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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 5th November 1858.

No. 12. Read the following letter from Major E. LAWFORD, Officiating Chief Engineer; to the Secretary to Government, dated 18th September 1858, No. 3819.

SIR,

I have the honor to submit to Government, the inadequacy of the allowances apportioned to the Chingleput District, for the repairs of Civil and Military buildings, the former being only 186 Rupees, and the latter 1,000 Rupees, besides which, no allowance whatever is granted for repairs of Salt Platforms, &c.

2. Under date the 14th August 1858, the Chief Engineer sanctioned 770 Rupees, for repairs to platforms at Pyanoor; at the representation of the necessity of the case by the Collector; and in his letter No. 449, dated 18th August 1858, the District Engineer shows that the sanctions to both Civil and Military Buildings had been greatly exceeded, so that no funds were available, he was then called upon to state what additional amount would be required for repairs to buildings, and in reply he forwards letter, No. 528, dated 7th September 1858, copy of which is enclosed, i.e. shows that the average expenditure on Military buildings for 1856-57 and 1857-58, has been 11,740 Rupees, and for Civil buildings 1,650 Rupees, and as the wants of this year are certainly not likely to be less than those of the preceding, I beg to solicit that Government will be pleased to authorize me to grant sanctions for repairs from the General funds of the District, to the extent of (11,740) Rupees, eleven thousand seven hundred and forty, on Military buildings, and (1,650) Rupees one thousand six hundred and fifty, on Civil buildings, the whole outlay of the year on repairs will of course be confined within those amounts, I would also ask that in like manner, a sum of (3,000) Rupees, three thousand, for the year may be placed at my disposal from the General funds of the district for the repairs of Salt Platforms and works connected with them.

Letter from Lieutenant A. S. MOBERLY, District Engineer of Chingleput; to Major E. LAWFORD, Officiating Chief Engineer, dated Camp at Guindy, 7th September 1858, No. 528.

SIR,

In reply to Extract from your Proceedings, No. 3145 of the 27th ultimo, I have the honor to inform you that the amount expended during 1856-57 on repairs of Military Buildings was Rupees 7,673, and that in 1857-58 was Rupees 15,687, I have no further data to go upon, but the average of these two years will give Rupees 11,740 as the amount to be allowed every year.

As regards the Civil Buildings the amount expended during 1856-57 was Rupees 1,333 and during 1857-58 Rupees 1,967. Since 1st May last, estimates amounting to Rupees 2,077 have been passed by you; a large proportion of this however is for repairing the Salt Platforms, which are not bonâ fide buildings, and for which I have already suggested that there should be a separate allowance, if the average for the year 1856-57 and 1857-58 were taken, the amount to be entered for the annual allowance will be Rupees 1,650.

No. 13. ORDER THEREON, No. 2305; dated 30th October 1858.

In this letter, the Officiating Chief Engineer brings to notice the inadequacy of the allowances apportioned to the Chingleput District for the repairs of Civil and Military buildings, as also the omission of any provision for repairs to Salt Platforms. He therefore solicits that he be authorized to grant sanction for repairs from the General funds of the District to the extent of Rupees 11,740 on Military buildings, Rupees 1,650 on Civil buildings and Rupees 3,000 on Salt Platforms and works connected with them.

2. Under the views expressed by the Government of India in the latter part of para. 2 of Major Strachey's letter of the 22nd September* 1858, No. 4580, the Governor in Council sanctions the proposed expenditure on the understanding that it is laid out on bonafide repairs and that the amount for the entire year does not exceed the sums above specified.

Communicated with Extract Mins. Cons. dated 26th October 1858, No. 2261.

(Signed) W. H. BAYLEY,
Acting Secretary to Government.

№ 528

From

Lieutenant N. S. Moberly

District Engineer of Chingleput

To

Major C. Lawford

Officiating Chief Engineer D. P. W.

Fort Saint George.

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District Engrs. Office
Camp at Guindy
7th September 1858.

I have the honor to be Sir
(Signed) A. S. Moberly, Lt.
District Engineer of Chingleput.

(True Copy)

Captain
A.g. Sup.g. Engrs. Central Circle.

Comp.d. W.Ds

Central Office of Public Works
Fort St. George 18th September 1858.

No. 3819

From

The Officiating Chief Engineer

To

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

"Public"

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2. Under date the 14th August 1858, the Chief Engineer sanctioned 770 Rupees for repairs to platforms at Pyanoor, at the representation of the necessity of the case by the Collector; and in his letter No. 449 dated 18th August 1858, the District Engineer shows that the sanctions to both Civil and Military Buildings had been greatly exceeded, so that

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I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant
Stamford Major
Officiating Chief Engineer.

Dist

Central Office of P.W.
Fort Saint George
18th September 1858.

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№ 2305

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.
Under date the 30th October, 1858.

Read the following
letter from the Officiating
Chief Engineer.

Here enter 18th September/58
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In this letter the
Officiating Chief Engineer
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also the omission of any
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Salt Platforms. He
therefore solicits that
he be authorized to
grant

P.W.D.
Dated 21st September 1858.
Rec'd 21st
Cuttack
The Officiating Chief Engineer
&c &c
The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

Dated 21st September 1858.
Rec'd 24th
№ 3819

Enclosure.

To the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.

Forwards copy of a letter from the Cuttack Executive Engineer, bringing to notice the inadequacy of the allowance appertained to the Chinglepet District for the repairs of Civil and Military Buildings, and soliciting that the Executive Engineer may be authorized to grant Salaries from the General Funds for the Salt Platforms to the extent of Rupees 3000 in this, and in the same manner in which Rupees 3000 for the year, being placed at his disposal from the General Funds for the District for repairs

P.W.D.
21 Oct. 1858

For Civil Salaries and works connected with the Salt Farm.

P.W.D.

grant sanctions for repairs from the General funds of the District to the extent of Rupees 11740 on Military Buildings, Rupees 1650 on Civil Buildings and Rupees 3000 on Salt Platforms and works connected with them.

2. Under the provisions expressed by the Government of India in the latter part of para 2 of Major Strachey's letter of the 22nd September 1858 No 1580, the Governor in Council sanctions the proposed expenditure on the understanding that it is laid out on bonafide repairs and that the amount for the entire year does not exceed the sums

Communicated with Govt Endt dated 26th Octr 1858 No 2261.

10 Copies to the Offg Chief Engr & Dist Engr

Extract from the Chief Engineers Budget Statement No 3 for 1858/59

			Rs
	Shingle pt Buildings		
Repairs to	Public Buildings		148
do	Rev Genl	do	223
do	Judicial	do	74
do	Jails	do	148
do	Marine	do	"
do	Military	do	593
		Total Rs	1186

above specified. He observes however that it was in the Central Office that the sum of Rupees 1186 for Buildings in Shingle pt was presented to be inadequate were entered in the Budget and that the allotment out of that amount made in the same office for Military Buildings was but Rupees 593 and not Rupees 1000 as stated in para 1 of Colonel Sandford's present letter. The Offg Chief Engineer will therefore be good enough to have sufficient provision calculated on proper and trustworthy data, made in the future Budgets,

for

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Dy to Com.s O. Nav.e

No 2306
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D/30th October/58

Extract from the Off.g Chief Engr
D/23 Oct.r/58 C No 2526
in Com.s O & Nav.

Sanctioning certain
Sums of Money for the
Repair of Buildings
Civil & Military as we
as Salt Platforms
in Chergleput.

No 12413

Chief Engineer