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No. 180. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Bellary, 26th June 1871, No. 566:—

I HAVE the honour to forward, for the orders of Government, copy of the enclosed correspondence in reference to the establishment of a sub-treasury at Culliandroog, in Dhurmaveram Talook, Bellary District.

2. The distance between Dhurmaveram, the cusbah station, and Culliandroog is about 46 miles. The cusbah station is situated at one end of the talook and Culliandroog at the other.

3. It seems to me quite feasible to establish a sub-treasury at Culliandroog, as it is the head-quarters of the Deputy Tahsildar, and there can be no objections, since the same escort which conveys the salary, etc., of the establishment attached to the sub station, can also take charge of money required for the use of Public Works in the locality.

4. As Mr. Supervisor Harris so forcibly represents the risk incurred by the Overseer being compelled, on account of present arrangements, to take a large sum of money about with him, I consider it would be superfluous for me to add anything thereto beyond intimating my concurrence of the views expressed.

Copy of a letter No. 33, *dated* 21*st April* 1871, *from the Supervisor in charge, Anantapoor Range, to the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division.*

WITH reference to the subject of G. O., No. 996, dated 4th instant, I respectfully beg to draw your attention to the great risk incurred by the Overseer of Dhurmaveram talook with respect to his cash chest.

2. Although in this range all contract work above Rupees 20 is paid for by cheque, yet the Overseer has to convey with him large sums of money for disbursement to mile coolies employed on the Culliandroog and Cumbadoor roads, and, in the current year, he will have to do so for the new Amrapoor road also, and, when about proceeding in that direction, he is obliged to cash all cheques issued for payments on those roads and carry the coin about with him. This state of things has become necessary from credits on that talook being granted on the Dhurmaveram treasury only.

3. I therefore earnestly solicit your advocacy in procuring for me the privilege of drawing on Culliandroog, where the requisite sums may be held in reserve by the Deputy Tahsildar. This will relieve the Overseer of great cause of anxiety, and will as well meet contractors' wishes with regard to convenience. Of this latter class, the very fact of having to travel over 46 miles to cash cheques is enough to retard the contract system. Besides the aforesaid convenience, the project will afford greater security to Government cash, which in itself is sufficient to recommend the suggestion.

Copy of a letter No. 130, *dated* 26*th April* 1871, *from the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, to the Collector of Bellary.*

I HAVE the honour to forward, for your favourable consideration, the enclosed letter, in original, from Mr. Supervisor Harris, in charge of the Anantapoor Range, requesting to obtain the requisite permission for him to maintain a drawing account with the sub-treasury at Culliandroog in the Dhurmaveram talook.

2. The reasons adduced in support of the proposal are strong, and as (*vide* G. O. No. 996, dated 4th instant, a copy of which I enclose for your information and return,) executive members, having the disbursement of Government cash, incur so much personal responsibility in case of robberry, I trust the matter may be favourably considered, and that the necessary orders may be issued on the subject.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
12th July 1871.

Copy of a letter, No. 544, *of the* 2nd *May* 1871, *from the Acting Collector of Bellary, to the Superintending Engineer,* 3rd *Division.*

With reference to your letter, No. 130, dated 26th ultimo, I have the honour to inform you that there is no sub-treasury at Culliandroog, and it would not, in my opinion, be expedient to establish one there.

2. The Range Officer or Talook Overseer can, however, lodge any amount required for the works mentioned, in the Police Station there, and this would appear to be all that is wanted for the purposes of protection.

3. The Government order is herewith returned.

(True Copies.)

(Signed) A. S. MOBERLY, Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
Superintending Engineer, 3rd *Division.*

Bellary,
26th *June* 1871.

No. 181. Order thereon, 12th July 1871, No. 1,831.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 22.

Before taking into consideration the question of establishing a sub-treasury at Culliandroog, His Excellency the Governor in Council requests that the Superintending Engineer of the 3rd Division will report whether the requisite security will not be ensured by adopting the Acting Collector's suggestion of lodging money at the Police station.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Copy of a letter No. 36 dated 21st April 1871 from the Superviser in Charge Circumlapore Range to the Superintending Engineer 3rd Division—

With reference to the subject of G. O. No. 996 dated 4th Instant, I respectfully beg to draw your attention to the great risk incurred by the Overseer of Dharmaveram Talook with respect to his Cash Chest.

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ment Contractors wishes with regard to Convenience. Of this latter Class the very fact of having to travel over 46 miles to Cash Cheques is enough to retard the Contract System. Besides the proposed Convenience, the project will afford greater Security to Government Cash, which in itself is sufficient to recommend the suggestion.

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Copy of a letter No. 514 of the 2nd May 1871 from the Acting Collector of Bellary to the Superintending Engineer 3rd Division:-

1. With reference to your letter No. 130 dated 26th Ultimo, I have the honor to inform you that there is no Sub Treasury at Culliandroog, and it would not, in my opinion, be expedient to establish one there.

2. The Range Officer or Taluk Overseer can however lodge any Amount required for the works mentioned, in the Police Station there, and this would appear to be all that is wanted for the purposes of protection.

3. The Government Order is herewith returned.

Supdg Engr's Office 3rd Dn
Bellary 26th June
1871.

"True Copies"
A. Mobray Lieut Colonel
Superintending Engineer
3rd Dn

No. 566. Superintending Engineer's Office.
3rd Division.
Bellary 26th June 1871.

From,
The Superintending Engineer
3rd Division.

To,
The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to forward copy of for the orders of Government, the enclosed correspondence in reference to the establishment of a Sub Treasury at Calliandroog in Dhurmaveram Talook Bellary District.

2. The distance between Dhurmaveram, the Cusbah station, and Calliandroog is about 46 miles. The cusbah station is situated at one end of the Taluq and Calliandroog at the other.

3. It seems to me quite feasible

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Enclosures.
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From The Superintending Engineer 3rd Div.
To The Secretary to Govt. P. D.
Dated 26th June 1871
Rec. P. No. 3032/71.

Copy of Correspondence regarding the proposal for opening a Treasury at the Cusbah of the Sub Magistrate at Calliandroog in Dhurmaveram Talook.

Received 4th July No. 566

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I consider it would be superfluous
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intimating my concurrence of the views
expressed.

I have &c.

W. Medley Lieut Colld R.E.
Supg Engineer 3rd Dn

P.W. 1871-72. Dept

From, Proc. of Govt Jul. July No. 3032.

The Superintending Engineer
3rd Division.

To,

The Secretary to Government.
Public Works Department.
Fort Saint George.

No. 566.

Dated 26 June 1871.
Received 29 June 1871.

Encl. 1.

Forwarding Copy of Correspondence on the subject of requiring a boat drawing accommodation with the Sub Magistrates Cutcherry at Culliandroog for the reasons assigned.

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The Secy. to Govt. 3rd Division. P.W. Ltr. No. 566 of 26th June/71

Read the following

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of lodging money
at the Police Station

Dated 13/7/71

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To The Superintending Engr
3rd Division

Dated

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G. O. 12th July 1831.

Nos. 1801 181

Security - The Superintendent of the 3rd Div. requested to report if requisite security will be required by Lodging Money at the Police Station at Cullandroy in the Bellary Dist.