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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
16*th August* 1864.

No. 98. Read the following Proceedings of Government, in the Public Works Department, dated 10th August 1864, No. 2293.

Sanctioning an Estimate amounting to Rupees 3390 for constructing an office for the Joint Magistrate of Wellington, and directing its entry in the Budget for 1865-66. (Vide Proceedings Public Works Dept., dated 10th August 1864, Nos. 227—229.)

No. 99. ORDER THEREON, 16th August 1864, No. 1231.
Communicated to the Magistrate of Coimbatore.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

To the Magistrate of Coimbatore.

Exd. T. Cartledge.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following papers :—

Memorandum from the Quarter Master General, Fort Saint George, 13*th April* 1864, *No.* 3884; *to the Secretary to Government, Military Department.*

Forwarded to Government with reference to Order of Government, Judicial Department, No. 156, 8th February 1864. The information laid before Government in this Office letter No. 4357, of the 28th May 1863, was received from the Officer Commanding Southern Division. With the information now before him, His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief would recommend that a new Office be built for the Joint Magistrate at Wellington.

From the Officer Commanding Wellington, 26*th March* 1864, *No.* 292 ; *to the Quarter Master General, Fort Saint George.*

I have the honor herewith to submit for the notice of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, a copy of an Order of Government, addressed to the Superintending Engineer 7th Division, which has been forwarded to me by that Officer, and I have the honor to observe that the suitable accommodation temporarily provided for the Office of the Joint Magistrate of this station, alluded to in the Order, is a thatched building that has been pronounced by the Executive Engineer unsafe, and liable to be blown away by the first storm that arises.

As regards the Office now occupied by the Executive Engineer at Wellington, and which is stated in the same Order of Government as to be made available for the Joint Magistrate permanently on the anticipated removal of the Executive Engineer to Ootacamund, I beg to state that that Officer has already removed, and has stated that it will be impossible to do without some place at Wellington as an Office, and, therefore, he has retained the small building alluded to, moreover, the said building is allowed to be totally unfit for the occupation of the Joint Magistrate at any time, on account of its proximity to Barracks, Officers' Mess House, Canteen, Skittle Alleys, Armourers' Forge and other buildings closely connected with those occupied by Her Majesty's 105th; indeed a more unsuitable place could not be selected for a Civil establishment, especially that of the Police Department, for I am persuaded, constant complaints would arise between the Civil and Military should an Office of such a nature be placed in the Military precincts, and again I beg most particularly to urge that should this building ever be at disposal, it is most needed by Her Majesty's 105th, which Regiment is much cramped for space in this part of their allotments, I therefore deem it my duty to bring this point to immediate notice.

In conclusion I would add that the following remarks were made by the Officer Commanding Wellington, submitted to and approved of by Major General Coffin at his inspection in December last year, when the first proposition was made by the Engineer, Colonel Walker, for the removal of the Joint Magistrate's Office.

	Remarks.
" The contemplated move of the Magistrate's Office to the present Engineer's Office.	Most objectionable, even on Sanitary grounds as bringing the Police and a host of Natives into close contact with the Europeans in Barracks.

If the Magistrate's Office is erected in the Bazar, it would insure that place being kept clean, as the Magistrate would be daily on the spot to observe any irregularity or want of cleanliness.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 15*th February* 1864.

Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government, in the Judicial Department.

Stating that for the reasons given, there is no necessity for the construction of an Office for the Joint Magistrate at Wellington, Coimbatore District, according to the Estimate submitted by the Superintending Engineer, and referring for remarks to the Inspector General of Police, the Plan and Estimate of the additions proposed to be made to the Police Station house at that place. } Here enter 8th February 1864, No. 156.

ORDER THEREON, 15th February 1864, No. 466.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, for information.

(True Extract.)
(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

ORDER, No. 1343, 21*st April* 1864.

No. 156, *dated* 8*th February* 1864.

Communicated to the Judicial Department, with reference to the Order in that Department as per margin.

(True Extract.)

A Hamilton Lt C
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Judicial Department. *With 10 spare Copies*
„ Quarter Master General.
„ Public Works Department.

Referred with the Plan & Estimate to the Magistrate of Coimbatore for his opinion.

Fort St. George
11th June 1864.

C. J. Cumberlege
Chief Secretary.

The Magistrate of Coimbatore.

am sent *Rec'd 18th July*
Rtd. 28 July

Rec'd 4th July 64.

Fort St. George, 1st July 1864.

Sir,

I have the honor to return herewith the Plan and Estimate noted in the margin, for the Joint Magistrate's Office at Wellington, with my opinion thereon.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
P. GRANT,
Magistrate.

Plan and Estimate, amounting to Rupees 3,390, for constructing a Joint Magistrate's Office at Wellington.

Rec'd 25th July 64.

Coimbatore, 25th July 1864.

Sir,

I have the honor to return herewith the Plan and Estimate noted in the margin, for the Joint Magistrate's Office at Wellington, with my opinion thereon.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
P. GRANT,
Magistrate.

Plan and Estimate, amounting to Rupees 3,390, for constructing a Joint Magistrate's Office at Wellington.

Encl. G. Rodrigues.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 10th August 1864.

Read the following papers :—

No. 227. Endorsement of the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, dated Coimbatore, 1st June 1864, No. 1,143.

From P. GRANT, Esq., Magistrate of Coimbatore, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Coimbatore, 25th July 1864, No. 59.

SIR,

For an Office proposed to be built for the Magistrate at Wellington.

1. I have received the Government Order of 11th June 1864, forwarding for my opinion the Plan and Estimate noted in the margin.

2. I agree with the opinion expressed by the Officer Commanding Wellington that the Joint Magistrate's Office should be erected in the Wellington New Bazaar. It would then be situated close to the Coonoor and Ootacamund high road and to the Police Station, and meet the convenience of the public attending it, especially those parties coming from the Coonoor Bazaar.

No. 17.

Plan and Estimate, amounting to Rupees 3,390, for constructing a Joint Magistrate's Office at Wellington.

Forwarded to the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, with reference to Proceedings of Government No. 199 of 29th April 1864.

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Lieut.-Colonel, R. E.,
Superintending Engineer, 7th Division.

Referred to the Judicial Department with reference to the Chief Secretary's Memorandum No. 215, dated 27th April 1864.

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

CHEPAUK,
7th June 1864.

No. 228. Memorandum from J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Judicial Department, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort Saint George, 30th July 1864, No. 410.

Proceedings 21st April 1864, No. 1,348, Military Department.
Letter from the Magistrate of Coimbatore, dated 25th July 1864, No. 59.

The Secretary to Government has the honor to transmit the papers noted in the margin, together with the Plan and Estimate, for constructing an Office for the Joint Magistrate of Wellington, and to inform Colonel Orr that he sees no objection to the Plan.

No. 229. ORDER THEREON, 10th August 1864, No. 2,293.

The Governor in Council sanctions the Estimate amounting to Rupees 3,390 for constructing an Office for the Joint Magistrate of Wellington, and directs its entry in the Budget for 1865-66.

(True Extract.)
J. Hamilton Stewart
Major, R. E.,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division.
„ Accountant General.
„ Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.
„ Judicial Department. *Wth 1 Pro:*

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Sanctioning an Estimate amounting to Rs 3,390 for constructing an Office for the Joint Magistrate of Dharapooram, and directing its entry in the Budget for 1865/66.

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With Order.

No 1231 — 16th August 1864.

Communicated to the Magistrate of Coimbatore.

The Magistrate of Coimbatore. } desp 17/8