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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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No. 20. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp at Budwail, 14th November 1867, No. 2,182:—

1. I have the honor to inform you, that I this morning inspected the line of country proposed to be taken by Mr. Supervisor Lewis for the road from Budwail to Peremamilla, in the Budwail talook, Cuddapah District. The line chosen by him touches all the villages on the old bandy track, which however is so tortuous that the proposed line must be considered as entirely a new line of road.

2. A lock-spit line has been marked throughout the whole distance, and, with the exception of flattening a curve in one place, I would not propose any deviation. The survey and estimate have now to be prepared, and as Mr. Lewis thinks he can promise to let these be in my Office before the end of February 1868, I would request permission to commence on this work, for which a provision of Rupees 3,000 has been made in Part I. of the Supplemental Local Fund Budget of 1867-68, sanctioned in G. O., No. 2,526, of 28th ultimo, in the Revenue Department, and communicated with G. O., No. 3,391, of 1st instant. The present bandy-track is very stony and rough, and a great deal might be done to open up the new road with the sum allotted in the Budget.

3. I take this opportunity of asking permission to commence work at once on the other roads entered in Part I. of the abovementioned Local Fund Budget, for the following reasons:—

I. The road from Poddatoor to Yerragoontla is a railway feeder, and is considered a most important one; the survey and estimate have been received, and are now being checked in my Office.

II. The road from Nundialumpett to Poddatoor may also be looked upon as a railway feeder in an indirect way; the survey is nearly completed, and Mr. Lewis hopes to submit the estimate by the middle of January.

III. The estimate for the road from Goondloor to the Condapooram station has been already submitted on or about the 23rd ultimo, but no orders on it have yet been received.

IV. The survey of the road from Mullyala to the Moodanoor station, (the portion in the Poddatoor range of an important railway feeder from Pulivendla to Moodanoor,) is now going on, and Mr. Lewis hopes to have the estimate for it ready by the end of March.

4. As this is a favorable time for carrying on work, I trust the sanction of Government will be accorded to the commencement of these works in anticipation of the submission of the surveys and estimates.

Transferred to the Revenue Department, with the opinion of the Secretary in this department that it would be advisable, under the circumstances, to authorize the commencement of the works in anticipation of the submission of the requisite plans and estimates.

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

19th November 1867.

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No. 21. ORDER THEREON, 3rd December 1867, No. 2,865.

Local Funds, No. 2.

Civil Works.

The commencement of the works in question in anticipation of sanction to the detailed estimates which are about to be submitted, is authorized as a special case.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

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

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