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No. 203. Read the following letter from CHARLES SAUNDERS, Esq., Officiating Commissioner for the Government of the Territories of His Highness the Mahárájáh of Mysore, to Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. HORSLEY, Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Fort Saint George, dated Camp at Coodlipett, 7th January 1862, No. 4 :—

SIR,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 2,291, dated the 12th December 1861, and to submit for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council copy of the letter marginally quoted, the explanation contained in which I trust will be deemed satisfactory.

From Chief Engineer, to Secretary to the Commissioner of Mysore, dated 27th December 1861, No. 3,209.

From Colonel E. LAWFORD, Chief Engineer Mysore, to the Secretary to the Commissioner for the Government of the Territories of His Highness the Ráján of Mysore, dated the 27th December 1861, No. 3,209.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Memorandum No. 264, dated 18th December 1861, and its enclosures, and regret to find that my application to the Chief Engineer of Madras on behalf of Mr. Eccles has been misunderstood by the Government, for I neither proposed nor desired that he should receive any salary or allowances in that Presidency after he had ceased to do duty as an Assistant Overseer.

2. The request I made was that Mr. Eccles should be re-instated in his appointment only, in order that he might be transferred to Mysore without suffering the loss of pay and allowances to which he would have become entitled from this Government from the date of such transfer, but which he could not claim after his resignation, and this arrangement was suggested in consequence of the delay that took place in the Chief Engineer's Office at Madras in replying to my letter of the 18th May last.

3. In order to satisfy Lieutenant Colonel Horsley of the correctness of this claim, which he did not admit, I adduced the case of Mr. Carpenter's recent transfer from Bengal, and, in asking the Chief Engineer to obtain the orders of the Madras Government on the point if he still differed from me, I did not intend the whole correspondence to be brought before them, but supposed that the subject of the transfer instead of resignation, would alone have been referred as a general question.

4. I beg that the Officiating Commissioner will do me the favor of forwarding this explanation to the Government of Madras.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) CHARLES SAUNDERS,
Officiating Commissioner.

No. 204.. ORDER THEREON, 31st January 1862, No. 102A.

Ordered to be recorded.

(Signed) W. H. HORSLEY, Lieut.-Colonel,
Chief Engr. and Secy. to Govt., D.P.W.

No. 41

Mysore Commissioner's Office

From

The Officiating Commissioner for the
Government of the Territories of His
Highness the Maha Rajah of Mysore

To

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
Fort Saint George

Dated Camp at Coodlipett 7th January 1862

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Sir,

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From Chief Engineer
to Secretary to the Commissioner
of Mysore dated 27th Decr
1861, No. 3209.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servt.

Camp at Coodlipett
7th January 1862

Chas Saunders
Offg. Commissioner

C.G.

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The Offg Commissioner
of Mysore

To
The Secretary
to Government
Public Works Departt
Fort Saint George

Dated 7th January
Received 13th "

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Cons:

Acknowledges letter
No 2291 of the 12th Decr last
and submits Copy of a letter
from the Chief Engineer
offering explanation on the
subject therein alluded to —

with an Order —

Nos 102 A.

Ordered to be recorded.

Fort St George
31st January 1862

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