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7th August 1886, No. 1965 W., Public Works.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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Read—the following papers :—

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I have the honor to bring to your notice that, if house-rent be charged at 7½ per cent. on the cost of the new police constables' huts in the Wynaad, the rate would be about Rs. 4¾ per man per month, and as their pay is only about Rs. 8, it is evident that such a rate is out of the question.

2. The following rates of pay have been laid down by the Inspector-General of Police for the recovery of rent elsewhere :—

First-class constables	4 annas per mensem.
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„ „ 3rd and 4th „	6 „ „

and I request instructions whether these rates are to be levied in Wynaad.

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Memorandum to the Judicial Department, dated 6th March 1886, No. 929 C.

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Communicated, with copy of G.O., dated 13th July 1864, No. 1048, to the Public Works Department, with reference to their memorandum, dated 6th March, No. 929 C.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. G. CARDEW,
Ag. Assistant Secretary.

Memorandum to the Judicial Department, dated 5th May 1886, No. 90 D.
From the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, dated 5th July 1886, No. 245 E.W.

From Colonel T. K. GUTHRIE, Inspector-General of Police, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 28th June 1886, No. 3252.

In reply to E. No. 946 C., dated 12th instant, on Public Works Department memorandum No. 90 D., I have the honor, for the information of Government, to make the following remarks.

2. That I consider a rate of 10 per cent. on the pay of head constables and constables much too high, and if present rates for Public Works Department huts are to be altered 5 per cent. is sufficient.

3. In no other province is any rent demanded from the police, and considering the great difficulties we have in manning the Wynaad and Nílgiris, any increase of rent, being virtually a reduction of pay, would only add to those difficulties and render them well nigh insurmountable.

4. Until good comfortable habitations were provided the men were constantly falling sick, the hospitals were full, and resignations frequent, to the considerable cost of Government in money and services, while the tone of the whole district force suffered and the standard measurements and physique of recruits had to be lowered to enable us to obtain men at all. The pay of police of Nílgiris and Wynaad had also to be raised.

5. It was abundantly evident that good hutting, by keeping the police in health, would be an economy to Government and an immense advantage to the district force, and so it will prove. I therefore deprecate the raising of rents.

6. I would ask the reperusal by Government of my letter,* No. 6335, of 10th December 1883, on the subject of the police lodging fund. There should, in my opinion, be no dual system of rents on classification of buildings brought about by accident of climate.

* Copy herewith.

No. 1184 C., Judicial.

Transferred to the Public Works Department, with reference to their office memorandum, No. 90 D., dated 5th May 1886.

(By Order.)

OOTACAMUND,
22nd July 1886.

(Signed) A. G. CARDEW,
Ag. Assistant Secretary.

ORDER—dated 7th August 1886, No. 1965 W., Public Works.

In accordance with paragraph 1229 of the Public Works Code, the percentage rate therein prescribed is to be applied in cases in which the rent of Government buildings is not fixed by a special scale under the sanction of some general arrangement or particular order of Government.

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2. In the case of police huts built at the Government expense, the rates of rent mentioned in letter from the Inspector-General of Police, No. 1462, dated 20th March 1886, were approved in G.O., dated 13th July 1864, No. 1048, Judicial, and have been in force up to the present date. The Government consider therefore that no alteration need now be made.

(True Extract.)

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

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Judicial Department.

Exd. E. Fernandez.
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GENERAL.
ACCOUNT.

Govt. of {1886} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated August, 7th.

Recd. *Encl.*

G.O., 7th Aug. 1886, No. 1965 W.

AUGUST.

Police Huts

Orders as to rates of rent to be levied from police subordinates for — built at the Government expense.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, 13th July 1864.

Read the following papers:—

No. 149. Proceedings of Government in the Revenue Department.

Communicate a letter from the Acting Accountant General requesting instructions as to the preparation of the Budget for the Police Lodging Fund. } (Dated 14th May 1864, No. 826.)

Referred to the Inspector General of Police for his opinion.

Fort Saint George, (Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
11th June 1864. *Chief Secretary.*

No. 150. From W. ROBINSON, Esq., Inspector General of Madras Police; to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 4th July 1864, No. 1348.

Account Department.

In returning Proceedings of Government, Revenue Department, No. 826, dated 14th May 1864, forwarded to me for report with reference to the Police Lodging Fund, I have the honor to state that the Police Lodging Fund consists solely of rent levied at the rates noted in the margin from the Constabulary occupying huts constructed with Government funds.

	AS.
Head Constable	8
Deputy head do	6
1st Class Constable	4
2nd do. do	3

2. The huts are of the usual description occupied by the Natives of the District; are situated three or four together at each Police Station whether in the Cusbah or in out-lying Taluqs. Their repair does not need any Engineering skill; but are now satisfactorily executed by private contract under the supervision of the Superintendents of Police.

3. The Lodging Fund on 31st March amounted to Rupees 6618, which is on an average Rupees 4·71 per cent. per annum on the original cost of the huts for which it has been levied, and the whole amount is needed for repairs.

4. I would therefore suggest that the administration of the Fund should be vested in my hands subject to the control of Government, and that the Budget therefore and report of expenditure should be prepared and submitted by me.

5. Should Government accede to this arrangement I propose to open an account with the Madras Bank for the concentration of all the Lodging Fund payments which are now credited in the several District Treasuries.

No. 151. Order thereon, 13th July 1864, No. 1043.

The Governor in Council approves the arrangement suggested in the 4th paragraph of the foregoing letter under which the management of the Police Lodging Fund, and the duty of preparing the Budget and other Statements in connection with the Fund, will devolve on the Inspector General of Police.

2. The Accountant General is requested to report on the proposal in the last paragraph of the letter.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Inspector General of Police.
„ Accountant General.

Exd, R. H. Lee.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
14th May 1864.

No. 151. Read the following letter from J. L. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Acting Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Fort Saint George, 28th January 1864, No. 352:—

SIR,

1. In paragraph 2 of the Government Order No. 46, dated the 9th instant, it is observed that the Government have it in contemplation to issue at an early date rules regarding the framing of the Budget Estimates of Local Funds. With reference thereto, I have the honor to bring to the notice of Government certain points for consideration in connexion with the Local Fund Returns.

2. In paragraph 42 of the Rules prescribed by the Supreme Government for the preparation of the Public Works Budget Estimates, it is laid down that a Local Funds Budget should be sent annually by each Government with the General Budget of Imperial Works: the object of such return being to place before the Supreme Government useful information which it affords, as to an important part of the *whole* field of Public Improvement, it should, though, in a distinct return, be arranged as far as possible under parts similar to those in the Budget of Imperial Works.

3. In accordance with the above ruling the Madras Government submits annually through the Public Works Department a Local Funds Budget for the expenditure incurred by the Public Works Officers from the Local Funds; this includes payments from the one per cent. Income Tax Fund in full, those from the Ferry or District Conservancy Fund, Educational Building, and Port Funds only in part.

4. Again, in the rules laid down by the Supreme Government for the administration of Local Funds under the Financial Resolution No. 4,559, dated the 18th September last, the Deputy Auditor and Accountant General of each Presidency is required to send to the Financial Department simultaneously with the General Budget, a Local Funds Estimate, which according to the provision made in rule 3 thereof is to include every fund, for the proper administration of which, the Local Government is responsible.

5. The head Local Fund is a general one; the principal minor heads subordinate to it being "District Conservancy Fund," "Jungle Conservancy Fund," "Pound Fund," "School Fee Fund," "Port Fund," "Stamping Fee Fund," "Police Lodging Fund," "Emigration Fee Fund," "Pier Fund," and "one per cent. Income Tax Fund."

6. Of these the "one per cent. Income Tax Fund" is under the control of the Officers of the Public Works Department; the "District Conservancy" under that of the Collector and the Executive Engineer of the District; the "Port and Pier Funds" under the Master Attendant and Superintendent of Marine, and the "School Fee Fund" under the Officers of the Educational Department; the remaining Funds with the exception of the "Police Lodging Funds," which is just being organized, are under the control of the Collectors. From this it will be seen that while the Public Works Department Officers have not got a control over, or even the means of knowing the expenditure from all the Local Funds, they have entrusted to them the management of the most important of them: on the other hand, the Collectors, though as the disbursing Officers, are aware of the receipt and expenditure of every Fund, cannot be looked upon as responsible for the details under all of them. This opens the question as to which is the proper Department to submit the Estimates when the Funds are under the joint control of two Departments. The Board in their letter to Government, dated 11th December 1863, seem to have considered the question only with reference to the Revenue and Public Works Departments, but it appears to me that there are likewise other Departments involved in the question. For instance in the case of the Estimates of Port Funds is the Marine or the Public Works Department to prepare the Budget, and in the case of the Police Lodging Fund, is the Inspector General of Police or the Public Works Department?

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
14th May 1864.

7. The next point to be considered is whether there ought to be two Local Funds Estimates* as at present, or whether there should be only one. The Estimate of Local Funds sent through the Public Works Department is not complete, as it includes only that portion of the expenditure which passes through the hands of the Engineering Department. The Estimate sent in by this Department, which is based on the returns of the Collectors, does not represent the exact expected expenditure, as in many instances the results are obtained only from the *advances* made by the Treasury Officers, without reference to the necessary details. It is also to be observed that this Office Budget Estimate contains provision for expenditure already provided for in the Public Works Department. I would suggest that on this point a reference be made to the Government of India with a request that a form be prepared in which the complete Estimate of the Local Funds should be exhibited.

8. I take this opportunity of enquiring, with reference to paragraph 4 of the Government Order No. 667, dated 15th October last, what sort of review the Deputy Auditor and Accountant General is expected to make in connexion with the Local Funds, and whether it is intended that he should make a regular monthly audit of all the Local Fund Accounts. In my opinion this is unnecessary, as in the majority of the cases, the Public Works Department and the Board of Revenue perform these duties at present. An annual appropriation audit will, in my opinion, be sufficient for all purposes of check.

No. 152.

ORDER THEREON, 14th May 1864, No. 526.

1. The questions raised in this letter by the Acting Accountant General have been disposed of in the Proceedings of Government, dated 4th March 1864, No. 392.

2. Orders will be issued from the Marine and Judicial Departments on that part of paragraph 6 wherein the Acting Accountant General requests instructions as to the preparation of the Budgets for the Port and Police Lodging Funds.

3. The reference to the Government of India, proposed in paragraph 7, is unnecessary.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Acting Accountant General.
„ Marine Department.
„ Judicial Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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* Referred in paragraphs 3 and 4.

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No. 6335.

CHIEF OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE,
MADRAS, 10*th December* 1883.

From

LIEUT.-COLONEL T. K. GUTHRIE,
Acting Inspector-General of Police.

To

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
Fort Saint George.

SIR,

Enclosure one.

In reply to G. O. No. 1906 (Financial), dated 1st October 1883, I have the honor to submit the following information.

2. Upon the establishment of the present Police system in 1859, it was found necessary that the men should be housed near the Police Stations to which they were attached. Lines of huts were therefore constructed in each District from State grants, and in order to provide for their repair, it was directed in G. Os. dated 10th January 1860, No. 33, and 7th June 1860, No. 723, that rent should be levied from the pay of the occupants at the rates noted in the margin. The deductions commenced in June 1862. The income derived from this source goes to form the Police Lodging Fund which has thus been in existence for the last 21 years.

Head Constables ...	As. 8 each.
Deputy do. ...	„ 6 „
1st Class Constables..	„ 4 „
2nd and 3rd do. ...	„ 3 „

3. The administration of the Fund was left entirely in the hands of the Inspector-General, vide paras. 5 and 7 of the Memo: embodied in the above quoted G. O. This arrangement being confirmed by G. O. No. 1048, 13th July 1864, the power, however, was made subject to the general control of Government and it so continues up to the present day. An account of the condition of the Fund has been annually rendered to Government from the year 1874. (Vide G. O. 2nd October 1874, No. 1843.) In the early years of its existence the Fund's expenditure was inconsiderable owing to the comparatively small number of lines and the recent date of their construction. It resulted therefore that the income for a time out-balanced the expenditure, and in 1875 it had advanced so far as to display a credit balance of Rupees 65,000. In 1875-76 Government directed the allotment of more than Rupees 53,000 of this amount to the construction and completion of new works. (Vide G. O. No. 1688, dated 18th August 1875, F. D.) This left an available balance of only Rupees 12,000, which annually increasing demands gradually reduced to nothing.

4. The average receipts and charges for the last six years stand as follows:—

	Receipts.	Charges.
1882-83 ...	21,772	26,555
1881-82 ...	22,381	32,237
1880-81 ...	23,306	22,703
1879-80 ...	22,436	20,401
1878-79 ...	22,113	36,028
1877-78 ...	22,430	20,427
Total ...	6) 1,34,438	6) 1,58,351
Average ...	22,406	26,390

5. According to the Accountant-General's statement, the unspent balance of the Lodging Fund available on the 31st March last was only Rupees 1,300. It is proper here to state that this sum must not be regarded as a surplus standing to credit after meeting actual requirements; there was ample scope for its utilisation, but it was retained in reserve in accordance with G. O. No. 2024, dated 23rd December 1882, F. D., in which it is directed that there shall always be some closing balance in hand.

6. In considering the advisability of abolishing the Fund, attention is respectfully invited to the following points. It is essentially a Repair Fund, and its operation is in constant action in every quarter of the Presidency throughout the year. Trivial as in many cases the demands upon it are, it is all important that they should be complied with as soon as the occasion arises; for in tenements of the unsubstantial nature of the majority of our Police huts, deterioration when it has once set in proceeds very rapidly. The repairs which the Fund is designed to meet are generally of a description which requires little or no engineering skill, and which can be thoroughly well accomplished by departmental agency. If the necessity is urgent, the Superintendent is empowered to put the work in hand at once, adjusting the advance from his cash-chest by a bill countersigned by the Inspector-General; but if time admits of the slight delay occasioned by a reference to the Chief Office, a rough estimate and Lodging-Fund receipt are submitted for sanction and countersignature. It is solely owing to this power of prompt action possessed by the District Officers that our numerous lines (containing in the aggregate 7,320 huts) are maintained in a serviceable condition. The present system of management does not involve the necessity of treating all sums unspent on the 31st March as lapsed money to be at once paid into the Treasury, and thus much detrimental delay is obviated.

7. The abolition of the Fund would entail increased correspondence and possibly augmentation of establishment, while the delay which would necessarily arise in obtaining sanction to emergently required expenditure would, in many cases, lead to the tenements becoming irremediably impaired before work could be commenced.

8. I have placed myself in communication with the Inspectors-General of Police of the North-West Provinces, the Lower Provinces of Bengal, the Punjab and British Burma. In none of these Provinces does a system obtain similar to our own. The construction and repair of the lines are carried out at Government expense. No rent is levied and no fund exists. The cost to Government in the Punjab and the Lower Provinces of Bengal is considerably greater than that incurred in Madras. The annual hutting and building charges in each of these Provinces average a lac of Rupees. Our budget estimates (Police and D. P. W. combined) have during the last three years never exceeded Rupees 72,000.

9. A memorandum by the Accountant-General is attached, upon which I have to offer the following remarks, on the two views that present themselves.

10. If Government determine to abolish the Lodging Fund, but still continue to recover house rent from the constabulary, the amount to be provided in the budget should be calculated yearly on the additional hutting provided, and not be a fixed charge, as the Accountant-General suggests, calculated "on the estimated receipts *now* credited to Police Lodging Fund." As accommodation is supplied, so do the receipts from rent advance, and until good substantial huts are provided wherever required, the receipts should in my opinion be the measure for expenditure.

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11. In theory I consider the money taken as rent should be expended solely on the up-keep of the hutting provided; this course has not been followed owing to State necessities, which from famine or other cause may at any time arise, and surplus funds (rents) have, as already stated, been expended in providing *new* huts and even *Station Houses* that but for lack of means should have been provided by Government from Provincial funds.

12. The Police Lodging Fund has therefore been of very great assistance not only to the Department but to Government. Until such time as our hutting requirements are fully met, I deprecate any change in the flexibility of the Lodging Fund, and this is what I fear if it is to find a place in the Budget, which is liable to curtailment while the hutting of the Force is still very far from completion.

13. On the other hand, if Government abolish both the Fund and taking of rents that go to form it, they take upon themselves, as already shown, a heavy extra expenditure of Provincial funds that will be liable in times of pressure to serious reduction and consequent actual loss in ruined buildings.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

T. K. GUTHRIE,

Acting Inspector-General of Police.

Engineers' Office 4th

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The second para of this draft might perhaps be omitted altogether.

The G. of I. letter quoted apparently refers to the particular case therein dealt with.

If the rates of rent suggested for Police subordinates be approved in the Judicial dept, a reference can be made to the G. of I.

Yes W.M.

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Extra: H^d Constable	30
H^d Constable 1st grade	25
— " — 2nd "	20
— " — 3rd "	15
— " — 4th "	12
Constable 1st class (Madras Town)	9
— D^o — (Districts)	8
— D^o — 2nd class	7
— D^o — 3rd "	6½

Supg. Engineers' Office, 4th Circle,
Camp Vayitri, 10th February 1886.

No. 46/E.W.

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From

The Superintg. Engineer
Fourth Circle.

To

The Chief Engineer,
P. W. D.

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Sir,
Your most obedt. servant

J. Beatty Col. RE,
Depy. Engineer 4th circle.

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From,

The Superintending Engr.
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To be returned with reply.

Dated 10th }
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New Police Huts in Wynaad.

Reports the rate of rent charged for the occupation of the ——.

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GOVT. OF MADRAS. 1886. P. W. DEPT.

EXAMINER, P. W. ACCOUNTS.

Madras, 26 FEBRUARY 1886.

OFFICE NOTE No. 878

SECRETARY TO GOVT. P. W. DEPARTMENT
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THERE HAS BEEN NO CASE SO FAR AS THIS OFFICE IS AWARE OF RENT LEVIED BY THIS DEPARTMENT FOR POLICE LINES AND SUCH LIKE, AND IT IS NOT KNOWN WHETHER THE SCALE OF RENT REFERRED TO BY THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER 4TH. CIRCLE HAS BEEN SANCTIONED BY GOVERNMENT.

IN THE CASE OF A CONSTABLE OCCUPYING AN OVERSEER'S SHED AT ERODE THE RENT HAS BEEN FIXED BY SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER 4TH. CIRCLE (AT 7% PER CENT OF THE CAPITAL COST) AT RS.5 PER MENSEM.

IN THE CASE OF A HEAD CONSTABLE AT MANANTODDY AND OF ANOTHER AT VAYITRI THE RENT WAS FIXED. (AT 3 PER CENT OF SALARY IN EACH CASE) AT RS.1-3-2. THIS WAS ALLOWED AS A SPECIAL CASE UNDER G.O. NO.1509 W. DATED 29TH. JUNE 1885 AND IT WAS THERE STATED

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THAT IN THE CASE OF NEW OCCUPANTS RENT MUST BE PAID IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS OF G.O. NO.2944 W. DATED 28TH. NOVEMBER 1884 (I.E.) AT 7½ PER CENT OF CAPITAL COST.

THE CASE WOULD SEEM TO BE ONE THAT WOULD REQUIRE REFERENCE TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA AS IN THE CASE OF G.O. NO.2323 W. DATED 7TH. OCTOBER 1881.

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To be returned with reply

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No. 929 Ca/ 6th March /86

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Letter from the S.E. IV Circle reporting the rate of rent to be charged for the occupation of the New Police Huts in Wynaad.

From the Engineer, PWD No. 878 d/ 26-2-86 forwdg his remarks thereon

Referred to the Judicial Dept for favor of early remarks. It is not known whether the rates quoted by the Supt. of Police have recd. the approval of the Govt.

2. In para 2 of their letter recorded in G.O. No: 2323.W. d 7.10.85, the G. of I. decided that 10 percent of the occupant's salary should be

W.
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The wording of this para is surely too sweeping. The ruling of the G. of I. had reference to cases only in which the rent of buildings were reduced below the authorised percentage on Capital

Do. 6-3-86.

be the minimum
charge for public
quarters.

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No. 531 W a/ 1-3-86
" 415 C a/ 1-2-86
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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Order thereon, dated 17th April 1886, No. 999 Mis:

Communicated with copy of G.O.

Pd No 3193

G. O. 13th July 1864, No 1048, to the P. W. Department with reference to their memo, dated 6th March, No 929 C.

(True Extract)

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D. G. Orde
Ag Asst Secretary

No 1597 C. d/ 26.4.86
" 1408 C. " 7.4.86
B. No 2192 W " 18.9.85
No 1228 C. 25.3.86
" 1229 C. 25.3.86
B No 183 W 22.1.86
No 364 C. 28.1.86
B No 309 W 4.2.86
" 323 W 6.2.86
" 479 W 24.2.86
No 415 C. 1.2.86
B. No 531 W 1.3.86
No 929 C. 6.3.86
" 995 C. 12.3.86
" 2150 C. 14.12.85
G.6. 7607 W. 24.10.84, G.6. 2866 W 1.12.85
" 2344 W 28.11.84
" 2323 W 7.10.85 — " 1672 W. 3.7.82
No 1625 C. 13.10.85 — " 46 W 8.1.83
" 2434 D. 26.10.85 — " 2316 W 17.8.83
" 1874 C. — " 2859 W 11.10.83
G.6. 8614 W 17.11.85 — " 3371 W 23.11.83
" 896 W 9.4.85 — " 2018 W 24.10.83
" 1252 W 15.4.85 — " 3185 W 12.11.83
" 1487 W 24.5.85 — " 3496 W 6.12.83
" 1509 W 3.3.85 — No 245 W 28.1.84
No 1292 C. 28.7.85 — 353 W 9.2.84
" 1729 D. 31.7.85 — 2012 W 13.8.84
B. No 1986 W 26.8.85 — 2424 W 22.10.84
1987 to the P. W. Department
" 1968 W 25.8.85
" 2147 W 16.9.85
" 2323 W 7.10.85
No 1759 C 5.11.85
B No 3957/3958 W 11.8.84
2137 W. 29.8.84

With No 1048 of 1864 and Enclos.

E. D. Ag. 110/4.
C. 29.4.86

[illegible] Is there any further [illegible] have [illegible] to offer. It seems clear that an exception must be [illegible] of police constables occupying public quarters. The rates quoted by the Inspector General however represent a very small percentage on the pay of the constables. Please let me know your opinion as to the rates which should be recomd. for the sanction of India with the concurrence of the Judicial Dept

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29/4/86

Revised draft submitted [illegible]

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No 90 Dd May 5th P. W. D.

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Memorandum.

With advertence to G.O. dated 17th April 1886, No 999 Mis: Judicial, the undersigned has the honour to state that it is proposed to submit for the sanction of the Government of India a scale of rent to be paid by head constables and constables occupying buildings constructed by the P. W. Dept

The rates quoted by the Inspector General of Police in his letter No. 1462 d/20th March 1886 however represent a very small percentage on the pay of the men, and it is suggested that the Inspector General be called upon to draw up a fair scale which may be recommended to the Government of India –

It is suggested that ten per cent of salary would not be too much to levy from the men.

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To,
The Judicial Dept
with connections
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No. 245
E.W.

Supg: Engineer's Office 4th Cir
Camp, Ootacamund. 5th July 1886

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From

The Superintending Engineer
4th Circle

To,

The Chief Engineer
P.W. Department.

Sir,

In inviting your attention to my letter No. 46/E.W. of 10th February last, I have the honor to request you will be good enough to issue early orders regarding the rent to be recovered from the constables occupying Police lines newly constructed in S.E. Wynaad.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your most obedt. Servant
L. Beatty. Colonel R.E.
Superintending Engineer
4th Circle

Ootacamund, July 12th 1886.

No. 355 D.

Referred to the Judicial Department for favor of early reply to this office Memo. No. 90 D dated 5th May 1886.

Colonel R.E.
Secretary to Govt. P.W.D.

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P.W.C. No. 52

Judicial

CURRENT NO. 2560

From

The Supg. Engineer
4th Circle

To,

The Chief Engineer
P.W. Department.

Dated 5th } July 1886
Received 8th } 7/86

Ref 12 — No. 245/3W

Rent for Police lines South East Wynaad.

Requesting to issue early orders regarding the rent to be recovered from the constables occupying Police Lines newly constructed in S.E. Wynaad.

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Referred

General Dept.

CURRENT NO. 2380

No. 3252

Chief Office of the Inspector General of Police,
Madras, 28th June 1886.

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From
Colonel J. H. Guthrie
Inspector General of Police,

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Ootacamund

Enclosures.
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Sir,

In reply to G. No. 946 C. dated 12th Instant on P.W.D. Memo: No. 90 D. I have the honor, for the information of Government, to make the following remarks.

2. That I consider a rate of 10 per cent on the pay of Head Constables and Constables much too high, and if present rates for D.P.W. Huts are to be

altered

altered, 5 per cent is sufficient.

3. In no other Province is any rent demanded from the Police, and considering the great difficulties we have in manning the Wynaad and Nilgiris any increase of rent, being virtually a reduction of pay would only add to those difficulties and render them well nigh insurmountable.

4. Until good comfortable habitations were provided the men were constantly falling sick, the hospitals were full and resignations frequent to the considerable cost of Government,

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in money and services, while the tone of the whole District force suffered and the standard of measurements and physique of recruits had to be lowered to enable us to obtain men at all. The pay of Police of Nilgiris and Wynaad had also to be raised.

5. It was abundantly evident that good hutting by keeping the Police in health would be an economy to Government and an immense advantage to the District Force and so it will prove. I therefore deprecate the raising of rents.

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6. I would ask the re-perusal by Government of my letter No 6335 of 10th December 1883 on the Subject of the Police Lodging Fund. There should in my opinion be no dual System of rents on Classification of buildings brought about by accident of Climate.

* copy herewith

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servant

Colonel
Inspr Genl of Police.

EB Wr
Cfd Sg

Judl. DEPARTMENT.

ENCLOSURE. 1

In a letter from the Inspector
General of Police, dated Madras
28th June 1886,
No. 3252

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CURRENT NO. 2380
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Judicial (1886) DEPARTMENT.

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~~No 1184C / Cty. 22nd July/86~~
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FROM Col. J. H. Guthrie
INSPECTOR GENERAL
of Police,

No. 3252

Dated 28th } June 1886.
Received 30th }
Recd: 24/7/86

No. of Enclo. 1

Transferred to the P.W.D. with reference to their Office Memo. No. 90 D. dated 5th May 1886.
(by order)
A. G. Cardew.
Ag. asst. Secy.

Go No. 75 h	9-1-86	
" 183 h	22-1-86	
364 c	28-1-86	
309 h	4-2-86	
323 h	6-2-86	
479 h	24-2-86	
415 c	1-2-86	
531 h	1-3-86	
929 c	6-3-86	
995 c	12-3-86	
1408 c	7-4-86	
1597 c	26-4-86	with file
90 D	5-5-86	
385 D	12-7-86	and file

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SUBJECT.

Considers that a rate of 10 p.c. on the pay of Head Constables & Constables much too high & if the present rates are to be altered 5 p.c. is sufficient.

Genl. Rect.

No. 1965 W

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 7th August/86.

READ the following

Letter from the Supg. Engineer, IV Circle, H.E. No. 46/Ew. of 10.2.86
" " " Examr. P.W. Accts. — " No. 878 of 26.2.86.
Memorandum to the Judicial Depart. No. 929 C of 6.3.86
Proceedings of Govt. in the Judicial Depart. No. 999 Mis. of 19.4.86.
Memorandum to the Judicial Depart. — No. 90 D of 5.5.86.
Letter from the Supg. Engineer, IV Circle — No. 245/Ew. of 5.7.86.
" from the Inspector General of Police — No. 3252 of 25.6.86.
Endt. thereon in the Judicial Depart. — No. 1184 C of 22.7.86

In accordance with the para 1229 of the P.W. Code, the percentage rate therein prescribed is to be applied in cases in which the rent of Government buildings is not fixed by a special scale under the sanction of some general

general arrangement or particular order of Government.

2. In the case of police huts built at the Government expense, the rates of rent mentioned in letter from the Inspector General of Police No. 1462, d/ 20 March 1886, were approved in G.O. d/ 13th July 1864 No. 1048 Judicial, and have been in force up to the present date. The Govt. consider therefore that no alteration need now be made.

~~The Hon. H. S. Sullivan~~
~~C.S.I.~~

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Supg. Engineers /
Examr. P.W. Accts
Judicial Depts

P. The Chief Secretary
for favour of communicating

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G.O. 7th August 1886, No. 1965 W

Police huts.

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Orders as to rates of rent to be levied from Police subordinates for — built at the Govt Expense:

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