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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
for the month of November 1859.*

No. 48. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department, dated 15th November 1859, No. 4031.

Ordering that Carnatic Artificer Banks, employed in the } (Vide Military Proceedings from 11th to 20th
Public Works Department at Jubbulpur, be remanded to } November 1859, Nos. 139 @ 141.)
his corps.

No. 49. ORDER THEREON, 23rd November 1859, No. 2731.

Ordered that the foregoing proceedings be recorded.

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

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letters:—

From the Chief Engineer, Saugor and Nerbudda Territories, Jubbulpore, 27th October 1859, No. 1138; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George.

I have the honor to forward for your information, copy of a letter from the Executive Engineer Jubbulpore, reporting the misconduct of Carnatic Ordnance Artificer Banks, who has for some time been employed in the Public Works Department, as a Foreman in the Engineer's yard at Jubbulpore.

2. Being fully satisfied that the charges brought against the Foreman are well founded, and that he is not fit to remain longer in the Department, I have directed the Executive Engineer to suspend him from his employment, and close his accounts with a view to his removal from the Department; and I have now to request that you will be so good as to furnish me with instructions as to how he is to be disposed of.

3. The services of this Artificer, together with those of 3 others of the Carnatic Ordnance Company, were placed at my disposal in a letter No. 8123, dated 21st March 1855, from the Military Board Madras. Two of them have been transferred to the Bengal Establishment, and are now employed as Assistant Overseers in the Department Public Works, the 3rd was dismissed for misconduct, and Mr. Banks is the only one now remaining in the original capacity of Foreman.

4. He has received while employed here, a salary of 50 Rupees, but no Military pay or allowances, as he has been considered as a Civilian.

5. From the date of suspension, he will receive his former Military pay, until instructions are received from Madras respecting him.

From the Executive Engineer Jubbulpore, D. P. W. 21st October 1859, No. 195; to the Chief Engineer Saugor and Nerbudda Territories.

I beg to report that Mr. Banks Foreman, has not yet rendered his accounts for the month of August last, and I have always the greatest difficulty in getting him to render any accounts however simple, to this Office.

2. This morning I visited the yard, and found Mr. Banks drunk on his bed, and quite unfit for work.

3. On several occasions, Mr. Banks has been incapacitated for the performance of his duty from the same cause; but I have on his promise of amendment, overlooked it.

4. It is my opinion that Mr. Banks will never break himself off drinking, and that he had better be removed from the Department.

ORDER, No. 4031, 15th November 1859.

Ordered that Carnatic Ordnance Artificer Banks, employed in the Public Works Department at Jubbulpore, be remanded to his Corps, and that the foregoing correspondence be communicated to the Inspector General of Ordnance.

To the Chief Engineer Saugor and Nerbudda Territories. } Here enter 15th November 1859, No. 4032.

(True Extract.)

Minshall
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Inspector General of Ordnance.

„ Military Auditor General.

„ Accountant General.

„ Department Public Works, for information. *With 6 spare Copies.*

Ed. J. Davis.

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