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**Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
4th November 1864.**

Read the following :—

- No. 107. Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Revenue Department.
Communicating Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, submitting a statement showing the number of new Cutcherries required in the Malabar District, and the order in which they should be undertaken. (Here enter 21st October 1864, No. 1,933.)
- No. 108. Proceedings of do. do. (Here enter 21st October 1864, No. 1,934.)
- No. 109. Proceedings of do. do. (Here enter 21st October 1864, No. 1,932.)

No. 110. ORDER THEREON, 4th November 1864, No. 3,184.

1. The Proceedings recorded above will be communicated to the Superintending Engineers.

2. Of the buildings reported to be required, those entered in the margin are now in progress from the funds specified opposite to each. Application has been made to the Government of India for special grants to admit of the Cutcherries noted below being proceeded with during the current official year :—

	RS.	
1. Salt Cutcherry at Itchapur, Ganjam	3,000	applied for.
2. Do. at Oomervilly do.	3,000	
3. Taluq Cutcherry at Russelcondah do.	5,750	do.
4. Deputy Collector's Cutcherry at Datchapulli, Kistna.	6,000	do.
5. Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry at Sulurpett, Nellore	4,000	do.
6. Do. at Venkatagiri do.	4,400	do.
7. Taluq Cutcherry at Adoni, Bellary	6,000	do.
8. Do. at Culcudda, Cuddapah	7,300	do.
9. Do. at Koilkoontla, Kurnool	7,700	do.
10. Taluq Cutcherry at Combaconum, Tanjore	3,000	do.
11. Do. at Mayaveram do.	4,500	do.
12. Do. at Aruldasamudram, Tinnevely	6,000	do.
13. Sea Custom Cutcherry at Coolasegarapatam, do.	1,700	do.

3. Superintending Engineers will be requested to provide in the Budget for 1865-66 for the buildings most urgently required, and the Government will give full consideration to their proposals in preparing the general Budget for submission to the Government of India.

4. No estimates have as yet been received for the Cutcherries required at the undermentioned stations :—

GANJAM.—Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry at Berhampore.

Salt Cutcherry at Oomervilly.

Sea Custom Houses, Barwah and Bavanapad.

VIZAGAPATAM.—Taluq Cutcherry at Yellamanchilly.

Senior Assistant's Cutcherry at Parvattipore.

GODAVERY.—Taluq Cutcherry at Rajahmundry.

Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry at Kottiapetta.

KISTNA.—Deputy Collector's Cutcherry at Datchapulli.

Taluq Cutcherry at Datchapulli for Palnad Taluq.

Do. at Rajapett.

Sub-Magistrates' Cutcherries at Kakumaun and Averigudda.

Taluq Cutcherries at Bezoarah, Gudwadah and Nundigamah.

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4th November 1864.*

NELLORE.—Sub-Magistrates' Cutcherries or Courts at Poluru or Sularpet, Vencatagherri, Podile, and Darsi.

BELLARY.—Táluq Cutcherries at Harpanhully, Adony, Koodligi, Gooty, Tadipatry, and Hindupur.

Sub-Magistrates' Cutcherries at Siriguppa, Kumply, Kulyandrug, and Bookapatnum.

CUDDAPAH.—Táluq Cutcherry at Pulivendla.

KURNOOL.—Táluq Cutcherries at Sirwell, Pattikonda, and Cumbum.

TANJORE.—Táluq Cutcherry at Combaconum.

Sub-Magistrates' Cutcherries at Tanjore, Audutorai, Negapatam and Vadaraniem.

TANJORE.—Salt Deputy Collector's Cutcherry at Negapatam.

Deputy Collector's Cutcherry at Tanjore.

TINNEVELLY.—Sea Custom Cutcherry at Coolasegarapatam.

New Cutcherry at Tuticorin.

Táluq Outcherry at Tenkarrai.

COIMBATORE.—Sub-Collector's Cutcherry at Kongiem.

Deputy Collector's Cutcherry at Sattimangalam.

Táluq Cutcherries at Poolachy, Oodoomulpettah, Darapuiam and Parindarry.

Sub-Magistrates' Cutcherries at Anamaly and Talavady.

SOUTH CANARA.—Sub-Magistrates' Cutcherries at Karkar and Nileshwar.

MALABAR.—Sub-Collector's Office at Tellicherry.

Head Assistant Collector's Office at Palghat.

Treasury and Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry at Cannanore.

NORTH ARCOT.—Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry at Kalastry

Do. do. Kistnapuram.

Deputy Collector's Cutcherry at Puthur.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,

Secretary to Government.

To all Superintending Engineers.
To the Revenue Department.

Exd S. T. Augustin.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
21st May 1864.*

No. 244. Read the following letter from Colonel A. J. M. BOILEAU, R. E., Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 5th May 1864, No. 109 :—

SIR,

- 1 Plan.
- 1 Abstract Estimate.
- 1 Specification.
- 1 Letter No. 96, dated 20th April 1864, from Collector of Madras

I. With reference to the Proceedings of Government No. 3,543, dated 2nd December 1863, I have the honor to submit for the sanction of Government Plan and Estimate amounting to Rupees 11,000 for the construction of a Talook Cutcherry at Sydapet in the Madras District.

2. The Plan which has been prepared in communication with the Collector, though not in accordance with the standard design, is, Mr. Banbury considers, more suitable than it.

3. The Acting Collector is further of opinion that the Cutcherry need not be fortified, and that no arrangement is required for the confinement of short sentenced prisoners or of those under investigation, and as the Board of Revenue in giving

In Proceedings dated 2nd May 1864.

their approval to the Estimate observe that the standard Plan of Cutcheries authorized for general adoption "is unsuited to the peculiar case of Sydapet," I recommend that the work as provided for in the accompanying Estimate, Rupees 11,000, may be sanctioned for execution this year from the Reserve Fund.

Referred to the Revenue Department with reference to the Orders in that Department, No. 2,135, dated 26th November 1863.

*Chepauk,
7th May 1864.*

(Signed) C. A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

No. 245. ORDER THEREON, 21st May 1864, No. 872.

The construction of a Cutcherry at Sydapet is not so urgently required as to render its immediate construction from the Reserve Fund necessary. The late Collector having represented that Talook Cutcheries are urgently required at Madarantakum, Teroovallore and Sydapet, Estimates have been sanctioned for the two former and a portion of the Guindy Jail buildings

has been converted into a suitable Cutcherry for the Sydapet Tahsildar. The two former buildings should first be proceeded with. The Board of Revenue are requested to report, after communication with the Collectors, how many new Cutcheries are required, and to suggest the order in which they should be undertaken. The Government cannot afford funds at once to build all that are likely to be needed, and it is desirable that those most urgently required should first be undertaken.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Public Works Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

MISCELLANEOUS CIRCULAR, No. LX.

• Board No. 3,385.

From R. A. DALYELL, Esq., Sub-Secretary to the Board of Revenue,
To ALL COLLECTORS.

SIR,

Under instructions from Government, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will report how many new Cutcherries are required in your District, suggesting at the same time the order in which they should be undertaken.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Sub-Secretary.

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE,
Madras,
3rd June 1864.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) H. M. C. KELLY,
Acting First Assistant.

Exd. J. Wright.

From the Collector of Ganjam, dated Chatterpur, 4th July 1864, No. 136.

With reference to the Board's Miscellaneous Circular, No. LX, Board No. 3,385 of the 3rd ultimo, calling for a report of the number of new Cutcherries required in this District, I have the honor to state that the only new buildings required are a Sub-Magistrate's Office at Berhampore, Sea Customs Houses at the sea-ports of Barwa and Bavanapad, and a Salt Cutcherry at Ichapur. The Salt Cutcherry at Oomervilly is in [so bad a state that it should also be re-built. The erection of the Sub-Magistrate's Office and Salt Cutcherries should be first undertaken.

Ed. J. Wright.

MISCELLANEOUS CIRCULAR, No. LX.

From the Sub-Secretary to the Board of Revenue.

To All Collectors.

Dated 3rd June 1864.

Received

Board No. 3,385.

Requesting to know how many new Cutcherries are required.

From the Collector of Vizagapatam, dated 24th June 1864, No 364.

In reply to Miscellaneous Circular, No LX, dated 3rd June, I have the honor to annex a list of new Revenue Cutcherries required in this District; they are arranged in the order they should be built:—

List of new Revenue Cutcherries required in the Vizagapatam District.

1. Principal Assistant Collector's Cutcherry at Nursipatam. Sanctioned in Budget of 1864-65.
2. Taluk Cutcherry at do... .. do.
3. Survasiddy do. to be built at Yellamunchilli... .. Estimate before Government.
- Senior Assistant's Cutcherry at Parvatipore... .. { An estimate called for will be submitted shortly.

Exd. J. Wright.

From the Officiating Collector of the Godavery District, dated Cocanada, 17th June 1864, No. 148.

With reference to the Board's Miscellaneous Circular, No. LX of the 3rd instant, I have the honor to forward a Statement showing the number of new Cutcherries required in this District, and to state that, in my opinion, they should be undertaken as numbered in the Statement.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

ABSTRACT.—Statement of Cutcherries required in the Godavery District.

Exd. J. Wright.

From the Collector of the Kistna District, dated Masulipatam, 7th July 1864, No. 127.

With reference to the Board's Miscellaneous Circular, No. LX, dated 3rd June 1864, I have the honor to report that the following new Cutcherries are required in this District. The construction of them may be undertaken in the order in which they are entered below.

Deputy Collector's Cutcherry at Vinukondah.

There is a private house here available for the purpose. The Superintending Engineer has

been written to, to estimate the value of the building.

1st. The Tahsildar's Cutcherry for the Palnad Taluk.

There is now a Cutcherry at Dachapalle, but it is so much out of repair, that a new one

should be constructed at once at the same place.

2nd. The Tahsildar's Cutcherry at Rajapett.

As there is no Cutcherry at Rajapett, the Tahsildar is now using the old Cutcherry at

Nursarowpet temporarily. His head-quarters being fixed at Rajapett, which is more central, a new Cutcherry should be built there.

3rd. The Tahsildar's Cutcherry at Repalli.

The old Cutcherry is very much out of repair, and was badly built in the beginning;

a new one must be constructed at once on the same site.

4th. The Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate's Office at Kakumanu in Bapatla Taluk.

For want of a building at Kakumanu, which was fixed as Sub-Magistrate's head-quarters, he is now living at Ponnur, and

using the old Taluk Cutcherry there for his office.

5th. The Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate's Office at Avungudda, Bandar Taluk.

The Cutcherry is now held in a private house, and a public one must be built as soon as possible.

6th. Tahsildar's Cutcherry at Bezosarah.

The building is not large enough, and there is no room to add to it, it might be pulled down and a new one constructed.

7th. Tahsildar's Cutcherry at Gpdewadah.

The building is strong but not sufficient; two additional rooms must be built.

8th. Do. do. at Nundgamah.

Do. do. do.

Edw. J. Wright

From the Collector of Nellore, dated 10th June 1864, No. 171.

In reply to Miscellaneous Circular No. LX, dated 3rd instant, I have the honor to state that new Cutcherries are required at the following places, which are given in the order I would suggest the construction should be undertaken :—

Taluk Cutcherries.

1. Kinigiri.
2. Ongole.
3. Atmakurn.
4. Udayagiri, and
5. Rapuru.

Sub-Magistrate's Courts or Cutcherries.

1. Poluru, or Sulurupett.
2. Venkatagiri.
3. Podile, and
4. Darsi.

Exd. R. H. Lee.

From the Collector of Bellary, dated Gootty, 20th June 1864, No. 96.

<i>Tahsildars' Cutcheries.</i>				<i>Sub-Magistrates' Cutcheries</i>			
a.	{ Harpanhully	1		1.	Siroogappa (Bellary).		
	{ Adoni	2		2.	Kunply (Hospeth)		
b.	Koodlgy	3		3.	Kulyandrug (Daramasaram)		
c.	Gooty	4		4.	Bookapatnam (Pengonla).		
d.	Tadipatry	5					
e.	Hindupur	6					

In reply to the Board's Miscellaneous Circular, No. LX, Board No. 3,385, dated 3rd instant, I have the honor to report, that there are (10) ten new Cutcheries required to be built in this District, six for Tahsildars, and four for Sub-Magistrates, and to suggest that they be undertaken in the order marginally shown.

Exd. J. Wright.

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From the Acting Collector of Cuddapah, dated Muddenpully, 10th June 1864, No. 78.

With reference to Board's Miscellaneous Circular, No. LX, Board No. 3,385 of 3rd June 1864, I have the honor to inform you that Cutcherries at Pulivendula, Pullempett and Calcudda are very much required, and in the two former places the Tahsildars cannot be held responsible for the records, and I only wonder at the Police undertaking to guard them. They should all be begun at once.

Ed, R. H. Lee.

From the Collector of Kurnool, dated 15th June, 1864, No. 101.

1. In reply to the Board's Miscellaneous Circular, No. LX, Board No. 3,335 of the 3rd instant, I have the honor to state that three new Cutcheries are greatly required in this District, at Koilkoonla, Sirwell, and Pattikonda.

2. They should be undertaken in the order named, the necessity for a new building being urgent at Koilkoonla as already reported by me.

3. At Sirwell there is only a Mussulman building which has been repaired from time to time since our assumption of the country, but which is not suitable for the requirements of the united Taluk.

4. At Pattikonda the Cutcherry was built about 30 years ago; but the roof has fallen into a very dilapidated state, and a new building would be preferable to an attempt at thorough repair which would probably not be lasting.

Exd. R. H. Lee.

From J. I. MINCHIN, Esq., Collector of Kurnool, dated 12th July 1864, No. 119.

Adverting to my letter of the 15th ultimo, No. 101, I have the honor to enclose copy of a letter from my Head Assistant, pointing out the necessity of a new Taluk Cutcherry at Cumbum, and to request you will have the goodness to add this Taluk to the list given in the first paragraph of my letter above alluded to.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From J. R. ARBUTHNOTT, Esq., Head Assistant Magistrate of Cumbum, to J. I. MINCHIN, Esq., Magistrate of Kurnool, dated Cumbum, 5th July 1864, No. 8.

1. I have the honor to inform you that I have consulted Mr. Supervisor Bance, the Department Public Works Officer in charge of this Range, as to the repairs and additions required in the Cumbum Taluk Cutcherry and lock-up; that Officer reports that the small timber is much decayed and the foundations have partially given way. A personal inspection convinces me of the truth of his remarks, and I am of opinion that it would be much better and cheaper in the end to build a new Cutcherry than to waste any more money in repairing the present ill-ventilated and worn out building. An excellent site is to be had in the Fort, and I have no doubt that if a Cutcherry were erected there the surrounding lots would sell for building purposes.

2. The Tahsildar is of opinion that about 500 Rupees might be realized by the sale of the present Cutcherry, which sum would help to defray the cost of a new structure. On further consideration I am of opinion that much of the timber in the old Cutcherry would be available for a new one.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) J. I. MINCHIN,
Collector.

Exd. J. Wright.

From the Collector of Madras, dated Saidapet, 11th June 1864, No. 261.
In reply to the Board's Miscellaneous Circular, No. LX of the 3rd instant, I have the honor to
state that three Cutcheries are required in this
District as per margin. The immediate con-
struction of the Cutcherry at Madrantakum has
been sanctioned by Government in their order
of the 20th ultimo, No. 1,473, Public Works
Department. The erection of the other two might be undertaken in the order entered in the margin

1	Taluk Cutcherry at Madrantakum.
1	" " at Trivellore.
1	" " at Saidapet.
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Exd. R. H. Lee.

From the Collector of Tanjore, dated Point Calmiere, 18th June 1864, No. 207.

In reply to the Board's Miscellaneous Circular of the 3rd instant No. LX, I have the honor to annex a list showing the new Cutcherries required in this District for the use of the Revenue Department. I consider that they should be undertaken in the order in which they are entered.

List of Cutcherries required to be built in the District of Tanjore.

1.—Taluk Cutcherry at Combaconum.

The present Cutcherry is a small old building utterly unsuited and inadequate to the amount of business transacted in it. This is a first class Taluk paying a revenue of upwards of nine lacs of Rupees, and possessing corresponding importance in other respects. Repeated applications have been made in the course of the last six years for a new building being constructed, but nothing has yet been done. It would be an economical, and at the same time a suitable, arrangement to remove the Taluk Cutcherry to the old Civil Court House, the same being repaired and adapted for the purpose at an expense of probably not more than 2 or 3,000 Rupees.

2.—Taluk Cutcherry at Mayaverum.

An Estimate for Rupees 4,500 has been sanctioned in the Public Works Budget of the current year for re-constructing the present Cutcherry which is an old decayed building.

3.—Firka Sub-Magistrate's Office at Tanjore.

This Cutcherry is at present held in a Choultry attached to one of the Rajah's Chat-trums. It is certainly unsuited to the purpose. Further, it is not fair to the charitable institution, to which the building belongs, that it should be thus occupied free of rent. If let out to others it would, from its situation in the most thronged part of an important town, fetch a good rent for the benefit of the Chattrum, it is right therefore that it should be vacated and that a new building be erected at the cost of about Rupees 2,000.

4.—Firka Sub-Magistrate's Office at Adutorai.

This office, for want of a building at the town where it was intended to be located is still held in the Choultry attached to the temple at Madhiargune. It is necessary that a new building, at the cost of about Rupees 1000, should be provided for this Cutcherry at the town of Adutorai.

5.—Firka Sub-Magistrate's Office at Negapatam.

The above remark applies to this also, this Cutcherry being likewise held in a Choultry belonging to a temple. The town however being a far more important one, the new Cutcherry required should be built on a larger scale at the cost of about Rupees 2,000.

6.—Firka Sub-Magistrate's Office Vedarnaem.

The want of a suitable building for this Cutcherry has recently formed the subject of a reference* to the Board. A new building should be provided at a probable cost of Rupees 1,000.

7.—Salt Deputy Collector's Office.

At present no building is provided for this office, and the requisite accommodation for the same is provided by the Deputy Collector himself to whom therefore extra tent allowance is paid throughout the whole year. A new building at a probable cost of about Rupees 3,000 should be constructed for this office at Negapatam which forms the present head-quarters of this office.

8.—Office for the Deputy Collector at Tanjore.

At present this officer holds his office in a hired building for which a rent of Rupees 10 per mensem is paid by Government; a new building constructed at an expense of about Rupees 2,500 will save this permanent charge to Government.

From the Collector of Madura, dated Periakolum, 21st June 1864, No. 151.

In reference to the Board's Miscellaneous Circular, No. LX, dated 3rd June 1864, I have the honor to report that Sub-Magistrates' Cutcherries are required at the Sub-Magistrates' stations noted in the margin. As no buildings are

Chunnamanoor.
Vedasandoor.
Mooducolator.

Palm Hills.
Trichuli.
Nellacottah.

available for the Sub-Magistrates to hold their Courts in the first four stations, the erection

of Cutcherries should be undertake in the order given in the margin

Exd. J. Wright.

From the Collector of Tinnevely, dated Tenkasy, 14th June 1864, No. 227.

In reply to the Board's Miscellaneous Circular, No. LX, dated the 3rd instant, Board

1. Taluk Cutcherry at Ambasamudram.
2. Sea Custom do at Coolasegarapatam.
3. Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry at Virdupatty.
- 4 Do. do. at Velathicolam.
- 5 Do. do. at Kytar.
6. New Cutcherry for the several Departments of the public service at Tuticorn, the plan of which has been approved of by the Board in their Proceedings of the 25th ultimo.
7. Taluk Cutcherry at Tenkarru.

No. 3,385, I have the honor to state that seven new Cutcheries, as shown in the margin, are required to be constructed in this District. For constructing Sub-Magistrate's Cutcheries at Virdupatty, Velathicolam, and Kytar a sum of Rupees 2,750 each is entered in the sanctioned Budget for the current year. The Taluk

Cutcherry at Ambasamudram, referred to in my letters to the Board, dated 25th ultimo and 7th instant, Nos. 203 and 218 respectively, and the Sea Custom Cutcherry at Coolasegarapatam, for which an Estimate of Rupees 1,700 was countersigned by me and forwarded to the late Acting District Engineer with my letter of the 1st November 1862, should be constructed in the first instance, as the present buildings are in a very dilapidated condition and new buildings are urgently required.

Erd. R. H. Lee.

From P. GRANT, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore, dated 22nd July 1864, No. 159.

1. With reference to the Miscellaneous Circular of the Board of Revenue, dated 3rd instant, No. 60, I have the honor to forward a list showing the number of new Cutcheries required in the District.

2. The necessity for the construction of the above buildings is explained in the column of remarks. They should be undertaken in the order in which they are exhibited.

3. A new Cutcherry is required for the Sub-Collector, but on this subject I shall address the Board separately after further consideration and inquiry as to the expediency of moving the Sub-Collector's head-quarters to Kongiem or some other part of the sub-division.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

List showing the number of new Cutcheries required in the Coimbatore District.

No.	Particulars of new Cutcheries required.	Remarks.
1.	Sub-Collector's Cutcherry.	A building for the Sub-Collector's Cutcherry is absolutely necessary. A separate report will be forwarded to the Board after further consideration and inquiry as to the expediency of moving the Sub-Collector's head-quarters to Kongiem or some other part of the Sub-Division.
2.	Deputy Collector Northern Division's Cutcherry at Suttiamungalum.	The Deputy Collector holds his office in a portion of the building occupied by Tahsildar's Cutcherry: a separate building for him is absolutely necessary.
3.	Taluk Cutcherry at Coimbatore.	The re-construction of this building has been already sanctioned, but the work has not been commenced in consequence of the late restrictive orders.
4.	Taluk Cutcherry at Poolachy.	The old Cutcherry is most unsuitable in point of size, construction, and arrangement, and must be re-built.
5.	Taluk Cutcherry at Oodoomalpettah.	The present buildings in point of size, situation, and construction, are most unsuitable. They are situated in the heart of large towns. The Sub-Collector thinks that in the event of a disturbance, they could be raked by musketry from the roofs of the adjacent buildings.
6.	Taluk Cutcherry at Dharapoorum.	He has selected convenient sites for the new Cutcheries which are urgently required.
7.	Taluk Cutcherry at Parindoorry.	The present building is small and inconvenient. A new Cutcherry to afford sufficient accommodation is indispensably required.
8.	Sub Magistrate and Deputy Tahsildar's Cutcherry at Anamalai in Poolachy Taluk.	The Sub-Magistrate occupies the village choultry. The construction of a Cutcherry is very desirable.
9.	Do. do. at Coonoor in Neilgherry Taluk.	A new building has been already ordered to be included in the Budget of 1865-66.
10.	Do. do. at Talavady in Suttiamungalum Taluk.	The Sub-Magistrate occupies the village Choultry. A new Cutcherry is urgently required.
11.	Do. do. at Kongayam in Dharapoorum Taluk.	A portion of the Chuttrum intended for travellers is occupied by the Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry. A new Cutcherry is absolutely required.

COIMBATORE,
23rd July 1864.

(Signed) P. GRANT,
Collector.

Edw. J. Wright.

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From G. L. MORRIS, Esq., Collector of South Canara, dated Mangalore, 23rd July 1864, No. 115,

1. With reference to the Board's Miscellaneous Circular, No. LX, dated 3rd June 1864, Board No 3,385, I have the honor to state that new Cutcherries are required at Karkal and Nileshwar in this District, the Sub-Magistrates of those places at present being obliged to hold their Courts in hired dwelling houses, in consequence of no Government buildings being available.

2. These Cutcherries should, I think, be undertaken in the order named.

Exd. J. Wright,

Enclosed in a letter from
the Secy to the Secy of
Rev. to the Secy to
Govt. R. D. dated
8th Aug 1864 No 4581 -

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File of replies

1. Principal Assistant Collectors' Cutcherry at
Municipal - Vijayapatnam —————
2. Taluk Cutcherry at — Do — Do —
- 3 — Do — at Amalapur - Godz St. —
- 4 — Do — at Ramachandrapuram — Do —
- 5 — Do — at Repalli ————— Kistnah St. —
- 6 — Do — at Ongole ————— Bellare St. —
- 7 — Do — at Pullampett - Cuddapah St. —
- 8 — Do — at Madurantakam - Madras St. —

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Govt of India
for a further
grant of Rs 5000
Application made
to Govt of India
for a grant of Rs 5000
Rs 6000 granted
Application made
to Supreme Govt
for a further
grant of Rs 5000 -

Balance

1. Salt Cutcherry at Itchapur ————— Ganjam — Rs 3000 applied for
- 2 — do — at Omerivilly ————— Do — — do —
- 2 1/2 Taluk do — at Russelkundah ————— do — Rs 5750 - do.
3. Dy Cllrs Cutcherry at Datchapelli - Kistnah — Rs 6000 - do.
4. ~~Taluk~~ Sub Magistrate Cutcherry at Sularpett - Bellare — Rs 4000 - do.
- 5 — do — at Venkatagiri — do — do — do.
- 6 - Taluk Cutcherry at Adoni ————— Bellary — Rs 6000 - do.
- 7 — Do — at Aishudda ————— Cuddapah — Rs 7300 - do.
- 8 — do — at Kailkootla ————— Kurnool — Rs 7700 - do.
- 9 — do — at Combaconum ————— Tanjore — Rs 3000 - do.
- 10 — do — at Mayaveram ————— Do — Rs 4500 - do.
- 11 — do — at Anbasamudram - Tirunelveli — Rs 6000 - do.
- 12 — Sea Custom Cutcherry at Pootasegapatnam - Do — Rs 1700 - do.

Note — Current Year's Budget Allotment for Cutcherries - Rs 26423
Add. grant applied for to Govt of India on acct of do — Rs 80,081
Amount which will probably be available for Cutcherries in Budget for 1867/86 — Rs 30,000

GENERAL STATEMENT showing the order in which the Taluk Cutcherries in the several Districts are to be constructed.

Districts.	Collectors' proposals	Collectors' Remarks.
Ganjam... ..	Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry. } Berhampore. Salt Cutcherries. } Itchapur. Sea Custom Houses. } Oomervilly. Barwah. Bavanapad.	Should be first undertaken.
<i>B</i> Vizagapatam.	Principal Assistant Collector's Cutcherry } *Nursipatam.	* Sanctioned in Budget of 1864-65.
<i>B</i>	Taluk Cutcherries. } †Survasiddy (to be built at Yellamuchilli).	† Estimate before Government.
<i>B</i> Godavery ...	Senior Assistant's Cutcherry. } Parvatipore.....	Estimate has been called for.
<i>B</i>	Taluk Cutcherries. } Amlapur..... Narsapur.....	Estimate sanctioned. Proposal to erect a building before Government.
<i>B</i>	Taluk Cutcherries. } Rajahmundry.... Ramachendrapuram..	Under reference to Suptg. Engr. Estimate sanctioned.
<i>B</i>	Sub-Magistrates' Cutcherries. } Polavaram. Coringa. Alarnur. Kottapeta. Cocanada	Estimates sent.
Kistna Dist...	Deputy Collector's Cutcherry. } * Venukondah.	Estimate sent. * A private house is available, and the Superintending Engineer has been asked to estimate the value. Datchapulli Cutcherry should be constructed at once.
<i>B</i>	Taluk Cutcherries. } Datchapulli for Palnad Taluk. Rajapett. Repalli	Do. do. For want of a building the Cutcherry is held at Punnur.
<i>B</i>	Sub-Magistrates' Cutcherries. } Avenigudda.....	The Cutcherry is held in a private house.
<i>B</i>	Taluk Cutcherries. } Bezoarah. Gudiwadah. Nundigamah. Kanigiri. Ongole.	The buildings are not large and strong enough.
Nellore... ..	Taluk Cutcherries. } Armakur. Udayagiri. Rapur.	
<i>B</i>	Sub-Magistrate's Court or Cutcherry } Poluru or Sularpett. Venkatagiri. Podile. Darsi.	
Bellary... ..	Taluk Cutcherries. } Harpanhully. Adon. Koodligy. Gooty. Tadipatry. Hindupur.	
	Sub-Magistrates' ditto. } Sirooguppa (Bellary) Kumpli (Hospett). Kulyandrug (Darma- veram. Bookapatnam (Pen- gonda).	

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GENERAL STATEMENT showing the order in which the Taluk Cutcheries in the several Districts are to be constructed—(Continued.)

Districts.	Collector's proposals.	Collectors' Remarks.
Cuddapah ..	Taluk Cutcheries { Pulivendula. Pullempett. } Calcudda.	Should all be commenced at once.
Kurnool.....	Taluk Cutcheries—Koilkoonla. ✓ Do. Sirwell. Do. Pattikonda. Do. Cumbum.	The necessity for a new building at Koilkoonla is urgent. At Sirwell there is only a Mussulman building, which has been repaired from time to time; and at Pattikonda the Cutcherry is in a very dilapidated state. Would be much better and cheaper to build a new Cutcherry at Cumbum than to repair the old one.
Madras	Taluk Cutcheries.—Madrantakum. Do. Trivullore. Do. Saidapet.	The immediate construction of the the Madrantakum Cutcherry has been sanctioned by Government; and the erection of the other two might be undertaken in the order entered.
Tanjore....	Taluk Cutcheries. { Combaconum.* Mayaveram.† } Sub-Magistrates' Cutcheries. { Tanjore. Adutorai. Negapatam. Vadaraniyam. Negapatam. Salt Deputy Collector's ditto. { Deputy Collector's ditto. { Tanjore.	* Is a small old building and utterly unsuited, and it would be economical to remove the Cutcherry to the old Civil Court House, the same being repaired at an expense of 2,000 or 3,000 Rupees. † An estimate for Rupees 4,500 has been sanctioned. The Cutcherry is at present a Choultry which is no purpose. Do. Do. A suitable building is wanted. The building is provided by the Deputy Collector to whom extra tent allowance is paid. At present the office is held in a hired building.
Madura	Sub-Magistrates' Cutcheries. { Chinnamanoor. Vedasandoor. Mooducolator. Palni Hills.* Trichuli. Nellacottah.	
Tinnevelly ..	Taluk Cutcherry.—Ambasamudrum.* Sea Custom do. Coolasegarapatam.* Sub-Magistrate's. Virdupatty. Do. Velathicolum. Do. Kytar. New Cutcherry. Tuticorin. Taluk Cutcherry. Tenkarrai.	* Should be constructed in the first instance, as the present buildings are in a very dilapidated state.
Coimbatore..	Sub-Collector's Cutcherry. { Kougiam or some other part of the Sub- division. Deputy Collector's Cutcherry. { Suttimungalum.	A separate report will be sent on this. The office is held in the Tahsildar's Cutcherry and a separate building is needed.

GENERAL STATEMENT showing the order in which the Taluk Cutcheries in the several Districts are to be constructed.—(Concluded.)

Districts.	Collectors' proposals.	Collectors' Remarks.
Coimbatore.— (Concluded)	Taluk Cutcheries. { Coimbatore. Poolachy. Oodoomalpettah. Darapuram. Parindorrey. Anamalay. Coonoor. Sub-Magistrates' Cutcheries. { Talavady. Kongayam.	The re-construction of this has been sanctioned. The work has not been commenced. Is most unsuitable and must be rebuilt. Is most unsuitable in many points. Is small and inconvenient. The village Choultry is now occupied. A new building will be included in the Budget of 1865-66. The village Choultry is now occupied. A portion of the Travellers' Choultry is now occupied. The Cutcheries are held in hired dwelling houses in consequence of no Government buildings being available.
South Canara.	Sub-Magistrates' Cutcheries. { Kaikar. Nileshwar.	

Exd. J. Wright.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
21st October 1864.*

No. 236. Read the following letter from W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 8th August 1864, No. 5,041:—

SIR,

With reference to the Proceedings of Government, dated 21st May 1864, Revenue Department, No. 872, I am directed to submit, with a file of the Collectors' letters on the subject, the accompanying General Statement showing the order in which the Talook Cutcheries in fourteen Collectorates require to be constructed, and to state that the other replies will be forwarded as received.

No. 237. ORDER THEREON, 21st October 1864, No. 1,932.

Miscellaneous

Resolved that the file of Collectors' letters and the Statement received with this letter be forwarded to the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

[Signature]
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department. *and to the Board of Revenue.*
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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
21st October 1864.

No. 233. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th September 1864, No. 5,857.

Read the following Statement from G. A. BALLARD, Esq., Collector of Malabar, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Calicut, 25th August 1864, showing the number of new Cutcheries required in the District of Malabar and the order in which they should be undertaken :—

	Name of Cutcherry.	Remarks.
1	Vytry Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry.	Should be first undertaken, and in the current year if possible. This building was included in the Budget List of 1864-65, but not sanctioned for want of funds. The Government were however pleased to state in their Order of the 26th July 1864, No. 2,140, that they would be prepared to consider any proposal which the Superintending Engineer might submit for the diversion of the necessary funds from grants made for other works.
2	Sub-Collector's Office at Tellicherry.	Should be next undertaken. The plan was approved by the Board in their Proceedings, dated 15th instant, No. 5,244. The Superintending Engineer has been requested to make provision for this building in the Budget for 1865-66.
3	Head Assistant Collector's Office at Palghat.	Do. do. do.
4	Treasury and Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry at Cannanore.	The Executive Engineer has been requested to prepare Plan and Estimate. At present the Office is held in a hired building.

Ordered to be submitted to Government, in continuation of the Board's letter, dated 8th August 1864, No. 5,041.

No. 239. ORDER THEREON, 21st October 1864, No. 1,933.
Ordered to be communicated to the Public Works Department, in continuation of the Proceedings of this day's date No. 1,932.
(True Extract.)

Miscellaneous.

[Signature]
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department.
" Board of Revenue.

Exd. T. O'Conner.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
21st October 1864.*

No. 240. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 24th August 1864, No. 5,494.

Read the following letter from G. BANBURY, Esq., Acting Collector of North Arcot, dated Chittoor, 16th August 1864, No. 193:—

1. I have the honor, in reply to the Board's Miscellaneous Circular, No. LX, dated 3rd June last, to report that new Cutcherries are required at Punganur, Kalastri, Kistnapuram, and Puthur. It is desirable that they should be completed in this order.
2. A building for the Office of the Sub-Magistrate is under construction at Punganur, on an estimate of Rupees 2,800 sanctioned by Government in their Order of the 2nd December 1863.
3. In the Order of Government, dated 30th April 1864, the Magistrate was directed to decide, in communication with the Superintending Engineer, whether accommodation for the Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry at Kalastri should be provided by enlarging the proposed station house, or constructing a separate building close to it. It has just been decided that the Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry should form a separate structure; and an estimate for its construction will be laid before Government by the Superintending Engineer in due course.
4. Mr. Robinson has I learn inspected Venkatagheri Cottah and its environs for the purpose of selecting a suitable spot for the location of the Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry, and has selected Kistnapuram, two miles distant from Venkatagheri Cottah, as a suitable place. A report on this subject is still due with reference to the Board's Proceedings of the 6th February last, No. 833. The Assistant Collector Mr. Price having accompanied Mr. Robinson on his visit to Venkatagheri Cottah, I have requested him to submit a report on the matter, which when received will be forwarded to the Board. The Board are doubtless aware that Venkatagheri Cottah has long been noted for the severe fevers it has communicated to persons residing there, even for a few days, and the testimony on all sides tends to show that the removal of the Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry from this fever-stricken spot is most desirable. Preliminaries might therefore be arranged for the construction of a Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry at Kistnapuram.
5. A Deputy Collector's Cutcherry is required at Puthur. The correspondence noted in the margin explains the circumstances which render such a building necessary there.

To Board, 8th December 1863, No. 227.
To do, 8th January 1864, " 3.
From do, 2nd February " " 705.

Ordered to be submitted to Government in continuation of the Board's letter, dated 8th August 1864, No. 5,041.

No. 241. ORDER THEREON, 21st October 1864, No. 1,934.

Ordered to be communicated to the Public Works Department in continuation of the Proceedings of this day's date, No. 1,932.
(True Extract.)

Miscellaneous.

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department.
" the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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6. *Do* ————— *at. Ongole* ————— *Kelloe District* ————— *Do*
7. *Do* ————— *at. Sullampett.* *Cuddalore District* ————— *Do*
8. *Do* ————— *at. Madurantakam Madras Dist* ————— *Do*

- 1 Salt Cutcherry at Nchapur — Tanjore — Rs 3000 applied for
- 2 — do — at Omerivilly — Do — do —
- 3 Taluq do — at Ruffelcondah — Do — Rs 5750 — do —
- 4 Deputy Collectors Cutcherry at Ditchapulle Nishumb. Rs 6000 — do —
- 5 Sub Magistrates Cutcherry at Sulurpett. Nellore Rs 4000 — do —
- 6 — do — at Venkudagiri — do — do — do —
- 7 Taluq Cutcherry at Adoni — Bellary Rs 6000 — do —
- 8 Do — at Calandah — Cuddalore Rs 7500 — do —
- 9 Do — at Kollkoontla — Thiruvoot Rs 7700 — do —

10. Tulug Cutcherry at Omhacorum ————— Tanyor ————— Rs 3000 affligit
11 — do — at Mayavaram ————— Do ————— Rs 1500 do
12 — do — at Ambaramudram ————— Tirinevally ————— Rs 6000 do
13. Seco Customs Cutcherry at Coolavagarapalam do Rs 1700 do

Superintending
Engineers will be requested
to provide in the Budget
for 1865/66 for the buildings
most urgently required,
and the Government will
give full consideration
to their proposals in
preparing the General
Budget for submission
to the Government of
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No Estimates
have as yet been received
for the Cutcheries required
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tions.

Gonyam. Sub Magistrate's Catcherry at Berhampore
Salt Catcherry Comerully
Sec Custom House - Barwah & Baranapad

Vizagapatnam. Taluk Catcherry ~~at Baranapad~~ at Yellamun-
chilly.

Senior Assistant's Catcherry at Tanjore.

Podavory. Taluk Catcherry at Rajahmundry
Sub Magistrate's Catcherry at Kotticottai.

Krishna. Deputy Collector's Catcherry at Satchapally.
Talook Catcherry at Satchapally for Krishna Talook.
Do Do Hydrabad

Sub Magistrate's Catcheries at Kikumam & Manjupada
Taluk Catcheries at Bezavada, Gudlavada & Vandigum.

Nellore. Sub Magistrate's Catcheries or Courts at Nellore or
Subarpett, Mantagherri, Adile & Darsi.

Bellary. Talook Catcheries at Harpanahally, Adony,
Koodliye, Gooty, Tadipatri & Hindupur
Sub Magistrate's Catcheries at Sivagappa,
Kuniply, Kalyandrug & Chokkapattinam.

Cuddapah. Taluk Catcherry at Pulivemollee.

Kurnool. Taluk Catcheries at Sirinella, Pallikondula & Ambam.

Tanjore. Taluk Catcherry at Ombaconum.
Sub Magistrate's Catcheries at Tanjore, Auctorai,
Negapatnam and Vedaraniem.

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Tanjore. Sub Deputy Collector's Catcherry at Negapatnam -
Deputy Collector's Catcherry at Tanjore.

Trinivelly. Sea Custom ^{Catcherry} ~~House~~ at Colacagarapattam.
Nav Catcherry at Tuticorin
Taluk Catcherry at Tenkarnai.

Cambay. Sub Collector's Catcherry at Rongim
Deputy Collector's Catcherry at Sultanmangalam.
Taluk Catcheries at Doolahy, Oodumuppattai
Daraapuram & Parindary.
Sub Magistrate's Catcheries at Anamalai,
~~Do~~ & Talavady.

South Canara. Sub Magistrate's Catcheries at Markar
& Meshwar.

Malabar. Sub Collector's Office at Tellicherry
Head Assistant Collector's Office at Talghat
Treasury and Sub Magistrate's Catcherry
at Cannanore.

North Arcot. Sub Magistrate's Catcherry at Kalashty
Do Do Kishnapuram
Deputy Collector's Catcherry at Puthur.

To
1/1 All Supp Engineers
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To the Viceroy & Depy
Secy of Govt for
India

No. 3184
Memo of the M. Govt
Dated 10th Nov 1864

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To the Viceroy & Depy &c.
relative to the number
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required in the several
Districts of the Madras
Presidency & the
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