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Revenue—DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
26th February 1869.

No. 492. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department:—

Approving the proposal of the Superintending Engineer for appropriating to other works the anticipated saving of Rupees 4,400 from the allotment for the Pombay channel, South Arcot District.	(Here enter 18th February 1869, No. 536.)

No. 493. ORDER THEREON, 26th February 1869, No. 501.

Irrigation, No. 15.

Communicated to the Revenue Board.

(True Extract.)

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with Proceedings Public Works Department, No. 536.

Ed. G. A. Turton.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 18th February 1869.

No. 484. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp at Manaloorpett, 25th January 1869, No. 186:—

1. I have the honour to report that I examined the whole of the Pombay channel, from the Pooniar Anicut, on the 21st and 22nd. The channel has been cut for the entire length of eleven miles, nearly all the masonry falls, sluices, &c., have been built, and, after allowing for work still remaining to be done, there is likely to be a saving of Rupees 4,400 on the estimate of Rupees 45,400.

2. The saving is principally owing to its having been found practicable to dispense with two large drainage under-sluices, and to admit the drainage into the Pombay channel itself lower down. It is also owing to careful superintendence on the part of the Range Officer, Captain Howard.

3. I purpose, with the sanction of Government, laying out the balance of the estimate on the following works:—

	Rs.
Four additional bridges across the channel at the villages of Arimalay, Kodungal, Arkadoo, and Goodalur, at 800 Rupees each	3,200
Five sets of stone steps opposite villages...	250
Forming road over the embankment between two bridges already built	500
A tunnel to pass the drainage to Mambaraput tank ...	150
Planting trees, watering, &c.	300
Total	4,400

4. When these extra works have been carried out, the channel will be very complete. The tanks at the upper end were supplied by it last year, and all the tanks will get the benefit of the next freshes in the Pooniar.

No. 485. ORDER THEREON, 18th February 1869, No. 536.

IRRIGATION, No. 20.

The Government are pleased to learn that the Pombay channel has been nearly completed within the amount of the sanctioned estimate, and they approve of the anticipated saving of Rupees 4,400 being appropriated to the works recommended to be carried out in paragraph 3.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Revenue Department.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" Accountant General.

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G. O., 26th February 1869, No. 501.

FEBRUARY.
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Pombay channel in South Arcot District. —Order approving the proposal to appropriate the anticipated savings to other works, communicated to Revenue Board.

To Revenue Dept.
No. 532.

Govt. of [1869] Madras.

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To

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

5th Division.

&c., &c., &c.

Dated February, 18th.

Recd. 20 *Feb.*

G. O., 18*th February* 1869, *No.* 532.

FEBRUARY.

Nos. 484-485

Pombay channel.—The proposal of the Superintending Engineer for appropriating to other works the anticipated saving of Rupees 4,409 from the allotment for the Pombay channel, South Arcot District, approved.

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