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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 21st April 1857.

No. 110. Read the following Circular Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer, dated 23rd March 1857, 11180.

Read the following letter from the Acting District Engineer North Arcot

Forwarding nominal rolls of all Officers supervisors, Overseers, &c. and of their Office Establishments. } (Here enter 16th March 1857, No. 358.)

Resolved that the instructions contained in Circulars No. 5210, of the 25th July last, and No. 10666 of the 4th instant be cancelled, and the following strictly adhered to in future in lieu thereof.

That a monthly statement of Officers and Subordinates of all grades, and of their respective office Establishments be furnished to the Central office, in the accompanying form those for January and February last being submitted at once, and that for the current month in the beginning of April.

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

Return of Officers and Subordinates of the Department of Public Works in the————District for————1857, (vide Circular No.————1857.)

Names.	Rank in the D. P. W.		Nature of employment.	Date of Departmental appointment.	Professional qualifications.	Amount of pay.									Amount drawn.						Remarks.
	Name.	Date.				Military.			Civil.			Tentage.			Total.			From Public Treasury.			From Estimate.		
						Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
Lt. A. B.	Dist. Engr.	1st Jany. 1857.	In charge of the District.	June 27 1854.	District Engineer and office Establishment. Has passed the prescribed examinations..... Then follows the office Establishment.	400	0	0	500	0	0	140	0	0	1040	0	0	1040	0	0				
Lt. B. A.	Ex Engr. 3rd class.	do.	In charge of Goomsur.	June 28 1855.	Executive Engineers and their office Establishments. Has passed the prescribed examinations..... Then follow the office Establishments.	256	10	0	400	0	0	140	0	0	796	0	0	796	0	0				
Mr. A. B.	Sub Engr 2nd class.	do.	In charge of.	June 29 1854.	Sub Engineers and their office Establishments. Can Survey &c., well, passed in Civil Engineering. Then follow the office Establishments..	0	0	0	250	0	0	66	0	0	316	0	0	316	0	0				

Each Departmental grade being entered as above, and office Establishments immediately after.

Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 21st April 1857.

No. 111. ORDER THEREON, No. 708; dated 17th April 1857.

The Government observe that the requisition contained in the above Circular for a monthly Statement of Officers and Subordinates of all grades and of their respective Establishments, with many detailed particulars, will entail much labor on the District offices, and they request that Colonel Faber will be good enough to explain why such a return is required by him every month. The above Circular is issued in supersession of the one issued on the 4th March 1857, but wrongly dated 1856. This latter Circular merely calls for a nominal roll of the office Establishment once for all, and has no reference to any monthly return.

2. The Government regret that copies of all the Circulars issued from the Chief Engineer's office are not regularly forwarded to the Government Office. The Circulars referred to in the one above recorded were called for from the Chief Engineer's Office as they had not been previously supplied.

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

Pub Works Department

No 708.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 17th April 1857.
Read the following
Circular from the Chief
Engineer.

(Hereunto 23d March 57 No 11180)

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Public Works 1857 Deptt.
Dft. to Govt: 21st April

No 705.

Extract Minute of Govt:

Dy 17th April 1857.

~~From~~ Chief Engr. 23rd April
Ry 6 No. 818 &c
23 June

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every month.

No 110 & 111.

29 April 1857