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## *Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 2nd May* 1862.

No. 58. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department, dated 25th April 1862, No. 1,491 :—

Approving of the estimate for improving the ventilation of the Bombproof portion of the European Infantry Barracks at Trichinopoly. } (Vide Military Proceedings, 25th April 1862, Nos. 498-499.)

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No. 59. ORDER THEREON, 2nd May 1862, No. 918.

Communicated to the Deputy Chief Engineer, Southern Circle, for information and guidance.

(Signed) W. H. HORSLEY, Lieut.-Colonel,
*Secretary to Government.*

## MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

### *PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.*

Read the following letter:—

*From the Deputy Chief Engineer Southern Circle, Chepauk, 12th April* 1862, *No.* 12,614; *to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.*

*Enclosures* 4.
1 *Letter from District Engineer, No.* 2057, *dated* 4*th April* 1862.
1 *Plan.*
1 *Specification and*
1 *Abstract Estimate, Rupees* 337.

I have the honor to submit, for the sanction of Government, a Plan and Estimate amounting to Rupees 337, for improving the ventilation of the Bombproof portion of the European Infantry Barracks at Trichinopoly.

This portion of the Barracks is 872 feet long; and provision is made in the Estimate for constructing 38 ridge Ventilators, one foot square each, which will give one Ventilator to about every 23 feet in length. The openings are to be covered with a granite slab $3 \times 1\frac{5}{4} \times \frac{1}{3}$, supported on two sides by masonry walls, 6 inches thick, and one foot high in the centre, resting on the arch, the other two sides being left open for ventilation, as shewn in the Plan.

**Letter No.* 2057, *dated* 4*th April* 1862.

It is reported* by the District Engineer that "the necessity for this work was observed by His Excellency the Governor on his late visit to Trichinopoly."

The accompanying Estimate† has been examined and corrected in this Office. The rates given in it are not more than absolutely necessary to carry out the work. As Captain Palmer stated that if immediate sanction were accorded, the work could be executed before the expiration of the current official year, from the general funds assigned to the District, I have authorised him to proceed with it at once in anticipation of the sanction of Government, which I trust will meet with their approval.

†*Rupees* 337.

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Referred for the consideration of the Military Department.

(Signed) W. H. HORSLEY, Lieut. Colonel,
*Secretary to Government P. W. D.*

16*th April* 1862.

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ORDER, No. 1491, 25*th April* 1862.

Approved.

(True Extract.)

*Deputy Secretary to Government.*

To the Public Works Department, with 4 enclosures.
„ Quarter Master General.

Exd. A. A. DeMonte.

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