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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

15th January 1879, No. 206 W.

Buildings and Roads.

Civil Works.

Read the following papers:—

No. 175. From J. W. RUNDALL, Esq., Acting Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Trichinopoly, 23rd December 1878, No. 918.

I HAVE the honor to forward herewith a revised estimate* for making a straight cut in the Kallimodu reach of the Vedarniem canal, for which an estimate amounting to Rupees 6,210 was originally sanctioned in G.O., No. 266, of the 23rd January 1877.

One Estimate.
" Comparative Statement.
* Amounting to Rupees 6,780.

2. As to the reason for applying for higher rates, Lieutenant Romilly, R.E., lately in charge of the Negapatam Range, who applied for the increase, states that the soil is found to be so hard as to be got out only by stout mamuties used as picks. Lumps of kunkur are also met with and the work of excavation is one of difficulty. Lieutenant Romilly states that he ascertained this by personally inspecting the work while in progress and testing the labor required to excavate.

3. Under these circumstances I would beg to recommend that the increase in the rates applied for be sanctioned.

4. The work has in accordance with the recent restrictive orders been stopped, but the season is very favorable for its execution; and as the money is paid from Canal and Ferry Funds, I would request that, if possible, funds be given to allow of the early completion of the work.

No. 175-A. From the same officer, dated Trichinopoly, 7th January 1879, No. 1,026.

With reference to your memorandum, No. 5,821, dated 31st ultimo, I have the honor to inform you that in the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, No. 12,006, dated 25th November last, a sum of Rupees 6,140 has been allotted for Vedarniem canal, estimate Rupees 6,210.

2. A sum of Rupees 1,535 was likewise allotted for the cost of Public Works supervision making the total allotment Rupees 7,675.

No. 176. ORDER THEREON, 15th January 1879, No. 206 W.

THE revised estimate of Rupees 6,780, for making a straight cut in the Kallimodu reach of the Vedarniem canal, is sanctioned.

2. This sanction has been registered as Special No. 209 B. of 1878-79.

(True Extract.)

J. A. And Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Revenue Department.
" Financial "

Encl. E. C. Shunker.

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G. W. 18th January 1879. No. 111.

JANUARY.

Nos. 175-176.

Commissioner of the Board of Revenue
has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of
your letter of the 11th inst. and to inform you that the
same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

No 432
Comm? to the
Board of Revenue

14 Feb 79

114 E. 12th St. New York City

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