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Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
24th January 1868.*

No. 507. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Military Department:—

Requesting the Public Works Department to
cause the plans of the buildings in the Canton-
ments of Bangalore and Trichinopoly to be
first put in hand and completed as early as
possible. } (Here enter 15th January 1868, No. 190.)

No. 508. (ORDER THEREON, 24th January 1868, No. 263.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 23.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

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

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter :—

From the Quarter Master General, Fort Saint George, 4th November 1867, No. 6990; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department.

In compliance with instructions contained in an extract from a Military letter, from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 110, dated India Office, 16th April 1864, to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, communicated to the Quarter Master General, in

No. 2276. 1st July 1864.
" 84. 1st January 1866.
" 272. 2nd " "
" 760. 27th " "
" 4104. 23rd October 1867.

Order of Government, No. 2276, dated the 1st July 1864, and with reference to the Orders of the Madras Government quoted in the margin, I have the honor to forward twelve lithographic copies of

Plans of the Cantonments of Bangalore and Trichinopoly : and also thirty-six sheets of the Indian Atlas, (twelve each of Nos. 60—79—80 respectively) shewing the country in the vicinity of these stations with the position of the Cantonment and the means of communication marked in colours; the height of the station above the Sea, and the distance in miles from the nearest important town or Military post is also shewn.

2. The Plans are copied from the existing Plans filed in this Office, and do not exhibit the ground adjacent to the Cantonment to any great extent.

ORDER, No. 190, 15th January 1868.

The Secretary of State in paragraph 13 of a despatch to the Government of India, dated 16th April 1864, No. 110,*

* Recorded in *Proceedings of Government*, 1st July 1864, No. 2276.

requested to be supplied with six copies of the following Maps and Plans, relating to all stations in India, in which British Troops are located and are in occupation of permanent Barracks.

No. 1. Map of the country in the vicinity of the Military Station, on a scale of four miles to the inch.

No. 2. Map of the Station itself, or Cantonment, on a scale of six inches to the mile.

No. 3. Plans of the Military buildings in the Cantonment, on a scale of 1/500th or 10.56 feet to the inch.

2. A compilation of the above description being considered to be extremely useful to Departments connected with the Military administration, it was ascertained, in issuing orders for its preparation, that the following additional copies would be required :—

† *Proceedings of Government*, 8th January 1866, No. 84, paragraph 4.

For the Council Chamber..... 1
" Government of India ... 1
" Government of Bombay. 1
" Madras Sanitary Commissioner 1

*Proceedings of Government, 22nd July 1866,
No. 272.
†Proceedings of Government, 27th February
1866, No. 760.

For the Quarter Master General's
Department *6
For the Quarter Master General,
Horse Guards..... †2
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12
For Secretary of State..... 6
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Total... 18

3. The Commander-in-Chief (Quarter Master General's Department) was accordingly requested to supply the required number of copies of the first mentioned Map from sheets of the Indian Atlas, noting therein the information called for by the Secretary of State, as regards the position of the Military Station means of communication, height above sea level, &c.

4. The Public Works Department was requested to lithograph map No. 2, (of each Cantonment) and Plans No. 3, (of the Military buildings in the Cantonment) the latter from materials in possession of that Department, and the former, from drawings to be furnished by the Quarter Master General's Department.

5. The Lithographic Establishment attached to the Public Works Department being unable to meet the abovementioned requisition without additional hands, a temporary establishment has been recently sanctioned‡ for the purpose.

‡Proceedings of Government, 28th November
1867, No. 4591.

6. The Quarter Master General now forwards 12 lithographed copies of Plans of the Cantonments of Bangalore and Trichinopoly, with sheets§ of the Indian Atlas, shewing the country in the vicinity of these stations.

§Twelve each of Nos. 60, 79 and 80.

7. These being incomplete for the purpose of record, as far as relates to the abovementioned stations, without the Plans (No. 3) of the buildings themselves, the Governor in Council considers it preferable to defer the transmission of the copies designed for the Secretary of State,¶ and the Governments|| of India and Bombay, until the latter are also ready.

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8. The Public Works Department will be accordingly requested to cause the Plans of the buildings of the two Cantonments already alluded to, to be first put in hand and completed as early as practicable.

9. Meanwhile, the remaining copies of the Plans and Maps already received will be distributed as follows:—

For the Council Chamber..... 1
„ Sanitary Commissioner..... 1
„ Military Department..... 2

10. It is assumed that the Quarter Master General will duly appropriate the number** of copies required for his Department and for the Horse Guards.

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(True Extract.)

W. C. Smith Major,

Offg. Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Quarter Master General.
„ Public Works Department. *With 20 copies.*
„ Sanitary Commissioner, with Plans and Maps.
„ Controller of Military Accounts, for information.
Exd. J. E. Cashart.

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Depy to cause the plans
of the buildings in the
Cantonments of Bangalore
& Trichinopoly to be
first put in hand and
Completed as early as
possible.

Copy sent to Mr. Balduy
and his attention being
drawn to it.

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