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21st MAY 1888, No. 1496 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Military Works.

READ—the following letter from Colonel G. E. L. S. SANFORD, R.E., Inspector-General of Military Works, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Simla, 8th May 1888, Circular No. 2 B:—

I have the honor to forward a printed list of authorised articles of hospital furniture showing the index number of the standard plan of each article.

ENCLOSURE.
MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

List of authorised articles of Hospital Furniture showing the Standard Plans.

File No.	Articles.	Plan No.	Remarks.
	Almirah, large, for medicines and instruments.	H. 1	
	Almirah, small, for poisons ...	H. 2	
	Apparatus, hot water ...	H. 3	
	Bath, children, 30" x 20", galvanised iron.	Nil	Plan not necessary.
	Bath, foot, 22" x 16", galvanised iron.	Nil	Do. do.
	Bath, hip ...	H. 6	
	Bath, slipper, portable on wheels ...	H. 7	
	Bed, fracture ...	H. 8	
	Bedstead, iron ...	H. 9	
	Bier, for hill stations ...	H. 31	
	Bin, for soiled-linen ...	H. 10	
	Bin, for wines ...	H. 11	
	Boards, diet-scale ...	H. 12	
	" fire orders ...	H. 13	
	" inventory ...	...	
	" hospital rules ...	H. 13	Plan not necessary. A galvanised iron board, 15½" x 9", is authorised.
	Book-case, library pattern ...	H. 15	
	Box, dry-earth ...	...	Issued with Public Works Circular No. 45 of 1876; but boxes in iron or stone are to be supplied as fixtures in future.
	" dry-stores ...	H. 17	
	" field hospital ...	H. 16	
	" ice ...	H. 18	
	" zinc lined, with lock and key, for air bed and cushions.	H. 83	
	" zinc lined, with lock and key, for drainage tubing.	H. 84	
	Burner, charcoal ...	H. 20	
	Cart, filth and rubbish... ..	Nil	Plan not necessary.
	Chair, cane-bottomed ...	H. 21	
	" close-stool, small ...	H. 23	
	Chair, easy ...	H. 24	
	" folding ...	H. 25	
	" padded arm, with foot-rest ...	H. 26	
	Charpoy ...	H. 27	
	Chopping-block, small ...	Nil	A block of hard wood not less than 15 inches in length and diameter, mounted on 3 rough legs, 12 inches each in length.

List of authorised articles of Hospital Furniture, &c.—continued.

File No.	Articles.	Plan No.	Remarks.
	Commode	H. 29	
	„ portable	H. 30	
	Dresser, with shelves, drawers, and lock and keys.	H. 32	
	Filter, Macnamara, with component parts.	Nil	Plan not necessary.
	Filter, McDermott's portable	H. 33	
	Form with back, 5 feet	H. 34	
	„ without back, 5 feet	H. 34	
	Frame, bed-head, diet-sheet	H. 35	
	Head-rest	H. 39	
	Jhamps, with two poles each	Nil	
	Kitchen range, with boiler for water ...	Nil	Do. do.
	Ladder, lamp	H. 60	Do. do.
	Mallet, dry-earth	H. 40	
	Meatsafe	H. 41	
	Punkah-fringe, 18 inches deep	Nil	
	Punkah-pulling rope or cane	Nil	Do. do.
	Rack, for aerated waters	H. 43	Do. do.
	Rack, towel	H. 44	
	Receptacles, filth, large	H. 46	
	„ „ small	H. 47	
	„ urinary, large	H. 46	
	„ „ small	H. 47	
	„ kitchen, large	H. 46	
	„ „ small	H. 47	
	Rod, lamp	...	
	Scoop, dry-earth	H. 40	Plan issued with Public Works Circular No. 45 of 1876.
	Scraper, „	H. 40	
	Screen, moveable	H. 52	
	„ for archways between wards ...	H. 51	
	Sieve, dry-earth	H. 40	
	Shelf for clothing and bed-linen ...	H. 54	
	Stand, surahi, to hold 6 surahis ...	H. 57	
	„ „ to hold 2	H. 57	
	Stand, ghurrah, to hold 8 ghurrahs ...	H. 56	
	Stool, 2 feet high	H. 59	
	Table, barrack, 5' x 2' 10"	H. 46	
	„ bedside, with 2 shelves open ...	...	
	„ camp	H. 67	Plan issued with Quartermaster-General's Circular No. 25 B., dated 12th April 1866.
	„ common, 7' x 3', for dead-house and laundry.	H. 63	
	„ dispensing	H. 68	
	„ dissecting, with head-rest	H. 69	
	„ invalid and reading desk, Hamilton's.	H. 70	
	„ iron trestle, 5' x 2' 6", for dining.	H. 62	
	„ kitchen, 3' x 2'	H. 59	
	„ office, with drawers and cupboard.	H. 71	
	„ prescribing	H. 72	
	„ writing, small, 3' x 1' 8", for mortuary.	H. 73	
	Thermantidote	Nil	Plan not necessary.
	Tray, dressing	H. 74	
	„ kerosine lamps	H. 75	
	„ wooden, medium size	H. 76	
	Trestle, for boxes	H. 77	
	„ for supporting coffins	H. 78	
	Trestle for bedding, 6 feet	H. 79	
	Trunks, camel, with moveable trays, pairs.	Nil	
	„ mule	Nil	
	Wash-hand stand	H. 58	

ORDER—dated 21st May 1888, No. 1496 W., Public Works.

Communicated to Superintending Engineers and to the Military Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. O. HASTED, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.To Superintending Engineers.
To the Military Department.Exd. F. R. Bantleman,
Spare Copies

BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
MILITARY WORKS.

Gobt. of (1888) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated May, 21st.

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Encl.

G.O., 21st May 1888, No. 1496 W.

MAY.

Hospital furniture

Circular from the Inspector-General of Military Works forwarding a list of authorised articles of — showing the index number of the standard plan of each article, communicated to Superintending Engineers and the Military Department.

MILITARY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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	Bin, for wines ...	H. 11	
	Boards, diet-scale ...	H. 12	
	„ fire orders ...	H. 13	
	„ inventory ...	...	Plan not necessary. A galvanized iron board 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 9" is authorized.
	„ hospital rules ...	H. 13	
	Bookcase, library pattern ...	H. 15	
	Box, dry earth ...	...	Issued with Public Works Circular 45 of 1876; but boxes in iron or stone are to be supplied as fixtures in future.
	„ dry stores ...	H. 17	
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	Burner, charcoal ...	H. 20	
	Cart, filth and rubbish ...	Nil	Plans not necessary.
	Chair, cane-bottomed ...	H. 21	
	„ close-stool, small ...	H. 23	

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	Jhamps, with two poles each	Nil	Plan not necessary.
	Kitchen range, with boiler for water	Nil	Plan not necessary.
	Ladder, lamp	H. 60	
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	Punkah-fringe, 18 inches deep	Nil	Plan not necessary.
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	Rack, for aerated waters	H. 43	
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	Stand, ghurrah, to hold 8 ghurrabs	H. 56	
	Stool, 2 feet high	... H. 59	
	Table, barrack, 5' x 2' 10"	... H. 46	
	„ bedside, with 2 shelves open...		Plan issued with Quarter Master General's Circular No. 25B., dated 12th April 1886.
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	„ prescribing	... H. 72	
	„ writing, small, 3' x 1' 8", for mortuary	... H. 73	
	Thermantidote	... Nil	Plan not necessary.
	Tray, dressing	... H. 74	
	„ Kerosine lamps	... H. 75	
	„ wooden, medium size	... H. 76	
	Trestle, for boxes	... H. 77	
	„ for supporting coffins	... H. 78	

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List of authorised articles of Hospital Furniture, shewing the Standard Plans—concl'd.

File No.	Articles.	Plan No.	Remarks.
	Trestle for bedding, 6 feet ...	H. 79	
	Trunks, camel, with moveable trays, pairs ...	Nil.	
	Trunks, mule, with moveable trays, pairs ...	Nil.	
	Wash-hand stand ...	H. 58	

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All communications
to be addressed
to the Inspector
General of Mi-
litary Works.

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Military Works Department,

Simla, 7 June 1888

From
The Inspector General of Military Works,

To
The Secretary to the Government
of Madras,
Public Works Department.
Madras.

Sir,

In continuation of my
Circular No. 2 B dated 8th May 1888, I
have the honor to forward herewith
85 additional copies of the printed
list of authorized articles of hospital
furniture showing the index No.
of the Standard plan of each article,
which formed the accompaniment
to that circular.

Sent per
packet post.

I have the honor to be,
Your most obed^t servant,
H. Arnott Major, P.C.

for Insp^r Genl of M. W.
R.P.A.