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Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.
Can 20-1-58

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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 20th April 1858.

No. 13. Read the following letter from Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer; to II. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated 18th March 1858, No. 8211.

SIR,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Extract Minutes Consultation No. 2381 under date the 23rd December last, communicating a letter* from the
*No. 5677, dated 4th December 1857. Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, desiring that the Statement called for by the Government of India shewing all decreases in the Public Works Establishment may be submitted without delay.

2. The order of the Government of India in the Financial Department No. 5054 dated the 19th December 1856, calling for this Statement, after being received in this office was circulated to the District Engineers and to other Heads of Offices of the Public Works Department. The subsequent order of the Government of India in the Public Works Department, calling for a similar Statement dated the 26th December 1856, No. 6108, was likewise on receipt circulated to the same Officers.

3. The Statements received from the District Engineers and others from January to April 1857, were tabulated and submitted to Government with my letter No. 11212 dated 23rd March and No. 1606, dated 29th June last.

4. I am however now of opinion that this course was erroneous, and that the returns required were such as I have now the honor to submit to Government, viz, simple abstract statements, exhibiting decreases in the D. P. W. generally, without recording in detail the distribution of its strength among the several Districts of the Presidency.

5. Should this opinion be mistaken, I shall feel obliged by the communication of early instructions for my information and guidance.

No. 14. Ordered in consequence that the following letter be despatched.

From II. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George; to Lieutenant Colonel R. STRACHEY, Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, dated 14th April 1858, No. 678.

SIR,

With reference to the communications noted in the margin, I am directed by the Governor in Council to forward a letter from the Chief Engineer dated 18th March, together with the returns which accompanied it, shewing the decrease in the permanent and temporary branches of the Public Works Department of this Presidency from January to December 1857.

From Government of India, 26th December 1856, No. 6108.
From do 4th December 1857, No 5677.

N^o 2211

Central Office of B.W.
Fort Saint George
18th March 1858

From

The Chief Engineer

To

The Secretary to Government B.W.

Sir,

Encl^d 6.
Statements.
* No 5877 of 11 Dec 57

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Extract Minutes Consultation N^o 2381 under date the 23rd December last, communicating a letter from the Acting Secretary to the Government of India, desiring that the statement called for by the Government of India showing all the creases in the P.W. Establishment may be submitted without delay.

2 The order of the Government of India in the Financial Department N^o 5054 dated the 19th December 1856, calling for this statement, after being received in this office was circulated to the District Engineers and to other Heads of Offices of the P.W. Department. The subsequent order of the Gov^t of India in the P.W. Department calling for a similar statement

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4 Should this opinion be mistaken, I shall feel obliged by the communication of early instructions for my information and guidance.

Central Office of M. I have the honor to be
Fort St George } Sir
18 March 1858 } Your most Obedt^t
E. S. Hay }
Colonel
Chief Engineer

6 mo 250 lbs / 57 lb 109 x 110
 6-27 150 x 131
 " 68 x 99
 " 94 x 95
 " 88 x 86

The Hotel - 1850
 By to Case: 27th April
 No 570

The Chief Engineer
 Re. Receipts for 1850

Paid 1850 March 1850
 No 1913

Encl 6 No 8211

J. P. No 678. 14th April 1850
 Submitting quarterly
 Re: Main Case. No 2301 1st 123
 Breachers last sample obtained
 statements. Submitting same
 in the 8-14th.

2 Apr 1850

The Chief Engineer
 The Hotel
 No 1913

231 March 1850

Statement shewing Decreases effected in Establishments

Department Office Nature of charge Decreases in Permanent Establishments

R. Kennedy Esq^r unco.
venanted Civil Eng^r

H. B. Huddleston Esq^r
Covenanted Civil Eng^r
Establishment

Per month

Central Office of D.
Fort St George 18th March
1858

9x

ment Permanent and Temporary during the months of Jan^y & Feb^r 1857

Decreases in Temp. Dates when the Decreases in Temp. Dates when
porary Estab^{ts} = Establish^{ts} was porary Establish^{ts} the Establish^{ts}
ment was sanctioned for un. sanctioned by limited person sanctioned by
the Gov^t of India the Gov^t of India
Per month Per month

400 " "

Absorbed in the
Establishment
of the new B.M.C.

500 ..

69 ..

Resigned

Signed C. C. Faber Colonel
Chief Engineer

Enclosed in a letter
From The Chief Engineer
To The Secretary to Govt
Public Works Depart

Dated 18th }
Rec^d } March 1858

N^o 8211

N^o 1

Statement shewing Decr.
effected in Establishments Per
manent and Temporary dur
the Months of January and
February 1857.

Statement shewing Decreases effected in Establishments.

Depart.	Office	Nature of charge	Decreases in Permanent Establish-ment.
			Per month

R. Smith Capt. uncommissioned
as apt Civil Engineer

T. H. Bush Capt. &c.
D. D.

Central Office P. W.
Fort St. George
18th March/58

13x

Permanent and Temporary during the months of May & June 1857

Decreases in Temp.	Date when the Decreases in Temp. Establish-ment was sanctioned for fixed periods by the Govt of India	Date when the Decreases in Temp. Establish-ment was sanctioned for unlimited periods by the Govt of India	Remarks
Per month			

400

400

absorbed in the Establishment of the new B. P. W.

Sir C. C. Faber Colonel
Chief Engr.

Enclosure in a letter
From
The Chief Engineer.
To
The Secretary to Gov.
D. W. D.

Dated 18th 3
Rec^d 3 March 1858

N^o 8211

N^o 3

Statement shewing
Decreases effected in Establish-
ments Permanent and
Temporary during the months
of May and June 1857

Statement showing the Decreases effected in Establishments Perma

Department	Office	Nature of change	Decreases in permanent Establishments Per Month
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None

Central office
Fort St. George
18th March 1858

int & Temporary during the Months of March & April 1857

Decreases in temporary establishments and for fixed periods Per Month	Posts where the Establishment was sanctioned by the Govt. of India	Decreases in tem porary Establish ments sanctioned for unlimited periods Per Month	Date when the Establish ment was sanctioned by the Govt. of India	Remarks
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Signed (C. E. Faler Colonel
Chief Engineer)

Enclosure in a letter
 From
 The Chief Engineer
 To
 The Secretary to Government
 Public Works Department

Date 18th }
 Rec^d } March 1858

N^o 8211
 O.M. 570/58

N^o 2
 Statement showing Decreases
 effected in Establishments
 Permanent and Temporary
 during the Months of March and
 April 1857.

Enclosure in a letter

From

The Chief Engineer
 To
 The Secretary to Government
 Public Works Department

Date 18th }
 Rec^d } March 1858

N^o 8211
 O.M. 570/58

Statement showing Decreases
 effected in Establishments
 Permanent and Temporary
 during the Months of March and
 April 1857.

Statement Showing Decreases effected in Establishments Permanent

Department Office Nature of charge Decreases in Permanent Establishment

Per month
 3 Supg Engrs salary reduced from 1000 to 800 Rs each 600 " "
 73rd Class Ex Engrs 400 Rs each 2800 " "
 Establishments 150 Rs 1050 " "
 9 4th Class Ex Engrs 300 Rs each 2700 " "
 Establishments 104 Rs 936 " "
 11 5th Class Ex Engrs 200 Rs each 2200 " "
 Establishments 69 Rs 759 " "
 1 Supernumeraries
 Establishments 200 " "
 66 Asst. Surners 70 Rs each 4620 " "
 Establishments 27 Rs 1782 " "
 3 Sub Surners 1st Class 1st Grade 180 " "
 10 2nd " 1st " 3rd " 40 400
 85 2nd " 3rd " 1st " 25 2125
 114 2nd " 3rd " 2nd " 20 2280
 143 2nd " 3rd " 3rd " 15 2145

24577 " "

Public Works Department

Public Works Establishment

Civil Office of P. W.
 Fort St. George
 18th March 1858

ment and Temporary during the Months of July & August 1857

Decreases in Temporary Date when the Decreases in Date when the
 Establishments Establishment Temporary the Establish-
 sanctioned for was sanctioned Establishments sanctioned
 fixed periods by the Govt of India sanctioned for by the Govt of India
 20 months Per month

19th December 1856. No 5963

200 " "
 69 " "

The reduction of three supernumeraries was authorized of which number one is exhibited in this return a sanction has been absorbed in the permanent Establishment as shown in the last return, and the services of the 3rd will be discontinued in October next.

Signed) C. E. Taber Colonel
 Chief Engineer

Enclosure in a letter
From

To The Chief Engineer.

The Secy. to Government
O. M. D.

Dated 18th }
Rec^d } March 1858

No. 8211

O. M. D. 57/58

No. 41

Statement shewing
Decreases effected in Establishment
Permanent and Temporary during
the months of July and August 1857.

Statement Showing Decreases effected in Establishments

Department Office Nature of charge Decreases in Permanent Establishment

P.W. Establishment 1 Superannumerary Asst. Engrs Establishment

1- 2^d Manager 130 . . .
 2 Clerks at Rs 60 each 120 . . .
 2 D^r D^r 40 . . . 80 . . .
 7 D^r D^r 30 . . . 210 . . .
 11 D^r D^r 20 . . . 220 . . .
 Rs 760 . . .

22 Clerks at Rs 15 each
 1 Gollak
 1 D^r
 Rs

Central Office of P.W.
 Fort St George 18th March 58

Public Works Department

Chief Engineers Office
 Proceedings Department.

to Permanent and Temporary during the months of Sept^r Dec^r 1857

Decreases in Temporary Establishment sanctioned for fixed period of India Date when the Temporary Establishment was sanctioned by the Govt of India Decreases in Permanent Establishment sanctioned for unlimited periods of India Date when the Permanent Establishment was sanctioned by the Govt of India Remarks

Per month Per month

13th Sept 55/56 3750

500 . .
 69 . .

This is one of the three reduced in the number of super-numeraries

Out of the sum of Rs 760, the Govt of Madras sanctioned in E.P.W.C No 16732/20th Sept 57 Rs 70 for preparing and submitting weekly list of disposals by the Chief Engrs and Rs 103 as permanent increase to the current and audit of the services of the members of the Proceedings was also in a subsequent E.P.W.C No 2009 dated 26th Oct 57 permitted to be retained as super-numerary to the Establishment.

330 . .
 8 . .
 7 . .
 345 . .

1st May 1856

Signed

(Signed) L.E. Tabalah Colonel
 Chief Engineer

Enclosure in a letter
From
The Chief Engineer
To

The Secretary to Government
Dated 18th } P.M.D.
Rec^d } March 1858

N^o 8211
P.M. 570/58

N^o 5

Statement showing
Decreases effected in Establishment
Permanent and Temporary during
the Months of September and
October 1857.

Statement Shewing the Decreases effected in Establishments

Department Office	Nature of charges	Decreases in Permanent Establishments	Decreases in Temporary Establishments	Date when the Decreases in the Establishment was sanctioned by the Govt of India	Remarks
		Per month	Per month		

None

Central Office of P. W.
Fort Saint George
18th March 1857

ments Permanent and Temporary during the month of November and December 1857

Decreases in Permanent Establishments	Date when the Decreases in the Establishment was sanctioned by the Govt of India	Remarks
Decreases in Temporary Establishments <td>Date when the Decreases in the Establishment was sanctioned by the Govt of India</td> <td></td>	Date when the Decreases in the Establishment was sanctioned by the Govt of India	

1857.

1857.

Signed / C. C. Faber Colonel
Chief Engineer

Enclosure in a letter

From

The Chief Engineer

To

The Secy to Government
P.W.D.

Dated 18th }
Recd } March 1858

N^o 8211

N^o 6

Statement shewing
Decreases effected in establish-
ment Permanent and Tempo-
rary during the months of
November and December 1857

12th April 1858

To

N^o 678-
Captain F. C. Yule.

Offg. Secretary to the Government
of India.

Sir,

From Govt of India 26th Dec 1856 N^o 6108.
From Secy 1st Dec 1857 - 5877.

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With reference to the
communications noted in
the margin, I am directed
by the Governor in Council
to forward a letter from the
Chief Engineer dated 18th March,
together with the Returns which
accompanied it, shewing the
decrease in the permanent and
temporary branches of the
Public Works department of this
Presidency from January to
December 1857.

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Just M. George
12th April 1858

Public Works 1858 Sept 15
By to Com. 20th April

C 10678
To the clergy to the Coast
of India
D at Calcutta 14th April 1858

Forwarding a letter
from the Chief Engineer
with the return which is
accompanied it, showing
the decrease in the number
of men and temporary con-
tractors of the Public
Works Department of the
Presidency from January
to December 1857.

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