Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
15th October 1873.

No. 131. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 5th September 1873, Miscellaneous No. 5,684 :—

Read the following letter from W. S. FOSTER, Esq., Acting Collector of the Godavery District, to J. CROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cocanada, 21st August 1873, No. 267.

In submitting a plan and estimate, amounting to Rupees 10,500, prepared by the District Engineer, I have the honour to state that finding, in December last, the building occupied by the Press Department in what I considered a dangerous state, I requested the District Engineer to inspect it. Colonel Fischer condemned it at once, and declared it unsafe for occupation. On this, I had the department removed at once, viz., the Compositors, into the room occupied by my Assistant, thereby putting him to great inconvenience ; for he now has to hold cutcherry in a room 13 feet by 11 feet 6 inches, and the presses were placed in a verandah of one of the out-buildings which I have had enclosed with bamboo-tatties. Under these circumstances, I request that early sanction may be obtained from Government for the expenditure, as the accommodation is much needed.

Submitted for the orders of Government.

2. The Board presume that the building now condemned is incapable of repair.

No. 132. Order thereon, 15th October 1873, No. 1,113.

Miscellaneous.

It is clear that a new building for the Godavery District Press must be constructed, but the present estimate seems somewhat extravagant.

2. The Board of Revenue should have obtained the general approval of Government to the construction of the building, but should have returned the detailed estimate to the Collector for submission in the manner directed in the Government Order noted in the margin. They will now be good enough to adopt this course. A site-plan should also be submitted.

G. O., Revenue Department, dated 27th March 1873, No. 188.

(True Extract.)

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

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

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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Bd. of Revenue, Dated 5th September 1873 Rec'd 18th Sept. 1873.

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Miscellaneous No. 5684

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No. 267

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Acting Collector

To,

J. Grose Esquire
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Madras

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I have &c.

Godavery Dt. Collector's Office
Cocanada
21st August 1873

(Signed) W. L. Foster
Acting Collector

Submitted for the orders of Government

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True copy & Extract

H Ellokes
Acting Secretary

To,
The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department
with Plans, Estimate & Specification

C. M. Narasimma Charry

No 1113 - 15 Oct 73

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G.O.R.D. 1st Mar 1870 No 183

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No 2702.
Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

Dated 6th September 1873
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Rec'd 10 — " —
on 13 Oct 73.

Submitting for orders Plans & Estimate for Godavery District Office & Press at Cocanada.

C. 7 Oct 73 14 13 Clerk