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No. 65. Read the following Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Military Department, dated 21st February 1857.

Read the following letter from Colonel F. A. REID, Quarter Master General of the Army; to Colonel C. A. BROWNE, Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated 20th February 1857, No. 51.

Sir,

I have the honor by desire of His Excellency the Commander in Chief to annex copy of a letter No. 10, dated 27th Ultimo, from the Major General Commanding Centre Division bringing to notice that the Place of Arms and buildings attached to the 19th Regiment Native Infantry at Vellore, do not afford the accommodation required. His Excellency recommends the erection of a building for the ammunition. A separate room for the Native Officer on duty has been asked for, but as this is already allowed the Department Public Works has been addressed on the subject.

Letter from Major General P. E. CRAIGIE, Commanding Centre Division; to Colonel F. A. REID, Quarter Master General of the Army, Fort Saint George, dated 27th January 1857.

Sir,

At my late inspection of the 19th Regiment Native Infantry at Vellore, it was brought to my notice that the Place of Arms and buildings attached did not afford the accommodation required. I think it desirable that a building should be erected off the Barracks for the ammunition to keep it separate and prevent any accidents, at present it is lodged with all other stores, the Native Officer on duty has no place, but where the colors and other articles, as well as Prisoners are kept in which to sleep, I would suggest that these improvements be submitted to His Excellency the Commander in Chief for his sanction.

Referred to Department Public Works.

(By order.)

(Signed) H. MARSHALL, Lieut.-Colonel,
Dy. Secretary to Government.

No. 66. Order thereon, No. 398; dated 2nd March 1857.

Ordered to communicated to the Chief Engineer, with a request that he will submit an estimate for the building required for storing the ammunition belonging to the 19th Regiment Native Infantry at Vellore.

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

Military Department.

No

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

Dated 21st February 1857

Read the following letter -

2d Mr General's Office

No 51

From The Quarter Master General.

of the Army.

To

The Secretary to Government.

Military Department

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For. Ft. St. George 20th February 1827. } (Signed) F. A. Reid. Dy. Qr. Mr. General.

To

The Quarter Master General of the Army Fort St. George

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Head Quarters Centre Division Madras 27th January 1827. } (Signed) Pt. Colquhoun Major Jr. Comp. Centre Division

(A true copy) (Signed) F. O'Connell Capt. & Dy. Asst. Qr. Mr. Genl. of the Army)

Referred to Department Public Works. By order. (Signed) H. Marshall Asst. Adjt. Genl. for Secy. to Govt.

To The Department Public Works.

2d. Lieut. Blacker

From the Chief Engr.
Dr. 21st Feby. 1857. Cir
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Public Works 1857 Regd.
Do to Cons 3d March.

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Extract from the
Minutes of Cons. in the
Military Depart.

Dated 21st
Recd 23d } February
1857.

Communicating a letter
from the 2d Mr Genl of
the Army, enclosing one
from the Major Genl Com.
manding Centre Division, bring
ing to notice, that, the Room
of Arms & Building attached to the 19th Regt N.I
at Vellore, do not afford
the accommodation required & intimating that
the Ch. Engr recommends the
erection of a Building for
the ammunition, & a Blacksmith
398 - Shop on order
2d March

No 65 & 66.

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tive Officers =

No: 398

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N.I. at Vellore.

Fort St. George
2d March 1857

Copies to the Chief Engr Circ 3.