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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
25th February 1864.*

No. 536. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. C. ANDERSON, R. E.,
Superintending Engineer, 2nd Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to
Government, Department Public Works, dated Masulipatam, 10th February 1864,
No. 62 :—

SIR,

1. In continuation of my letter No. 54, dated 2nd instant, reporting the death of a Quarry-
man, I have the honor to forward a copy of a letter from the Head Assistant Collector, stationed
at Bezoarah, and of the Inquest proceedings held by his order on the body, from which it would
appear that the circumstances which occasioned the death were purely accidental.

2. The deceased has left a widow and daughter who were dependent on him for their sup-
port. The fact of the former having been examined as a witness by the Court of Inquest, will
be sufficient to prove her identity : and I conclude that the further proceedings ordered in para-
graph V, Chapter X, New Code, may be dispensed with.

3. The Quarryman's pay was 5 Rupees per mensem, and I have the honor to recommend
that the maximum gratuity admissible, namely, six months' pay, or 30 Rupees, may be paid to his
widow by instalments of 3 Rupees monthly. The amount may, I think, be properly defrayed from
the allowance for sundries and contingencies in the Estimates for works in progress, which are
supplied with stone from the quarry where the accident occurred.

No. 537. ORDER THEREON, 25th February 1864, No. 570.

The Government sanctions the payment of a gratuity of Rupees 30 to the widow of the
deceased Quarryman, the charge being met in the manner suggested.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Division.

„ Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.

From the Sub Magistrate of Pajook
Pajook dated 20 January 1864

Reports that having
been informed that a man named
Garcutty Ventish, aged about
45 years had been severely injured
by a fall from the quarry and
that he had been carried to the
Hospital, he immediately pro-
ceeded there and ascertained that
the man had sustained several
dangerous wounds, that the joint
of his left elbow had been
dislocated and that he was in
such a state that he was quite
unable to talk and that the Doctor
attended on him.

Formed & depositions
taken from the man's wife and the
other men as witnesses to the case
and they state that the man's fall
from the quarry was purely acci-
dental and his wife thinks that
her husband will recover, he / the

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Delivered in letter
from the Major's office
23rd Nov 1864
to the Secretary of the
M.S. No 62 dated
10th February 1865

No 7.

Kistna District H.S. Assistant
Magistrate office. Camp.
Sajipetta 32 February 1864.

From

W. Wilson Esquire

Asst. Head Assistant Magistrate H.S.

To

Lieut. Col. H. Anderson R.E.

Superintending Engineer S.D.O.

Sir

I have the honor, with reference
to your letter no. 57 dated 29th ultimo.
to forward for your perusal all the
papers received in this office relative
to the death of the quarryman in question.

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be returned

From these you will see that the man's
death seems to have been purely accidental
& not in any way attributable to
negligence on his part.

I have the honor to be

Sir
Your most Obedient Servant.

(Signed) W. Wilson.

(True Copy)

W. Anderson Esq. Col. R.E.

Supr Engineer S.D.O.

Welcome in a
 letter from the
 Capt. Engineer of
 the steamer
 18 Nov 1864
 No 628/10 Steamer
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9th Nov 1864

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Sup. Engr. Affected
 Franchises
 10 February 1864

Engr

Lieut Col. J. C. Anderson R.E.
 Sup. Engineer

Colonel C. A. Orr R.E.
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Your Most Obedt Servt

J. C. Anderson Esq. M.A. R.E.
Supt Engineer, S. D. D.

L.P.
Sri

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Under date the 25th Feb 64

Read the following letter
from the Supt. Engr. S. D. D.
Forwarding copy of Head Office

Sanction
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charge
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To
the Supt Engr 20 Rs
Cont & and for accs

Dec 25th Feb 64

Edw. J. Fox

Dec^r 25th Feb^r

27/1/1864 & 2/2/64
of Geo & Co Ltd

2/2/64
of Geo & Co Ltd
2/20/64

Signature of the 30
witnessed to be valid to the
widow of the Quarryman that
met with a fatal accident
at Beagdale, West of St.

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