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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

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READ—the following papers :—

I

Letter—from the Hon'ble Sir ALFRED GIBBS BOURNE, D.Sc., F.R.S., K.C.I.E.,
Director of Public Instruction.
To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
Dated—Madras, the 8th January 1913.
No.—Ref. on Cur. 9839/12.

I have the honour to submit herewith plans and estimates in duplicate amounting in all to Rs. 14,800 towards the cost of constructing a bathing house, latrine and kitchen for San Thomé Orphanage, Madras, and of constructing an upper storey on a portion of the Orphanage building for the use of the boarders of St. Bede's High School, Madras, and to recommend that, under article 57 of the Code of Regulations for European schools, a grant not exceeding one half of the estimated cost may be sanctioned.

2. A short history of the San Thomé Orphanage and a statement showing the financial position of the institution are also submitted herewith.

3. In this connection, it may be mentioned that a grant towards the cost of constructing a new school building for St. Bede's European High School, Madras, has been recommended in this office letter Ref. on Cur. No. 8722/12, dated 7th November 1912.

II

**Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated
18th March 1913, No. 2587-C.**

The Director of Public Instruction submits through the Educational department estimates amounting to Rs. 14,800 and five plans in connection with a grant-in-aid towards certain additions and improvements to the San Thomé Orphanage, Madras.

The particulars of the plans and estimates submitted are as follows :—

	RS.
(1) Constructing an upper storey on a portion of the Orphanage for the use of the boarders of St. Bede's High School, Madras,	12,400
(2) Bathing house and latrine ..	1,490
(3) Kitchen and store .. } For San Thomé Orphanage { ..	980
Total ..	14,800

2 The plans and estimates have been scrutinised in the Chief Engineer's Office and the following alterations have been made :—

Increasing the sections of rolled steel girders supporting—

- (1) the floor of the dormitory from 14" × 6" at 57 lbs. to 15" × 6" at 59 lb.,
- (2) the wall between the dining and study room and verandah from 10" × 5" at 30 lb. to 15" × 5" at 42 lb.,
- (3) the partitions on the first floor from 10" × 5" at 30 lb. to 10" × 5" at 42 lb., and

(4) the roof over the verandah of the first floor from 10" × 5" at 30 lb. to 12" × 5" at 32 lb.

Altering the scantlings of the teak wood joists supporting the roof over verandah of first floor from 3" × 7" to 2½" × 8".

3. By these alterations the total amount of the estimates has been increased from Rs. 14,800 to Rs. 14,900.

4. It is recommended that a geometrical or doglegged stair be used as being preferable to a straight stair shown on plan No. A of main building and that the former may be conveniently arranged in one of the verandah rooms of the ground floor.

5. A masonry chimney over the fire place in the kitchen would be more satisfactory than the dormer shown on the plan submitted.

6. The bath rooms and latrines being each about 2' 0" × 3' 0" appear to be very small.

7. The rate for "terrace flooring" in the estimate appears to be low.

8. The Superintending Engineer should satisfy himself that the existing structure is strong enough to carry an upper storey and that the foundations are suitable. From the information furnished it is observed that the pressure on the foundations works out to 1·8 tons per square foot. This point should receive special attention and the Superintending Engineer should consider whether the nature of the soil is such as will stand a high pressure without risk.

9. With these remarks the estimates as altered by the Chief Engineer amounting to Rs. 14,900 are recommended for sanction.

C. A. SMITH,
Chief Engineer, P.W.D.

Order—No. 244, Educational, dated 22nd March 1913.

The Government are pleased to sanction a grant not exceeding one-half of the actual expenditure, nor Rs. 7,450 towards the cost of constructing a bathing house, latrine and kitchen for San Thomé Orphanage, Madras, and of constructing an upper storey on a portion of the Orphanage building for the use of the boarders of St. Bede's High School, Madras, 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 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.)

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.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O. No. 244, EDUCATIONAL, DATED
22ND MARCH 1913.

[SUBJECT.—*Building grant to the San Thome Orphanage, Madras.*]

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 8th January 1913, No. 9839/12.

The plans and estimates may be forwarded to the Public Works Department for scrutiny in the first instance.

P.R.—17-1-13.

C. RAMANUJACHARI—17-1-13.

C. S. ANANTARAMA AIYAR—18-1-13.

To the Public Works Department.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated 18th March 1913.

The plans and estimate have been scrutinised in the Chief Engineer's office and the remarks thereon are embodied in the Chief Engineer's note read above. With the note, the file may be returned to Educational.

K.R.—10-3-13.

T.S.R.—10-3-13.

D. MARSHALL—11-3-13.

C. A. SMITH—18-3-13.

To the Educational Department.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

A draft order is submitted for approval.

P.R.—20-3-13.

C. RAMANUJACHARI—20-3-13.

L. DAVIDSON—21-3-13.

[G.O. No. 244, Educational, dated 22nd March 1913.]

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C. No. 602, From the 279, No. 9839/12, dated 8-1-1913.

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Note by the Chief Engineer : , " 2587 C , " 18-3-1913 .

No. 044, dated 22-3- 1913.

THE Government are pleased to sanction a grant not

exceeding one-^{half}~~third~~ of the actual expenditure, nor ex-

ceding Rs. 7,450 towards the cost of
Constructing a bathing house, latrine and kitchen
for San Thome Orphanage, Madras, and of con-
structing an upper story on a portion of the
Orphanage building for the use of the boarders
of St Bernard's school, Madras
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 the work is completed before the _____;
- (3) that a certificate of the actual expenditure incurred on the work is submitted before the _____;
- (4) that all other conditions prescribed in the *Code of Regulations for European schools* and *Code of Regulations* 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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To

The Director of Public Instruction with plans and estimates. 2000

Accountant-General

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