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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
6th May 1867.

No. 34. Read the following Proceedings of Government in the Public Works Department, dated 2nd May 1867, No. 1316.

Deciding that the iron lamp posts over Government bridges at the Presidency } (Vide Proceedings, Public Works Dept.,
should be maintained and repaired at } dated 2nd May 1867, Nos. 48 & 49.)
the expense of the State.

No. 35. ORDER THEREON, 6th May 1867, No. 503.
Communicated to the Municipal Commissioners.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

To the Municipal Commissioners.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
2nd May 1867.*

No. 48. Read the following letter from the Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 1st April 1867 :—

We have the honour to annex copy of a letter from the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, dated 21st ultimo, in reply to a communication from ourselves, calling his attention to the dilapidated state of the iron lamp posts on certain bridges, and with reference to his opinion that such should be renewed or repaired by our department, to observe that we shall be happy to do so if Government make us a yearly allowance for their maintenance as they do for the roadways over said bridges, but we cannot admit that such should be done at the expense of the Municipality.

From the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, to the Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Madras, dated Madras, 21st March 1867, No. 5,106.

1. With reference to your Proceedings, dated 26th January 1867, I have the honour to inform you that on further consideration it appears to me, that the lamp posts fixed on bridges should be renewed or otherwise repaired, when necessary, by your department.
2. If you still think otherwise, I will take the orders of Government on the subject.

Referred to the Public Works Department.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
17th April 1867.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

No. 49. ORDER THEREON, 2nd May 1867, No. 1,316.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 7.

As the iron lamp posts over Government bridges at the Presidency were erected and have always been maintained at the expense of the State, His Excellency in Council requests the Superintending Engineer of the 4th Division to take measures for keeping them in proper order, either by an annual allowance to the Municipal Commissioners from his Repair allotment, or under departmental arrangements.

(True Extract.)


Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.
,, Public Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

