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Design for competition, 31

Presidency College

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The Madras Government are prepared to receive designs for a new Presidency College and for a Senate House, to be built at Chepauk, Madras.

A Schedule of measurements, furnished by the Director of Public Works, and approved of by the Government, together with a plan of the proposed site can be had on application at the Office of the Secretary to Government, Department of Public Works.

The rates on which the work is to be calculated will also be furnished at that Office. The gross estimate is not to exceed Rs. 2,50,000 for the College and Rs. 1,50,000 for the Senate House.

The Buildings will be erected on contiguous sites and both should therefore be planned in the same style of Architecture, ~~and the~~

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managements of the building, as may be
but adapted to the site.

There must be ample pro-
vision for proper ventilation, and
the wall must be protected, as far as
possible, from the direct rays of the
sun.

The designs are unrestricted firstly
as to the style, provided it is suited to
the climate and to the use to which
the buildings are to be devoted, and
secondly as to materials, provided they
are procurable in Malacca at prices
which will admit of their being used
in the buildings so designed.

The designs must include.

- 1st Ground plan and plan of each story.
 - 2nd Elevation of each of the four faces, if
not alike.
 - 3rd Transverse sections.
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The plans and elevations to be on a
scale of 8 feet to an inch. A specifica-
tion in sufficient detail, to accom-
pany each plan, to enable the judges
to decide whether the plans can be car-
ried out within the sum allowed.

A prize of Rs. 5000 will be
awarded for the best design, provided
it fairly fulfils the above con-
ditions.

If the best designs, in an artistic
point of view, fail to fulfil any of the
above essential conditions, the judges
will be empowered to reduce, or withhold
the prize; and no prize will be awarded
to a design, merely because it fulfils
the conditions, if otherwise conspicuously
deficient in artistic merit.

The drawings and Estimates &c.
should be sent in on or before the 1st
of

Nov 1865

of January 1865 in the usual manner, with mottoes and envelopes containing the name and address of the Artist, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, by whom the envelopes will be opened after the prizes have been adjudged.

It will be optional to Government to avail themselves of the services of the Author in altering or executing the design selected, and that design will remain the absolute property of Government.

The design will be selected and the prizes awarded by a Committee consisting of five members.

The Secretary to Govt. P. W. Department

The Director of Public Instruction

The Chief Engineer Indian Railway Company

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Unsuccessful

Unsuccessful designs will be returned to the Authors if claimed by them, or by their authorized Agents, within one month from the period of adjudication.

April/64.

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Letter to Mr. A. H. C. 1872

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P. Peering,
Registrar

Registrar's Office,
26th March 1866.

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Date 30th
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