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Government of Madras.

General Administration DEPARTMENT

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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 15th September 1857.

No. 11. Read the following letter from Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer ; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated 28th August 1857, No. 3250.

Sir,

I have the honor to report for the information of Government with reference to Extract Minutes of Consultation of the 29th August 1856, No. 1542 and paras. 3 and 4 of my letter of the 19th June last No. 1365 that the revised Account Current for May 1856, from the Collector of Ganjam, was received in this office on the 25th and from the Collector of Nellore with particulars of expenditure on the 27th Ultimo, which correspond with their respective Progress reports.

2. The Statement of unpassed expenditure up to 30th April 1856 from the Collector of North Arcot is the only return now wanting and from the accompanying copy of a letter from the Acting District Engineer No. 1131, dated 14th July, the Government will perceive that in proceeding with its preparation, discrepancies have been discovered in the Accounts Current from May 1856, already received and journalized in the Central office and that revised ones are therefore about to be prepared and submitted after the lapse of more than fourteen months which will necessitate the reversal in the Journal for April of all the entries in the Journals now prepared up to December 1856.

3. No report was made to Government in last month as no change had taken place since my letter above alluded to, being the report for the month of May I now beg to be informed whether I am to continue reporting to Government monthly on the only one statement yet due viz. that from the Collector of North Arcot or whether it will suffice to report its receipt in the office so soon as it shall have come to hand.

No. 12. ORDER THEREON, No. 1722 ; dated 9th September 1857.

The Government observe that the Statement of unpassed expenditure is long overdue from the Collector of North Arcot, and that Officer should be called upon to expedite its transmission. The Chief Engineer will report to Government when the document shall have been received. It is not necessary for Colonel Faber to submit any more monthly reports, but he will see that the monthly accounts are rendered punctually, and will bring to the notice of Government cases of extraordinary delay.

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

Central Office of T. Works
Fort Saint George
N^o 3250 28th August 1857-

From The Chief Engineer
To The Secretary to
Government.

Sir,
I have the honor to report for the in-
formation of Government with reference to
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of expenditure up to 30th April 1856 from the
Collector of North Arcot is the only re-
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copy of a letter from the Acting District Engineer N^o 1154, dated 14th July, the Government will perceive that in proceeding with its preparation discrepancies have been discovered in the Account Current from May 1856 already received and journalized in the Central Office and that revised ones are therefore about to be prepared and submitted after the lapse of more than fourteen months which will necessitate the reversal in the Journal for April of all the entries in the Journal now prepared up to December 1856.

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I have the honor to be

Yours Most Obedt Servt
W. T. Butler Esq
Chief Engineer

North Street
Dist. Engineer's Office

N^o. 1164
1857

From. Lieutenant N. C. Mayne.
Acting Dist. Engineer of N. Street.

To Colonel C. E. Saker
Chief Engineer Department of Works.
Fort and George

Sir,

I have the honor to forward the
Progress Report for the Month of April
which was detained for several weeks
in consequence of several errors having
been discovered which necessitated refer-
ences to the Executive Officers. The
annual Progress Report was forward-
ed made up from this on the 14th in-
stinct; but this was detained for the
Account Current and abstract to be
completed finally closing the accounts
up to the 30th April 1857. These I regret
to say will be yet delayed for some
days and revised ones will have
to be made from May 1856 in consequence
of the difference existing in the Statements
of Unexpended expenditure and Cash
Balances in the accounts of the Collection
and

Received 1857/1858 of N^o. 1164

1857/1858

From

The Chief Engineer

The Store to General

At 25th

Dec 29th 1857

Pro Engineer

At 25th 1857

At 25th 1857

At 25th 1857

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Camp Salinas 3. Have the honor to be
14. July 1854 3. signed J. Chagnon Distt.
Sgt. Distt. Eng.

True Copy!

Wm. Lister Colonel
Chief Engineer

Conf. P. & G.

J. W. Dept.

No 1722
Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

Order date the 5th September 1857

Read the follow-

ing letter from the
Chief Engineer.

There enter 28th August 1857/
No 3200/

The Government
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expenditure is long
overdue from the
Collector of North
Arcot, and that Officer
should be called upon
to expedite its trans-
mission. The Chief
Engineer

1857 Sept 14

Enclosed in a letter
from the Chief Engineer
to
Messrs Messrs & Co

Subd. of 1857
Sept 14

No 3200

1857 Sept 14

Copy of a letter from
the Chief Engineer to
Messrs Messrs & Co
dated for the month of
Sept 1857 with advice
for having obtained
from Messrs & Co.

Engineers will report to
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document shall have
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J. F.

4 Copies to the Chief Eng.
1 - to Col. North Asst. 1)

October 1857 Dep. the
Rec to Com: 1857 September

1857

Extract Memo of Com:
Noted 9th Sep 1857.

From the Chief Clerk 25th
May 58 C. 1141 w. 6.
8 June

1857

Extracting the
Statement of unproposed
pension from the Com:
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