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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

23rd April 1879, No. 1,204 W.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

Read the following paper :—

No. 188. Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Financial Department,
dated 16th April 1879, No. 702.

The additional sum of Rupees 437 needed for the repair of the Jetty at Negapatam will be provided from the balance available under Port Funds.

2. The Accountant-General is authorised to transfer the amount to the credit of the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Ag. Chief Secretary.

No. 189. ORDER THEREON, 23rd April 1879, No. 1,204 W.

COMMUNICATED to the Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle, and to the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

(True Extract.)

Major, R.E.,
Ag. Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

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Negapatam Jetty.—Proceedings, Financial Department, regarding provision of funds for repairing —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle, and the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

27th February 1879, No. 603 W.

Buildings and Roads.

Civil Works.

Read the following papers:—

No. 266. From Captain R. R. E. BROCKMAN, R.E., District Engineer, Tanjore, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department (Buildings and Roads), dated Upper Anicut, 9th August 1878, No. 1,801.

I HAVE the honor to submit herewith a revised estimate, amounting to Rupees 975, for relaying the stone coping of the jetty at Negapatam and pointing its face, in lieu of the estimate, Rupees 250, sanctioned in

G.O., No. 2,187 W, dated 17th May 1878. The Range Officer reports that when the original estimate was prepared about half a dozen stones only of the coping had fallen out, and the estimate allowed for taking up and relaying the entire coping in cement, that this estimate would have sufficed until quite recently; but now in places where the coping had formerly been dislodged the damage has extended, and in parts large portions of the facing have given way, and unless at once repaired and the whole facing pointed the damage may assume extensive proportions; that the surface of the wall also shows signs of wearing, and provision has therefore been made in the revised estimate for stripping the surface throughout and laying down a coating of concrete. The damage referred to is stated by the Range Officer to have lately occurred as the jetty has been subjected to heavy traffic concentrated at one part. I request that early sanction may be accorded to the revised estimate and the necessary funds allotted, as otherwise a second revised estimate will in all probability be required.

No. 266-A. From the same Officer, dated Koradachari, 3rd September 1878, No. 2,016.

WITH reference to your memorandum, No. 3,817, dated the 28th ultimo, on the subject of relaying the stone coping of the jetty at Negapatam, I have the honor to inform you that the stones forming the facing of the jetty were originally laid without a sufficient number of leaders, and therefore form a mere skin to the brickwork of which the body of the jetty is composed. When one stone gets displaced the deterioration proceeds very rapidly, and this has been the case now.

The coping of the jetty is only a *curbing* and does not deserve the name of *coping*. The coping proper or upper surface of the jetty is brickwork covered with brick concrete. The Range Officer has been called upon to report the superficial area of facing that has to be replaced.

The surface of the wall refers to the stone facing above alluded to.

Although sanction was accorded in G.O., No. 2,187 W, of the 17th May, no appropriation of funds was made. The work was accordingly in abeyance until the receipt of G.O., No. 2,759 W, of the 6th July, appropriating the amount.

The sketch of the work referred to in the memorandum under reply will be submitted as soon as received from the Range Officer to whom a reference has been made.

No. 266-B. From J. W. RUNDALL, Esq., Acting Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Trichinopoly, 7th December 1878, No. 509.

I HAVE the honor to forward the sketch of the Negapatam jetty called for in your memorandum, No. 5,015, of the 6th instant.

2. I regret that there has been some delay in forwarding this sketch which came in with a number of undisposed papers from the Tanjore District Engineer's office instead of being specially sent on by Captain Brockman immediately on its receipt by him.

No. 266-C. From the same Officer, dated Dindigul, 20th January 1879, No. 1,248.

I HAVE the honor, as directed in your memorandum, No. 99, of the 8th instant, to forward herewith a comparative statement of the original and revised estimates for repairing the jetty at Negapatam.

2. The cause of excess of the revised over original estimate was explained in letter, No. 1,801, of the 9th August, from the District Engineer, Tanjore, but I have added brief remarks on the comparative statement.

3. In His Grace the Governor's minute regarding Negapatam he states that the top of the jetty can be kept covered with sand. In this case the sum entered for covering the jetty can be struck out. The Executive Engineer, Negapatam, can easily arrange for the top of the jetty wall being kept covered with sand.

4. I have already brought to your notice that, owing to the revised estimate not having been sanctioned, and the sum allotted on the original estimate having been expended, the work is at present at a standstill.

No. 267.

ORDER THEREON, 27th February 1879, No. 603 W.

The revised estimate for repairing the jetty at Negapatam, which has been reduced from Rupees 975 to Rupees 600 by the substitution of sand and gravel for concrete and cement in relaying the surface, is sanctioned.

Works ...	Rs. 350
Establishment charges...	87
	437

2. The question of providing the additional funds required is remitted to the Financial Department for consideration, with reference to the previous orders on the subject.

3. This sanction has been registered as Special No. 232 B of 1878-79.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. M. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Ag. Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Financial Department.

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Order in the Financial Dept, 16th April 1879.
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The additional sum of Rs. 437, needed for the repair of the Jetty at Negapatam will be provided from the balance available under Port Funds.

2. The Accountant General is authorized to transfer the amount to the credit of the Public Works Department.

(True Extract)

John P. ...

As Under Secretary
for a supplementary

The Public Works Department.

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Proceedings of the Madras Govt.

Under date the 23rd April 79

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The Govt. M. A. C. C.