No. 805

To

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The Adjutant General
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The Secretary to Government
Military Department

Sir

Adverting to the order of Government in the L.D.W. dated 12th Instant. No. 3680, I have the honor, by order of the Commander in Chief to observe, that it appears that the Officer Commanding Sappers and Miners has been communicated with direct by the Secretary to Government D.P.W. relative to the employment of Officers under His Excellency's orders.

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2. I beg to submit for the consideration of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that the usual course has not been followed in this instance.

Adjutant-Genls Office
Fort William
18th Decr 1863.

I have the honor to be &c
Signed J. Mat Penrose Colle
Adjutant General

Referred to the Public
War Department

Signed/ H. Marshall Coll
Secy to Govt

Fort St. George.
23rd December 1835.

To the Public War Department

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No 34

In October last the Govt of Bombay requested to be informed whether the services of any Engineer Officers could be made available for employment in that Presidency & copy of the letter from the Bombay Govt was accordingly made over to the Officer Commanding Engineers for communication to the gentlemen Officers after mentioned & it was ascertained that Lieuts Morant and Pennefather were prepared to accept the offer. The necessary intimation was accordingly made to the Bombay Govt who requested by Telegraph that the Officers named above might be sent, as quickly as possible to Bombay. On receipt of this application was made to Fort St. George that the Govt: accordingly

Subsequently the Govt of India requested to be furnished with a list of Royal Engineer Officers who were available

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From the Secy of
Govt Military Dept
Dated 23 } Decr 63
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No 37

Relative

Referring letter from
Ad Adjutant Genl stating
that the usual course
has not been followed in
applying for the services
of Lieuts Morant & Prince
father, Royal Engrs, for
employment in the Bombay Presy

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