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G.O. NO.	<i>19</i> <i>200</i>
Dated	<i>6.1.1947</i>

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Archaeology - Ancient Monuments - Fort St. George
Protection of places of historical interest - Papers recorded:

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Memo 2045C/46-1 Edn., dated 17-1-46

It has been suggested that Fort. St. Geo.
the ramparts, church etc ^{ie. parts} of historical
interest, ~~and~~ should be scheduled as ^{Ancient} Historical
Monuments. The Supdt, Archaeological Survey of
India, Southern Circle, is requested to offer his
remarks on the suggestion.

Revised 22/5/46

To the Supdt,
Arch. S of India
Southern Circle
Mysore

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17/1/46

No. 18/171

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Archaeological Survey of India,
Southern Circle, Mylapore,
Madras. Dated the 22nd January '46.

Dear Mr. Coorey,

Ref:- Your memorandum No. 2045.C/46.1.Edn.,
dated 17-1-1946.

I shall be happy to see the Fort St. George,
the ramparts, church etc., to enable me to offer
my remarks regarding your suggestion for their
protection. Please let me know your convenience.
Yours sincerely,

T. Kawaschander
Superintendent. 22-1-46

C.O. Coorey, Esq., I.C.S.,
Deputy Secretary to Government,
Education & Public Health Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.

Perhaps the
should be not get
a special pass for
the visiting authorities
for this?

At replied

Y.O.S. Cia
26/1/2006

No. 3224 Q3. (5) 5
HQ 164 (MADRAS) SUB AREA.
MADRAS 14 A.P.O.
36 JAN 46.

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To:-

O.C., MADRAS CDS (CAF(I)).

31 JAN 1946
SUB:- FORT ST GEORGE: THE RAMPARTS, CHURCH ETC. PROTECTION UNDER
THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS PRESERVATION ACT.

Further to our No 3224 Q3 dated 17 Jan 46.

1. A copy of Govt of Madras, Edn and Public Health Dept. No 2045 C.2 Edn dated 28 Jan 46 is fwded.
2. It is requested that arrangements be made to afford the Supdt, Archaeological Survey of India all facilities during his visit to the Fort.
3. The exact date of arrival will be notified later.

SJ/-
Copy to:-

C.O. COOREY ESQ., M.B.E., I.C.S.,
Deputy Secy to the Govt of Madras,
Fort St George. With ref to his a/q letter.

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D.O. 2045 C/46-2 Bdn 84.2.46

Dear Mr. Ramachandran,

Sub:- Fort St. George, the ramparts, church
etc. - Protection under the Ancient
Monuments Preservation Act.

Ref:- Your D.O. No. 18/171 dated 22-1-46.

I am to say that arrangements have been made
with the military authorities to give you all facilities
during your visit to the Fort. The exact date of your
visit will have to be intimated in advance to the
military authorities. I am to ^{therefore} ask when you propose
to visit the Fort. ~~know the exact date of your visit~~

Yours sincerely,

To
T.N. Ramachandran Esq.,
Supdt.,
Arch. Survey of India,
Southern Circle,
Mylapore.

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D.O.No. 18/272

Archaeological Survey of India,
Southern Circle, Mylapore,
Madras. Dated the 6th Feb. '46.

Dear Mr. Coorey,

Many thanks for your D.O.No. 2045.C.46.2.Edn.
dated 4-2-1946 regarding protection of parts in
Fort St. George 1946

Subj: *Subj*
the instance of Dr. Wheeler, my Director
General, I had occasion to write on the 1st
February to Col. D.M.Reid, Madras Guards, A.F.I.,
whose reply is expected any moment. I should
very much like to inspect in his company the
places in the Fort of interest to us, in view
of his expert knowledge of the subject. I
believe he is the chief of the Military
authorities there.

I shall intimate the date of my visit to
the Fort as soon as I hear from him.

Yours sincerely,

J.N. Ramachandran
Superintendent. 6-2-46

To
C.O. Coorey, Esq., I.C.S., O.B.E.,
Deputy Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.

Edu and P.H. Dept

The further communication promised
may be awaited.

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No. 28(95)/4208/10
Archaeological Survey of India,
Southern Circle, Mylapore,
Madras. Dated the 14th Feb. '46

Dear Mr. Coorey,

Arising from the question of protecting certain parts of the Fort St. George as Ancient Monuments, both Dr. Wheeler and myself are not only very much impressed with the architectural and historical value of some of the buildings in the Fort but also with the need for our Department to keep an eye upon their future as well as upon their past. In order to ensure this it is essential that we should have my office in the Fort. Col.D.M.Reid of the Madras Guards has been very helpful and thanks to his interest we are likely to get accommodation in the Fort in the Military Lines.

I believe there is no objection from your Government to this our move, for you have been having all along unsolved the problem of finding suitable accommodation for my office.

Will you please treat this matter as urgent and let me know by return of post, if possible?

Yours sincerely,

J.V. Ramachander
Superintendent

C.O.Coorey, Esq., I.C.S.,
Deputy Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.

Letter
Ref.2045C/46-4 Edn., dated 26.2.46 C₂To
The Commandant,
H.Q. 164 (Madras) Sub Area, Madras.
(with uel)

Sir,

Sub:- Office of the Supdt., Archaeological Survey
of India, Southern Circle - Accommodation
in Fort.

I am directed to forward a copy of D.O.No.28(95)/

420 dated the 14th February 1946 received from the

Supdt., Archaeological Survey of India, Southern

Circle and to request whether H.Q. 164 (Madras) Sub Area in

~~whose control the Fort (military) buildings are~~

have agreed to provide accommodation for the office of

the Supdt., Arch. Survey of India, Southern circle,

in the Fort in the Military lines, and the exact nature

of the accommodation that can be spared.

y.o.s.

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Circle 2/27/2

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Ref your No.2045-C/46-4 Ldn dated 26 FEB 46.

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Commandant, HQ, Madras Sub-area,
No 3224 Q3 of 6-4-66

DP 26/4/66

Trans no 2025-7

Sub. Officer, Madras Sub-area, is requested to arrange direct
of India, Circle. Accommodation in Fort
St. George.

Mr. Officer, letter no 3224 Q3 of 6-4-66,
received from Commandant, HQ,
Madras Sub-area, is communicated
to Mr. Officer, Madras Sub-area, and he is requested to arrange direct
with HQ, Madras Sub-area, as to the
nature of accommodation required
and other details relating to the
of this office to the Fort.

2. This office has no objection to the
same

(Signature)

location of the office of the Supt. Arch. Survey of India, Madras to Fort St. George.
 3. The Supt. Arch. Survey of India, Madras is requested to submit a report relating to the protection of certain parts of the Fort of Ancient Monuments.
 2. send his reply to Govt. memo No. 2045C/46-1 Dtd 17.1.46 at an early date.

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 22.4.46

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 Arch. Survey of India
 S. Srinivas
 Madras
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No. A.17/26
 H.Q. Madras Guards, A.F.(I),
 Fort St. George,
 MADRAS, 10 May 46.
 11 MAY 1946
 H.Q. Madras Sub-Area.
 Sub:- FORT ST. GEORGE - ARCHAEOLOGICAL DEPT. OF GOVT. OF INDIA - SCHEDULING OF ANCIENT MONUMENTS.
 25302

- The office of the Archaeological Survey of India, Southern Circle is now established in FORT ST. GEORGE. All the necessary authorities have co-operated and the Supt. Mr. T.N. RAMACHANDRAN, M.A., is preparing a list of buildings for maintenance as historic places in FORT ST. GEORGE.
- While the maintenance of the scheduled places in the Fort will be a charge on the Archaeological Survey of India, any repairs that Military Authorities propose to do themselves in respect of such places should be done with the approval of the Superintendent of the Archaeological Society and under his guidance.
 - This is to ensure that the antiquity of the scheduled parts is not disturbed.
 - To enable the Archaeological Dept. to keep an eye on the future as well as on the past of the scheduled monuments in the Fort it is essential that its tenure of its office building in the Fort should be officially recorded and all questions of tenure settled as between the Army Dept. and the Government of India. May this be referred to such high authority as has control over this question.
 - The provision of office needs to the building occupied by the Archaeological Survey of India, in the Fort, such as telephones, godowns, garage, lights, fans, etc., forms the legitimate charge of the Garrison Engineer. This procedure is working smoothly and may be permitted to continue.
 - For the immediate present, close co-operation between the Garrison Engineer and the Superintendent of the Archaeological Survey of India is sufficient to ensure smooth working. May orders please be issued to the Garrison Engineer NOT to touch any building or place in the proposed scheduled list without reference to the Superintendent, Archaeological Survey, Govt. of India. It should be noted that there is no intention of interfering with the OCCUPATION of buildings, but only to protect, preserve and maintain the antiquity of the places and buildings.
 - The formation and organisation of a Museum in the Fort mainly for ancient weapons and equipment, has progressed satisfactorily and is proposed to be located in two rooms on the ground floor of the present Madras Guards Officers' Mess Building, on the South side of the entrance, which are not likely to be required for any other purpose in the future. The Superintendent of the Madras Government Museum is co-operating closely, especially in the transfer of relevant arms, cannon, weapons, etc., from that Museum.

Letter received from H.Q. Madras, 10.5.46
 240927C
 4/5/46

For the proper working of the Fort Museum an Advisory Board is necessary, consisting of:-

1. The Hon. Minister for Education (?)
2. The Deputy Secretary, Dept. of Education, Govt. of Madras
3. The Commanding Officer, Madras Guards, or other military officer nominated by Madras Area, Sub-Area or by such other formation as may in future similarly be appointed.
4. The Superintendent, Archaeological Survey of India, Southern Circle.
5. The Superintendent, Government Museum, Madras.

Pending further orders this Committee will start to work out and establish the Fort Museum, pending approval of the Govt. of Madras.

It is requested that some confirmation of tenure may be given for this Fort Museum.

6. A tentative list of buildings and places to be scheduled is attached, marked Appendix "A".

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W. J. P.

For Sent

COLONEL,
Commanding The Madras Guards, AF(I).

Copy to: Deputy Secretary, Education, Govt. of Madras.
Superintendent, Archaeological Survey, Govt. of India,
Southern Circle, Fort St. George
Superintendent, Govt. Museum, Madras, with particular
reference to paragraph 5.

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Tentative list of buildings and places proposed to be scheduled as Ancient Monuments in Fort St. George.

1. Rampart and its bastions with vaulted chambers underneath and most all round comprising of
 - (a) South Sea Gate and its bastion where the flag staff is situated.
 - (b) Wall connecting the South Sea Gate Bastion and the San Thome Bastion at the south-east corner.
 - (c) San Thome Bastion.
 - (d) Wall named as San Thome Curtain connecting San Thome Bastion and San Thome Gate.
 - (e) San Thome Gate proper with an arched passage.
 - (f) Wall connecting San Thome Gate and Wallajah Bastion.
 - (g) Wallajah Bastion with its western defences and tunnel with loop holes with the glacis to the extent of the present barbed wire fencing limits.
 - (h) Wall connecting the Wallajah Bastion and the Wallajah Gate and the moat between them.
 - (i) Wall connecting Wallajah Gate and St. George Bastion.
 - (j) St. George Bastion known as Fort Amman.
 - (k) Wall connecting the St. George Bastion and St. George's Gate.
 - (l) St. George's Gate with Ravelin.
 - (m) Wall connecting St. George's Gate and Royal Bastion.
 - (n) Royal Bastion at the north-west corner to the limit of gateway on the northside.
 - (o) Wall known as North Curtain connecting Royal Bastion and Gateway Orillean Demi-Bastion with a gateway.
 - (p) Orillean Demi-Bastion.
 - (q) Wall connecting Orillean Demi-Bastion and north-east Demi-Bastion.
 - (r) North-east Demi-Bastion at the north-east corner.
 - (s) Wall connecting the North-east Demi-Bastion and the South Sea Gate Bastion.

Note: The moat all round the fort with glacis to the extent of the existing barbed wire fence on all the sides.

2. Guard Room (Block V)
3. St. Mary's Church with tablets laid on the ground and enclosed by a compound. (buried well inside the compound to be unearthed).
4. Big ware house south of the Church Library.
5. Nursing Sister's house (Headquarters Nurse - Block I-5).
6. Last house on the left of "Snobs Alley". (Oldest house in the Fort with carved staircase - Block I/1)
7. Chaplain's house including portion which is on the northern side of the old wall (between block Nos. II/1 and II/2) with treasure in the Chaplain's house consisting of silver ware, iron chest, wooden cash box, old Bible, church records etc.
8. Wellesley House built in 1798.
9. Arsenal between Wellesley House and Olive's house with shells and cannons piled together near the gateway.
10. Olive's house built in 1753.
11. Garrison Engineer's Depot (Recent construction)
12. King's Barracks.
13. Dressing rooms of garrison theatre.
14. British Infantry Officers' Mess (with model of the fort of 1880 kept in the first floor - Block No. XXXVI/2).
15. Apsidal wings of the Secretariat Building opposite to the South Sea Gate (Limits : its joint to the modern three storeyed building on the west side).

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Commanding The Madras Gendarmerie, Madras.

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Superintendent, Archaeological Survey, Govt. of India,
Southern Circle, Fort St. George,
Superintendent, Govt. Museum, Madras, with particular
reference to paragraph 5.

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Fraser - Archaeological Dept
of Govt of India - Scheduling of Ancient
Monuments. Ref: letter no. A.F.O. 16 of 10.5.46
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I am directed to receipt of your
letter no. A.F.O. 16 of 10.5.46 on the subject
mentioned above and to request
you to communicate to the
orders of U.S., making reference to the
matter

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T.N. Ramachandran, M.A.,
Superintendent.

MS/1272
Archaeological Survey of India,
Southern Circle,
Fort St. George, Madras.9.
Dated the 28th May 1946.

29 MAY 1946

To
The Deputy Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.9.

Sir,

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Sub: Formation of a museum in Fort St. George.

Ref: Letter No. A.17/26, dated 10-5-46 from the Officer
Commanding, The Madras Guards A.F(I), to HQ, Sub Area,
(copy endorsed to you).

With reference to paragraph 5 of the Col. Reid's letter
mentioned above, I should like to meet and discuss with you
details regarding the formation and organisation of a museum in
the Fort. Will you kindly fix an engagement and let me know?

SVR/

K.R. Srinivas
for Superintendent.
28.5.46

Telegraphic Address:
Archaeological Superintendent,
~~Mylapore~~ (Madras). 9

Phone No. 2152.

No. MS/1297

Office of the Superintendent,
Archaeological Survey of India,
Southern Circle,

Mylapore (Madras), 31-5-1946.

FROM

T. N. Ramachandran, Esq., M.A.,
Superintendent,

Archaeological Survey of India,

Southern Circle,

Fort St. George, Madras. 9.

TO

The Deputy Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.

29440 Subject :-

Fort St. George - the ramparts, Church etc. -
Protection under the A.M.P Act.

Sir,

With reference to your reminder dated 27-5-46
on your Memo No. 2045/C-46/1 Edn., dated 17-1-46,
I have to inform you that the matter is receiving
our careful attention. In this connection your
attention is invited to the annexure to letter No.
A.17/26, dated 10-5-46 of Col. D.M. Reid to H.Q. Madras
Sub Area, copy of which was communicated to you,
which was drawn up by me in consultation with
Col. Reid, for the purpose.

The specifications of the monuments noted in the
annexure to Col. Reid's letter are being prepared
with the aid of the Garrison Engineer. When this
is complete necessary action such as notification
by the Government of India under the Ancient Monuments
Preservation Act will be taken up in time.

SVR

T. N. Ramachandran
Superintendent.

Further communication with ref. to
A above may be awaited

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D.O. No. 2045-9C2
12/6/46
Dear Mr. Ramachandran.

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Formation of a Museum in Frat St.
George. Ref. your letter No. MS/12/20 28/10/46

I am today that you can meet
me on any working day between
10.30 am to 1.30 pm or 2.30 pm to 5 PM.
You may find me a Ring Road in
Left Exchange No 3915 before
coming in.

and ask to be
put into to me
To ✓ 12-6-46
T.N. Ramachandran
Esq. A.A.

Supdt. Arch. Survey of
India
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Frat St. George
Madras

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Yours sincerely,
Smt
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Copy of D.O.No.2319 dated 9th November 1946 from the Superintendent, Archaeological Survey of India, Southern Circle, Madras 9., to the Deputy Secretary to Government, Education & Public Health Department.

Please refer to your Department Memorandum No.24092-5 C2-Education dated 8-10-1946, which had escaped my notice. Brigadier R.J. Mackay, Officer Commanding, Headquarters, Madras Sub Area, is opposed to the idea of the formation of the Fort Museum, as there is no space for a museum now owing to the Manchester Regiment having moved into all available space in the Fort.

The protection of the places of historical interest in the Fort, a schedule of which was forwarded by Col.D.M. Reid to his higher military authorities, is, I must admit, progressing though at a snail's pace. Brig. Mackay wrote to me some time ago that he had referred the matter to Headquarters, Madras Area, for onward transmission to the General Headquarters, Delhi. I have since reminded him for the result. I have also requested the Director General of Archaeology in India to contact the Quarter Master General, General Headquarters, Delhi, and expedite matters.

It will thus be seen that while Brig. Mackay has no objection for the proposed protection of the scheduled places of historical interest in the Fort, he has definitely shelved the Fort museum project. Col.Reid, who is now at Norfolk and whom I addressed on the subject, has sent to me his reply which, being very interesting, I am enclosing ~~copy~~ a copy for your perusal.

I should very much welcome your further advice in the matter.

(True Copy)

Copy of D.O. No. 1313 dated 22 November 1945 from the Superintendent,
Archaeological Survey of India, Government of India, to the Deputy
Secretary to Government, Education & Public Health Department.

Please refer to your Department Memorandum No. 24083-5 CS-Excavation dated
8-10-1945, which has reached my notice. Mr. R. J. Mackay, Officer Commanding,
Headquarters, Madras Sub Area, is opposed to the plan of the formation of the
Fort Museum, as there is no space for a museum now owing to the numerous rest-
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It is suggested that
Lt. St. Leger
in the ramparts Church
etc. is the historical
parts - the
Scheduled as a
Historical monument.
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Please see A₂¹⁰ minute ⁽²⁰⁾ on page 1 ante. The
Supt of Archaeology may be consulted. A draft
memo is subd.

1/11/46

17/1/46

[Issued as Memo. 2045C/46-1 Edn., dated 17-1-46]

From the Supt., Arch. Survey of India, Southern Circle,

No. 18/171 dated 22-1-46.

Put up the file. Should he not get a
Special pass from the Military authorities
for this.

b.o.b.
24.2.46.

It has been ascertained that he should get
the previous permission of the Military authorities. A
draft letter is subd.

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26/1/46

[Issued as letter No. 2045C-2 Edn., dated 26-1-46]

From the Commandant, H.A. 164, Sub Area, No 3224 Q3 dated
30-1-46.

A draft D.O. to the Supt of Arch. is submitted
for approval.

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[Issued as D.O. 2045C/46-2 Edn., dated 4-2-46]

From the Supt., Arch. Survey of India, Southern Circle,
D.O. 18/272 dated 6-2-46

From the Supt., Arch. Survey of India, Southern Circle,
D.O. No 28(95)/420 dated 14-2-46

Please see the D.O. from the Supt of
Archaeology on pp 9 and 10 cf. It would seem
that the Supt., and Dr. Wheeler, Director-General

of Archaeology have already visited the Fort and have been taken round by Col. D.M. Reid. The Supt now says that Col. D.M. Reid has agreed to provide accommodation for his office of the Supt of Archaeology in the Fort in the military lines. The Supt has been requesting this Govt for providing additional accommodation for his office. He has been informed that the question of finding a suitable building for his office has to be postponed till normal conditions return. Attention is invited to the papers at (K), (Q) and (P). Perhaps this Govt. need not object to the Office of the Supt of Archaeology being located in the Fort if the military authorities can provide the necessary accommodation. Public (C.D) may see.

18/2/46.

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DEPUTY SECRETARY
18 FEB 1946
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PUBLIC DEPARTMENT
12/46

The S.O. at Hq 9-10 C.F. and the Notes on pp. 3-4 above and as per Hq. may be forwarded and the file returned to Edn. & P.H.

I feel that it would be wise to find out from Col. M. Reid exactly what he is offering and whether the proposal has the "blessing" of Hqrs. 164 Sub Area in whose control the Fort (military) buildings are.

18/2/46

Pub (eo) 667/46

Please see the note of Public Department on 18/2/46 and draft letter is submitted for approval.

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[Circular 2045-6/46 of 9.2.46]
19/6/67 from the Commandant, Hq Madras Sub Area, N. 524/63, dated 6.6.46

The Hq Madras Sub-Area have agreed to provide accommodation for the office of the Superintendent, Archaeological Survey of India, in Fort St. George. The portion previously occupied by the Central Boot Repair Shop will be allotted to this office. It is reported that the Superintendent, Archaeological Survey of India, has already inspected the accommodation and agreed to occupy it. The Superintendent may be asked to arrange direct with the Hq Madras Sub Area for the shifting of his office to the Fort.

22.4.46

With reference to para 2 of his office D.O. on page 10 c.f., the Superintendent, Archaeological Survey, may be informed that this Government have no objection to his office moving into the Fort. Draft memo is submitted. Public may see before issue

DEPUTY SECRETARY
9 APR 1946
1730
PUBLIC DEPARTMENT

18.4.46

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(Previous notes on p. 4 ante). The S.O. at Hq 9-10 C.F. and the Notes on pp. 3-4 above and as per Hq. may be forwarded and the file returned to Edn. & P.H.

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26 APR 1946

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The draft memo may now issue

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in cases of this kind which are
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Thanks. Love

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Attention is invited to Copy of the G.O.
from the Supdt., Archaeological Survey of
India, to the Deputy Secy. at page 30 d. 7. on
the subjects of the ~~fort~~ formation of the
Fort Museum and the protection of the
places of historical interest in the fort. The
papers on the former subject have since
been recorded in G.O. No. 2406. Edu., dated,

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16-12-46. In view of the ^{Report of the Supdt.} ~~Statement at A on~~
Archaeological Survey of India, Southern Circle,
~~the Copy of the G.O. mentioned above viz.~~

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that the matter of the protection of the
places of historical interest in the fort is
progressing at a snail's pace, the papers
may be recorded for the present and further
action taken on the receipt of a further
communication in the matter.

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(signed) H. A. ...

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