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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 3rd March 1857.

No. 32. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Acting Superintending Engineer, Northern Circle, in charge of the Central office of Public Works, dated 13th February 1857, No. 10237.

Read the following letter from Major A. DeBUTTS, Acting Superintending Engineer in Mysore; to Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer, dated Bangalore, 2nd February 1857, No. 15.

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3. Referring to my Progress Reports, I find that by the 1st July, I reported that the walls were raised 2 feet but that I had then stopped the work, expecting I should have been relieved, work was resumed again in August, and continued progressing until the 1st December. During that, and the last month, no work was done, as I needed all the materials I could obtain, to prepare the Dragoon Barracks for the Lancers. Thus, the actual time the work has been under execution, is about 7 months.

4. I expect the roof will be placed on the building by the end of this month.

Resolved with reference to Extract Minutes Consultation No. 45, dated 26th January 1857, to forward to Government for information, copy of the foregoing letter No. 15, of the 2nd February 1857, from the Acting Superintending Engineer Mysore, reporting the progress made to the Church at Mootcherry, and assigning reasons for the delay which has taken place in its completion.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) C. C JOHNSTON, Captain,
Acting Superintending Engineer Northern Circle.

No. 33. ORDER THEREON, No. 381; dated 27th February 1857.

Ordered to be communicated to the Ecclesiastical Department.

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

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№ 10237

Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer
in the Department of Public Works Fort Said Egypt
Under date the 13th February 1857
Read the following

Majors Supt. Engineer's Office
№ 15

From

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Acting Superintending Engineer in Egypt

To

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Bangalore
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A. Anstruther Capt
Acting Supt. Engr. No. Circle
in Charge of Central Office

To,
The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department.

Exd Cont: 27th Jany/57.
Order Nos 45 & 46.

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Dtd 2d March. No 311
Extract from the Pro-
-ceedings of the Chief
Engineer
to
Secretary to Govern.
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Dated. 13th
Received 14th Feb/57

No 10237

Forwarding for in-
-formation Copy with
reference to Secretary's
office Nos 45 dated 26th
January 1857 Copy of
a letter from the acting
Ship Engineer Lyons report-
-ing on the progress made
to the Church at Marlboro
& assigning reasons for
the delay which has taken
place in its completion

No 381

Ordered to be commu-
-nicated to the Ecclesiast-
-ical Department.

Fort St. George
27th February 1857

Copied to the Ecclesiastical Dept. Dispatch No 28

No 32 & 33.

Wth 2 enclosures
No 381. 27 Feb.