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Proceedings of the Madras Government Public Works Department, from 11th to 17th June 1859.

No. 102. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. BELL, Chief Engineer; to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, dated 1st June 1859, No. 1147.

I have the honor to forward for submission to Government, the accompanying correspondence with the District Engineer, Chingleput, regarding the road between Trivalloor and Corattoor, being portion of the high road from Madras to Cuddapah, and for which no provision has been made by Government for annual maintenance.

1 Letter No. 205, dated 21st June 1858.
1 Letter No. 224, dated 26th June 1858
1 Abstract Estimate.
1 Statement of Traffic.

2. The road was metalled under an estimate sanctioned by Government under date the 14th December 1854, but from want of regular repair, it is now much injured and cut up by the heavy traffic, which has been ascertained to average 555 carts daily. The District Engineer estimates the annual repair at 437 Rupees per mile, or Rupees(4,152) four thousand one hundred and fifty-two, for the 9½ miles of its distance.

3. The estimate appears to be moderate, agreeably to the rates proposed by Captain Johnston, late Superintendent of roads, and approved of by Government in Extract Minutes Consultation No. 92, dated 14th January 1857. I have the honor therefore to recommend the same for sanction, and for entry in the Budget of 1860-61.

No. 103. ORDER THEREON, 17th June 1859, No. 1491.

The maintenance allowance recommended in this letter is sanctioned; the grant taking effect from 1st May 1859. The amount will for the current official year, be disbursed from the general funds placed at the disposal of the District Engineer of Chingleput, but for future years it should be included in Statement No. 3 of the annual Budget.

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

Public Roads

No 1147.

Central Office of P.W.

Fort-St.George,

1st June 1859.

From

The Chief Engineer.

To

The Secretary to Government

C.P.W.D.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward for submission to Government the accompanying correspondence with the Chief Engineer relative to repairing the road between Trivalloor and Coraltoor, being portion of the High road from Madras to Seuddapah, and for which no provision has been made by Government for annual maintenance.

2 The road was metalled under an Estimate sanctioned by Government under date the 4th December 1852, but from want of regular repair, it is now much injured and cut up by the heavy traffic

traffic, which has been ascertained to average
555 Carts daily. The District Engineer estimates
the annual Repair at 1,37/ Rupees per mile,
or Rupees (4,152) Four Thousand one hundred
and fifty two, for the 9½ miles of its distance

3 The Estimate appears to be moderate,
agreeably to the rates proposed by Captain Johnston
late Superintendent of Roads, and approved
of by Government in Ex: Genl: Cons: 1852,
dated 16th January 1857. I have the honor
therefore to recommend the same for sanction,
and for entry in the Budget of 1860/61.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obt Servt

Central Office of P. W.
Fort St. George, 1 June 1859.

Lt & A.C.
Sub Engineer

J. H. Bell Lieut. Col.
Chief Engineer.

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

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P.W. No 1436 of 17th June 1859 Re-partmt
From The Chief Engineer.
To The Secretary to Govt
P.W.D.

Date Rec'd 1st June 1859

No 1147

Enclosure 1
Returned 14-9-59
Submits for entry in the Budget of 1860/61 an Estimate amounting to Rupees 4,152 for annual Repairs to the Roads from Coattoor to Trivellore in the Chingleput Distt a distance of 69½ miles.

C. No 1491. 17th June 1859
Write an order

No 1491

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Secy to Govt
17th June 1859

To Copies to the Chief Engr & Collr