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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	232	Press Mis.
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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
17th February 1870.

No. 165. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 17th January 1870:—

Read the following letter from the Collector of the Godavery District, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cocanada, 26th October 1869, No. 268.

The Superintending Engineer, in his letter, dated 16th instant, No. 2,603, states that the estimate with plan, amounting to Rupees 6,890, (which was sent to Board with my letter, dated 21st November 1865, No. 297, forwarding Local Fund Budgets,) for constructing the road from Ellore to Kollair Lake, does not appear to have been sanctioned by Government.

2. Major Fischer further states that the work was commenced in 1865-66 in anticipation of sanction, Rupees 1,000 having been allotted from District Road Fund for the same, and Rupees 970 were expended in that year.

3. In the Local Fund Budget for 1868-69 Rupees 5,020 have been provided, and this sum was allotted; the work was therefore re-commenced in 1868-69.

4. The total expenditure incurred on the road up to last year is Rupees 3,520, and the balance of the estimate, viz., Rupees 3,370,* has been placed at the Superintending Engineer's disposal for completing the road this year.

* Rupees 2,522 expended up to 31st August 1869.

5. Under the above circumstances, I request, by his desire, that necessary steps may be taken to obtain the sanction of Government for the estimate now under reference.

In the foregoing letter the Collector, at the instance of the Superintending Engineer, reports for the first time that the plans and an estimate, amounting to Rupees 6,890, for constructing a road from Ellore to the Kollair Lake, which were forwarded to the Board with his letter, dated 21st November 1865, have not been sanctioned by Government.

2. The letter alluded to gave cover to the Collector's Local Fund Budget for 1866-67, and the plans and estimate under reference formed its enclosures with other Budget papers. The Budget was disposed of in the usual course, but the estimate was lost sight of.

3. The estimate is made up of the following items:—

	Rs.
1. Earth-work	2,016
2. Sanding	2,028
3. Rough stone	2,104
4. Turfing	64
5. Arch-work	207
6. Contingencies	471
	6,890

4. In paragraph 4 of his letter, the Collector reports that the actual expenditure on the work up to the close of last year was Rupees 3,520, and that the balance of the estimate, viz., Rupees 3,370,* has been placed at the disposal

* Included in the List of Incomplete Works sanctioned in the Board's Proceedings, dated 3rd July 1869, No. 4,771.

of the Superintending Engineer for the completion of the work during the current year.

5. The Board regret that the plans and estimate have been overlooked in their Office, and request that the sanction of Government may be accorded to them.

No. 1232. OFFICE THEREON, 17th February 1870, No. 232.

Local Funds, No. 12.
Civil Works.

THE estimate for the construction of a road from Ellore to the Kollair Lake, amounting to Rupees 6,890, is sanctioned.

2. The length of the road is not given in the estimate which, the Government observe, was prepared more than four years ago.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Public Works Department.
,, the Accountant-General.

Encl. 1 E. Gentleman.

Revenue Department

No. 232.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 17th July ~~January~~ 1870.

Read the following. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Subng. for sanction plans & Estimate amounting to Rs. 6890. for constructing road from Ellore to Kollair Lake in Godavery Distt.

R.E. 17th June 1870

The estimate for the construction of a road from Ellore to the Kollair Lake, amounting to Rupees 6890 is sanctioned.

2. The length of the road is not given

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