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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 24th July 1865.

No. 437. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 13th July 1865, No. 3,990.

Read the following letter from A. HATHAWAY, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to R. A. DALYELL, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Ramandrug, 24th June 1865, No. 106 :—

SIR,

1. With reference to Orders of Government, No. 1,290, dated 13th instant, recorded in the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue* under date the 17th idem, calling for a report in the matter of my request made to the Superintending Engineer for additional accommodation to my Cutcherry, and an explanation why the estimate, &c., for the same was not sent through the Board, I have the honor, in reply to the first question, to state that the present hall being partly enclosed with wooden rails for the purpose of a branch Treasury, the available space is not sufficient for the Vernacular Accountants and Clerks ; and I, therefore, proposed to have some additional accommodation made to enable me to arrange for the English and Vernacular Accountants sitting in one part of the building, instead of, as at present, away from each other ; and for the English Clerks sitting in an adjoining apartment so as to admit of easy communication with, and supervision over, the former.

* Enclosure herewith returned.

2. In reply to the second question, I have the honor to state, that under the directions contained in Board's Standing Circular, No. XXVIII., Board No. 2,088, dated 8th April 1864, which I considered superseded all previous practices, (Rule 84, Chapter V of the Public Works Code,) I have returned approved a plan and estimate received from the Superintending Engineer for the purpose above alluded to, to be submitted for sanction through that Officer. In doing so, I think I have not infringed the Order of Government, No. 1,270, dated 10th May of this year, Department of Public Works, embodied in Board's Miscellaneous Circular, No. LIII., Board No. 2,827, dated 30th idem.

3. Hoping that the explanation afforded will be satisfactory to the Board and Government, I respectfully solicit the early sanction of Government for the work being carried out before the monsoon commences.

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1. Submitted to Government with the Board's recommendation that the additional accommodation proposed to the Collector's Cutcherry at Bellary, as shown in the plan herewith submitted, be sanctioned.

2. The Board observe that, although the proper course under the present rules respecting the "*submission of estimates to Government*" is, for all estimates originating in whatever Department, to be forwarded to the Superintending Engineer, who will submit them to Government ; yet that it is still necessary for a Collector, if the estimate for the work exceeds 500 Rupees, to obtain the approval of the Board of Revenue to such work, and no Superintending Engineer should submit such an estimate to Government without the Board's approval.

Public Works Department Code of Rules, Chapter VII., Rule 10.

No. 438. ORDER THEREON, 24th July 1865, No. 1,718.

Miscellaneous.

The work is approved and sanctioned for execution when funds are available.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Department Public Works.
,, the Revenue Board.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. 3,990.

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(A true Copy and Extract,)

Acting Secretary.

To W. Hudleston, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, R. D.,
with four enclosures.

Copy to A. Hathaway, Esq., Collector of Bellary.

Exd. J. Wright.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 13th July 1865.
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No. 3,990.

Recommending that sanction be granted for additional accommodation proposed to Collector's Cutcherry at Bellary.
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Written order

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The works as proposed and sanctioned for execution when funds are available.
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24th July/65.

To
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