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(2) புதுக்கித் திருப்பிய நாள் 12.90

(3) ஆதாரங்குறிப்பவர் சுருக்கொப்பம்

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No. 2035.

Ganjam Division Office
Berhampur, 15 September 9[illegible]

From,

A. M. Hayes Esqre
Exc Engineer Ganjam Division

To,

The Superintending Engineer 2749/1
1st Circle.

Sir,

I have the honor to report that on the night of the 12th Instant some thieves entered this office building by breaking the staple of the iron chain fastening the front door of the room in which the iron Cash Chest was kept & carried away the Chest containing the Government property as per list attached. At about 6 a.m. of the following day the messenger Madem Chittemah who states that he slept in the Verandah of the office building on the night of the 12th reported the matter during my absence from Head Quarters, to the Head Accountant, who with the Head Clerk and Cashier, proceeded forthwith to the office sending the messenger to inform the Police Station Officer. Subsequently the Town Inspector and two Head Constables accompanied by some constables came to the office and made the necessary investigation - the result of which will be communicated to you in due course.

I am now addressing the Superintendent of Police Ganjam to have a strict search made

for the stolen articles as this is the second time the office has been broken into during the past year.

Thanking you yrs
(Sd) A. M. Hayes,
Ex Engineer Tanjam Dn

Memorandum Statement in duplication is enclosed.

(Sd) ex A. M.
16-9-

(True Copy)

Asstt Secretary
Offg Secy Engr 1st Circle.

No receipt on the subject has been traced in part I Index in the R. O.

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List of things contained in the Cash Chest

Cash ——————————— Rs 137-12-3

4 Savings bank pass books-
1 Register of securities-
5 Blank Cheque Books-
Counterfoils of Cheque books (number not known)
Service books of the whole permanent Establishment except 2 books belonging to Overseers-
T. Perayya Rayudu & Narayana Iyer-
1 Register of Service books.

(Sd) Thumsingh Lalla
Cashier

(Sd) A. M. Hayes
Ex Engr Tanjam Dn

(True Copy)

Asstt Secretary
Offg Secy Engr 1st Circle

15-9-91

(True Copy)

Offr Supr Engr 1st Circle

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P.W 1059/91

Translation

Deposition of Madem Chitemma mussey in the Ganjam Division office.

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On Saturday the 12th Instant I took the office packets for post & went along with the clerks at 8 P.M. & returned to the office after my meals by 10 P.M. I laid myself on a wooden box in the verandah of this office Draftsmans room. I had a sound sleep that night on account of the over work of the day I had to perform from 6 A.M. to 8 P.M. I being the only man to attend in this office. What had been done during my sleep — during that night I could not know. At 5-0 clock in the morning when I awoke I saw the chain of the office door broken and when I went in to ascertain the cause I found all things right but the Iron cash chest belonging to the office could not be found. Then without delay I informed all this to the Head Accountant who pleased to tell me to report the matter to the Police & I accordingly reported the matter to the Police. Immediately the Police Inspector & some Constables came to the spot. This is all what I know.

15-9-91. (mark of) Madem Chitemma

No. 841 G.N.

FROM,

C. Mitford Smith Esqre

Offg. SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER

FIRST CIRCLE.

TO,

THE CHIEF ENGINEER

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

DOWLAISHWERAM, 29th September 1891.

Encloss 3

1 Copy of the Ganjam's Ex. Officer letter. No 2035 of 15-9-91

1 Copy of list of stamps contained in cash chest

1 Copy of the messenger's explanation with translation

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SIR,

I have the honor to report that the Executive Engineer Ganjam Division states in his letter No. 2035 dated the 15th September 1891 that his office Cash Chest containing Rupees 137-13-3 & Service Registers of permanent Establishment &c was stolen on the night of the 12th Instant while an office messenger was sleeping in the verandah of the Office & that the matter was reported to the Police & it is now under their investigation. The result of the Police enquiry will be reported to you as soon as I hear from the Executive Engineer.

2. I do not see any necessity for keeping so large an amount of cash as Rs. 137-13-3 in the Cash Chest in as much as there is a Treasury at the head Quarters of the Executive Engineer & any cash required for payment on any day can be obtained on that day. The Executive Engineer's explanation will be obtained on this point.

3. The messenger should have slept in the room where the Cash Chest was kept & close to it

and not in the verandah of the office- As he cannot therefore be acquitted of negli-gence I have ordered his suspension till further orders & his reinstatement will be considered after the result of the Police enquiry is known-

4. As a theft has once before been com-mitted, the Cash Chest should have been imbedded in a cell prepared for the purpose- and this would probably have prevented the theft being committed- Necessary orders will be issued to the Exc Engineer on this point.

5. A copy of the Executive Engineer's letter No. 2035 dated the 15-9-91 with copies of its enclosures are herewith submitted for your information-

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Sv
Chittagong
Offg Supt Engr 1st Circle

C/d

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CURRENT No. 10519

FROM,

C. Twitford-Saunderson Esq
Offg. SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER

FIRST CIRCLE.

TO,

THE CHIEF ENGINEER

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

DATED 29th
DESPATCHED September 1891.
RECEIVED 6.10.91

No. 841 G.N.

ENCLOSURES 3

No. 2744 Way 16 Oct. 91

SUBJECT.

Ganjam Div. Office.

Reporting that the — was broken into on the night of the 12th instant and that the Office cash chest was stolen and stating that the results of Police enquiry which is going on will be reported as soon as it is known.

No. 2744 Way 16 Oct. 91

HKW/B

Hd/5 Oct

The result of the Police inquiry will be awaited.

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G.W.B 6.10.91

S.E. Circle 9.10

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