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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 23rd June 1857.

No. 75. Read the following letter from Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated 8th June 1857, No. 997.

SIR,

With reference to Extract Minutes Consultation, No. 468, dated March 13th 1857, I have the honor to forward, the required plan for a bridge, to replace that carried away near Trivellore.

2. The circumstances under which the former bridge was destroyed, are explained in my letter No. 10,458, dated 24th February 1857, on which the above order was issued.

3. The District Engineer reports, that when the bridge now submitted is finished, there will be no interruption to the traffic between the Railway station at Dacumbode and Trivellore.

4. The proposed bridge consists of 1 Elliptic Arch of 36 feet span, with 7 feet rise, and will have a waterway of 198 square feet; the Section of the stream being 144 feet.

5. It is to be built of brick in chunam, is to have a front and rear retaining wall below the Arch, and to have a stone flooring.

6. The estimated cost of the bridge is Rupees (1,900) one thousand, and nine hundred Rupees.

7. The estimate is calculated on the data usual in the District and I recommend the work for the early sanction of Government.

No. 76. ORDER THEREON, No. 1206; dated 22nd June 1857.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions, out of the one lac fund, the immediate re-construction of a bridge of one arch at a cost of Rupees (1,900) one thousand and nine hundred, in place of that washed away by floods in 1856, near Trivallore, on the road from Trivallore to the Railway station at Dacumbode in the District of Chingleput. The estimate for the work ought to have been submitted to Government and the Chief Engineer is requested not to omit these documents when recommending works for sanction.

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

No. 997

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'Communication'

Bridge on the Road from Trincomalee to Railway Station at Dimbulagalla.

From, The Chief Engineer

To, The Secretary to Government. P. W. D.

Sir, With reference to Exc: Mins: Cons: No. 468 dated March 13th 1857, I have the honor to forward the required plan for a bridge, to replace that carried away near Trincomalee.

2nd. The circumstances under which the former bridge was destroyed, are explained in my letter No. 1045 dated 24th February 1857, on which the above order was issued.—

3d. The District Engineer reports, that when the bridge now submitted is finished, there will be no interruption to the traffic between the Railway Station at Dimbulagalla and Trincomalee.—

4th. The proposed bridge consists of 1 elliptic arch of 36 feet span, with 7 feet piers, and will have a waterway of 198 Square feet; the section of the Stream being 144 feet.

5. It is to be built of Bricks in Chunam, is to have a front and rear retaining walls below the Arch, and to have a Stone flooring.

6. The Estimated cost of the bridge is (Rds 1900) one thousand and nine hundred Rixdollars.—

7. The Estimate is calculated on the data usual in this District and I recommend the work for the early sanction of Government.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obt. Servt.
Col Col Fisher Colonel
Chief Engineer.

Central Office of Public Works,
Fort Saint George, 8th June 1857.

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Public Works Department
Dated Cons 23rd June
N° 1188

From,
The Chief Engineer

To
The Secretary to Government,
N.W.D.

Dated 8th June 1857.
Received 10th "

N° 1206

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Submits with his recommendation for early sanction a bridge of one arch at a cost of Rupees (1,900) one thousand and Nine hundred, to be built in place of that washed away by floods in 1856 near Trivellore on the Road from Trivellore to the Railway station at Dacumbode in the District of Chingleput.

N° 1206-22nd June
Chingleput — Lieut. Cole

N° 1206

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For Sir G. St. George
22 June 1857

Copies to the Chief Engr Dispatch
with an Enclosure.

N° 1206.

17th June 1857