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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
11th May 1865.

No. 236. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Military Department :—

Requesting that instructions may be issued }
for the construction of the Wash-houses } (Here enter 4th May 1865, No. 1,663.)
at Bellary, sanctioned in January 1864. }

No. 237. ORDER THEREON, 11th May 1865, No. 1,284.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 21.

1. Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, who will issue orders for the immediate execution of the work in a permanent manner. The estimate amounting to Rupees 5,880, was sanctioned in G. O. No. 140, dated 15th January 1864.

2. From the Appropriation and Outlay account for 1863-64, the Government observe that Rupees 90 have been already expended on the work. The difference, viz., Rupees 5,790 will now be placed at the Superintending Engineer's disposal from the Reserve under "Military."

(True Extract.)

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

Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division.

- „ Accountant General.
- „ Controller of Public Works Accounts.
- „ Military Department.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

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MILITARY DEPARTMENT.
PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following papers:—

Memorandum from the Quarter Master General, Fort Saint George, 22nd April 1865, No. 4636; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department.

Forwarded to Government, with the recommendation of the Commander-in-Chief, that the erection of the Wash-houses be sanctioned, as whether Garrison or Field Artillery is retained at Bellary—these houses will be needed. The Battery of Horse Artillery has gone into the new Quarters built for the Foot Artillery, and the Garrison Battery is now quartered in the former Horse Artillery Barracks.

From the Officer Commanding Ceded Districts, Head Quarters, Bellary, 14th February 1865, No. 14; to the Quarter Master General, Fort Saint George.

I beg to submit, for the favorable consideration of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, the necessity which exists for Wash-houses being erected for the use of the men of the D Battery D Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.

2. The places which the men are compelled to use, consisting of corners of Verandahs partially enclosed, are wholly unfitted for the purpose. They afford no proper privacy, not concealing the men when at their ablution from the gaze of the passers by.

3. So far back as November 1862, His Excellency witnessed the inadequacy of the Lavatory arrangements, and in May 1863, approved of two temporary Wash-houses being erected out of a sum of 30,000 Rupees which was sanctioned for the Artillery buildings. Subsequently it being considered advisable, that permanent buildings should be substituted, Plans and Estimates were called for, submitted and approved of and sanctioned in the Military and Public Works Departments at a cost of 5,880 Rupees. *Vide* Orders, No. 92 of the 9th, and No. 140 of the 15th January 1864, respectively.

4. These buildings, however, together with all others for the Battery were discontinued by Order of Government, No. 1143 of the 6th April 1864, and the result is that the men have been obliged to continue using places which I have pointed out above to be most unsuitable.

5. Under the circumstances detailed, I trust, that His Excellency who, on his late tour, personally saw the discomfort to which the men are exposed by the very defective Lavatory arrangements, will be pleased to recommend and obtain the sanction of Government for Wash-houses of either a permanent or temporary construction being erected.

ORDER, No. 1663, 4th May 1865.

Communicated to the Department of Public Works, with reference to Proceedings of Government, No. 92, dated 9th January 1864, in view to instructions being issued for the execution of the work.

(True Extract.)

W. A. Pitt Rivers
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Quarter Master General.
" Public Works Department.
" Adjutant General, for information.

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