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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
for the month of November 1859.*

No. 27. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. BELL, Chief Engineer ;
to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, dated 14th November
1859, No. 7207.

With reference to the orders of Government marginally quoted, I have the honor to forward herewith, a letter from the District Engineer of Chingleput, reporting that the re-construction of the experimental stone platform for a 68 pounder gun at Saint Thomas' Mount, has been completed according to the accompanying plan, and at a cost of Rupees 221-12-8, for which sum a bill is now submitted for sanction.

No. 797, dated 4th April and No.
1580, dated 28th June 1859.

1 Letter from the District Engineer of
Chingleput, No. 1050, dated 12th
October 1859, with 1 bill and 1 plan.

2. The platform was considered by the Brigadier Commandant of Artillery and the District Engineer to be efficient after a temporary trial, but at a personal conference between those officers and the Deputy Chief Engineer, Central Circle, the plan submitted with my letter of the 3rd instant, No. 6836, was approved of, for a permanent construction.

3. In their orders of the 28th June last, No. 1580, Government called for an estimate of the cost of re-constructing the platform, but as the work is now reported to be completed, I beg to request their sanction to the expenses incurred on that account, which amount to Rupees 221-12-8, as per accompanying bill.

No. 28. ORDER THEREON, 22nd November 1859, No. 2720.

The bill submitted with this letter is sanctioned.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

the Plan submitted with my letter of the 3rd instant
No 836 was approved of for a permanent construction.

3 On their orders of the 28th June
last No 1580, Government called for an Estimate of
the cost of reconstructing the Platforms, but as the
work is now reported to be completed they request
their sanction to the expenses incurred on that account,
which amount to Rupees 221-12-8 as per
accompanying Bill.

Port Saint George
14 November 1859

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obedt^l Servant,

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M. L. L. L. L. L.
Chief Engineer

To
The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

