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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 23rd December 1862.

No. 441. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Revenue Department, dated 15th December 1862, No. 2,606:—

Requesting that orders may be issued for certain alterations and revision of the plan and estimate for a Deputy Collector's Cutcherry at the Madras Salt Cotaurs. } (Vide Revenue Proceedings, 15th December 1862, Nos. 199-200.)

No. 442. ORDER THEREON, 23rd December 1862, No. 3,076.

Communicated to the Acting Deputy Chief Engineer, Central Circle, for early attention.

(Signed.) W. I. BIRDWOOD, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from Captain C. V. WILKIESON, R. E., Acting Deputy Chief Engineer, Central Circle, to Colonel W. I. BIRDWOOD, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 3rd December 1862, No. 362:—

1 Letter from the District Engineer, Presidency, No. 2,045, dated 27th November 1862.
1 Printed Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, No. 5,830, dated 2nd September 1862.
1 Do. No. 6,917, dated 10th October 1862.
1 Plan.
1 Estimate.
1 Specification.

SIR,

1. With reference to the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue No. 5,830, dated 2nd September 1862, I have the honor to submit a revised estimate amounting to Rupees 8,100 for constructing a Deputy Collector's Cutcherry at the Madras Salt Cotaurs.

2. The Collector of Madras when he countersigned the estimate recommended that the ordinary tiled roof with tiled verandah should be adopted in place of the first proposed one. The Board of Revenue in their Proceedings No. 5,830, dated 2nd September 1862, consider the original plan as far too costly and much larger than the necessities of the establishment require. The revised plan was prepared in this Office and submitted to the District Engineer for estimate. The Board in their Proceedings dated 10th October 1862, No. 6,917, consider this revised plan and estimate will provide all that is requisite in the matter, and they recommend accordingly that sanction be obtained for the work.

3. This estimate arrived too late for entry in the Budget of this year, and as it appears that building in question is very much required, I would recommend that a grant of Rupees 4,000 out of the Reserve Fund be given in order that the District Engineer may prepare materials and commence the foundation at once.

Referred to the Revenue Department.

(Signed.) W. I. BIRDWOOD, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government, P. W. D.

Chepauk,
5th December 1862.

ORDER THEREON, 15th December 1862, No. 2,69[illegible].

It is no doubt essential that a good Cutcherry should be provided for the Deputy Collector, but the proposed outlay, viz., Rupees 8,000, seems needlessly large for the purpose. The two end rooms in the plan designated respectively "Dining room" and "Record room" should be struck out. A separate room for the Deputy Collector to dine in is unnecessary; and the records which need not be very bulky, may be kept in other parts of the building. Orders will be issued from the Public Works Department for the revision of the plan and estimate accordingly.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department. with 6 Plans
" Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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