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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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Dated 6.8.	1870.

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Read the following letter from the Director of Public Instruction
to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras,
11th July 1870, No. 1,232.

VE the honour to submit the Tabular Statement called for in paragraph 2
nment Order, Public Works Department, No. 1,592, of the 4th instant.

Proceedings of the Madras Government,

Educational

	Year	Ordinary	Extraordinary	Total
			...	...

EXTRACT FROM HOME DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT OF INDIA		Office to which the proposition refers	NATURE OF CHARGE	
No.	Date		Present Scale	Proposed Scale.
No. 6	6th January 1863	Civil Engineering College	Principal Rs 600	Principal Rs 600
			First Assistant Master ... 500	First Assistant Master ... 275
			Second do do. 275	Second do do. 120
			Third do do. 120	Third do do. 120
			Fourth do do. 120	Fourth do do. 100
			Fifth do do. 100	Fifth do do. 100
			Sixth do do. 100	Sixth do do. 100
			Two Munshees, at 50 Rupees each 100	Two Munshees, at 50 Rupees each 80
			Serjeant Major ... 80	Serjeant Major ... 44
			Instructor in Bricklaying 44	Instructor in Bricklaying 300
			Stipends to Military Students 800	Stipends to Military Students 85
			Principal's Office Establishment .. 85	Principal's Office Establishment 18
			Three Peons, at 6 Rupees each 18	Three Peons, at 6 Rupees each 40
			Eight Lascars, at 5 Rupees each 40	Eight Lascars, at 5 Rupees each 7
			Muchi 7	Muchi 3
			Sweeper.. 3	Sweeper... 100
			Scholarships .. 100	Scholarships ..
			Total 2,492	Total 2,592

MADRAS,
11th July 1870.

Public Works Department, 6th August 1870.

Department.

PROPOSITION						Casual or Extraordinary	Grounds of Proposition.	Local Government's Recommendation.	ORDERS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA		
Permanent		Period	Temporary.						Home Department	Financial Department.	
Increase per mensem	Decrease per mensem		Increase per mensem	Period	Decrease per mensem				Remarks	Remarks.	Ordered
RS							To provide for the more thorough instruction of the Students in Surveying, the present staff being found inadequate				
100											
100											

(Signed) E. B. POWELL,
Director of Public Instruction

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
6th August 1870.*

No. 91. ORDER THEREON, 6th August 1870, No. 1,875.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 9.

His Excellency the Governor in Council resolves to forward the statement received with the above letter to the Government of India with a strong recommendation in favour of the engagement of the extra Master therein applied for being sanctioned.

2. In anticipation of the sanction of the Government of India the Principal is authorized to engage the additional Master on the salary above mentioned, the expense being met from savings on the College Budget.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Director of Public Instruction

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
FORT ST. GEORGE, 6th August 1870.

No. 92.

No. 1,876.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 10

SIR,—Various representations having reached the Government of the inefficiency of the Surveyors turned out by the Civil Engineering College at Madras, occasion was taken to call upon the several Superintending Engineers for their opinion of the qualifications of such men of that class as they may have had opportunities of observing. The reports in due course received from those officers being on the whole unsatisfactory, and appearing to indicate some serious defect in imparting at the College a practical knowledge not only in surveying but in field-work generally, His Excellency the Governor in Council referred the matter to the Principal of the College for his consideration and for the submission of such suggestions as he might have to offer.

2. Captain Edgcome in his reply, of which a copy is herewith forwarded, maintains that the course of instruction pursued at the College is in all respects well calculated to ensure thorough efficiency if more teaching power were available, and if the means could be found of giving to each student sufficient practice in the field. To enable him to meet these deficiencies he suggests an increase of the staff of the College, which he points out is of the same strength now as on the first establishment of the institution, although, since then, the first Department has been added, greatly augmenting the duties of the Teachers. Captain Edgcome explains how the whole of his own time and that of the Masters is occupied, and proposes that, to enable him to devote himself more fully to the exercise of the careful general supervision which is necessary, he should have the aid of an Assistant and be empowered to entertain an additional Master for the direction of the Drawing Class, which now forms a portion of the charge of the same person who teaches the Surveying Class.

3. The Government have resolved to defer for the present the consideration of the appointment of an Assistant to Captain Edgcome, but, being of opinion that extra teaching power is greatly needed to allow of more attention being paid to the Surveying Class, His Excellency the Governor in Council believes that the entertainment of an additional Master is very necessary, and has directed me to request the sanction of the Government of India to the engagement of such a Master on a salary of Rupees 100 per mensem, as entered in the accompanying tabular statement.

4. In anticipation of the assent of the Government of India the Principal has been authorized to engage a Drawing Master on the salary above mentioned, the expense being provided for out of savings in the College Budget.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

Colonel, R. E.,

Secretary to Government.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

N. 1232

Office of the Director of
Public Instruction
Madras 11th July 1870

From

The Director of Public Instruction
Madras

To

The Secretary to Government
Department Public Works
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to submit the
Valuation Statement called for in para 2
of Government Order, Public Works De-
partment, N^o 1592 of the 4th instant.

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Your most Obedt Servant

W. M. M.
Director of Public Instruction

S. D. H.

No. 187 P. V. D.
 Proceedings of the Madras Government.
 Under date the 5 July 1870
 Read the following.

From
 The Director of Public Instruction } (H. E. No. 1232 of 11 July 1870)

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 A.D.
 L.S.

Public Order 1870 No. 1000
 The Director of Public Instruction
 The Secy to Government
 Madras
 28-26-72
 11th July 1870
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Conceding a
 statement of account
 for an increase to
 the Decoding staff
 of the G. & C. College.
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The Secretary to the
Govt of India
Rm. Dept.

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These proposals have not met with the support of the Director of Public Instruction, and the Govt not being satisfied of the necessity of adding to the cost of the College the salary of an Assistant Principal, who would probably require to be an Officer selected from the Corps of Engineers, have resolved to defer the consideration of the appointment, but being of opinion that extra teaching power is greatly needed to allow of more attention being paid to the surveying class, His Excellency the Governor in Council believes that the maintenance of an additional Master is very necessary, and has directed me to request the sanction of the Govt of India to the engagement on a salary of Rs 100 per mensem, as entered in the accompanying Tabular Statement.

I would rather say simply

The government have resolved to defer for the present

J. D. S.
Despatch of 1870
Copy each of Rs 15924
1875 of 1870

To J. D. S. of such a matter we cannot put in English for Rs 100 per mensem

To a statement in that capacity

I would add. In anticipation of the Govt of India the Viceroy is authorized to engage a drawing Master a building - it is intended the revenue is provided for out of Savings on the last year.

A. R.

Op 26/2

Govt. of 1873: Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Director of Public Instruction
and

To The Secretary to the Govt.
of India

Dated

1873

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606 Sept 1873, No 18754/1876

Nos. 91-91 & 92

Letter/
Requesting sanction to
the engagement of an Extra
Master on a Salary of Rs. 100 per
month for the Civil Engineering
College at Madras.

Civil Engineering College - Madras
orders in the letter from the Director
of Public Instruction in relation
a Tabular Statement for the
engagement of an Extra Master
for the Civil Engineering College
at Madras.

Whereupon

1873

recommended the sanction be
granted for an Extra Master on a Salary of Rs. 100 per month for the Civil Engineering College at Madras.