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Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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<u>530-531</u>	~~Mis~~
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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
22nd August 1865.*

No. 530. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Revenue Department :—

Approving of the estimate (Rupees 690)
submitted by the Superintending
Engineer, 5th Division, for repairing } (Here enter 15th August 1865, No. 1,893.)
the Tahsildar's Cutcherry at Cudda-
lore, in the South Arcot District.

No. 531. ORDER THEREON, 22nd August 1865, No. 2,446.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 75.

* Rupees 690.

1. Communicated to the Superintending
Engineer of the 5th Division.

2. The cost* of the work will be charged
against the allotment for repairs under "Civil
Buildings," in the South Arcot District.
(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division.

" Accountant General.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts, with Revenue Proceedings No. 1,554 of 1865.
" Revenue Department.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
15th August 1865.*

No. 250. Read the following papers:—

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department.

Communicating letter from the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, explaining that the estimate for repairing the Tahsildar's Cutcherry at Cuddalore, in South Arcot, was prepared by the Range Officer at the special request of the Collector. (Here enter 3rd Aug. 1865, No. 2,223.)

No. 251. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 3rd August 1865, No. 4,624.

Read the following letter from C. W. READE, Esq., Collector of South Arcot, to R. A. DALYELL, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cuddalore, 20th July 1865, No. 105.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of the Board's Proceedings, dated 12th instant, forwarding for report a letter from the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, relative to the repairs required for the Cuddalore Tahsildar's Cutcherry.

2. I cannot understand how *this* estimate originated, and why it did not, as is usual with all estimates, pass through my Office.

3. In my letter of the 6th January last, I brought to the notice of the Board the state and condition of the Talook Cutcheries in general, and in particular of those of Cuddalore and two other

Talooks; all of which are old and dilapidated buildings, and in every way quite unsuited, and insufficient in point of accommodation, for the purposes of a Talook Office, and I then urged the necessity of entirely new buildings for these Cutcherry stations.

4. The Board doubted whether funds could be made available for the desired object, and the matter dropped, but I afterwards requested the Range Officer to make a modified estimate of repairs or alterations actually needed.

19th January 1865, No. 316.

5. Accordingly in March last, I received an estimate for the same amount as the one now received from Colonel Wilkieson, then in charge of the 5th Division, and which I countersigned and returned* to him.

* 7th April.

6. The present estimate, therefore, is to me inexplicable, as it bears no date, and is not signed either by the local officer, or by myself.

7. It is possible that the original may have been mislaid in the Superintending Engineer's Office, and the copy by an oversight was sent direct instead of passing through this Office.

8. On this supposition, I have countersigned the present estimate, and trust that the necessary sanction may be accorded to it, as the repairs are really indispensably necessary.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
15th August 1865.*

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Estimate.

Submitted to Government with reference to their Order, dated 7th July 1865,
No. 1,554.

No. 252.

ORDER THEREON, 15th August 1865, No. 1,898.

Miscellaneous.

1. The estimate submitted with the letter from
the Superintending Engineer of the 5th Division,
dated 1st July 1865, No. 708, is approved.

2. A copy of the Board's Proceedings dated 3rd August 1865, No. 4,624, will
be furnished to Colonel Foord, through the Public Works Department, with refer-
ence to his letter dated 28th July 1865, No. 998.

(True Extract.)

Anderson

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department, with Estimate,
the Board of Revenue.

List

Civil Works
2446
no. 2446

Comm'd to the
Superintendent of the
5th Div.

+ Rs 690 *The cost of the work*
will be
charged against
the allotment for
Repairs under "Civil
Buildings" in the
South Coast District

To S.S. & A. Fort St. George
To A/Lt. 22nd Aug 1865
To Fort St. George Rev. Prov. No 1554
To Rev. Dept. E.O. 1865
23rd

9th 1885 Dated
Proc. of Govt. for August
No 3069

Proc. of Govt. in the
Revenue Department

Df 18th Aug⁶
Recd 17th

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Approving of
the estimate ^(Rs 690) submitted
by the Sup^r G^r S^r S^r
for repairing the Sah-
ildar's butchery
at Landdohre in the
South Dist.

No 531-531

no 2446-22nd Aug/65

With an order