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No. 18. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel E. LAWFORD, Officiating Chief Engineer; to the Secretary to Government, dated 14th October 1858, No. 4534.

SIR,

dated 20th September 1858, No. 2037.

dated 27th September 1858, No. 375.

I have the honor to submit a letter from the District Engineer of Nellore, reporting that Sub-Overseer A Vencatárutnum continued to perform his duties in the District pending the acceptance of his resignation, and requesting to be informed if he is to receive pay up to the date of his relief. Prior to laying the letter before Government, I have thought it proper to refer it for the opinion of the Civil Auditor whose reply is herewith forwarded.

2. In Extract Minutes Consultation dated the 14th ultimo No. 1891, the Sub-Overseer was permitted to resign his appointment from 28th July last, the date of his letter tendering resignation; but as he is represented to have performed his duties up to the date of his relief in last month, I beg to recommend that the Government will be pleased under that circumstance to authorize the disbursement of pay to the Sub-Overseer up to the date he was relieved from his duties.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Acting Superintendending Engineer Central Circle, dated 25th September 1858, No. 4030.

Read the following letter from Lieutenant J. MULLINS, District Engineer Nellore; to Major E. LAWFORD, Officiating Chief Engineer, dated Camp Bootchereddipolem 20th September 1858, No. 2037.

SIR,

In acknowledging the receipt of your order No. 3758 of the 17th Instant, forwarding Extract Minutes Consultation No. 1891 of the 14th September 1858, I have the honor to point out that Sub-Overseer Vencataratnum has continued to perform the duties of his appointment pending the acceptation of his resignation, and pay for him has been drawn up to the 31st August, whereas the Government have accepted his resignation from the 28th July.

2. It is probable that 3 or 4 more days will elapse before he can be relieved from his present charge, and I shall feel obliged therefore if you will inform me whether he is to receive pay up to the date of his relief.

Resolved to forward copy of the foregoing letter No. 2037, dated 20th September 1858, to the Civil Auditor, with a request that he will be good enough to favor the Officiating Chief Engineer with his opinion thereon.

(Signed) P. M. FRANCIS, Captain.
Actg, Supg. Engr. C. C.

Letter from F. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Civil Auditor; to Major E. LAWFORD, Officiating Chief Engineer, dated 27th September 1858, No. 375.

SIR,

In acknowledging the receipt of the Extract from your Proceedings of the 25th instant No. 4030, I have the honor to state that Sub-Overseer Venkutrutnum's Pay was passed for the full month of August on the 6th instant, before the issue of the Orders of Government dated 14th September 1858.

The Government having in their orders permitted Venkutrutnum to resign his post in the Department of Public Works from the 28th July last, I shall be precluded from passing any salary to that individual beyond that period, unless specially authorized to do so. I beg to suggest therefore that, you should obtain the early orders of Government, permitting Venkutrutnums resignation to take effect, either from the date of his receipt of the orders of the 14th September,

or from the date of his relief as proposed by Lieutenant Mullins; otherwise I shall be under the necessity of issuing a retrenchment against the Overseer on account of the salary already drawn by him subsequent to the 28th July.

No. 19. ORDER THEREON, No. 2307; dated 30th October 1858.

Under the circumstances represented by the Officiating Chief Engineer, the Governor in Council resolves to authorize the Civil Auditor to pass the pay of Sub-Overseer A. Vencatarutnum up to the date he was actually relieved from employment instead of from 28th July last, as ordered in Extract Minutes Consultation, dated 14th September 1858, No. 1891. The District Engineer will inform the Audit office of the former date.

(Signed) W. H. BAYLEY,
Acting Secretary to Government.

Central Office of P. Works.
Fort Saint George
14th October 1858

No. 4534

From

The Officiating Chief Engineer

To

The Secretary to Government
D. P. W.

Public

Sir,

I have the honor to submit a letter from the District Engineer of Nellore, dated 20th Sept. 58 No. 2037 reporting that Sub Overseer A. Vencatarutnum continued to perform his duties in the District pending the acceptance of his resignation, and requesting to be informed if he is to receive pay up to the date of his relief. Prior to laying the letter before Government, I have thought it proper to refer it for the opinion of the Civil Auditor dated 27th Sept. 1858 No. 375 whose reply is herewith forwarded.

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the disbursement of pay to the Sub Overseer up to the date he was relieved from his duties.

Central Office of Ord
Fort Saint George
14th October 1858.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

Lt Quay

L Lampard Lieut. Col.
Officiating Chief Engineer

Cons: 14th Sept 58 No 104 & 105.

PW
Dy to Cons: 30 Oct 58
No 2433.

From
The Offg Chief Engineer
To
The Secy to Govt
D. D. Offt.

Dated 14th October 1858
Recd 15th October 1858
No 2307 30th October 1858.
No 4584
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Submits a letter from the District Engineer Nellore reporting that Sub Overseer A. Venkataramiah now continues to perform his duties pending the acceptance of his resignation & forwards a reply of the Civil Auditor (q.v. reference) & recommends to authorize the disbursements of Pay to the Sub Overseer up to the date he was relieved.

Will the order be

No 2307

Under the circumstances represented by the Offg Chief Engineer, the Governor-in Council resolves to authorize the Civil Auditor to pass the pay of Sub Overseer A. Venkataramiah up to the date he was actually relieved from employment instead of from 28th July last as ordered in Extract from Minutes Consultation dated 11th September 1858 No 1891. The District Engineer will inform the Accountant Officer of the former date.

Fort St George
30th Oct 1858
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1 " " Civil Auditor
2 " " District Engr