

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
17th August 1872.*

Read the following papers:—

No. 139. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 18th June 1872,
Miscellaneous No. 4,345:—

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of the Kistna District, to the
Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated Masulipatam, 25th
May 1872, No. 1,517.

I HAVE the honour to forward the enclosed estimate for repairs to the Vernacular Record-room.

2. It appears to me to be waste of money to repair the building; it is so very bad, but unless it be done, the Vernacular records will be in great jeopardy next rains, and until such time as the new Cutcherry is sanctioned and funds allotted, which may be indefinitely long. The walls on one side are the abode of white-ants that are swept up in large quantities every morning I am told; why they have not fallen upon the paper-records yet I cannot conjecture.

3. It is no use now waiting on in the hopes of getting the Cutcherry re-built. I have not yet received the estimate, and we can hardly hope for an allotment next year.

4. The Board are aware how much the new Cutcherry is wanted, and I need not go over all the grounds so carefully traversed by the late Mr. Boswell, except to state that the inconveniences he then described have not diminished in the year that has elapsed since he wrote. How in the noise, the crush, and the great difficulties of reference from the records' almirahs being literally scattered about throughout the whole Cutcherry building, anything gets done is a perfect marvel to me.

THE estimate for the repairs to the Vernacular Record-room attached to the Collector's Cutcherry at Masulipatam, amounting to Rs. 200, is sanctioned. The charge will be met from savings under Land Revenue, Petty Construction and Repairs.

2. The Board beg to draw the attention of Government to the Collector's remarks regarding the very bad state of his Cutcherry building. This subject has been so long back as 1869 brought to the notice of Government.

G. O. dated 5th October 1869, No. 2,729.
" " 18th " " " 84.

REFERRED to the Public Works Department in continuation of Proceedings in the Revenue Department, dated 30th March and 31st May 1871, Nos. 585 and 963.

18th July 1872.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

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17th August 1872.

No. 140. Endorsement of the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated 16th August 1872.

Read the following letter from the Officiating Superintending Engineer, 2nd Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 12th August 1872, No. 69.

ADVERTING to your memorandum No. 223 of 29th ultimo, I have the honour to inform you the plan and estimate for the enlargement and improvement of the Collector's Cutcherry at Masulipatam were forwarded to the Collector of that district on the 2nd idem, but I am in daily expectation of receiving them back from that officer for revision, as he informed me, before I left Masulipatam, that the proposed abolition of the Bank at that station would necessitate the construction of a building for the treasury—an addition that was not contemplated when the design submitted was under consideration.

TRANSFERRED to the Revenue Department with reference to the endorsement in that department, dated 18th July 1872, on Board's Proceedings dated 18th June 1872.

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

No. 141. ORDER THEREON, 17th August 1872, No. 1,214.

Miscellaneous.

COMMUNICATED to the Board of Revenue with reference to their Proceedings of 18th June 1872, No. 4,345, Miscellaneous.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

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

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

MISCELLANEOUS No. 4,345.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 18th June 1872.

Read the following

No. 1517.

From

G. D. Laman Esq.
Ag. Collector of Krishna District.

To

J. Grose Esq.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Madras.

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the enclosed estimate for repairs
to the vernacular record room.

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Kistna District Collector, Thiruv. & Co.
Cutcherry at Masulipatam }
25 May 1872. } Sd/- Sd/-
Sd/- Collector

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to the vernacular record room attached
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G.O. dated 5 October
1869, No 2729.
G.O. dated 17 October
1869, No 84.

True Copy of the
G.O.

For the Chief Secretary to Government
Revenue Department

C. M. M. M.

esp. d. M. M. M.

Superintending Engineer's Office
2nd Division
Camp Madras 12th August 1872

No 69

From

P. Smith Esquire
Offg. Superintending Engineer
2nd Division

Colonel G. W. Walker Esq.
Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

Sir,

Adverting to your Memorandum,
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as he informed me, before I left
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station, would necessitate the

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD
OF REVENUE.

No 3528

Rev: 2727/72

S.O. No 1214-17 Aug 4th 72

Dated 18th June 1872

Despatched 18th " "

Received 21st July 1872

Chis: 1845

SUBJECT.

Sanctuary estimate,
amounting to Rs. 200, for ce-
= having to be executed (Recd)
now attached to Govt's Office;
= very at Masulipatam in
the Collector's Office, and drawing
attention of Govt to land abate
of Cemetery building.

No 293

No 139-141

23rd July 1872

18 July 1872
and 9.53. W. Smith Esq.
Frank & Co. 31. Aug 11. 1872-53
W. Smith Esq. in the office of
the Collector, at Masulipatam

Construction of a building for
the Treasury, an addition that
was not contemplated when
the design, submitted, was under
consideration.

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Your most obed^t servant

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Offg Sup^r Engineer &c

Transferred to the
 Revenue Department
 with reference to the
 endorsement in that
 Department dated
 18th July 1872 on Bond
 Proceeding dated
 18th June 1872.

Wm. Mackenzie
 Esq. to Esq. D. P. N.
 16th Aug 1872.
 No 139-141
 Bond to Esq. N. August 1872

1872 Michael:
 Rev: 1872 Michael:
 No 2727 2nd 29th
 to the ship wages

The Secretary
 to Government
 No 2727-17 August 1872
 dated 12 August 1872
 Received 17th 1872
 to Esq.

With order
 of Esq. to Esq.
 No 223 of 29th 1872
 calling for plans
 and estimate for
 improvement of
 the Collector's Station
 at Bracadale and
 with order
 transferred

No 1714

and Esq. 18th July
 with order 18th July
 No 1714
 17th Aug 1872

14 to the Board of Rev. Dec 23 August 1872
 21 " Public Works Dept - 1872

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Govt. of 1872 Madras.

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated August 17th.

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 17th August 1872, No. 1,214.

AUGUST.

Nos. 139—141.

Collector's Cutcherry at Masulipatam in
Kistna District.—Letter from the Superintend-
ing Engineer relating to plans and estimates in
connection with it, communicated to the Board of
Revenue.