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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
29th February 1864.*

No. 605. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military
Department:—

Communicating letter from the Quarter Master General, intimating that the A Company of Sappers and Miners has been ordered to proceed by forced marches from Secunderabad to Bellary. } (Here enter 23rd February 1864, No. 630.)

No. 606. ORDER THEREON, 29th February 1864, No. 602.

1. Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, for information and guidance.

2. Colonel Hemery will be requested to expedite the submission of the Estimate for the additional well, and to report whether any and what funds are available for the work from the allotments for the Districts comprised in his Division.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division.
,, Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

the following papers :—

Superintending Engineer 3rd Division, Camp Bellary, 5th February 1864, No. 274;
Copy to Government, Public Works Department.

Reference to paragraph 1, Order of Government, No. 102, dated 12th January 1864,
or to inform you that the cost of excavating four additional Wells at Bellary will
amount to Rupees 10,000, and that it will not be possible to undertake the work without
the aid of a Company of Sappers and Miners.

On account of the enormous rise in the rates of all articles of food at this Station and to the
shortage of labor at Kurnool, Wudders are not obtainable, even for the works now in pro-
gress. This is one of the greatest emergencies; the total failure of the monsoon has been
the subject of notice of Government by the Collector, by the Major General Commanding the
District, by Captain Fischer, and by himself, and I beg again to urge on Government this fact,

that without an immediate addition to the strength
of the part of Sappers at Bellary,* it will be im-
possible to complete the four Wells lately sanctioned
for any use to the Troops in that Cantonment during the coming hot season.

For the Military Department for consideration, with reference to the Order in that
No. 53, dated 7th January 1864. The probable cost of each Well was given by
the Commanding Ceded Districts, at Rupees 500, but the Superintending Engineer states
that the cost for the four additional Wells will probably amount to Rupees 10,000.

(Signed) C. A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Govt., P. W. D.

1864.

Copy to the Commander-in-Chief, (Quarter Master General's Department) for prompt
decision whether the assistance of a Company of Sappers can be granted for the execution
of the urgent work in question.

17th February 1864.

Quarter Master General, Fort Saint George, 18th February 1864, No. 2061; to the
Government, Military Department.

On the Government Order of the 17th instant, relating to the despatch of a Company
from Bellary, I have the honor, by order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, to say,
that the rapid way to effect this arrangement is to order the A Company from Secundera-
bad by forced marches, without families to Bellary, the families to follow, this His
Excellency has done.

Myself has been received the enclosed application* from the Officer Commanding
Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, asking for an addi-
tional Company of Sappers to be sent to that
Force, in consequence of labor there, as at most
so scarce. One Company, at any rate, will have to be sent from Dowlaishweram to
the A Company sent to Bellary. But Government may see fit to order a
Company of Sappers to be sent to Bellary, and the importance of prosecuting rapidly
the work at Trimulgherry.

ORDER, No. 630, 23rd February 1864.

The Council approves of the A Company Sappers and Miners having been
sent by forced marches from Secunderabad to Bellary, as reported in the foregoing
Quarter Master General, which will be communicated to the Department of
the Public Works, with reference to that Department's docket, dated 16th instant.

2. His Excellency further approves of the Company of Sappers in question being re-placed by another from Dowlaishweram, as well as of an additional Company of Sappers being attached to the Force at Secunderabad until further orders, for the vigorous prosecution of the Military works at present in progress at that Station.

3. The Quarter Master General will submit the usual draft notification of these movements for publication in G. O.

(True Extract)

Kharskanyat
Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department. *Mah 20 June 1861*
" Quarter Master General, with two enclosures.

" Controller of Military Finance.

" Military Accountant.

" Examiner Pay Department.

" Adjutant General, for information.]

Erd R. Stephenson.

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W. & G. in the
Military Dept.

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1. Recommended to the Superintendent
being Engineer J. D. Mc for information
and guidance.

2. The Treasury will be required to expedite the submission of the Estimates for the additional work, and to report whether any and what funds are available for the work from the allowments for the district comprised in Division 17.

to the High Engineer 3rd Div
"Contractor's Audit of" Belgium
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