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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 4th January 1859.

No. 50. Read the following letter from Lieutenant Colonel E. LAWFORD, Officiating Chief Engineer; to the Secretary to Government, dated 17th December 1858, No. 6386.

SIR,

In submitting for the information of Government copy of a letter* from the Officiating Superintending Engineer Southern Circle, reporting the arrangements he had made with the Collector for the repair of damaged works in Tanjore, I have the honor to express my full concurrence with the measures proposed by Major Birdwood, as they will, I believe, prevent confusion between the Revenue authorities and the Engineer Department.

* dated 13th December 1858.

1 Copy of letter.

Letter from Major W. J. BIRDWOOD, Officiating Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle; to the Officiating Chief Engineer dated Camp Tanjore 13th December 1858.

SIR,

In acknowledging the receipt of Extract Minutes Consultation No. 2599, under date the 2nd Instant, I have the honor to inform you, that I have made arrangements with the Collector of Tanjore this day, that all repairs to breaches in Roads shall be carried out by the Revenue Authorities as being the most emergent, and all other repairs to Rivers and Channel embankments, by the Officers of the Department Public Works as usual.

No. 51. ORDER THEREON, No. 25; dated 4th January 1859.

Ordered that the foregoing letter be recorded.

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

Southern Circle

From

The Officiating Superintending Engineer
Southern Circle

To

The Officiating Chief Engineer
D.P.W.

Sir,

I acknowledge the receipt of Exc: Mins: Cons: No. 2599, under date the 2d. Instant, I have the honor to inform you, that I have made arrangements with the Collector of Tanjore this day, that all repairs to breaches in Roads, shall be carried out by the Revenue Authorities as being the most emergent, and all other repairs to Rivers and Channel embankments, by the Officers of the D.P.W. as usual.

Camp Tanjore
13th Decr 1858

I have the honor to be Sir
Your most obedt Servt
W. J. Birdwood
Offg Supdg Engr Southern Circle

True Copy

Lieut. Colonel
Offg Chief Engineer

Compd

Central Office, 17th December 1858.

No. 6386.

From

The Officiating Chief Engineer

To

The Secretary to Government

Public Works Department

Sir,

Public

Dated 13th Dec. 58

Enclosure —

Copy of Letter

I have the honor to enclose, for the information of Government, copy of a letter from the Officiating Superintending Engineer Thanjore Circle, reporting the arrangements he had made with the Collector for the clearing of damaged works in Thanjore, I have the honor to express my full concurrence with the measures proposed by Major Birdwood, as they will, I believe, prevent confusion between the Revenue authorities and the Engineer Department.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Most Obedt Servant,

Lieut Colonel

Officiating Chief Engineer

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Dated Fort St George 17th December 1858

Received 18th Dec.

No. 6386

Enclosure in letter from the Officiating Chief Engineer

To the Secretary to Government

Public Works Department

Dated Trichinopoly 13th December 1858

Sir,

I have the honor to report for the information of the Officiating Chief Engineer, that I have made arrangements with the Collector for the clearing of damaged works in Thanjore, and I have the honor to express my full concurrence with the measures proposed by Major Birdwood, as they will, I believe, prevent confusion between the Revenue authorities and the Engineer Department.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Most Obedt Servant,

Lieut Colonel

Executive Engineer

Thanjore Circle

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From The Off[g]. Chief Engr
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W. Sec[y]. to Govt.

I beg to submit for information a copy of a letter from the Off[g]. Asst. Engr. 2nd Circle, reporting the arrangements which he has made with the Collector for the repair of damaged works at Tanjore.

To be recorded
W. H.

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