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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 16th June 1857.

No. 120. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer, dated 5th June 1857, No. 930.

Read the following letter from Lieutenant T. E. GAHAGAN, District Engineer Salem; to Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer, dated Yercaud, 23rd May 1857, No. 59.

SIR,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 127, of the 6th Instant, (subject as per margin*) and beg respectfully to point out to you that the term "*disrespect*" used in the concluding para. of my letter No. 663, of the 8th Ultimo, to the Assistant Commissary General, at Oossoor, applies solely to the treatment, which Balasoondrum Moodelly experienced from Major Campbell and Mr. Farmer.

* Commenting on the correspondence which has recently passed between the Assistant Commissary General at Oossoor and the District Engineer Salem.

As an acting Assistant Engineer Balasoondra Moodelly, is entitled to as much official courtesy, and respect as any other Executive Officer in the District; whereas he complains (1stly) of having been sent for by the Assistant Commissary General, told that he had spoiled the work: and then denied any opportunity of explaining the real state of the case,—and (2ndly) that his orders were set at nought by Mr. Farmer who, during his absence took upon himself to issue orders on the work.

In both these instances, I cannot help thinking that Balasoondrum Moodelly was disrespectfully treated, and that no European Officer would have been treated in such a manner.

Resolved that a copy of the foregoing letter No. 59, dated 23rd May, from the District Engineer of Salem, be forwarded to Government in continuation of the Chief Engineer's Proceedings No. 843, dated 2nd June 1857.

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

No. 121. ORDER THEREON, No. 1164; dated 16th June 1857.

Ordered that the foregoing Extract be recorded.

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

No. 930

Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer
in the Department of Public Works ~~for the year~~
Under date the 5th June 1857.

No. 930.

Read the following
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Southern Circle D.P.W.
District Engr Office
From Hercules May 23/57.
The District Engineer - Salem
To Salem
The Chief Engineer ~~in the D.P.W.~~
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I have &c
(Signed) T. E. Gahagan Capt
Dist Engr Salem

Resolved that a copy of the foregoing Letter No 59 dated 26th May from the District Engineer of Salem, be forwarded to Govt in continuation of the Chief Engr Proceedings No 843 dated 2d June 1837.

(True extract)
(Signed) W. Cotton Colonel
Chief Engineer

To
The Secretary to Govt &c &c

2d Endorsement — No 1111, Dated 16th June 37

Ordered that the foregoing Extract be recorded —

(Signed) H. Forbes
Secy

From Chief Engr 1st/2d June 1857
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