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Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
5th November 1864.

No. 65. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department :—

Communicating a letter from the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, giving an approximate estimate of the cost of converting the old bullock road between Pennagram and Auchitty into a third class cart road. } (Here enter 2nd May 1864, No. 1,252.)

No. 66. ORDER THEREON, 5th November 1864, No. 2,037.

Forests, No. 5.

1. The Conservator of Forests will enter a sum of 10,000 Rupees in his Budget for 1865-66 for the road from Pennagram to Auchitty.

2. Orders will be issued in the Department Public Works for the careful examination of the two lines mentioned in the Collector's letter to the Board of Revenue, dated 30th May 1863, and the preparation of the necessary plans and estimates.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Officiating Conservator of Forests.
„ the Department Public Works.
„ the Accountant General.
} with Pro Ewlosp. No 1252

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 2nd May 1864.

No. 18. Read the following letter from Captain T. E. GAHAGAN, R. E., Acting Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Salem, 22nd April 1864, No. 2,491:—

SIR,

1. In reply to G. O. No. 2,810 of the 28th September 1863, I have the honor to give an approximate estimate of the cost of converting the old bullock road between Penágaram and Auchitti into a third class cart road, 5 yards wide:—

2. Total length of road, improved and altered to suit cart traffic, 30 miles; of which (commencing at Penágaram)—

					£
2	Miles	at	500	Rupees.	1,000
2	,,	at	1,000	,, ...	2,000
2	,, (Ghát)	at	2,000	,, ...	4,000
3	,, (Ghát)	at	3,000	,, ...	9,000
4	,,	at	1,000	,, ...	4,000
17	,,	at	500	,, ...	8,500
				Rupees ...	25,500
				Sundries and contingencies 10 per cent. nearly ...	2,500
				Rupees ...	31,000

3. I know the line, and believe this Estimate to be liberal and safe, but not too high. It has been prepared in communication with Mr. Paynter, who has lately gone over the difficult parts of the road (all lying between Penágaram and the Kaveri river, a distance of about 12 miles) very carefully.

4. Considering the unhealthiness of the country through which the road passes, and the difficulty of getting anything like a regular supply of labor, I am of opinion that at least three years will be required for the completion of the work.

No. 19. ORDER THEREON, 2nd May 1864, No. 1,252.

Communicated to the Revenue Department with reference to Proceedings in that Department, No. 1,727, dated 19th September 1863.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Revenue Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Proceedings of the
Madras Govt. in
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Dated 2nd 3 May
Received 4th 1864.
No. 1252.

From the Offg Conservator
of Forests 26th April 1864

Communicating
a letter from the Supg Engr
6th Division giving an approx-
imate estimate of the
cost of converting the old
bullock road between
Penagaram & Auchetty
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Auchetty.

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ful examination of
the two lines mentioned
in the Offg letter of the
14th of Ult.o & 30 May 1863
and the preparation of
the necessary plans & Es-
timates.

J.D.S
5th Novem.r 1864.