

Public Works (1899) Department.

G.O., No. 987 W

DATED 6 April 1899.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Gardner

The Entertainment of a — on 15 April
mission to look after the compound of the 8th Engineer
Battalion, Daulat, Daulat.

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queries, dated 2^d March, 1899, on
 the note for orders of this Depart-
 ment, dated 28 February, 1899,
 it is submitted that, prior to the
 issue of G.O. No. 3314, dated
 2 February, 1899, directing that
 proposals for the entertainment
 of all monthly paid servants
 whose salary is charged to
 "Works" should be submitted for
 the sanction of Government,
 gardeners to look after the com-
 pounds of offices were employed
 by Superintending Engineers
 without the sanction of Govt.,
 and the pay of the men was
 charged to the maintenance
 of the buildings. As this is
 the first application received
 after the issue of the G.O.
 quoted above, no precedents
 are available. Similar cases
 will

Read the following:--

From the Suptg. Engineer, Circle, No. 113 W,
dated 18th February 1899.

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FOR ORDERS.

The Honble Mr. A. J. Arnold,
C. S. D.

In his letter read above, the Superintending Engineer Circle, requests sanction to the employment of a gardener, on Rs. 6 per mensem, to look after the Compound of the Executive Engineer's Office, Tanjore. The compound of the building was till very recently full of rank vegetation, which gave cover to ~~reptiles~~ ^{snakes}, and was a source of danger to the office establishment. The Executive Engineer had the Compound cleared thoroughly of all ~~the useless trees and plants~~ ^{scrub jungle} and in their place, ^{planted} a good number of trees and plants, some of which are likely to yield, after a few years, sufficient ~~revenue~~ ^{revenue} to

will no doubt follow; but the applications will be carefully scrutinised in the Secretariat before ^{being submitted} ~~submitting~~ them for the sanction of Government.

A. R.
15. 3. 99.

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To cover the pay of the gardeners. The Suptg. Engineer submits a statement showing the trees and plants growing in the Compound and the amount realisable per annum. The income during the ensuing ten years will be as follows:-

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After the 1st year. — 4 — " — "
— do — 2nd " — 4 — " — "
— do — 3rd " — 4-8- "
— do — 4th " — 4-8- "
— do — 5th " — 80-8- "
— do — 10th " — 180-8- "

* inclusive of Rs. 100 realisable by the sale of 6 sandalwood trees.

From the above, it will be seen that it is only after the end of the 5th year that the revenue will cover the pay of the gardeners applied for. As it is, however, necessary that the Compound, which has already been planted should be looked after, it is recommended that the entertainment of the gardeners be sanctioned.

Are there any precedents for this. Will not many similar cases follow.

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From The Suptg Engineer
5th Circle.

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Dated 18th February 1899
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SUBJECT.

Employment of a gardener on Rs. 6 per mensem for the Executive Engineer's Office, Tanjore —

Requests to obtain the sanction of Government to the —

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List of trees and plants in the Tanjore Divisional Office Compound.

Sl. No.	Tamil name of trees etc.	Number planted and growing well	Whether any are expected	After	Amount realizable per annum	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Elava (Silk cotton trees)				Rs	
2	Sandana (Sandal wood)	94		5 years	47	
3	Kanukoo (Nut tree)	6		10 years	About Rs 100 after they are dried	
4	Sevvalai (Plantain)	48		5 years	12	
5	Kolai (Do)	10		1 year	1 1/4	
6	Sambakam	10		1 year	1 1/4	
7	Tamarind	1		5 years	5	
8	Krainelli (Gooseberry)	1		Now begins to yield produce	1	
9	Ma (Mango)	1		yielding	1/2	
10	Othooma (Graft mango)	1		3 years	1/2	
11	Crotons	12		5 years	12	Ready for being planted.
12	Rose	Will be planted 386				
13	Thanga arali	49				
14	Prince of Wales Croton	16				
15	Silk rose	3				
16	Ferns	18				
17	Magilam Kannoo	18				
18	Almond plants	4				
19	Shelkadi	1				
20	Mavaranjitham	1				
21	Blue and red lilies	3				
		3				

Revenue expected - 7
Not yielding revenue

9 Feb 1899

(True Copy)

Ch. Laxman
 18/2/99
 Col. DE
 Supty. Engineer, Tanjore

(By Order)

(Signed) V. S. Raja gopala (Chariman)
 Accountant & Manager
 for Ex. Engineer, Tanjore

From H. H. O'Connell Esq. Executive Engineer
Tanjore Division, to the Supty. Engr.
V-circle, dated 9. Feby 1899, no: 738.

With reference to your letter no: 325 of 12-12-98, and in continuation of this Office letter no: 372 of 22-1-99, I have the honour to forward herewith a statement showing the number of plants and trees to be watered in the Divisional Office compound, the extent of which is about an acre. From the list attached it will be seen that there are many valuable trees and plants expected to yield revenue after certain period. The Divisional Office Compound was never cared for before, and was full of rank vegetation etc., which gave cover to venomous reptiles. Very recently the Divisional Office compound was cleared, and plants etc as per list attached were put in. The compound, which may now be called a decent garden, was personally seen by the Supty. Engineer on the 22nd Nov: 1898, and on the suggestion made by the Supty. Engineer himself, an application was made for a gardener.

2. A gardener is indispensably necessary, and I request that sanction may be obtained at Rs 6 per mensem as entered in the proposition statement already submitted to you.

(Trinecopy)
— A. L. A. S. M.
18/2/99
Supty. Engr. V-circle. Col. DE

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Chennai, 18th February 1899.

No. 113W

From

Colonel. C. C. Rawson R.E.

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

V CIRCLE,

To

THE Chief Engineer,

P. W. D.

Madras

SIR,

Enclosures. 2

I have the honour to request that you will be so good as to obtain the sanction of Government to the employment of a gardener on Rs 6 per mensem for the Office of the Executive Engineer, Tanjore. His pay will be charged to the annual maintenance estimate of the Divisional Office building.

2. The necessity for the employment of the gardener is explained in the Executive Engineer's letter No: 738 of 9-2-99, copy enclosed.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your Most Obedt Servant

C. C. Rawson Col. R.E.
18/2/99
Supy: Engineer, V. Circle

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