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Public Works DEPARTMENT. Con 11/1/57

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Dated 5 — 1 — 1857

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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 11*th January* 1859.

No. 12. Read the following letter from Major R. STRACHEY, Officiating Secretary to the Government of India; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, dated Fort William, the 3rd December 1858, No. 6032.

SIR,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 1981 dated 25th September last, submitting a supplemental Estimate for completing the Bridge over the Anamully river at Marchenarkenpolliam, and in reply am to communicate to you the sanction of the Government of India to the expenditure* as requested.

* Rupees 4 880.

2. At the same time, I am desired to observe that the explanations afforded, are hardly satisfactory, and should have been more explicit. Also, that there must have been decided want of attention on the part of the Engineers in the building of the bridge, to have made it possible for the arches to fall in immediately after their construction.

3. The Estimate is returned herewith.

No. 13. ORDER THEREON, No. 37; dated 5th January 1859.

Ordered to be communicated to the Chief Engineer with reference to Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 25th September 1858, No. 1980.

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

Public, [roads] [New Work]

Abstract of Estimate № of 185 .5

Road №

District Coimbatore

Work Rebuilding the Arches of the Marchnaikenpallam Bridge and raising its approaches &c &c.

Quantities	Description of Work	Rate Rs	as	P.	Amount Rupees	Amount for each part Rupees
C. Yds.						
638	Rubble work, Brick in Chunam including Plastering per Cubic Yard	4	.	.	2553	
627	Brick in Chunam including plastering per C. Yard	3.	8.	.	2197	
716	Running feet Cornice work in Chunam per Rft.	.	3	.	134	
1742	Earth work per C. Yard	.	2	.	218	
525	Repavelling on the Bridge and approaches Do	.	3	.	98	
198	Rough stone fencing per C. Yd.	1	.	.	199	
66	Split stone Flags for covering over Spandrils walls per C. Yards	6	.	.	396	
	Taking down one arch, clearing away remains of formed arches &c					250
	Cost on two additional Centres at 200 Rupees each One half the Cost					200
	Superintendence and contingencies					628
	Carried Over					6873

Quantities	Description of Work	Rate			Amount	Amount for each part
C. Yds.		Rs	As	P	Rupees	Rupees
	Brought Over				6873	
	Deduct the amount remaining on hand on the 1st July from the sums sanctioned on the Original Estimate				1993	
	Requiring Sanction Total Company's Rs.					4,880

General Office P.W.
Fort St. George
27th August 1858

Lt. Col. Crawford C.E. Major
Officiating Chief Engineer

Enclosure

In a letter

From The Officiating Chief Engineer
S.P.W.

To The Secretary to Govt.
S.P.W.

Dated 27th Dec 1838

No. 3157

Copy forwarded

Abstract Estimate for rebuilding the Arches of the Marchnaitenpolliam Bridge and raising its approaches &c. in the District of Coimbatore amounting to Rs. 4880---

Dated 27th Dec 1838

No. 6032

From
Major R. Strachey
Offg. Chief Engr. of Madras

To
J. Pycroft Esqr.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of
Fort St. George

Dated the 3rd December 1838

Public Works Dept.
Communications
Bridges

Sir

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 1981 dated 25th Sept. last, submitting a Supplemental Estimate for completing the Bridge over the Amaravathy river at Marchenarkenpolliam, and in reply am to communicate to you the sanction of the Government of India to the expenditure* as requested.

Rs. 4880

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From the offg. Secty.
to the Govt of India:

Dated 3d Decr
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Supplemental Sanctioning the
Estimate for Rs 4,880
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Bridge over the Annu=
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From Chief Secy to Govt 23d
Septbr 57 Cr 2504

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With an order
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W. H. M.

Fort St George
5th January 1859

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