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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
5th December 1862.*

No. 110. Read the following letter from Colonel W. I. BIRDWOOD, R. E., Chief Engineer, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 26th November 1862, No. 4,387 :—

SIR,

1. With reference to the Proceedings of Government No. 2,347, dated 2nd October 1862, I have the honor to submit for information the accompanying letter from the Acting Deputy Chief Engineer, Central Circle, giving cover to one from the Executive Engineer at Bangalore, wherein that Officer represents that having complied with the requisitions made on him by the Quarter Master General he does not require the services of an Assistant.

2. In their Proceedings of the 2nd October 1862, above quoted, Government granted permission to transfer to Bangalore one of the acting vacancies of Second Assistant District Engineer then existing in the Department, on the grounds that Captain Goddard was unable to perform singly the amount of work required of him, and it was my intention to have nominated a young Engineer Officer to fill it as soon as one was available for the purpose, but under the circumstances now brought to notice by Captain Goddard I have to request that the authority given for the appointment of a second Commissioned Officer at Bangalore may be cancelled.

3. Captain Goddard asks for the services of an efficient Upper Subordinate, but this I am unable to place at his disposal, as none of the District Engineers can at present conveniently dispense with any of the men employed under their orders.

No. 111. ORDER THEREON, 5th December 1862, No. 2,912.

Under the circumstances represented by the Chief Engineer the arrangement sanctioned in paragraph 1 of the Proceedings of Government, No. 2,347, dated 2nd October 1862, is hereby cancelled.

(Signed.) W. I. BIRDWOOD, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

Central Office of P.W.
Chepauk R.
26 November 1862.

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From:
Colonel W. J. Bindwood R.E.
Chief Engineer S.P.W.
To:
The Secretary to Government
P.W.D.

Public.

Sir,

With reference to the Proceedings
of Government N^o 2347 dated 2^d October
1862, I have the honor to submit for
information the accompanying letter from
the Acting Deputy Chief Engineer Central
Circle giving over to me from the Executive
Engineer at Bangalore wherein that
Officer represents that having complied
with the requisitions made on him by
the Quarter Master General he does
not require the services of an Assistant.
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2^d October 1862, above quoted, Government
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one of the Acting Vacancies of 2^d Asst. Engr.
Engineer then existing in the Department,
on the grounds that Captain Goddard
was unable to perform singly the
amount of work required of him, and it
was my intention to have nominated a
Young Engineer Officer to fill it as soon
as one was available for the purpose, but
under the circumstances now brought to
notice by Captain Goddard I have to
request that the Authority given for the
Appointment of a Second Unimpaired Officer
at Bangalore may be cancelled.

3. Captain Goddard asks for the
services of an efficient Upper Sub-
ordinate, but this I am unable to
place at his disposal, as none of
the District Engineers can at present
conveniently dispense with any of the
men employed under their Orders.

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obedt. Servt.

W. Midgworth Colonel R.E.
Chief Engineer D.P.W.

Central Office D.P.W.
Chequers R.
26th Nov 62.

The Secretary to Government
P.W.D.

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Under the circumstances

represented by the Chief Engineer the

arrangement sanctioned in para 1

of the Proceedings of 19th Novr 1862 is

dated 22 October 1862 is

hereby cancelled.

Wm. C. Smith

Chief Engineer with 2nd Regt. Arty.

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