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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following papers:—

G.O., No. 446, Financial, dated 11th June 1895.

ABSTRACT.—Ordering that, in addition to the cost of the Detention Hospital at Madras, departmental charges also be met from Provincial revenues; and requesting the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces to arrange for the transmission to the Financial Department of a formal budget in connection with the said hospital by the 1st December next.

G.O., No. 933, Financial, dated 28th November 1895.

ABSTRACT.—Passing orders on the budget estimate of the Detention Hospital for 1896-97.

G.O., No. 193, Financial, dated 23rd March 1896.

ABSTRACT.—Communicating to the Accountant-General Proceedings, Public Works Department, recording a letter from the Government of India sanctioning the construction of a Detention Hospital at Fort St. George.

READ—also the following paper:—

Telegram from the Chief Secretary to Government, Madras, to the Chief Engineer, Madras Command, Military Works, Ootacamund, dated 10th December 1896.

No. 713. Your letter, No. 6084, 22nd November 1895. Please forward as early as possible forecast requirements in connection Detention Hospital for current and ensuing years with brief note regarding progress works.

From Lieutenant-Colonel W. PEACOCKE, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Madras Command, Military Works, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Ootacamund, 22nd January 1897, No. 365.

The following is forwarded for information in compliance with his telegram, No. 713, dated 10th December 1896:—

COPY of a letter, No. 272, dated 20th January 1897, from the Executive Engineer, Madras Division, Military Works, to the Superintending Engineer, Madras Command, Military Works.

In continuation of my telegram, No. 148, of 18th instant, I have the honour to furnish the following particulars in regard to the probable expenditure on the Detention Hospital up to end of March 1897, inclusive of materials collected in 1895-96:—

Estimate—Rs. 1,36,820.

	Rs.
Hospital right wing	12,000
" left	16,000
" servants' quarters	4,000
Cart-shed	1,600
Administrative offices	4,000
Contagious diseases ward	3,000
Hospital storekeeper's store	2,000
Laundry	800
Mortuary	600
Hospital storekeeper's quarters	750
Assistant Surgeon's quarters	4,750
" " out-buildings	2,600
General, petty establishment, &c.	2,600
Material, timber, flooring slabs	6,000
English stores (reserve)	2,740
Total	63,440
Say	60,000
Expenditure, 1895-96 (materials only)	14,661
Allotment, 1896-97	1,00,000
Total	1,14,661

2. The amount of the grant (Rs. 1,14,661—Rs. 60,000) to be given up this year is therefore Rs. 54,600. The expenditure includes the probable cost of the English stores, part of which (the asphalt) has just arrived. The balance of the estimate (Rs. 1,36,820—60,000) Rs. 76,000, will be required next year, 1897-98.

3. The following is the state of the progress of the works:—

Right Wing.—Superstructure wall carried up 12 feet all round above plinth.

Left Wing.—Walls of superstructure on good ground carried up 11 feet above plinth.

All wells of ditch portion constructed and sinking completed. Weighting wells in progress.

Administrative Office.—Superstructure completed to height of 13 feet.

Contagious Diseases Ward.—Superstructure brickwork raised to height of 4 feet.

Assistant Surgeon's Quarters.—Thirteen feet of superstructure walls completed.

Storekeeper's Store.—Superstructure—Walls carried up to verandah wall plate level 10 feet. Verandah roof about to be commenced.

Superstructure brickwork of *Hospital Servants' Quarters*, *Assistant Surgeon's Quarters* and *Latrines*, also *Ambulance Cart-shed*, completed, and roof in progress.

Storekeeper's Quarters and Mortuary.—Superstructure in progress.

Teakwood work being got ready for certain other buildings.

4. The principal cause of the lapse is the difficulty experienced in obtaining bricks. Owing to the unusually heavy and late rainy season, many brick-fields could not be worked, and, as the country surrounding others has been under water, cartage was almost impossible. The demand in the city has also been unusually high owing to heavy damage from the rains.

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Transferred to the Financial Department.

(Signed) D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, Col., R.E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

6th February 1897.

ORDER—No. 137, Financial, dated 11th February 1897.

The total contributions due from Provincial funds towards the cost of the Detention Hospital aggregate Rs. 1,70,341 as shown below :—

Sanctioned estimate (G.O., No. 193, Financial, dated 23rd March 1896)	Rs.
Charges for supervision at $24\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. (G.O., No. 446, Financial, dated 11th June 1895)	1,36,820
	33,521
Total ..	1,70,341

2. The following entries will be made in the final issue of the Civil estimates for 1897-98 under *I. Land Revenue Adjustments* :—

				Preliminary issue. RS.	Final issue. RS.
Actuals, 1895-96	..	..	..	14,662	14,661
Revised estimate, 1896-97	..	..	..	1,00,000	45,339
Budget estimate, 1897-98	..	..	..	40,000	1,10,341
Total ..				1,54,662	1,70,341

(True Extract.)

Ad. M. A. P.
for Chief Secretary.

To the Accountant-General.
 „ Public Works Department.
 „ Superintending Engineer, Madras Command, Military Works.
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