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GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

P.W.D. DEPARTMENT

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

21st December 1880, No. 2,917 W.

Buildings and Roads.
Military Works.

Read the following paper:—

No. 79. From Major H. R. MEAD, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Second Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Coimbatore, 19th October 1880, No. 346.

With reference to G.O., No. 354 W., dated 16th February 1880, I have the honor to submit, for sanction and allotment of funds, a plan and estimate (together with a report) amounting to Rs. 25,800 for demolishing the east and west blocks and renewing the remaining portions of

- 1 Plan.
- 1 Estimate.
- 1 Report.
- 1 Specification.

the old European Barracks at Poonamallee in Chingleput Division.

2. The estimate has been approved of by the Military Authority.

I request that the estimate may be sanctioned as soon as possible in order that the work may be put in hand, the barracks being required for the accommodation of the troops at Poonamallee.

3. There is a budget allotment of Rs. 20,000 (item I) for the works at Poonamallee this official year; of this Rs. 5,600 are required to complete the three Staff Sergeants' quarters, leaving Rs. 14,400 available for this work this official year.

4. The estimate now submitted is in addition to those sanctioned in G.O., No. 465 W., dated 19th February 1879, and, should they be sanctioned, application will be made for transfer from budget item I of the Rs. 14,400 for the work, as the Military Authorities wish it to be carried out as soon as practicable.

No. 79-A. From Suptg. Engr., Second Circle, dated 30th Oct. 1880, No. 365.
No. 79-B. From " " " " " 12th Nov. " " 382.

No. 80. ORDER THEREON, 21st December 1880, No. 2,917 W.

With the papers read above the Superintending Engineer, Second Circle, submits plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 25,105 (as corrected in the Chief Engineer's Office) for demolishing the east and west blocks, and for renewing the north and south blocks of the old European Barracks at Poonamallee, in accordance with the instructions contained in G.O., No. 354 W., of 16th February 1880. He also re-submits for reference the estimates for the other works connected with the project

which have already been sanctioned by the Government of India in their letter recorded with G.O., No. 465 W., of 19th February 1879. To allow of the work being proceeded with during the current official year, the Superintending Engineer proposes to utilize Rs. 14,400 from the appropriation made for the barracks for European Troops at Poonamallee, item No. 1 of the Imperial Military Works budget for 1880-81.

2. Ordered that the plan and estimate be forwarded for the sanction of the Government of India.

(Here enter No. 2,918 W., dated 21st December 1880.)

(True Extract.)

Major, R.E.,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Second Circle.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Military Department.



BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of (1880) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

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

Dated December, 21st.

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 21st December 1880, No. 2,917 W.

DECEMBER.
Nos. 79-80.

Old European Barracks at Poonamallee.
—Plan and estimate for demolishing the
east and west blocks and renewing the
north and south blocks of the —, forwarded
for the sanction of the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Military Works.

No. 2,918 W.

No. 81.

FROM

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,
Public Works Department,

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
Public Works Department.

SIR,—I am directed to forward, for the sanction of the Government of India, the accompanying plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 25,105, for demolishing the east and west blocks and renewing the north and south blocks of the old European Barracks at Poonamallee. The dangerous state of this building was brought to the notice of this Government by the Military Authorities in February last, as will be seen from the accompanying copy of G.O., No. 354 W., of 16th February 1880.

2. The amount of the present estimate is in addition to that of Rs. 2,70,506 sanctioned by the Government of India in their letter, No. 151 M.W., dated 12th February 1879.

3. I am to request that early sanction may be accorded to the plan and estimate now submitted, as it is proposed to utilize on this work during the current official year Rs. 14,400 from the appropriation made for the barracks for European troops at Poonamallee, item No. 1 of the Imperial Military Works budget for 1880-81.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Major, R.E.,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
21st December 1880.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
MILITARY WORKS.

Govt. of (1880) Madras
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

Dated December, 21st.

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 21st December 1880, No. 2,918 W.

DECEMBER.

No. 61.

FORWARDS for sanction plan and estimate
for demolishing the east and west blocks
and renewing the north and south blocks of
the old European Barracks at Poonamallee.

No. 346

Superintending Engineer's Office
Second file
Coimbatore, 19th October 1880.

From,

The Superintending Engineer
Second file

To,

The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department.

Sir,

Enclosures

1. Plan

1. Estimate

1. Report

1. Specification

With reference to G.O. No. 354 W
dated 16th February 1880, I have the honor to
submit for sanction and allotment of funds
a plan and estimate (together with a report)
amounting to Rs 25,800 for demolishing the
East and West blocks and renewing the
remaining portions of the old European Barracks
at Poonamallee in Chengelpet Division.

2. The estimate has been approved
of by the Military authority.

I request that the estimate
may be sanctioned as soon as possible
in order that the work may be put in hand
the barracks being required for the accommodation
of the troops at Poonamallee.

3. There is a budget allotment
of Rs 20,000 (Item I) for the works at Poonamallee
this official year; Of this Rs 5,000 are required
to complete the 3 staff sergeant Quarters leaving
Rs 14,400 available for this work this official year.

A. The estimate now submitted is
in addition to those sanctioned in G.O. No.
4654 dated 19th February 1879 and should
they be sanctioned application will be made
for transfer from Budget Item I of the ^{Rs} 14400
for the work as the Military authorities
wish it to be carried out as soon as practicable.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most Obedt servant

M. M. M. — Major &c

Superintending Engineer

Second file

31.12.78 hu 4075W
2d. 5. - 2317 W
19.2.79 465 W
16.2.80 354 W

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From

The Superintending Engineer,
Second Circle.

Co No 2401 d/28 Oct 78

Dated 19th }
Recd: 20th } October 80.

No. 346.

Enc. 4.

+ sent to G. India.

Old European Barracks
at Poonamallee:—

Submitting for
sanction & allotment of
funds, plan & estimate
(together with report) of Rs.
25800 for demolishing East
and West blocks, & of removing
the remaining portion
of the —.

See
G.O.

No 365

From,

The Superintending Engineer
Second Circle

To,

The Chief Engineer

Public Works Department

Sir,

In reply to your Memo. No. 2401
dated 28th October 1880 I have the honor to
inform you that the original detailed estimate
for additions and alterations to the European
Barracks at Poonamallee is not in my office
and to save delay as it is most important
that the estimates for re-roofing the Barracks
should be sanctioned and put in hand at
once. I have the honor to report that I fear
there has been a repetition in the estimates
and the amount required for removing the
East and West Ranges for which Rs. 385 is
allowed in the former estimate, see G.O. No.
2316 W dated 28th May 1878 repeated in the
estimate forwarded with my letter No. 346
dated 19th October.

I will write for the original estimate
called for and should you think necessary
it shall be forwarded to you.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most Obedt servant

M. M. M. — Major
Superintending Engineer
Second Circle

No 2429

Memo

P.W.D.

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No 365

The Sup. Engineer
Second Circle

Adverting to para 2 of letter No 365 of 30th Oct. 1880, it is necessary that the original detailed estimates for additions and alterations to the European Barracks at Poonamallee should be submitted for reference, as the revised estimate must be corrected prior to the paper being laid before the Govt of India, whose sanction to the project is required under Code rules. No time should be lost therefore in submitting the estimates called for.

(By Order)

Sy. L.N.

Dy. Ch.

4 Nov 80

S. & 2nd Circle

Sub. M.

Dated 4-11-80

28.10.80 No 2407 Cl.

Dated 30th Oct. 1880
Despt: }

No. 365.

European Barracks
at Poonamallee. -

Inform that the original & detailed estimate for addition and alteration to the — is not in the office

With Memo

No. 382

Superintending Engineer Office
2nd Circle

Formbators 12 November 1880

From The Superintending Engineer
2nd Circle

To The Chief Engineer

P.W. Department
Madras

Sir,

Enclosures
29 Estimates
1 List
30, by rough

With reference to your Memo No 2429 dated 4th Instant I have the honor to forward 29 original detailed Estimates as per list accompanying, amounting in all to Rupees 270,506 for the additions and alterations to the European Barracks at Poonamallee and to inform you that the sum of Rs 385, alluded to in my letter No 365 dated 30th October 1880, for demolishing the East and West blocks of the Barracks has been included in the sanctioned Estimate of Rs 270,506.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your Most Obedt. Servant

M. M. Major R.
Superintending Engineer Office

P.W.L

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From

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The Superintendent,
Second Circle.

Dated 12th
Sept: 13th } Nov: 1880.

No: 382

Enc: 30

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No 8079

Poonamallee Barracks:—

Forwarding the
original detailed Estimates
for additions & alterations
to the —, and informing
that No: 385 for demolish-
ing East & West Blocks
of the Barracks has been
included in the sanctioned
estimate of No. 290506

Recd 11-12-80 R 20-12-80.

Cr 3-12-80. Rd 9-12-80.

G.O. 2317 W. 28.5.78.
 — 4875 W. 31.12.78.
 — 465 W. 19.2.79.
 — 354 W. 16.2.80.
 Cr. 2429. 4.11.80.

P. W. SECRETARIAT—1878-80.

KEEP-WITH.

Current No. 68954/7229.

Letter No. 3654/382.

Dated the 30th Oct. & 12th Nov. 80.

from the Supg Engr. 2nd Circle.

Note of Remarks.

The Estimate for demolishing the East & West Blocks & renewing the North & South Blocks of the Old European Barracks at Ponnammallee in the Chingleput District has been compared with the Original Estimate & the sum of Rs 383 for demolishing the East & West Blocks of the Barracks, has been included in the sanctioned Estimate of Rs 270,506. See G.O. No 2317 M. dt. 28th May 1878.

Repairing the Roof of the North & South blocks, has also been provided for in the Original Estimate. The Estimate now submitted provides for removing & reconstructing the Roof & fixing Ventilators along the Ridge. The Rates were in accordance with the District Schedule.

The Estimate has been approved of & Committee signed by the Dy Commr 2nd Mr. Sub Col.

26th Nov. 1880.

Cr. 3.12.80 & 20.12.80.

P. W. S.

Note

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With reference to the remarks on the accompanying draft order the undersigned has the honor to explain that the estimate as originally submitted amounted to Rs 25,000, but that after the note of remarks was written it was found that the sum of Rs 695 for demolishing the East and West blocks and for repairing the roof of the North and South blocks was included in the estimate for Rs 270,506 sanctioned by G.O. No 2317 M. dt. 28th May 1878.

2. The sum actually requiring sanction was therefore Rs 25,105, and this amount was entered in the draft.

C. M. Lambey Col. R. E.

Secy. to Govt.

P. W. S.

11th Decr 1880.

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Sum Rs
 Draft cleared

W. S.

Mr W. Henderson

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Print room

By W.

The order came
in - The City
has been made
plain.

yes & 11/24

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List with 29 Estimates
from Superintendents
2^d Circle with No. 382
of 12th Nov. 1880, sent
in another cover.

P.W.D

17 NOV 80

No. 382

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Office by mistake

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List of Estimates sanctioned in connection
with the Barracks at Poona Malles.

No.	Name of works	Amount of Estimate	
1	Barracks for 200 men	142,000	
2	Cook room do	3,185	
3	Lavatory do	16,700	
4	Dry earth Latrine do	5000	
5	Family Quarters 1 st class	22,600	} will follow.
6	18 do do 2 nd do	50,400	
7	3 do do 3 rd do	9,300	} will follow.
8	Removing East & West Ranges of existing Barracks	385	
9	Alterations of N.E. Range to form 7 th for married Sergeants	2,160	
10	do of S. W. do do	1,700	
11	do of S.E. do do	2500	
12	do of N.W. do do	1150	
13	Removing women's wash house attached to Barracks	23	
14	Removing Cook room of S. E. Corner of Barracks	70	
15	Converting present Guard room into Solitary Cells	100	
16	Construct 2 Solitary Cells	757	
17	Partition wall to the W. Latrine	30	
18	Converting Store room 4 th into Kitchen for Serjt Mess and Serjt Majors Quarters	320	
19	Converting ridge Ventilation 4 th into Counters	520	
20	Garrison Serjt Majors Quarters Front & rear Verandah	470	
C O		259,380	

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Note by Budget Section.

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	B. Over	259,380
21	Loose Barracks ridge Ventilator	850
22	Removing and Reconstructing Latrine	920

Depot Hospital

23	Supply Apothecary's Quarters	7150
24	Raising walls of No 2 ward adding ridge Ventilator & Removing No 1 & 3 wards	1115
25	Removing part of Western Range	250
26	Adding ridge Ventilator to Northern Range	4456
27	Removing out houses	130
28	Removing temporary Hospital	300
29	Removing Ball Alley	260

274,811

Deduct value of old materials 4305

Total Rupees. 2,70,506

Work Demolishing the East & West Blocks & renewing the North & South Blocks of the Old European Barracks Poonamallee.

Fund Imperial Military-

Class original Works

Amount of estimate Rs. 25,415 25,105-0-0

Expenditure in previous year "

Allotment in current year "

Balance required to complete " 25,15 25,105-0-0

Total Rs. 25,415 25,105-0-0

Note of available funds.

In his letter No 346 of the 19th October 1880 the S. E. proposes to carry on the work from the provision in the current year's Budget for the Barracks at Poonamallee. The present estimate forms a part of that project.

S.F.

Budget Superintendent.

26/4/80

4 Nov 1880

Assistant Engineer
Chingleput District

L.N.

Barracks
Poonamallee
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Note by Budget Section.

No 2917 W

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 21st Dec 1880

Read the following:—

From the S. E. 2nd circle (N.E. No. 348 of 20 Oct 80)
From the Super Engineer 2nd Circle (N.E. No. 365 of 30th Oct 80)
" " " " " " (N.E. No. 382 of 12th Nov 80)

With the papers sent
above the Super Engineer,
2nd Circle, submit plan
and estimate amounting
to Rs 25,105 (as corrected
in the Chief Engineer's office)
for demolishing the east
and west blocks and
for renewing the north
and south blocks of the
old European Barracks
at Poonamallee, in ac-
cordance with the
instructions contained
in G.O. No. 354 of 16th Dec 80

February 1880. He also re-
-submit for reference the
estimates for the other works
connected with the project
which have already been
sanctioned by the Govt.
of India in their letter
recorded with A. O. No. 4654
of 19th February 1879. In addition
of the work being proceeded
with during the current
official year, the Supy.
Engineer proposes to re-
utilize Rs 14,000 from the
appropriation made for
the Barracks for European
Troops at Poonaallee,
Item No. 1 of the Imperial
Military Works Budget
for 1880-81.

2. Ordered that the plans
and

29/2-18
and estimate be forwarded
for the sanction of the
Government of India.

N.E. No. 2918 & 2911 Recd 30

To
The Secy. to the Govt.
of India, P. H. D.

Sir,

I am directed to forward
for the sanction of the
Government of India

the accompanying plans
and estimate amounting
to Rs 25,105 for demolishing
the east and west blocks
and renewing the north
and south blocks of the
old European Barracks
at Poonaallee. The
dangerous state of this
building was brought to

Supy. Engr. 2nd Circle
Engr. P. H. Acco:
Military Department

the nature of this work
by the military authorities
in February last as will
be seen from the accom-

-panying copy of L. C. No.
354 of 16 February 1880.

2. The amount of the present
estimate is in addition
to that of Rs 2,70,506
sanctioned by the Govt
of India in their letter
No 151 M. H. dated 12 Feb. 1879.

3. I am to request that early
sanction may be accorded to the
plan and estimate now
submitted as it is pro-
posed to utilize on this
work during the current
official year Rs 14,400 from
the appropriation made
for the Barracks for

The note on the
estimate says the
sum for which
has been included
in the estimate
of Rs 2,70,506
+ also some of
the expenses for
the work
but this sum
of Rs 2,70,506
is the sum for
the work
Subnd.

There is
the sum
of Rs 14,400
of the appropriation

European Troops at
Poonamallee Station
of the Imperial Military
Works Budget for 1880-81.

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Despd to Secy India
with plan - 1 bote
1 report - 1 specification
together with L. C. No.
2917 W. & 254 W.

29-12-80

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Govt. of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

From

For

By

Encl.

G. O. 21st Dec 1868 2917
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Nos.

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to European barracks
at Poornamallee Plan
and estimate for de-
molishing the east and
west blocks and renov-
ing the north and south
blocks of the — founded
for the sanction of the Govt.

Towards for sanction
plan estimate for demolish-
ing the east and west blocks
and renoving the north
and south blocks of the
European barracks at
Poornamallee.