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The above letter with copy of the Board's Proceedings to which it is a reply, will be communicated to the Secretary to Government, Department of Public Works, in view to the necessary provision being made for the work as soon as possible.

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1. In paragraph 1 of the Government Order, dated 4th February 1865, communicated with the Board's Proceedings, dated 10th idem, No. 795, Government have sanctioned the payment of Rupees 5 monthly on account of the rent of the house occupied for the Tahsildar's Cutcherry at Narsapur. The house in question has been since transferred from its then owner to one Singumsetti Venkaya by purchase. This man presented a petition to me, requesting that the house may be made over to him, or the rent raised from Rupees 5 to 10 a month, upon which I wrote to the Acting Sub-Collector, requesting to be informed whether he considers the house to be worth a rent of Rupees 10 a month, and also if there is any other suitable house for the Tahsildar's Cutcherry to be had for less than Rupees 10 at Narsapur. Copy of his reply* thereto is herewith submitted, from which it will be observed that there is no other house available, and that there is no security that the house-owner will not again raise his rent. I think I can arrange that the house-owner will not ask for rent more than Rupees 10 until a new house for the Tahsildar's Cutcherry, which is under contemplation, may be constructed.

* Dated 9th October 1865, No. 112.

2. Under these circumstances, I request that the Board will sanction the increase of the rent requested by its owner.

From the Acting Sub-Collector, to the Collector of the Godavery District, dated Narsapur, 9th October 1865, No. 112.

1. I have the honor to inform you in reply to your letter, No. 126, dated 29th September 1865, that the only building in Narsapur, available for the Táluq Cutcherry, is the one at present rented by Government.

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2. There is not sufficient accommodation in this building for the Tahsildar's office, and the building itself requires repairs.

3. There is no lock-up, and the Treasury room is a miserable little hole, with a wooden roof, the worse for wear.

4. The rent now asked (Rupees 10) is exorbitant, but we have no choice in the matter, and no security that the house-owner will not again raise his rent. It would be very easy to select a site should the Government please to build a new Táluq Cutcherry.

The Board sanction the payment of Rupees 10 per mensem as rent for the Tahsildar's office at Narsapur. The Collector should consider the propriety of submitting a plan and estimate for the erection of a suitable office.

No. 112. ORDER THEREON, 6th January 1866, No. 53.

ACCOUNT, No. 10.

As the demands for merely continuing works which are not expected to be completed by the 30th April next are in excess of the amount which will be at the disposal of Government for New Works other than Military, His Excellency in Council regrets that it will not be possible to enter in the out-going Budget the estimate of Rupees 15,670 for a Táluq Cutcherry and Subsidiary Jail at Narsapur in the Godavery District.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
,, Revenue Department.
,, Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. 7,494.

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(A true Copy.)

(Signed) J. FRASER,
Collector.

The Board sanction the payment of Rupees 10 per mensem as rent for the Tahsildar's office at Nursapoor. The Collector should consider the propriety of submitting a plan and estimate for the erection of a suitable office.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary.

To J. Fraser, Esq., Collector of the Godavery District.
Copy to F. Lushington, Esq., Accountant General.

Exd. J. Wright.

Dated 8th January

No. 8,075.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 16th December 1865.

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

W. Hudleston
Secretary.

To Colonel C. A. Orr, R. E., Secretary to Government, P. W. D.,
with copy of Board's Proceedings, 22nd November 1865, No. 7,494.

" J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D.,
with copy of Board's Proceedings, 22nd November 1865, No. 7,494.

" J. Fraser, Esq., Collector of the Godavery District.

Exd. J. Wright.

Entered the Orders of the Board of Revenue in Book No. 9 Public Department No. 8075.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

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No. 7,494.

Sanctioning the payment of Rupees 10 per mensem as rent for the Tahsildar's office at Nursapoor Godavery district, and requesting the Collector to consider the propriety of submitting a plan and estimate for the erection of a suitable office.

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Public Works Department

Proceedings of the Madras Government

Under date the 6th December 1865. January 1866.

Read the following

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Communicating to the Secy to Govt P.W.D letter from the Collr of the Godavery district requesting that provision may be made in the Budget for 1866/67 for the construction of the new Taluk Cutcherry at Nursapur.

(Here enter 16th Decr 1865 No 8075)

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By The Board of Revenue
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Dated 8th January

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Dated 16th December 1865.

Communicating to the Secretary to Government P. W. D letter from the Collector of the Godavery district requesting that provision may be made in the Budget for 1866-67 for the construction of the new Taluk Cutcherry at Nursapur.

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Dated 6th Jany/66

Salary Establishment and Subsidiary Establishment at Nursapore in the Godaverry District.— The Board of Revenue informed that the estimate amounting to Rupees 15,670 for the Construction of — cannot be entered in the out-going Budget: ——

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