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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,  
6th November 1863.*

No. 79. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel G. W. WALKER, R. E.,  
Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to  
Government, Department Public Works, Madras, dated Coonoor, 24th October 1863,  
No. 204 :—

SIR,

1. The exact sum required to complete the proposed Bungalow near Burliar on the Coonoor Ghât, in addition to the sum of Rupees 866 sanctioned in paragraph 3 of Government Order No. 2,765 of 23rd September, is Rupees 3,434; as shown in the accompanying Plan and Estimate of Rupees 4,300.

2. The limited amount of the Reserve Fund and the much superior claims of other works, would alone justify me in again requesting that the additional sanction of the current year be limited to Rupees 571, the difference between the sanction above alluded to, and Rupees 1,437 entered in Major Farwell's Estimate as the value of work done and materials collected up to date. But the Government having sanctioned my proposal for a new carriage Ghât, the trace of which will be laid out this year, and which must cross the old Ghât in one if not two places, it is highly desirable that the work be delayed until it is ascertained whether the selected site will suit both Ghâts. As the new line must inevitably be much longer than the old one, a Bungalow on it would be a real boon to the public; and if both lines can be accommodated by the same building so much the better. In case, therefore, of a change of site being necessary, I propose an entry of the full amount of Rupees 4,300 in the Budget list of 1864-65.

Referred to the Revenue Department for consideration. It is observed that the Estimate now submitted is 650 Rupees less than that sanctioned in Revenue Proceedings No. 98, dated 15th January 1863.

Chepauk,  
27th October 1863.

(Signed) C. A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,  
Secretary to Government, P. W. D.

No. 80. ORDER THEREON, 6th November 1863, No. 2,001.

The Bungalow in question may be postponed as proposed until the line of the new Ghât referred to in paragraph 2 is settled; but as soon as this is determined, the Superintending Engineer will not fail to bring the project forward for the orders of Government.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,  
Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department.  
„ Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Supg. Engrs Office 7<sup>th</sup> Division  
Coonoor 14<sup>th</sup> October 1863

To  
Lieut. Col. G. W. Walker R.E.  
Superintending Engineer 7<sup>th</sup> Div.  
To  
Colonel C. A. Orr R.E.  
Secretary to Government S. P. W.

Madras

Sir,  
The exact sum required to complete the proposed Bungalow near Runkhar on the Coonoor Ghaat, in addition to the sum of Rupees 866 sanctioned in para 3 of Government Order No 2765 of 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept, is Rupees 3434, as shown in the accompanying Plan and Estimate of Rupees 4500.

The limited amount of the Reserve Fund and the much superior claims of other works, would alone justify me in again requesting that the additional sanction of the current year be limited to Rupees 571, the difference between the sanction above alluded to, and Rs 1437 entered in Major Saxe's Estimate as the value of work done and materials collected up to date. But the Government having sanctioned my proposal for a new Carriage Ghaat at Coonoor of which will be lived out this year, and which must cross the old Ghaat in one or two places it is highly desirable that the work be delayed until it is ascertained whether the selected site will suit both Ghaats. As the new line must inevitably be much longer than the old one, a bungalow on it would be



8<sup>th</sup> 2001  
The Corporation in

question may be put down  
as proposed under the line  
of the new shareholders  
to be passed in settled; but as  
soon as the said determined  
the shareholders' business  
will not fail to bring the  
request forward for the order  
of Court.

Thos. W. Long & Co.   
102 New Bond St. E.C.4.

to the above with a note dated 1<sup>st</sup> 1001

in 102 of New Bond St.



J. W.