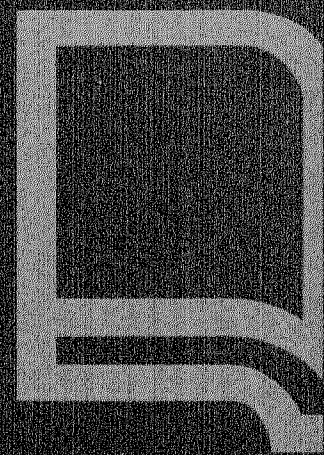




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No. 4343

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
5TH CIRCLE, MADRAS,
Chepauk, 9th March 1883.

From

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
5TH CIRCLE,

To

THE

Chief Engineer.
P. W. D.

SIR,

Enclosures.

I have the honor to re-
-port that a Sum of Rupees 1000
is surrendered from the grant of
Rs 2528 appropriated in G.O.
No 537 of dated 17th February, 1883 for
additions to the Collector's Out-
-Cherry at Cuddalore, in the
South Arcot Division; as
the money cannot be expended.

I have the honor to be
Yours Most Obedt Servt
of
Cuddalore J. P. W. E.

Superm. Engr. C. C. C.

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From

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

5TH CIRCLE,

To

THE

Chief Engineer

P. W. D.

Dated

Recd.

9

March 1883.

ENCLOSURES.

No. 4343

Collector's Cutcherry at
Cuddalore - Surrendering
Rs 1000 from the grant
for additions to -

No 849 W. P. Dept

Proceedings of the Madras Government
under date the 15th March/83

Read the following:-

From the Suptg Engr 5th Circle (H No 4343 of 9. Mar 1883)

The sum of Rs 1000
surrendered from the
grant for additions to the
Collector's Cutcherry at
Cuddalore is withdrawn
and credited to the
Provincial Reserve.

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S. S. Fifth Circle ✓
Per P. W. Dept ✓
Recd 15/3/83

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537. N. 17. 2. P.

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Application for a Re-appropriation of Budget Grants.

No. 3942 dated 12th February 1883

Forwarded to the Secretary to Govt.
P.W.D. thro' the Examr & P.W.D.
for sanction if approved.

Sanctioned and Registered in this Office as
No. 534 W dated 17th July 1883

Sanctioned and Registered in this Office as
No. dated

The sum of Rs 6000 hereinafter
sanctioned is added to the
Provincial Reserve.

By Examinr P.W. Secy
MADRAS

S. S. 5th Divn

Rev. P. W. Secy

Sept 17/2/83

Entd. in Receipt Book

No 849 Wd/15-3-83

Endorsement No. 12/ dated
15th February 1883.

Forwarded to the
Secretary to Government
P.W. Department.

The sum of Rs 6000 may
be added to the Provincial
Reserve.

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Entd. in Receipt Book

APPLICATION TO THE *Secy to Govt* FOR A RE-APPROPRIATION OF BUDGET GRANT.

PROPOSED REDUCTION.

Departmental and Service Head.	Item No. of Budget.	WORKS.	Amount of Estimate.	Outlay to end of previous year.	Original grant for current year.	Existing grant for current year.	Proposed reduction.	Amount at which grant for work will stand after reduction.
			RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Provincial								
Original go.		Additions						
Costs.	No.	to the collector						
Civil	2942	data Cutchung at	8528			8528	6000	2528
Buildings	26-1-43.	Cuddalore South						
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OR RE-APPROPRIATION.

Arthur Lender as to
 Chief Engineer to the
 Signature.

Означеніе.

EXAMIN
No 1327
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No 537 Wap 17. 2. 83

D. P. W.

From
The Executive Engineer,
South Arnot Division.

No. 71.

Dated 7th Feb 1883.
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to the two existing
constitutions — the
revenue Rs 6000. from
the allotment of Rs
8500 for additions
to the — for the
revenue grain and
infantry that on
revised abstract
will be submitted
for sanction owing
to the insufficiency
of rates.

Wap

D. P. W.

SOUTH ARCOT DIVISIONAL OFFICE,

No. 71.

CAMP

Cuddalore

February 1883.

From

The Executive Engineer,

South Arcot Division.

To

The Superintending Engineer,

5th Circle.

Sir,

/ ENCLOSURE.

1. Statement
of surplus
= do.

*Your No. 3490 dated 31st Janu:
- ary 1883 communicating G.O. No. 294 W
dated 26th idem, sanctioning the estimate
of Rupees 8,528 for additions to the
Collector's Cutcherry at Cuddalore,*

*2. In the above G.O. the full amount
of the estimate is allotted for expenditure
- this is the current official year,*

*I have the honor to state that it is too
late to utilize the amount fully.*

*It is in fact simply impossible to
do anything more this year than
buy some of the bricks and pur:*

*- chase some of the team in the log
and as contractor will do this, very*

*little expenditure will be shown,
for I must pay of course full*

*rates for log team. I would
therefore suggest the surrender of*

Rs

Rs 6,000, retaining the balance of
Rs 2,528 for payment for teakwood
in the current official year.

3. The rates in the Estimates are
very low and quite inadequate,
and not those now prevailing
at Cuddalore or in the Division.
An estimate was prepared in
1875-76 for a new Cutcherry for
the Collector and sanctioned in G.O.
No: 2667 of 3rd October 1876 (which
has now been cancelled by the
present sanction) it is presumed
that the rates in that estimate or
in the Schedule of Rates for 1878-79 ^{* furnished}
were taken by the Consulting Archt. ^{from this}
Office. ^{Office.}
It is in the present estimate, which
was prepared by him so far back
as June 1880. The rates in the Division
have considerably changed since
the preparation of the former
estimate, may even since 1880,
owing to the daily increasing
demand for, and scarcity, of
fuel. The price of teakwood
has also considerably risen in
the

the local market. The abstract
estimate of Mr. Leishman is being
connected, and I shall submit shortly
a revised abstract for sanction.

4. I take also the opportunity of
stating that Shunmugas Mudaly,
Contractor for the Deputy Tahsildar
Cutcherry at Baranati, has been
going on with this work efficiently,
and has in fact given greater satis-
faction than I first expected. I
propose giving him the whole of
the work in question on a contract
agreement.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant
Al Smith Major
R. S.
Executive Engineer

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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of 1883 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated January, 26th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 26th Jan. 1883, No. 294 W.

JANUARY.

Nos. 249-250.

Collector's Cutcherry.

An estimate for additions to the — at
Cuddalore, South Arcot District, sanctioned.

No 527 May 17. 2 83

From

D. P. W.

The Executive Engineer,

South Arcot Division.

No. 71

Dated

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7th Feb 1883

Collector's Cutcherry at
Cuddalore. — An
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to the — for the
necessary grain and
infantry that on
received at about
will be submitted
for sanction owing
to the insufficiency
of Rs 6000.

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26TH JANUARY 1883, No. 294 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

No. 249.

READ—the following paper:—

G.O., dated 23rd January 1883, No. 285, Revenue.

Read—the following papers:—

Endorsement of the Public Works Department, dated 8th December 1882, No. 2259 C., transferring letter from the Consulting Architect, embodying proposals for the construction of a new Collector's Cutcherry at Cuddalore.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 22nd January 1883, Miscellaneous No. 576, on endorsement of the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated 9th January 1883, Miscellaneous No. 76, referring for remarks letter from the Consulting Architect embodying proposals for the construction of a new Collector's Cutcherry at Cuddalore.

Memorandum from the Public Works Department, dated 8th January 1883, No. 42 C, with endorsement of the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated 10th January 1883, Mis. No. 100.

Referred, with Government Miscellaneous No. 76, dated 9th January 1883, to the Collector of South Arcot for remarks. A reply to this reference should, if possible, be sent to the Board by return of post.

(Signed) E. GIBSON,
Acting Secretary.

To the Collector of South Arcot.

From A. CRUICKSHANK, Esq., Collector of South Arcot, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cuddalore, 15th January 1883, No. 14.

Adverting to the Board's reference on Government Register No. 89 * of 1883, I

* Enclosure returned.

have the honor to state that the Treasury accommodation is very bad, and the Board have admitted this in their Proceedings of the 5th January 1876, No. 14, in which they say the accommodation is both unsuitable and insufficient. So far as I understand the plans of the Consulting Architect, they do not affect the present Treasury accommodation at all, and I cannot therefore admit that the additions advocated by him are in reality all that is required. The present Acting Second Member of the Board (Mr. Garstin) knows all the buildings well, and I have little doubt but he will consider proposals which do not include the providing of better Treasury accommodation than there was when he was Collector unsatisfactory.

2. I take this opportunity to observe that the providing of suitable office accommodation for the Forest Department was long talked of, but the question was always shelved owing to want of funds. Under the new Forest Rules the Deputy Conservator is to be subordinate to the Collector, and his headquarters are to be those of the Collector. At present he has so wretched accommodation in the Collector's Cutcherry that he seldom or ever does work himself in the room set apart for him. Proper accommodation will have to be provided for him and his establishment.

No 637 May 17. 2. 83

Dated
Despatched
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ENCLOSURES
No. 71
7th Feb 1883

From

D. P. W.

The Executive Engineer,

South Arcot Division.

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of rates.

Resolution—

The foregoing letter from the Collector is submitted to Government.

2. In reply to the inquiry of Government, "whether the Consulting Architect's proposals may be accepted, or whether an entirely new building shall be estimated for as desired by the Collector," Mr. Cruickshank says that Mr. Chisholm's latest design will not afford adequate accommodation for the Treasury and the Forest Officer. Upon receipt of this communication the Board conferred with Mr. Chisholm, and with the assistance of the knowledge of the existing buildings possessed by their Second Member are now prepared to lay before Government their proposals regarding the construction of a suitable building for the accommodation of the Collector and his Assistants and their office establishments.

3. Government are aware that several years have elapsed since the insufficiency of the present Cutcherry was first recognized, and that during that period a number of places have been designed which, for one reason or another, have been successively rejected. It is not necessary to recapitulate the history of the various attempts which have been made to meet the wishes of all parties; it will suffice to say as regards the design * forwarded with the Government

* Enclosure No. 1.

the cogency of the Collector's objection, and consider that the plan should be rejected as unsuited to the requirements of the case.

4. In order to afford sufficient accommodation for the several departments connected with the Collector's Office, it is necessary that at least twelve † good rooms should be provided, and also a number of ante-rooms for the use of the officers concerned. The cost of the design now under consideration is estimated at upwards of Rs. 20,000, and it is evident from a glance at the plan that the additional accommodation which it would afford would be very inadequate.

5. In these circumstances the Board have thought it desirable, in consultation with Mr. Chisholm, to pass in review the several plans which have been drawn up on previous occasions, and they find that a design providing for what is required, or which at least admits of future extension so as to meet all requirements, was prepared by the

Enclosure No. 2.

† Proposed new Court House, Cuddalore.

(Signed) R. F. CHISHOLM.

21st June 1880.

§ Enclosure No. 3.

improving a portion of the existing range of office buildings, and though this would only afford additional accommodation which will be ultimately required the plan appears to the Board, so far as it goes, to be in every way well adapted to the purpose for which the building is intended.

6. The Board accordingly recommend that a portion of the funds now available

|| Enclosure No. 4.

Ground plan of the Collector's Cutcherry, Manjakuppam.

(Signed) E. G. WHIFFIN,

Sub-Engineer.

7. When this portion is completed the other rooms in the same range can be successively enlarged and improved on the same plan until all the accommodation needed has been provided. The rest of the present buildings may then be pulled down.

8. The Board are satisfied that the arrangement thus proposed will be the most economical possible, while the Collector and his establishment will be provided with a building affording office accommodation on an ample scale and in every way suited to their requirements.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed)

E. GIBSON,
Acting Secretary.

Order—dated 23rd January 1883, No. 285, Revenue.

The Government accept the Board's suggestions, and the necessary orders will issue in the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

P. P. HUTCHINS,
Acting Secy. to Government.

No. 250.

ORDER—dated 26th January 1883, No. 294 W., Public Works.

The estimate, amounting to Rs. 8,528, for additions to the Collector's Cutcherry at Cuddalore, South Arcot District, is sanctioned, and the amount is appropriated from the Provincial Reserve.

2. The Superintending Engineer will at once put the work in hand, attending to the suggestions contained in paragraphs 6 and 7 of the Revenue Board's Proceedings printed above.

3. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 215 W. of 1882-83 and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle, with three Enclosures.

„ Consulting Architect to Government.

„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

„ Revenue Department.

„ Board of Revenue.

Exd. C. Howarth.

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CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of 1883 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated January, 26th.

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G.O., 26th Jan. 1883, No. 294 W.

JANUARY.

Nos. 249-250.

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