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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

Cons. 2-8-7-57

G.O. No.	1427	Press Mis.
⁴⁷⁻⁴⁸ Dated	24-7-	1857.

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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 28th July 1857.

No. 47. Read the following Report from Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated 2nd July 1857, No. 1716.

Report F, on two additional Wards for Male patients, with privies and compound walls, to the Leprosy Hospital Rupees (7,930) seven thousand, nine hundred and thirty.

The above additional accommodation has been prepared by the Civil Architect, in communication with the Medical Board, and in accordance with orders conveyed in Extract Minutes Consultation No. 333, 19th February 1857.

2. The new buildings consist of two long rooms, each divided into two Wards by a partition wall, the dimensions being 42' 9" by 16, the height of the walls is 12½ feet; the width of the verandah 8 feet in the clear and length 36½ feet each, the windows are secured by iron bars. The rooms to be raised on a basement one foot in height above foundations, which are to be 3 feet deep.

3. The roof is a common couple pent roof and is 17 feet high from the floor to the ridge.

4. The compound walls surrounding the above buildings to be 10½ feet high and 723 feet long.

5. The estimate having been drawn up in communication with the Medical Board has I conclude their approbation, and the plan has been prepared of its present size in anticipation of a larger number of patients under the New Police Act. When application was made for the additional accommodation there were (42) forty-two patients crowded into an Hospital capable of containing only (28) twenty-eight cases, and admission of additional patients for treatment was necessarily refused.

6. The estimate is framed on the data usual in the Civil Architect's Office, and the wood, iron, &c., is charged at the Bazar rates. I recommend the sanction and entry in the Budget of 1858-59.

No. 48. ORDER THEREON, No. 1427; dated 24th July 1857.

Referred to the Public Department for consideration.

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

N^o 1716

Medical Department

Lepros Hospital

Report on two additional
wards for male patients, with
privies and compound walls,
to the Lepros Hospital. Expenses
\$230/ seven thousand nine
hundred and thirty

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Genl. Com. No 335-19th February 1857.

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tions, which are to be 3 feet deep.

3. The roof is a common couple bent roof
and is 17 feet high from the floor to the ridge

4. The compound walls surrounding the above buildings to be $10\frac{1}{2}$ feet high and 723 feet long

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Contract Office of P.W.
Establishment
2nd July 1857

Wm Peter Colonel
Chief Engineer

cc

The Secretary to Government

Joseph P. P. P.

P. P. P.

Documents

Documents accompanying.

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F. 1 Letter N^o 259 dated 29th April 1857.

F. 1 Abstract Estimate of Rupees 7930- -

F. 1 Plan.

Trans: 24th July 57 N^o 22 & 23.

Pub. Works 1857 Department
N^o. to Cons: 28th July
N^o. 104-5

From
The Chief Engineer.

N^o 1427

Referred to the
to the Public Department
for consideration.

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Fort St. George
24th July 1857

The Secretary to Government
P.W.D.

Dated 2nd July 1857
Received N^o 17/6

N^o 17/6

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Recommends for
sanction in the Budget of 1857-58
Sanctions in Estimate of Papers (7730)
Seven thousand Nine hundred and thirty
for building two additional Wards to
the General Hospital at Madras.

N^o 47-48.

With an Order
N^o 1427 24th July