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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
7th April 1865.*

No. 112. Read the following letter from Major W. FAREWELL, Executive Engineer in charge of 7th Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Ootacamund, 15th March 1865, No. 286 :—

SIR,

1. Under the Orders of Government No. 3,210, dated 8th November 1864, desiring all extra expenses connected with the Convicts on the Lawrence Asylum Works, should be defrayed from the estimates for the Lawrence Asylum Works, houses were built for the accommodation of the Guard of Constables; these houses have been handed over to the Police Department, by whom rent is charged to the men of the force for their occupation. The houses have ever since their erection been put into thorough repair at the expense of the Lawrence Asylum Works, and they again, as stated by the Superintendent of Police, require repair. Under these circumstances I have the honor to request the orders of Government as to whether the houses are to be kept in repair from the estimates of Lawrence Asylum Works, or whether, as I submit is the fairer plan, they should be repaired out of the sum (which now must be a considerable one) which has accumulated from the sum stopped from the men of the force for rent.

2. The men of the Police Force are in no way under the control of the Officer in charge of the Jail, who therefore can exercise no authority over them in the way of taking proper care of the houses.

3. I would of course be glad to execute any repairs that the Superintendent of Police might wish at any time on payment, from the sum accumulated by him for rent, but I would urge it is hardly fair that the estimates of the Lawrence Asylum Works should have to pay for the houses in the first instance and keep them in repair as well, while the rent charged for their occupation is carried to the credit of another Department.

No. 113. ORDER THEREON, 7th April 1865, No. 945.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 22.

Under existing rules the stoppages made from the pay of Policemen on account of rent are carried to the credit of the Lodging Fund, and as it appears from paragraph 3 of the letter from the Inspector General of Police, embodied in the Proceedings of Government in the Judicial Department, No. 460, dated 23rd March 1865, that this fund "provides for all current repairs of Police Huts," the Government are of opinion that the cost of repairing the Constables' Huts at the Lawrence Asylum Works, where rent is also collected, should be met from that source as far as it will permit.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division.

- „ Inspector General of Police.
- „ Controller of Public Works Accounts.
- „ Accountant General.

Hxd. S. T. Augustin.

No 286. Superintending Engineer's Office 7th Div.
Ootacamund 15 March 1865

From,

Major W. Lawwell
Exec. Engineer Incharge 7th Div.

To,

Colonel C. A. O. R. E.
Secretary to Government S. P. W.

Sir,

Under the Orders of Government No. 3210
dated 8th November 1864, desiring all extra expenses
connected with the Convicts on the Lawrence
Asylum Works, should be defrayed from the
Estimates for the Lawrence Asylum Works.
Houses were built for the accommodation of
the guards of Constables, three houses have been
handed over to the Police Department by whom
rent is charged to the men of this force for their
occupation. The houses have ever since their
erection been put into thorough repair at the
expense of the Lawrence Asylum Works and
they again as stated by the Superintendent of
Police require repair. Under these circumstances
etc. I have the honor to request the orders of
Government as to whether the houses are to be
kept in repair from the Estimates of Lawrence
Asylum Works or whether as I submit is the
fairer plan they should be repaired out of the sum
(which now must be a considerable one) which
has accumulated from the sum stopped from

the men of the force for rent. —

2. The men of the Police Force are in no way under the Control of the Officer in charge of the jail who therefore can exercise no authority over them in the way of taking proper care of the houses. —

3. I would of course be glad to execute any repairs that the Superintendent of Police might wish at any time on payment, from the sum accumulated by him for rent, but I would urge it is hardly fair that the Estimates of the Lawrenson Asylum Works should have to pay for the houses in the 1st instance and keep them in repair as well while the rent charged for their occupation is carried to the credit of another Department. —

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedient Servant

W. H. H. H. H. Major

Act: Engineer in charge of works

Public Works Dept

No

Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the March 1865
Read the following.

From the Executive Engineer
in charge 7th Div.

Requests to be informed
if the Houses occupied by the
Police are to be kept in repair (There enter 15th March 1865
No 286)
from the Estimates of Lawrence
Asylum Works.

As special pro-
-vision has been made
in the Budget for
1865/66 for repairs
of Police buildings,
the cost of repairing
the Inhabitable Huts
at the Lawrence
Asylum works will
be met from that
source

The question relating

vide Appendix A-
to Part III of Memo.

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JP

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To Mr 1865 Dept
Pro. of Govt for April
J. M. 1865
The Executive Engineer
in charge 7th Div.

To

The Secretary Govt
D. P. M.

Madras

No 286

Dated 15th March 1865
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Ref 112

Requests to be in-
-formed if the Houses
occupied by the Police
are to be kept in
repair from the
Estimates of Lawrence
Asylum Works.
No 286. 7th April 1865

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Civil Works Public Works Dept

No 945

Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 7th April 1865
Read the following

From the Executive Engineer
in charge of the Range.

Requests to be informed
of the Houses occupied by the
Police are to be kept in repair
from the Estimates of Lawrence
asylum Works.

(Here enter 15 March 1865
April 1865)

Under existing rules
the stoppages made from
the pay of Policemen
on account of rent are
carried to the credit
of the Lodging Fund,
and as it appears
from para 3 of the
letter from the Inspector
General of Police in-
bodied in the Proceedings

No of Govt No 3597
of 15th December 1864-

W. B.

By The Supd. Dy. 7
Judicial Dept
- (introduction of law)
- Accountant General
- Inspector General of Police

MR

W. B.

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of Government in the
Judicial Department
No 460 dated 23 March
1865 that this Fund
"provides for all current
repairs of Police Huts"
the Government are of
opinion that the cost
of repairing the (inhabited)
Huts at the Lawrence
Asylum works, which rent
is also collected, should
be met from that
source as far as it will
permit -

W.P.

To The Supd Ly-7 Divn
... Inspection Genl of P.H.
... Controller P.W. Works
... Accounty Genl

Recd 8th April.

to Webb Depue
Pres. of Gov. for
April

No 945
Pres of the Alport
Dy 7 April 65

Supp. Engrs.
Dre informed that the
Cost of repairing the
Constables' Huts at the
Lawrence Asylum
Works should be met
from the Police Lodging
Fund, as far as it will
permit.