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Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 13th January 1864.

No. 139. Read the following letter from Captain O. W. S. CHAMBERS, R. E., Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Waltair, 21st December 1863, No. 1,996:—

Sir,

1. In pursuance with the Order of Government as per margin,* I did myself the honor of addressing the Board, and through it the Inspector General of Police, on the subject of the accommodation needed at Amalapore for Revenue and Police purposes, forwarding at the same time the plan of a combined Talook Cutcherry and subsidiary Jail approved of by the present and late Collectors of the Godavery.

* No. 1,624 of 4th September 1863.
Enclosures.
1 Plan.
2 Estimates.
1 Specification.
2 Proceedings of the Revenue Board.

2. Accompanying this are the Board's Proceedings of the 12th October and 18th November 1863, by which it will appear that they and Mr. Robinson prefer the plan of a building, sanctioned for the Madrantacum Talook of the Madras District, to that designed by Major Stoddard for Amalapore.

3. The former plan was sent me for guidance, and is now submitted by me with some slight modifications to Government.

4. The building as proposed by the Board is of burnt brick and mud, and an Estimate of its cost, when constructed of these materials, is submitted; it amounts to 11,690 Rupees.

5. At the same time, as I am of opinion that a building erected at the lower end of the IGodavery Delta, which may possibly be some day submerged, should be pucka throughout, have annexed another Estimate for a similar building, amounting to Rupees 15,760, leaving it for Government to decide which of the two schemes shall be adopted.

6. In the latter building teak-wood has also been substituted for country wood.

7. The relative charges to be borne by the Revenue and the Police are specified in each Estimate.

8. The sum of 2,000 Rupees was granted by Government for the Amalapore Cutcherry for the present year; with this materials are being collected.

6th September 1862, No. 2,140.

9. The sum of 6,220 Rupees has also been sanctioned† for Ramachendrapore Cutcherry, but that building is in abeyance.

† Supplemental List.

10. Whichever of the two Estimates now submitted is sanctioned will be considered by me as a standard for the three buildings, Amalapore, Ramachendrapore and Nursapore.

Referred to the Revenue Department.

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

Chepauk,
6th January 1864.

No. 140. Order thereon, 13th January 1864, No. 72.

1. The plan of Cutcherry is approved, but the Estimate will be carefully examined in the Department Public Works as the charge is very high.

2. As the building provides jail accommodation it should be made defensible like the Cutcherries on the standard Plan.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ Department Public Works.
Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Read the following Letter from the Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated the 11th February 1864, No. 6, with its Enclosure, from the Superintending Engineer, Public Works Department, dated the 1st December 1863, No. 852, and Minute by the Governor, dated the 13th January 1864, recommending the Construction of Bridges over the Streams on the Line of Road from Nundiapore to Kurnoolpore.

Ordered, That the Estimate for the Construction of Bridges over the Streams on the Line of Road from Nundiapore to Kurnoolpore, with full explanations and suggestions of the Superintending Engineer, which have been considered by the Board of Revenue, be submitted to the Secretary of State for India in Council, for the Sanction of Her Majesty's Government.

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No. 139. 13 January 1864.

William Baker