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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 26th May 1857.

No. 41. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer, dated 15th May 1857, No. 373.

Read the following letter from W. ROBINSON, Esq., Acting Collector of Malabar; to Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer, dated Calicut 2nd May 1857, No. 1328.

SIR,

I have the honor to inform you that, I find an entry in the Accounts Particular of deposits as follows.

"To Cash deposited, being the amount contributed by the Mysore Rajah, for the repair "of the Goondelpett road, Rupees 1022-10."

This cash was transferred from the Coimbatore Treasury to this in 1830, but Mr. Thomas is unable to give me any information about it, beyond a similar entry in his account of the transfer.

Now the money is in deposit and must be removed from my account, and having been contributed for the purpose of improving a road much needing early attention, I beg you will give, or obtain for me, sanction to apply it to its legitimate purpose. A new line might be traced and the road, about 20 miles, nicely cleared for the money.

Resolved to forward to Government, copy of the foregoing letter No. 1326, of the 2nd May 1857, from the Acting Collector of Malabar, soliciting sanction for expending the amount* contributed by the Mysore Rajah for the repair of the Goondelpett road, with the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, that the outlay be authorized in the manner solicited by Mr. Robinson.

*Rupees 1022-10-0.

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

No. 42. ORDER THEREON, No. 986; dated 23rd May 1857.

The Government will be prepared to sanction the expenditure of the sum referred to on the improvement of the Goondelpett Ghaut, but they desire first to receive a clearer exposition of the Acting Collector's view.

2. If the money be expended in forming a new trace it can only be in anticipation of its being followed by a new Ghaut, and the Government have not received any information which would lead them to undertake such a work.

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

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No 378

Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer
in the Department of Public Works. Fort St. Geo.
Under date the 15th May 1857 No 378

Read the following letter

No 1328. Calicut 2d May 1857.

From C. Robinson Esqre
Actg Collr of Malabar

To Colonel C. E. Faber
Chief Engr &c &c &c
Fort St. George

dated Calicut 2d May 1857
No. 152

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that I find an entry in the Accounts Particular of Deposits as follows.-

"To Cash deposited, being the amount "contributed by the Mysore Rajah, for the repair "of the Goondelpett Road, Rupees 1022-10."

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Now the money is in deposit and must be removed from my Account, and having

having been contributed for the purpose of improving a road much needing early attention, I beg you will give, or obtain for me Sanction to apply it to the legitimate purpose. A Quantity might be traced and the Road about 26 Miles, nearly claimed for the Money.—

Have &c.
Jas W. Robinson
Ag Colr.

Resolved to forward to Government, Copy of the foregoing letter No. 528 of the 22nd Ult. from the Asst. Colr. of Chittagong, soliciting sanction for expending the amount contributed by the Inhabitants for the Repair of the Gondalpatt Road, with the Recommendation of the Chief Engineer, that the outlay be authorized in the manner solicited by Mr. Robinson &c.

Dpc Extract

Asst Sec. to Govt.

To the Secy to Govt.
Pub. Dept.

Chief Engr.

Rs. 1022-8"

Mr
Geo. Jas

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Dr Colonel 26 May 1857 No 1009 to
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Chief Engineer 0 Pt
to The Secy to Govt
Pt 8

Dated 15th May 1857
Rec'd 16th

From Chief Engr Dated 16th March 58
No 864 & 15 Encls

No 373

Forwards the Chief Engr's
a letter from the Superintendg
of Rideau Police stating
Instructions to expend the amount
Rs 10 22 10 One Thousand Rupees
in the purchase of the Grand Shell
Powder for the dominguez that
the Chief Engr be authorized in the
manner solicited by Capt Robinson

Wellington Barracks
No 986 23rd May

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Fort St George
23rd May 1857

1 Copies to the Chief Engr Dispt 25th