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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
from 1st to 10th June 1859.*

No. 169. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department, dated 30th May 1859, No. 1902.

Calling for Plans and Estimates for the proposed erection of the Rest house at Ootacamund. } (Vide Military Proceedings from 28th to 31st *June* May 1859, Nos. 20-21.)

No. 170. ORDER THEREON, 10th June 1859, No. 1412.

Ordered to be communicated to the Chief Engineer in view to the submission of a Plan and Estimate for the erection of a rest house at Ootacamund.

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

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

From the Qr. Mr. General of the Army, { Recorded in Min. Con. } Read again the paper
dated 24th April 1859, No. 261. { 4th May 1858, No. 1553. } noted in the margin.

Read the following papers:—

From the Quarter Master General of the Army, 2nd May 1859, No. 199; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department.

During the Transit from Bangalore to Jackatalla of H. M.'s 3rd Battalion 60th Rifles, it was found requisite to rent a house, as a Rest House at Ootacamund, and experience has now shewn, that besides the house at Kulhutti, the erection of which was sanctioned in Minutes of Consultation 4th May 1858 No. 1553, another Rest House is requisite at or near Ootacamund. In a correspondence with Colonel Pritchard Commanding the Hills on the subject, that Officer, after taking much pains in weighing the matter well, determined that the best place for a site would be, just south of and close to the sign post on the Kulhutti road from Ooty, and about 1 mile from the latter place. The north side of the road would have been better, but that the ground is considered more valuable, and could not have been obtained from the present holders under 2,000 Rupees. The Commander-in-Chief therefore, whilst soliciting the sanction of Government to the erection of the building, would also beg that the sum of Rupees 125 may be disbursed, either through the Officer Commanding the Hills, or the Collector of Coimbatore, for the purchase of the 5 small parcels of land, as per accompanying Memo.

His Excellency proposes, that the Rest House at Kulhutti, shall be an inferior building to that at Ootacamund, where the people will usually pass the night.

Memorandum shewing the number of grounds occupied by the Ryots near Sign Post.

No. of Pottahs.	Names.	Bullahs.	Tax.	Cawnie.	Ground.	Square feet.	Price.
790	Madar Saib	1 1/2	7	1	4	804	25
791	Chamoondie	1 1/2	7	1	4	804	25
792	Comorasawmy	1 1/2	7	1	4	804	25
794	Oomar Saib	1 1/2	7	1	4	804	25
795	Nubby Saib	1 1/2	7	1	4	804	25
	Total... ..	8	2 3	5	20	1,620	125

OOTACAMUND,
19th April 1859.

(Signed) M. SOONDARAM,
Tahsildar.

ORDER, No. 1902, 30th May 1859.

The Governor in Council approves of the proposed erection of the Rest House at Ootacamund.

2. Plan and Estimates will be called for by the Public Works Department.
3. The purchase of the five small plots of land for Rupees (125) one hundred and twenty five, is sanctioned—the payment will be arranged through the Collector of Coimbatore.

(True Extract.)

M. S. Soondaram
Ag. Dy. Secretary to Government.

- To the Quarter Master General. *With 10 spare copies*
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