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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
16th October 1869.*

No. 314. Read the following Endorsement of the Assistant Secretary to the Government of India:—

Read the following Circular from the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Military Works,) to the Governments of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and the Punjab, in the Public Works Department; the Chief Commissioners of Oudh, Central Provinces, British Burmah, and Mysore and Coorg; the Resident at Hyderabad; and the Agents to the Governor General for Central India and Rajpootana, dated Simla, 11th September 1869, No. 77.

With reference to Public Works Department Circular No. 15, dated 13th February 1868, I am directed to state that it is not considered expedient to construct new wells in encamping grounds in the neighbourhood of which there are village wells from whence a sufficient supply of water can be obtained for the troops.

2. Wells in encamping grounds, from their liability to constant disuse, would often yield a very unwholesome supply of water.

Copy forwarded for information to the Governments of Madras and Bombay, in the Public Works Department; the Military Department, Adjutant General, Quarter Master General, and Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India.

(Signed) J. W. ALEXANDER, C. E.,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 315. ORDER THEREON, 16th October 1869, No. 3,334.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 9.

COMMUNICATED to the Superintending Engineers in continuation of G. O., No. 697, dated 4th March 1869.

(True Extract.)

Captain, R.E.,
Acting Under Secretary to Government.

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Sanitary Commissioner.
To Major B. B. Kennedy.
To the Military Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

CIRCULAR No. 77 PUBLIC WORKS.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
MILITARY WORKS.

To

THE GOVERNMENTS OF BENGAL, THE NORTH WESTERN PROVINCES AND THE PUNJAB, IN
THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT; THE CHIEF COMMISSIONERS OF OUDH, CENTRAL
PROVINCES, BRITISH BURMAH, AND MYSORE AND COORG; THE RESIDENT AT HYDERABAD;
AND THE AGENTS TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL FOR CENTRAL INDIA AND RAJPOOTANA.

SIMLA, SEPTEMBER 11, 1869.

SIR,

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supply of water can be obtained for the troops.

2. Wells in encamping ground, from their liability to constant
disuse, would often yield a very unwholesome supply of water.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

(Signed) W. A. CROMMELIN, Colonel, R. E.,
for Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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Bombay, in the Public Works Department; the Military Department,
Adjutant General, Quarter Master General, and Sanitary Commissioner
with the Government of India.

W. A. Crommelin, C. E.,
Asstt. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

*To the Secretary to Govt. of Madras
Public Works Department*

*P.W. Dept
No 164*

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
MILITARY WORKS.

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THE GOVERNMENTS OF BENGAL, THE NORTH
WESTERN PROVINCES AND THE PUNJAB, IN
THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT; THE CHIEF
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FOR CENTRAL INDIA AND RAJPOOTANA.

CIRCULAR No. 77 PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated SIMLA, September 11, 1869.

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Inexpediency of constructing new wells in
encamping grounds in the neighbourhood of which
there are village wells whence a sufficient supply of
water can be obtained for the troops.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

The Superintending Eng^r

Order

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Nos. 314-315

Wells Circular from the Govt of
India regarding the superintending
of constructing new wells in the
camping grounds in the vicinity
of which there are village wells
from which a sufficient supply
of water can be obtained for
the troops. And the ~~Eng^r~~ con-
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Lat. 12/18/1869