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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 18th August 1857.

No. 20. Read the following letter from Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated 12th August 1857, No. 2856.

SIR,

Under Clause II. of Extract Minutes Consultation No. 696, dated 18th October 1855, I have the honor to forward for submission to Government the accompanying estimate amounting to Rupees (2,180) two thousand, one hundred and eighty. It shows the probable cost of dividing off a portion of the yard near Messrs. Parry and Co's. office on the North Beach, and of constructing sheds to contain sick carts and dhoolies for the use of the Troops embarking and debarking. It has been prepared in consequence of a representation made in a letter No. 1331 dated 9th May 1857, from the Deputy Quarter Master General to the effect that a Depot for sick carriages was required on the North Beach, to enable Troops and Sick Details landing, to be conveyed to the General Hospital or elsewhere without delay.

* To the Barrack Master.

3. The plan and estimate have been approved of by the Commandant of Engineers and by the Quarter Master General of the Army; the rates of the estimate are moderate, but sufficient.

3. The work being of a Military character and tending to expedite the arrangements for Troops, and the convenience of Sick Details, is strongly recommended for execution. The amount of the estimate is Rupees (2,180) two thousand, one hundred and eighty, with usual rates current at Madras.

No. 21. ORDER THEREON, No. 1581; dated 15th August 1857.

Ordered to be referred to the Military Department for consideration.

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

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Central Office of P.W.

No. 2856. Fort Saint George,
12th August 1857.

From,
The Chief Engineer.

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

Sir,

Under clause II of Ex: Mins: Cons: No. 696

Original Enclosures 3.
1 Letter No. 2461 dated
1 Estimate.
1 Plan.
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(to be originally returned)

I have the honor to forward for submission to Government the accompanying Estimate amounting to Rupees (2,180) two thousand one hundred and eighty.— It shows the probable cost of dividing off a portion of the Yard near Neptune Parry & Co's Office on the North Beach, and of constructing sheds to contain Sick Carts and dhoolies for the use of the troops embarking and debarking. It has been prepared in consequence of a representation made in a letter No. 1331 dated 9th May 1857 from the Deputy Quarter Master General to the effect that a depôt for Sick Carriages

* to the Barrack Master

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was required on the North beach, to enable troops and Sick details landing, to be conveyed to the General Hospital or elsewhere without delay.

2 The Plan and Estimate have been approved of by the Commandant of Engineers and by the Quarter Master General of the Army; the rates of the Estimate are moderate, but Sufficient.

3 The work being of a Military Character and tending to expedite the arrangements for troops, and the convenience of Sick details, is strongly recommended for execution. The amount of the Estimate is Rupees (2,180) Two thousand one hundred and eighty, with usual rates current at Madras.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obt Servt

W.C.
Central Office of P.W.
Fort Saint George,
12th August 1857.

W. Caldwell Colonel.
Chief Engineer.

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

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Dt. 18th Augt. No. 1625.

From The Chief Engineer.

To The Secretary to Govert.
C. W. D.

Dated 12th
Received 14th } August 1857.

No. 2856.

Enclosures 3

No. 1581. 15th August

Submitting for the Sanction of Govt.
for execution an Estimate for dividing
off a portion of the Yard of the Reser-
voir near Engr. Barry's & Col. Office on
the North Beach, and constructing
Sheds to contain Sick carts and
Doolies for the use of the Troops
embarking and debarking amount-
ing to Rupees 2,180. With an order

No 20 + 21.

No. 1581

Ordered to be re
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partment for consideration

Fort St. George
15th Augt. 1857

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