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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, from 24th September to 4th October 1859.

No. 51. Read the following letter from WILLIAM KNOX, Esq., Magistrate of Masulipatam; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 14th September 1859, No. 312.

With reference to the Orders of Government, under date the 20th August 1859, No. 1130, authorizing me to build huts for the Sibbundies at Juggiahpett at an expense of Rupees 2,175-14, I have the honor to report that, Captain Cooke informs me that the men of the Corps have requested that the sums as per margin* may be advanced to them, and they will build the huts themselves; they are willing to repay the amount at the rates proposed, viz., Privates 8 Annas a month, Naigues 12 Annas, Havildars 1 Rupee, and Native Officers 2 Rupees each. Captain Cooke further suggests half being at once given them, the other moiety may be given when the huts are finished. He will of course see that the full amount is laid out on each hut. This sum being much below the amount sanctioned by the Government, I think the proposal made by Captain Cooke, is an advantageous one for all parties, and request the favor of speedy orders.

			Rs.	A.	P.
* 150 Privates	at Rs. 10	per hut	1,500	0	0
9 Naigues	at „ 15	do	135	0	0
10 Havildars	at „ 20	do	200	0	0
4 Native Officers	at „ 50	do	200	0	0
		Rupees	2,035	0	0

You will observe a difference in the number of men; when sending up Captain Cooke's letter it escaped my notice that he proposed to build only for the men at Head Quarters, but the whole body of men should have their houses there, and not drag their families about when sent to any out-post.

No. 52. ORDER THEREON, 28th September 1859, No. 1312.

Government sanction the advance of (2,035) two thousand and thirty-five Rupees being made to the Sebundies at Juggiahpett for hutting purposes—one-half of the amount being payable after the huts have been built to the satisfaction of the Commanding Officer. The entire advance will be recovered according to the rates proposed by the Magistrate.

(Signed) T, PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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No. 1313 — 28 Sept. 1859 —

"Govt. Sanction the advance of 2,035 Two Thousand and Thirty Five Rupees being made to the Sebundies at Juggiah-pett for hutting purposes — one-half of the amount being payable after the huts have been built to the satisfaction of the Commanding Officer. The entire advance will be recovered according to the rates proposed by the Magistrate.

To Magistrate of Masulipatam —
" Accountant General.
" Asst Auditor

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