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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

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(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. S. MEYER,
Assistant Secretary.

Order—dated 22nd February 1888, No. 623 W., Public Works.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, and the Postmaster-General.

(Here enter No. 624 W., dated 22nd February 1888.)

(True Extract.)

Captain, R.E.,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.
„ Postmaster-General.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated February, 22nd.

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G.O., 22nd Feb. 1888, No. 623 W.

FEBRUARY.

Post Office Buildings

Proceedings of the Political Department communicating letter from the Resident in Travancore and Cochin reporting that the Travancore Government have no objection to the repair of the — being carried out by the officers of the Public Works Department on certain conditions, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, and the Postmaster-General.

25TH MAY 1887, No. 395, POLITICAL. 6238/2

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

From J. C. HANNYNGTON, Esq., Resident in Travancore and Cochin, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Pirméd, 5th April 1887, No. 59.

In January last the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, informed me that at the suggestion of the Officer Commanding Quilon, he had requested the Executive Engineer, West Coast Division, to transfer the repair work of the roads in the cantonment of Quilon to the Chief Engineer of Travancore under the sanction conveyed in G.O., No. 2665 W., of 9th November 1885.

2. This Government Order has not been communicated to me by Government.

3. I accordingly addressed the Travancore Government, and now learn from the Dewan that he is prepared to arrange for the maintenance of roads in the Quilon cantonment by the Travancore Public Works Department, should Government so desire it, but considers that some remuneration should be given to the officers who execute the works.

4. From G.O., of 28th September 1877, No. 794 W., paragraph 4 of the Resident's letter, it will be seen that the then Resident was of opinion that it would be necessary to remunerate the Chief Engineer for the extra duties thrown on him.

5. I have therefore the honor to request the orders of Government on the subject.

From Colonel J. BEATTY, R.E., Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Coimbatore, 6th May 1887, No. 195-E.W. + + at 6th

In reply to your endorsement,* No. 31-D., of 21st April 1887, I have the honor to report that there is nothing on record to show from what date the roads in the cantonment of Quilon have been under the care of the Military Department, but probably from 1856.

*Herewith returned.

2. There has never been a subordinate of this department stationed there, and as the place is some eighty miles south of Cochin—the nearest place in the West Coast Division which our officers have occasionally to visit—it is not desirable that this department should undertake work there if it can be avoided.

3. Colonel Wynch, the present Commandant, states that up to 1874 an annual maintenance grant of Rs. 1,200 was allowed for the upkeep of the 4½ miles of road in the station, but that since then, the amount was reduced to Rs. 450, which has been found insufficient, and the roads are now in a ruinous state.

4. I am of opinion that the Travancore Government should be asked to allow their Chief Engineer, who has an establishment in that neighbourhood, (1) to estimate for putting the roads in thorough repair, and (2) to state what he considers a fair allowance for maintenance.

5. With regard to remuneration, I propose that the usual 23 per cent. now allowed to municipalities and local fund boards who undertake works for the department should be allowed the Travancore Government in addition to the amount of any estimate or repair grant, and that the Travancore Government be left to decide what proportion of the 23 per cent. should be paid to the officers of their Government.

6. A similar arrangement might be allowed with the Travancore and Cochin Governments in regard to any other works which this department should at any future time be unable to undertake.

No. 106.

Forwarded to the Political Department, with reference to endorsement from that department, dated 20th April 1887, herewith returned.

2. The suggestions in paragraphs 4 to 6 of the Superintending Engineer's letter are approved in the Public Works Department.

Ootacamund,
13*th May* 1887.

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

Order—dated 25th May 1887, No. 395, Political.

The proposals of the Superintending Engineer will be communicated by the Resident to the Travancore and Cochin Governments for their acceptance, if they see no objection.

(True Extract.)

H. Stokes
Ag. Chief Secretary.

To the Resident in Travancore and Cochin.
„ Public Works Department.

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Comds to the Supdg: Engr IV Circle with reference to his No. 195 E. W. d/ 6 May 1887

2. A further Comn on the subject will be awaited

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Quilon Cantonment Roads.

Communicating to the Travancore and Cochin Governments, through the Resident, the proposals of the Superintending Engineer, regarding the repair of the — and the remuneration to officers for the execution of works, for their acceptance if they see no objection.

15TH JULY 1887, No. 1909 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following letter from J. C. HANNYNGTON, Esq., Resident in Travancore and Cochin, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Trivandrum, 29th June 1887, No. 116:—

With reference to G.O., of 25th May 1887, No. 395, regarding the maintenance of the Quilon roads, I have the honor to forward copies of letters, Nos. 1161, dated 27th June 1887, and 922, dated 18th June 1887, from the Dewans of Travancore and Cochin, from which it will be seen that the Native Governments accept the proposals of the Superintending Engineer regarding the repair of roads and remuneration to officers for the execution of works.

ENCLOSURE.

From T. GOVINDA MENON, Esq., Dewan of Cochin, to the Resident in Travancore and Cochin, dated Ernacollum, 18th June 1887, No. 922.

With reference to your memorandum, of the 9th instant, No. 635, forwarding copy of G.O., dated 25th May 1887, No. 395, Political, regarding the repair of cantonment roads in this State, I have the honor to forward, herewith, for your information, copy of a report on the subject received from the Chief Engineer, from which it appears that the roads and foot-paths within the Trichoor cantonment are maintained by convict labor. In the case of new works, or the repair of those already existing, Colonel Beatty's proposal may be adopted, but it is desirable that the estimates should be framed by the Cochin Public Works Department.

From T. RAMA ROW, Esq., Dewan of Travancore, to the Resident in Travancore and Cochin, dated Trivandrum, 27th June 1887, No. 1161 P.W.

With reference to your No. 634, dated the 9th instant, forwarding copy of the proceedings of the Madras Government, No. 395, dated the 25th ultimo, regarding the maintenance of the Quilon cantonment roads, I have the honor to inform you that the Public Works Department of this State will undertake the work on the conditions specified in paragraph 5 of the Superintending Engineer's letter printed with the proceedings. I have requested the Chief Engineer to submit an estimate for putting the roads in thorough repair and give his opinion as to what allotment should be made for their future maintenance. I will communicate with you again on receipt of that officer's reply.

Transferred to the Public Works Department.

OOTACAMUND,
7th July 1887.

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Chief Secretary.

ORDER—dated 15th July 1887, No. 1909 W., Public Works.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, with reference to G.O., No. 1614 W.,* dated 5th June 1887.

2. The proposed arrangement is sanctioned, and the Resident in Travancore and Cochin will be requested, in the Political Department, to arrange, in communication with the Superintending Engineer, to carry it out.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Political Department.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation, for information.
" Military Department, with copy of G.O., No. 1614 W., dated 15th June 1887.

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Dated July, 15th.

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G.O., 15th July 1887, No. 1909 W.

JULY.

Works on the West Coast

Proposals for getting the Public Works Departments of Travancore and Cochin to execute such of the — as the Madras Public Works Department is unable to undertake, sanctioned.

24th November 1887, No. 3209 W., Public Works.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

Read—the following papers :—

From R. B. BUCKLEY, Esq., Under Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department (Civil Works—Buildings), to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Simla, 9th June 1887, No. 192 B.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 2926 W., dated 6th November 1886, on the subject of the maintenance and repair of all postal buildings in the Madras Presidency which are not situated at the head-quarters of divisions and sub-divisions of the Public Works Department.

2. In reply, I am to suggest that it might be possible to arrange through Local Boards for the work which the Public Works Department finds a difficulty in undertaking by its direct agency. If this cannot be done, orders will be issued on the proposal that the work should be undertaken by the Postal Department.

3. I am, however, to point out that in any case the care of the Post office buildings, as of all other public offices, is primarily the function of the Department Public Works, and that the Postal Department will not be able to take over more than a fraction of the outlying Post offices, because its constitution is specially ill-adapted to the construction and repair of buildings. The members of the Postal Department do not possess any professional knowledge of the requisite kind the buildings concerned are tenanted, for the most part, by native subordinates on very low salaries of about Rs. 20 or 30 per mensem, while the postal supervising officers are few in number with enormous jurisdictions and are both ignorant of local rates and unable to test the quality of work executed.

From Colonel J. O. HASTED, R.E., Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, to the Chief Engineer, Travancore, dated 1st July 1887, No. 2195 C.

I have the honor to inquire whether you can arrange for the execution of repairs to the Post office buildings at Alleppey, Kottáyam, Nagercoil and Peermaad, the cost of repairs and a percentage for establishment, tools and plant being paid by this department.

2. Great inconvenience has been experienced by this department in carrying out repairs to the buildings in question owing to their distance from stations at which officers of this department are located.

No. 2196 C.

Sómpet (Ganjam).
Venkatagirikóta (North Arcot)
Mimissal (Tanjore).
Patukóta (do.)
Ammayanáyakanúr (Madura).
Ramnad (Madura).
Sátúr (Tinnevelly).
Tenkási (Tinnevelly).
Virudupati (Tinnevelly).
Srívaikuntham (Tinnevelly)
Vasudevanallur (Tinnevelly)
Sivakási (Tinnevelly).

The Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, has the honor to inquire whether arrangements can be made by Local Fund Boards concerned for the carrying out of repairs to Post office buildings situated at the places noted in the margin, the cost of the repairs and a percentage for establishment and tools and plant being paid by this department.

2. Great inconvenience has been experienced in carrying out repairs to the buildings in question owing to their distance from stations at which officers of this department are located.

1st July 1887. (Signed) J. O. HASTED, Col., R.E.,
Chief Engineer, P.W.D.

From the Chief Engineer, Travancore Government, to the Deputy Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, Chepâk, dated Trivandrum, 5th July 1887, No. 4451.

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter, No. 2195 C., of the 1st instant.

2. I shall be happy to have the works mentioned undertaken as desired.

Proceedings of Government in the Local and Municipal Department, dated 7th July 1887, No. 1292 L.

Proceedings of Government in the Local and Municipal Department, dated 6th October 1887, No. 1899 L.

Read—again G.O., dated 7th July 1887, No. 1292 L., Local and Municipal.

Read—also the following papers :—

From C. F. MACCARTIE, Esq., President, District Board, North Arcot, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Chittoor, 19th July 1887, No. 59.

Adverting to G.O., dated 7th instant, No. 1292 L., I have the honor to state that I have no objection to the repairs of the Post office building at Venkatagirikóta being carried out by the District Board Engineering establishment under the arrangements proposed by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.

From E. GIBSON, Esq., President, District Board, Tanjore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Vallam, 6th August 1887, No. 83.

With reference to G.O., No. 1292 L., dated 7th July 1887, I have the honor to inform you that the repairs to the Post offices in this district can be carried out by the Local Fund Engineer.

From J. LEE-WARNER, Esq., President, District Board, Tinnevelly, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 16th August 1887, No. 89.

In reference to G.O., dated 7th July 1887, No. 1292 L., Local and Municipal, I have the honor to report that arrangements can be made for the carrying out of the repairs to Post office buildings therein referred to in the manner proposed by the Chief-Engineer.

From J. G. HORSFALL, Esq., President, District Board, Ganjam, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Chatrapur, 23rd August 1887, No. 1214.

With reference to G.O., dated 7th July, No. 1292 L., and official memorandum, dated 9th instant, No. 552, I have the honor to state that the District Board can undertake repairs to the building occupied by the Post office at Sómpet.

From E. TURNER, Esq., President, District Board, Madura, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 15th September 1887, No. 99.

Adverting to G.O., dated 7th July 1887, No. 1292 L., Local and Municipal, I have the honor to submit copy of resolution, No. 83 of 1887, from which it will be seen that the District Board, Madura, are not inclined to accept the proposal of the Chief Engineer as to the carrying out of repairs to certain Post office buildings, as the Local Fund District Engineer has already enough of his own legitimate work to attend to.

ENCLOSURE.

PROCEEDINGS of the District Board, Madura, passed at the monthly meeting held on Saturday, the 10th September 1887.

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No. 83.—Read G.O., No. 1292 L., dated 7th July 1887, requesting to report on the proposal of the Chief Engineer as to carrying out repairs by the District Board to Post office buildings at Ramnad and Ammayanáyakanúr, the cost of repairs and a percentage for establishment and tools and plant being paid by the Government, Public Works Department.

Also Local Fund District Engineer's endorsement, No. 1295, dated 27th July 1887.

Resolution.—The proposal is not approved. The Board are of opinion that their Engineer has enough to do already.

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Order—dated 6th October 1887, No. 1899 L., Local and Municipal.

The Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, will be informed that the District Boards of Ganjam, North Arcot, Tanjore and Tinnevelly agree to undertake the repairs to the Post office buildings in their districts on the terms mentioned in his memorandum, No. 2196 C., dated 1st July 1887. The Madura District Board is unwilling to accept the proposal, as its Engineer is already sufficiently occupied.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. S. MEYER,
for Ag. Chief Secretary.

ORDER—dated 24th November 1887, No. 3209 W., Public Works.

Communicated to Superintending Engineers concerned for information.

2. Repairs to the Post offices, except those in the Madura district, named in the Chief Engineer's memorandum, No. 2196 C., dated 1st July 1887, above recorded, will be intrusted to the Engineering establishments of the District Boards, the requisite funds, in addition to the usual charges for establishment and tools and plant, being placed at their disposal by Superintending Engineers.

3. With the consent of the Travancore Government, which will be applied for in the Political Department, the repair of the Post offices at Alleppey, Kottáyam,

Nagercoil and Peermaad will be intrusted to the Chief Engineer, Travancore, on terms similar to those refered to in G.O., No. 1909 W., dated 15th July 1887.

4. Ordered that a copy of these proceedings be forwarded to the Government of India.

(Here enter No. 3210 W., dated 24th November 1887.)

(True Extract.)

Captain, R.E.,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, I Circle.
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" Political Department.

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G.O., 24th Nov. 1887, No. 3209 W.

NOVEMBER.

Post Office Buildings

Orders issued for the repair of — at certain places by Local Fund Engineers.

Political Department.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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Order: 18 February /88 No 129.

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(True Extract)

Asstt Secretary

To
The Public Works Department. F
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