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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, from 10th to 16th September 1859.

No. 31. Read the following letter from Lieut. Colonel J. H. BELL, Chief Engineer; to the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated 30th August 1859, No. 4377.

I have the honor to request the attention of Government to a letter from this Office, submitting 3 valuation Estimates, amounting to Rupees 3,924, for the purchase of 4 Rice godowns on the North Beach, on the site of which it is proposed to build the Police Tannah and Inspector's quarters, sanctioned on the 9th July 1857, No. 1319, and removed from the restrictive orders on the 16th November 1858, No. 2416.

No. 9397, dated 4th April 1859.

2. In noticing the above letter, Government requested that the report called for on a previous date, as to the cost of removing the line of buildings on the Beach between the Custom House and Clive's Battery might be hastened, and at the same time that they may be advised, in case the above buildings should be removed, as to what site would be most suitable for the Police Tannah. The report in question having been submitted, Government in reviewing the same, deferred the further consideration of that subject, but as no orders have yet been passed on the 3 valuation Estimates above referred to, I beg to be favored with the same at an early date.

Proceedings of Government, No. 1027, dated 3rd May 1859.

Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 2745, dated 21st December 1858.

Chief Engineer's letter No. 1561, dated 13th June 1859.

Proceedings of Government, No. 1702, dated 13th July 1859.

Transferred to the Judicial Department.

Fort Saint George, 2nd September 1859.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

No. 32. ORDER THEREON, 13th September 1859, No. 1235.

The proposition to build, on the site occupied by certain Rice godowns, a Police Tannah, with a look-out room on top, commanding a prospect of the Beach and Roadstead, originated in 1856 in consequence of Colonel Boulderson, the Superintendent of Police, having represented that the additions at that time being made to the Customs House, would obstruct the full view of the Beach traffic, possessed by the sentry at the Tannah station, accommodated in the south east corner of that building.

Extract Minutes Consultation, 20th June 1857, No. 1197, Public Works Department.

2. After this project had received the approval of Government, a discussion arose on the improvement of the road between the Customs House and Clive's Battery. It was proposed to purchase and clear away an entire range of buildings, of which the Rice godowns occupying the site intended for the Police Tannah, formed a part. As this measure was considered too expensive for immediate purposes, and other considerations intervened connected with the Pier sanctioned for construction, the Government deferred passing orders on the subject.

Extract Minutes Consultation, 2nd July 1857, No. 751, Judicial Department.

3. In the interim, the Marine Police had been organized, and Government understood that Colonel Boulderson, the Commissioner of Police, was desirous that the Marine Police should occupy the new building proposed to be built on the site of the Rice godowns—but that the building should be enlarged so as to accommodate both the men of the Marine force and the office establishment. The Police Inspector's station might then remain where it now is.

Proceedings 13th July 1859, No. 1702, Public Works Department.

Memorandum 19th April 1859, by Colonel Boulderson,—attached to Proceedings, 3rd May 1859, No. 1027, Public Works Department.

4. The Honorable the Governor in Council now resolves to refer to Colonel Boulderson to ascertain precisely what are his views on the subject, and what kind of building he would propose to erect. His report should be accompanied by a rough plan of the proposed building, and of the ground in the vicinity of it.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Ezd F. Cartledge.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. BELL, Chief Engineer; to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, dated 11th November 1859, No. 7121.

1. In the late Chief Engineer's letter, No. 9297, dated 4th April last, the following estimates were submitted for the purchase of four rice godowns, on the north beach, on the site of which it is proposed to build the Police tannah and Inspector's quarters, sanctioned on the 9th July 1857, No. 1319.

			Rs.	As.	P.
2	Godowns	belongs to Ruthnam Moodelly.....	2,476	10	7
1	do.	to Vencatachellum Moodelly.....	880	4	9
1	do.	to Teroovatoor Brahmin.....	567	9	6
		Rupees.....	3,924	8	10

2. In their order, No. 1235, dated 13th September last, Judicial Department, the Government referred the matter to Colonel Boulderson, with a view of ascertaining his views on the subject, and the kind of building he would propose to erect.

3. The Civil Architect has, however, included the foregoing estimates in his budget statement No. 2 for the ensuing year, but before admitting them, I have the honor to solicit the early orders of Government thereon.

ORDER THEREON, 21st November 1859, No. 2707.

Referred to the Judicial Department, with reference to proceedings in that department dated 13th September last No. 1235.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Judicial Department.

Exd. Wm. Thomas.

P. P. Cons. 3d May /59. Ps 56-57.
—— 14: July /59. Ps 23-24.
—— 16: Nov / 58 Ps 133 @ 135.
—— 21: Dec. /58 Ps 84-85.
—— 15: July /59. Ps 68-69.

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Sec. to Govt

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Prov. Secy's Office 10th Sept.
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From Chief Engr
To The Secy to Govt
No 1235 D. P. W.

Dated 30th } August/59
Received 31st } No 4377

Remarks.

Requests attention to, and early orders on the letter from this Office submitting 3 Valuation Estimates for the purchase of Rice Godowns on the Beach for the site of the Police Jamaah & Inspectors Quarters.

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Proceedings of the Madras Govt.

Read letter from the Chief Engineer ~~Chief Engineer~~ Enter 30th Augt. 1859 No. 4377

Order - 13th September 1859. No 1235

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Ex. Mar. Cons. 20 Augt. 1857 No. 1197 & 1198

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