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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

20th November 1878, No. 4,418 W.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

Read the following papers:—

No. 232. Endorsement of the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Judicial Department, dated Ootacamund, 11th October 1878, No. 1,887.
From Lieutenant-Colonel T. E. TENNANT, Inspector-General of Jails, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Ootacamund, 10th October 1878, No. 201.

THE present gallows at Salem is in such a rotten and dilapidated condition that a new gallows must be erected; I have therefore the honor to forward for sanction the accompanying plan and estimate, amounting to Rupees 605, for constructing a new gallows at Salem.

2. The plan and estimate were originally prepared for the gallows erected at Tanjore. The District Engineer at Salem has been consulted and reports that the rates shown in the Tanjore estimate are suitable for Salem. With the approval of Government, I propose to have the wood work and the greater part of the iron work prepared in the Salem Central Jail; moreover convict labor can be placed at the disposal of the District Engineer for setting up the masonry work. By this arrangement a considerable saving in the estimate will be effected.

3. Funds are not available for the work from the Jail budget or Convict Labor Fund; I therefore request that the necessary amount may be allotted from Provincial Funds as the work is urgent.

TRANSFERRED to the Public Works Department.

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Acting Chief Secy.

No. 232-A. From Major J. PENNYCUICK, R.E., District Engineer, Salem, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Salem, 9th November 1878, No. 237 SL.

With reference to your No. 4,654 of 15th ultimo, I have the honor to forward
One Estimate. for the sanction of Government an estimate
" Plan. for Rupees 605 for constructing a gallows
" original Letter with Estimate returned. at Salem; deducting convict labor for wood
and masonry work, the estimate will come
to Rupees 500.

No. 233. ORDER THEREON, 20th November 1878, No. 4,418 W.

THE plan and estimate of Rupees 500 for a gallows at Salem are sanctioned.
2. Funds are appropriated from the Provincial Reserve.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Judicial Department.
Ed. E. C. Shunker.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of (1878) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
FOURTH CIRCLE.
&c. &c. &c.

Dated November 20th.

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 20th November 1878, No. 4,418 W.

NOVEMBER

No. 232-233.

Enclosed at the Salem District Jail - Salem
plans and estimate and appropriation
funds for constructing a -

Office of Insp. Genl. of Jails
Cotacammund 10th October 1878.

From

St. Colonel J. E. Tennant
Inspector General of Jails
Cotacammund

To The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
Cotacammund

Sir,

The present gallows at Salem
is in such a rotten and delapidated
condition that a new gallows must
be erected. I have therefore the honor
to forward for sanction the accompanying
plan and estimate amounting to Rs (605)
six hundred and five for constructing
a new gallows at Salem.

2. The plan and estimate were ori-
ginally prepared for the gallows erected
at Tanjore. The District Engineer
at Salem has been consulted and

reports

reports that the rates shown in the
Tanjore estimate are suitable for Salem.
With the approval of Government
I propose to have the wood work
and the greater part of the iron
work prepared in the Salem Central
jail, moreover Convict labour can
be placed at the disposal of the
District Engineer for setting up
the masonry work. By this arrange-
ment a considerable saving in the
estimate will be effected.

3. Funds are not available for
the work from the Jail Budget or
Convict Labour Fund I therefore
request that the necessary amount
may be allotted from Provincial
Funds, as the work is urgent.

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I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
H. Muncie
Imp. Genl. of Sails

No. 1887

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Transferred to the Public Works Department.

Ad. account
11. 2/10/78

Master
Ag. Chief Secretary

to the Public Works Department. PM 12.45/78

Forwarding for sanction
Plan and estimate for
Rs. 605 for constructing
a new gallows at
Salem Jail

C. N. 201.

Subd 10th
Recd 11th October 1878

Subd 10th / 11th / 1878
The Chief Secretary to Govt.
Public Works Department
Ad. account

Not Enclosed.

O. L. Seal: 52 Oct.

No. 237 B

District Engineer's Office,
Salem 9th November 1878.

From The District Engineer
of Salem.
To The Chief Engineer,
P. W. D.

Sir,
With reference to your No. 465
of 15th Ultimo, I have the honor to
forward for the sanction of
Government an estimate for
Rs 605 for constructing a gallows
at Salem; deducting Convict labor
for wood and Masonry work the
estimate will come to Rs 500.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obed^t. Servant,
R. B. S.
Major R. E.,
District Engineer, Salem.

From 12/7/40
The District Engineer,
Salem.

To the Chief Engineer,
D. P. W.

Dated 9th November 1878
Recd. 12/3

N^o 237 SL
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Forwarding for the
caution of Government
an estimate of Rs. 605
for construction of
gallows at the Salem Central
Jail.

N^o 4418 W Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 20th Novr 1878

Read the following:—

Endorsement in the Judicial Dept. (N^o. 1887 of 11th Octr. 78)

From The District Eng^r. Salem (N^o. 237 of 9th Novr.)

The plan and
estimate of Rs 500 for
a Gallows at Salem
are sanctioned.

Funds must be found
or a shabby thing
a scandal. The work
is urgent.

No funds are at
present available for
the work. 15.11.78

ask Financial.
If it is the fact that Rs. 500
can be found in P.W.D.

Funds are appropriated
from the Provincial

S. C. 4th Circle & M. for 21-11-78. This sanction has
been registered as Prov.
Judicial Dept. 2-12-78 No. 1573 of 10/12/79

Estab. 15/11

Salon Tanjore District
 Salon Tanjore Division
 Salon Tanjore Taluk
 No. 118
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 Constructing a Gallows at Tanjore
 Estimate No. 1 of 1878-79 Rs 605

Measure-
 ment
 No. L B D Cont. Description of work Rate Per Amtt.

Foundation

2 $2\frac{1}{4}$ $2\frac{1}{4}$ 6 $60\frac{3}{4}$ Pillars for supporting large wooden posts
 2 $2\frac{1}{4}$ $2\frac{1}{4}$ $4\frac{1}{2}$ $45\frac{3}{16}$ Do for small posts
 1 $19\frac{3}{4}$ $1\frac{7}{8}$ 3 $111\frac{3}{32}$ Front wall of pinioning room
 1 $24\frac{1}{4}$ $1\frac{7}{8}$ 3 $136\frac{13}{32}$ Rear wall of do
 2 $4\frac{1}{2}$ $1\frac{7}{8}$ 3 $50\frac{7}{8}$ End wall of do

Superstructure.

1 $16\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $1\frac{1}{2}$ $18\frac{9}{16}$ Basement in front of posts
 1 $4\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{4}$ $1\frac{1}{2}$ $1\frac{1}{16}$ }
 1 21 $\frac{3}{4}$ $1\frac{1}{2}$ $23\frac{5}{8}$ Rear basement
 2 $12\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $1\frac{1}{2}$ $27\frac{9}{16}$ } End basement
 2 $8\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{1}{2}$ $15\frac{15}{32}$ }
 1 19 $1\frac{1}{8}$ $7\frac{1}{4}$ $154\frac{3}{32}$ Front wall of pinioning room
 1 19 $\frac{7}{16}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ 8 Do above do
 1 $23\frac{1}{2}$ $1\frac{1}{8}$ $7\frac{1}{4}$ $191\frac{43}{64}$ Rear wall of do
 1 $23\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{7}{16}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $9\frac{7}{8}$ Do above do
 2 $5\frac{3}{4}$ $1\frac{1}{8}$ $7\frac{1}{4}$ $85\frac{41}{64}$ End walls do
 2 $6\frac{3}{8}$ $\frac{9}{16}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $5\frac{89}{128}$ do above do
 947 $\frac{15}{128}$

$\frac{25}{94\frac{1}{2}}$ Brought forward

2 $4\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{5}{6}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $5\frac{7}{8}$ } Deduct for Post

2 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $3\frac{3}{8}$ }
1 $11\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{8}$ $13\frac{3}{32}$ } do door

2 $16\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{4}$ $4\frac{3}{16}$ } do wall plate

$\frac{26\frac{13}{32}}$ Total deduction

921 Cft. of Brick in chunam @ 23 cts 129

Concrete work for flooring & steps

1 $14\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{7}{8}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $69\frac{15}{32}$ Under slab form & around posts

2 $3\frac{1}{2}$ $4\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $15\frac{3}{4}$ } Pinioning room

1 9 $2\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $10\frac{1}{8}$ }
2 $6\frac{3}{4}$ $5\frac{7}{8}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $37\frac{31}{32}$ In rear

1 $2\frac{1}{4}$ $5\frac{1}{4}$ 1 $11\frac{13}{16}$ }
1 $5\frac{7}{8}$ 6 1 $33\frac{3}{4}$ } Step

1 $8\frac{1}{4}$ 6 4 198 }
 $\frac{376\frac{1}{8}}$ Total

4 $2\frac{1}{4}$ $2\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $10\frac{7}{8}$ Deduct for pillars

$\frac{366}$ Cft. of concrete well rammed

Plastering

186 $\frac{1}{2}$ 11 Basement all round

1 $\frac{1}{2}$ $10\frac{1}{2}$ do between pillars

1 19 8 152 Front wall of pinioning room outside

1 19 8 152 Rear do. & side do.

2 $7\frac{1}{2}$ 8 120 End wall of pinioning outside

1 $16\frac{3}{4}$ $7\frac{1}{4}$ $12\frac{1}{16}$ Front wall do inside

1 $2\frac{1}{4}$ $7\frac{1}{4}$ $15\frac{1}{16}$ Rear do do

Carried over

Brought forward

175.43

2 $5\frac{1}{4}$ $7\frac{1}{4}$ $7\frac{6}{8}$ End wall of pinioning room inside

1 9 6 54 Top of step

1 $6\frac{3}{4}$ 6 $40\frac{1}{2}$ Ends of do

924 Squares of Plastering with 2 coats 28. sq 23 19

Ironing

1 $6\frac{5}{8}$ $4\frac{1}{8}$ $27\frac{21}{64}$ } Pinioning room

2 $5\frac{3}{8}$ $6\frac{3}{8}$ $68\frac{9}{32}$ }

96 Squares of Ironing with one

course of brick on edge one

layer of jelly 3" three courses of

flat tiles & plastering inside &

outside 2 coats at 28. sq 26 141

Wood work

6 $6\frac{3}{8}$ $\frac{1}{6}$ $\frac{1}{3}$ $2\frac{1}{8}$ } Joists for pinioning room

7 $4\frac{1}{8}$ $\frac{1}{6}$ $\frac{1}{3}$ $1\frac{29}{48}$ }

2 $16\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{4}$ $4\frac{3}{16}$ Wall plates

2 $21\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $24\frac{3}{16}$ Large posts

1 $12\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{7}{8}$ $\frac{5}{8}$ $6\frac{107}{128}$ Cross pieces for connecting posts

2 12 $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $13\frac{1}{2}$ Small posts

1 $9\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{7}{8}$ $\frac{5}{8}$ $5\frac{25}{128}$ Connecting piece

2 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{7}{8}$ $2\frac{1}{4}$ End frame pieces

1 $1\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $1\frac{3}{16}$ Centre do

2 $7\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $3\frac{9}{8}$ Side do

1 $9\frac{3}{4}$ 3 $\frac{1}{6}$ $4\frac{1}{8}$ } Planks for slab form

1 8 $3\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{6}$ $4\frac{1}{3}$ }

$\frac{73\frac{29}{32}}$ Cft. Teak wood wrought & fitted @ 3 12. cts 277 2.4

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PUBLIC WORKS.

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Nos. 232 & 233

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Central Jail. Sanctions
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