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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 9th June 1857.

No. 84. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer, dated 1st June 1857, No. 829.

Read the following letter from Lieutenant J. O. MAYNE, Acting District Engineer of North Arcot; to Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer, dated Camp Arcot, 25th May 1857, No. 784.

SIR,

I have the honor, with regret, to report to you the death of Assistant Overseer Copcutt, in Hospital this morning, of Dysentery. It appears he had been suffering from what he thought Diarrhæ for sometime, but, it turned out to be Dysentery, and he came in here, reported sick on the 18th Instant, very weak and reduced, and expired this morning.

I have ordered an inventory to be made of his property, handing over to his widow, all her own property, reserving the remainder, till it is ascertained there are no claims against him.

I have further the honor to request you will be so good as to report the same to proper Quarters, as I am not quite certain, as to whom report should be made.

This is to certify, that Serjeant W. Copcutt, 2nd European Light Infantry, Assistant Overseer Department Public Works, died in Hospital, this day at ¼ past 8 o'clock, A. M. of Bowel complaint.

(Signed) J. ROBSON, M. D.
Surgeon 3rd Regt. L. C. In Medical Charge.

Arcot, 25th May 1857.

Resolved, that copies of the foregoing letter, No. 784 dated 25th May 1857, with its enclosure, be forwarded to the Secretaries to Government Military and Public Works Departments and the Adjutant General of the Army, for information.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. E. FABER, Colonel,
Chief Engineer.

No. 85. ORDER THEREON, No. 1097; dated 9th June 1857.

Ordered to be communicated to the Military Department.

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

I have further the honor to request you will

No. 827

Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer
in the Department of Public Works. Fort Saint George
Under date the 1st June 1857

Read the following:-

No. 784
1857

From, North Arcot
District Engineer's Office

Lieutenant J. O. Mayne
Acting District Engineer of N. Arcot

To,
Colonel C. C. Fraser
Chief Engineer Dept. P. W.
Fort Saint George

Dated Cuddalore the 25th May 1857
No. 184

I have the honor, with regret, to report to you the death of Assistant Overseer Copcutt, in Cuddalore this morning, of Dysentery. It appears he had been suffering from what he thought Diarrhœa for some time, but, it turned out to be Dysentery, and he came in here, reported sick on the 18th Instant, very weak and reduced and expired this morning.

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so good as to report the same to proper Quarters, as I am not quite certain, as to whom report should be made.

I have &c

Camp Arcot
25th May 1857

Signed J. O. Mayne Lieut
Asst Dist Engineer

This is to certify, that Sergeant W. Coopcutt, 2nd European Light Infantry, Assistant Overseer Department Public Works, died in Hospital, this day at ½ past 8 O'Clock A. M. of Bowel Complaint.

Arcot,
25th May 1857

Signed J. Robson M.D.
Surgeon 3rd Regiment L.C.
In Medical charge.

Resolved, that copies of the foregoing letter, No. 784 dated 25th May 1857, with its enclosure, be forwarded to the Secretaries to Government Military and Public Works Departments and the Adjutant General of the Army, for information

information.

A True Extract

Signed Alex Taylor Colonel
Chief Engineer.

To,
The Secretary to Government &c &c

Public Works 1857 Department
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Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer

To The Secretary to Government
P.W.D.

Dated 1st
Received 2d } June 1857.

No. 829

No. 1097. 9th June

Communicates for information a letter from the Dist. Engr. of North Arcot with its enclosure reporting the death of Sgt. Overseer Copcutt Sergeant of the 2nd European Light Infantry, in the Hospital at Arcot, on the Morning of the 25th Ulto. With an Order

No. 1097

Ordered to be communicated to the Military Department.

Fort St. George
9th June 1857

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