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Read the following letters:—

No. 403. From G. D. WYBROW, Esq., Officiating District Engineer, Trichinopoly, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Trichinopoly, 29th July 1874, No. 125.

WITH reference to a letter, No. 273, dated 20th February 1874, from the late Inspecting Engineer for Civil and Military Buildings, I have the honor to retransmit the comparative statement for constructing two large wards and out-houses at Perambalore Taluq Cutcherry, estimate Rupees 5,000, sanctioned in G. O., No. 2,475, of 25th July 1869, duly supplying the information called for.

2. From the statement it will be seen that an expenditure of Rupees 391-3-2 has been incurred in excess of the sanctioned estimate.

3. The chief item on which the estimate exceeded was the wood-work; this excess is due to wastage and deterioration of the timber since the stoppage of the work in 1869. The carriage, moreover, of the timber from Kulithalay Railway Station to Perambalore, a distance of fifty miles, was apparently not allowed for in the estimate.

4. Under these circumstances, I trust that Government will be pleased to sanction the amount, Rupees 391-3-2, from the Provincial Reserve Fund.

No. 404. From the same Officer, dated Trichinopoly, 31st August 1874, No. 183.

WITH reference to your memorandum, No. 633, dated 17th August 1874, I have the honor to report that the construction of Perambalore Cutcherry wards and out-houses was completed in 1873 at a cost of Rupees 5,392, but a sum of Rupees 5,136 has been actually spent, leaving a balance of Rupees 256 to be paid to the Contractor, the payment of which was deferred till the District Engineer inspected the building and was afterwards paid in 1874-75.

2. On the 24th June 1873, the Musery Range Officer was requested to furnish a comparative statement with an explanation of the cause of excess outlay, which statement was received in this office on the 5th November 1873, and was submitted to the Inspecting Engineer on the 2nd December 1873, who returned the same for some explanation with letter dated 26th February 1874, and was lastly returned from the Range Officer on the 29th June 1874, and on the 29th July the statement was resubmitted to Government.

3. The delay in the submission of the statement by the Range Officer is attributable to the transfer of the Range Officer and Overseer, and the death of the Overseer latterly in charge of the taluq.

4. The building was handed over to Revenue Department in the latter part of 1873.

5. The Range Officer apparently was under the impression that the building could not be handed over to the Tahsildar till the accounts were fully completed.

No. 405. ORDER THEREON, 18th September 1874, No. 2,669.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 32.

WITH his letter No. 125, dated 29th July 1874, the District Engineer, Trichinopoly, submitted a comparative

statement showing net excess of Rupees 392 over the estimate of Rupees 5,000 which had been sanctioned* in 1869 for constructing two large wards and out-houses to the Perambalore Taluq Cutcherry.

* G. O., No. 2,475, dated 28th July 1869.

2. It appears from the District Engineer's letter, dated 31st August 1874, No. 183, that the buildings were completed some time during the year 1873, and handed over to the Revenue Authorities in the latter part of the year, the delay in making over the buildings being attributable to misconception on the part of the Range Officer as to the propriety of allowing the buildings to be occupied till the accounts were finally adjusted. The revised estimate for the work was also delayed till the 5th November 1873, although the Range Officer's attention had been previously called to the necessity for its submission; and when afterwards returned for revision it was detained from February to June 1874. Final payment for the work was deferred till 1874-75.

3. In sanctioning the revised estimate, His Excellency the Governor in Council must remark that the dilatoriness displayed in settling the accounts of the work is not creditable to the Range Officer concerned; and must insist on closer supervision on the part of the District Engineer in future.

4. A specific allotment of funds is unnecessary.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

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

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Trichinopoly District — No 2 of Museri Ranges

Comparative Statement of Constructing 2 Large Wards &c at Perambalore.

Particulars	Estimate Quantity	Estimate Rate	Estimate Amount	Expenditure Quantity	Expenditure Rate	Expenditure Amount	Savings Quantity	Savings Amount	Excess. Quantity	Excess. Amount	Remarks
			413 7 5			417 5 7		9 5 5		13 3 7	
Flooring with asphalte	492 25	-- 1/2 3	492 2821			138 6 6				15 6 6	As skilled workmen were not procurable in Perambalore they had to be brought from Trichinopoly
Teakwood	Cft	111 4	444	117 1/2	4 3	490 4 3			6 1/4	46 11 3	Owing to the stoppage of this work in 1869 a great wastage of timber was incurred by exposure to the weather.
Roofing with Teakwood Rafters	Sft	803 22	796 6 6	803 24		793 9				16 6 3	
Cut stone Slabs under posts		3 1	3	3 1		3					
Wood oiling			24 6			21 12			2 10		
Scaffolding			12			12 4 6				4 6	
Excavating foundation & Sundries			63 81			67 2					
			1260			1343 11 9		11 15 5		95 11 2	
Cook Room											
Brick in Chunam	Cft	350 2	43 12	350	1 8	34 4 6					
Mud walling	Sq	27 2/27	6	23 30 7/27		28 5 1 3	3 5/27				
Plastering	Sq	5 6 1/2	9	3 12 9		139 7 10 6					
Teakwood	Cft	89 1/4	4	35 7		91 5/8 4					
Roofing with Teak wood	Sft	487 22	96 2 8	437 29		127 4					
Cut Stone Slabs under posts		10 1	10	10		10					
Wood oiling			15 12			14 12					
Scaffolding			8			9 1					
Sundries			26 12 11			28 9 3					
			570			692 15 6		12 6 2		75 5 6	

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Owing to the Site being rocky in high parts less was paid than that allowed in the Estimate.

Owing to the stoppage of this work in 1869 a great wastage of timber was incurred by exposure to the weather.

This was twice done the first coat having been washed off by rain.

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Trichinopoly District

No 2 or Museri Range

Comparative Statement of Constructing 2 Large Wards &c at Perambalore.

Particulars	Estimate Quantity	Rate	Amount	Expenditure Quantity	Rate	Amount	Savings Quantity	Amount	Excess. Quantity	Amount	Remarks
Wards											
Brick in Chunam	Cft 7230	-2-	903 12	7230	-2-	896 1 7					
Painting	Sft 1484	-15-	13 7	1434	1 2 8	16 12					
Flooring with 8" Bricks	" 834	5 8	45 12	834	11 -6-	92 10					
Plastering	" 1640	2 8	41	3677	1 11 10	64					
Roofing with teakwood reepore	" 1785	22	381 12	1735	22 12 6	393 15 1					
Teakwood	Cft 158	4	632	171	4	679 11 8					
Cut stone Slabs under posts	No 13	1	13	13	133	10 12					
Iron Barred Doors Sqrd & opening without frames	" 4	23	92	4	28	111 4 3					
Do Ventilator with frames	" 6	18	108	6	24 11	148 4					
Wood oiling			80			42 2 6					
Scaffolding			15			17 12 6					
Excavating foundations			25			28 12 6					
Compensation for removal of huts			2								
Sundries			117 3 10			119 15 6					
Asphalting			89 15 5			89 8 8					
			2509 15 5			2705 1 1					
Hospital											
Brick in Chunam	Cft 3125	-2-	390 10	3125	-2-	381 4 7					
Plastering	Sft 625	2 8	15 10	1617	1 10 1	26 14 11					
Painting	" 769½	-15-	7 9 5			9 2 1					
			413 7 5			417 5 7					

Remarks			
		3 4 11	
		46 2 11	In addition to the flooring it was found necessary to put a stone curbing round the Verandah
	2037½ 23		In the Estimate pointing for the rear wall is provided but plastering was done by order of the Superintending Engineer.
		12 3 11	Owing to the staffage of the work in 1869 a great wastage of timber was incurred by exposure to the weather.
		13 4 6	
		2 4	
		19 4 2	The doors & ventilators had to be remade vide Superintending Engineers letter No 198 of 27 March 1871 reducing width of bars for 6" to 4" apart.
		40 4	
		12 2 6	Labor for the work as it was procured from Trichinopoly
		2 12 6	
		3 12 6	Owing to the Site being rocky a higher rate was paid than allowed in the Estimate.
	2		
		2 11 8	
		6 6 9	
	18 5 2	213 6 10	
		9 5 5	
		992 11 4 11	In the Estimate pointing for the rear wall is provided but plastering throughout was done by order of the Superintending Engineer
		1 4 8	
	9 5 5	13 3 7	

Yuchimsoolay District

Yuchimsoolay Dist.

P.G. D 19 Septr/74
In B. No. 403.

Enclosure in a letter
from the District Sheq.
Yuchimsoolay No. 125
dated 29th July/74. to the
Secretary to Govt. Fr. Defts.

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I have the honour to be

Sir

Your most Obedient Servt

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Offg. District Engineer.

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District Engineer's Office

31st August 1874

No. 183

From

The District Engineer

Trichinopoly

To The Chief Engineer

& P.W.

Madras

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Public Works Department
Letter from the Executive Engineer
No: 1762
Dated 31st August 1874
Trichinopoly

To

The Executive Engineer
Chief Engineer's Office
Madras.

Dated 29th August 1874
Received 31st August 1874

No. 125-V

Inclosure

Returning the Estimate for Compensation Quarters at Calore for Salary Cutcherry at Perambalur with necessary information.

G.O. No. 2665. 1869. P.C.

No 403

Public Works Dept 1874

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Your Most Obedt Svt
C.V. Lyttow.
Offg Asst Engineer
Trichinopoly

Public Works Dept.

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Letter from Chief Engineer

Nilgiris (P.W.D.) No. 125 dated

29th July 1874

(P.W.D. No. 183 dated 31st August

1874)

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Letter from Chief Engineer

dated 29th July 1874 to the

Director General of Public

Works submitting, with

- revised estimate

- true statement

- showing net excess

of Rs 392 over the

estimate of Rs 5000

which has been entered

in Mis. 24/25 of 28th July 65 -

- tioned in 1869 for

construction of two bridges

across the Kundahs

- Ane Permanalore

P.W. 1874 Dept.

Govt. Order No: 5524

The District Engr

Coimbatore

The Chief Engineer

P.W.D.

Madras

Dated 31st August 1874

Recd 1st September 1874

No 183

Reports regarding

Cost & Completion

of Perambalore

Cutcherry works &

Govt Houses.

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No. 404

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To the D. C. Trichinopoly
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PUBLIC WORKS.

To

The Dist. Engr.
Trichinopoly

Dated

Recd. Encl. /

G. O. 18 Sept 1874. No. 2669

Nos. 603-605.

Wards and Out-houses
to the Periamballore Talug
Cutcherry - Trichinopoly

Dr. — The revised Estimate for the Wards & Out-houses sanctioned with remarks regarding the dilatoriness displayed in settling the Accounts of the work by the Range Officer enclosed.

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