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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

1st July 1881, No. 1,630 W.

Buildings and Roads.
Military Works.

Read the following papers:—

No. 1. From the Military Department, dated 23rd May 1881, No. 2,763.

No. 1-A. From the Military Department, dated 23rd May 1881, No. 2,764.

No. 1-B. From the Quartermaster-General, dated 20th June 1881, No. 754-4196.

No. 2. ORDER THEREON, 1st July 1881, No. 1,630 W.

THE undermentioned estimates, amounting to Rs. 8,360, for carrying out alterations and additions to the Military Prison, Fort St. George, are sanctioned—

	rs.
1. Converting the warder's room into three cells—Register No. $\frac{17}{1}$ B. of 1881-82	60
2. Constructing store room, wash-house, and cook room for prison—Register No. $\frac{17}{2}$ B. of 1881-82	5,270
3. Constructing cook room, bath room, and privy for the Provost Sergeant—Register No. $\frac{17}{3}$ B. of 1881-82	930
4. Constructing warder's quarters—Register No. $\frac{17}{4}$ B. of 1881-82	2,100
Total	8,360

2. Rs. 3,252 were expended on these works up to the end of the last official year and an allotment of *Rs. 5,200 has been made for them in the Imperial Military Works budget for the current year. The excess provision of Rs. 92 will stand to the credit of the works.

3. This sanction has been registered as Imperial Ordinary No. $\frac{17}{1,2,3,4}$ B. of 1881-82 and classified as Military Original Works.

(True Extract.)

Captain, R.E.,
Ag. Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintendent of Works, Presidency, with five enclosures,
„ Examiner of Public Works Accounts, with two Abstract Estimates,

„ Military Department.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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Military Department
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
MILITARY WORKS.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

THE SUPERINTENDENT OF WORKS,
PRESIDENCY,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated July, 1881.

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G. O., 1st July 1881, No. 1,630 W.

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Nos. 1-2.

Military Prison, Fort St. George. — Sanctions estimates for carrying out alterations and additions to the —

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

23rd May 1881, No. 2763.

Military Buildings.

Read the following paper :—

No. 361. From Brigadier-General H. O'CONNELL, Quartermaster-General, to Colonel J. MICHAEL, c.s.i., Secretary to Government, Military Department; dated Ootacamund, 18th August 1879, No. 1352.

I have the honor, by order, to submit, for the consideration and orders of Government, letter, No. 175, dated 30th June 1879, from the Officer Commanding Centre District, forwarding plan and estimates for the improvement of the prison accommodation in Fort St. George.

2. The present proposal comprises—

	RS.
Making the present Warder's quarters with three cells	60
Building store-room and wash-house	5,270
Building out-houses for Provost Serjeant	930
Building Warder's quarters	2,100
	8,360

3. In September last year, it was proposed "to add, at the cost of Rs. 30, one cell to the nineteen already existing on the ramparts of Fort St. George, and make a military prison of twenty cells, and further to alter the present canteen, at the cost of Rs. 5,000, into six cells for regimental court-martial and commanding officer's prisoners." This proposal was not carried out, as the medical authorities objected to the canteen being turned into cells, as the ventilation was insufficient.

4. Since then, other projects have been suggested and not approved. The erection of six cells with Warder's and Provost's rooms for regimental prisoners on the Wallajah Bastion was contemplated, but the estimate amounted to Rs. 15,700. This His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief thought too expensive, and he did not approve of the best site in the fort being taken up for regimental cells. Moreover, the site was too far from barracks to be convenient.

5. It was then proposed to put a second story upon the present cells, but the Assistant Engineer reported that "the foundations are insufficient to allow of an upper story being built."

6. Under these circumstances, the prison scheme is submitted as the best that can be devised. The prison accommodation will be increased to twenty-two cells, and this must be made to suffice for all purposes.

7. If Government approve, it is requested the enclosed documents may be forwarded to the Public Works Department for disposal.

No. 362. ORDER THEREON, 23rd May 1881, No. 2763.

Approved generally and transferred to the Public Works Department, with reference to Proceedings of Government, No. 746-W, dated 17th March 1881, for consideration and final disposal.

(True Extract.)

C. R. Aitt Captain, R.E.,
For Ag. Secretary to Government,
Mily. Dept.

To the Public Works Department, with 7 enclosures and plan. *Van to C. R. Aitt*
" Quartermaster-General.

Exd. A. Raith.

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Govt. of (1881) Madras

MILITARY.

To
THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
&c. &c. &c.

Dated May, 23rd.

Issued

Recd. 8th June

G.O., 23rd May 1881, No. 2783.

MAY
Nos. 361-362.

Approving the plan and estimates for the
improvement of the prison accommodation at
Fort St. George.

Return requested with
reply.

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22nd June 1881

Forwarded

Military Buildings
Estimates

QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Madras

Cotacmand 20th June 1881.

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No. 754
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From

Quartermaster General H. G. G. G.
QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL,

To

THE Deputy Chief Engineer
Deptt. of Public Works
Madras.

SIR,

I have the honor by order to return the
documents received with your No. 1451 dated
1st instant and to state that the estimates
and plan below mentioned have been approved
by the Provincial Commander in Chief and
Countersigned accordingly.

1 Estimate for making the
present Wardens' quarters, Fort
Saint George into three cells.

Refers
60.

1 Estimate in duplicate for Con-
-structing subsidiary buildings for
the Military Prison, Fort Saint
George as follows:-
Store room & Wash house.
Out houses for Provost Sergeant.
Wardens' quarters.

8300

Total 8,360.

1 Plan and Section of the proposed out houses for
the Military Prison, Fort Saint George.

I have the honor to be

Yours most obedient servant

H. G. G. G.

Quartermaster General

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G.O. No 3016 W. of 29 July 1878
 " " 746 W. of 17 March 1881
 Military Est. G.O. No 2763 of 23 May 1881
 G.O. No 1457 of 17 June 1881

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The Deputy Chief Engineer
 D. P. W.
 Madras
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Dated 20th
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No 751.
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Acting with the approval
 of the Commander in Chief, Madras
 and Estimates for certain works
 in Fort Saint George.

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No 1030 W PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 1st July 1881

Read the following:—

From the Military Department. H.E. No 2763 of 23 May 1881
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 Quarter Master General. " 754 of 20 June 81.
 4196

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The undermentioned estimates amounting to Rs 8,360 for carrying out alterations and additions to the Military Prison Fort Saint George are sanctioned.

1. Converting the warder's room into three cells } Rs 60-0-0
 Register No 17 B of 1881/82
2. Constructing store room, wash house, and } 5270-0-0
 cook room for prison.
 Register No 17 B of 1881/82
3. do do Cook room, bath room, and privy } 930-0-0
 for the Provost Serjeant.
 Register No 17 B of 1881/82
4. do do Warders quarters } 2100-0-0
 Register No 17 B of 1881/82

Total Rs. 8360-0-0

2. Rs 3,252 were expended on these works up to the end of the last official year and an allotment of Rs 5200 has been made for them in the

Item No 3

Imperial military works
Budget for the current year.
The excess provision of
No 92 will stand to the
credit of the works.

3. This sanction has
been registered as Imperial
Ordinary No 17 of
1881-82 and classified
as military original works.

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To The Supt of W. Presy
with 5 bullocks
" Capt. P. W. A. with
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" Military Deptt.
Done
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Govt. of ~~Madras~~ Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

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G. O. 1st July 1881 No. 1630 W

No. 1-2

Military Prison, Fort St.
George. Sanctions estimates
for carrying out alterations
and additions to the