(1) பக்கங்களின் எண்ணிக்கை 30

(2) புதுக்கித் திருப்பிய நாள் 29.8.89

(3) ஆதாரங்குறிப்பவர் சுருக்கொப்பம்

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P.W.D துறை

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மு. கோப்புத் தாள் எண். பலவகை

நாள் : 23.7.1898 19 .

மடிக்கவோ கண்டபடி கையாளவோ கூடாது

ஆவண. கா-1—18,006—15-6-87.

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23RD JULY 1890, No. 2012 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following paper:—

From C. F. MACCARTIE, Esq., Chairman, Ootacamund Municipal Council, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Collector of Nílgiris), dated Ootacamund, 4th June 1890, No. 356.

Adverting to my letter No. 191, dated 14th March 1890, I have the honor to solicit an interpretation of the Government order thereon, No. 1063 W., Public Works, dated 9th April 1890. In para. 1 of the above letter, at the instance of the Municipal Council, I requested that Government would be good enough to reconsider its decision that the "buildings, *Tools and Plant* situated on the piece of land recently transferred to the Municipal Council at the outfall of the Ootacamund lake, shall be disposed of in the manner suggested in the endorsement of the Executive Engineer, Nílgiris; and again in para. 3 of the same letter, the Council confidently hoped that the Government in approving their scheme, would approve also the transfer of these *buildings and plant,* together with the land * * * * specially as all the *materials* will be devoted to improving the property." In passing orders upon this application, Government was pleased to direct "that the buildings on the site of the Lake Brickfields at Ootacamund be made over to the Municipal Council, with the land" with the proviso that "they shall revert to the Government when no longer required by the municipality;" but no mention was made of the materials applied for, for the specific object of renovating the old mill-house building and constructing the necessary sheds to protect machinery and men from inclement weather.

2. The Executive Engineer, Coimbatore, with whom I have been in demi-official correspondence on the subject, declines to hand over the bricks without further reference to Government. Under these circumstances, I am regretfully compelled to address you with the request that Government may be pleased to order the transfer of all materials *in situ* to the Municipal Council. The bricks are specially wanted.

No. 43.

Submitted.

OOTACAMUND,
7th June 1890.

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

No. 392, Local and Municipal.

Transferred to the Public Works Department.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
16th June 1890.

(Signed) A. BUTTERWORTH,
Acting Under-Secretary.

From the Sub-divisional officer, Public Works Department, dated 30th June 1890, No. 450, Order—dated 23rd July 1890, No. 2012 W., Public Works.

The Government observes that in letter from the Chairman, Ootacamund Municipal Council, No. 1061, dated 6th November 1889, recorded in G.O., No. 70 W., dated 11th January 1890, no mention was made of tools and plant. The request therein made was that 4·27 acres of land, together with the buildings standing thereon, might be placed at the disposal of the municipality. In G.O., No. 507 W., dated 15th February 1890, the transfer to the municipality of the land and the old mill-house on it was sanctioned, but the other buildings and stores were ordered to be sold or removed.

2. On this, the Chairman asked for a reconsideration of the latter part of the Government order last quoted, stating that the corrugated iron sheds were wanted to repair the mill-house, and requesting that all the buildings and plant might be transferred as requested in his letter of 6th November 1889. G.O., No. 1063 W., dated 9th April 1890, was then passed, sanctioning the transfer of the buildings on the brickfields site on the understanding that they shall revert to Government when no longer required by the municipality. The Government did not contemplate the buildings being pulled down, and the materials used to repair the mill-house; but from the Chairman's letter of 4th June 1890, this seems to be the object in view.

3. The plant on the ground is reported to consist of over Rs. 1,200 worth of bricks, about Rs. 500 worth of broken bricks, certain brick-making machinery and 1,211 feet of rail-tramway, the book value of which is not known. The Government sees no reason why these stores should be made over to the Municipal Council free of cost. The bricks are required for Government buildings in progress, but the machinery and rails will be priced by the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, and offered to the municipality at a fair valuation. If the Council is not prepared to purchase the articles, the Superintending Engineer will forward a full description of them to the Consulting Architect, who will consider and report whether they should be transferred to the Government brickfields at Madras.

4. The Government has no objection to the materials of the two iron-roofed sheds on the land being used to repair the old mill-house and to build quarters for workmen; but the land and all the buildings on it must revert to the Government if the stone-crushing scheme is at any time abandoned.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. R. E. DRAKE-BROCKMAN, Lt.-Col., R.E.,
Ag. Joint Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Local and Municipal Department.
,, Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.
,, Consulting Architect to Government.
,, Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

Exd. W. H. French.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of {1890} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated July, 23rd.

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 23rd July 1890, No. 2012 W.

JULY.

Lake Brickfields

Passing orders regarding the buildings and materials, &c., on the site of the — made over to the Ootacamund Municipality.

P.W.D.
3/2012

N. 3330
21-6-90

Memo.

With reference to G.O. No. 1063 W. of 9 April 1890, the Sub-divisional Officer Nilgiris is requested to submit a list of the tools & plant and materials on the land recently transferred to the Municipality at the ~~[illegible]~~ out-fall of the lake. The total value of the stores should also be given.

Russell
20.6.90
D.

To the Sub-Divl. Officer
Ootacamund

Copy to the S.E. IV Circle.

Dd 21/6/90

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1063 W a/ 9-4-90
507 W a/ 15-2-90
290. C a/ 16-1-90
407. C a/ 22-1-90
70 W a/ 11-1-90
5571. C a/ 28-11-89
3025 W a/ 25-10-89
4492. C a/ 5-10-89
741 D a/ 23-8-89
3142 W a/ 6-10-88
3104 W a/ 4-10-88
1592. C a/ 5-10-85
953 W a/ 22-4-85

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P. W. DEPARTMENT.

Current No. 3890

From

The Ex. P.W. accts

ENCLOS.—

No. 2291
Dated 22-4-90
Received 23-4-90

SUBJECT.

Lake Brickfields, ootacamund ~~in the Nilgiris~~

Bringing to notice that there is an unadjusted balance of Rs 134,57 outstanding at debit of Land & Kilns under stock in connection with the in the Nilgiri Dn accounts & after the transfer of the land & buildings there are no available assets to set against this debit & requesting orders of Govt for the adjustment of this amount which he ~~[illegible]~~ thinks might be charged off to Provl. Civil Buildings.

DISPOSAL.

No. 2027 C dated 25-4-90

Forwarded to the S.E. IV Circle for report.

Sd/ W.L.C.B.
D.W.

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B.W.

Local [illegible]icipal De
No. 1384
2012

No. 356

Ootacamund Municipal Office,
4th June 1890

Ans
6/6/90

From
C. H. MacCartie Esqre.
Chairman,
Ootacamund Municipal Council.

To
The Chief Secretary to Government
Local and Municipal
Fort St. George
Madras

Sir,

through the Collector
Nilgiris

689 W
3-5-90

Adverting to my letter No 191 dated 14th March 1890 I have the honor to solicit an interpretation of the Government order thereon No 1063 W. Public Works dated 9th April 1890 In para 1 of the above letter at the instance of the Municipal Council I requested that Government would be good enough to reconsider its decision that the buildings, "Tools & Plant situated on the piece of" "land recently transferred to the" "Municipal Council at the outfall of"

" of the Ootacamund Lake shall be "
" disposed of in the manner suggested "
" in the endorsement of the Executive "
" Engineer Nilgiris and again in para- "
" 3 of the same letter. The Council "
" confidently hoped that the Govern- "
" -ment in approving their Scheme, "
" would approve also the transfer of "
" these buildings and plant together with "
" the land + + + +
" specially as all the materials will "
" be devoted to improving the property."
In passing orders upon this application Government was pleased to direct "that
" the buildings on the site of the Lake "
" Brickfields at Ootacamund be made "
" over to the Municipal Council with "
" the land" with the proviso that they shall "
" revert to the Government when no "
" longer required by the Municipality "
but no mention was made of the materials applied for, for the specific object of renovating the Old Mill House building

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building and constructing the necessary sheds to protect machinery and men from inclement weather.

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2. The Executive Engineer Coimbatore with whom I have been in Demi Official correspondence on the subject declines to hand over the Bricks without further reference to Government, under these circumstances I am regretfully compelled to address you with the request that Government may be pleased to order the transfer of all materials "in situ" to the Municipal Council. The bricks are specially wanted.

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

Chairman OMC

Cwd

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E.O No. 1063 W a/ 9. 4. 90 (reply)
333 D " 24. VI. 90 √
507 W " 15-2-90 √
290 C - 16-1-90 √
407 C " 22-1-90 √
70 W " 11-1-90 √
5571 C " 28-11-89 √
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1592 C " 5-10-85 √
2211 W " 21-9-85 √
1098 C " 25-6-85 √
1345 C " 6-8-85 √
357 C " 15-2-84 √
2631 W " 27-10-84 √
545 W " 9-3-85 √
953 W " 22-4-85 √
2562 W " 18-10-84 √
1895 W " 4-8-84 √
√ 2430 W " 2-10-84 √

A portion of the file sent down separately 21-7-90

⊗ Put up with C No 7530 of 11-8-90

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Local & Municipal Dept

[illegible] 1384

L. M. C. No. 5699

FROM

THE CHAIRMAN,
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,
OOTACAMUND.

To

THE CHIEF SECRETARY
To GOVERNMENT, L. & M.,
FORT ST. GEORGE,
MADRAS.

THROUGH THE COLLECTOR,
NILGIRIS.

No. 358

Dated 4th
Despatched 6th } June 1890
Received 9 JUN. 90

ENCLOSURE. ______.

SUBJECT.

Submitting explanation with reference to Government order No. 1063 W Public Works dated 9th April 1890.

Rd 17-6-90

No. 43

Ootacamund 7 June 1890

Submitted.

H McCartie
Ag Collector.

No. 392

Transferred to the Public Works Department.

A. Butterworth

Ag Under Secretary

Fort St George.
16th June 1890 }

G. O. No. 1063 W d 9-4-90

To,

The Public Works Department.

(with an endorsement)

List of the Tools and Plant, and Materials on the land recently transferred to the Municipality

Item No.	Name of Tools &c.		Quantity or Number	Rate	Per	Book value	Remarks
1	Brick making Machine	No.	1				} Book value not known
2	Rail. Tramway	Rft	1211.				
3	Bench Bricks		44,478	26 " "	1000	1199 " 5	
4	Do. 2nd class		6,000	13 " "	1000	78 " "	
5	Brick Rubbish or Surki		445½	1 " "	Cyd	445 8 "	
6	Brick pressing machine	No.	1				Book value not known

Ootacamund }
30th June 1890 }

Condr
Sub Dnl officer

8/2012

P.W.C. No 625

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

Sub
Nilgiri Division Office,
Station.... Ootacamund

From
Conductor R. A. Bragg
Sub ~~Executive~~ Engineer,
Nilgiri Sub Division,

To
The Chief Engineer
Public Works Depart

No. 450

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Dated 30th
Despatched
Received
June 1890.

Recd. 30. vi. 90

Enclosures.

Reference. Your Memorandum No. 333. D. dated 21st June 1890

Sir,

W/?W

I beg to enclose herewith a List of the Tools and Plant and the Materials lying at the Lake Brickfield as was requested in the above.

I beg to remain,
Sir
Your most obedt. Servant
R. A. Bragg Conductor
Sub Dl. officer

Ohs 22. VI
Hw. 11. VII

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Letter from the Chairman Ootacamund Municipal Council No 356 of 4.6.90.

Endt. in the L. & M. Depr. No 392 of 16.6.90.

For orders.

From the H. W.'s note on Current No 2973, it was understood that the Municipality was to have nothing more than the use of the sheds on the site of the Lake brickfields, and G.O. No 1063 W of 9.4.90 was framed accordingly.

The enclosed letter from the Sub Engr. Nilgiri Sub division, No 450 dated 30.6.90 contain

In the Mupl. Presidt's letter of 6th Nov/89 No 1061 mention is made of tools and plant. He only asked for 4.27 acres of land together with the buildings standing thereon.

I cannot find the papers relating to the scheme for [illegible] [illegible] but although the scheme was sanctioned in G.O. of 1/2/90 No 188 - Mupl. Misc; & in the D.P.W. G.O. of 15/2/90 No 507 the transfer of the land was sanctioned but the buildings & stores on ~~the land~~ it were ordered to be sold.

Subsequently the Chairman asked for reconsideration of this latter portion of the G.O. and [illegible] stating that the [illegible] wanted to repair the sheds [illegible] Milk House - & requesting that all buildings & plant might be transferred as requested in his letter of Nov. 6/89. On his letter G.O. of 9/4/90 No 1063 W. (Public Works) was passed sanctioning the making over of the buildings.

a list of the plant & materials on the ground.

The brick making & pressing machine could with advantage be utilised at the Brick fields, Madras, as well as the Tramway which has been asked for by the Consulting Architect –

The bricks at site could be utilised on the public buildings at Ooty, notably the new buildings lately mentioned in connection with Govt House. I do not consider that any of the Tools & Plant or materials should be handed over to the Municipality

RwDS
11.7.90

on the Brickfields site
on the understanding that they should revert to Govt. when no longer required by the Municip.y –
From this the Govt. apparently did not contemplate the buildings being pulled down & the materials used to repair the Mill House – but this seems from the Chairman's last letter 6/6/90 to be the point in view –

The plant ~~[illegible]~~ on the ground is reported to consist of over 1200 Rs. worth of bricks – being 500 Rs. worth of pressed bricks ~~[illegible]~~, & a brick making machine, a brick pressing machine, & 1288 feet of rail-way [illegible] –
The Pr. does not object to any of the plant being given to the Municip.y – provided they can be utilised for Govt. purposes.

I have just returned from inspecting the place & find that Mr Bragg's list of plant is incorrect. There are 2 brick pressing machines & one clay puddling machine. We have reported only 1 brick pressing machine. The bricks are of very good quality for such bricks, & there is no reason for making a present of them to the Municip.y. One of the brick pressing machines is useless at present – as one of its cogwheels is broken. The pressing plates of the machine have disappeared & sundry bolts & screws & nuts are wanting.
Some of the rails may be of service if these are necessary to fix them – but I don't think it would be worth the cost to send them to Madras. Or the machinery which are very rusty & will need a deal of cleaning & repairing. I would offer them at a valuation to the Municip.y & if they won't take them ~~them~~ these the rails may be sent to Madras along with the brick presser & the puddler.
This last requires steam machinery to drive it, ~~I think~~ as do the presses, I think
The rails w.d come in useful ~~in connection~~ with the work here after likely to be undertaken in connection with filling in the Lake near the Hobart Park.
The 2 iron-roofed sheds may be used for the purpose of storing materials being used to repair the old Mill-House & build quarters for workmen, on condition ~~that~~ the land & ~~the~~ ^the^ buildings on it revert to Govt. if the stone-crushing scheme is abandoned.

J.H.S.
14/7/90

For orders

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of 23rd July 1890

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To W

An addition might perhaps be made to the accompanying draft note as to whether or not you see any objection to the transfer of the tools & plant & materials to the municipality –

We have no list of ~~the~~ Stores, & ~~the Hon.~~ may wish ~~to see one~~ –

For orders whether it need be called for –

The S.D.O. might be called upon

Cr
20.6-90

To W

The S.D.O's reply has now been received, & you might perhaps add your opinion to the note for orders whether the plant & materials placed at the disposal of

should be made ova
to the municipality
Rather Mr Stokes
note on corner by
2973 pretty well before
the matter to your discretion

Cs
30.6.90

Sub Dl Offr

No. 2012 W d/ 23rd July 1890

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following

From the Chairman, Municipal Council, Ootacamund — } H.E. No: 356 d/ 4th June

Endorsement thereon by the Collector of Nilgiris — } H.E. No: 43 d/ 7th June 1890

Endorsement in the Local and Municipal department } H.E. No: 392 d/ 16th June 1890

From the Sub Div. officer, P.W.D. Ootacamund } H.E. No: 450 d/ 30th June 1890

D.H.S.
24/7/90

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17.7.98

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To The Local & Municipal Dept.
" Supy. Engr. / IV Circle
" Consg. Archt. to Govt.
Examiner P.W. Accts.

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Govt. of (18) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

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Dated

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Recd. Entd.

G.O., 23rd July 1890, No. 2072W.

Lake Brickfields

Passing orders regarding the buildings & materials ~~here~~ on ~~the~~ site of ~~the~~ — made over to ~~the~~ Ootacamund Municipality

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