

# MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

*Revenue* DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,  
24th November 1865.*

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1 Plan.  
Rupees 960.

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2. The estimate for the Gateway and Cutcherry combined amounts to Rupees 783, this is owing, in a great measure, to the fact that the Gateway is to be placed on the Salt Vadi or the elevated platform, on which the salt is stored, and as the platform is not yet raised, and it is to be five feet high at the site of the Gateway, it is necessary to carry down the foundations six and a half feet, which gives only one and a half foot below the present surface of the ground, as it is quite out of the question raising such a structure, as that of which the gateway consists, on newly excavated earth.

3. Under Government Orders No. 1,676, dated 16th June, and No. 1,776 of 1st August, similar Salt Cutcheries or Gateways and Watch Towers will be required at Vedaraniem, Adarampatam, Vadapathi, and Cuttumavadi, while a Watch Tower only will be required at Thenpathi.

4. With regard to the estimate for the Salt Road sanctioned for entry in the Budget of 1866-67, in paragraph 2 of G. O. No. 2,606, I have the honor to inform you that in communication with, and with the assent of, the Collector and Salt Deputy Collector, I have arranged to do away with one of the bridges, the estimate for the road will therefore be reduced by Rupees 1,220, and will amount to Rupees 2,590 only.

Referred to the Revenue Department for consideration, with reference to the undermentioned Proceedings of Government :—

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„ 1,776 „ 1st August „

„ 2,606 „ 7th Sept. „

FORT SAINT GEORGE,  
21st November 1865.

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,  
Secretary to Government, P. W. D.,

No. 450. ORDER THEREON, 24th November 1865, No. 2,894.

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(True Extract.)

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Acting Secretary to Government.

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to Rs 2590 only.

I have the honor to be,  
Sir,

Your Most Obedt Servt.

*J. P. Baker* Captain P.E.  
Acting Supg. Engrs & D.

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George Washington Mason  
No. 207-1865

Miss Acton/Hughes  
6<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup>

His Excellency to  
Governor

Shirley  
Huggins - 2400 Kensington

Sept 15/99

Presque Isle  
Sept 2 - Bull  
Door

Office Building  
New York Order -  
Furnishings for Hamilton

Plant & Estimado

Red 965 for Constructing

John C. Anthony, and

Watch Tower, for

the New South Wales.

21/2 from grubbar.

Received of the C. B. May 1891

General

Referred to Mrs. Brown

Department for consideration with  
reference to the undermentioned Special  
issue of Government.

So 1076 dated 16<sup>th</sup> June 1885.

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2606 — " — 1489/11 —

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