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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
from 4th to 10th May 1859.*

No. 19. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. BELL, Chief Engineer ;
to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, dated 21st April 1859,
No. 9780.

I have the honor to forward, for submission to Government, copy of a letter from the District Engineer of Vizagapatam, enclosing a Plan and Estimate, amounting to Rupees 1,420, for certain alterations to the two ranges of the Temporary Barracks occupied by the Detachment of the 2nd European Light Infantry at Waltair.

2. The improvements which are fully approved of by the Officer Commanding Northern Division, comprise the substitution of a substantial door for the common tatties heretofore used, the adoption of couples in lieu of the ordinary Native roof, and raising the walls, whereby it is considered that the comfort of the men will be much increased and their health benefitted by the additional space for ventilation.

3. Under these circumstances, I beg to recommend that the sanction of Government be obtained for the execution of the Estimate, the rates entered in it being moderate, but sufficient to carry out the works.

Letter from Lieutenant J. VERTUE, Acting District Engineer, Vizagapatam ; to Lieut. Colonel J. H. BELL, Chief Engineer, dated Camp Waltair, 23rd March 1859, No. 1069.

I have the honor to forward a Plan and Estimate amounting to Rupees 1,420, for alterations now being made to the Temporary Barracks occupied by the Detachment of 2nd European Light Infantry at Waltair. The cost was estimated at 1,200 Rupees, but since the time of framing the rough Estimate it has been thought advisable to substitute a good stout door for the common tatty door at present in use. A drawing of the door which swings on pivots is shown in the Plan, and with such both ranges of Barracks will be furnished. The above will add materially to the comfort of the men and will also improve the appearance of the Buildings.

2. By using couples in lieu of a tie beam, ring post and centre pillar, and by raising the walls the air space is much increased, and the interior rendered much more roomy and convenient. On the whole I think the alteration very important and one that will add very much to the comfort of the men.

No. 20. ORDER THEREON, 5th May 1859, No. 1058.

Referred to the Military Department.

(Signed) W. C. SIM,
Ag. Dy. Secretary to Government.

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Lieutenant J. Vertue.

By District Engineer
Tijagapatam

To the Chief Engineer
J. P. W. Fort George

Sir,

I have the honor to forward a plan and Estimate amounting to Rupees 14,20, for alterations now being made to the Temporary Barracks occupied by the Detachment of 2^d Europeans L. Infy. at Mattair. The original Estimate was 1200 Rupees, but since the time of framing the rough Estimate it has been thought advisable to substitute a good stout door for the common lathy door at present in use. A drawing of the door which shows our pivot is shown in the Plan, and with such both ranges of Barracks will be furnished. The above will add so materially to the comfort of the men and will also improve the appearance of the Buildings.

2 By raising the beams in line of the beams, King post and centre pillar, and by raising the walls the air space is much increased, and the interior rendered much

more roomy and convenient. On the whole I think the alteration very important and one that will add very much to the comfort of the men.

I have &c.

Engineers Office }
Nagapattam }
Camp Waltair }
23rd March 1889 }

Sd J. Tertre Lieut.

By Lt. Col. Nagapattam.

/ True Copy /

Charles H. B.

Captain.

Supy Engr Northern Circle.

N 9780

Central Office of Public Works,
Fort St. George, 21 April 1889.

To: The Chief Engineer,
The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department.

Military

Sir,

I have the honor to forward, for submission to Government, copy of a letter from the District Engineer of Vijayapattani, enclosing a Plan and Estimate, amounting to Rspees 14,20, for certain alterations to the two ranges of the Temporary Barracks occupied by the Detachment of the 2nd Co. European Light Infantry at Waltair.

2. The improvements which are fully approved of by the Officer Commanding Northern Division, comprise the substitution of a substantial door for the common lattices heretofore used, the adoption of cupolas in lieu of the ordinary native roof, and raising the walls, whereby it is considered that the comfort of the men will be much increased and their health benefitted by the additional space for ventilation.

3. Under these circumstances, I beg to recommend that the sanction of

Enclosures 3.
copy of letter.
N 10698/23 March 89
Plan
Estimate

Enclosure in a letter.

From the Chief Engineer
To the Secretary to Government
P. W. D.

Dated at 21st April 1889.
Recd 27th N 9780

Copy of letter from the District Engineer of Vijayapattani forwarding an Estimate for Rspees 14,20 for alterations now being made to the temporary Barracks occupied by the Detachment of 2nd Co. E. L. I. at Waltair.

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of Government be obtained for the
prosecution of the Estimate, the rates entered
in it being moderate, but sufficient to
carry out the work.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most Obedient Servant

Central Office of P.W.
Fort & George
21 April 1859

H. Bell Smith Colonel
Chief Engineer

To
The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department.

Mr. J. J. DeLamater
and 10th May -
1859

and
the Chief Engineer

the Secretary to the
R. M. C.

Date of 21 April 1859.
Received 23 April 1859.
J. J. DeLamater
23 Cms

Submits and
recommends for execution
a plan & estimate amounting
to \$14,200 for certain
alterations to the temporary
barracks occupied by the 2nd
Cavalry at Fort Mifflin.

Approved to the
Military Department.
W. L. R.

John W. Gregory
5th May 1859
to show to the Military Department
with New Estimate.

from Military Dept.
27 May/59. Com.
17 June - 7-8.

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12 1008. 5th May 1859.
With an order