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Government of Madras.

Public works DEPARTMENT.

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Read the following papers :—

No. 590. From the Acting Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 1st September 1869, No. 2,860.

I HAVE the honour to report to Government that the grant for the Presidency College in this year's Budget amounts to Rupees 7,240, whilst Mr. Chisholm has expended this year on the work, up to the 31st August, Rupees 26,090, and I beg that the outlay may be passed by the Controller, the excess over sanctioned estimate being accounted for hereafter by Mr. Chisholm.

2. The amount of estimate, as sanctioned in the current Budget, is Rs. 2,52,760; and the outlay to date, as shown in the Presidency Southern Range Progress Report, is Rupees 2,71,264, from which however Rupees 1,000 must be recovered as value of work arried out last year on the foundations of the Senate-house.

Up to 1868-69	...	...	Rs. 2,45,174
In 1869-70	...	...	,, 26,090
			2,71,264

3. In G. O., No. 850, dated 14th March 1868, a sum of two lacs out of the capital of the Madras Educational Building Fund was appropriated for the Presidency College and Senate-house. Of this Rupees 1,21,878 were expended last year, and I beg that the balance, Rupees 78,122, may be sanctioned for this year's outlay, as the Controller states it is not available without the orders of Government.

No. 591. Endorsement of the Controller of Public Works Accounts, dated Madras, 3rd September 1869, No. 1,105.

From the Director of Public Instruction, to the Controller of Public Works Accounts, dated Calicut, 30th August 1869, No. 2,137.

IN reply to your letter, No. 296, of the 16th instant, I have the honour to state that the charge for the Presidency College is to be met out of the capital of the Educational Building Fund, and not out of the interest, while my Budget provision is made from the interest alone. I suggest your addressing the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, with a view to obtaining funds for the payment of the Contractor for the erection of the College.

SUBMITTED for the consideration and orders of Government.

2. The grant for the Presidency College for the current year is Rs. 7,240, while the outlay on that building from 1st April to 31st July last amounted to Rupees 20,938-1-10, showing an excess over allotment of Rupees 13,698-1-10.

One letter.

3. Of the two lacs specially sanctioned in the order of the Educational Department, of the 2nd March 1868, No. 87,* Rupees 1,21,878-12-0 were expended last year on the Presidency College, and it is believed that the balance, Rs. 78,121-4-0, stands appropriated in the current year's Budget between that building and the Senate-house.

* Public Works Department, G. O., No. 850, dated 14th March 1868.

NOTE—The actual grants are :—

For Presidency College	...	...	RS. 7,240
,, Senate-house	...	...	,, 90,250
		Total...	97,490

4. With a view to the adjustment of the excess outlay on the Presidency College, I beg to suggest that the allotment for that building be supplemented by a transfer from the grant for the Senate-house.

(Signed) S. BROCK,
Controller of Public Works Accounts.

No. 502. From the Acting Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp at Panayoor, 6th October 1869, No. 3,488.

In reply to your Memorandum, No. 7, dated 3rd September 1869, I have the honour to state that, as the Presidency College works have not been carried out by departmental agency, I have had little or no control over the expenditure. I was under the impression that Government were aware the building was being erected by the Contractors under Mr. Chisholm's own immediate supervision, and that the original estimate in the matter of details had been deviated from, and that minor alterations in construction had been carried out from time to time.

2. Though the expenditure amounted to Rupees 2,52,760 on the 1st September last, as reported in my letter, No. 2,860, of that date, this sum includes the outlay on the tiffin-room, an estimate for which building, amounting to Rupees 2,640, was sanctioned in G. O., No. 3,241, dated 11th October 1866. It also includes a sum of Rupees 1,000 which should have been transferred to the Senate-house.

3. So long ago as the 17th June 1867, I reported* to Government that there would be an excess in the outlay, owing to an additional expenditure of Rupees 19,760 on the foundations; and in a letter which I received from Mr. Chisholm on the 29th of May last, in reply to one which I addressed him calling for a comparative statement and a report on the causes which led to the excess for submission to Government, he refers to this outlay as one of the principal items making up the increased expenditure. The Executive Engineer also stated that, as the building was nearly completed, and would be ready for occupation in two months from that date, he would defer submitting his report and estimate until everything was included in the latter.

* No. 1,386.

4. I regret the delay in replying to your memorandum; but I wrote to Mr. Chisholm on its receipt, and was in hopes, ere this date, to have placed his report before Government, accounting for the increased outlay over estimate.

No. 503. Order thereon, 29th October 1869, No. 3,475.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 72.

The Superintending Engineer of the 4th Division will, in communication with Mr. Chisholm, expedite the submission of a revised estimate, with the usual comparative statement, for the Presidency College buildings.

2. It appears from the report of the Controller above recorded that of the two lacs specially sanctioned from the capital of the Educational Building Fund,

Rupees 1,21,878-12-0 were expended up to the end of the last official year on the Presidency College, leaving an available balance of Rupees 78,121-4-0.

3. The Superintending Engineer will be informed that the expenditure during the current official year on the Presidency College and Senate-house should be restricted to this sum, and to meet the increased outlay on the College buildings, His Excellency in Council approves of the diversion of the requisite sum from the grant for the Senate-house, and the Superintending Engineer will accordingly report what amount will require to be transferred.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, Educational Department.
,, Accountant-General.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

P. Endorsement &c.

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Office of the Director of Public Instruction.
Calcutta Madras, 30th August 19.

No. 2137

From

E. B. Powell Esq.
Director of Public Instruction

To

The Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Sir,

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No. 1105

Submitted for the consideration and Orders of Government.-

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Note- The actual grants are
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For Senate House..90,250
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Office of the Controller of Public Works Accounts
Madras 3rd September 1869.

L. Brodie
Controller of P.W. accounts.

To,
The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Fort Saint George.

Read the following papers:— 13

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No. 2860.

Supg. Engrs. Office 4th Dn.
Madras 1st September 1869.

From

Lieut Colonel J. Dean R.E.
Acting Supg. Engineer 4th Division

To

Colonel C. A. Orr R.E.
Secretary to Government P.W.D.

Sir,

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The

Rec'd 3rd Sept. 1869
Dept.

No. 3762.

From,
The Controller of P.W. Accounts.

To,
The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department.
Fort St. George.

Dated 3rd } September 1869.
Rec'd 4th }

Encls: 1

No. 1105

Submitting for the consideration and orders of Government a letter from the Director of Public Instruction relative to the provision of funds for the Presidency College Building and suggesting how the excess outlay on it should be adjusted.—

No. 3175 - 4th Sept. 69

Rs. 591

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2 The amount of estimate as sanctioned in the current budget is Rupees 2,52,760, and the outlay to date as shewn in the Presidency Southern Range Progress Report is Rupees 2,71,264, from which however Rupees 1000 must be recovered as value of work carried out last year on the foundations of the Senate House.

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In 1869/70 - 26090
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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
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Lieut. R.E.
Ag. Dirg Engr 4th Div

Supt. Engrs. Office 4th Dn.
No. 3488. Camp Panayoor 6th October 1869

From,

Lieut. Colonel J. Bean R.E.
A.J. Superintending Engineer 4th Dn.

To,

Colonel C. A. Orr R.E.
Secretary to Government P.W. Deptt.
Fort Saint George

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* No. 1386

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Sir
Your most obedient Servt

Lt. Col. R.E.
A. Supt. Engr. 4th Div.

Pub: Works Dept:

No 3475

Proceedings of the Madras Government, under date the 29th Oct: 69.
Read the following:-

From the Sy Supt Engr of the 4th Divn - (No: 280 of 1st Sept/69)
" Controller of Pr: Wks Accts (" - 1105 of 3d " -)
" Sy Supt Engr of the 4th Divn (" - 3488 of 4th Oct " -)

The Superintending Engineer of the 4th Divn will in communication with Mr Chisholm, expedite the submission of a revised estimate with the usual comparative Statement for the Presidency College buildings.

It appears from the report of the Controller above recorded that of the

Copy of the above Proceedings forwarded to the Superintending Engineer of the 4th Division for information.

By Order of the Governor in Council

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Secretary to Govt

To
The Secretary to Govt
Public Works Dept

No 3488.

Requesting the expenditure under which the estimate on the Presidency College may be debited.

No 3475 - 29th Oct 69

C. 13th Oct 69 (R. 22)

No 592

the two lacs specially sanctioned from the Capital of the Educational Building Fund Rs: 121878-12 were expended up to the end of the last Official year on the Presidency College leaving an available balance of Rs: 78121-4- The Supdt Engr: will be informed that the expenditure during the Current Official Year on the Presidency College and Senate House should be restricted to this sum, and to meet the increased outlay on the College Buildings His Excellency in Council approves of the diversion of the requisite sum from the grant for the Senate House and the Supdt Engr: will accordingly report what amount will require to be transferred.

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Supdt Engr
Comptr
Educational Deptt
Accts Genl

Date 1/7/64

Date - Dear
28/10/69

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Govt. of {1869} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Superintending Engr
4th Division

Dated

Recd. Encl. 1

G. O. 29 October 1869, No. 3675

Nos. 590 & 593

Presidency College buildings Papers
orders on papers relative to the ex-
penditure on the Presidency
College buildings and the Chinese
Bazaar

c 13 Oct 69 R. 23d