

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

10th December 1881, No. 3071 W.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

Read the following paper:—

No. 35. From Major H. R. MEAD, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Coimbatore, 2nd December 1881, No. 528.

WITH reference to G.O., No. 2474 W., dated 8th October 1881, I have the honor to forward plans and approximate estimate for the building ordered for the Telegraph Department at Devála, and request that the approval of Government may be obtained for what is being

- 2 Plans.
- 1 Detailed Estimate.
- 2 Abstracts.
- 1 Report.

done and that funds may be allotted to the work.

2. I regret that, owing to the site not being fixed as yet, I fear there is no hope of the building being ready by the end of December 1881 as I hoped. Most of the wood work is ready now and if we had the site the work could be completed in a month or six weeks.

As you are aware the original site selected was not approved of, and Mr. Roupell, the Commissioner, in a letter, No. 20, dated 3rd November 1881, informed me that he was himself going to Devála to settle on and procure a site. I have not as yet heard that anything has been done.

No. 36. ORDER THEREON, 10th December 1881, No. 3071 W.

THE estimate, amounting to Rs. 10,400, for constructing a Telegraph Office with out-houses at Devála in the Wynaad is sanctioned.

2. A separate application is being made to the Government of India for a re-appropriation of funds to provide for this and other works.

3. This sanction has been registered as Imperial, Other Services, No. 54 W. of 1881-82, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

4. The very early attention of the Commissioner of the Nilgiris will be called to paragraph 2 of the Superintending Engineer's letter above read in regard to the delay in fixing a site.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle, with five Enclosures.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts, with duplicate Abstract Estimate.
" Commissioner of the Nilgiris.
" Director-General of Telegraphs.
" Financial Department.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
Spare Copies.

No 1241 W of 16 May 82.

B. C. 15/5/82

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R. H. Sankey
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of (1881) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
FOURTH CIRCLE,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated December, 10th.

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 10th December 1881, No. 3071 W.

DECEMBER.

Nos. 35-36.

Telegraph Office with out-houses at Devula,
Wynaad.—Estimate, amounting to Rs.
10,400, for constructing a —, sanctioned.

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From

The Supg. Engineer,
Fourth Circle.

To

The Chief Engineer,
D. I. N.

Sir,

With reference to G. O. No. 3071 W.
dated 10th December, 1881, sanctioning
Rs. 10,400 for the Devula Telegraph
Office, I have the honor to point
out that this estimate was ap-
proximate, (see para 1 of my letter
No. 528, printed in the G. O.). The
Executive Engineer now reports that
the total cost of the building
will be about Rs. 13,000; he has forward-
ed a supplemental Estimate; but
as it is not in proper form, and
as the work is practically completed,
I have directed him to account
for the excess in the completion
certificate, and this will be forwarded
under

under para 1003 of the Code for
the orders of Government.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Yours most Obedt. Servant.

M. M. M. — Major R. E.
Supg. Engineer Hnd Circle.

Recd 106 d/11 May 1882

No 614 D 8/10/5/82

to C.

For note & return.

Recd
13/5/82

9.5.82
Dr. W.

11/120.

Adid and returned
as requested.

12 May 1882

C. *[Signature]*

10.12.81 to 30712

No: 1243 Wap 16 May 1882.

B Recorded.

C.

15.5.82

From

The Supt Engineer,
Fourth Circle.

Dated 5th
Sept: 8th } May 1882

No: 1243 Wap 16 May 1882

Devala Telegraph
Office:—

States that the
Supt Engineer Devala
Dr. Shaw reports that
the total cost of the
— will be about Rs:
13,000; that he has
forwarded a suppl-
mental Estimate which
as it is not in proper
form, he has ~~rejected~~
the excess & ~~not~~ accounted
for in the complete per-
centage in Receipt Regn 70