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25th May 1888, No. 1540 W., Public Works.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

Read—the following papers :—

From W. MORGAN, Esq., Acting Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 25th April 1888, No. 1388.

I am directed to forward, for the sanction of Government, the accompanying plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 10,000, for converting and extending the old Breeks's Memorial School buildings at Ootacamund into a Subordinate Judge's Court, and to request that funds may be provided at an early date.

Approved and transferred to the Public Works Department.

(By Order.)

(Signed) A. G. CARDEW,
Acting Under-Secretary.

7th May 1888.

From Colonel J. BEATTY, R.E., Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Sholadi, 3rd May 1888, No. 165 E.W.

I have the honor to submit, for the sanction of Government, a revised plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 49,030, for the new Breeks's Memorial School at Ootacamund, together with a report, comparative statement, and a duplicate abstract of the estimate.

2. An estimate of Rs. 38,180 for the main building and another of Rs. 1,800 for a latrine were sanctioned in G.Os. Nos. 1923 W. and 1894 W., of 4th August 1886 and 14th July 1887, respectively. The excess of Rs. 9,050 over the sanctioned estimate is due to the following items, namely :—

	RS.
(1) Paying off debentures sanctioned in G.O. No. 1923 W. of 4th August 1886	6,000
(2) Opening up the lower rooms, marked A and B on the plan, which were to have been filled up, approved in G.O. No. 3089 W. of 22nd November 1886	1,524
(3) Fencing the compound	700
(4) Furniture	445
(5) Coir-matting	146
(6) Gymnastic apparatus	130
(7) Down take-pipes	105
Total ...	9,050

3. Out of this sum, sanctions for the first two items have already been accorded, and the net excess requiring sanction is Rs. 1,526. The item "fencing the compound" will not be put in hand, pending sanction of the revised estimate.

Office Note from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, dated 5th May 1888, No. 1446.

Order—dated 25th May 1888, No. 1540 W., Public Works.

In accordance with the arrangement approved in G.O. No. 1923 W., dated 4th August 1886, two separate estimates have been framed in connection with the provision of accommodation for the court of the Subordinate Judge at Ootacamund :—

	RS.
(1) For converting the old school buildings (Breeks's Memorial) into a court-house	10,000
(2) For providing new school buildings	49,030
Total ...	59,030

But as, in the opinion of the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, it would be more correct to charge off all the expenditure of whatever kind incurred under the orders quoted above to a single estimate, the Government direct that the estimates quoted above be amalgamated under the head of "providing accommodation for the court of the Subordinate Judge at Ootacamund." The total sum, amounting to Rs. 59,030, is sanctioned accordingly.

2. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 26 W. of 1888-89, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, with eleven enclosures.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts, with two abstract estimates.
" Judicial Department.
" Educational Department.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of (1888) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS:

Dated May, 25th.

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 25th May 1888, No. 1540 W.

MAY.

Accommodation for the Court of the Subordinate Judge at Ootacamund

Amalgamating the estimates framed in connection with the provision of —, and sanctioning an allotment of Rs. 59,030 accordingly.

4th August 1886, No. 1923 W., Public Works.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

Read—again the following papers:—

G.O., dated 11th September 1885, No. 1013, Revenue.

Read—again G.O., dated 18th October 1884, No. 1147, Revenue.

Read—also the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th June 1885, Mis. No. 5310:—

Read—the following letter from L. R. BURROWS, Esq., Collector of Nilgiris, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Ootacamund, 18th March 1885, No. 81:—

I have the honor to submit the report called for in Board's Proceedings, dated 31st October 1884, Mis. No. 10241.

2. I enclose copies of letters addressed to me by the District Judge of Coimbatore and the Inspector-General of Registration in reply to the inquiries I made of them as directed in G.O., dated 18th October 1884, No. 1147.

3. The District Judge has shown in a plan, which I forward herewith, how he proposes to utilize the Breeks' Memorial School building for the Sub-Court. It will be seen that, in addition to the present building, he proposes to build additional accommodation in the vacant ground between the school building, the present Municipal office, and the new Post and Telegraph offices. I do not think I need comment on his proposals, as he is better qualified to judge of the requirements of the Sub-Judge than myself. Comparing, however, the accommodation provided in the Consulting Architect's plan with that proposed by the District Judge, it stands thus:—

	Consulting Architect's plan.	District Judge's plan.
Court-house inclusive of the Bench ...	60′ × 30′	56′ 3″ × 25′
Judge's chamber	24′ × 16′	25′ × 17′ 6″
Sheristadar's room	24′ × 16′	12′ × 18′
Clerks	33′ × 16′	20′ × 18′
Records	20′ 9″ × 8′	10′ × 18′
Vakils' room	24′ × 16′	14′ × 18′
Witness room	...	14′ × 18′
Property room	...	20′ × 18′

4. It will be seen that the District Judge has provided rooms for "property under attachment" and for "witnesses" which were omitted in the previous plan. These rooms undoubtedly are required. It may, however, be thought that the accommodation proposed for the Judge's chamber and the Court is somewhat in excess of the requirements.

5. As regards the accommodation for the Registrar, the Inspector-General has proposed no modification of the plan originally accepted by him. He apparently thinks that the accommodation provided in the sketch, marked as enclosure 4 to Board's Proceedings under reply, cannot be curtailed. He considers that the building at present used by the Municipal office, if available, may, with certain alterations, be

adapted for the Registrar's office. I beg, however, to observe that the Municipal Commissioners have no intention of giving up this building, and therefore it is not available. Failing this, the Inspector-General desires that the accommodation specified in the plan above referred to be provided separately on the "hill."

6. If the District Judge's proposals as to building additional accommodation alongside of the existing Breeks' Memorial School be approved, I would suggest that this addition may be built with an upper story, which can, I believe, be made to meet all the requirements of the Registrar.

7. As to the requirements of my own office and of those of the Deputy Tahsildar of Ootacamund and the District Forest officer, I beg to enclose a memorandum detailing my proposals. It will be seen therefrom that, with one additional room to be added to the centre wing, the existing building will accommodate all the offices mentioned in the memorandum.

8. I have carefully considered the requirements of my office and those of my subordinates, and can say that I have made no more provision than is really necessary. It was proposed in the former plan to give the Deputy Tahsildar the accommodation now proposed together with room No. 13, which I now intend for the District Forest office. My proposals, while requiring only the addition of one room, dispense altogether with the more elaborate proposals for building a separate office for the District Forest officer contained in the Consulting Architect's plan.

The number to be accommodated may be judged by the following particulars of the establishments :—

1. Collector's Office—		
Collector	1	
Treasury Deputy Collector	1	
Collector's Sheristadar	1	
Correspondence Clerks	9	
Attender and Moochi	2	
Local Fund Clerk	1	
Local Fund Auditor	1	
Treasurer	1	
Accountants	7	
Attender	1	
Total ...	25	
Besides 12 peons and a duffadar.		
2. District Forest Officer—		
District Forest Officer	1	
Clerks	3	
Peons	3	
Total ...	7	
3. Assistant Collector	1	
Clerk	1	
Peon	1	
Total ...	3	
4. Deputy Tahsildar's Office—		
Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate	1	
Clerks	4	(in new scheme).
Revenue Inspectors	2	(to be increased to four hereafter).
Peons, &c.	6	
Total ...	13	

9. I beg to return the three plans and a sketch received with the Board's Proceedings under reply.

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Reference on the above, dated 18th April 1885.

The proposals contained in this letter are—

(a) To appropriate the Breeks' Memorial School building and add to it some rooms for the accommodation of the Sub-Judge ;

(b) To construct an upper story to the additional rooms for the Registration office ;

(c) To add one room and make certain alterations to the Collector's present office.

2. Before submitting these proposals to Government, the Board wish to be informed upon what terms the Breeks' School-house can be acquired—G.O., dated 18th October 1884, No. 1147, paragraph 2.

(Signed) E. GIBSON,
Secretary.

Read—the following letter from L. R. BURROWS, Esq., Collector of Nílgiris, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Ootacamund, 28th May 1885, No. 136 :—

With reference to the Board's reference, dated 18th April 1885, on General Register No. 1977 of 1885, requesting to be informed upon what terms the Breeks' Memorial School-house can be acquired, I have the honor to forward herewith copy of the resolution of the School Committee stating the terms on which they are prepared to make over the buildings in question to Government.

ENCLOSURE.

3. Read letter No. 841, dated 23rd April 1885, from the Collector enclosing G.O., No. 1147, Revenue, dated 18th October 1884, and asking if B. M. S. Committee would make over "the building in which the Breeks' School is now located."

Resolved—The Committee are prepared to hand over the buildings to Government provided suitable buildings are erected by Government on Government land near Charing Cross or in the compound of Bombay Castle which is now occupied for military offices. The Committee request that, in the event of Government deciding to provide other buildings, the plans may be previously submitted to them for their approval. The Committee would suggest that, in the event of Government taking over the buildings, the medallions, &c., be transferred from the smaller building which is now used as the Municipal office.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. C. TAYLOR,
Offg. Honorary Secretary.

Resolution—dated 8th June 1885, Mis. No. 5310.

Submitted to Government with reference to G.O., dated 18th October 1884, No. 1147.

2. Should Government be disposed to accept the proposals now made, the Board suggest that an estimate for a new school-house be prepared in the Public Works Department.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) E. GIBSON,
Secretary.

Read—also the following paper :—

Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Ootacamund, 20th August 1885, No. 486-E.

In returning the papers forwarded for his remarks with the Revenue Secretary's office note, dated 14th July 1885, the undersigned has the honor to state that he is decidedly in favor of adopting the second of the alternative measures suggested in paragraph 2 of G.O., Revenue, dated 18th October 1884, namely, the purchase of the Breeks' Memorial buildings, and their adaptation for the accommodation of the Sub-Judge and the Registrar.

The reasons for this recommendation are as follow :—

(1) The site occupied by the buildings in question is the best in Ootacamund for the purpose, and it is on all grounds desirable that the Sub-Judge's Court and the Registrar's office should be near the other principal civil offices.

(2) The site is unsuited in every way for a school, an opinion in which the Director of Public Instruction is understood to concur. It is highly desirable that this opportunity should not be lost to change the situation of the school, and to secure the entire hill for important public offices.

(3) Besides securing these great advantages, the proposal provides for carrying out the immediate object in view in a very economical manner.

The Breeks' Memorial Committee offer to hand over to the Government the buildings belonging to them, subject to two conditions :—

(1) That buildings suitable for the school be erected on another site near Charing Cross ; and

(2) That the medallions be transferred from the building now used as a Municipal office.

In the opinion of the undersigned, these conditions can easily be complied with. The Bombay Castle hill is now the property of the Government, and the portion alluded to can be given up without inconvenience of any kind. As a site for a school, it will certainly be much more suitable than the present site.

If the recommendations now made are accepted, the distribution among the various departments of the buildings which will then become available can readily be made.

The Sub-Judge's Court would be accommodated in the larger of the two Breeks' Memorial buildings. The District Judge states this can be done at moderate cost.

The Registrar's office would be accommodated in the smaller building at present rented by the Municipal Council. The Inspector-General of Registration states that this can easily be done. The Collector of the Nílgiris is clearly under a misapprehension as to this building being "*not available.*"

The building at present occupied by the offices of the Collector and the Sub-Judge would be given up exclusively to the first-named official, the accommodation being allotted as proposed by Mr. Burrows in his letter, dated 18th March 1885. The addition of one room is suggested by Mr. Burrows, but that can probably be dispensed with for the present.

These proposals do not provide for improving the exterior of the Collector's present office buildings ; but it is submitted that this object, however desirable it is admitted to be, may stand over for the present. When funds can be made available for the purpose, opportunity can be taken to improve the north elevation of the buildings, and at the same time to construct the additional room required by the Collector.

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Chief Engineer, P.W.D.

Order—dated 11th September 1885, No. 1013, Revenue.

Miscellaneous.

The Government in this department concur in the views expressed in Colonel Shaw-Stewart's note of 20th August. The second of the alternative schemes propounded in G.O., No. 1147, dated 18th October 1884, will accordingly be adopted, and the papers will be transferred to the Public Works Department for the preparation of plans and estimates for a new Breeks' school and for the issue of all other orders that may be necessary in connexion with the execution of the works.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. WILSON,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

Order—dated 7th October 1885, No. 2325 W., Public Works.

Communicated, in continuation of G.O., No. 2740 W., dated 5th November 1884, to the Consulting Architect to Government, who will, in communication with the Breeks' School Committee, submit with the least possible delay a plan and estimate for a new school building on the proposed site near Charing Cross, Ootacamund.

2. Orders relative to acquiring the present school buildings, and fitting them for offices, will issue after the plan and estimate for the new school have been received and considered.

(True Extract.)

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

READ—also the following papers :—

G.O., dated 23rd January 1886, No. 521, Revenue :—

Read—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 16th December 1885, No. 3398 :—

Read—the following letter from L. R. BURROWS, Esq., Collector of Nílgiris, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Ootacamund, 25th November 1885, No. 301 :—

In forwarding herewith copy of a letter from the Secretary, Breeks' Memorial School, with reference to the proposal sanctioned in G.O., Public Works Department, dated 7th October 1885, No. 2325 W., for acquiring the present Memorial School buildings and constructing other buildings for the school on the land near Charing Cross, I have the honor to report that the land upon which the Committee wish the school to be built is entered in the settlement register as No. E-443, Lowry House, extent ·83 acre, assessment Rs. 3-5-1, and is the property of Dinshaw Muncherjee. It is on the angle formed by the Coonoor road in the Ootacamund side of the bridge, and the Commercial road which leads to the bazaar and market. The ground on the other side of the lake stream just opposite No. E-443 is No. E-442, extent 1·38 acre, Government property, and adjoining that to the west of it there is another piece measuring 58 cents which is vested in the Municipality, and which the Council would probably have no objection to hand over. The whole area will thus be 2·79 acres and would afford ample room for all the requirements of a school.

2. Lowry House was acquired by the present owner by purchase for Rs. 6,750 from the estate of the late Pestonji Nesserwanjee. He has since spent some amount in repairs, and if the purchase of the site and buildings is decided on, the owner would require no doubt considerably more than the price paid by Dinshaw Muncherjee.

3. Should there be any difficulty about obtaining this site owing to the present owner standing out for a long price, a very suitable site might be found in the Govern-

ment ground belonging to Crewe and Ottley Hall, and the adjoining piece purchased from V. Tiruvengadasami Mudali. These three pieces are settlement Nos.—

	ACS.
C-332—Crewe Hall	9·47
C-333—Ottley Hall	2·59
C-334—Government waste	3·35
Total area ...	15·41

4. The Honorary Secretary points out that there is debt of Rs. 6,000 upon the present school buildings, and suggests that this debt should be paid off by Government now and the school fund relieved from further payment of interest.

5. It may be considered whether the debt should not remain on the present buildings when transferred to Government. There might be some difficulty in transferring the debt to the new buildings. If the debt is to be cleared off the amount should be entered in the estimate of the new buildings.

ENCLOSURE.

the Revd.

From A. C. TAYLOR, ~~Esq.~~ Vice-President and Officiating Honorary Secretary, Breeks' Memorial School, to the Collector of Nílgiris, dated Ootacamund, 9th November 1885, No. 137.

The Committee of Breeks' School met on 5th November, and I am desired to inform you that we think the best site for the new buildings will be near the tree at Charing Cross and where Hecta's shop, &c., now stands; the land on the other side of the stream towards Shoreham is believed to be already Government property, and the purchase of the land required would not therefore be great. We beg that you will approve of this site, and strongly recommend to Government the views of the Committee, and point out what a favorable opportunity this affords of permanently improving the entrance to the station, and at the same time of giving the school a level piece for play ground and Tennis Courts, &c.

2. As you have no doubt informed the Government that there is a debt of Rs. 6,000 on the buildings incurred by six debentures of Rs. 1,000 and bearing interest at 6 per cent. per annum, the Committee also beg me to ask you to request Government to pay off this Rs. 6,000 at once and to save the school funds the payment of this heavy item of interest from 1st January 1886.

Resolution—dated 16th December 1885, No. 3398.

Submitted for the orders of Government.

2. Of the sites available, that pointed out by the Collector in his 3rd paragraph appears the most suitable, as the plot of land desired by the Committee is low-lying, is intersected by a stream, and would involve the payment of a considerable sum as compensation.

3. The existence of an incumbrance upon the present school buildings has not apparently been brought to notice before. The Board see no reason why Government should extinguish the debt as proposed by the School Committee. Should Government consent to do so, the School Committee should continue to pay the interest to Government until such time as they may be in a position to make good the amount of the debt to Government.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) C. F. MACCARTIE,
Acting Secretary.

Order—dated 23rd January 1886, No. 521, Revenue.

Transferred to the Public Works Department. Government in this department concur in the views of the Board of Revenue.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Acting Secretary to Government.

G.O., dated 27th May 1886, No. 3099, Revenue:—

Read—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 10th May 1886, No. 1053:—

Read—the following letter from L. R. BURROWS, Esq., Collector of Nílgiris, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Ootacamund, 7th April 1886, No. 105:—

I have the honor to submit copy of a letter, with enclosure, from the Honorary Secretary and Vice-President of the Breeks' Memorial School Committee, desiring that (1) the new buildings for the school may be built on the hill near Charing Cross, and (2) that the existing loan of Rs. 6,000 on the present school buildings may be either defrayed by Government or taken over with the buildings.

2. The Committee does not apparently agree to the erection of the new buildings on any of the sites suggested in my letter printed in Board's Proceedings, No. 3398, dated 16th December 1885, disposed of in G.O., No. 521, dated 23rd January 1886, Revenue Department. The Government Order in the Public Works Department has not yet been received. The hill referred to in the enclosed letter is in charge of the Military Department, and it is left to Government to decide whether a sufficient area can be allotted therefrom for the new school buildings.

3. With regard to the loan of Rs. 6,000, no orders of the Government in the Public Works Department have been communicated.

4. There are two buildings at present in the possession of the trustees of the Breeks' Memorial School. One is used for the school and the other is let to the Municipality for Rs. 50 per month. If Government take over both the buildings, it seems only fair that they should take over the mortgage debt also, the interest upon which is more than covered by the rents now received from the Municipality and which will be paid to Government if they continue to let the building.

ENCLOSURES.

From the Reverend A. C. TAYLOR, (Chaplain of Ooty) and Vice-President, Breeks' Memorial High School, to the Collector of Nílgiris, dated Ootacamund, 10th April 1886.

In accordance with a resolution of the Breeks' Memorial High School Committee, I have the honor to append another side resolution No. V, at their meeting on 8th April 1885 "for transmission to Government, through the Board of Revenue, with reference to paragraph 2 of Board's *Reference, dated 18th April* 1885—*vide* G.O., No. 1013, Revenue, of 11th September 1885."

Resolution No. IV of 8th April 1886.

Read letter from Executive Engineer, No. 3310, dated 31st March 1886, enclosing plans, &c., and estimate for Rs. 30,696 for a new Breeks' School.

Resolved—The Committee observe that the site selected by the late Consulting Architect is not the one near the Charing Cross tree as proposed to Government in this Committee's letter to the Collector, No. 137, dated 9th November 1885.

2. If the Government consider the site on the hill best, this Committee are ready to accept the plan as proposed.

3. They are prepared to accept this new building in lieu of the two buildings now in their trust, on the understanding that the Government pay off or take over the mortgage of Rs. 6,000 as named in the above quoted letter to the Collector. As Government would then receive Rs. 600 per annum rent from the Municipality and only have to pay Rs. 360 annually as interest, this Committee will lose Rs. 240 per annum in their receipts, but they are willing to accept the loss in consideration of the more suitable building and better accommodation now proposed, and its greater cost thus qualifying their request for "buildings"—*vide* note, dated 20th August 1885, No. 486-E., quoted in G.O., Revenue, No. 1013, of 11th September 1885.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) A. C. TAYLOR.
Offg. Hon. Secy. and Vice-President,
Breeks' School Committee.

Resolution—dated 10th May 1886, No. 1053.

Submitted for the orders of Government, with whom it rests to decide whether room can be found for the new buildings on the hill near Charing Cross.

2. From the resolution of the Committee, which the Collector encloses, the Board observe that they are prepared to accept the new building, which is estimated to cost Rs. 30,696, in lieu of the two buildings now in their trust, on the understanding that the Government pay off or take over the mortgage of Rs. 6,000 with which the present school buildings are encumbered.

3. In their Proceedings, dated 16th December 1885, No. 3398, the Board saw no reason why Government should extinguish the debt, but there seems no objection to their taking it over, as the rent payable by the Municipality on one of the buildings now in possession of the trustees more than covers the interest on the mortgage debt.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) C. F. MACCARTIE,
Acting Secretary.

Order—dated 27th May 1886, No. 3099, Revenue.

Transferred to the Public Works Department with reference to G.O., Mis. No. 521, dated 23rd January 1886.

2. The question whether the loan of Rs. 6,000 referred to should be paid off by Government will be decided in the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

From Colonel J. BEATTY, R.E., Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Coimbatore, 24th July 1886, No. 273 E.N.

In continuation of my letter, No. 268 W., dated 22nd instant, I have the honor to forward herewith the Consulting Architect's estimate for the new Breeks' Memorial School, amounting to Rs. 30,696, together with a revised estimate for the same, amounting to Rs. 38,180, prepared by the Executive Engineer, Nilgiris, and a comparative statement for the two estimates prepared in this office. From the statement it will be seen that the excess of Rs. 7,484 is due principally to omissions and insufficiency of rates provided by the Consulting Architect, as well as to the omission of iron under tiles, which is now considered indispensable in the construction of a satisfactory roof on the hills.

ENCLOSURE.

From Major A. C. SMITH, R.E., Executive Engineer, Nilgiri Division, to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, dated Ootacamund, 20th July 1886, No. 1153.

In continuation of this office letter, No. 948, of 2nd instant, I have the honor to forward herewith the estimate in original together with a revised one for constructing a new Breeks' Memorial School at Ootacamund; the amount of the revised estimate stands at Rs. 38,180 with an excess of Rs. 7,484 over the original estimate of Rs. 30,696; this excess is chiefly due to lower rates provided in the Architect's estimate.

2 I have carefully been over the items and find slight errors and omissions here and there too insignificant to mention; the item of roofing has been altered from simple mission tiles on teak reepers to mission tiles over corrugated iron; this alteration is, I think, very essential for a climate like Ootacamund, for it has been found that a water-tight roof cannot be obtained by use of tiles alone. This alteration will cause an excess of Rs. 1,146, and its necessity was originally pointed out to the Secretary of the Breeks' School Committee in this office, No. 3310, dated 31st March 1886.

3. If early sanction is obtained, I shall require at least Rs. 20,000 for expenditure during the current year.

ORDER—dated 4th August 1886, No. 1923 W., Public Works.

With his letter, dated 24th July 1886, the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, submits plans and estimates for constructing new buildings for the Breeks' Memorial School, Ootacamund, on a site on the hill-side facing Charing Cross.

2. The reasons for providing the school with a new building at the Government expense are stated in the Chief Engineer's note of 20th August 1885, printed with Proceedings, dated 11th September 1885, No. 1013, Revenue. The accommodation in the Collector's office being inadequate for the several departments located in it, it is proposed to take over the existing Breeks' School buildings, which are ill-adapted for purposes of the school and in objectionable proximity to the public offices, and to convert them into a Court for the Sub-Judge and an office for the Registrar. The School Committee have agreed to the alienation of the buildings on the following conditions:—

(*a*) That new buildings for the school be provided by the Government;
(*b*) That the medallions on the smaller of the present school buildings be transferred to the new building; and
(*c*) That an incumbrance of Rs. 6,000 on the present buildings be extinguished by the Government.

3. The proposal to construct new buildings for the school has already received the approval of the Government, and the plans and estimates now submitted provide for the transfer of the medallions to the new school-house. The Government now further agree to pay off the debt of Rs. 6,000 when the new buildings have been completed and the existing school buildings are being conveyed to the State.

4. The estimate for the new buildings, as prepared by the Consulting Architect, amounted to Rs. 30,696; but on revision by the Executive Engineer, Nilgiri division, certain omissions and deficiencies in rates were discovered, the rectification of which has raised the amount to Rs. 38,180. The estimate, as thus revised, is sanctioned. A sum of Rs. 10,000 was provided for the work in G.O., No. 1650 W., dated 30th June 1886, and immediate arrangements should be made to commence it. The question of increasing the allotment will be considered later in the year, when the Superintending Engineer will report the additional grant required.

5. When the new buildings are approaching completion, the Superintending Engineer will, in communication with the local civil officers, submit estimates for converting the present school buildings into public offices, as specified above in paragraph 2, and, in communication with the Government Solicitor, he will arrange for the conveyance of the property to Government.

6. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 73 W., of 1886-87, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, with seven enclosures.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts, with duplicate abstract estimate.
„ Consulting Architect to Government.
„ Revenue Department.
„ Judicial „
„ Educational „
„ Government Solicitor.
„

Exd. J. Moses.
Spare Copies

BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of {1886} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated August, 4th.

Recd. Encl.

G.O., 4th Aug. 1886, No. 1923 W.

AUGUST.

Breeks' Memorial School, Ootacamund

Orders on the project for taking up the buildings now occupied by the — and converting them into public offices and for constructing new buildings for the school.

No. 435/W

Supg. Engineer's Office, 4th Circle
Coimbatore 13th November /86

Jo/8

From
The Superintending Engineer,
Fourth Circle.

To
The Chief Engineer
P. W. Department.

Sir,

Enclosures
1 Off: letter No: 2430 of 12th Nov: /86 from Ex: Engr: N. G. Dn.
1 Letter No: 2375 of 9-11-86 from Ex Engr: N. G. Dn. to Hony: Secy.
1 Do. No: 171 of 11-11-86 from Hony Secy:
2 Plans.

× [illegible]

I have the honor to forward for your decision a proposal of the Executive Engineer, Nilgiris, to provide additional room in the new Breeks' Memorial School.

2. Mr: DeWinton explains that he can do this by savings in the estimate of the scheme as already sanctioned.

3. But he points out, at the same time, that the scheme as sanctioned does not provide for a latrine, and consequently if we utilize the probable savings on giving more room in the main building, a

supplemental

Supplemental estimate will have to be submitted for a Latrine and the total cost will thereby be considerably exceeded.

4. A Latrine in such, an exposed position will have to be disguised and made ornamental and therefore expensive, and Government may be unwilling to spend on the scheme more than the sum, already sanctioned. I therefore refer the matter to you.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obedt. servant.

E. Beatty Col: R.E.,
Supg. Engineer, 4th Circle.

1580/9

No. 2727 W d/28.10.82.
" 3224 W d/10.5.83
" 2576 W d/21.10.84
" 2740 W d/5.11.84
" 160 D d/22.1.85
" 1268 C d/23.7.85
" 486 E d/20.8.85
" 1021 C d/13.3.86.
" 1650 W d/30.6.86
" $\frac{206}{207}$ D d/5.6 86
" 239 D d/11.6 86.
" 289 D d/23.6.86
" 306 D d/28.6.86
" 442 D d/24.7.86.
" 1923 W d/4.8.86
" 3746 C d/25.10.86.

Nilu. 8896

From

The Supg Engineer,
Fourth Circle

Dated 13th } Nov: /86
Recd. Nov 15 }

No: $\frac{435}{EW}$

Enc: 5. (2 plans)

New Breeks' Memorial School:-

Forwards for decision a proposal of the Executive Engineer, Nilgiris to provide additional room in the —; and states that a supplemental estimate will have to be submitted for a latrine

Cn. 17.11.86

Public Works Department.

No. 3089 W

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 15/Dec/86 Read the following

from the Supdg. Engr IV circle H.E. No. $\frac{435}{E.W.}$ d/13" November 1886

The Government see no objection, to the Executive Engineer's proposal to provide additional accommodation in the new Breeks Memorial School building at Ootacamund, provided the sanctioned estimate be thereby not exceeded.

2. A latrine for the school would be necessary in any case and should

FW 18/11

not cost much. A supplemental estimate for this work should be submitted.

~~[illegible]~~

17/11/86

7 B.H.
22/11/86

Cm. 17.11.86

Cw 26/11

27/11

To
The Supdg. Engineer
IV circle
with 5 enclos Despd 23-11-86

P. W. D.

No. 559 E

NILGIRI DIVISION OFFICE,
STATION Ootacamund
4th March 1888.

N.B.—Please quote the number and date of this letter in future communication on the subject.

Enclosures. 1

1 copy of letter

FROM
W. B. de Winton Esqr.
~~The~~ EXECUTIVE ENGINEER,
NILGIRI DIVISION,
OOTACAMUND,

19/11

TO
THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
FOURTH CIRCLE,
COIMBATORE.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward herewith a copy of letter from the Honorary Secretary Breeks School Committee dated February 27th — 1888 concerning the Rs 4000/ debentures still payable on behalf of Breeks School according to Para 3 of G.O. No 1923 W of 4th August 1886.

2. I have included them in the Revised Estimate which will reach you this week, and I can provide funds for them and for the other items included in the revised Estimate by transfer from other works.

I

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obed^t servant

Executive Engineer

IDs
29-2-80

No. 83
GW

Forwarded for the information of the Chief Engineer who is requested to be good enough to accord sanction by wire to paying off the debentures in question, this month, in anticipation of sanction to the Revised estimate of the Breeks memorial School, in which the payment is provided for. It will be observed that the payment may be met from savings on grants of the Division.

Coimbatore }
3^rd March 1880 }

F. Beatty Colonel R.E.,
Sup^g Engineer, II Circle.

Rec. 17.11.80

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The Hon'ble Mr. P. S. [illegible] C.S.

No. 4817 CM 21-12-87
No. 2981 W of 7-11-87 / No. 374 bc 25-10-86
" 2891 W - 26-10-87 / - 1923 W 4-8-86
" 606 B - 24-9-87 / - 1650 W 30-6-86
" 2963 C - 3-9-87 / - ~~4517 [illegible] 21-12-87~~
" 4564 C - 21-12-86 - 130 C 18-1-88
" 4424 C - 11-12-86 - 309 W 25-1-88

No. 774 W of 7th March/88

Ordered that the following telegram be despatched to the Suptg: Engineer IV circle.

"Your number 83 E. W. dated 3rd March - Payment after formal assignment of debentures to Executive Engineer sanctioned".

6. 3. 88

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S. E. IV circle ✓
Exer. P. W. Accts. ✓
Despd. 8. 3. 88.

circ 6-3-88 R. 7-3-88

P. W. C. No. 2131

From

The Supg: Engineer
Fourth circle

Tel. (urgent) despd. 7. III. 88

Dated 3rd March 1888
R/ 5-3-88

No. 774 W of 7th March/88

No. 83
E.W.

Breeks' Memorial School
Ootacamund:-

Requesting to sanction the payment of Rs. 4000 due on account of Debentures for ——.

With order

Ootacamund Chaplaincy
Ootacamund Febry 27th - 1888.

From Rev. C. H. Kelly
Offg Hon Secy. B. M. School Committee

To

The Executive Engineer
Nilgiri Division.

Sir,

In reply to your letter No. 3324 of 24th February 1888, I have the honor to state that the remaining 4 debentures of Rupees 1000 each bearing interest @ 6% are in the possession of Mr. Andrews, Oxton Ooty. Notice has been given to Mr. Andrews that the Debentures will be paid off on 1st April. I trust therefore that Govt. will be able to pay them off on that date or rather 31st March, the 1st of April being a Sunday.

Vide No. 2981 W 7-11-87 for the other Rs 2000 -
5-3-88

I have Etc. Etc.
Sigd. C. H. Kelly
Offg Hon Secy B. M. School

(True copy)

Executive Engineer

10 C.

From

The Executive Engineer,
Nilgiri Division,

SUPG: ENGINEER'S OFFICE
No. 1234/1/4
2- MAR 88
P. W. D.
FOURTH CIRCLE

To

The Superintending Engineer,
Fourth Circle,

Dated 1st
Despatched 1st } March 1888.
Received

No. 3393

Enclosures. 1

Subject.

Breeks Memorial School Ooty Rs 4000/ due on account of debentures for — Submits copies of correspondence connected with — for information.

[C. No. 8.]

GOVT. OF MADRAS. } 1888. { P.W. DEPT.

EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

1520/14

Madras, 16 March 1888.

OFFICE NOTE No. 1218

To
W.

Adverting to No. 83 E. W. dated 3rd. March 1888 from the Supg. Engineer 4th. Circle communicated with G.O. No. 774 W. dated 7th. March 1888, I beg to point out that in G.O. No. 606 D. dated 24th. September 1887 it was ordered that the cost of two debentures of the old Breeks' Memorial School held by Mr J. W. Minchin should appear as an item in the estimate for additional accommodation for the public offices Ootacamund. The cost of the debentures whose purchase was sanctioned in G.O. No. 774 W. above should not therefore apparently be charged as suggested by the Supg. Engineer 4th. Circle to the new Breeks' Memorial School, but to the estimate for providing additional accommodation etc.

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C.

E.G. 16/3.

KEEP-WITH 1 188 .

Genl. No.

1,000—7-2-88.

No. 774 W. d/ 7.3.88.
" 2591 " 26.10.88
" 606 D. 24.9.87
" 1926 W. 4.8.86

No. 979 W. d/ 26.3.88

The cost of the debentures on the "old" School buildings will be charged to the estimate of the new School building constructed by Government.

These instructions cancel the orders given in para 2 of G.O. 606 D d/ 24th September 1887

19.3.88

To The Examiner P.W. Accts ✓ 19/3/88
" Supdg Engr IV Circle ✓

Note

The above seems the correct procedure – The Estimate for the new buildings should bear all costs incurred in connection with It. Had this been strictly a cash transaction the cost to Government would have been (a) purchase of old building + (b) cost of debentures. [illegible]

PWC No. 2617

19/7.3.8

No. 979 W. d/ 26.3.88

With orders

[C. No. 8.]

GOVT. OF MADRAS. } 1888. { P.W. DEPT.

EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

Madras, 12 April 1888.

Office Note No. 1325

1570/13

To

W.

Adverting to G.O. No. 979 W. dated 26th March 1888, please let me know to what purpose the old Breeks' School Building is to be put, and also on what grounds the cost of the debentures referred to, which is practically a part of the purchase money of the old building, is to be charged to the new school. It is understood that there is no intention of converting the old buildings into a new school.

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C.

12/4

Keep-with Genl. No.

dated 188

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1,000—7-2-88.

- 777 w d/ 26-3.88.
- 774 w d/ 7.3.88.
- 2891 w d/ 26 10.87
- 606 w d/ 24.9.87
- 1923 w d/ 4.8.86.

P.W.C. No. 3437

R 13.4.88

No. 57 D of 17th April 1888

No. 57 D.

Government of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,

Ootacamund, 17th April 1888.

OFFICE NOTE.

From W.

To C.

Your No. 1325 dated 12th April 1888

The reply to your first question ~~in~~ is contained in G.O. 1923 W dated 4th August 1886, which has already been communicated to you—

It does not seem to be a very material point whether the cost of the debentures is charged to the new school buildings or to the Judge's Court

Practically, the whole cost of the new building including erection, transfer of medallions, and debentures, as well as the alterations to the old buildings taken together, represent the value to Government of the property which has been acquired but there are two separate Estimates—

viz:—

(1) Cost of providing a new School and

(2) Alterations to the old buildings to adapt them for a Judge's Court,

and the question is, to which of these two estimates the cost of the debentures can most properly be debited—

The charge can scarcely fall under any item of the estimate for alterations to the old building— The cost of transferring the medallions, to which no exception has been taken, might with equal propriety be so transferred.

Taking all the circumstances into consideration, and having in view the two separate estimates it would perhaps be best to limit the items of the second estimate to the actual cost of converting the building into a Court House.

(Signed) J. H.

Despd 17th/88
No 57D

No 57 D of 17th April 1888

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ENCLOSURES —
P.W.

No. 57 D.

Government of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,

Ootacamund, 17 April 1888.

1520/17

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From
W.

To
C.

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And

taken together, represent the value to Government of the property which has been acquired; but there are two separate estimates, viz:-

(1) Cost of providing a new school

and

(2) Alterations to old buildings to adapt them for a Judge's Court.;

and the question is, to which of these two estimates the cost of the debentures can most properly be debited.

The charge can scarcely fall under any item of the estimate for alterations to the old building. The cost of transferring the medallions, to which no exception has been taken, might with equal propriety be so transferred.

Taking all the circumstances into consideration and having in view the two separate estimates, it would perhaps be best to limit the items of the second estimate to the actual cost of converting the building into a Court-house.

No. 14469 5.5.88

1540/18

To W.

There should not be two separate estimates and sanctions. As I understand the case there should be a single estimate for the provision of a judge's court etc., and this single estimate should include the following items, sub-heads or sub-works, namely:-

(1) alterations to the old school buildings

(2) redemption of debentures

(3) provision of new school buildings and site for the same.

2. Whatever arrangement may be adopted the cost to Government will be the same and in that sense, but, as far as I can see, in no other, it is immaterial what is done. As a matter of correct accounting, it is necessary that the entire cost of providing a new judge's court, collectors' offices, etc, shall be debited to the estimate for the same, so that the completed buildings may ultimately be brought on to the books at their true cost.

3. The true cost of the new court and offices will be the cost of alterations to the old buildings plus the cost of acquiring them; and the

[illegible]
[illegible] the post & telegraph offices –

The Record room is to be partitioned off to suit the requirements of the Court house.

The Estimate for these Extensions and improvements was framed in accordance with G.O. No 1923 W/4th August 1886 and G.O. No 424/384 W/11th Feby 1888.

The rates for plastering & wood ceiling are in excess of the rates given in the Schedule for the Nilgiris &c. The former is quoted at Rs 8-8-0 against Rs 6-8 in the Schedule and the latter 3-8-0 against Rs 2-8 in ~~the~~ the Schedule. The saving that could be effected if the Schedule rates were adopted would be Rs 141 –

The Est: has been countersigned by the Ag: Dt Judge and approved by Govt. in the Judicial Deptt.

15/5/88

Public Works Department.

Current No. 4268 1810/90
Letter No. 165-EW
Dated 3rd May 1888
From the Supg: Engr: III Circle

14.5.88

NOTE OF REMARKS.

The revised Estimate under review amounting to Rs 49,030 for constructing the new Breeks Memorial School at Ootacamund is submitted for sanction in supersession of ~~the~~ the Estimates for Rs 38,180 for the main building sanctioned in G.O. No 1923 W/4th August/86 and for Rs 1,800 for a Latrine sanctioned in G.O. No 1894 W/14th July 1887 –

The excess viz Rs 9050 is due to the following items

1 [illegible] sanctioned in G.O. No 1923

d/ 4th August 1886 — Rs 6000

II Opening up the Lower rooms marked A & B marked on the plan, which were to have been filled up / approved in G.O. No 3089 W d/ 22nd Novr /86 — " 1524

III Fencing the Compound — " 700

IV Furniture — " 445

V Coir matting — " 146

VI Gymnastic apparatus — " 130

VII Down take pipes — " 105

Total Rs 9050

It is explained that of this amount sanction for the first two items have already been accorded and [illegible] the rest [illegible] [illegible] sanction is therefore Rs 1526.

The rates are fair.

12/5/88

The Estimate has been countersigned by the Offg: Secy: [illegible] Memorial School.

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C. No. 4268
: 4337
: 4238.

1570/71

To W

In accordance with the arrangement approved in G.O. 1923 W d/ 6th Aug. 86 there are now two separate Estimates before Govt:

(1) For providing a new School. Rs 47,030

(2) For converting the old School into a Court house — 10,000

Total. 57,030

In his Office Note of the 5th May. 88. No. 1446. the Examiner maintains that "there should not be two separate Estimates and Sanctions", but that all the Expenditure should be charged to (2).

This seems right in theory, and the Examiner's view may perhaps be accepted?

Yes I think so
17/5/88.

A.S.
16.5.88.

N/4th August 1886 — Rs 6000

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… ning Sanction

N/1 … Rs 1526.

15400

Cu 4268,

linked with Cu 4337.

1540/92

C.A.W.

I send these two files to you, in connection with recent note from C relative to the estimate to which the cost of debentures should be charged —

Draft orders sanctioning both estimates are put up, but it is possible they may require modification in connection with C's note.

Cu

14.5.90

d/ 4th August 1886 — Rs 600

ing Sanction

d/ 1 August Rs 1526.

No. 1388

CURRENT NO. 1982

High Court of Judicature,
Madras 25 April 1888.

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From

W. Morgan Esquire,
Acting Registrar of the
High Court of Judicature
at Madras.

To

The Honorable H. E. Stokes,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort Saint George.

Sir,

I am directed to forward, for the sanction of Government, the accompanying plan and estimate, amounting to Rs 10,000, for converting and extending the old Breeks' Memorial School Buildings at Ootacamund into a Subordinate Judge's Court, and to request that funds may be provided at an early date.

1. Plan.
1. Estimate
1. Duplicate abstract.
1. Report.
1. Specification.
5.

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

W. Morgan

Acting Registrar,
Appellate Side.

Exd. [illegible]

Pr. 235 – 30 – 1 – 88.
Pr. 1923 – 4 – 8 – 86.
Pr 472 – 21 – 2 – 88
Pr 498A – 11 – 2 – 88
Pr 250 – 1 – 2 – 88
Pr 235 – 30 – 1 – 88
Pr 2660 – 22 11 – 87.
Pr 1923 – 4 – 8 – 86.

P.W.C. No. 4337

~~CURRENT NO.~~ 1982

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, P.W. DEPARTMENT, MADRAS.
-7 MAY 88

877 May/88

Approved & transferred to the Public Works Department.

(by order)
A. G. Cardew.
Ag. Under Secy.

Judicial {1888} Department.

No.

FROM

THE Ag. REGISTRAR OF THE HIGH COURT
OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS,
APPELLATE SIDE.

57 D. 17.4.88.
779 W 26.3.88.
1923 W 4.8.86.
606 D. 24.9.87
2891 W of 26.10.87
774 W of 7.3.88.
~~1923 W of 4.8.86.~~
3089 W 22.11.86.
2325 W 7.10.85
1894 W 14.7.87
606 D 24.9.87

Dated 25th April
Sent 26th "
Received
}1888.

Rd. 11.5.88

No. 1388
Encs. 3 ~~files~~

CHIEF SECRETARY
30 APL 88
MADRAS

Forwarding for sanction the accompanying plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 10,000, for converting and extending the old Breek's Memorial School Buildings at Ootacamund into a Subordinate Judge's Court and requesting that funds may be provided at an early date.

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SUPG. ENGINEER'S OFFICE 4TH CIRCLE,

No. 165/E.W.

Camp Sholadi 3rd May 1888.
Desp. 5th do.

1520/96

From,
Colonel J. Beatty R.E.,
~~The~~ Superintending Engineer,
Fourth Circle.

To,
The Chief Engineer
P. W. Department

Sir,

Enclosures 6
1 sanctioned plan
1 Plan of alteration
1 Revised estimate with abstract
1 comparative statement
1 General abstt.
1 Report.

I have the honor to submit for the sanction of Government a revised plan, and estimate, amounting to Rs. 49,030 for the new Breeks' Memorial School at Ootacamund together with a report, comparative statement and a duplicate abstract of the estimate.

2. An estimate of Rs. 38,180 for the main building and another of Rs. 1800 for a latrine were sanctioned in G.O. No. 1,923 W, and 1,894 W of 4th August 1886, and 14th July 1887 respectively. The excess of

Rupees

Rupees 9,050 over the sanctioned estimate is due to the following items viz:-

I.	Paying off Debentures sanctioned in G.O. No 1923W of 4th August 1886,	Rs. 6,000
II	Opening up the lower rooms marked A & B on the plan which were to have been filled up, approved in G.O. No 2059W of 22nd November 1886	" 1,524
III.	Fencing the compound	" 700
IV.	Furniture	" 445
V.	Coir matting	" 146
VI.	Gymnastic Apparatus	" 130
VII.	Down take pipes	" 105
	Total Rupees	9,050

3. Out of this sum, sanctions for the first two items have already been accorded, and the net excess requiring sanction is Rs. 1,526. The item "Fencing the Compound" will not be put in hand pending sanction of the revised estimate.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedt servant.

G. Beatty - Col. RE,
Supg Engineer, 4th circle

No. 1894 W d/ 14. 7. 87.
" 3089 W d/ 22. 11. 86
" 1923 W d/ 4. 8. 86

P.W.C. No. 4258

From

Colonel J. Beatty, R.E.
Superintending Engineer
Fourth Circle

Dated 3rd }
Desp. 5th } May 1888.
Recd. 8. 5. 88

No. 165
E.W.

Enclosures. 6 7
(+2 plans)

Breeks' Memorial School
at Ootacamund.

Submits for Sanction of Government a revised plan, estimate &ca. amounting to Rs 49030 for the New — & states that the item "Fencing the Compound" will not be put in hand pending Sanction of the revised estimate.

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No. 1540 W

B & R
& Works

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 25th May 1888

520/98 READ the following

Letter from the Registrar of the High Court } H. E. No. 1388 d/ 25th April 1888.

Endorsement in the Judicial Dept. dated 7th May 1888.

Letter from the Superintending Engr. IV Circle A.E. No. 165. E.W. d/ 3rd May/88.

Office Note from the Examiner P. W. Accts. No. 1446 d/ 5th May 1888.

In accordance with the arrangement approved in G. O. 1923. W d/ 4th August 1886, two separate estimates have been framed in connection with the provision of accommodation for the Court of the Subordinate Judge at Ootacamund.

(1) For converting the old School buildings (Breeks' Memorial) into a Court-house . . . . Rs. 10,000.
(2) For providing new school buildings . . . . " 49,030.
Total. " 59,030

But, as in the opinion of the Examiner Public Works Accounts, it it would be more correct to charge off all the expenditure of whatever kind incurred under the orders quoted above to a single estimate, the Government direct that the estimates quoted above be amalgamated under the head of "providing accommodation for the Court of the "Subordinate Judge at Cotacamund." The total sum, amounting to Rs. 59,030 is sanctioned accordingly.

This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 26 W of 1888-89, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

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23.5.88

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Cy.

The Supdg. Engr. IV Circle with 11 enclos.
" Examiner P. W. Accts with 2 abstract estimates
" Judicial Dept.
" Educational Dept.

C. S.

O. H. 46, 84, & 37
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Govt. of {1888} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Recd

Dated

Recd. Encl.

G.O. 25th May 1888, No. 1540 W.

Accomodation for the Court of the Subordinate Judge at Ootacamund

Amalgamating the estimates framed in connection with the provision of — and sanctioning an allotment of Rs 57,650 accordingly

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