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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
2nd October 1873.*

No. 40. Read the following letter from Colonel A. STEWART, R.A. Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 20th September 1873, No. G—150 :—

WITH reference to Order * of Government sanctioning estimate of Rs. 16,700 for certain alterations and improvements to the buildings of the Gun Carriage Factory, among which was included a corrugated iron roof for the Smiths' shed, I have the honour to request you will be so good as to move Government to sanction the immediate execution of this particular work, as the north-east monsoon is nearly at hand, and the Superintendent of the factory has brought to my notice that "the rain beats into the open shops sorely in that season and reduces the out-turn of work."

2. I observe that Government, when sanctioning the general estimate for alterations and improvements, ordered "that their execution be deferred for the present;" but I trust that, under the circumstances represented by the Superintendent of the Factory, Government will be pleased to order the corrugated iron roof for the Smiths' shed to be put up at once.

No. 41. ORDER THEREON, 2nd October 1873, No. 2,423.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 3.

THE Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines is instructed to make such proposals as the present in

communication with the Presidency District Engineer or Inspecting Engineer for Buildings, in order that they may be laid before Government in a more intelligible shape.

2. He states that in a certain sanctioned estimate for alterations and improvements to the Gun Carriage Factory is included a corrugated iron roof for the Smiths' shed, which it is desirable to put up at once, because the rain beats into the open shop at that season.

3. A reference to the estimate and specification shows that it was proposed to replace the tiled roofs of two Smiths' sheds by corrugated iron roofs at a cost of Rupees 8,360; and to treat similarly two other Smiths' verandah sheds at a cost of Rupees 1,567. Unless therefore existing buildings have already been unroofed in anticipation of sanction, it is not understood why they should be exposed to rain, nor can any particular shed be identified.

4. Irrespectively of the above instructions for future guidance, intimation is also given that the circumstances under which execution of the sanctioned improvements and alterations were deferred, remain the same.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines.

„ Inspecting Engineer for Buildings.

„ District Engineer, Presidency.

„ Military Department.

Exd., S. T. Austin.

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20th September 1875.

No. $\frac{4}{150}$

From,

Colonel A. Stewart R.A.,

Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department.

Sir,

Ref 201 dated 21st
January 1875.

With reference to Order of Government,
sanctioning Estimate of Rspees 16,700 for certain alterations and improvements to the buildings of the Gun Carriage Factory, among which was included a corrugated sheet roof for the Smiths' Shop, I have the honor to request you will be so good as to advise Government to sanction the immediate execution of this particular work, as the North East monsoon is nearly at hand, and the Superintendent of the Factory has brought to my notice that the rain beats "into the open shops severely in that season, and reduces the out-turn of work."

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roof for the Smiths shed to be put up at once.



Have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Alex Stewart, Esq.,

Inspector General of Customs & Excise.

G. P. B.

N^o 2628 D. A. I. B.

Public Works Dept
No 5162.

From
The Inspector General
of Ordnance & Magazines.

To
The Secretary
to Government,
Public Works Dept.

Dated 20th
Rec^d 20th September 1873.

No 150

Requesting to move
Government to put up a
corrugated Iron roof for
the Smithy Shed at the
Carriage Manufacturing.

No 40

No 2423-2^d Oct 73.

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In G. of Ord. & Musgr.
I. for Buss ✓
Dr. Pennington ✓
M. Dept ✓
S. A. dated 9/10/73

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29 Sept 73

No. 5162

Govt. of 1873 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

The Inspector General
of Ordnance and
Magazines

Date

Recd.

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G. O. 2^d Dept. No. 2423.

Nov. 14/73

Iron Carriage Manufacturing

Madras - Paperwork

On letter from the Inspector
General of Ordnance & Magazines
requesting ~~that~~ orders
may be issued for the
immediate erection of
an iron corrugated roof
for the Smith's shed at
the Manufacturing.