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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
12th April 1864.*

No. 289. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department :—

Communicating Proceedings of Government of India directing that the cost of the Conservancy Establishment for the Drainage Works at Bangalore be debited to the Madras Government under Public Works, Military. (Here enter 4th April 1864, No. 1,108.)

No. 290. ORDER THEREON, 12th April 1864, No. 1,033.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, and to the Offices of Audit and Account.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division.

„ Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.

„ Accountant General.

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MILITARY DEPARTMENT.
PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following papers :—

From the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.

Submitting letter from the Officer Commanding the Mysore Division, requesting to be furnished with certain information in connection with the Conservancy of the main Sewer at Bangalore. } Here enter 12th December 1863.

With Report from the Controller of Military Finance, 5th February 1864, D.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT, 16TH MARCH 1864.
No. 942.

Proceedings of the Governor General of India in Council, Public Works Department, Fort William, 27th February 1864.

Military.

Charge for the Bangalore Drainage Works.

Read again—

P. W. D. Resolution, Nos. 3795—6A, dated the 26th August 1863, ruling that the Conservancy Establishment for the Drainage Works at Bangalore, should be charged to the Military Division at Bangalore.

Read also—

Extract, Military Department, No. 851, dated the 28th January 1864, on the above subject.

OBSERVATIONS.—From the Extract above read, it appears that the Madras Government has directed the Executive Engineer of the Bangalore Cantonment to take charge of the Drainage works, but has ordered the cost of their working and maintenance to be charged to the Military Department. The Military Finance Department, to which the case was forwarded for report, is of opinion that the Establishment is one that properly belongs to the Public Works Department, and in accordance with the spirit of the financial rule, which directs that the Department which performs any service should provide for the expense of it in its own Annual Budget Estimate, that the cost should be borne by the Public Works Department.

2. The opinion of the Military Finance Department appears to the Governor General in Council to be correct, and His Excellency directs that the cost of the Establishment, required for the maintenance and care of these works, shall be debited to the Madras Government under Public Works Military. The necessary correction should be made in the Budgets for 1864-65.

Ordered, that a copy of the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to the Military Department for information, with reference to its Extract quoted above, and that the original papers received therewith be returned.

Ordered, also, that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Government of Fort Saint George for information and guidance.

(Signed) R. STRACHEY, Colonel, R. E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 597.

Copy of the foregoing forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, Military Department, with reference to the letter from his Department, No. 3155, dated 1st October 1863.

(By order,)

(Signed) B. E. BACON, Major,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

ORDER, No. 1108, 4th April 1864.

Ordered that the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Public Works Department, dated 27th February 1864, No. 942, be communicated to Departments concerned, with reference to the Proceedings in the Military Department, 1st October 1863, No. 3154.

(True Extract.)

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Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Quarter Master General.
" Public Works Department. *With 2 spare copies*
" Controller of Military Finance.

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