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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
19th March 1872.*

No. 450. Read the following Circular letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Buildings and Roads—Military,) to the Governments of Maras, Bombay, Bengal, the North-Western Provinces, and the Punjab; the Chief Commissioners of Oudh, the Central Provinces, British Burmah, and Mysore and Coorg; the Resident at Hyderabad; the Agents to the Governor-General for Central India and Rajpootana; and to the Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars, dated Fort William, 17th January 1872, No. 7:—

With reference to Public Works Department Circulars, No. 71, dated 22nd August 1866, and No. 64, dated 4th July 1867, authorizing the provision, at the expense of the State, of Officers' Mess-houses at stations where officers' quarters are provided for Regiments of British Cavalry and Infantry, and for Batteries of Artillery, and forwarding plans to be adopted in the construction of such buildings, I am now directed to forward for information and guidance the accompanying plan of an Officers' Mess-house and out-houses that has met with the approval of the Government of India and His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief as a standard for hill stations.

2. It is believed that the average cost of a Mess-house complete, according to this plan, would be Rupees 16,000, and it has accordingly been decided that Rupees 80 per mensem shall be the *rent* chargeable for such a building. This would give a return of 6 per cent. on outlay, giving a sufficient interest on the money sunk after paying for repairs.

No. 451. ORDER THEREON, 19th March 1872, No. 780.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 17.

COMMUNICATED to the Military Department and to Superintending Engineers in continuation of the under-mentioned orders:—

11th October 66, No. 3,234.

17th August 7, „ 2,521.

(True tract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Military Department.
To Superintending Engineers.
„ Major R. B. Kennedy.

Exd. E. C. Shanker.

Distribution list of the plan
connected with Gov. 780 of the plan

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
Military.

To
THE GOVERNMENTS OF MADRAS, BOMBAY,
BENGAL, THE NORTH WESTERN PRO-
VINCES, AND THE PUNJAB; THE CHIEF
COMMISSIONERS OF OUDH, THE CENTRAL
PROVINCES, BRITISH BURMAH, AND
MYSORE AND COORG; THE RESIDENT AT
HYDERABAD; THE AGENTS TO THE GOV-
ERNOR GENERAL FOR CENTRAL INDIA
AND RAJPOOTANA; AND TO THE SUPER-
INTENDENT, PORT BLAIR AND THE NICO-
BARAS.

CIRCULAR No. 7 PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated January 17, 1872.

Received 13 "Invalde" 1872.

Per S. M.

Forwards Standard Plan of Officers' Mess-
house and out-offices for Hill Stations, and
states that Rs. 80 per mensem will be the rent
chargeable for such a building.

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Standard Plan of Officers'
Mess-houses for Hill Stations. Circular
from the Govt of India
forwarding Standard Plan
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