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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 27th November 1863.

No. 378. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department :—

Passing Orders on a letter from the Supreme Government, communicating the sanction of the Governor General to the additional grants applied for by this Government for certain important works. } (Here enter 21st November 1863, No. 3,407.)

No. 379. ORDER THEREON, 27th November 1863, No. 2,149.
Communicated to the Board of Revenue for information.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with Proceedings P. W. D., No. 3,407.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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My dear Sir -

I the Gen. Assembly of Tennessee
in session the 7th of Oct. 1835
do hereby certify that Gen.
Hugh L. Cooper the bearer com-
missioned Agent Topographical
Engineer in the Army of the
U. S. appointed under, & pursuant
to the Act of Congress, entitled "An
Act authorizing the Survey of certain
Routes for Roads" approved May 4th 1826

No. 494. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. P. BEADLE, R. E., Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras in the Public Works Department, dated Fort William, 29th October 1863, No. 4,640:—

SIR,

1. Your letters Nos. 2,707 of the 18th September and 2,985 of the 14th October 1863, having been placed before the Honorable the President in Council, I am instructed to request that His Excellency the Governor of Madras in Council may be informed that the Government of India recognize the works therein mentioned as of a highly beneficial and productive character, and such as should, in the Public interest, be completed at the earliest practicable date. The additional grants applied for, of two lakhs and of one lakh of Rupees, are accordingly sanctioned from the "Reserve" held by the Government of India for reproductive works to be expended during 1863-64.

2. The works and additional appropriations *for expenditure during the current year* will, therefore, stand as under mentioned:—

	Rs.
Road from Nandial to Cuddapah	48,000
Road from Cuddapah to Bellary Frontier ... ... }	89,000
Road from Bellary to the Cuddapah Frontier... ... ... }	
Canal between Vadarniem to Topetoray	13,000
Pier at Beypore	50,000
Total. ... Two lakhs of Rupees.	
Western Bank Channel of the Kistna Project...	15,000
The Eastern Embankment of the Kistna	3,000
The Ellore High Level Canal (Kistna Section)	14,580
Minor Irrigation Works in the Kistna Delta	5,000
Construction of the Road from Guntoor to Seetanagram ... }	10,000
Portion of the Northern Trunk Road No. 6 ... ... }	
Road Works on the Carcoor, Peria, Cootiaddy, and Perambaddy Ghats	25,000
Petta Ghat Road through Jeypoor ... ... }	25,000
Road from Vizianagram to Parvatipoor ... ... }	
To be added to Reserve	2,420
Total ... One lakh of Rupees.	

Nos. 4,641 and 4,641 A.

Copy forwarded to the Financial Department, and to the Secretary to the Government of India, in the Public Works Department with the Governor General, for information.

No. 495. ORDER THEREON, 21st November 1863, No. 3,407.

1. Ordered to be communicated to the Superintending Engineers of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 6th and 7th Divisions, Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts and to the Deputy Auditor and Accountant General for information and guidance.

2. It will be observed that the Government of India have sanctioned funds for the undermentioned works to the extent indicated opposite to each. The Superintending Engineers are

requested to make the necessary arrangements for their vigorous prosecution, with the funds now placed at their disposal:—

Works.	Date of sanction.	Amount of Estimate.	Current year's allotment.	Allotment now granted.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Road from Nundial to Cuddapah. Kurnool.	Procs. 28th July 1863, No. 1,806.	60,000	15,000	28,000
Road from Cuddapah viâ Kazapett towards Kurnool. Cuddapah.	.....	60,000	15,000	20,000
Road from Cuddapah to Bellary frontier. Cuddapah.	5th September 1862, No. 2,131.	1,06,431	10,000	49,000
Road from Bellary to Cuddapah frontier. Bellary.	8th May 1863, No. 1,174.	1,02,200	23,400	40,000
Canal between Vêdarniem to Topetoray. Tanjore.	20th January 1863, No. 163.	13,000	10,000	13,000
Petta Ghât road through Jeypore.	.....	.....	.....	25,000
Road from Vizianagram to Parvattipoor. Vizagapatam.	.....			
Pier at Beypore. Malabar.	.....	46,331	.....	50,000
Western Bank Channel. Kistna.	1st August 1856, No. 1,405.	1,39,700	9,000	15,000
Eastern embankment of the Kistna. Kistna.	18th Feb. 1857, No. 329.	56,910	.....	3,000
Drainage work for the Ellore High Level Canal. Kistna.	9th May 1863, No. 1,185.	14,580	.....	14,580
Minor New Irrigation works in Kistna.	.....	.....	.....	5,000
Trunk Road No. 6 from Seetanagram to Guntoor. Kistna.	9th May 1863, No. 1,179.	26,077	440	10,000
Road works on the Carcoor, Peria, Cootiaddy, and Perambady Ghâts, Malabar.	19th Sept. 1862, No. 2,246.	1,06,400 1,04,800	.....	25,000

3. No regular Estimate appears to have been submitted for the second work; one was called for in G. O. No. 668, dated 2nd March 1859, but on the 17th July 1860, Rupees 20,000 were sanctioned for constructing a *District* road from Cuddapah, viâ Kazapett, towards Kurnool. As however the Superintending Engineer recommends that the line, which is one of great importance, should be completed as a Trunk Road, as originally contemplated, he will be good enough to submit an Estimate for the same for the sanction of Government. The work may, however, be proceeded with.

4. An Estimate for the fourth work, amounting to Rupees 1,02,200, was submitted for sanction, but the Government were of opinion that it was advisable to defer the completion of the road until the direction of the North-west line of Railway had been decided upon. On a reconsideration of the circumstances represented in Colonel Hemery's letter, dated 8th September 1863, No. 151, the Government sanction the Estimate, and request that measures may be adopted to ensure the early completion of the work.

5. Funds having been already allotted for a part of the Canal from Védarniem to Topetoray, Estimates should be forwarded without delay for completing the communication to tide water at Negapatam. This work may also in the meantime be proceeded with from the funds now allotted. It is understood that the Collector of Tanjore has expressed his ability to undertake the execution of this project, and to complete it more speedily than can be done under arrangements to be made by the Officers of the Public Works Department. Should there be no objection to this measure, the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, will arrange for making over the sum now granted to the Collector.

Petta Ghât road through Jeypore.
Road from Vizianagram to Parvattipoor.

6. The Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, will expedite the submission of Estimates for the works marginally noted.

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21*st November* 1863.

7. The report of the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, on the proposal to construct a Pier at Beypore has been communicated to the Financial Railway Department.

8. The sum now appropriated from the additional 3 lacs granted by the Government of India amounts to Rupees 2,97,580, including Rupees 50,000 for the Pier at Beypore. The balance, viz., Rupees 2,420, will be added to the Reserve Fund of the current year.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.
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" Do. 3rd do.
" Do. 6th do.
" Do. 7th do.
" Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.
" Accountant General.
" Judicial Department.
" Financial Railway Department.
" Revenue Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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