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Government of Madras.

Public works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
20th May 1865.*

No. 420. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. FOORD,
R. E., Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR,
R. E., Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Salem,
9th May 1865, No. 97 :—

SIR,
1. I have the honor to report that a copy of the Order of Government, No. 1,072,
dated 22nd April 1865, was immediately, on its receipt, sent to the Assistant
Engineer in charge of the Salem Range, and arrangements were made by him to
relieve Serjeant Nicholson of the charge of his Táluq.

2. I have since received a letter from Serjeant Nicholson, in which he requests
he may be allowed to make good the sum lost from his cash chest by stoppages
from his pay, and continue to serve in the Department.

3. The Officer under whom he is employed gives Serjeant Nicholson a good
character, and describes him to be a most useful and industrious Overseer. His
having so large a sum in his possession at the time of the robbery was accidental, for
it was contrary to his usual practice.

4. Under these circumstances, the Government may perhaps be induced to
re-consider his case, and allow of a commutation of the punishment already awarded
to him.

No. 421. ORDER THEREON, 20th May 1865, No. 1,376.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 27.-

1. Under the circumstances brought to
notice in this letter, the Government will
not object to allow Corporal Nicholson a
further trial, and they accordingly authorize his re-employment as Táluq Overseer
in the Salem District. Application will be made to His Excellency the Commander-
in-Chief, through the Military Department, with a view to the services of that
individual being re-placed at the disposal of this Department.

2. The amount alleged to have been robbed from Corporal Nicholson will be
refunded by stoppages of Rupees 20 per
mensem, and the authority granted* for
writing it off to "profit and loss" will be
considered cancelled.

Rupees 726-9-4.

* No. 1,072, dated 22nd April 1865.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division.
" Military Department.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

1632
Re-employment of Corporal Nicholson and
Taking Pension in the Salem Dist authorized.
Application made to His Excellency,
the Commander-in-Chief for his services
being replaced at the disposal of this
Dept. The sum alleged to have been
robbed to be refunded by stoppage
of \$2.50 per month from the
Corporal's pay - The J. O. No 1072 dated
22nd April last authorizing the stolen
amount to be written off, cancelled.
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I think the man
may have a chance
even here. *W*

J. W. 1865 Dept.
Proc. of *Con. of 1632*
From the Super. Engineer
5th Apr

To the Secretary to
Government M.W.

Dated 9th } May 1865
Recd. 11th }

No 97

No 1376 - 20th May 1865.
Stating that Sergeant
Nicholson has asked to be
allowed to make good
the sum stolen from his
Cash Chest, by stoppages
from his pay, and con-
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Department & that Govt
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consider his case, and allow
a commutation of the pen-
ment already awarded him.

A 420.

Establishment Public Works Dept

No 1376
Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 20th May 1865
Read the following

From the Superintending Engineer

Stating that Sergeant Nicholson
has asked to be allowed to make
good the sum stolen from his Cash
Chest, by stoppages from his pay, and
continue to serve in the Dept and that
Govt may perhaps be induced to reconsider
his case, and allow a commutation of
the punishment already awarded him.

Here enter 9th May 1865
No 97

Under the circumstances brought
to notice in this letter, the Govern-
ment will not object to allow
Sergeant Nicholson a further trial,
and they accordingly authorize his
reemployment as Talook Overseer
in the Salem District. Applica-
tion will be made to Mr the
Commander in Chief, through
the Military Dept, with a view
to the service of that individual
being replaced at the disposal
of this Dept.

The amount alleged to
have been robbed from Sergeant
Nicholson will be refunded by

No 726-9-4

1072 d. 22^d April 165

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Sept. 22nd May.

J. W. 1865 Dept
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Pro: of Govt for May
A: 13/6
Pro: of the Madras Govt
Of 20 May 1865

Letter from the Supg
Capt. D. W. requesting the
re-employment of Sergeant
Nicholson as Taluk Quarter
in the Taluk D. with orders
thereon.