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No. 455. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department:—

Deferring the project of adding a third story to the quarters of the Commissioned Subordinate Ordnance Officer in Fort Saint George. } (Here enter 19th January 1867, No. 221.)

No. 456. ORDER THEREON, 23rd January 1867, No. 224.

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

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following papers :—

From the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, Madras, 15th December 1866, No. 3701; to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.

Agreeably to Government Order, No. 2133, dated 6th July 1866, I have the honor to submit a plan and an approximate estimate, amounting to Rs. 7,100, for adding a third story to the quarters occupied by the subordinate Commissioned Officer of the Ordnance Department in Fort Saint George.

Enclosures.
1 *Plan.*
1 *Estimate.*

2. The building contains at present in its lower story ten rooms, four large and six small, one cook-room, one privy, and two coach houses—and in its second story, eleven rooms, nine large and two small.

3. I would here point out the great contrast between this accommodation and that sanctioned by the Government of India, in their Circular, No. 41 of 1866, communicated with G. O., No. 1928, dated 20th June 1866, for a subaltern or even a Captain, according to which, the latter is not entitled to more than two units, each unit comprising four rooms, two large and two small, as per standard plan therewith received.

4. I think therefore, that the expenditure proposed, Rupees 7,100, should not be incurred for the purpose contemplated, *viz.*, of adding three rooms to a dwelling which already possesses ample accommodation.

Referred to the Military Department, for consideration.

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

18*th December* 1866.

ORDER, No. 221, 19th January 1867.

The Governor in Council observes that the addition of a 3rd story to the quarters of the Commissioned Subordinate Ordnance Officer in the Fort, was contemplated, not with reference to any deficiency of accommodation, but as desirable on sanitary grounds, and in the interest of the health and comfort of the inmates.

2. Referring, however, to the large amount estimated for, His Excellency is not disposed to sanction the immediate execution of the work, while more pressing demands remain unprovided for—the project may therefore be deferred for the present.

(True Extract.)

S Marshall *Major General,*
Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department. with 20 spare Copies.
,, Quarter Master General.....
,, Inspector General of Ordnance,..... } for information.
,, Barrack Master, Fort Saint George,

Exd. J. E. Cashart.

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