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

No. 144. Read the following letter from Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer ; to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, dated 3rd March 1859, No. 8312.

SIR,

In forwarding with a view to its being communicated to Army Head Quarters, a copy of a letter from the District Engineer of Vizagapatam, under date the 18th February 1859, No. 940, giving cover to the accompanying Medical Certificate, and reporting that in consequence of a severe attack of Fever he was unable to join a Committee which, during his absence at Jeypore, had been ordered by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief to visit and report on the fitness of a Hill some distance from Vizagapatam for a Sanitarium, I have the honor respectfully to point out that Lieutenant Vertue was nominated to that special duty, without any reference being made to the Head of the Central Office under whom he is employed.

Letter from Lieutenant J. VERTUE, Acting District Engineer, Vizagapatam ; to Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer, dated Camp Waltair, 18th February 1859, No. 940.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward a Medical Certificate granted me, unasked, by Dr. Blackwell, under the following circumstances.

2. I have just returned from Jeypore, and found on my arrival, that I have been appointed a Member of a Committee, named by the Commander-in-Chief, to examine a Hill at some distance from Vizianagram, which it is thought may prove useful as a Sanitarium, Dr. Blackwell was applied to as to whether I could accompany the party, and he at once replied decidedly in the negative, at the same time sending me the enclosed Certificate, which at his desire I forward you. Although likely to be for some time incapacitated from doing any out-door work, I am quite able to conduct my office work and correspondence.

No. 145. ORDER THEREON, No. 601 ; dated 15th March 1859.

Ordered that the foregoing letter be recorded.

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

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From Lieut W. J. Fortne
Actg District Engineer
Vijayapatnam.
To the Chief Engineer
D. F. W.

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Vijayapatnam
Actg District Engineer
Camp Waltair
18 Feb 1859

I have the honor to be
Yours truly
W. J. Fortne
Actg District Engineer
Vijayapatnam
Capt
Supd Engr N. Nichol

N^o 8312

Central Office of P. Works
No. 1, D. 10

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I hereby certify that Lieut. Foster
District Engineer Vijayapatnam is incapac-
itated by indisposition from the present
performance of his duty.

Vijayapatnam
15th February 1884

M. M. M. M.
Lieut. Surgeon

Enclosed in a letter
from the Chief Engineer
to the Secretary to
Government No 8312
dated 3 March 1884

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Copy of a letter from the
District Engineer
to the Secretary to
Government No 8312
dated 3 March 1884
is forwarded to you
for information.

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Remarks by His Excellency
the Commander in Chief.

I am so sorry - but being
myself on the spot and the
Central Office hundreds of miles
distant I did venture to think
that the services of the local
Engineer Officer might be availed
of for an important duty which
it was desirable should be
carried out without delay I
hope I have not unduly affronted the
Head of the Medical Dept.
by placing the Inspector General
of

To Genl. S. March 25/88

Medical Certificate
March 23/88
Blackburne W. to
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of Hospitals on this same duty
without reporting the circum-
stances to his Departmental
Superior!!!

Remarks by the Honorable
Mr. Morehead.

I would merely record the
Chief Engineer's letter - I think the
Commander in Chief acted
correctly - Lieut Virtue could
always have stated if necessary
that he would not go.

N^o 8312

Central Office of P Works
Fort St George 3rd March, 1859.

From
General. The Chief Engineer.

Enclosures 2 The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

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Sir,

Your most obedient servant
Edwd Colver
Chief Engineer

The Secretary to Government
P.W.D.

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June 15th 1839
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To
The Chief Engineer

The Secretary to the
Dakota Territory

P. M. D.

No. 101

Cherokee

15th June
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Dated 3rd
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