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No. 27. Read the following letter from Lieutenant Colonel W. H. HORSLEY, Chief Engineer, Department Public Works, to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Fort Saint George, dated Chepauk, 24th October 1860, No. 6,155.

Adverting to the Order of Government No. 1,556 of the 20th July 1860, I have the honor to forward a letter, together with a plan and valuation estimate from the Acting District Engineer of Kurnool, reporting upon the house proposed by the Civil and Sessions Judge of Nundial to be purchased by Government as a Court house, to be used as long as it is necessary to continue to hold the Court at Kurnool.

Enclosures 4.
2 *Plans.*
1 *Valuation Estimate.*
1 *Letter dated 16th August* 1860, *No.* 491.

2. The building is represented as being founded on rock, well and substantially built, partly of slate in chunam, partly of slate in mud, and the arrangements, giving two large middle, with two large, and two small side rooms, with an open verandah all round, are such as to make it "suit well for a Court house."

3. There are also 800 square feet of Godown Room and 4 Stables.

4. The actual cost of the building on its completion will have been about 6,000 Rupees; and the valuation estimate submitted by the District Engineer is 5,929 Rupees (corrected in this Office to Rupees 6,040) but Mr. Innes states that Captain Robinson has expressed his readiness to sell it for 6,000 Rupees, an amount which must be deemed moderate when the high rates now prevailing at Kurnool are taken into consideration.

5. The District Engineer has stated nothing of any extra cost that will be requisite to adapt the building to the purposes of a Court house, so it may be presumed, that at any rate nothing more than a small outlay for furniture, Record stands, &c., would be required, and these can be removed with the Court, whenever the transfer to Nundial may take place.

Transferred to the Judicial Department.

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

25th October 1860.

No. 28. ORDER THEREON, 3rd November 1860, No. 1,432.

His Excellency in Council sanctions the purchase, for the sum of (6,000) six thousand Rupees, of Captain Robinson's house at Kurnool when it is finished. The Collector will advance the amount which will be recovered from the Budget allotment to be assigned to the Kurnool district for the ensuing year, as the funds for the current year will not bear the charge.

2. The District Engineer will, in communication with the Zillah Judge of Nundial, submit an estimate of any work that may be required to fit the building up as a Court—exclusive of furniture (if any be required), which will have to be provided by the Judge, and charged for in a Contingent bill.

3. The Government Solicitor will, in communication with the Chief Engineer, prepare the necessary Deed of Conveyance for the premises.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

No. 1432 — 3d November 1860. No. 1432

346. G. in Council sanctions the purchase, for the sum of 6,000 Six Thousand Rupees, of Capt.n Robinson's House at Kurnool when it was finished ~~and the purchase be completed~~ ~~state~~. The Collector & the Divisional Engineer will, in communication with the Zillah Judge of Nundial, submit an estimate of any work that may be required to fit the building

Settlement Office
Bellary 30th Oct. 1860
Memorandum
Referring to the annexed letter from the Collector of Kurnool dated 27th instant, I have the honor to state that I have no objection to the purchase of the house in question for the sum of Rupees 6,000 as proposed by the Collector.
I have &c.
(Signed) H. Robertson
Capt. Engrs.
Secy. to Govt.
Public Works Department
Fort St. George

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The Sub. U.S. Dept.
with Inclosures.
" Sudder Court.
" Chief Judge of Nundial } Deputy
" Asst. Govt.
" Collector of Furruckabad
" Govt. Solicitor.