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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

• Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1636 Press
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Dated 15-12-1870

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
15th December 1870.

No. 117. Read the following letter from the Acting Commissioner of Police, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 21st November 1870, No. 56 :—

The buildings now rented for the Lungarkhana, at the rate of Rupees 20 per mensem, are in a ruinous state.

2. They are the property of Azeez-ool Moolk Bahadoor, who will neither execute necessary repairs, nor sell the buildings for a reasonable sum. In fact, he demands a price which leads me to suppose that he does not wish to sell them.

3. The situation being adapted to our requirements this is to be regretted ; but we have nothing for it but to look for another piece of ground to erect a new building with the sum of Rupees 3,700 now at our disposal from the Famine Relief Fund and such additional sums as we may obtain hereafter for this charitable purpose.

4. It is clear that, with so small a sum, we could not afford to pay more than a few hundred Rupees for a site, and this would only purchase a small piece of land barely sufficient for the building, without leaving breathing space around it.

5. I would ask Government, therefore, to allot a piece of land, in size from three to four grounds, for the new building in the south-west corner of Chepauk Palace ground, with Pycroft's to the south, and Bell's road to the west. A certain amount of space round the building is required, as 140 persons are fed from the Lungarkhana cook-rooms.

No. 118. ORDER THEREON, 15th December 1870, No. 1636.

His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the grant of a piece of land, to an extent to be hereafter determined, in the western end of the Chepauk ground, for the erection of a Lungarkhana.

2. The ground will be railed off, and the entrance into it will be from the street called Bell's road.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Acting Commissioner of Police, Madras,
„ Public Works Department.
„ Revenue Department,

Exd. J. Wright.

No. 56

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

Madras Police,

FROM

Major G. B. Bowen

21 November 1870

Acting Commissioner of Police,

Madras.

TO

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Fort Saint George.

SIR,

The buildings now rented for the Jungarbhama at the rate of Rs. 20 per mensem, are in a ruinous state.

2. They are the property of Meerool Moolk Bahadur who will neither execute necessary repairs nor sell the buildings for a reasonable sum. In fact he demands a price which leads me to suppose that he does not wish to sell them.

3. The situation being adapted to our requirements this is to be regretted, but we have nothing for it but to look for another piece of ground to erect a new building with the sum of 3700 now at our disposal from the Famine Relief Fund, and such additional sums as we may obtain hereafter for ~~these~~ charitable purposes.

4. It is clear that with so small a sum we could not afford to pay more than a few hundred rupees ~~for rent~~ and this

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To

THE ACTING COMMISSIONER OF

POLICE,

Madras,

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Dated December, 15th.

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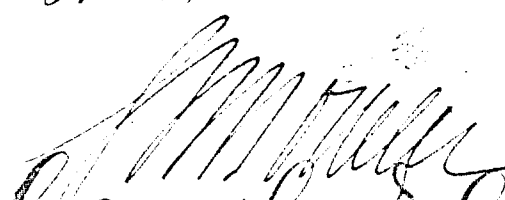
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Sanctioning the grant of a piece of land in the west end of the Chepauk ground for the erection of a Jungarbhama.

this would only purchase a small piece of land barely sufficient for the building without leaving breathing space around it. I would ask Government therefore to allot a piece of land in size from 3 to 4 Gromels for the new building in the South West corner of Chepauk Palace Ground with Dyerofts to the South, and Bell's road to the West. A certain amount of space round the building is required as 140 persons are fed from the Tungarthana cook rooms.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Yours most Ob: Servant

Ag: Commissioner of Police

* into the general enclosure. The large hall
would be raised off from the rest & the
entrance would be from the street called Bell
Road. The building would be marked by trees.
The people who resort to the place for distasteful
food are quiet harmless helpless objects. It is
demanded that such an institution should be
placed in a conspicuous position so as to
be under public observation and to excite
public interest. If the present Dispensary
had been better situated it would not have
been left in the deplorable state in
which it now is. I would give the
grant, make a grant in aid to the
building fund, promote a subscription

and place the Institution in the footing
now occupied by the Morgan
Chantry as far as possible. Eventually
the Dispensary might be put in
connection with it.

I agree with you in this

Very truly
Yours


J. A. J.

Public Department

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the

Acting Commissioner of
Police Madras dated 21st
November 1870 No. 56.

Order thereon is Decr. 10th 1870.

His Excellency
the Governor in Council is
pleased to sanction the
grant of a piece of land to
the extent of four (4) guntas
in the western end of the
Chepauk ground, for the
erection of a Lungar-Khana.
2. The ground will be raised
off, & the entrance into it will be
from the street called Bell's
Road.

To an extent to be
hereafter determined

To
The Ag. Comr. of Police Madras.
" - Public Works Department.
" - Revenue Department.

Public Works Dept.

From

The Commissioner of Police,

Madras,

To

The Chief Secretary

to Government,

Fort St George

No. 2011

No. 56.

Dated

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21st November
1870

ENCLOSURES.

I enclose herewith a
plan of the ground, and
the sketch in the
margin. I have also
enclosed a copy of the
order of the Government
in relation to the
grant of the land.

I am in favour of the proposal. I think that
a piece of ground of the nature required
for the proposed ground is available and is not
required for any other purpose. I think that
the Government should sanction the grant of the
land, and that the ground should be raised
off, and the entrance into it should be from the
street called Bell's Road.

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land, and that the ground should be raised
off, and the entrance into it should be from the
street called Bell's Road.

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Cont. of 1870; **Minute.**

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To

The St. Louis of Police
number for

Dated Dec. 1870, No. 1870.
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Sectioning the road of
a piece of land in the road.
and of the Captain's ground,
for the creation of a new road.
Hence.