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1st May 1874.*

No. 5. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. GODDARD, R.E., District Engineer, Presidency, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 25th March 1874, No. 5,916:—

I HAVE the honour to submit for sanction a plan and estimate, together with a specification report, amounting to Rupees 475, for erecting a temporary Store-shed for the use of the Public Works Workshops at Chepauk.

1 Plan.
1 Abstract Estimate.
1 Specification Report.

2. This building is required for the storage of a large quantity of articles lately purchased from the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, and of a very valuable consignment of stores for the use of the Mathematical Instrument Workshop expected from England. A large quantity of bridge iron is exposed to the weather in the yard, as the very limited space at present occupied as a store-room is totally inadequate to contain the stores now in hand.

3. The estimate provides for utilizing old materials which are available at the Public Works Stores, by which considerable reduction has been made in the amount of the estimate in this office. The original estimate amounted to Rupees 1,800.

4. The General Superintendent recommends that, as the workshop is a self-supporting institution, the amount of the estimate, if sanctioned, may be debited to the Capital Account of the factory and paid for from its funds, and this seems just and fair.

5. As some time must elapse before accommodation can be provided at the Seven Wells, should the project for removing the Public Works Stores and Workshops to that site be sanctioned by Government, I am of opinion that the present project should be executed as soon as possible on account of the loss which may accrue if the stores be not adequately protected. Some of the materials may be used at the Seven Wells if that project be eventually sanctioned.

No. 6. ORDER THEREON, 1st May 1874, No. 1,139.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 1.

As the Public Works Workshops are to be removed from their present site, His Excellency the Governor in

Council is not prepared to sanction any outlay in extending existing accommodation.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Presidency.
.. Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. E. C. Shanker.
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John Howard
M.D.

27th - 28th February 1874

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Genl. Suplt. P. H. Warrickhof & Cores

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Abstract of the foregoing Estimate.

Quantities	Description of Work	Date	Paid	Amount	Total.
		Rs. as P.	Rs. as P.	Rs. as P.	Rs. as P.
401 7/8	Cft. Brick in Churnam	2 5	Eft.	60 10	✓
1 1/2	Sqr. Roofing with Palmirah Rafters	6 5	Sqr.	88 6	✓
25 3/4	" " " " " " " " " " " "	2 7	"	62 12 3	✓
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1 1/2	Cy. Excavating, filling & levelling	2	"	1 12	✓
22 1/2	Sqr. Brick Jelly in clay & thick	1 7 6	Sqr.	33 0 9	✓
22 1/2	" " Gravel 1" over brick Jelly	9	"	12 10 6	✓
33 3/4	" " Old Verandah to be dismantled	8	"	16 14	✓
33 3/4	Cart hire to Workshop of materials belonging to the above Verandah	8	" Cart	16 14	✓
11 3/4	Sqr. Cooly hire for putting up the old truss, Purline & Posts etc.	1	" Sqr.	11 12	✓
110	Rft. Zinc gutter with hooks	8	Rft.	55 0 0	✓
	Contingencies at 5 per Cent			2 10 7	✓
				454 15 6	✓

Total Estimate Rupees 475
188 " "

P. W. Horkshof
Shepaw
27 February 1874
E. J. H. 14-3-74

On 10/10/18
 J. H. Mangle
 Genl. Supt. P. W. Workshop & Stores.

no 5916.

From, *James H. Smith*
The District Engineer of Bridge St.
Presidency
The Chief Engineer
Sec. to Gov. D. W.

✓ I have the honor to submit for sanction a plan and Estimate together with a Specification Report submitting to No 4752 for erecting a temporary store shed for the use of the O.W. Workshops at Chepauk.

This building is required for the storage of a large quantity of articles lately purchased from the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, and of a very valuable consignment of stores for the use of the Mathematical Instrument Workshop expected from England. A large quantity of bridge iron is exposed to the weather in the yard, as the very limited space at present occupied as a store room, is totally inadequate to contain the stores now in hand.

3. The Estimate provides for utilizing old materials, which are available at the P.W. Stores, by which, considerable reduction has been made in the amount of the Estimate in this office. The original Estimate amounted to Rs 1800.

4. The General Superintendent recommends that, as the Workshop is a self supporting institution the amount of the Estimate, if sanctioned, may be debited to the Capital account of the Factory, and paid for from its funds, and this seems just and fair.

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I have the honor to be
 Sir,
 Your most obedient servant
 O. J. [Signature]

Fort St. George,
 25 March 1874
 District Engineer
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