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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
28th May 1867.

No. 175. Read the following Proceedings of Government in the Public Works Department, dated 22nd May 1867, No. 1538.

Ordering certain alterations to be made
to the latrine attached to the male } (Vide Proceedings, Public Works Depart-
wards of the Eye Infirmary at Mad- } ment, dated 22nd May 1867, Nos. 505
ras. } & 506.)

No. 176.

ORDER THEREON, 28th May 1867, No. 591.

To be recorded.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,

Chief Secretary.

Exd. J. Tulloch.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
22nd May 1867.

No. 505. Read the following Memorandum from the Inspector General, Medical Department, dated Fort Saint George, 13th May 1867, No. 185 :—

From the Superintendent of the Eye Infirmary, to the Deputy Inspector General of Hospitals, Presidency Division, dated Madras, 27th April 1867, No. 26.

1. I have the honour to request that sanction be obtained for the following slight alterations in the latrine belonging to the male wards of the Eye Infirmary, to suit it more perfectly for the special wants of Ophthalmic patients :—

(a.) The reduction, by one-third, of the elevation of the edges of the troughs, and the formation of a sloping pavement from the floor to the inner edge of the troughs.

(b.) The fixing of hand rails to guide the patients from the door to the trough.
2. These suggestions have met with the approval of the Sanitary Commissioner, whose Secretary has personally inspected the latrine.

3. I would also recommend that large circular openings be made in the northern and southern walls of the latrine, in order to secure more light and improved ventilation.

The alterations are urgently required, and recommend that they may be soon made.

(Signed) H. W. PORTEOUS,
Deputy Inspector General of Hospitals,
Presidency

Forwarded to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, for favourable consideration.

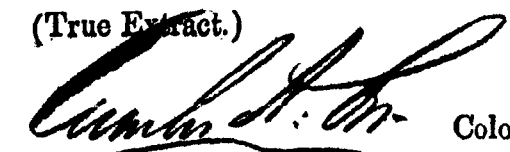
(Signed) W. MACKENZIE, M. D.,
Inspector General, Medical Department.

No. 506. ORDER THEREON, 22nd May 1867, No. 1,538.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 55.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer of the 4th Division, who will issue orders for the immediate execution of the alterations which are recommended to be made to the latrine attached to the male wards of the Eye Infirmary at Madras.

(True Extract.)


Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.
„ Controller of Public Works Accounts.
„ Public Department.
„ Inspector General, Medical Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

