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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
19th June 1867.*

No. 430. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Educational Department:—

Sanctioning estimates of Rupees 3,400 for the supply of furniture and fittings for the Medical College, and requesting the Public Works Department to provide seats for the theatre and to make arrangements for completing the fittings during the College vacation.

(Here enter 12th June 1867, No. 192.)

No. 431. ORDER THEREON, 19th June 1867, No. 1,839.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 27.

1. Communicated to the Acting Superintending Engineer of the 4th Division for information and guidance.

2. Colonel Bean's attention will be specially called to the orders in paragraph 3.

(True Extract.)

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

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Educational Department,
12th June 1867.

No. 28. Read the following letter from Colonel W. K. WORSTER, Barrack Master, Presidency, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Fort Saint George, 27th May 1867, No. 552.

With reference to the Order of Government, Educational Department, No. 330, dated 7th November 1866, I have the honor to forward the accompanying letter from the Director of Public Instruction, on the supply of furniture and fittings, as per margin, to the Medical College.

ENCLOSURES.

1 Plan
2 Letters with vouchers,
1 Letter.

Furniture to be supplied by this Department, Rupees 2208-1-0
Fixtures by the Public Works Department, Rupees 1400.

2. The seats for the theatre, being fixtures, will be provided by the Public Works Department.

From the Director of Public Instruction, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Madras, 23rd May 1867, No. 1049.

In connection with Order of Government, No. 330, of the 7th November 1866, I have the honor to forward two letters, with enclosures, from the Presidency Barrack Master, Nos. 1662 and 504, of the 21st December 1866 and the 21st May 1867, respectively.

2 From the estimate enclosed in Colonel Worster's first letter, it will be seen that the cost of the furniture for the Medical College, omitting the screen and the seats for the new theatre, is given at Rupees 2208-1-0. The charge for the punkahs and book-almirahs is heavy; but, as these articles are absolutely requisite, the expenditure cannot be avoided: moreover, while the almirahs are upon the plan proposed by the Principal of the College, the cost of the almirahs by Dr. Smith has been excluded. The only items of cost which appear capable of reduction are the leather chairs proposed for the Professors and for the Library; in lieu of these, neat and substantial teak-wood armchairs will, in my opinion, amply suffice. With the exception of the chairs just spoken of, I request that Government will be pleased to sanction the estimate.

3 Colonel Worster's second letter refers to the benching of the new theatre, the cost of which is estimated at Rupees 1400. The nature of the benching to be adopted has undergone much discussion; and it was after the fullest consideration that the Principal and myself came to the conclusion that the arrangements now proposed are the most appropriate. I request that sanction may be given to the plan and estimate.

4. Taking both estimates, the total expenditure to be incurred will exceed Rupees 3400, while only Rupees 3000 has been provided for furniture in the Medical College budget; the excess will have to be met from savings upon the budget provision for education generally. The proceeds of the sale of the old benching will diminish to some small extent the charge for the new furniture.

5. The months of July, August, and September will be vacation time at the College. As this period will afford a good opportunity for fitting up the building, I beg that orders may be passed to have the fittings completed during the vacation.

From Colonel W. K. WORSTER, Barrack Master, Presidency, to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, dated Fort Saint George, 21st December 1866, No. 1662.

With reference to the Order of Government, Educational Department, No. 330, dated 7th November 1866, I have the honor to forward

ENCLOSURES
1 Estimate
1 Memo of furniture.
3 Sketches.

an approximate estimate for furniture required for the Medical College, amounting to Rupees 2208-1-0, with the exception of the screen and

seats for the new theatre, the former remaining in abeyance for the present, by desire of the Principal, and the latter being in the hands of the Executive Engineer.

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2. The general design of the furniture has been sketched and explained by Dr. G. Smith, but the ornamentation has been excluded in framing the estimate. Should such, however, be desired, I request that drawings may be furnished in detail, on sanction being accorded to the work, and ample time allowed for its execution, as the wood, especially for the large book-cases, must be perfectly seasoned.

From Colonel W. K. WORSTER, Barrack Master, Presidency, to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras; dated Fort Saint George, 21st May 1867, No. 504.

With reference to your letter, No. 766, dated 13th April 1867, I have the honor to forward the accompanying plan and estimate, amounting to Rupees 1400-0-0, for benching the Medical College theatre, for your approval.

ENCLOSURES TWO.
1 Plan.
1 Estimate.

No. 29. ORDER THEREON, 12th June 1867, No. 192.

The Governor in Council sanctions the estimates submitted by the Director of Public Instruction, for the supply of furniture and fittings for the Medical College, at a cost of Rupees 3400.

2. The Government approve of the suggestion that teak-wood chairs be substituted for the "chairs (leather)" entered in the estimate submitted by the Barrack Master.

3. The seats for the theatre will be provided by the Public Works Department; and arrangements will be made for completing the fittings during the College vacation.

G. J. Curran
Chief Secretary.

To the Director of Public Instruction, with enclosures, returned.

- „ Barrack Master.
- „ Public Works Department.
- „ Accountant General.
- „ Examiner of Claims.

Edw. J. H. Burns.

*Communicate to the
Sgts. & Messrs. H. & Co.
for information and
guidance.
S. Robert Adams
attention will be given
to the matter.
as per memo.*

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Rs 3400 for the supply of
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The Medical College & re-
questing the PWD to pro-
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the fittings during the College
vacation - With an Encl.

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