

thus be about 14,000 Rupees, but as the cost by the *Prince Arthur* would not be more than about 11,000 Rupees, and the Commander states that the vessel is fit for the service, she had better be employed, if there is any urgent necessity for bringing the Battery over at once. If not, their removal could be effected with much more comfort to the men in September or October.

Telegram from the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, Simla, 21st May 1867; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Madras

The *Prince Arthur* may be employed on the service proposed.

Official memorandum from the Superintendent of Marine, Madras, 23rd May 1867, No. 1931; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department.

The Superintendent of Marine has the honor to acknowledge receipt of official memorandum from the Secretary to Government, Military Department, of yesterday's date, pointing out his error in supposing that the Battery from Penang was to be landed at Madras instead of at Rangoon, and to express his regret at the oversight made.

2. There had been question about the ability of the *Prince Arthur* to return from Penang to Madras against the monsoon, and the Superintendent entertained the idea that it was this question the Government desired to be satisfied about. There is no difficulty in making the voyage from Penang to Rangoon.

3. In consequence of the timely notice of the mistake under acknowledgment, no inconvenience will have been experienced.

ORDER, No. 1924, 25th May 1867.

With the approval of the Government of India, the Governor in Council sanctions the employment of the *Prince Arthur* for the transport of the 2nd Battery 5th Brigade from Penang.

2. The arrangements proposed in the foregoing letter from the Quarter Master General, regarding the future strength and distribution of the Artillery for this Presidency, will be submitted to the Government of India for approval; pending which the above Battery will, as recommended by the Commander-in-Chief, be stationed at Rangoon.

3. A copy of the foregoing correspondence will also be forwarded for the information of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India.

To the Secy to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept, Simla. | Here enter 25th May 1867, No. 1925.

(True Extract.)

W. H. Hall Major General,
Secretary to Government.

To the Quarter Master General.

„ Superintendent of Marine.
„ Adjutant General
„ Contoller of Military Accounts.
„ Inspector General of Ordnance,.....
„ Commissary General,.....
„ Clothing Department, ...
„ Inspector General British Medical Service,..... } for information.

Exd. J. E. Cashart.

for information.

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Pro. of the Madras Govt.
in the Military Dept.

25 May 1867
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Directing that the
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General regarding the
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to the Govt of India for
approval.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government

Under date the 25th May 1867

Read the following

From the Asst Surg Engineer
of the 4th Div

Received 14th May 1867
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No of Govt Military Dep^t - 25 - 4 - 1867 - 1924 -

The Government
approve of the plan and
estimate of Rupees 30,120-
for the construction of Stables
for the Horses of two Regt
Batteries of Royal Artillery
at St Thomas Mount. The
work will be entered in
the Budget of 1868/69 -

one copy to be sent to the
for the Sup^y of the Govt with the
Contractor of Works
This is in accordance with
the Military Dep^t
done
26/6/67

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Pro. of Govt. for June

No. 1892

Pro. of the Marine Govt.
Of 25th June 1867

Approving of the
Estimate of Rs. 30,120 for the
construction of Artillery
Stables for two Field
Batteries of Royal Artillery
at Saint Thomas Mount.
and the work to be entered
in the Budget of 1868/69.

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