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19th August 1873.*

No. 293. Read the following letter from Colonel E. A. FOORD, R.E., Inspecting Engineer for Civil and Military Buildings, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 4th August 1873, No. 863:—

I HAVE the honour to submit, for the sanction of Government from the Reserve under Civil Buildings, Postal, a plan and estimate of Rupees 285 for constructing a verandah in front of the Post Office at Jollarepett, Salem District, and for raising the roof of the existing building.

1 Plan.
1 Estimate.
1 Specification.
1 Copy of letter from Postmaster General,
Madras, No. ^{5,021}_{1,661}, 12th July 1873.

2. The proposed work has met with the approval of the Officiating Deputy Director-General of the Post Offices of India.

No. 294. ORDER THEREON, 19th August 1873, No. 2,059.
SANCTIONED from the Reserve under
CIVIL WORKS, No. 22. Postal Buildings.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Inspecting Engineer for Civil and Military Buildings.
,, District Engineer, Salem.
,, Postmaster General.
,, Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, Public Department.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

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Salem District Tripstone Range Tripstone July
Specification Report to accompany Plan & Estimate
of proposed improvements to the Post Office
at Jollapett. -

Amount of Estimate Paper ²⁸⁵
~~274~~

The present wall of the main building
is to be raised 3 ft. above the old wall, & the
old roof replaced above it with new materials
as may be required for the same; the height of
pillars to be 6 ft. - front Verandah to be 20 ft. wide
7 ft. 3 inch in breadth exclusive of the thickness
of the wall, to the length of the building, & to
have a covering of new roof. -

Excavation - The excavation for foundation
to pillars to be taken out to the depth 3 ft. and
side walls one & half foot below basement. -

Foundation - The foundation to be laid out
with rough stone and chunam, laid closely and
fitted with good bond, no round stones will be used
but as such as will bond well. -

Basement - The basement to be laid to the
level of the old one, with brick in chunam 6" and
plastered with 2 coats of chunam. -

Superstructure - The superstructure is to be
of best bricks in chunam, 3 parts of clean coarse
sand, 2 of chunam free from impurities, constructed

ed as per plan, & the exterior portion to have cornice work.

Arch work — The semi-circular arch work at both sides of the Verandah, will be composed of good bricks, as well as the Parapet wall to be ^{in front of which} 2.6" ^{in height} except the entrance.

Plastering — The new construction inside, and outside of building will be plastered with 2 coats of Chuanam. 1st coat to consist of one part of lime, to 1 1/2 of river sand well ground together. & 2^d coat to be of 3 parts of lime, to one of white sand well smoothed of. The joints of the bricks to be scraped out, and the walls wetted with water, before the first is being applied.

Flooring — The basement of the Verandah to be filled in with the necessary earth; well watered, & rammed till thoroughly consolidated. over this a flooring of good wall bricks, resting on a layer of jelly; & Chuanam 3" thick. & the joints neatly pointed with Chuanam & tarred.

Timber — The Verandah brusses & 4" x 6" & wall plates 4" x 3", will be made of well seasoned jungle wood, free from all shakes, & knots, and neatly finished off.

Roof — The roof of the Verandah will

will consist of palmyrah rafters, & then bamboos placed closely across (to serve as supports) bamboo mats; with fan tiles & Chuanam borders.

The whole of the work to be carried out as per Plan; & Estimate according to the dimensions mentioned thereon, and subject to the entire satisfaction of the Executive Agent.

Tripatore Range Office
Tripatore 6th May 1873

I Appallee Supt
Executive Agent

J. C. Hueli Major R.E.
District Engineer

New Works.

Civil Buildings.
Salem District. Tripatore Range. Tripatore Taluq.
Abstract Estimate of 1873-74.

Work.— Estimate of proposed improvements to
the Post office at Jollarpett. Rs. 335-—

Value of Building— " 75—
Last Repair in 1871-72. " 95—

Remarks.— Owing to the insufficiency of accommodation
within, and to meet the requirements of outsiders
who come on business, this Estimate provides for
constructing a verandah in front of the Office,
and raising the roof of the present building.

Quantity	Particulars of Charges.	Rate	Amount	Total.
2½	C. yds. of Roughstone in Chinnam C.P.	2 12.	6 14.	
20¼	Do Brick in Chinnam	4 1.	81 1.	
6	C. ft. of Circular Arch Work	4 8 1 12.		
9 61/100	Squares of Plastering with two coats of Chinnam	3 1.	28 12 10.	
1 35/100	Do flooring with wall benches, resting on a layer of Jelly & Chinnam 3" thick, Chinnam pointing and tanned	7 1.	9 7 1.	
Carried Over Super.				127 13 11.

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Salem District
Tripatore Range

Enclosure in a letter
No. 883 dated 4 Aug^r/73.

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P. M. 4346/73.

Specified in Re
order to Accompany
Plan & Estimate of pro
posed improvements
to the Post Office at
J. Jollarpett.
Estimate No. 285.

Brought Over Rupees		127 14 5
2 $\frac{9}{100}$	Squares of Roofing with Palmyrah rafters and Bamboos placed across bamboos mats, with pan tiles, & Churnam borders	41 12 10
4 $\frac{41}{100}$	Do. Taking out the present roof & replacing the same with new materials as may be required	10 4 44 17
85 $\frac{1}{2}$	R. feet of Cornice	4 21 6
9 $\frac{1}{2}$	Cub: feet of jungle wood	28 22 14
4	Cub: yds. of excavating foundation	16 4 6
6 $\frac{1}{4}$	Cub: yds. of Demolishing the present end walls	14 7 13
	Labour & Superintendence	266 1 2
		256 12 8
		18 14 14
		57 8 4
	Total Rupees	274 11 5
Rupees Two hundred and Eighty five only		

Tripatore Range Office,
 Tripatore 6 May 1873. } (Signed) S. Appanna Rao
 Executive Agent.

J. L. Huddle Major, R.E.
 District Engineer.

Ed. and Colonel R. E.
 Inspecting Engineer for
 Civil & Mil. Buildings.

Salem District.
Tripstone Range.
Tripstone Taluq.

Enclosure in a Letter
No. 863 dated 4 Aug^r/73.

P. No. 4346/73.

Abstract Estimate
of proposed im-
provements to
the Post Office at
Jollarpett.

285
Rupees. 2/4

No. 1891.

From

E. R. Douglas Inquire.

Offg. Dy. Director general of the Post Office of
India.

To

The Postmaster General,

Madras.

Simla, the 5th July 1873.

Sir,

In reply to your letter No. ²⁸⁴₁₆₆₁ dated 18th June
1873, I beg to sanction the plan and estimate
(herewith returned) the latter amounting to Rs 274/-
for certain alterations in the Post Office at Jollarpett,
the charge being met from the minor works
allotment of your circle for the year 1873-74.

I am &c.

(Signed) E. R. Douglas,

Offg. Dy. Director general of the Post
Office of India. By authority of the Director
general.

No. ⁵⁰²¹₁₆₆₁

True copy, with the Plan and Estimate,
forwarded to the District Engineer, Salem, with
reference to his letter to the Inspector of Post Offices
of Division No. 51 dated 25th May 1873.

It is requested that the necessary steps
may be taken to obtain the funds, and execution
of

(Signed) E. R. Bourke

Postmaster General

Postmaster General's office
Madras 12th July 1873

(True Copy)

J. W. Hurlii Major, R. E.,

District Engineer, Salem.

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OFFICE OF THE INSPECTING ENGINEER,
FOR CIVIL AND MILITARY BUILDINGS,
Chepauk 4th August 1873.

From

THE INSPECTING ENGINEER,
FOR CIVIL AND MILITARY BUILDINGS,

To

THE Secretary to Government
P. W. Department

SIR,

Enclosures of
Plan of
Estimate
Specification
Copy of letter
from Post
Master General
No. 5021/12
July 1873.

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2. The proposed work has met with the approval of the officiating Deputy Director General of the Post offices of India.

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

E. R. Bourke Colonel, R. E.,
Inspecting Engineer for
Civil and Military Buildings.

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Letter to Abby 6 Dec 1793

Ms. A. 9.2.18.73 Richard

No. 863

From

**The Inspecting Engineer
for Buildings,**

To

The

Dear Mr. Smith
Wm. A. Smith

Jack:

Dated 14 }
Decr 5 }
 Recd. 16 }
August 1879

45 } August 1870

Admiral for the
struction of the North Alma
redoubt of the 285th for
constructing a new redoubt
in front of the Port
Office of the War Dept
Alma ~~for~~ for having
the top of the square
rounding

Mr. 4346
Govt. of 1873 Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To *The Inspecting Engineer
for Civil & Military
Buildings*

Dated

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G. O. 19th Aug 1873. 12059.

Nos. 293 & 294

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