

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
13th March 1868.*

Read the following:—

No. 201. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 3rd January 1868,
No. 24.

Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 19th November
1867, No. 2,733, Revenue Department.

ABSTRACT.—Referring to the Board for consideration, with reference to Govern-
ment Order, dated 18th October and 30th November 1860, a letter from Superin-
tending Engineer, 7th Division, submitting plans and estimates for construction of
certain Travellers' Bungalows in South Canara and Malabar Districts.

Forwarded to the Collector of Malabar for early report.

No. 202. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 23th February 1868,
No. 1,452.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Malabar, to the Secretary to the
Board of Revenue, dated Calicut, 8th January 1868, No. 4.

1. Adverting to the Board's Proceedings, dated 3rd January 1868, I have the
honor to state that the existing accommodation for travellers between Ganot and
Cannanore on Trunk Road No. 4 is very bad, and that small bungalows, as proposed
by the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, would be very useful. I approve
of the plan of the bungalow generally, but would certainly add side-verandahs.
This would render the rooms less liable to be very hot at some seasons, and very
damp at others; would give them a little more height and slightly enlarge the
bath-rooms.

I would also have the (1) godown and cook-room and (2) the stables in separate
blocks as a cleaner arrangement. These alterations of course will increase the
expense; but I think would be well worth the extra money.

2. But if it is finally determined that our Road Funds are to be indented on
for bungalows, I must observe that I think there are several bungalows that are
more urgently required than the two named in the Superintending Engineer's
letter. I would mention in what I conceive order of importance bungalows at

Peria, Nadghani, Nelambur, and Vytry.
• Vide Board's Proceedings, dated 29th April 1867, No. 2,619. A sum of Rupees 2,000 was sanctioned*
for Peria, but it will not be sufficient

(Captain Kennedy informs me) to execute the work; about Rupees 4,000 will be
required for it.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 1 to 2.—Plan and Estimates.

1. In the foregoing letter, which is a reply to the Board's Proceedings,
dated 3rd January 1868, No. 24, forwarding for report Government Order, Revenue
Department, dated 19th November 1867, No. 2,733, the Collector states that the
existing accommodation for travellers

One at Munnecoonnoo.
One at Chavicherry.

between Ganot and Cannanore on Trunk
Road No. 4 is bad, and that the two

small bungalows proposed by the Superintending Engineer would be very useful.

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He approves of the plan of the bungalows submitted by the Superintending Engineer with some additions and alterations, and states that if the District Road Fund can be expended on the erection of bungalows, there are several bungalows more urgently required than those named by the Superintending Engineer. He finally mentions four bungalows marginally described as being the most needed.

Peria
Nadghani.
Nelaubar.
Vytry.

2. Mr. Ballard will, however, be referred to paragraph 2 of the Board's Proceedings, dated 22nd October 1867, No. 6,871, in which they declined to entertain his proposal to expend any portion of the District Road Fund on public bungalows or bungalow establishments, but applied to Government for a grant from the Imperial Funds. In their Order, Public Works Department, dated 25th November 1867, No. 3,656, the Government intimated that they were unable to meet the application, as the Government of India restricted the outlay on Travellers' Bungalows in this Presidency to Rupees 11,230 per annum, the whole of which amount was required for absolutely necessary repairs to buildings of that class.

3. The Board also observe, that in consequence of the paucity of Bungalow Funds in the Malabar District, they have been already obliged to authorize transfers of funds from the surplus in other districts, from time to time, to meet the cost of the Peria bungalow, and to provide for the monsoon repairs of other bungalows. Under these circumstances, and as the current official year will shortly close, they request the Collector to re-submit his proposals after the

commencement of the ensuing official year, ascertaining at the same time the actual cash balance of the Bungalow Fund.

4. The plan and estimates received with the letter under acknowledgment are returned to the Collector.

No. 203. ORDER THEREON, 13th March 1868, No. 657.

Miscellaneous.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated 23rd February 1868.

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No 1,452

Declining to sanction at present construction of two Travellers' Bungalows between Ganot and Cannanore on Trunk Road No 4 in Malabar district, and requesting Collector to re-submit his proposal after commencement of official year 1868-69.

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