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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 20th June 1863.

No. 479. Read the following letter from L. BOWRING, Esq., 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 Bangalore, 10th June 1863, No. 3 :—

SIR,

Adverting to your letter No. 1,313 of the 22nd ultimo, intimating the concurrence of the Madras Government in the suggestion contained in my letter No. 60 of 8th April last, that the project of the Chief Engineer in Mysore and that of the Engineer of the Irrigation Company should be referred to competent authority, with a view to an unbiased opinion being come to as to their respective merits, I have the honor to request that I may be informed if the decision of Government has been communicated to Colonel Cotton, with a view to his preparing the Plans and Estimates required to elucidate the details of his project, the cost of preparing which to the extent mentioned by me will be borne, as stated in my letter, by the Mysore Government.

No. 480. ORDER THEREON, 20th June 1863, No. 1,617.

Ordered that the following reply be sent :—

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

Ordered that the following letter be despatched.

No. 481. From Colonel W. I. BIRDWOOD, R. E., Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, Public Works Department, to the Commissoner for the Government of the Territories of His Highness the Rajah of Mysore, dated 20th June 1863, No. 1,618.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No. 3, dated 10th June 1863, I am directed to inform you that the Order of Government approving of the course suggested in your letter No. 60, dated 8th April last, was forwarded to the Consulting Engineer Irrigation and Canal Company with a view to its communication to the Chief Engineer.

Elphinstone Commissariat Office.

From,

The Commissariat for the Government
of the Territories of the Nizam
the Nabob Shums ul Oomrah Bahadoor.

To

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
Fort St. George.

Dated Bangalore 10th June 1863.

Sir,

Adverting to your letter No. 1313 of the 22nd ultimo,
intimating the concurrence of the Madras Government in
the irrigation contained in my letter No. 629 of 8th April last,
and the project of the Chief Engineer in Mysore and Coorg
for the irrigation Compound and Village
to compute Authority with a view to an immediate
opinion being come to as to their respective merits, I have
the honor to request that I may be informed if the decision
of Government has been communicated to Colonel Colton
with a view to his preparing the plans and Estimates
required to elucidate the details of his project, the cost of
preparing which to the extent mentioned in my letter
aforesaid, was stated in my letter, by the Mysore Commissioner

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant

A Bruning
Commissioner

Bangalore
10th June 1863.

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Nos 479-480-487

1617 - 1618

No. 1617

(Political Department)

From

The Commissioner
for the Govt
of
The Secretary to Government
Public & Miscellaneous
Department

No. 1928.

Dated 10th June
Received 15th

No 3

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Adverting to letter
No 3 dated 22nd ultimo I request to be
informed in the direction of your
Govt has been communicated to
Colonel Cotton with a view to
preparing the Estimate and Plan
required for the proposed new
Jail

No. 1617 / 1618 - 20 June -

W. Thomason

Secy Govt 22nd June 1863

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No. 1617

Political Department

To

The Commissioner for the Govt
of the Dominions of His Highness
the Rajah of Mysore

Sir

With reference to your letter No 3
dated 10th June 1863 I am directed to
inform you that the orders of Govt approving
of the Course pursued in your letter No 6
dated 8th April last was forwarded to the
Consulting Engr for Rlys &c with a view to
his Communicating with the Chief Engr

Chief Secy 20th June 1863