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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 25th January 1859.

No. 14. Read the following Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Financial Railway Department, dated 8th January 1859, No. 15.

Referring to this Department letter from the Government of India requesting that the information called for by them relative to certain points in the estimate for repair of the defences of Fort Saint George, may be furnished without further delay.

(Vide Financial Railway Consultation, 11th January 1859, Nos. 19-20.)

No. 15. ORDER THEREON, No. 182; dated 19th January 1859.

Referred to the Chief Engineer for early attention, with reference to Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 13th August 1858, No. 1616.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

No. 15.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 8th January 1859.

Read the following letter from Major R. STRACHEY, Officiating Secretary to the Government of India; to W. H. BAYLEY, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, dated Fort William, 16th December 1858, No. 6309.

General Records.

SIR,

I am directed to draw attention to my letters, as per annexed List, and to request that the information therein called for may be furnished with as little further delay as practicable.

No. 3034, dated 3rd July 1858.

For further information relative to certain points in the Estimate for repair of the defences of Fort Saint George.

No. 4030, dated 23rd August 1858.

To settle first the proper Line to take between Sholapoor and Bellary, and then the division of the work between the Madras and Bombay Railway Companies.

No. 4520, dated 17th September 1858.

For a complete Return of the outlay on Capital of the Madras Line of Railway for the first half of the current year.

Order.—1. The first subject to which attention is called in the above letter relates to the Public Works Department, and it will accordingly be referred to that Department.

2. The second was referred to the Officiating Consulting Engineer in Extract Minutes of Consultation, dated 10th December 1858, No. 673, for his *early* consideration and report. His attention will now be called to that order.

3. Information on the third point has already been submitted by Captain Johnston and is now under consideration. It will shortly be communicated to the Government of India.

(True Extract and Copies.)

Chief Secretary.

Para: 1. To Public Works Department. ✓
„ 2. To Officiating Consulting Engineer for Railways.

Exd. J. A: Wilson.

Com. 17th Augt/58 No. 61-62

P. Works 1859. Despatch
Dto Cons 25th January.
No. 65.

Extract Minutes Cons.
in the Financial
Railway Despatch

Dated 8th } January
Recd 11th } 1859

From Acting Secy, 27th Jany/59.
No. 207. dn Cons. No. 15.

Nt Journey to the
Department letter from
the Secy of Canada requesting
that the information called
for by Mins relative to
certain points in the
Estimate for repairs of the
Defences of Kingston,
may be furnished without
further delay.

C. No. 182. 19th Jany 1859.
With an order

No. 182

Reference to the Chief
Engineer for early attention
and the reference to Colonel
Mins. of Com. dated 13th Augt
1858 No. 575.

(Signed) H. T. George
19th January 59

10 Copies to the Chief Engr Dated 20th
with Extn. C. No. 15.

No. 4 & 15.