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No. 25. Read the following Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Public Works Department, dated 19th August 1857, No. 1612.

Read the following Report from Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated 3rd August 1857, No. 2615.

Report J, on an estimate prepared by Lieutenant Palmer, Executive Engineer, for constructing a Police Cutcherry in the Town of Chicacole.

Amount of estimate, Rupees (1,450) one thousand, four hundred and fifty, comprising the items shown in the accompanying abstract.

1. The building is to be raised on a basement of 2 feet in height above foundations, which are to be sunk 3 feet.

The principal walls are to be 14 feet high, and the verandah pillars and walls 8 feet, supporting a tiled roof.

2. The building is to contain 5 rooms.

One room 20 feet long by 15 feet broad.
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with an open verandah in front, 7-6" broad, and a small compound in rear, 53 by 30 feet, enclosed by a wall 5-6" high.

3. Lieutenant Harrington in his letter, No. 551, of the 9th June 1857, states that Lieutenant Palmer represents the building at present used as a Police Cutcherry to be in so dilapidated a state, that he does not recommend spending any money in its repair; the Collector in his letter, No. 256, dated the 11th Idem, supports this statement, and further observes, that the building is very incommodious for the purpose required.

4. The plan proposed for the building is approved of by the Chief Engineer, and the estimate which is framed on moderate and sufficient data, is recommended for entry in the Budget of 1858-59.

On a new Cutcherry being constructed, the old building may be sold at Public Auction.

Referred to the Judicial Department for consideration.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

No 26. ORDER THEREON, No. 1146; dated 4th September 1857.

It is observed that in Extract Minutes of Consultation, 7th July 1856, Public Works Department, No. 1113, Government expressed a decided opinion that Talook "Cutcherries should be designed with a view to their being held, in cases of emergency against the assault of a gang of plunderers or of a riotous mob." Adverting to recent events, it appears to them further desirable that at every station there should be a public building capable of being employed as a defensible refuge. To this end the plan of the Cutcherry for the Head of Police at Chicacole, submitted with the foregoing communication, will be returned to the Chief Engineer, through the Public Works Department, with a request that he will devise some other plan which, while it affords every accommodation for the purpose for which the building is primarily intended, will also be capable of defence in cases of emergency.

(Signed) E. MALTBY,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge,

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Plan Section and Elevation

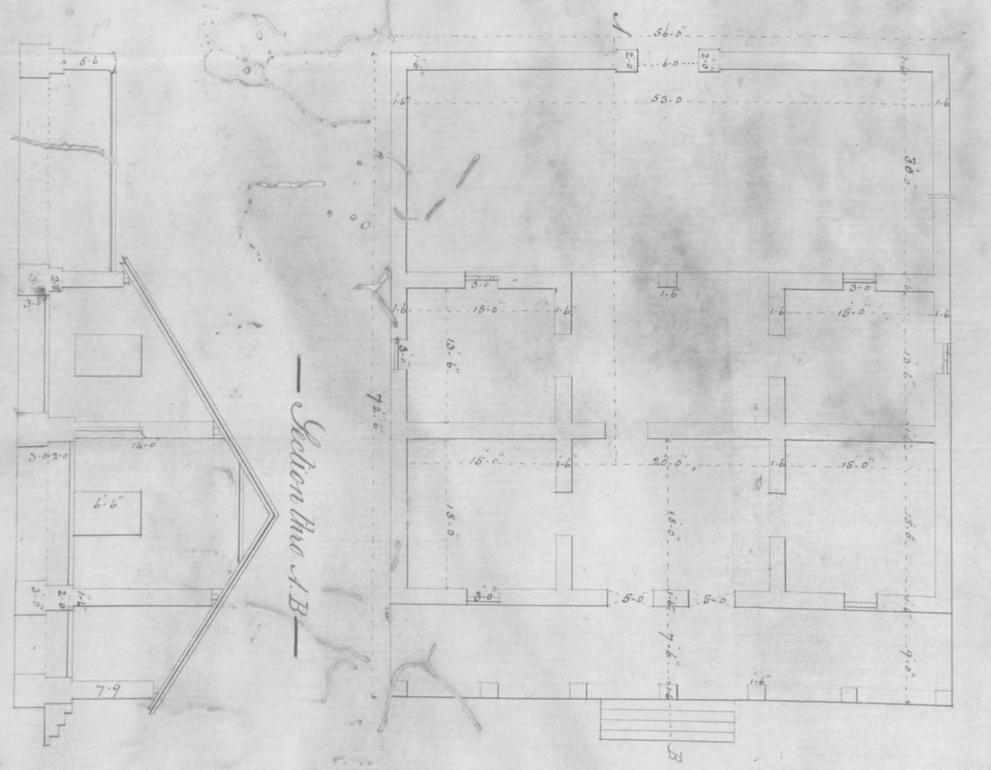
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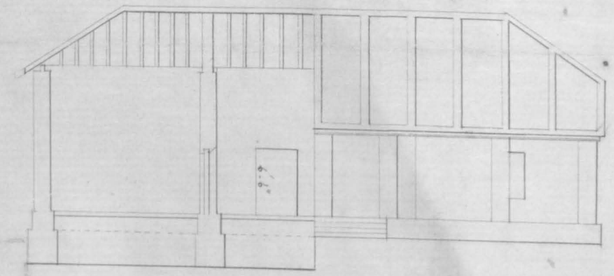
proposed to be constructed in the Town of

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Estimated Cost Rupees 1450/-

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The Govt. approve the construction of a new Police Cutcherry in the Town of Chicacole; and direct that the necessary orders be issued, thro' the Public Works Dept., for the entry of the work in the Budget of 1858-59 as recommended by the Chief Engineer

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Judicial Department.

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

Dated 4th September 1857.

Read the following Extract Minute of Govt: Public Works Dept. No. 1113, dated 15th August 1857 (Rec'd 17th Idem)

It is directed that in the Minute of Govt: P.W. Dep. dated 5th Aug. 1857 (Public Dept. No. 1113, Government expressed a desire that Talook Cutcherries should be designed with a view to their being used in case of emergency as gaols, the outside of a gang of planks or of a certain scale," Mr. Conolly to record his opinion as to whether it would be desirable that all Talook Cutcherries should be built

being employed as a defensible refuge. To this end the plan of the Cutetawny for the Head of Police at Chicacole, submitted with the foregoing communication, will be returned to the Chief Engineer, through the Public Works Dept, with a request that he will devise some other plan which, while it affords every accommodation for the purpose for which the building is designed, will be capable of defence in cases of emergency.

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