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No. 202. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp, Palcole, 24th January 1866, No. 2,384 :—

1. In Proceedings of Government under date 22nd July 1864, No. 2,115, Rupees 1,640 was sanctioned for building a Post Office at Bimlipatam, and Rupees 1,640 was allotted* in the current year's Budget for the work.

* *Vide* G. O. No. 1,282 of 11th May 1865.

2. When the Executive Engineer applied for a site for the building, it was proposed, I believe, by the Collector, that a building used as a Committee Room by the Municipal Association of Bimlipatam, which the Association wished to sell, should be purchased instead of building a new Post Office.

3. The Postmaster General has given his consent to this arrangement, and the Executive Engineer reports that the building is in every respect suitable, and is well and substantially built except that the pan-tiled roof is laid on bamboo matting instead of flat tiles.

4. The price asked by the Committee is Rupees 1,000, and the necessary alterations and additions to adapt it to the Post Office service will be executed for less than the difference, Rupees 640, between that sum and the sanctioned estimate.

5. I have therefore the honor to recommend that I may be authorized to carry the proposed arrangement into effect.

No. 203. ORDER THEREON, 7th February 1866, No. 475.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 21.

1. Under the circumstances which are explained by the Superintending Engineer of the 1st Division in his letter above recorded, the Governor in Council sanctions the purchase of the building at Bimlipatam referred to in paragraph 2, as well as the alterations and additions which are required to adapt it for the purposes of a Post Office.

2. It is observed that the purchase money of the building, added to the cost of the proposed alterations and additions, will fall short of the estimate (Rs. 1,640) which was sanctioned in G. O. No. 2,115, dated 22nd July 1864, for the construction of a new Post Office at Bimlipatam.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.
" Accountant General.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" Public Department.

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From

Captain J.G. Ryves R.E.

Superintending Engineer, 1st Div.

To

Colonel C.D. Orr, R.E.

Secretary to Government, M.P.W.D.

Madras.

Sir,

In proceedings of Government under date 22nd July No. 2116, Rs. 1,640 was sanctioned for building a Post Office at Bunlipatam and Rs. 1,640, was allotted* in the current year's Budget for the work.

2. When the Executive Engineer applied for a site for the building: it was proposed, I believe, by the Collector, that a building used as a Committee Room by the Municipal Association of Bunlipatam, which the association wished to sell, should be purchased instead of building a new Post

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* Vide G.O. No. 1282 of 11th May 66.

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3. The Postmaster General has given his consent to this arrangement, and the Executive Engineer reports that the building is in every respect suitable and is well and substantially built except that the Thatched roof is laid on bamboo matting instead of flat tiles.

4. The price asked by the Committee is Rs. 1000 and the necessary alterations and additions to adapt it to the Post Office service will be executed, for less than the difference Rs. 640 between that sum and the sanctioned Estimate.

5. I have therefore the honor to recommend that I may be authorized to carry the proposed arrangement into effect.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant.

H. Ryves Capt. R.E.
Superintending Engineer, 1st Div.

Public Works Department

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To
Lt. Engr. 1st Div.
" Asstt Engr.
" Cashier, P.W. Accts
" Public Department
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