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Fort St. George, Judicial Consultation, 18th January 1859.

No. 18. Read the following letter from C. W. READE, Esq., Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam; to W. H. BAYLEY, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Nursipatam, 4th December 1858, No. 76.

SIR,

On receipt of the Minutes of Consultation, dated 3rd November 1858, No. 1538, I communicated with Lieutenant Dakeyne at present with the Sappers, both officially and privately, but to this date I have received no acknowledgment whatever from him.

2. Captain Hill the Officer who commands the Sappers, however, wrote to me in demi-official form 18 days ago, saying that Lieutenant Dakeyne did not now wish to join the Sebundies, and complaining of Lieutenant Dakeyne's appointment unknown to himself as Commanding Officer. I informed Captain Hill that Lieutenant Dakeyne was not compelled to join against his wishes but that he should himself intimate to me his refusal, in order that I might submit it to Government, accompanied by my nomination of an Officer in his place; but to this date I have received no further communication from either Captain Hill or Lieutenant Dakeyne.

3. The state of affairs in Jeypore had determined me to proceed there the first week in January next, when I hope by my presence, to arrange various matters in the way of reform requiring my personal aid and interference, and I had proposed going up by one pass and coming down by that through which Government have lately sanctioned a new road at a cost of 1½ lac of Rupees; the two Companies of Sebundies destined to occupy Palcondah under Lieutenant Dobree were to accompany me, and the Engineer of the District had also arranged to be of the party, in view to making further observations as well as a more minute inspection of the country through which the intended new line of road should pass.

4. But my arrangement in this respect as well as for the occupation of Palcondah by the Sebundies in February next, which I had intimated to the Major General of the Division, will I fear be somewhat retarded by this change of mind in Lieutenant Dakeyne and by his delay to intimate such change to me up to this late period, I have therefore thought it better at once to submit to Government the names of two Officers in his stead, the 1st of these is Lieutenant Gahagan of the 10th Regiment, and now doing duty with the Sappers. Lieutenant Gahagan has passed for staff and is in every way qualified and he wishes for the post. The other Officer is Lieutenant Stonhouse of the 5th Regiment, whom I have already mentioned in para. 6 of my letter under date the 14th October, No. 62, and who promises to pass his examination after six months from the date of joining, having already made tolerable progress in the acquisition of the Hindoostani language.

5. I really know of no other Officer eligible for the post and who at the same time desires it, so I must solicit Government will be pleased to appoint any one else they may think proper should they be unable to comply with my nomination in the case of either of the two Officers I have mentioned.

6. Lieutenant Gahagan I am told is just now at Salem on leave, so that in the event of Government selecting him, I would request that orders be sent to him forthwith to join, meanwhile, I purpose to apply for the temporary services of an Officer of the 38th Regiment at Vizagapatam, as at the present moment owing to Captain Owen's absence there is but one Officer with the entire Corps.

N. B.—Since the foregoing, Captain Kerr of the 26th Regiment has asked for the post. I request the Government will be pleased to consider his application when selecting the Officer to be appointed.

(Signed) CHAS. W. READE.
Agent to the Governor.

No. 19. ORDER THEREON, No. 41; dated 13th January 1859.

It is observed that Lieutenant A. Gahagan, 10th N. I., was, on the 10th Instant, appointed third Officer of the Golcondah Sibbundies.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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10th N. I., was, on the 10th instant,
appointed third officer of the
Golconda Sibbundies.

To Lt. George, &
13 January 1859.

J.P.

The Agent to the Governor } Disptd 18th
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From The Agent
to the Governor
Vizagapatam

To The Ag. Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George

14th December 1858

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No 76.

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Submits the names of two Officers
instead of Lieut. Dakeyne, who
does not wish to join the 40th Regt.
does, the 1st Lieut. Gahagan 10 Regt.
and the other Lieut. Stenhouse
5th Regt. N.I. who has already
been mentioned in his letter of
the 14th Oct. last. and that
Capt. Kerr of the 26th Regt.
has since the foregoing asked
for the post. & requests the
Govt. will be pleased to consider
his application when de-
termining the Officers to be ap-
pointed to the Subsidy Corps.

With an Order.

1859.

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