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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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No. 333. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 27th October 1868, No. 7,676 :—

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Nellore, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Camp at Gudur, 17th September 1868, No. 3,262.

1. I have the honor to forward herewith, for sanction, three estimates and a plan for the construction of Police Watch Towers on the Salt-platforms at Pakala, Iskapalli, and Krishnapatnam, at a cost of Rupees 240, 250, and 280, respectively. These plans and estimates have been prepared by the Superintending Engineer, in modification of others sent up by the Salt Deputy Collector.

2. The Salt-platforms and pans are in this district quite unprotected, having no moats or hedges round them, and the low thatched mud sheds for the Police on each platform afford them no facilities for overlooking the heaps and pans. Provision has been made in next year's Salt Budget for digging moats and planting hedges round some of the factories; and, for affording still further protection, it is proposed to build these watch towers on the platforms.

3. The cost of the three towers, Rupees 770, may be met from savings in the Salt Budget of the current year.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Plan.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 2 to 4.—Estimates.

ENCLOSURE No. 5.—Specification.

THE estimates for the three works noted in the margin, amounting in the aggregate to Rupees 770, will be submitted for the sanction of Government; provision having been made for them in the current year's Budget under "Petty Construction and Repairs."

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Watch Tower on the Salt-platform at Pakala		240
Do.	at Iskapalli	250
Do.	at Krishnapatnam	280
		770

No. 334. ORDER THEREON, 19th November 1868, No. 2,898.

Separate Revenue, No. 16.
Salt.

Sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

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

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

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Govt. of {1868} Madras.

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

&c., &c., &c.

Dated November, 19th.

Read. Encl.

G. O., 19th November 1868, *No.* 2,698.

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Police Watch Towers in Nellore Salt stations.—Estimates for their construction, sanctioned.