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6th April 1880, No. 875 W.

Buildings and Roads,  
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Read the following paper:—

No. 16. From Major H. M. VIBART, R.E., Acting Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 27th March 1880, No. 1,509.

With reference to G.O., No. 300 W., dated 9th February 1880, I have the honor to inform you that the Executive Engineer, North Arcot Division, has not been able to utilise the allotment therein made for the construction of quarters for the Sub-Magistrate of Venkatagiri, first, because there is an unsettled discussion about the site, and, secondly, because the building is to be erected in one of the abandoned taluks, viz., Palmanér. The Collector wishes that the house should be built on a basement raised under his orders as a famine work at the entrance of the old fort at Venkatagiri. The Executive Engineer objects to this as it is unsafe to build on made ground. Under these circumstances, and as Venkatagiri is 50 miles distance from the nearest Public Works Department Office in the Division, I consider it would be well if the work was entrusted to the Collector for execution, although he should be informed at the same time that it is a bad plan to erect buildings on made ground.

No. 17. ORDER THEREON, 6th April 1880, No. 875 W.

As the work cannot be carried out by the Public Works Department, the Collector will be authorised, in the Revenue Department, to make his own arrangements for its execution.

2. His proposal to construct the building on an artificially raised basement, especially one raised by famine labor, is however altogether inadmissible.
3. The amount of the sanctioned estimate is Rs. 1,140.

(True Extract.)

Major, R.E.,  
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Revenue Department.  
„ Superintending Engineer, Second Circle.  
„ Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

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THE REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

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Dated April, 6th.

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G. O., 5th April 1880, No. 875 W.

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Nos. 16-17.

Quarters for the Sub-Magistrate at Venkatagiri.—The Collector to make his own arrangement for the construction of the —, but its erection on the basement raised by famine labor considered altogether inadmissible.

Ap. 1509 P. Circle, Supp. Engineer's Office  
Chepauk 27<sup>th</sup> March 1880

From,

The Superintending Engineer  
3rd Circle

To

The Chief Engineer  
Public Works Department

Sir,

With reference to G. O. No. 300 W. dated 9<sup>th</sup> February 1880, I have the honor to inform you that the Executive Engineer North Arcot Division has not been able to utilize the allotment therein made for the construction of quarters for the Sub Magistrate of Venkataghyr-cottah 1<sup>st</sup> because there is an unsettled discussion about the site, and 2<sup>nd</sup> because the Building is to be erected in one of the abandoned Taluqs Viz. Polamara. The Collector wishes that the house should be built on a basement raised under his orders as a Famine work at the entrance of the old Fort at Venkataghyr-cottah. The Executive Engineer objects to this as it is unsafe to build on made ground. Under these circumstances, and as Venkataghyr-cottah is 50 miles distance from the nearest P. W. Office in the Division, I consider it would be well

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bad plan to erect buildings on made ground.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Most Obedt. Servant

Henry A. Vibart Major & Co.

Ag. Superintending Engineer,  
B. D. Canal

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From

The Superintending Engineer  
3<sup>d</sup> Circle

No. 1509

Dated 27: { March 1880  
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Quarters for the Sub. Sub-Engineer  
- to be at Venkataswami Sthan  
— Assigning reasons for  
not utilizing the allotment  
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P. B. D.

Letter from the Superintending Engineer 3<sup>d</sup> Circle  
No. 1509, dated 27<sup>th</sup> March 1880.

For Orders.

2. The undersigned is  
of opinion that the  
work cannot be carried  
out by the P. W. Dept.,  
and that the only  
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is to authorize the  
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3. The amount of the  
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W. B. Lawrence  
Secy: to Government  
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Pres: of the Museum for

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Read the following:-

From

The Supy: Engineer  
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(No. 1509 of 27<sup>th</sup> March 1880)

As the work cannot be carried out by the P.W. Deptt., the Collector will be authorised in <sup>the</sup> Revenue Department to make his own arrangements for its execution.

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