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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 26th May 1857.

No. 9. Read the following letter from Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated 15th May 1857, No. 339.

SIR,

On receipt of Extract Minutes Consultation No. 272, dated 12th July last, Ecclesiastical Department, the Civil Architect (then Superintending Engineer Presidency Division,) was called upon to submit an estimate for erecting a partition wall and gate, between the Vepery Church compound, and the portion of the Mission premises situated on the last as originally called for, in Extract Minutes Consultation 6th October 1852, No. 253, para. 8, and his attention was again called to the subject immediately on receipt of Extract Minutes Consultation No. 143, dated 30th March last; on the 3rd April following the Civil Architect in a letter No. 213 requested to be informed which of the 2 Plans submitted by him had been approved, and on the requisite information being furnished, he on the 30th Ultimo, sent in an estimate amounting to Rupees (1,140) one thousand, one hundred and forty, and this with a plan I have now the honor to submit, under Clause II. Extract Minutes Consultation No. 696, dated 18th October 1855, and to recommend for the early sanction of Government, and the amount of Rupees (1,140) one thousand, one hundred and forty, for erecting gates and fitting up Porto Novo cast iron rails as a partition between Saint Mathias' Church compound, and the Mission premises at Vepery.

2. The plan has been approved of by the Chaplain of Saint Mathias' Church, and the estimate on examination being found to have been prepared on moderate and sufficient rates, I have the honor to solicit the early sanction of Government to the same.

No. 10. ORDER THEREON, No. 970; dated 20th May 1857.

Ordered to be referred to the Ecclesiastical Department.

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

Central Office of P.W.D.

No. 339.

Fort Saint George.

15th May 1855.

From

The Chief Engineer.

To,

The Secretary to Government P.W.D.

Sir,

On receipt of Extract Minutes Cons.

No. 272 dated 12th July last Ecclesiastical Department

the Civil Architect (then Superintending Engineer P.W.D.) was called upon to submit an Estimate for erecting a partition wall and Gate between the Vepery Church compound, and the portion of the Mission premises situated on the East as originally called for, in Exc: Mins: Cons: 6th October 1852 No. 253 para 8, and his attention was again called to the Subject immediately on Receipt of Extract Mins: Cons: No. 113 dated 30th March last, on the 3d April following the Civil Architect in a letter No. 213 requested to be informed which of

of the 2 Plans submitted by him had been approved, and on the requisite information being furnished, he on the 30th Ultimo sent in an Estimate amounting to Rupees (1140) one thousand one hundred and forty, and this with a Plan I have now the honor to submit, under Clause II Extract Mins: Cons: N° 696 dated 18th October 1855, and to recommend for the early Sanction of Government, the amount of Rupees (1140) one thousand one hundred and forty, for erecting Gates, and fitting up Ports Novo Cast Iron Rails, as a partition between St. Matthias' Church Compound, and the Mission Premises at Vepery.

2 The Plan has been approved of by the Chaplain of St. Matthias' Church, and the Estimate on examination being found to have been prepared on moderate and sufficient rates, I have the honor to solicit the early Sanction of Government to the same.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obt. Servt.
Wm Slater Colonel
Chief Engineer.

Office of C. E.
Saint George
May 1857

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

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Extract from Minutes of Council in the Ecclt. Departt. D/26th May 57.
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No. 940
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Ecclesiastical Department
Fort St George
26th May 1857
Secretary to the Govt.

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Public Works 1857 Department
D/ 26th May
No. 991

From The Chief Engineer.

To The Secretary to Government

P. W. D.

Dated 15th May 1857.
Received 16th

No. 339.

Enclosures 1
1 Estimate
No. 970. 20th May No. 970

Submitting for sanction an Estimate amounting to Rupees (1140) one thousand one hundred and forty, for a partition wall to the compounds of St Matthias Church. With an order

The Right Honble the Governor in Council sanctions the immediate execution, the Estimate with the foregoing letter, Amounting to Rupees (1140) One Thousand one hundred and forty, for erecting Gates and fitting up Posts Nopo Cast Iron rails as a partition between St Matthias Church Compound and the Mission Premises at Vepery, and directs that the expenditure be charged to the one lac sanctioned in the Budget of 1857/58 for works of an isolated character.

Ordered that the foregoing sanction be communicated to the Ecclesiastical Department.