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Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
10th November 1864.*

No. 179. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military
Department:—

Communicating Despatch from the Home Government, promising to forward 40 copies of a paper prepared by the Sanitary Committee at the War Office containing suggestions for improving the sanitary condition of Indian Stations, and plans of Barracks and Hospitals, &c., suitable for India. } (Here enter 2nd November 1864, No. 3,882.)

No. 180. ORDER THEREON, 10th November 1864, No. 3,219.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineers.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineers.

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MILITARY DEPARTMENT.
PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following papers:—

Extract from a Military Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, India Office, London, 23rd September 1864, No. 88.

Para. 2. With reference to my Despatch to the Government of India, No. 263, dated 23rd August 1864, copy of which is enclosed, 40 copies of a paper, prepared by the Sanitary Committee at the War Office, will be forwarded to you, together with Registration Forms and Registrar General's reports therein alluded to.

Military Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, India Office, London, 23rd August 1864, No. 263; to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council.

Para. 1. Consequent on the receipt of your Excellency's Military letter, No. 115, dated 5th April 1864, application was made to the Sanitary Committee at the War Office for the information which Mr. Strachey, the President of the Sanitary Commission for Bengal, in the letter he addressed to your Government, on the 24th March last, desired might be obtained.

2. In compliance with the request made, I have been furnished with a copy of a paper prepared by the Committee, containing suggestions for improving the Sanitary condition of Indian Stations, and Plans of Barracks and Hospitals, &c., suitable for India. It embraces the principles which the Committee consider essential in constructing Barracks and Hospitals, &c., in warm climates, the carrying out of drainage and water supply, &c., with plans to illustrate their views, together with forms of procedure which have been found useful at home, and a statement of the points which seem to them of essential importance for the new code of Sanitary Regulations.

3. Of this paper, 100 copies will be forwarded to your Government.

4. The 6th Section of the "suggestions" refers to the registration of deaths in India, and contains the heads of the principal Forms used in England for this purpose; but in order that the Sanitary Commissions in India may be made more fully aware of the statistical methods adopted, one complete set of the Registrar General's Forms will be forwarded to you, and with the view of showing how the reports are made up, one set of reports also will be sent.

5. A complete series of these papers will be transmitted to the Governments at Madras and Bombay.

6. These forms and reports, together with the account of the manner of registering contained in the paper of "suggestions," will enable your Government to register all deaths, as well as births and marriages, in the same uniform method as is adopted in this country.

Order, No. 3882, 2nd November 1864.

Para. 2. Communicated to the Commander-in-Chief (Adjutant General and Quarter Master General's Departments), Sanitary Commission, Principal Inspector General Medical Department and Public Works Department.

On receipt of the papers referred to, the necessary orders will be issued for their distribution.

(True Extract.)

Marchant
Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department. *With 10 spare copies*

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