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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 28th September 1871.

No. 474. Read the following letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Coimbatore, 11th September 1871, No. 115 :—

WITH reference to your memorandum No. 119, dated 21st August 1871, I have the honour to enclose copy of a letter from the Neilgherry Range Officer giving the data on which he framed the estimate for the Lawrence Asylum play-ground.

From the Executive Engineer, Neilgherries, to the Acting Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, dated Ootacamund, 8th September 1871, No. 142.

WITH reference to your endorsement, dated 25th ultimo, on the Secretary's memorandum No. 119, of the 21st idem, I have the honour to state that the following may be taken as the data for the rate in the estimate for the Lawrence Asylum play-ground.

2. The wheeling distance averages over 60 yards, and taking into account levelling and removing stones not more than an average of 1½ cubic yards per man per day can be expected.

3. The strength of the jail being 132 convicts, an average number of 32 would be sick and employed in jail, leaving 100 available for work. These 100 men would do 150 cubic yards of earthwork per day, and, owing to the exposed situation, they could not work on wet or very cold days. The average number of working days would, therefore, be 20 per month; thus in one month we should get 3,000 cubic yards of earthwork done, and it would take 10 months to complete the work.

4. The charges to be met from the estimate would be then as follows :—

	RS.
Guarding convicts for 10 months, at Rupees 180 per mensem	1,800
Jail Establishment for 10 months, at Rupees 80 per mensem	800
Two Carpenters, at Rupees 17½ per month for ten months	350
One Blacksmith, at Rupees 17½ per month for do.	175
Wood and iron for repairing tools	65
Total...	3,190

P. S.—I may also add that the rate for the Ootacamund reclamation is 6 cubic yards per Rupee, while this estimate gives only 10 cubic yards per Rupee.

No. 475. ORDER THEREON, 28th September 1871, No. 2,472.

ACCOUNT, No. 46.

THE Judicial Department will be requested, with reference to the foregoing letter, to give the orders dated 21st August 1871, No. 249, retrospective effect from the 1st April last, and as the Government have no means at present of supplementing the allotment made to the 7th Division for Tools and Plant, the Superintending Engineer should endeavour by a judicious re-distribution of the grants made in G. O., dated 25th April 1871, to provide for the charges under that head which are included in the estimate for the play-ground at the Lawrence Asylum.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. deC. SCOTT, Captain, R.E.,
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Judicial Department.
,, Superintending Engineer, 7th Division.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

No. 142.

Executive Engineer's Office
Ootacamund 8th September 1871.

From Captain J. L. L. Morant R.E.
Ex: Engr. Nilgherries.

To, Lieut. Colonel W. Farewell A.C.
7th Division.

Sir, With reference to your Endorsement dated 25th Ultimo on the Secretary's Memo. No. 119 of the 21st Idem, I have the honor to state that the following may be taken as the data for the rate in the Estimate for the Lawrence Asylum Play-Ground.

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Guarding Convicts for 10 Months @ Rs. 180 per mensem	1800-"-"
Jail Establishment for 10 Months @ Rs. 80 per mensem	800-"-"
2 Carpenters @ Rs. 17½ per Month for 10 Months	350-"-"
1 Blacksmith @ Rs. 17½ per D°. for D°.	175-"-"
Wood & Iron for repairing Tools	65-"-"
Total Rupees	3190-"-"

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obdt. Servant
(Sigd) J. & L. Morant Capt. R.E.
Executive Engineer

P.S.

I may also add that the rate for the Potacamund Reclamation is 6 Cyd°. per Rupee while this Estimate gives only 10 Cyd°. per Rupee.

(True Copy)

Lt. Colonel R.E.
Ag. Supg. Engineer 7th Dn

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In a letter from the Supg. Engr 7th Dn No 115 of 11th September 1871

To The Secretary to Govt of T.W. Madras

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11th September 1871

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Copy of Sub-Collectorate Range Officer's letter No 1420 of 8th September 71 giving data for framing Estimate for the Laurence Asylum Map grounds

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Your Most Obdt. Servant

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Lt. Colonel &c.
Ag. Supg. Engineer 7th Dn

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Coimbatore 11th September 1871.

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Brightwell Dublin
No 43357.
Name

The Lady Superior
Convent
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Secretary Govt
P.W.D. Madras
Dated 11th Nov
No 1151
Enclosure 1

Estimate & Plan for
Water Supply to Convent
Range Officers Quarters
& an Orderly Room &c.
to be erected for the Cavalry
Regiment Ootacamund
Nilgiris

Chas Hyde
Captain & Asst to R. Sc.

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to provide for the charges
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To Ind. Dept
Works & Bn

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22° Sept.

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Govt. of {1871} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Judicial Dept.

Dated

Recd. Encl. 1

G. O., 28 Septr, No. 2472.

Nos. 474 & 475

Lawrence Asylum play ground - Requesting the Judl Dept. to give the orders in that Depn. of 21st August 1871 relative to the Estimate for the Play ground at the Lawrence Asylum and suggesting that the Superr Agent endeavours to provide for the charges included in the Estimate by a judicious distribution of the amounts granted in the 25th April 71.