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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
6th September 1864.*

No. 112. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel E. HEMERY, R. E., Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Cuddapah, 16th August 1864, No. 84:—

SIR,

1. With reference to Order No. 1,941, dated 4th July 1864, I have the honor to point out that funds have been provided for only four out of the eleven Military works at Bellary, included

2 Statements.

in my list of new works remaining incomplete on the 30th April 1864.

2. In paragraph 2 of my letter No. 5, dated 12th May last, I stated that buildings of a permanent nature for one Battery of Artillery were in progress, and in Order No. 1,978, dated 9th July 1864, I was informed that the sanction of the Government of India would be requested to the appropriation of Rupees 20,000 for these buildings, but that amount will not suffice to complete them, the unexpended balances of the Estimates on the 1st May last being Rupees 33,426.

3. In Order No. 354, Military Department, dated 30th January 1864, Government approved of revised Estimates amounting together to Rupees 22,440, for a School-room and for a Roman Catholic place of worship at Bellary; up to the 30th April last, Rupees 4,283 had been expended on these buildings, but although included in my list of incomplete works, funds have not been provided for them this official year; and now I have the honor to request you will be so good as to inform me whether these works are to be stopped.

4. In the full expectation that funds would be sanctioned for completing these buildings, I authorized Captain Fischer to proceed with them, and up to the 31st ultimo Rupees 9,145 had been expended during the current official year.

5. On the buildings for a Battery of Artillery, Rupees 19,203 have also been expended, leaving a balance of only Rupees 795 available, unless more funds are sanctioned.

6. I beg to enclose a Statement showing the new Military works at Bellary remaining incomplete on the 30th April last, for which funds have not been provided, the amounts expended on them up to the 31st ultimo, and the balances required to complete them.

7. If these works are now stopped and left in an unfinished state until the commencement of the next official year, great loss will result to Government. From the constant stoppage of works at Bellary, the people have lost all confidence in this Department, and no Contractors will now come forward to undertake any Military buildings in that Cantonment.

8. I have the honor to request instructions at an early date on the following points:—

Are the Artillery Barracks at Bellary to be stopped as soon as the sum of Rupees 20,000 has been expended on them?

Are the works on the new School-room and Roman Catholic place of worship to be discontinued?

No. 113. ORDER THEREON, 6th September 1864, No. 2,580.

1. An application will be made to the Government of India for the funds required to complete the following works:—

Buildings for a Battery of Artillery at Bellary.

New School-room and Roman Catholic place of worship at Bellary.

2. As money had not been granted for the latter work, Colonel Hemery was not warranted in authorizing its prosecution during the current official year.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. M. SHAW STEWART, Major, R. E.,

Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division.

„ Controller of Public Works Accounts.

„ Accountant General.

„ Military Department.

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Supd. Engr. Office
16 August 1864.

From
Lieut. Col. C. E. Stacey, R.E.
To
Supd. Engineer 3. Division
The Secretary to Government
P. W. D.

Sir,
With reference to Order N^o 141 dated 4th July 1864, I have the honor to point out that funds have been provided for only 4 out of the 11 Military Works at Bellary included in my list of New Works remaining incomplete on the 30th April 1864.

2. In para. 2 of my letter N^o 5 dated 12th May last, I stated that buildings of a permanent nature for one Battery of Artillery were in progress, and in Order N^o 148 dated 9th July 1864, I was informed that the sanction of the Government of India could be requested to the appropriation of Rs 20,000 for these buildings, but that amount will not suffice to complete them, the unexpended balances of the estimates in the 1st May last, being Rs 38,426.

3. In Order N^o 54, Military Department, dated 30th January 1864, Government approved of revised estimates amounting together to Rs 22,440 for a school for and for a Roman Catholic Place of Worship at Bellary; up to the 30th April last, Rs 4283 had been expended on these buildings, but although included in my list of incomplete works, funds have not been provided for them this official year, and I have the honor to request you will be good as to inform me whether these works are to be stopped.

4. In the full expectation that funds would be sanctioned for completing these buildings, I authorized Captain Fickes to proceed with them, and up to the 31st Ultimo Rs 9145 had been expended during the current official year.

5. On the buildings for a battery of Artillery, Rs 17,205 have also been expended leaving a balance

6. To beg to make a Statement showing the ^{extra} Military Work at Bellary remaining incomplete on the 30th April last, for which funds have not been provided, the amounts expended on them up to the 31st ultimo, and the balances required to complete them.

8. I have the honor to request instructions at an early date on the following points.

Are the Works on the New School Ground and Roman Catholic Place of Worship to be discontinued?

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To the Hon. Secy of the Navy
 at Washington
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Statement Showing the ^{New} Military Works expected to be but not completed on the 30th April 1864 in the 3^d Division

Name of Works	Amount of Estimate	Date of Sanction	Allocations During 1863/64	Sanctioned	Orders granted in the allotment	Est. Expenditure	Balance of Estimate	Amount Required	Remarks
Constructing Library Reading Room, Coffee Room, and Room of Games for the use of E. Battery	8055	Original Estimate Sanctioned			3 rd Feb. 1864	3664	4391	4391	The provided Estimates for items
do of Quarters for the use of the Hon. Commissaries	15190	N ^o 499 dated			— 8 th —	2749	12441	12441	N ^{os} 1, 2, 3, 4 and 7 were sanctioned in
do Officers of E. Battery	17810	21 st February 1863.	53709		— 8 th —	2559	15251	15251	Order of Government, Military Department N ^o 1143, dated 6 th April 1864.
do Library Reading Room, Coffee Room, and Room for Games for the use of the European Infantry	12004				— 8 th —	5834	6170	6170	
do Granboiling Sheds for the use of the E. Battery	650				20 th Jan 1864	177	173	173	
Building additional 6 Pys to the Gun Sheds attached to the E. Battery	614	N ^o 3507, dated 30 th November 1863			— 8 th —	599	15	15	Order N ^o 1941 dated 12 th July 1864.
do A School Room for the use of the Horse, and Foot Artillery stationed at Bellary	3700	Original Estimate Sanctioned in Order N ^o 499 dated 21 st Feb. 1863.			— 8 th —	1614	2086	2086	— 8 th — — 8 th —
Constructing a School Room, and place of Worship for the use of the Troops at Bellary	11220	N ^o 362 dated			9 th Aug 1864	2192	9028	9028	
do A Building for Roman Catholic place of Worship at Bellary	11220	3 rd February 1864	18080		— 8 th —	2091	9129	9129	
Sinking a well in front of the new Hospital in the Cantonment of Bellary being one of 2 wells for additional supply of water Ordered by Government	3005	N ^o 708 dated 18 th March 1864.			12 th 10 th —	650	2355	2355	Order N ^o 1657 dated 7 th Jan 1864.
Cutting a channel from a drained Tank to a Granthah in the Infantry Lines	8000				8 th March 1864	2683	4317	4317	— 8 th — — 8 th —
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Supdy. Engineer's Office
Bellary
16 August 1864

Checked
Lieut. Col. Rb.
Supdy. Engineer
3^d Division

Superintending Engineer 3^d Division

10 August 1864

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Deputy Superintendent R. B.
Superintending Engineer. B. O. O.

Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 6th September 1864
Read the following
The Commr 3^d Div

From The Supp Engineer 3^d Div

Requests contain information
regarding the Military Buildings at
Beltway.

H. E. 16th August 1864 No 84.

An application will be made to the Govt. of India for the funds required to complete the following work:-

- Artillery at Bellary
- New school Room & Roman Catholic place of worship at do

As money had not been granted for the ~~following~~ latter work, Col. Henry was not warranted in authorizing its prosecution during the current fiscal year. —

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