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31st March 1874.*

No. 817. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel C. S. HEARN, Inspector-General of Police, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 26th March 1874, No. 1,231 :—

I HAVE the honour to request early sanction of Government for the excess expenditure of Rupees 83-5-4 and Rupees 121-11-8 incurred in the construction, by departmental arrangement, of two station-houses at Nundaloro and Settigoontah, respectively, in the Cuddapah District.

2. It will be observed that Government have sanctioned estimates amounting to Rupees 410 and 380 only for the above buildings, in their Order No. 2,653, dated 11th November 1872, Public Works Department, and the Superintendent of Police now reports that they have proved insufficient chiefly owing to a rise in the price of iron which has more than doubled itself since the preparation of the original estimates, and to the substitution of stone and chunam for sun-burnt bricks in the foundation basement and parapet walls. A verandah with what is commonly called "*Bengal roof*" (*i. e.*, covered with two courses of flat tiles plastered with chunam) has been substituted for a thatched one originally estimated for, which, besides being more substantial, gives a better appearance to the buildings in question.

3. The Local Department Public Works Officer has inspected the above station-houses, and reports them to be worth the expenditure. The long delay in the submission of this application appears to have arisen from the District Officer's waiting for a Completion Certificate for one of the buildings, which has been only recently received from the Department Public Works Officer of the range.

4. To provide funds for the above excess I beg sanction of Government to the following transfer of building funds under head "Construction" from the Nellore District, where it has been reported that a large amount will remain unexpended at the end of this month :—

District.	Work.	Amount.	District.	Work.	Amount.
<i>From</i>		rs.	<i>To</i>		rs.
Nellore ...	Police Buildings ...	205	Cuddapah ...	Police Buildings ...	205

5. Should Government sanction the transfer I would suggest that the District Engineer be instructed, by telegraph, to place the sum of Rupees 205 at the disposal of the Superintendent, so as to arrange for the adjustment being completed before the 31st instant.

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31st March 1874.*

No. 818.

ORDER THEREON, 31st March 1874, No. 902a.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 88.

The transfer of funds proposed in paragraph 4 of this letter is sanctioned, and the suggestion in paragraph 5 has been attended to. But His Excellency the Governor in Council cannot pass the expenditure in the absence of more formal reports and certificates of completion of the buildings.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

To the Inspector-General of Police.

„ District Engineers, Cuddapah and Nellore.

„ Judicial Department.

„ Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

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THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE

As. Es. Co.

Dated March 21st.

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Police Station-houses.--The proposed transfer of funds to meet the excess outlay on certain station-houses in the Cuddapah District, sanctioned with remarks.

Building 1873/74

No. 23/

Chief Office of the Inspector General of Police.

Madras, 26 March 1874

From

The Inspector General of Police.

To

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

Sir,

Enclosures.

I have the honor to request early sanction of Government for the excess expenditure of Rs 83.5.4 and Rs 121.11.8 incurred in the construction by Departmental arrangement of 2 station houses at Kundalose and Settigoota respectively in the Cuddapah District.

2. It will be observed that Government have sanctioned Estimates amounting to Rupees 410 and 380 only for the above buildings in their order No 2653 dated 11 November 1872 P.W.D. and the Superintendent of Police, now reports that they have

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proved insufficient chiefly owing to a rise in the price of iron which has more than doubled itself since the preparation of the original estimates, and to the substitution of stone and chunam for sun burnt bricks in the foundation, basement and parapet walls. A verandah with what is commonly called a "Bengal Roof" (i.e. covered with 2 courses of flat tiles plastered with chunam) has been substituted for a thatched one originally estimated for which besides being more substantial, gives a better appearance to the buildings in question.

3. The local D.P.W. Officer has inspected the above station Houses and reports them to be worth the expenditure. The long delay in the submission of this application, appears to have arisen from the District Officer's waiting for a completion certificate for one of the buildings, which has been only recently received from the D.P.W. Officer of the Range.

4. To provide funds for the above requiring sanction of Government to the following transfer of building funds, under head "Construction" from the Kallur District, where it has been reported that a large amount will remain unexpended at the end of this month:-

District	work	Amount	District	work	Amount
<u>Kallur</u>		<u>Rs</u>	<u>To</u>		<u>Rs</u>
Kallur	Police buildings	205	Cuddapah	Police buildings	205

5. Should Government sanction the transfer, I would suggest that the District Engineer be instructed by telegraph to place the sum of Rs. 205 at the disposal of the Superintendent so as to arrange for the adjutant being completed before the 31st instant.

I have the honour
Sir,
Your Most Obedt. Servt.

C. M. M.
Inspector General of Police.

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The Inspector General
of Police.

Dated

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Encl.

W. H. Milburn Esq. J. G. G.

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Police Station Houses

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