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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 25th August 1865.

No. 425. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 16th August 1865, No. 4,933.

Read the following letter from C. W. READE, Esq., Collector of South Arcot, to R. A. DALYELL, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cuddalore, 1st August 1865, No. 125:—

SIR,

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2. The Board remark that the Bungalow at Cullacoorchy is unnecessary, on the ground that only three travellers halted at it in twelve months. I presume this number has been taken from the Report on the condition of Bungalows for 1863.

3. But I fancy this number must be a mistake.

4. However, the number of travellers resorting to a Bungalow is not always a fair criterion of its utility, and every one frequenting does not write their names. But admitting that few travellers halt at Cullacoorchy, I consider that the Bungalow there is much wanted.

5. Cullacoorchy is the Cusbah station, and the Deputy Collector and Officers of other departments, especially of the Police, have frequent occasion to go there quite suddenly, and to the Revenue and all other Officers of the District it is at times very useful when tents would simply be unbearable, and one cannot always carry them about merely for a day or so.

6. The Bungalow is maintained at a very trifling cost, which may be further reduced by dispensing with the Sepoy, when all that will be required will be a Sweeper on 1½ Rupee to keep the Bungalow clean.

7. Under these circumstances, I would strongly urge the retention of this Bungalow, and in its place, the Bungalow at Calaidoor* may be given up, as it is really not wanted, the line of route having been almost entirely abandoned; thus I think that the retention of Cullacoorchy instead of Calaidoor, may be sanctioned.

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them in some sort of repair. The Board see nothing in Mr. Reade's remarks to make them alter their opinion that the Cullacoorchy Bungalow is not required *by travellers.*

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ORDER THEREON, 25th August 1865, No. 1,987.

Local Funds.

1. The Kaloodoor Travellers' Bungalow will be discontinued.

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(True Extract)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant General.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. 4,933.

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

R. A. Dalyell

Acting Secretary.

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

Copy to G. Banbury, Esq., Acting Collector of South Arcot.

Exd. H. Morgan.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 16th August 1865.

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Pro Board of Revenue
No 4,933.
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Submitting letter from the Collector of South Arcot; and recommending the retention of the Cullacoorchy Bungalow and the abolition of the Kalaidoor Bungalow as proposed by the Collector.

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Board's Proceedings

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