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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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No. 7,033.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 29th October 1867.

Read the following letter from J. FRASER, Esq., Collector of the Godavery District, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Coconada, 10th September 1867, No. 250:—

1. With reference to paragraph 5 of the Board's Proceedings of the 28th June last, No. 3,991, and in continuation of paragraph 7 of my letter, dated 8th ultimo, No. 216, I have the honour to submit a report on the plantation of trees in this District.

2. The total expenditure incurred from the District Road Fund, during the last three years, for planting trees on channel banks in different ranges, and on
ENCLOSURES Nos. 1 to 7.—Reports.

ENCLOSURE No. 8.—Map.

1. With the foregoing letter, the Collector submits copies of the several reports received from the Range Officers, and others, on the plantation of trees in the District.

2. The Board observe that these reports are very satisfactory, and, in compliance with the Collector's request, authorize a sum of Rupees 2,000 to be placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department, out of the current year's District Road Fund Reserve, for the extension and conservancy of avenues.

3. The Board request the Collector to report whether any tolls or license fees are not levied on the navigable canals of the District, what amount is realized in this way yearly, and whether the planting of the Canal banks would not be more properly met from this source than from the Road Fund, from which of course the cost of avenues along the District roads will be met.

ENCLOSURE No. 8.—Map.

number more than half are Palmyra trees, and 5,300 are Jack trees in Nos. 1 and 2 Ranges.

3. The amount of income derived, during the abovenamed period, by the sale of fruit trees, is Rupees 1,702. A sum of Rupees 125 was also spent by the Sub-Collector, from the Jungle Conservancy Fund, for planting 2,000 Casuarina trees in the village of Rustumbada, in the Sub-division. They are reported to be growing well. I beg to enclose, for the information of the Board, copies of the several reports, received from the Range Officers, Sub-Collector, and Head Assistant Collector, on the subject of avenue trees planted in the District.

4. A revised Map of the District on a large scale, as desired by the Board in paragraph 6 of their Proceedings above quoted, is herewith forwarded.

5. I request that you will obtain sanction for Rupees 2,000, already provided for extension and conservancy of avenues.

Vide paragraph 5, Board's Procs., No. 3,991, of 28th June 1867.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Secretary.

To the Collector of the Godavery District,
with a Map.

.. the Accountant General.
.. the Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. J. Wright.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
27th January 1868.

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2. The total expenditure incurred from the District Road Fund, during the last three years, for planting trees on channel banks in different ranges, and on roadsides, &c., and for maintaining them is Rupees 10,940,* and the number of trees planted is 138,271, which includes a variety of useful fruit and shade-

* Spent by Department of Public Works	RS. 10,153
Do. by Head Assistant Collector	787
	10,940

affording trees. They are reported to be in a flourishing state, except in a few localities. Of this number more than half are Palmyra trees, and 5,300 are Jack trees in Nos. 1 and 2 Ranges.

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2. The Board observe that these reports are very satisfactory, and, in compliance with the Collector's request, authorize a sum of Rupees 2,000 to be placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department, out of the current year's District Road Fund Reserve, for the extension and conservancy of avenues.

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in this way yearly, and whether the planting of the canal banks would not be more properly met from this source than from the Road Fund, from which of course the cost of avenues along the district roads will be met.

4. The Map received with the Collector's letter does not distinguish the Imperial from the Local lines. It will be returned to the Collector, to enable him to supply the omission, and to re-submit it to the Board with the ensuing year's Budget, inserting in it any fresh works which may be proposed for execution during that year.

No. 447. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 17th January 1868, No. 379.

Read the following letter from the Collector of the Godavery District, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cocanada, 7th November 1867, No. 308:—

1. I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of the Board's Proceedings, dated 29th ultimo, No. 7,033, and in reply to paragraph 3, beg to state that the license fees on the navigable canals are levied by the Engineer Department at the commencement of each year. This money* was credited to District Road Fund till December 1865. It was then transferred to Imperial Public Works Revenue, under orders from Government, dated 28th November 1865, No. 3,588. The collections from January to June 1866 are Rupees 22,685,† and the subsequent collections are not known in this office, because the Engineer Officers include the above collections in their general remittances.

2. The charge of planting trees on the canal banks, should, I think, be met from this source, as the revenue from license fees has been credited to that department.

3. With reference to paragraph 4 of the Proceedings, I beg to add that there is only one Imperial line in this district, the High Northern Trunk Road No. VI. It runs from Ellore to Tuni via Yernagudem, Rajahmundry, Rajanagram, Juggumpetta, Yerraveram, Darmaveram, and Annaveram.

4. A revised Map for 1868-69 was sent to the Board with my letter, dated 31st ultimo, No. 299, and it contains the information required. The Map, returned with the Board's Proceedings of the 29th October, is therefore sent back.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Map.

1. Submitted for the consideration and orders of Government.

2. The Board request, that, under the circumstances stated by the Collector, orders may be issued in the Department of Public Works to charge the cost of planting and maintaining trees on the Godavery canal banks to the revenue from tolls or license fees levied on the navigable canals of the district, which is now credited to the Imperial Public Works Revenue, and to replace to the credit of

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the District Road Fund the sum of Rupees 2,000 placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department, in the Board's Proceedings, dated 29th October 1867, No. 7,033, for the extension and conservancy of avenues on the canal banks during the current year.

No. 448.

ORDER THEREON, 27th January 1868, No. 221.

Local Funds, No. 18.
Account.

Referred to the Department Public Works for disposal.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department.
,, the Board of Revenue.

Fxd. T. O'Connor.

No. 379.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 17th January 1868.

Read the following letter from J. FRASER, Esq., Collector of the Godavery District, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cocanada, 7th November 1867, No. 303: -

1. I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of the Board's Proceedings, dated 29th ultimo, No. 7,033, and in reply to paragraph 3, beg to state that the license fees on the navigable canals

	RS.
* 1864-65... ..	25,644
From May to Dec. 1865 ...	2,966
	28,610

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2. The charge of planting trees on the canal banks, should, I think, be met from this source, as the revenue from license fees has been credited to that department.

3. With reference to paragraph 4 of the Proceedings, I beg to add that there is only one Imperial line in this district, the High Northern Trunk Road No. VI. It runs from Ellore to Tuni via Vernagudem, Rajahmundry, Rajanagram, Juggumpetta, Yerraveram, Darmaveram, and Annaveram.

4. A revised Map for 1868-69 was sent to the Board with my letter, dated 31st ultimo, No. 299, and it contains the information required. The Map, returned with the Board's Proceedings of the 29th October, is therefore sent back.

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2. The Board request, that, under the circumstances stated by the Collector, orders may be issued in the Department of Public Works to charge the cost of planting and maintaining trees on the Godavery canal banks to the revenue from tolls or license fees levied on the navigable canals of the district, which is now credited to the Imperial Public Works Revenue, and to replace to the credit of the District Road Fund the sum of Rupees 2,000 placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department, in the Board's Proceedings, dated 29th October 1867, No. 7,033, for the extension and conservancy of avenues on the canal banks during the current year.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with a copy of the Board's Proceedings, dated 29th October 1867, No. 7,033.

Copy to the Collector of the Godavery District.
" to the Accountant General.
" to the Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" to the Superintending Engineer, First Division.

Exd. J. Wright.

Handwritten notes:
I see the letter in G.O. 26 Oct 67 No. 3302. It is the same as the letter from Govt of India in G.O. 23 Feb 68. Please see para 4 of letter from Govt of India in G.O. 23 Feb 68. put up.

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No. 181.

27 Jan 1868

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