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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
1st September 1875.*

No. 1. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 25th June 1875, No. 1,761, Forest No. 117 :—

Read the following letter from W. H. GLENNY, Esq., Acting Collector of Kurnool, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 3rd June 1875, No. 192 :—

In February or March 1872, pursuant to G. O., No. 284, dated 13th February 1872, a bungalow at Nandial was bought for the Forest Assistant for Rupees 510, and Rupees 400 were spent on its repair. This was done in accordance with a valuation and estimate submitted by the Department Public Works. The repairs were executed by the Forest Department.

2. After the heavy rains of last autumn the Forest Assistant complained of the state of the bungalow. In his letter, No. 5, dated 22nd January 1875, the District Engineer confirmed the Range Officer's report that the bungalow was unsafe, described it as built of bad materials, and recommended that it should be abandoned and a new one erected. The Forest Assistant left the bungalow in last April.

3. The District Engineer now requests authority to pull down the building, sell the unserviceable materials, (which he thinks will fetch about Rupees 35) and store the serviceable materials, estimated as worth about Rupees 150. The bungalow being deserted, is exposed to the risk of being plundered as well as to damage from weather.

4. The bungalow certainly seems to have lasted a very short time, considering its recent acquisition and repair at a (total) cost of Rupees 910. But clearly the best thing to do with it would be to pull it down at once. I have the honor to ask for permission to do so. The letters (Nos. 5 and 77, of 22nd January and 31st May 1875, and Nos. 616 and 169 of 19th January and 29th May 1875), of the District Engineer and the Range Officer, copies of which are herewith submitted, put it beyond doubt that repair of the building would be false economy. I shall address you on the subject of building a new bungalow.

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ENCLOSURES Nos. 1 to 4.—Copies of correspondence.
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SUBMITTED to Government in order that sanction may be accorded to pull down the building.

2. The Board think that explanation should be obtained in the Public Works Department, why the real state of the building was not brought to notice before it was purchased and repaired.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

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

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
1st September 1875.*

No. 2. ORDER THEREON, 1st September 1875, No. 1,302.

Forests, No. 1.

SANCTION is accordingly granted for
pulling down the building.

2. Paragraph 2 of the Board's
Proceedings will be transferred to the Public Works Department. The valuation
estimate and plan which were prepared in December 1871 by Mr. G. A. Vardon will
be forwarded to the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. MACGREGOR,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

„ the Inspector of Forests.

„ the Public Works Department, with 1 plan and 1 estimate.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

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1-12-75
Note for 3631 p.p.p.

Bungalow at Nandial in the Kurnool District bought for the Forest Assistant in 1872.—Granting sanction for pulling down the —, transferring to the Public Works Department paragraph 2 of the Board's Proceedings regarding the state of the building before its purchase and repair, together with the valuation estimate and plan which were prepared in December 1871 by Mr. G. A. Vardon.

Nos. 1-2.

SEPTEMBER.

G. O., 1st September, 1875, No. 1,302.

Recd. Dated September, 1st.

Encl.

THE BOARD OF REVENUE

No., No., No.

To

REVENUE.

Govt. of 1875: 30/10/75.

FOREST No. 117.

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ENCLOSURES Nos. 1 to 4.—Copies of correspondence.

SUBMITTED to Government in order that sanction may be accorded to pull down the building.

2. The Board think that explanation should be obtained in the Public Works Department, why the real state of the building was not brought to notice before it was purchased and repaired.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

H. E. Stokes
Acting Secretary.

To the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with four enclosures, to be returned.

Copy to the Collector of Kurnool.
.. to the Inspector of Forests.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

No. 5.

District Engineer's Office
Camp, Nandial, Nandial Taluk
The 2nd January 1875

From The District Engineer
Kurnool
To The Collector of
Kurnool.

Subject. Forest office & Forest
officer's bungalow at Nandial.

Sir, I have the honour to forward
to be returned. a letter No. 616 dated 19th instant
from the Range officer Nandial
regarding the state of the Forest
office & bungalow at that station
for information.

As requested by you I
inspected the buildings on the 2nd
instant, and beg to observe that
Mr Vardon has not exaggerated
the dangerous state of them.

The bungalow and office I
consider merely temporary buildings,
as they are built very indifferent
of brick in mud and covered with
thatch, with a very slight sea-skinning.

QO 13 Feb 12 1875

No. 1875. Dated
21st 603 No. 2581

1875.

Board of Revenue,

MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS, 25th JUNE 1875, No. 1,761.

21st 603

Encl. 4
O.D. 1702. 1st 603
Received 5th July

JUNE.
Forest No. 117.

Bungalow—at Nandial in Kurnool District,
which was bought for the Forest Assistant in
1872.—Letter from Collector requesting per-
mission to pull down the — on account of its
unsafe condition, submitted to Government
for necessary sanction. Opinion expressed that
explanation should be obtained in the Public
Works Department, as to why the real state of
the building was not brought to notice before it
was purchased and repaired.

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QO 13 Feb 12 1875

No. 1875. Dated
21st 603 No. 2581

partly of wood and bamboo.

In my opinion it would be more economical to build a pukka Bungalow with an office attached and sell the old buildings.

I have &c

/Signed/ W. A. Goodchap
District Engineer.

True Copy

W. A. Goodchap
at C.W.

Recd 3
2581/7

Recd 1
2581/7

No 77.

Date 31st of May 1875.

Subject - Forest Office Bungalow
at Nandial.

From The District Engineer
Kurnool

To The Collector
Kurnool.

Sir,

In forwarding a copy
of letter from the Range Officer
Nandial, I have the honour
to request that you will be
good enough to issue instruc-
tions regarding the above Bunge-
low.

I have &c

/Signed/ W. A. Goodchap.
District Engineer.

True Copy.

W. A. Goodchap
Collector.

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A
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No 616.

Kandial Range office
Camp Moottialpand
19th January 1875.

To The District Engineer
Kumaol.

Subject - Forest office & Forest
officers Bungalows at Kandial.

Sir, I have the honour to inform
you that these buildings are now
in a dangerous state; estimates
to repair them were submitted on
20th June 1873 and 4th September 1874
for Rs 150 + 390, but up to date no
orders have been received regarding
them; I thought it my duty to bring
their unsafe condition to your special
notice.

I have &c

Signed / G. A. Wardon
Range officer.

True Copy

W. Wardon
Collector.

W.
D.C.

Recd.

20/1/75

20/1/75

Copy of a letter from the Range
Officer Nandial to the District
Engineer Kurnool No. 169 dated
the 29th May 1875.

Sir, I have the honour to request

for the Rev: Dept
who purchased
the building.

You will kindly grant me per-
mission to pull down the existing
Forest Officer's Bungalow at Nandial,
and sell the unserviceable materials
by public auction, retaining those
that will be of use hereafter, if
this plan be not adopted the
materials are liable to be stolen,
because Mr. Hoileaud does not
occupy the building now, and there
is no person to watch it.

I have &c
/Signed/ G. A. Vardon
Range Officer.

True copy.
/Signed/ W. A. Goddard
District Engineer.

/True Copy/
W. A. Goddard
Collector.

See 1.
L. A. Goddard
25/5/75

No. 376

9/302

Official Memorandum.

Reference—

Official Memorandum N^o 111 dated 6th Instant

The ^{Off.} Inspector of Forests has the honor to forward the 3
enclosures to G. O. N^o 284 dated 13th February 1892
as requested

Recd.
L. E. R. No 2057
Dec 2/95
2581/95

Campbell-Walker *Captain*

Office of Inspector of Forests,
Ootacamund, 22nd July 1895.

Off. - Inspector of Forests.

To
The Acting Secretary to Govt.
R. D.

No 48.

Kurnool Collector's Office
On Circuit Nandikotkur
16th January 1872.

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Enclosure

From

J A N Chase Esquire
Collector of Kurnool.

In letter No 887 of
3rd Febry 1872 from
the Comr to the Secy
to Govt R. D.

To

The Conservator of Forests
Madras.

Sir,

In reply to your letter No 627 dated 20th October
1871 I have the honor to forward an estimate of the
value amounting to Rs 107-10-0 and plan of the
building in question prepared by the Range Officer
at Nandial.

2. The Government Order received therewith
is returned.

I have the honor to be

Sir
Your most Obedient Servant.

J. Chase
Collector.

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No 1302

Under date the 1st September 1875

Read the following Pro^{ts} of the
Board of Revenue

(K. & C. 25th June 1875 No. 1761.)

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The Val. Nat. sl'd
beats earth. Prod.
I don't myself see
any surprise. It be
expected at the speed
which you have moved the
with out house for. The Gov
paid only abt. \$500 -

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estimate and plan were:
prepared in December
41 by W. G. B. Vardon
the P. W. Department
and the building is now
undermined by the same
fire (22.8.81)
J. W. B.

Board of Revenue Dec 7 1881
Inspector of Forests. S
P. W. Dept, with 1 plan & estimate.

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Wampoles at Nandial bought
for 1000 Aft. ordered to be
pulled down on account of
its unsafe condition

Co.

at Nandial