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25TH NOVEMBER 1889, No. 3340 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following :—

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(True Copies and Extract.)

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Order—dated 11th October 1889, No. 6490, Revenue.

Approved and transferred to the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Ag. Secy. to Government.

No. 4785-C.

Forwarded to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, for countersignature to the plan, and for explanation regarding the high rate for teakwood, which should, if possible, be reduced to the schedule rate of Rs. 3-4-0 per cubic foot. There is no reason why, with teak procurable from Pálghat, the rate should be so high as Rs. 3-12-0.

CHEPÁK, (Signed) R. R. E. DRAKE-BROCKMAN, Lt.-Col., R.E.,
21st October 1889. Ag. Chief Engineer, P.W.D.,
Buildings and Roads Branch.

From J. W. MARTIN, Esq., Executive Engineer, Coimbatore Division, to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, dated Coimbatore, 4th November 1889, No. 4262.

In returning the plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 15,860, for improving the accounts branch building attached to the Collector's office, Coimbatore, forwarded with your No. 776 C.I., dated 25th October 1889, I have the honor to explain, with regard to the rate Rs. 3-12-0 for teakwood wrought and put up, that I entered this rate after

considering the rates paid in the case of some buildings constructed within recent years. These are as follows:—

Improvements to Huzur Treasury, Coimbatore—

	RS.	A.	P.
Rate for teakwood beams	4	12	0
Rate for other scantlings	3	12	0
Residence at Polláchi for Head Assistant Collector—Rate	3	8	0

2. Besides these buildings the rate entered in the accepted tender for constructing a District Munsif's Court at Karúr is Rs. 4 per cubic foot. In these circumstances, I do not think it is advisable to reduce the rate to Rs. 3-4-0 as suggested by the Chief Engineer particularly as tenders for the work will be called for publicly when contractors will have an opportunity of submitting the lowest rate that will pay them.

3. With regard to the timber I had cut up at the Division office for Thalavasal bridge, I have not been able to strike a rate for this, for I have not disposed of all the outside slabs, &c., as I am using them from time to time for other works. I bought the timber in the log from the Forest department at Rs. 1-8-0 per cubic foot. The wood is Anamallai teak. I picked the best wood in the depôt, but outside purchasers are not allowed to do this; for them the wood is divided into three classes, the rates * being Rs. 2, Rs. 1-12-0 and Rs. 1-8-0. I

* The rate was reduced in the case of the timber I bought, because I bought a large quantity at one time. (Intld.) J. W. M. found that much of the timber had serious flaws, cracks and shakes, and I could not get much more than 50 per cent. of good wood of the sizes I wanted from the logs.

For these reasons, Anamallai teak is expensive, and I believe Pálghat teak is much the same.

4. As directed by you I have entered in the estimate the rates separately for large and small scantlings, and these are as follows: beams, Rs. 4-8-0 per cubic foot; small scantlings, Rs. 3-10-0 per cubic foot. This alteration, however, makes no appreciable difference in the amount of the estimate.

No. 494 E.W.

Forwarded to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, with reference to his endorsement No. 4785 C. of 21st October 1889.

2. The rates now given, viz., Rs. 4-8-0 for large beams and Rs. 3-10-0 for small scantlings, are based on the past experience of the approved tenders for teakwood works.

3. As no work in the division is undertaken for execution by departmental agency, the rates in the schedule can only be approximate, and they cannot be taken for real rates as they have not been arrived at on actual experience, as in the case of works done departmentally.

4. The principle on which a tender is accepted is not on the rates tendered for particular items in an estimate, but on the total amount arrived at by the tendered rates.

5. In these circumstances, it is recommended that the rates as now corrected may be passed.

6th November 1889.

(Signed) H. M. VIBART, Colonel, R.E.,
Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.

ORDER—dated 25th November 1889, No. 3340 W., Public Works.

The estimate, amounting to Rs. 15,840, for improving the accounts branch of the Collector's office at Coimbatore is sanctioned.

25TH NOVEMBER 1889, No. 3340 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

2. The necessary provision of funds for the work will, if possible, be made in the budget for 1890-91.

3. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 87 W. of 1889-90, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(True Extract.)

Captain, R.E.,
Under-Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle,
with six enclosures.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts,
with the duplicate abstract estimate.
„ Revenue Department.

Exd. J. Moses.
Spare Copies

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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of {1889} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated November, 25th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 25th Nov. 1889, No. 3340 W.

NOVEMBER.

Collector's Office at Coimbatore

Estimate of Rs. 15,840 for improving
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BOARD OF REVENUE (LAND REVENUE), 20TH AUGUST 1889, No. 562.

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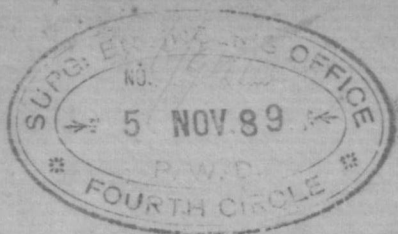
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To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with memorandum, estimate and two plans (to be returned).
Copy to the Collector of Coimbatore.

Exd. A. D. Xavier.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

1889.

Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

MADRAS.



Printed September 6th.

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Proceedings, 20th August 1889, No. 562.



Submitting, for the orders of Government, with remarks, plan and estimate for the proposed extension of the Collector's office, Coimbatore.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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Copy attached No. 562.*

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Order thereon 11 October 1889, No. 6490.

*Approved and transferred to the
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(True Extract),

J. G. L.

Ag. Secretary to Government

To

The Public Works Department

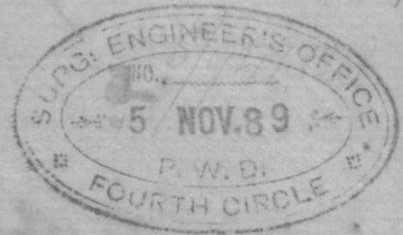
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No. 4262

Executive Engineer's Office,
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From

J. W. Martin Esq.

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I had cut up at the Division office for Thalavasal bridge, I have not been able to strike a rate for this, for I have not disposed of all the outside slabs ³³⁴ ~~yes~~ as I am using them from time to time for other works. I bought the timber in the log from the Forest Department at Rs 1-8-0 per cubic foot. The wood is Anamallai teak. I picked the best wood in the depôt, but outside purchasers are not allowed to do this; for them the wood is divided into three classes the rates being Rs 2, 1-12-0, and 1-8-0, I found that much of the timber had serious flaws, cracks and shakes, and I could not get much more than 50 per cent of good wood of the sizes I wanted from the logs. For these reasons Anamallai teak

* The rate was entered in the case of the timber I bought because I bought a large quantity at one time

L.W.M.

expensive, and I believe Pal. & P
-ghat teak is much the same.

4 As directed by you
I have entered in the estimate
the rates separately for large
and small scantlings and
there are as follows:-

Beams — Rs 4-8-0 per cub. ft.

Small scantlings 3-10-0 — do —

This alteration however, makes
no appreciable difference in
the amount of the estimate.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obed^t servant

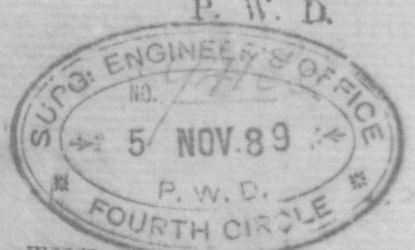
L. W. Martin
Executive Engineer
4/14/89

Forwarded

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From
The Executive Engineer
Coimbatore On
To
The Supg Engineer
IV Circle

FROM

THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER,
COIMBATORE DIVISION.
TO
THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
FOURTH CIRCLE,
COIMBATORE.

11/10
No. 4262
Dated 4th November
1889

Dated
Despatched
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No.
ENCLOSURES.
SUBJECT.

Enclosures 9

Accounts Branch
of Collector's Office
Coimbatore
Resubmits plans
estimate &c for
improving the
explaining with
regard to teakwood
wrought and put up

Endorsement herewith

No. 494
3340 GP
Forwarded to the Chief Engineer,
P.W. Department with reference to his
Endorsement No. 4785 C of 21st October
1889.

Enclosures
Chief Engr's
No. 4785 C, d/
21st Oct 1889
with all its
enclosures.

2. The rates now given viz. Rs 4-8-0 for large beams, and Rs 3-10-0 for small scantlings are based on the past experience of the approved tenders for teakwood works.
3. As no work in the Division is undertaken for execution by departmental agency, the rates in the schedule can only be approximate and they cannot be taken for real rates as they have not been arrived at on actual experience, as in the case of works done departmentally.
4. The principle on which a tender is accepted is not on the rates tendered for particular items in an estimate, but on the total amount arrived at by the tendered rates.
5. In these circumstances it

12 is

is recommended that the rates
as now corrected may be passed.

Alur, Assistant
Colonel, R.E.
Supg. Engineer, 4 Circle.

En.

6/11/89

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Public Works Department.

Current No. 10,683 ³³⁴⁰
 Letter No. 494 EW.
 Dated 6th November 1889
 From the Supg. Eng. II Circle

NOTE OF REMARKS.

The accompanying Est. amounting to Rs 15,840 for improving the accounts branch of the Collector's Office at Coimbatore was previously sent and received in this Office, and returned to S.E. III Circle for counter signature to the plan and for explanation as to the high rate charged for labour, with this Office memo No 4705 C of 21st Oct/89. The Supg. Eng. in his letter No 494 EW. 6th Nov: 1889, explaining that all the works in the Division are carried

From,
 The Supg. Engineer,
 IV Circle

Dated 6th }
 Despd 7th } November 1889.

No. 494
 EW.

Enclosures. 8 (1 File)
 (2 Plans)

Collector's office, Coimbatore

Resubmits estimate amounting to Rs 15,860 for improving the accounts branch of the — with explanation for the excess rates.

8/11/89

out by ^{Contract} ~~contract~~, that
 the principal one
 which a tender is
 accepted is not on
 the rates tendered for
 particular items
 in an Est., but on
 the total amount
 arrived at on tendered
 rates, and consequently
 the rates in the
 schedule are only
 approximate as
 they have not been
 arrived at by
 actual experience.
 This explanation
 is not quite clear,
 the rates however
 have been altered
 from Rs 3-12-4 all
 round to Rs 4-0-4 for
 large beam and
 Rs 3-10-4 for small
 beams showing a
 saving of Rs 13 in
 work work, a further
 saving of Rs 7 in
 shown in
 inspection.

The S.E. has not counter
 signed the plans as
 requested but they have
 the impress of his office stamp. Encl 11-11-89.

N. 3340 W of 25 - 13th Nov 1889

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Pres. of the Board of Rev. No 562 of 20-8-89
 Proceedings of Govt

Read the following

Revenue Department. No 6490 of 11th Oct 1889.
 Encl by the Ch. Secy P.W. Dept. No 4783 of 21-11-89
 Subd from the Supty Engr
 W Circle on letter from the
 Sr. Engr. Coimbatore Div. No 4262
 of 24. 11. 89.

10 P

The estimate
 amounting to Rs 15,840,
 for improving the accounts
 branch of the Collector's
 office at Coimbatore
 is sanctioned.

1st
 22 Nov

2. The necessary provision of funds for the work will, if possible, be made in the budget for 1890-91.
3. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No 870 of 1889-90 and classified as Civil Building, Original Works.

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To
 The S. E. W Circle
 with 6 enclosures.
 a Exam P.W. Accounts
 with the dup: abt: estimate
 a Revenue Department.

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Wm P
25/11/54

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H.M. 21/11/54

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Govt. of Madras

PUBLIC WORKS

26-11-92

Dated

Recd.

Encl.

G.O. 25 Nov 1889 No. 3340 W.

Collector's office
at Coimbatore

Annual of Rs 15840,
for improving the
Accounts branch of the
— sanctioned.

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Recd.
Sd/- 26/11.