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No. 68. Read the following letter from Major E. LAWFORD, Officiating Chief Engineer; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, dated 2nd August 1858, No. 2127.

SIR,

Copy of letter from the Chief Engineer Hydrabad No. 978 dated 20th July 1858, with enclosure.

In forwarding, at the request of the Chief Engineer of Hydrabad, the accompanying copy of a letter to his address to show that, in consequence of no notice having been taken by Government of his frequent remonstrances on the subject, he is still addressed by the Officer Commanding Hydrabad Subsidiary Force through his Staff, I have the honor to refer to my letter* noted in the margin, pointing out the evils resulting from Major General Coffin's persistence in this course of proceeding, contrary to the usage of the service, and to the explicit orders of Government.

* No. 235 dated 12th May 1858.

Extract Minutes Consultation 8th July 1857, No. 1309 Para. 89 in C. O. B. Page 593.

Letter from Lieutenant Colonel R. HENDERSON, Chief Engineer, Hydrabad; to Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer, Madras, dated Bolarum, 20th July 1858, General No. 978, Departmental No. 561.

SIR,

* No. 568 dated 15th July 1858.

I have the honor to enclose copy of a letter* as per margin for submission to the Madras Government from which it will be seen, that in consequence of my frequent remonstrances, on the subject, having been left unanswered by Government, Major General Coffin continues to address me through his Staff, as though I were under his orders.

Letter from Captain T. PEYTON, Assistant Quarter Master General H. S. Force; to Lieutenant Colonel R. HENDERSON, C. B. the Engineer charged with the completion of the Trimulgherry Barracks, dated Secunderabad, 15th July 1858, No. 568.

SIR,

I have the honor by order of the Major General Commanding the Force to annex copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding Her Majesty's 12th Royal Lancers, and request, that if the buildings therein referred to, or either of them be completed, they may be made over to me without delay.

Should the Serjeant's Mess, although not completed, be in a sufficiently forward state to admit of its being used by the Serjeants, perhaps you will not object to allow of their doing so.

No. 69. ORDER THEREON, No. 1560; dated 9th August 1858.

Referred to the Military Department in continuation of previous correspondence communicated on the same subject.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

General No. 978.
Depart.t — 561.

Chief Engineer's Office
Polaroum, 20th July 1858.

From
The Chief Engineer
Hyderabad D. P. Works

To
The Chief Engineer D. P. Works.
Madras.

Sir

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One Enclosure
* No. 568. d/ 15th July 1858

I have &c.
(Signed) R. Henderson Lt. Colo.
Chief Engr. Hyderabad Sub: Force

Asst. Qr. Mr. Genl's Office H. S. Force
Secunderabad 15th July 1858.

No. 568.

To
Lieutenant Colonel Henderson C. R.
The Engineer Charged with the Comp.
pletion of the Trimulgherry Barracks.

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General

General Commanding the Force to annex Copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding Her Majesty's 12th Royal Lancers, and request that if the buildings therein referred to, or either of them be completed, they may be made over to me without delay.—

Should the Sergeants Mess, although not completed, be in a sufficiently forward state to admit of its being used by the Sergeants, perhaps you will not object to allow of their doing so.—

I have &c.

(Signed) J. Peyton Captain
Asst. D.A.G. Genl. H. Q. Force

[A true Copy]
(Signed) J. Murdoch
Asst. to the Chief Engr.
Hyderabad D.F.F.

[True Copies]
Charles H. Pr Captain
A. Supt. Engr. Nizam Circle

No 2127 Central Office of P.W.
Fort St George 2 August 1858.—

From The Offg Chief Engineer
To The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department.

Public

Sir,

Rec'd
Copy of letter from the Chief Engr Hyderabad No 978 dated 20th July '58 with inclosure.

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No 235 of 12th May '58.

Mil. Con. 8th July '57 No 1309 Para 89 in Cr. S. 15. Page 593.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt Servant
J. Crawford Major
Offg Chief Engineer

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Recorded in letter from the Offg Chief Engineer Hyderabad
To the Secretary to Government P.W.D.

Dated 2nd Augt 1858.
Rec'd 4th Augt 1858.

No 2127.

Copy of Correspondence from the Offg Chief Engr Hyderabad complaining that the Regt Lieutenantcy have been taken away unauthorized by Govt, Colonel Coffin Continues to address him as Chief Engr.

Govt Cons. 1st June 1858 Nos 110-111

No 1725.

From The Offg Secretary
to the Govt to Government
dated 2nd
Recd 2
Recd 3d } August 1858
Extract from Pol. Cons. 15th Sept 17
15th Sept Cons. No 2427
Sept Ans

Forwards Copy of a letter
from the Chief Engineer
of Hyderabad stating that
in consequence of Hostilities
having been declared by Sou
of his frequent communica
on the subject, he is unable
address Govt by the Offg Comm
N. F. Land through his
Staff.

Withdrawn
No 1560 9th August 58.

No 1725.

Copy of Despatch to their Military Department in continuation of previous correspondence communicated per the same subject.

From Secy to Govt
9th August 1858.
To Secy to the Mily Dept dated 10th

No 1725.

Despatch to their Military Department in continuation of previous correspondence communicated per the same subject.

No 68 & 69.