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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE

Government of Madras

Public works DEPARTMENT

G.O. No. 2771 Press
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Dated 15. 11. 1873. 195 .

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
15th November 1873.

Read the following papers :—

No. 212. Endorsement of the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 30th October 1873.

From A. WEDDERBURN, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore, to the Hon. W. HUDLESTON, Chief Secretary to Government, dated ~~C~~oimbatore, 28th October 1873, No. 63.

I HAVE the honour to request that Government will be pleased to order that before my new office is completed a safer staircase may be made to the upper public office; the staircase is composed of steps 9 inches high and 10 inches wide, turns at a right angle where the steps are cut away in the inside. It is usual to make steps not more than 5 inches high and at least a foot wide, and when a turn at right angles is made to provide a landing.

2. Also the new doors are made of solid wood, or batten, which is a style of door only adapted to a godown, where neither light nor air is requisite.

3. There is no roof ventilation, so that the upper room will be hot from the heat generated by the tiles.

4. As it is the accommodation provided in the detail of the plan for the office of the head of the district is greatly inferior to the standard allotted for the head of a taluq.

5. I approved of the plan and elevation, but trusted that the details of work were professionally and really suitable for a public office.

TRANSFERRED to the Department Public Works for the necessary orders.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Chief Secretary.

No. 213. From Colonel J. BEAN, R.E., District Engineer, Coimbatore, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Coimbatore, 3rd November 1873, No. 67.

WITH reference to your memorandum No. 413 of 30th October 1873, I have the honour to forward four plans of the improvements to the Collector's Cutcherry at this station as per margin.

1	Plan and section of	Collector's Office and Examination Hall.
1	Do.	of Collector's Cutcherry.
1	Do.	of the proposed unfinished Record Room.
1	Do.	of the Assistant Collector's Office.

No. 214. ORDER THEREON, 15th November 1873, No. 2,771.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 15.

THE District Engineer of Coimbatore will attend to the Collector's requisitions. Such details which can be arranged between the local officers should not be made matters of reference to Government. The District Engineer will refer to the Inspecting Engineer for Buildings, or the Chief Engineer, for orders if he finds any difficulty in the matter.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Coimbatore.
" Public Department.
" Inspecting Engineer for Buildings.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

Spare Copies

No. 63

Coimbatore Collector's Office
28th October 1873.

From,

A. Wedderburn Esquire 3rd,
Collector of Coimbatore -

To,

The Hon: W. Huddleston,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Madras -

Sir,

I have the honor to request that Government will be pleased to order that before my new office is completed, a paper plan of case may be made to the upper public office - the staircase is composed of steps 9 inches high and 10 inches wide, turns at a right angle where the steps are cut away in the inside - It is usual to make steps not more than 6 inches high, and at least a foot wide, and when a turn, at right angles, is made, to provide a landing -

2. Also the new doors are made of solid wood, or batten, which is a style of door only adapted to a godown, where neither light nor air is requisite -

3. There is no roof ventilation, so that the upper room will be hot - from the heat generated by the tiles -

4. As it is, the accommodation provided in the detail of the plan for the office of the Head of the District, is greatly inferior to the standard allotted for the head of a Taluq -

5. I approved of the plan and elevation, but trusted that the details of work were professionally and really suitable for a public office -

No. 67

DISTRICT ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
Coimbatore 3rd Nov 1873

FROM

THE DISTRICT ENGINEER
COIMBATORE

To The Chief Engineer
D. P. W. Ootacamund

SIR,

With reference to your Memo. No. 413 of 30th October 1873 I have the honor to forward 4 Plans of the improvements to the Collector's Cutcherry at this station as per margen.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your most obdt Servant
Colonel R.E.
Dist Engineer, Coimbatore

1 Plan and Section of Collector's Office & Examination Hall
1 " " of Collectorate Cutcherry
1 " " of the proposed unfurnished Record Room
1 " " of the Assistant Collector's Office
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No 2771 of 93

Copy of Mr Rundall's Letter
dated Mr Pollexfen
dated 30th October 1873

From Executive Engineer Coimbatore
To Chief Engineer & Secretary to Govt PWD
Madras

Chief Engineer's Office
Received 3 Nov 1873

Chief Draftsman.

Submitted for the orders of Government.

The Executive Engineer Coimbatore has submitted plans and estimate for improvements to the Collector's Cutcherry at Coimbatore.

The Collector has recommended the proposal for sanction.

The Chief Engineer has no remarks to offer.

Mr Pollexfen

Chief Draftsman

Please prepare Memorandum for Government.

Mr Pollexfen

Memorandum prepared.

Mr Pollexfen

Memorandum submitted to Government.

Mr Pollexfen

Memorandum returned from Government with Minute of Approval.

Mr Pollexfen

Letter prepared to Executive Engineer Coimbatore.

Mr Pollexfen

Letter submitted for signature.

Mr Pollexfen

Letter signed and dispatched.

Mr Pollexfen

Letter No 2771 dated 30th October 1873 from Executive Engineer Coimbatore

To

The Chief Engineer
D.P.W. Ootacamund

No 67

Dated 31st October 1873
Received 10th November 1873

Enclosures-4 Plans

Forwards 4 Plans of the improvements to the Collector's Cutcherry at Coimbatore.

No 2771-16 Oct 1873

Letter No 213

From Executive Engineer Coimbatore
Dated 6th November 1873
Received 10th November 1873

To

The Chief Engineer
D.P.W. Ootacamund

No 68

Enclosures-4 Plans

Forwards 4 Plans of the improvements to the Collector's Cutcherry at Coimbatore.

No 2771-16 Oct 1873

Chief Draftsman.

Please prepare Memorandum for Government.

Mr Pollexfen

Memorandum prepared.

Mr Pollexfen

Memorandum submitted to Government.

Mr Pollexfen

Memorandum returned from Government with Minute of Approval.

Mr Pollexfen

Letter prepared to Executive Engineer Coimbatore.

Mr Pollexfen

Letter submitted for signature.

Mr Pollexfen

Letter signed and dispatched.

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To the St Eugene Cathedral with four Plans
" Public Debt
" Hospital Engineering Bureau
A.C. dated 21/11/73
N° 212.16

D. 10 Nov/73

Nos 6099 & 6100

Govt. of 1873 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To The District Engr
Coimbatore

Dated
Read
15th Nov. 2771.

Nos. 212 & 214

Electric Watchmen at Coimbatore. Paper
orders on letter from
the Collector requesting
that orders may be
issued for ~~the~~
improving the staircase ~~of~~ the Watchmen

Nov 1873

Copy of Letter from the Chief Secretary to Govt. dated 30th October 1873 No 212

Requesting that Rs. 63 may be placed at the disposal of the Collector of Coimbatore for the construction of a Watchmen's Shed at the Public Office.

I am directed to request that you will cause the necessary estimate to be prepared for the construction of a Watchmen's Shed at the Public Office at Coimbatore.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
L. Bruce
Chief Secretary

Rs. 63

Dated 28th October 1873
Read 6th Nov 1873.

Nos 6099

Requests orders that, before the completion of his new office, a paper staircase may be made to the upper Public Office

No 2771 - 15th Nov 1873.

From the Chief Secretary to Govt.
To The Collector
Coimbatore

Dated 28th October 1873
Read 6th Nov 1873.