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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 28th July 1857.

No. 79. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer, dated 29th June 1857, No. 1605.

Read the following letter from the District Engineer, Krishnah Division.

Enclosing a letter from Lieutenant Beatty reporting the habitual and confined drunkenness of Assistant Overseer Sears and requesting that he may be removed from this Division, where he is quite useless calling particular attention to the latter part of Lieutenant Beatty's letter, bringing to notice the merits of Sub Overseer Butler and takes the opportunity of again pressing his claim to promotion. } (Here enter 18th June 1857, No. 32.)

Resolved, to forward to Government, the foregoing letter,* No. 32, dated 18th Instant, from the District Engineer Krishnah Division, with enclosure from Lieutenant Beatty, and to recommend, that Assistant Overseer Serjeant J. Sears be removed from the Department, his confirmed habits of drunkenness (after being warned) unfitting him for further duty.

* To be obligingly returned.

2. In the event of Assistant Overseer Serjeant Sears being removed, Sub Conductor Mr. Enright, is recommended by the Chief Engineer for promotion to Assistant Overseer the high Testimony borne to the value of Sub Overseer Serjeant Major T. H. Butler's services, will be considered on the *next* vacancy occurring.

3. The Chief Engineer avails himself of the present occasion, to strongly recommend, that in conformity to invariable usage by the Government of India, all appointments in the D. P. Works whatsoever, may appear in the G. O. G.

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

No. 80. ORDER THEREON, No. 1444; dated 27th July 1857.

The Government observe that Serjeant J. Sears, was, as notified in the Official Gazette of the 18th Instant, ordered to rejoin his Corps, and that the appointment of Assistant Overseer held by him in the Public Works Department was dispensed with from that date. Sub Conductor Enright cannot therefore be promoted as recommended by the Chief Engineer in the above letter.

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

No 1865

Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer in the Department of Public Works.

Under date the 29th June 1857.

Read the following:

From the District Engineer Hawkesbury Division enclosing a letter from Lieutenant Beatty reporting the habitual and confirmed drunkenness of Asst Overseer Sears and requesting that he may be removed from this Division, where he is quite useless. Calling particular attention to the latter part of Lieut. Beatty's letter bringing to notice the services of Sub Overseer Butler and hoping he may have an opportunity of again pressing his claim to promotion. — } Here Letter 18th June 1857 No. 32.

Resolved, to forward to Government, the foregoing Letter, No 32, dated 18th instant, from the District Engineer Hawkesbury Division, with enclosure from Lieutenant Beatty, and to recommend, that Assistant Overseer Sergeant Sears be removed from the Department his confirmed habits of drunkenness (after being warned) unfitting him for further duty.

2. In the event of Assistant Overseer Sergeant Sears being removed, Sub-Conductor Mr Enright, is recommended by the Chief Engineer for promotion to Assistant Overseer.

The high testimony borne to the value of Sub Overseer Sergeant Major J. H. Butler's services, will be considered on the next vacancy occurring.

3. The Chief Engineer avails himself of

of the present occasion) is strongly recommended that in conformity to invariable usage by the Government of India, all appointments and the D.R.W.B's whatsoever, may appear in the G.O.G.-

A.W. Taylor Colonel
Chief of Engineers

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A. Sup. Engr. N.C.

For the Secretary to Government
Rtd. Department

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Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer

The Secretary to Government
Pub. Department

Recd 29th June 1837.
Read 29th June 1837.

One Inclosure

No 1605

No 1644

The Government observe that Sergeant J. Sears, was, as notified in the Official Gazette of the 15th Instant, ordered to rejoin his corps, and that the appointment of Assistant Overseer held by him in the Public Works Department was dispensed with from that date. Sub Conductor Enright cannot therefore be promoted as recommended by the Chief Engineer in the above letter.

Fort St. George
27th July 1837

9 Copies to the Chief Engr with 9 Inclosures

Transmits original letter from the Chief Engineer this date with 2 Inclosures from Lieut. Scott reporting the habitual drunkenness of Assistant Overseer Sears, and recommending his removal from the Department; and that Sub Conductor Enright be promoted to Assistant Overseer — No. 1644 - 27th July - With an order

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