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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
3rd March 1864.*

No. 55. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Political Department:—

Forwarding copy of the Estimate prepared by the Executive Engineer for repairing the building known as the Puja Mahal in the small Fort of Tanjore, for use as the Government Agency Office, and requesting that orders may be issued for the early execution of the work. } (Here enter 24th February 1864, No. 56.)

No. 56. ORDER THEREON, 3rd March 1864, No. 634.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, with a request that in the event of funds being available from the allotments for repairs in the Tanjore or Trichinopoly Districts, the work may be carried out at once. A report should be submitted in due course of the source from which the amount of the Estimate, viz., Rupees 587, has been provided.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, with an Estimate.

„ Accountant General.
„ Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from W. M. CADELL, Esq., Government Agent, Tanjore; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Negapatam, 13th February 1864, No. 30.

I have the honor to report for the information of Government, that the building in the little Fort at Tanjore hitherto made use of as the Government Agency Office is found to be both small and inconvenient, and is besides so infested with White-ants that the preservation of the records is a matter of very great difficulty. It is proposed, therefore to transfer the Agency Office to another building known as the Puja Mahal on the edge of the Sivagangah tank, and which if repaired would afford every convenience and accommodation not only for the office and records, but also for the payment of pensioners. The building is however very much out of repair, and I am informed requires to be re-roofed, at present it is of no use whatever and is daily becoming more and more dilapidated, and as the building which it is proposed to give up can be advantageously made use of as a Range office for the 1st Range, I trust the Government will be pleased to sanction the transfer now recommended.

2. I beg to enclose copy of the Estimate required for the repair and putting in order of the Puja Mahal furnished by the Officiating Superintending Engineer, and which it will be observed exceeds Rupees 500. I am informed by the Officiating Superintending Engineer that the expense can be met from the Budget of the present official year, and under these circumstances I take leave to request the sanction of Government for carrying out the same.

ORDER THEREON, 24th February 1864, No. 56.

His Excellency the Governor in Council authorizes the transfer of the Agency Office to the building known as the Puja Mahal in the small Fort of Tanjore, as proposed by Mr. Cadell; and directs that the copy of the Estimate prepared by the Executive Engineer for repairing the building in question be forwarded to the Public Works Department in view to orders being issued for the early execution of the work.

(True Extract.)

W. M. Cadell
By Chief Secretary.

To the Government Agent at Tanjore.
Public Works Department, with Estimate.

Ed. T. O'Connor.

