

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
17th April 1871.*

Read the following:—

No. 164. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 1st November 1870, No. 6,418.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Malabar, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Calicut, 1st October 1870, No. 338.

WITH reference to the correspondence noted in the margin, I have the honour to forward a ground-plan of the site selected for the Deputy-Collector's Cutcherry and residence at Manantoddy and a rough sketch showing its distance from the bazaar and the other buildings.

2. It is situated on the top of a hill and at a convenient distance from the crowded parts of the town. It measures some 35 acres, and the Deputy-Collector recommends the taking up of the whole area. The hill was formerly devoted to Coffee cultivation by lessees of Native proprietors, but is now waste.

3. Considerable doubt existed as to the ownership of the hill, and it has only been recently ascertained, after investigation of the Government records and careful local inquiry, that one Kembah Gownden is the proprietor, and that his generally acknowledged demands Rs. 5 (or in all a reasonable price). The Deputy-Collector honours to request formal sanction for the site, and authority to purchase it on the terms mentioned. It is presumed the Public Works Department will pay the amount required.

4. As the Special Executive Engineer informs me that an allotment of Rs. 5,000 has been granted for the new Cutcherry, I beg early orders on this letter.

ENCLOSURE No. 1—Plan.

SUBMITTED for the sanction of Government.

REFERRED to the Collector of Malabar, through the Board of Revenue, in view to the locality of the several buildings alluded to in paragraph 18 of the letter printed with the G. O. in the Public Works Department, dated 3rd July 1869, communicated with G. O., Revenue Department, under date, 14th July 1869, No. 2,032, in relation to the site of the proposed office and residence for the Deputy-Collector being explained.

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

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
14th November 1870.

REVENUE.

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

to the Secretary,

Dated April 17th.

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 17th April 1871, No. 683.

APRIL.

Nos. 164-165.

Deputy-Collector's Cutcherry and residence at Manantoddy in Malabar District.—Selected for its erection approved, and its purchase sanctioned at the estimated cost of Rs. 175.

Govt. of Madras

14th July 1869, No. 2,032
15th July 1869, No. 2,032

Board of Revenue,

MADRAS. No. 338

PROCEEDINGS, 27th JANUARY 1871, No. 432.

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Received 3^d.

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JANUARY.

No. 432.

Deputy Collector's Cutcherry and residence at Manantoddy in Malabar District.—Letter from Collector forwarding a sketch plan of locality of site selected for, and stating that its distance from present office is about 1/4 of a mile submitted to Government.

17th Nov 1870

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Estimated cost Rs. 175

17th April 1871

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No. 164-A. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 27th January 1871,
No. 432:—

Read the following letter from the Collector of Malabar, to the Acting Secretary to
the Board of Revenue, dated Calicut, 9th January 1871, No. 1-E.

I HAVE the honour to return Board's Proceedings of 1st November, No. 6,418,
with the Secretary to Government's docket thereon, calling for an explanation of
the locality now selected as a site with reference to the buildings mentioned in
paragraph 18 of Major Kennedy's letter of the 22nd May 1869, No. 109.

2. I now enclose a sketch plan of the locality which gives clearly the
information sought.

3. The distance from the present office to that proposed is about one-fourth
of a mile as the crow flies. The site is undoubtedly the most eligible in the vicinity
of Manantoddy.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Original endorsement of Government, dated 14th November 1870, on
Board's Proceedings, dated 1st November 1870, No. 6,418.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Sketch Plan

SUBMITTED to Government, with reference to the endorsement quoted by the
Collector.

No. 165. ORDER THEREON, 17th April 1871, No. 683.

Miscellaneous.

THE site selected is approved and
its purchase sanctioned at the estimated
cost of Rs. 175.

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

W. HUDLESTON,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
the Accountant-General.

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18 of the letter printed
with the G.O. in the P.W. D. L.
dated 3 July 1869 commencing
G.O. No. 12, under date 14 July
1869 No 2012, in relation
to the site of the proposed
Office and residence
for the Deputy Col. being
explained in No 164*

*W. A. Lyell
St. George
4 Nov. 1870*

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Board of Revenue,*

MADRAS. No 345

PROCEEDINGS, 1ST NOVEMBER 1870, No 6,418.

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NOVEMBER.

No. 6,418.

*Deputy Collector's Cutcherry and residence—at
Manantoddy in Malabar District.—Letter from
Collector forwarding a plan of site selected for,
and a rough sketch showing its distance from
other buildings, and requesting permission to
purchase it at a cost of Rupees 175, submitted
for sanction of Government.*

Refered