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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
15th September 1870.*

No. 258. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Tanjore, 23rd August 1870, No. 424 :—

I HAVE the honour to inform you that there is no office for the Range Officer of the Negapatam Range, and even when at head-quarters his office is held in the office-tent in which there is

One Estimate.
„ Plan.

not sufficient accommodation for the records, instruments, etc., and hence all but the current records are stowed away in a store-room in Negapatam itself, and there is much delay and inconvenience when a reference has to be made to any plans, records, etc.

2. The sum sanctioned in G. O., No. 3,525, dated 22nd November 1865, for a Range office is Rupees 450; for this sum it is impossible to erect a suitable building for an office at Negapatam, where rates are very high, where the rain-fall is considerable, where the soil is unsuitable for mud walls, and where the Municipality would object to the construction of a thatched building. Under these circumstances, I beg that the enclosed estimate of Rupees 1,530 may be sanctioned for the erection of a Range office for the Negapatam Range.

3. It is proposed to build the office at Kadumbadi, where the European community reside, and where the Sub-Collector's Cutcherry, the Small Cause and Moonsiff's Courts, and the Municipal office are situated.

4. Owing to the excess of the amount of the estimate above the sum sanctioned for Range offices, I was most unwilling to submit the enclosed estimate till every effort had been made to obtain accommodation elsewhere, but there are no public buildings at Negapatam which are unoccupied or which are likely to become available for a Range office.

5. There is a balance of Rupees 5,339 available under “Civil Buildings, Repairs,” in the Tanjore District from the allotment of the current year, and I beg to recommend that the amount of the estimate, Rupees 1,530, may be transferred from the head “Repairs” to “New Works.”

No. 259. ORDER THEREON, 15th September 1870, No. 2,221.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 23.

UNDER the circumstances brought to notice in this letter, and looking to the urgent necessity that exists for providing a building for the accommodation of the Negapatam Range office, His Excellency the Governor in Council sanctions the estimate of Rupees 1,530 submitted by the Superintending Engineer of the 6th Division, and resolves to apply to the Government of India for authority to make the transfer of funds from “Repairs” to “Original Works” proposed by Captain Oakes with a view to the execution of the work during the current official year.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division.

„ Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No 424

Supg Engrs. office 6th D^o
Tanjore - 23rd August 70

From 3E
Capt R 7 outas R.R.

Supg Engineer 6th D^o

To,
Colonel. C. A. Orr R.R.

Secretary to Government
D. P. W.

Sir,

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Plan.

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you that there is no office for the
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cords &c. -

The sum sanctioned in G.O.
No 3525, dated 22nd November 1865 for
a Range office is Rs 450 for this
sum

sum it is impossible to erect a suitable building for an office at Nagapatnam where rates are very high, where the rain fall is considerable, where the soil is unsuitable for mud walls and where the Municipality would object to the construction of a thatched building - Under these circumstances I beg that the enclosed Estimate of Rs. 1530 may be sanctioned for the erection of a Range office for the Nagapatnam Range -

It is proposed to build the office at Kadumbadi where the European Community reside and where the Subcollector's Fatcherry, the Small Cause & Moonsiff's Courts & the Municipal office are situated -

Owing to the scarcity of the amount of the Estimate above the sum sanctioned for Range offices I was most unwilling to submit the enclosed Estimate till every effort had been made to obtain accommodation elsewhere

elsewhere but there are no public Buildings at Nagapatnam which are unoccupied or which are likely to become available for a Range office. -

There is a balance of Rs. 5337 available under "Civil Buildings Repairs" in the Tanjore District from the allotment of the current year & I beg to recommend that the amount of the Estimate Rs. 1530 may be transferred from the Head Repairs to New Works. -

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Yours most obed^t Serv^t

H. F. V. S. Capt. R.E.

Superintendent 6th Division

Amptd to Cost 30 Aug 1870

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2221-15 Sept 1870

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Tanjore District
 Abstract Est-11: 1870/71.
 Work—Constructing Range Office at Kadumbady
 for 07:4 or 07:45 at Nagasaland Range—

Quantity	Description of Work	Rate	Amount Total
590 1/8	Cft of Brickwork in Chumam— at	26	922 10 2
443 3/4	Suppl of Plastering with Chumam— at	24	99 13 6
443 3/4	— do — of White wash— at	4	11 1 6
1185	— do — of Roofing with Palurals couple collar pieces, rafters, purlins Nails flat and Chutiks and Chumam boards 22	22	326 11 2
15 1/2	Cft of Countrywork wrought flat up to 1	10	15 7 6
4	Countrywork doors with frames and work complete 4x6 1/2	15	60
2	— do — windows— 2— 2— 3x4— at	7	14
	Excavating foundation & filling		10
	Sundries & Outgoings—		70 4 2

Total Est Repas 1530 ..
 Signed W. F. Bateman
 Sub Engineer

Supg. Engr. Office
 Tanjore 23rd August
 1870

W. F. Bateman
 Supg. Engr. & Co.

P. No. Sept^r
No 2221
Proceedings of the Madras Government

Under date the 15th August 1870

Read the following

From

The Sup^r Engineer

6th Dec^r

(H. E. No. 4247 23rd Aug 70)

Under the circum-

stances brought to notice
in this letter, and looking
to the urgent necessity
that exists for providing
a building for the accommo-
-dation of the Segapattam
Range Office, His Excellency
the Governor in Council
sanctions the estimate
of Rs 1530 submitted by
the Sup^r Engineer of the
6th Dec^r, and resolves to
apply to the Gov^t of India

for

Enclosure in a letter
from the Sup^r Engineer
to the Secy to Gov^t
P. No. 1124, dated
23rd August 1870 -

MP 3357/70

Revenue Secy to Gov^t 11/10/70

Estimated Rs 1530

for constructing a
Range Office at
Mysore -

for authority to make the
transfer of funds from
"Repairs" to "Original Works"
proposed by Captain
Cable with a view to the
execution of the work
during the current official
year.

(Signature)

Further Report 9/16-3-71

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The Sup. Com. 6. 11. 1
"Controller P. Dr. Acc't"
Resp. 16/9/70

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Cp 3354

Govt. of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

The Superintending Eng^r
6th Division.

15th Sept. 2221

Hes. 258-259

Range Office at Negapattanam. The estimate of Rs. 1530. for the construction of a Range Office at Negapattanam, sanctioned with remarks.