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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 16th December 1874.*

No. 320. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. GODDARD, R.E., District Engineer, Presidency, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 12th November 1874, No. 4,512 :—

I HAVE the honor to submit for sanction a plan, estimate, and specification report, amounting to Rupees 250, for constructing a shed for a fire engine at the main entrance of the Gun Carriage Manufactory.

1 Plan.
1 Abstract Estimate.
1 Specification.

2. The project has been approved of by the Superintendent of the Factory, the Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines, and His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

3. The Superintendent of the Factory states that the want of a shed has been very much felt for some time back. It is required for the fire engine and its appurtenances, so that they may be ready to hand for use whenever required. They have been hitherto kept in the open air, a practice which is objectionable, and has been reported by Mechanical Engineers to be injurious to the fire engines, or among the gun carriages and other vehicles under construction or repair in the workshops, which is a source of inconvenience, and, moreover, in both cases the small stores are apt to get lost.

4. The estimate provides for everything necessary; the rates are reasonable and sufficient, and no supplementary works will be hereafter required.

5. Funds may be granted from any source at the disposal of Government.

No. 321. ORDER THEREON, 16th December 1874, No. 3,535.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 10.

THE estimate, amounting to Rs. 250, is sanctioned, and funds are provided by transfer from the allotment for "Repairs, Military," at the Chief Engineer's disposal.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
*Secretary to Government.*

To the District Engineer, Presidency.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" Military Department.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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Abstract Estimate No 268 of 1894/95. 3E

Presidency District

Work. Constructing a Fire Engine shed at the Iron Carriage Manufactory.

| Quantity | Description of Work. | Rate | Amount. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 40½ | Cubic feet laying Concrete for fixing posts. ——— per C.ft. | 3 / - | 2 | 3½ | 5 12 10. |
| 36.. 5. | Cubic feet Teak Wood Wrought and put up. ——— per C.ft. | 2 | 14 | 9½ | 13 7. |
| 209 | Superficial feet Teak Wood planking ¾" thick overlapping 1 inch over the Rafters ——— per Sqre | 28 | — | 58 | 8 4. |
| 44 | Running feet Teak Wood Cornice Battens 3 × 1 3 set in with a Railing Door in front & complete around the sheet. ——— per R.ft | 1 | — | 44 | — |
| 1000 | Superficial feet Fine White Paint 2 Coats to Woodwork &c. per ft. | 3 | 8 - | 35 | — |
| | Excavating foundation and Sundry Charges &c. | — | — | 8 | 13 3. |
| | | | Total Rupees | 250 | — |

Fort Saint George
28th October 1894

Lieut Colonel
District Engineer Presidency

Compd C.V.

Specification to accompany an Estimate for Erecting a Fire Engine Shed in the Gun Carriage Factory.

Amount of Estimate Rs 250—

The shed is to be 16 feet long and 6 feet broad.

The roof is to be supported by six teakwood posts each 6"×6"×7' to be set in a bed of Concrete to 3'×1½×1½. The roof is to be tipped and covered in with plank Rs.

The whole shed is to be surrounded by wooden railings as per plan.

Fort Saint George
28th October 1874

Lieut Colonel
Executive Engineer Prsy.

Approved
Lieut Colonel
Supt G. Gun Factory
29.10.74

Comptd C.V.

Rs. Pie
Estimate 250 0 0
Contract 3220 0 0
Rs. 3470 0 0
Estimate 38 0 0
Rs. 3432 0 0
Add for Contingencies 0 0 0
Rs. 3432 0 0
Per Contingencies a Estimate
Estimate Shed at the Gun Carriage Factory
Fort St George
Presidency Dist. 28th Oct 1874

No: 4512.

From,

The District Engineer
Presidency.

To,

The Chief Engineer, and
Secretary to Government
Bombay.

Sir,

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I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedient servant
Jno Godson Lt. Col R.E.
District Engineer
Presidency

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The Distt. Engineer
Presidency.

To The Chief Engineer
P.W.

Dated 12th Novr 1874.
Recd. 15th Novr 1874.
No. 4512.

Encs.

C. E. No: 3535. 16-12-74.

Submits for sanction an estimate &c: amounting to Rs 250- for constructing a shed for a Fire Engine at the main entrance of the Gun Carriage Factory.

Sd/ [illegible]

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The Estimate amounting to Rs. 250 is sanctioned - and funds are provided by transfer from the Allotment for "Repairs Military" at the Chief Engineer's disposal.

Gnl.

D.E. Presidency
Comtr P.W. Accts
Mily Dept.

Despd 17/12/74.

M.C. 14/12

T.H. 12-74

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Govt. of {1874} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Dist. Engr.
Cuddalore.

Dated

Recd.

Encl. 3

G. O. 16 Dec 1874, No 3535

Nos. 320-321.

Shed Estimate amounting to Rs-250 for constructing a shed for a fire engine at the main entrance of the Gun Carriage Factory, sanctioned and funds provided by certain Transfer —