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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
8th June 1865.*

No. 205. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department, dated 23rd May 1865, No. 1,928 D :—

Recorded in Proceedings of Government, No. } Read again the papers noted in the margin.
1,705, dated 6th May 1865.

Read also the following letter from the Quarter Master General, Fort Saint George, 12th May 1865, No. 5,316; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department.

Referring to paragraph 7 of Proceedings of Government, No. 1,705, dated 6th instant, I have the honor, by order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, to say that one of the reasons for removing the Sappers and Miners from Dowlaishweram was, that there was only one dwelling house in the place for Officers, and that a very bad one. They were obliged to live at Rajahmundry and Samulcottah. That reason, therefore, militates against sending the 19th Native Infantry to Dowlaishweram; besides, the place is not generally as a Cantonment so eligible as Samulcottah.

2. Rajahmundry is by road only thirty miles from Samulcottah: by Canal about ten hours. In case of a Military Force being needed to coerce the Prisoners, it could always be had within 24 hours. The Police would, of course, take the duty now elsewhere assigned to them, of guarding the Jail on ordinary occasions; the Military only being called in when additional aid was needed.

3. The Commander-in-Chief, therefore, adheres to his view that the Regiment should stay at Samulcottah.

Resolved accordingly, that Samulcottah be selected as a fixed Station for a Regiment of Native Infantry instead of Masulipatam, and that it be notified in G. O., that the 19th Regiment has been removed to Samulcottah *to be there stationed.*

2. An advance of (10,000) ten thousand Rupees is authorized to the Regiment to assist the men in building their Lines, to be issued on the usual terms, *viz.*, on the responsibility of the Officer Commanding the Corps, and repayable in twelve monthly instalments.

G. O. by Government. | Here enter 23rd May 1865, No. 199.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. HAMILTON, Lieut.-Colonel,
Under Secretary to Government.

No. 206. ORDER THEREON, 8th June 1865, No. 1,572.

MILITARYWORKS, No. 15.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineers, 1st and 2nd Divisions.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.

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Exd. S. T. Augustin.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Recorded in Pro. of Govt., No. 1705, dated }
6th May 1865. } Read again the papers noted in the margin.

Read also the following letter:—

From the Quarter Master General, Fort Saint George, 12th May 1865, No. 5316;
to the Secretary to Government, Military Department.

Referring to paragraph 7 of Proceedings of Government, No. 1705, dated 6th instant, I have the honor, by order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, to say that one of the reasons for removing the Sappers and Miners from Dowlaishweram was, that there was only one dwelling house in the place for Officers, and that a very bad one. They were obliged to live at Rajahmundry and Samulcottah. That reason, therefore, militates against sending the 19th Native Infantry to Dowlaishweram; besides, the place is not generally as a Cantonment so eligible as Samulcottah.

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ORDER, No. 1928D, 23rd May 1865.

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(True Extract.)

Alauddin Khan

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Quarter Master General.
" Adjutant General.
" Controller of Military Accounts.
" Military Accountant.
" Examiner Pay Department.
" Principal Inspector General Medical Department.
" Commissary General.
" Clothing Department.
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to Mr S. R. R. 1st Div.
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 1st Div. 1st Div.

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relative to the selection
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