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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
17th March 1874.*

No. 166. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 19th February 1874, No. 375:—

Read the following letter from A. MACGREGOR, Esq., Collector of Malabar, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Calicut, 14th January 1874, No. 7:—

I HAVE the honour to submit, for approval, plan and estimate for a Salt gollah, with iron roof, lined with coir matting, as directed in Board's Proceedings of the 18th July last, No. 1,322.

2. The building is designed to contain twelve rooms, each holding twenty-five garce of salt, as it is found that this manageable size of room affords great protection from embezzlement.

3. The roof is supported on wall plates, resting on masonry pillars, assisted by wooden posts, and no pressure from the salt is exerted on these roof supports, nor is the salt in contact with them, being confined in boarded compartments of mango planking, which is found to stand very well in contact with salt.

4. The estimate comes to Rupees 7,750 for twelve rooms, or Rupees 645 a room.

5. I propose that the first one should be built at once at Beypore, to re-place an iron-roofed engine shed bought from the Railway Company for storing salt, but so shattered by the pressure that it had to be dismantled. The iron and laterite being already available, the cost of the building will amount to only 5,243 Rupees.

6. The contractor, who has prepared the plan, has the timber in store, and will commence cutting it up in the steam saws at Calicut so soon as I am informed that the sum is available and the estimate approved.

7. It will be convenient that the first one should be put up at a place near Calicut, like Beypore, in case of its being found that in practice any slight modifications are necessary.

8. Five such buildings are required at Ponany, and three at Cannanore, costing Rupees 62,000; and if the full amount cannot be allotted in the current year, I beg to suggest that at all events 30,000 Rupees may be assigned to admit of the iron being at once ordered and timber prepared.

9. The buildings will be readily saleable even should the sale of salt by Government be given up.

10. The provision of this secure space for storage will save the danger of fire and obviate other losses from wastage, fraud, etc., and I consider that the money will be well invested.

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ENCLOSURES Nos. 1 to 3.—Plans.

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ENCLOSURES Nos. 4 and 5.—Estimate and Specification report.

THE estimate will be submitted for the orders of Government. The Board think that asphalte would be better and cheaper than stone or iron for the flooring, that the iron for the roof should be of the best possible kind, and should be tarred or painted, else it will soon leak.

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17th March 1874.*

2. The Board cannot allot from the current year's provision so large a sum as Rupees 30,000 in the current year; but if this estimate is sanctioned by Government, funds can probably be found for the gollah which the Collector proposes to build at once at Beypore.

3. The Board will not be able to provide so large a sum as Rupees 30,000 in 1874-75 the grant for Petty Construction and Repairs having been reduced by Government to Rupees 2,10,000 and funds being more urgently wanted elsewhere.

No. 167.

ORDER THEREON, 17th March 1874, No. 357.

Separate Revenue, No. 15.

Salt.

THE construction of the proposed Salt Gollah at Beypore is sanctioned, and the Board will issue early orders for the immediate allotment of the sum

of Rs. 5,243 required for the building. The Government will leave it to the Collector to act or not on the Board's suggestions regarding the flooring, and the tarring or painting of the iron as to him may seem best under local circumstances.

2. The estimates for the other similar buildings are sanctioned for execution so soon as funds can be provided on which point the Board will report.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant-General.
,, the Financial Department.

Ed. G. A. Turton.

No. 375.

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4. The estimate comes to Rupees 7,750 for twelve rooms, or Rupees 645 a room.

5. I propose that the first one should be built at once at Beypore, to re-place an iron-roofed engine shed bought from the Railway Company for storing salt, but so shattered by the pressure that it had to be dismantled. The iron and laterite being already available, the cost of the building will amount to only 5,243 Rupees,

6. The contractor, who has prepared the plan, has the timber in store, and will commence cutting it up in the steam saws at Calicut so soon as I am informed that the sum is available and the estimate approved.

7. It will be convenient that the first one should be put up at a place near Calicut, like Beypore, in case of its being found that in practice any slight modifications are necessary.

8. Five such buildings are required at Ponany, and three at Cannanore, costing Rupees 62,000; and if the full amount cannot be allotted in the current year, I beg to suggest that at all events 30,000 Rupees may be assigned to admit of the iron being at once ordered and timber prepared.

9. The buildings will be readily saleable even should the sale of salt by Government be given up.

10. The provision of this secure space for storage will save the danger of fire and obviate other losses from wastage, fraud, etc., and I consider that the money will be well invested.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 1 to 3.—Plans.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 4 and 5.—Estimate and Specification report.

THE estimate will be submitted for the orders of Government. The Board think that asphalt would be better and cheaper than stone or iron for the flooring, that the iron for the roof should be of the best possible kind, and should be tarred or painted, else it will soon leak.

twenty-five garce of salt, as it is found

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REVENUE.

To THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Ac., Ac., Ac.

Dated March 17th

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 17th March 1874, No. 357.

MARCH.

Nos. 166-167.

Salt Gollah at Beypore.—Sanctions construction of the proposed—; directs the Board to allot the funds; permits Collector to act as he thinks best on the Board's suggestions regarding the flooring etc.; sanctions estimates for other similar buildings.

2. The Board cannot allot from the current year's provision so large a sum as Rupees 30,000 in the current year; but if this estimate is sanctioned by Government, funds can probably be found for the gollah which the Collector proposes to build at once at Beypore.

3. The Board will not be able to provide so large a sum as Rupees 30,000 in 1874-75 the grant for Petty Construction and Repairs having been reduced by Government to Rupees 2,10,000 and funds being more urgently wanted elsewhere.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Sub-Secretary.

To the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with five enclosures.
the Collector of Malabar.

Ed G. A. Turton.

Salt Gollah.—with iron roof, lined with coir matting.—Estimate from Collector of Malabar for construction of — submitted for orders of Government, with remarks.—Collector informed that whole sum of Rupees 30,000 applied of by him for constructing Gollahs of this kind, cannot be allotted.

FEBRUARY.
No. 375.

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PROCEEDINGS, 19TH FEBRUARY 1874, No. 375

MADRAS.

Board of Revenue

1874.



Revenue Department

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 19th February 1874.

Read the following

No. 7

From

A. MacGregor Esquire

Collector of Malabar.

To

J. Grose Esquire

Secretary to the Board
of Revenue.

Sir,

I have the honor to submit for approval plan and Estimate for a Salt gollah with iron roof, lined with Coir matting, as directed in Board's Proceedings of the 18th July last. No. 1322.

2. The building is designed to contain twelve rooms, each holding twenty-five garce of Salt, as it is found

found that this manageable size of rooms affords great protection from embezzlement.

3. The roof is supported on wall plates resting on masonry pillars assisted by wooden posts and no pressure from the Salt is exerted on these roof supports, nor is the salt in contact with them, being confined in boarded compartments of mango planking which is found to stand very well in contact with salt.

4. The estimate comes to Rupees 7750 for twelve rooms or Rupees 645 a room.

5. I propose that the first one should be built at once at Bepore to

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to replace an iron-roofed engine shed bought from the Railway Company for storing salt, but so shattered by the pressure that it had to be dismantled. The iron and laterite being already available, the cost of the building will amount to only 5243 Rupees.

6. The contractor who has prepared the plan has the timber in store and will commence cutting it up in the Steam Saws at Calicut, so soon as saw informed that the sum is available and the estimate approved.

7. It will be convenient that the first one should be put up at a place near Calicut like Bepore, in case of its being found that in practice

practice any slight modifications are necessary.

8. Five such buildings are required at Ponany and three at Cannanore, costing Rupees 62000, and, if the full amount cannot be allotted in the current year, I beg to suggest that, at all events 30,000 Rupees may be assigned to admit of the iron being at once ordered and timber prepared.

9. The Buildings will be readily saleable even should the sale of Salt by Government be given up.

10. The provision of this secure space for storage will save the danger

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danger of fire and obviate other losses from wastage fraud &c., and I consider that the money will be well invested.

Malabar } I have the
Collector's office } signed, A. Macgregor
Calicut } Collector.
14th January 1874.

1. The Estimate will be submitted for the orders of Government. The Board think that asphalt would be better and cheaper than stone or iron for the flooring, that the iron for the roof should be of the best possible kind, and should be tarred or painted, else it will soon leak.
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2. The Board cannot allot from the current year's provision so large a sum as Rupees 30,000 in the current year; but if the estimate is sanctioned by Government, funds can probably be found for the gollah which the Collector proposes to build at once at Bysapore.

3. The Board will not be able to provide so large a sum as Rupees 30,000 in 1874-75, the grant for Petty Construction and Repair having been reduced by Government to Rupees 2,10,000, and funds being more urgently wanted elsewhere.

True copy, Extract,

H. K. John

As. Subsecretary

To The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department
Copy to be sent with 5 enclosures.

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of 18th July 1873—submitted for
orders of Government with
construction of—as directed
in Board's Order of 13th 1872
Estimates, received from
Collector of Malabar, for
Salt Collah—with
iron roof etc.—Plans &

Subject

S.O. No. 357-17 March 1874

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Dated 19th February 1874
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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 17th March 1874.

Read the following Proceedings of the
Revenue.

March 14. 1874

My dear Master

In re the enclosed
Proceedings I hope you
will be able to have the
5243 required for Baypur
before the end of the month.

There are some old savings
somewhere. — it is a great
object to get the building
done at once for several
reasons. chiefly to give
time for experience of it

February 1874

The construction
of Salt Collah at
is sanctioned, and
will issue early
the immediate allot-
ment of Rs. 5243
for the building. The
leave it to the Collector

work on the Board's
suggestions regarding the
flooring, and the tarring or
painting

L. O. S.

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iron roof 4 1/2 — Plans &
Estimates, received from
Collector of Malabar, for
construction of — as directed
in Board's Order of 13th 1872
of 18th July 1873 — submitted for
orders of Government with
certain remarks.

before the other are
commenced.

There are 2 a certain
pottles out of 5 in this
district. They are in
a continual state of
repair at this time
of year. Cammar has
been burnt twice or
three times during the
last 3 years.

The Board have made

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 17th March 1874.

READ the following Proceedings of the
Revenue Department.

a mistake in thinking
that the floor is 5 lb
iron or stone. It is
5 lb of rammed laterite
gravel. Perhaps the term
in the Estimate being here
been iron stone which
is sometimes applied to
those very hard laterite
pebbles. There again
as to tarring the roof.
Tar is the worst thing

February 1874

The construction
posed salt lollah at
is sanctioned, and
will issue early
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to sum of Rs 5243
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flooring, and the tarring or
painting

J. B. S.

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iron roof 24th — Plans & Estimates, received from Collector of Malabar, for construction of — as directed in Board's Order of 18th July 1873 — submitted for orders of Government with certain remarks.

that can be put on iron. induces scaling risk. This been abolished in the Navy. The estimate provided for galvanized corrugated iron of which there is ample surplus in Calicut. as besides our enormous range of custom House sheds all the mercantile firms use it. It will last as it does not leak for years. 5777/74
Submitted by
J. M. M. M.
A. M. M. M.

Sep. Revenue Salt

Revenue Department.

No. 357

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 17th March 1874.

Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

Subm. for order of Govt with certain remarks, plans and estimates received from Col. of Malabar, for construction of Salt Goddah with iron roof &c, as directed in B. O. No. 1322 of 18th July 1873

H. E. 19. February 1874

[Signature]

The construction of the proposed Salt Goddah at Buzpore is sanctioned, and the Board will issue early orders for the immediate allotment of the sum of Rs. 5243 required for the building. The Govt will leave it to the Collector to act or not on the Board's suggestions regarding the flooring, and the tarring or painting

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may seem best under local
circumstances.

2. The estimates for
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be over for the present
are sanctioned for execu-
tion so soon as funds can
be provided. *C. M. C.*
on which point
the Board will report.

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