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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 15th March 1859.

No. 106. Read the following Extract from the Minutes of Consultaion in the Military Department, dated 3rd March 1859, No. 859.

Desiring that Lieutenant Faber's request, that his name may be erased from the list of Officers in Extract Minutes Consultation P. W. D., Nos. 58 and 261 of the 7th and 28th Ultimo respectively, will be considered in the Department of Public Works. } (Vide Military Consultation, 8th March 1859, Nos. 13-14.)

No. 107. ORDER THEREON, No. 582; dated 15th March 1859.

Orders Nos. 58 and 261 cannot be modified. But Lieutenant Faber has been allowed, in an order of the 5th Instant, to take rank in the Department Public Works from the date of his first appointment to it.

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

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, 3rd March 1859.

Read letter from the Commandant of Engineers, Fort Saint George, 21st February 1859; to the Secretary to Government in the Military Department.

In forwarding the accompanying copy of a letter to my address, from Lieutenant Faber, who has acted as my Adjutant since September 25th 1857, asking to be allowed to resign that appointment and to join the Department Public Works as a probationary Assistant Engineer, I have the honor to request, that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council will be pleased to accept Lieutenant Faber's resignation, and I beg to recommend, that under all the circumstances of the case, this Officer's application, that his name may be omitted from the list of those ordered to be struck off, may as a special case, be favorably considered.

2. I have every reason to be satisfied with the manner in which Lieutenant Faber has discharged the duties of his office, and his attainment after so short a service, of qualification in Hindustani for General staff employment, is a very creditable proof that his time has been usefully employed whilst at the Presidency.

From the Acting Adjutant of Engineers, Fort Saint George, 21st February 1859; to the Commandant of Engineers.

Having received from the Chief Engineer Department of Public Works, copy of Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 261 of the 28th ultimo, containing the resolution of Government that certain Officers of Engineers probationary in the Department of Public Works, who being by the performance of military duties disqualified for employment in the civil department shall be removed from the list of the Engineer establishment from the date of a previous order No. 58 of the 7th January 1859, I do myself the honor to request, your obliging application for permission to resign the Acting Adjutancy of Engineers, and for the favorable consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, of my earnest solicitation to be specially exempted from the operation of the order of the 7th ultimo, on the ground of my being on the spot, and prepared to remove the cause of disqualification, had I known at the time, that by such a measure I might be allowed to take up my appointment as a probationary Assistant Engineer.

2. I venture to hope, you will be pleased to support this my respectful application to join the Department of Public Works in the mofussil, and also to recommend, that my own name be omitted by the orders of His Lordship in Council from the list of Officers inserted in the Extract Minutes of Consultation of the 28th ultimo, that I may not be subjected, as otherwise I presume I must be, to retrenchment from the 7th ultimo, as having ceased from that date to be entitled to full regimental allowances, as on the strength of the Public Works Establishment.

The Governor in Council is pleased to accept Lieutenant Faber's resignation of the appointment of Acting Adjutant of Engineers, in compliance with his request, and directs that it be notified in G. O.

2. Lieutenant Faber's request, that his name may be erased from the list of Officers in Extract Minutes of Consultation Public Works Department Nos. 58 and 261, of the 7th and 28th ultimo respectively, will be considered in the Department Public Works.

(True Extract and Copies.)

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Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Commandant of Engineers.

„ Military Auditor General.

„ Accountant General.

„ Adjutant General.

„ Department Public Works.

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Exd. J. Davis.

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