

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT

G.O. No. <i>1637</i>	Press Mis.
Dated	18-3-19

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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 8th September 1857.

No. 44. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer, dated 28th August 1857, No. 3258.

Read the following letter from Colonel P. HAMOND, Principal Commissary of Ordnance; to Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer, dated Arsenal, 20th August 1857, No. 2154.

SIR,

There being at present in the Arsenal twenty-nine chests of Carpenter's tools belonging to the Public Works Department, of which we are much in need in consequence of the numerous pressing demands that are daily being made upon us. I shall feel much obliged if you will allow 15 of the chests to be transferred to the Ordnance Department, and it is very probable that you will be able to replace this number from England, before the remainder of the tools in deposit shall have been issued.

Resolved that a copy of the foregoing letter from the Principal Commissary of Ordnance requesting that 15 cases of Carpenter's tools now in the Arsenal belonging to the Public Works Department may be appropriated by the Ordnance Department be forwarded for the information and Orders of Government with the Chief Engineer's full concurrence in the arrangement but the number of cases now available is only 14 the other 15 having been already allotted and paid for.

Resolved also to authorize the appropriation of the tools by the Principal Commissary of Ordnance pending a reply from Government.

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

No. 45. ORDER THEREON, No. 1689; dated 7th September 1857.

The Chief Engineer is authorized to transfer to the Ordnance Department the fourteen chests of tools stated by Colonel Faber to be available for the use of that Department.

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

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

Under date the 28 August 1857

Recd the following letter

Colonel D. Hammond

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From

Colonel D. Hammond

Principal Commissary of Ordnance

To

The Chief Engineer

Department Public Works

at St

Fort St George

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Arsenal
Fort St George
28th Aug 57

I have your
Signed J. D. Hammond
Principal Comd. of Ordnance
Resolved

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W. H. S.

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The Secretary to Government
P. H. S.

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Public Works 1857 104th Amendment
Section 1826 of 1871

Extract from the 104th
Amendment of 1871
of the Secretary of the
Board

Public Works 1857
Section 1826 of 1871

No. 1857 of 1871

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The Board of Public Works
has the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of the letter from the
Honorable Secretary of the
Board of Public Works
dated the 10th day of April
1871, in relation to the
proposed amendment to the
Act of March 3rd 1857
relating to the Public Works
of the District of Columbia
and to the Public Buildings
of the same.

No. 1857

The Chief Engineer

is authorized to transfer
the balance of the
fund to the Public Works
of the District of Columbia
and to the Public Buildings
of the same.

Public Works 1857

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Board