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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

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Read—the following papers :—

I

G.O. Mis. No. 517, Educational, dated 14th June 1912.

Read—the following paper :—

Letter—from M.R.Ry. C. Ratnavelu Mudaliyar Avargal, Secretary to the Trustees of Pachaiyappa's Charities, Madras.
To—the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.
Dated—the 29th March 1912.
No.—Ref. 1299.

I am directed by the President and Trustees of Pachaiyappa's Charities to submit, for your consideration and support, * plans and estimates for a hostel for the students of Pachaiyappa's College and High school and the necessary furniture.

* Will follow.

2. The President and five of the trustees personally explained to you on the 9th instant the details of the scheme. The site selected comprises 7·25 acres near the Chetput Railway Station from which there is convenient train service for the students to attend their classes in time. The plans and estimates provide accommodation for 128 students, and for residential quarters for a warden and two assistant wardens who are intended to be selected from the Indian professors and teachers of the college and high school.

3. The cost of the site is estimated at Rs. 18,000. The cost of construction of the hostel, warden's and assistant wardens' quarters, kitchen, bath-room, latrine, sick-room and dispensary, servants' quarters, etc., is estimated at Rs. 1,32,000 as per detailed and abstract estimates herewith submitted. The cost of the requisite furniture will amount to Rs. 5,000. It is proposed at present to construct a building of two storeys, but the foundation will be laid sufficiently strong to sustain a third, if necessary.

4. The only objection that might possibly be raised to the proposed location of the hostel is its distance from the college ; but the objection loses its force when the advantages – sanitary and otherwise afforded by the site and the existence of convenient train service provided by the South Indian Railway– are taken into account. At present hundreds of boys go daily by rail to the schools in Madras from Saidapet, Pallavaram and St. Thomas' Mount and Chetput is much nearer. The college is situated in one of the busiest and most congested parts of the city. The acquisition of a site close to it for the hostel would, even if possible, the trustees consider, be undesirable from several points of view. The surroundings would be unhealthy ; the distractions of the students would be many ; and the cost of sufficient land would be prohibitive. On the other hand, the proposed site is in one of the healthiest suburbs of the city with plenty of room for recreation.

5. The total cost of the whole scheme amounts to Rs. 1,55,000. The grant usually payable towards this cost is only a third ; but in view of their financial condition, the urgent need there is for a hostel and the preferential consideration it should receive from the disciplinary point of view, the trustees earnestly request that you will kindly recommend to Government to sanction an exceptional grant equal to one-half of the total cost of the site and buildings. When, in the year 1894, the

late Raja Sir Savalai Ramaswami Mudaliyar offered Rs. 50,000, the Government generously promised to contribute an equal amount and also obtain the permission of the Military authorities to the grant, free of cost, of the required extent of land on the Esplanade. It is understood that the Military authorities are not at all likely to grant any portion of the Esplanade ground for the erection of a hostel and the trustees have therefore been compelled to seek for a convenient site outside the heart of the town.

6. An *application for grant is submitted in the prescribed form. The trustees earnestly hope that it will receive your generous support and that early sanction may be obtained to the acquisition of the site and the laying of the foundation.

* Will follow.

Ref. on Cur. No. 2750, *dated* 3*rd April* 1912.

Submitted to Government and recommended that permission to acquire the site and lay the foundation stone may be granted without prejudice to the question of grant in order to expedite matters.

A. G. Bourne,
Director of Public Instruction.

Order—Mis. No. 517, *Educational, dated* 14*th June* 1912.

The trustees of the Pachaiyappa's Charities, Madras, will be permitted to acquire the site and lay the foundation stone of the proposed hostel for the students of the Pachaiyappa's College without prejudice to the question of grant.

(True Extract.)

L. Davidson,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction.
,, Financial Department.

II

Letter—from M.R.Ry. C. Ratnavelu Mudaliyar Avargal, Secretary to the Trustees of Pachaiyappa's Charities, Madras.
To—the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.
Dated—the 3rd June 1912.
No.—Ref. 2030.

With reference to your Proceedings Ref. on Cur. No. 2750, dated the 9th and 16th May 1912, I am directed to submit the accompanying plans and estimates for the construction of a hostel for the students of Pachaiyappa's College and High School, Madras.

Ref. on Cur. No. 2750, *dated* 11*th June* 1912.

Submitted to Government with reference to telegram, dated 8th May 1912, and in continuation of this office Ref. on Cur. No. 2750, dated 3rd April 1912.

2. Neither the plans nor the estimates have been submitted in duplicate. The College authorities will be requested to attend to this immediately.

3. The nature of the soil and sub-soil with their depths has not been indicated on the site plan. The information will be supplied as early as possible.

4. An application for aid in the prescribed form will be called for and submitted on receipt.

A. G. Bourne,
Director of Public Instruction.

III

Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, No. 1030/C., dated 15th November 1912.

The Director of Public Instruction submits, for sanction, estimates amounting to Rs. 1,55,750 and plans numbered 1 to 15 for constructing a hostel for Pachaiyappa's College at Chetput, Madras.

2. It is not possible to scrutinise the plans thoroughly. Some of the reasons for this are detailed below.

3. The dimensions and details of the carriage porch shown on plan No. 2 are not given. Rolled steel girders and teak joists for supporting the roof of the porch are provided for in the estimate and the item of roofing is omitted. The construction of the porch cannot be checked.

4. The platform with steps in the central room or passage on first floor in the cross section is not understood.

5. The construction of and the necessity for pinnacles and false gable shewn on plan No. 3 are not understood.

6. The dimensions of the rooms are incorrectly figured on plan No. 5. Passages are shown on four sides of the corner rooms, whereas they extend only on three sides in plan No. 2.

7. The specification states that the staircases on plan No. 6 are proposed to be constructed with terrace bricks over teak joists. Details shewing the method of supporting the long flights of steps should be submitted.

8. It is recommended that the roofs over dining rooms in plans Nos. 8, 9 and 10 which are 16′ 0″ in width may be supported on king post trusses instead of couples.

9. A section shewing details of staircase and verandah in front of the staircase room on the first floor in plan No. 11 is required. The longitudinal section does not appear to be correctly drawn.

10. Burnt brick in lime mortar should be used for foundation and basement instead of sun dried brick in clay provided in the case of servants' quarters (plan No. 14). One foot on top of walls and one foot around doors and windows should also be brick in lime mortar. In the case of two-storeyed buildings, the whole of the masonry in the lower storey should be constructed in mortar.

11. The ends of verandah rafters should be supported on wall purlins resting on stone brackets.

12. The roof of the servants' quarters is proposed to be supported on bamboo rafters and reepers and ridge pieces 3″×6″ of "cheapest wood" for spans of 16′ 0″ and 14′ 0″. It is recommended that a collar roof should be used. Scantlings are not given.

13. In absence of information about the nature of sub-soil and the condition of adjacent buildings the suitability of the foundations cannot be decided upon.

14. There are errors and discrepancies in the rates provided in the estimate and the latter are not supported with detailed data.

15. The lines on which the longitudinal and cross sections are taken should invariably be marked on the plans.

16. Duplicate copies of plans, estimates and specification should be submitted.

17. The plans and estimates are returned to the Director of Public Instruction through the Educational Department for revision with reference to the remarks made above.

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

IV

Memorandum No. 1642-1, Educational, dated 19th November 1912.

The plans and estimates for the construction of a building for a hostel attached to the Pachaiyappa's College, Madras, received with the Director of Public Instruction's endorsement R.O.C. No. 2750, dated 11th June 1912, are returned for resubmission, at a very early date, after revision in accordance with the Chief Engineer's note No. 10301-C., dated 15th November 1912, a copy of which is enclosed.

L. Davidson,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction,
with plans, estimates and copy of Chief Engineer's note.

V

Letter—from the Hon'ble Sir Alfred Bourne, D.Sc., F.R.S., K.C.I.E., Director of Public Instruction, Madras.
To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
Dated—the 19th February 1913.
No.—Ref on Cur. 2935/12.

I have the honour to state that the authorities of Pachaiyappa's College are anxious to purchase the plot of land adjoining the one, the acquisition of which, was permitted in G.O. Mis. No 517, dated 14th June 1912. This additional plot of ground is considered necessary to prevent it being built over and with a view possibly to locating the college there, should the trustees succeed in raising the requisite funds.

2. The cost of the additional plot comes to Rs. 12,500 and I have the honour to recommend that permission to acquire the additional site may be granted without prejudice to the question of grant.

3. The estimates and specifications (general and special) together with an abstract of the total cost of each block of building are herewith enclosed. The original tracings received from the Secretary of Pachaiyappa's Charities have been handed over to him with instructions to submit the plans as soon as possible in duplicate and in accordance with the Chief Engineer's Note No. 10301-C., dated 15th November 1912, communicated with Government Memorandum No. 1642–1, Educational, dated 19th November 1912. These will be submitted on receipt.

VI

Memorandum No. 544-2, Educational, dated 5th March 1913.

With reference to his letter R.O.C. No. 2935/12, dated 19th February 1913, the Director of Public Instruction is requested to obtain and forward to Government a plan of the additional plot of land which the authorities of the Pachaiyappa's College, Madras, propose to acquire, showing clearly its position, extent and survey numbers.

L. Davidson,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction.

VII

Letter—from the Hon'ble Sir Alfred Bourne, D.Sc., F.R.S., K.C.I.E., Director of Public Instruction, Madras.
To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
Dated—the 5th March 1913.
No.—R.C. 2935/12.

In continuation of my letter No. R.C. 2935/12, dated 19th February 1913, I have the honour to submit copy of letter, dated 26th February 1913, from the Secretary to the Trustees of the Pachaiyappa's Charities, Madras, and to recommend that a half grant on the total cost which comes to Rs. 2,06,321 may be sanctioned to be paid when funds become available.

The revised plans, in duplicate, are enclosed.

Enclosure.

Letter—from the Secretary to the Trustees of Pachaiyappa's Charities, Madras.

To—the Director of Public Instruction.

Dated—the 26th February 1913.

No.—Ref. 6426.

In continuation of my letter to you Ref. No. 6219, dated 12th February 1913, with reference to your Proceedings Reference on C. No. 2935 of 1912, I have the honour to submit herewith duplicate copies of blue prints of the plans, originals whereof were sent to you with my letter above referred to. I also beg to submit herewith duplicate copies of blue prints of a standard design for servants' quarters, which it is proposed to adopt. The cost of a block of five quarters is estimated to cost about Rs. 2,250 in lieu of a lump sum of Rs. 1,279 proposed in the abstract of statement of cost already sent. The objections and queries raised in the Chief Engineer's note No. 10301-C., dated 15th November 1912, have been met and adopted in the revised plans as per detail replies herein enclosed.

VIII

Letter—from the Secretary to the Trustees of Pachaiyappa's Charities, Madras.

To—the Director of Public Instruction.

Dated—the 12th March 1913.

No.—Ref. 6659.

With reference to your letter No. 2935, dated 10th March 1913, calling on the Trustees of Pachaiyappa's Charities to forward at an early date the plan of the additional plot proposed to be acquired, I have the honour to state that the site plan forwarded with my letter No. 6426, dated 26th February 1913, gives the exact position of the original and additional plots proposed to be acquired.

I beg to submit herewith anotner copy of the site plan accurately demarcating in red ink the limits of the original and additional plots, and I have noted therein the actual extent of the two plots separately, as the price settled for the first block is at Rs. 160 per ground of 2,400 square feet, and for the second block at Rs. 130 per ground, exclusive of all charges of stamp and registration of the conveyance which have to be borne by the Trustees. The new road-way proposed to be opened to the east of line A E is intended to be handed over to the Corporation of Madras as a public road.

R. C. No. 2935/12, *dated* 15*th March* 1913.

Submitted to Government with reference to their Memorandum No. 544-2, dated 5th March 1913.

A. G. Bourne,
Director of Public Instruction.

IX

Memorandum No. 890-1, Educational, dated 26th March 1913.

The authorities of Pachaiyappa's College, Madras, will be permitted to purchase the additional plot of ground required for the college without prejudice to their application for any grant for the purpose and 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.

X

Letter—from M.R.Ry. C. Ratnavelu Mudaliyar Avargal, Secretary to the Trustees of Pachaiyappa's Charities, Madras.

To—the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

Dated—the 15th March 1913.

No.—Ref. 6732.

In continuation of my letter to your No. 6659, dated 12th instant, enclosing plan of the two blocks proposed to be acquired for Pachaiyappa's College hostel, I am directed to state that the value of the first block is Rs. 21,942-4-3 and of the second block Rs. 14,227-14-10 and that the entire cost of acquiring the site should be as follows:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Total value of both plots	36,170	3	1
Stamp on conveyance	365	0	0
Registration	43	0	0
Printing conveyance	3	0	0
Total	36,581	3	1

2. I enclose a revised abstract statement showing the cost of the proposed hostel including the cost of additional block now acquired. Plans and estimates are being prepared for the construction of a residential college in the new block and will be submitted in due course. Meanwhile, the trustees will feel greatly obliged if you will kindly obtain sanction for a substantial grant being given on the basis of the estimates now submitted for the acquisition of the site and the erection of the hostel. Work will be commenced immediately on receipt of orders.

Enclosure.

Pachaiyappa's hostel at Chetput.

Abstract Statement of cost.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Hostel proper	1,15,500	0	0
Large kitchen for Brahman students	5,610	0	0
Small kitchen for Vysias and vegetarian non-Brahman students.	4,920	0	0
Small single kitchen for non-vegetarian students	2,510	0	0
Bath houses	4,754	0	0
Latrines	1,586	0	0
Sick wards	2,741	0	0
Dispensary	1,100	0	0
Warden's quarters	10,500	0	0
Two assistant wardens' quarters at Rs. 4,000 each	8,000	0	0
Servants' and scavengers' quarters—5 quarters	2,250	0	0
Add 7½ per cent. for supervision and contingencies	11,850	0	0
Total	1,71,321	0	0

	Rs.	A.	P.		
Add value of land block No. 1	21,942	4	3		
" No. 2	14,227	14	10		
Stamp on conveyance	365	0	0		
Registration	43	0	0	36,581	3 1
Printing conveyance	3	0	0		
Total	36,581	3	1		
Grand Total				2,07,902	3 1

N. Ref. on Cur. No. 2935/12, *dated* 22*nd March* 1913.

Submitted to Government in continuation of this office letter No. 2935/12, dated 5th March 1913.

A. G. Bourne,
Director of Public Instruction.

XI

Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, No. 534-D., dated 19th July 1913.

The Director of Public Instruction resubmits through the Educational Department estimates, amounting to Rs. 2,07,902, and plans numbered 1 to 15 in connection with a grant-in-aid towards the cost of constructing a hostel with subsidiary buildings for Pachaiyappa's College at Chetput, Madras.

II. The particulars of the estimates are as follows :—

	Rs.
(1) Hostel proper	1,15,500
(2) Large kitchen for Brahmans	5,610
(3) Kitchen for Vysias	4,920
(4) Small kitchen for non-vegetarians	2,510
(5) Bath house	4,754
(6) Latrine 2 Nos. (Rs. 793 each)	1,586
(7) Sick wards	2,741
(8) Dispensary	1,100
(9) Warden's quarters	10,500
(10) Assistant Wardens' quarters (2 Nos.) at Rs. 4,000 each	8,000
(11) Servants' quarters 5 Nos. (each Rs. 450)	2,250
(12) Contingencies and petty supervision at 7½ per cent.	11,850
(13) Land compensation, stamp, registration, etc.	36,581
Total	2,07,902

III. The plans and estimates have now been more fully scrutinised in the Chief Engineer's office.

IV. The designs for the main building (hostel proper) as submitted by the Director of Public Instruction having still been found defective in many respects, the Consulting Architect has prepared fresh designs (C.A. Nos. 142 to 148 of 1913) and the Chief Engineer is of opinion that these designs are preferable to those submitted by the Director. The cost of these designs is estimated at Rs. 1,06,000 against Rs. 1,15,500 as submitted.

V. As regards the estimates for subsidiary buildings, the sizes of rolled steel girders and roof and floor timbers have been corrected where necessary on the plans and estimates.

VI. The Superintending Engineer, V Circle, should satisfy himself as to the suitability of the foundations provided.

VII. The Chief Engineer recommends for the sanction of Government the revised plans (C.A. Nos. 142 to 148 of 1913) for hostel proper and plans of other buildings and estimates (as altered in the Chief Engineer's office) amounting to Rs. 1,98,000 (*vide* general abstract estimate attached).

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

Enclosures.

(i)

GENERAL SPECIFICATION.

Madras Pachaiyappa's College Hostel for 140 *students at Chetput.*

[*Designs C.A. Nos.* 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147 *and* 148 *of* 1913.]

Hostel proper.

This building will be a two-storied one terraced throughout with main walls sufficiently thick to carry a third storey if required. The rooms are well arranged around a central quadrangle so as to afford ample light and ventilation with a main gate-way in front 12 feet wide.

The style of this building will be of Bijapur architecture.

The accommodation provided is as follows :—

In ground floor.

One hall for physical exercises.
One warden's office.
One record and attendance room.
Sixty single students rooms.
Four double rooms for students.
Two night urinals.
Four staircase rooms.

There will be a verandah all round the blocks 6 feet clear with turrets at corners.

In first floor.

One hall for library.
Sixty single rooms for students.
Six double rooms for students.
Two night urinals.
Four stair case rooms.

There will be a verandah all round the blocks 6′ 6¾″ clear with turrets at corners.

Foundation will be 7 feet deep, the lower 2 feet being concrete of broken stone in lime mortar on a bed of one foot of sand ; the footings being 4 feet deep and the basement 2 feet 6 inches high being of brick in lime mortar. The maximum pressure on the soil in foundations is as shown on calculations.

Walling.—Construct the walls of ground moulded bricks in lime mortar, in English bands according to the thicknesses as shown upon the drawings.

Cut-stone works.—Pallavaram dressed stones are to be provided under the bearing of girders. Dress carbel stones are provided in the estimate to carry the squench arches of the main tower.

Wood-works.—The scantlings provided in the quantities for the timber throughout are suited to well-seasoned Burma teak as per Circular Memorandum No. 234-C.

Doors, windows and ventilators.—All doors, windows and ventilators shall be in accordance with the lettered description on the drawings and estimate.

Roofs.—Construct the roofs of all blocks and verandahs over first floor with Madras terracing consisting of brick on edge 3 inches concrete 3 courses flat tiles top bottom plastered.

Flooring.—Render ½″ cement plaster over 4″ concrete bed and thread lines in ground floor room and verandahs. Render ½″ cement plaster over terrace floor consisting of brick on edge and 3″ concrete in first floor room and verandah.

Finishing.—Cover the interior and exterior of all rooms and verandahs with two coats of lime plaster ; finish all mouldings and ornament as shown on detailed drawings.

Dome work.—Construct the domes of tower and turrets with reinforced brick in cement with hoop iron bonds and necessary tie rods.

Ferro-concrete slab chajja.—Provide and fix all chajjas and sunshades with 2½″ thick, ferro-concrete slabs with supporting curved cornice in brick and plaster. All supporting brackets under chajjas and sunshades will be of ferro-concrete. The finishing of these chajjas, sunshades and brackets will be of lime plaster.

Painting.—Paint all the roof and floor timbers with two coats of approved paint. Doors, windows and ventilators with three coats of approved paints.

Brick jalli.—All parapets in first floor and fillings in turrets openings will be of brick jalli similar to one in the Medical College compound wall. Make all the copings and bases of parapet walls with ferro-concrete slabs as shown on detail drawings.

Night urinals.—Provide and fix Doultons "Native" foot plate urinals in the rear turrets rooms with necessary fittings, etc., complete.

Wooden staircase.—Construct the staircases in the turrets and verandahs with best teak with all necessary frame works, landings, handrails including two coats of wood oiling.

Wrought iron gates and railing.—An ornamental wrought iron gate is provided in the estimate for the main entrance, and railings and gateways are also provided in the exterior of ground floor verandahs.

The whole work will be done in accordance with the standards of Public Works Department and to the satisfaction of the Superintending Engineer, V Circle.

(ii)

Pachaiyappa's Hostel.

List of doors, windows and ventilators.

H	Window	..	7′ 6″ × 10′ 0″	Venetianed with geometrical glazed head.
I	Windows	..	3′ 0″ × 7′ 6″	Do. do.
J	Door	..	8′ 0″ × 10′ 0″	Panelled and expanded metal head.
K	Windows	..	2′ 0″ × 6′ 0″	Venetianed and iron bar.
L	Window	..	7′ 6″ × 6′ 0″	Venetianed and iron bars.
M	Doors	..	2′ 10½″ × 7′ 9″	Panelled with expanded metal head.
N	Windows	..	2′ 10½″ × 4′ 9″	Panelled outside, inside glazed with iron bars and expanded metal head.
O	Windows	..	4′ 6″ × 6′ 0″	Panelled with expanded metal head.
P	Ventilators	..	2′10½″ × 1′ 6″	Expanded metal.
Q	Ventilators	..	7′ 0″ × 5′ 0″	Glazed.
R	Door	..	6′ 0″ × 8′ 0″	Panelled.
S	Doors	..	4′ 0″ × 7′ 0″	Do.
T	Doors	..	3′ 6″ × 6′ 6″	Do.
U	Door	..	6′ 0″ × 9′ 0″	Panelled with expanded metal head.
V	Windows	..	3′ 0″ × 5′ 0″	Glazed.
W	Doors	..	4′ 0″ × 7′ 0″	Panelled with semi-circular glazed head.
X	Cupboard	..	3′ 0″ × 6′ 0″	Panelled shutters with shelf planks.

(iii)

Estimate Form.

General abstract.

Hostel for the Pachaiyappa's College, Madras—

Description of work.	Amount.
	Rs.
Main building (hostel proper) designs C.A. 142 to 148 of 1913 ..	1,06,000
Kitchen for Brahmans	6,000
Kitchen for Vysias	4,760
Small kitchen for non-vegetarians	2,520
Bath-house	4,780
Two latrines	1,586
Sick wards	2,870
Dispensary	1,130
Warden's quarters	10,500
Assistant Wardens' quarters, 2 Nos. @ 4,030 each	8,060
Servants' quarters, 5 Nos. (as per police huts) @ Rs. 450 each ..	2,250
Contingencies and petty supervision @ 7½ per cent.	11,284
Land compensation, stamp, registration, etc.	36,260
Grant total of estimate ..	1,98,000

Order—No. 687, Educational, dated 26th July 1913.

The Government are pleased to sanction a grant not exceeding one-half of the actual expenditure nor Rs. 99,000 towards the cost of construction of a hostel with subsidiary buildings for the Pachaiyappa's College at Chetput, 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 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.)

W. Francis,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction, with plans and estimates.
,, Accountant-General.
,, Public Works Department.
Editors' Table.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O. No. 687, EDUCATIONAL, DATED 26TH JULY 1913.

[SUBJECT.—*Establishment of a hostel for the Pachaiyappa's college.*]

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 3rd April 1912, *No.* 2750/12.

Before considering the recommendation of the Director of Public Instruction to permit the Pachaiyappa's trustees to take the preliminary steps to establish a separate hostel for the college, attention is invited to the notes and orders in the linked file relating to the scheme to provide a hostel in Georgetown intended primarily for the students of the Law, Christian and *Pachaiyappa's* colleges. In memorandum No. 2476–1, dated 28th November 1911, the Director of Public Instruction has been asked (i) to take the initial steps to have the articles of association of the Victoria students' hostel at Chepauk altered so as to confine it to the students of the Presidency college, (ii) to submit detailed proposals for the Georgetown hostel. After the preliminaries are settled, it is under contemplation to ascertain whether the Pachaiyappa's trustees have a hostel fund, and if so, whether they could throw it in to build one set of rooms to be reserved for that college.

Vide Honourable Member's note, dated 26th June 1911, on page 8 of the notes in the linked file.

2. The separate hostel now proposed for the Pachaiyappa's is intended for the students of the college and *high school*, while the Georgetown hostel will accommodate only the students of the college classes. So far as the latter class of students are concerned, the scheme for the establishment of Georgetown hostel will be affected by the proposal in the current file. Further, though the Georgetown hostel is primarily intended for the three colleges—Law, Christian and Pachaiyappa's—it may naturally be expected that it would be largely used by the Law and Pachaiyappa's colleges, as the Christian college has already got a separate hostel attached to it. It is therefore not improbable that the provision of separate hostel for the Pachaiyappa's may alter the scope of the scheme projected in the linked file.

3. A body of the trustees of the Pachaiyappa's college seem to have interviewed the Director of Public Instruction in respect of their proposed scheme. It is not known whether the Director then made known to them the intentions of Government in the matter. As he himself does not refer to the subject in his endorsement, it is not likely that he would have. It is *probable* that the Pachaiyappa's authorities may change their minds if the intentions of Government are made known to them. It may perhaps be desirable to refer the file to the Director of Public Instruction for further remarks.

The official memorandum was "confidential."

T. E. MOIR.

4. A provision of 1·50 lakhs is made in the current's civil works budget for the construction of the Georgetown hostel.

C. RAMANUJACHARI—17–4–13.

Will the Director of Public Instruction kindly note as to how this proposal will affect that referred to in official memorandum No. 2476–1, Educational, dated 28th November 191[illegible], which contemplated a joint hostel for the Christian, Law and Pachaiyappa's colleges ? If Pachaiyappa's college had a separate hostel accommodating 128 students, a much smaller hostel in Georgetown would apparently suffice if it were ultimately decided to have two separate hostels.

T. E. MOIR—27–4–12.

To the Director of Public Instruction.

Office of the Director of Public Instruction.

Measures are in progress to alter the constitution of the Chepauk hostel in order to make it the residential part of the Presidency college and to avoid the objectionable features of a mixed hostel. When this matter was last under the consideration of Government it seemed to be a necessary part of the scheme to build a hostel in Georgetown so as to provide for any one—not being a Presidency college student turned out from or refused admission to Chepauk. It was, I presume, intended to allot separate portions of this building to the various colleges concerned.

2. Pachaiyappa's trustees have now come forward with a considerable sum of money and there seems to be no question as to the desirability of giving them a building grant instead of a share of a building. The grant may be paid or held over from the 1·50 lakhs in the budget (civil works).

3. The Law college does not seem to require a hostel of any size as the men are older and mostly married. The Principal made enquiries and reported to this effect. Possibly some small hostel may be eventually arranged for the college, but in any case this should be quite separate and need not be taken up immediately. We already refuse Law college students at Chepauk.

4. This leaves the Christian college. I have consulted (privately) the authorities as to what they would wish but have as yet had no reply. They would be entitled to a share of this money but it would probably be better to hand it over to them and let them construct further hostel accommodation. I fancy they think of re-building and extending an existing hostel.

We can thus spend the 1·50 fulfilling the objects for which it was intended and shall be justified in reserving the Chepauk hostel for the Presidency college.

We have besides 4⅓ lakhs as a non-recurring grant from India for hostels and Rs. 96,000 recurring, about the utilization of which I am making enquiries.

A. G. Bourne—1-5-12.

Educational Department.

In the circumstances stated by the Director of Public Instruction, it is for consideration whether the Pachaiyappa's authorities may be permitted to proceed with their scheme of establishing a separate hostel for the college. If so, the draft below is for approval. From the Director's note above it will be seen that the Georgetown hostel scheme will be largely affected by the separate hostel for Pachaiyappa's.

C. Ramanujachari—4-5-12.

From the Director of Public Instruction R.C. No. 2750/12, *dated 3rd April* 1913.

(1) Before I note further have the plans been received.

(2) "Will follow" is noted on page 1 *current file*, but whether by Pachaiyappa's or in the Director of Public Instruction's office I do not know.

T. E. Moir—7-5-12.

(1) Submitted that the plans have not been received in the Secretariat.

(2) The words "will follow" have apparently been inserted by the Pachaiyappa's trustees' office. Please see similar entry on page 4 of *current file*.

C. Ramanujachari—8-5-12.

Please get the plans and estimates.

T. E. Moir—8-5-12.

[Telegram No. 16, dated 8th May 1912.]

[*Telegram from the Director of Public Instruction, dated 9th May* 1912.]

Please see the telegram

2. Orders are solicited as to whether the Director of Public Instruction may be asked to obtain and submit the plans and estimates for the hostel and whether in the meanwhile the file should lie over.

C. Ramanujachari—12-5-12.

It seems to me hardly fair to Pachaiyappa's trustees to sanction their embarking on a scheme costing over a lakh and a half "without prejudice". Their plans will evidently depend on the amount of the Government grant and the difference between a half or one-third grant may be material. As to the desirability of assisting this proposal there can, I think, be no doubt. Georgetown is not a suitable place for a hostel, Chetput is a healthy residential quarter. Further a joint hostel strikes at the very root of the collegiate idea which it is desired to foster and if in the interests of the discipline and corporate feeling of the Presidency college it is desirable to have the Victoria hostel reserved for it, it is surely equally desirable that Pachaiyappa's should have its own hostel.

K 2. For a hostel in Georgetown Financial was prepared to find over two lakhs from Provincial funds in addition to the 1·50 lakhs allotted by India, pages 9–10 of notes in linked file. We have further a 4⅓ lakhs non-recurring grant and Rs. 96,000 a recurring grant available. If Pachaiyappa's trustees had not come forward, we should have provided the college with hostel accommodation in Georgetown at a much greater expense irrespective of what it contributed. A grant of Rs. 77,500 might well be promised straight away subject to the usual conditions.

3. The plans and estimates apparently have not been received in the Director of Public Instruction's office. They have been called for. On receipt they will be sent for scrutiny to Public Works department and acceptance of such structural alterations as Government suggest can be made a condition of the grant.

4. See that the plans and estimates are got.

T. E. Moir—13-5-12.

The following telegram may, it is submitted, issue to the Director of Public Instruction:—

"No. 17.—Your telegram (of the) 9th instant. Please obtain and submit plans "and estimates of proposed Pachaiyappa's College hostel early date."

C. Ramanujachari—14-5-12.

M. S. Mascarenhas—15-5-12

To the Financial Department.

Financial Department.

In March 1911 the Government of India sanctioned a special non-recurring assignment of 6·57 lakhs to this Government for expenditure on education, the grant being available for expenditure during the years 1911-12 and 1912-13. Out of this grant the Government of India intended 1·50 lakhs for expenditure on hostels and this amount has been provided in the budget estimate for 1912-13 under the head 45. Civil Works—Public Works Department in order to construct a hostel in Georgetown for students attending the Law, Christian and Pachaiyappa's colleges.

Government of India, Education department, letter No. 364, dated 11th March 1911, on pages 2-3 of G.O. No. 209, Educational, dated 11th April 1911.

Cf. paragraphs 137 and 223 on pages 42 and 64 of R.F.S. for 1912-13.

2. The *recurring* grant of 8 * lakhs which the Government of India have sanctioned from 1912–13 for the promotion of truly popular education includes a sum of ·96 lakh for expenditure on hostels. The Government of India have also recently intimated to this Government their decision to make a further *non-recurring grant of* 4½ *lakhs for the improvement* and erection of hostels. No provision has been made in the Provincial budget estimate for 1912–13 for this non-recurring grant, but an assignment from Imperial to Provincial will be made through the Land Revenue head later on and any necessary addition to the budget grant (not exceeding 2¼ lakhs) will be sanctioned during the course of the year.

* Only 4 lakhs out of this amount have been provided in the budget estimate for 1912–13 under the head 22. Education.

Paragraph 6 of Government of India, Education department, letter No. 378, dated 13th February 1912, on page 3 of G.O. No. 204, Educational, dated 2nd March 1912.

Government of India letter in G.O. No. 294, Educational, dated 4th April 1912.

Did this come to Financial?

C.R.—31-5-12.

Submitted that the Educational Government order disposing of the Government of India letter has been communicated to Financial.

A.M.—31-5-12.

Government of India, Education, letter No. 608, dated 14th March 1912, in G.O. No. 294, Educational, dated 4th April 1912.

3. In regard to the scheme for the construction of a hostel in Georgetown attention is solicited to the Financial department notes on pages 9–10 of notes in linked file from which it will be seen that the cost of the hostel at Georgetown is roughly estimated at 4 lakhs. Taking into account the Government of India's grant of 1·50 lakhs referred to in paragraph 1, and contributions † likely to be received from the Pachaiyappa's Hostel fund and the Subramaniyan Memorial fund, it was expected that Provincial would have to find from its balance a sum of 2 lakhs and odd.

† It was anticipated that these contributions would not be appreciable.

4. The Pachaiyappa's college now want a separate hostel for that college built at Chetput and they apply for a *half* grant (viz., ·775 lakh) from Provincial funds towards the scheme which is estimated to cost 1·55 lakhs. Attention is solicited to the Director of Public Instruction's note and Educational Secretary's note on pages 2 and 3 *ante*. It seems, it is submitted, cheaper‡ to Government to allow the Pachaiyappa's and Christian Colleges to build their own hostels and contribute a portion of the cost from Provincial funds and in this case the provision of a separate hostel in Georgetown referred to in paragraph 3 would be unnecessary. In view of the large grants given by the Government of India, the proposal of the Educational Department to give a half-grant in the present case may, it is submitted, be accepted.

(The grant admissible under the Grant-in-aid Code is only one-third of the cost—*vide* section 51 of the Code.)

‡ *Vide* at **K** on page 3 *ante*.

We may accept the draft, and promise to give a half-grant.

C. Reilly.

5. The total *non-recurring* grant from Imperial for hostels now stands at 6 lakhs (1⅓ lakhs sanctioned in 1911–12 and 4⅔ lakhs sanctioned in 1912–13). If the half-grant of ·775 lakh now proposed for the Pachaiyappa's College hostel is deducted from the Imperial grant, a balance of 5·225 lakhs will still be available out of that grant. Provincial has, therefore, been relieved of the liability of 2 lakhs apprehended on this account in the Financial notes in linked file.

Paragraph 3 on page 9 of notes file in linked file.

A.S.—24–5–12.

A.H.R.—24–5–12.

We may accept the liability to find a grant of one-half of the cost of the Chetput hostel.

C. Reilly—31–5–12.

The only possible objection to the scheme for establishing a separate hostel for Pachaiyappa's is, I think, that it will not be under Government control, whereas the joint hostel previously contemplated for Georgetown was to have been a Government institution entirely under Government control. (See His Excellency Sir Arthur Lawley's note, dated 1st May 1911, on page 5 of notes in linked file.) And this objection is by no means an unimportant one, for it is easy to see what difficulties might arise if a hostel, not under Government control, were allowed to become a centre for the dissemination of anti-Government ideas. On the other hand the advantages of a site in a healthy suburb like Chetput are obvious, and it will certainly be the cheaper course to let Pachaiyappa's build its own hostel. All that is necessary is, I think, to ensure that if Government pays half the initial cost of this hostel, it should be allowed a substantial, if not a preponderating, share in the control of the institution. This could be secured by providing for Government nominees being on the Council, and I would make this a condition of the grant.

This is a question for Educational to decide. My own view at present is against any such condition being attached to the grant.

H. A. S[tuart].

A. G. Cardew—2–6–12.

The question for Financial department is whether a grant equal to half the cost shall be sanctioned instead of the usual one-third grant. It is clear that we have plenty of money for hostels and Financial may agree to a half-grant being given.

H. A. S[tuart]—4–6–12.

To the Educational Department.

Educational Department.

The Grant-in-Aid Code has since been revised so as to admit of the payment of half building grant in the ordinary course. The only special feature in this case is therefore the promise of a grant which it is proposed to give before the examination of the plans and estimates. These were called for on the 15th May 1912 by telegram, but have not yet been received. The trustees solicit early sanction "to the acquisition of the site and the laying of the foundation." This can be given under article 51 of the Grant-in-Aid Code. It is for consideration whether in granting this permission, the trustees may be informed that the Government would be prepared to make a half grant of the cost of building the hostel, subject to the Grant-in-Aid code and other conditions which the Government may choose to impose when sanctioning the grant after examination of the plans and estimates.

G.O. No. 370, Educational, dated 1st May 1912.

Portion marked **K** on page 3, *supra*.

Page 10 of G.O. No. 370, dated 1st May 1912.

C. Ramanujachari—9–6–12.

The half grant may, I submit, be promised and permission given to acquire the site and lay the foundation stone in advance of formal orders which cannot be passed until the plans and estimates have been scrutinized by the Public Works Department.

I agree.

M. H[ammick].

2 As to the Chief Secretary's suggestion that the grant should be conditional on the hostel council's having Government nominees on it, that is a new departure which, I submit, should not be taken. One might as well insist on Government nominees being on the council of Pachaiyappa's *College* and it would logically be necessary to apply the same method to the Christian College and numerous other educational institutions managed by private bodies. Government should, I think, rely on (i) the indirect control it possesses in the power of refusing or reducing grants-in-aid and (ii) inspection reports by University Commissions (which generally

include Government nominees among their number). The Director of Public Instruction, to whom I have telephoned is, I understand, in general agreement with this view.

L. Davidson—11-6-12.

It is out of the question to insist on Government nominees on the management of this hostel. We should have friction at once and as we have no nominees on the council that manages the college, this system would be unworkable. We must trust to the University and our Director of Public Instruction though the University controlling these colleges and hostels. The Government Order drafted may issue.

M. H[ammick]—12-6-12.

Financial should see after issue.

L. Davidson—13-6-12.

[G.O. No. 517, Educational, dated 14th June 1912.]

The file may be sent to Financial for perusal.

M. S. Mascarenhas—17-6-12.

C. Ramanujachari—15-6-12.

To the Financial Department.

Financial Department.

The file may, it is submitted, be returned to the Educational Department after perusal.

V. Gopalakrishna Ayyar—17-6-12.

C. Reilly—18-6-12.

A. G. Gardew—18-6-12.

To the Educational Department.

Educational Department.

In G.O. No. 517, Educational, dated 14th June 1912, the Trustees of the Pachaiyappa's charities were permitted to acquire the site and lay the foundation stone of the proposed hostel for the students of the Pachaiyappa's College without prejudice to the question of grant.

2. The plans and estimates now received from the Director of Public Instruction may be forwarded to the Public Works Department for scrutiny. That Department may be informed that the further information regarding the nature of soil and sub-soil called for by the Director of Public Instruction will be forwarded to it when received.

C. Ramanujachari—19-6-12.

M. S. Mascarenhas—20-6-12.

To the Public Works Department.

Public Works Department

The plans and estimates have been scrutinized in the Chief Engineer's office so far as rates are concerned, as under Schedule XII of the Madras City Municipal Act the Corporation will scrutinize them in regard to structural stability and sanitation.

A | It is presumed that the Educational Department have scrutinized them or will do so in regard to floor space and cubic contents. In this connection please see paragraph 5 of the notes in the linked file. The work will take 24 months to complete.

* Since disposed of in Circular No. 116 C., dated 14th January 1913.

P. Rao—29-8-12.

W. G. Molesworth—30-8-12.

To the Educational Department.

Educational Department.

In the linked file † proposals are submitted for dispensing with the scrutiny by the Chief Engineer of the plans and estimates for grant in aid of school buildings within *municipal* limits. With reference to those proposals the Public Works Department has returned this file *without* the usual scrutiny.

† Since disposed of in Circular No. 116 C., dated 14th January 1913.

2. It is submitted that, before those proposals are examined in this department and final orders are passed on them, the Public Works Department should not have returned the plans and estimates without the usual scrutiny. Further, the question of sanctioning a grant-in-aid of the proposed hostel for the Pachaiyappa's College is urgent and cannot be allowed to lie over till orders are passed on Public Works Department's proposals in the linked file. In these circumstances this file may, it is submitted, be returned to the Public Works Department for favour of scrutiny of the plans and estimates as usual.

For precedents, please see—
G.Os. Nos. 697, dated 3rd October 1911; 814, dated 20th November 1911; 3, dated 4th January 1912; 33, dated 17th January 1912; and 70, dated 26th January 1912.

P.R.—14-9-12.

C. Ramanujachari—16-9-12.

Yes: I think so. This is a case of special urgency as both Educational and Financial are particularly anxious to expend the hostel grant, and it is not yet certain whether Government will accept the proposal to leave it to the Corporation to scrutinize structural and sanitary aspects. But before return to Public Works department please examine floor space and cubic contents with reference to accepted Educational standard.

L. Davidson—18-9-12.

Accommodation is provided for students both in the ground-floor and in the first floor. Excluding gymnasium, stair-case rooms, passages and verandahs in the ground-floor and reading room, library, passages and verandahs in the first floor, there are 60 rooms in the ground-floor and 62 rooms in the first floor as shown below :—

Ground Floor.

—	Number of rooms.	Measurements.	Superficial area (Sq. feet.)	Height.	Cubical contents (c.ft.)
Corner rooms big	4	× 24′×11′—3″	= 1,080	× 9′—9″	= 10,520
Other rooms	48	× 10′×11′—3″	= 5,400	× 9′—9″	= 52,650
Corner rooms—small	8	×11′—3″×11′—3″	= 1,012	× 9′—9″	= 9,871
Total ..	60	....	7,492	× 9′—9″	= 73,051
First Floor.					
Corner rooms—big	4	×24′—4¼″×11′7½″	= 1,133	× 10′=9″	= 12,184
End rooms	2	×24′—4¼″×14′—4½″	= 700	× 10″=9″	= 7,533
Other rooms	48	×10′—4¼″×11″—7½″	= 5,789	× 10″=9″	= 62,234
Corner rooms—small	8	×11′—7½″×11″—7½″	= 1,081	× 10″=9″	= 11,662
Total ..	62	....	=8,703	× 10″—9″	= 93,573

2. In the specification report accompanying the estimate it is stated that each floor is capable of accommodating 64 students. It is not clearly stated that 2 × 64 or 128 is the maximum number to be accommodated. Assuming that each room will accommodate two students there appears to be room enough for about 244 or 250 students. Allowing 30 superficial feet and 400 cubic feet per head as required by clause (ii) of article 51 of the Grant-in-aid Code the ground-floor is expected to accommodate—

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(i) according to superficial area $\frac{7,492}{30}$ or 250 students, and

(ii) „ „ Cubical contents $\frac{73,501}{400}$ or 183 students; and

while the first floor will accommodate—

(i) according to its superficial area $\frac{8,703}{30}$ or 290 students, and

(ii) „ „ cubical contents $\frac{93,573}{400}$ or 234, students.

3. The file may now be returned to the Public Works Department who may be requested to check the above calculation also and to advise as to whether the dimensions of the rooms may be accepted.

C. Ramanujachari—23-9-12.

G.O. No. 1642-2, Educational, 25th September 1912.

Please see and send it in an *urgent* cover. There has already been far too much time spent over the case and as I have noted on page 7, it is of special urgency.

L. Davidson—24-9-12.

To the Public Works Department.

Public Works Department.

Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated 14th November 1912.

Attention is invited to the Chief Engineer's note on pages 7-9 of the current file. Educational may be requested to have the plans and estimates revised in accordance with the Chief Engineer's note read above and retransmitted to the Public Works Department for scrutiny.

P.W.—14-11-12.

T.S.R.—14-11-12

D. Marshall—14-11-12.

To the Educational Department.

Educational Department.

A draft memorandum is submitted for approval.

P.R.—16-11-12.

C. Ramanujachari—18-11-12.

C. S. Anantarama Ayyar—19-11-12.

L. Davidson—19-11-12.

[Memorandum No. 1642-1, dated 19th November 1912.]

From the Director of Public Instruction, R.O.C. No. 2935/12, dated 19th February 1913.

The cost of the additional plot of ground proposed to be acquired is Rs. 12,500 and the grant payable is only Rs. 6,250. There appears to be no objection to permit the authorities of the school to acquire the site without prejudice to the question of grant.

2. A draft memorandum is submitted for approval.

3. The plans promised in paragraph 3 of the Director's letter may be awaited. In the meanwhile the estimates now received may be forwarded to the Public Works Department for scrutiny so far as that is possible without the plans.

P.R.—22-2-13.

C. Ramanujachari—23-2-13.

Hardly worth while, I should say, but you may do so.

2. Let Public see the case before the memorandum issues. I believe there is a remote possibility that Government may themselves want the site on adjacent ground for medical buildings. We cannot withhold permission to college authorities on that ground but Public should know. The Chief Secretary will recollect that the matter was mentioned in Council.

L. Davidson—26-2-13.

To the Public Department.

Public Department.

Please see paragraph 2 of the Educational Secretary's note above. The proposed students' hostel for the Pachaiyappa's College is to be constructed on the plot of land situated in Harrington Road, Chetput, and adjoining the railway line near the level crossing. The additional plot of land, permission to the purchase of which is now to be accorded, apparently adjoins the former plot. The file may be submitted to Chief Secretary with reference to the last sentence in the Educational Secretary's note above.

2. Attention is invited to the linked file in which the Surgeon-General has been asked to furnish Government un-officially with a report as to whether the General Hospital should be moved from its present site.

K.N.—27-2-13

P.R.R.—28-2-13.

A. J. Curgenven—1-3-13.

For the reason mentioned in Mr. Davidson's note, dated 26th February 1913, the proposed acquisition may have an important bearing on schemes for the utilization of the bed of Spur Tank and before the Educational official memorandum issues, I think we should ascertain what is the extent of the land proposed to be acquired and what are the survey numbers of it. I presume it is not Government land, and probably there will be no objection to its acquisition by the College, but we ought to know exactly where it is.

A. G. Cardew—1-3-13.

To the Educational Department.

Educational Department.

A draft memorandum is submitted for approval with reference to the Chief Secretary's note above.

P.R.—4-3-13.

C. Ramanujachari—5-3-13.

L. Davidson—5-3-13.

[Memorandum No. 544-2, dated 5th March 1913.]

From the Director of Public Instruction, No. R.C. 2935/12, *dated 5th March* 1913.
" " " " 2935/12 " 14th " "

From the site plan now received it would appear that the original plot of ground and the additional one bear the same survey number, namely, 319. The additional plot of ground is the one marked in the plan as block No. 2, B.F.G. H.I J. K.C. on the west of line B C. Its extent is 257,131 square feet. The extent of the original plot is 329,134 square feet.

2. With this information the file may be forwarded to the Public Department with reference to the Chief Secretary's note *supra*.

P.R.—17–3–13.

C. Ramanujachari—17–3–13.

L. Davieson—18–3–13.

To the Public Department.

Public Department.

Submitted with reference to the Chief Secretary's note above, dated 1st March 1913. The survey numbers comprising the Spur Tank bed are 453-2, 463-1, 466, 465, 449, 451-2, 451-1 406-2 and 406-1, while the survey number which it is proposed to acquire is 319. It appears from the plan of the site submitted and the map of Madras that the site for the hostel is situated to the north-west of Chetput railway station and west of the Spur Tank bed.

Vide plan in G.O. No. 151, dated 18th January 1911.

P.R.R.—19–3–13.

The site appears to be the best part of a mile from the centre of the spur tank.

A. J. Curgenven—19–3–13.

The file may be returned to Educational. Apparently this proposal won't affect the scheme for utilization of the bed of the Spur Tank.

A. G. Cardew—26–3–13.

To the Educational Department.

Educational Department.

The memorandum may issue.

L. Davidson—26–3–13.

[Memorandum No. 890-1, dated 26th March 1913.]

From the Director of Public Instruction N. R.O.C. No. 2935–12, *dated* 22*nd March* 1913.

A further communication since received from the Director of Public Instruction has been added to the current file.

2. The revised plans and estimates may be forwarded to the Public Works Department for Scrutiny with reference to that department's note on page 8 *ante*.

P.R.—26–3–13.

C. Ramanujachari—27–3–13.

L. Davidson—27–3–13.

To the Public Works Department.

Public Works Department.

Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.

The plans and estimates have been scrutinised and the results embodied in the note read above. The main building hostel proper has been redesigned by the Chief Engineer and revised plans and estimates prepared therefor. The total cost comes to Rs. 1,98,000.

2. The file may now be returned to Educational.

M.K.T.—18–7–13.

D. Marshall—18–7–13.

Educational Department.

Draft. (Pachaiyappa's ought to be very grateful to the Chief Engineer and the Consulting Architect for the great trouble they have taken over the building.) I suppose there is money? It is a big lump.

W. Francis—3–7–13.

The amount of the estimate as revised by the Chief Engineer amounts to Rs. 1,98,000 on which a half grant * Rs. 99,000 is admissible. It is payable ordinarily on the completion of the buildings; but under article 53 (iv) of the code advances are payable if the Director is satisfied that the work is proceeding satisfactorily. The amount needed for this grant is to come from the Imperial grant for hostels—which consists of 4·50 † lakhs non-recurring and ·96 ‡ recurring—please see paragraph 2 of Mr. Davidson's note on page 7 of notes with G.O. No. 1004, Educational, dated 14th November 1912. Whatever is required in the current year will apparently be found from the current year's budget provision § of Rs. 3,21,000 for hostel which is made up of half of the non-recurring Imperial grant, viz., 2·25 lakhs, and the recurring ·96.

* Recommended by the Director of Public Instruction in his letter, dated 5th March 1913.

Page 10 of G.O. No. 370, Educational, dated 1st May 1912.

† G.O. No. 294, Educational, dated 4th April 1912.

‡ G.O. No. 204, Educational, dated 2nd March 1912. (Coranation grant.)

§ Page 155 of the civil budget estimate. Paragraph 30 on page 360 of budget notes, 1913–14.

2. If this is found inadequate further allotments can be obtained, debitable to the remaining half of 2·25 lakhs. Please see pages 360, 370 and succeeding pages of the budget notes for 1913–14 from which it will be seen that, though when the budget was under consideration a sum of 6·96 lakhs was actually available for expenditure on hostels, in the absence of any definite schemes for expenditure, it was considered sufficient to provide only 3·21 lakhs, it being understood that if any funds were needed over and above that provision, they would be provided by transfer from the reserve with Financial. It may also be observed that the further Imperial grant sanctioned in the current year includes a non-recurring allotment of 4 lakhs for hostels, and that of this, 2 lakhs have been provided in the current year for "colleges and hostels." Thus there will be no difficulty about funds.

Paragraph 3 on page 374 of Budget notes 1913–14.

Paragraph 3 of Educational Department note on page 375 of budget notes, 1913–14.

Paragraphs 6 and 9 of the memorandum on pages 2 and 3 of G.O. No. 264, Educational, dated 27th March 1913.

3. A draft order is submitted for approval.

C. Ramanujachari—24–7–13.

Approved.

W. Francis—25–7–13.

[G.O. No. 687, Educational, dated 26th July 1913.]

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EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

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D.

READ AGAIN G.O., No. 517 dated -14- 6- 1912. (Printed in full)

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READ ALSO:—

C. No. 1642, From the Dy , No. 2750/12 dated 11- 6- 1912.

" " 544 " " Do , " 2935/12 " 19- 2- 1913.

" " 729 " " " Do , " 2735/12 " 5- 3- 1912.

Note by the Chief Engineer " D.W.D Do , " 2935/12 " 15- 3- 13 / 22- 3- 13

" " " " 534 D " 19- 7- 13.

ORDER.

No. 68785, dated 26- 7- 1913.

THE Government are pleased to sanction a grant not exceeding one-half of the actual expenditure, nor exceeding Rs. 99,000 towards the cost of construction of a hostel with subsidiary buildings for Pachaiyappa's College at Chetpet, 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 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.

The Director of Public Instruction with plans and estimates. — 6 Copies
" Accountant-General. — 2 "
" P.W.D — 90 "

G. & M.

1,000—5-1-09.

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(*b*1) For rules regarding printing of notes, see the rules in G.O., No. 1220, Public dated 30th November 1900.

(*c*) The number of copies and the details of distribution should be filled in by the Superintendent or Referencer concerned.

(*d*) In the absence of special instructions to the Press to keep matter standing for a specified period, ordinary papers of 8 pages and under will be kept standing for *one* week, and larger papers for *two* weeks only. *The type of notes and of all confidential papers is distributed immediately after striking.*

(*e*) This slip, properly and completely filled in, should accompany every paper sent to Press; it will be returned by the Press when proofs are furnished; it should be sent to the Press when a call is made for revised proofs or when a corrected proof is sent for striking. When finally returned by Press it should be filed with the original order or letter.

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(*a*) If, in the opinion of the Superintendent of the Press, a paper has been marked urgent unnecessarily, he should send the Press slip to the Registrar with a remark to that effect.

(*b*) Unless a note to the contrary is made against the matter, pencil entries should not be printed. The Superintendent of the Press may bring to the notice of the Registrar any instance of incomplete or careless editing.

(*c*) Signature copies of letters to the Secretary of State or to the Government of India should be printed on hand-made paper.

(*d*) This slip should be returned by the Press to the Secretariat when proofs are furnished; it will be sent back to the Press when proofs are returned corrected and should be finally returned to the Secretariat when struck-off copies are supplied.

(*e*) The names of the Secretary and Members should be printed in full when they occur on the right hand side, but only the first time when they appear on the left side, the initials alone being printed later.

P.T.O.

TO PRESS, MADRAS. / OOTY.

A	B	C
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P Manuswami	Type may be released after usual interval. / at once.	Type may be released after usual interval.
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29/7/13		
.....Supdt.	.....Supdt.	.....Supdt.

(*b*) Three copies of proof of all notes should be sent for approval, except when instructions are given to the contrary.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS.

TO BE FILLED IN BY THE PRESS.

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Received in Press on	31-7-13	
First proof furnished on	7-8-13	
Call for revised proof received on	12-8-13	
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	28/8/13	

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