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[Despatch Abstract.]

Museum - Government - Purchase of a teakwood
Cabinet for the Botany Section - Saurashtra

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From (Name) Sri M.D. Raghavan, B.A.
Dip. Anth. (Oxon)
Designation Superintendent,
Station Government Museum,
Madras. 06201
To The Secretary to Government,
Education & Public Health
Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.

12 FEB 1945

No. 122-1/45 dated 12th February 1945.

Under Item 23 of Appendix 7 to the Madras Financial Code Vol. II, -I have the honour to address Government for sanction to the purchase of a teakwood cabinet for microscopic slides measuring 20" X 15" X 18" provided with drawers each measuring 18" X 15" X 1 1/4", complete with door and lock and key, to hold about 2500 slides at a cost of Rs.180/- (Rs. One hundred and eighty only) required for the proper safeguarding and storage of a large number of slides of the Botany section. Quotations were obtained from Scientific equipment firms and the most favourable quotation has been accepted.

I have accordingly the honour to request that
Government

Government will be pleased to accord their sanction to the purchase of the cabinet.

The cost will be met from the provision in the current year's budget allotment under "a.A.3. Other Charges Furniture and fittings".

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

M. A. G. S. M.
Superintendent.

CF Cno 6201A

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From the S.G.M. no 122-1-45 dated 12-2-45

Museum. Govt. Purchase of a teak wood cabinet for the Library section

Memo no 6201A-1 Edu dated 20-2-45

The S.G.M. is requested to report whether the purchase of a teak wood cabinet is essential and whether it is absolutely necessary and whether it is postponed for the duration of the war. ~~purchase is so urgent and essential that it cannot be postponed~~

In his letter
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L. the S.G.M. on 19-2-45

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Handwritten notes on lined paper, including:

- From (Name) Sri M.D. Raghavan, B.A.,
- Designation Superintendent,
- Station Government Museum, Madras.
- Enclosures: 2
- Dated 20th February 1945

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 From (Name) Sri M.D. Raghavan, B.A., To _____
 Dip. Anth (Oxon)
 Designation Superintendent, The Secretary to Government,
 Education & Public Health
 Station Government Museum, Fort St. George, Department,
 Madras. Madras.

Enclosures: _____ No. 2-2/45 dated 24 February 1945.

2 Feb 1945

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Sub: Govt. Museum- purchase of a teakwood cabinet for microscopic slides for the Botany Section.

Reference Government Memorandum No. 6201 A-1 Edn. dated 20th February 1945.

In connection with the research work in cryptogamic Botany undertaken now, a cabinet is found to be absolutely essential as a very large number of microscopic slides of various objects prepared in connection with the research work will have to be safely stored. There is now no provision for the storage of slides and the work will suffer if the slides prepared with great care and pains are not properly stored for further studies. Besides for the determination of the species of the type collection of lower cryptogams now made, a large number of slides

slides will have to be prepared and these also will have to be stored. In addition to the above, some of the lowest forms of plant life are best preserved in the form of slides, which will be equivalent to Herbarium Sheets for larger forms.

In the circumstances here explained, the purchase of a teakwood cabinet is essential and cannot be postponed for the ~~am~~ duration of the war.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

M. C. Agarwal

Superintendent.

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S.O. H. Dept
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Appl. Cno. 6201A From Mr. S. G. M. No. 122.1/45 dated 12.2.45

19/12/45 do. 122.2/45 dated 24.2.45

Museum. Govt. Purchase of a teakwood cabinet for the Botany Section. Sanctioned

Order No. 377 Edm dated 13th March 1945.

Sanction is accorded to the purchase

at a cost not exceeding Rs 180 (Rupees one hundred and eighty) of a teakwood cabinet of the size mentioned in the letter of Mr. S. G. M. dated above for the safe custody of ^{the} a large number of microscopic slides of ~~various objects prepared in connection with the research work in the~~ Botany section of the Museum.

The expenditure should be met from

the provision in the Annual Estimate of
Expenditure for 1944-45 under '36.1a Scientific
Department A. Museums. 3. other charges
Anthrax Furniture and fittings"

By
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To the S.G.H.
The A.S. Furniture
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Note: The necessity for the purchase
of the cabinet is explained in the S.G.H.'s letter
on pages 5-6 of the draft above may be sent to
A.W.D. and for and for acceptance.

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To the S.G.H.
The A.S. Furniture
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Please see H 1-2 ante. The work
in question involving the use of teakwood is considered
to be essential - see H 5-6 of. This department may agree
to the proposal. The file may be passed to Finance.
By
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Finance (Exp A)
The draft order may be accepted (see this Dept's note on pp 5-6 of G)
(See this Dept's note on pp 5-6 of G)
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Draft may issue.
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