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No. 25. Read the following letter from the President of the Local Fund Boards, Chingleput District, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Sydapet, 3rd December 1872, No. 56 :—

Referring to paragraph 2 of the Order of Government, Financial Department, dated 27th September last, No. 1287, I have the honour to report that the application for the loan for the completion of the bridge over the Cortelliar River was published in the District Gazette of the 2nd ultimo, or one month since, and to request that the amount may be placed at the disposal of the Sydapet Local Fund Board, after the sanction of the Government has been obtained.

No. 26. To the Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, dated Fort St. George, 7th January 1873, No. 16.

Referring to the Rules published on 25th April 1872, relative to loans to Municipal and Local Fund Committees, &c., for local public works under Act XXIV. of 1871, I am directed to forward, for submission to the Governor-General in Council, the accompanying papers relative to an application from the Local Fund Board of the Sydapet Circle of the Chingleput District in this Presidency for a loan of Rupees 1,05,420 on the security of the income of the Local Fund under Act IV. of 1871 (Madras) for the construction of an iron girder bridge across the Cortelliar River on the Great Northern Trunk Road on a plan and estimate framed by the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, and approved by Government for execution.

Proceedings of Government, P. W. Dept., dated 2nd October 1871, No. 2504.
Proceedings of Government, Financial Department, dated 31st May 1872, No. 735.
Proceedings of Government, Financial Department, dated 27th September 1872, No. 1287.
From the President, Local Fund Board, Chingleput, dated 3rd December 1872, No. 56.

2. The project has been long under consideration, and has been very carefully scrutinized in all aspects. The tolls to be levied for the use of the bridge are estimated to yield Rupees 11,600 per annum. The resources of the Local Fund afford ample security for the repayment of the loan on the conditions as to instalments (principal and interest) prescribed by the rules. The Collector and Engineer of the District are Members of the Local Fund Board, which fact affords an additional guarantee for the due application of the loan funds and the proper supervision of the work.

3. The iron work will be procured on payment from the Government Workshops, and as this will entail immediate and considerable expenditure, it is desired that the whole amount of the loan may be made available at once.

4. The Governor in Council commends the application to the favourable consideration of the Governor-General in Council, and I am directed to request the favour of an early decision so as to allow of the work being put in hand at once.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. J. Wright.

1873.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

From

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George,

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Financial Department.

Dated 7th January 1873.

Recd.

No. 16.

Enclosure.

JANUARY.
Nos. 25-26.

Forwarding, for favourable consideration, certain papers relative to an application from the Local Fund Board of the Sydapet Circle of the Chingleput District for a loan of Rupees 1,05,420 for the construction of an iron girder bridge across the Cortelliar River on the Great Northern Trunk Road.

L. F. Bds

Chingleput District, ~~Collector's~~ Office

No. 56

Saidapet, 3d December 1872.

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From

R. W. Barlow Esqre

President ~~COLLECTOR~~ OF THE L. F. Boards

CHINGLEPUT DISTRICT.

To

The Honorable W. Huddleston

Chief SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

MADRAS.

Sir,

Referring to para 2 of the order of Government F. D. dated 27th Septem-
ber last No. 1,287, I have the honor to report that the application for the loan for the completion of the bridge over the Cortelliar River, was published in the District Gazette of the 2d ultimo, or one month since, and to request that the amount may be placed at the disposal of the Saidapet Local Fund.

Fund Board, after the sanction of
the Government has been obtained.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obed.t Servant,

O.M. Barlow
President.

Financial Department.

No. 16.

To

The Secretary to the Government
of India,
Financial Department.

Sir,

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From The President & Members of the Board
The Collector
of Chingleput.

No. 16
To The Secretary to Government

Enclosure.

No. 5

Dated 2nd December 1872
Recd.

Rec. Report. Pkd. 27th Oct. 1871. No 25014.
— " — Rec. D. 7/31 May 1872. No 735.
— " — " — 27 Sep. 1872. No 1237.
From the President Local Fund Board
Chingleput. 3rd Dec. 1872. No 56

for a loan of Rs 105,420 on the security of the income of the Local Fund under Act IV of 1871 (Madras) for the construction of an iron girder bridge across the Cortellier river in the great Northern trunk road on a plan and estimate framed by the Superintending Engineer 4th Division and approved by Government for execution.

The project has been long under consideration and has been very carefully scrutinized in all aspects. The tolls to be levied for the use of the bridge are estimated to yield Rs 11,500 per annum.

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Fort St George
7th January 93.

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No. 16.

To

The Secretary to the
Government of

Department.

Dated 18th July 1874.