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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 4th August 1857.

No. 74. Read the following letter from Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated 23rd June 1857, No. 1450.

SIR,

I have the honor with reference to Extract Minutes Consultation No. 793, dated 27th April 1857, to inform you, that the Civil Architect reports in a letter dated 12th Instant, that the items Nos. 1 and 2 referred by Government for verification are correct, and I recommend that orders be given for its being immediately built, as the fact of the Compound of the Male Asylum being without a boundary wall, along side of the public road, is particularly objectionable.

2. The cost of the above portion of wall, marked on the plan as Nos. 1 and 2, is Rupees (1,401-14) one thousand four hundred and one and annas fourteen.

3. There is a further portion of wall required, marked 3 on the plan, the estimated cost of which is Rupees (773-12-7) seven hundred and seventy three, annas twelve, and pice seven, which it seems also desirable to build, that the grounds may be entirely enclosed, and which I consider very advisable and recommend for the favorable consideration of Government.

No. 75. ORDER THEREON, No. 1500; dated 3rd August 1857.

In Extract Minutes of Consultation of the 27th April last, No. 793, the Chief Engineer was requested to report on items Nos. 1 and 2 of the estimate submitted by the Commissioner of Police, for enclosing, with a Masonry wall, two portions of the compound of the premises of the Military Male Orphan Asylum. In the letter above recorded, Colonel Faber states that the items in question are correct, and the Government are pleased to sanction out of the one lac fund, the sum of Rupees (1,402) one thousand four hundred and two, required for carrying out the work.

2. In reference to the requisition made in the concluding para. of the Chief Engineer's letter for enclosing also the ground marked No. 3 on the plan, it is observed that the Government have already, in the Public* Department, decided that no measures need be taken in respect to that portion, as the Commissioner of Police has stated that it is in no way altered or changed by the construction of the new road. Colonel Faber seems to have lost sight of the order of Government in this respect, when recommending the above work for their consideration.

* Extract Minutes Consultation 7th April 1857, No. 408.

21st March 1857 No. 32.

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

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No 1150

Central Office of P. Works,

Fort St. George, 23d June 1857.

From,

The Chief Engineer.

To,

The Secretary to Government. P.W.D.

Sir,

Building Male Asylum compound Boundary wall.

I have the honor with reference to Extract from Cons. No. 793 dated 27th April 1857, to inform you, that the Civil Architect reports in a letter dated 12th Instant, that the items No.1 and 2 referred by Government for verification are correct, and I recommend that orders be given for its being immediately built, as the fact of the compound of the Male Asylum being without a boundary wall, along side of the public road, is particularly objectionable.

Enclosures 3 Viz: Mr Medlicott Plan and Estimate and Copy of Letter from the C. Archt No 354 dt 12/5/57.

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the favorable consideration of Government.

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

Central Office of P. W.
Fort Saint George,
23d June 1857.

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

Jas. H. Hunt Lambton
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above

№ 354. Civil Architect's Office.

From,

Lieutenant Colonel W. F. Atkinson

Civil Architect. P. D.

To,

The Chief Engineer. D. P. W.

Fort Saint George.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract Minutes of Consultation № 793 dated 27th April last, with your Resolution thereon № 83, dated 5th Ultimo, I have the honor to state, that on a reference to the Sketch and Estimate prepared by the Judgment Department, and received on the 4th Instant, that the items № 1 and 2. in that Estimate, which provide for the boundary wall, applied for on behalf of the Male Asylum, are correct.—

I have &c

Signed W. F. Atkinson,

Lieut Colt Civil Architect

P. D.

Fort Saint George

12th June 1857.

A True Copy

Alex Taylor Colonel.

Chief Engineer.

* Letter to be returned.

above

Cons. 28th May 1857 No 30.

Civil Architect's Office

Fort Saint George

12th June 1857

№ 1263

From,

The Chief Engineer.

To,

The Secretary to Government

P. W. D.

Dated 23rd June 1857.

Received 24th June 1857.

№ 1453

Enclosure 3-2 Etc.

S. O. № 1520. 2nd Regd.

States that the items 1 and 2 of the Proposed Compound wall to the Male Asylum grounds are correct and recommends that a further portion in № 3 for Completing its boundary should be sanctioned.

C 18 July 1857 No 23. 825 to 830 inc.

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P.W.

No. 1500

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 3d August 1857.

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Fort William 25th June 1857
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To the Hon. Major
of the 2nd April last No. 19
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the Commissioner of
Police, for enclosing,
a Masonry wall, five
portions of the compou
of the premises of the
Military Male Orphan
Asylum. See the letter
above

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Transcribe the letter from the Chief Engineer

Dated 25th June 1857
Received 27th June 1857
No. 1450

Copy of the letter from the Chief Engineer to the Secretary to Government

Dated Fort William the 25th June 1857

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith a sketch and Estimate for the Enclosement & Improvement of the Military Male Orphan Asylum, and I have to request that you will be pleased to lay the same before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council for the orders of Government thereon.

Plan & Estimate are correct.

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Sir R. Mc Mic Com on the Public Departs of the Govt first, the immediate execution of the works was contemplated, but the Govt observes that the new Loc fund should be reserved to meet more pressing demands, which may undertaken such circumstances be expected.

In reference to this requisition made in the concluding para of the Chief

Chief Engineers letter for enclosing also the ground marked No 3 on the plan, it is observed that the Govt have already in the Public Dept, decided that no measures need be taken in respect to that portion, as the Commissioner of Police has stated that it is in no way altered or changed by the construction of the new road. Colonel Faber seems ~~apparently~~ to have lost sight of the order of Govt in this respect, when recommending the above works for their consideration.

G.M.C. 25th March 57 No 400.

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C. No. 97 inst.

Observing that in reference to the Requisition made by the Ch. Engr for enclosing the ground marked No. 3 on the plan of the premises of the Military male Orphan Asylum, the Govt have already in the Public Dept decided, that no measures need be taken, in respect to that portion of the compound.

No 74 of 75.

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