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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public works DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 627, 628,	308	Press / Mis.
Dated	30-1-	1873.

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No. 627. Read the following endorsement of the Military Department, dated Fort St. George, 21st November 1872 :—

From the Acting Controller of Military Accounts, to the Officiating Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Fort St. George, 19th November 1872, C.

I HAVE the honour to forward a letter from the Superintendent Army Clothing, dated 13th November 1872, No. 50, with accompaniment, requesting that certain necessary alterations may be made in the building allotted for the Clothing Stores to ensure their safe custody and the efficient performance of work.

2. Rupees 15,350 were sanctioned in Proceedings of Government, Public Works Department, No. 1,052, of 15th April 1871, for fitting the late Mint buildings for the Clothing Agent's and other offices, and funds for the further alterations now required should apparently be provided by the same department.

From the Officiating Superintendent Army Clothing, to the Officiating Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Madras, 13th November 1872, No. 50.

I HAVE the honour to bring to the notice of Government that on removing the Army Clothing Department, in April last, to that portion of the late Mint buildings allotted for it, it was found that many alterations and improvements were indispensably necessary for the security of the stores as also for the efficient performance of the duties of the several departments. In view therefore to obtaining the sanction of Government to making such alterations, the Executive Engineer, Presidency Division, was requested to make an estimate of the same, which he has done. The accompanying plan,* submitted by that officer, shows the proposed alterations, etc., which are estimated to cost Rupees 4,210, and I beg you will be good enough to obtain the sanction of Government to the work being put in hand at once. I need hardly observe that many of the changes now found necessary could not well have been anticipated before occupying the buildings.

* To be returned when no longer required.

TRANSFERRED with No. 4,873 of 1872 to the Public Works Department.

(Signed) A. C. SILVER, Colonel,
Officiating Secretary to Government.

No. 628. ORDER THEREON, 30th January 1873, No. 308.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 16.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council is not satisfied as to the necessity of expending upwards of Rupees 4,000 more in alterations to the Army Clothing Office so soon after incurring an outlay of upwards of Rupees 15,000 in adapting the Mint buildings for their present purpose.

2. More explicit information as to the necessity for the work must be given prior to instructions being issued for preparation of detailed estimates without sanction of which no work, not emergent, can be put in hand. The Inspecting Engineer for Buildings may authorize their preparation if the Superintendent of Army Clothing can convince him of the absolute failure of the work already done to afford all the accommodation necessary.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Military Department.
,, Inspecting Engineer for Buildings.
,, District Engineer, Presidency.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

Through Controller of Military Accounts Fort St. George

ARMY CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

Madras, 13th November 1872.

No. 50.

From

THE SUPERINTENDENT ARMY CLOTHING,

Madras,

To

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
MILITARY DEPARTMENT,
Fort Saint George.

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I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedt Servant

R. A. Walker Major

~~Offg~~ Superintendent

Army Clothing

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OFFICE OF CONTROLLER OF MILITARY ACCOUNTS,
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No. 48 of 13
The Superintendent
Army Clothing,
Madras,
To
The Secretary to Government,
Military Department,
Fort Saint George.
P. W. 5753/72
Dated 13th November 1872.
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No. 50.

Asking to obtain sanction of Government regarding the alterations of that portion of Mint Buildings occupied by Army Clothing Department

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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
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Ag Controller of Mily Accts.

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Fort St George,
21st November 1872.

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From Ag
The Controller of Military Accounts,
Fort St George,

To Offg No 5755
The Secretary to Government,
Military Department.

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Dated 19 November 1872
Received 21st

Enclosures. Two

Endorsement.

Forwards a plan of the alterations required for the Office of Superintendent Army Clothing.

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Nos. 627 & 628

Army Clothing Office.

Passing orders on letter from the Controller of Mily. Acctt. forwarding ~~on~~ one from the Supt., Army Clothing requesting certain alterations may be carried out to his Office.

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