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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
27th May 1873.*

Read the following papers:—

No. 376. From Colonel J. BEAN, R. E., District Engineer, Coimbatore, to
Colonel G. W. WALKER, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public
Works Department, dated Coimbatore, 27th March 1873, No. 265:—
I HAVE the honour to request that Government will be pleased to sanction the

1 Estimate.
1 Comparative Statement.

enclosed estimate of Rupees 1,365 for
additions and alterations made to the
Munsif's Court at Caroor in lieu of the

estimate of Rupees 900 sanctioned in G. O., No. 3,881, dated 12th December 1868.

2. The work is only now about to be completed, and the delay in its execution is accounted for as follows:—The Government Order above quoted granted authority to proceed with the work if funds were available, but nothing was done at the time, as no allotment could be made. The estimate, you may remember, was sanctioned when you were Superintending Engineer of this division, and the work was deferred for the Reserve of 1869-70. No provision, however, could be made for it in that and the subsequent years, and it was not until a transfer of funds was effected that Government sanctioned the outlay in their Order of the 12th July 1872, No. 1,684.

3. I submit a comparative statement, furnished by the Range Officer, accounting for the excess of Rupees 465. The estimate was prepared several years ago, which will partly account for the increase in the rates, but the excess has been principally owing to the cost of teakwood and window shutters supplied from the Public Works Stores in excess of the estimated rates, and to the enhanced cost of the roofing owing to insufficient allowance having been made for the projection of the pandal of the Munsif's Court beyond the supporting posts, an omission which was pointed out by the Superintending Engineer, Lieutenant-Colonel Farewell, to the Range Officer in a memorandum dated 28th September 1872.

No. 377. From the same Officer, dated Coimbatore, 2nd May 1873, No. 11.

With reference to memorandum No. 56, dated 14th April 1873, I have the honour to enclose copy of Superintending Engineer's memorandum No. 105,

2 Plans,
1 Copy of Superintending Engineer's memorandum No. 105 of 28th September 1872.

dated 28th September 1872, to the Caroor Range Officer, and two plans of

the Munsif's Court at Caroor, the old one showing the verandah in pencil as estimated for, and the new one the verandah as actually carried out. There is no other plan in my office or with the Range Officer.

2. In the letter to Lieutenant-Colonel Farewell from Mr. Nicholson, to which the enclosed memorandum is a reply, the Range Officer pointed out that the sanctioned verandah was only 4½ feet wide, and he asked permission to alter the breadth and slope, and to use pantiles only for the roof. I find that the breadth of the roof was increased about 4 feet, which would add about 8 squares to the roofing.

No. 378. ORDER THEREON, 27th May 1873, No. 1,432.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 16.

Out of the excess of Rupees 465, sanction for which is required in these letters, only about Rupees 165 is legi-

timately accounted for by increase of cost for articles apparently procured from the Public Works Stores instead of being made up on the spot. The remaining Rupees 300 are due to a departure from the original plan, which is not in any way justified by the Superintending Engineer's memorandum alluded to; in which it was distinctly pointed out that a narrow verandah, to serve as a sun-shade, was all that was required, and such alteration as was sanctioned was conditional on its not leading to any excess over the estimate.

2. Mr. Supervisor Nicholson's action after receipt of that memorandum in deliberately widening the verandah to an extent increasing the work from 12 to 20 squares of roofing, was most improper, and its repetition will lead to any extra cost similarly incurred being borne by himself. With these remarks the excess is sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Coimbatore.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" Judicial Department.

Superintending Engineer

Exd. S. T. Austin

Memorandum No 105

Baroor Range No 92 of 26th September 1872

Enclosures
2 Plans

Stone pillars to the proposed
"Verandah to the Munsiff's Court at Baroor"
approved. As the "Verandah" is required
more as a "sun shade" than any thing
else there is no objection to the slope being
changed and pentiles only instead of
flat tiles used. If such can be done
within the estimate it would add much
to the comfort of the Court. If ridge
ventilation be added with 6" of opening
above roof or two ventilators between the
hips at A and B - this might be done
for very little money. Plan returned.

Supg Engr's Office
7th Division
Coimbatore
28th September 1872

(Signed) W. Harewell Lt Col
Superintending Engineer

(True Copy)

Per Colonel R.E.
District Engineer Coimbatore

Recd.

Dist Engr's Office
Coimbatore 2^d May 1873

From

The District Engineer
Coimbatore.

To

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Dept.
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to Memo-

Enclosures

- 2. Plans
- 1. Copy of Copy
Engr's Memo
No 105 of 28th
September 1872

number N^o 56 dated 4th April 1873
I have the honor to enclose copy
of Superintending Engineer's Memo
number N^o 105 dated 28th September
1872 to the Caroor Range Officer,
and two plans of the Mousiff
Court at Caroor, the old one
showing the Verandah in pencil,
as estimated for, and the new
one the Verandah as actually
carried out. There is no other
plan in my office or with
the Range Officer.

For a letter from the
Dist Engineer,
Coimbatore to the
Secretary to Govt
of P.W.D. Madras
No. 11 dated 2^d
May 1873.

1873-2499/73.

Copy of Memo from
the District Engr
to the Caroor Range
Officer No 105 dated
28th September 1872
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Verandah in pencil
and the new
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to which the enclosed Memo-
randum is a reply, the Range
Officer pointed out that the
sanctioned Verandah was only
 $4\frac{1}{2}$ feet wide and he asked
permission to alter the breadth
and slope, and to use pan tiles
only for the roof. I find that
the breadth of the roof was in-
creased about 4 feet, which would
add about 8 squares to the roofing.

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Your Most Obedt Servant

J. R. R.

Col. R.E.

Dist Engineer

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Mis No 156 of 2nd April 73
G.O. 12th Decr/68 2256-207
" - 13th July/72-229-280

P. W. 873 Report
The District Engineer
Cumbhatore
The Secretary to
Government
Public Works Dept
Madras

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Recd 5th May/73

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Enclosures 3
Towards Copy of
Letter Copy Engineer's
Memo to the Ceylon
Range Officer No 105
of 28th September 1872
and 2 Plans of the
Munisiff's land at
Caroor
No 1432-27th May/73

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Recd 6 Oct 5 May/73

[Signature]

No 265

District Engineer's Office
Cumbhatore 27th March 1873

From,

The District Engineer
Cumbhatore

To,

The Secretary to Government
D. P. W. Madras
Sir,

I have the honor to request
that Government will be pleased to
sanction the enclosed estimate of
Rupees 1365 for additions and altera-
tions made to the Munisiff's Court
at Caroor, in lieu of the estimate of
Rupees 900 sanctioned in G.O. No 18881
dated 12th December 1868.

2- The work is only now about
to be completed, and the delay in its
execution is accounted for as follows.
The G.O. above quoted granted authority
to proceed with the work if funds were
available, but nothing was done at the
time, as no allotment could be made.

Enclosures

1 Estimate

1 Correspondence

Statement

The Estimate you may remember, was
sanctioned when you were Superintending
Engineer of this Division, and the work
was deferred for the Revenue of 1869/70 -
No provision, however, could be made for
it in that and the subsequent years, but
it was not until a transfer of funds
was effected, that Government sanctioned
the outlay in their Order of the 13th July
1872 No 1684 -

3. I submit a comparative
statement furnished by the Range
Officer accounting for the excess of
Rupees 465 - The estimate was prepared
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account for the increase in the
rates, but the excess has been prin-
cipally owing to the cost of Teakwood
and Windows shutters supplied from
the Public Works Stores, in excess of
the estimated rates, and to the
enhanced cost of the Roofing owing to
insufficient allowance having been made
for the projection of the Pandal.

of the Accounts' Court beyond the
supporting facts, an omission which
was pointed out by the Superintending
Engineer Lieut Colonel Farnwell to the
Range Officer in a Memorandum dated
28th September 1872.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obed^t servant,

W. H. R.
W. H. R.

District Engineer, Coimbatore

The estimate, you may remember, was

Per 12.000/15 made - 1935
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to the Secretary to

Government

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Comparative Statement showing the difference between the Original Estimate and the work done and to be done for *Alkurnag & Improving the*
Alkurnagfi (Cant. house) and building a "mudal" around it (at 1000).

Description of work	Original Estimate mentioned.			Work executed.			Work to be executed.			Total of both		Difference.				Remarks.	
	Quantity.	Rate.	Amount.	Quantity.	Rate.	Amount.	Quantity.	Rate.	Amount.	Quantity.	Amount.	Increase.		Decrease.			
												Quantity.	Amount.	Quantity.	Amount.		
<i>Removing Old wall.</i>	3	4	12	"	"	"	3	4	12	3	12	"	"	"	"	"	
<i>Bricks in Channan.</i>	57 1/2	5 8	31 12 5	"	"	27 12	57 1/2	5 8	4 6	57 1/2	31 12 5	"	"	"	"	"	
<i>Plastering.</i>	2 1/2	3 8	8 12	"	"	4 5 6	2 1/2	3 8	4 6 6	2 1/2	8 12	"	"	"	"	"	
<i>Windows with glazed shutters.</i>	1	22 8	22 8	1	"	40	"	42 8	2 8	1	42 8	"	20	"	"	"	
<i>Glazed window shutters.</i>	8	15	120	8	"	211	"	30	29	8	240	"	120	"	"	Increased rate at P.W. stores	
<i>Granite Posts.</i>	"	"	"	102	"	49 12 6	"	1	52 3 6	102	102	"	102	"	"	Granite posts substituted for jungle wood	
<i>Concrete work.</i>	"	"	"	12 1/8	3	36 8	"	"	"	12 1/8	36 8	"	12 1/8	36 8	"		"
<i>Jungle wood wrought and put up.</i>	51	2 8	127 8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	51	127 8		"
<i>Teakwood wrought & put up.</i>	24 1/2	5 8	120 2 8	55 1/2	3 12	208 5 4	"	"	"	55 1/2	208 5 4	"	20 1/2	88 2 8	"	Increased rate at P.W. stores	
<i>Roofing with rafters, repers, nails, & tiles.</i>	12	35	420	"	"	411 4 10	20	30	188 11 2	20	600	"	8	180	"	Defect in measurement of the roof	
<i>Channan borders & ca. 3 ft. high.</i>	"	"	"	"	"	20 14 9	"	"	73 7 6	"	94 6 3	"	45 13 4	"	"		"
<i>Sundries.</i>	"	"	48 8 11	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"		"
Total.....	"	"	900	"	"	1009 14 11	"	"	355 1 1	"	1365	"	592 8	"	127 8	"	

Deduct Decrease.....

Net Increase.....

No. IV on CAROOR RANGE OFFICE,
Caroor 17th March 1873

Colonel R.E.
District Engineer of Carnatic

John Dickson
Officer in charge of Caroor Range.

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From

The Officer in charge of
Carver Range.

To

The District Engineer
of Hewittsburg.

Dated 17th } Received 1878.

W. H. 2005/10.

Comparative Statement showing the difference
between the Original Estimate and the work
done and to be done for

Improvement of the navigation
of the river and building
a dam at various points at
Hewittsburg.

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No. of the Madras Govt.

Read the following:-

From the 1st Capt. (Comptroller) - (H.R. No. 215 of 27 March/73)
do ——— do ——— (H.R. No. 2 of 2 May/73)

Out of the excess of Rs 465 sanction for which is required in these letters only about Rs 165 is legitimately accounted for by increase of cost for articles apparently procured from the Public Works Stores instead of being made up on the spot. The remaining Rs 300 are due to a departure

D. P. 11

From

The Officer in charge of

Comptroller

To

The

Comptroller of the

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Statement of the public expenditure for

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With these remarks
the excess is sanctioned.

G.M.

to Mr. B. Kaimbatore
Controller of P. & A.
Judicial Dept.
Chief Engineer
Decr 14-6-73.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

The District Engineer
Cincinnati

Notice

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Dist. Engr.

W. D. 27 days No. 1452.

No. 376 @ 278

Manassas/mr H. H. H. at
Cannon. Trip up on day
incurred in the purchase
sanctioned with remarks.

W. D. 27 days
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