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Public Works DEPARTMENT

G.O. No. 3089

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Dated 29-10-1874. 195.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
29th October 1874.*

Read the following papers:—

No. 644. From Lieutenant-Colonel J. F. FISCHER, R.E., District Engineer, Madura, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madura, 8th September 1874, No. 2,495:—

ADVERTING to G. O. of the 22nd ultimo, No. 2,386, I have the honor to report, for the information of Government, that out of the Budget allotment of Rupees 10,000 for Tiroomala Naick's Palace the expenditure up to date is Rupees 9,035, leaving less than Rupees 1,000 available for the work already in hand; there is therefore no balance available for the execution of the repairs to the northern turret, and this work cannot be completed from the Budget provision of the year. If the Government are pleased to increase this grant, repairs to the amount of Rupees 1,500 can be executed in this year.

No. 645. Endorsement of the Consulting Architect to Government.
From R. F. CHISHOLM, Esq., Consulting Architect to Government, to Lieutenant-Colonel J. F. FISCHER, R.E., District Engineer, Madura, dated Royapettah, 2nd September 1874, No. 233.

I TELEGRAPHED for all estimates connected with the palace under the impression that I could amalgamate them and submit them perfect before going on leave, I find it is impossible however for me to do this as the Tahsildar's Cutcherry is not shown on the plan, neither has any estimate been made out for it.

2. I return you the estimates you so promptly forwarded to me as well as those received with your predecessor's letter, No. 1,010, dated the 13th June 1874.

3. It will be advisable, I think, to amalgamate the whole of the estimates (except the clock tower recently sanctioned) under the two heads, as directed in paragraph 3 of the orders dated the 25th ultimo, deducting from the total the sums sanctioned at various times and expended. The comparative statements might still go forward, care being taken to divide the complete and amalgamated estimate under heads corresponding with the separate estimates.

4. Overseer Soobarayaloo understands where the Taluq Cutcherry is to be placed and the accommodation necessary, and my plan, dated the 21st June, which will be found accompanying the estimates, might show all the arrangements complete.

5. Please forward the estimates and plans direct to Government the moment they are ready, or address them to me at Ootacamund.

FORWARDED to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, with reference to G. O., dated the 25th August 1874.

(Signed) R. F. CHISHOLM,
Consulting Architect to Government.

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29th October 1874.

No. 646.

ORDER THEREON, 29th October 1874, No. 3,083.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 48.

THERE being no balance available for the restoration of the northern turret from the allotment of Rs. 10,000 for the palace works it must remain in abeyance till next year, as there are no other funds at the disposal of the Public Works Department. The District Engineer will report when the securing of the roof may probably be expected to be completed.

2. It would appear from the correspondence between the Consulting Architect and District Engineer, that the plans and estimates, which in the Consulting Architect's letter to Government of 17th June, recorded with G. O., No. 2,416-A, of 25th August, he requested might be accepted and sanctioned, are still in a very imperfect state. It is desirable that effectual and speedy steps should be concerted between the Consulting Architect and District Engineer for their completion and submission to Government.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Madras.
„ Consulting Architect to Government.

District Engineer's Office
No 2495. Madras, 8th September 1874.

From

Vient Colonel J. St. Hischer R.E.
District Engineer, Madras

To

Colonel G. W. Walker R.E.
Secretary to Government

Sir,

Adverting to G.O. of the 22nd ultimo No 2386 I have the honor to report for the information of Government that out of the Budget allotment of Rupees 10,000 for Tirumala Naicks Palace the expenditure up to date is Rs 9035 leaving less than Rupees 1000 available for the work already in hand, there is therefore no balance available for the execution of the repairs to the Northern Tower and this work cannot be completed from the Budget provision of the

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No. 5718.

The District Engineer
Madras

The Secretary to Co-
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Madras

Dated 11th 3rd September/74.

Received 16th 10/74.

Requesting to
increase the Budget
provision of the year
for the repair of North
Turret in the Fort-
-arch Narain's Palace

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On 6/11/74

Revised to 11th 11/74

No. 233

ARCHITECT'S OFFICE,

Royapettah, 2nd Sept. 1874

From

THE CONSULTING ARCHITECT TO GOVERNMENT,

To

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Your most Obedt. Servant
Signed/ B. F. Christman
Consulting Archt. to Govt.

[True Copy]
Forwarded to the Secretary
to Government Public Works Dept.
with reference to G. O. dated the 25th
August 1874.

Christman
Consulting Archt. to Govt.

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Read the following:-

Letter from District Engineer, Madras,
 No. 2495 of 20 September.

Copy of letter from Cong: Architect to the
 District Engineer, Madras, No. 233 of 2nd
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C.M.S.

To the D.E. Madras ✓
" Consulting Architect ✓
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PUBLIC WORKS.

To the District Engineer
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G. O. 29th Dec. No. 3089

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Tirumala Naik's Palace
at Madras - The restoration of the Northern Tower of the Palace ordered to remain in abeyance till next year, the D. Engr. to report when the repairing of the roof may possibly be executed to be completed.