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Public Works DEPARTMENT.
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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 19th April 1859.

No. 21. Read the following Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Military Department, dated 5th April 1859, No. 1300.)

Approving the measures proposed for improving the health of the men of the Rifles stationed at Jackatalla and communicating the same to the P. W. D. } (Vide Military Consultation, 5th April 1859, Nos. 84-85.)

No. 25. ORDER THEREON, No. 883; dated 14th April 1859.

Ordered to be communicated to the Chief Engineer for information.

(Signed) W. C. SIM,

Actg. Dy. Secretary to Government.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

No. 1300.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, 5th April 1859.

Read letter from the Quarter Master General of the Army, 26th March 1859, No. 141; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George.

I am sorry to have to report, by order, that a case of Cholera occurred amongst the men* of the Rifles on the 20th instant—the man had been a week on the Hills, and was one of the Bellary Detachment. As nothing further has been heard, it is hoped, it has proved a solitary case, it is not known if it was fatal.

In consequence of the crowded state of the Barracks there, Tents for about 200 men have been ordered up, and Colonel Bedford has been directed to take what measures may be deemed advisable, in communication with the Executive Engineer, to improve ventilation, where necessary.

Accounts have just been received that No. 3 Barrack will be ready for occupation in a very short time, that temporary provision for sewage has been made, as efficiently as circumstances will allow—that pits are being dug for the night soil, and that the low jungle in the vicinity of the Barrack is being cut down.

The Governor in Council approves of the measures reported in the foregoing letter, which will be communicated to the Department Public Works, with reference to Minutes Consultation No. 1150, dated 24th March 1859.

2. Government will be glad to learn that no further cases of Cholera have occurred.
(True Extract and Copy.)

Maxwell
Ag. Dy. Secretary to Government.

To the Quarter Master General. *With 20 spare Copies*
" Department Public Works.
" Military Auditor General.
" Accountant General.

Exd. G. Rodrigues.

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M. King

From 21st April 1859

14th April 1859

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Ordered 15th April 1859. Ch. C. 1300.

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the Military Reportth

Dated 5th ^{april} March
Received 4 April } 1859.
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Approving the measures
proposed for improving the
health of the men of the Rifle
Regiment at Lucknow and
communicating the same to the
P.M.O.

With an order
of 883. 14th April 1859. C