## 27. Hanging Bridge Place - Srirangapatna

**District**: Mandya

Taluk : Srirangapatna

Locality: Srirangapatna

Geo - Coordinates:

Lat : 12.4232037° N Long : 76.678954° E





## **History**

The Hanging Bridge is located at Srirangapatna town in Srirangapatna taluk, Mandya District

Presently the bridge is completely destroyed, only sidewalls of the hanging bridge are intact. It is said that, there was swinging arch on this spot. It was constructed by Tipu sultan and designed by a French Engineer De Haviland. This was a sample bridge, which later planned to build a similar one over Cauvery river. Till 1936.it was intact. When people stand on the keystone it used to jerk 2 – 3 inches. Suddenly on 2<sup>nd</sup> July 1936 it collapsed. However it was an example of the technology of that day.

