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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,

13th July 1866.

No. 133. Read the following Proceedings of Government in the Public Works Department, dated 9th July 1866, No. 2159.

Approving of the construction of a bungalow for the Police Inspector at Valudavur; but before passing orders on the proposal to erect one for the Assistant Superintendent of Police, Tindivanum, requests the Inspector General to state, whether it is a rule of the Police Department to provide house accommodation for Superintendents at Government expense.

(Vide Proceedings, Public Works Department, dated 9th July 1866, Nos. 194 & 195.)

No. 134. ORDER THEREON, 13th July 1866, No. 1098.

To be recorded.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Exd. T. Cartledge.

No. 194. Read the following letter from the Inspector General of Police, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Kotagherry, 15th June 1866, No. 975:—

1. I have the honor to submit the accompanying estimates: one for a house for the Assistant Superintendent of Police at Tindivanum, the second for an Inspector's house at Valdaoor.

2. The necessity for both is explained in the Superintendent's letter. His facts and views are quite correct.

3. Both structures should be tiled, and be somewhat increased in size. The increase of expenditure will be met from some other source as the year goes on.

From the Superintendent of Police, South Arcot, to the Deputy Inspector General of Police, Southern Range, dated Cuddalore, 4th June 1866, No. 340.

1. With reference to Memorandum No. 670, dated 26th April 1866, from Assistant Inspector General, I have the honor to forward plans and estimates for bungalows for Assistant Superintendent of Police and an Inspector. The reasons for my applying for sanction for these buildings are: first, with regard to the bungalow for the Assistant Superintendent of Police, that there is positively not a building of any sort in Tindivanum, the Assistant's head quarters, that could be applied for the use of Assistant to live in. At one time, when the Head Assistant Magistrate happened to be a bachelor, he very kindly used to allow the Assistant Superintendent the use of one of his rooms, but under ordinary circumstances the Assistant Superintendent had to live the year round in his tents. My late Assistant, Lieutenant Young, during the time he was in this District, wore out three suits of tents. This was of course a very heavy call upon his purse, and further if a gentleman has no house to live in, his work becomes extremely irksome and unpleasant, and his health is impaired.

2. The Inspector's house in Valdaoor is also indispensably required. There is no building there for an European to live in. The European Inspector stationed there is in charge of the Customs Preventive duty. It is absolutely necessary that we have an European and a well paid and trustworthy man. The Inspector General himself saw the hole the Inspector is at present living in. He has lately been very ill indeed; his illness being brought on in a great measure by bad accommodation he and his family have had. He is now complaining very much of the heat. The thermometer in bungalows even is at 112°. The heat must be very great and insupportable in the hut the Inspector occupies at Valdaoor. He is a married man with a family, I therefore earnestly beg that sanction may be granted for building a house. If it is not I *must* remove the Inspector and send a Native or East Indian of lower class to that station, I need not add that this step will imperil the revenue.

No. 195. ORDER THEREON, 9th July 1866, No. 2,159.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 34.

1. The Government approve of the construction of a bungalow for the Police Inspector at Valudavur according to the plan submitted with this letter, and the Superintending Engineer of the 5th Division will be requested to furnish a revised estimate in which provision should be made for a tiled roof as recommended by Mr. Robinson. The cost of the work must be met from the Budget allotment for Police buildings.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
9th July 1866.

2. Before passing final orders on the proposal to erect a bungalow for the Assistant Superintendent of Police at Tindivanum, the Inspector General will be requested to state whether it is a rule of the Police Department to provide house accommodation for the Superintendents at the expense of Government, and if so, on what terms it is done.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division.
,, Inspector General of Police.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, Accountant General.
,, Judicial Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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No 1492.

Approving of the construction of a Bungalow for the Police Inspector at Valu davur, but before passing order on the proposal to erect one for the Asst Supt of Police, Vizianagram, requesting the Chief Sec. to state whether it is a rule of the Police Dept to provide house accommodation for Inspts. at Govt Expense.

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