M.R.O. 1—82,408—29-11-80.

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

Cons. 11-9-57

G.O. No.	1555	Press Mis.
50-51 Dated	10-9-	1857

Not to be folded or roughly handled

Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 11th August 1857.

No. 80. Read the following letter from Colonel C. E. FABFR, Chief Engineer; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated 6th August 1857, No. 2728.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward under clause II of Extract from the Minutes of Consultation No. 696, dated 18th October 1855, an estimate amounting to Company's Rupees (2,170) two thousand, one hundred and seventy, for constructing platforms round the several working rooms, making thorough repairs to the Painter's room, sinking 2 wells and planting 300 trees of sorts &c., in the Gun Powder Manufactory at Veyasurpady.

2. The estimate has been prepared by the Garrison Engineer agreeably to the suggestions of the Superintendent of the Gun Powder Manufactory which have received the approval of the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines. I beg to recommend that the estimate may be sanctioned as the work is emergent, and of a class not restricted; the manufacture moreover of Gun Powder having been suspended until the completion of the repairs. The rates charged for in the estimate are moderate and sufficient.

No. 81. ORDER THEREON, No. 1555; dated 10th August 1857.

Ordered to be referred to the Military Department for consideration.

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

Central Office of P. Works,
Fort Saint George,
6th August 1857.

No. 2728.

From,

The Chief Engineer.—

To, The Secretary to Government,
P. W. D.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward under cover of Extract from the Minutes of Consultation No. 1696 dated 18th October 1855, an Estimate amounting to Company's Rupees (2,170) Two thousand one hundred and seventy, for constructing platforms round the several working rooms, making thorough repairs to the Painters room, sinking 2 Wells and planting 300 trees of sorts &c. in the Gun Powder Manufactory at Veyasurpady.—

2 The Estimate has been prepared by the Garrison Engineer agreeably to the Suggestions of the Superintendent of the Gun Powder Manufactory which have

have received the approval of the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines. I beg to recommend that the Estimate may be sanctioned as the work is emergent, and of a class not restricted; the Manufacture moreover of Gun Powder having been suspended until the completion of the Repairs. The Rates charged for in the Estimate are moderate and sufficient.—

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most Obt. Servt

A. C. Latter Colonel

Chief Engineer.

Central Office of P.W.

Fort St George,

6th August 1857

To,

The Secretary to Government,

P. W. D.

Encls. 8.

Public Works 1857 Department
Dated Fort William 1st August No 1578
From The Chief Engineer.
To The Secretary to Government,
G. H. D.

Dated 6th
Received 7 } August 1857.

No. 2728.

5 Enclosures.
No. 1555. 10th August
Submits under Clause II
E. In lo. No 696 dated 18th October 56
an Estimate for Rs 2,170 for
constructing platforms round
the several working Rooms, making
necessary Repairs to the Painters Room
sinking 2 Wells and planting 300 trees
in the Gun Powder Magazine
Fort William Cuddapah

No. 1555

Ordered to be referred
to the Military Department
for consideration.

Fort St. George
10th August 1857

Extract from Military Despatch
17th August 57 Ed & Political Cons
23rd.

No. 2028.

Copied to the Military Dept.
with Enclosures

No. 1555