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800—15-7-01.

Educational (190 /) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No 586

DATED 16. 10. 01.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Asking the D.P.I to pay a sum of Rs 400/- to the District board of Chingleput towards the cost of repairs to their primary school building at Saidapet.

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Local & Munl. (190) Department.

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CURRENT No. ~~2208.2~~

From

[~~Name~~] The Public Works Department

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[Station] _____

No. 4069.C

Dated 23.9. 1901.

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Received 25.9. 1901.

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SUBJECT.

~~Forwarding a report for~~ Transferring report by the Consulting Architect to Government regarding the cost of putting the Local Fund Primary School building at Saidapet in a proper state of repair.

~~in thorough repairs &c~~

BACK PAPERS.

FURTHER PAPERS.

1/10/01.

To

The Secretary to Government,

Local and Municipal Department.

Sir,

3,000—12-11-00.

Public Works (190) Department.

CURRENT No. 7791 3

From

[Name] G. S. T. Harris Esqr.

[Designation] Consulting Architect to Govt.

[Station] Chepauk

No. 1819

Dated 13th September 1901.

Received 25 SEP 1901 190 .

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SUBJECT.

Submitting a report for putting the Local Fund Primary School buildings Sandapet in thorough repairs &c.

BACK PAPERS.

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FURTHER PAPERS.

C.W.S. O.L.S.459.

To

The Chief Engineer / Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.

Sir,

With reference to G.O. No. 2331-W dated 2nd September 1901, I beg to inform you that on the 11th Instant I visited and thoroughly inspected the building in Saidapett now -- occupied by the Local Fund Primary School.

2 I forward a plan from which it will be seen that the building is in the shape of a lopsided cross and consists of a series of cubes 16' x 16' seperated by cross walls and in each wall is an 8 feet archway.

3 This peculiar arrangement was made (so I was informed by the District Board Engineer) to enable the master to -- over look all the classes.

4 The walls are Kutchha puckkha, and 1'-6" thick. The roof consists of country tiles on flat tiles supported by palmyrah rafters collared in 2 places set at 1'-4" intervals. I plumbed the walls and where cracks are exhibited found the walls leaning out about ½" to ¾" owing to the thurst of the rafters which are collared too high up - the cracks chiefly occur in the arches as might be expected. -- But none of these cracks are dangerous, the walls are only 10 feet in height above floor.

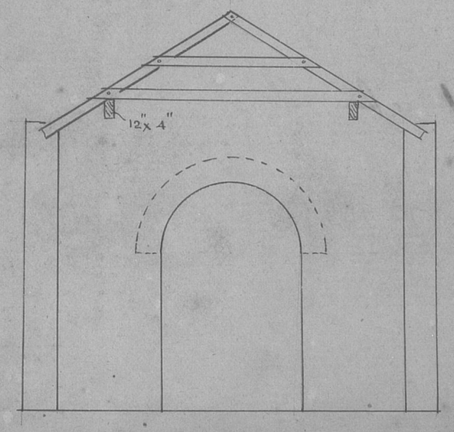
5 The rafters I found in good condition - as was the roof, and the floor, which latter consists of 7½" x 7½" rough country tile; the doors and windows are frame and batten, and all in very good order.

6 I am of opinion that the Educational Department to carry out their agreement "to repair the building and keep it in proper repair" should -

(1) White and color wash interior and exterior of all -- buildings, all out offices and surrounding wall.
(2) Repoint the floors where required.
(3) In certain places turn tiles.
(4) Repairs to plaster in places.
(5) Rebuilt 3 of the cracked arches.
(6) Reroof one part of the out houses.
(7) Trees to be trimmed.

and I roughly estimate the cost of this at Rs. 350 to 400. If these repairs are carried out, the terms on which the building was taken will be fulfilled.

7 I am unable to understand the use of the cross walls and would propose that according to the arrangements required for future use (1) that either the cross walls be done away with, or (2) filled in with inserted doorways. To strengthen the roof, and to stop the thurst, beams 12" x 4" might be inserted below the collars as shewn where the walls remain: or if the walls are demolished king trusses be put in to carry these beams.



8 In the out houses the rafters are much too light, and these are all dangerous. They are about 15 feet span and about 5" x 2" to 5" x 2½" - In one room the roof has come down, this is hardly the fault of the Educational Department; but 3 scantlings 10 feet 8" x 6" set in the centre of the spans is all that is required, and this can be done for about Rs. 30.

9 I found that the estimate of Rs. 1,300 to put the building in good order includes substituting a Mangalore tiled roof for the existing country tile roof - Why the Educational Department are asked to do this on their agreement I fail to understand.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Chs Harrid

Consulting Architect to Government.

LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPT.
CURRENT No. 2208.d

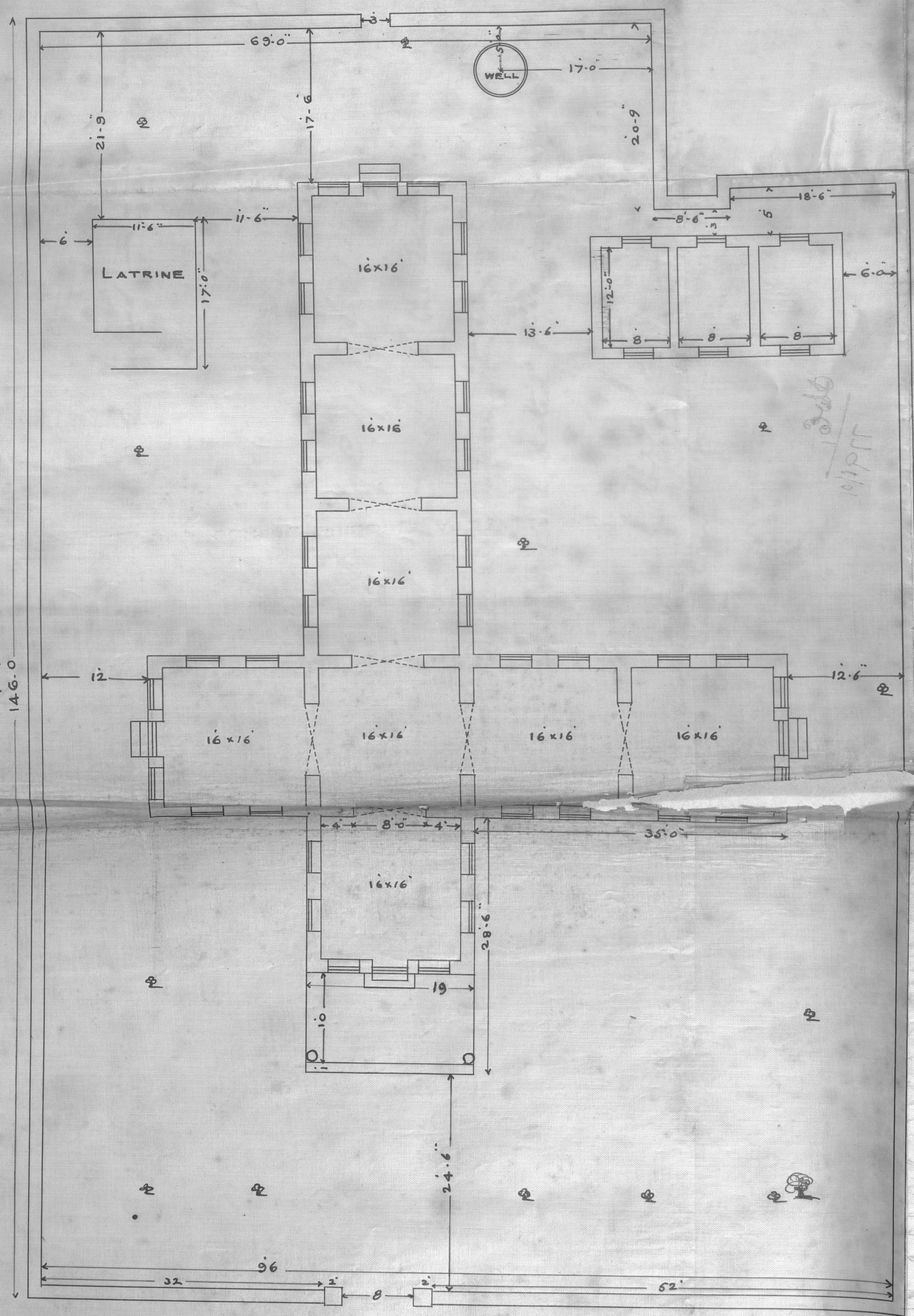
No. 4069 C dy 23d Sept 01.

Transferred to the Local & Munipl. Dept. with reference to the order in that dept. No. 1300 d dated 8th August 1901.

Secretary to Govt., P. W. D.

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PLAN OF LOCAL FUND SCHOOL BUILDING AT SAIDAPET.



SCALE 10=1'

Consulting Architect
To Government
2nd September 1901

Local Fund primary school building at Saidapet.

Local and Municipal Departme:

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Again Go No 1360 L dated 8th August 1901 and Cor No 2208 L from the Pub Works Dept

FOR ORDERS.

G.O. No 738 Edl. 12.10.92 & G.O. No 2557 L 3.11.92 Q

The Local Fund primary school building at Saidap was, on the amalgamation of the Board's school with the Teachers' College, taken over by the Principal of the --- Teachers' College on the 2nd January 1893, under the orde of the Director of Public Instruction, subject to the con tion that the building should be repaired when necessary kept in proper condition by the Educational Department an made over to the District Board, when better accommodation for the school was available or when it was required by t Board, on six months' previous notice being given on either side. On the 27th June 1901, that is after using the bui ing for over seven years, the Principal of the College in- formed the President of the District Board that the buildi was in a dangerous condition and required extensive repair as the arches had fallen in and the walls had cracked, and he added that the repairs which were estimated by the Dis trict Board Engineer to cost Rs.1,300 should be executed b the Board. The President having demurred to this request, the Principal forwarded to him a copy of the Director's Proceedings in which he stated that the building might be retransferred to the District Board. The President ther addressed the Director, but the latter merely replied tha the usual periodical repairs such as white washing &c., having been done to the building, the Educational Depart ment was not responsible for its present condition.

2. Upon this, the President referred the matter t Government for orders, and the Director of Public Instruc who was consulted on the subject, having stated that the

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ent condition of the building was due to decay on account
age, and not to the want of the usual periodical repairs, and
his Department should not be made liable to carry out
ch extensive and substantial repairs as were reported to
necessary, the Government called for information regarding
e age of the building, its condition at the time it was
anded over to the Principal of the Teachers' College, and
e outlay incurred on repairs from time to time, both by
e District Board and ~~by~~ the Educational Department. From
e replies received, it appeared that while the Board had
ent Rs.154 a year on an average for repairs, the Educational
partment had incurred an expenditure of not more than Rs.42
year. As, however, it was not clear whether such a large
xpenditure as Rs.1,300 was really needed for putting the
ilding in a proper state of repair, the Government ordered
vide the G. O. read above) that the Consulting Architect
d the District Board Engineer should inspect the building
nd report in concert, and with reference to the papers on the
ubject of transfer to the Educational Department, what may be
onsidered to be the ~~first~~ just obligations of that Department
owards putting the building in a proper state of repair
efore it is retransferred to the District Board.

3. In his report transferred with the endorsement of
the Public Works Department read above, the Consulting
rchitect gives particulars of the repairs which, in his
inion, the Educational Department should carry out in order to fulfil
e terms on which the building was taken over, and estimates the
st at Rs.350 to 400. The estimate of Rs.1,300 referred to
the preceding paragrpahs, he states, includes the cost of
ubstituting a Mangalore tiled roof for the existing country
iled roof -- an improvement for which the Educational Ddpart-
ent is not liable. The report, however, has not been signed by the
strict Board Engineer, Chingleput, nor is it clear that he
present at the time the Consulting Architect inspected the

building

building, the only allusion made to the former officer being, -- in para.3, -- that he gave some information regarding the peculiar arrangement of the building.

T.R
3/10/01
Pk
3.10.01

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H. M.

The D.B.E. was evidently present.
The D.P.W. may be directed to pay
Rs 400 to Dist. Bd towards amount
of repairs

BPB
5/10/01

I think the proposal is
correct
7.10.01

Submitted to A.S.
May the order below
issue?
TR
15-10-01

Yes
15.10.1

For the Secretary.

~~Should not the draft be issued by the Secretary. Should it~~
Should not the draft below issue from the Educational
depart? The Director is a subordinate of that depart and
the money must come from the Educational budget.

Pk
9/10/1

You are right.
Alter form accordingly
A
BPB
9.10.01

Madras office (Form)
Please transfer current under the head
officially, to DE & Asst DE to register
+ issue order already passed by Secretary
after showing it to A.S.
Pk 9/10/1

[L. & M. / 89]

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following papers:—

From the President, District Board, Chingleput, Ref. on No 354 of 1900, dated 27th January 1901, soliciting the orders of Government regarding the question of repairing the Local Fund school building at Saidapet which has been lent to the Principal of the Teachers' College since 2nd January 1893.

From the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, Ref. on C.No.1105, dated 6th March 1901, stating that under the circumstances stated the cost of the repairs to the building referred to above, should be met from Local Funds.

From the President, District Board, Chingleput, Ref. on No.354 L., of 1900, dated 15th May 1901, reporting that the District Board of Chingleput intends taking over possession of the Local Fund school building at Saidapet for use as the District Board Engineer's office and giving certain information relating to the building.

Again from the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, R.C.No.4802, dated 25th July 1901, reporting that a sum of Rupees 335-13-9 has been spent on repairs to the Local Fund School building at Saidapet during the three years ending with 1897.

O R D E R :-No. 1300 L.Mis., dated 8th September 1901.

The Consulting Architect and the District Board Engineer of Chingleput will be requested to inspect the building in question and to report, in concert and with reference to the correspondence on the subject at the time of its transfer to the Educational Department, what may be considered to be the just obligations of that department towards putting the building in a proper state of repair before it is transferred to the District Board.

(True Extract)

(Signed) C. J. Weir,

Ag. Secretary to Government.

To

The Consulting Architect,
thro' the Public Works Department.
" President, District Board, Chingleput.
" Director of Public Instruction.

11.10.1901.

G.R.D.
11/10/1901.

[L. & M. 88. 200—0—01.]

Local and Municipal Department.

CURRENT NO. 1392

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

[Current No 22082]

Memorandum No. 9279 11-10-01

Transferred to the Educational department [with notes and orders in original and with a copy of Govt order No 1300 L dated 8th August 1901.]

Assistant Secretary

11.10.01

Educ. dept.

[L. & M.]

500—4-8-99.

Educational
~~Local and Municipal~~ Department.

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Again G.O., No. dated 189 .

~~Again~~ G.O., No. 13002 dated 8- august 1901 ~~189~~ .

Current No. 22084 of ~~189~~ 1901, dated 23-9-1901, from the P.W.D.

" " " 189 , , , "

" " " 189 , , , "

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ORDER.

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The Govt. Concurs in the remarks in para. 6 of the Consulting Architects' letter read above and directs the Director of Public Instruction to pay a sum of Rs 400 to the District Board of Chingleput towards the cost of repairs to their ~~local fund~~ primary school building at Saidapet.

(from accots)

DKA
9/10/01

bob
9.10.01

To
The Educational Deputy for acceptance.

To
(2) The President ~~Distt Bd~~ Chingleput
(1) . Director of Public Instn, thro' the Educational Deputy
(3) . Accts Genl.

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