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Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
15th March 1871.*

No. 82. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel W. T. F. FAREWELL, Acting Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Fort Saint George, dated Cochin, 24th February 1871, No. 242:—

With reference to G. O., No. 66, of 14th January 1871, I have the honour to re-submit the estimate for the conversion of the Bonded Warehouse at Cochin into a Sailors' Hospital, and to note that the bath-room has been provided for in a verandah of the building, and the cook-room and privy have been reduced to the dimensions noted in red-ink on the plan, viz., 8' by 8'; and I beg to point out that neither the privy nor cook-room is under the same roof as the main building, the privy being 7 feet from the main building on the one side, and the cook-room being a "lean-to" against the wall produced from the back wall of the building, and provided with an entirely separate roof.

Enclosures.
One plan.
One estimate No. 24 of 1871-72,
Rs. 2,600.

2. Mr. Dalrymple, the Master Attendant of Madras, this morning inspected the building with me, and concurs with me that, with due regard to the requirements absolutely necessary for a hospital, it would be impossible to reduce the estimate any further.

3. In G. O., No. 20, of 4th June 1870, the work has been provided with an allotment of Rupees 3,200 from Port Funds, from which a sum of Rupees 500 has been expended up to date on the collection of materials; and if early orders be passed on the subject, the work can be commenced at once.

Transferred to the Public Department, with reference to the orders in that Department, dated 30th December 1870, No. 1685.

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R.E.,
Secy. to Govt., P. W. D.

4th March 1871.

No. 83. ORDER THEREON, 15th March 1871, No. 335.

The Government decline to sanction the estimate for the alterations proposed for converting the Bonded Warehouse at Cochin into a small Sailors' Hospital, which is re-submitted by the Acting Superintending Engineer, Colonel Farewell.

2. That Officer has shewn no sufficient reason for not complying with the instructions of the Government limiting the expenditure on the conversion of the building in question to Rupees 1,500. Among the alterations proposed by Colonel Farewell are the enlargement of the existing verandah from 5' 6" to 8' in width, the raising the roof from 10 to 13 feet, and the renewal of the roof. Although these alterations might be desirable, if ample funds were available, they do not appear essentially necessary if adequate precautions for thorough ventilation are taken. This may be secured by leaving the existing doors and windows and a sufficient number of openings in between the couples of the roof at the eaves of the main building.

3. As regards the other alterations, the Government direct that a cook-room 8' by 8', a privy 8' by 8', and a bath-room 6' 8" by 6' 8" be added. The roof of the cook-room may with advantage be a pent-roof instead of a lean-to. The railing

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and screen-wall, as indicated in the plan, are also approved. It is considered that the main building can be repaired generally at a cost of Rupees 25 and newly tiled, while the roof may be made weather-proof at a cost of Rupees 114 (*vide* original estimate).

4. Including these sums the estimate will be corrected and reduced to Rupees 1,575, which amount is sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Collector of Malabar.

- „ Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department.
- „ Public Works Department, with enclosures returned.
- „ Accountant-General.

Exd. J. Wright.

No. 242

Supg. Engineer's Office, D.
Camp Cochin, 24th February
1871

To,

Colonel W. Farewell S.C.

By. Superintending Eng. D.

To, Colonel J. A. Orr R.E.

Secretary to Govt. D.P.W. Madras.

Sir,

Enclosures

1 Plan

1 Estimate No.

24 of 1871 No. 2600

With reference to G.O. No. 66 of 14th Jan
1871 I have the honor to resubmit
the Estimate for the conversion of the British
Ware House at Cochin into a Sailor's
Hospital, and to note that the Bath
Room has been provided for in a veran-
dah of the building, and the Cook Room
and Privy have been reduced to the
dimensions noted in red ink on the
plan, viz: 8' x 8'; and I beg to point
out that whether the Privy nor Cook
Room is under the same roof as the
Main building, the Privy being 7 feet
from the Main building on the one
side, and the Cook Room being a
"lean to" against the wall produced from
the back wall of the building, and pro-
vided with an entirely separate roof.

2. M. Dalrymple the Master Attendant

G.O. of 11871 Madras.

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THE COLLECTOR OF MALABAR,

As. As. As.

Dated March, 1871.

Recd.

G.O. 1558 March 1871. No. 266

MARCH

Nos. 82-83.

Direction that the estimate for the alterations
proposed for converting the British Warehouse at
Cochin into a Sailors' Hospital be corrected and
referred to Report 1, 575, which amount is en-
closed.

of Madras this morning inspected the building with me, and concurs with me that with due regard to the requirements absolutely necessary for a Hospital it would be impossible to reduce the cost any further.

3. In G.O. N^o 20 of 4th June 1870, the work has been provided with an allotment of Rs 3200 from Port Funds, from which a sum of Rs 500 has been expended up to date on the collection of materials; and if early orders be passed on the subject the work can be commenced at once.

I have the honor to be

Yr^{rs} most obed^t Servant

W. S. S. S. Colonel S.C.
Ag. Supy. Engineer

Pro 4 June 70 8220 Mis
" 14 Jan 71 66 Mis

1871 Dept
Public No 983.

From
The Supt Engineer
7th Division

Transferred to
the Public Dept with
reference to the orders
in that Dept dated
30 Decr 1870, No 1685.

To
The Secretary to Govt

S.D.W. Madras

No 242
Dated 24
1871
February 1871
March 7 -
Enc: 2.

No 426.
Resubmits Estimate
for the conversion of the
Bonded Ware House
at Cochin into a Sailors
Hospital and solicits
its early sanction.

Transferred

Wm A. M. C.A.R.R.
Secy to Govt.
DND.

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Public Department

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the

Supt Engineer 7th Division
dated 24 Feb 1871 No 242.

Order Madras 15 March 1871 No 335.

The Govt decline
to sanction the estimate
for the alterations proposed
for converting the Bonded
Warehouse at Cochin
into a small Sailors' hos-
pital, which is recommended
by the Asst Supt Engineer.
Colonel Harewell.

That Officer has
shown no sufficient reason
for not complying with
the instructions of the Govt
limiting the expenditure
on the conversion of the
building in question to
Rupees 1500. Among the
alterations proposed

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L. O. P.
A/A.

by Colonel Farnwell are
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existing verandah
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the raising the roof from
10 to 13 feet and the renewing
the roof. Although these
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desirable if ample funds
were available they do
not appear essentially
necessary if adequate
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ventilation are taken.

This may be secured by
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that the main building
can be repaired generally
at a cost of Rupees 25 and
the roof ^{and partly tiled} ~~renewed~~ at a
cost of Rupees 114. (vide
original estimate.)

Including these
sums the estimate will
be corrected and reduced
to Rs 157.5 which amount
is sanctioned.

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The Collector of Malabar.
District Engineer. Dept.
Public Works Department.
Accountant General.

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To
the
Collection of Malacca
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Dated March 1871, No. 835
Recd.

Nos. 82. 83.

Directing that the estimate
for the Stationer, to be paid
for printing the 13 or 14
pounds of Stationer in 15
a Stationer's Station, to be
acted and reduced to 15
1575, which amount is
sanctioned by