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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
17th February 1864.*

No. 353. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public
Department:—

Stating that a sum of Rupees 5,000 will be granted to supplement the amount subscribed for the erection of a Civil Dispensary at Conjeveram, on being furnished with a plan of a suitable building, approved by the Principal Inspector General Medical Department, Collector of Madras and the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division. } (Here enter 11th February 1864, No. 153.)

No. 354. ORDER THEREON, 17th February 1864, No. 482.
Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from G. BANBURY, Esq., Acting Collector of Madras; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Saidapet, 1st February 1864, No. 10.

I have the honor to submit, for the favorable consideration of Government, an application from Dr. Shortt, Honorary Secretary to the Committee to the Conjeveram Dispensary, for a grant of 5000 Rupees, to supplement the amount subscribed for constructing a suitable building for this Institution.

2. The amount of donations and subscriptions from private parties amounts to Rupees 5155, the whole of which, with the exception of a small sum of Rupees 291, has already been realized. I have the honor, therefore, to recommend that the sanction of Government be obtained for the grant now applied for, towards enhancing the benefits to be conferred from this charitable undertaking.

From J. SHORTT, Esq., M. D., Zillah Surgeon, Chingleput, to G. BANBURY, Esq., Acting Collector of the Madras District, dated Chingleput, 28th January 1864.

I have the honor to bring to your notice, with the view of submission to Government, that the prizes offered by the "Committee of Management of the Civil Dispensary, Conjeveram," has failed to attract competitors for a plan and estimate of a new building, which it was the intention of the Committee to erect in a more central situation. Under these circumstances, the Committee have come to the decision to wait a little longer so as to be able to mature their plans ere they take further steps in this direction.

The total amount of donations and subscriptions up to 31st December 1863 was in money..... Rupees 4205 1 2
Value of lands..... 950 0 0
Total Rupees... 5155 1 2

Of this sum a small balance of 291 Rupees is still out-standing, and there is every hope of the greater part of this being realized soon.

2. The value of the lands have been restricted at present to those only which have been effectually secured by stamped bonds, &c. A small portion is still left unsettled which will account for the value now being less than in a Memorandum formerly submitted to Government.

3. Under these circumstances, I am directed by desire of the Committee of Management to apply through you for an order, with reference to the Proceedings of Government, dated 2nd July 1863, No. 768, sanctioning a moiety equivalent to the subscriptions and donations contributed by the inhabitants of Conjeveram, viz., 5000 Rupees be paid to the Agents Messrs. Binny & Co.

ORDER THEREON, 11th February 1864, No. 153.

It appears that donations and subscriptions, inclusive of the value of land presented, towards the erection of a Civil Dispensary at Conjeveram, amount to Rupees 5155, and that of this sum only Rupees 291 have yet to be paid up.

2. On being furnished with a plan of a suitable building, approved by the Officers indicated in the margin, the Governor in Council will be prepared to supplement the local contributions by

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a grant to the extent asked for, viz., Rupees 5000.
(True Extract.)

Banbury
Chief Secretary.

To the Collector of Madras.
" Principal Inspector General, Medical Department.
" Public Works Department.
Exd. J. T. Koch.

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