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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 17th February 1857.

No. 35. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer, dated 27th January 1857, No. 9763.

Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer Southern Circle.

Reports on the works to be carried on during the remainder of the official year 1856-57, in the South Arcot District. (Here enter dated 23rd January 1857 No. 1.)

Resolved that the foregoing important representation from the Superintending Engineer Southern Circle of P. W., on tour of inspection be forwarded for the information and orders of Government, the proposition contained being without the province of the Chief Engineer's professional consideration.

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

No. 36. ORDER THEREON, No. 314 ; dated 17th February 1857.

With these Proceedings, the Chief Engineer forwards for the orders of Government a letter from the Superintending Engineer of the Southern Circle on tour of inspection, recommending that funds be sanctioned for the Ponyaur bridge and the Goveraput and Arreagosty channels in the South Arcot District.

2. The statement which was submitted by the Chief Engineer with his letter of the 27th November 1856, and approved in Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 10th December following, provides the necessary funds for expenditure on the Ponyaur bridge during the second half of the current official year, and no orders therefore appear necessary on the present reference respecting that work. As regards the two Channels, under the circumstances now represented, the District Engineer is at liberty to proceed with them out of the general funds placed at his disposal. They decline however to sanction the proposition made by Major Lawford for carrying on the works of communication in the District by advances from the Road fund, as this course of proceeding is objectionable and will, if allowed, lead to much confusion in the accounts.

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

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 7th February 1854

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(Record enter 27 Jan^y 1854 No
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Public Works 1857-1861
County Albany.

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