore". Afterwards, on the 29th July /84 the Local Fund Board Godavari Circle passed an Estimate for Rs 500 for 1884-85 submitted by you for improving the Sanitary Condition of Dowlaishweram and the fact that it had been resolved by the late Cocanada Circle Board to stop the Contribution was lost sight of. The Estimate was sanctioned without remark.

The Board of Revenue then sanctioned Rs 500 vide Proceedings No 1400 of 10th March /85. In your No. 7093 G.D. of 23rd November 1884 you had said that an Expenditure had already been incurred, and this was probably the reason.

I have &c

Sd/ Thompson
Vice President

(True Copy)

Lieut Col. RE
Supdg Engr. First Circle

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No. 16599 G.P.

FROM,

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER
FIRST CIRCLE.

P. W.
DEPT.

TO,

THE CHIEF ENGINEER
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Enclosure one

DOWLAISHWARAM, 14th Novr. 1885.

Despt. 14th Novr/85

SIR,

With reference to your memorandum No. 1536 C. of the 22nd Septr. /85, I have the honor to submit herewith Copy of a letter No. 168 of the 20th October /85 received from the vice President Local Fund Board Godavari Circle on the subject of the discontinuance of the provision of funds under Incorporated Local for maintaining the Sanitary Condition of the Dowlaishweram village.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt. Servt.
Lieut Col RE
Supdg: Engr: 1st Circle

RD

B.C.

R. No. 674.
25. 11. 85.
Enc: 1

No. 2690 D
Chepauk
25 Nov/85

To C

For note and return with advertence to your Office Note No. 1,39 d/12th September/85

23/11/85

FROM,

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER
FIRST CIRCLE.

Incl. 4006
4654/85
28/11

TO,

THE CHIEF ENGINEER
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

DATED 14th
DESPATCHED 14th November 1885
RECEIVED

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No. 16599 D

ENCLOSURES. one

Discontinuance of the provision of funds under Incorporated Local for maintaining the Sanitary Condition of the Dowlaishweram village

Submits Copy of vice Presidents letter on the subject of —

To

KEEP-WITH Genl. No.

dated 188 .

Applied for G.T.
7-12-85

Recd 12 12 85

[C. No. 8.]

GOVT. OF MADRAS. 1885. P. W. DEPT.

EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

Madras, 5th December 1885.

OFFICE NOTE No. 716.

7 DEC 85

To W.

Enc. 2

Your O. N. No. 2690 D. dated 25th. November 1885.

Noted and returned. With reference to para 26 at page 14 of Act IV. of 1871, the Madras Local Funds Act, I request the order of Government whether the charge for maintaining the sanitary condition of the town of Dowlaishwaram is to be met from Provincial Funds or from Local Funds, Godavari Circle, as hitherto, vide Revenue Board Proceedings No. 1400 of 10th. March 1885.

C.

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Chepauk
17th Decr/85

No. 2177 C

Referred to the Financial Department for consideration. —

2 The charge does not appear to be one which can properly be debited to the P.W. Budget, and there is apparently no likelihood of the proposed union of Dowlaishweram with Rajahmundry being carried out.

(By order)

Campbell Captn R.E.
Under Secretary to Govt
P.W.D.

W.S.
6·12·85

Incl 4 20559
285/86

P. W. Dept.

To be returned with reply.

Recd 7/12/85

Referred

Financial Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

letter from the Vice President, District Board, Godavari to the President, District Board dated 13th November 1885 No. 70:-

The District Board having, at their meeting held on the 27th October 1885, sanctioned Rs 500 for improving the sanitary condition of Dowleswaram during 1885-86, I have the honor to request you will be good enough to obtain the sanction of Government to the same and ask them to place this sum at the disposal of the P.W.D. through the Accountant General. The expenditure can be met from the current years' General Fund Balance. Copy of Resolution & application for funds in the prescribed form are enclosed.

Endorsement on the above.

No. 95.

Submitted to Government with the request that the proposed allotment of Rs 500 for improving the sanitary condition of Dowleshwaram may be sanctioned.

This is a charge incurred every year from Local Funds and the omission of making a provision for it in the Budget was due to the proposal once made to unite Dowleshwaram with the Rajahmundry Municipality, like Negapatam and Nagore, on which, however, no action has been taken.

Cocanada
23rd November 1885

(Sd.) W. S. Foster
President.

286/86

Order thereon of 12th December 1885 No 1205 L.F. (Mis:)

Sanctioned.

2. The Accountant General will be requested to place the amount at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

(True Extract)

(Sd.) J. D. Rees

Under Secretary.

To
The President, Dt. Bd. Godavari,
" Accountant General.

(True Copy)

J. D. Rees

Under Secretary.

Financial Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

Endorsement of the Public Works Department, Madras, dated 17th December 1885 No 2177 C on Office Note from the Examiner of P. W. Accounts, Madras, dated 5th Decr 1885 No 716 regarding funds for maintaining the sanitary condition of the town of Dowlaishweram.

Order thereon dated 11th January 1886 No 44 L.F. Mis.

The Public Works Department will be informed that the charge in question is debitable to Local Funds and that the allotment of Rs 500 required for the year 1885-86 was sanctioned in G.O. dated 12th December 1885 No 1205 L.F. and the Accountant General requested to place the amount at the disposal

Of the Public W[illegible]s Department.

Decl 28

(True Extract)

J. W. Rees

Under Secretary.

1516 W d 29/6/85
1246 W d 29/5/85
1195 W d 20/5/85
2177 C d 17/12/85
87 C d 8/1/86

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
14 JAN
DEPARTMENT

Recd 16/1/86
En 5 + 1 pl

B W/1871

No. 142 W d/ 18th January/86

To

The Public Works Deptt with copy of G.O. d/12-12-85 No 1205 L.F.
& with papers returned.

Copy to the President, Distt Board, Godavari.
" " Accountant General.

No. 142 W d/ 18th January 1886

Communicated to the S.E. I Circle, with advertence to his letter No. 1657 G.D. d/ 14 Nov. 1885 & to the Exe. P.W. Acct with reference to his No. 716 d/ 5 Decr 1885.

Dr 1/8/1

S.E. I Circle
Exe. P.W. A.
15/1/86 with copy

withorder

No. 2639 W d/ 9-10-86
„ 142 W „ 18-1-86
„ 87 C „ 8-1-86
„ 2177 C „ 17-12-85
„ 2690 D „ 25-11-85
„ 1516 W „ 29-6-85
„ 1246 W „ 29-5-85
„ 1195 W „ 20-5-85
„ 1072 W „ 7-5-85
„ 912 W „ 16-4-85
„ 336 J „ 30-3-85
„ 484 W „ 3-3-85
„ 364 W „ 14-2-85
„ 124 W „ 14-1-85
„ 3052 W „ 12-12-84
„ 621 J „ 1-7-84
„ 2956 W „ 1-12-84
„ 2103 D „ 26-11-84
„ 2920 W „ 25-11-84
„ 2090 D „ 24-11-84
„ 2790 W „ 7-11-84

1888.

P. W. DEPARTMENT.

Current No. 4175

From

The Supdg. Engineer
I circle

ENCLOS.—

No. 326 G. N.
Dated 26th April 1888
Received 5th May 1888

SUBJECT.

Requesting to obtain the Sanction of Govt to the charge of Rs 492 incurred in 1885-86 on a/c of work "Sweepers employed" in Dowlaishweram village" being admitted by the Exr. either under "Provl: Misc Public Improvements Repairs" or under "Incorporated L. F. Repairs"

DISPOSAL.

No. 1806 C Dated 7th May 1888

To
C
For favour of remarks

(Sd) W. L. C. B.
D.W.

13th/5

D 7/5

NO. 326 G.D

FROM,

J. E. Paul Esqre
~~THE SUPERINTENDING~~ Executive ENGINEER in charge
FIRST CIRCLE.

TO,

THE CHIEF ENGINEER
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

DOWLAISHWARAM, 26th April 1888
despd 30/4

SIR,

I have the honor to state that in the year 1885-86 a sum of Rs 492 was incurred, "under Provincial Miscellaneous Public Improvements" "Repairs" on the work "sweepers employed in Dowlaishwaram village" is under sanction of the then Superintending Engineer late Colonel Montgomerie owing to no sanction for the usual annual grant having been accorded by the Local Fund Board until some time after long correspondence; the outlay on the work was therefore debited to the above head—

2— A further sum of Rs 470 was spent by the then Executive Engineer Captain Rawson R.E. in the same year on account of the works noted in the margin and debited the same to the grant of Rs 500

illing in portion of the tank at Dowlaishwaram	158-2-4
pairing the culvert across the road	196-5-11
rging channel through the bed of tank	115-3-9
	469-12-0

Exd

allotted in G.O No 142 W dated 18-1-86 "under incorporated Local Funds" but this transaction was objected to by the Examiner with an intimation that the outlay (Rs 492) incurred on the first occasion should be met from the grant allotted in the above G.O and that sanction for a further grant of Rs 470 from Local Funds should be obtained to meet the outlay incurred on the marginally noted works in as much as the works were connected with the Local Funds.

3. As the Examiner is still showing the above objection in the Objectionable Item statements, I have the honor to request that you will be good enough to obtain the sanction of Government for the charge Rs 492 being admitted by the Examiner either "under Provincial Miscellaneous Public Improvements Repairs" or "under Incorporated Local funds "Repairs".

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
your most obedient St.

Paul.
Ex Engr in ch: 1st Circle.

J.E.R.
30 APR [illegible]

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No. 1806C d/ 7.5.88.
" 142 W d/ 18.1.86.
" 1536C d/ 22.9.85
" 1516 W d/ 29.6.85
" 1246 W d/ 29.5.85
" 912 W d/ 16.4.85
" 2639 W d/ 9.10.86.

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No. 1806C d/ 7th May 1888

To
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For favour of remarks.

5.5.88

D.W.

To W. No. 1590 d/ 2.6.88

If Government have no objection, the charge of Rs. 492 originally intended to be met from local funds, but erroneously charged to provincial funds in 1885-86, may be allowed to stand at debit of provincial, as the transaction occurred so long ago.

C.

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P.W.C. No. 4175

FROM,

I. E. Paul Esqr.

~~THE SUPERINTENDING~~ Executive ENGINEER

In Charge FIRST CIRCLE

TO,

THE CHIEF ENGINEER

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

DATED 26th
DESPTCHED 30th } April 1888
RECEIVED 5.5.88

4.6.88

No. 326 G.D.

ENCLOSURES. —

No. 1768 W d/ 15th June 1888

SUBJECT.

Charge of Rs 492 being admitted by the Examiner either under Provincial Miscellaneous Public Improvements or under Incorporated Local Funds Repairs —. Request to obtain the sanction of Government for a certain —

No. 1768 W.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 15th June 1888

READ the following

From the Supdg: Engr: I Circle H. E. No. 326 G.D. d/ 26th April 1888

Office Note from the Examiner P. W. Accts H. E. No. 1590 d/ 2nd June 1888

The sum of Rs 492 being the amount of charges incurred during 1885-86 on account of sweepers employed in Dowlaishweram village, may be allowed to stand at debit of Provincial.

2. The Government notice with displeasure the long delay which has occurred ~~occurred~~ ~~towards~~ in the adjustment of this item.

9.6.88

15/6

To The Supdg Engineer I Circle
" Examiner P.W. Accounts

11/6/88.

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