

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	333	Press Mis.
Dated	14-3-	1871.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
14th March 1871.

No. 79. Read the following letter from G. S. FORBES, Esq., President of the Strangers' Home Committee, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 6th March 1871 :—

I am requested, by the Committee of Management for the European Home, to submit, for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council, a letter in which the Administrator-General announces his intention of selling the house at Royapooram now occupied as a Home.

2. It seems to the Committee that if the Government decide to constitute this establishment a Government Work-house under the Vagrancy Act, they would do well to purchase the property.

3. The premises are remarkably well suited to the purpose for which they are used, and their retired position and the close neighbourhood of the Railway and Shipping Offices are in themselves advantages which it would not be easy to meet with in any other quarter.

4. The Committee can offer no opinion as to the value or probable cost of the property (they occupy it at a rental of 80 Rupees a month); and it seems desirable that the Government Surveyor should be directed to appraise it, if the purchase is determined upon.

No. 80. ORDER THEREON, 14th March 1871, No. 333.

Orders will be issued, in the Public Works Department, to the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, to have a valuation made, with as little delay as practicable, of the building used as the Strangers' Home at Royapooram.

2. In the meantime, Mr. Forbes will be good enough, in communication with the Government Solicitor, to make all the preliminary arrangements for the purchase of the building used as the Home, and report to Government, by Monday next, the precise amount for which it can be bought.

(True Extract.)

R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

To the Public Works Department.
To G. S. Forbes, Esq.
To the Government Solicitor.

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To
THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
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Dated March, 1871.

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G. O., 14th March 1871, No. 332.

MARCH.
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Directing that orders be issued in the Public Works Department, to have a valuation made of the buildings used as the Strangers' House at Devonport, and requesting Mr. Porters to arrange for the same in the meantime for the purpose of the building, and to report to Government the precise amount for which it can be bought.

To the Chief Secretary
Government, Fort St. George.

Sir
I have requested the Committee
of Management to the Corporation
to submit for the information
of the Govt. on Council, a
letter in which the Administration
General announces his intention
of selling the house at Nagapore
and ~~to be sold~~ to whom

has been the Committee that if
the Government decide to constitute
this Establishment at Government
Expenses under the Nagapore
Act, they would wish to
purchase the property.

The names are ~~unavailable~~

suited to the purpose for which
they are used, and their
situation position & the close neigh-
bourhood of the Railway & Shipping
offices are in themselves advan-
tages which it would not be easy
to meet with if we were to move, water

The Committee can offer no
opinion as to the value or probable
cost of the property if they occupy
that quantity of 8000 square feet.
It seems desirable that the

Cost Surveyor should be
directed to appraise the value
if the purchase is determined

upon. I am the honour to the
noble Lord
Yours most Obedt Servt
1871. C. J. Folger

Memo for Order.

^{now used as a Papam's home}
 If the house can be
 purchased by the
 end of ^{official} this year. There
 will be a sum of 8000 Rs
 available - which I
 am informed would
 be sufficient, but it
 is somewhat doubtful
 whether this would
 be considered by the
 Govt of India a legitimate
 application of the grant
 without their previous

from the total grant of
 20000 Rs on account of
 anti-granny act.

I would ^{first} ~~rather~~
 let a set of
 valuations of the
 property be as to
 form some idea
 of what it is likely

some very definite

from

President's charges
 would

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No 407

Regarding the
 anti-granny act
 the Government has
 decided to give
 some Rs 8000 for
 the purpose of the
 anti-granny act
 and regarding the
 anti-granny act
 the Government has
 decided to give

Sanchein.

It is probable that
any purchaser of
the property will
be glad to have the
work tenanted at 80
pounds a month.

Mr. Fisher better come
without the endorsement
from the Hon. General
All

fetch. I think
also that we may
buy without
special sanction -
depriving the cost
from the balance
of their grant or
from General savings.

The House does not
come within the
category of Civil Works,
"Provincial".

I & C

If we can get the place

In the 8000. the
rent is 127

1/2 of the land
after any of the
can be considered
place for the purchase
1/2

Public Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from
the President, Strangers'
Home, dated 6th March
1871

Order thereon 14 March 1871 No 333.

Orders will be
issued in the Public Works
Department to the Super-
intending Engineer, 4th
Division, to have a valuation
made, with as little delay
as practicable, of the build-
ing used as the Strangers'
Home at ~~Angapooram~~.

N.
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I.D.

2. In the meantime
Mr. Forbes will be good
enough, in communication
with the Government officials,
to arrange for the purchase
of the

The building used as
Home and report to Govern-
ment by Monday next
the precise amount for
which it can be had.

The J. M. Department.
G. S. Forbes Esq.
Govt. Solicitor.

