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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public Works **DEPARTMENT.**

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
13th January 1864.*

No. 249. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department, dated 24th December 1863, No. 4,117.

Read the following papers:—

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

Submitting letter from the Collector of Madras forwarding a Statement showing the annual receipts for the last seven years on account of the grass rents of the Town Esplanades and the Fort Glacis, and requesting the Commissioner of Police to furnish a Statement of the same for the previous three years. (Here enter 25th August 1863, No. 5,317.)

From the Municipal Commissioners.

Submitting Plans and Estimates for enclosing the Town Esplanades, together with a letter from their Civil Engineer in which he states the Establishment that he considers necessary to maintain their conservancy. Do. 21st September 1863.)

From the Municipal Commissioners.

Stating that they have no objection to take entire charge of the Monument Esplanade for the benefit of the public when once laid out as proposed in their letter of 21st ultimo. Do. 13th October 1863.)

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

Requesting the Acting Collector of Madras to state the probable effect upon the grass rents of the improved arrangements for enclosing the Town Esplanades, and observing that an explanation in regard to the increase in the rent of 1862-63 was submitted to Government in Proceedings of 10th October 1863. Do. 13th October 1863, No. 6,572.)

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

Submitting letter from the Collector of Madras forwarding explanation with respect to the increase in the rent of 1862-63 over that of the previous year. Do. 10th October 1863.)

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

Submitting letter from the Collector of Madras regarding the two large Esplanades facing Pachiappah's Institution and Evening Bazaar. Do. 16th Nov. 1863, No. 7,284.)

ORDER.—1. The Governor in Council directs that measures be taken by the Municipal Commissioners for enclosing the Town Esplanades and Fort Glacis. Of the designs received from them he considers that which provides for having cast-iron standards and iron rails (No. 2) to be the most suitable. He accordingly resolves that the probable cost of enclosing the Esplanades and Glacis according to this design; of ploughing the soil where necessary and laying it down with grass; of building a Band Stand on the Monument Esplanade and adapting it as a place of recreation for the inhabitants of Black Town, be entered in the Public Works Budget for 1864-65, in view to the Municipal Commissioners being provided with the necessary funds.

	Rs.
Mr. Horgan's Estimate (No. 2) for iron standards and iron rails considered by the Municipal Commissioners too low	21,512
Ploughing, &c.	5,000
Band Stand, &c., for Monument Esplanade	26,512
Total	3,000
	29,512

2. The Monument Esplanade will be made over, after the above improvements are effected, to the Municipal Commissioners.

3. The conservancy of the other Esplanades and the Glacis, and the leasing out of the grass, &c., thereon will be entrusted to the Municipal Commissioners.

4. Paragraphs 8 and 9 of the letter from the Municipal Commissioners, dated 21st September last, will be communicated to the Commander-in-Chief, for such notice and the issue of such instructions for the future as His Excellency may consider necessary.

5. Resolved that the thanks of Government be conveyed to the Municipal Commissioners for the Plans and Estimates submitted by them, which will be returned through the Department of Public Works after entering the amount required in the Budget.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. MARSHALL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
13th January 1861.*

No. 250.

ORDER THEREON, 13th January 1861, No. 122.

1. Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.
2. The Estimate amounting to Rupees 20,512, prepared by the Civil Engineer to the Municipal Commissioners, will be entered in the Budget for 1861-65.

(True Extract)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

- To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.
- „ Municipal Commissioners, with nine enclosures.
 - „ Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.
 - „ Accountant General.

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Pro. of the M. Govt
 in the Military Depart.

Dated 24th
 Recd 28th } December 1863
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Of proving for entry in the Budget
 of 1864-65 Estimates for enclosing
 the same to be planned with plans
 including, ploughing, reaping, where
 necessary, laying it down with grass,
 building a wall and placed on the
 same must be planned and adapting
 it as a place of protection for the
 material and of 1864-65.

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2. The estimate submitted by the
 Comptroller General of the
 Treasury in the Budget for 1864/65

Communicate to the Comptroller General of the Treasury

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