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767	The Government of India furnished with copies of the above Returns and letter.	30th Jan. No. 365.		4th Feb. 1865, Nos. 22, 23, Finl. Raily. Dept.	449
768&769	List of Unanswered References of the Consulting Engineer for Railways for the quarter ended 31st December 1865.—Colonel Anderson informed that certain orders should not have been omitted from —	30th Jan. No. 366.	.....	26th Sept. 1865, Nos. 633, 634, 28th Sept. 1865, Nos. 700, 701, 8th Nov. 1865, Nos. 157, 158.	449 & 450
770&771	Military Works recommended for entry in the Budget of 1866-67. —Passing orders on Proceedings Military Department, communicating letter from the Quarter Master General, giving cover to lists of —	31st Jan. No. 367.	.....	.....	450
772&773	Accountant temporarily employed in the Office of the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.—The Controller authorized to pass the salary of —	31st Jan. No. 368.	.....	14th Aug. 1865, Nos. 359, 360.	452
774&775	Pay of the Lascars employed for working the Kistna Anicut sluices, &c.—Proceedings of the Government of India, sanctioning an additional charge of Rupees 68 per mensem for increasing the —, communicated to the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Division.	31st Jan. No. 369.	.....	13th Nov. 1865, Nos. 245—247.	453
776&777	Road between Vellore and the Railway station at Cautapady, North Arcot District.—The Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, informed that funds cannot be provided to admit of the re-metalling of — being undertaken during the current year.	31st Jan. No. 370.	.....	6th Jan. 1865, Nos. 39, 40, 30th Jan. 1865, Nos. 562, 563.	453 & 454
778&779	Surveyor employed under Mr. Fraser, Special Executive Engineer.—The Controller authorized to pass the salary of — for fifteen days in excess of the period sanctioned in Proceedings No. 1,903 of 1865.	31st Jan. No. 371.	.....	7th July 1865, Nos. 152, 153, 15th Jan. 1866, Nos. 349, 350.	454
Do.	Draughtsman do. do.—The continued employment of —, sanctioned.	Do.	.....	.....	.....
780&781	Assistant Engineers of the Madras Railway.—The promotion of certain fourth Class — to the rank and pay of third Class Assistant Engineers, sanctioned.	31st Jan. No. 372.	.....	15th Sept. 1863, Nos. 66, 67, Finl. Raily. Dept.	455 to 457
782&783	Captain Tovey's Earth-work table for the 100 feet chain.—Twelve copies of —, ordered.	31st Jan. No. 373.	.....	.....	457 &
784&785	Report on the Tramway from Arcotum to Conjeveram, &c.—Passing orders on letter from the Government of India, requesting to be furnished with a copy of —	31st Jan. No. 374.	.....	26th Oct. 1865, Nos. 652, 653, 7th Dec. 1865, Nos. 161—163.	458 & 458
786	The Government of India furnished with information on the above subject.	31st Jan. No. 375.		Ditto.	459

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787&788	Post Office and Postmaster's residence at Ootacamund.—The Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, instructed to prepare the estimate for converting the building occupied by the Magistrate, &c., of Coimbatore into a —, in communication with the Postmaster General.	1866. 31st Jan. No. 376.		9th Jan. 1866, Nos. 176, 177.	459 & 460
789&790	Funds in the 4th Division.—A sum of Rupees 5,580 credited to the Reserve under "Military," in anticipation of the approval of the Government of India.	31st Jan. No. 377.	.....	13th Jan. 1864, Nos. 245, 246.	460 & 461
791&792	Execution of Irrigation Works in India by means of loans.—Passing orders on letter from the Government of India, requesting to be furnished with copies of any further Minutes that may have been recorded on the subject of —	31st Jan. No. 378.	.....	15th May 1858, Nos. 51—60, 27th Oct. 1858, Nos. 133, 134, 8th July 1859, Nos. 76—83, 27th Sept. 1861, Nos. 268—275, Ditto.	461 Ibid
793	The Government of India furnished with certain papers on the above subject.	31st Jan. No. 379.	.....	.....	462
794&795	Captain Darrah, R. E.—The Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, informed of the posting of — to the Ganjam District, vice Captain Philipps, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, deceased.	31st Jan. No. 380.	.....	.....	.....
796&797	Maistries (two), and Stone cutters (twenty-four) required for employment at Port Blair.—Passing orders on letter from the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, relative to the terms upon which the — are to be engaged.	31st Jan. No. 381.	.....	12th Jan. 1866, Nos. 319, 320.	463
798	The Chief Commissioner, British Burmah, addressed on the above subject.	31st Jan. No. 382.	.....	Ditto.	464
799&800	Railway Pupils (two), Locomotive Department.—The salaries of — raised to Rupees 150 each per mensem from 1st instant.	31st Jan. No. 383.	.....	30th Nov. 1861, Nos. 112, 113, Finl. Raily. Dept.	465 & 466
801—803	Bookacherla tank project.—The Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, informed that the investigation of — must be deferred until an Officer, &c., can be deputed to undertake the duty.	31st Jan. No. 384.	.....	31st Aug. 1865, Nos. 724, 725.	466 & 567
804&805	Allowance of Rupees 150 to Officers, and Rupees 75 to workmen sent out from England for employment on the Great Southern of India Railway.—The grant of — on account of expenses incurred by them during the passage between England and Negapatam, sanctioned.	31st Jan. No. 385.	.....	16th Oct. 1861, Nos. 48, 49, Finl. Raily. Dept.	467 & 468
806&807	Andapooram Channel Suit.—Letter from the Government Pleader, forwarding certain papers on the subject of —, communicated to the Executive Engineer, Trichinopoly.	31st Jan. No. 386.	.....	9th Jan. 1866, Nos. 207—209.	468 to 470

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
*Tabular Statement of Matters of Routine for the month of January 1866,
Government of Madras.*

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Dates of previous Orders.
1	Letter from the Consulting Engineer for Railways, reporting the expenditure in India of every kind on the Great Southern of India Railway on Capital Account up to the 31st July, 1865, dated 14th ultimo, No. 614. Lodged.	3rd Jan. 1866.	
2	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, intimating that Tálug Overseer Bagley is now in custody in Bellary in consequence of a deficiency of Rupees 143-15-1 having been discovered in his cash, dated 11th December 1865, No. 177. Lodged.	3rd do. do.	
3	Letter from the Consulting Engineer for Railways, reporting the expenditure in India on Capital Account on the Madras Railway up to the 31st August last, dated 18th December 1865, No. 624. Lodged.	3rd do. do.	
4	Do. do. do. on the Great Southern of India Railway up to 31st August 1865, dated 15th ultimo, No. 618. Lodged.	3rd do. do.	
5	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, requesting that certain corrections may be made in Proceedings No. 3,511 of 1865, dated 20th ultimo, No. 2,170. Communicated to the Accountant General and to the Controller of Public Works Accounts.	3rd do. do.	
6	Memorandum from the Collector of Malabar, returning a torn cover, dated 23rd December 1865, No. 157. Lodged.	4th do. do.	
7	Memorandum from the Government of India, intimating that all cases connected with Establishments for the Railway and Forest Departments are dealt with in those branches of their Office, dated 20th ultimo, No. 1,942E. Lodged.	4th do. do.	
8	Statement, submitted by the Controller of Public Works Accounts showing the expenditure incurred on New Works and Repairs up to 31st July last, dated 26th December 1865. Lodged.	4th do. do.	
9	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, reporting that Soobramania Pillay has been appointed and assumed charge of the Meyloor Tálug, Madura District, on the 15th December 1865, dated 20th ultimo, No. 1,988. Lodged.	4th do. do.	
10	Letter from Captain Beatty, R. E., reporting that he delivered over charge of the Office of Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, to Captain J. G. Ryves, R. E., on the 16th ultimo, dated 16th December 1865, No. 2,126. Notified	4th do. do.	

Tabular Statement of Matters of Routine, &c.—(Continued.)

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Dates of Previous Orders.
11	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, reporting that he resumed charge of his Office on the 16th December 1865, dated 16th ultimo, No. 2,127. Notified.	4th Jan. 1866.	
12	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, intimating that Acting Taluq Overseer D. Jackson assumed charge of his duties in the Godavery District, on the 26th October 1865, dated 19th ultimo, No. 2,146. Lodged.	4th do. do.	
13	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, stating, &c., that Mr. R. Smith, Executive Engineer, has passed, in Telooogo the examination prescribed for Officers of the Public Works, Department, dated 20th December 1865, No. 126. Lodged.	4th do. do.	
14	The twenty-seventh report of the Directors of the Madras Railway, received from the Secretary of State. Distributed.	5th do. do.	
15	The Controller of Public Works Accounts requested to furnish certain information, required by the Government of Bombay, relative to the services of Mr. Konig in this Presidency.	5th do. do.	
16	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, reporting that Supervisor Stoddard died at Cuddalore on the 21st December 1865, dated 1st instant, No. 47. Lodged.	5th do. do.	
17	Letter from Executive Engineer, Bangalore, through the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, acknowledging the receipt of a Telegram containing instructions relative to certain Military buildings at the above station, dated 22nd December 1865, No. 715. Lodged.	5th do. do.	
18 & 19	Certain correspondence submitted by the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, containing the information called for in Proceedings No. 3,276 of 1865, relative to the increase in the rates for certain Military works at Bellary. Lodged.	5th do. do.	
20	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, forwarding a form showing the progress that has been made in preparing the plans and estimates called for in Proceedings No. 487 of 1865, for cells for the separate imprisonment of of European Troops in this Presidency, dated 4th January 1866, No. 3,436. Lodged.	6th do. do.	
21	Certain promotions ordered in consequence of the decease of Supervisor Stoddard.	6th do. do.	

Tabular Statement of Matters of Routine, &c.—(Continued.)

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Dates of previous Orders.
22	The Quarter Master General furnished with a Statement showing the manner in which it is proposed to appropriate the amount (Rupees 10 lacs) allotted for Military Works in this Presidency for the ensuing year.	6th Jan. 1866.	
23	The Consulting Engineer for Railways furnished with a copy of letter No. 369 of 1865, from the Directors of the Madras Railway Company to their Agent in this Presidency.	6th do. do.	
24	Schedule of the Proceedings of the Consulting Engineer for Railways from 16th to 31st December 1865, dated 5th instant. Lodged.	8th do. do.	
25	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, intimating that no other plans and estimates than those for adapting the four latrines at the New Dragoon Barracks at Bangalore to the dry earth system, have been forwarded to the Quarter Master General, dated 4th instant, No. 49. Lodged.	8th do. do.	
26	Memorandum granting Mr. George, Executive Engineer, in the Coimbatore District, twelve months' leave on Medical Certificate, dated 8th January 1866. Notified.	8th do. do.	
27	Memorandum transferring Assistant Commissary M. Howard, Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, from the North Arcot to the South Arcot District, dated 10th instant. Notified.	10th do. do.	
28	Memorandum posting Deputy Commissary W. Porter, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, to do duty in the Bellary District, dated 10th instant. Notified.	10th do. do.	
29	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, intimating that Taluq Overseer C. Murugasam Mudali has been transferred from the Kurnool to the Bellary District, dated 6th instant, No. 189. Lodged.	10th do. do.	
30	Letter submitted by the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, reporting that Major J. G. Palmer, Executive Engineer, Cuddapah District, is detained in Madras by illness, dated 8th January 1866. Lodged.	11th do. do.	
31	The Consulting Engineer for Railways furnished with one of the three Returns of accidents on Railways for 1864, received from the Government of Bombay.	11th do. do.	
32	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, reporting that Taluq Overseer C. Nursiah Nayudu, died on the 17th September 1865, dated 4th instant, No. 2,308. Lodged.	12th do. do.	

Tabular Statement of Matters of Routine, &c.—(Continued.)

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Dates of previous Orders.
33	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, reporting that he has appointed Kistnaswamy, Moodliar, late Sub-Overseer, to act in the absence of Sub-Conductor Riordan as Taluq Overseer on Miscellaneous duty, dated 6th instant, No. 2,029. Lodged.	16th Jan. 1866.	
34	Letter from the Collector of Godavery District, requesting to be furnished with ten cheque books, dated 19th ultimo. Supplied.	16th do. do.	
35	Indent submitted by the Deputy Collector in charge of the Treasury, Bellary, for ten cheque books, dated 19th ultimo. Supplied.	16th do. do.	
36	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, returning certain plans connected with the proposed improvement of the Salem Jail, dated 8th instant, No. 55. Lodged.	16th do. do.	
37	Memorandum from the Consulting Engineer for Railways intimating that the estimate of the land proposed to be taken up for Railways during 1866-67, will be shortly submitted, dated 10th instant, No. 15. Lodged.	16th do. do.	
38	The Secretary to the Commissioner for the Uncovenanted Civil Service Examinations furnished with a Statement of the appointments made in this Office during 1865, to situations the salaries of which may exceed Rupees 10 per mensem.	16th do. do.	
39	The Notice received from the Government of Bombay relative to the purchase of the right to lease certain land, inserted in the "Fort Saint George Gazette."	17th do. do.	
40	Telegram from Mr. Colquhoun, Bellary, praying that he may be transferred to any District near the coast, dated 15th instant. Lodged.	17th do. do.	
41	Memorandum transferring Lieutenant Pennefather, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, from the Bellary to the Cuddapah District, dated 17th January 1866. Notified.	17th do. do.	
42	Memorandum placing the services of Lieutenant-Colonel Anderson, R. E., temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India, for employment on special duty in the Central Provinces, dated 17th instant. Notified.	17th do. do.	

Tabular Statement of Matters of Routine, &c.—(Continued.)

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Orders.	Dates of previous Orders.
43	Minute by His Excellency the President, appointing Major Shaw Stewart, R. E., Acting Consulting Engineer for Railways, during the absence of Lieutenant-Colonel Anderson, R. E., on special duty in the Central Provinces, dated 18th instant. Notified.	18th Jan. 1866.	
44	Minute by His Excellency the President, ordering certain promotions in the Engineer grades in consequence of the death of Captain Philipps, Executive Engineer in the Ganjam District, dated 18th instant. Notified.	18th do. do.	
45	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, reporting that P. Venkata Rao, late Sub-Overseer, was confirmed as Taluq Overseer in the Salem District on the 1st December 1865, dated 15th instant, No. 58A. Lodged.	19th do. do.	
46	Letter from the Consulting Engineer for the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, submitting a statement of the Company's expenditure for November 1865, dated 17th instant, No. 140. Lodged.	19th do. do.	
47	Endorsement of the Consulting Engineer Irrigation and Canal Company, submitting copy of a letter to the Controller of Public Works Accounts relative to the bill for compensation for lands made over to the Company in November last, dated 18th instant, No. 141. Lodged.	20th do. do.	
48	Endorsement of the Consulting Engineer for Railways, submitting the Report on the Beypore Pier works for December 1865, dated 12th instant, No. 18. Lodged.	20th do. do.	
49	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, recommending T. Ramiah, Taluq Overseer in the Ganjam District for promotion, dated 5th instant, No. 2,319. Lodged.	20th do. do.	
50	Endorsement of the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, submitting certain correspondence relative to the Progress Report on works estimated to cost Rupees 20,000 and upwards, dated 18th instant, No. 3,679. Lodged.	20th do. do.	
51	Schedule of the Proceedings of the Consulting Engineer for Railways from 1st to 15th January 1866, dated 18th instant. Lodged.	20th do. do.	
52	Letter from the Deputy Collector in charge of the Treasury, Bellary, acknowledging the receipt of ten cheque books, dated 16th instant, No. 99. Lodged.	22nd do. do.	

Tabular Statement of Matters of Routine &c.—(Continued)

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Dates of previous Orders.
53	Letter from the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, requesting to be furnished with six copies of the New Manual of Accounts, dated 19th instant, No. 761. Supplied.	22nd Jan. 1866.	
54	Messrs. Parry & Co. informed that the bill for the messing of Conductor Scully and family on board the "Hero," during the voyage from Singapore to Madras, should be forwarded to the Chief Engineer of Mysore.	23rd do. do.	
55	Proceedings of the Government of Bombay, forwarding copy of the half-yearly Revenue Report ending 31st December 1864 of the Great Peninsula Railway Company, dated 17th instant, No. 171, communicated to the Consulting Engineer for Railways.	25th do. do.	
56	Circular from the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, containing certain instructions on the subject of Indents on the Arsenal, Fort Saint George, received from out-stations, dated 21st December 1865, No. 6,705. Communicated to the Superintending Engineers.	25th do. do.	
57	The Quarter Master General informed that the amount provided in the Budget of 1864-65 for alterations to the Privies at St. Thomas' Mount and Poonamallee, was directed during that year to other works, and that no funds have since been allotted for the Privies.	25th do. do.	
58	Letter from the Consulting Engineer for Railways, requesting that certain corrections may be made in his letter recorded in Proceedings No. 269 of 1866, dated 26th instant, No. 44. Communicated to the Military Department.	30th do. do.	
59	Letter from the Consulting Engineer for Railways, relative to the cash balance on hand, on account of the Beypore Pier, dated 24th instant, No. 12. Lodged.	30th do. do.	
60	Letter from the Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Madras, requesting to be furnished with two copies of the order calling for reports on the best means of keeping water sweet when stored in tanks, dated 27th instant. Lodged.	30th do. do.	
61	The Barrack Master furnished with a receipt for the table with drawers received from the late Commandant of Engineers.	30th do. do.	
62	The Statement, submitted by the Controller of Public Works Accounts, showing the expenditure on New Works and Repairs up to the end of August 1865, compared with allotments, dated 22nd instant, No. 859. Lodged.	30th do. do.	

Tabular Statement of Matters of Routine, &c.—(Concluded.)

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Dates of Previous Orders.
63	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, reporting that he has transferred Taluq Overseer Valoydom Pillay from the Madura to the Pulney Taluq, and that Kistnasawmy Moodelly took charge of the Madura Taluq on the 10th January 1866, dated 22nd instant, No. 2,127. Lodged.	30th Jan. 1866.	
64	Certain promotions ordered in the grade of Supervisor.	31st do. do.	
65	Letter from the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, reporting that Lieutenant Coningham resumed charge of the operations at Paumben on the 15th January 1866, dated 26th instant, No. 2,153. Lodged.	31st do. do.	