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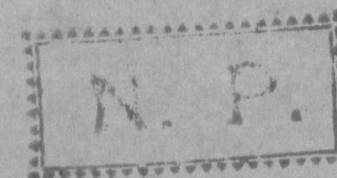
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READ—the following papers :—

I

Letter—from the Hon'ble Mr. T. T. LOGAN, B.A., Acting Director of Public Instruction.

To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.

Dated—Madras, the 3rd September 1907.

No.—R.C. 1457.

I have the honour to submit a plan with estimates, amounting to Rs. 4,170, for certain additions to the building occupied by St. Joseph's European Convent Girls' High school, Coonoor, and to recommend a half grant of Rs. 2,085 under article 57 of the Code of Regulations for European schools, to be paid after the completion of the work and after the execution of the necessary trust deed.

2. The proposed extension is intended to provide a drill room and a tiffin-room downstairs and dressing and sleeping-rooms upstairs for the use of the boarders. It is reported that for want of accommodation, drill is taught at present in the school rooms, where also the day scholars are obliged to take their tiffin. There are at present 25 boarders, and the management desire, as soon as the additional accommodation is available, to take more, and hope thereby to increase the strength of the school especially in the upper forms. Its present strength is 73 and the school gets a fixed grant of Rs. 1,400 per annum under the Code of Regulations for European schools.

3. A building grant to the school of Rs. 4,933 was sanctioned in G.O., No. 632, Educational, dated 13th October 1902, and it was paid in March 1903.

4. There is sufficient provision in the budget for payment of the grant. The management have certified that they will be able to undertake and complete the work as soon as grant has been sanctioned.

II

Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, T. No. 245, dated 12th December 1907.

The estimate for extending the building occupied by St. Joseph's European Convent Girls' school at Coonoor, Nilgiris, is recommended for sanction with the following remarks :—

For terrace floor it would be better to have 3 inches brick on edge 3 inches concrete and 1 inch Cuddapah slab instead of 8 inch terrace and 1 inch Cuddapah slab as provided in the estimate.

The slope of the roof should be made to correspond with that existing on the opposite side of the building over the verandah.

The rate of Rs. 87½ per 100 square feet (at 14 annas per square foot in estimate) for ¾ inch ventteak partitions appears high.

The following scantlings for floor and roof timbers are recommended and may be adopted :—

First floor.

Teak joists from	..	..	..	..	..	4" x 9" to 4" x 8"
Roof purlins from	..	..	..	..	..	4½" x 6" to 4½" x 7"
Do.	..	..	..	..	..	3" x 6" to 3½" x 7"
Principal rafters	..	..	..	..	..	5" x 9" to 5" x 9½"

Instead of having the stair case outside it would be better to have a small stair case room as shown in pencil on the plan.

The work will probably take six months to complete.

F. J. WILSON,
Chief Engineer, P.W.D.

Order—No. 10, Educational, dated 7th January 1908.

The Government are pleased to sanction a maximum grant of Rs. 2,000 towards the cost of extending the building occupied by St. Joseph's European Convent Girls' High school, Coonoor, subject to the following conditions :—

(1) That in carrying out the work the suggestions of the Chief Engineer in his note read above are adopted ;

(2) that the work is completed before the 30th of June 1908 ;

(3) that a certificate of the actual expenditure incurred on the work is submitted before the 30th of September 1908 ;

(4) that the amount expended on the work does not fall short of Rs. 4,170 as actually verified ;

(5) that all other conditions prescribed in the Code of Regulations for European schools have been duly complied with.

2. On the above conditions being fulfilled, the grant will be paid as funds become available.

(True Extract.)

for *Ag. Secretary to Government.*

To the Director of Public Instruction (with plans and estimates).
,, Accountant-General.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O., No. 10, EDUCATIONAL,
DATED 7TH JANUARY 1908.

[SUBJECT.—*Recommending that a half grant of Rs. 2,085 may be sanctioned towards extending the building occupied by St. Joseph's European Convent Girls' High School, Coonoor.*]

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 3rd September 1907, No. 1457.

The authorities of the St. Joseph's European Convent Girls' High School, Coonoor, submit a plan with estimates amounting to Rs. 4,170 for certain additions to the building occupied by the school. The Director of Public Instruction recommends a half grant of Rs. 2,085, which is admissible under article 57 of the Code of Regulations for European Schools. In the Civil Budget Estimate for 1907-1908 there is a provision of Rs. 20,000 under "22-G. Education—Grants-in-Aid—Building grants for European Schools".

2. It is not, however, clear why this application has been sent up to Government. Article 53 of the Code says that "every application for a grant must be submitted to the Department not later than the 1st of August, if the grant is to be admissible for payment in whole or part during the following financial year". The Code does not contain any provision limiting the powers of the Director of Public Instruction in regard to the amount of grants to be sanctioned by the Director of Public Instruction, similar to that contained in article 55 of the Grant-in-Aid Code.

3. It is submitted that the Director of Public Instruction may be requested u.o. to state if there are any reasons why this application has been submitted to Government.

P.R.—23-9-07.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—23-9-07.

C. A. SOUTER—24-9-07.

I think that Government should be guided by the same rules as to the limit which the Director of Public Instruction can sanction as in the Grant-in-Aid Code.

A grant of Rs. 2,000 in round figures may be sanctioned on the usual terms as to payment after verification of the actual expenditure.

The Public Works Department may be asked in the first instance to say whether the plans and estimates may be approved, and within what date the work should be completed.

H. D. TAYLOR—25-9-07.

To the Public Works Department.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated 12th December 1907, T. No. 245.

The estimate has been checked and may be approved subject to the remarks in the Chief Engineer's note read above and the file returned to Educational.

P. K. SUBBA AIYAR—12-12-07.

A. G. ROMILLY—12-12-07.

To the Educational Department.

No. 10, EDUCATIONAL, 7TH JANUARY 1908.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

A draft order sanctioning a grant of Rs. 2,000 is submitted for approval.

2. As the Chief Engineer states that the work will probably take six months to complete, the date of completion of the work has been put as 30th June 1908.

P.R.—18-12-06.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—18-12-07.

C. A. SOUTER—19-12-07.

For approval.

The Director of Public Instruction should observe the same limit in sanctioning grants of European schools, as he possesses in the case of grants under article 55 of the Grant-in-Aid Code.

H. D. TAYLOR—20-12-07.

G. S. F[ORBES]—3-1-08.

Issue.

Separate orders will issue as at "A".

H. D. TAYLOR—5-1-08.

The draft order put up is submitted for approval. For orders whether the Director's sanctioning powers under article 60 of the Grant-in-Aid Code may also be mentioned in the draft order.

P.R.—9-1-08.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—9-1-08.

C. A. SOUTER—9-1-08.

Issue.

H. D. TAYLOR—9-1-08.

[G.O., No. 10, Educational, dated 7th January 1908.]

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Subject.

Recommending that a half grant of Rs. 2085 may be sanctioned towards extending the building occupied by St. Joseph's European Convent Girls' High School, Coonoor.

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Re. No. 1457 of 07.

Station Madras, Dated the 3rd September 1907.

From (Name) The Hon'ble Mr. T. T. LOGAN, B.A..

(Designation) Ag. Director of Public Instruction.

To the Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Educational Department

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ORDER.

P.S.

No. 16, dated 7 May 1901

THE Government are pleased to sanction a maximum

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Coombes,
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To
The Director of Public Instruction. (with plans & sketches)
" Accountant-General.