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Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

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26th March 1868.

No. 189. Read the following letter from the President of the Municipal Commission, Trichinopoly, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Tirumangalum, 21st January 1868, No. 2.

With reference to the attached Resolution of the Municipal Commissioners of the Town of Trichinopoly, I have the honor to request the sanction of Government to a loan of Rupees 10,000 being raised under Section 77 of Act X. of 1865, at such rate of interest and upon such terms as in the discretion of the Commissioners may be considered to be most advantageous to the Municipality.

2. The want of a proper market, well conserved and regulated, is much felt by the town's people. The erection of one will prove a great boon to them, and any money laid out with this object, I consider, will be spent to great advantage.

3. I forward, by this post, copy of the general plan of the proposed market. It is intended, in the first instance, to enclose an area of 300 feet by 150 with a brick wall, to cover about 10 feet of ground from the wall all round with a pent roof of palmyra and tiles, resting on brick pillars, and to partition the ground thus covered over into stalls of convenient dimensions with low single brick walls; we shall also provide a few closed godowns. It is proposed to construct a well and cistern in the centre of the market, and provision has been made for proper drainage, and should the requirements of the town demand it, the plan admits of additional stalls being erected within the enclosure.

4. It is estimated that the income from the rent of these stalls will amply cover the cost of keeping the place orderly and clean, and pay the interest on the sum the Municipality desire to borrow.

5. The site selected is contiguous to the ground now doing duty for a market, and is admirably adapted for the purpose. Some years ago it formed part of the moat, and of the site of the southern walls of the fort. It was reclaimed at the cost of Government, and is now lying waste.

6. In the event of Government sanctioning the required loan, I shall feel obliged by receiving their instructions to hand over to the Commissioners this ground which, I may add, is not required for any other building purpose.

Proceedings of the Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Trichinopoly, at a Meeting held on the 7th December 1867.

Present.

Major W. M. Williams.

C. W. W. Martin, Esq.

J. D. B. Gribble, Esq.

Mr. G. T. Oliver.

Sowcar Rajaram Tawker.

A. Patchayapa Moodelliar.

Proposed by Mr. Oliver that a market should be at once erected on a plan placed before the Commissioners, and that Government be requested to sanction a loan of 10,000 Rupees for the building of the same, under Section 77 of Act X. of 1865, and that application be made at once for the purpose.

Carried *nem-con.*

The Meeting proceeds to hear appeals and adjourns at 4½ p. m.

(True Copy).

(Signed) C. T. LONGLEY,

President.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
26th March 1868.*

No. 190.

ORDER THEREON, 26th March 1868, No. 391.

The Governor in Council is unable to pass orders on this proposition in its present form. The Commissioners must specify some particular rate, tax or duty under Section 77, which they propose to hypothecate as security for the loan, and give specific information as to the terms and rate of interest on which they expect to obtain the loan.

2. The Government are not inclined to object to the establishment of a market, provided the terms of the proposed loan are approved, but they will not pass any definite orders until they have distinct information before them.

3. In order to avoid unnecessary delay inquiries will be made in the Military Department, whether there is, in that Department, any objection to the land being used for the purpose indicated.

4. A petition, No. 329 of 1868, received from the shop-keepers in the present market will be referred to the Commissioners for report.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the President of the Municipal Commission, Trichinopoly, with petition.
Military Department.

Ed: F. R. Bantleman

Public Department

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the Pre-

sident Municipal Commission,

Trichinopoly

(New entry of January 1868 No. 2)

Order thereon 26. March 1868 No. 391.

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4 A Petition No. 329 of 1888
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Shop keeper in the ^{present} market
will be referred to the
Commissioners for report.
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To the President of the San Francisco
Truck Company, with Petition
Military Dept. -

Plan returned to the
Collector - as per his
letter 5 Dec/88 - 29/10.

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Letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly, 27th May 1868 No. 28-
on Petition No. 329 of 1868.

Dated 26 March 1868.

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