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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 1st February 1862.

No. 12. Read the following letter from J. J. FRANKLIN, Esq., Chairman to the Pier Committee, to Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. HORSLEY, Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Madras, 27th January 1862, No. 27:—

SIR,

1. I have the honor, on behalf of the Pier Committee, to acknowledge receipt of the Proceedings of Government of the 17th instant, No. 20, calling for a report of the amount of toll likely to be realized from the Pier during the year 1862-63, and to state that it is quite impossible that any reliable estimate can at present be given on this head.

2. The Pier has not been opened to the general public, but merely to passengers and others passing by it to and from the shipping in the roads. The tolls from this source will probably realize about (300) three hundred Rupees a month; but when the work has been completed and handed over to Government, all persons visiting the Pier will be required to pay the toll. Moreover, all goods conveyed over the Pier will likewise be charged, and it is expected that the income will be about (4,000) four thousand Rupees a month. It is nevertheless impossible to say, with any degree of certainty, what the probable revenue will be until the traffic has commenced.

3. The rates to be charged have not even been fixed, as Government in their Proceedings of the 14th November 1861, No. 2,118, decided that their amount should be left to be determined by themselves, instead of being inserted in a Schedule to be appended to the Pier Act now in course of preparation.

4. The establishment now employed has only been sanctioned as a temporary measure, during the partial opening of the Pier. After it has been finally completed and handed over by the Contractor, general traffic will commence, when a much larger establishment will be required.

No. 13. ORDER THEREON, 1st February 1862, No. 109.

1. Resolved that the Acting Accountant General be informed, with reference to paragraph 1 of his Memorandum of the 4th instant, No. 266, that a sum of Rupees 1,200 a month should be provided for in the Budget of 1862-63 on account of Pier Establishment.

2. A copy of the above letter will be forwarded to Mr. Lushington with a request to enter the toll receipts, estimated at Rupees 4,000 per month, in the Budget under the head "XIII. Public Works," that being the corresponding head of account to the charges under "E. Works of internal improvement and public convenience," to which the charges have been already debited under the orders of Government, dated 17th December 1861, No. 2,324.

(Signed) W. H. HORSLEY, Lieut.-Colonel,
Chief Engr. and Secy. to Govt., D.P.W.

Sac° 31. 62.

My dear Horsley

The same you have
known will be [illegible]
[illegible] towards keeping
the [illegible] establishment
Revenue is [illegible] at work
Rent Rs Master Livesey
Salt expense 350 Rs a
month alone Stores
Various &c Bank [illegible]
to [illegible] work the
Diggers, and keep all
[illegible]

No. 27.

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From The Chairman to the
Pier Committee

To The Secretary to Government.
Public Works Department.
Fort Saint George.

Sir

I have the honor, on behalf of the Pier Committee, to acknowledge receipt of the Proceedings of Government of the 17th instant, No. 20, calling for a report of the amount of toll likely to be realized from the Pier during the year 1862/63, and to state that it is quite impossible that any reliable estimate can at present be given on this head.

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4 The establishment now employed has only been sanctioned as a temporary measure during the partial opening of the pier. After it has been finally completed and handed over by the Contractor, general traffic will commence, when a much larger establishment will be required.

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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant.

Madras
2nd. January 1862.

Chairman to the Pier Committee.

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From the Secretary to Govt D.P.W.
dd 23rd Janry
Recd 26th ins.

No 12 of 1863.

Public Works Department
Fort St George 1st February
From
No 220
The Chairman
Pier Committee
To
The Secretary to Govt
D. P. W
Fort St George
Dated 27th January 1862
Recd 28th "

No 27

From the Chief Engr dd 29th Dec 1861 Rect 3rd Jany 1862
States that, for reasons given, no estimate can at present be prepared of the Pier revenue, although it is expected to yield about 4,000 Rupees a month when fully open to the Public.

William Orden
No 109 - 1st Feb

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No 109

Resolved that the Acting Accountant General be informed with reference to para 1 of his Memo: of the 4th Instant No 266 that a sum of Rs 1200 ~~250~~ a month should be provided for in the Budget of 1862/63 on account of Pier Establishment.

2. A copy of the above letter will be forwarded to Mr Washington with a request to enter the toll receipts (estimated at Rs 4000 per month) in the Budget under the head "XIII Public Works" that being the corresponding head of account to the charges under "E Works of internal improvement and Public convenience", to which the charges have been already debited under the orders of Govt dated 17th Decr 1861 No 2324

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To The Acctt Genl Displ
The Chairman & the
Pier Committee

By Order of the Govr in Council
[illegible]
Secy to Govt
Fort St George: 1st February 1862.