1. Number of pages. 16
2. Date of repair. 4-4-38
3. Initials of Reference

M.R.O. 1—82 400—23-11-50

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public Works **DEPARTMENT.**

Ar 8/3/59

G.O. No. 493 Press Mis.

35-37

Dated 4 — 3 — 18 57

Not to be folded or roughly handled

4/4/38

No. 35. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-General Sir M. CUBBON, K. C. B., Commissioner for the Government of the Territories of His Highness the Rajah of Mysore; to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Nundydroog, 15th February 1859, No. 2.

SIR,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 356 of the 9th Instant forwarding copies of the correspondence with the Government of India relating to the proposed new Dragoon Barracks at Bangalore, and requesting me to offer my opinion on the subject for transmission to that Government.

2. In reply I have the honor to state for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that no time shall be lost by me in meeting the wishes of the Government; and, as the first step I beg to propose that an Officer may at once be sent to be associated with Captain Wilkieson Officiating Chief Engineer in Mysore, and Captain Mayne Executive Engineer at Bangalore, whom I would wish to employ in reporting on the one point as to whether the site of the new Barracks would afford at all seasons, and under any and all possible circumstances of Military difficulty, a secure and sufficient supply of good water.

No. 36. ORDER THEREON, No. 493; dated 4th March 1859.

Resolved accordingly that Colonel A. T. Cotton be requested to meet the two Officers named in Sir Mark Cubbon's letter, for the purpose there stated.

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

No. 37. Ordered in consequence that the following letter be despatched.

From J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George; to Lieutenant General Sir M. CUBBON, K. C. B., Commissioner for the Government of the Territories of his Highness the Rajah of Mysore, dated 4th March 1859, No. 494.

SIR,

With reference to your letter dated 15th February 1859, No. 2, I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to inform you that Colonel A. T. Cotton, Commandant of Engineers has been this day instructed to meet the two Officers named by you, for the purpose of reporting on the site of the new Dragoon Barracks at Bangalore.

To six sheets

For Orders

Public Works Department № 395

From the Commissioner of Mysore 15th Feby 59.

In reply to letter № 356 of the 9th Instant and its enclosure requesting Commissioners opinion relating to the proposed new Dragoon Barracks at Bangalore proposes that an Officer may at once be sent to the Bangalore with the Offg Chief Engineer in Mysore & the executive Engineer in Bangalore to report us to whether the site would afford at all seasons a secure & sufficient supply of water &c.

I suppose his Commissr meant have omitted about the supply. how an addl Officer can help to ascertaining it. I dont exactly see - but I suppose an Officer must be sent. If any Officer [illegible] should think he can better the Cotton - shall write

Enclosures -
No. 1.

58

a Meeting to be held on this
Matter -

* N.C.A.C.
A:719-
26 March
1859.

I think that agency can Spring
from personal Collision - the
Part of the S.C. - a Hasty Hostile
Proceeding - that the Chiefs
Immediate Vicinity - fortify themselves
to Resist attack - be roused
& Plans of the S.C. be
defeated to today -
Supt Indian Affairs - was
called upon to record all
Proceedings in the Matter of Riots

No 2. Mysore Commissioner's Office

From The Commissioner for the
Government of the Territories
of His Highness the Rajah of Mysore

To The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George

Dated Nundydroog 15th July 39

Rec'd

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter No. 356 of the 9th Instant, forwarding Copies of the Correspondence with the Government of Madras relative to the proposed new Dragoon Barracks at Bangalore, and requesting me to offer my opinion on the subject for transmission to that Government.

2. In reply I have the honor to state for the information of the Right

Honorable

Honorable the Governor in Council that
no time shall be lost by me in meeting the
wishes of the Government, and the first
step may be, to propose that an Officer may
at once be sent to be associated with Captain
Wilkeson officiating Chief Engineer in
Perak, and Captain Mayne Executive
Engineer at Penang, whom I would
wish to employ in reporting on the one
point as to whether the site of the new Port
Weld would afford at all seasons, and
under any and all possible Circumstances
of Military difficulty, a secure and sufficient
Locality of good water.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant

Penang
15th February
1859

A Clubbon
Commissioner

No.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
Public.
FORT ST. GEORGE,
4th March 1859.

No. 494.

From

J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq.,

Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George.

To

LIEUTENANT GENERAL SIR M. CUBBON, K. C. B.

Commissioner for the Government of the Territories of His Highness the Rajah of Mysore.

SIR,

With reference to your letter dated 15th February 1859, No. 2, I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to inform you that Colonel A. T. Cotton, Commandant of Engineers has been this day instructed to meet the two Officers named by you, for the purpose of reporting on the site of the new Dragoon Barracks at Bangalore.

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

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

Exd. Geo. Fonceca.

13.

P.W.D.

Colonel Dirs.

№ 494

To

The Commissioner for the
Government of the Territories of
His Highness the Rajah of
Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to
your letter dated 15 Janu-
ary 1859 № 2, I am directed
by the Right Honorable
the Governor in Council
to inform you that Colo-
-nel A. T. Cotton, Com-
-mandant of Engineers,
has been this day instructed
to meet the two Officers
named by you, for the purpose of
reporting
on the site of the new Dra-
-goon Barracks at Bangalore

[signature]

Public Works 1859 Dept.
Dº to Cons: 8th March.

No 494.

To the Commissioner for
the Govt of the Territories of
His Highness the Rajah
of Mysore.
Dated 4th March 59

Informing that the
Commandant of Engineers
has been this day instructed
to meet the Officiating Chief
Engineer in Mysore and the
Executive Engineer at Bangalore
for reporting on the site of the
new Dragoon Barracks
at Bangalore.

No 37.

2