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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 26th May 1857.

No. 57. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer; dated 30th April 1857, No. 12266.

Read again Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 1st and entered in Diary 3rd April 1857.

(Here enter No. 601.)

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Resolved with reference to Extract Minutes Consultation No. 601, dated 1st Instant, to acquaint the Secretary to Government, that the correct date of sanction of the original estimate for the Woodiaputty bridge is the 9th of September 1854; Extract Minutes Consultation No. 389.

(Signed) C. E. FABER, Colonel,
Chief Engineer.

No. 58. ORDER THEREON, No. 994; dated 25th May 1857.

1. On the 24th of January last the Chief Engineer submitted a supplemental estimate amounting to Rupees 1068, for completing the Bridge at Woodiaputty, on the Salem and Cuddalore road in the Salem District; but this estimate has not received sanction till now, in consequence of the omission in the Central office to give the correct date of sanction to the original estimate for the work, as noticed in Extract Minutes of Consultation of the 1st April last No. 601.

2. This date is stated in the Chief Engineer's Proceedings above recorded to be the 9th September 1854 and is found correct. The amount then sanctioned was Rupees 1,332, and the additional outlay of Rupees 1,068, now applied for, is stated to be required for increasing the foundations and water-way of the Bridge, which it appears, were inadequately provided for in the first estimate. This is apparently owing to inattention on the part of the Engineer Officer in framing the original estimate; and it is hoped that the frequent notices taken of such inattention by the Government will have the desired effect. The Chief Engineer as well as the District Engineer, appear to be in error in stating that this estimate was framed by Lieutenant Wilkieson for in referring to this document the Government find that it bears the signature of Captain Ouchterlony as Civil Engineer of the 5th Division.

3. As it is very desirable that the Bridge which is under execution should be completed at an early date, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased, under the provisions of No. I. of the Rules communicated with the letter from the† Government of India of the 1st August 1856, to sanction, for immediate execution, the supplemental estimate submitted with the Chief Engineer's letter of 24th January last, amounting to Rupees (1,068) one thousand and sixty-eight.

† Extract Minutes Consultation 28th August 1856, No. 1549.

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

No. 12261

Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer
in the Department of Public Works.
Under date the 30th April 1857

Read again Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 1st and entered in Diary 3d April 1857.

(Here Enter No 601)

Resolved with reference to Extract Mins: Consultation No 601 dated 1st Instant, to acquaint the Secretary to Government, that the correct date of sanction of the original Estimate for the Woodiapetty bridge is the 9th of September 1854;- Extract Minutes Consultation No 389.-

(True Extract)
Alex Taylor Colt
Chief Engineer

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

PWD

No. 994

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 28th May 1857.

Read the following
Ext: from the Proc: of
the Chief Engineer -

Madras enter 30 April /57
No. 12266/

On the 24th of January last the Chief Engr. submitted a Supplemental Estimate amounting to Rs. 1018 for completing the Bridge at Woodiaputty on the Salem and Cuddalore road in the Salem District, but this Estimate has not received sanction till now, in consequence of the omission in the Central Office to give the correct date of sanction to the original Estimate for the work, as noticed

Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer
for the Public Works Department
Dated Fort St. George the 26th May 1857
No 881

Read the following letter from the Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
No. 994 dated 30th April 1857

Ordered that the Supplemental Estimate for completing the Bridge at Woodiaputty on the Salem and Cuddalore road in the Salem District amounting to Rupees one thousand and eighteen be sanctioned

(Signed) C. Lushington
Secy to Govt

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Corr of the 1st April last
No 601.

2 This date is stated
in the Chief Engineers Pro-
ceedings above recorded
to be the 9 Septr 1854 and
is found correct. The
amount then sanctioned
was Rs 1332, and the ad-
ditional outlay of Rs 1068,
now applied for, is stated
to be required for in-
-creasing the foundation
and waterway of the
Bridge, which it appears,
were inadequately pro-
-vided for in the Parish
Estimate. This is apparently owing to the inattention on the part of the Engineer Officer in framing the original Estimate; and it is hoped that the frequent notices taken of the fact will have the desired effect. The Chief Engr as well as the District Engineer, appear to be in error in stating that this Estimate was framed by Lieut Walkerson, for on referring to this document the Court finds that it bears the signature of Capt Buchanan as Civil Engr of the 5th Division.

3. As it is very de-
-sirable that the Bridge
which is under execu-
-tion should be com-
-pleted at an early date,
the Ref to the Govr in
Council

* Com. L. 28 Augt 1856 No 1540.

Council is pleased, under
the provisions of No I
of the Rules communi-
cated with the letter
from the Govt of India of
the 1st August 1856, to
sanction, for immediate
execution, the Supple-
mental Estimate sub-
-mitted with the Chief
Engineer's letter of 24th
January last, amount-
-ing to Rupees (1068)
One thousand and sixty
eight.

J Copies to the Chief Engr
Dispt &c.

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Public Works 1857 Dept.
Dr to Govt 26th May.

No 994.

Extract Mins of Govt:
Dy 25th May 56.

From Chief Engr
874 Dest 61 C No 2834/61
in Pro:

Sanctioning for immediate execution, the supplemental Estimate amounting to Rs 1068, for completing the Bridge at Woodiapully, on the Salem and Cuddalore road, in the Salem District.

No 57 458.

Sign'd 22nd