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P.W. DEPARTMENT

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

6th February 1878, No. 614 W.

General

Establishment.

Read the following papers :—

No. 52. From Major J. PENNYCUICK, R.E., District Engineer, Salem, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Senkery, 11th January 1878, No. 172 S L.

With reference to G.O., No. 2,142 W, of 18th December 1877, I have the honor to report that in this office a list of Government books is kept and the Head Clerk has the charge of them.

2. The office furniture is hardly sufficient for the safe custody of the records. For want of a book-case, the books are kept partly in bullock trunks and partly in a small almirah.

3. I would take this opportunity of suggesting that a grant be given for the purchase of a glass-case for the safe custody of the books, and also a big almirah for records.

No. 52-A. From the same Officer, dated Salem, 29th January 1878, No. 190 S L.

With reference to your memorandum, No. 292, of the 16th January 1878, I have the honor to report that the scale of office furniture laid down in G.O., No. 1,934, of 2nd August 1873, is maintained in this office; but the existing almirahs (one large and three very small) are quite inadequate for the safe custody of records and books. Part of the records, books, and stationery are placed in insecure deal-wood boxes, which are easily attacked by white ants.

2. The want of proper provision for the custody of books and records not only renders these liable to injury, but greatly interferes with the proper disposal of office work, owing to the difficulty of finding any particular paper.

3. It may be added that the records and correspondence have greatly increased of late.

4. Under these circumstances I request that you will be good enough to obtain the sanction of Government for the purchase of the under-mentioned furniture :—

1 Glass-case for books	...	...	...	...	...	...	RS.
1 Large almirah	...	...	...	...	...	...	50
							60

No. 53. ORDER THEREON, 6th February 1878, No. 614 W.

THE additional furniture is sanctioned. Funds may be applied for after 1st April next.

2. This sanction has been registered as Imperial No. 105 B of 1877-78.

(True Extract.)

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

To the District Engineer, Salem.
,, Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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GENERAL
ESTABLISHMENT.

Govt. of (1878) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE DISTRICT ENGINEER,
SALEM,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated February 6th.

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 614 February 1878, No. 614 W.

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Nos. 52-53.

Additional furniture for the District
Engineer's Office, Salem, sanctioned.

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District Engineer's Office, 6/1/78
Salem 11th January 1878.

No 172 SE

From

The District Engineer,
Salem.

To

The Secretary to Government,
D. S. W.

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,

your most Obedt. Servant.

Thos. Pendergast Major, R.E.,
District Engineer.

G.O. 1934-2^d Sept/73-
Inis No. 2142 W. 18th Dec/77.

From
The District Engineer
of Salem.

To
The Secretary to Government
D. P. W.

Dated 11th } January 1878
Rec^d. }
No. 172 SL

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No. 190 SL

District Engineer's Office,
Salem 29th January 1878.

From
The District Engineer,
Salem.

To
The Chief Engineer,
D. S. W.

Sir,

With reference to your Memo-
randum No. 292 of the 15th January
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3. It may be added that the records and correspondence have greatly increased of late.

4. Under these circumstances, I request that you will be good enough to obtain the sanction of Government for the purchase of the undermentioned furniture:-

- 1 Glass case for books - Rs. 50
- 1 Large almirah - " 60.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

your most Obedt. Servant.

John C. J. Major, R.E.,

District Engineer.

From
The District Engineer,
Salem.

To
The Chief Engineer,
D. P. W.

Dated 29th January 1878.
Recd.

N^o 190 SB

Office Memorandum. -

Requesting to obtain
the sanction of Govern-
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of the within-mentioned.

CC No 292 (vide C No. 488.
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N^o 614 W Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the

6th Feb 1878.

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The additional fur-
niture is sanctioned.
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for after 1st April next.

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This sanction has been
registered as Provincial No 277 B
of 1877-78.

Stdyr. Salem
By Mr. A. B.

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H. R. S.

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Govt. of Madras
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

Mr. N. C. Selam.
W. J. Selam.
8-2-78

Dated

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G. O. 6 July 1878, No. 615 W

Nos.

*Additional furniture for
the District Engineer's Office.
Selam. sanctioned*

W. J. Selam.