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Government of Madras.

Public Works

DEPARTMENT.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
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Fort St. George,
12th August 1857.

No. 1574.

From

H. FORBES, Esq.,

Acting Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George.

To

LIEUT.-COLONEL W. E. BAKER,

Secretary to the Government of India, D. P. W.

SIR,

	Rs.
Communications.....	3,600
Buildings	2,340
Total.....	<u>5,940</u>

With reference to the orders of the Government of India communicated in your endorsement No. 2140, dated 12th October 1855, I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to submit a Statement shewing the several works, of which the estimated cost exceeded in each case a thousand Rupees, ordered by this Government, during the month of July 1857, to be executed on emergency, to the amount noted in the margin.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

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

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Statement shewing the several works of which the estimated cost exceeded in each case a thousand Rupees ordered by this Government during the Month of July 1857, to be executed on emergency.

No.	District.	Particulars of works.	Date of sanction.	Amount of Estimate.	Explanation.
				Rupees.	
1	Madras.....	<i>Communications.</i>	13th July 1857, No. 1345		The work was represented to be one of necessity, so urgent indeed as to be the only means of restoring a beach and road gained at considerable expense; and to avoid further damage to the road from the rapid encroachment of the sea, sanction was granted for commencing the work on emergency.
		For the construction of a dwarf groin to arrest the encroachment of the sea between the Custom House and Clive's Battery.		3,600	
		Total Communications.....		3,600	
2	Do.	<i>Buildings.</i>	18th July 1857, No. 1376		The work was sanctioned for immediate execution as it was feared that any delay in re-building the fallen and bulged portion of the compound walls would have caused further injury.
		For re-building the fallen and bulged portion of the compound wall to the Government House.		2,340	
		Total Buildings.....		2,340	

ABSTRACT.

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Fort Saint George, }
12th August 1857. }

Acting Secretary to Government.

Statement showing the several works of which the Estimated cost exceeded in each case a thousand Rupees ordered by this Government during the Month of July 1857. to be executed on Emergency.

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District	Particulars of Works	Scale of Amount Sanction of Estimate	Explanation
<u>Communications</u>			
1 Madras	For the construction of a dwarf groin to arrest the encroachment of the Sea between the Custom House and Oliver's Battery.	13 th July 57 3,600 A. 13/5	The work was represented to be one of necessity, & urgent indeed as to be the only ^{means} of restoring a beach and road gained at considerable expense, and to avoid further damage to the road ~~resulting~~ from the rapid encroachment of the Sea, sanction was granted for commencing the ~~work~~ on Emergency.

Total Communications — 3600

Buildings

2 Do	For rebuilding the fallen and bulged portion of the Compound wall to the Government ~~Compound~~ House.	18 th July 57 2340 A. 13/6	The work was sanctioned for immediate execu- tion as it was feared that any delay in rebuilding the fallen and bulged portion of the Compound wall would have caused further injury to the wall.
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Total Buildings — 2340

Abstract

Communications — Rs. 3600.
Buildings — 2340
Total Rs. 5940.

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Public Works Department

No 1574

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To

Colonel A. E. Barker

Secretary to the Government of

India D. Works

Sir,

With reference to the
orders of the Government
of India communicated in
your endorsement No 2140,
dated 12th October 1855, I am
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showing the several works,
of which the estimated
cost exceeded in each case
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the month of July 1857.

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to be credited on an emergency, to the amount noted in the margin.

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Fort St. George
12th Aug^t 1857 }

Communications £13.40

Buildings

£23.40
Total £36.80

Public Works 1857 Dept.
D^o 10th 18th August

N^o 1574.

To The Secretary to the
Government of India.
D^o 12th August 1857.

Submitting a statement,
showing the several works executed
on river ganges, of which the estimated
cost exceeded in each case a thousand
Rupees, ordered by the Government
during the month of July 1857.

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28 Aug^r 1857