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No. 234. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. OUCHTERLONY, Deputy Chief Engineer in charge of Southern Circle, to Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. HORSLEY, Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 4th June 1862, No. 1 :—

4 Letters from the Acting District Engineer, Nos. 1 840, 1,890. 1,920, and 11, dated 8th. 24th and 30th April, and 2nd May 1862.
2 Do. to District Engineer, Nos. 267 and 268, dated 5th and 7th April 1862.
1 Statement of work done.
1 Comparative Statement.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to submit a Comparative statement, accompanied by some correspondence, showing the necessity for sanction being accorded to a Supplemental Estimate amounting to Rupees 1,330, for completing the Ambravutty bridge in the District of Madura.

2. This work has progressed so satisfactorily since its re-commencement in January last, that the Acting District Engineer has been enabled to report that it will in all probability be entirely completed before the 20th ultimo.

3. The subject of the early disasters which befell this bridge and of the difficulties which attended its construction from the very commencement, has been so frequently before Government, that it seems unnecessary to taken up their time by any recapitulation. The work it is to be hoped is now safe from the probability of any further casuality, and Government will doubtless recognize the necessity of according the sanction now solicited to admit of the expenditure being adjusted in the public accounts.

No. 235. ORDER THEREON, 12th June 1862, No. 1,332.

1. The work provided for in the estimate submitted with this letter having already been completed, and the outlay incurred, the present application for sanction is unnecessary. A Bill should be called for and submitted without delay accompanied by full explanation of the causes of excess. This course will be followed in all future cases of a like nature.

2. The Deputy Chief Engineer's attention is however directed to page 391 of the printed Circular Order Book, and he is requested to see that all Supplemental Estimates, when required, are submitted to Government without loss of time and before the completion of the works, accompanied by explanations, where such is necessary, of the circumstances under which the works have been permitted to be proceeded with.

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

Depy. Ch. Engrs Office
Sn 6. Chepauk 3rd
4th June 1862

No. 1

From

Lieut. Col. J. Puchterlony
Dy. Ch. Engr. in ch. Sn 6.

To

Lt Col. R. H. Horsley
Secy. to Govt. P.W.D

Public.

Sir,

I have the honor to submit a Comparative Statement accompanied by some Correspondence shewing the necessity for sanction being accorded to a Supplemental Estimate amounting to Rupees - 1330 - for completing the Ambravutty Bridge in the District of Madura.-

2. This work has progressed so satisfactorily since the recommencement in January last, that the Acting District Engineer has been enabled to report that it will in all probability be entirely completed before the 20th Ultimo.-

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3. The Subject of the early disasters which befell this bridge & of the difficulties which attended its construction from the very Commencement has been so frequently before Government, that it seems unnecessary to take up their time by any recapitulation. The work it is to be hoped is now safe from the probability of any further casualty, and Government will doubtless recognize the necessity of according the Sanction now solicited to a small of the expenditure being adjusted in the Public accounts.—

I have the honor to
Sir
Your most obedient
Humble Servant

Chepstow
4th June 1862

Lieut. Col.

To
Lieut. R. H. Hawley
Secy to Govt 1st Div
Chepstow

Dy: Ch. Engineer
for C

R. O'Connor

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P.W. 1862 Dy Chf Engr
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From No: 1720

Lt Col: J. Ouchterlony
Dy Ch: Engr in ch. Bor
To
Lt Col: H.M. Worsley
Secy to Govt P.W.D.

No 1332.

The work provided for in the estimate submitted with this letter having already been completed, and the outlay incurred, the present application for sanction is unnecessary. A Bill should be called for & submitted without delay accompanied by full explanation of the causes of excess. This course will be followed in all future cases of a like nature.

2. The Dy Chief Engr's attention is however directed to Page 391 of the Printed Circular Order Book & he is requested to see that all supplemental Estimates when required are submitted to Govt without loss of time & before the completion of the Works accompanied by explanations where such is necessary of the circumstances under which the Works have been permitted to be proceeded with.

Dated 4th June 1862
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Applies for a Grant of Rs 1338 for Completing the Cumbraudy Bridge in the District of Madura.—

No 1332-12 June

With an order

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To the Dy Chief Engr S. Circle Dated 12 June 1862
4 " Offr in Ch: of Tinnevelly Road Division
5 " Dy Chief Engr at Circle "
5 " Dy " Engr C. Circle "

Chief Engr
12 June 1862