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No. 243. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Tanjore, 16th December 1869, No. 1,077 :—

I HAVE the honour to forward a list of Government Orders and requisitions which I would request permission to remove from the list of Unanswered References. Explanation as to their removal is afforded in the column of remarks in the enclosed list.

List of Government Orders and Requisitions for the removal of which from the List of Unanswered References permission is requested, under the explanations afforded.

No.	Date	Subject.	Explanation as to the reasons for removal.
1,490	26th June 1862.	To submit plans and estimates for establishing workshops of Regiments and Battery of Europeans in the Presidency.	The Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Southern Division, states that for the past two or three years provision has been made in the list of buildings required for the Southern Division for new workshops for the Battery of Artillery at Trichinopoly ; but, as the same has been omitted in the lists submitted to Government from the Quartermaster-General's Office, estimates have not yet been called for. Further that, as the Officer Commanding the Battery reports that the existing workshops meet the requirements of the Battery, it is more than probable that estimates for new workshops will never asked for.
1,877	14th July 1863.	Calls for estimates for the undermentioned Railway feeders in the Tanjore District.	
		From Kivalore southwards to Kilayur.	Not required being superseded by road to Kutchanum, for which an estimate of Rupees 60,300 was sanctioned in G. O., No. 1,663, dated 26th May 1868. The work is in progress.
		From Budalur to Trikatpully ...	An estimate of Rupees 96,600 was sanctioned in G. O., No. 2,590, dated 6th August 1869. Work will be commenced shortly.
2,460	26th August 1864.	To submit plans and estimates for the undermentioned Railway feeders to the Erode extension.	
		From Museri to Cannanore and Toriore.	An estimate was sanctioned in G. O., No. 3,883, of 14th December 1867. Also a revised estimate in G. O., No. 1,304, of 20th April 1869, and the work is in progress.
		From Vetticutty to Tottiem ...	An estimate was sanctioned in G. O., No. 3,261, of the 21st October 1867, and the work has been completed.
912	4th April 1865.	Sanctioning the continuance of, and requesting a full report on, the dredge operation at Negapatam Harbour.	The dredge cannot be worked to much advantage at Negapatam, and she is out of order at present—*Vide* report recorded in G. O., No. 3,521, dated 4th November 1869.

List of Government Orders and Requisitions for the removal of which from the List of Unanswered References, etc.—(Continued.)

No.	Date.	Subject.	Explanation as to the reasons for removal.
1,919	20th June 1866.	Paragraph 29. Awaits the receipt of estimates for second class Sub-Magistrate's Office and Police Station at Toriore.	Estimates submitted, and were sanctioned in G. O., No. 2,475, dated 28th July 1869.
		Do. do. at Rajendrapatam.	
		Association room and wash-house for the Battery of Artillery at Trichinopoly.	The Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Southern Division, states that these buildings are not required, Quarter-guard cells and out-offices having been provided. These latter were sanctioned in G. O., No. 3,071, dated 25th September 1866.
		Raising the walls and putting up ridge ventilators to the roof of the Surgery Office and Artillery Hospital Serjeants' Quarters in the European Hospital at Trichinopoly.	The Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, Southern Division, states that the estimate for this work was submitted for the approval of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, and that His Excellency did not consider the work of sufficient importance to be undertaken.
		Passing orders on the list of Military works submitted by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief for entry in the Budget of 1867-68.	
3,640	15th Nov. 1866.	Paragraph 12. Requests to expedite the submission of plans and estimates for all such projects as have not received the sanction of Government.	
		Two new latrines in the new or Marsack's Pettah and Bazaar at Trichinopoly.	The Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, states that these are not required, the Municipal authorities having made arrangements to meet this requirement.
3,851	5th Dec. 1866.	Calling for plan and estimate for a new Talook Cutcherry in the Little Fort at Tanjore.	A Talook Cutcherry on Standard Plan No I. has been sanctioned outside the fort and the work is now stopped. It is presumed therefore that this requisition has been superseded.
3,938	14th Dec. 1866.	Paragraph 33. To submit opinion relative to the alterations required in the plan for Talook Cutcherry for Trichinopoly to meet all the requirements of a Talook Cutcherry with a sub-jail attached.	It is presumed that the Standard Plans sanctioned by Government since the date of this requisition provides for all the requirements of a Talook Cutcherry with sub-jail attached, the opinion called for is therefore now not required.
			The Sub-Jail Committee proposed that only a sub-jail with out-houses should be built in the Collector's Cutcherry compound at Trichinopoly, and the necessary estimate was submitted to the Collector on the 20th November 1868, but the work has been held in abeyance, because the Collector has referred to the Revenue Board the question of the construction of a Talook Cutcherry, and if a Talook Cutcherry is to be erected, the sub-jail, etc., should be placed near it, and not in the Collector's Cutcherry compound.

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No.	Date.	Subject.	Explanation as to the reasons for removal.
		Paragraph 79. To expedite the submission of estimate for road from Perambalore to Keelapaloor.	Not required being superseded by road to Arealore, for which an estimate of Rupees 30,300 was sanctioned in G. O., No. 313, dated 29th January 1868.
3,108	8th October 1867.	Passing orders on lists of Military works recommended by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief for entry in the Budget of 1868-69 for execution from the "Reserve" in 1868-69.	
		Paragraph 19. To submit, in communication with the Military authorities, plans and estimates for such of the works entered in the list of works estimated at less than Rupees 2,500 each as have not yet received the approval of Government.	
		For turning up ground for garden for Royal Artillery Family Quarters at Trichinopoly.	Estimate Rupees 1,100 was submitted, and was sanctioned in G. O., No. 1,952, dated 1st July 1867. No funds allotted.
		For Skittle Alley adapted for the American modification of the game of bowls for the Detachment of British Infantry at Trichinopoly.	Estimate Rupees 2,000 was submitted, and was sanctioned in G. O., No. 1,814, dated 3rd June 1869. No funds allotted.
		Enlarging Barrack Guard-room, 23rd Light Infantry at Trichinopoly.	Estimate submitted and was sanctioned in G. O., No. 635, dated 1st March 1867, and the work was completed in 1867-68.
		New privy for hospital of the 23rd Light Infantry at Trichinopoly.	Do. do. do.
		Alterations to Ordnance Depôt Office in the Fort at Trichinopoly.	Do. do. do.
		Re-roofing the latrines of the 23rd Light Infantry at Trichinopoly and adding a dry-earth store and cart-shed.	Do. do. do.
		Do. the latrines of the 9th Regiment Native Infantry do. do.	Estimates for these works have been submitted in letter, No. 840, dated 21st October 1869.
		Do. of the Native followers of the Battery of Artillery at Trichinopoly.	
3,699	28th Nov. 1867.	Requesting the early submission of plan and estimate for the erection of a Lunatic Asylum at Trichinopoly.	Estimate and plans were submitted with letter, No. 605, dated 21st August 1869.
3,950	20th Dec. 1867.	Paragraph 46. To be furnished with information as to the plan on which the undermentioned works are proposed to be built, the materials to be employed in their construction, and the water-supply to scour them, etc.	
		Masonry drains for the Lines of the 9th Regiment Native Infantry.	Not required to be carried out by this department, the Municipal authorities having done the needful to the 9th Regiment lines, and it is very probable that they will complete the other also.
		Do. do. 23rd Regiment Native Infantry.	

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No.	Date.	Subject.	Explanation as to the reasons for removal.
1,367	2nd May 1868.	To report whether the precaution was taken for laying down asphalte between basement and superstructure of the Central Jail buildings to prevent white-ants having access to the wall.	Asphalte was not put previous to the receipt of this order, but has been subsequently tried but has failed, owing to the asphalte having been allowed to dry before the upper course of bricks was put on. A washing of tar and cow-dung has been used instead, which seems to have answered the purpose of keeping out white-ants.

TANJORE,
16*th December* 1869.

(Signed) R. F. OAKES, Captain, R.E.,
Superintending Engineer, 6th Division.

No. 244. ORDER THEREON, 12th February 1870, No. 500.

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UNDER the explanation afforded, the Government grant authority for the Orders enumerated in the foregoing list being removed from the Unanswered Reference List of the Superintending Engineer of the 6th Division.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division.
" Military Department.
" Public do,

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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