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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
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READ—the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Bellary, 15th January 1885, No. 2021 :—

I have the honor to report that the sums noted below are surrendered under Provincial, Civil Buildings, Original Works, and I request that the following re-appropriations may be sanctioned :—

1. *Bellary Division.*	Existing grant.	Amount not required.
	RS.	RS.
Budget item No. 17—Collector's cutcherry at Anantapur	31,500	11,500
Do. „ 44—Sub-magistrate's cutcherry at Sirugguppa	5,000	2,000
Budget item No. 11 and G.O., No. 2975 W., of 3rd December 1884—Taluk cutcherry at Bukkapatnam ..	7,000	2,000
Budget item No. 14—Head Assistant Collector's cutcherry at Penukonda	9,240	3,240
G.O., No. 2656 W., of 28th October 1884—First-class station-house at Anantapur	2,510	1,000
		19,740

There has been so much difficulty in procuring sufficient skilled-labor for these several buildings, that these sums had better be surrendered at once.

2. *Cuddapah Division.*	Existing grant.	Amount not required.
	RS.	RS.
Budget item No. 16—Taluk Cutcherry at Pulivendla ...	10,000	2,000

It is stated that this work is not making satisfactory progress, and the contractor has, however, been ordered to push on with it as rapidly as possible.

3. *Kurnool Division.*	Existing grant.	Amount not required.
	RS.	RS.
G.O., No. 2324 W., of 22nd September 1884—Taluk cutcherry at Nandyál	10,000	2,000
G.O., No. 1581 W., of 24th June 1884, Statement C—Minor original works : Lump sum grant...	300	250
G.O., No. 2656 W., of 28th October 1884—Sub-registrar's office at Cumbum	2,183	1,290
G.O., No. 1581 W., of 24th June 1884, Statement C—Tools and plant	2,500	500
		4,040

It is not possible to utilise the full allotments for the taluk cutcherry at Nandyál and the sub-registrar's office at Cumbum. The site for the latter building has not yet been definitely settled.

RE-APPROPRIATIONS REQUIRED.	Existing grant.	Amount required.
4. *Bellary Division.*	RS.	RS.
Budget item No. 54—Subsidiary jail to Alúr taluk cutcherry	5,000	4,000
5. *Kurnool Division.*		
Budget item No. 42 and G.O., No. 2715 W., of 3rd November 1884—Sub-magistrate's cutcherry at Owk	8,000	2,000
G.O., No. 1456 W., of 11th June 1884—Adding a record-room to the district registrar's office at Kurnool		1,290

ORDER—dated 26th January 1885, No. 212 W., Public Works.

The sums surrendered by the Superintending Engineer, amounting in the aggregate to Rs. 25,780, are credited to the Provincial reserve. The Government are, however, much disappointed at this failure to utilise the grants made available for much-needed works in the III Circle, and regard the explanations submitted by the Superintending Engineer as unsatisfactory.

2. The Superintending Engineer will report in detail the causes which have led to the results now under notice, the measures taken to overcome any difficulties which may have arisen, and the names of the officers or subordinates responsible.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, III Circle.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

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GENERAL.
ACCOUNT.

Govt. of [1885] Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated January, 26th.

Encl.

Recd.

G.O., 26th Jan. 1885, No. 212 W.

JANUARY.

Funds

Certain — surrendered by Superintending Engineer, III Circle, added to the Provincial reserve, and the Superintending Engineer to submit a detailed report as to the cause of the surrenders.

19TH SEPTEMBER 1883, No. 2635 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following letter from Major S. C. CLARKE, R.E., Officiating Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Bellary, 18th August 1883, No. 1428 :—

In accordance with the orders contained in G.O., No. 46 W., of the 8th of January 1883, I have the honor now to submit my report on the proposed scheme for supplying the various officers of the Anantapur District with house and cutcherry accommodation, and to forward an approximate estimate (Rs. 1,80,000) for the entire set of buildings.

2. After consultation with the Collector of Anantapur it has been decided to recommend the following cutcherries and bungalows being constructed at an early date, and I have, to the best of my ability, endeavoured to keep down the estimates to within the prescribed limits laid down by the Collector, who very justly remarked that the officers could not be expected to pay more than about one-tenth of their income for house-rent.

3. The buildings have been classified in accordance with their computed cost, as all are urgently needed :—

	Approximate Estimate.	At 5 per cent. Monthly Rent.
	RS.	RS.
Collector's Cutcherry	36,000	...
Collector's House	30,000	120 to 125
Taluk Cutcherry	27,300	...
Surgeon's Bungalow	16,300	70
Superintendent of Police	16,300	70
Assistant Collector	10,000	40
Assistant Superintendent of Forests	10,000	40
Apothecary	3,500	15
Inspector of Police	3,500	15
Assistant Superintendent of Salt Department ...	10,000	40
Sub-divisional Officer, Public Works Department ...	3,500	15
	1,66,400	

4. As there is some doubt about the two last-named buildings being considered equally urgently needed, they have been put at the end of the list.

It will be necessary to add to the sum total given above the following items :—

	Rs.
Value of site purchased for the Collector's Bungalow	8,000
And other contingent items	5,600
	13,600
Making a Grand Total of ...	1,80,000

5. An estimate (Rs. 4,040) has lately been submitted for a Registrar's Office, but, as stated in my letter, No. 1404, of 16th instant, it is now suggested to hand over the existing Collector's Cutcherry to the Registrar, and to build an entire new building for the Revenue Department, as after a personal inspection I disapproved of the alterations originally proposed to be made to the existing old building, which even if carried out would not offer any accommodation for the Collector himself nor his Assistants (European).

6. I do not consider it necessary to recommend the immediate substitution of an Assistant Engineer, Public Works Department, in place of an Upper Subordinate, but it might be found requisite later on. If the sub-division is supervised by a competent European Upper Subordinate, I am confident that the Executive Officer of the Bellary Division should be able to carry on the administration of his district satisfactorily. It has been a difficult task to offer the requisite interval house accommodation for the several officers, if married men, without enhancing the total cost of the buildings, and thereby raising the monthly rental but every effort has been made to economise in every particular; fortunately, the late experiments made by the Sub-divisional Officer, in burning the gneiss stratification within a short distance from the sites selected for the new Civil Cantonment, has proved beyond doubt that stone material of a good quality can be supplied near at hand, and that consequently the rate for stone-work in that part can be reduced about 40 per cent.

7. The sites selected are undoubtedly good as regards elevation and freedom from the exhalations from the irrigated land lying below the Anantapúr tank, but I am afraid that it will be found necessary to sink several of the house wells to a considerable depth before reaching the spring-water line.

8. In compliance with your instructions, the contractors (Messrs. Meppin, Pritchard and Co.) will, in anticipation of final orders, make immediate arrangements for collecting the several building materials, and Mr. Pritchard has, I believe, proceeded to Bangalore to purchase and make arrangements for making up the wood-work required, all of which can be carted direct to Anantapur.

Order—dated 19th September 1883, No. 2635 W., Public Works.

His Excellency the Governor in Council is of opinion that, for the present, it will be sufficient to undertake the construction of the following buildings at Anantapur :—

(1.) House for Collector.
(2.) House for Superintendent of Police.
(3.) Taluk Cutcherry.*
(4.) Collector's Cutcherry.

* Estimate sanctioned in G.O., No. 2200 W., dated 9th August 1883.

2. The Superintending Engineer will accordingly submit, at the earliest possible date, plans and estimates for the foregoing buildings, for sanction and appropriation of funds; and will report meanwhile the total sum which he expects to be able to spend on the buildings during the current official year, to admit of money being allotted for the purpose.

3. With respect to the first and second of the buildings named above, the Superintending Engineer's attention is called to paragraph 1229 of the Public Works Code, which provides that the rent to be recovered is to be fixed "so as to cover interest at 4½ per cent. on the actual or estimated cost of the property, in addition to a fair allowance for risks and for the cost of repairs."

With advertence to this rule, it will probably be necessary to fix the rental of the two houses in question at a percentage of 6½ or 7 on the cost; and the Government are of opinion that the sums named in paragraph 3 of the Superintending Engineer's letter, as the monthly rental to be recovered, viz., Rs. 125, from the Collector, and Rs. 70 from the Superintendent of Police, should not be exceeded.

The designs for the two houses will have to be prepared accordingly, so as to bring the estimates within the necessary limit.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
~~Ag.~~ Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, with Memoranda.
" Revenue Department.
" Public do.
" Judicial do.

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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of {1883} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated September, 19th.

Recd. *Encl*

G.O., 19th Sept. 1883, No. 2635 W

SEPTEMBER.

Office and House Accommodation at Anantapur

Passing orders on the general scheme submitted by the Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, for —.

12TH DECEMBER 1882, No. 3278 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

No. 78.

READ—the following papers:—

G.O., dated 1st December 1882, No. 4034, Revenue.

Read—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th November 1882, Mis. No. 8592:—

Read—the following letter from N. A. ROUPELL, Esq., Collector of Anantapur, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 18th October 1882, No. 280:—

In their Proceedings, dated 5th June 1882, Mis. No. 4063, the Board declined to sanction the proposal of the Head Assistant Collector in charge of this district that the new Taluk Cutcherry at Penukonda should be occupied by the Taluk Establishment, and directed that an estimate should be obtained from the Department of Public Works for the repair of the old Taluk Cutcherry.

2. The Head Assistant Collector accordingly, on the 11th June last, communicated with the Executive Engineer, Bellary, from whom the Subdivisional Officer, Mr. Frankland, has received instructions.

3. Mr. Frankland, in the course of conversation, informed me he had been instructed to prepare the estimate required by the Board, but said he felt bound to mention that in his opinion the outlay necessary would be a mere waste of money, as the building in question was not worth repairing.

4. I would, therefore, venture most respectfully to hope that the Board may be pleased to reconsider their Proceedings quoted above in paragraph 1.

5. At the close of these Proceedings the opinion of the *then* Collector was quoted that the old Taluk Cutcherry was "good and substantial." Presumably this refers to a period seven years ago, for the new Taluk Cutcherry was built in 1875.

6. The point, however, I would with all deference urge is the present state of the Cutcherry. Upon this the report of the Executive Engineer to the Superintending Engineer is very emphatic and condemnatory, and the details he gives of its condition seem to amply justify his opinion.

7. The building, when I inspected it in February last, seemed to me a wretched tumbled-down structure, quite unfitted for the purpose for which it was utilised.

8. To ensure its safety the taluk treasure has had to be kept in the new Taluk Cutcherry, and, as it was impossible to separate the Tahsildar from his Treasury and other Clerks, the whole Taluk Establishment is still located there, the Head Assistant continuing to supply accommodation for his office in his own house.

9. I have the honor to request the early sanction of the Board to this arrangement as a temporary measure with retrospective effect from 1st April 1882 (on which date the Taluk Cutcherry was given up to the Tahsildar) until proper office accommodation is provided for the Head Assistant. The rent paid by that officer is Rs. 30, and I would remit half of this, or Rs. 15, for office accommodation.

10. I trust the Board will see fit under the circumstances to assent to the new Taluk Cutcherry being put to the use for which it was constructed. In this event steps can be taken to procure a Head Assistant's Office, which, in my opinion, is much wanted in Penukonda.

Resolution—dated 8th November 1882, Mis. No. 8592.

Submitted for the orders of Government with copy of Board's Proceedings, dated 5th June 1882.

2. The Board recommend, in consideration of the opinion of the Public Works Officers that the old Taluk Cutcherry is not worth repairing, that the existing arrangement be sanctioned as proposed by the Collector at paragraph 9 of his letter. As regards the allowance, however, which the Head Assistant claims for the accommodation of his office, it is observed that its amount must be fixed after reference to the Executive Engineer, who will certify what proportion of the rent should be remitted to the tenant.* Upon this point Mr. Roupell will report further.

* G.O., dated 6th November 1879, No. 2123, Financial Department.

3. Referring to the correspondence ending with G.O., dated 16th August 1875, No. 1710, the Board would strongly advise that an office for the Head Assistant be erected at Penukonda at an early date.

Order—dated 1st December 1882, No. 4034, Revenue.

The Board's recommendations in paragraph 2 are approved and sanctioned.

2. The subject of paragraph 3 will receive early consideration in the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) P. P. HUTCHINS,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
" Public Works Department.
" Accountant-General.

No. 79.

ORDER—dated 12th December 1882, No. 3278 W., Public Works.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, for early submission of a plan and estimate for an office for the Head Assistant Collector at Penukonda.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, Third Circle.
" Revenue Department.
" Board of Revenue.

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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of {1882} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated December, 12th.

Encl.

Read.

G.O., 12th Dec. 1882, No. 3278 W.

DECEMBER.

Nos. 78-79.

Office for the Head Assistant Collector at Penukonda.

Plan and estimate for an — called for.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following letter from Major S. C. CLARKE, R.E., Officiating Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Bellary, 3rd October 1883, No. 1840 :—

I have the honor to submit, for sanction of Government, an estimate of Rs. 12,240 for constructing a Head Assistant Collector's cutcherry at Penukonda, in the Anantapur district, after the standard design approved in G.O., No. 195, of 29th March 1876, for entry in budget, 1884-85.

1 Detailed estimate with specification and report.
2 Abstract estimates in duplicate.

ORDER—dated 15th October 1883, No. 2900 W., Public Works.

The estimate, amounting to Rs. 12,240, for constructing a Head Assistant Collector's cutcherry at Penukonda, in the Anantapur district, is sanctioned. The work should be included in the Provincial Budget for 1884-85.

2. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 132 W. of 1883-84 and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Third Circle, with four enclosures.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts, with duplicate abstract estimate.
" Revenue Department.

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CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of {1883} Madras

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated October, 15th.

Rec'd. *Enc*

G.O., 15th Oct. 1883, No. 2900 W

OCTOBER.

Head Assistant Collector's
Cutcherry at Penukonda

Estimate for a —, Anantapur distric
sanctioned.

11TH JUNE 1884, No. 1456 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following papers :—

G.O., dated 22nd May 1884, Mis. No. 1261, Judicial.

Read—the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. VIBART, R.E., Superintending Engineer, III Circle, to the Inspector-General of Registration, dated Rámandrug, 10th May 1884, No. 263 :—

With reference to G.O., No. 3490 W., dated 5th December 1883, I have the honor to forward a plan and estimate, amounting to Rs. 1,290, for adding a record-room to the District Registrar's office at Kurnool.

1 Plan.
1 Detailed and abstract estimate.

2. The plan and estimate may be transmitted for approval of Government in the Judicial Department.

No. 1592.

Endorsement on the above.

Submitted for the sanction of the Govern[illegible]

(Signed) G. HAMNETT,
Inspector-General of Registration.

OOTACAMUND,
15th May 1884.

To the Chief Secretary to Government.

Order—dated 22nd May 1884, Mis. No. 1261, Judicial.

Approved and transferred to the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. F. WEBSTER,
Chief Secretary.

To the Public Works Department, with four papers.

ORDER—dated 11th June 1884, No. 1456 W., Public Works.

The estimate, amounting to Rs. 1,290, for the addition of a record-room to the District Registrar's office at Kurnool, is sanctioned.

2. This sanction is registered as Provincial No. 60 W. of 1884-85, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, with three enclosures.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Judicial Department.

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Govt. of {1884} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated June, 11th.

Read. *Encl*

G.O., 11th June 1884, No. 1456 W.

JUNE.

Registrar's Office, Kurnool

Estimate of Rs. 1,290 *for the addition of a record-room to the District* —, sanctioned.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following papers :—

Endorsement by the Revenue Department, dated 1st September 1884, No. 3794, on Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 27th August 1884, No. 8065.

Telegram from the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, dated 4th September 1884.

From Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. VIBART, R.E., Superintending Engineer, III Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Bellary, 11th September 1884, No. 1152.

With reference to G.O., No. 797 W., dated 25th March 1884, I have the honor to submit, for sanction of Government, estimate, amounting to Rs. 30,520, with accompaniments (as per margin) for constructing a first-class taluk cutcherry at Nandyál, in the Kurnool district, on the standard design approved of in G.O., No. 2204, dated 21st August 1876. The outhouses are to be built after the standard design sanctioned in G.O., No. 1014, dated 20th April 1874.

2 Tracings of main buildings.
1 Site plan.
1 Detailed estimate.
1 Abstract do.
1 Report.
1 Foundation section.
2 General abstracts in prescribed form.

2. No provision is made for post and sub-registrar's offices, as these offices are located in separate public buildings.

3. The points alluded to in Chief Engineer's memorandum, No. 1364 T., dated 4th December 1876, have been attended to.

4. Many years back an expenditure of Rs. 3,450 was incurred in collection of materials, &c., for this work. These materials have been since sold by auction and the proceeds credited to Government.

5. As I infer from your telegram, dated the 2nd instant, that the estimate is urgently required, I send it direct (to save delay) instead of through the Collector.

ORDER—dated 22nd September 1884, No. 2324 W., Public Works.

In G.O., No. 797 W., dated 25th March 1884, the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, was directed to submit, "as early as practicable," an estimate for constructing a new taluk cutcherry at Nandyál. The estimate has now been received,—five months after the date of the orders of Government calling for it. The cause of this delay should be explained.

2. The estimate amounts to Rs. 30,520, and is sanctioned for immediate execution.

3. A sum of Rs. 10,000 is appropriated to the work from the Provincial reserve with Government.

4. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 153 W. of 1884-85, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, with eight enclosures.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts, with duplicate abstract estimate.
" Revenue Department.

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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of {1884} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated September, 22nd.

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 22nd Sept. 1884, No. 2324 W.

SEPTEMBER.

Taluk Cutcherry at Nandyal

Estimate for a — sanctioned; explanation of delay in its submission called for.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. VIBART, R.E., Superintending Engineer, III Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Ráyachóti, 27th October 1884, No. 1467 :—

I have the honor to submit, for sanction of Government, a revised estimate, amounting to Rs. 14,308, for constructing a second-class taluk cutcherry at Owk in the Kurnool district.

2. An estimate of Rs. 14,100 was sanctioned for this work in G.O., No. 2254 W., dated 22nd May 1878. On account of the high prices now ruling for the railway the revision of the rates was found necessary, and as the excess over the previous sanction is only Rs. 208 the revised estimate may be sanctioned.

3. An allotment of Rs. 8,000 is provided for the above work in the current year's Provincial budget, item No. 12, and the work is being carried out.

ORDER—dated 3rd November 1884, No. 2715 W., Public Works.

In the circumstances explained in this letter the revised estimate, amounting to Rs. 14,308, for constructing a Sub-Magistrate's cutcherry at Owk, in the Kurnool district, is sanctioned.

2. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 182 W. of 1884-85, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, with one enclosure.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts, with duplicate abstract estimate.
" Judicial Department.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated November, 3rd.

Read. *Encl.*

G.O., 3rd Nov. 1884, No. 2715 W.

NOVEMBER.

Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry at Owk

Revised estimate for a —, in the Kurnool district, sanctioned.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following papers:—

From Lieut.-Colonel H. M. VIBART, R.E., Superintending Engineer, III Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Madanapalle, 1st November 1884, No. 1526.

I have the honor to submit, for the sanction of Government, a revised estimate of Rs. 12,200 for constructing a second-class taluk cutcherry at Bookkapatnam according to the enclosed plan.

1 Abstract estimate in duplicate.
1 Tracing.

2. The estimate of Rs. 17,600 sanctioned for this work in G.O., No. 29, dated 3rd February 1876, was for constructing the building in accordance with an old standard design of 1871. But the present Collector of Anantapur considers the accommodation unnecessarily large, and on his suggestion the accommodation has been reduced and two rooms, F and G, added as shown in the plan.

3. The revised estimate shows a saving of Rs. 5,400 on the estimate previously sanctioned in 1876, and the work is being carried out by the Executive Engineer on the strength of the Collector's approval on the plan as now proposed.

From the same officer, dated Guvulchervu, 16th November 1884, No. 1680.

With reference to your memorandum, No. 1831 C, dated 10th November 1884, I have the honor to submit the original design for a second-class taluk cutcherry at Bookkapatnam.

ORDER—dated 3rd December 1884, No. 2975 W., Public Works.

The revised estimate, amounting to Rs. 12,200, for constructing a second-class taluk cutcherry at Bookkapatnam in the Anantapur district, is sanctioned.

2. The present estimate is less by Rs. 5,400 than the original estimate of Rs. 17,600, sanctioned in G.O., dated 20th January 1876, No. 107, Judicial, and the reduction is explained by the Superintending Engineer.

3. The current year's allotment to the work is Rs. 7,000.

4. The attention of the Superintending Engineer is drawn to paragraph 1168 of the Public Works Code, under which the estimate should have been submitted to Government through the Collector and the Board of Revenue.

5. This sanction has been registered as Provincial No. 209 W. of 1884-85, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated December, 3rd.

Read. *Encl.*

G.O., 3rd Dec. 1884, No. 2975 W.

DECEMBER.

212 W

Taluk Cutcherry at Bookkapatnam

Revised estimate for a —, in the Anantapur district, sanctioned with remarks.

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,

No. 2021 Bellary ~~Cheepauk~~, MADRAS, 15th January 1885.

From

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
3rd ~~1st~~ CIRCLE,

To

THE Chief Engineer
P.W.D.
Madras

SIR,

Enclosures.

I have the honor to report that the sums noted below are surrendered under Provincial Civil Buildings, Original Works, and I request that the following reappropriations may be sanctioned.

1 Bellary Division

		Existing grant	Amount not required
Budget item No 17.	Collector's Cutcherry at Anantapur	31500	11500 — — —
— Do — Do — 44.	Sub Magistrate's Cutcherry at Sirrugoopah	5000	2000 — — —
— Do — Do — 114 / G.O. No 2975 W of 3rd Dec 1884	Taluq Cutcherry at Bookapatnam	7000	2000 — — —
Budget item No 14 —	Head Asstt Collector's Cutcherry at Penukonda	9240	3240 — — —
G.O. No 2666 W of 28th October 1884	First class station House at Anantapur	2510	1000 — — —
		19740	— — —

There has been so much difficulty in procuring

procuring sufficient skilled labor for these several buildings, that these sums had better be surrendered at once.

2. Cuddapah Division

		Existing grant	Amount not required
Budget Item No 16.	Taluq Cutcherry at Cuttivendla	10,000	2000

It is stated that this work is not making satisfactory progress, and the Contractor has however been ordered to push on with it as rapidly as possible.

3. Kurnool Division

		Existing grant	Amount not required
G.O. No. 2374 V of 22nd Sept 82	Taluq Cutcherry at Nundyal	19000	2000
G.O. No. 1581 V of 24th June 84 Statement C	Kurnool Original Works Lump sum grant	300	260
G.O. No. 2666 V of 28th October 84	Sub Registrar's office at Cumbum	2188	1290
G.O. No. 1581 V of 24th June 1884 Statement C	Tools & Plant	2600	500
			4040

It is not possible to utilize the full allotments for the Taluq Cutcherry at Nundyal and the Sub Registrar's office at Cumbum. The site for the latter building has not yet been definitely settled.

Reappropriations required

4. Bellary Division

		Existing grant	Amount required
Budget Item No 54 - Subsidiary jail to Alur Taluq Cutcherry		5000	4000

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Kurnool Division

		Existing grant	Amount required
Budget Item No 42 G.O. No 2715 V of 3rd November 84	Sub Magistrate's Cutcherry at Cork	8000 (14308)	2000
G.O. No 1456 V of 11th June 84	Adding a record room to the District Registrar's office at Kurnool		1290

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt Servant
W. Slater (Major R.E.
Executive Engineer
for Supdg Engineer
3rd Circle

From

The Superintending Engineer,

III ~~1st~~ Circle,

To

The Chief Engineer

&

Madras.

Dated 15th January 1885.

Recd. 17 JAN 85

Enclosures.

No. 204

Surrenders under Pro: Civil Buildings Org: works.

Reporting that the written noted sums are — and requesting that the required appropriations may be sanctioned.

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No 45 bWa/10.6.84
" 1581 Wa/24.8.84
" 2324 Wa/22.9.84
" 2658 Wa/28.10.84
" 2715 Wa/3.11.84
" 2975 Wa/3.12.84
" 79 Cd/13.1.85

No. 212-W PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 26th January 85

READ the following

From the Supg. Engr. III circle N. C. No. 2021 of 15th January 85

The sums surrendered by the Supg. Engr, amounting in the aggregate to Rs 25,780, are credited to the Provincial Reserve. The Govt are however much disappointed at the failure to utilize the grants made available for much-needed works in the III Circle, and regard the explanations submitted by the Supg. Engineer as ~~highly~~ unsatisfactory.

The Superintending

Engineer

Engineer with report in detail the causes which have led to the results now under notice, the measures taken to over-come any difficulties which may have arisen and the names of the officers or subordinates responsible.

CE.
19-1-85.

DA
19-1-85

H. E. Tilton.

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
26 JAN 85
PUBLIC DEPARTMENT MADRAS

Reg[d] for Chs 6&3 on return from Pnna.
27-1-85

CB
2nd to the Chief Engr
acpm 6 B. 29-1-85.

To
The Supg. Engr III Circle
" Execv[e] S[r] & H accounts

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Read 5-3-85

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27-1-85

Rect. Encl.

G.O., 26 January 1885, No. 212-W

Funds

Certain — surrendered
by S.E. — circle added
to the Provincial Service
— transfer
of the following to be
debited against the
two Circles of Cuddapah
Nellore

50/3

50/3

W.S. 15

27/1