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FORT SAINT GEORGE, *the 15th July* ..... 1858.

Public Works Department.

TUESDAY

At Meeting of the Council of Fort Saint George,

Present.

THE RIGHT HONORABLE LORD HARRIS,

Governor and President. Absent on a Tour

HIS EXCELLENCY LIEUTENANT GENERAL Sir P. GRANT, K.C.B.

Commander in Chief Absent on a Tour of Inspection

THE HONORABLE WALTER ELLIOT, ESQUIRE.

AND

THE HONORABLE W. A. MOREHEAD, ESQUIRE.

Minutes of last Consultation, approved.

The following Diary Papers are ordered to be recorded.

Purport of the Papers considered.	Abstract of the Resolution passed and Letters sent.	Date of Resolution or Letter.	Reported to England.
No. 1 Mins. of Cons. Mily. Dept. 7th June 58 No. 1432 Cancelling the Sanction granted in Sep. Mins. Cons. of 7th April last No. 1202 for a loan of Rupees 12,000 applied for to the 11th Regt N.I. for the purpose of erecting tiled Huts.	No. 2 Order – Communicated to the Offg Chief Engineer with reference to Extract Mins. Cons. 23d April 58 No. 765.	7th July No. 1377	
No. 3 Mins. of Cons. Mily. Dept. 25th May 58 No. 1402 Sanctioning the Estimated Amt. to Rs. 2,500 for repairing and rebuilding the Walls and roofs of the N.I. lines at Poonamallee & observing that the Work was not of such emergency as to justify the Garrison Engr in proceeding with it as he has done with. such estimate or the Sanction of Govt.	No. 4 Order – Communicated to the Offg Chief Engr with reference to his letter of 14th May 58 No. 285.	7th Do No. 1378	

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No. 6 From the Supt. Engr. S. India in ch. Central Office of P.W. 10th June /58 — No. 1334 Submits for sanction three Estimates amtg to Rs. 20150, for constructing Defensible Towers and Parapet round the Barrack Plateau, and two Hr ways to connect the Barracks & Staff quarters at Jacktalla in the Dist. of Coimbatore.	No. 6 Order. Referred to the Military Depart. for consideration.	7th July /58 No. 1001	
No. 7 From the Supt. Engr. 2nd Div. in ch. of the Central Office of P.W. 20th June /58 — No. 1379 Reports death of Overseer Helmeyer & Desires Overseer Horrox	No. 8 Mins. of Cons: Desire to have full information respecting the death of Sub overseer Horrox reported to have shot himself.	7th Do No. 1002	
No. 9 From the Supt. Engr. S. C. in ch. Central Office of P.W. 10th June /58 — No. 1317 Forwards copy of a letter from the Distt. Engr. of Godavery Dt. reporting that a Gentleman of the name of Montclair has erected a 30 Horse power water wheel at Velagatteru and recommending that he be charged for the first ten years only half the assessment fixed upon water used as a motive power.	No. 10 Mins. of Cons: Under the circumstances represented grant authority for Mr. Montclair being permitted to pay a reduced rate of Assessment for the water used by the Water Wheel erected by him on the Cocanada Canal.	7th Do No. 1303	

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No. 11 From the Supt. Engr. S. C. in ch. of the Central Office of P.W. 16th June /58 — No. 1323 Reporting on the expenditure on Public Works in the Canara District and submitting statements thereof.	No. 12 Order. Before passing orders on the letter from the Central Office reporting the expenditure on Public Works in the Canara District, will await the receipt of returns of expenditure for the last two months of the Official year.	7th Oct. No. 1364	
No. 13 From the Widow of the late George Oliver a Revenue Surveyor Madras Establt. 10th June /58 — No. 1501 Submits for transmission to the Honble Court a Memorial soliciting the grant of a Pension.	No. 14 Mins. of Cons: Referring for the report of the Offg Chief Engr a Memorial to the address of the Hon'ble Court from the Widow of the late George Oliver, Revenue Surveyor praying for the grant of a Pension.	7th Dec. No. 1305	2 Engd 5 Augt 1859 No. 20 P/-
No. 15 From the Offg Jr. in ch. Central Office of P.W. 24th June /58 — No. 1392 Submits all available information as to the Amount required to repair injuries to irrigation Works in the Cuddapah & Chingleput and Nellore Distts, caused by the Storms of October & November 1857.	No. 16. Mins. of Cons. With reference to an application of the Offg Chief Engr for a sum of Rs. and addition to the Sums already sanctioned for the Repair of Irrigation works in the Distts of Tellore Cuddapah and Chingleput, that Officer is called upon to state whether any and what portion of Funds included in the Budget for the purpose, is still available.	7th Dec. No. 1306	

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No 17 From the Chief Engineer 27th April 1858 No 934 Reports with reference to Govt Resol Mins Cons No 134 of 28th January 1858 as to the general principles which should regulate the levy of Tolls on Canals	No 18 Mins of Cons Passing observations on the letter of the Offg Chief Engr on the subject of levying tolls on Canals and requesting that Officer to submit for transmission to the Government of India a further Complete report shewing at one view all the circumstances which should influence the consideration of the question.	7th July No 1307	
No 19 From the Chief Engr to Civil Ch. of the C. & P.W. 7th June 1858 No 1229 Submits, for sanction, an Estimate Amounting to Rupees 1060 for Ventilating Saint Stephen's Church at Rotacammund.	No 20 Order. Referred to the Ecc. Dept for consideration with observation that the Estimate does not provide exclusively for the ventilation of Saint Stephen's Church at Rotacammund but for other improvements also to the buildings.	7th July No 1330	
No 21 From Mr H. Morton 10th May 1858 No 1096 Draws attention to the Patent Galvanized Iron Works manufactured by him and States that he will be glad to have orders for a supply of the articles if required.	No 22 Order. Referred to the Offg Chief Engineer for report as to whether the articles referred to are likely to be useful to the P. W. D.	7th July No 1330	

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No 23 From the Chief Engineer My No 1262 dated May 1858 No 1230 Forwards copy of a letter addressed to him by the Chief Engr of Madras requesting to be informed whether Government would be willing for Engrs belonging to the Colonial Establishment to be employed on the construction of Water Towers for the new Barracks at Bangalore and Secunderabad and stating that the Engineers would not be willing to undertake the duty on the terms proposed.	No 24. Order. Communicated to the Military Dept for information with reference to Govt Mins Cons No 1840 Dept dated 5th May 1858.	7th July No 1310	
No 25 From the Offg Chief Engr Nagpore 3rd July 1858 No 1473 Submitting a letter from Messrs Waddell Attorneys at Law and a Bill of the Firm for Rupees 2,000 for professional services rendered in connection with the Nagpore Cotton Company's Solicitor	No 26. Order. The Offg Chief Engr requested to refer to the Cotton Company's Solicitor and be guided by his advice as to any communication to be made to Messrs Waddell.	7th July No 1311	
No 27 From the Chief Engineer 1st June for 2nd 1858 Reporting that a Contingent Bill is about to be drawn in favor of Lieut Hart in connection with his late visit to Mysore to inspect the Water Works and Drainage of the Civil Station and requesting that the Travelling Allowances which have been passed by the Civil Authorities under the circumstances stated may be paid from the Military Funds.	No 28 Mins of Cons See no reason to sanction any other but the Travelling Allowances to Lieut Hart an Engineer in the Central Office who was recently employed on Special duty at North Arcot.	8th July No 1315	

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No 29 From the Superintending Engineer Central Circle dated Poona 10th June 1858 No 1265 Submitting a report from the Acting Civil Engineer Poona dated 8th June 1858 No 284 of the progress of the repairs & additions to the new Police Court on the Panchgaon Road with the Estimate & Plan of the proposed alterations.	No 32 Bombay Requesting the Officiating Chief Engineer to report who superintended the erection of the wood enclosures to the new Police Office on the Panchgaon road and to state upon whose the blame rests for the defective foundations.	5th July No 1213	
No 31 From the Civil Engineer 4th Division dated 12th June 1858 No 1218 Forwarding an Estimate for improving the Deputy Collector's Cutchery at Sanjeed amounting to Rupees 1080.	No 32 Revenue Dept. Sanctioning for immediate execution out of the one lac Pound an estimate amounting to Rupees 1080 for improving the Deputy Collector's Cutchery at Sanjeed.	5th July No 1214	
No 33 From the Superintending Engineer Central Circle dated Poona 10th June 1858 No 1245 Forwards a letter from the Chief Engineer Bombay explaining with reference to the letter of Colonel Henderson dated in the Captaincy of Equestrian to the Revenue Central Office as any other Officer of the Civil Service the Chief Engineer's intentions in proposing at the discretion of laying before Govt only such communications from that Officer as he may consider require its orders.	No 34 Revenue Dept. Directing that the orders of Govt laid down in Colonel Henderson's letter dated 2nd June 1858 No 1064 may be attended to in all cases where Colonel Henderson desires that his letters may be laid before them.	8th Do No 1231	

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No 35 From the Superintending Engineer Central Circle in charge the Bombay Office dated 15th June 1858 No 1274 Reporting that the Bills for Rupees 6 [illegible] incurred by the Revenue Department in surveying portions of Black Town and Boy's Pasture for a Tramway between the Sea Custom House and Railway Terminus had been passed.	No 36 Revenue Dept. Explanation called for in respect of a Bill reported to have been sanctioned by the Officiating Chief Engineer for charges incurred by Lieut Kennedy in surveying portion of Black Town for a Tramway between the Sea Custom House and Railway Terminus.	8th July No 1316	
No 37 From the Superintending Engineer Central Circle dated Poona 12th June 1858 No 1284 Requesting the sanction of Govt to the purchase of the Bell mentioned in the 6th Para of the Annexed Extract from the Consultations	No 38 Revenue Dept. Referring to a resolution reported to have been made by the Trustees of Toll on boats in the Bombay East Canal, observing that they have no authority to alter the rate fixed by Govt & call for explanation on certain points specified.	8th Do No 1317	
No 39 Revenue Dept. Marine 16th June 1858 No 1208. Returning thanks to Mr H. Parkes for his Report and Report on the forms of Register and Log Book received with the Report & the requirements of the Revenue Board and requesting to be favoured with Copies of his Report to the Bombay Council and the Chief Engineer.	No 40 Order Ordered to be communicated to the Officiating Chief Engineer for information.	8th Do No 1318	

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No 46. From the Govt of Bombay 14th June/58 No. 1303. States that the Bombay Govt have no objection to Lieut Taylor's undertaking with Canara Coolies for performing certain works on the Works of improvement to Karlcanda Ghaut.	No 47. Order Communicated to the Collector of Canara, with reference to his letter dated 15th April 1858 No 30.	1st July	No 1322.
No 48. From the Govt of India 3rd Nov 1858 No 1247 [illegible]	No 49. Order Referred to the Officiating Chief Engineer for his opinion and report, with reference to para 26 of the Notification dated 23d June 1857 No 1.	1st Do.	No 1323.
No 50. Minute of Govr Military Dept 22d June/58 No 1344. Recording Minute in putting into progress Ventilators to each gable end of the 2 Dragoon Hospitals at present in use at Bangalore for [illegible]	Order Sanctioning an Estimate for two Stoves Ventilators to each gable end of the old Dragoon Hospital at Bangalore and Calling for Estimate.	2nd Do.	No 1324.

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No 44. To the Govt of India 8th June/58 No 1319. Submitting a Statement of Emergent Works sanctioned by this Govt during the Month of May 1858.			
No 45. Minute of Consultation 2d June/58 No 1265. Recommending to the favorable notice of Govr in Council the Conduct of Lieut Taylor in the Canara Coolie Corps.	No 46. Military Dept Order The Chief Engr proceed to submit an Estimate for certain improvements to the Cookery and Convalescent Shops in the Cavalry Barracks at Bangalore.	9th June	No 1322.
No 47. Minute of Govr Military Dept 28th June/58 No 1413. Recommending an Estimate for Lightning Conductors to the Reserve Magazine in use with the 2d Regiment Majesty's 60th Rifles at Bangalore.	No 48. Order Sanctioning the immediate construction of Lightning Conductors to the Reserve Magazine in use with Her Majesty's 60th Regiment at Bangalore and Calling for Estimates	1st Do.	No 1321.

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No 52. Pros: of the Bd. of Revr. 19th June 1858 - No 1364. Submitting a letter from the Collector of Bellore; enclosing a Statement of actual expenditure during the past 5 years with the Board's concurrence in the representation therein contained of the inadequacy of the amount allotted for clearing & Repairs of the District.	No 53. Mins of Cons: Intimating that the wants of the Irrigation works of Bellore and other Districts are now engaging the attention of Government and that due consideration will be given to the subject.	2d July No 1325.	
No 54. From the Supt Engr S. C. in Charge Central Office of Rs. 16th June 1858 - No 1331. Forwarded Capt Francis's Proceedings & Sketch &c. of his proposed Cottage & Site similar to Dr Fraser's, observes that no estimate of the Work performed to the Western Face has been furnished & states that he intends to call on the Divisional Engineer to report his intended operations mentioned that permission be obtained for part of the proposed Embankments for the Road as during last rains the water rushed & that a Report of the Work done is submitted &c.	No 55. Mins of Cons: Calling for information as to the actual progress made from the new Cart or Line from the Govt Timber yard from those contributed by Mr Buchanan as well as the amount of Expenditure incurred and the Funds still available.	9th Do No 1324.	
No 56. From the Supt Engr S. C. in Charge Central Office of Rs. 23d June 1858 - No 1388. Submits for sanction an Estimate for Rupees 2,400 for extending the Weyasandaum Cattiguelah at Pacotor in Trichinopoly.	No 57. Order Sanctioning an Emergency an Estimate amounting to Rs 2,400 for extending the waterway at the Peyar Condanum Cattiguelah at Pacotor in Trichinopoly.	10th Do No 1327.	

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No 58. From the Officer in Charge Central Office of Rs. 24th June 1858 - No 1410. Submitting an Estimate for Rs 110 for closing the whole of the drain in the Cadets Quarters in the Fort & enclosed by the Officer of the Engineers Corps constructing a breast work with a Cesspool to prevent the Sewage Effluvia, Requesting sanction be granted for immediate operations.	No 59. Order Sanctioning an Emergency an Estimate amounting to Rs 110 for closing the whole of the drains within the Cadets Quarters in the Fort and Constructing a new drain with a Cesspool outside. [illegible]	10th July No 1328.	
No 60. From the Officer in Charge Central Office of Rs. 24th June 1858 - No 1401. Forwards translation of a letter from Captain D'Connell now on duty in Bellore, and requesting to be allowed to proceed by Steam to Bombay on Furlough, there to await the departure of a Steamer of the Peninsular & Oriental Company during his present visit to England.	No 61. Mins of Cons: Sanctioning the grant of travelling allowance to Captain D'Connell at the rate authorized by the Rules to the appointment of Asstt to the Chief Engr and requesting the Supt Chief Engr to furnish certain information connected with the appointment in Bellore.	10th Do No 1329.	
No 62. From the Chief Engineer. 17th May 1858 - No 1083. Forwards a Memorandum of Statement of Mr First Class Engr Blackhart with reference to Govt Mins: Cons: of 8th Novr 1855 & applies for instructions as to Pay & House allowances of the Warrant Officers as to native Lads being apprenticed to him.	No 63. Mins of Cons: Resolve to address the Hon: Court on the subject of the claim to Half Pay advanced by Mr Blackhart from the date of his engagement to the date of his arrival in India and in respect of the amount payable for the support of his family observe that that point has been settled by the Hon: Court authorizing the Civil Executive to have to Mr Blackhart Officiating rent at the rate of 20 Rs per mensem &c.	10th Do No 1330.	To Engd 20th July 1858 No 18 P. 2.

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No 64. From the Supt Engr S.C. in Charge Central Office of P.W. 12th June 1858 — No 1298. Reports the Circumstances preferred by the Commissariat Clerks Pay & Allowances for Travelling allowances and Office rent.	No 65. Mins of Cons. Memorandum for admitting the Claims of Mr George Gray & Travelling allowances which Office rent stated to be due to June and according to resolve to report his claim — and to inform Mr Taylor that this decision is final and that no further application on the subject will be noticed.	10th July No 1331	Tel. 3d Feby 1859 No 1 P. 19.
No 66. From the Supt Engr S.C. in Charge Central Office of P.W. 21st June 1858 — No 1323. Forwarding this Accountg forwarding correspondence from the Acting Garrison Engineer regarding the additional accommodation to the new Post Office required by the Chief Secy and stating that the Garrison Engr has been directed to prepare the necessary drawings for the work in accordance with the suggestions.	Minute of Cons. Recommending the Construction on emergency of additional buildings to the Government Offices required for the reception of the Post Office Steam Engine and for the accommodation of the Post Telegraph Office.	12th No 1	
No 67. From the Officer in Charge of the Central Office of P.W. 24th June 1858 — No 1407. Requesting Sanction for certain Buildings being added to the North and South wings of the Gaol office for the reception of the Gaol Press Steam Engine and for the accommodation of the Post Telegraph Office, and also to request that funds may be authorized for the prosecution of the Works referred to.	No 68 Minute of Cons. Sanctioning the Construction on emergency of additional buildings to the Government Offices required for the reception of the Post Office Steam Engine and for the accommodation of the Post Telegraph Office.	12th No 1	

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No 63. From the Supt Engr S.C. in Charge Central Office of P.W. 18th June 1858 — No 1366. Suggesting for consideration the expediency of reducing to an inferior grade such of the Superintendents of the D.W. as do not possess sufficient qualification to carry their duties with efficiency & whose continuance in their present employments would only impede the Engrs of that Division which they look for promotion. No 72. Recd in the C.S.O. of Rev 25th June 1858 — No 1433. Submitting a letter from the Collector of Customs to the Commissioner to be granted to the Moodeliar of Poonamallee for the loss in his Bloodtub deserted by the Coolies during the Cholera and requesting to be informed whether he should make the remission out of R.s 8-7-3 solicited by the Moodeliar from his Revenue Resources.	No 70. Mins of Cons. Referring a proposition of the Supt Engr for reducing to an inferior grade such of the Superintendents as do not possess sufficient qualifications for future duty & observing that the inferiority of qualification affords no valid reason for reducing any of long standing to lower grades. Rules should be prepared to give consideration to any Vacancy that he may recommend provided the same may be carried into effect without infringing the Scale of Establishment and our Standing Orders of individuals No 72. Order. Sanctioning a small Remission from the Exchequer paid to the Moodeliar of Poonamallee in Value in compensation for a Tank lost given up by him for public purposes.	12th July No 1333 12th Do No 1334.	
No 73. From the Officer in Charge of the Central Office of P.W. 7th June 1858 — No 1248. Submitting Plans Estimate & Estimate of a Bridge across the Cooum River on the Road from Poonamallee to Avady and recommending the amount of R.s 2210 for early Sanction of the same.	No 74. Mins of Cons. Sanctioning an additional Contingency of R.s 2210 for the Bridge across the Cooum River on the Road from Poonamallee to Avadee.	12th Do No 1335.	

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No 75 From Messrs. Price & Co 16th June 1858 No 1540. Stating that they have received information that the Contractor for the Bridge at Ballinrobe has commenced the erection of the Bridge, and requesting that the Engineer may be directed to visit the locality, and report whether the Bridge is being erected in accordance with the Specification.	No 76. Order Referred to the Office of Chief Engineer for report—Contract Overall promise attended to.	12th July No 133	12th Oct. 1858 No 26 81.
No 77 From the Master of the Workhouse 17th June 1858 No 1364. Forwarding for information a letter from the Assistant Inspector in charge of the Irish Line, reporting the sailing of the Screw Steamer Dublin Engineer, with the Remains of two Coolies which have died in the Workhouse for Examination.	No 78. Minutes of Proceedings Communicating to the Office of Chief Engineer a letter from the Master of the Workhouse, Mount Street, reporting the accidental death of two Coolies employed in digging Channels, and requesting Information whether a report of the occurrence has been made to the Central Office—and if so what notice has been taken of it—	12th Do No 135	
No 79 From the Office of Public Works 24th June 1858 No 1417 Forwarding a Letter from the District Engineer Nellore No 1238 of 19th instant reporting the probable delay of his examination of the Harbour on the 21st instant, and stating that this information has not altered the opinion of the necessity of Captain Mansell's visit to Pettore.	No 80. Minutes of Proceedings Remarked that there is no reason for interfering with the present arrangements in Nellore until Lt. Mullins is able to see to the works in that District—	12th Do No 133	

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No 81 Minute of Board of Financial Regency Dated 12th July 1858 No 1491 Ordering that in the event of Mr. Mills not being able to proceed to Pettore, Mr. Bruce be requested to proceed to that Port for the purpose of making a minute report to the Board on the practicability of the Harbour, and that Lt. Col. Pasley be requested to consult Engr. with him on the report and direct Engr. to make his report and direct Engr. to make his report and direct Engr. to make his

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No 87. From the Offg Supt in charge of the Central Office 4th W. 23d June 58 - No 1866 Forwards for submission a letter from the Distt Engr at Belgaum and concurring in his opinion that the inconvenience brought to notice on Trunk Road No 6 can be borne for some time longer & solicits that the sum of Rs 9930 the Estimate may be deferred until a favorable opportunity as suggested in para 2 of Govt Resolution No 89 of 17th June 58.	No 88. Minute of Council Requesting Major Lawford to state the nature of the inconveniences stated to have been experienced from the suspension of Tunnels on Trunk Road No 6 and whether the District Engr of Belgaum says may be borne with for some time.	12th July No 1342	
No 89 From the Offg Supt Engr Circle in charge of the Central Office of P.W. 18th June 58 - No 1867. Submits for Sanction a Bill for Rupees 57-6-6 for Contingencies & Temporary Shed at Sanjore for the accommodation of 35 Men of the 2d European Light Infantry.	No 90 Minute of Council Sanctioning the Bill amounting to Rs 354-6-6. for constructing a temporary Shed in the Residency compound at Sanjore for the accommodation of Soldiers.	12th July No 1343	
No 91 From the Offg Supt Engr Circle in Ch. Central Office of P.W. 21st June 58 - No 1883. Submits correspondence on recommending Overseer Patterman to the additional allowance of Rs 100 per mensem while in charge of the Executive Range of the Trichinopoly Distt and solicits confirmation of his proceedings in regard to the establishment necessary for the conduct of public business.	No 92 Minute of Council: Observe that there is no means for granting the additional allowance applied for on behalf of Overseer Patterman who was in charge of an executive range in Trichinopoly and desire to have full information in regard to the employment of Extra Servants authorized by Major Lawford.	13th July No 1344	

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No 93 From the Offg Chief Engr & Sec to Govt Public Works Dept - No 1872 - Submits a letter from the Offg Chief Engr in charge of the Central Office of P.W. No 1407 - Submits a letter from the Distt Engr at Belgaum in which he objects to the proposed reduction of the Establishment of Overseers in the Belgaum Division & requests that the Establishment may be retained for a period of six months.	No 94 Order - to await the report of the Civil Auditor on the Claims of Mr Moncrieff to higher rate of Deputation allowance.	13th July No 1345	
No 95 From the Offg Supt Engr in charge of the Central Office of P.W. 28th June 1858 - No 1940 - Submits a letter from the Distt Engr at Belgaum in which he objects to the proposed reduction of the Establishment of Overseers in the Belgaum Division & requests that the Establishment may be retained for a period of six months.	No 96 Order - Before favouring an order on the application of Divisional Engineers of Canjeveram for the Head Office Establishment of Land & Canal Surveys to await the receipt of the information called for regarding the disposal of the Office Establishment of Surveys transferred from that Department & Revenue to others.	18th July No 1346	
No 97 To the Offg Chief Engineer & Secretary to Govt Public Works Dept - Requests to explain the details mentioned in the Central Office memorandum of Overseers on the Establishment and whether the Disposal of Surveyors establishment noted in the margin has been carried into effect.		15th July No 1631	

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No 98 From Major S.D. Mundy on Charge of 2nd Dist. of Engrs Office. 15th June 1836 — No 1243. Intimates that Lieut. Nicolson commanding at Sapporo Mainer has passed the required examination in Tamil and qualified for employment in the Dept. Requests that the same may be notified in the Official Gazette, and the usual Commission allowance granted to him.	No 99 Order — Authorizing the publication of a Notice in the Official Gazette to the effect that Captain C. D. Cotton of the Engineers has passed the required examination in Tamil and regarding the Civil Examination Report of Captain Lyell is entitled to Commission Allowance.	22nd June No 1243	
No 100 Minute of Secy Bell & Dept 28th March 1836 — No 1436. Enclosing the account of a portion of the Barracks in the Lower Fort Pindagunta with Estimate for repairing the Dispatch for early Report & Plan & Estimate for the proposed Alterations.	No 101 Order — Ordered that the Plan and Estimate be returned to the Officiating Chief Engr for early Report.	22nd June No 1246	
No 102 From the Secy to Govt Public Dept 8th March 1836 — No 1517. Submits Statement of Rain fall observed in the Collectorate under this Residency during the 4th Quarter of 1835 & 1836.	No 103 Order — Ordered that the same be published in the Gazette.	22nd June No 1265	

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No 104 Letter No 1 from Asst Engr Dated 29th March 1836 — No 1468. Communicates to this Office a Letter from the Executive Engineer regarding the Acquisition of the Plain Ground required by the Zillah Court and the Collector's Report thereon that Powers have been issued for the commencement of the Works.	No 105 Order — Communicated to the Officiating Chief Engr with a request to ascertain and report whether the work required by Mr Mundy last year was not commenced under the 4th Article of Estimate and to proceed with it if not.	29th June No 1282	
No 106 From the Secy to Govt Public Dept 8th April 1836 — No 1570. Submits Statement of Rain fall observed in the Collectorate under this Residency during the 1st Quarter of 1836.	No 107 Letter to Executive Engineer in Charge of Military Works at Chingleput to be placed under the control of the Chief Engineer of Carnatic.	15th July No 1362	
	No 108 Letter to Govt Public Dept Communicating for the information of the Board the Statement of Rain fall observed in the Collectorate under this Residency during the 1st Quarter of 1836.	15th July No 1363	

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No 109 From the Secy to Govt Public Works Dept to Chief Engr & Chief Engr dated 11th June 1858 No 1399. Expressing a hope that a suitable explanation will be offered why the recommendation of the Chief Engr in Genl Memo dated the 19th April last, relative to the remission of the tax on portion of the land taken up for cultivation under the Inquiry Commission Rules, has not been complied with.	No 110 Order To be recorded	13th July 1858 No 1354	
No 111 From the Secy to Govt Public Works Dept to Chief Engr & Chief Engr dated 5th July 1858 No 1469. Returning for the guidance of the Chief Engr the Statement of the Steam Vessels belonging to the Ferry & Ghaut Establishment of the Presidency, showing the particulars of the vessels which have occurred and the reasons thereof during the year 1857-58.	No 112 Order To be recorded	13th July 1858 No 1355	
No 113 From the Secy to Govt Public Works Dept to Chief Engr & Chief Engr dated 5th July 1858 No 1469. Stating with reference to para 4 of G.O. No. 1096 dated 18th Sept 1858 that Govt observe that no allowance has been made of 10 Rupees per annum which should be the remainder on Ghaut in the roster of 1858 and that it is not known whether evidence has been taken in the case of this Ghaut in accordance with the orders regulating the grant of this Ghaut and whether the Chief Engr is of opinion that the	No 114 Order To be recorded for leave to remove the Ghaut in question in accordance with the recommendation of the Executive	13th July 1858 No 1356	

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No 115 From the Secy to Govt Public Works Dept to Chief Engr & Chief Engr dated 5th July 1858 No 1470. Forwarding Copy of a Letter from the District Engineer Bellary explaining the cause of the over Estimate for repairing a Well at Caulkoor being much larger than the others submitted with it.	No 116 Order To be recorded	13th July 1858 No 1357	

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