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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
8th December 1874.*

No. 154. Read the following endorsement of the Acting Chief Secretary,
dated Fort St. George, 24th November 1874 :—

From the Right Rev. Dr. S. FENNELLY, to the Honorable D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Madras,
13th November 1874, No. 20.

On the 10th October 1872 I reported to Government, at the request of the Roman Catholic Chaplain at Poonamallee, that the bell of the Roman Catholic church at that station was broken and unserviceable, and the Right Honorable the Governor in Council was pleased to authorize the supply of a bell if one was available in store in the Arsenal.

2. The Deputy Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines reported on the 1st November 1872 that no bell was available in the Grand Arsenal for issue, and suggested that the provision of bells, as obtains with other church furniture, be vested in the Department of Public Works. The Deputy Inspector-General's letter was ordered (18th November 1872, No. 217,) to be communicated to the Public Works Department. Two years have passed and there is no bell supplied as yet. I have the honor to request that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council may be pleased to issue the necessary orders for the supply of the bell.

3. I may mention that the Supreme Government, in a memorandum dated 15th March 1873, and recorded in Proceedings of the Madras Government, 1st May 1873, recommended that one bell of reasonable size be added to the list of Ecclesiastical furniture supplied at the expense of Government both for Protestant and Roman Catholic churches.

TRANSFERRED to the Public Works Department for the issue of the necessary orders for the supply of a bell at an early date.

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Chief Secretary.

No. 155. ORDER THEREON, 8th December 1874, No. 3,448.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 9.

The District Engineer, Presidency, will make early arrangements to supply a bell for the Roman Catholic Church at Poonamallee, similar in all respects to the bells lately authorized for Protestant churches.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Presidency.
.. Ecclesiastical Department.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
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22 Oct 1872 - 195 Dec 1872

Transferred to the Public Works Department for the issue of the necessary orders for the supply of Bell at an early date.

For: St. George
24 Nov. 1874
to the Public Works Department.
22nd November 1872.

D. T. James
Acting Chief Secretary

See Circular 1874

Dec. 20

James R. R. St. James
Chief Secretary
Government.

Shakes 13 men
Dec. 14th } 1874

With reference to the above
of the Shakes 22 October 1872
and means of improvement
Shakes 15 March 1873 submit
that order may be issued
in the Pub. Work Dept for
the supply of a Bell for
the Roman Catholic Church
Donation also applied for on
10th October 1872.

Transferred -

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 PM - 17th Dec - 343-345
 - 23 May/43 - 118 Nov

The District Engineer Providence will
 make early arrangements to supply a bell
 for the Roman Catholic Church at Bonnamallee
 similar in all respects to the Bell
 lately purchased for Protestant Churches.
 At Eng. Providence ✓
 Requisitioned Sept ✓
 Recd 11/12/44 ✓
 154-733 ✓
 6/28-11-74

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 No. 7437.

From.
 The Dy. Chief Secy.
 to Govt. P. Dept.

Dated 24th Nov/44.
 Recd 26th

Transferring
 a letter from the Dy.
 Secy. P. Dept.
 requesting that
 orders may be issued
 for the supply of
 a bell for the Roman
 Catholic Church at
 Bonnamallee.

With an order

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Govt. of 1874 Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Dist. Engr.
Presidency

Dated

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Bell for the Roman
Catholic Church at
Ponamallee The
Dist. Engr. Presidency to
arrange for the
supply of a Bell
for the Church