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Read—the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel O. R. NEWMARCH, Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Fort William, 8th January 1884, No. 27 M.W.:—

With reference to the correspondence ending with your No. 3514 W., dated the 6th ultimo, I am directed to state that the Government of India hereby sanction a grant of Rs. 3,000, the amount asked for in your letter, No. 3677 W., dated 21st December 1883, together with Rs. 750, the usual percentage on account of establishment and tools and plant, for expenditure on duly sanctioned public buildings in connection with the native infantry lines at Trichinopoly.

Order—dated 16th January 1884, No. 124 W., Public Works.

No. 2659 W., dated 21st September 1883.
„ 3128 W., „ 5th November „

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, with reference to the orders of Government marginally noted.

2. Every effort must be made to expend, before 31st March next, the sum of Rs. 3,000 now allotted by the Government of India, for public buildings in connection with native infantry lines at Trichinopoly.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
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PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated January, 16th.

Read. *Encl.*

G.O., 16th Jan. 1884, No. 124 W.

JANUARY.

Native Infantry Lines at Trichinopoly

Sanction of the Government of India for an expenditure of Rs. 3,000 on public buildings connected with the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, with remarks.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Military Works.

READ—the following letter from Brigadier-General R. C. STEWART, Quartermaster-General, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Ootacamund, 18th October 1883, No. 1235:—

With reference to G.O., No. 5347, dated 3rd October 1883, I have the honor, by order, to submit, for the sanction of Government, the plans and estimates for the new buildings required for the 30th Regiment, Native Infantry, at Trichinopoly, as follows, with the approval of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, in view to the allotment of the special grant of Rs. 10,000 applied for from the Government of India:—

		Rs.
(1.)	Plan and estimate for bells of arms and quarter-guard combined.	8,450
(2.)	Plan and estimate for magazine	650
(3.)	Do. solitary cells...	920
(4.)	Estimate for armourer's shop	2,330

2. Estimates for school-room, store-room, and tent store will be submitted hereafter.

No. 5706, Military.

Approved and transferred to the Public Works Department, for the necessary action, with reference to Proceedings of Government, No. 2659 W., dated 21st September 1883.

OOTACAMUND,
22nd October 1883.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

ORDER—dated 5th November 1883, No. 3128 W., Public Works.

The estimates, amounting to Rs. 12,350, for constructing public buildings in connection with the lines of the 30th Regiment, Native Infantry, at Trichinopoly, are sanctioned.

2. The Government of India have been requested in Public Works Department letter, No. 2660 W., dated 21st September 1883, to make a special grant of Rs. 10,000 for expenditure on these works.

3. The Superintending Engineer, Sixth Circle, will furnish the Examiner of Public Works Accounts with a general abstract estimate in proper form.

4. Verandahs to bells of arms should be provided, with reference to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief's remark on the plan.

5. This sanction has been registered as Imperial Ordinary No. 39 W. of 1883-84 and classified as Military, Original Works.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Sixth Circle, with nineteen enclosures.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Military Department.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated November, 5th.

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G.O., 5th Nov. 1883, No. 3128 W.

NOVEMBER.

Native Infantry Lines at Trichinopoly

Estimates for constructing public buildings in connection with the 30th Regiment —, sanctioned, with remarks.

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21st September 1883, No. 2659 W., Public Works.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Military Works.

Read—the following letter from Colonel R. C. STEWART, Officiating Quartermaster-General, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Ootacamund, 28th August 1883, No. 695 :—

In continuation of my letter, No. 671, dated 21st instant, on the subject of public buildings for the Regiments of Native Infantry at Trichinopoly, and previous correspondence, I have the honor, by desire of the Commander-in-Chief, to submit that His Excellency is exceedingly anxious that the necessary buildings for the accommodation of the arms, &c., of the regiment should be completed at the same time that the lines are.

2. His Excellency the Governor in Council is aware that the scheme for the construction of lines for native corps by the labor of the men themselves is purely experimental, and the Commander-in-Chief thinks it very desirable that the men should not suffer the disappointment of finding, after having completed their own houses, that the Government have not provided the necessary accommodation for their arms, accoutrements, and regimental stores.

3. Sir Frederick Roberts is aware that this work is not entered in the current year's Budget, but His Excellency feels sure that the Government will coincide with him in the necessity for commencing it at once, so that the buildings may be ready for occupation simultaneously with the men's lines, which it is confidently expected will be completed by the end of this official year.

4. Under the above circumstances, I am desired to express Sir Frederick Roberts' earnest hope that the Government will find it possible to make a special grant for this work.

No. 4701, Military.

Endorsement on the above.

Transferred to the Public Works Department for consideration, in continuation of No. 4619, dated 22nd August 1883.

(By Order.)

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

Ootacamund,
29th August 1883.

Order—dated 21st September 1883, No. 2659 W., Public Works.

The Government regret that there are absolutely no funds at their disposal at present for allotment to the buildings referred to in the foregoing correspondence.

2. The Government of India will, however, be requested to allot, as a special case, a sum of Rs. 10,000 for expenditure on estimates which may have been duly sanctioned.

(Here enter No. 2660 W., dated 21st September 1883.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Sixth Circle.
" Military Department.

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Dated September, 21st.

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G.O., 21st Sept. 1883, No. 2659 W.

SEPTEMBER.

Native Infantry Lines at Trichinopoly

The Government of India to be requested to allot, as a special case, Rs. 10,000 for expenditure on certain duly sanctioned public buildings in connection with the — now under construction.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Military Works.

Letter—from

Colonel J. H. M. SHAW-STEWART, R.E.,
Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Military Department,

To

The SECRETARY to the GOVERNMENT of INDIA,
Public Works Department.

Sir,

In forwarding, for the information of the Government of India, the accompanying copy of a letter from the Quartermaster-General, I am to request that, under the circumstances represented by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, the Government of India may be moved to allot, as a special case, a sum of Rs. 10,000 for expenditure on duly sanctioned public buildings in connection with the Native Infantry Lines now under construction at Trichinopoly.

2. There has been some difficulty in procuring copies of standard plans for guidance, the Inspector-General of Military Works to whom application was made being now, it is understood, in communication with the Government of India on the matter. The allotment of funds applied for will, I am to say, be utilized only on works for which estimates on authorized designs have been duly sanctioned.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

Ootacamund,
21st September 1883.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated September, 21st.

Recd. *Encl.*

21st Sept. 1883, No. 2660 W.

SEPTEMBER.

Native Infantry Lines at Trichinopoly

REQUESTING an allotment of Rs. 10,000 for expenditure on duly sanctioned public buildings in connection with the — now under construction.

6TH DECEMBER 1883, No. 3514 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Military Works.

READ—the following papers :—

Telegram from the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, Simla, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, Ootacamund, dated 24th October 1883.

Your No. 2660 W., dated 21st September 1883. Please state what has become of the old authorised public buildings for Native Infantry at Trichinopoly.

Telegram from the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, Simla, dated 27th October 1883, No. 492 E.

Old public Military buildings, Trichinopoly, were temporarily abandoned, but have now been resumed for accommodation of the depôt of the 1st Pioneers. Regiment ordered to Beluchistan.

Telegram from the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, Simla, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, Ootacamund, dated 2nd November 1883.

Yours 27. Please say why old public Military buildings, Trichinopoly, should not be applied to their proper purpose.

G.O., dated 6th December 1883, No. 6601, Military.

(From the Public Works Department, dated 15th November 1883, No. 2226 C.)

Read—the following letter from the Quartermaster-General, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Fort St. George, 4th December 1883, No. 8583 :—

With reference to the telegrams from the Government of India referred to the Commander-in-Chief in No. 6258, dated 19th November 1883, I have the honor, by order, to state that the public buildings attached to the old Putur lines at Trichinopoly cannot be made use of again for the following reasons :—

1. The site of the new lines is so far distant from them.
2. No nearer site admitting of their use can be found.
3. The use of the old site of the lines cannot be thought of, it having been condemned as unhealthy and its abandonment decided on—*vide* orders of Government (Financial), No. 1564, dated 31st August 1876 * and (Military) No. 1342, dated 21st March 1882.

* Military Department No. 4707, dated 18th September 1876.

Order—dated 6th December 1883, No. 6601, Military.

Ordered that the Quartermaster-General's letter be communicated to the Public Works Department, with a copy of the correspondence quoted therein.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

Telegram to the Government of India, dated 6th December 1883.

ORDER—dated 6th December 1883, No. 3513 W., Public Works.

Ordered that the foregoing Proceedings in the Military Department, with its enclosures, be forwarded to the Government of India in continuation of telegram of this date.

(Here enter No. 3514 W., dated 6th December 1883.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Sixth Circle.
" Military Department.

ENDORSEMENT—dated 6th December 1883, No. 3514 W., Public Works.

Forwarded.

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

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Dated December, 6th.

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G.O., 6th Dec. 1883, No. 3514 W.

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Military Buildings

FORWARDING correspondence explaining why the old — at Trichinopoly are not applied to their proper purpose.

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MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

It is requested that the above heading, with number and date of this communication, may be quoted in any subsequent correspondence on the subject.

Fort William ~~Simla~~, the 8th January 1884.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your No. 3514 W dated the 6th ultimo, I am directed to state that the Government of India hereby sanction a grant of Rupees 3,000/- the amount asked for in your letter No. 3677 W dated 21st December 1883, together with Rupees 750/- the usual percentage on account of establishment and tools and plant, for expenditure on duly sanctioned public buildings in connection with the Native Infantry lines at Trichinopoly.

+ With Cls 309 (under disposal separately)

I am, Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

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Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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" 3128W dy 5th Novr 1883.

Communicated to the Suptg Engr VI Circle, with reference to the Orders of Govt marginally noted.

2. Every effort must be made to expend, before 31st March next, the sum of Rs 3000 now allotted by the Govt of India, for public buildings in connection with Native Infantry lines at Trichinopoly.

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G. O., 16th Jany 1884 No. 124 W.

Native Infantry Lines at Bishnupoly.

Sanction of the Govt. for an expenditure of the 3,000/ on public buildings connected with the ——. Cannot to the S.E. VI Circle with remarks.

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