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READ—the following papers:—

I

Letter—from the Hon'ble Mr. A. G. BOURNE, D.Sc., F.R.S., C.I.E., Director of Public Instruction.

To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.

Dated—Madras, the 26th July 1912.

No.—Ref. on Cur. No. 1756/11.

I have the honour to submit the enclosed plans with estimates amounting to Rs. 11,000 for the construction of a building for the American Arcot Mission Industrial school, Katpadi, and to recommend that a grant of Rs. 5,500 may be sanctioned to be paid when funds are available.

2. The school work is now being carried on in an old tannery which is in a tumble-down condition but which has been put into temporary repair for use until the proposed building is ready.

3. The school was formerly situated in Arni. Some years ago Mr. Chatterton paid a visit to it and urged the management to transfer it to Vellore or Katpadi in either of which places there would, he thought, be greater scope for the development of the school. Acting upon this advice the school was transferred to Katpadi, which, as a railway junction, was preferred to Vellore. The move has necessitated expenditure on new buildings and in securing a suitable site.

4. An application for a grant for a hostel is being disposed of in this office.

5. The management is anxious to begin the work of constructing the proposed building as early as possible and I beg therefore to recommend that the necessary permission may be granted on the understanding that no guarantee is given that any particular amount of grant or any grant whatever will be sanctioned.

II

Memorandum No. 2094-1, Educational, dated 7th August 1912.

The authorities of the American Arcot Mission Industrial school, Katpadi, will be permitted to begin the construction of the new school building without prejudice to their application for a grant for the purpose, which is now under the consideration of Government, on the distinct understanding that no guarantee is given that any grant will be sanctioned towards its cost.

L. DAVIDSON,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction.

III

Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, No. 1187 D., dated 5th October 1912.

The Director of Public Instruction submits for sanction an estimate amounting to Rs. 11,000 with plans for constructing the American Arcot Mission Industrial school at Katpadi (North Arcot district).

2. The plans and estimate have been scrutinised in the Chief Engineer's office, and the following alterations have been made:—

(1) Increasing the thickness of the arches over doors and windows from 9" to 1' 1½".

(2) Constructing in lime mortar the masonry around doors and windows 1 foot wide instead of 6 inches.

(3) Providing stone template under trusses instead of wooden ones and stone bases under wooden pillars.

(4) Spacing the rafters of the Mangalore tiled roof 2 feet apart instead of 3' 4" and providing on each side of the roof two purlins, each 4" × 7", instead of three purlins, each 3" × 6".

(5) Providing for the corrugated iron roof wooden purlins 4" × 7" instead of angle iron purlins 3" × 3" × ¾".

(6) Adding one truss in excess of the provision made in the plans and estimate for supporting the corrugated iron roof.

(7) Providing valley rafters at the junctions of Mangalore tiled and corrugated iron roofs.

(8) Providing Rs. 500 for painting wood and iron work and for unforeseen works.

(9) Omission of cement damp-proof course according to the Chief Engineer's Circular No. 1313 C., dated 5th February 1912.

3. By these alterations the amount of the estimate has been increased from Rs. 11,000 to Rs. 12,000.

4. The sizes of the various members of the truss figured on the detail of roof should be adopted.

5. A layer of 6" sand should be laid under the Cuddapah slabs of floors.

6. For roofs, one of the timbers specified in Circular Memorandum No. 2040 C., dated 27th April 1909, as applicable to table I of Circular No. 234 C., dated 9th January 1908, should be adopted.

7. It is recommended that the eaves boards may be omitted.

8. The wood and iron work should be painted with at least two coats of lead paint.

9. The Superintending Engineer should satisfy himself about the suitability of the foundations.

10. Plain Mangalore tiles would be unbearably hot and so would corrugated iron, with or without tiles over. The pitch of roof shown on the plans submitted is too steep for tiles over corrugated iron sheets as the tiles would be likely to fall off. For such a roof the pitch should be 20 degrees. For these reasons and on consideration of economy and facility of working, a roof composed of flat and pan tiles and supported on wooden trusses as shown on the accompanying flap is recommended throughout. There would in this case be a saving of about Rs. 670, i.e., the estimate would be reduced from Rs. 12,000 to Rs. 11,330.

11. With these remarks the estimate as altered by the Chief Engineer, amounting to Rs. 11,330, is recommended for sanction.

S. D. PEARS,
Ag. Chief Engineer, P.W.D.

Order—No. 897, Educational, dated 9th October 1912.

The Government are pleased to sanction a grant not exceeding one-half of the actual expenditure nor Rs. 5,665 towards the cost of construction of a building for the American Arcot Mission Industrial school, Katpadi, 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; and

(2) that all the conditions prescribed in the Grant-in-Aid Code have been duly complied with.

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

(True Extract.)

L. DAVIDSON,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction,
with plans, estimates and Chief Engineer's note.
,, Accountant-General.
,, Public Works Department.
Editors' Table (Order only).

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O. No. 897, EDUCATIONAL,
DATED 9TH OCTOBER 1912.

[SUBJECT.—*Building grant for the American Arcot Mission Industrial school, Katpadi.*]

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 26th July 1912, No. 1756/11.

With reference to paragraph 5 of the Director's letter a draft memorandum according permission to begin the work in advance of approval of the plans by Public Works Department is submitted for approval. After its issue the file may be forwarded to the Public Works Department for scrutiny of plans and estimates. For a precedent please see Memorandum No. 1100-1, dated 30th May 1911, on page 4 of G.O. No. 425, Educational, dated 1st July 1911. Attention is also solicited to the Secretary's note on page 1 of the notes to that Government Order.

P.R.—6-8-12.

C. RAMANUJACHARI—6-8-12.

L. DAVIDSON—7-8-12.

To the Public Works Department.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, No. 1187 D, dated 5th October 1912.

The plans and estimate have been scrutinised and the results embodied in the Chief Engineer's note read above.

2. The file may now be returned to Educational.

M.K.T.—4-10-12.

D. MARSHALL—4-10-12.

To the Educational Department.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

A draft order sanctioning a grant of Rs. 5,665 which is one-half of the cost of the estimate as revised by the Chief Engineer is submitted for approval.

P.R.—8-10-12.

C. RAMANUJACHARI—8-10-12.

L. DAVIDSON—9-10-12.

[G.O. No. 897, Educational, dated 9th October 1912.]

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(2) that all ~~other~~ conditions prescribed in the Grant-in-aid Code have been duly complied with.

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

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