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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

12th June 1878, No. 2,174 W.

Buildings and Roads.

Military Works.

Read the following papers:—

No. 105. Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department, dated 22nd May 1878, No. 2,525.

From Brigadier-General H. O'CONNELL, Quartermaster-General, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Fort St. George, 5th March 1878, No. 1,603.

THE Commander-in-Chief having approved the estimate marginally noted, I am

Enclosures 2.
Estimate (Rupees 580) for providing iron chains for the boundary of the enclosure of St. George's Magazine in Fort St. George.
Letter No. 201, dated 8th February 1878, from the Assistant Engineer, Fort and Southern Ranges, also forwarded, states that the work has been commenced and half the quantity of chain received from the Public Works Workshops.

directed by His Excellency to submit it for the consideration and orders of Government.

2. If approved by Government, it is requested that the papers may be forwarded to the Department Public Works for disposal.

No. 1,601.

REFERRED, with His Grace the Governor's note, to the Public Works Department, with a request that the information required by His Grace may be obtained from the District Engineer, and that the papers may be returned.

Fort St. George,
27th March 1878.

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

From Major R. THOMPSON, R.E., District Engineer, Presidency, to the Chief Engineer, Buildings and Roads, dated Fort St. George, 16th April 1878, No. 313.

With reference to your memorandum, No. 1,587, of 29th March 1878, I have the honor to report that the work was carried out in anticipation of sanction, as it was one of necessity, and the Commissary of Ordnance, Fort St. George, requested that it might be completed at an early date.

2. The chain was obtained from the Public Works Stores.
3. The work has been completed and expenditure consequently stopped.

From the same Officer, dated 10th May 1878, No. 814.

In reply to your memorandum, No. 1,830, of 24th April 1878, I have the honor to explain that the Magazine was without a fence, that it is in a very exposed situation near the family quarters, liable to constant trespass, and that the Commissary of Ordnance had requested that the work might be carried out at an early date. Under these circumstances, I considered that "the work was one of necessity," that it would be most certainly sanctioned by Government as such, and that therefore I would not be out of order in allowing it to be carried out in anticipation of the estimate being sanctioned.

2. As my action in this matter has however been objected to, I beg to express my regret that I did not follow the strictly official routine.

No. 2,136.

TRANSFERRED to the Military Department, with reference to endorsement, No. 1,601, dated 27th March 1878, and the original reference returned.

OSTACAMUND,
14th May 1878.

(Signed) E. A. FOORD, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

TRANSFERRED to the Public Works Department.

2. His Grace the Governor in Council directs that the District Engineer, Presidency, be informed that there was no urgency in the case to justify his having executed the work without sanction.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

No. 106. ORDER THEREON, 12th June 1878, No. 2,474 W.

THE estimate of Rupees 580 for providing iron chains for the boundary of the enclosure of St. George's Magazine in the Fort is sanctioned.

2. The attention of the District Engineer, Presidency, is called to paragraph 2 of the foregoing order in the Military Department.

3. This sanction has been registered as Imperial No. 30 B of 1878-79.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. A. FOORD, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

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

Edw. C. Howarth.

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Capt. of (1873) 3rd Regt.
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THE DISTRICT ENGINEER
FORT AND SOUTHERN RANGES

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St. George's Hospital to Port St. George.
The estimate for doing for the boundary
of the sanctioned.

Fort St. George
No. 201. 8th February 1878
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From The Assistant Engineer
Fort and Southern Ranges
To The District Engineer
Presidency
Sir,

With reference to your letter of 16th November 1877 I have the honor to report as follows.

1. On receipt of the order in question, I directed the Fort Engineer to prepare an approximate estimate for putting up galvanizing wire chain around the enclosure, preparing as soon as this was ready to submit a report.

2. In order to prepare the estimate, I wrote to the workshops on the 24th November 1877 and sent them a sketch requesting to know the price of galvanizing wire chain.

3. On the 14th December the workshop replied that they had only 1 Chain in stock of the dimensions required which was obviously "no reply" to my letter, but in order to avoid further delay, I sent an order for the chain required stating that the exact dimensions given, need not be adhered to, and up to date about half the quantity of chain indicated for, has been received.

A. With this explanation
as to why the work has been
commenced, I would forward an
estimate amounting to Rs. 500—
and request to know whether I
may continue it to completion.

I have seen

Miss Anna R. Dudley, N. H. C.
 I just sent you a copy of
 Lord's Prayer

(true copy)

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Public Works Department

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 12 June 1878

Read the following

Plan of the Madras Coast
Military Dept. H. F. No 1000 of 1878

The estimate of Rs 500 for providing iron chains for the boundary of the enclosure of St. George's Magazine in the Fort is sanctioned.

The attention of the District Engineer, Presidency, is called to paragraph 2 of the foregoing order in the Military Department.

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Ch. Brantley
Esq. S. P. Clerk
July: Report of
H. F. No 1000 of 1878

This sanction has been registered as Imperial No 5013 of 1878-79.

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St. George's Magazine, in Vol.
St. George

The estimate for chains
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