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No. 366. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. HORSLEY, Chief Engineer, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, dated Chepauk, 9th August 1861, No. 3,738 :—

SIR,

1 Letter from District Engineer, No. 57, dated 24th June 1861.
2 Abstract Estimates.

1. With reference to the Proceedings of Government, No. 261, dated 8th February 1861, I have honor to forward two supplemental estimates amounting together to Rupees 641, for the undermentioned works in the District of Tanjore, viz :—

	Rs.
(1.) For supplying pillars for the support of the beams on the western side of the eastern room of the upper story in the Surja Mahal...	421
(2.) For repairing the verandah to the Treasury	220
Rupees	641

2. The original estimate for the Treasury provided only for cutting and fixing old timber, to be obtained from certain dismantled buildings in the small Fort, but the pieces of timber so obtained being of too small a scantling, they cannot be made use of as rafters, &c. Hence the necessity for the present supplemental estimate. The old materials of the dismantled buildings have, it would seem, been made use of by the Collector in erecting a building at Vellam, to afford accommodation for a portion of his establishment when he holds his Kacheri there.

* No. 57, dated 24th June 1861.

† Rupees 421.

3. The District Engineer reports,* that on examination it was found that the ends of the beams on which the roof of the eastern room of the upper story rests were much decayed, and that therefore the additional support provided for in the supplemental estimate† is absolutely necessary.

4. In carrying out the original estimate it has been found necessary to deviate from its provisions, as detailed in the last paragraph of Captain Oake's letter No. 57, dated 24th June 1861, but it is not anticipated that any excess over estimate will be caused thereby.

5. To avoid further delay, the District Engineer has directed Lieutenant Chrystie to obtain the required number of rafters, &c., and to complete the work in anticipation of sanction, which I trust will meet with the approval of Government.

6. The supplemental estimates have been examined and corrected in this Office, and I request that the Government will be pleased to sanction them, the amount Rupees 641, to be defrayed from the general funds at the disposal of the District Engineer for expenditure in 1861-62.

No. 367. ORDER THEREON, 23rd August 1861, No. 1,609.

	Rs.
Surja Mahal..	421
Treasury Verandah	220
Rupees.. ..	641

1. Under the circumstances explained, the Government sanction out of the general funds at the disposal of the District Engineer of Tanjore in 1861-62, the two supplemental estimates submitted with this letter amounting together to Rupees (641) six hundred and forty-one, for certain work to the Surja Mahal and the Verandah of the Treasury.

Vide paragraph 2, of District Engineer's letter, 24th June 1861, No. 57.

2. The Government would wish to be informed of the Collector's answer to the inquiry of the District Engineer, as to what has been done about the wood which was calculated upon in the original estimate for the Treasury verandah.

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

BUILDINGS

Repairs

ABSTRACT of Estimate No. of 186 -6

DISTRICT Sangor

WORK - Supplying Pillars for the Support of the beams on the western side of the Eastern Room of the upper Story in the Sangor Mahal.

Quantities.	Description of Work.	Rate. Rs.	A.	P.	Amount. Rupees.	Amount of each part. Rupees.
	For 1 Pillar					
105½	Cubic ft. Brick in Chunam ——— @	"	2	6	16½	
10 25/32	Do. Cut Stone work ——— Do.	"	8	"	5	
130	Sqr. ft. Plastering ——— Sqr.	2	"	"	3	
	Demolishing and Excavating foundation ———	"	"	"	2	
	For 1 Pillar =				26½	
	For 4 Pillars =				106	
1749	Sqr. ft. Plastering Roof ——— Sqr.	2	"	"	35	
	Scaffolding ———	"	"	"	25	
	Contingencies and Sundries ———	"	"	"	30	
	Extra Establishment ———	"	"	"	10	
						206
171½	Cft. Wood wrought & put up ——— Cft.	2	½	"	336	
	Deduct at the rate of 1 Pillar charged in the Original Estt. of 1862-3 ...	"	"	"	172	
	Sundries as per Valuation No. 211 ———				214	
	Sundries ———				1	215
					Total Rupees —	421

Divisional Office of the Executive Engineer Sangor 9th August 1861

Examined Sangor 10th August 1861

Assistant Engineer

Executive Engineer 9th Division

Quantities.	Description of Work.	Rate.			Amount.	Amount of each part.
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rupees.	Rupees.

Repair 7-

BUILDINGS

ABSTRACT of Estimate No. of 186 -6

DISTRICT Tanjore

WORK Repairing the Verandah to the Treasury at Tanjore

Quantities.	Description of Work.	Rate. Rs.	A.	P.	Amount. Rupees.	Amount of each part. Rupees.
115 7/16	Cubical Contents of Wood work as executed and put up ——— Jobs	2	1	0	331	
	Valued at the rate of 1 Rupee 3 Annas per Cubical Foot as per Original Estimate of Rupees 2755 Sanctioned on the 8th February 1861	3	0	0	1149	
						156
	Sundries &c					34
	Total Rupees					220

Entered in the Book of Measurements

Executive Engineer

Tanjore

Dated 9-5 1861

Measured by

Assistant Engineer

C.P.C. 3738

Estimate for Repairing the Verandah to the Treasury at Tanjore

Examined and Recommended for Sanction

Executive Engineer

Tanjore

Dated 9th May 1861

Sanctioned for the sum of Rupees Two Hundred and Twenty only

Superintending Engineer

Trichinopoly

Dated 15th May 1861

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Central Office of P. W.
Chepauk 9th August 1861.

No. 3738

From,

Lieutenant Colonel W. H. Horsley
Chief Engineer.

To,

J. D. Sim Esquire
Secretary to Government P. W. D.
Fort Saint George.

Sir,

Political

With reference to the Proceedings of Government No. 261, dated 8th February 1861, I have the honor to forward two Supplemental Estimates amounting together to Rupees 641, for the undermentioned works in the District of Tanjore, Viz.

1 For supplying Pillars for the support of the Beams on the Western side of the Eastern room of the Upper Story in the Surja Mahal Rupees 421.

2 For repairing the Verandah to the Treasury — " — 220.

Rupees 641.

2 The original Estimate for the Treasury provided only for cutting and fixing old timber,

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to be obtained from certain dismantled buildings in the small Fort; but the pieces of timber so obtained being of too small a scantling they cannot be made use of as Rafters &c^a. Hence the necessity for the present Supplemental Estimate. The old materials of the dismantled buildings have, it would seem, been made use of by the Collector in erecting a building at Vellore to afford accomodation for a portion of his establishment when he holds his Kacheri there.

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* No. 57 dated 24th June 1861.

* Rs. 421.

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6 The Supplemental Estimates have been examined and corrected in this Office; and I request that the Government will be pleased to sanction them, the amount Rupees 641, to be defrayed from the General Funds at the disposal of the District Engineer for expenditure in 1861/62.

Central Office of P.W.
Chepauk 9 August
1861

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servt

J. B. Lieut^n Colonel
Dep^y Chief Eng^r & S.C.

Lieut^n Colonel
Chief Engineer

To,
J. D. Sim Esquire
Secretary to Government P.W.D.
Fort Saint George.

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From the Collector of Tanjore 5 Sept. 61 C. No. 2062 in.

From Chief Engr. Dy 26th Sept. 61 C No. 2166.

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From No. 1831.
Lieut. Colonel W. H. Horsley
Chief Engineer

To,
J. D. Sim Esqr.
Secretary to Govt. P. W. D.
Fort Saint George

Dated 9th August 1861.
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Submits for sanction two Supplemental Estimates amounting together to Rupees 641 for certain repairs to the Surja Mahal Buildings in the District of Tanjore.

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No. 1699.

Under the circumstances explained, the Govt sanction out of the general funds at the disposal of the District Engineer of Tanjore in 1861/62, the two supplemental estimates submitted with this letter — Surja Mahal, 421 amounting together to 641/ six hundred & forty one Rupees for certain work to the Surja Mahal and the Verandah of the Treasury —

Treasury & verandah 220.
Rs. 641.

2. The Govt would wish to be informed of the result of the inquiry of the District Engineer, as to what has been done about the wood which was calculated upon in the original estimate for the Treasury Verandah —

vide para 2 of District Engr's letter, 24th June 1861 & 5th July 1861

From 24th June to 23rd August 1861

To the Chief Engr with an Encl. Civil Engineer to Govt Secretary