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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
for the month of November 1859.*

No. 8. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. BELL, Chief Engineer;
to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, dated 2nd November 1859,
No. 6780.

With reference to the proceedings of Government, dated 28th September 1859, No. 2328,

I have the honor to forward herewith, a letter from the District Engineer of Ganjam, relative to the establishment necessary for the superintendence of works in the Kimidi estate.

2. The establishment proposed by the District Engineer is marginally given. It was originally contemplated to have two Sub-Overseers on Rupees 35 and 20 respectively, and to appoint to those situations the present Sub-Overseer and manager's maistry. But both these individuals, Captain Harington considers unfit for the appointments in question, and he proposes, that instead of two Sub-Overseers there should be one Assistant Overseer. By the arrangements proposed, he will be able to absorb Corporals Fuller and Thorpe and Parthasardy, who are all reported to be efficient and useful men.

	Rs.
1 2nd Assistant Engineer,	150
Establishment.....	100
Travelling allowance	120
	— 370
2 Overseers Fuller and Thorpe, at Rs. 85 each ..	170
Travelling allowance at 1½ Rupees per diem	90
Establishment at Rs. 27 each	54
	— 314
1 Assistant Overseer Parthasardy	80
Establishment	27
Travelling allowance	45
	— 152
Total	826

Vide paragraph 4 of Proceedings of Government, 28th September 1859, No. 2328.

3. The proposed subordinate agency will be Rupees 466, instead of Rupees 750 (the present establishment), as shewn in paragraph 2 of Lieutenant-Colonel Lawford's letter of the 4th August last, No. 3455, and Rupees 610½ a month less than the amount proposed by the Board of Revenue, viz. Rupees 1,446½.

It will be sufficient, considering the nature of the charge, to appoint a 2nd Assistant District Engineer for the superintendence of the estate; but the number of upper subordinates does not admit of reduction, and the charges which it is proposed to assign to each are such as renders it imperative to provide a well paid and efficient agency. On this latter point, Captain Harington remarks "I consider the duties in Kimidi *really require* men well paid; and with sufficient allowances for travelling. The climate of Kimidi is feverish; and there is ample and hard work for 3 Overseers, who must travel far, or carry tents to avoid feverish places or too much exposure."

4. Under the foregoing explanation, I recommend that the scale of establishment proposed by the District Engineer be adopted, and that as the season for operations is approaching, an officer may be appointed at an early date to take charge of the works in the estate.

No. 9. ORDER THEREON, 11th November 1859, No. 2638.

The Government sanction the revised establishment now recommended for the Public Works Department in the Kimidi estate, as noted in the margin.

One Assistant Engineer, 150 Rupees a month.	
Establishment	100 do.
Two Military Overseers at 85	170 do.
Establishment	54 do.
One Civil Assistant Overseer	80 do.
Establishment	27 do.
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2. Travelling allowance will be drawn in addition to the salaries, under the rules of the department.

3. The Chief Engineer will propose for approval the name of an officer to be appointed Assistant Engineer in the estate.

4. The Governor in Council resolves to transmit a copy of paragraph 8 of the acting District Engineer's letter to the Collector of Ganjam, with the request that he will state for what qualifications he selected Sitapati for his present post, and what training he had had for its duties; with information as to his previous service under Government if any.

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

Central Office of P.W.
Port St George

2nd November 1859

N^o 6780

From The Chief Engineer

To

The Secretary to Government P.W.D.

Public
Establishment

With reference to the Proceedings
of Government dated 28th September 1859. N^o
2328, I have the honor to forward herewith a
Letter from the District Engineer of Sanjam
relative to the Establishment necessary for
the Superintendence of Works in the
Ministry Estate.

1. 2 nd Asst. Engineer	Rs 150
Establishment	100
Trav. Allowance	120
2. Overseers & Pullers	
Proposed Rs 85 each	170
Trav. Allowance at 1 1/2	
Rs per diem	90
Establishment & c.	
Rs 27 each	54
3. Asst. Overseer	
Port & cart & c.	80
Establishment	27
Trav. Allowance	45
Total	836

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District Engineer is originally given. It
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considers unfit for the appointments

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3. The proposed Subordinate Agency will be Rs. 1500, instead of Rs. 150 / the present Establishment (as shown in Para 2 of Lieut. Colonel Langford's letter of the 11th August last, N. 3455, and Rs. 600 / a month less than the amount proposed by the Board of Revenue, viz. Rs. 1500 / It will be sufficient, considering the nature of the charge, to appoint a 2nd Assistant District Engineer for the Superintendence of the Estate, but the number of Upper Subordinates does not admit of reduction, and the charges which it is proposed to assign to each are such as render it imperative to provide a well paid and efficient Agency. On this latter point Captain Dunnington remarks "I consider the

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4. Under the foregoing explanation, I recommend that the scale of Establishment proposed by the District Engineer be adopted, and that as the season for operations is approaching, an Officer may be appointed at an early date to take charge of the works in the Estate.

Fort St George
2 November 1859

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Yours most obedt. Servant

[Signature]
Chief Engineer

[Signature]
By Ch. Secy N. C.

To

The Secretary to
Government P. B. D.

[Signature]

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to

Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the November 1859
Read the following
letter from the Chief
Engineer.

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the District Engr^g regarding
the establishment necessary
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Department.

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One Asst. Surg. 150 Rs a month
Establishment 100
Two Military Surgeons
at 85 _____ 170
Establishment — 54
One Civil Asst.
Surgeon _____ 80
Establishment — 27

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transmit a copy ^{of Rs} of the ^{Acting}
District Engineer's
letter to the Coll^r of
Gangam, with the
request that he will
state for what quali-
fications he selected
Sitapati for his
present post, and what
training he had had
for its duties, with
information as to his
previous service under
Government if any.

[Signature]

10 Copies to the
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