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Govt. of Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated

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Encl.

G.O., 28/3 1895, No. 782 W

Public buildings & the
Compounds attached thereto

Orders defining the
responsibility of Executive
Engineers ~~for the~~ in regard
to the state of — & direct-
ing the ^{clearance} ~~removal~~ of the
objectionable trees & un-
sightly shed from the
compound round the
District Munsiff's Court-
house at Amalapur-
in the Godavari Western Dn.

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28TH MARCH 1895, No. 782 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following paper :—

From A. H. GARRETT, Esq., Superintending Engineer, I Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Dowlaishweram, 20th February 1895, No. 2246 G.D.

I have the honour to bring to your notice the marginally-noted correspondence and request I may be informed to what extent Executive Engineers should be held responsible for the state of public buildings and compounds which are under the charge of this department.

Copy of Assistant Engineer Mr. Howley's No. 411, dated 8th December 1894.
Copy of Gódvári Western Division officer's No. 447 S., dated 11th December 1894.
Copy of Superintending Engineer's No. 1794 G.D., dated 19th December 1894.
Copy of Proceedings of the District Court, Gódvári, No. 1567, dated 22nd December 1894.
Copy of Gódvári Western Division officer's No. 504 S., dated 29th January 1895.

2. I certainly consider that the compound attached to a public building should not be leased out for growing fruit and vegetables, as it would increase the difficulty of keeping the surroundings of the building as clean as is desirable.

3. The other matters reported by Mr. Howley are not referred to by the District Judge, and as I have frequently noticed that compounds round public buildings as well as the buildings themselves are much neglected, I request that the responsibility of Executive Engineers in such cases may be clearly defined.

ORDER—dated 28th March 1895, No. 782 W., Public Works.

His Excellency the Governor in Council observes that it is the Executive Engineer's duty to point out any irregularity in the use of public buildings and of the compounds attached thereto which may come under his notice. Representations thus made should be attended to by departmental officers occupying the buildings, who will be held responsible that compounds are kept in proper order and used for their legitimate purposes only. They are intended to secure healthy surroundings and sufficient light and air. If they are used for plantations and cattle sheds these objects are defeated.

2. The compound round the District Munsif's court-house at Amalápur will be at once cleared of the objectionable trees and unsightly shed which have been placed there, and the attention of the Postmaster-General will be called to the misapplication of a portion of the building made over to the Postal Department for use as a Post office.

(True Extract.)

Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To Superintending Engineers.
„ the Consulting Architect to Government.
„ the Judicial Department.
„ the Public Department.
„ the Revenue Department.
„ the Postmaster-General.

Exd. C. A. Munisawmy.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of {1895} Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated March, 28th.

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G.O., 28th Mar. 1895, No. 782 W.

MARCH.

Public Buildings and the
compounds attached thereto

Orders defining the responsibility of Executive Engineers in regard to the state of —, and directing the clearance of the objectionable trees and unsightly shed from the compound round the District Munsif's court-house at Amalapur in the Godavari Western division.

No. 411

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Central Belta Sub. Div. Office, Godavari Western

Station Ralli Lock

Dated 8th Dec 1894

From

W. J. Howley Esq.

Assistant Engineer

Central Belta Sub. Div.

To

The Executive Engineer

Godavari Western Div.

Sir

I have the honor to report that on the 6th Instant I inspected the District Munsiff's Court at Amalapur (built in 1892)

I find that part of the Compound has been fenced off and converted into a plantain garden.

An unsightly shed has also been erected, for the convenience I am told, of Brahmin gentlemen attending the Court.

The Simachinta hedge round the Compound has been entirely neglected in some places it is quite gone, in others it

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it has grown to a height of 12 or 14 feet.
As the building is now in charge
of this Department, I have the honor to
enquire whether I should attend to
such petty matters as the above.
There must, of course, be some-
limit, and I can scarcely be expected
to see to the cleanliness, for example,
of the building or its compound. At
the same time, I would submit
that the fencing off of part of
the latter and its conversion into
a plantain garden is certainly
open to objection.

on the same date I also inspected
the old District Munsiff's Court (trans-
ferred to the Postal Dept vide G.O. no.
1066 W dtd 21-4-92). I find part of
the building is being used as a
cattle shed. This I consider equally
objectionable. I have the honor therefore
to request your instructions as to
what steps, if any, should be taken
in such cases.

I have &c &c

/sd/ W. J. Howley
Assistant-Engineer

/True copy/ W. J. Howley

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(True copy)

/sd/ J. E. Paul
Ex Engineer

No 447 S
D. P. del.

From

J. E. Paul Esq
Executive Engineer
Godavari Western Dy

To

The Superintending Engineer
First Circle

Dated 11th December 1894

See

In forwarding Mr. Howley's
No 44¹¹ dtd 8th Dec 1894, I have the
honor to request for orders as to how far
I am responsible for the compounds
of Public Buildings. It is, I consider,
a matter that had better be dealt
with by the superior officer of the Department
concerned and that I need only
bring to the notice of such officer
any very flagrant cases of filth or
neglect on the part of the subordinate
using the building.

I have &c &c

/sd/ J. E. Paul

Executive Engineer
Godavari Western Dy

/True copy/

W. J. Howley

sd/ J. E. Paul

No. 1794 G.D.

D. P. W.

Superintending Engineer's Office 1st. Circle,

Station Dowlaishuram

Dated 19 } December 1894.
Despatched
Received

Enclosures.

To

The Es Engineer
Godavari Western Dy

Reference

No. 147 } dated 11 - 12 } 1894.

Has the honor to state that when compounds or buildings such as those referred to by the Es Engineer are neglected the proper course is to bring the matter to the notice of the Head of the Department concerned as suggested by the Es Engineer.

(Ed) A. H. Garrett.

Sup^{ts} Engineer 1st Circle

(True Copy)

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Sup^{ts} Engineer 1st Circle.

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No. 1567

Proceedings of the District Court Godavari
dd 22nd Dec 1894

Read letter No. 835 dd the 11th Dec 1894
from the Ex Engineer Godavari Western
District reporting that a portion of the
Compound of the District Munsiff's Court
house at Amalapur is in use as a
plantain garden.

With this letter the Ex Engineer Western
District brings to notice that part of the
Compound of the District Munsiff's
Court house at Amalapur has been
fenced off and converted into a
plantain garden, that a shed has
been erected in the Compound
and that the hedge is in bad
order.

2 The District Munsiff explains
that with the permission of late Dist-
Judge the Compound has been
leased out to a contractor and
that the shed has been erected by the
Local union as a water fundal

3 There appears to be no necessity
for

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for any orders from this office
in this matter.

Signed

/sd/ G. J. Mackenzie

Ag. Dist. Judge

/A true copy/

Forwarded to the Executive
Engineer Godavari Western by
with reference to his letter No 835
11-12-94

/sd/ G. J. Mackenzie

Ag. Dist. Judge

/True Copy/

/sd/ J. E. Paul

Executive Engineer

/True Copy/

Admnd

Supg Engr 1st Circle

26/12/94

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Western
Godavari ~~Eastern~~ Division Office.

No. 5048.

Donkeshwaram, 29th January 1895

From

J. E. Paul Esq.

Executive Engineer

Western

Godavari ~~Eastern~~ Division.

To

The Superintending Engineer

1st. Circle.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward for such
action as you may deem fit Proceedings of the
District Court dated 22nd December 1894.

When I have had to arrange for ground
for local Public Buildings, I have always
taken up sufficient for a decent compound as
I consider that Government wishes that sur-
rounding of Public Buildings should be at the
very least neat & clean. But if it is permissible
for the local Heads of Departments to let out the
compounds of their buildings for a few annas to
grow brinjals and plantains it would be better
to take up only sufficient ground outside the
buildings for a small back yard.

I have recd recd

(sd) J. E. Paul

Executive Engineer G. W. D.

(True Copy)

Admnd

Supg Engr 1st Circle.

26/12/94

for and orders from this office

P. W. DEPARTMENT.

Read the following:—

Letter from the Suptg: Engineer I Circle No.
2246 G.D. 9 20.11.93

FOR ORDERS.

It seems perfectly clear that it is the Executive Engineer's duty to point out any irregularity in the use of public buildings and of the compounds attached thereto, and it is equally certain that the object of taking up land round a public building is not the cultivation of plantains. The departmental Officer in Charge should be held

From

The Executive Engineer
Eastern Division Godavari

To

The Superintending Engineer
1st. Circle,

Dated

Despatched

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ENCLOSURES.

No.

Subject.

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FROM

A. H. Garrett Esq
SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER

FIRST CIRCLE.

Enclosures. 5 TO

THE CHIEF ENGINEER

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

DOWLAISHWERAM, 20th February 1895.

SIR,

I have the honor to bring to your notice the marginally noted correspondence and request

Copy of Assistant Engineer Mr. Howley's
No. 411 of 8-12-94
Do of Godanari Western District Officer's No. 4178.
11-12-94
Do of Sup^r Engineer's No. 1791, D. of 19-12-94.
Do of Proceedings of the District Court Godanari No. 154 of 22-12-94.
Do of Godanari Western District Officer's No. 504 of 29-1-95.

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

A. H. Garrett
Sup^r Engineer 1st Circle.

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H.E. the Governor
The Hon. Mr. Arthur C. I. E.
The Hon. Mr. G. G. G.
FOR ORDERS.

held responsible that the Compound is kept in proper order, and used for its legitimate purposes, and should pay attention to any representation made by the Executive Engineer on the subject.

I think the Chief Engineer's view is quite correct - and orders should issue to the departmental officers concerned. Compounds round public buildings are intended to secure healthy surroundings - and sufficient light and air. If they are used for plantations & cattle sheds these objects are defeated.

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This misuse of the compound of the new Court of the Sd Ct building seems to me very reprehensible - I think the Officers concerned should be reprimanded & should be required to restore the compound & building to proper state at their own cost, including the replanting standing of the hedge round the new Court.

RS
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General order and issue as suggested by H.E. I think much we can recommend to the Sd Ct of Am also for

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He was told by his superior to let out the compound & could be held responsible for it. The Judge said he told to have him put right as soon as possible. As regards the old Sd Ct's compound which has been not transferred to the Public Works Dept, I suppose we must call the attention of the Postmaster General

JG
16/3

H.E. 7/3 R 18/3.

FROM

A. H. Garrett Esq.
SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER

FIRST CIRCLE,

TO

THE CHIEF ENGINEER

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

DATED *20*
DESPATCHED *26* } February 1895.
RECEIVED

No. 2246 G.D.

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SUBJECT.

Public Buildings and
their compounds in
Charge of P. O. Depart.
requests to define clearly
the responsibility of the
Exec Engineers for the
State of the —

P. W. DEPARTMENT No. 1572
— 500 — 31-7-91

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No. 1066 W of 1-4-92. ✓

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. 782 W of 28 March 1895

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

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Engineer I Circle } 2 P

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
19 MAR 1895

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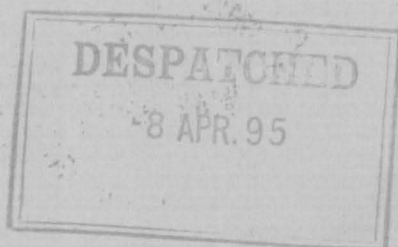
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The Hon Mr. Blunt C. I. E.

Responsibility of Executive
Engineers for the state of public
buildings & their compounds
under their charge

(The Honorable the Chief
Secretary for favor of
Counterintails.)

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Suptg. Engrs:
The Consq. Architect
" Judicial Dept
" Public Dept
" Revenue Dept
" Postmaster General with
extract of the letter from the Sub. Officer
No. 411 of 8th Decr 1894

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