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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 4*th October* 1866.

No. 85. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Ecclesiastical Department:—

Passing orders on certain correspondence on the subject of the Church proposed to be erected at Tellicherry in the Malabar District. } (Here enter 24th September 1866, No. 193.)

No. 86. ORDER THEREON, 4th October 1866, No. 3,150.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 24.

No. 50, 7th January 1864.
,, 452, 13th February ,,
,, 1,868, 4th July 1865, paragraph 29.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer of the 7th Division, who is authorized to remove the orders noted in the margin from his List of Unanswered References.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, with two Enclosures.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Ecclesiastical Department, 21*th September* 1866.

Read the following papers :—

No. 28. From the Right Reverend the Bishop of Madras, to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, Fort Saint George ; dated Ootacamund, 31st July 1866.

In the year 1860, a bequest of Rupees 4000 was made by a Mr. Brennen, to the Government of Madras, for the purpose of building a Church at Tellicherry.

2. I have the honor to inform your Lordship in Council that a plan has now been prepared for a Church. This and the estimate of it, amounting to Rupees 6000, are herewith enclosed.

3. Local contributions have been raised, amounting to Rupees 1250, and the Reverend Mr. Deane, the Chaplain of Cannanore, calculating that Government will allow interest on the Rupees 4000, at the rate of 5 per cent., for six years, points out that, with this whole amount, the Church will be finished according to the estimate, and that a small surplus will remain for meeting contingencies, and for supplying certain articles of furniture, which are not mentioned in the estimate, but which will render the Church more complete.

4. I have the honor, therefore, to request that, if your Lordship in Council approves of the plan, the money which the Government holds in trust for the building of the Church, with the interest thereon, may now be made available for that purpose.

Referred to the Accountant General, for report.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
20*th August* 1866.

No. 29. From the Accountant General, Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George ; dated Fort Saint George, 24th August 1866, No. 176.

Adverting to the Order of Government, dated 20th instant, referring, for my report, a letter, without number, bearing date 31st July 1866, from the Bishop of Madras, on the subject of the Rupees 4000 left by the late Mr. Brennen, for the purpose of building a Protestant Chapel at Tellicherry, I have the honor to state that the abovementioned sum was paid into the General Treasury by the Executor of Mr. Brennen in August 1861, and was transferred to the credit of the Public Works Department, as brought on its books, in January 1862, by transfer entry to debit of "Deposits," under which head it was credited in the Civil books, and credit of contributions for "Ecclesiastical buildings." This sum was not invested ; no interest, therefore, has accrued on it.

2. The sum of 4000 left by the same testator on account of the endowment for the Church was invested in 5½ per cent. Promissory Notes in August 1861, and upon which there are arrears of interest now available to the amount of Rupees 1231-7-1, as per enclosed Account Current with the Fund. As it will probably take some time yet before the church is built, I beg to suggest that the interest above stated may be at once invested.

MEMORANDUM of receipts and disbursements on account of the Endowment of the late Mr. Brennen for a Protestant Chapel at Tellicherry.

	Receipts.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	*Disbursements.*	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
2nd Aug. 1861.	By amount received by the Sub-Treasurer from F. C. Brown, Esquire, Executor to the Estate of the late Mr. Brennen, in part payment of Rupees 8000, as per G. O., No. 332, dated 11th March 1861, Public Department...	7,500	0	0				To amount paid for the purchase of 2 Government Promissory Notes of the 5½ per cent. Loan of 31st May 1859...	4,000	0	0			
27th Aug. 1861.	,, do. in full, with interest at 5 per cent. on Rs. 8000, as per G. O., No. 1292, dated 7th September 1861, Public Department.....	835	1	2				Premium on do. at 2¾ per cent....	110	0	0			
								Interest from 31st May to 27th August 1861, the date of the purchase of the above Notes, being 2 months and 27 days, at 5½ per cent., less income tax, at 4 per cent.	51	1	8			
								Bank's Commission, at ¼ per cent...	10	6	5			
					8,335	1	2					4,171	8	1
	,, amount of interest realized on two Government Promissory Notes, of the 5½ per cent. loan of 31st May 1159, amounting to Rupees 4000, for four half-years ending 31st May 1863...	440	0	0				,, amount paid on account of renewal fee of the above 2 Promissory Notes...				2	0	0
	Deduct income tax at 3 and 1 per cent..	17	4	0				,, amount transferred to the Public Works Department, for construction of a Protestant Chapel at Tellicherry.... ...				4,000	0	0
												8,173	8	1
								Balance in favor of the Fund...				1,231	7	1
					422	12	0							
	By amount of interest realized on the above Notes for four half-years ending 31st May 1865... ...	440	0	0										
	Deduct income tax, at 3 per cent... ...	12	14	0										
					427	2	0							
	,, amount of do on do. for two half-years ending 31st May 1866...				220	0	0							
	Total...				9,404	15	2	Total...				9,404	15	2

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
24th August 1866.

(Signed) F. LUSHINGTON,
Accountant General.

No. 30. No. 3.

MEMORANDUM.

In returning the papers which accompanied the Memorandum, No. 278, dated the 30th August 1866, from the Secretary to Government in the Ecclesiastical Department, the undersigned has the honor to state that the Superintending Engineer of the 7th Division reports, in his return of Unanswered References for the half-year ending 30th June 1866, that the plan and estimate for a Church at Tellicherry, which were called for in G. O., No. 22, dated the 3rd February 1864, were in the hands of the Ecclesiastical Authorities, for submission to Government.

2. The plan submitted by His Lordship the Bishop is probably the one to which Colonel Walker refers.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
3rd September 1866.

(Signed) C. A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government, D. P. W.

To the Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George.

No. 31. ORDER THEREON, 24th September 1866, No. 193.

The Government are willing to allow interest on the bequest, at 5 per cent., from the date on which it came into their possession.

2. The Right Reverend the Bishop is requested to instruct the Reverend Mr. Deane to realize, and pay into the Collector's Treasury, the subscriptions which he has been good enough to raise towards the construction of the Church.

3. The Government approve of the design.

4. The Collector will report in regard to a site for the Church, with reference to previous correspondence on the subject.

(True Extract).

J Brandt
Ag Under Secretary to Government.

To the Right Reverend the Bishop.
,, Accountant General.
,, Collector of Malabar.
,, Public Works Department, with Plan and Estimate.

Ed. J. H. Burns

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