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No. 76. Read the following Proceedings of Government in the Public Works Department, dated 1st April 1868, No. 1032.

Ordering a large number of convicts to be placed at Lieutenant Vibart's disposal for employment on the scheme for conveying water to Ootacamund. } (Vide Proceedings, Public Works Department, dated 1st April 1868, No. 8).

No. 77. ORDER THEREON, 6th April 1868, No. 589.

Communicated to the Collector of Coimbatore and to the President of the Municipal Commission at Ootacamund.

(Signed) R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

To the Collector of Coimbatore.

„ President of the Municipal Commission, Ootacamund.

„ Revenue Department.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
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No. 8.

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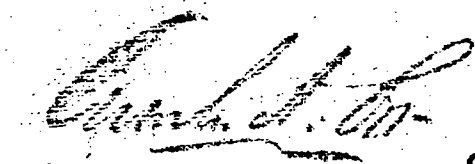
CIVIL WORKS, No. 1.

1. As the Government deem it of very great importance that the scheme for conveying water into Ootacamund

from the high grounds in the direction of Snowden should be carried out with the utmost possible despatch, and that the reclamation of the swamp at the head of the lake at Ootacamund, as projected by Captain Tulloch, should be vigorously proceeded with, they think it necessary to place these works under an Officer whose particular attention may be given to them under Major Farewell's general direction, and who may be able to utilize upon them to the utmost extent such convict labor as it may be in the power of the Inspector General of Jails to place at his disposal. His Excellency in Council accordingly resolves to appoint Lieutenant H. M. Vibart, of the Royal Engineers, temporarily to this duty under the orders of the Superintending Engineer of the 7th Division, and to request the Inspector General of Jails to take immediate measures for placing at Lieutenant Vibart's disposal the largest number of convicts that can be advantageously employed on the works in question.

2. If the plans, surveys, and estimates of the water supply and reclamation projects are ready, the Superintending Engineer will submit them at once for the orders of Government. If not, Lieutenant Vibart's first duty will be to complete them with all practicable expedition. Lieutenant Vibart may also be employed in preparing a plan for the internal drainage of the town of Ootacamund, or in perfecting any such plan as may have already been commenced.

(True Extract.)


Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division.

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.. Inspector General of Jails.

.. Controller of Public Works Accounts.

.. Judicial Department.

To Lieutenant H. M. Vibart, R. E.

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