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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
7th July 1869.*

No. 133 Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Revenue Department :—

Referring to the Board of Revenue the question
of providing funds for certain bridges in the
Malabar District from toll collections made on
bridges on Imperial roads in that district. } (Here enter 29th June 1869, No. 1,845.)

No. 134. ORDER THERLON, 7th July 1869, No. 2,196.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 25.

ORDERED to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

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

Govt. of 1869

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Proceedings of the Madras Government
Revenue Department
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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
9th June 1869. 30

No. 190. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Coonoor, 21st May 1869, No. 38.:-

With reference to that portion of paragraph 3 of my letter No. 6 of 13th April, referred for disposal to the Revenue Department in paragraph 3 of G. O., No. 1,610 of 15th May, I have the honour to submit for sanction the following estimates, viz.:-

- 1 Estimate, No. 10, of 1869-70.
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- (1) Entire renovation of the timber superstructure of the Erinjolly bridge, on the road from Tellicherry to the Periah Ghaut, Imperial Road No. XXII, Rs. 5,530.
- (2) Additional joists to the Irrity bridge, on the road from Cannanore to the Perambaddy Ghaut, Imperial Road No. XXIII., Rupees 1,125.
- (3) Reconstruction of the Kuticole bridge, between Cannanore and Tali-paramba, Imperial Road No. XX., Rupees 2,850. Provision of the requisite funds being made from the aggregate toll collections made on bridges on Imperial Roads in the Malabar District.

2. The superstructure of the Erinjolly bridge is not expected to last longer than through the approaching monsoon, and early supply of funds is required to enable the necessary timber to be floated down in the rains, so that the work may be restored during the ensuing dry season. The additional joists for the Irrity bridge are required to supplement those originally put in, the scantling of which, at the distance that they are apart, has proved, after several years' use, insufficient to stand the unusually heavy traffic of last season, which is likely to increase and not to decrease for the future. The Kuticole bridge was in a very shaky state when last I saw it, and I am now assured that it will not last another season. I thought its original design heavy, and opportunity will be taken in its reconstruction of lightening and strengthening the structure.

No. 191. ORDER THEREON, 9th June 1869, No. 1,830.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 31.

UNDER the circumstances explained in this letter His Excellency the Governor in Council approves of the three estimates of Rupees 2,850, Rupees 5,530, and Rupees 1,125, respectively, for the reconstruction and improvement of bridges on Imperial Roads Nos. XX., XXII., and XXIII. in the Malabar District.

2. The question of providing funds for the works from the source indicated by the Superintending Engineer of the 7th Division will be considered in the Revenue Department, with reference to paragraph 3 of Colonel Walker's letter under date the 13th April 1869, No. 6, which was referred to that Department in G. O., dated 15th May 1869, No. 1,610.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,

Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, with three Estimates.
.. Controller of Public Works Accounts.
.. Accountant-General.
.. Revenue Department.

Erd. S. T. Augustin.

Order.

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THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

7TH DIVISION.

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Dated June, 9th

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G. O., 9th June 1869, No. 1,880.

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Bridges.—Estimates amounting to Rupees 9,505, for the re-construction and improvement of bridges on certain Imperial Roads in the Malabar District, approved with remarks.

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G. O. 7th July 1869, No 2196

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funds, from toll collections,
for the reconstruction and
improvement of certain bridges
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