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P. W. DEPARTMENT

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following papers:—

From Colonel ROSS-THOMPSON, R.E., Executive Engineer, in charge Consulting Architect's Office, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepāk, 5th May 1886, No. 164.

I have the honor to submit, for the approval and sanction of Government and provision of funds, an estimate, amounting to Rs. 2,142, for four of Clayton's brick presses and one of Boulton's dust tile press.

2. These machines are required for use at the Government brickfields. At present there is only one of Clayton's brick-making machine in use at the kiln and the bricks pressed in it are far superior to those pressed by the hand press.

3. The tile press is for manufacturing flooring tiles by the dry process which has been tried and found to be successful, but tiles cannot be manufactured in quantities without the machine.

Office note from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, dated 17th May 1886, No. 135.

Office note from the Consulting Architect to Government, dated 25th May 1886, No. 247.

ORDER—dated 29th May 1886, No. 1349 W., Public Works.

The estimate, amounting to Rs. 2,142, for the purchase of certain machinery for use at the Government brickfield, Madras, is sanctioned.

2. The question of providing funds will be considered in connection with the distribution of lump sum grants to divisions under tools and plant.

3. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 31 W. of 1886-87, and classified as tools and plant.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Consulting Architect to Government.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts, with the estimate.

Exd. P. L. Pereira.
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GENERAL.
ACCOUNT.

Govt. of {1886} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated May, 29th.

Recd.

Enc.

G.O., 29th May 1886, No. 1349 W

MAY.

Government Brickfield, Madras

Estimate of Rs. 2,142, for the purchase of certain machinery for use at the —, sanctioned.

25TH JANUARY 1886, No. 202 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following letter from Colonel W. S. TREVOR, R.E., Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department (Civil Works—Miscellaneous), to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Fort William, 12th January 1886, No. 12 M. :—

I am directed to communicate, for your information and guidance, the accompanying revised rules laying down the procedure to be followed in future in obtaining stores from England for the Public Works Department, other than railway stores, and to request that they may be brought into operation at once.

2. I am to invite your attention to paragraph 3 of Finance Department resolution No. 185, dated 10th January 1883, under which alone English stores may be purchased in this country; and to state that, whenever English stores are authorised to be purchased locally, the reasons for allowing the purchase must be placed on record, as well as the probable estimated loss or gain caused by adopting such a course.

3. The Examiner of Public Works Accounts should be furnished with a copy of each order issued under the preceding paragraph, and should be requested to enter and attach its substance to the annual return under paragraph 23 of the Finance Department resolution quoted above.

4. I am further to point out that, under the rules in force, the purchase of English stores by means of orders given to agents or firms in India, who have to send such orders to England for execution, is absolutely prohibited. If any case of such a nature should occur, it should be seriously noticed and should be forwarded, together with the orders passed thereon, to the Government of India for information.

ENCLOSURE.

Revised rules for procedure in obtaining stores from England for the Public Works Department, other than railway stores.

Indents for Public Works stores, other than railway stores, so long as they are within the grant assigned for the purpose for expenditure during the year, should be sent direct by the Secretaries in the Public Works Department of the several local Governments and Administrations to the Director-General of Stores, India Office.

2. All indents transmitted to the India Office must be in duplicate, and must give full particulars, and be accompanied by all information likely to be of use in guiding their supply. One copy of each indent and of the documents accompanying should be simultaneously sent to the Government of India in the Public Works Department. If the indents are not printed at the time of first despatch, one manuscript copy only need be sent to the India Office, and one manuscript copy to the Government of India. On being printed subsequently, two printed copies should be sent to the India Office, and one to the Government of India.

3. Indents must be made out only on the authorised form as at present in use. Calculations and specifications must be clear and complete, and must be accompanied by all necessary drawings, models, or samples; the indenting officer being responsible that all information necessary for an accurate and complete comprehension of his wants is given.

4. English money, weights and measures are alone to be used in all indents sent to England and in all correspondence thereon, the money values being entered in conventional sterling at two shillings per rupee.

5. Indents are to be numbered progressively; and should, in addition, have each item numbered consecutively, commencing from unit (1) upwards in each indent. Particular attention must be devoted to this, so that the quotation of the number of an indent and the number of an item may fully identify the article in question.

6. Stores intended for Provincial, as well as for Imperial services, may be included in the same indent; but in such cases the only fund heading to be entered must be "Provincial," subsequent adjustments being made in India.

7. Indenting officers are responsible that the store lists of neighbouring administrations and railways have been, as far as possible, searched, and that none of the items entered can be advantageously procured from such sources.

8. If any indent on England contains items which it is possible to obtain of Indian manufacture, or of indigenous origin, it should be distinctly explained on the face of the indent in the column of remarks why such articles have been indented for from England instead of having been procured in India; otherwise they will be liable to be cancelled.

9. Each indent must carry a certificate of the necessity for the stores indented for, and that they cannot be advantageously procured of local manufacture, or from surplus stores of other departments, railways, or administrations.

10. The Examiner of Public Works Accounts should attach a certificate to each indent to the following effect:—

"I certify that funds to meet the outlay which it is estimated will be incurred in England in connection with this indent during the year 18 18, have been provided for in the estimates of the Public Works Department to the extent of £

or, when necessary, in place of the words italicised—

"will be provided by the Government of India" in the estimates of that year, vide Government of India letter, No. , dated .

and, when it is expected that the outlay will be incurred partly in one year and partly in another year, the following addition should be made to the certificate:—

"and that the balance of the estimated outlay in England, or £ , will be provided by the Government of India" in the estimates of the year 18 18, vide Government of India letter, No. , dated .

11. It must be remembered that the Director-General of Stores will not proceed to consider an indent, if transmitted in an incomplete form.

12. Local Governments and Administrations are authorised to communicate freely with the Director-General of Stores, India Office, regarding future requirements and on all matters connected with the supply of stores; this power may, at the discretion of the Local Government or Administration, be delegated to Superintending Engineers.

13. The Examiner of Public Works Accounts will send forward monthly to the Accountant-General, Public Works Department, a statement showing—

- (I)—The grant for outlay in England during the year.
- (II)—The number and amount of each indent certified during the month just closed.
- (III)—The amount of the grant for the year actually apportioned up to the end of the month, corrected by latest advices from England.
- (IV)—The balance available to meet further indents.

* Note.—In the case of stores for Provincial services, the sanction of the Local Government or Administration will suffice for the Examiner, but for stores needed for Imperial purposes in a year not yet begun, the sanction of the Government of India must be obtained to the proposed allotment before the Examiner may give his certificate.

ORDER—dated 25th January 1886, No. 202 W., Public Works.

Communicated to officers of the Public Works Department, for information and guidance, with advertence to appendix I to the Public Works Code, in which these rules will in due course be incorporated.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

To Superintending Engineers.

To the Consulting Architect to Government.

" Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works.

" Examiner, Public Works Accounts, for issue of the requisite S.O.

Ext. E. Fernandez.

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ACCOUNT.

Govt. of (1886) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated January, 25th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 25th Jan. 1886, No. 202 W.

JANUARY.

Stores

Orders of the Government of India communicating revised rules laying down the procedure to be followed in obtaining from England —, other than railway stores, communicated to officers of the Department.

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P. W. DEPARTMENT.

Current No. 3407.

From

The Comptroller Architect to

ENCLOS.—

No. 164

Dated

May 5. 1886.

Received

" 6. "

SUBJECT.

Purchase of 4 of Clayton's
brick presses and 1 of
Boulton's dust & coke press.

Submitting for sanction and
est. of Rs 2142 for — for
use at the Govt brickfields,
Madras.

DISPOSAL.

Office note from C No 135 app.
No. D. Dated

stating the classification of
the estimate. — C No 3747

No 162 Dd May 21. 1886

To, CA.

With advertisement to the
Govt of India letter printed

the Proceeding of 25. 1. 86,
No. 202 W, please say how
it is proposed to procure
the machines.

(P) J.S.

21/5/86

No 202W of 25. 1. 86 #

Invt. No 3975

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26/5/86

247.

25 May 1886.

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It is proposed to obtain
the machines by indent on the
Secretary of State.

Don Thompson

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Ca 26-5-86

P. W. D.

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Consulting Architect's Office,
Chepauk, Madras,

5th May 1886.

No. 164

From

The Consulting Architect
to the Government of Madras,

To

The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department

Sir,

Enclosure.

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be manufactured in quantities without the
machine

machine

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Wm Thompson Colonel M. C.

Executive Engineer

In Charge, Consulting Architects office

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P.W.C. 1347
Public Works Department.

From

THE CONSULTING ARCHITECT

TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

The Chief Engineer
P. W. Department.

No 1740 C of 10th May 1886.

To
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For favor of opinion
as regards the classification
of the accompanying Estimate

in reference to para

1844 of the Public

Works Code.

No. 164

Dated 5th May 1886

Received

8/5/86

D.W.

No. of ENCLOSURES. (one)

Subject.

Submit for approval and
sanction an Estimate for
brick & tile machines

With disposal

1886.

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Madras 17 May 1886.

Office Note No. 135

To

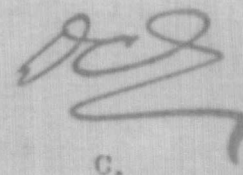
Dy. W.

Enc: 2

Your Office Note No. 1740 C.
dated 10th May 1886.

It would be advisable to
charge the cost of the Machines to
Tools and Plant as by charging it
off to Manufacture, the Machines
might be lost sight of.

3. The cost of maintenance
and repairs of the Machines would
of course be charged to contingent
expenses (General Charges) of the
manufacturing operations on which
the Machines are employed for the
time being.


C.

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G.O. No 202 W. 25. 1. 86.

Ootacamund, May 21. 1886.

No 162 I.

To

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With advertence
to the Govt of India letter
printed with Proceedings
dated 15th January 1886,
No 202 W, please say
how it is proposed to
procure the machines

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21.5.86

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J.W.T. No 374
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To

Ans. 92/5
18.5.86

No 1349 W.

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Secy

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

29th May 1886
Read the following

From the Asst. Architect to Govt. H.O. No 184 d/5th May 1886.
Office note from the Examiner of P. W. Accts. H.O. No 135 d/17th May 1886.
C.A. to Govt. No 247 d/25.5.86

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To The Cons. Architect to Govt.
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the estimate.

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Govt. of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

11/5/86

Dated

Recd.

Encl.

G.O. 29th May 1886, No. 1349

for brickfield,
madras

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estimate of Rs 2,142
for the purchase
of certain machinery
for use at the
Sanatorium

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