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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

13th September 1877, No. 2,710

Famine Relief.

...llowing paper:—

No. 2[illegible] ...ceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 3rd August 1877, No. 3,629.

Read the following letter from W. S. WHITESIDE, Esq., Collector of North Arcot, to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras; dated Palmanair, 26th July 1877, No. 464.

In their Proceedings, No. 6,797, dated 9th May last, the Board of Revenue have communicated to me Government Order, No. 1,617, dated 2nd idem, declining on the Board's recommendation to sanction the estimate for the road from Trivathur to Mangal, submitted with my letter, No. 237, of the 14th April last. Enclosed is copy of Mr. Austin's letter, No. 436, dated 2nd instant, in which he urges the extreme necessity for continuing the work, on which upwards of Rupees 2,000 have been already expended on the strength of the Board's sanction originally accorded for Rupees 5,000, in their Proceedings, No. 3,024, dated 30th November 1876, as stated in my letter above quoted. The resumption of this work will provide labor for a large number of able-bodied coolies, who are now in great want of employment in the central parts of the taluq, and the road will, when completed, open up an important line of communication between Conjeveram and Trivathur, meeting the Bangalore Trunk Road.

Board's No. 8,446.

2. Under these circumstances, I beg, in again submitting the estimate, which amounts to Rupees 21,000, to request that the Board will be pleased to move Government to re-consider their former order, and sanction an additional allotment of Rupees 16,000,—the difference between this amount and that of the aforesaid estimate, namely Rupees 5,000, having been already sanctioned by them.

3. The estimate provides for certain masonry works, which will of course be carried out by the Engineering Department.

From W. P. AUSTIN, Esq, Acting Sub-Collector of North Arcot, to W. S. WHITESIDE, Esq., Collector of North Arcot, dated Vellore, 2nd July 1877, No. 436.

Even at the risk of being thought troublesome, I must venture to once more draw your attention to the absolute necessity of completing the road from Trivathur to Mangal, in the Arcot Taluq.

2. As you are aware, upwards of 2,000 Rupees have been already expended on the work, and, unless the road is completed, this sum represents simply so much waste. When the road was undertaken, many of the ryots gave up little bits of their wet lands without compensation to enable me to take the road in a straight line. If the road is not completed, these people will doubtless claim compensation.

3. Again, by commencing this present road, we have completely spoilt and rendered impassable the old cart track, thereby shutting off all communications between Conjeveram and Trivathur. When at Trivathur the other day, the people bitterly complained of this.

4. Lastly I would observe that there are a very large number of able-bodied paupers, weavers, and to whom this work will give a means of earning their livelihood. Under all these circumstances, I have the honor to request that you will once more bring the matter to the notice of Government, and obtain their consent to the completion of the road in question.

5. I may add that in my opinion it is one of the most—if not the most—important line of road in the taluq. The Tahsildar's arzi is herewith enclosed.

Submitted for the orders of Government.

2. Mr. Austin is urgent for the completion of the road, which the accompanying map.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALETTI
Asst.

No. 236. Order thereon, 13th September 1877, No

Miscellaneous.

The Government sanction the estimate under the circumstances, but observe that, inasmuch as half its amount is for masonry works, it is not a work well suited for famine relief coolies.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,
Additional Secretary to Government.

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

Bxd. A. Raitt.

F. N° 6243

Items: 2 1/3

The Govt. declined to sanction this estimate on the beginning of May last, but they sanctioned the sum of Rupees 21000 N° 1 sheet Rs me. Self (on 10465) is for masonry bridges. The 8 sheet contained an estimate of 5000 N° items which ought to be sanctioned by the Govt. but not included in

The road was considered by Board of Revenue under what may be termed partial sanctions it being estimated to cost 5000 Rupees. although Estimate Item existed in Roll Office showing it to be estimated at 21900 This is not calculated to any Person concerned in the matter but the Board of Revenue expected it was opened. because

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Jointly & severally spent
in irrigation works or
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Still held —
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Upon the specification with
Security in Maintenance
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to be spent in making
good the portion damaged
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I do caution
Govt to remark
that the Revenue
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Geo. Stuart
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Revenue Department

No. 3629

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
dated 3rd August 1877

Read the following

No. 464

From

W. S. Whiteside Esquire
Collector of North Arcot

To.

C. A. Galton Esquire
Acting Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Sir

In their Proceedings of No. 6797 dated 9th May last, the Board of Revenue have communicated to me Government Order No. 1617 dated 2nd Idem, declining on the Board's recommendation to sanction the Estimate for the road from Trivatoor to Mangat submitted with my letter No. 237

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No. 2719

13 September 77

Board of Revenue
Mr Cogle
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of the 14th April last. Enclosed is
Copy of Mr Austin's letter No 436
dated 2nd Instant, in which he
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the Engineering Department.

I have &c
W. S. Whiteside
Collector

North Arcot
Collector's office
Camp Palmanair
26th July 1817

Enclosure

No 436

North Arcot
Sub-Collector's office
Vellore 2nd July 1817

From
W. P. Austin Esqr
Acting Sub-Collector of
North Arcot

To
W. S. Whiteside Esqr
Collector of North Arcot

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(Signed) W. Morton
Acting Sub-Collector

(True copy)
(Signed) W. S. Whiteside
Collector.

Submitted for the order
of Government.

2. Mr Morton is urgent for
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Map.

(True copies and extract

Acting Secretary

To
The Asst Secy to Govt R.D.
with 2 estimates & Map to be retd.

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Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue
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submitting for the orders
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SKETCH MAP
OF
NORTH ARCOT DISTRICT

Scale 4 Miles = 1 Inch

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