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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 20th October 1857.

No. 54 Read the following letter from Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated 12th October 1857, No. 4408.

SIR,

With reference to Extract Minutes Consultation Military Department, No. 2655, dated 6th August 1857, I have the honor to forward for submission to Government, an Indent received from the District Engineer of Nellore for 25 Fuzils with 1,500 rounds of ball ammunition, to be kept in the Stores of the Department, for the purpose of arming the European and East Indian Subordinates if necessary.

2. I take this opportunity of suggesting, that a similar measure be authorized in all Districts where the local head of the Deparment may recommend it.

Indent on the Principal Commissary of Ordnance Madras for the undermentioned articles.

Article.	No. required.	No. sanctioned.	Price.	For what purpose required.
Fuzils with accoutrements complete.....	25			
Rounds of ball ammunition.....	1,500			

Nellore,
3rd October 1857.

(Signed) JOHN MULLINS, Lieut.,
District Engineer Nellore.

No. 55. ORDER THEREON, No. 1953; dated 17th October 1857.

Ordered to be referred to the Military Department.

2. The Chief Engineer will be requested to submit similar applications for the future direct to the Military Department.

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

Duplicate

Indent on the Principal Commissary of Ordnance Madras for the undermentioned Articles

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Articles	No. required	No. sanctioned	Price	Remarks (if any required)
Pencils with Accoutrements complete	35			
Barrels of Ball Ammunition	1500			

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2nd October 1857

Lt. Col. Porter RE
Chief Engr. Dist. Nilgiris

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Chief Engr. Dist. Nilgiris

No 4408.

From, The Chief Engineer.

To, The Secretary to Government P. W. D.

"Military"

Original Enclosure 3

Indent in Triplicate

Sir,

With reference to Extract Mins: Cons: Military Department No: 2655, dated 6th August 1857, I have the honor to forward for submission to Government an Indent received from the District Engineer of Nellore for 25 Tumbrils with 1500 pounds of ball ammunition, to be kept in the Stores of the Department for the purpose of Arming the European and East. Indian Subordinates if necessary.

2 I take this opportunity of suggesting that a similar measure be authorised in all Districts where the local head of the Department may recommend it.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obt Servt
W. H. Arthur Colonel
Chief Engineer.

Central Office of P. W.
Fort Saint George,
12th October 1857.
Ent: S. Arnott Lt.

To Lieut 12 Bengal Native Infantry

Dated 12th October 1857

No 2351/57

Agreeably to the Rules of the Service

Commissary of Ordnance

Madras Fort St George

Superintendent

No 4408/57

Enclosure in a Letter from the District Engineer Nellore Dated 3d October 1857.

Public Works — 1857 — Department
Pd to Cons. 20th October
No. 2035.

From,
The Chief Engineer

To,
The Secretary to Government
C. W. D.

Dated 12th } October 1857.
Received 13th }

No 4408.

Enclosures 3

No. 1953. 17th October.
Forwards an Indent in triplicate
received from the Dy. Engr. Nellore
for Trestle Bs, and recommends the
same for sanction. Suggesting also
that a similar measure be
authorised in all Districts where
the head of the Dept may recom-
mend it. Without over Order

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Fort St George
17th Octr 1857

2 Copies to the Chief Engr Circ. 19th
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