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Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department.

18th May 1866.

No. 478. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Military Department :—

Communicating orders of the Government of
India relative to the inexpediency of incur-
ring any further expenditure upon Moothoor } (Here enter 15th May 1866, No. 1,634.)
as a Sanitarium for British Troops.

No. 479. ORDER THEREON, 18th May 1866, No. 1,600.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 19.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

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

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MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following:—

Extract from the Proceedings of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, in the Military Department, under date Simla, the 25th April 1866, No. 81.

Read again letter from the Under Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, No. 2340, dated 22nd June 1865, submitting copy of Proceedings of that Government, on a report forwarded by the Officer Commanding Nagpore Force, on the Convalescent Depôt at Chindwarra, and on the buildings in course of erection at the Moothoor Sanitarium.

Read again Military Department letter, No. 268, dated 12th July 1865, to the Chief Commissioner Central Provinces, forwarding the above for remarks.

Read letter from the Deputy Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, No. 680, dated 21st February 1866, intimating that the Governor in Council concurs with the Commander-in-Chief that it is inadvisable to send any men to Moothoor.

Read letter from the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner Central Provinces, No. 173-7066, dated 22nd March 1866; forwarding correspondence regarding the buildings at Moothoor and Chindwarra.

RESOLUTION.—Under the circumstances set forth by the Government of Madras, with the concurrence of the Commander-in-Chief of that Army, it appears to the Government of India, in the Military Department, inexpedient to incur any further expenditure upon Moothoor as a Sanitarium for British Troops, as the place is manifestly ill-adapted for that purpose, while the sanitary requirements of the troops for which it was intended can be elsewhere met under more favorable conditions.

ORDER.—Ordered that the foregoing documents* and resolution be forwarded to the Public Works Department, with an intimation that so far as the Military Department is concerned, it does not appear desirable to proceed with any of the Military buildings at Moothoor which are not actually close to completion.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT, SIMLA, 25TH APRIL 1866.
No. 82.

Copy of the foregoing and of the letters marginally* cited, forwarded to the Chief Commissioner Central Provinces, for information, with reference to his Secretary's letter, No. 173-7066, dated 22nd ultimo.

*From the Dy. Secy. to Govt., Fort Saint George, No. 2340, dated 22nd June 1865, and No. 680, dated 21st February 1866.

By order,
(Signed) H. K. BURNE, Lieut.-Colonel,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 83.

Copy of the foregoing forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, Military Department, for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, with reference to Colonel Hamilton's letter above indicated.

By order,
(Signed) H. K. BURNE, Lieut.-Colonel,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

ORDER, No. 1684, 15th May 1866.

Communicated to the Commander-in-Chief, with reference to Proceedings of Government, No. 679, 21st February 1866.

(True Extract.)

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Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Quarter Master General.

.. Adjutant General,.....
.. Principal Inspector General Medical Department,
.. Commissary General,.....
.. Controller of Military Accounts,.....
.. Sanitary Commissioner,.....
.. Public Works Department,.....

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*Stuart & George
18th May 1866*

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Northam as a Peni-
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