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No. 252c. Read the following endorsement of the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ootacamund, 14th April 1874:—

From the Rev. O. DENE, Principal and Secretary, Lawrence Asylum, to the Honourable D. F. CARMICHAEL, Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Ootacamund, dated Lovedale, 13th April 1874, No. 47.

In G. O., Department Public Works, dated 16th December 1873, No. 3,033, His Excellency the Governor in Council was pleased to sanction the transfer of certain buildings on the site of the proposed Female Asylum from the custody of the District Engineer to that of the Lawrence Asylum Committee.

Adjoining the buildings in question there is another building now in the occupation of a Serjeant of Sappers, whose duties are in no way connected with the Asylum. The Committee are anxious to obtain possession of this building to enable them to complete their scheme for housing the staff on the establishment, and I am to request His Excellency in Council may be pleased to direct its transfer to the Committee.

2. When the present block of main buildings, constituting the Asylum premises, was completed, the workshops, which the Department Public Works had erected in connection with the Asylum works, with the plant employed, were retained by the Department of Public Works at a valuation, as also a large amount of surplus bricks, scaffolding, limestone, sand, etc.

The Committee require these workshops for the Asylum staff, and they beg His Excellency in Council will be pleased to order the transfer of the workshops to the Committee. In one compartment of the workshops there is valuable machinery consisting of steam saw mills, planing machines, brick machines, all of which for a considerable time have been deteriorating from disuse. The Committee desire to have this machinery placed in their charge, and they believe that, if this was done, they could not only train up the boys to its use, as they have a Serjeant on the establishment perfectly competent to teach them, but eventually turn out a class of operatives superior to that found now in this Presidency, available for employment in the Gun Carriage Factory and other analogous institutions, and, in addition, make the workshops remunerative.

It is obvious that should the workshops be again required by the Department Public Works in connection with the enlargement of the Asylum, they could be re-transferred, or the most suitable arrangement apparent at the time made.

3. In regard to the surplus bricks, etc., now in the hands of the Department Public Works, the Committee ask that they may be allowed to use such of them as may be required. The Committee believe that the buildings now applied for, and the materials, were provided out of the Asylum assignments, and they solicit their transfer. The District Engineer has already expressed his willingness to make over all stock, etc., to the Committee at the valuation appearing in the books of the Department Public Works, and all plant and tools free of charge, on the orders of Government.

Transferred to the Public Works Department for disposal.

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

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
21st April 1874.

No. 252D. ORDER THEREON, 21st April 1874, No. 1,031P.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 30A.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council directs that the building at present in the occupation of the Serjeant of Sappers be vacated as soon as accommodation elsewhere can be provided, and that it be handed over to the Lawrence Asylum Committee.

2. The Workshop buildings will be also transferred, and the District Engineer will supply the Principal with a list of the machinery and plant now on the premises; the Principal will then submit an indent on the Public Works Department for such of the articles as may be required.

3. The surplus bricks, etc., referred to in paragraph 3 appear in the books of the department at a valuation, and can only be made over on payment. On these terms the District Engineer is authorized to transfer such stock articles as are needed. He will supply the Principal with a detailed list of them showing their cost as standing in his books.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Neilgherries.
" Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" Educational Department.
" Principal and Secretary, Lawrence Asylum.

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Lovedale 3-
13th April 1874.

From
The Principal Secretary
Lawrence Asylum

To
The Hr. Chief Secretary
to Government
Ootacamund

Sir.

In G.O. D.P.W. dated 16th December 1873, No 3033, H.E. the Governor in Council was pleased to sanction the transfer of certain buildings on the site of the proposed Female Asylum, from the custody of the District Engineer to that of the Lawrence Asylum Committee.

2. Adjoining the buildings in question there is another building now in the occupation of a Sergeant of Sappers whose duties are in no way connected with the Asylum. The Committee are anxious to obtain possession of this building to enable them to complete their scheme for housing the Staff on the Establishment, and I am to request H.E. in Council may be pleased to direct its transfer to the Committee.

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Colaba
14th April 1874.

Sd/ Manockji
Asst. Chief Secretary

To the Public Works Department.

Colaba 10th April 1874.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith a Petition addressed to the Municipal Commissioner for the Island of Bombay, praying for the grant of a piece of ground on the Esplanade Road in front of the Elphinstone Circle, for the purpose of erecting thereon a Temporary Shed for the sale of Fish during the Fish season.

2. I am to request that you will be pleased to move the Municipal Commissioner to report whether he has any objection to the grant of the piece of ground applied for, and if so, what rent he would propose to charge for it.

I have &c.

Sd/ [illegible]
Asst. Collector.

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From

The Ag. Chief Secy:

Dated 14th April 1874.
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Transmitting a letter from the Principal of the Lawrence Asylum requesting that certain buildings may be made over to the Lawrence Asylum Committee.

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