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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
30th March 1876.*

Read the following papers :—

No. 507. From Captain ROSS THOMPSON, R.E., District Engineer, Presidency, to Major-General G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 28th February 1876, No. 5,117.

On the 28th September 1875 the Collector of Madras in his letter No. 633 requested me to furnish him with a valuation of the buildings on the four pieces of land which have been recently purchased by Government for the new Lying-in Hospital.

2. A valuation statement was accordingly prepared as follows :—

	RS.
I.—A bungalow purchased from Nagojee Row—Public Works Department valuation	25,350
II.—A bungalow purchased from Basheam Moodelly—Public Works Department valuation	3,500
III.—A bungalow purchased from Basheam Moodelly's brothers—Public Works Department valuation	17,100
IV.—A half-built Church purchased from Mr. Sinclair—Public Works Department valuation	3,210

3. In G.O., No. 525, of 27th April 1875, in the Public Department, sanction was accorded to Dr. Harris, the Superintendent of the Lying-in Hospital, occupying building No. III. It was in a very dilapidated condition, but it has since been repaired and Dr. Harris now resides in it.

4. Buildings Nos. I. and II. are uninhabited, and two watchmen are employed to look after them at a cost of Rupees 12-10-8 per mensem.

5. If the Lying-in Hospital is not to be immediately built, it would, I think, be well to have these two buildings repaired slightly to prevent their falling into a dilapidated state and then, if possible, find tenants for them. I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to let me have instructions on this subject.

No. 508. From Surgeon-General E. G. BALFOUR, Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department, to Major-General G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 20th March 1876, No. 160.

I HAVE the honor to report to His Grace the Governor in Council that, with the view of giving effect to the Orders of Government* for the erection of a new Lying-in Hospital on the grounds occu-

pied by three houses on the northern side of the Pantheon Road, Mr. Chisholm, Surgeon-Majors Harris and Cornish, and myself thrice met to examine the grounds and consult with Mr. Chisholm as to the form in which the new institution should be constructed. Mr. Chisholm prepared plans in which modifications were suggested, but they were mislaid by him, and when recovered he was on the eve of departure for Europe. He intimated, however, that he would take them and return them from Suez, but they have never come to hand; and, as I think it inadvisable further to defer action, I recommend with the approbation of the Acting Sanitary Commissioner and the Superintendent of the Lying-in Hospital that the subject be referred to the Acting Consulting Civil Architect.

* G.O., No. 936, dated 24th August 1874, Public Department.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
30th March 1876.

No. 509. ORDER THEREON, 30th March 1876, No. 816.

ACCOUNT, No. 20-A.

THERE is no probability of funds being available for the construction of a new Lying-in Hospital before 1876-77, if then.

2. Under these circumstances there can be no objection to the existing bungalows being rented out from year to year. The District Engineer will therefore arrange accordingly; and spend such amount in repairs and maintenance as may be necessary.

3. The Acting Consulting Architect to Government will place himself in communication with the Superintendent of the Lying-in Hospital and the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department; and after ascertaining from them the extent and distribution of the accommodation required will proceed to design and estimate for the necessary buildings.

(True Extract.)

Major-General, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Acting Consulting Architect.
„ District Engineer, Presidency.
„ Public Department.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.
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No. 5717.

PRESIDENCY DISTRICT ENGINEER'S OFFICE,

Fort Saint George,

28 February 1876.

From

THE DISTRICT ENGINEER,

To

PRESIDENCY,

THE

Chief Engineer, and
Secretary to Govt M.D.

Sir,

On the 28th September 1875, the Collector of Madras, in his letter No. 633, requested me to furnish him with a valuation of the buildings on the four pieces of land which have been recently purchased by Government for the new Lying-in Hospital.

2. A valuation statement was accordingly prepared as follows:—

I. A bungalow purchased from Vagopel Row.

Estm. valuation = Rs 25,350.

II. A bungalow purchased from Basheem Modally.

Estm. valuation = Rs 3500.

III. A bungalow purchased from Basheem Modally's brothers.

Estm. valuation = Rs 17,100.

IV. A half built bhuch purchased from Mr. Sinclair.

Estm. valuation = Rs 2,210.

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a new Lying-in Hospital on the grounds occupied by
three houses on the northern side of the Pantheon road,
Mr. Clisholm, Surgeon Major Harris and Cornish and
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consult with Mr. Clisholm as to the form in which
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prepared plans in which modifications were suggested,
but they were mislaid by him and when recovered he
was on the eve of departure for Europe. He intimated,
however, that he would take them and return them
from Suez, but they have never come to hand and

Recommend with the approbation of the Acting
Sanitary Commissioner and the Superintendent of the
Lying-in Hospital that the subject be referred to the
Acting Consulting Civil Architect.

Have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Edw W. Malfour Surgeon General
Surgeon General S. M. D.

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P. M. 1876 Sept
No 1509.

From
The Secretary
Receiving
The Public Department
and

28th
Received July 16
No 5717.

2011: Sept 12/76 No 86.
Pub. No 27: April 1/75 No 525. origl
No 8: June 1/75 No 57.
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Requests me to
know as to whether
the building (under
for Sept. in. Work
can be repaired if
the work is not to
be immediately built.

2011: 1876 Sept
1876 No 2077

From
Surgeon-General E. BAIRD,
Surgeon-General,
Indian Medical Department,
Fort Saint George,
To
The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

Dated 20th March
Despatched 20th ---
Received 21st ---
No. 16a

Subject
States that plan for the
building in Hospital referred
to herein is not likely to be used,
and recommends that the subject be
referred to the off. Committee
and architect

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No 816. P. H. Dept
Proceedings of the Madras Government

Under date the 30th March 1876.
Read the following:-
The District Engineer } (No. 5117 of 28th July 1876)
Presidency

There is no probability of funds being available for the construction of a new Dispensary in St. Paul's before 1876-77, if then. [It is understood also that nothing has been done towards the preparation of the Plans & Estimates for such a building.] Under these circumstances there can be no objection to the existing Dispensaries being rented out from year to year - The Ds.

MM
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I think it would be as well to give the Government a notice to work by the end of the year.

Trust Engineer
will therefore
arrange record:
ingly; & spend
such amount
in repairs and
maintenance
as may be re-
quired -

The Asst. Comd.
Architect to Fort.
will place him-
self in commu-
nication with
the Supt. of the Eng-
ineering Hospital
and the Surgeon
Genl. J. M. D.; and
after ascertain-
ing from them
the extent and
distribution of
the accommodations
required, will
proceed to design
and estimate
for the necessary
buildings -

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W. W. W.

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Asst. Architect
of the
Presidency
Dated Sept 20

Report

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Let the Trustees

propose better

plans & estimates

W. W. W.

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12-3-13. BT

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Govt. of Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

The Commr. of Public Works

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3/3/76
G. O., 30 March 1876, No. 8/6

Nos.

25-4-76

Govt Engr is arranged for
the existing hospital being
rented out from Govt to Govt.

New Lying-in-hospital
Madras — The Consulting
Architect to place himself
in communication with the
Supt. of the Lying-in-hospital
& the Surg. Genl. Indian
Medical Dept with a view of
to the preparation of plan
and estimate for the —

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