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No. 649. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 18th September 1866, No. 6,671.

Read again letters from the Collector of Cuddapah, dated 6th and 24th April 1866, Nos. 48 and 64 respectively, recorded in Board's Proceedings, 15th April 1866, and 29th June 1866, Nos. 2,553 and 4,446.

Read also the following letter from the same Officer, dated 17th August 1866, No. 126 :—

1. With reference to the Board's Proceedings of the 29th June 1866, No. 4,446, I have the honor to enclose a docket,* received from the Superintending Engineer, giving his opinion on the value of the Cutcherry erected by the Deputy Collector, Royappah Pantulu, at Jammulamadgoo.

* Dated 7th August 1866, No. 1,267.

2. The building is also far more adapted for an European Officer's Cutcherry than either of my Assistants have here.

From the Superintending Engineer, Third Division, to the Collector of Cuddapah, dated Bellary, 7th August 1866, No. 1,267, of 1866-67.

Your docket, No. 514, of 9th ultimo. Informs that the Supervisor in charge of the Proddatoor Range reports that the building in question is worth purchasing for Rupees 712, and from the plan of the building considers that the Supervisor's opinion is correct.

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1. Ordered that the foregoing letters be submitted for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

2. In their Order, dated 20th October 1864, No. 1,924, Government sanctioned the erection of a Cutcherry at an estimated cost of Rupees 2,920, at Jammulamadgoo, instead of at Chintaguntah for the Deputy Collector on general duties, whose head-quarters had been removed from the latter to the former place. As, however, no funds were available at the time, the construction of the building was postponed.

3. The Collector now reports that the Deputy Collector, Royappah Pantulu, has erected a building at his own expense at Jammulamadgoo for the use of his Cutcherry; that he has inspected it, and found it very commodious, and better adapted for an European Officer's Cutcherry than the Offices that either of his Covenanted Assistants have at Cuddapah, and that the Superintending Engineer considers it worth the price at which the Deputy Collector is willing to sell it.

4. Under these circumstances, the Board support the Collector's recommendation that sanction be granted for the purchase of the building for the Deputy Collector's Cutcherry for Rupees 712-4-0, the actual cost incurred by Royappah Pantulu in its construction.

No. 650. ORDER THEREON, 27th September 1866, No. 2,610.

Miscellaneous.

Sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant General.
,, the Department Public Works.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

No. 2,553.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 13th April 1866.

Read the following letter from H. G. SMITH, Esq., Collector of Cuddapah, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Voilpaud, 6th April 1866, No. 48:—

1. I have the honor to submit a Plan and an Estimate of probable cost incurred for the Deputy Collector's Cutcherry which has been constructed at Jammalmadugu.

2. The building was erected under the superintendence of the Deputy Collector, P. Royappah Pantulu, and at his own expense, as there was no Cutcherry at Jammalmadugu available for his office after his transfer* from Chintagunta to Jammalmadugu.

* Vide Government Order, dated 20th October 1864, No. 1,924, communicated in Board's Proceedings, dated 22nd of the same month, No. 6,982.

3. The estimate formerly framed by the Department Public Works for the Cutcherry, amounting to Rupees 2,920, was approved of by Government in their Order,† dated 20th June 1863, No. 1,086, but was not sanctioned by the Government of India. A place, however, for his Cutcherry was highly necessary. He, therefore, constructed a very commodious building, which I have inspected, and which I have requested the Superintending Engineer to inspect. His report‡ is herewith sent. I have therefore the honor to request the Board will either purchase the building for Rupees 712, or that they will allow me to rent the same for Rupees 7 per mensem in arrears, which will amount to Rupees 91. There is no other place where the office can possibly be held.

† Vide Board's Proceedings, dated 23rd June 1863.

‡ Copies of letters from Mr. G. W. Lewis, Superintendent, Department Public Works, dated 10th and 23rd March 1866, Nos. 428 and 450.

Also copy of a letter from the Deputy Collector to the address of the Supervisor, dated 21st February 1866, No. 16.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From G. W. LEWIS, Esq., Supervisor, Department Public Works, No. 1, or Poddatur Range, to the Superintending Engineer, Third Division, dated Camp Nandialampett, 10th March 1866, No. 428.

1. With reference to your letter, No. 2,285, dated the 13th ultimo, I beg to enclose a Plan and Estimate of the building constructed at Jammalmadugu for the Deputy Collector's Cutcherry.

2. The estimate amounts to Rupees 1,500; but as portions of the stone and wood used in the construction of the same have been taken up from the old fort, it would be difficult to make a true estimate of the cost. I, however, enclose an original letter§ from the Deputy Collector stating the exact amount incurred by him for the construction of the building.

§ No. 16, dated 21st February 1866.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) H. G. SMITH,
Collector.

From G. W. LEWIS, Esq., Supervisor, Department Public Works, No. 1 or Poddatur Range, to the Superintending Engineer, Third Division, dated Camp Nundialampett, 23rd March 1866, No. 450.

1. With reference to your letter, No. 2,512, dated the 15th instant, I beg to report that the building constructed for the Deputy Collector's Cutcherry at Jammalamadugu has been built similar to the old native Cutcherries.

2. The walls of the main building are of stone in mud, neatly built and plastered with chunam on the inside. The roof is formed with strong wooden girders over which junglo wood joists are laid and covered over with one foot of earth properly rammed. The floor is very

neatly executed with large flags laid in mortar and pointed. The construction of the room over the bastion is of a similar nature, but the verandah is covered with a pan-tiled roof. The doors and windows are of common wood, and have been turned out very rudely by village carpenters.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) H. G. SMITH,
Collector.

From the Deputy Collector of Cuddapah, to the Supervisor, Department Public Works, Poddatur Range, dated Gundloor, 21st February 1866, No. 16.

Adverting to your letter of the 19th instant, No. 401, I beg to annex the particulars of the cost incurred for the erection of my Cutcherry at Jammalamadugu.

	RS.	A.	P.
Cost incurred already	554	4	0
Paid by the Deputy Collector	267	1	0
To be disbursed to the people for timber, &c., supplied by them	287	3	0
	554	4	0
Required for the completion of the building	158	0	0
Total...	712	4	0

(True Copy.)

(Signed) H. G. SMITH,
Collector.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 2 and 3.—Plan and Estimate.

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1. The Collector will report whether the Deputy Collector is willing to sell the building for the price named, and whether he had any permission to use the materials of the old fort.

2. The Board also desire to know when the building was first occupied for the Deputy Collector's office, and whether he has since drawn extra tentage continuously under the ordinary practice in consideration of his providing accommodation for his office and records.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary.

To the Collector of Cuddapah.

Exd. R. H. Leo.

Requesting certain information from Collector of Cuddapah regarding Cutcherry constructed by Deputy Collector Royappah Pantulu at Jammalmadgu for his Office.

Dated 13th April 1866.

No. 2,553.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

No.

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Department.

No. 4,446.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 29th June 1866.

Read the following letter from H. G. SMITH, Esq., Collector of Cuddapah, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Madanapally, 24th April 1866, No. 64:—

1. With reference to the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 13th April 1866, No. 2,553, I have the honor to state that the Deputy Collector is willing to sell the building for the cost actually incurred, viz., Rupees 712-4-0, and that he obtained my permission to use the materials of the old fort; none of them were pulled down, but had been lying for years at the foot of the wall.

2. The building was first occupied by the Deputy Collector in March 1865, and he has not drawn any extra* tentage whatever for providing accommodation for his office and records. He has also not drawn any allowance for the time he has resided at Jammalmadugu, the head-quarters of the Deputy Collector, since the transfer of his Cutcherry from Chintagunta to Jammalmadugu.

* Excepting travelling in the District.

The Collector is requested to ascertain, from the Superintending Engineer, whether he considers it would be advisable to purchase the building at the sum named. Mr. Smith should report whether it would be suitable for the office of a European Deputy Collector.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary.

To the Collector of Cuddapah.

Exd. J. Wright.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 29th June 1866.

No. 4,446.

Requesting the further information respecting the proposed purchase of the building for the office of a European Deputy Collector.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 18*th September* 1866.
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No. 6,671.

Submitting letters form Collecctor of Cuddapah and supporting recommendation that sanction be granted for purchase at a cost of Rupees 712-4-0, of building erected at Jummalamadgoo by Deputy Collector Royappa Puntulu for use of his Cutcherry.

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