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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
12th June 1871.*

No. 152. Read the following letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer,
1st Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department,
dated Dowlaishwaram, 29th May 1871, No. 661 :—

I HAVE the honour to forward herewith copy of a letter* from the Deputy
Commissioner of the Upper Godavery
District, informing me that as the line

*No. 875, dated 19th instant.
of telegraph between Hingham Ghaut and Sironcha will be permanently closed
after the 30th June next, he fears he will be but of little service to me this year.

2. I beg to state, for the information of Government, that it is with reference
to my request to keep me informed by telegrams of the heavy floods coming
down the Godavery that Colonel Ashburner has deemed it necessary to give me
timely intimation of the closing of the above line of communication; but as it is
essentially necessary that I should be made aware of the rise in the river so as to
regulate in time the head and under sluices connected with the anicuts, I leave it
for the serious consideration of Government to act in the matter as it may seem to
them fit.

No. 153. ORDER THEREON, 12th June 1871, No. 1,561.

TELEGRAPH, No. 4.

ORDERED that this letter be for-
warded to the Director General of
Telegraphs :—

(Here enter No. 1,562, dated 12th June 1871.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. CARPENDALE, Colonel, R. E.,

Secretary to Government.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
FORT ST. GEORGE, 12th June 1871.

No. 154.

No. 1,562.

To

THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF TELEGRAPHS IN INDIA.

TELEGRAPH, No. 5.

SIR,—I am directed to forward for favourable consideration a letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer of the 1st Division, in which he represents the inconvenience that will be caused by the line of telegraph between Hingham Ghaut and Sironcha being permanently closed, and, in consideration of the circumstances mentioned by Major Fischer, I am to express the hope of the Madras Government that it may be found practicable to keep the line open during a portion of the year at any rate, if the expense, as compared with the general use of the line, forbids its being permanently maintained.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

(Signed) J. CARPENDALE, Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. 661

From

Majr. J. F. Fischer R.E.

Superintending Engineer

1st Division

To

Colonel J. Caspendale R.E.

Secretary to Government D. P. W.

MADRAS

SIR,

I have the honor to forward herewith copy of a letter from the Deputy Commissioner of the Upper Godavari District informing me that as the line of Telegraph between Hingamghat and Srirangh will be permanently closed after the 30th June next, he fears he will be but of little service to me this year.

2. They state for the information of Govt. that it is with reference to my request to keep me informed by Telegrams of the heavy floods coming down the Godavari that Colonel Ashburner has deemed it necessary to give me timely intimation of the closing of the above line of communication, but as it is essentially necessary that I should be made aware of the rise in the river, so as to regulate

x No. 875 dated
19th June 1871.

... as it may
them fit.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most Obedt Servt

Wm. T. Tucker Major U.S.A.

Adjutant General U.S.A.

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 From the City of London
 to the Sec. & Government
 J. H. D.

(Mason)
 Col. J. May } 1871
 Nov. 1st June }

Notes on the
forwarded copy of letter from
Dr. Commission to
Governor informing of the
closing permanently of the
Telegraph line between
Kiangnan and Szechwan
and explaining the necessity
for keeping it open.

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From The Deputy Commissioner
Lefter Goumany Bitt
To The Superintending
Engineer 1st Div
Howland

Printed 19th May
December 27 - 02

10/11/2555/71
Received 27-11-1911
Sir, I have the honor
to acknowledge receipt
of your P. 395 dated 9th inst.
and shall be happy to
comply with your request
as far as in my power,
but as I am informed
by the Chief Engineer of the
Railway Circle, that
after the 30th of June next

the Head and Under Clinics
acted with the Amicants, I leave

the line between Hinghamish
and Seronches will be as
permanently closed I
fear I shall be back
of little service to you
this year - I would suggest
that the cutting you off
from all communications
with the upper God country
involving as it does such
weighty interests, would
be a matter worthy the
consideration of Govt
of Madras.

I leave the honor to the

Yours most Obedt^{ly}

(Signed) Ashburner

By Commissioner

Upper God Country

Yours

1 June 1871
W. T. Ashburner Esq
C. J. Ashburner Esq

P. W. Department
No 1561
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Under date the 12 June 71
Read the following

From the Acting Engineer 1st Divⁿ

1 H. C. No 661 dated 29 May 1871

Ordered that this
letter be forwarded to the
Director General of
Telegraphs.

No 1562-
To the Director General of
Telegraphs in India

Sir

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being permanently
maintained.

J. Fincher

M.S. Dec 2 12/6/71 with copy
of Sup^{rs} letter ~~to the Govt.~~
P.C. Dec 2 12/6/71 ~~with~~

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To the Director General of
Telegraphs India

Dated

Recd.

Encl. /

G. O. 12th Dec 1871, No. 1561-158

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