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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public (Works) DEPARTMENT.

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No. 49. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer, dated 18th August 1857, No. 3023.

Read the following letter from J. BIRD, Esq., Collector of Trichinopoly; to Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer, dated 6th August 1857, No. 227.

SIR,

Adverting to your Circular No. L of 1857-58, with Extract from Proceedings, dated the 27th June 1857, and with special reference to para. 7 of Minutes of Consultation No. 1181, under date the 18th Idem, I have the honor to request you will supply me with the requisite number of blank forms printed on foolscap paper, in order to enable me to commence the preparation of the Irrigation Registers in English ordered to be kept by Government.

2. One month of the period contemplated by Government (vide para. 8) has already elapsed.

Resolved that a copy of the foregoing letter, No. 227, of the 6th Instant, from the Collector of Trichinopoly, requesting blank printed forms for the Irrigation Register, be submitted to Government, and to solicit that a number of the above forms be sent to the Central office for distribution.

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

No. 50. ORDER THEREON, No. 1662; dated 31st August 1857.

In para. 7 of the Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 28th June 1857, No. 1181, the Chief Engineer was desired to furnish all the Collectors with a sufficient number of blank forms of Irrigation Registers; and no intimation was made that a supply would be made from the Government Office. The forms for the Register having been furnished to the Chief Engineer with the Extract above quoted; all that is now requisite is that he should have it lithographed, and should have a sufficient number of sheets struck off for distribution. They may be sent to the Collectors in sections, properly stitched, each counting three sheets, so that they may be conveniently bound, when the list shall be complete in each District.

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

No 3023

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

Under date the 18th March 1857.

Read the following Letter
of 12th Inst.
from
J Bird Esqr.
Collector of Customs
&c &c &c

Sir

I have to request you will be pleased to cause the requisite number of Blank forms to be furnished on Packages Paper &c enclosed to enable me to Commence the Collection of the Irrigation Rates which are directed to be levied

by

by Government.—

2. One month of the period contemplated by Government for the payment has already elapsed.—

I have the honor to be
Colonial Office
6th August 1857

Sir
Your Obt. Servt
Clk

I have the honor to request that you will be pleased to call upon the Secretary of the Treasury for the Sum of £ [illegible] being the amount of the above Account and to forward the same to the Colonial Office for the information of Government.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
[illegible]

The Secretary to the Treasury
&c. &c. &c.

Chief Clerk

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No 1662

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 31st August 1857.

I Read the following
Extract from the Proceed
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Copy of Letter No 1662 dated 31st August 1857

Read Letter No 1662 dated 31st August 1857

Ordered

That a Letter be addressed to the Chief Engineer of the Bombay Presidency requesting that he will be pleased to cause the Collectors of the Districts under his Government to be furnished with a sufficient number of blank forms of Irrigation Registers, and to intimate that a supply will be made from the Government Office on application being made for the same.

Agreed.

Cons. 25th August 1857

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J. G.

Copies to the Chief Engr
Collrs 1st Dist

Public Works 1857 Dept.
Dr to Com. 1st Septr.

No 1662.

Extract Mins. of Com.
Dy 31st Augt. /57.
From the Coll. of Bellary 3d October
/57 C. No 200 in Com. 6.

Observing that the blank forms for the Irrigation Registers having been furnished to the Chief Engr. with the order of the 18th June all that is now requisite is that he should have them Lithographed and should have a sufficient number of sheets struck off for distribution.

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