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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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No. 18. Read the following letter from Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated 26th November 1857, No. 5516.

SIR,

1. Under Clause II of Extract Minutes of Consultation No. 696 of the 16th October 1855, and with reference to para. 6 of Extract Minutes of Consultation of the 19th October 1857, No. 1958. I have the honor to forward for the consideration of Government, and for insertion in the outgoing Budget, the accompanying supplemental estimate of Rupees (850) eight hundred and fifty, received from the District Engineer of Rajahmundry, for the completion of the District Moonsiff's Court House at Coconada in the Rajahmundry District.

1 Copy Extract from a letter from the District Engineer Godavery Division, No. 676 of 5th November 1857.
1 Abstract Estimate.

2. The original estimate for this building, amounting to Rupees 1,203-12-8, was sanctioned* on the 25th July 1855, and was entered in the Budget of 1855-56, but owing to the pressure of other work, operations were not then commenced, and by some oversight the item was omitted from the Budget of 1856-57, and again intentionally, from that of 1857-58, in the expectation that the structure would be finished before the 30th April 1857.

* Extract Minutes Consultation No. 72, dated 25th July 1855.

3. It however was not so, even at the date of the stoppage of all new works in July last, and the District Engineer in sending in the supplemental estimate, herewith submitted, states that, the original grant has proved insufficient, in consequence, solely of the great rise in prices that has taken place since the estimate was framed, several years ago.

4. This explanation being consistant with the well known fact of the enhanced value of labour and materials in the Rajahmundry District, I recommend the additional sum of Rupees (850) eight hundred and fifty, for sanction as the rates of the revised estimate are still moderate, and it is desirable to have funds available for the completion of so necessary a building as the Moonsiff's Court House at Coconada, whenever the restriction on expenditure shall be removed.

Extract from a letter from Captain F. H. RUNDALL, District Engineer Godavery Division, dated 5th November 1857, No. 676.

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Para. 3. The estimate for the Moonsiff's Court is a supplemental one, owing to the original having been framed long ago on data now wholly inadequate. The building is urgently required, and I trust its completion may be sanctioned.

No. 19. ORDER THEREON, No. 2247; dated 3rd December 1857.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions for entry in the Budget of 1858-59, in the Government Office, the Supplemental estimate, submitted by the Chief Engineer, amounting to Rupees (850) eight hundred and fifty, for the completion of the District Moonsiff's Court House at Coconada in the District of Rajahmundry.

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

Extract from a letter from Captain W. H. Rundall, Assistant Engineer Godavery Division, dated 5th November 1857. No. 676.—

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Assd. Engr.

Lieut. W. H. Rundall Captain
Asstt. Engr. Goda. Divn.

[True Extract]

Lt. Colonel Arthur
Chief Engineer

Buildings ( ) (New Work)

Abstract of Estimate № of 185 5

District. Rajahmundry.

Work. Constructing a District Moonsiff's Court House at Cocanada.—

Quantities	Description of Work.	Rate.			Amount.	Amount of each part.
C. Yds.		Rs	as	P.	Rupees.	Rupees.
6561-2	Cft Brick in Chunam @ 1 Cft	"	2	1	854	
6418 3/8	Sup Ft Plastering 2 Coats with Chunam @ 1 Sup Ft	2	14	"	185	
115-4	Cft Teakwood work @ 1 Cft	1	4	"	144	
2484	Sup Ft Roofing with Rafters reaspects flat and pantiles	22	"	1	546	
	borders Vem Complete @ 1 Sup Ft					
3	Battened door Complete Each	13	"	1	39	
5	Windows — Do — Do	9	4	"	46	
3	Do — Do — Do	7	"	"	21	
46	Sup Ft Whitewashing @ 1 Sup Ft	"	3	1	9	
	Excavating Foundation and filling in				20	
	Superintendence & Sundries				190	
						2054
	Deduct the Amount Already Sanctioned					1204
	Amount requiring Sanction Company's Rupees					850

Central Office of P. W.
Fort Saint George
26 November 1857

Wd Taber Colonel
Chief Engineer D. P. W.

Checked, and as Letter from the Chief Engineer № 2351 dated 27th November 1857.

Dated 28th November 1857.

Rupees 850

For Secretary to Government

Extract from a Letter from Captain W. Tweddell to Lieut. Col. Taber Engr. Ladakh Dated 23rd Sept. 1857

Quantities. C. Yds	Descriptions of Work	Rates Rs	as	p	Amount Rupees	Amount of each part Rupees

Enclosure

In a Letter

From

The Chief Engineer

D. P. W.

To

The Secretary to Govt.

D. P. W.

Dated 26 Nov/57

Received 30 " 2357/57

No. 5516

Abstract Estimate for constructing a District Moonsiffs Court House at Cocanada in the District of Rajahmundry

Amount of Co. Rs. 850

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Central Office of P.W.
No. 5516. Fort St. George 2 November 1857.

From

The Chief Engineer.

To

The Secretary to Government
P.W. Department

Rajahmundry District
Public Buildings
Moonsiffs Court House at Cocanada.

Sir,

1. Under Clause II of Extract Minutes of Consultation No. 696 of the 16 October 1835, and with reference to para 6 of Extract Minutes of Consultation of the 19 October 1857 No. 1958. I have the honor to forward for the consideration of Government, and for insertion in the outgoing Budget, the accompanying Supplemental Estimate of Rupees 1850 / Eight hundred and fifty, received from the District Engineer of Rajahmundry, for the completion of the District Moonsiffs Court House at Cocanada in the Rajahmundry District.

Enclosure 2 -
1 Copy of Estimate dated 26th Sept 1857 from the Dist. Engr. Rajahmundry
1 Abstract of Estimate

2. The original Estimate for this building, amounting to Rupees 1203-12-8., was sanctioned on the 25 July 1835, and was entered in the Budget of 1855/56, but, owing to the pressure of other work, operations were not then commenced, and by some oversight the item was omitted from the Budget of 1856/57 and again intentionally from that of 1857/58. in the expectation that the structure would be finished before the 30 April 1857.

* Ep. Proceedings No. 78. dated 25 July 1835.

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This explanation being consistent with the well known fact of the enhanced value of labor and materials in the Rajahmundry District, I recommend the additional sum of Rupees 1850/ eight hundred and fifty, for sanction, as the rates of the revised Estimate are still moderate, and it is desirable to have funds available for the completion of so necessary a building as the Moonsiffs Court House at Cocanada, whenever the restriction on expenditure shall be removed.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obed.t Servant
Lieut. Colonel
Chief Engineer

Central Office of A.W.
Fort St. George
26 November 1837

W.A.S.

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P. Works 1837 Dept.
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No. 2357

From
The Chief Engineer
To
The Secretary to Government
Pub. Department

Dated 26th November 1837
Rec'd 27th

2 Encls. No. 5576

Forwards for consideration of Government, and entry in next Supplemental Budget a Supplemental Estimate of Rupees 850 received from the District Engineer of Ahmednuggur, with letter of the 5th Instant for the completion of the District Moonsiffs Court House at Coconada and recommends the same for sanction.

No. 2247 - 3rd December

William Oakes

No. 18 & 19.

No. 2247.

The Right Honble the Governor in Council sanctions, for entry in the Budget in the Secretary's Office of 1838/39, the supplemental Estimate, submitted by the Chief Engineer, amounting to Rupees 850/ eight hundred and fifty, for the completion of the District Moonsiffs Court House at Coconada in the District of Rajahmundry.

By Order of
Right Honble
the Governor in Council
3rd Dec. 1837

J. Copies to the Chief Engr. Dept.