Revenue Department

Minutes of Consultations

31st May 1859

Book No. 11 & 12

Order No 725 dated 31st May 1859

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, from 28th to 31st May 1859.

No. 11. Read the following letter from the Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Madras; to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Madras, 23d May 1859.

1. We have the honor to request you will submit for the consideration of the Honorable the Governor in Council the enclosed letter to our address from the Superintendent of Toll Collections at Cochrane's Canal, forwarding a bill for Rupees 668-8-0 for Tolls levied on empty rubbish boats arrived from the 2d bridge during the months of January, February, March and April last, being the first intimation that we have received of the Municipal boats being subject to Toll, although they have been plying to and from the 2d bridge for upwards of four months.

2. We need not point out to His Excellency that the charge in question amounts to a prohibition of our availing of the Canal as the means of conveying the sweepings of the streets to a distance from the Town, and if persisted in will oblige us to abandon this course altogether, in which case we must recommence the deposit of the sweepings on the Esplanades, as formerly, to the great discomfort of the inhabitants and the probable detriment of the public health.

3. We have therefore, the honor to solicit that the Municipal boats may be exempted from all Tolls on the Canal, past and future, and that the authorities, including those of the district, may be requested to afford us every assistance that may be in their power to enable us to carry out the experimental measure.

No. 12. ORDER THEREON, 30th May 1859, No. 725.

Referred to the Chief Engineer for report.

(Signed) W. C. SIM,
Acting Deputy Secretary to Government.

Municipal Commissioners

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To, The Municipal Commissioners

Sirs,

I beg to forward herewith a Bill for Rupees 668.8. on account of Toll levied on Rubbish Empty Boats arrived from the 2d Bridge during the months of January, February, March, and April last, and you will be pleased to cause the amount of the Bill to be discharged, in order to the same being brought to account.

I have the honor to be,

Sirs,

Your Most Ob.t Humble Servant

T. L. S. Travers.

Supt.t of Toll Collections

Cochranes Canal

16th May 1857

4 Toll on 2 — 6 — 8 Tons — 2 — 2 —

Toll on 2 — 6 — 8 Tons — 2 —

Carried Over 20 — 487

In Board 20 May 59.

Ordered to be referred to Clerk with a request that the Municipal Boats may be exempted from all tolls on the canal otherwise the Board will be obliged to discontinue the transpath of the Lachine & of the Town by means of Boats on the canal and to deposit the same on the Esplanade as formerly.

Extract 21st May 59.

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16 May
From
The Supt. of Toll Collections
Recd 18 May 59

Forwarding a Bill for Rs 668—8—4 on account of Toll levied on Rubbish empty Boats arrived from the 2nd Bridge during the months of Jany, Feby March & April last, & requesting to cause the amount to be discharged.

Rq 19/5/59.

Municipal Commissioners —— Dr.
to Cochranes Canal

				Rs	A	P	Rs	A	P
1859 Jany	22	Toll on Boat letter G. arrived Empty from 2d Bridge being 8 Tons burden at 4 As P. Ton		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — H — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
	23	Toll on D. — G — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — H — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
	24	Toll on D. — G — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — H — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
	25	Toll on D. — G — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — H — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
	26	Toll on D. — G — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — H — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
	27	Toll on D. — G — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — H — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
	28	Toll on D. — G — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — H — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — I — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
	29	Toll on D. — G — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — H — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — I — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
	30	Toll on D. — G — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — H — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — I — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
	31	Toll on D. — G — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — H — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — I — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Boats 24 Tons 192 — Rupees					48	"	"
Feby	1	Toll on Boat letter G. arrived Empty from 2d Bridge being 8 Tons burden at 4 As P. Ton		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — A — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — I — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
	2	Toll on D. — G — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — H — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — I — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
	3	Toll on D. — G — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — H — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
	4	Toll on D. — G — 8 Tons — D.		2	"	"			
		Toll on D. — H — 8 Tons — D.							
		Carried Over		20			48		

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Feby		Brought Over	20	..	.	48 ..
	5	Toll on Boat N° 269 arrived Empty from 2d Bridge being 25 Tons burden at 4 ℔ Ton	6	4	"	
	6	Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	7	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	8	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
	9	Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
		Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	10	Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
	11	Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
		Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	12	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
	13	Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
		Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° — H — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	14	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
	15	Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° — H — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	18	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
	19	Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
		Toll on D° N° 226 — 27 Tons — D°	6	12	"	
		Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	20	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° N° 226 — 27 Tons — D°	6	12	"	
		Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
	21	Toll on D° N° 226 — 27 Tons — D°	6	12	"	
		Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° — H — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	22	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
	23	Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	24	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° — H — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Carried Over	175	4	.	48 .

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Feby		Brought Over	175	4	.	48 .. .
	24	Toll on Boat N° 269 arrived Empty from 2d Bridge being 25 Tons burden at 4 ℔ Ton	6	4	"	
	25	Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
	26	Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° — H — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	27	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° — H — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
		Boats 53 Tons 816 — Rupees				204 .. ..
	1	Toll on Boat letter G arrived Empty from 2d Bridge being 8 Tons burden at 4 ℔ Ton	2	..	..	
		Toll on D° — H — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	..	
	2	Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
		Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	3	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
	4	Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	5	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° — H — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	6	Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
	7	Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° — H — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
	8	Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
		Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° — H — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	9	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
	10	Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
		Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° — H — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	11	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	13	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
	14	Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
		Toll on D° letter G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
	15	Toll on D° — G — 8 Tons — D°	2	..	"	
		Toll on D° N° 269 — 25 Tons — D°	6	4	"	
		Carried Over	988	252	..	

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		Brought Over	98	8	"	252
March	16	Toll on Boat A 269 arrived Empty from — 2d Bridge being 25 Tons burden at 4 As P Ton	6	4	"	
		Toll on D letter G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	17	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — A 269 25 Tons — D	6	4	"	
	18	Toll on D A 269 — 25 Tons — D	6	4	"	
		Toll on D letter — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	19	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	20	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D A 269 — 25 Tons — D	6	4	"	
	21	Toll on D A 269 — 25 Tons — D	6	4	"	
		Toll on D letter — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D letter — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	22	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D A 269 — 25 Tons — D	6	4	"	
	23	Toll on D A 269 — 25 Tons — D	6	4	"	
		Toll on D letter — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	24	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	25	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D A 269 — 25 Tons — D	6	4	"	
	26	Toll on D letter — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	27	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	28	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
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		Toll on D A 269 — 25 Tons — D	6	4	"	
	31	Toll on D A 269 — 25 Tons — D	6	4	"	
		Toll on D letter G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Boats 67 Tons 876 — Rupees				219 " "
		Carried Over				471

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		Brought Over				471 " "
April	1	Toll on Boat letter G arrived Empty from — 2d Bridge being 8 Tons burden at 4 As P Ton	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	2	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	3	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
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		Toll on D A 269 — 25 Tons — D	6	4	"	
	6	Toll on D A 269 — 25 Tons — D	6	4	"	
		Toll on D letter G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	7	Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	8	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	9	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	10	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	11	Toll on D A 269 — 25 Tons — D	6	4	"	
		Toll on D letter — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	12	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D A 269 — 25 Tons — D	6	4	"	
	13	Toll on D letter G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
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		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
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	16	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	17	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
	18	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Toll on D — H — 8 Tons — D	2	"	"	
		Carried Over	91	"	"	471 " "

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April 19		Brought Over	91	-	471 -
	"	Toll on Boat letter G, arrived Empty from 2d Bridge being 8 Tons burden at ¼ of Toll	2	-	
		Toll on D — A — 8 Tons — D	2	-	
20	"	Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	-	
		Toll on — D — A 8 Tons — D	2	-	
21	"	Toll on — D — G. 8 Tons — D	2	-	
		Toll on — D — A — 8 Tons — D	2	-	
		Toll on D. N° 269. 25 Tons — D	6	4	
22d		Toll on — D N° 226. 27 Tons — D	6	12	
		Toll on — D letter G. 8 Tons — D	2	-	
		Toll on D — A — 8 Tons — D	2	-	
23		Toll on D — G 8 Tons — D	2	-	
		Toll on D — A — 8 Tons — D	2	-	
		Toll on D — N° 269 . 25 Tons D	6	4	
24	"	Toll on D letter G . 8 Tons — D	2	-	
25		Toll on D N° 269 . 25 Tons — D	6	4	
		Toll on D letter — G — 8 Tons D	2	-	
		Toll on D — A — 8 Tons D	2	-	
26	"	Toll on D — G . 8 Tons — D	2	-	
		Toll on D — A — 8 Tons — D	2	-	
27		Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	-	
		Toll on D — A — 8 Tons — D	2	-	
		Toll on D N° 269 — 25 Tons — D	6	4	
28		Toll on D N° 226 — 27 Tons — D	6	12	
		Toll on D letter G — 8 Tons — D	2	-	
		Toll on D — A — 8 Tons D	2	-	
29	"	Toll on D N° 226 — 27 Tons D	6	12	
		Toll on D N° 269 — 25 Tons D	6	4	
		Toll on D letter G — 8 Tons — D	2	-	
30		Toll on D — G — 8 Tons — D	2	-	
		Toll on D N° 226 — 27 Tons D	6	12	
		Toll on D N° 269 — 25 Tons D	6	4	
		Boats 68 Tons 790 — Rupees			197 8
		Total Rupees			6688

C. C.

J. S. Edwards.
Supt. of Toll Collections

Cochrane's Canal
16th May 1859

We have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obed.t Servants

[illegible] President.

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S Krishnamachariar

Municipal Comm.r

for the Town of Madras.

2940/19

Revenue 1859 Dept.
Copies 31st May

No. 940

From the Municipal
Commissioners for the
Town of Madras.-

Dated 23rd May 1859
Recd. 25th
2 Encls.

No. 725. 30th May 59.
Submitting a Bill
from the Supt. of Toll collections for tolls levied on empty ballast Boats arrived from the 2d Bridge during the last four months, & requesting that Municipal Boats may be exempted from all tolls on the Canal.

Dealt with an Order

No. 725

Referred to the Chief Engineer for report.

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Fort St. George
30th May 1859

10 Copies to the Chief Engr. Dispd 31st do

From the Chief Engr. Dept. dated
June 59 No. 1515 inclt.
17 do 31-32-
Encl. Re 1455-

No. 11 & 12.