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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
5th April 1865.*

No. 51. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works
Department:—

Deferring the consideration of the plans and
estimates submitted by the Superintending
Engineer, 8th Division, for improvements
to certain Salt Roads in Madura District for
want of funds. } (Here enter 23th March 1865, No. 855.)

No. 52. ORDER THEREON, 5th April 1865, No. 734.

Separate Revenue, No. 4.
Salt.

Communicated to the Board of Revenue for their
information.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue, with Proceedings Public Works Department, No. 855.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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**Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
28th March 1865.**

No. 582. Read the following letter from Captain F. J. MOBERLY, R. E., Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Madura, 8th March 1865, No. 2,789 :—

SIR,

No. 2,517, 3,678, 2,751, 3,608, 1,97, 183, 2,854, and 3,183,
dated 30th November, 12th, 18th and 23rd December 1863,
4th, 11th, and 18th January, 4th October and 4th Nov. 1864.

ENCLOSURES.

6 Abstract estimates.
5 Specifications.
6 Plans.
1 Sketch.

1 Copy of Collector's letter No. 1,335, dated 7th Nov. 1864.

1. Referring to Government Orders, numbers, and dates as per margin, I have the honor to forward plans and estimates for the under-mentioned Salt roads in the District of Madura, countersigned by the Collector in token of approval :—

	RS.
1. Estimate for constructing a road from Tondy to Dindigul ...	70,800
2. Do. do. from Madura to Ramnad ...	60,500
3. Do. do. from Madura to Tondy... ..	51,600
4. Do. do. a branch road from Vyravanathapatnum Salt platform to Mana Madura... ..	20,500
5. Do. do. from Yettivial to Morecolum Salt Platform... ..	5,800
6. Do. do. from road No. 8 or Coast road to Managudi Salt Platform	2,730
Total... ..	2,11,930

* Vide list No. 1 of branch Salt roads printed in G. O. No. 2,854, 4th October 1864.
† 1,490.

2. The Collector being of opinion that the road* from Vuttanum Platform to the coast road is not required, the estimate† for it is not submitted.

3. I beg to point out that these estimates do not allow generally for metalling except at those points where it is easily procured.

4. I submit them as desired to do so, but beg to observe that I consider the construction of the roads on these principles is a waste of money—See my No. 1,451, dated 18th October 1864.

No. 583. ORDER THEREON, 28th March 1865, No. 855.

1. With the foregoing letter the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, submits, with reference to the Orders* of Government marginally noted, plans and estimates for the improvement of the undermentioned Salt roads in the Madura District :—

MAIN LINES.

	RS.	RS.
1. Tondy to Dindigul, via Vuttanum, Devacotta, Tripattur and Nuttam, 96½ miles in length... ..	70,800	
2. Ramnad to Madura, via Tirupavanum, Mana Madura, and Peramagudi, 70½ miles in length	60,500	
3. Tondy to Madura, via Shevagungah, 53 miles in length	51,600	
Total for Main Lines		1,82,900

BRANCH LINES.

1. Vyravanathapatnum to Mana Madura, 37½ miles in length.	20,500
2. Morecolum to Yettivial 12½ miles in length	5,800
3. Managudi to coast road No. 8, about ¼ of a mile in length.	2,730
Total for Branch Lines	29,030
Grand total	2,11,930

2. The great importance of these roads has already been recognized by Government, and at the time the estimates for them were called for, there was a probability of funds being forthcoming to some extent during the ensuing official year to admit of the work upon their improvements being at least put in hand.

3. There is, however, now no possibility of this, and the Government have no alternative but to defer consideration of the estimates.

(True Extract.)



Colonel, R. E.,

Secretary to Government.

To the Revenue Department.
„ Superintending Engineer, 8th Division.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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