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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 6th June 1862.

No. 126. Read following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. OUCHTERLONY, Acting Deputy Chief Engineer, Centre Circle, to Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. HORSLEY, Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 30th May 1862, No. 1,233:—

SIR,

1 Letter from the District Engineer Presidency, No 237, dated 22nd May 1862.
1 Comparative statement.

1. I have the honor to submit herewith a comparative statement prepared by the District Engineer Presidency, showing a difference between the amount of an estimate (Rupees 385) prepared in 1861, to cover the cost of completing the screening off of the rooms occupied by the Officers of the Public Works Department, on the upper story of the Chepauk Dewankhanah, and the amount of an estimate prepared for the same work in 1862 (Rupees 500). The excess is due to the enhanced cost of Teak wood, and exhibits an advance in the short space of a twelvemonth of no less than 40 per cent.

2. It only remains to solicit Government to sanction the difference between the estimates, viz., Rupees 115, allowing the sum to be taken from the Reserve Fund.

No. 127. ORDER THEREON, 6th June 1862, No. 1,279.

The Government are unable to pass orders on the present application in the absence of information regarding the date of the Order sanctioning the original estimate amounting to Rupees 385, which is stated to have been prepared in 1861. The Acting Deputy Chief Engineer, Central Circle, will now be good enough to supply the omission, and to see that for the future due care is taken that previous correspondence, if any, is quoted in all letters submitted either for the information or orders of Government.

(Signed) W. H. HORSLEY, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

Comparative Statement shewing the difference between the Original and Revised Estimate for making and fitting up new teakwood screen &c. Complete to be fixed in the upper story of the Devankanah for the use of the Officers attached to the Chief Engineers office D of P. Works.

Description of works.	Amount Provided in the original Estimate in 1861.				Amount of Revised Estimate upon the increased rate &c. in 1862.			
146 × 6½ - 949 - Teakwood screen with Posts tops and bottom frames including planks with doors &c. Complete	"	4	9	10 / 28½	281	11 - 9	"	6 9 / 28½	400 - 5 - 9
Fixing new Posts tops and bottom frames in Masonry	"	"	"	"	17	8 -	"	"	17 - 8 -
White paint 3 Coats	"	"	"	"	60	"	"	"	60 - "
Sundry Charges &c.	"	"	"	"	25 / 30	12 - 3	"	"	22 - 2 - 3
Rupees -	385	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	500 - " - "

Presidy Distt Engrs Office
Madras
22d May 1862.

D W Hutchinson Lieut Colo
District Engineer Presidy

Fo. 38 Inwd 6th/62 No 1233.

No. 237.

From The District Engineer Div.n M

To The Deputy Chief Engr. C. to.

Sir

With reference to your Memo No 769. dated 20th Instant I have the honor to forward the accompanying Comparative Statement shewing the difference between the Original and revised Estimate for making & fitting up new Teakwood screens &c. complete to be fixed in the upper Story of the Dewan Bunah for the use of the Officers attached to the Chief Engineer's Office D. P. W.

I have &c.

Dy. Distt. Engrs. Office
Madras
22d May 1862.

Lieut. R.E.
"C."
Distt. Engineer Div.n

Govt. 7 Aug. 1862
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Presidency
No. 237.

From
The Secy. Engrs. Com.
To
The Deputy Chief Engr.
C. C.

Dated 29th May
Rec'd 23rd June } 1862.

No. F.D.
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Forwards Comparative Statement showing the difference between the Original & revised Estimate for making & fitting up new teak wood screens &c complete to be fixed in the upper Story of the Dewankhanah for the use of the Officers attached to the Chief Engrs Office.
Rs. 6 Marks Rs. 115-14-2

No. 1233.

Central Office, P. W.
Chepauk, 30 May, 1862.

From
Lieut.-Col. J. Cuchterlony,
A.D.C. Deputy Chief Engineer, Centre Circle,
To
Lieut.-Col. W. H. Horsley
Secretary to Government P. W. D.

Public

Encl. to
Letter from the
Chief Engineer
No. 237 dated
29 May 1862

Sir,

I have the honor to submit herewith a Comparative Statement prepared by the District Engineer Presidency shewing a difference between the amount of an Estimate (Rs. 385) prepared in 1861 to cover the cost of completing the screening off of the rooms occupied by the Officers of the P. W. Dept. on the upper Story of the Chepauk Dewankhanah, & the amount of an Estimate prepared for the same work in 1862 (Rs. 500). The excess is due to the enhanced cost of teak wood, exhibits an advance in the short space of a twelvemonth of no less than 40 P. Cent.

2. It only remains to solicit Govt. to sanction the difference between the Estimates viz. Rs. 115. allowing the sum to be taken from the Reserve Fund.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
J. Cuchterlony Lieut.-Col.
A.D.C. Deputy Chief Engineer
66.

7th Nov. 61 No. 70-71

all letters submitted
either for the informa-
tion or orders of Govern-
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Chespank
6th June 1862

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No. 671

From
The Asst Chief Engr
C.C.
To
The Secretary to
Government P.W.D.

Dated 30th June 1862
Rec'd 3rd July 1862
No. 1233.

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Submits a Comparative
Statement prepared by the
Dist. Engr Presidency
shewing the difference
between the Amount of
Estimate for Completing
the screens for the rooms
of the Officer of the P.W.D.
at Chapank and requests
the sanction of Rs. for
the sum of Rs. 115 from the
Reserve Fund.
With an order

No. 1279
Dno 7th Nov 61

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