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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
25th August 1865.

No. 421. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department :—

Communicating, with instructions, to the Superintending Engineer of the 6th Division, Board's Proceedings relative to the extension and re-erection of the wing wall of an under-tunnel, under the Puttár in Nannilum Talook, Tanjore District. } (Here enter 21st August 1865, No. 2,427.)

No. 422. Miscellaneous.

ORDER THEREON, 25th August 1865, No. 1,985.
Communicated to the Revenue Board.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Acting Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with Proceedings Public Works Department, No. 2,427.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 21st August 1865.

No. 694. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 11th August 1865, No. 4,799.

Read the following letter from G. L. MORRIS, Esq., Collector of Tanjore, to R. A. DALYELL, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Point Calimere, 25th July 1865, No. 221 :—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to submit, for the approval of Government, a proximate Estimate amounting to Rupees 1,080, prepared by the Superintending Engineer, for extending and re-building the wing wall of an under-tunnel under the Puttaur for the drainage of Tiruchattangudi, &c., three villages in the Nannilam Táluq.

2. The wall, which was destroyed by the freshes of October 1863, has not since been restored, and the Mirassidar and Government, therefore, have, as shown in the accompanying statement, been sustaining loss to the extent of Rupees 3,630 and 192 respectively, during the past and current years. It further appears that the cultivation of these villages cannot be carried on successfully until the wing wall is restored, and I have the honor, therefore, to request that the Board will be pleased to obtain the approval of Government to the Estimate in question, in order that a detailed estimate and plan may be submitted through the proper channel.

3. A copy of the Superintending Engineer's letter is forwarded, in order to show that Officer's opinion regarding the urgency and need of the work in question.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From Captain R. F. OAKES, R. E., Acting Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, to G. L. MORRIS, Esq., Collector of Tanjore, dated 21st June 1865, No. 333.

1. I have the honor to enclose an Estimate of Rupees 1,080, for extending and re-building the wing wall of an under-tunnel or syphon sluice under the Puttaur in the limits of Karayerupoo for the drainage of Teruchattangudi.

2. The wing was destroyed in October 1863, and from an Arzee addressed by the Vettum Kurnum to the Tahsildar, it would appear that the crops were destroyed last year, though the Government revenue was not affected. The drainage of the village must have been very materially affected by its discharge into the Puttaur, and if you regard the restoration of the work as of great importance, I will forward your letter to Government, and recommend that a special grant from the Reserve Fund may be made for the work, for if entered in the Budget of 1866-67, the work cannot be carried out for another year, as it will be too late to commence it after the 30th April.

3. Could you point out in figures what the loss to the Mirassidars has actually been, and forward the Estimate through the Board of Revenue with their recommendation, it is probable that the sanction of Government to the immediate execution of the work may be obtained. The Abstract Estimate only should be forwarded to Government.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) G. L. MORRIS, *Collector.*

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

ABSTRACT.—Estimate for extending the surplus under-tunnel of Tiruchattangudi across the Puttaur.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.

ABSTRACT.—Statement showing the loss actually sustained since October 1863 by the Mirassidars Tiruchattangudi and two other villages owing to the destruction of a wing wall of an under-tunnel in Nannilam Táluq in the Tanjore District.

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1. The Board certainly consider that the proposed work calls for immediate action. The Collector will accordingly request the Superintending Engineer to submit an application to Government, accompanied by the necessary details, for a special grant from the Reserve Fund, so that the work may be commenced at once.

2. A copy of these Proceedings will, however, be forwarded to Government for information in the Revenue Department.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary.

Transferred to the Department Public Works for information.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Acting Secretary to Government.

15th August 1865.

No. 695. ORDER THEREON, 21st August 1865, No. 2,427.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 70.

1. Communicated to the Superintending Engineer of the 6th Division.

2. The proposed work should be classed under "Repairs," and the funds for its execution should be provided from the allotment for Repairs in the Tanjore Distaict.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

/ True Copy /
Charles A. Orr Colonel R.E.
Secretary to Government

To the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, Accountant General.
,, Revenue Department.

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