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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
3rd September 1874.

Read the following papers:—

No. 31. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 14th August 1874, No. 2257:—

Read the following letters:—

From W. McQUHAE, Esq., President of the Local Fund Boards, Madura, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 30th July 1874, No. 68.

In Proceedings, No. 100/1874, copy enclosed.

THE Local Fund Board, Madura Circle, at a Special Meeting, held on the 28th instant, have resolved to bid at a public auction which is to take place on the 20th September for the small bungalow at Paramagudi now under attachment for arrears of peishcush due by the Ramnad Estate.

2. This bungalow has always been set apart for the use of European and East Indian travellers, and is situated close to the road. There is no other shelter for these classes on the whole line of road between Madura and Paumben. It is a small tiled building, and the Local Fund Board wish to retain it as a Traveller's Bungalow. The District Engineer was asked some time ago to estimate its value, but no answer has been received. It will not sell for any high price, probably for not more than Rupees 200; and I request sanction to bid for it up to a reasonable sum. If I must fix a limit before the Engineer's estimate is received, I would name Rupees 500; but I believe a smaller sum will suffice.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Extract from Proceedings of Local Fund Board.

From A. MACGREGOR, Esq., President of the Local Fund Board, Malabar, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Calicut, 30th July 1874, No. 153.

I HAVE the honor to forward, for sanction, plan and estimate, amounting to Rupees 1,560 for constructing a Traveller's Bungalow at Nellumbur at the 41st mile of road below Carcoor Ghaut.

2. The work is to be executed by the departmental agency, and funds should be placed at its disposal from the General Fund Reserve.

3. The estimate was placed before the Local Fund Board at their last meeting, and approved by them on the understanding that a sum of Rupees 500 will be realized by the sale of the old bungalow, which has already been done.

4. The old building was not susceptible of repair, and, having been erected before the construction of a cart road and springing up of a bazaar, was most inconveniently situated.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 1 and 2.—Plan and Estimate.

THE President of the Madura Local Fund Boards asks for sanction to bid up to Rupees 500 for a bungalow which is to be sold by auction on the 20th September, and which the Local Fund Board wish to keep as a public bungalow.

The President of the Malabar Local Fund Boards submits an estimate, sanctioned by the Local Fund Board, for building a new Traveller's Bungalow which is evidently very much wanted at Nellumbur. Rupees 500 have been realized by the sale of the old bungalow.

2. Although, according to the rules, the Board of Revenue are competent to dispose of both these applications, they resolve to submit them to Government, because the subject of the connection of Local Fund Boards with Traveller's Bungalows is under consideration, and it has been intimated that no increase of Local Fund expenditure on Traveller's Bungalows shall take place, pending further orders. It is requested that, if possible, orders may be issued, so as to reach the Collector of Madura before the 20th September.

3. The Board think both applications should be granted. In Madura the amount required is but small; and, if this opportunity is lost, and it is afterwards considered necessary to build a bungalow on the road between Madura and Paumben which is destitute of any shelter for European and East Indian travellers, a much greater expense will have to be incurred. In Malabar, as pointed out in Board's Proceedings, dated 15th July 1871, No. 2,960, paragraph 10 (G. O., dated 13th December 1871, No. 2,102,) the circumstances are exceptional.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Secretary.

No. 32. MINUTE by the Hon. W. ROBINSON, C.S.I., dated 22nd August 1874.

I would refuse sanction in both these cases. We are not justified in saddling the Local Fund with the construction and maintenance of District bungalows which are practically in a great measure for the use of the Officers of Departments of the State. In neither case will the structures be self-supporting, and the action of the Government of India has clearly shown what is the right principle to follow. For some years ago that Government refused to let the cost of these structures be debited to either Imperial or Provincial Funds, and ruled that they must be made self-supporting or be disposed of. This Government has however allowed Local Boards—managed by District officers—to transfer the charge to Local Funds. I believe this action to be inequitable.

(Signed) W. ROBINSON.

No. 33. ORDER THEREON, 3rd September 1874, No. 1476.

The purchase of the bungalow at Paramagudi and the erection of a bungalow at Nellumbur are sanctioned as special cases.

2. The plan and estimate for the latter are approved.

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Exd. A.Grubert.

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Govt. of 1874 Madura.

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To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

&c., &c.,

Dated September, 3rd.

Read.

G.O., 3rd September 1874, No. 1476.

SEPTEMBER.
Nos. 31—33.

Madura and Malabar Local Fund Boards.—The purchase of the bungalow at Paramagudi in Madura, and the erection of a bungalow at Nellumbur in Malabar, for travellers, sanctioned as special cases, and the plan and estimate for the latter, approved.



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EXTRACT FROM THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE LOCAL FUND BOARD OF THE Madura CIRCLE, MADURA DISTRICT, AT A Special MEETING HELD ON THE 28th July 1874

Present :—

1 W. McLuhae Espre — President

2 F. A. Nicholson Espre — Ag Ad Asst Collector } Member

3 M. R. R. S. Ram Row Treasury Deputy Collector — } Do.

4 A Gamack Espre — Zillah Surgeon } Do.

5 S. M. Scott Espre — Do.

6 M. R. R. S Masanamuttu Pilly — Do.

Proceedings No 100 of 1874.

Read letter from the Manager of the Ramnad Estate dated 21st July 1874. No 111, suggesting the advisability of purchasing at the approaching public auction, the Bungalows at Ramnad & Paramagoody for use as Travellers' Bungalows.

The Board resolve to bid for the small Bungalow at Paramagoody with the sanction of the Board of Revenue as there is at present no other shelter for any class of

of travellers but Hindoos, along the whole road from Pamben to Madura a distance of 94 miles.

The question of providing a travellers' Bungalow at Ramnad will be considered hereafter.

(True Extract) Jw 100

W McDickson
President.

Enclosure in letter
From
The Presidt
R. Bd Ramnad
To
The Secty to the
Bd of Revenue
Madras

Dated 30th July 1874
No 68

Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 28th July 1874 No 180.

Certified to be a true extract
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2nd Asst

President's Office
Calicut
30th July 1874

No. 153

From,

A. Mac Gregor Esquire,
President Local
Fund Board
Malabar.

To,

J. Grose Esquire,
Secretary Board of
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I have &c
Sd/ A. MacGregor
President

/True Copy/

J Gale
Secretary

G Humphreys
Col R.E.

President's office
Madura
30th July 1874.

No. 68.

From
W. McPuhar Esquire,
President of the
Local Fund Boards,
Madura.

To
J. Gross Esqre,
Secretary to the Board of Revenue,
Madras.

Sir,

In Proceedings No. 100/1874. Copy enclosed.

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Proceedings of Board
Proceedings No. 100
14th August 1874
Re Sale of Small Bungalow
at Paramagudi now under
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Copy of letter from
President Local Fund
Board Madura dated
30th July 1874 No. 68.

Received 16th/74

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President

(True copy)

J Grose
Secretary,
Board of Revenue.

(Memorandum)

Revenue Department

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
dated 14th August 1874 No 2257

Read letter from the President
of the Local Fund Board Madura
dated 30th July 1874 No 68 requesting
sanction to bid at public auction
for a Bungalow at Paramagudi to be
purchased out of Local Funds for
retaining it as a Travellers Bungalow

Read also letter from President
Local Fund Board, Malabar dated
30th July 1874 No 153 requesting sanction
for the construction of a Travellers
Bungalow at Nellumbur.

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Enclosures in Pro-
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Revenue to the Sec.
Chief Secretary to Govt.
-nment, Financial Dept.
Dated 14th August 74.

Copy of letter from Pr.
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15th July 1871 No. 2960 para 10 (Government Order 13th December 1871 No. 2102) the circumstances are exceptional.

True Extract

J Grole
Secretary

To,

The Acting Chief Secretary to Government
Financial Department

with copies of letters from Presidents L.F.B. Dy. Madura and Malabar Distts and 3 original enclosures.

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C. M. Narasimacharry

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Financial Department,

No. 1685.

From H. Board of Revenue. Proceedings

Dated 14. August 1874.

FOR ORDERS.

I would account I am obliged to
the Board.

I. S. S. 19/8.

Sir 22/8

The proposed expenditure
is to which I have agreed with
the Board. But ought us to allow any

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Financial Department.
Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue
Dated 14th August 1874
Dept. No. 44
Read 3rd Sept 1874
No. 1685
Submitting to Govern-
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Presidency Madras & Mala-
-bar Local Fund Boards
requesting sanction to their at-
tempting sanction for a bungalow
public auction for a bungalow
at Paraungadi in Malabar D.S.
for plan & estimate for construc-
-tion of a Travellers Bungalow also
at Mc Lauchlan in Malabar D.S.

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For the Sanction of Parliament
Cases — In an ad[illegible] in
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that the Structures will be Self-supporting
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principle to follow

W Robinson

22/8

Have Bungalows to be built
or bought by Local Boards under
the control of Public Works

the receipts will bear a certain
proportion (say $\frac{1}{3}$rd) to the charges?
& if they Bungalows Govt
interest & what more work
proportion cannot be shown —
rights may be kept up?
Charges critical for Europeans
& last Inspections — which make

Read Pro of the Bd of Rev. 14 Aug. 74.
Read Minute by Hon W. Robinson 23 Aug.

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Orders

Order of Council 3 Sept. 1874 No. 1476.

In purchase of the Irrigation Act Kanagundi and the erection of a Bungalow at Kalandur are sanctioned as special cases.

The plan and estimate for the latter are approved

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Council

a report from the Bd of Revenue has been called for, so as to obtain information with a view to the consideration of the general question.

In the case of the Madura Bungalow it can probably be voted again if necessary without much loss.

In the case of the Bungalow at Kallumbrum - it is much required for planters who pay land cess.

JL

Note To go out from Bd in manuscript. The Hon'ble Mr Robinson's minute to be printed.

JL

To the Board of Revenue. Orders sep. 3 / 9 / 74 } dated 12/9
Govt General

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Bds Rev - 14/8/74
No 1685

Dear Starrett -

Applications sanctioned - Mund's Pro - Robinson's minute of dissent, however - on the general question I wanted you had called for information - to that Govt may lay down a Rule for the future. Yours &c.

Jr Stuart

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Travellers Bungalows at Permagudi & Nellambur in Malabar

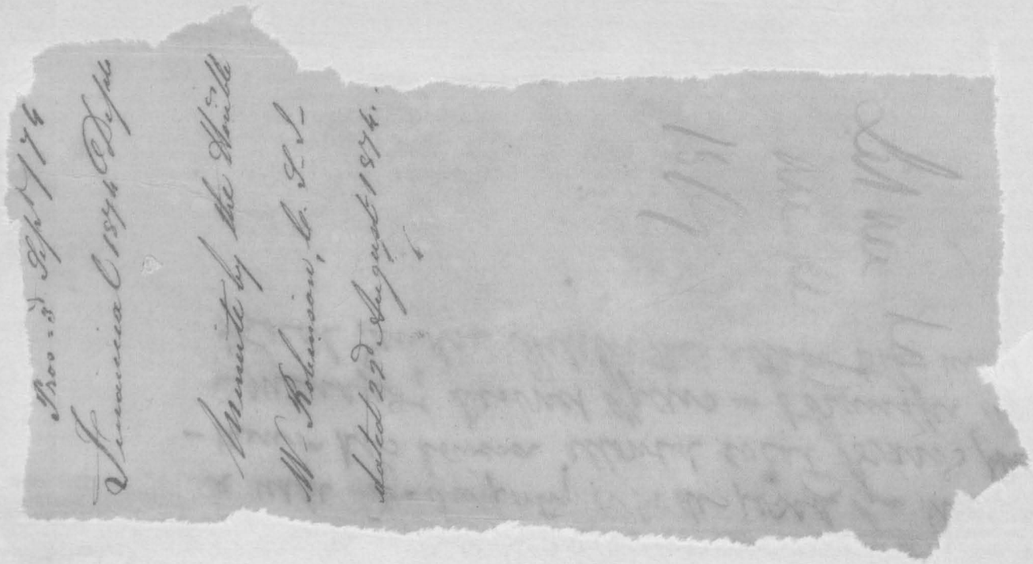
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To The Board of Revenue.

Original Sent to Dy. Sec'y

12/9/74

G. O. Sept 9th, 1874, No. 1476

Nos. 31. 33

Madura & Malabar L. F. Boards.

The purchase of the bungalow at Paramaguddi in Madura & the erection of a bungalow at Nelamboor in Malabar for travellers Sanctioned as a Special Case - & the plans & Est. for the latter approved -