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Public Works DEPARTMENT

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2nd May 1874.*

No. 45. Read the following papers :—

From W. McQUIHAE, Esq., Collector of Madura, to D. F. CARMICHAEL, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Camp at Layelgudi, Ramnad 16th February 1874, No. 256.

By desire of the District Engineer I have the honour to request that the Government Consulting Architect may be instructed to supply him with the working plan and sections of the "Napier Gateway" to be erected in front of Tiroomal Naick's Palace at Madura, in order that work may be commenced at once.

2. It was unfortunately reported to Government, about two years ago, that a class of merchants, called Nattucottai Chetties, residing in this district, intended to erect this gateway; but, as only a few of them subscribed, nothing was done till the 21st of last month, when, with the consent of those chetties who had subscribed, the subscription list was opened to the public, and nearly the whole amount required was subscribed at once. Out of the money collected a sum of Rupees 2,000 has been remitted to the Madura Range Officer, and I think it is very desirable that the work should be commenced without delay.

TRANSFERRED to the Public Works Department.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
2nd February 1874.

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Acting Secretary to Government, R.D.

No. 46.

MEMORANDUM.

No. 156.

With reference to a letter, No. 256 of 16th February, from the Collector of Madura to the Revenue Secretary to Government, requesting, by desire of the District Engineer, that the Government Architect may be instructed to supply him with the working plan and sections of the Napier Gateway, the Chief Engineer has the honour to remind Lieutenant-Colonel Roberts that the plan and estimate for that work, sanctioned in G. O., No. 1,839, of 5th August 1872, were forwarded to his Office, and that he was authorized to carry out the work, and that it requires no further intervention on the part of Government to enable him to obtain direct from the Consulting Architect such additional detailed drawings as may be necessary.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
4th March 1874.

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Chief Engineer.

No. 47. From Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. ROBERTS, R.E., District Engineer, Madura, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Camp Kodicanul, 4th April 1874, No. 27.

In acknowledging the receipt of your Memorandum, No. 232, under date the 2nd instant, requesting me to report the action which has been taken on your Memorandum, No. 156 of the 4th ultimo, regarding the plan of the Napier Gateway and its result, I have the honour to state that your memorandum last quoted

P.W.D. G.O. 1162 dt 2.5.1874

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has been duly communicated to the Consulting Architect to Government, in reference to my former correspondence on the subject; and the working plan of the gateway has been received by me from Mr. Chisholm on the 2nd instant, and it has been forwarded to the Madura Range Officer with instructions to proceed with the work at once.

No. 48.

ORDER THEREON, 2nd May 1874, No. 1,162.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 6.

THE Collector of Madura is referred to G. O., No. 1,839, of 5th Aug. 1872, in which a plan and estimate of Rupees 4,308-2-4 for the Napair Gateway were sanctioned, and the District Engineer (to whose Office the sanctioned papers were returned) authorized to carry out the work.
(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Madura.
.. Revenue Department.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
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N^o 156.

Memorandum

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ing by desire of the Dist Engineer that the Govt Architect may be instructed to supply him with the working plan and sections of the Napier Gateway the Chief Eng^r has the honor to remind L^d Coll Roberts that the Plan and Estimate for that work sanctioned in G. O. N^o 1839 of 5th Aug/72 were forwarded to his Office & that he was authorized to carry out the work, and that it requires no further intervention on the part of Govt to enable him to obtain direct from the

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Signed / G. W. Walker C.E.
Chief Eng.
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No 27

District Engineer's Office
Camp Madurai of 4th April
Despatch No.

From,

Lieut Col R. A. Roberts C.E.

To,

District Engineer of Madurai

Colonel G. W. Walker C.E.

Chief Engineer D.M.

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your Memorandum No 232 under date the 2nd Instant, requesting me to report the action which has been taken on your Memorandum No 156 of the 4th ultimo regarding the Plan of the Napier Gateway and its result, I have the honor to state that your Memorandum first quoted has been duly communicated to the Consulting Architect to Government in reference to my former correspondence on the subject; & the Working Plan of the Gateway has been received by me from Mr. Schisholm on the 2nd Inst. & it has been forwarded to the Madurai Range Office, with instructions to proceed with the work at once.

I have the honor to be,
Sir

Your most Obedt Servt

Lieut Col R. A. Roberts
District Engineer of

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The District Engineer of
Madras

To The Chief Engineer
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Dated 4th April 1874

Recd 6th April 1874

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The Collector of Madras is referred to S.O. No. 1839 of 5th Aug 1872, in which "Plan" and Estimate of Rs 4308.2.4 for the repairs, Cartways and drainage, and the District Engineer, (to whose Office the same estimated papers were returned), authorized to carry out the work.

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To

The Dist. Engr.
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Dated

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G. O. 2 May 1874. No. 1102

Nos. 45-48.

"Napier Gateway"

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