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*Proceedings of the Madras Government Public Works Department,
29th June 1863.*

No. 634. Read the following letter from Captain O. W. S. CHAMBERS, R. E., Superintending Engineer 1st Division, to Colonel W. I. BIRDWOOD, R. E., Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Waltair, 8th June 1863, No. 180:—

SIR,

Enclosures 3.
No. 91 of 29th May 1863.

1. In reply to your Official Memorandum as per margin, on the subject of the amount of the Estimate for the construction of the belfry at Vizianagram, I have the honor of explaining that, whilst District Engineer, I came to the conclusion that the strength proposed to be given to the walls of the belfry, sanctioned on the 30th October 1862, was insufficient; I accordingly had a revised Plan and Estimate of the work framed, which raised its cost from 260 to 310 Rupees; this Plan and Estimate were forwarded on the 23rd April last to the Central Office, and returned to me for disposal about the middle of the month of May.

2. Not knowing what my powers as Superintending Engineer were, I disposed of the revised Estimate by sanctioning it, with the intention of reporting the fact to Government should I eventually find out, on my powers being specified, that I had exceeded them.

3. I do not know yet whether I am competent to sanction the expenditure of these extra 50 Rupees or not, but presuming by your Memorandum that I am not, I now forward the accompanying Plan and revised Estimate to Government with my original letter* to Colonel Ludlow, showing the reason of the proposed revision, and request that the same be sanctioned and funds for it allotted from the "Reserve."

4. I beg to observe that as yet no work has been done to the belfry in consequence of some objection being raised to its form by the Chaplain.

No. 635. ORDER THEREON, 29th June 1863, No. 1,696.

1. The revised Estimate submitted with this letter is sanctioned, less Rupees 75 subscribed by the residents of the station towards the work. Funds will hereafter be placed at the disposal of the Superintending Engineer for the execution of the work.

2. The concluding paragraph will be referred to the Ecclesiastical Department, with the remark that the form of the belfry in the present plan corresponds with that in the original plans accepted by Government in their Proceedings in that District, dated 30th October 1862, No. 311. It is further observed that the original Estimate was countersigned by the Acting Chaplain the Reverend J. W. Wynch.

(Signed) W. I. BIRDWOOD, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

Estimate of the probable Expense of constructing
a Belfry for the Church at Vijanagram in the
District of Vizagapatnam.

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No.	Length.	Breadth.	Height.	Area.	Volume.	Description of works	Rate	Per Item	Amount	Total
8	8 1/2	3 1/2	4 1/2	111 1/2	88 4	Foundation				
8	8 1/2	3 1/2	4 1/2	111 1/2	427 1/2	Basement				
				1311 1/2	or 48.15	1/2 of Rough stone in Chumam	1 15	15	94 19	
8	3 1/4	2 1/4	15 1/4	94 1 5/8	94 1 5/8	Walls above				
8	1 1/2	1 1/2	13 1/2	40 3/4	40 3/4	Pilasters				
				58 5/8	58 5/8	Steps including foundation				
				10 5 1	3 3 0	Recess the archways and arch work				
				721	or 20 1/2	1/2 of Brick work in Chumam	1 12	12	46 18	
				287	Arch work in Chumam rooms and archways	3 22	22	38 13 10		
				353 3/4	9 2 1/2	Larnice work in Chumam	26	26	1 87	
2	2 1/2	1 1				Let granite stone for the spindle to work on	1 8	8	2 3	
				20 51		Plastering walls in and out including some sea with 2 coats Chumam	2 1	21	12 45	
8	3 1/4	1 1/2		33		Floor				
4	2 1/2	2 1/4		27 1/2		Archways				
1	7 1/4	2		14 1/2		Steps				
				75		Square feet of flooring	10	10	7 8	
						Leak wood beam wheel and iron work				
						See Complete			60	

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Captain O. W. S. Chambers Rb

Supp. Engr. No. 79

To Colonel W. Birdwood R.E.

Secretary to Government
Department Public Works

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Your most ^{dev} obedient
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The several Estimates submitted with this letter is sanctioned - Ego signed & subscribed by the resident of the station towards the work - funds will hereafter be placed at the disposal of the Superintending Engineer for the execution of the work.

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The Supp Engineer
1st Division

The Secretary to Govt.
W. P. M.

Dated 8th
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