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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
21st August 1868.

No. 354 Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department :—

Approving of the estimate of Rupees 11,790 for strengthening the north bank of the Wyacondan river in Trichinopoly District. } (Here enter 18th August 1868, No. 2,637.)

No. 355. ORDER THEREON, 21st August 1868, No. 2,233.

Irrigation, No. 8.

Communicated to the Revenue Board.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. SEWELL,
Acting Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with Proceedings Public Works Department, No. 2,637.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 18th August 1868.

No. 358. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Tanjore, 3rd August 1868, No. 497 :—

1. With reference to G. O., No. 540, dated 27th February, I have the honor to forward an abstract estimate for strengthening the Wyacondan north bank, from the Allitoray to the Puttoor bridge, so as to protect Trichinopoly from floods such as those which occurred in January last.

Rupees 11,790.

2. There has been some delay in submitting this estimate, as it was at one time thought advisable to alter the direction of two portions of the channel, but this idea has been abandoned owing to its excessive cost. The improvement of the channel, by obtaining earth from the Padugay adjacent to the deep bed where the deep bed requires widening, and the strengthening of the bank as provided in the estimate, will, it is believed, sufficiently meet the requirements of the channel, and afford the desired protection for Trichinopoly.

3. On this work Rupees 5,767 have been spent in 1868-69 up to the 30th June. It is not possible to provide for this work from the agricultural allotment for Trichinopoly in 1868-69, almost the whole of which has already been appropriated. I beg, therefore, that Rupees 7,790 may be provided specially for this work in 1868-69, and the balance may be provided in 1869-70, as it will not be possible to resume work on this portion of the channel till February next, and if necessary much of the work executed in those months may be paid for early in 1869-70.

4. The masonry works injured or destroyed by the breaches of January have been restored on an estimate of Rupees 2,730, under the head Agricultural Repairs.

No. 46.

5. An item in the estimate now submitted provides Rupees 797-14-6 for improving the Corryaur, near the point where it enters the Wyacondan. The estimate noted in the margin, which has been provided for under Agricultural Repairs, has been carried out in restoring the banks of the Arryaur and Corryaur which were injured in January.

No. 191 of 1867-68, Rupees 885.

6. The restoration of the Codamoorty bank and its improvement has been completed, or nearly so, under G. O., No. 1,003, dated 27th March, on the estimate of Rupees 6,400, adverted to in my letter No. 1,698, dated 2nd March.

No. 359. ORDER THEREON, 18th August 1868, No. 2,637.

IRRIGATION, No. 18.

The estimate of Rupees 11,790 submitted with this letter for strengthening the north bank of the Wyacondan river in the Trichinopoly District is approved, but as the Government are unable

at present to supplement the current year's allotment for repairs under "Agricultural" in the 6th Division, the Superintending Engineer will proceed with the work in anticipation of a specific grant being made later in the year.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

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

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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for strengthening the
North bank of the
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