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Public Works **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
23rd January 1866.

Read the following papers:—

No. 535. Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Revenue Department.

Forwarding, to the Board of Revenue, for report letter from the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, submitting a plan and estimate (960 Rupees) of a Gateway and Watch Tower, similar to those used in the Madura District, for adoption as Standard Plans in connection with the Salt works in the Tanjore District. } (Here enter 24th November 1865, No. 2,894.)

No. 536. From do. do.

Approving of the suggestion of the Board of Revenue, relative to the Gateway for the new Salt Vadi at Tranquebar in the Tanjore District. } (Here enter 16th January 1866, No. 120.)

No. 537. ORDER THEREON, 23rd January 1866, No. 259.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 94

1. Communicated to the Superintending Engineer of the 6th Division, with a request that he will submit a revised estimate for the proposed Salt Cutcherry and Watch Tower at Tranquebar.

2. Under paragraph 4 of the letter from the Superintending Engineer, No. 1,382, dated 15th November 1865, the estimate for the road from the Tranquebar Salt Platform to the Karical and Tranquebar roads will be reduced from Rupees 3,810 to Rupees 2,590.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division.
„ Controller of Public Works Accounts.
„ Accountant General.
„ Revenue Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. 449. Read the following letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Tanjore, 15th November 1865, No. 1,382:—

1 Estimate.
1 Plan.
Rupees 960.

1. I have the honor, with reference to G. O. No. 2,606, dated 7th September, to forward a plan and estimate of a Gateway and Watch Tower, similar to those used in Madura, which have been so far modified at the request of the Salt Deputy Collector as to meet the requirements of the Salt Department in this District. Both plans have been approved both by the Collector and by the Salt Deputy Collector; and it is purposed to regard them as standard plans in this District for such works, should Government approve of them.

2. The estimate for the Gateway and Cutcherry combined amounts to Rupees 783, this is owing, in a great measure, to the fact that the Gateway is to be placed on the Salt Vadi or the elevated platform, on which the salt is stored, and as the platform is not yet raised, and it is to be five feet high at the site of the Gateway, it is necessary to carry down the foundations six and a half feet, which gives only one and a half foot below the present surface of the ground, as it is quite out of the question raising such a structure, as that of which the gateway consists, on newly excavated earth.

3. Under Government Orders No. 1,676, dated 16th June, and No. 1,776 of 1st August, similar Salt Cutcherries or Gateways and Watch Towers will be required at Vedaraniem, Adarampatam, Vadapathi, and Cuttumavadi, while a Watch Tower only will be required at Thenpathi.

4 With regard to the estimate for the Salt Road sanctioned for entry in the Budget of 1866-67, in paragraph 2 of G. O. No. 2,606, I have the honor to inform you that in communication with, and with the assent of, the Collector and Salt Deputy Collector, I have arranged to do away with one of the bridges, the estimate for the road will therefore be reduced by Rupees 1,220, and will amount to Rupees 2,590 only.

Referred to the Revenue Department for consideration, with reference to the undermentioned Proceedings of Government:—

No. 1,676, dated 16th June 1865.
„ 1,776 „ 1st August „
„ 2,606 „ 7th Sept. „

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government, P. W. D.,

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
21*st November* 1865.

No. 450. ORDER THEREON, 24th November 1865, No. 2,894.

Separate Revenue, No. 21.
Salt.

1. Forwarded to the Revenue Board for their opinion.

2. They will consider whether it is essentially necessary that the building should be *on* the platform.

(True Extract.)

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Public Works Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Rec'd 1865 Sept 16th
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Proceedings of the
Revenue Board
Dated 24th
Read 27th Instt
No 2894

Forwarding to the Bd of Rev: for report letter from the Dep: Engr 6th Div submitting a plan and estimate (No 960) of a Gateway and Watch Tower similar to those used in the Madura Dt for adoption as standard plans ~~in connection with the Collectorate~~ in Tanjore Dist & c.

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Rec'd 30th Sept

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A. C. Smith
Sec to Govt
P. E. Engr

Irrigation

Fort St. George.

Abstract Estimate No. 4 1865-66

Tanjore District

Maravaram Taluq.

Work.— Constructing Salt Cutcherry and Watch Tower for the New Salt Vadi at Tranquebar——

Quantity	Description of Work.	Rate	Amount of each item	Amount
3345	Cft. Brick in Clay—per C.ft	"	1 6 313 96	
1188 3/4	Cubic ft of Earthwork—per C.ft	"	" 6 1 16	
2474	Sup.ft Flooring 1 Coat per sup.ft	2	8 " 49 69	
1977	do—Flooring with Jointed Eastern Pallarjuree Madras Nails & Clark and Kingston with Chunam borders—— per sup.ft	22	" " 2343 "	
32 1/2	Cft. of Mandapy Wood—per Cft	2	4 " 73 2 "	
2	Batten Windows 4'1/2 x 3—each	15	" " 30 " "	
8	Iron Wood Posts 6' high—ea	4	" " 32 " "	
	Scaffolding——	"	" " 10 " "	
	Sundries Contingencies		394 9	
	Total——			783 " "
190 1/2	Cft. Brick in Chunam per Cft	"	2 " 23 13 "	
40 47/64	—do— Mandapy Wood——do—	2	4 " 91 11 3	
13 17/32	—do— Teakwood——do—	3	" " 40 9 6	
	Iron Work Nails &c.——		10 " "	
	Sundries Contingencies——		10 14 3	
	Total——			177 " "
	Total—— Rupees			960 " "

Supt. Engrs Office 1st Div.
Tanjore 31st Oct. 1865.

W. F. Baker Captain R.E.
A.S. Supt. Engr 1st Div.

E. Dee Morris
Collector

Rev: 68/65.

Rev: 5345/65.

Rev: 7210/65.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
16th January 1866.

No. 234. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 5th January 1866:—

Read Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, dated 24th November 1865, No 2,894:—

1. The Board see no necessity for placing the gate-way *on* the platforms.
2. It will be sufficient if it form the direct means of access to the platforms and be so raised as to be free from water during the monsoon.

No. 235. ORDER THEREON, 16th January 1866, No. 120.

Separate Revenue, No. 10.
Salt.

The Government approve the Board's suggestion.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department. with 2 enclo
,, the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Public Works Dept

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No 259

Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 23rd January 1866
Read the following

Proceedings of Pub. Work Dept.
Revenue Dept.

Corresponding to the Board of Revenue for report letter from the Superg Engineer 6th Div. submitting a Plans and Estimate (960 Rupees) of a Gateway and Watch Tower similar to those used in the Madura District for adoption and standard Plans in connection with the Salt Works in Tanjore District.

(Recd enter 24th Nov 1865 No 1865)

(Recd enter 16 January 1866 No 120)

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer of the 6th Division, with a request that he will submit a revised estimate for the proposed Salt Cutcherry and Watch Tower

From — To — Do

approving of the suggestion of the Bd of Revenue relative to the gate way for the new Salt Vadi at Tranquebar in the Tanjore District.

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Pro: of Govt in the Revenue Depte

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Approving the suggestion of the Bd of Rev: relative to the gate-way for the new Salt Vadi at Tranquebar in the Tanjore Dist.

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Tower with Tranquebar.

2 Under para 4 of the letter from the Superintending Engineer ~~of the 6th Division~~ No. 1382, dated 15th November 1865, the estimate for the road from the Tranquebar Salt-platform to the Karicab and Tranquebar roads will be reduced from Rupees 3,810 to Rupees 2,590.

W.P.C.

To
The Supdg Engr 6th Divn
" Controller
" Accountant Genl
" Revenue Deptt.

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Dated 24th January

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