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No. 175. Read the following letter from W. FRASER, Esq., C.E., District Engineer, Kurnool, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, (through the Inspecting Engineer for Buildings,) dated Kurnool, 23rd September 1873, No. 627 :—

I HAVE the honour to request your attention to the following circumstances.

2. In the Provincial Budget for the current year 500 Rupees only were allotted for the repairs of the Civil Buildings of this District. This amount was appropriated thus :—

	Estimate. Rs.	Allotments. Rs.
I.—Repairs to the Collector's Cutcherry	450	450
II.—Pattikonda Taluq Cutcherry	500	50
	950	500

The following works have been undertakenon emergency :—

	Estimate. Rs.		
1.	Civil and Sessions Court-house.	98	The pandals were blown away during a gale, and the roof leaked.
2.	Protestant Church at Kurnool.	223	The roof leaked like a seive, and the whole had to be repaired.
3.	District Jail	118	Two wards were about to fall, and they were taken down and partially rebuilt. When I became aware of it, I stopped the work under circumstances explained to Colonel Foord.
4.	Nandikotkur Taluq Cutcherry.	30	The roof leaked, records were injured, etc., and at the request of the Collector the work was done.
5.	Markapur Taluq Cutcherry ...	250	Same as above, only much worse.
6.	Cumbum Taluq Cutcherry ...	50	No light and no ventilation. In April and May last the heat in the building was intense, and I sanctioned the putting of windows into a dead wall.
7.	Ravalakotta Taluq Cutcherry	30	This is an excess over the amount of the estimate, arising from the price of a ladder ordered from the Public Works Workshop, Madras.
8.	District Engineer's Office, Kurnool	150	The roof of a side room leaked so that books, etc., had to be removed, and the roof timbers were getting rotten, etc.
9.	Balance of estimate for repairing Taluq Cutcherry at Pattikonda	450 — 1,399	Roof leaks, walls are cracked, and other matters require repair.
10.	House-rent of Apothecary in charge of Civil Station ...	360	
11.	Head Assistant Collector's Cutcherry at Cumbum, Range Office at Cumbum, District Engineer's Office, general repairs, etc.	741 — 1,101	
	Total additional allotment required		2,500

3. This e[illegible] is now required because the sum hitherto allotted was quite inadequate to k[illegible]ildings in proper repair, and they are consequently getting worse every yea[illegible]. The repairs that were made were insufficient to put

the works into good order, and much of such work will have to be done again. I trust that, under these circumstances, the amount now asked for will be granted.

No. 176. ORDER THEREON, 12th November 1873, No. 2,751.

ACCOUNT, No. 12.

THE sum of Rupees 2,500 required for repairs to Civil Buildings in the Kurnool District is granted from the unappropriated balance of the amount held at disposal from the grant for Cutcherries in Nellore.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Kurnool.
" Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
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To D.E. Kurnool
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D.E. Nellore

A.C. endorsed both 18/11/73

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