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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 26th September 1866.

Read the following papers :—

No. 643. Endorsement of the Officiating Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, dated Madura, 4th September 1866, No. 852.

From the Collector of Tinnevelly, to the Officiating Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, Madura, dated Tinnevelly, 28th August 1866, No. 178.

I have the honor to forward a plan and estimate for a Police Guard-room at the Hoozoor Cutcherry, this Guard-room is much required, as the Police now live in the verandahs, there being no other accommodation for them. I shall feel much obliged by your forwarding this estimate for sanction.

1 Abstract Estimate.
1 Plan.

Recommended for the sanction of Government. Funds are available under the Budget allotment for Minor New Works, Civil Buildings, Rupees 750, from which a sum of Rupees 658 remains unappropriated.

(Signed) H. L. PRENDERGAST, Captain, R. E.,
Officiating Superintending Engineer, 8th Division.

Referred to the Judicial Department.

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

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
11th September 1866.

No. 644. Memorandum from the Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department.

(Here enter No. 298, dated 17th September 1866.)

No. 645. ORDER THEREON, 26th September 1866, No. 3,085.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 117.

The estimate amounting to Rs. 260 for the construction of a Police Guard-room at the Hoozoor Cutcherry in the Tinnevelly District is sanctioned for immediate execution from the allotment for Minor New Works under "Civil Buildings," as proposed by the Superintending Engineer of the 8th Division.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division.
" Accountant General.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" Judicial Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Abstract Estimate No. of 1866/67

District Tinnevelly Taluq Tinnevelly

Work—Constructing a guard room against the Compound wall at the back of the Collectorates Printing Office.

Original cost	Valuation	Last repair: year	Last repair: amount

Quantity	Description of work	Rate	Amount	Amount of Land Tax
1	2	3	4	5
25-7/16	Brick in Chm —— per Cyd	4 " "	102 4 0	
403	Roofing with Palmyra Rafters beam-			
	boo battu pantiles &c per 100 Sft	3 17 8 "	70 8 4	
695	Plastering —— per Do	2 " "	13 13 4	
695	Do white washing —— Do ——	" 3 "	1 4 10	
174	Flooring with square bricks			
	per 100 Sft	5 " "	8 11 2	
	Doors with frames &c complete each	21 " "	42 " "	
	Sundries ——		21 5 4	
	Amount of Estimate Rupees ——			260-0-0

Palamcotta
22d August 1866

J. Ramasawmy Assn Overseer
Tinnevelly Taluq

A. Mackenzie
Asst Engr
Incharge of Buildings

R. K. Puckle
Collector.

Chas Wrenday Capt R.E.
Offg Superintending Engr Circle

Examd

I do hereby Certify that the above Estimate for constructing a Guard Room against the Compound wall at the back of the Collectorate Premises office Accountary &c. &c. &c. provides for every thing necessary and that no supplementary works will afterwards be required

J. Ramasamy Acting Overseer

Tinnevelly Taluq

Tinnevelly 28th August 1866

No. 178

From

R. K. Puckle Esquire

Collector

To,

Captain H. S. Trendergast R.E.

Offg Superintending Engineer S. D.

Madura

Sir,

I have the honor to forward a plan and estimate for a police Guard room at the Huzur Cutcherry. This Guard room is much required, as the Police now live in the verandahs there being no other accommodation for them. I shall feel obliged by your forwarding this estimate for Sanction

I have &c.

(Signed) R. K. Puckle

Collector

True Copy

No. 852

Recommended for the Sanction of Government. Funds are available, under the Budget allotment for Minor Navl works, Civil Buildings Rupees 450

from

Encls. 2

1 Abstract Estimate

1 Plan

Enclosed No 1 is a letter from the Offg Superintending Engineer Southern Division No. 852 dated 5th September 1866 forwarding Estimate for Rupees 450 for the construction of a Police Guard room at the Huzur Cutcherry Tinnevelly

Rec. 7th Sept. 1866

Rec. 1st of 1866/67.

308.55

Tinnevelly Taluq

Cautioning a Guard room against the Compound wall at the back of the Collectorate Premises for Rs 260.

Ans. No 209 of 66/67

Judicial Department.

No. 298

MEMORANDUM.

The Secretary to Govt. has the honor to return the letter noted in the margin, together with the Plan and Estimate which accompanied it for the construction of a Police Guard Room at the Egmore Cutcherry in the Simmaty District and to inform Colonel Orr that he sees no objection to the execution of the work.

Secretary to Government

Fort St. George,
17th September 1866.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department

from Collector of Simmaty
dated 28th August 1866

Judicial Department

Read the letter noted in the margin, with the Plan and Estimate which accompanied it.

Referred to the Secretary to Government

Fort St. George
17th Sept. 1866

Public Works Department.

No 3085

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT

Under date the 26th September 1866

Read the following

From The Dy Supt Engr of the 8th Dn (W E. - No. 852 dy 8 Septr 1866.)

To The Secy to Government in the Judicial Department

(Here enter No. 298 dated 17 September 1866.)

The Estimate amounting to Rs. 260 for the construction of a Police Guard room at the Boozoor Cutcherry in the Tinnevelly Distt is sanctioned for immediate execution from the allotment for Minor New Works under "Civil Buildings", as proposed by the Supt Engr of the 8th Dn

Sd/ Wm Ogilvie
Actg Secy
Sd/ Lee Pfb
Asst Secy

Madras 27th Septr

Pro. of Govt for September
No 3855

Estimate
From
The Secy to Govt
the Judicial Dept
To The Secy to Govt W.P.

Dy 17 Septr 66
Recd 20 Septr 66

No 298
Encl 3.

Certifying that the accompanying Estimate for the construction of a Police Guard Room at the Boozoor Cutcherry in the Tinnevelly Distt

No 874

Recd 19th Septr 66 No. 2 [illegible]

No 3085-26 Septr

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Public Works Department.

No 3085

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT

Under date the 26th September 1866

Read the following

From The Dy Supt Engr of the 8th Division (W.E. - No. 852 dy 8 Septr 1866.)

To the Secy to Government in the Judicial Depart.

(Here enter No. 298 dated 17 September 1866.)

The Estimate amount-
-ing to Rs. 260 for the
construction of a Police
Guard room at the Boozoor
Cutcherry in the Tinnevelly
Dist to be sanctioned for
immediate execution
from the allotment for
"Minor - New Works under
"Civil Buildings", as pro-
posed by the Supt Engr
of the 8th Divn

Dy Engr 8th Divn
Asst Genl
Contr Mr
Supt Engr

Dept 27 Sept

Chief Engr for September
No 3855

Memo
From
The Secy to Govt
Judicial Dept
To the Secy to Govt
Dated 7 Septr 1866
Rec'd 7 Septr 1866
No 298
Encd.

Intimating that
he sees no objection to the
construction of the Police
Guard Room at the Boozoor
Cutcherry in the
Tinnevelly Dist

No 3855-26 Septr

Copied 19th Septr 1866 D.R.-2 Clerks

Public Works Department.

No 3085

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT

Under date the 26th September 1866

Read the following

From The Ds Supg Engr of the 8th Dn (No. 852 dy 5 Septr 66.)

Memo From the Secy to Government in the Judicial Deptt (Here enter No. 298 dated 17 September 1866.)

The Estimate amounting to Rs 260 for the construction of a Police Guard room at the Hoozoor Cutcherry in the Tinnevelly District is sanctioned for immediate execution from the allotment for Minor New Works under "Civil Buildings", as proposed by the Supg Engr of the 8th Dn

Accd Genl
Audr Genl
Supl Engr 8th Dn

Dept 27th Sept

Pro. of Govt for September
No 3855

Memo

From the Secy to Govt in the Judicial Deptt
To the Secy to Govt

Dy 17 Sept 66
Recd 18 Sept
No 298

Ans.

Intimating that he sees no objection to the construction of a Police Guard Room at the Hoozur Cutcherry in the Tinnevelly Distt

No 674

Recd 19th Sept 66 02-20

No 3085-26th Sept

P. W. 1866. Department.

Pros: of Court for Septr

No. 3085

PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT. of Madras

Dated 26 Septr 66

An estimate of Rs 260
for the construction of Police Guard
room at the Horse & Cattle Pound in
the Triplicane Beat Annexed.

No 643 @ Rs 4.5

e. 19th Septr 66 Rs 2.8

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 26th September 1866.

No. 646. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Educational Department:—

Sanctioning, conditionally, a building grant of Rupees 4,000 on account of the School-house erected for the Hindoo Anglo-Vernacular School at Vizagapatam. } (Here enter 18th September 1866, No. 262.)

No. 647. ORDER THEREON, 26th September 1866, No. 3,086.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 118.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer of the 1st Division.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Educational Department, 18th September 1866.

No. 31. Read the following letter from the Director of Public Instruction, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Bangalore, 5th September 1866, No. 1864.

In submitting the letters marginally noted for the consideration of Government, I have the honor to recommend that sanction be given to the issue of a building grant of Rupees 4000 on account of the school-house erected for the Hindoo Anglo-Vernacular School at Vizagapatam, subject to the Committee of Management undertaking to comply with the grant-in-aid rules.

From the Inspector, 1st Division, dated 15th March 1866, No. 54.
To the Vice-Pesident Anglo Vernacular School, Vizagapatam, dated 22nd March 1866.
From the Inspector, dated 28th August 1866, No. 164.

2. It is true the grant now sought ought to have been applied for, prior to the commencement of the building. I am also inclined to doubt whether some of the items of the estimate should, strictly speaking, be allowed to stand. Still, looking at all the circumstances of the case, and, among the rest, the obliging manner in which the Committee of Management permitted the Government Normal School to utilize their own institution, I trust Government will be pleased to comply with my recommendation.

From H. BOWERS, Esq., Inspector of Schools, 1st Division, to the Director of Public Instruction; dated Waltair, 15th March 1866, No. 54.

I have the honor to forward an application from Mr. G. N. Gujputee Rau, Vice-President of the Committee of the Anglo-Vernacular School at Vizagapatam, for a grant of Rupees 4079-15-2 in aid of the erection of a School-house.

2. The new School is a well constructed, commodious, and handsome building. Besides accommodating upwards of 200 scholars, it has also, for some time past, given accommodation to the Government Normal School. I consider that it is well worth the money that has been laid out on it. Had not the late Secretary, Venkataswami Nayudu, who was Deputy Collector here, personally superintended the work, it would have cost much more. The cost of the Government Normal School now building will be over Rupees 11,000; yet it will not be more commodious, not so handsome, nor so well situated as the Hindoo Anglo-Vernacular School.

3. I have much pleasure in recommending that the grant applied for be issued.

From the Vice-President of the Hindoo Anglo-Vernacular School, Vizagapatam, to the Inspector of Schools, Vizagapatam; dated Vizagapatam, 14th March 1866.

I have the honor to submit a statement showing the amount estimated, and that actually expended, in building the Hindoo Anglo-Vernacular School at this place.

2. The estimate made and submitted to you by the late Secretary of the School, along with the plan, was for Rupees 6000, but owing to the enhanced prices of materials, and a few additions which were made to the building in question, an excess of Rupees 2159-14-5 above the estimate was the result, making a total of Rupees 8159-14-5 *bona fide* expended.

3. I would beg to observe that, although the Hindoo School has cost apparently a large sum, the building, as you are aware, owing to the economical manner in which the money was expended, and owing to the great exertions of the late lamented Secretary, is really worth a great deal more than what was laid out on its construction.

4. As the building is now completed, and the School removed into it, I beg you will be pleased, under the above mentioned circumstances, to obtain sanction for the payment of Rupees 4079-15-2, being the moiety of the amount laid out on the building adverted to.

STATEMENT showing the amount estimated, and that actually expended, in building the Hindoo Anglo-Vernacular School at Vizagapatam.

Number.	Items.	Total amount of the estimate of each work.			Actual amount expended on each work.			Increase.			Decrease.			Remarks.
	Masonry.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
1	Foundations of side and cross walls ..	368	9	4	368	9	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2	Basement...	262	6	9	262	6	9	...	...	..	...	...	...	
3	Walls above...	665	12	9	665	12	9	...	...	..	...	...	...	
4	Flat and Circular arches	167	14	0	167	14	0	...	...	..	...	...	...	
5	Cornice work...	41	15	5	41	15	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	
6	Round pillars...	81	0	0	178	10	0	97	10	0	...	...	...	
7	Terrace...	385	11	0	398	3	0	12	8	0	...	...	...	
8	Bengal Terrace...	422	1	7	422	1	7	...	...	..	...	...	...	
9	Plastering to walls...	405	0	0	405	0	0	...	...	..	...	...	...	
10	Flooring...	209	0	0	209	0	0	...	...	..	...	...	...	
11	Steps of flags...	3	5	10	37	8	0	31	2	2	...	...	...	
	Earth Work.													
12	Filling in Basement...	31	4	0	31	4	0	...	...	..	...	...	...	
	Timber Work.													
13	Beams, &c	1,251	12	0	2,275	15	0	1,024	3	0	...	...	...	
14	Doors and door-frames...	576	0	0	750	9	4	174	9	4	...	...	...	
15	Venetianed Windows and Ventilators	336	0	0	403	0	6	67	0	6	...	...	...	
16	Water tubes...	0	10	0	7	2	1	6	8	1	...	...	...	
17	Varnishing, Doors, Windows, Beams, &c...													
18	Nails for Joists...	82	4	0	85	0	0	2	12	0	...	...	...	
19	Sundries...	30	0	0	40	0	0	10	0	0	...	...	...	
20	Parapet wall before the School... ...	676	5	4	704	12	6	28	7	2	...	...	...	
21	Honey Comb parapet walls...	...	...	...	292	2	2	292	2	2	...	...	...	
22	Making up road from the gate to the School Verandah...	...	...	..	243	0	0	243	0	0	...	...	...	
23	Shed for Bandies, &c...	...	...	..	96	0	0	96	0	0	...	...	...	
24	Do. for Water, &c...	...	...	...	55	0	0	55	0	0	...	...	...	
		...	...	..	16	0	0	16	0	0	...	...	...	
	Total...	6,000	0	0	8,159	14	5	2,159	14	5	...	...	...	

VIZAGAPATAM,
14*th March* 1866.

(Signed) G. N. GUJPUTEE ROU,
Vice-President.

From the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, to the Vice-President of the Hindoo Anglo-Vernacular School, Vizagapatam; dated 22nd March 1866, No. 574.

Referring to your letter of the 14th instant, to Mr. Bowers, in which you apply for a building grant of Rupees 4079-15-2, on account of your new School-house, I have the honor to inquire whether you obtained the promise of a grant from Government before commencing the building. I cannot find any trace of such a promise in the records of my office; and it is to be observed that it is altogether incorrect for the Managers of a School to erect a School-house, relying upon the issue of a grant at a future time.

2. I have further to remark that, while you put down the cost of the building at Rupees 8159-14-5, the late Secretary to the School, in his letter to Government of the 30th September 1864, gave the cost of the School-house, which appears then to have been finished, at Rupees 7000 and odd. I shall be obliged by your affording an explanation on this point. I also request you will state the precise time when the School-house was finished and taken into occupation, and mention the reason why a grant was not applied for at an earlier date.

3. The items 20 and 21 in your statement of expenditure seem scarcely to pertain to the erection of the School-house; and items 22, 23, and 24 appear still less entitled to a place in the statement.

4. I request that you will be good enough to forward your reply through the Inspector of the Division.

From the Inspector of Schools, 1st Division, to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras; dated Waltair, 28th August 1866, No. 164.

I have the honor to forward a letter from the Managers of the Hindoo School at Vizagapatam, replying to your No. 574, of the 22nd March last.

2. There does not appear to be any written record of a promise that the Managers should receive half the sum laid out in the erection of a School-house; but there is no doubt that they were encouraged to expect this grant by the former Inspector of the Division. I do not, therefore, suppose that the absence of a written promise will prove a bar to the issue of the grant.

3. In my letter, No. 54, of 15th March, I have expressed my opinion regarding the nature of the building and its value, which it is not necessary to repeat. But for the personal exertions of the late Deputy Collector, I believe the cost of erection would have been greater.

4. The Committee have agreed to deduct the expense of erecting the wafer-shed and the shed for bandies; but I am quite of opinion with them that the cost of making the road from the main street up to the school, of the parapet wall surrounding the raised ground in front of the School, as well as of the wall surrounding the terraced roof of the building itself, are all items fairly entitled to a place in the account; and I accordingly recommend that they be allowed. The site on which the School-house has been built is a plot of high ground considerably above the level of the street which runs in front; and the managers say correctly that the building would have been inaccessible if a road had not been made up to it.

From the Vice-President of the Hindoo Anglo-Vernacular School, Vizagapatam, to the Inspector of Schools, Vizagapatam; dated Vizagapatam, 25th August 1866, No. 2.

In forwarding, herewith, copy of a letter* from E. B. Powell, Esq., Director of Public Instruction, I have the honor to submit, with reference to it, that the Hindoo Anglo-Vernacular School was erected, as I understand, with the knowledge of Major Macdonald, late Inspector of Schools.

* 22nd March 1866, No. 574.

2. The late Secretary in putting† down the cost of the School-house in question at Rs. 7000, did so, I beg to observe, from insufficient data. The amount actually expended being Rupees 8159-14-5, as stated in my letter, No. 1 of 1866.

† Letter to Government, 30th September 1864.

3. As to the reason why a grant was not applied for at an earlier date by the late Secretary, the circumstance, I beg to state, was owing chiefly to his numerous official duties, &c.

4. As the Director has taken exception to certain items in the "Statement of Expenditure," I beg to observe that items 23 and 24, although very much needed, more especially the item 24, for the convenience of Teachers and Pupils, may be omitted, if the Director thinks proper to do so. But items 20 and 22 are absolutely necessary; without them, from the character of the ground, the school would be inaccessible, and would present an unfinished appearance. Unless the high ground in the front of the school had been fenced round by a wall, supported by a strong basement, there would be danger to the pupils. Item 21 is the parapet wall which runs along the ledge of the terrace which is also very necessary.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Educational Department,
18th September 1866.

No. 32. ORDER THEREON, 18th September 1866, No. 262.

The Governor in Council sanctions, as recommended, a building grant of Rupees (4000) four thousand on account of the School-house erected for the Hindoo Anglo-Vernacular School at Vizagapatam, subject to the condition that the Committee of Management comply with the Grant-in-aid rules.

(True Extract).

Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction, with enclosures returned.
" Accountant General.
" Public Works Department.

Fwd. Copy of Letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam, dated 26th ultimo, No. 1866.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

P.C. 1866 Dept.t
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No 3923

Pro: In Govt Educational
Department
No 262

Dated 18th } Septr 1866
Recd 22nd }

Enclos

Sanctioning conditionally, a building grant of Rs 1,000 on account of the School-house erected for the Hindoo Anglo-Vernacular School at Vizagapatam

with an order

A.C.H.C. Hy.

C.P.O. 3086 - 26th Septr/66