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Fort St. George, Public Works Consultation of 2nd February 1858.

No. 16. Read the following letter from Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated 11th January 1858, No. 6595.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to forward for the consideration of Government, and with a view to its entry, if possible, in the outgoing Budget, an estimate amounting (after correction) to Rupees (38,800) thirty-eight thousand eight hundred, for the erection, at Secunderabad, of a School room, with School Master's quarter's, and out offices, for a Regiment of European Infantry.

1 Copy of letter No. $\frac{1148}{643}$.
1 Estimate.

2. The estimate is for a building of the design received with Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 1669, of the 2nd September 1857, and has been prepared by the Chief Engineer of Hyderabad with reference to the 2nd para. of these orders, agreeing with the opinion expressed by Lieutenant Colonel Henderson C. B., in the letter No. $\frac{1148}{643}$ of the 14th November 1857, of which a copy is herewith submitted, that it is desirable at once to commence the building of the School room, as a Regiment of Infantry will soon occupy the Barracks, I beg strongly to recommend sanction being given to the estimate, which has been examined and corrected in this office, and orders being issued for the immediate prosecution of the work on emergency.

Letter from Lieutenant Colonel R. HENDERSON, Chief Engineer, of Hyderabad; to Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer, dated Bolarum, 14th November 1857.

SIR,

With reference to Extract of Proceedings, No. 108 of 1857-58, dated 12th September 1857, I have the honor to forward for sanction a Plan and estimate amounting to Company's Rupees (38,800) thirty-eight thousand eight hundred, for constructing a School room, with School Masters quarters and out offices for a Regiment of European Infantry at Secunderabad prepared in accordance with the standard plan forwarded by the Government of India along with an Extract from Minutes of Consultation, No. 1669, dated 2nd September 1857.

2. As the Barracks and Family quarters will soon be occupied by a Regiment of European Infantry, I would beg to recommend for your approval, that the Government be solicited to authorize the work being commenced at once on emergency pending the sanction of the estimate.

No. 17. ORDER THEREON, No. 152; dated 28th January 1858.

The Government observe that in the Extract from Colonel Baker's report, dated 21st April which was communicated to the Chief Engineer with Extract Minutes of Consultation 23rd November 1857, No. 2156, it was stated that the cost of a School room and quarters for School staff, according to a standard fixed by the Government of India, would be 25,000 Rupees, while the estimate submitted by the Chief Engineer with the above letter, for a School room &c. on the same plan, to be attached to the European Infantry Barracks at Secunderabad amounts to Rupees 38,800, or nearly 14,000 Rupees in excess of the cost contemplated by the Government of India. Before taking this estimate into their consideration in the Military Department, the Government would wish to receive from the Chief Engineer an explanation of the circumstances under which so large an outlay as above pointed out has been applied for.

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

No 6595 Central Office of P.W.
Fort St George 1 January 1858.

From

The Chief Engineer

To

The Secretary to Government
P.W. Department

Sir.

Public

Military
Buildings.

Enclosures
Report of Estimate 1148/645

1. I have the honor to forward for the consideration of Government, and with a view to its entry if possible, in the outgoing Budget, an Estimate amounting /after correction/ to Rupees /38800/ thirty-eight thousand eight hundred, for the erection at Secunderabad, of a School Rooms, with School Masters' quarters and out Offices for a Regiment of European Infantry.

2. The Estimate is for a building of the design received with Extract Minutes of Consultation No 1669 of the 3d September 1857, and has been prepared by the Chief Engineer Hyderabad with reference to the 2d para of those orders, Agreeing with the opinion expressed by Lieutenant Colonel Henderson CB in the letter No 1148/645 of the 14th November 1857, of which a Copy is herewith submitted, that it is desirable at once to commence the Building of the School Room, as a Regiment of Infantry will soon occupy the Barracks. I beg strongly to recommend

Sanction

sanction being given to the Estimate,
which has been examined and corrected
in this Office, and orders being issued
for the immediate prosecution of the
work on Emergency.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most Obt Servant

Central Office of Ords
Tnt Ft George
11 January 1838

Lt Colonel

Asst Engineer

Genl Dept No 1148
Desp No 645.

Chief Engineer's Office
Bolarum 14th November 1857

From The Chief Engineer
of Hyderabad.

To The Chief Engineer
D.P.W.

Sir,

With reference to Extract
of Proceedings No 108 of 1857/58 dated
12th September 1857, I have the honor to
forward for sanction a Plan and
Estimate amounting to Canstapram
Rupees (38800 ~~44680~~) ~~Thirty Eight thousand~~
~~Four hundred and Eighty~~, for construct-
ing a School room, with School
Masters Quarters and Out-Offices
for a Regiment of European
Infantry at Secunderabad pre-
pared in accordance with the
Standard Plan forwarded by the
Government of India along with an
Extract from Minutes of Consulta-
tion No 1669 dated 2nd September 1857

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2. At the Barracks and Family Quarters will soon be occupied by a Regiment of European Infantry I would beg to recommend for their approval, that the Government be solicited to authorize the Work being Commenced at once on emergency Spending the sanction of the Estimate.

I have &c.

(Signed) Rob Henderson Lt Col
Chief Engr Hyderabad.

True Copy.

Chas. A. Bn Capt
Asst Engr Secd.

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Public Works Department

No 152.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

Under date the 28th January 1858.

Read the following letter

from the Chief Engineer

(Here under 11th January 1858 No 6595)

The Government

observe that in the Extract from

Colonel Baker's Report dated

21st April which was communicated to the Chief

Engineer with the Extract

Minutes of Consultation

30th November 1857 No 2156,

it was stated that the

cost of a School Room

and quarters for School

Staff,

1857 Despatch No

Acknowledges receipt of a letter

from the Chief Engineer

to the Secretary to Government

Pub. Department

Dated 23rd Dec. 1857.

Rec'd 3 January 1858.

No 6595

Copy of letter from the

Chief Engineer Ceylon dated

Kandy 23rd December 1857

Plan &c Estimate for

Construction of School Room

with Verandah Round

and Quarters for a Superior

Assistant and Subordinate

Masters at

Trincomalee.

Staff, according to a Standard
fixed by the Government
of India would be 25,000
Rupees-while the Estimate
submitted by the Chief
Engineer with the above
letter, for a School Room &c
on the same plan, to be
attached to the European
Invalid Barracks at
Secunderabad, amounts
to Rupees 38,800, or nearly
14,000 Rupees in excess of
the cost contemplated by
the Government of India.
Before taking this Estimate
into their consideration
in the Military Department
the Government would wish
to receive from the Chief Engineer
an

an explanation of the circum-
stances under which so
large an outlay as above
sanctioned out to have been applied for.

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2 Copies to the Chief Engr. Desp. 29.

Public Works 1858 Dept.
Dy. to Cons: 2d February.

No. 152.

Extract Mins: of Cons:
Dated 28th Jany 58.

From the Chief Engr & Secy Bmbay
1858 No. 63 Dated 9th
Extract from the Military Depat
dy 28th May 58 Rd 14 July
Requesting the Chief
Engineer to furnish an
explanation regarding the
erection of a School Room
&c at Secundrabad under
which the large an outlay as
14,000 Rs in excess of the Cost
contemplated by the Govt
of India was been applied
for.

Appl
Estimate sent to the
Govt of India
29 Sept 58
No. 16 & 17. Rs 2020

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