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Public Works DEPARTMENT.
31/3/60

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
for the month of March 1860.*

No. 153. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Department, dated 26th March 1860, No. 438:—

Reviewing the Report of the Monegar Choultry for 1859, and
calling on the Chief Engineer to explain the cause of the
delay in providing additional accommodation for the
inmates of the Idiot Asylum. } (Vide Public Proceedings from 21st to 31st
March 1860, Nos. 54 @ 56.)

No. 154. ORDER THEREON, 31st March 1860, No. 672.

Ordered to be communicated to the Chief Engineer who will report with reference to paragraph 4 of the Order in the Public Department above recorded the cause of the delay in proceeding with the work.

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Dy. Secretary to Government.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the Directors of the Monegar Choultry.

Submitting Report of the Monegar Choultry for } (Here enter 29th February 1860.)
the year 1859.

ORDER THEREON, 26th March 1860, No. 438.

1. The foregoing Report shows that the expenditure incurred on account of the Monegar Choultry and Native Infirmary during 1859 was but little in excess of that of the preceding year, there having been only a small increase in the number of paupers daily maintained.

2. With this Report is submitted an account of the expenses incurred for the Idiot Asylum during the year under review, amounting to Rupees 5,565-1-5; deducting therefrom the sums noted in the margin, the balance, viz., Rupees 1,522-2-6, will be disbursed to the Directors.

Advance by Government, Rupees...	4,000	0	0
Amount recovered from friends of Idiots for maintenance.....	42	14	11
	4,042	14	11

3. An advance of Rupees (4,000) four thousand will, as requested in paragraph 7, be made annually to the Directors towards meeting the expenses of the Idiot Asylum, to be accounted for in the yearly Statement to be submitted of that Institution.

4. From the report of the Acting Surgeon, 1st District, it appears that nothing has been done towards providing additional accommodation, so urgently required, for the inmates of the Idiot Asylum, although the work was ordered in September last to be at once commenced. The Chief Engineer will be called upon, through the Department of Public Works, to explain the cause of the delay.

5. The Government notice with regret the continued apathy evinced by the Native community generally towards the support of the indigent poor and helpless among their own countrymen, as evidenced by the trifling amount* of their contributions towards the maintenance of an Institution mainly established for such classes.

6. The Government fully participate in the sense entertained by the Directors of the valuable services rendered by Mr. T. G. Clarke, their Treasurer and Secretary, in promoting the interests of the charity.

7. Resolved that the Report, with the Treasurer's Account Current with the Monegar Choultry for the year 1859, be published in the Fort Saint George Gazette, and the thanks of Government be tendered to the Directors for the interest which they have taken during the past year in the management of the affairs of the Institution.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Directors of the Monegar Choultry.

- " Accountant General.
- " Civil Auditor.
- " Sub Treasurer.
- " Department Public Works.
- " Superintendent of the Government Press, with Report, &c.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

29 M^o Feb 1860 D^o 44:
President's Office
No. 793.

Proceedings of the
Executive Committee
Public Department

Plated 264 }
Revised 302 }
1860.

No. 438.

During the Report
of the Executive Committee
for 1859 and falling on the
24th day to explain the
cause of the delay in pro-
ceeding additional business
in connection for the minutes
of the Board of Trustees.

No. 692.

Ordered to the Com-
missioner to the Chief Clerk
who will report on the progress
to the Board of the order in the
Public Department that course
should be taken of the delay
in proceeding with the work.

W. W. W. W.

First of February
3100 Street 1860

10 Copies to the Chief Clerk
and one to the Board of Trustees

With an order

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